

## PROJECT 10073 RECORD

(MULTIPLE)

1. DATE & TIME GROUP 1 Sept. 66 0745Z	2. LOCATION Willsboro, New York
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Unidentified
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS  Observers watch an oval shaped object with flashing lights travel slowly toward the western sky. A low noise was heard when the object came closer, then the object disappeared downward the noise was no longer. The object disappeared vertically downward and reappeared several minutes later. The object's shape could not be determined. The actual color could not be seen but lights flashing mainly red and white with occasionally blue.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual	
7. COURSE westward	
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	The description in several ways is consistent with an astronomical observation; however, the movement is the lone factor abolishing such an evaluation.

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

**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.

<p>1. When did you see the object?</p> <p><u>1<sup>st</sup></u>      <u>September</u>      <u>1966</u>          Day            Month            Year</p>	<p>2. Time of day: <u>02</u>      <u>45</u>          Hour            Minutes</p> <p>(Circle One):      <input checked="" type="radio"/> A.M.      <input type="radio"/> P.M.          Local time.</p>
<p>3. Time Zone:          (Circle One): a. Eastern      (Circle One): a. Daylight Saving          b. Central      b. Standard          c. Mountain      NEW YORK STATE          d. Pacific      <u>1<sup>st</sup> SEPT.</u>          e. Other      (presumably Eastern Saving)</p>	
<p>4. Where were you when you saw the object?  <u>Willsboro Point, (Flat Rock)</u>.      <u>Willsboro</u>.      <u>N.Y.</u>          Nearest Postal Address      City or Town      State or County</p>	
<p>5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration)      <u>approx</u>      <u>30</u>          Hours      Minutes      Seconds</p> <p><input checked="" type="radio"/> a. Certain      c. Not very sure          b. Fairly certain      d. Just a guess</p>	
<p>5.1 How was time in sight determined?      <u>Wrist - watch.</u></p>	
<p>5.2 Was object in sight continuously?      <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes      <input type="radio"/> No</p>	
<p>6. What was the condition of the sky?  <u>DAY</u>          a. Bright      NIGHT          b. Cloudy</p>	
<p>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      d. To your left          b. In back of you      e. Overhead          c. To your right      f. Don't remember</p>	

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:

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12. The edges of the object were:

(Circle One):

- a. Fuzzy or blurred ~~at once~~
- b. Like a bright star
- c. Sharply outlined thro' binoculars
- ~~d. Don't remember~~

- e. Other not clear with naked eye

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13. Did the object:

- 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?

(Circle One for each question)

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

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

i) Vertically downwards quite fast and reappeared a few minutes later. ii) Second time disappeared as first time but was not soon to rise again.

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

(Circle One): Yes  No  Don't Know.

it moved behind: the world

IF you answered YES, then tell what

seem when it went out of sight with  
time it must have been behind trees, but might have stayed  
visible (except for) with lights switched off.

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

(Circle One): Yes  No  Don't Know.

in front of:

IF you answered YES, then tell what

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

a. Sound Similar to a heavy diesel engine, quite quiet, turning over slowly.

b. Color Actual color could not be seen but lights flashing mainly red and white occasionally blue.

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?

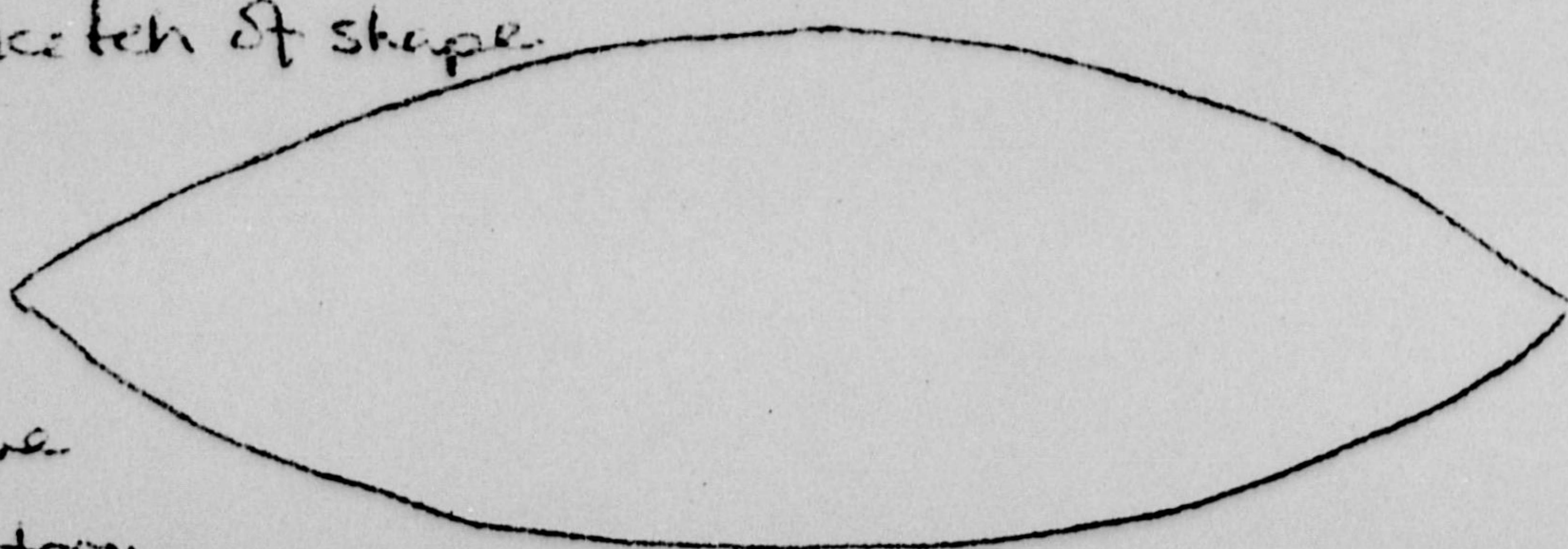
about 5 %.

diameter of match head 3.5 mm.

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.

Rough sketch of shape.



Position where

light came from

could not be determined, seemed to be from all over.

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? Up to 5,000 mph. at times.

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? 4 miles.

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

*Two other persons saw it through binoculars.*

Myself

No

b. Sun glasses

Yes

No

Yes

No

c. Windshield

Yes

No

Yes

No

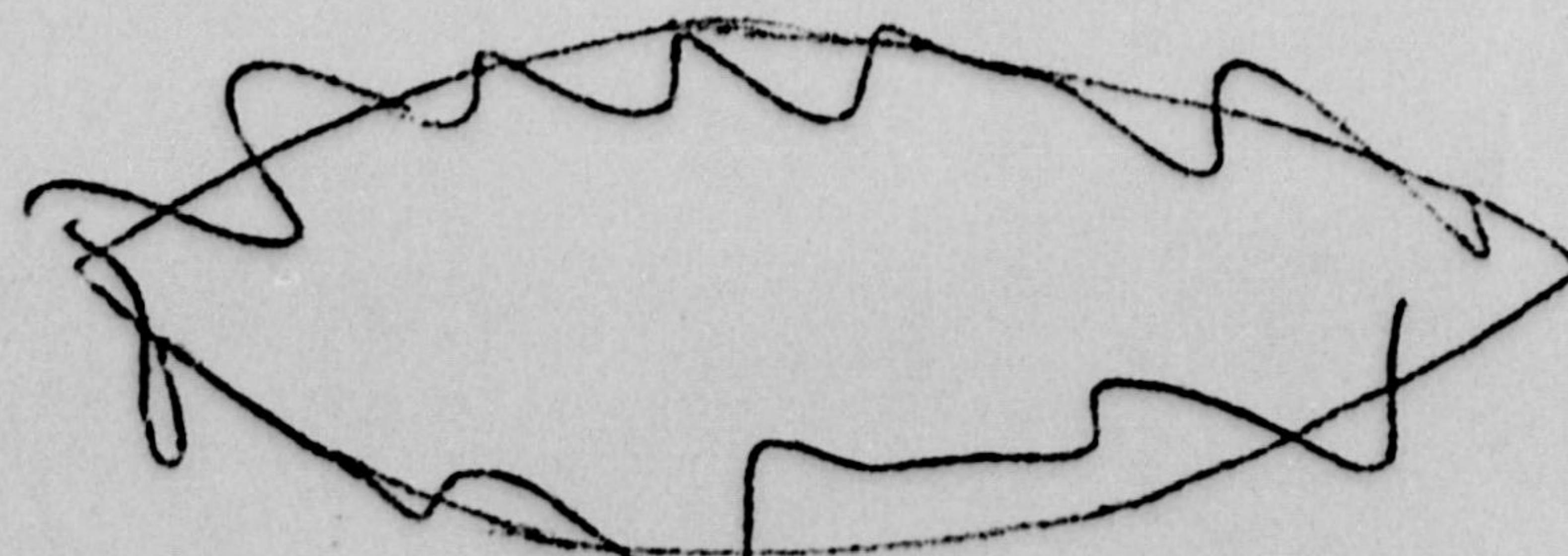
d. Window glass

Yes

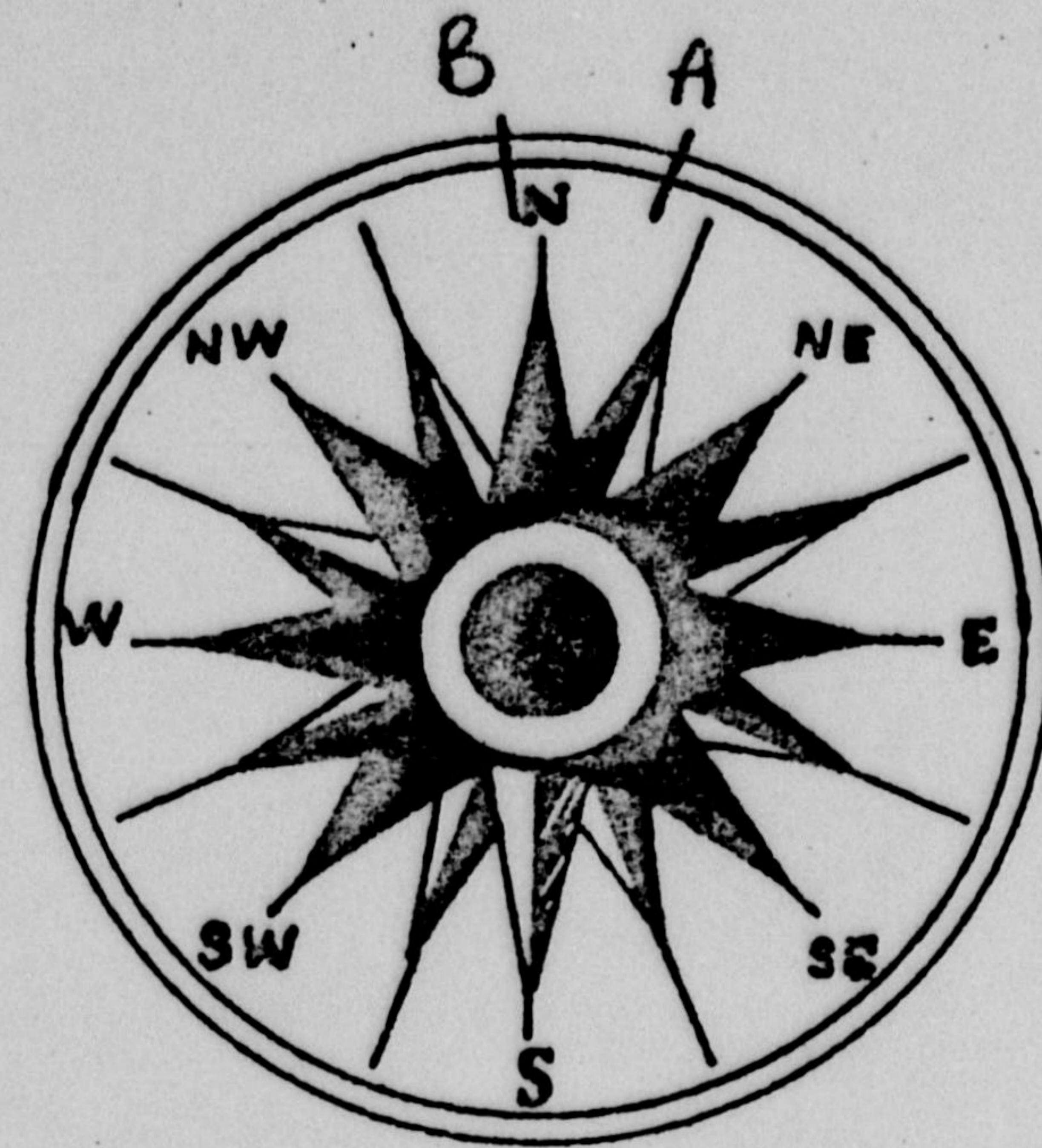
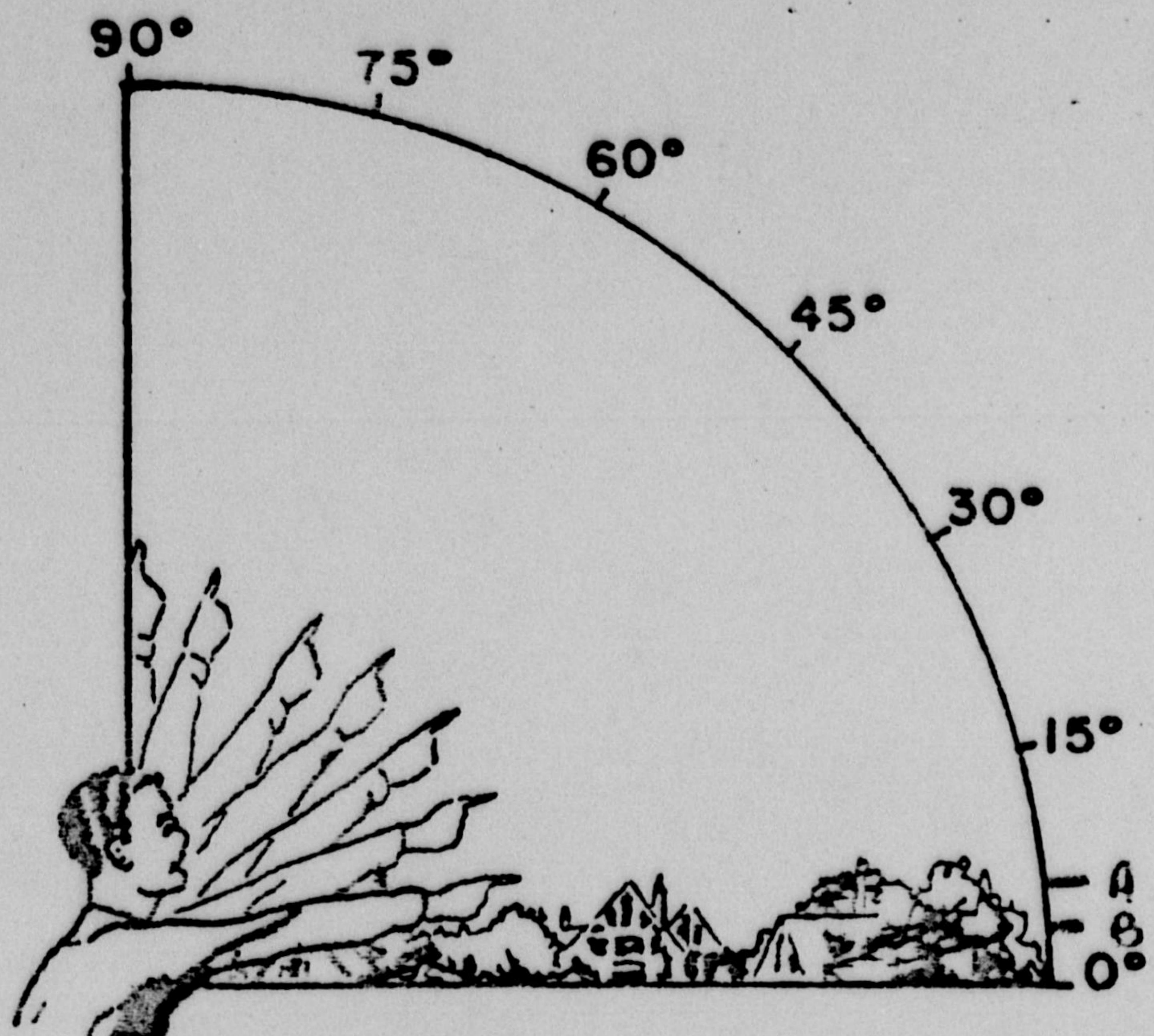
No

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

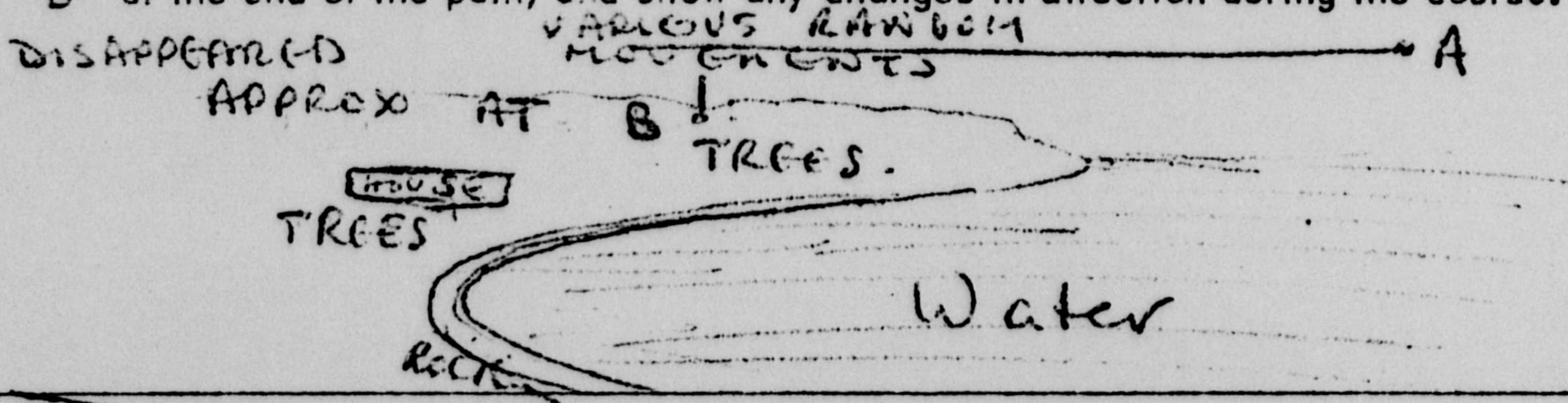
26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.



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? \_\_\_\_\_

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:

There were five other people, but I prefer to leave  
their names.

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

ADDRESS

Street

EXMOOR

City

Devon Great Britain

Zone

State

TELEPHONE NUMBER

AGE

18

SEX

MALE

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?

1st

September

1966.

03:15 AM Plattsburgh Press.

Day

Month

Year

34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

12/1/1968  
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.

Noise. Was louder when it came towards us and when moving fast. When disappearing downwards it was quieter and made no noise when out of sight.

Flashing lights. Random Order Red and white at random intervals. Blue only seen once or twice.

First seen over water and came inland, stayed over land till it disappeared for second time. We watched for it to come up again for about twenty minutes after it disappeared but neither saw nor heard anything more. After we had seen it for about ten minutes, one house (about half way from us to the UFO) was seen to have lights switched on and off twice, and a car was seen going in the direction of the object.

The land where the object was above was Digreen Point, opposite Burlington Vermont, by Lake Champlain.

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Dear Mr. [REDACTED]

This is in reply to your letter of September 13 regarding your unidentified flying object sighting. Please excuse our delay in replying to your letter; a heavy backlog of correspondence has precluded a prompt reply to your inquiry.

Unfortunately, with the information provided in your letter, we are unable to positively identify what you observed on September 1, 1966. There were no UFO reports from the Lake Champlain area submitted to the Project Blue Book office.

I am inclosing FTD Form 164 which is used in making UFO reports to the Air Force. If you would like to complete this form and re-submit your information, we will then attempt to make an evaluation.

Thank you for your letter; your interest in our program is appreciated.

Sincerely,

GEORGE P. FREEMAN, JR.  
Lt Colonel, USAF  
Chief, Civil Branch  
Community Relations Division  
Office of Information

Attachment  
FTD Form 164

Mr. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED]s  
Exmouth, Devon, Great Britain

Unidentified

Exmouth.

Devon.

GB.

Dear Sirs,

Thank you for your letter of 9<sup>th</sup> Nov. I have filled in  
the form and am returning it herewith.

I hope there is sufficient detail, but if you require  
any further information I would be pleased to give it, except  
I would rather leave the other people who saw the object, anonymous.

Yours sincerely,