PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 7 Sept 68 2245EDT 08/0245Z	2. LOCATION Brooklyn, New York (3 Witnesses)
3. SOURCE Civilians	10. CONCLUSION Probable (HOT AIR BALLOON)
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	The description is just as those previously given of hot air ball
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2 - 3 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS The observer sighted a yellow retangular object in the SE sky. After 2 or 3 minutes, portions separated and fell but were extinguished before they reached the ground. The main object then disappeared.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE Observered in SE	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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

4 OCT 1968

TDPT (UFO) Lt Col Quintanilla/70916/mhs/2 Oct 68

UFO Observation, 7 September 1968

Mr [redacted]
[redacted]
Brooklyn, New York 11210

The description, that you provided on your observation of 7 September 1968, is consistent with other reports that we received of plastic garmet bag hot air balloons. (See the attached description.)

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Chief, Aerial Phenomena Office
Aerospace Technologies Division
Production Directorate

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Description

TDPT(UFO) OFFICIAL FILE CY

SIGHTING OF UNIDENTIFIED PHENOMENA QUESTIONNAIRE

BUDGET BUREAU APPROVAL NUMBER 21-R258

THIS QUESTIONNAIRE HAS BEEN PREPARED SO THAT YOU CAN GIVE THE U.S. AIR FORCE AS MUCH INFORMATION AS POSSIBLE CONCERNING THE UNIDENTIFIED PHENOMENON THAT YOU HAVE OBSERVED. PLEASE TRY TO ANSWER ALL OF THE QUESTIONS. THE INFORMATION YOU GIVE WILL BE USED FOR RESEARCH PURPOSES. YOUR NAME WILL NOT BE USED IN CONNECTION WITH ANY OF YOUR STATEMENTS OR CONCLUSIONS WITHOUT YOUR PERMISSION. RETURN TO AIR FORCE BASE INVESTIGATOR FOR FORWARDING TO FTD (TDETR), WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB, OHIO 45433, IAW AFR 80-17. *(IF ADDITIONAL SHEETS ARE NEEDED FOR NARRATIVE OR SKETCHES ATTACH SECURELY TO THIS FORM OR ANNOTATE WITH YOUR NAME FOR IDENTIFICATION.)*

1. WHEN DID YOU SEE THE PHENOMENON?
DAY Sat., 7 MONTH Sept. YEAR 1968

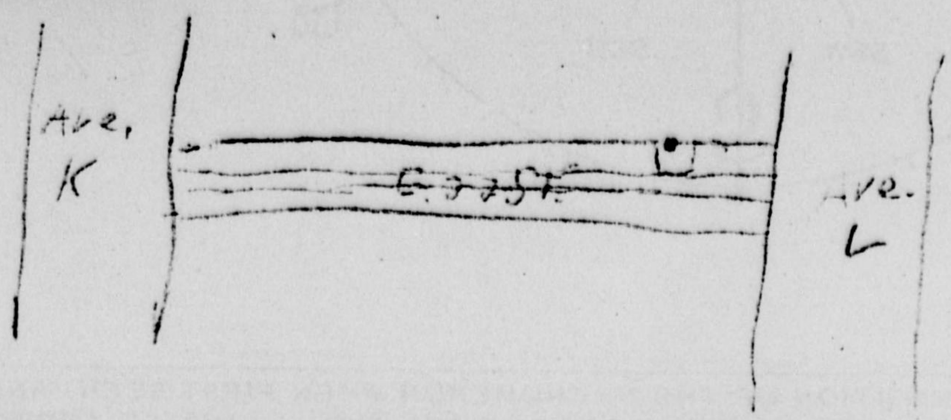
2. WHAT TIME DID YOU FIRST SIGHT THE PHENOMENON?
HOUR 10 MINUTES 40 ☐ A.M. ☑ P.M.

3. WHAT TIME DID YOU LAST SIGHT THE PHENOMENON?
HOUR 10 MINUTES 48 ☐ A.M. ☑ P.M.

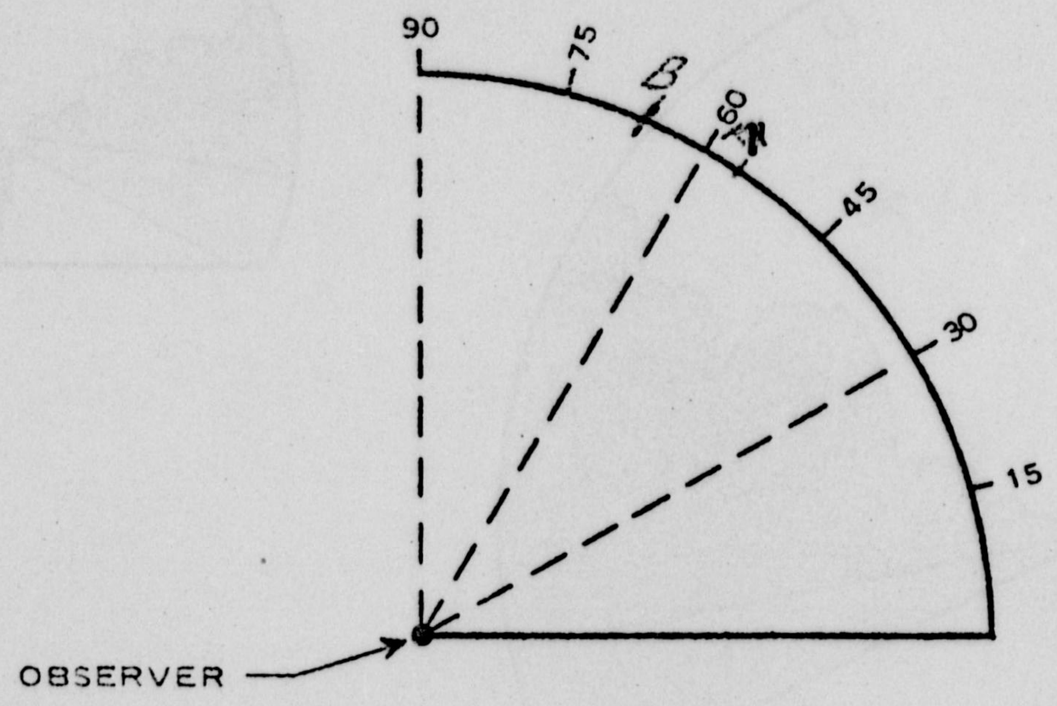
4. TIME/ZONE ☑ DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ☐ STANDARD
☑ EASTERN ☐ CENTRAL ☐ MOUNTAIN ☐ PACIFIC ☐ OTHER

5. WHERE WERE YOU WHEN YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? IF IN CITY, GIVE THE NEAREST STREET ADDRESS AND INDICATE ON A HAND DRAWN MAP WHERE YOU WERE STANDING WITH REFERENCE TO THE ADDRESS. IF IN THE COUNTRY, IDENTIFY THE HIGHWAY YOU WERE ON OR NEAR AND TRY TO FIX A DISTANCE AND DIRECTION FROM SOME RECOGNIZABLE LANDMARK.

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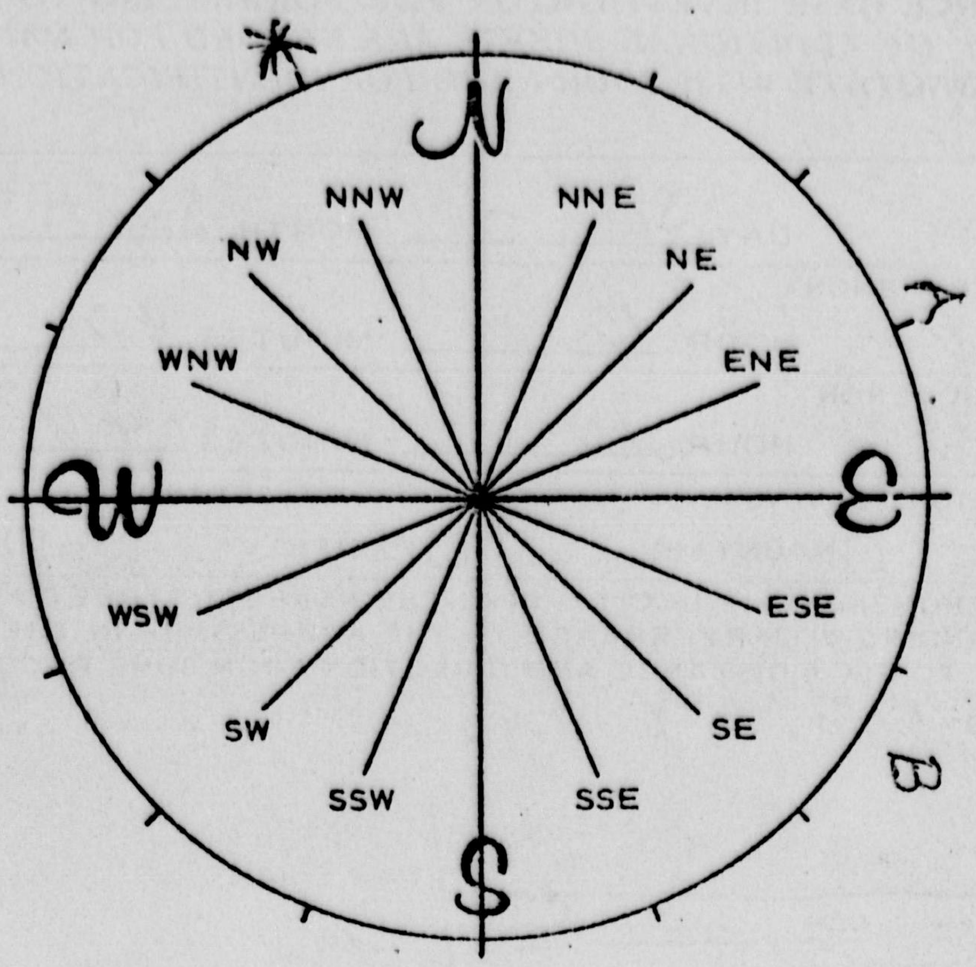


6. IMAGINE YOU ARE AT THE POINT SHOWN IN THE SKETCH, PLACE AN "A" ON THE CURVED LINE TO SHOW HOW HIGH THE PHENOMENON WAS ABOVE THE HORIZON, OR SKYLINE, WHEN FIRST SEEN. PLACE A "B" ON THE SAME CURVED LINE TO SHOW HOW HIGH ABOVE THE HORIZON THE PHENOMENON WAS WHEN LAST SEEN.

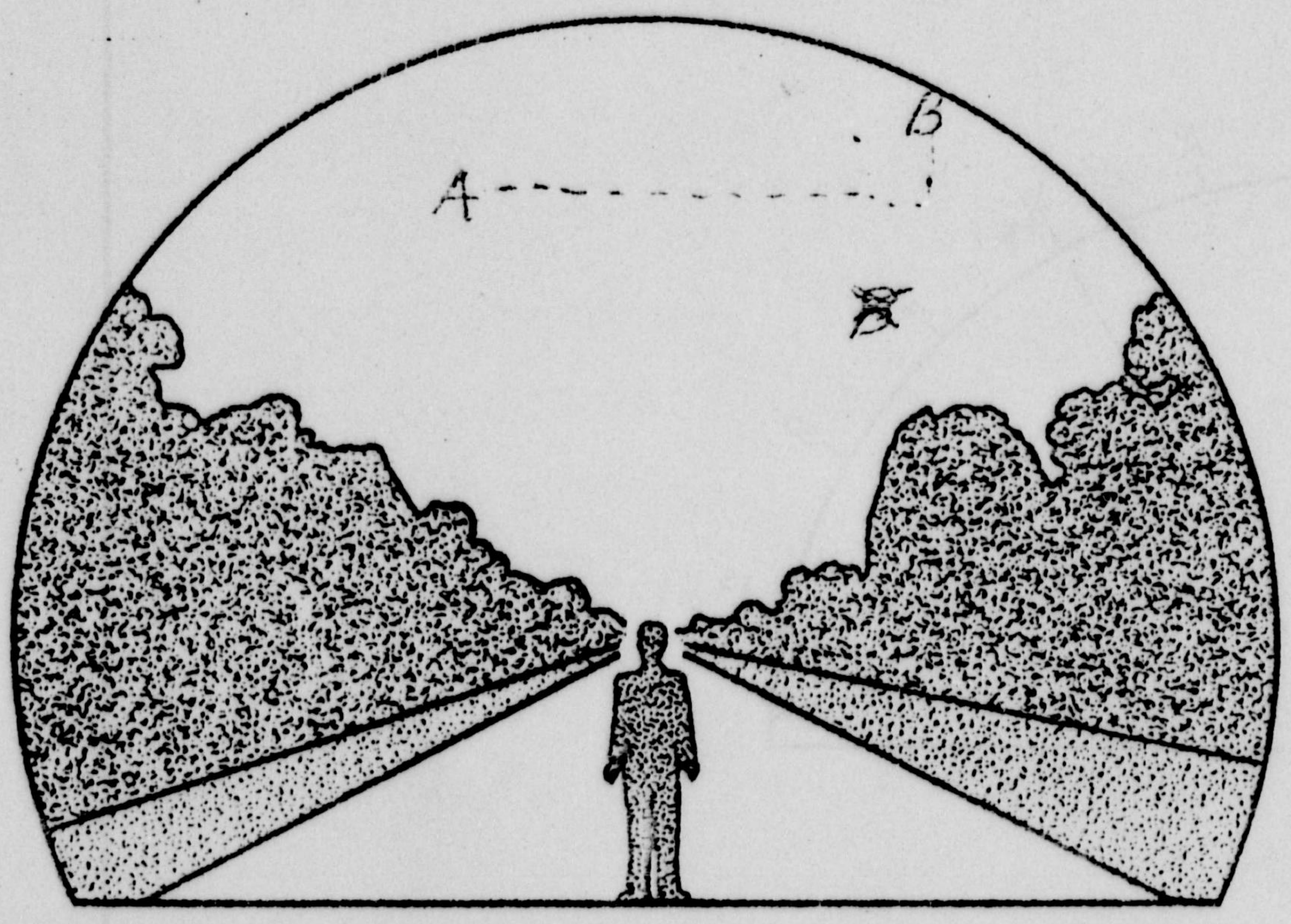


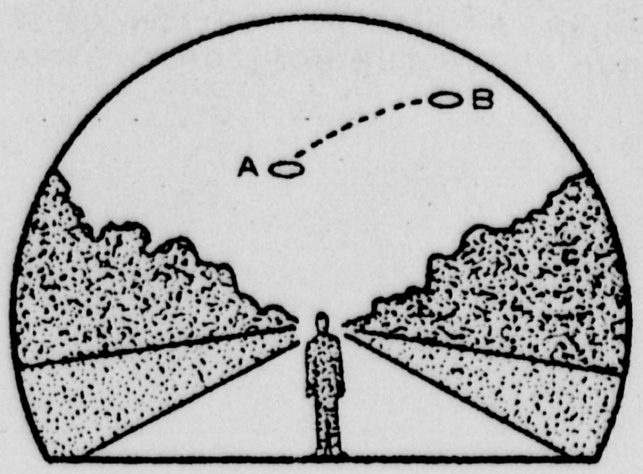
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A. IF YOU WERE IN A VEHICLE, COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

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(Didn't see, Only Heard)

9. HOW LONG WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT?

LENGTH OF TIME 3 min

	CERTAIN OF TIME		NOT VERY SURE
	FAIRLY CERTAIN	✓	JUST A GUESS

HOW WAS TIME DETERMINED?

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C. IF THE SIGHTING WAS AT TWILIGHT OR NIGHT, WHAT DID YOU NOTICE ABOUT THE STARS AND MOON?

(1) STARS		(2) MOON			
	NONE	✓	BRIGHT MOONLIGHT		NO MOONLIGHT
	A FEW		MOON WITH HALO		UNKNOWN
	MANY		MOON HIDDEN BY CLOUDS		
✓	UNKNOWN		PARTIAL *(New or quarter)*		

D. IF SIGHTING WAS IN DAYLIGHT, WAS THE SUN VISIBLE? ☐ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," WHERE WAS THE SUN AS YOU FACED THE PHENOMENON?

	IN FRONT OF YOU		TO YOUR RIGHT		OVERHEAD *(Near noon)*
	IN BACK OF YOU		TO YOUR LEFT		UNKNOWN

E. SPECIFY THE MAJOR SOURCE OF ILLUMINATION PRESENT DURING THE SIGHTING, SUCH AS THE SUN, HEADLIGHTS OR STREET LAMP, ETC. FOR TERRESTRIAL ILLUMINATION, SPECIFY DISTANCE TO LIGHT SOURCE.

Light in yard. Hidden by end of Roof

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13. DID THE PHENOMENON	YES	NO	UNKNOWN
MOVE IN A STRAIGHT LINE?	✓		
STAND STILL AT ANYTIME?	✓		
SUDDENLY SPEED UP AND RUN AWAY?		✓	
BREAK UP IN PARTS ~~AND EXPLODE~~?	✓		
CHANGE COLOR?		✓	
GIVE OFF SMOKE?		✓	
CHANGE BRIGHTNESS?	✓		
CHANGE SHAPE?	✓		
FLASH OR FLICKER?		✓	
DISAPPEAR AND REAPPEAR?		✓	
SPIN LIKE A TOP?		✓	
MAKE A NOISE?		✓	
FLUTTER OR WOBBLE?		✓	

14. WHAT DREW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE PHENOMENON?

Felt like looking at stars

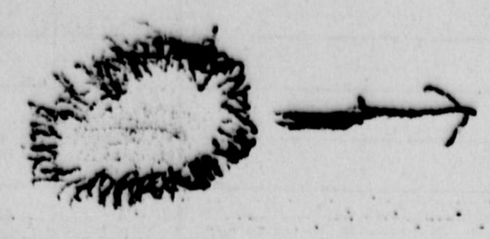
A. HOW DID IT FINALLY DISAPPEAR?

Broke up and parts fell. Falling parts disappeared in Mid air

B. DID THE PHENOMENON MOVE BEHIND OR IN FRONT OF SOMETHING, LIKE A CLOUD, TREE, OR BUILDING AT ANY TIME?

☐ YES ☑ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

15. DRAW A PICTURE THAT WILL SHOW THE SHAPE OF THE PHENOMENON. INCLUDE AND LABEL ANY DETAILS THAT MIGHT HAVE APPEARED AS WINGS OR PROTRUSIONS, AND INDICATE EXHAUST OR VAPOR TRAILS. INDICATE BY AN ARROW THE DIRECTION THE PHENOMENON WAS MOVING.





16. WHAT WAS THE ANGULAR SIZE? HOLD A MATCH AT ARM'S LENGTH IN FRONT OF A KNOWN OBJECT, SUCH AS A STREET LAMP OR THE MOON. NOTE HOW MUCH OF THE OBJECT IS COVERED BY THE HEAD OF THE MATCH. NOW IF YOU HAD BEEN ABLE TO PERFORM THIS EXPERIMENT AT THE TIME OF THE SIGHTING, ESTIMATE WHAT FRACTION OF THE PHENOMENON WOULD HAVE BEEN COVERED BY THE MATCH HEAD.

Phenomenon 1½ times size of matchead.

17. DID YOU OBSERVE THE PHENOMENON THROUGH ANY OF THE FOLLOWING? INCLUDE INFORMATION ON MODEL, TYPE, FILTER, LENS PRESCRIPTION OR OTHER APPLICABLE DATA.

	EYEGLASSES		CAMERA VIEWER
	SUNGLASSES		BINOCULARS
	WINDSHIELD		TELESCOPE
	SIDE WINDOW OF VEHICLE		THEODOLITE
✓	WINDOWPANE		OTHER

A. DO YOU ORDINARILY WEAR GLASSES? ☐ YES ☑ NO

B. DO YOU USE READING GLASSES? ☐ YES ☑ NO

18. WHAT WAS YOUR IMPRESSION OF THE SPEED OF THE PHENOMENON? GIVE ESTIMATE OF SPEED _____.

19. WHAT WAS YOUR IMPRESSION OF THE DISTANCE OF THE PHENOMENON? GIVE ESTIMATE OF DISTANCE _____.

20. IN ORDER THAT WE MAY OBTAIN AS CLEAR A PICTURE AS POSSIBLE OF WHAT YOU SAW, DESCRIBE IN YOUR OWN WORDS A COMMON OBJECT OR OBJECTS WHICH, WHEN PLACED IN THE SKY, SIMILAR TO WHERE YOU NOTED THE PHENOMENON, WOULD BEAR SOME RESEMBLANCE TO WHAT YOU SAW. DESCRIBE SIMILARITIES AND DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE COMMON OBJECT AND WHAT YOU SAW.

Looked like flame, but didn't Flicker, Changed to ~~[illegible]~~ Rectangular Shape.

21. DID YOU NOTICE ANY ODOR, NOISE, OR HEAT EMANATING FROM THE PHENOMENON OR ANY EFFECT ON YOURSELF, ANIMALS OR MACHINERY IN THE VICINITY? ☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

A. DID THE PHENOMENON DISTURB THE GROUND OR LEAVE ANY PHYSICAL EVIDENCE. ☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

22. HAVE YOU EVER SEEN THIS OR A SIMILAR PHENOMENON BEFORE? ☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," GIVE DATE AND LOCATION.

23. WAS ANYONE WITH YOU AT THE TIME YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? ☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," DID THEY SEE IT TOO? ☒ YES ☐ NO.

A. LIST THEIR NAMES AND ADDRESSES

[redacted] B'Klyn, N. Y. 11210

" " " " "

" " " " "

24. GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ABOUT YOURSELF

LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE NAME

[redacted]

ADDRESS (Street, City, State and Zip Code)

[redacted] B'Klyn, N.Y. 11210

TELEPHONE (Area code and number)	AGE		MALE		FEMALE
[redacted]	13 yrs. 10 mo.	✓			

INDICATE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION INCLUDING OCCUPATION AND ANY EXPERIENCE WHICH MAY BE PERTINENT.

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25. WHEN AND TO WHOM DID YOU REPORT THAT YOU HAD SIGHTED THIS PHENOMENON?

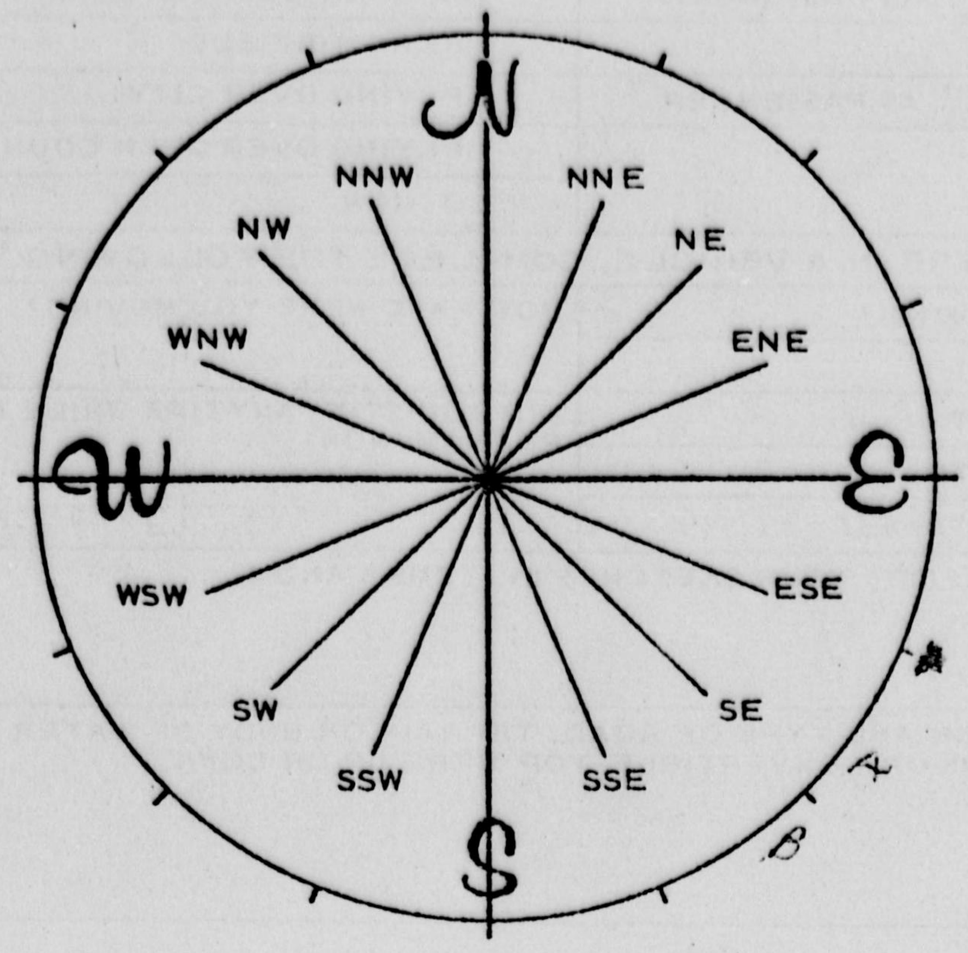
NAME _____ DAY _____ MONTH _____ YEAR _____

26. DATE YOU COMPLETED THIS QUESTIONNAIRE.

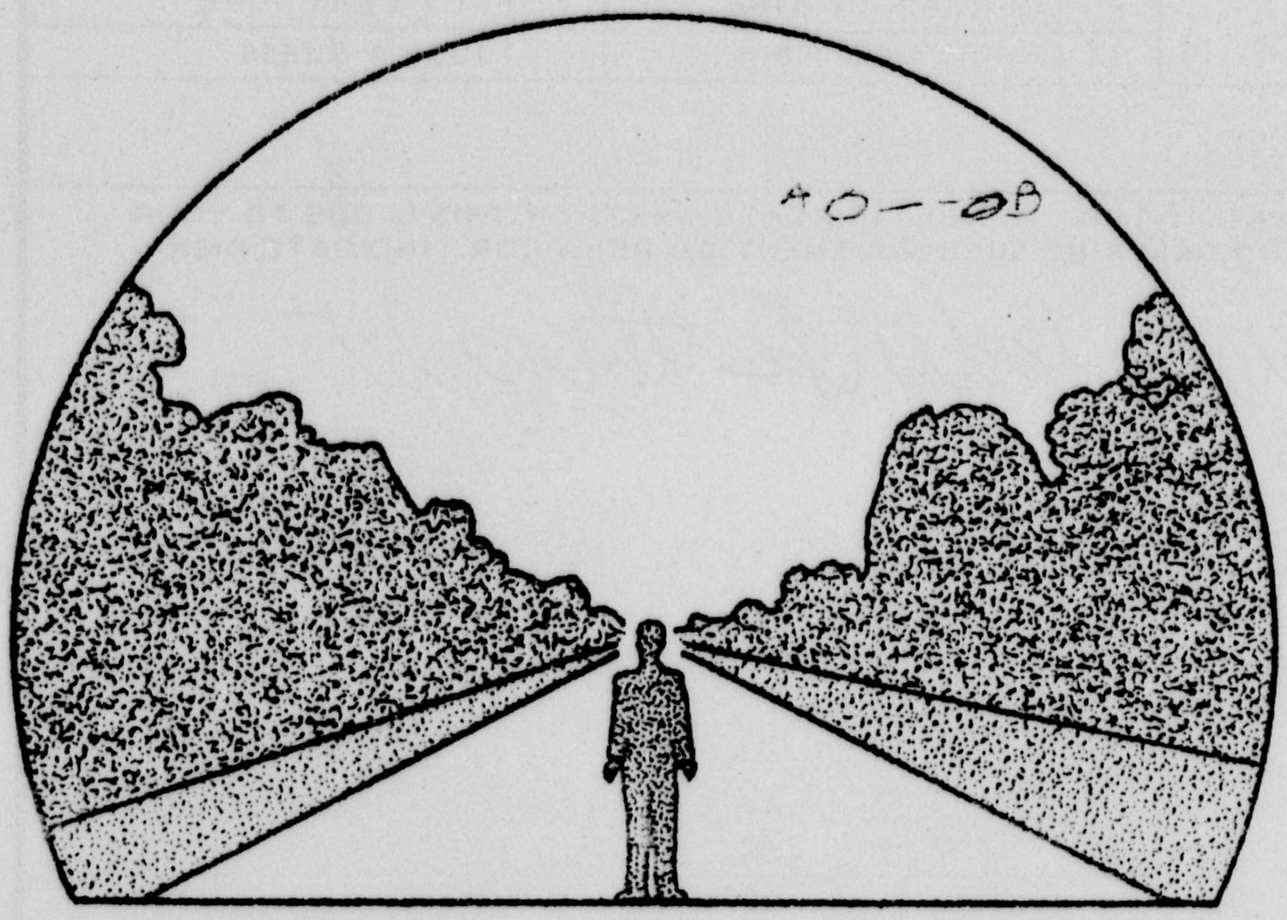
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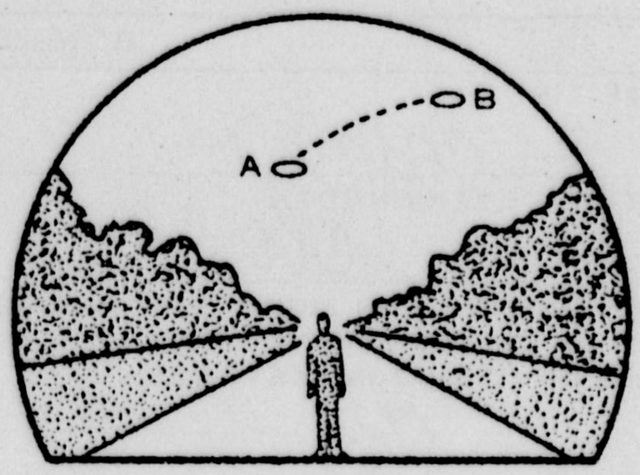
27. INFORMATION WHICH YOU FEEL IS PERTINENT BUT WHICH IS NOT ADEQUATELY COVERED IN THIS QUESTIONNAIRE, ALTERNATIVELY PROVIDE A NARRATIVE EXPLANATION OF THE SIGHTING.

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Just heard

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LENGTH OF TIME 2 min.

	CERTAIN OF TIME		NOT VERY SURE
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near the end it went dark then lit up again.

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It was a bright ~~yellow~~ orange ball

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SUDDENLY SPEED UP AND RUN AWAY?		✓	
BREAK UP IN PARTS AND EXPLODE?	✓		
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CHANGE SHAPE?		✓	
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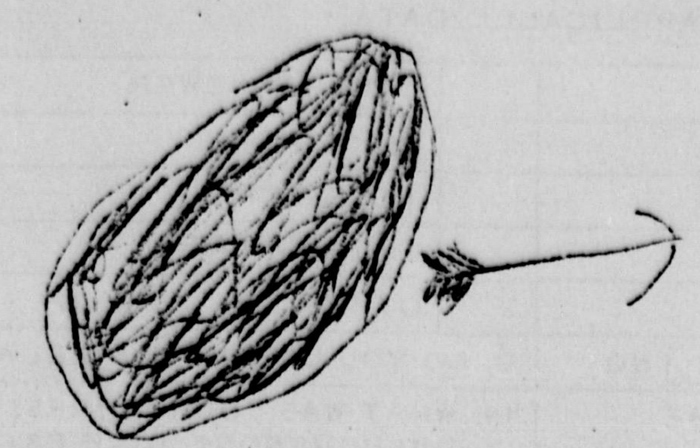
My father

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By ~~it~~ exploding

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It looked like a ball but it was a color of fire.

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The noise was of jet plane engine

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A. LIST THEIR NAMES AND ADDRESSES

[redacted], Brooklyn, New York 11210
" " " " " "
" " " " " "

24. GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ABOUT YOURSELF

LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE INITIAL: [redacted]

ADDRESS (Number, Street, City, State, Zip Code) [redacted] Brooklyn, New York 11210

TELEPHONE (Area code and number)	AGE		MALE		FEMALE
[redacted]	11	✓			

INDICATE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION INCLUDING OCCUPATION AND ANY EXPERIENCE WHICH MAY BE PERTINENT.

Jr. H. S. student

25. WHEN AND TO WHOM DID YOU REPORT THAT YOU HAD SIGHTED THIS PHENOMENON?

NAME _____ DAY _____ MONTH _____ YEAR _____

26. DATE YOU COMPLETED THIS QUESTIONNAIRE. DAY 24 MONTH Sept. YEAR 1968

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SIGHTING OF UNIDENTIFIED PHENOMENA QUESTIONNAIRE

BUDGET BUREAU APPROVAL NUMBER 21-R258

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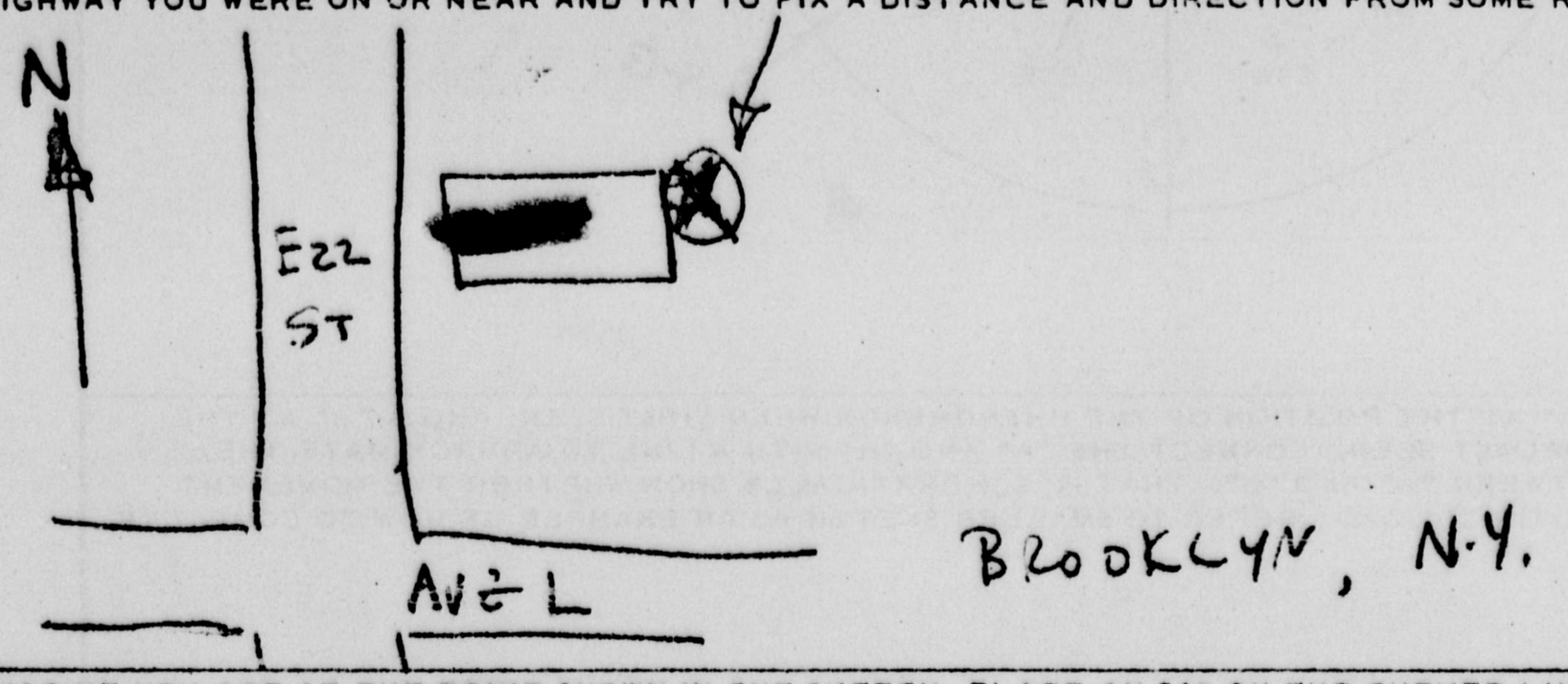
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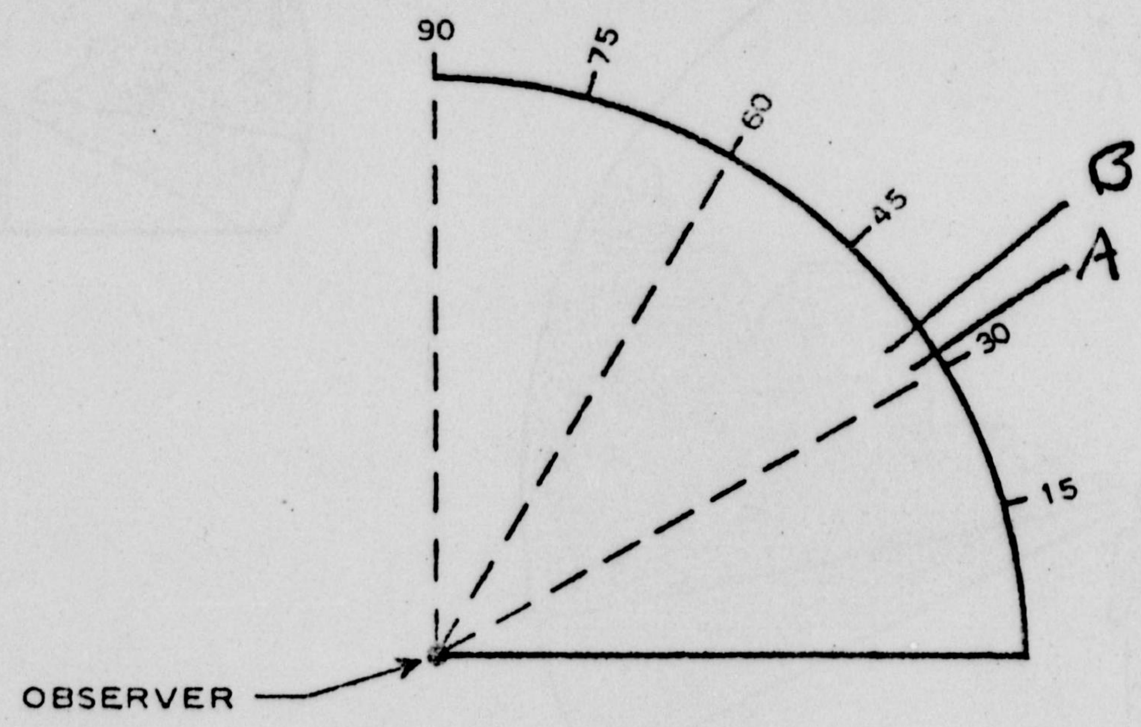
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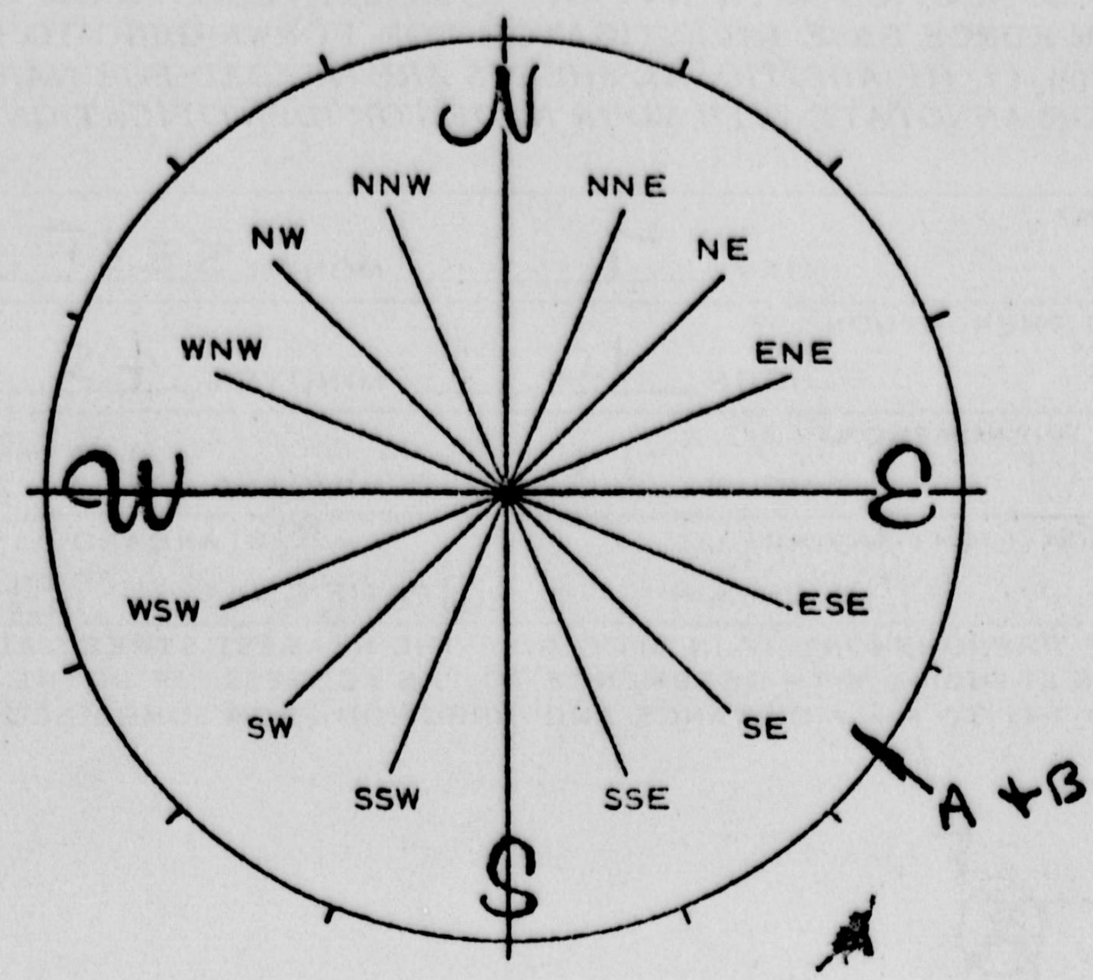


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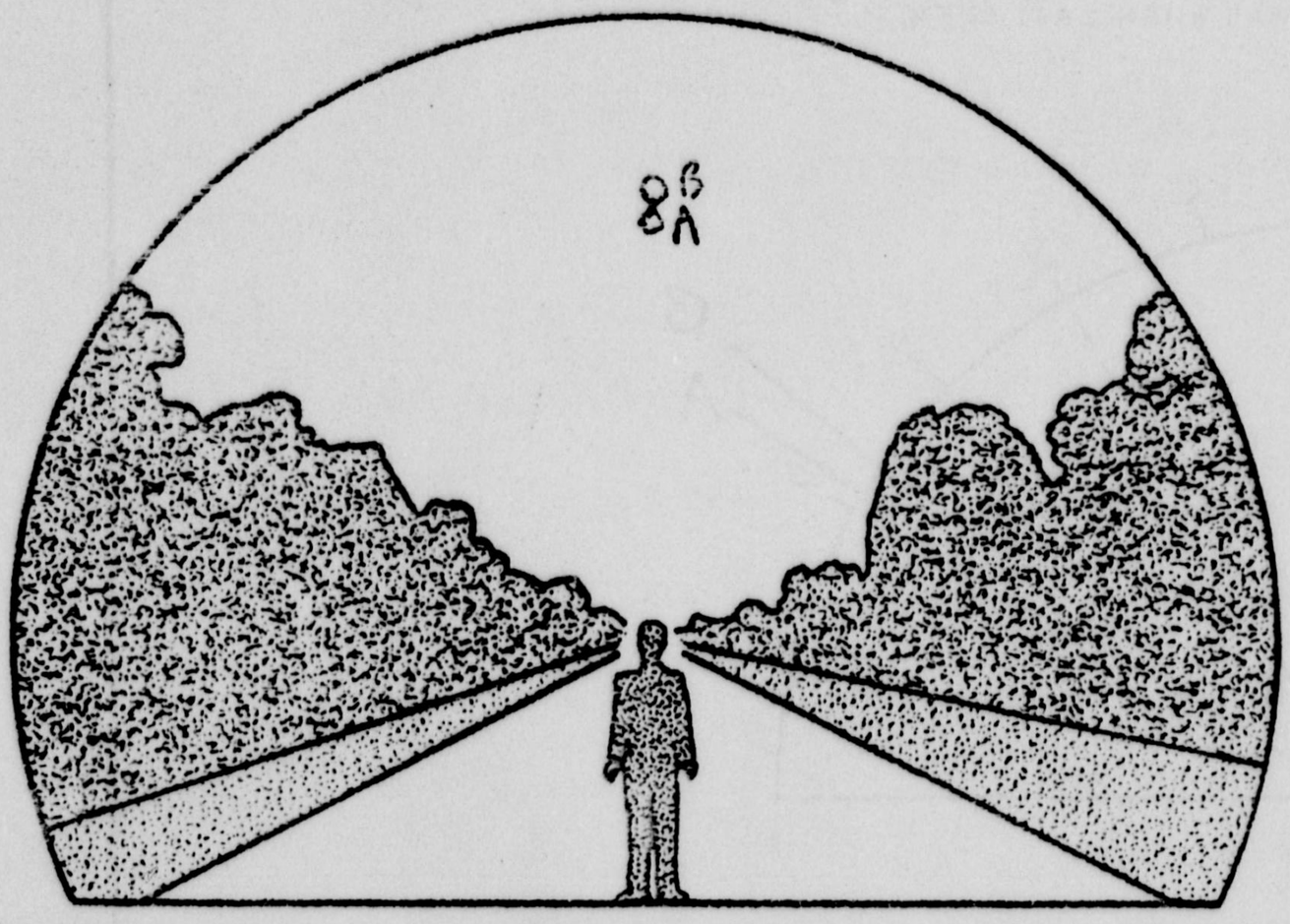


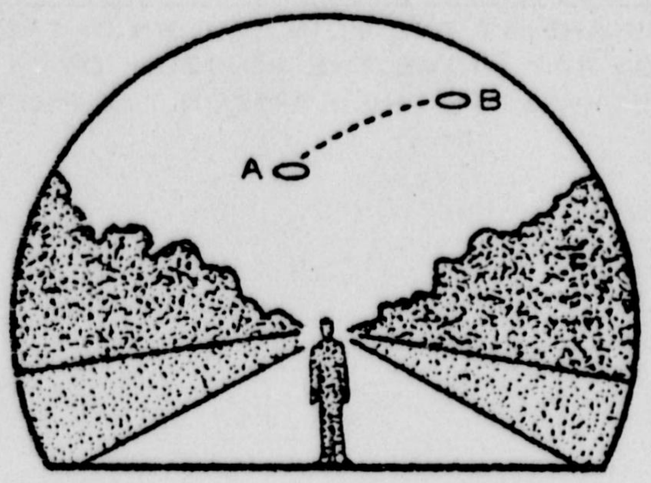
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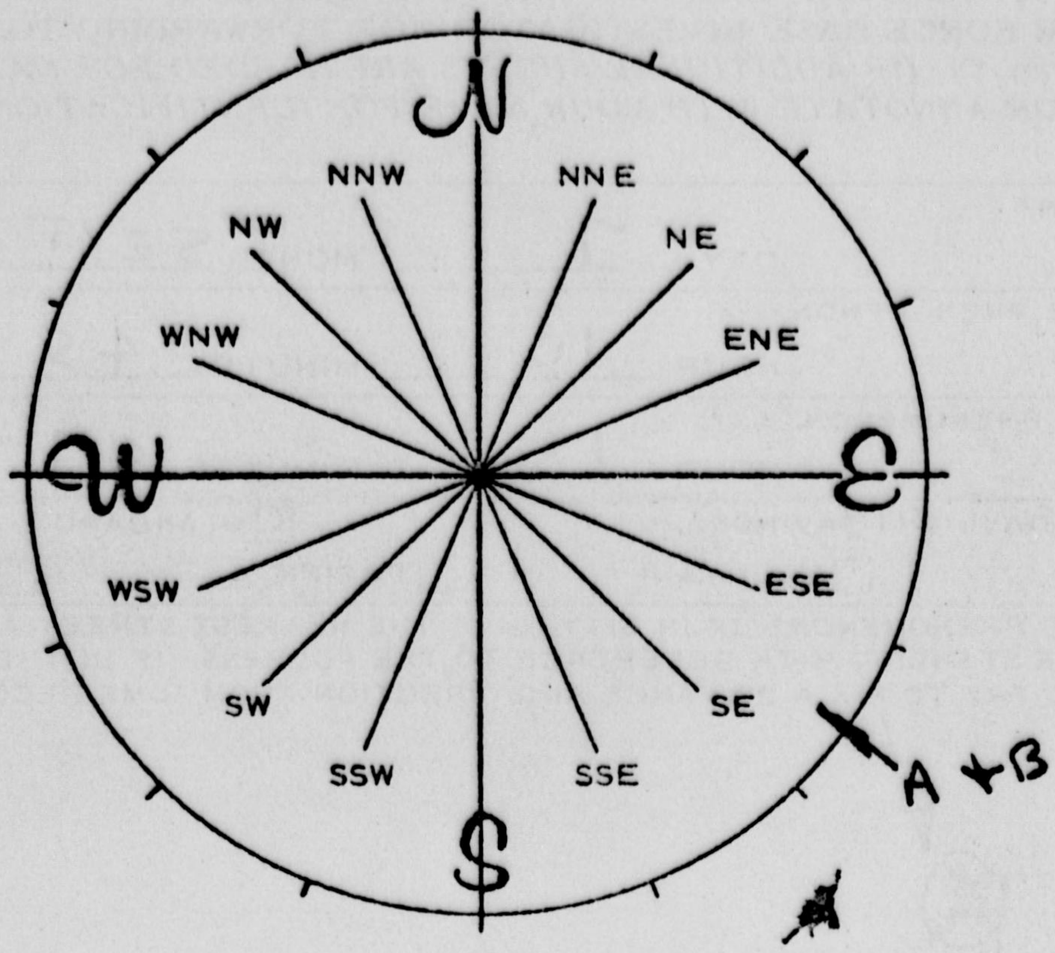


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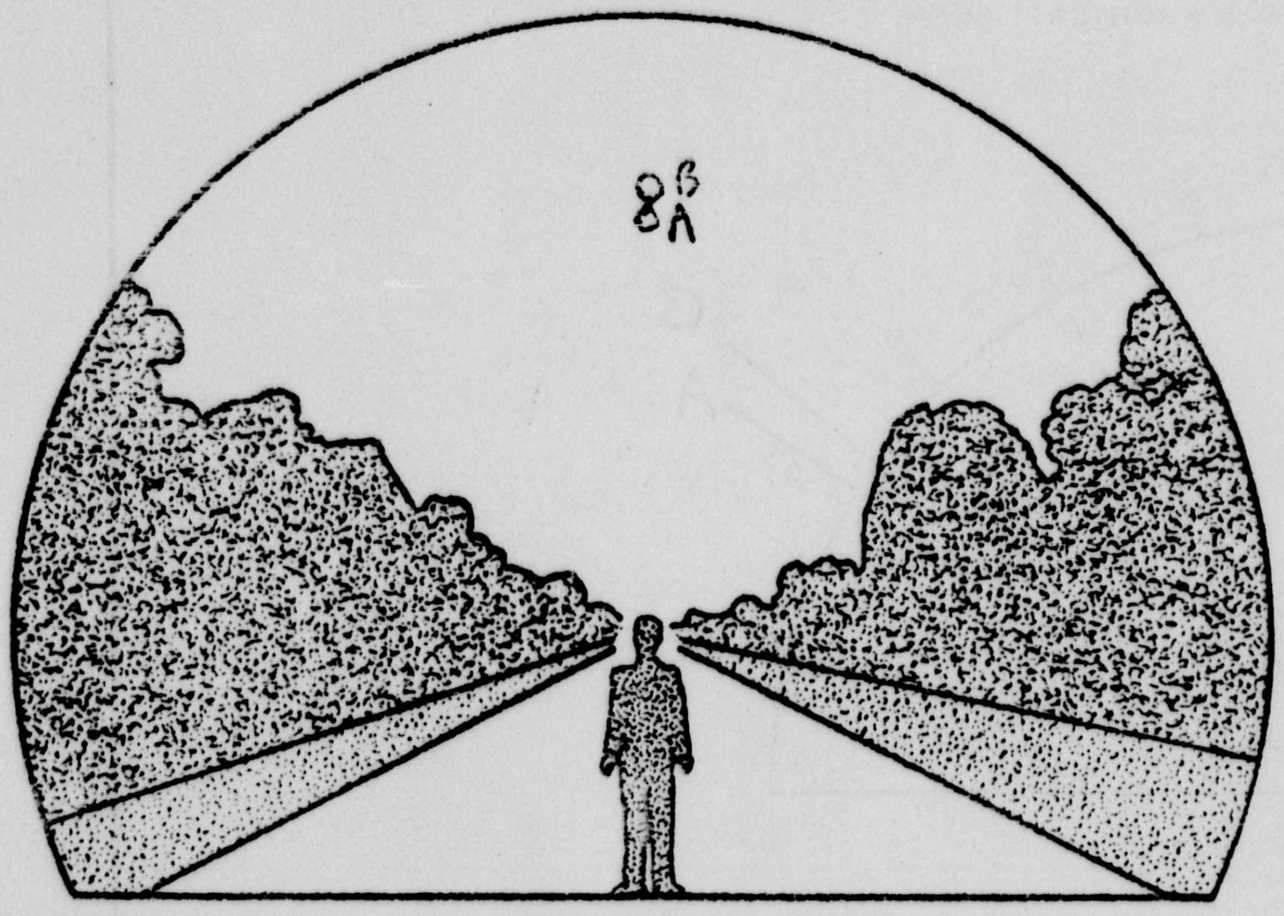


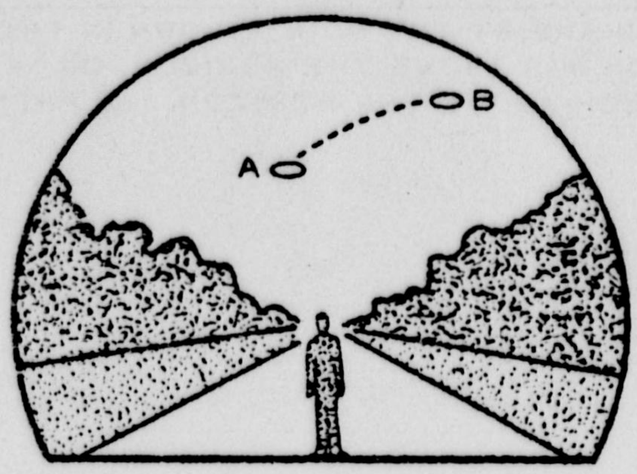


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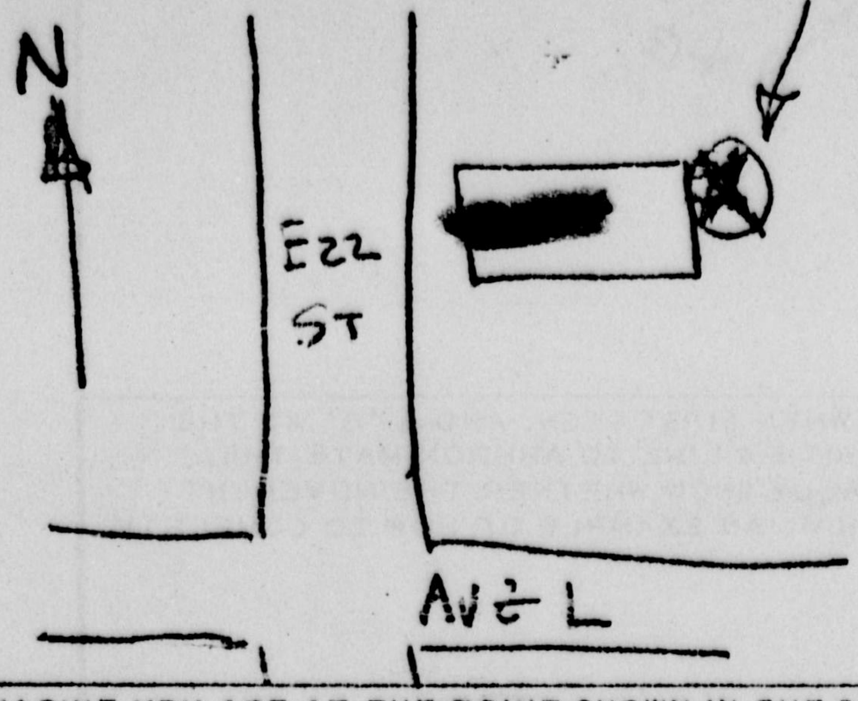
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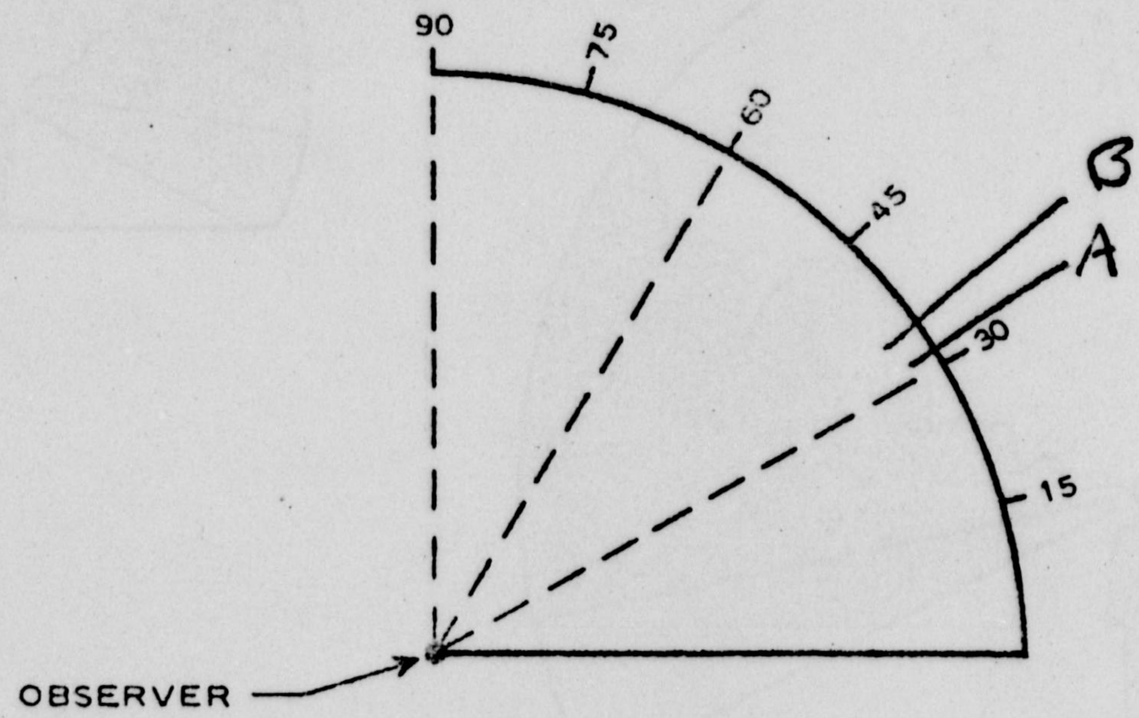
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8. WHERE WERE YOU WHEN YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? *(Check appropriate blocks.)*

	OUTDOORS		IN BUSINESS SECTION OF CITY
✓	IN BUILDING	✓	IN RESIDENTIAL SECTION OF CITY
	IN CAR ☐ AS DRIVER ☐ AS PASSENGER		IN OPEN COUNTRYSIDE
	IN BOAT		NEAR AIRFIELD
	IN AIRPLANE ☐ AS PILOT ☐ AS PASSENGER		FLYING OVER CITY
	OTHER		FLYING OVER OPEN COUNTRY
			OTHER

A. IF YOU WERE IN A VEHICLE, COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

WHAT DIRECTION WERE YOU MOVING?

	NORTH		EAST
	SOUTH		WEST
	NORTHEAST		SOUTHEAST
	NORTHWEST		SOUTHWEST

HOW FAST WERE YOU MOVING?

DID YOU STOP ANYTIME WHILE OBSERVING THE PHENOMENON?

☐ YES ☐ NO

EXPLAIN WHETHER SUCH MOVEMENT AFFECTS YOUR SKETCHES IN ITEMS 5 AND 6.

DESCRIBE TYPE OF VEHICLE YOU WERE IN AND TYPE OF ROAD, TERRAIN OR BODY OF WATER YOU TRAVERSED DURING THE SIGHTING. STATE WHETHER WINDOWS OR CONVERTIBLE TOP WERE UP OR DOWN.

HOW MUCH OTHER TRAFFIC WAS THERE?

DID YOU NOTICE ANY AIRPLANES? ☐ YES ☑ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE WHEN THEY WERE IN SIGHT RELATIVE TO THE TIME OF SIGHTING THE PHENOMENON AND WHERE THEY WERE IN THE SKY RELATIVE TO THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON.

9. HOW LONG WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT?

LENGTH OF TIME: ABOUT 2-3 MINUTES

	CERTAIN OF TIME		NOT VERY SURE
✓	FAIRLY CERTAIN		JUST A GUESS

HOW WAS TIME DETERMINED?

CHECKED CLOCK AFTER OBJECT DISAPPEARED

WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT CONTINUOUSLY? ☑ YES ☐ NO. IF "NO," INDICATE WHETHER THIS IS DUE TO YOUR MOVEMENT OR THE BEHAVIOR OF THE PHENOMENON, AND DESCRIBE SUCH MOVEMENT OR BEHAVIOR. INDICATE DISAPPEARANCES ON PREVIOUS SKETCHES.

I FIRST SAW THE OBJECT ON FIRST FLOOR, THEN RAN TO SECOND FLOOR TO ALERT THE FAMILY. WE WATCHED IT ON THE SECOND FLOOR UNTIL IT DISAPPEARED.

10. IF THERE WERE MORE THAN ONE PHENOMENON, HOW MANY WERE THERE? DRAW A PICTURE TO SHOW HOW THEY WERE ARRANGED. DID THIS ARRANGEMENT CHANGE DURING THE SIGHTING?

ONE PHENOMENON BROKE UP INTO SEVERAL WHICH FELL TOWARD THE GROUND.

11. CONDITIONS *(Check appropriate blocks.)*

A. SKY		B. WEATHER			
	DAY		CUMULUS CLOUDS *(Low fluffy)*		FOG OR MIST
	TWILIGHT		CIRRUS CLOUDS *(High fleecy or Herring-bone)*		HEAVY RAIN
✓	NIGHT				LIGHT RAIN OR DRIZZLE
✓	CLEAR		NIMBUS CLOUDS *(Rain)*		HAIL
	PARTLY CLOUDY		CUMULONIMBUS CLOUDS *(Thunderstorms)*		SNOW OR SLEET
	COMPLETELY OVERCAST				UNKNOWN
			HAZE OR SMOG	✓	NONE OF THE ABOVE

C. IF THE SIGHTING WAS AT TWILIGHT OR NIGHT, WHAT DID YOU NOTICE ABOUT THE STARS AND MOON?

(1) STARS		(2) MOON			
	NONE	✓	BRIGHT MOONLIGHT		NO MOONLIGHT
	A FEW		MOON WITH HALO		UNKNOWN
✓	MANY		MOON HIDDEN BY CLOUDS		
	UNKNOWN		PARTIAL *(New or quarter)*		

D. IF SIGHTING WAS IN DAYLIGHT, WAS THE SUN VISIBLE? ☐ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," WHERE WAS THE SUN AS YOU FACED THE PHENOMENON?

	IN FRONT OF YOU		TO YOUR RIGHT		OVERHEAD *(Near noon)*
	IN BACK OF YOU		TO YOUR LEFT		UNKNOWN

E. SPECIFY THE MAJOR SOURCE OF ILLUMINATION PRESENT DURING THE SIGHTING, SUCH AS THE SUN, HEADLIGHTS OR STREET LAMP, ETC. FOR TERRESTRIAL ILLUMINATION, SPECIFY DISTANCE TO LIGHT SOURCE.

NO MAJOR SOURCES - SIGHTING WAS FROM REAR OF HOUSE

12. GIVE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PHENOMENON, INDICATING WHETHER IT APPEARED DARK OR LIGHT, WHETHER IT REFLECTED LIGHT OR WAS SELF-LUMINOUS AND WHAT COLORS YOU NOTICED. DESCRIBE YOUR IMPRESSION OF WHETHER IT WAS SOLID OR TRANSPARENT, WHETHER EDGES WERE SHARP OR FUZZY. DESCRIBE THE SHAPE OR INDICATE IF IT APPEARED AS A POINT OF LIGHT. INDICATE COMPARISONS WITH OTHER OBSERVED OBJECTS, LIKE STARS, A LIGHT OR OTHER OBJECT IN YOUR FIELD OF VIEW.

CONSIDERABLY BRIGHTER THAN A STAR OR PLANET,
YELLOW COLOR - SELF LUMINOUS.
AT FIRST SHAPE WAS ROUND, AND SMALL - LIKE A LARGE STAR
LATER APPEARED ROUGHLY RECTANGULAR

13. DID THE PHENOMENON	YES	NO	UNKNOWN
MOVE IN A STRAIGHT LINE?			✓
STAND STILL AT ANYTIME?	✓		
SUDDENLY SPEED UP AND RUN AWAY?		✓	
BREAK UP IN PARTS ~~AND EXPLODE?~~	✓		
CHANGE COLOR?		✓	
GIVE OFF SMOKE?		✓	
CHANGE BRIGHTNESS?	✓		
CHANGE SHAPE?	✓		
FLASH OR FLICKER?		✓	
DISAPPEAR AND REAPPEAR?	✓	✓	
SPIN LIKE A TOP?		✓	
MAKE A NOISE?		✓	
FLUTTER OR WOBBLE?		✓	

14. WHAT DREW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE PHENOMENON?

IN MY ROUTINE CHECKUP. AT BEDTIME I LOOKED OUT THE BACK DOOR AND SAW THE OBJECT ABOVE THE NEIGHBORING HOUSES.

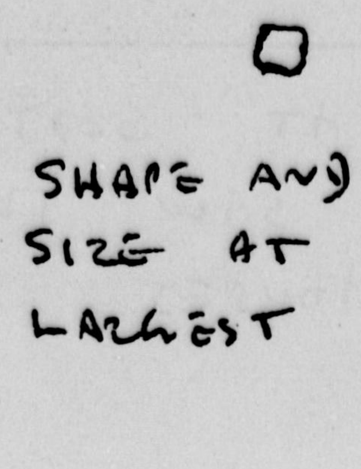
A. HOW DID IT FINALLY DISAPPEAR?

PORTIONS SEPARATED AND FELL - EXTINGUISHING BEFORE REACHING THE GROUND. REMAINING PORTION DISAPPEARED, THEN REAPPEARED FAINTLY AND FINALLY DISAPPEARED.

B. DID THE PHENOMENON MOVE BEHIND OR IN FRONT OF SOMETHING, LIKE A CLOUD, TREE, OR BUILDING AT ANY TIME?
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LATER IT WAS LIKE A GLOWING BOX
THEN A SET OF PARALLEL GLOWING BANDS
APPEARANCE WAS OF A BURNING BOX. AT A GREAT DISTANCE SO THAT MOTION OF FLAMES WAS IMPERCEPTIBLE.

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A. LIST THEIR NAMES AND ADDRESSES

[redacted]

[redacted]
BROOKLYN, NY 11210

24. GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ABOUT YOURSELF

LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE NAME

[redacted]

ADDRESS (Street, City, State and Zip Code)

[redacted], BROOKLYN, NY 11210

TELEPHONE (Area code and number)	AGE				
[redacted]	50	✓	MALE		FEMALE

INDICATE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION INCLUDING OCCUPATION AND ANY EXPERIENCE WHICH MAY BE PERTINENT.

I AM PRESENTLY EMPLOYED AS ELECTRICAL ENGINEER

PREVIOUSLY I WAS A METEOROLOGIST WORKING IN UPPER ATMOSPHERE RESEARCH ON GOVERNMENT PROJECTS — I HAD CONSIDERABLE EXPERIENCE IN OBSERVING AND TRACKING INSTRUMENTED BALLOONS VISUALLY BY THEODOLITE, RADAR.

25. WHEN AND TO WHOM DID YOU REPORT THAT YOU HAD SIGHTED THIS PHENOMENON?

NAME U.S. AIR FORCE DAY 8 MONTH SEPT YEAR 1968

26. DATE YOU COMPLETED THIS QUESTIONNAIRE.

DAY 22 MONTH SEPT YEAR 1968

27. INFORMATION WHICH YOU FEEL IS PERTINENT BUT WHICH IS NOT ADEQUATELY COVERED IN THIS QUESTIONNAIRE, ALTERNATIVELY PROVIDE A NARRATIVE EXPLANATION OF THE SIGHTING.

I OBSERVED THE PHENOMENON FIRST WHEN IT WAS ABOUT 2/3 OF THE WAY UP TO THE MOON AND IN A VERTICAL LINE BELOW IT. THE APPEARANCE AT FIRST WAS OF A VERY BRIGHT STAR. I RAN UPSTAIRS TO ALERT THE REST OF THE FAMILY. MY SON WAS ALREADY WATCHING IT.

THE PHENOMENON THEN APPEARED LARGER, ROUGHLY RECTANGULAR IN SHAPE, ABOUT THE SAME POSITION. IT SEPARATED INTO 3 OR 4 PARALLEL YELLOW LINES, IN THE SAME AREAL EXTENT. PORTIONS FELL OFF AND FELL TOWARD THE GROUND EXTINGUISHING BEFORE REACHING THE GROUND. THE REMAINING OBJECT BECAME DIMMER AND SMALLER AND DISAPPEARED BRIEFLY. REAPPEARED AND THEN DISAPPEARED COMPLETELY.

THERE WAS NO APPARENT MOTION OF THE OBJECT WHILE I WAS WATCHING IT

8 Sept

SAF-OICC/Miss Turnure/76526/September 12, 1968

SEP 12 1968

Dear Mr [redacted]

This replies to your letter of September 8, 1968, in which you reported that you and members of your family have seen an unidentified flying object (UFO).

Without additional information, we cannot offer an explanation of what you have seen. However, if each of you will complete one of the inclosed questionnaires and mail them in the inclosed envelope, our technical people at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio, will be able to investigate further and make an evaluation. It is very important that each member of your family who wishes to report this sighting complete a separate questionnaire; we are not allowed to accept reports of sightings through an intermediary or a second person, but only those that are reported personally by the viewer.

Should you ever sight another UFO, please report it as soon as possible to the nearest Air Force base. Each base in the United States has a UFO investigator, who is in a better position to make an on-the-spot investigation, which usually results in a more accurate analysis.

In the meantime, you might be able to identify your sighting by looking at the categories of objects often reported as UFO's in the material we are sending.

Sincerely,

JAMES H. AIKMAN
Major, USAF
Chief, Civil Branch
Community Relations Division
Office of Information

Attachments

Mr. [redacted]
Brooklyn, New York 11210

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SAF-OICC

[redacted]
Brooklyn, New York 11210
September 8, 1968

Department of the Air Force
Office of Research
Washington, D.C.

Subject: Unidentified Flying Object Observation

Gentlemen:

I am enclosing the observations of my wife, two of my sons and myself of a mysterious object which we saw last night, Sept. 7, 1968.

My son, [redacted], first saw the object and gives the most information on its actions. He was on the second floor of our house, looking out of a winflow facing the east.

I next saw theobject, independently, through a door on the first floor, also facing east. I went upstairs to alert the rest of the family and my wife and second son joinedus to see the final minute or so.

We each wrote down our observations before any discussions, in order to obtain as unbiased data as possible, and I have copied these writeups on the enclosed sheets.

If we can be of any further help in describing this occurrence, we will be glad to do so.

Yours very truly,

[redacted]

[redacted] Observation of object - Sept. 7, 1968

Time: 10:45 to 10:47 PM, Eastern Daylight Time

Location : In vertical line below the moon, about 2/3 of the way up to the moon.

First saw yellow ball stationary, like a bright star. After running upstairs, object, about the same place, was larger, rectangular. It then separated into 3 or 4 parallel yellow lines. Portions dropped off and one nearly reached the ground before disappearing. Other portions fell and extinguished. Finally the source disappeardd, then reappeared as a fainter light for one or two seconds. Then it disappeared again.

Mrs. [redacted] - Observation of object - Sept. 7, 1968

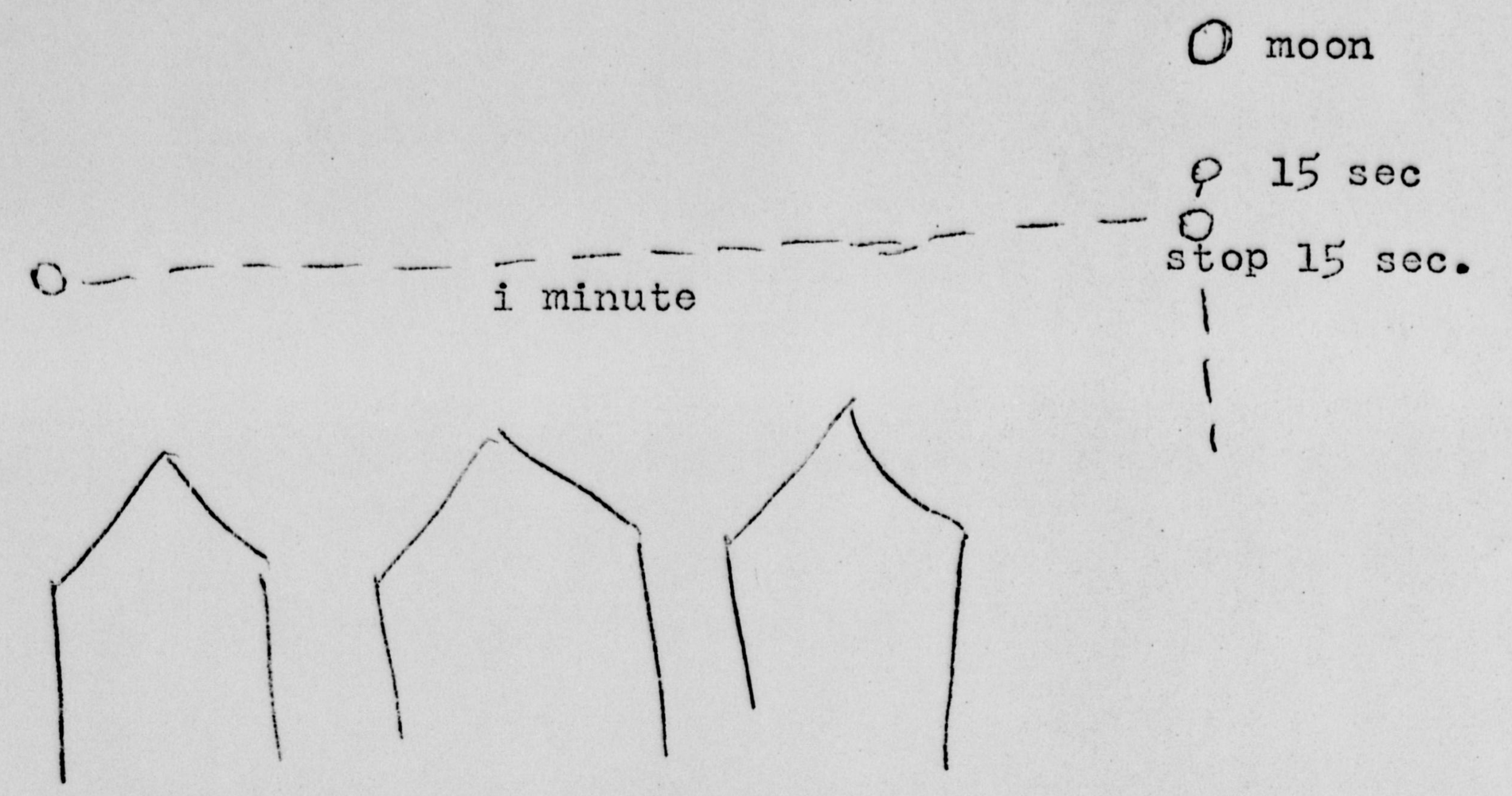
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I looked out the window and saw a bright orange-yellow objectfloating slowly across the sky. After about a minute of its moving across, it stood still for about 15 seconds. Then it started moving toward the moon, increasing a bit in size. It stopped again for about another 15 seconds. After that it started to fall apart, parts falling off and burning out until it was all over



[redacted] - Observation of object - Sept.7,1968

I was listening to my radio when I was told there was a U. F. O. When I saw it it was an orange ball. In a couple of sebonds it broke up. I thought it was a rocket but it fell apart a lot slower, like it was on fire.