

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 29 March 66 0830Z	2. LOCATION Ottawa, Ohio (multiple)
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION (CONFIDENTIAL) INSUFFICIENT DATA FOR EVALUATION
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION Varied	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS SEE CASE
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual	
7. COURSE Varied	
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

FORM

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

March 29, 1966

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OHIO
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Dear Sir:

Tonight my family and I saw an object in the air, It was at tree top level. The time was 8:30 or 25:9. It had a powder blue, red which was very bright when it took off the red color turned to orange, like when you light a match. It also had green in it. It was very huge, as big as our house. My brother who is 19 went out to get a better look at it, he said it hummed. I informed the sheriff of what I saw, He just laughed, but he did send a deputy out. I am not writing this letter to you for you not to do nothing about it. It's true. I would not joke about a thing like this. When it started off it was at first slow, but it increased speed as it went along. My mother when she saw it turned on the back porch light, that's when it took off. We watched it for a long time. I think my family and I are honored to see such a thing like this. It's really hard to explain. You yourself probably have never seen one, but I have. If it wasn't a Flying soccer, I don't think the Air Force should send anything at night off like that, especially when it came real close to the house.

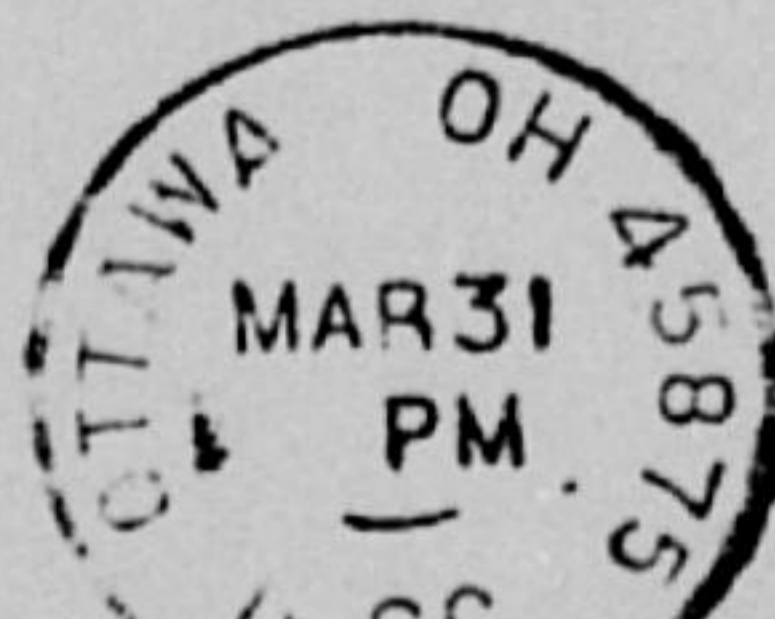
It could cause somebody to PANIC. I don't care what anyone said you'll never tell me anything different. I'm not doing this for publicity or anything. Please if you answer my letter don't send me anything that doesn't have anything to do with what I have told you tonight. I get along with people very well, I hope my letter doesn't sound too far fetched because it really isn't I'm telling you the truth.

Sincerely yours



Please take this serious
you might as well face it,
I'm not the only one who
has seen this.

Send 164



Wright-Patterson Air Force Base
Air Force Headquarters, for investigating
U.F.O.'s
DAYTON, OHIO

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Miss [redacted]
[redacted]
Ottawa, Ohio 45875
[redacted]
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PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 30 March 66 31/0130Z	2. LOCATION Ottawa, Ohio 4 witnesses
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Unidentified
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 8-10 minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual	Observers watched a oblong shaped object with various colored lights travel toward the north. The object started up slow, but increased its speed very fast. A humming sound was heard. The object was about as large as a house. The object took off when a back porch light was turned on.
7. COURSE northward	
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	The description is not consistent with that of an aircraft observation (conventional aircraft). It is possible that some type of aircraft was observed but with the information submitted such a conclusion is not warrented.
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

30 MAR 66

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OTTAWA, O.

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?

30 March 1966
Day Month Year

2. Time of day: 8:30 to 25:9

Hour

Minutes

(Circle One):

A.M.

or

P.M.

it was on a Wednesday night

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?

at home

[REDACTED]
Nearest Postal Address

Ottawa
City or Town

Ontario
State or County

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

Hours

8 to 10
Minutes

Seconds

a. Certain

☒ b. Fairly certain

c. Not very sure

d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined?

My sister looked at the clock

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

Didn't look

Didn't look

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

None of these

10. The object appeared: (Circle One):

- a. Solid
- b. Transparent
- c. Vapor

- d. As a light
- e. Don't remember

It appeared as a whole

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:

Nothing bright enough to compare it

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?
- b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time?
- c. Break up into parts or explode?
- d. Give off smoke?
- e. Change brightness?
- f. Change shape?
- g. Flash or flicker?
- h. Disappear and reappear?

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| <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | No | Don't know |
| Yes | No | Don't know |
| Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | Don't know |
| Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | Don't know |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | No | Don't know |
| Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | Don't know |
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | No | Don't know |
| Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | Don't know |

13. b. It started up slow & increased its speed very fast

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

It wasn't like a helicopter, airplane, jet or boat

No never there is nothing like it.

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: *Mother, Brother & I
my sister Mary saw it first, then me &
the rest of my family (brother & mother)*

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

ADDRESS

Street

City

Zone

State

TELEPHONE NUMBER

AGE *15*

SEX *female*

*phon number is not listed
in phone book*

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

*I live in Gilboa but my address is
Ottawa. I've never seen anything like
this before I seen it & nothing like it
after I seen it.*

33. When and to whom did you report that you had seen the object? *to Putnam County Sheriff's*

30

Day

March

Month

'66

Year

Office.

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

(Circle One)

Yes

☒ No I can't explain it.

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 It was close to us (real close not fingertip or arm reach) About 75-100 yards away

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 In our living room

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 On our farm

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

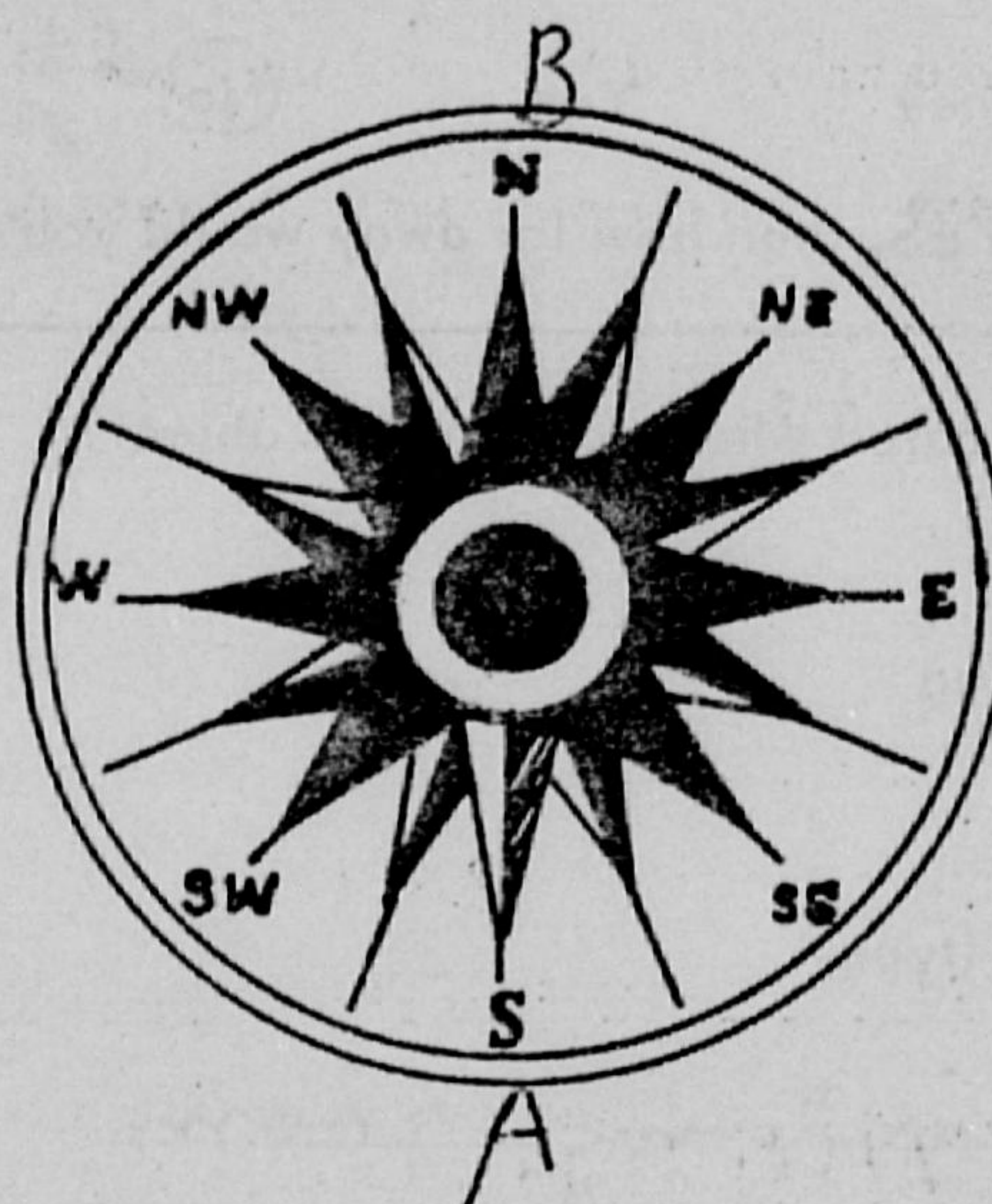
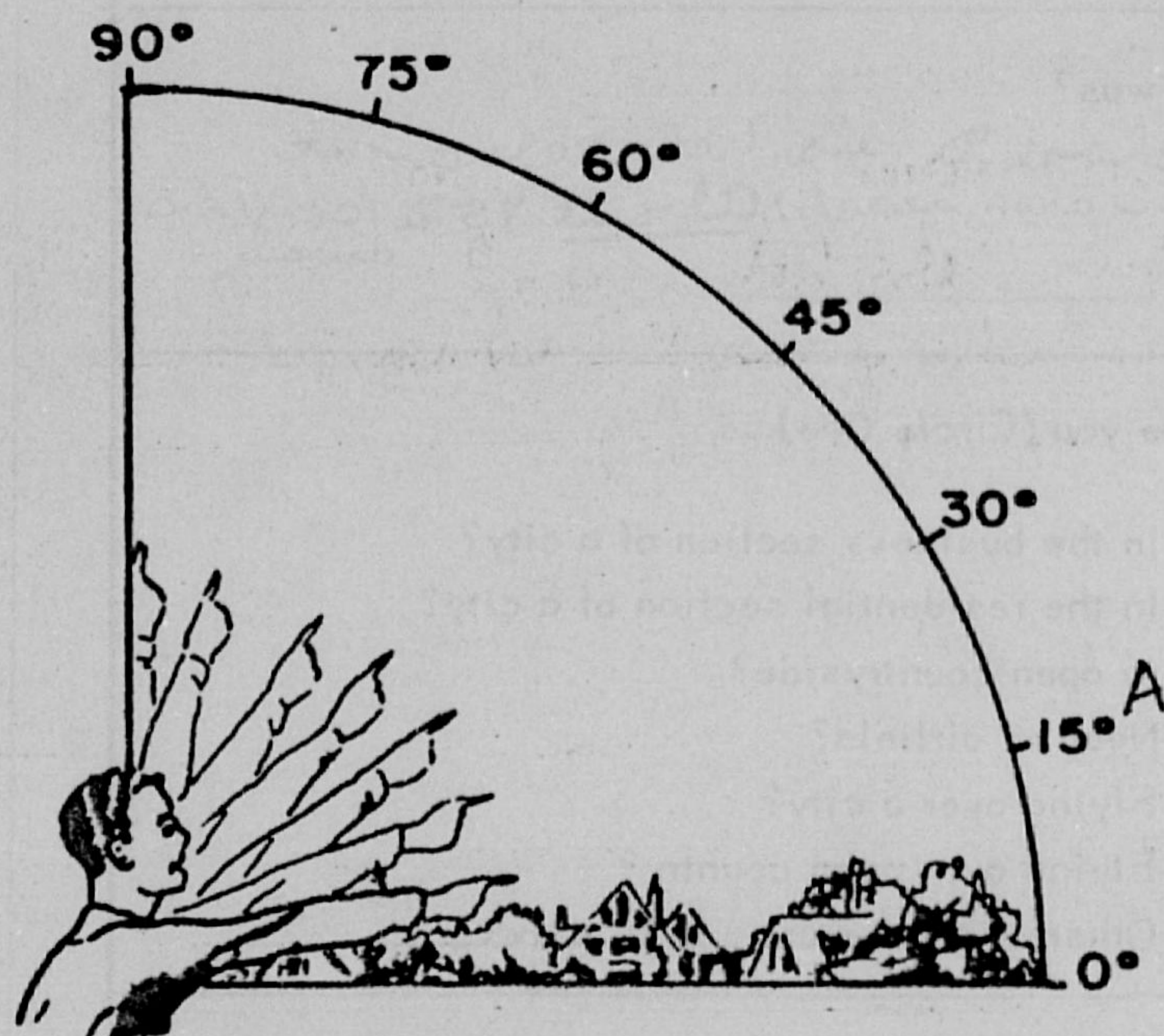
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h. Other Then my mother & brother went outside

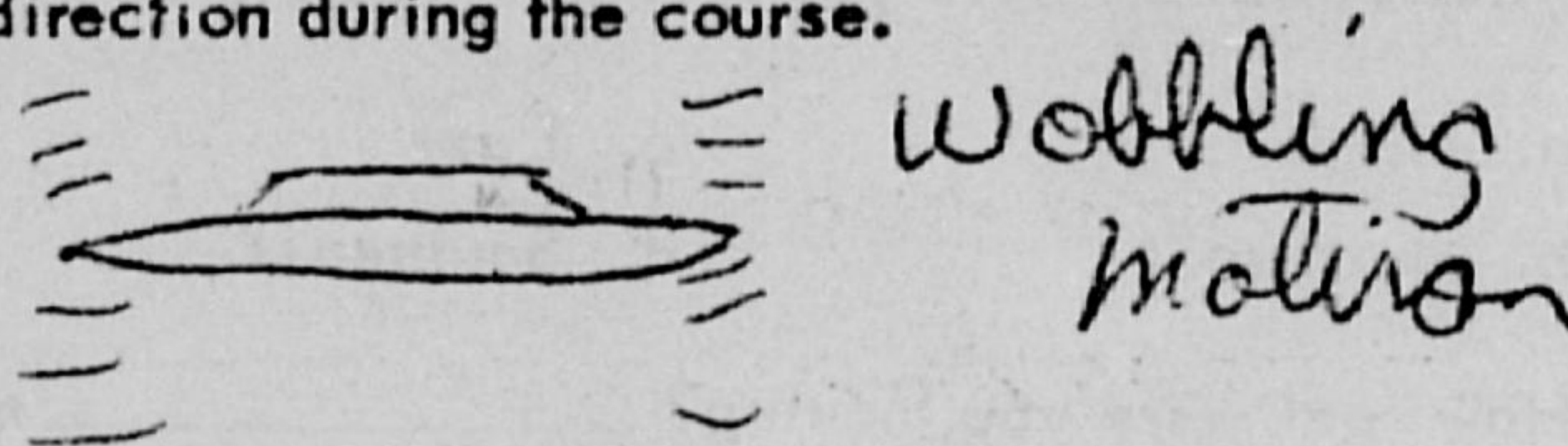
26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

It was oblong, but not round enough to yet like a football. More oblong. Very, very. Huge
And at treetop level

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

34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

7

Day

April

Month

1966

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. In some of these

things or question I put I can't explain, because I only seen it once, but I got a good look at it. You would probably have to see it. I think if I saw it again, I wouldn't report it, because the time it took me to call I could have looked at it better, and I would probably panic but not as much. I want to thank you for believing me & for sending me a copy of Project Blue Book. I hope what I have put here helps you to investigate more on this subject.

P.S. I'm sorry I couldn't explain it more clearly. Also if at any time you would like to see me I will be glad to talk to you. If you have any more books or information that's free I'd like to have it. Thank you

Thank You

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

It was over our river and moved closed toward the house, my mother then turned the ^{porch} light on and it moved over the house & toward Leipsie & disappeared.

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 a humming sound (loud)

b. Color luminous with red, blue, green & fine yellow lights all bright lights.

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?

We saw the whole thing

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.