PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 14 October 65 15/0123Z	2. LOCATION New York, New York
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Probable BIRDS Reflecting light from N. Y. World's Fair.
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS Multiple	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 seconds	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Multiple objects, traveling in different directions towards the Northeast. White. First objects were flying in "V" formation, then changing to circular formation. There were clouds above a haze. Bright lights from fair and disappearance of object behind buildings may be the reason observer could not identify objects.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE North	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes XX No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes XX No	

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

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PRINCETON UNIVERSITY
PRINCETON, NEW JERSEY 08540

Department of Art and Archaeology

Oct.25/65

Dear Sir,

On October 14, 7 23 p.m. my wife and I as well as an amateur photographer who was standing near us, saw a series of flying objects over New York under the worst possible conditions, namely while walking out of the World's Fair.

Let us give you a description for all its worth: They were a total of about 12 elliptical whitish objects which speeded in a northerly direction in a quickly changing V formation, returned in a circular crazily moving circular formation at 7.24 p.m. when they were 12 in number, returned once more at 7.30 p.m. in an irregular formation, one of them detaching itself in another crazy motion.

The temperature was about 55-60 degrees, the wind-speed on the ground ca. 10 miles/hour.

[redacted] of [redacted] Street, New York or [redacted] Street Hazleton, Penna made a photograph of these objects, or light phenomena.

It is the third time that I have seen similar motion, and it is certainly quite possible to achive that kind of seemingly erratic flight with objects manufactured on earth, and if indeed our observations are correct, the possibilities in terms of speed and acceleration could be or are phantastic.

I would be interested to hear if any other reports of this occurence have reached you.

Sincerely yours

[redacted]

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Aerial Surveillance
PENTAGON
Washington D.C.

14 OCT 65
BUCKETT & SAUL. NEGS
NY WORLDS FAIR

FTD (TDEW)
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433
4 November 1965

[redacted]
Department of Art and Archaeology
Princeton University
Princeton, New Jersey 08540

Dear [redacted],

Your report of a group of unidentified flying objects observed at the New York World's Fair on October 14 by you and your wife resembles a flight of birds. However, it seems unlikely that such a common phenomenon would be misinterpreted unless there was some unusual circumstance associated with the observation. Would you and your wife please complete the attached Form 164s in order that a more complete analysis may be made. We are enclosing envelopes for their return at your convenience.

Sincerely,

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Major, USAF
Chief, Project Blue Book

FTD (TDEW)
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433
4 November 1965

[redacted] Street
Hazleton, Pennsylvania

Dear [redacted]

We have received information that you observed and photographed a group of unidentified flying objects while on a visit to the New York World's Fair. Would you please complete the attached Form 164 and return it to our office at your convenience. If possible, we would like to have the original negatives in order that our photo analysis personnel may assist in determining these objects. We assure you that they will be returned and that your name will be held in confidence should you so desire.

Sincerely,

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Major, USAF
Chief, Project Blue Book

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?

14	OCT	65
Day	Month	Year

2. Time of day: 7 (Hour) 23 (Minutes)

between 7.24 and 7.30

(Circle One): 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?

Across to Exit World Fair	New York	N.Y.
Nearest Postal Address	City or Town	State or County

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration) — (Hours) — (Minutes) 30 ± (Seconds)

a. Certain
b. Fairly certain
c. Not very sure
d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined? Watch for each overflight

5.2 Was object in sight continuously? (Yes) ____ No ____

6. What was the condition of the sky?

DAY	NIGHT
a. Bright	a. Bright
b. Cloudy	b. Cloudy

Night, Hazy.

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

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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 (Haze)
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 (Some clouds above haze)
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:

_____

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 _____

13. Did the object: *(Circle One for each question)*

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

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

in haze

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: Buildings in vicinity

16. Did the object move in front of something at any time, particularly a cloud? No clouds visible in clear area.

(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:

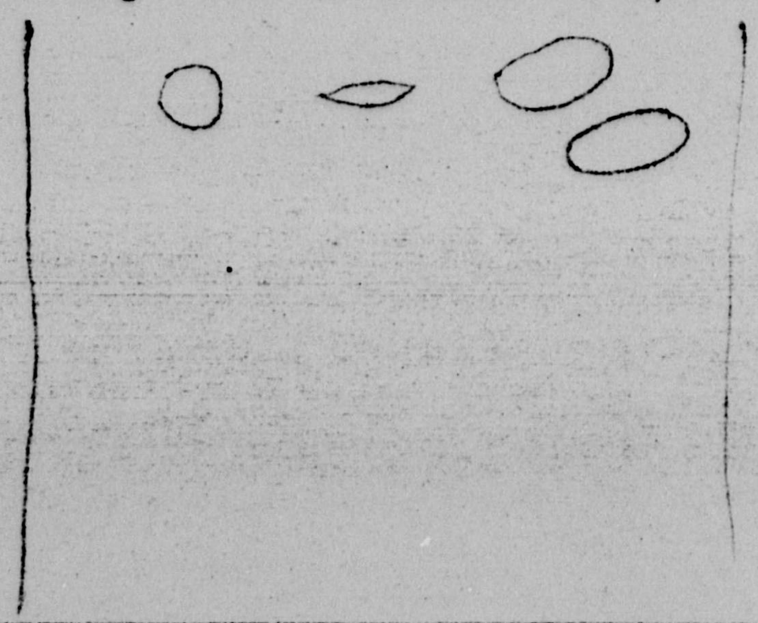
a. Sound —

b. Color 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?

almost completely covered.

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.



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? If high very fast (800-900 mph)

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? Appeared to be at ca. 8000 feet height.

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 World Fair

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? Walking miles per hour.

If necessary I can find out

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	No	e. Binoculars	Yes	No
b. Sun glasses	Yes	No	f. Telescope	Yes	No
c. Windshield	Yes	No	g. Theodolite	Yes	No
d. Window glass	Yes	No	h. Other Eyes		

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.

Tin can cover.

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

see p. 3 preceding this page.

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 _____

b. Color _____

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?

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.

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? _____

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?
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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
b. Northeast
c. East
d. Southeast
e. South
f. Southwest
g. West
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?

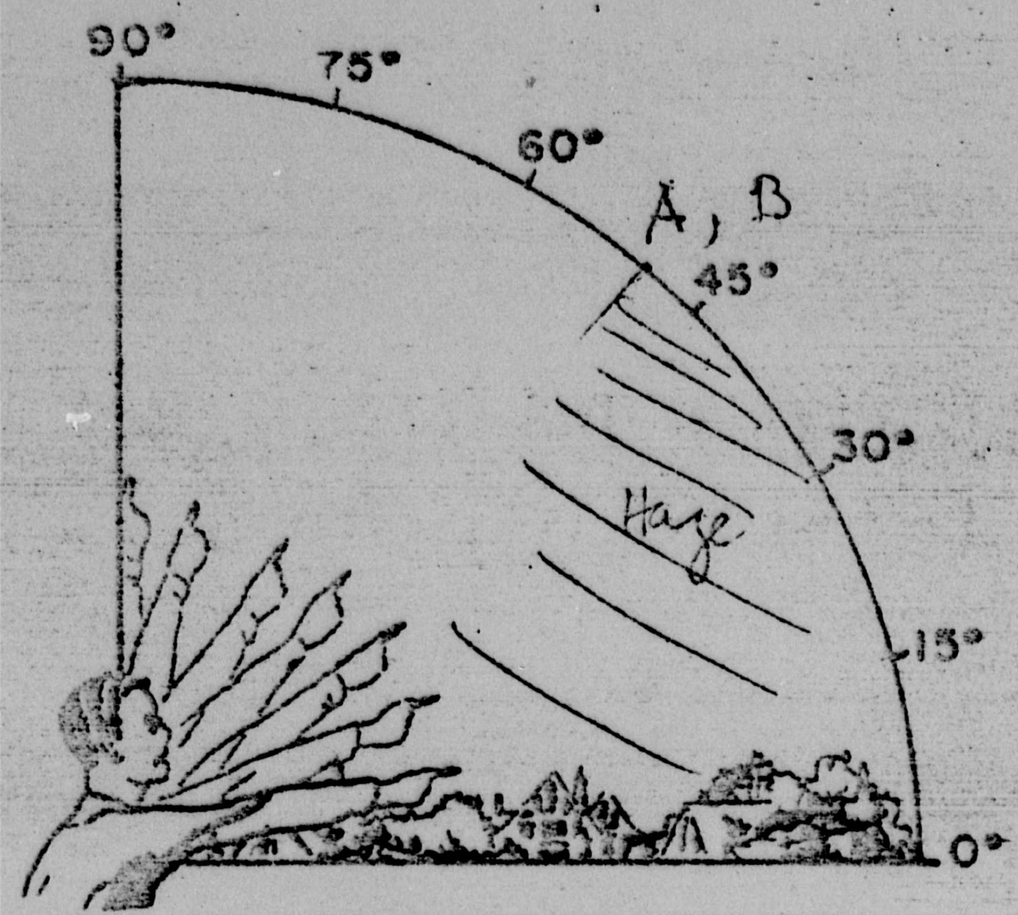
(Circle One) Yes No

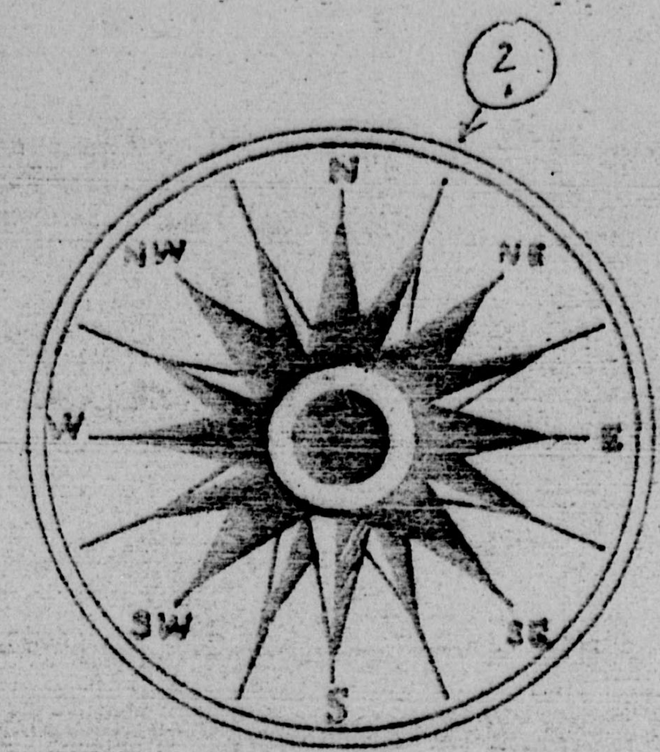
25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

a. Eyeglasses	Yes	No	e. Binoculars	Yes	No
b. Sun glasses	Yes	No	f. Telescope	Yes	No
c. Windshield	Yes	No	g. Theodolite	Yes	No
d. Window glass	Yes	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.

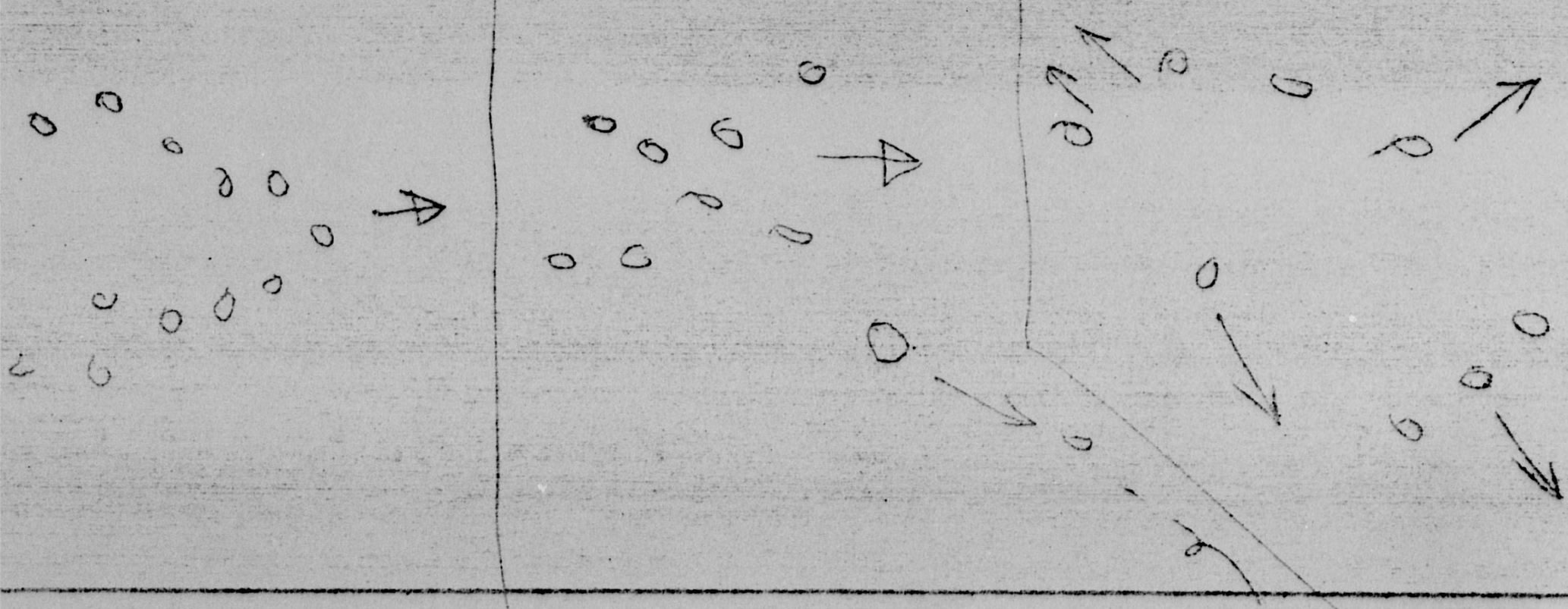
27. In the following sketch, imagine that you are at the point shown. Place an "A" on the curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the same curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *last* saw 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? 1) ca. 12 2) ca. 12 3) ca. 8
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.

Yes 1951 (?) ZURICH | 1955 ITALY

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:

Wife [redacted] New York

or [redacted] Hazleton, Penna

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME [redacted] (Last Name) [redacted] (First Name) — (Middle Name)

ADDRESS [redacted] (Street) MILLSTONE (City) (Zone) New Jersey (State)

TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] AGE 38 SEX M

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

Telemetry from Army 1948-53
Airplane observation "

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

25 (Day) Oct (Month) 65 (Year) Pentagon Wash. D.C.

34. Date you completed this questionnaire: NOV 8 (Day) _____ (Month) 1965 (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.

The conditions were very bad due to haze and interfearing light from fair. Nevertheless I doubt if the objects were birds since we also saw birds illuminated by ground light and behaving as birds should. The motion resembled that of objects in fast double revolution

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U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION

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1. When did you see the object?
please consult Professor F. Bracher on this.

Friday (Day) Oct (Month) 15 (Year)

Not sure of this date

2. Time of day: 2230 (Hour) _____ (Minutes)

(Circle One): 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?

New York worlds Fair (Nearest Postal Address) Flushing (City or Town) New York (State or County)

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration) _____ (Hours) _____ (Minutes) 3-6 (Second time) (Seconds)

2 seconds (First time)

a. Certain (c. Not very sure)
b. Fairly certain d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined? Approximation

5.2 Was object in sight continuously? Yes X No ____

6. What was the condition of the sky?

DAY
a. Bright
b. Cloudy

(NIGHT)
(a. Bright)
b. Cloudy

Considerable reflection of Lights from ground - Sky - fairly clear

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

Night Sighting

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

Objects (approx 5 or 6) disappeared into distance

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 no discernable sound

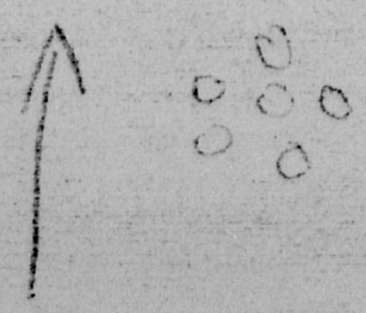
b. Color White

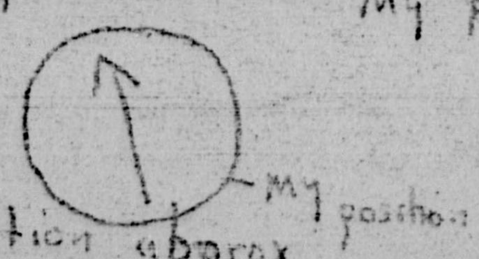
18. We wish to know the angular size. Hold a match stick at arm's length in line with a known object and note how much of the object is covered by the head of the match. If you had performed this experiment at the time of the sighting, how much of the object would have been covered by the match head?

A single object would be covered, however, the formation would not have been due to the size of the formation

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.

1st sighting - heading 020° RADIAL my position





My position approx 340° true (Looking or facing 340°)

2nd Sighting - heading 045° RADIAL my position

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? 1000 MPH

If object was as high as it seem then speed could easily been much higher

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

(Circle One) Yes No guess

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? Closed pass maybe 4 miles altitude 20,000 ft. (Rough guess)

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 New York World's Fair

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

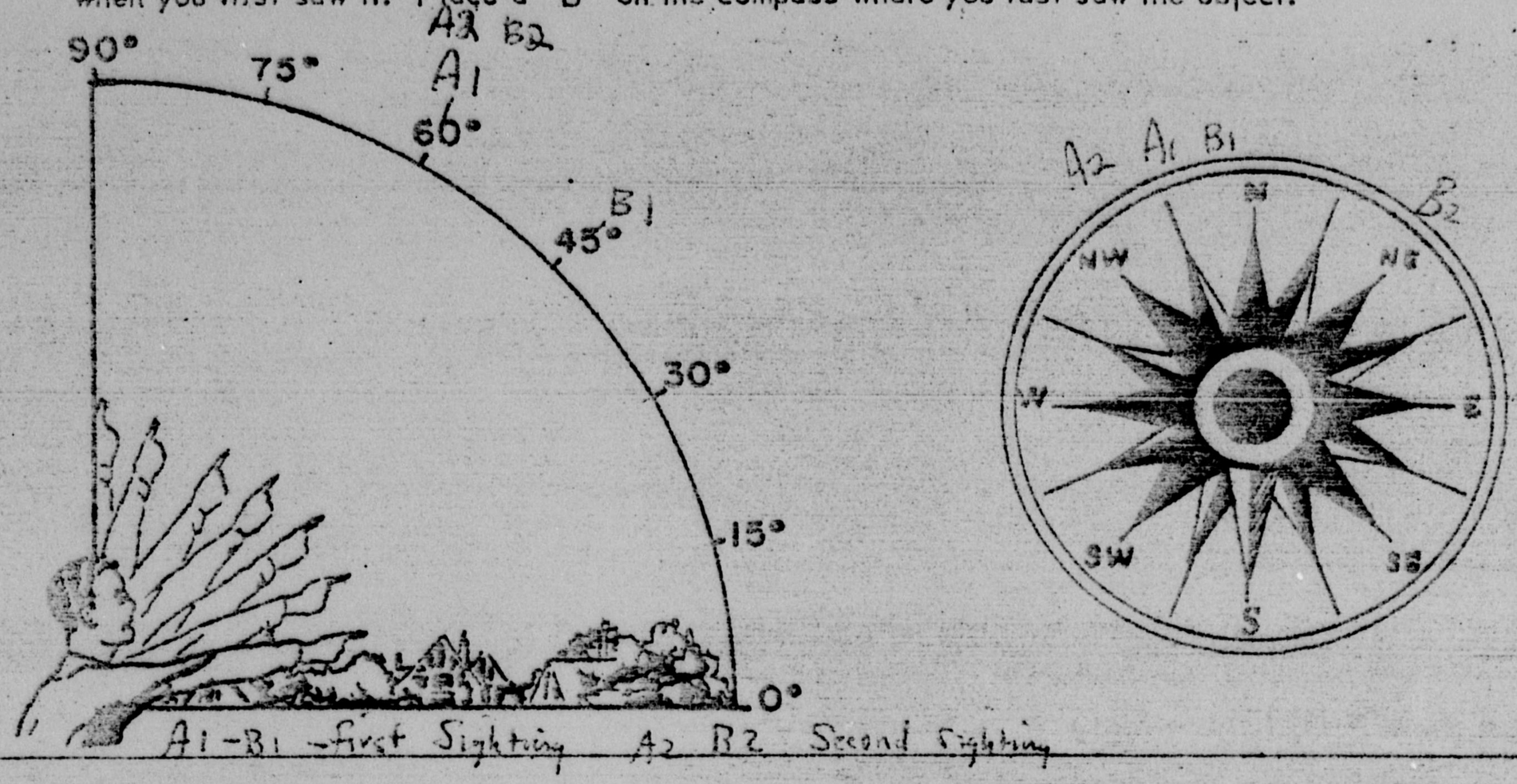
25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

a. Eyeglasses	Yes	(No)	e. Binoculars	Yes	(No)
b. Sun glasses	Yes	(No)	f. Telescope	Yes	(No)
c. Windshield	Yes	(No)	g. Theodolite	Yes	(No)
d. Window glass	Yes	(No)	h. Other Camera View finder		

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.

a group of ~~balls~~ balloons moving at high speed - (Color white)

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.



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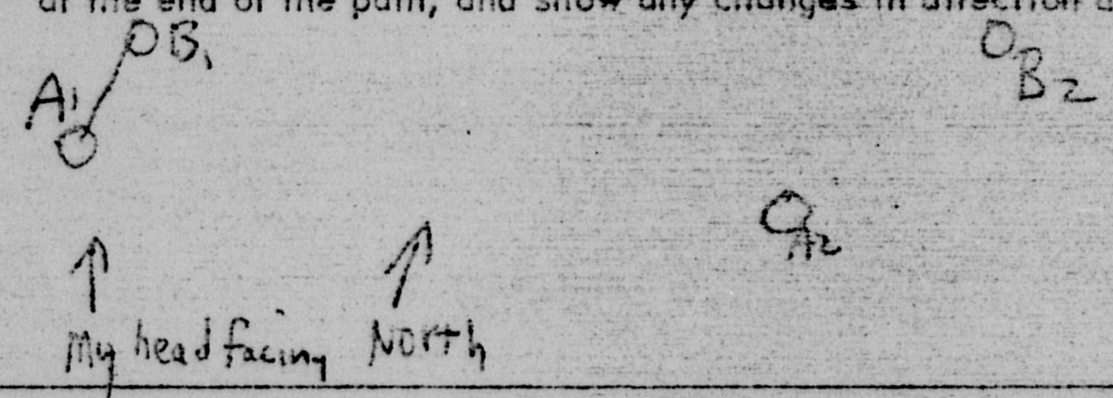

29. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? Approx 5

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

They seemed to be arranged in random

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

yes - approx 18 years ago in back yard of former residence in Hazleton, Penna

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:

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME [redacted] (Last Name) [redacted] (First Name) [redacted] (Middle Name)

ADDRESS [redacted] St (Street) Hazleton (City) (Zone) Penna (State)

TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] AGE 23 SEX Male

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

Experienced photographer

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

Day Month Year

Same evening I saw them

Professor [redacted] Princton Univ

34. Date you completed this questionnaire: Dec 2 (Day) _____ (Month) 1965 (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.

Camera used was a Minolta SR-7 with 58 mm 1.4 Auto Rokkor. Film used was Ektachrome X (ASA 64) Exposure $\frac{1}{15}$ Sec at 1.4 (wide open) Processing normal

Due to almost imperceptable brightness it seems objects were at least 20,000 feet. They seemed to have the speed and maneuverability of supersonic fighters however, if the altitude was as high as it seemed then speed could easily have been as high as 5,000 mph. due to the extremly short duration of appearance. Speed remained constant throughout their appearance. One object on the right side seemed to peel of to the right and immediately after which all objects disappeared from view. Judging from my past experience I did not expect these photos to be usable. I decided to depend on a little "luck". One of the enclosed pictures is a blank - The other three are attempts to photograph the objects. I regret that they are not of better quality. It is not necessary to return slides since they are of no use to me. To provide you with directions of travel etc I consulted a map of New York and another of the worlds

fair layout. I am positive of my position with respect to the various buildings and because of such can ascertain directions etc.

I would like to correspond with professor [redacted] (Princton Univ) on this. He is the gentleman who provided you with my name on this - Kindley provide me with such. If I can be of further assistance please let me know.