

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 11-12 June or 9 July (?)	2. LOCATION Sarasota, Florida
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION AIRCRAFT
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS Two	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION Less than 2 minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Two objects moving across sky when one of them made an abrupt turn to the North and up. Size and brightness comparable to Venus. Flight from West to East.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE Maneuvered	COMMENTS: Witness indicated that objects might be a/c but was concerned by one maneuver in accord with a/c turn at altitude. Description rather vague and much data omitted. Case regarded as possible a/c observation.
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

FORM
FTD SEP 63 0-329 (TDE) Previous editions of this form may be used.

Capt Hector Quintanilla, Jr
To Wright-Patterson Air Force Base
near Dayton, Ohio

Dear Captain Quintanilla,

Please don't think me a
crackpot - how many times have
you received letters starting out
like this?

My morning paper had an
interesting article about your
work and the UFO's - And I've read about UFO

I'd like to tell you about
the strange thing I saw this
summer. My dates and time
are vague - but the story I'm
about to relate is true.

It was during the time

(2)

June 11 or 12 or July 4 or 10
around 3:30 or 4:30 in the morning

For some reason I woke up, and
I laid in bed looking out the window
when I saw these two objects
sneaking through the sky at great
speed. ^{they were coming from S traveling N-} They were very high up —
and they traveled in a parallel line,
one just a wee bit behind the other,
of course that high they could have
been many miles apart. Suddenly, one
of them broke formation and streaked
straight up — and traveled st a while
the other one continued on course
to the North. They were glowing
^{teardrop} round object (sort of blue white) larger
than a star — but they had the same
colored ^{physical} appearance as stars do —
maybe they were stars — I don't

(3)
really know - but that one glowing object
took a sharp 45° turn W
N faster than

a second - I've watched the sky since
I was a kid. I've seen falling stars,
the morning star, & the orange-glowing
missiles man has made. Also jets, planes,
& rubber balloons. Of course. Maybe
they were jets from Mac Millan Air Force
(very high up). A lot of jets travel to Cuba -
Or they could have been stars, but
it's the first time I've seen a
star move up.

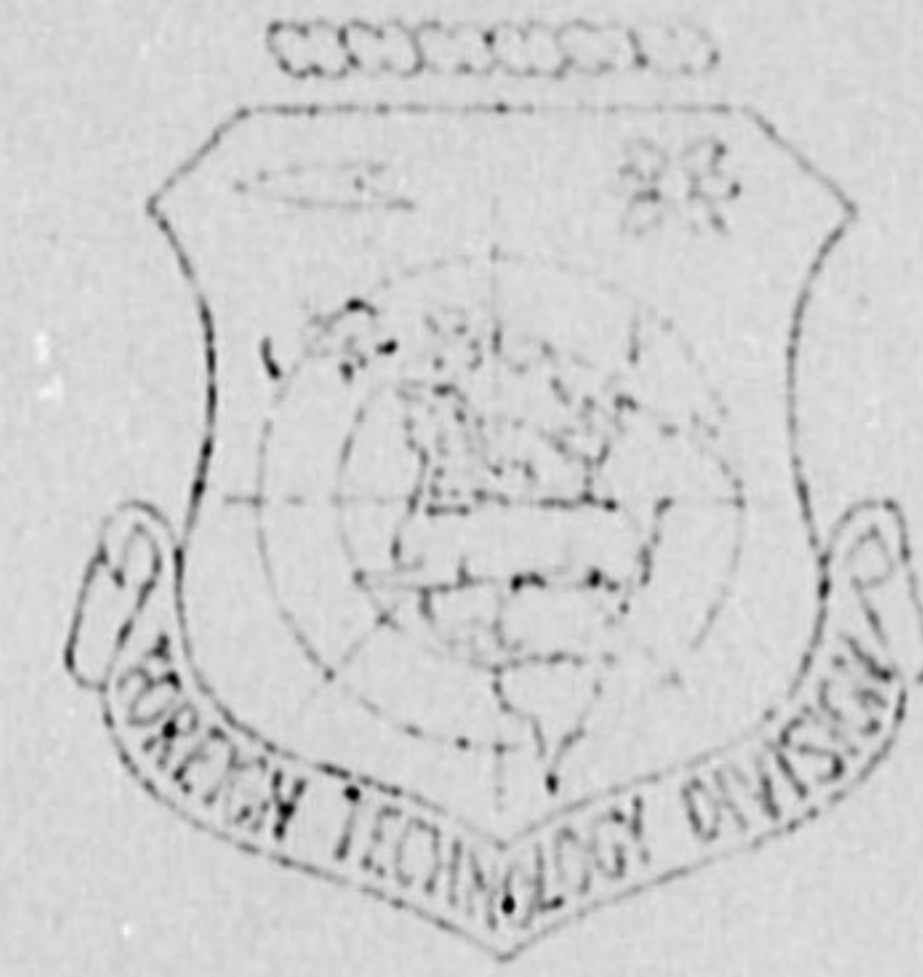
Sincerely -
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Sarasota Fla.

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Capt Hector Quintanilla, Jr
46 Wright Patterson Air
Force Base
near
Dayton Ohio

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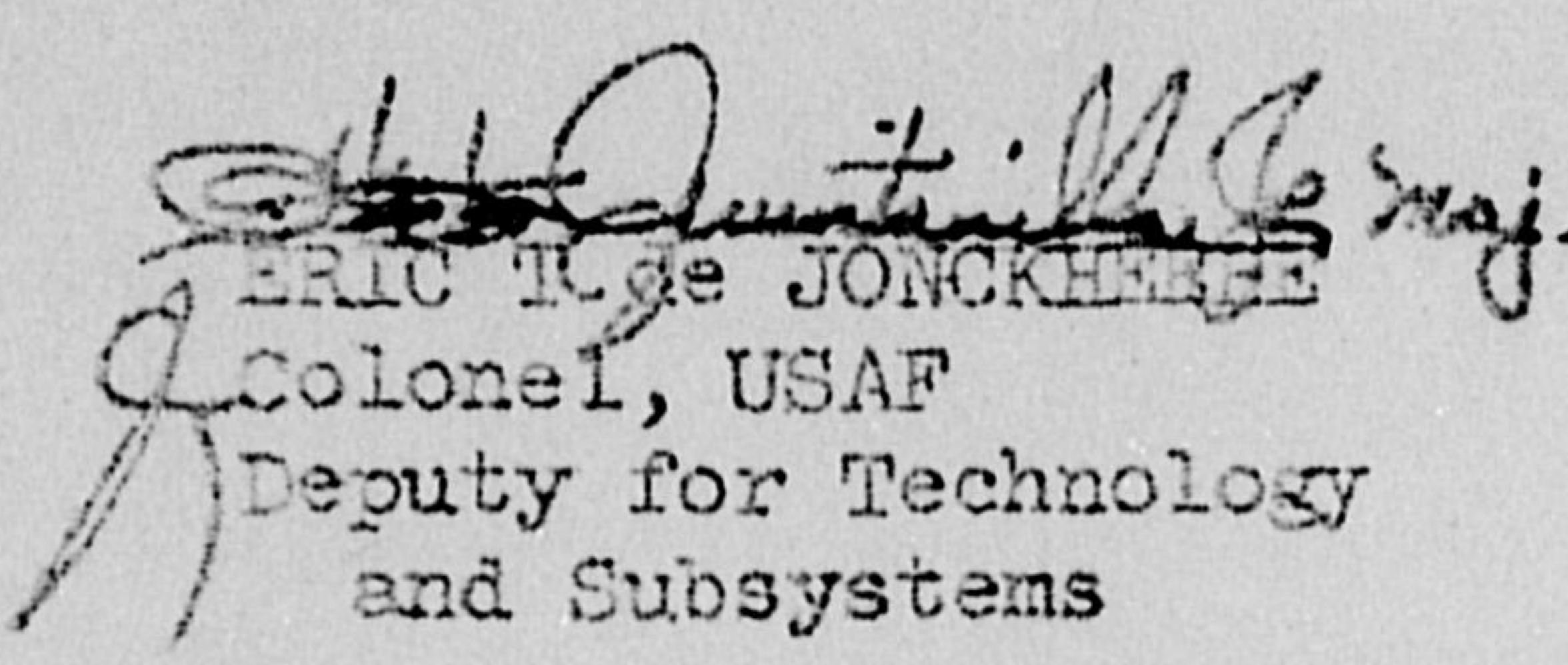
SUBJECT: UFO Sighting (Sarasota, Florida)

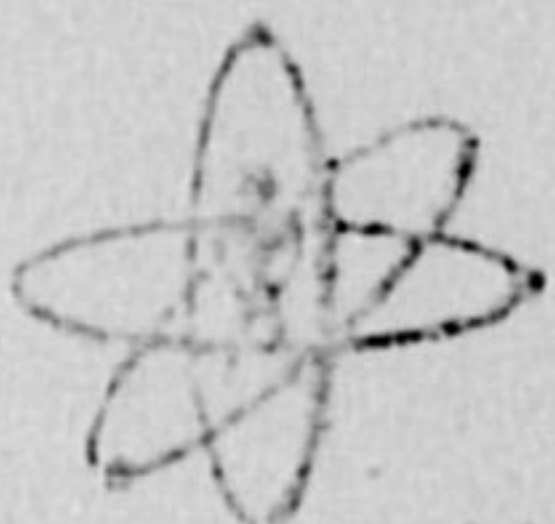
28 Aug 64

TO: Hq USAF SAFOI PB (Mrs Gaiser)
Wash D C 20330

This office has received a report of an unidentified flying object observation by [REDACTED] of [REDACTED] Sarasota, Florida. This report contains insufficient data for evaluation, therefore, request your office send an FTD Form 164 to [REDACTED]

FOR THE COMMANDER


ERIC T. de JONCKHEERE
Colonel, USAF
Deputy for Technology
and Subsystems



YOU - THE NUCLEUS OF SECURITY!

U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION

This questionnaire has been prepared so that you can give the U.S. Air Force as much information as possible concerning the unidentified aerial phenomenon that you have observed. Please try to answer as many questions as you possibly can. The information that you give will be used for research purposes. Your name will not be used in connection with any statements, conclusions, or publications without your permission. We request this personal information so that if it is deemed necessary, we may contact you for further details.

1. When did you see the object?

See Remarks 35
 Day Month Year

2. Time of day:

See Remarks 35
 (Circle One): Hour Minutes
 A.M. or P.M.

3. Time Zone:

(Circle One): a. Eastern
 b. Central
 c. Mountain
 d. Pacific
 e. Other

(Circle One): a. Daylight Saving
 b. Standard

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

Place Sarasota Florida
 Nearest Postal Address City or Town State or County

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration)

1 odd
 Hours Minutes Seconds

a. Certain
 b. Fairly certain

c. Not very sure
 d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined?

my instinct of time only

5.2 Was object in sight continuously?

Yes No Refer remarks 35

6. What was the condition of the sky?

DAY
 a. Bright
 b. Cloudy

(NIGHT)
 a. Bright
 b. Cloudy

7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?

(Circle One): a. In front of you
 b. In back of you
 c. To your right

d. To your left
 e. Overhead
 f. Don't remember

8. IF you saw the object at NIGHT, what did you notice concerning the STARS and MOON?

8.1 STARS (Circle One):

- a. None
- b. A few
- c. Many
- d. Don't remember

8.2 MOON (Circle One):

- a. Bright moonlight
- b. Dull moonlight
- c. No moonlight - pitch dark
- d. Don't remember

9. What were the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

CLOUDS (Circle One):

- a. Clear sky
- b. Hazy
- c. Scattered clouds
- d. Thick or heavy clouds

WEATHER (Circle One):

- a. Dry
- b. Fog, mist, or light rain
- c. Moderate or heavy rain
- d. Snow
- e. Don't remember

10. The object appeared: (Circle One):

- a. Solid
- b. Transparent
- c. Vapor
- d. As a light
- e. Don't remember

11. If it appeared as a light, was it brighter than the brightest stars? (Circle One):

- a. Brighter
- b. Dimmer
- c. About the same
- d. Don't know

11.1 Compare brightness to some common object:

these
to the star Venus. Only these objects were brighter,
larger and blue white in appearance.

12. The edges of the object were:

- (Circle One):
- a. Fuzzy or blurred
 - b. Like a bright star
 - c. Sharply outlined
 - d. Don't remember

e. Other Was blue white
in appearance.

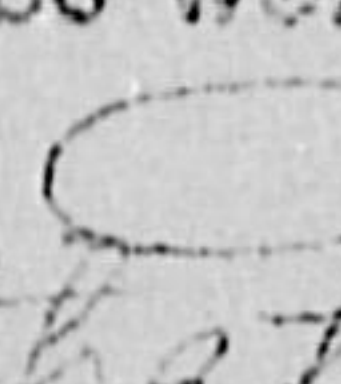
13. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

- | | | | |
|---|------------|-----------|------------|
| a. Appear to stand still at any time? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time? | <u>Yes</u> | No | Don't know |
| c. Break up into parts or explode? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| d. Give off smoke? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| e. Change brightness? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| f. Change shape? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| g. Flash or flicker? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| h. Disappear and reappear? | Yes | No | Don't know |

13 h - Remarks 6-11-75

14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how?

yes - There were two, white-blue, bright  sort of this shape. maybe a little better shaped than that. They glowed like a bright star, but they moved at great speed. They traveled parallel - then one broke formation. I watched ~~both~~ ^{both} of them and they disappeared from my sight.

15. Did the object move behind something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One):

Yes

No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

it moved behind: _____

16. Did the object move in front of something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One):

Yes

No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

in front of: _____

17. Tell in a few words the following things about the object:

a. Sound

bulb-like, heavy sound - too high up.

b. Color

Blue-white

18. We wish to know the angular size. Hold a match stick at arm's length in line with a known object and note how much of the object is covered by the head of the match. If you had performed this experiment at the time of the sighting, how much of the object would have been covered by the match head?

I held match (safely) head in line with sky where I first saw the 2 objects.

□ Shape of match head. The objects would be at least 3 times the size of match head, held match arm length - like an artist

held pencil to measure at head of model.

19. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object or objects. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw such as wings, protrusions, etc., and especially exhaust trails or vapor trails.

Place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.

Saw no details of objects. W
Just blue-white, bright like
star, a lot of speed.

Separated here.

East side one streaked N.

W → → → E

objects streaked through sky from South. Then they broke formation. One turning → shape angle - no slowing down. The other one continued on down course. E

20. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One)

Yes

No

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? _____

21. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was?

(Circle One)

Yes

No

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? _____

*But I could point to the sky
I suppose some math
Johns could judge.*

22. Where were you located when you saw the object?

(Circle One):

- a. Inside a building
- b. In a car
- c. Outdoors
- d. In an airplane (type)
- e. At sea
- f. Other _____

23. Were you (Circle One)

- a. In the business section of a city?
- b. In the residential section of a city?
- c. In open countryside?
- d. Near an airfield?
- e. Flying over a city?
- f. Flying over open country?
- g. Other _____

24. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

24.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

- | | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| a. North | c. East | e. South | g. West |
| b. Northeast | d. Southeast | f. Southwest | h. Northwest |

24.2 How fast were you moving? _____ miles per hour.

24.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One)

Yes

No

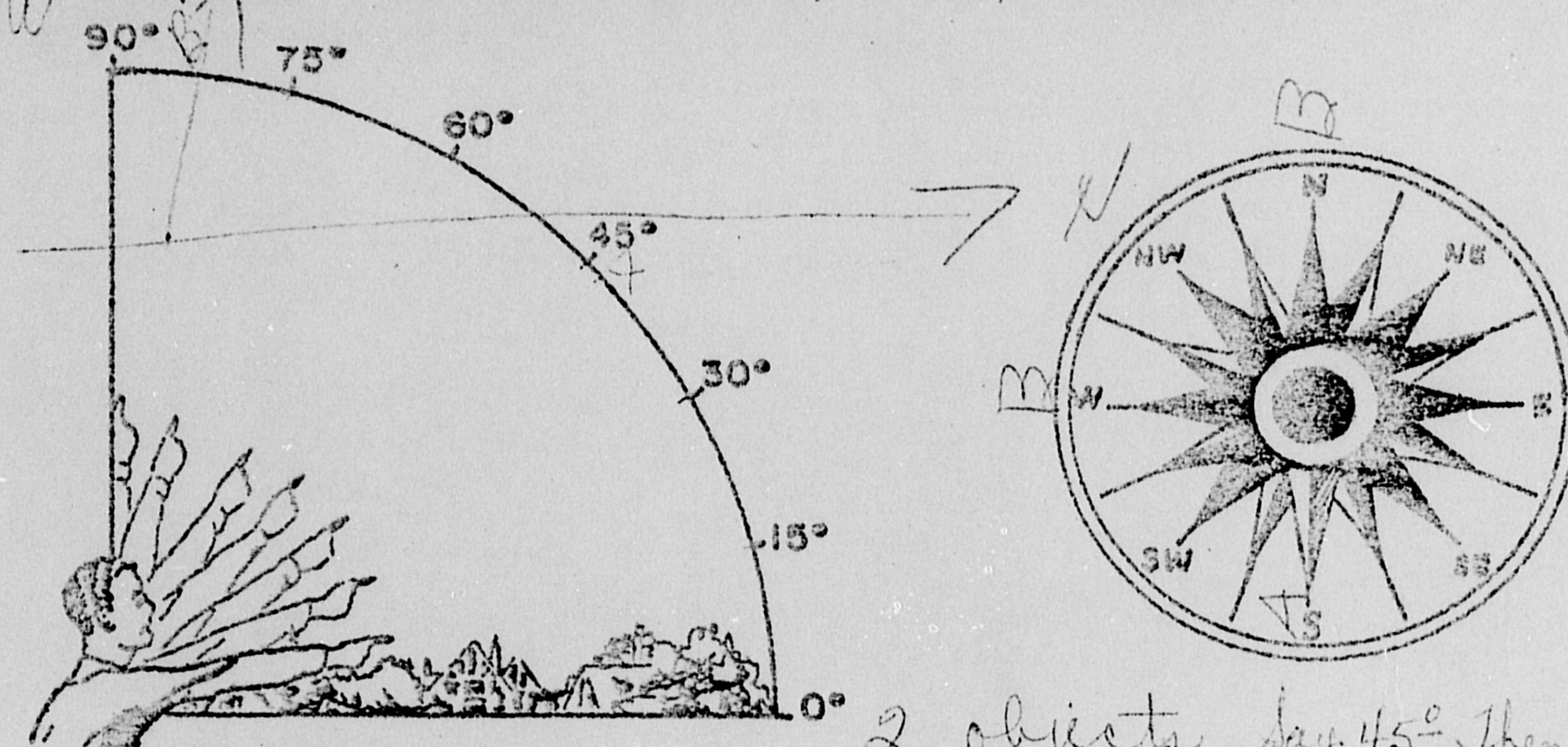
25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

- | | | | | | |
|-----------------|------------|-----------|---------------|-------|-----------|
| a. Eyeglasses | Yes | <u>No</u> | e. Binoculars | Yes | <u>No</u> |
| b. Sun glasses | Yes | <u>No</u> | f. Telescope | Yes | <u>No</u> |
| c. Windshield | Yes | <u>No</u> | g. Theodolite | Yes | <u>No</u> |
| d. Window glass | <u>Yes</u> | No | h. Other | _____ | |

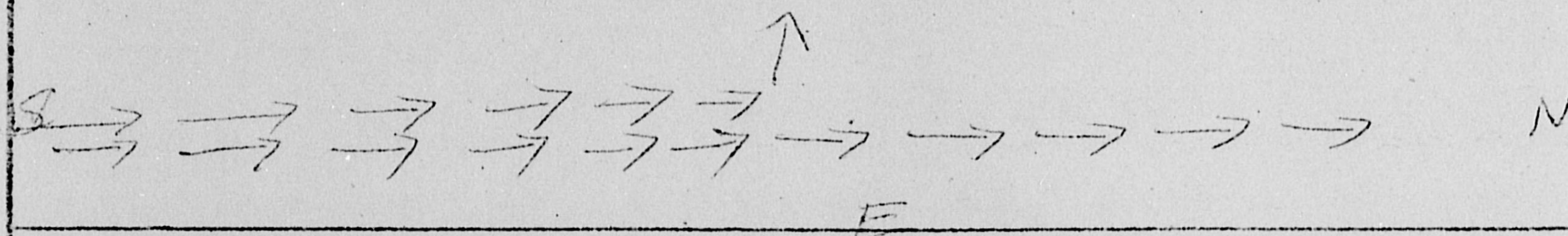
26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

Venus

27. In the following sketch, imagine that you are at the point shown. Place an "A" on the curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you first saw it. Place a "B" on the same curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you last saw it. Place an "A" on the compass when you first saw it. Place a "B" on the compass where you last saw the object.

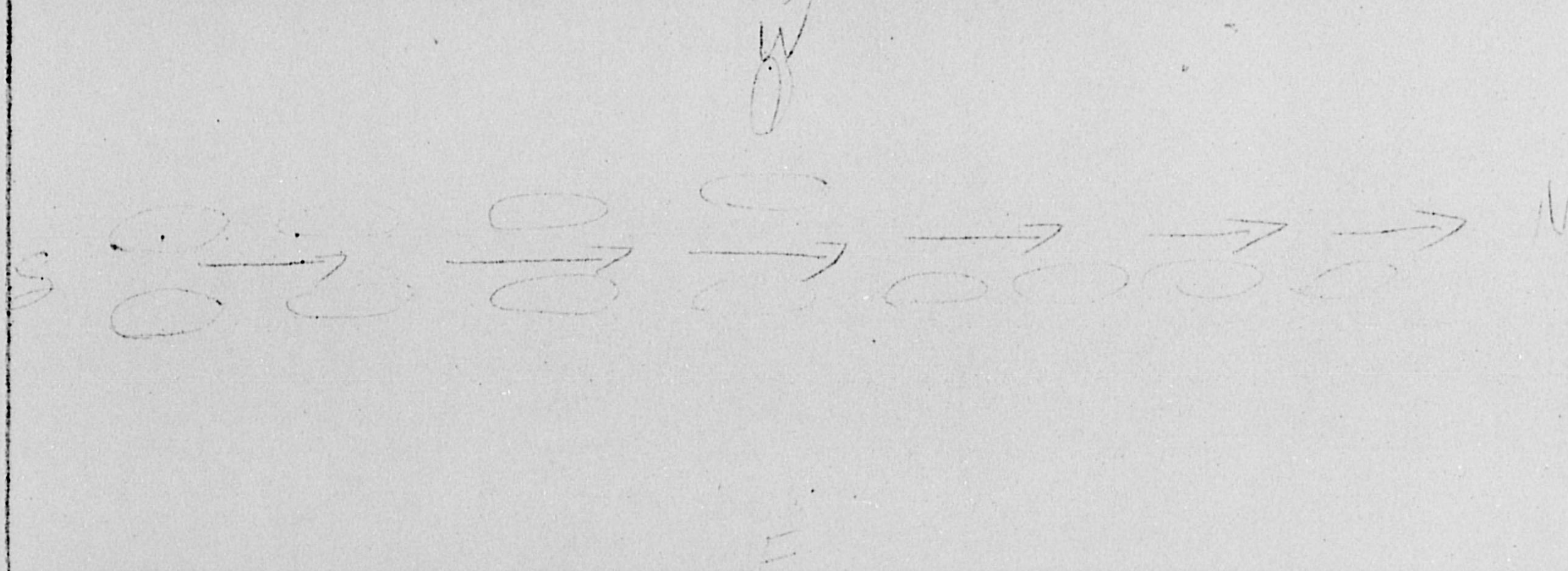


28. Draw a picture that will show the motion that the object or objects made. Place an "A" at the beginning of the path, a "B" at the end of the path, and show any changes in direction during the course.



29. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? TWO

Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.



30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location.

No

31. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object? (Circle One)

Yes

No

31.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too? (Circle One)

Yes

No

31.2 Please list their names and addresses:

X

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

ADDRESS

Street

City

Zone

State

TELEPHONE NUMBER

AGE

SEX

Indicate any additional information about yourself, including any special experience, which might be pertinent.

33. When and to whom did you report that you had seen the object?

I can't remember - I've

Day

Month

Year

been on vacation. But I went on vacation - on Aug 18th
I wrote a letter to a Capt. O'Quinn, 1st Air Force
The paper had article about U.F.O. and how the air
forced liked to get reports.

34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

14 Oct 1964
Day Month Year

35. Information which you feel pertinent and which is not adequately covered in the specific points of the questionnaire or a narrative explanation of your sighting.

~~2-2 question~~

Time - During month of June or July.
In June around 11 + 12 or July around 9 or 10 -
Approx. 3 or 4 in morning.

Gentlemen,

I'm afraid my report is terribly
Vague + Sketchy - But I did see
these 2 objects and I'm so vague
about exact dates + time because
I didn't think anything about it
'til I read article in paper about
UFO objects. I told people that
I worked with about seeing the 2
objects in the sky. I've seen unusual
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sharp left to turn - I think that's unusual