

# PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

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| <b>1. DATE</b><br><b>2 Aug 52</b>                                                                                                              | <b>2. LOCATION</b><br><b>HOULTON, MAINE</b>                                                                                                                                                                  |                     | <b>CONCLUSIONS</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon |
| <b>3. DATE-TIME GROUP</b><br><b>02/2155 EDT</b><br>Local<br><b>03/0155 Z</b>                                                                   | <b>4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION</b><br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar<br><input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar |                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft                    |
| <b>5. PHOTOS</b><br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No                                                     | <b>6. SOURCE</b><br><b>Civilian woman</b>                                                                                                                                                                    |                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical<br><input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical<br><input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical        |
| <b>7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION</b><br><b>35 min</b>                                                                                               | <b>8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS</b><br><b>Many</b>                                                                                                                                                                   | <b>9. COURSE</b>    | <input type="checkbox"/> Other<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation<br><input type="checkbox"/> Unknown           |
| <b>10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING</b><br><p>Disc-shaped objects flew in formation over Houlton. Several would leave formation, then return.</p> |                                                                                                                                                                                                              | <b>11. COMMENTS</b> |                                                                                                                                                      |



TENTATIVE  
OBSERVERS QUESTIONNAIRE

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SECTION A

1. When did you see the object:

1.1 Date: 2nd August 1952  
Day Month Year

1.2 Time of day: 9 55 A.M. or (P.M.) (Circle One)  
Hrs. Min.

1.3 Time Zone: (Circle One):

- ☒ a. Eastern  
b. Central  
c. Mountain

- d. Pacific  
e. Other \_\_\_\_\_

(Circle One): ☒ a. Daylight Saving  
b. Standard

1.4 Circle one of the following to indicate how certain you are of your answer to the above question 1.2:

- ☒ a. Certain  
b. Fairly certain

- c. Not very sure  
d. Just a guess

2. Where did you see the object?

GRAND LAKE AREA  
Postal Address

ORIENT  
City or Town

MAINE  
State

US  
Country

3. 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  
e. At sea  
f. Other \_\_\_\_\_

3.1 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. Flying near an airfield?  
e. Flying over a city?  
f. Flying over open country?  
g. Other \_\_\_\_\_

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4. How did you happen to notice the object? \_\_\_\_\_

LIGHT ATTRACTED ATTENTION

5. When did you report to some official that you had seen the object?

4th Aug. 1952  
Day Month Year

SECTION B

6. What were you doing at the time you saw the object? \_\_\_\_\_

SITTING ON WHARF IN FRONT OF CAMP

6.1 What had you been doing for the 30 minutes before you saw the object? Try to list the activity or activities, and the approximate amount of time spent on each.

SAME AS ABOVE

7. Were you moving at any time while you saw the object? (Circle One):

Yes or No.

IF you answered YES, then complete the following questions.

7.1 What direction were you moving?

(Circle One):

|              |              |
|--------------|--------------|
| a. North     | e. South     |
| b. Northeast | f. Southwest |
| c. East      | g. West      |
| d. Southeast | h. Northwest |

7.2 How fast were you moving? \_\_\_\_\_ miles per hour.

7.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One): Yes or No



8. What direction were you facing when you first saw the object?

- (Circle One):
- |                                           |              |
|-------------------------------------------|--------------|
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> a. North | e. South     |
| b. Northeast                              | f. Southwest |
| c. East                                   | g. West      |
| d. Southeast                              | h. Northwest |

8.1 What direction were you facing when the object disappeared?

- (Circle One):
- |                                           |              |
|-------------------------------------------|--------------|
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> a. North | e. South     |
| b. Northeast                              | f. Southwest |
| c. East                                   | g. West      |
| d. Southeast                              | h. Northwest |

8.2 Circle one of the following to indicate how certain you are of your answer to the above two questions. (8 and 8.1).

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|---------------------------------------------|------------------|
| <input checked="" type="radio"/> a. Certain | c. Not very sure |
| b. Fairly certain                           | d. Just a guess  |

9. Were you wearing eye glasses when you saw the object? (Circle One):

Yes or ☒ No

10. How was the object seen?

- (Circle One):
- |                         |                                                        |
|-------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------|
| a. Through window glass | e. Through theodolite                                  |
| b. Through windshield   | f. Through sun glasses                                 |
| c. Through binoculars   | <input checked="" type="radio"/> g. Through open space |
| d. Through telescope    | h. Other _____                                         |

11. What do you remember about the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

11.1 CLOUDS (Circle One)

- a. Clear sky  
b. Hazy  
☒ c. Scattered clouds  
d. Thick or heavy clouds  
e. Don't remember

11.3 WEATHER (Circle One)

- ☒ a. Dry  
b. Fog, Mist, or light rain  
c. Moderate or heavy rain  
d. Snow  
e. Don't remember

11.2 WIND (Circle One)

- ☒ a. No wind  
b. Slight breeze  
c. Strong wind  
d. Don't remember

11.4 TEMPERATURE (Circle One)

- a. Cold  
b. Cool  
☒ c. Warm  
d. Hot  
e. Don't remember



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SECTION C

12. Estimate how long you saw the object?            30             
Hours Minutes Seconds

12.1 Circle one of the following to indicate how certain you are of your answer to Question 12:

- a. Certain                      c. Not very sure  
b. Fairly sure                d. Just a guess

13. Did the object look: (Circle One) Solid or Transparent?

14. Did the object at any time:

(Circle One for each question)

|                                         |            |           |                   |
|-----------------------------------------|------------|-----------|-------------------|
| 14.1 Change direction?                  | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>Don't know</u> |
| 14.2 Change speed?                      | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>Don't know</u> |
| 14.3 Change size?                       | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>Don't know</u> |
| 14.4 Change color?                      | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>Don't know</u> |
| 14.5 Break up into parts or<br>explode? | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>Don't know</u> |
| 14.6 Give off smoke?                    | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>Don't know</u> |
| 14.7 Change brightness?                 | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>Don't know</u> |
| 14.8 Flicker, throb, or<br>pulsate?     | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>Don't know</u> |
| 14.9 Remain motionless?                 | <u>Yes</u> | <u>No</u> | <u>Don't know</u> |

15. Did the object give off a light? (Circle One): Yes No Don't know

15.1 IF you answered YES, what was the color of the light? VERY LIGHT GREEN

16. Tell in a few words the following things about the object?

16.1 Sound None

16.2 Color VERY LIGHT GREEN

17. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? 21  
Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction they were traveling.

There were 21 individual lights. no two showing at one time. Most appeared out of the north and off in a circular motion to the northeast. Some were reversed from this direction. Some appeared and jockeyed in both directions and disappeared in



18. Did the object at any time:

18.1 Move behind something? (Circle One) Yes No Don't know

IF you answered YES, then tell what it moved behind.

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18.2 Move in front of something? (Circle One) Yes No Don't know

IF you answered YES, then tell what it moved in front of.

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18.3 Blend with the background? (Circle One) Yes No Don't know

19. Which of the following objects is about the same actual size as the object you saw? (Circle One):

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|------------------|--------------------------|
| a. Pea           | f. Automobile            |
| b. Baseball      | <u>g.</u> Small airplane |
| c. Basketball    | h. Large airplane        |
| d. Bicycle wheel | i. Dirigible             |
| e. Office desk   | j. Other _____           |

19.1 Circle one of the following to indicate how certain you are of your answer to Question 19.

- |                   |                  |
|-------------------|------------------|
| <u>a.</u> Certain | c. Not very sure |
| b. Fairly certain | d. Uncertain     |

20. Try to tell the following things about the object:

20.1 How high above the earth was it? 2500 feet.

20.2 How far was it from you? \_\_\_\_\_ feet or 4 miles

20.3 How fast was it going? 1000 miles per hour. *Some slower (400)*

20.4 Circle one of the following to indicate how certain you are of your answer to the above questions:

- |                   |                  |
|-------------------|------------------|
| <u>a.</u> Certain | c. Not very sure |
| b. Fairly certain | d. Just a guess  |

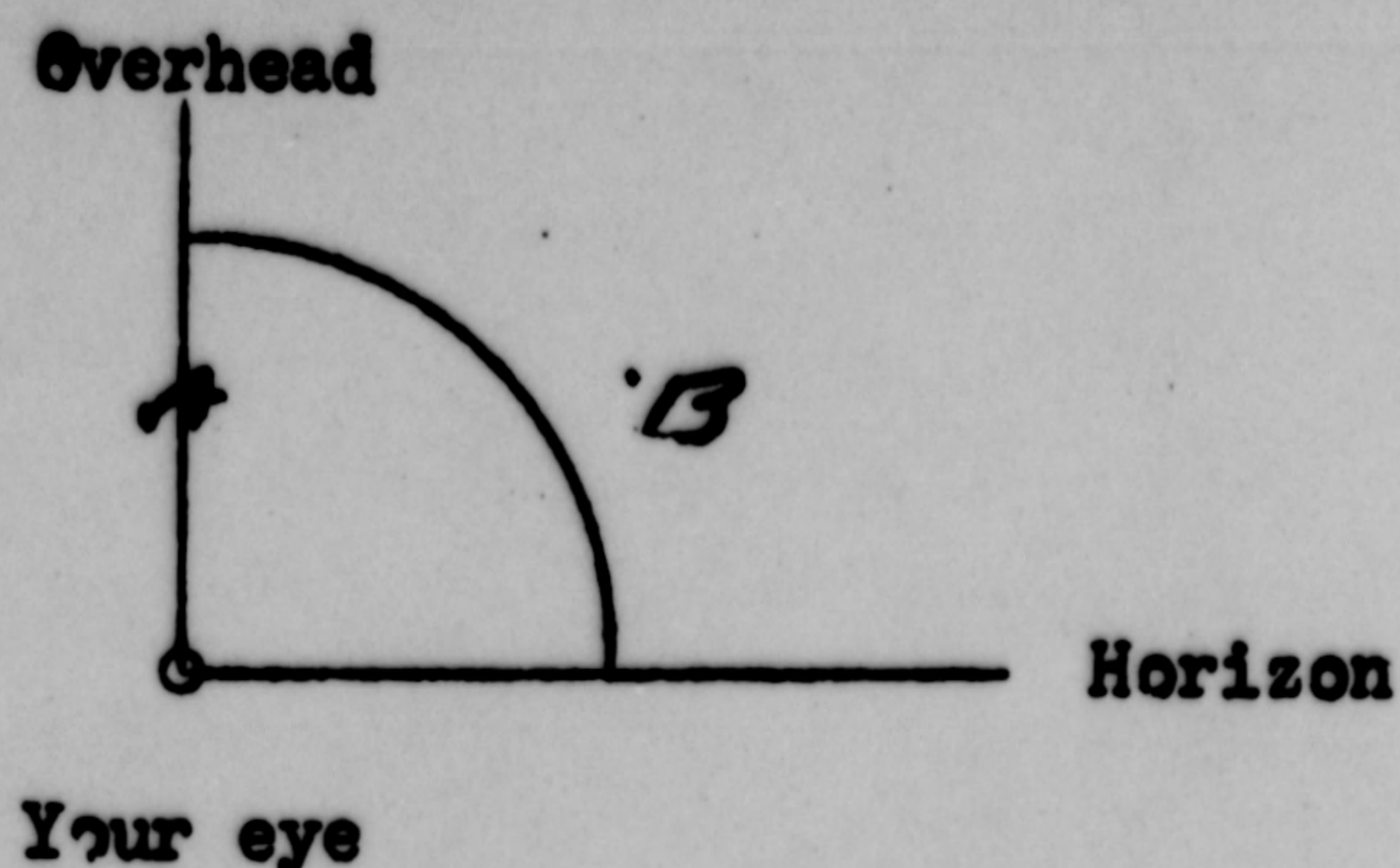
21. How did the object disappear from view?

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| (Circle One): <u>a.</u> Suddenly | c. Other _____    |
| b. Gradually                     | d. Don't remember |

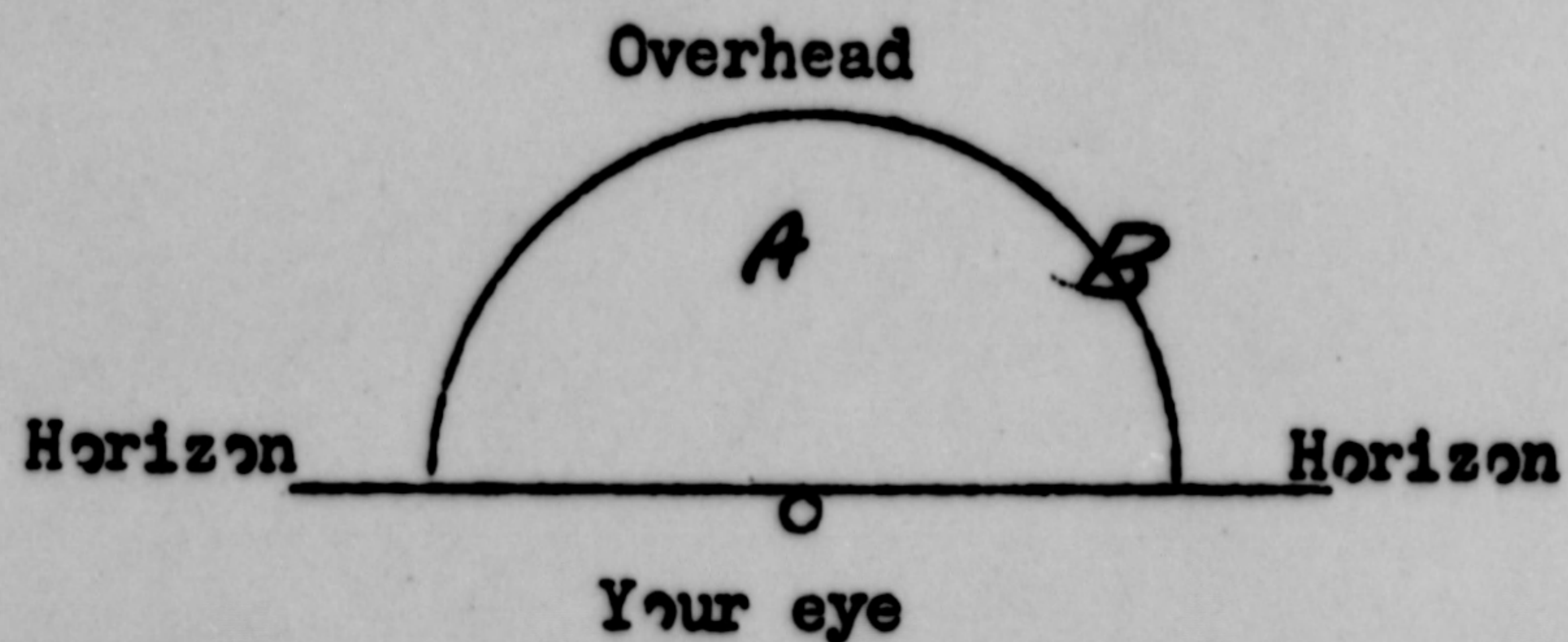


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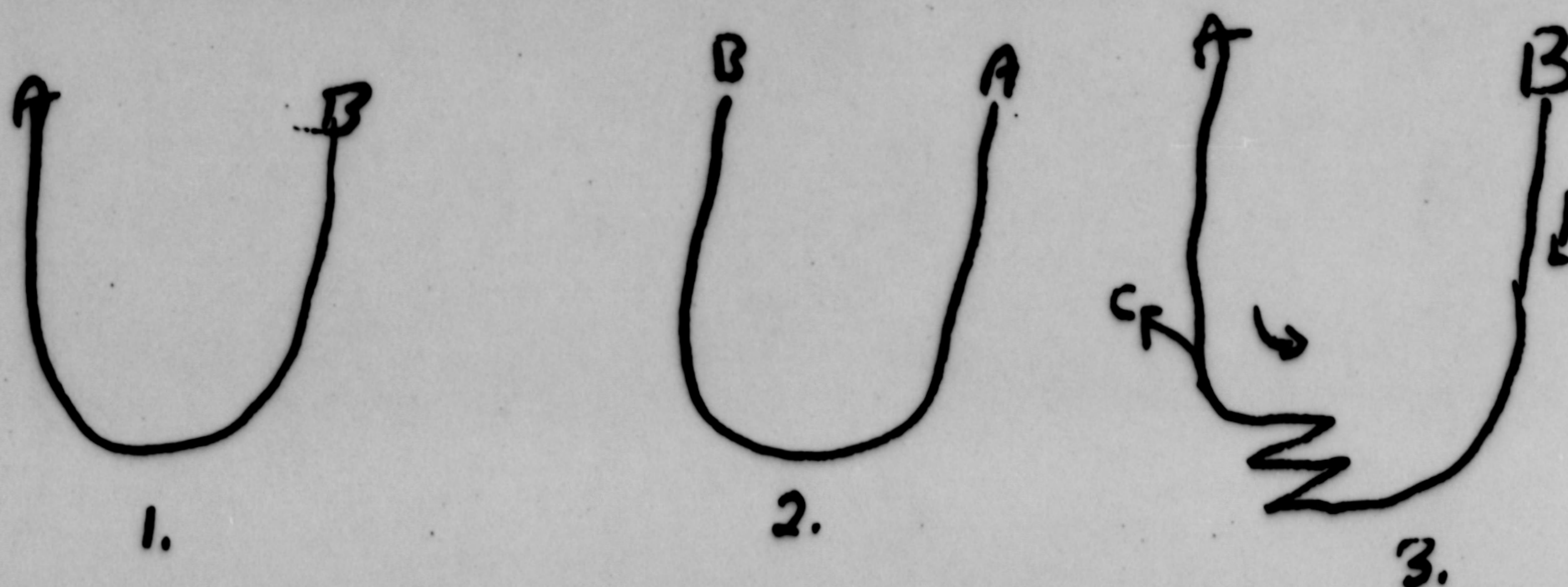
22. In the following sketch, imagine your eye at the point shown. Place an "A" on the curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon when you first saw it. Place a "B" to show where it was when you last saw it.



23. In the following sketch place an "A" at the position the object was when you first saw it, and a "B" at its position when you last saw it.

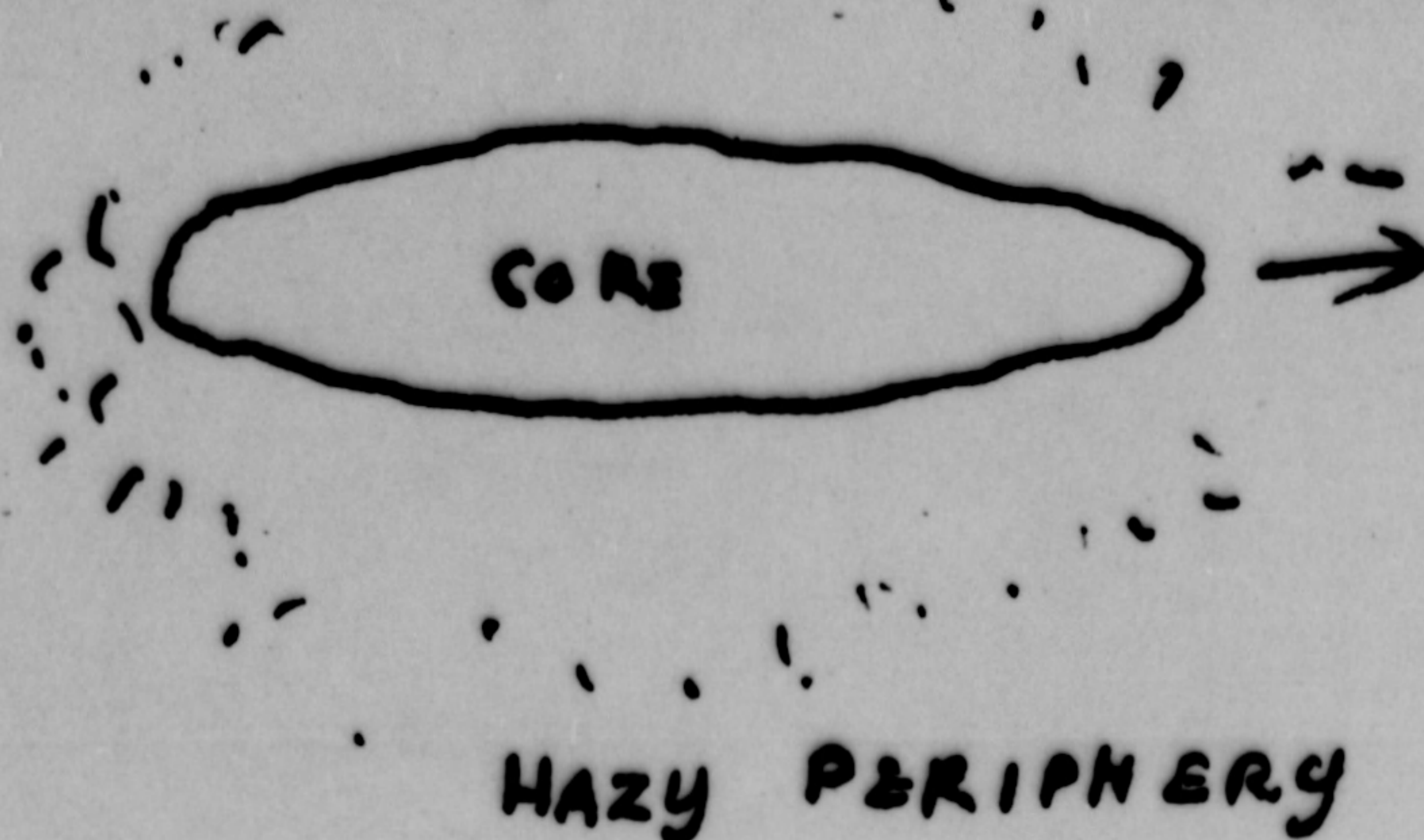


24. Draw a picture that will show the motion that the object made. Place an "A" at the beginning of its path and a "B" at the end of its path.





25. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw, and place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.




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SECTION E

26. Was this the first time that you have seen an object like this?  
(Circle One): Yes No

26.1 If you answered NO, then when, where, and under what conditions did you see other ones? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

27. In your opinion what do you think the object was and what might have caused it?

NO CONCEIVABLE IDEA

28. Give the following information about yourself:

NAME                                                                 
                     Last Name                      First Name                      Middle Name

ADDRESS                      Houlton                      MAINE  
                     Street                      City                      Zone                      State

TELEPHONE NUMBER                     

What is your present job? SALES REPRESENTATIVE U.S. RUBBER Co.

Age 27

Sex M

Last School Attended UNIVERSITY OF MAINE

Year of last attendance at this school 1946



29. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object?

(Circle One): Yes or No

29.1 If you answered YES, did they see the object too?

(Circle One): Yes or No

29.2 Please list their names and addresses:

Wife:

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

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30. Please add here any further comments which you believe are important. Use additional sheets of the same size paper if necessary.

- ① LIGHT SMOKE FROM DISTANT FOREST FIRES IN AREA
- ② PREVIOUS ESTIMATE OF SPEED : 200 TO 600 MPH.
- ③ HUSBAND ANSWERED QUESTIONNAIRE BECAUSE HE HAD PREVIOUS TRAINING IN AIR CORPS.
- ④ . I BELIEVE THE OBJECTS' BRIGHTNESS DIFFERED IN INTENSITY. 1 ONE OF THE OBJECTS REMAINED MOTIONLESS FOR A FEW SECONDS. - [REDACTED]



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JEPWP/ATIC WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB OHIO

JEPHQ/D/I HQ USAF WASHINGTON 25 DC

[REDACTED] SACFOIN 8289. FLYOBRPT. ITEM(1) 2797: DIC SHAPED  
GREEN IN COLOR 2 OR 3 WOULD LEAVE THE FORMATION BUT RETURN LATER.

ITEM 2 2155 TO 2230 HOURS FOR 35 MINUTES EDST 2 AUG 52. ITEM 3.

VISUAL ITEM 4. HOULTON, ME. POST LOCATION: HD 00 RED. ITEM 5.

UNKNOWN. ITEM 6. EXCELLENT. ITEM 7. NEGATIVE. ITEM 8. NEGATIVE.

ITEM 9. NEGATIVE. ITEM 10. NEGATIVE. OBSERVATION MADE BY AS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] HOULTON, ME [REDACTED]

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