

# PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 20 February 66 20/1840Z	2. LOCATION Fairborn, Ohio
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION AIRCRAFT ✓
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1 Minute	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observer sighted an object which appeared to be falling toward the earth, leveled off and flew out of sight in the South. There were three a/c at a higher altitude sighted by the observer. There was no sound.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE Southerly	
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	(1 Witness)



# 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?

20 FEB 1966  
Day Month Year

2. Time of day: 1 40  
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

IT COULD HAVE BEEN THE  
19 OR 21 IT WAS A BRIGHT  
DAY NO CLOUDS

WPAFB OR FAIRBORN TIME

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

[REDACTED]  
Nearest Postal Address

FAIRBORN  
City or Town

OHIO GREEN  
State or County

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

Hours

Minutes

Seconds

a. Certain

b. Fairly certain

c. Not very sure

d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined?

THOUGHTS HAD AT THE TIME

5.2 Was object in sight continuously?

Yes ✓

No     

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:

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 FIRST SHARPLY OUTLINED  
IN A END OVER END DOWNWARD  
FLIGHT THEN LEVELED  
OFF IN ~~FLIGHT~~ LEVELED  
FLIGHT WHICH BLURRED

13. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

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



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

FLW IN LEVEL FLIGHT OUT OF SIGHT  
OR I QUIT LOOKING ON ACCOUNT OF BRIGHT  
FLASHES

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 SOUND I THOUGHT IT WAS THE COVER-

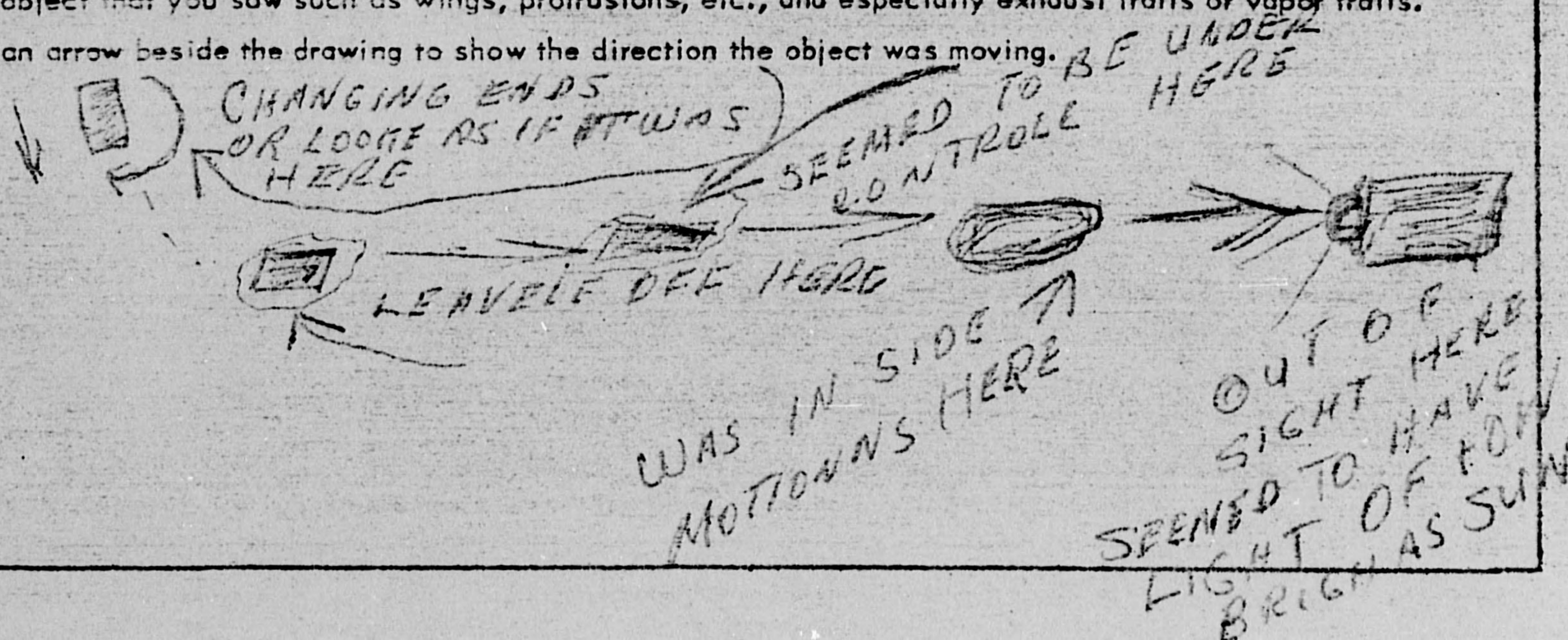
b. Color PLEXIGLASS TO STRAW OVER CORRUPT

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?

ABOUT ONE THIRD

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? ~~3000~~ ~~5000~~ ~~10000~~

3 THOUSAND  
TO 5 THOUSAND  
FEET

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

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

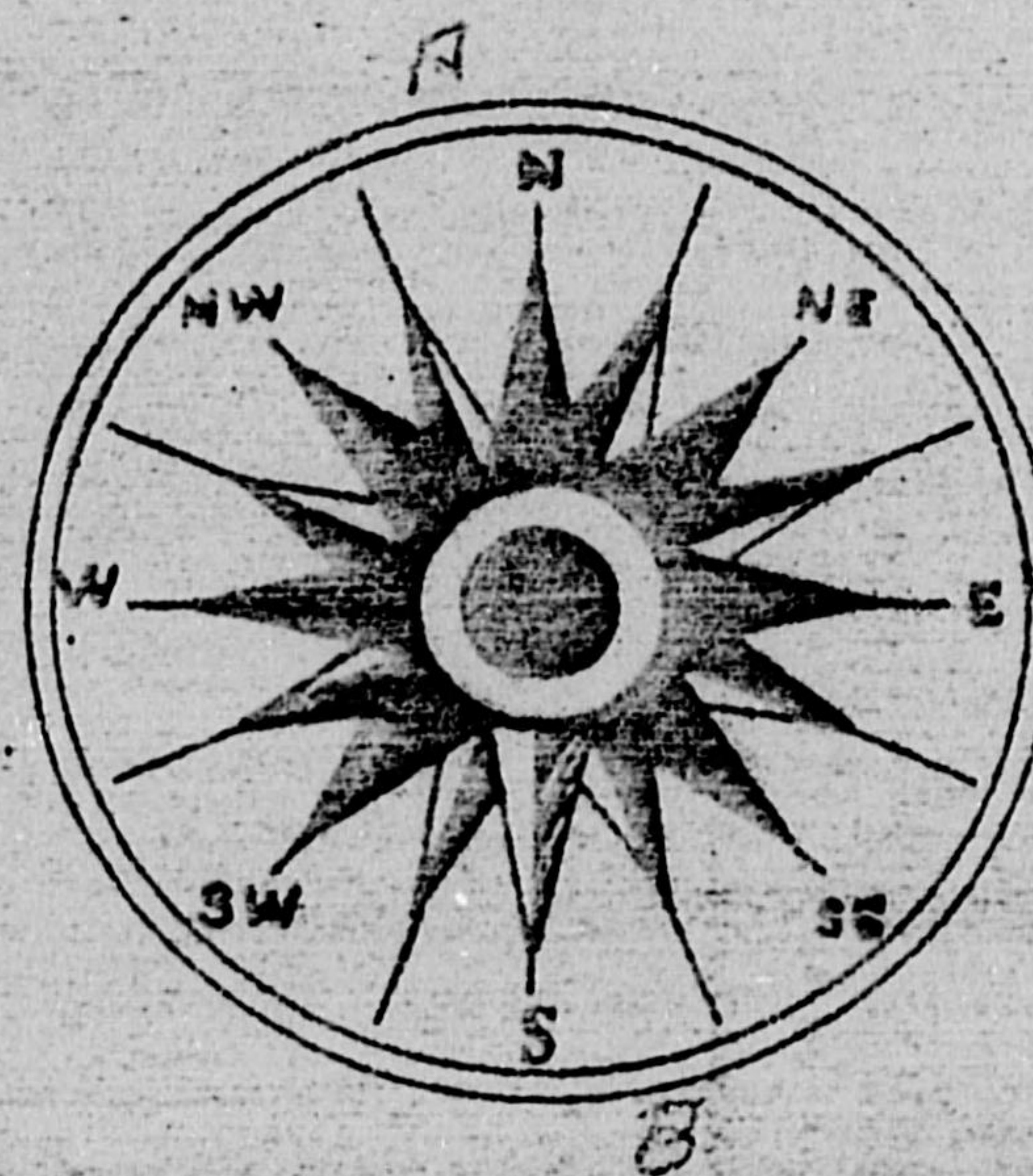
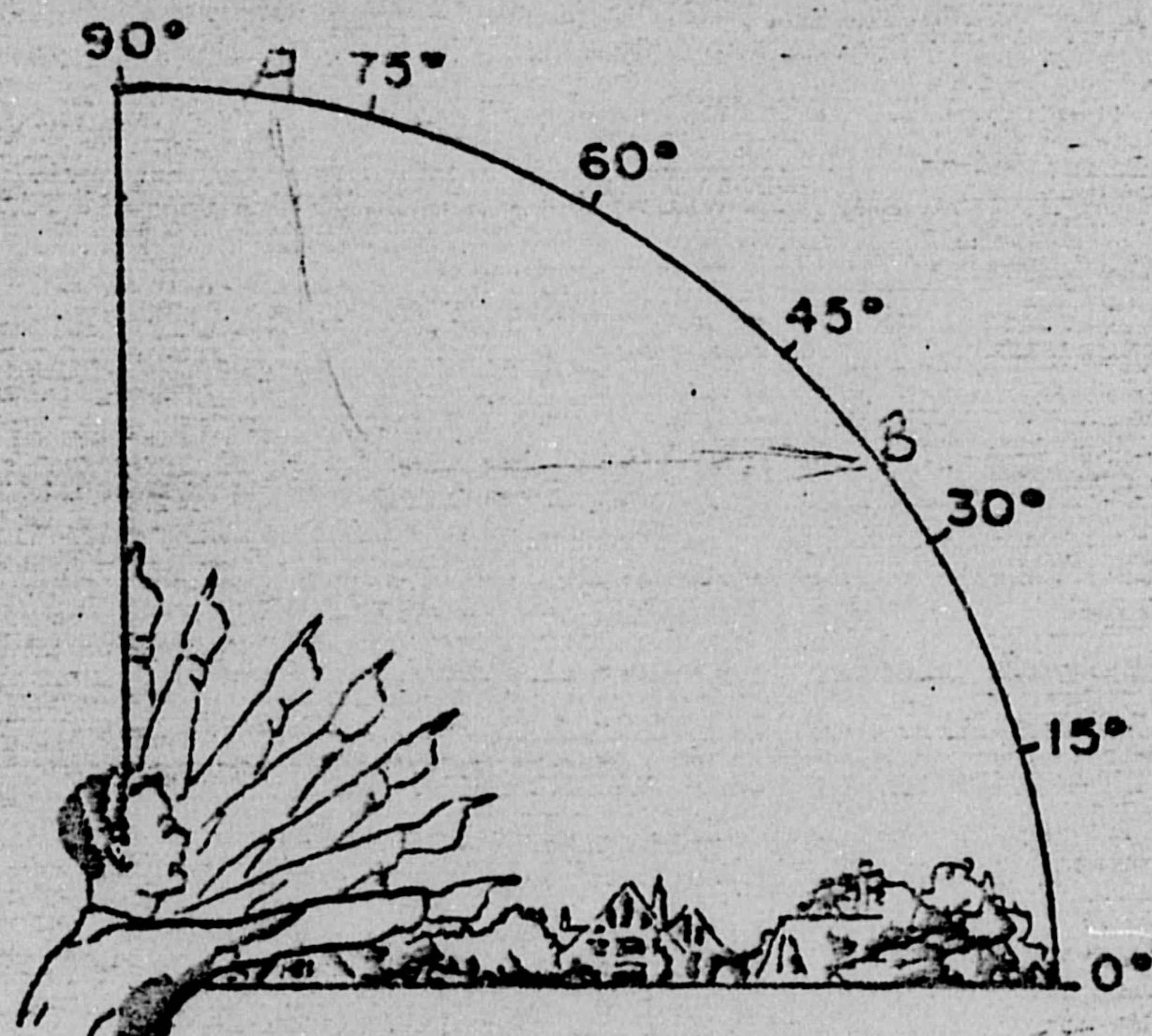
h. Other \_\_\_\_\_

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.

A COCKPIT COVER - A MAN IN A EJECTION SEAT WITH  
A PLASTIC TURTLE SHELL OVER PROPELED WITH  
AIR TO SELECTED LANDING PLACE - PLASTIC  
SHELL COULD REFLECT SUN GIVING THE EFFECT  
BEING PROPELED BY LIGHT THERE WAS NO SOUND.



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.

THE WIND WAS 10 to 20 MI. PER HR. IN SAME DIRECTION

A NO. 1 NO. 2 NO. 3 B SOUTH

— NO. 3 STEADY FLIGHT WITH NO WINGS —

— NO. 1 TUMBLING — NO. 2 LIKE PLASTIC BOAT ON ROUGH WATER —

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

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

TWO OR THREE JET AIRPLANES

WERE UP ABOUT 10,000 AT THE TIME

~~THE OBJECT~~ AT ~~THE~~ OVER

THE FIELD



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:

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]  
Last Name First Name Middle Name

ADDRESS [REDACTED] FAIRBORN OHIO  
Street City Zone State

TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] AGE 49 SEX MALE

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

I HAVE GEORGE ADAMSHI'S BOOK ON  
"INSIDE THE SPACE SHIPS" I HAVE HAD THIS  
BOOK SEVERAL YEARS - AND SOME OF THE THINGS  
CHECKED WITH HIM - PAGE 145 OPPOSITE  
PAGE ONE ROUND SPOT IN REAR OF OBJECT I SAW  
PULSATED FROM BRIGHT TO INKY BLACK AT  
1/2 SECOND INTERVALS - OPPOSITE PAGE # 48  
UPSIDE DOWN AT ONE

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

20 FEB 66  
Day Month Year

W.H.I.O. WITHOUT POINT  
OR WITHOUT  
W.L.W.D. PORT HOLES  
TV STATION OR RINGS



34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

5

MAR

66

Day

Month

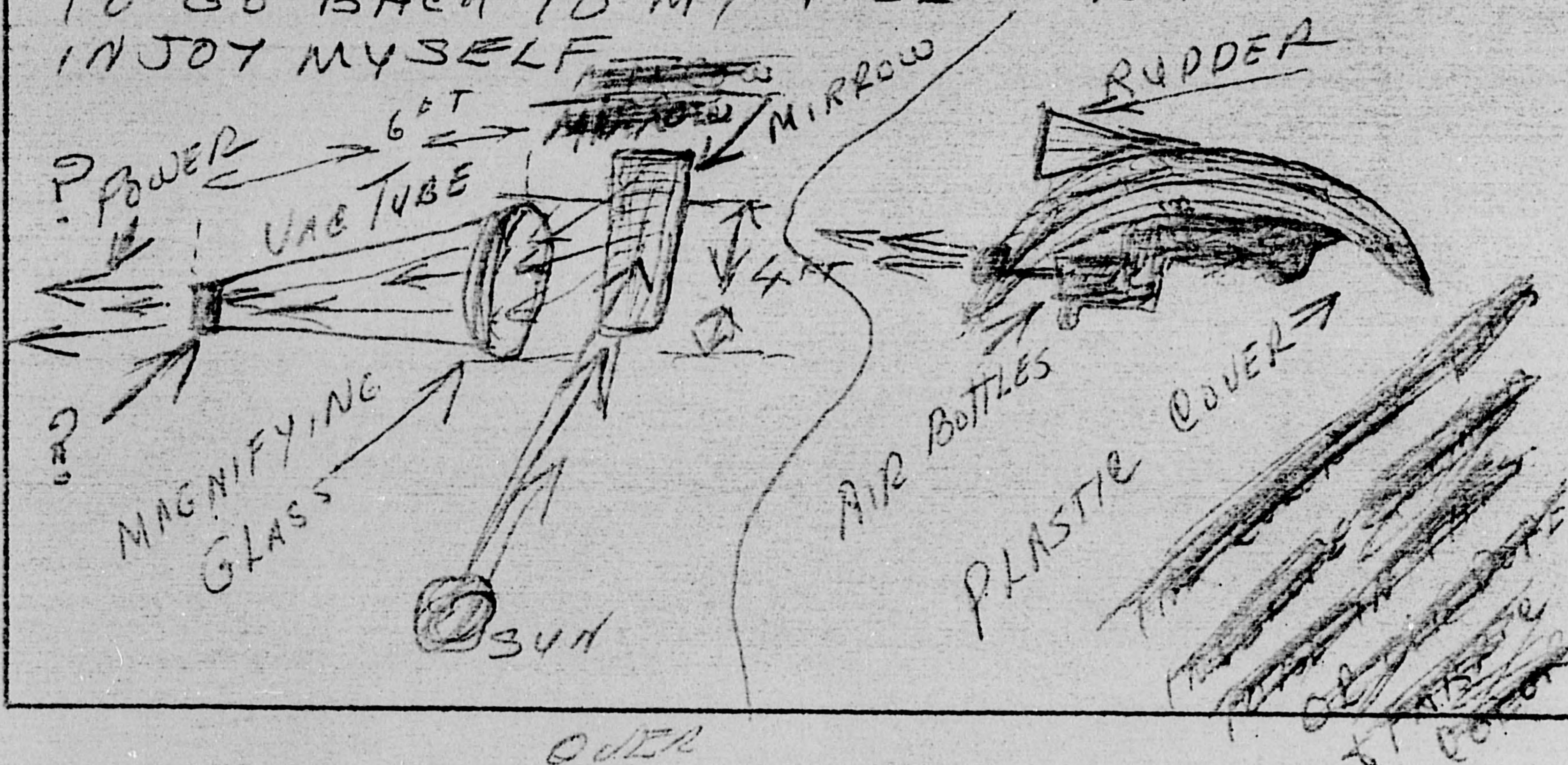
Year

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.

- IF YOU TOLD ME A MAN WAS RIDING AN EJECTION SEAT WITH THE AID OF COMPRESSED AIR I WOULD BELIEVE IT - AT THE TIME I WAS WISHING THAT I ~~DID~~ <sup>HAD</sup> NOT SEEN ANYTHING I WANTED TO KEEP MY MIND ON MY PIGEON LOFT OF WHICH I WAS ~~TURNING~~ <sup>TURNING</sup> MY PIGEONS LOOSE ~~AT THE TIME.~~ <sup>THE</sup>

THE PIGEONS DID NOT REACT TO THE FLYING OBJECT

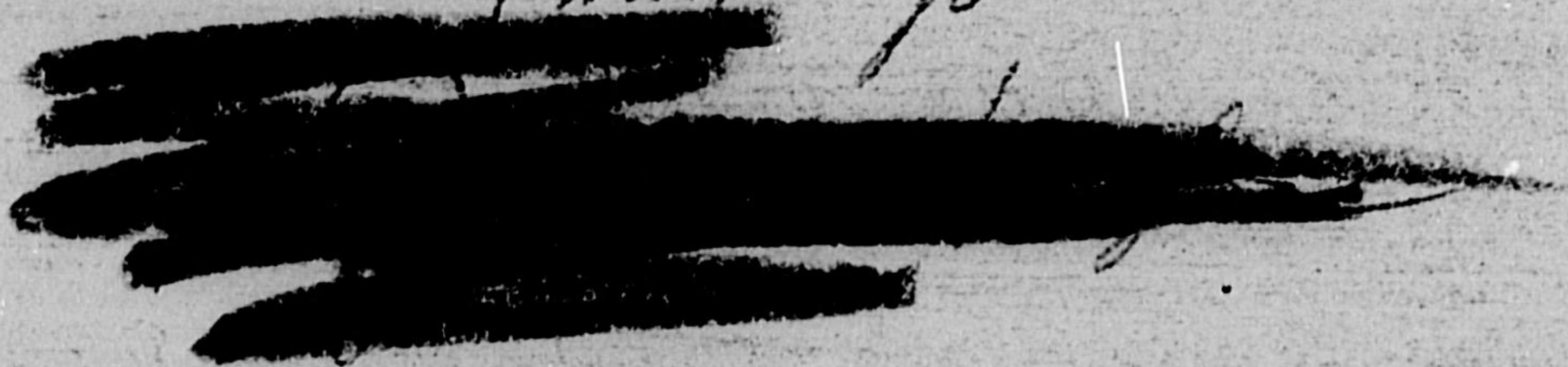
THIS THING WAS ON A ~~COARSE~~ COURSE LIKE A SEA GOING SHIP WITH THE SILENT WIND IN ITS SAILS - OF WHICH I COULD HAVE BEEN TH SURE - I WILL LEAVE YOU TWO IDEAS I GOT FROM THIS THING AND WILL TRY TO GO BACK TO MY PIGEON LOFT AND ENJOY MYSELF





AFTER READING THE BLUE BOOK I WILL  
SETTLE FOR BALLOON HALF EMPTY RIDING  
THE JET STREAM. BUT NOT THE WIND  
AT GROUND LEVEL

Thank you





20 Feb 66, Fairborn, O

MEMO FOR THE RECORD: CALL FROM [REDACTED], REGARDING OBSERVATION ON SUNDAY  
20 FEBRUARY 1966.

Sgt Jones spoke with Mr. [REDACTED] of [REDACTED] West, Fairborn Ohio on 3 Mar 66 regarding his observation of 20 Feb 66, at 140 pm. Object was going terribly fast. Illusionary thing. Couldn't judge height. Appeared to be a canopy falling off and towards earth then the thing level out and flew away. At first he thought the object was going to either fall in his back yard or his neighbor's back yard. Dark inking black exhaust changing to white, one second pulsating. Came from North almost going directly South. Couldn't tell height, object had a funny way of concealing height, it was like it was intelligently controlled. Weather was clear. Wind was going same direction as object. Thought at first they were experimenting from the field (WPAFB). He called the television station and said that he would verify an unidentified object if anyone else saw one. He has a book on flying saucers by Adamski and in this book there is a picture like the one he saw. Mr. [REDACTED] asked that we not reveal his name. We replied that no names are given out.

A Form 164 was sent to Mr. [REDACTED] on 3 Mar 66