

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 14 June 66 15/0330Z	2. LOCATION Climbing Hill, Iowa (4 Witnesses)
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Possible (AIRCRAFT)
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS Two	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observers noted two objects that compared in brightness with a Bacon several miles away. The object became brighter and dim- mer and when first spotted it had a yellow ring of light surrounding it. It moved to the west behind the horizon and then about 5 minutes later came directly back and went overhead. Object looked like a low flying aircraft but was roundish.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE 1. South 2. East	
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	

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OBJECT. REF. PARA. 14B: (1) OBSERVER WAS LOOKING
OUT OF BEDROOM WINDOW. (2) APPROXIMATELY 3 MILES
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AWAY, 200 FT IN THE AIR AT LOWEST ALTITUDE. (3) DID NOT
OBSERVE. (4) ONE OBJECT FLEW STRAIGHT UP TO JOIN
LARGER OBJECT. THEN NEITHER OBJECT MOVED FOR A FEW
MINUTES. (5) LARGER OBJECT DISAPPEARED AND FINALLY
DISAPPEARED IN THE EAST. SMALLER OBJECT FADED AWAY
TO THE SOUTH. (6) OBJECTS WERE VISIBLE FOR APPROX
TWENTY MINUTES. REF. PARA 14C: (1) GROUND VISUAL
REF. PARA 14D: (1) 0330Z 15 JUNE 1966. (2) NIGHT TIME.
REF. PARA. [REDACTED] IOWA. REF. PARA. 14 F.
MRS. [REDACTED] AGE 31 MAILING ADDRESS HARNICK,
IOWA. HOUSEWIFE. RELIABILITY UNKNOWN. (2) N/A REF PARA
14G: (1) CLEAR (2) SFS 3407, 6M 3215, 10M 3215, 20M 2835, 30M
2845, 50M 2840, 80M 2720 (3) HIGH THIN BROKEN. (4) 15 PLUS. (5)
6 TENTHS. (6) NONE. (7) 1 - 7 DEGS C/1000 FT. REF. PARA 14H:
NONE. REF PARA. 14I: NONE. REF PARA 14J: NON. REF
PARA14K.: NEVILLE C. HERBERT, 1/LT, USAF, DIVISION
INTELLIGENCE OFFICER. THIS OFFICER HAS NO EXPLANATION
ON SUBJECT SIGHTING. REF PARA 14 L: NONE.
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INFO : NIN-7, SAFOS-3, XOP-1, XOPX-2, DIA-1 (19)
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AT OSAF. UFO REPORT. REFERENCE PARA 14A, AFR 200-2:

(1) SHAPE WAS ROUND. (2) ABOUT THE SIZE OF A LOW FLYING
PASSENGER PLANE BUT DID NOT LOOK LIKE A PLANE. (3)

BRIGHT RED TO LIGHT PINK. (4) TWO. (5) SIDE BY SIDE.

(6) SIGHT WOULD GROW BRIGHT THEN FADE. (7) NONE. (8)

NONE. (9) ONE OBJECT FLEW STRAIGHT UP TO JOIN OTHER

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Climbing Hill, Iowa

14 June 66

15/03302

FTD (TDETR)

Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433

11 July 1966

[REDACTED]
Barnick, Iowa

Dear Mr. [REDACTED],

Reference your unidentified observation of 14 June 1966.
The information which we have received is not sufficient
for evaluation. Request you complete the attached FTD
Form 164 and return it in the envelope provided.

We wish to thank you for reporting your observation to
the Air Force.

Sincerely,

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

34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

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.

The first object and second were not sighted at the same time. The first came from the west headed south when it reached its southern most point of travel a 2nd object rose from the ground to meet it, they both hovered for a few minutes then the first object went back west, then came back and went east, the second went south.

Description of the shape of the object is hard to ascertain as the distance was too far, it just looked like a round lighted object.

30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location. *1/10/1964*

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:

[Redacted names and addresses]

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME *[Redacted]* *[Redacted]* *[Redacted]*
Last Name First Name Middle Name

ADDRESS *[Redacted]* *[Redacted]* *[Redacted]* *[Redacted]*
Street City Zone State

TELEPHONE NUMBER *[Redacted]* AGE *[Redacted]* SEX *[Redacted]*

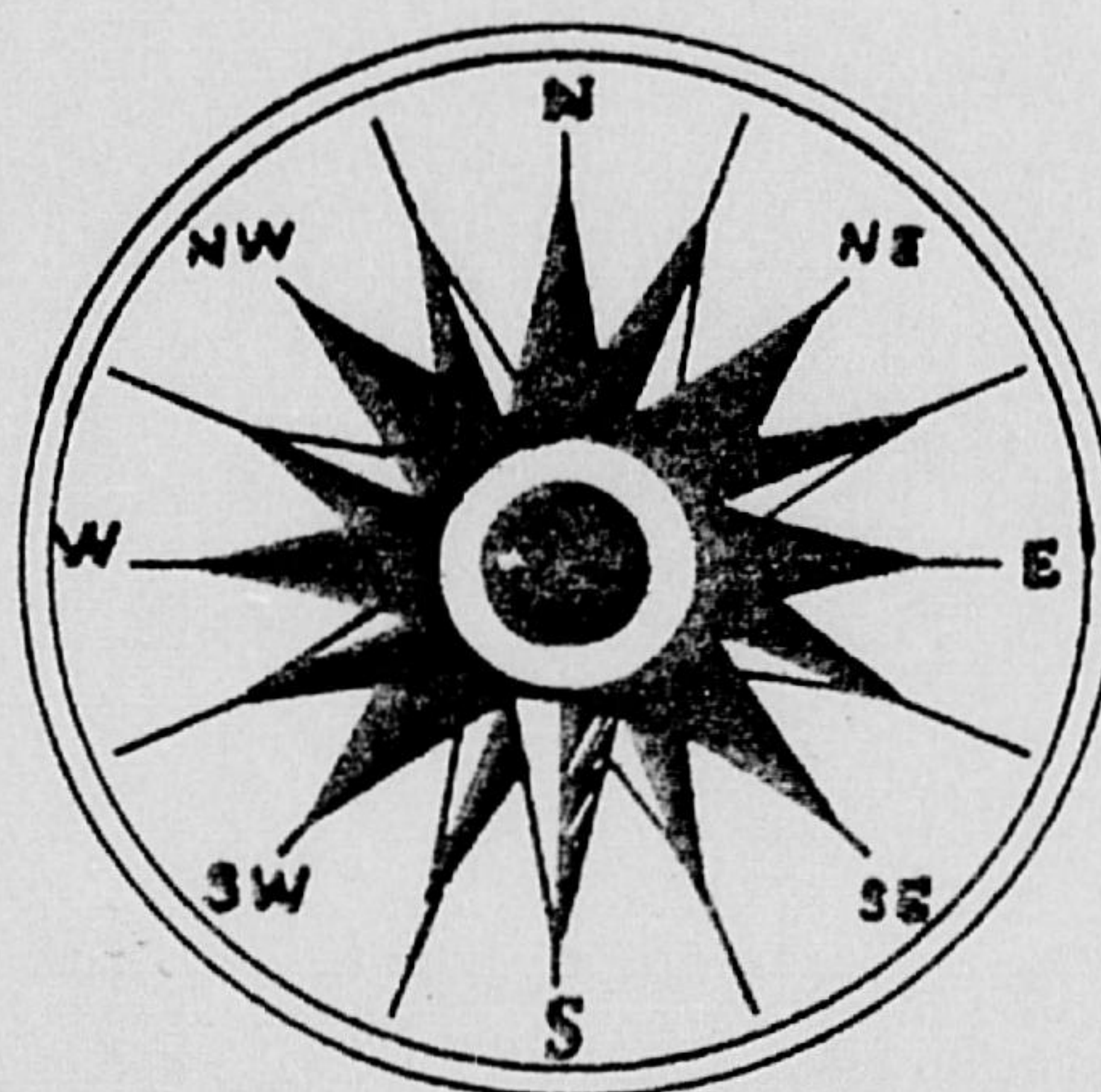
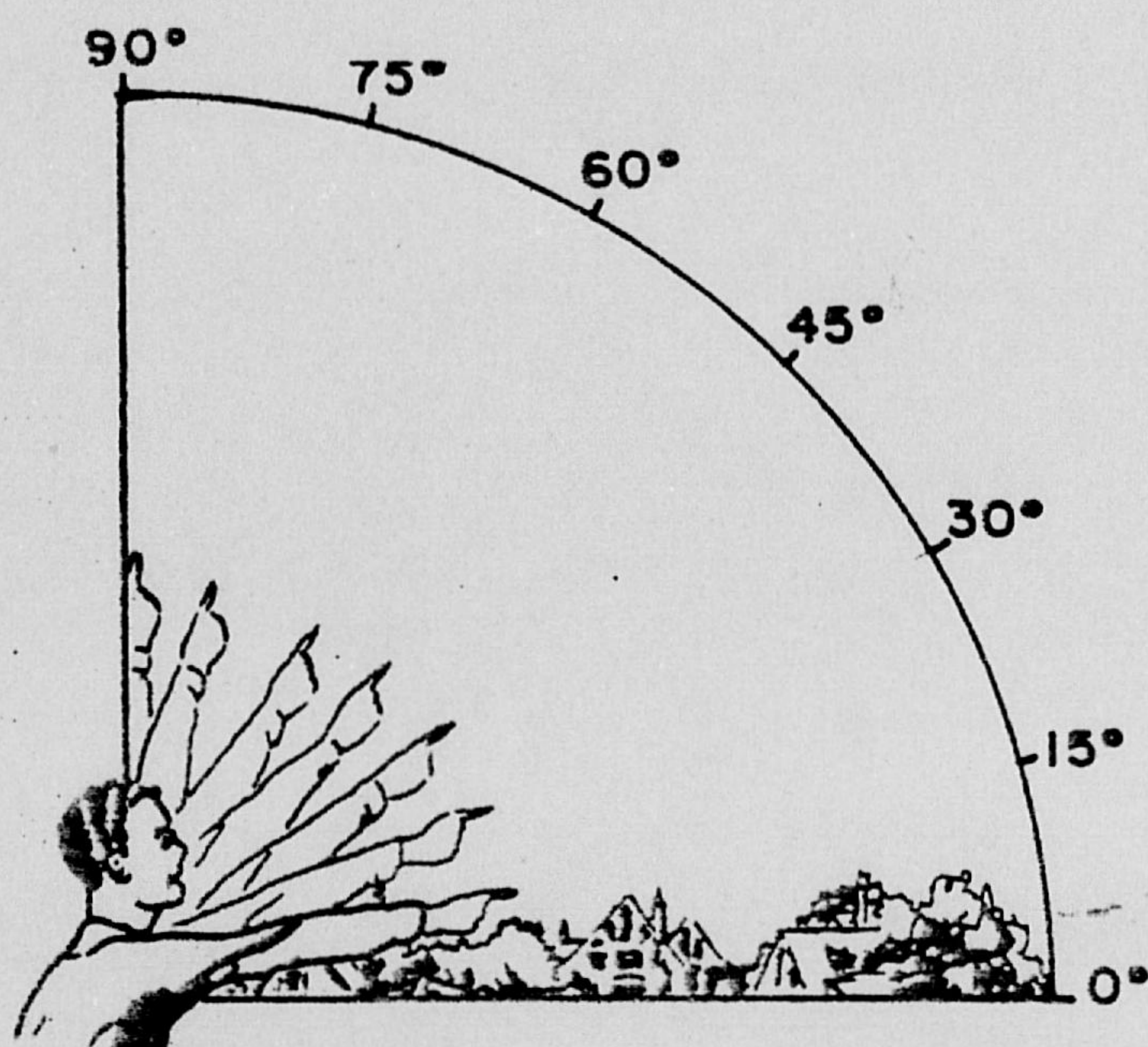
Indicate any additional information about yourself, including any special experience, which might be pertinent.

I am a housewife and really have no experience in this sort of thing - with glasses my vision is 20-20 and believe you would find I'm not someone who lets their imagination run wild

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

12 *1964*
Day Month Year

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



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?
- 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 small, dark, triangular object with a bright light at the front.

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

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.

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S
O - The smaller one
O - The larger one

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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
- 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:

brighter than a beacon which is

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

like a bright star
and very bright
and very bright
and very bright

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 |

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 June 1962
Day Month Year

2. Time of day: 10 30

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?

[REDACTED]
Nearest Postal Address

[REDACTED]
City or Town

[REDACTED]
State or Country

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? [REDACTED]

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