

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 1 October 66 02/0100Z	2. LOCATION Dayton, Ohio (4 Witnesses)
3. SOURCE Civilians	10. CONCLUSION Astro (ARCTURUS) <i>Prob. Jet</i>
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	ARCTURUS was at 288 deg azimuth and 10 deg elevation at the time of the sighting (2000 L).
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 45 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observer noted star like object in the NW that was basically stationary. Object was compared to a bright blinking light moving slowly to the NW. Observer said that she studied the stars in the sky and not one star flickered or moved. ARCTURUS a first magnitude star with a stellar magnitude of 0.2 would have been quite bright in the WNW.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE NW	
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.

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:

brightness of a candle where it patches light

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

c. Other like a bright star but the edges were also somewhat blurred

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?

<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>	Don't know
Yes	<u>No</u>	Don't know
<u>Yes</u>	No	Don't know
Yes	<u>No</u>	Don't know

TDETR

Office of the Director

18 Oct. 66

FTD (TDETR) *hl*
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433
4 October 1966

Dayton, Ohio 45410

Dear Mrs. [REDACTED],

Reference your unidentified observation of 3 October 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,

(H) SECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Major, USAF
Chief, Project Blue Book

8. Remarks or reports of special incidents if any, are listed below: (Security violations, issuance of orders, fires, meeting the Commander at Operations, etc.). Continue on plain bond paper if necessary.

Monday 3 Oct 253-1782

Request UFO Be Advised To call or send Forms

To: [REDACTED]

Dayton, Ohio

For UFO sighting at

[REDACTED] 0300Z. Object was shaped
between basketball & football with
blue light on top.

Called again at 2055 [REDACTED] but looked like they were said to just now 3 more
that looked like they were about 1 mile away to the west.
9. Said they [REDACTED] hours, relieved from duty, turned in report and
all messages, sealed envelopes, etc., received during my tour of
duty.

Signature

W.R. F. Wijm

Name and Rank
Officer of the Day

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christian FTD gave to sign at Capt. J. Culin
TDFBO, TDY, ^{leaving} at 0715HRS 2 Oct 66 O- Hdg's
FTD ORDER # T-1992, 25 Sept 66, To Monterey, Calif
For approx. 4 days.

UFO 2000 Hrs local (Arr to OD by FTD given)

Dayton, Ohio 45410

Reported UFO. Request Master Gunnery Followup.
Monday 3 Oct 66.

Send 164

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

Went further up in sky and out further
went away slowly.

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 noise

b. Color bright flickering light - 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?

yes

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.

N.W.



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?

1st

Oct.

1966

Day

Month

Year

2. Time of day: 8 00

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?

Nearest Postal Address

City or Town

State or County

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

Hours 45 Minutes 00 Seconds 00

Hours

Minutes

Seconds

a. Certain

c. Not very sure

b. Fairly certain

d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined? 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

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	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes	No	e. Binoculars	Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No
b. Sun glasses	Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No	f. Telescope	Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No
c. Windshield	Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No	g. Theodolite	Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> No
d. Window glass	Yes	<input checked="" type="radio"/> 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 bright blinking light moving slowly
to the Northeast*

34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

5th Oct 1966
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.

I noticed the stars which were clearly visible on that night. Not one star flickered or moved. There were no airplanes or helicopters in the sky.

This was not an airplane, in the first place, they do not fly that high up in the sky. Secondly, I would have heard some kind of noise if it had been an airplane identifying it as an airplane.

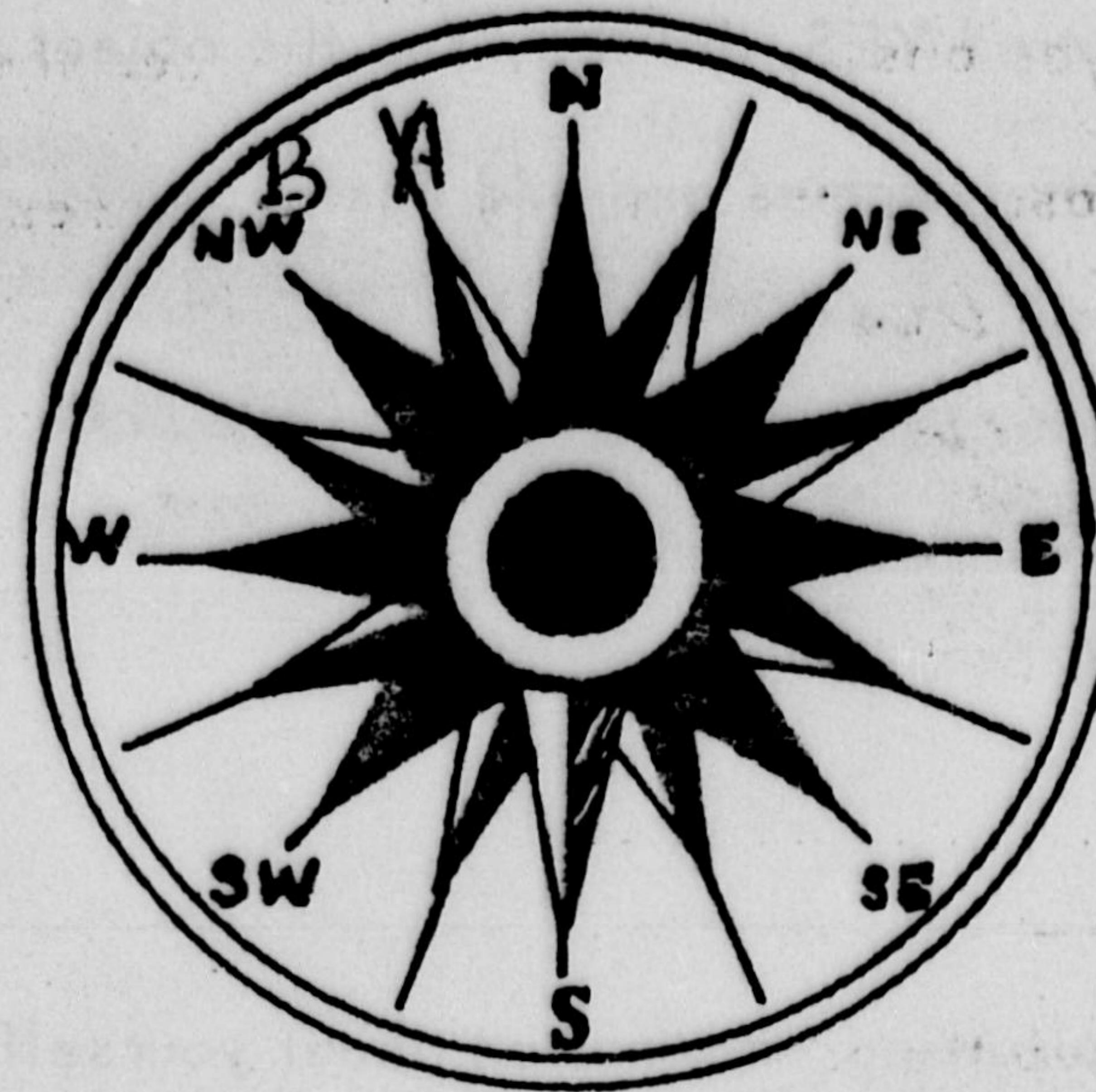
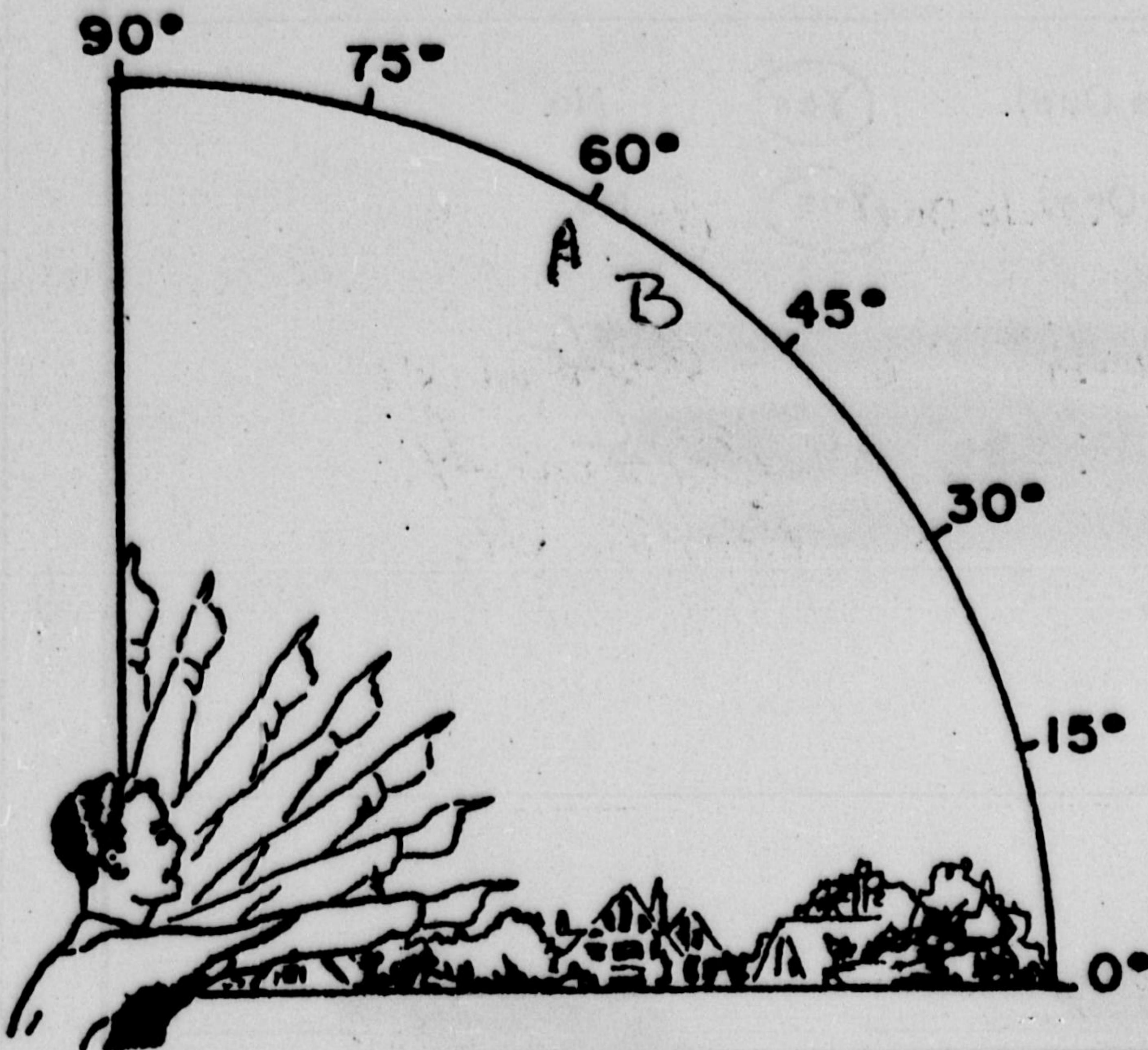
Nor was it a star, this I know, for stars do not move.

I don't know what it was, but I am positive that it wasn't any of the above mentioned items. Other people saw, and can testify to my above statements.

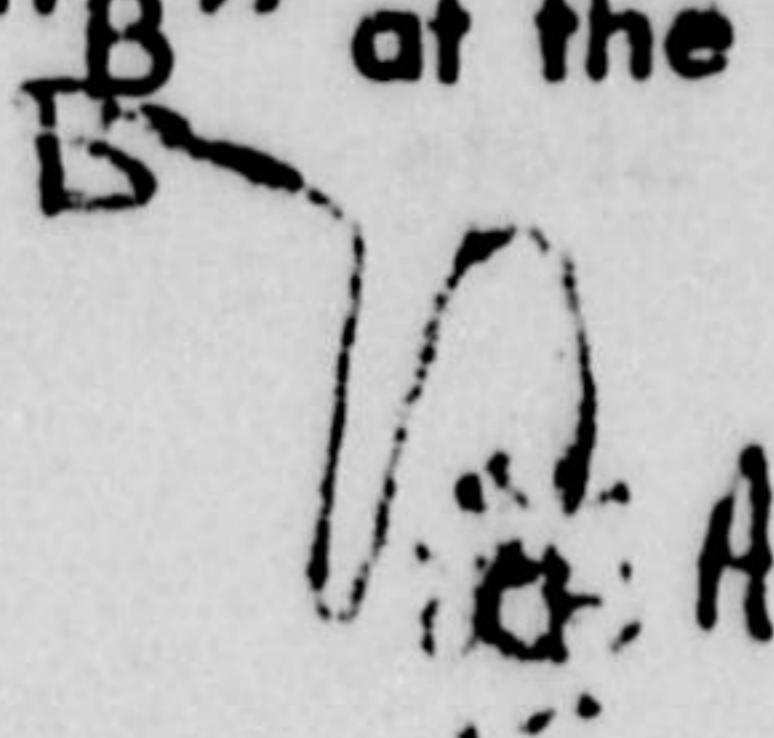
If you do find out what it was, I would appreciate it if you would let me know.



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:

Mrs. [REDACTED]
Mrs. [REDACTED]
Mrs. [REDACTED]

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]
	Last Name	First Name	Middle Name
ADDRESS	[REDACTED]	DAYTON	10 OHIO
	Street	City	Zone State
TELEPHONE NUMBER	[REDACTED]	AGE	18 SEX
			FE

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 Oct. 1966

Year

6-1. U.P.A.F.B.
Div. U.F.O.
didn't get any name.