

## PROJECT 10073 RECORD

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| 1. DATE: TIME GROUP<br>21 Oct 66      22/0235Z   | 2. LOCATION<br>Pataskala, Ohio<br>(one witness)            |
| 3. SOURCE<br>Civilian  | 10. CONCLUSION<br>(other) INSUFFICIENT DATA FOR EVALUATION |
| 4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS<br>One  |  |
| 5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION<br>55 minutes   | 11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS<br>SEE CASE                 |
| 6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION<br>Ground Visual  |  |
| 7. COURSE<br>SW-SE   |  |
| 8. PHOTOS<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No            |  |
| 9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |  |



21 Oct 66

TDETR/Maj H Quintanilla, Jr/70916/mhs/23 Nov 66

UFO Sighting, 21 Oct 66, Pataskala, Ohio

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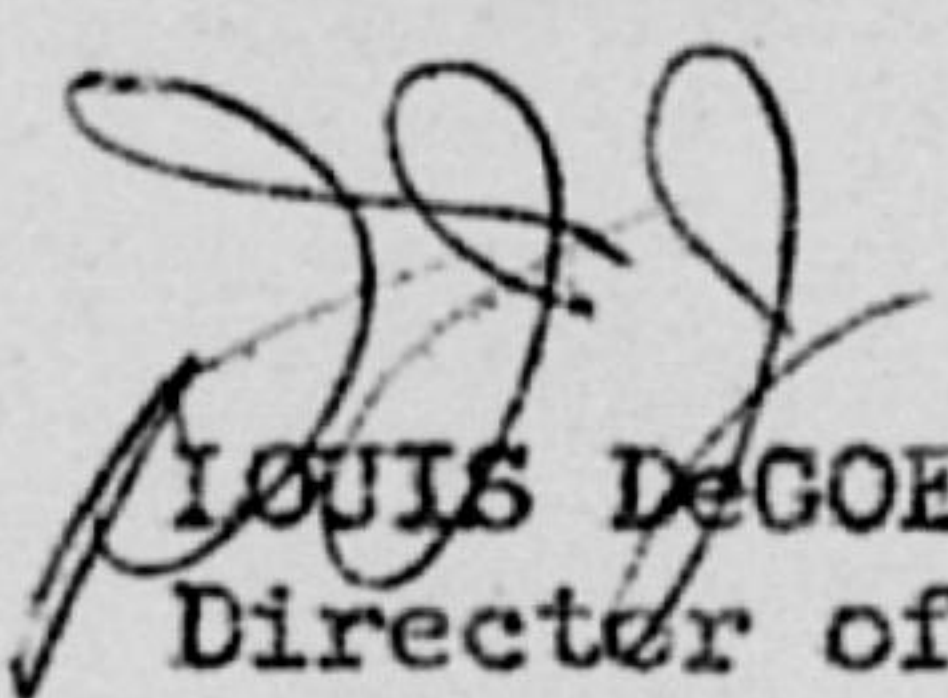
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Lockbourne AFB, Ohio 43217

1. Reference the attached FTD Form 164 on a UFO sighting made by [REDACTED] on 21 October 1966 which your office forwarded on 7 November 1966. There is no indication that your office attempted an investigation in accordance with AFR 80-17. Essential weather data, etc., was not included.


2. In accordance with paragraph 10, AFR 80-17, investigating officer will make an initial analysis and comment on the possible cause or identity of the stimulus. Therefore, the above UFO report is being returned to your office for re-accomplishment.

FOR THE COMMANDER

  
LOUIS DEGOES, Colonel, USAF  
Director of Technology and Subsystems

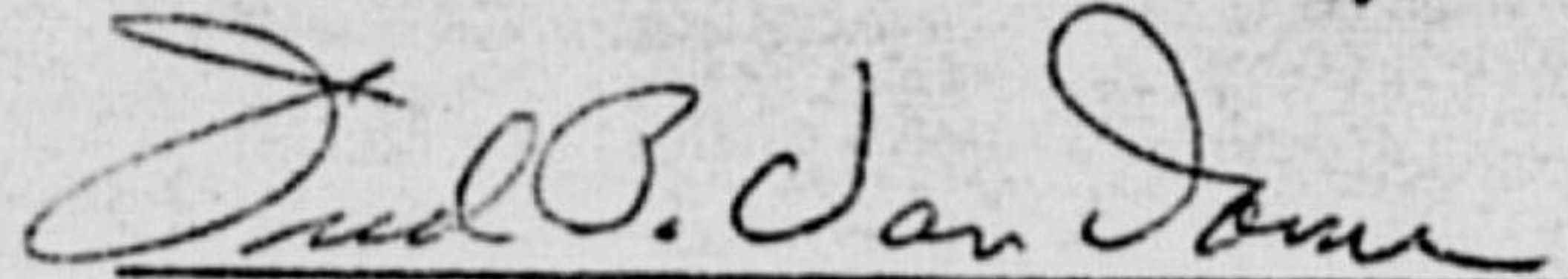
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FTD Form 164, Sighting  
21 Oct 66, Pataskala, Ohio

COORDINATION:

  
TDETR/MAJ H QUINTANILLA, JR

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| MEMO ROUTING SLIP   |   | Never Use for Approvals, Disapprovals, Concurrences, or Similar Actions |  | ACTION                           |  |
|---|---|---|--|----------------------------------|--|
| 1   | TO AFSG (FTD)<br>Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433 | INITIALS  |  | CIRCULATE                        |  |
|   |   | DATE  |  | COORDINATION                     |  |
| 2   |   |   |  | FILE                             |  |
|   |   |   |  | INFORMATION                      |  |
| 3   |   |   |  | NOTE AND RETURN                  |  |
|   |   |   |  | PER CON-VERSATION                |  |
| 4   |   |   |  | SEE ME                           |  |
|   |   |   |  | SIGNATURE                        |  |
| REMARKS<br><p><i>This event was discussed at length over the telephone with the young lady. She was very serious and quite concerned.</i></p> |   |   |  |                                  |  |
| FROM 84OCSG(DO)<br>Lockbourne AFB, Ohio 43217   |   |   |  | DATE<br>7 Nov 66<br>PHONE<br>484 |  |

DD FORM 95  
1 OCT 60

Replaces DD Form 94, 1 Feb 50, and DD Form 95, 1 Feb 50, which will be used until exhausted.

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# 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?

21

Day

10

Month

66

Year

2. Time of day:

9

Hour

35

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?

Pataskala

Nearest Postal Address

Pataskala

City or Town

Licking

State or County

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

Hours

55

Minutes

Seconds

a.

Certain

b.

Fairly certain

c. Not very sure

d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined? wristwatch

5.2 Was object in sight continuously?

Yes

No X but continually

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 when first spotted
- 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:

Really, There is no comparison

Looked like a pink streetlight  
would if it were in the sky

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?   | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | No                                  | Don't know |
| b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time?   | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | 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?   | Yes                                  | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | Don't know |
| f. Change shape?  | Yes                                  | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | Don't know |
| g. Flash or flicker? (pink light blinked)   | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | No                                  | Don't know |
| h. Disappear and reappear? (gave the impression of disappearing for only a few seconds) | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | No                                  | Don't know |



14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how? YES It did not fade away or rush away, it appeared to just vanish.

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: NOT a cloud. It moved behind such things as trees, and at one time, a telephone post.

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: Not a cloud. Trees, telephone post and wires. Never in front of the moon that we can remember

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

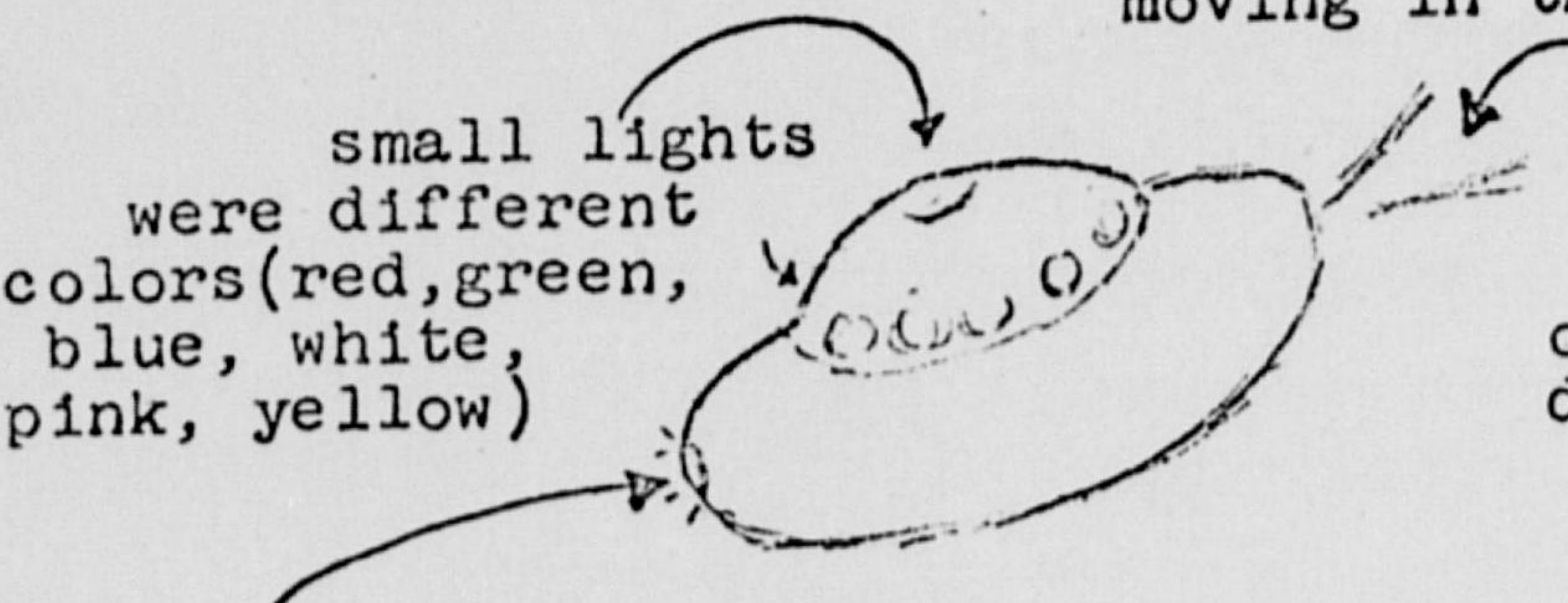
- a. Sound Similar to "whirr"--like the wind in a cave; very smooth, no breaks in "tempo" of the "whirr" or of the "wind" sound.  
 b. Color Not specifically comparable with anything ever heard before.  
dark, brownish, metallic gray

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 watched this object for one hour, almost. It was very close to us at one time, and then fairly far away. When it was closest to us a match head wouldn't begin to cover any area of it. When it was the farthest from us, a match head would possibly cover about  $\frac{1}{2}$  of it.

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.

moving in this direction when passing us



small lights were different colors (red, green, blue, white, pink, yellow)

pink light was blinking constantly

headlight

It gave the impression of being hundreds of feet in diameter!



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

(Circle One)

Yes

☒ No

from completely still to what

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? seemed like fantastic speeds

21. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was? Various distances within

(Circle One)

Yes

No the 55 minutes from fairly far away

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? to about 100ft. away. Always clearly visible when in sight.

22. Where were you located when you saw the object?

(Circle One):

a. Inside a building

☒ b. In a car } *both*

☒ 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? *-mostly this*

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) ALL directions

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. *from stopped up to about 80 M. P. Hr.*

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

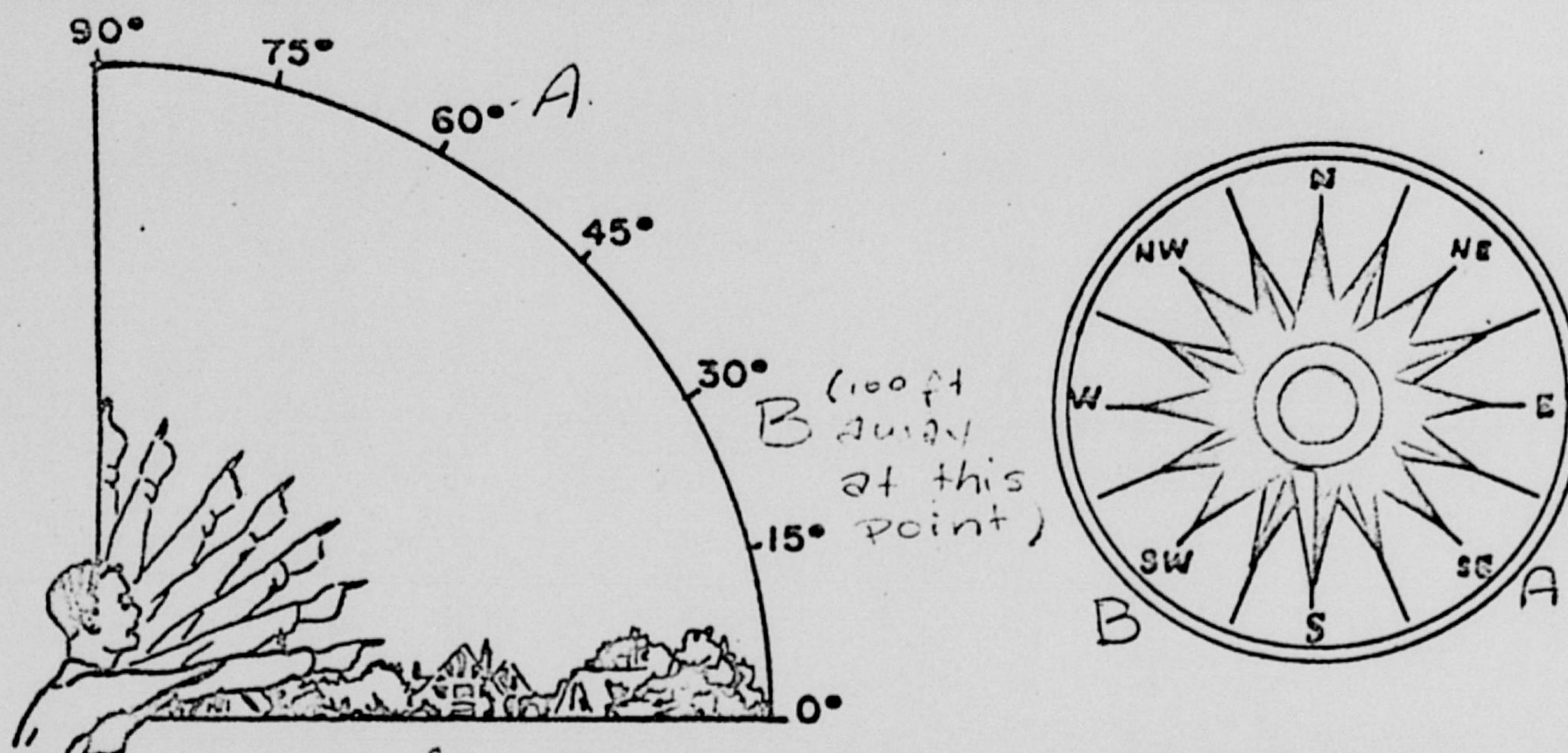
h. Other Naked eye

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.

Two good-sized dinner plates and one shallow bowl placed on top of these dinner plates, the bowl being about  $\frac{1}{2}$  the size of the dinner plates.



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 object went every direction possible within the 55 minutes

29. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? no

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

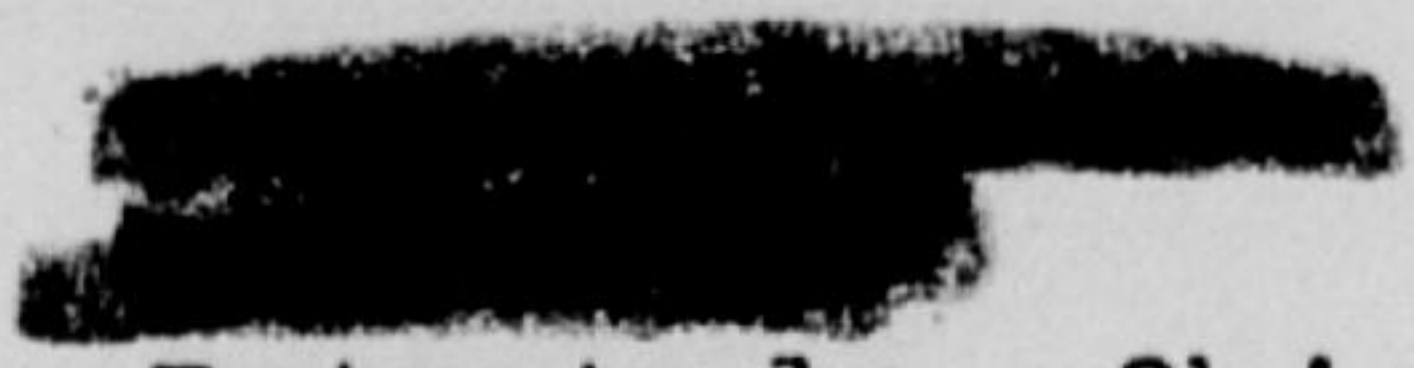
31. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object? (Circle One)

☒ Yes ☐ No

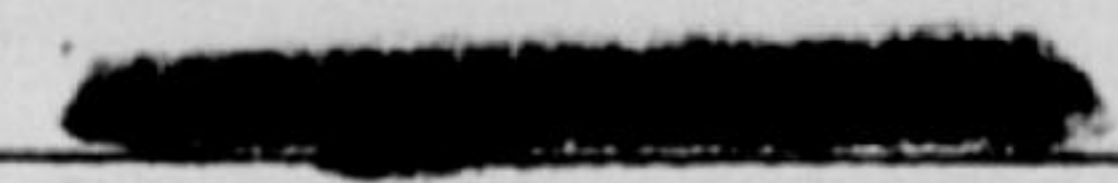
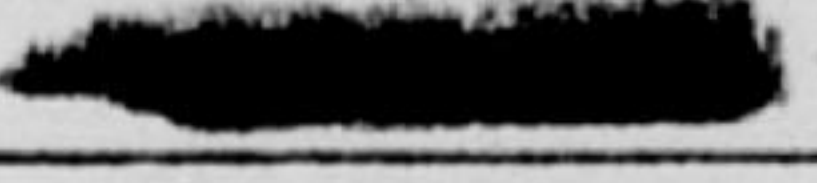

31.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too? (Circle One)

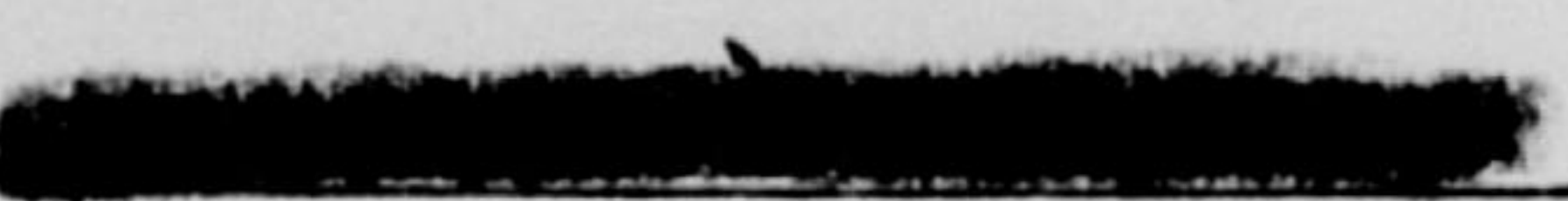
☒ Yes ☐ No


31.2 Please list their names and addresses:

  
Pataskala, Ohio 43062

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME     
Last Name First Name Middle Name

ADDRESS  Reynoldsburg, Ohio  
Street City Zone State

TELEPHONE NUMBER  AGE 19 yrs. SEX F

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

I have flown in a plane before, I am very familiar with helicopters, jets, airplanes, blimps, small aircraft (propellor planes, for example.)

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

21 10 66  
Day Month Year



34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

27

Day

10

Month

66

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.

There are no airports, or Air Force Bases in the area where the object was sighted. The other party sighted it again when re-turning to his home which is in the same general area. He heard the same sound as before, saw the same movement, then the object "flew" away in the Southwest for the last time. It gave the impression of moving in two directions at once, because it crossed our path and passed us both at the same time. At the point when it was coming toward us to fly across us, the "headlight" of the object shown right through the car window onto my shoulder, but I could look directly at the beam and there was absolutely NO glare. It was approximately  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile away when the light shined on us.

It could stop in mid-air and "hover", and it did so frequently. Then it could take off and reach an unbelievable speed in no time. When it changed directions, there was no "skid" or "slide". It made a 90 degree turn(while going at this high speed), but it stayed in the exact same spot while doing so. In other words, it could make "flat" turns.

It had two more "headlights" shining out of the bottom of this object which it flashed on and seemed to look at the road and then flashed back off again. It seemed as though the object was watching us, too, and "played a game" with us for the length of the hour.

We both knew somehow that the object was not out to harm us in any way, and a strange primitive feeling came over us when the



object was within the closest range.

We stopped once and turned off the car engine and lights and it flew over us at which time we heard the sound of it. When it passed over for the final time, it was coming straight at us, and then as it flew over, it tilted, as we have shown in the drawing on page 3, question #19. When it passed over us, there was no radio interference, and there was no wind, such as there is when being passed by a semi truck.

There are many details we could fill in, for alot happened within the 55 minutes that we watched, chased, and listened to it. If you feel that I have left out any information that is pertinent to this sighting, you may contact me at my home, or the other party at his home. I hope this will help you, even if it's the slightest bit.

PHONE

██████████ Reynoldsburg

██████████ Pataskala

*Discussed on phone with Miss  
on 21 October 1966.*

*Lt Col Harris*

*LAPP D/O.*