

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 6 Jan 61		2. LOCATION Dillsboro, Indiana		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 1840 GMT 062340Z Jan 61		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar		☐ Was Aircraft ☒ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical	
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE Civilian		☐ Other ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 sec		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 2		9. COURSE W	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Two brilliant yellow lights similar to auto headlights. No sound heard. Rather low on horizon, perhaps 2000'. No definite outline of shape.				11. COMMENTS Witnesses are located approx 18 NM W of the Greater Cincinnati Airport. Description of lights are similar to that of landing lights on an a/c. Witnesses were looking E when they saw the lights, therefore lights were probably landing lights on an a/c landing or taking off at the Cincinnati Airport.	

Box [redacted]
Delaware, Indiana

Dear Sir:

On Jan 6th my wife observed
a flying object through the living
room window, and I immediately
went outside. As sure enough there
it was moving from about the
direction SSE, rather low on the
horizon. I thought at first that
it was an airplane, but when I
was outside I could not hear
a sound, it also interfered
with the T.V.

Sincerely,
[redacted]

18 January 1961

Dear Mr. [REDACTED]

Your letter concerning the sighting of an unidentified flying object contained insufficient information for a valid conclusion.

Inclosed is an Air Force Questionnaire which we ask you to complete in as much detail as possible and forward the completed document to the Aerospace Technical Intelligence Center, Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio, Attention: AFCIN-4E2x for their analysis and/or evaluation.

Sincerely,

Inclosure

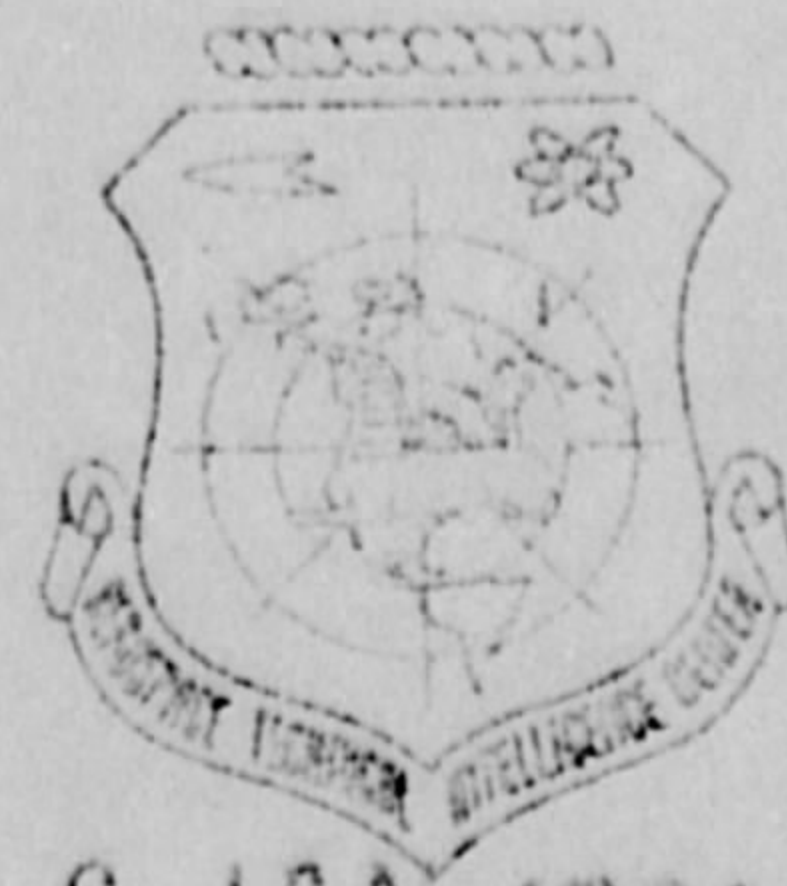
LAWRENCE J. TACKER
Lt. Colonel, USAF
Public Information Division
Office of Information

Mr. [REDACTED]
Box [REDACTED]
Dillsboro, Indiana

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Reader OI-1

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AEROSPACE TECHNICAL INTELLIGENCE CENTER
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE
OHIO



16 JAN 1951

REPLY TO
ATTN OF: AFCIN-4E2x

SUBJECT: UFO Sighting ([REDACTED])

TO: SAFOI-3d (L/Col Tacker)

It is requested that ATIC Form 164 (UFO Questionnaire) be forwarded to Mr [REDACTED] for completion and forwarding directly to ATIC, Attn: AFCIN-4E2x. Mr [REDACTED] address is as follows:

[REDACTED]
Box [REDACTED]
Dillsboro, Indiana

FOR THE COMMANDER:

Philip G. Evans
PHILIP G. EVANS
Colonel, USAF
Deputy for Science and Components

U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION SHEET

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, and will be regarded as confidential material. 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?

I saw it on
~~6th~~ Day *Jan* Month *1961* Year

2. Time of day:

6:10

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

we go by the time given at Cincinnati, Ohio

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

Box ~~XXXX~~ *DILLSBORO*
 Nearest Postal Address

DILLSBORO
 City or Town

INDIANA
 State or Country

Additional remarks:

I was watching T.V. interference on T.V. at this time.

5. How long was object in sight?

Hours

Minutes

Seconds

30" at least

5.1 How was time in sight determined?

My wife told me to look outside and saw or observed the object in the sky, and then I went after my field glasses but when I returned it was gone

- ☒ a. Certain
- b. Fairly certain

- c. Not very sure
- d. Just a guess

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. The object appeared:

(Circle One): ☒ a. As a light b. Shiny c. Dark d. Don't remember

10. If it appeared as a light, was it brighter than the brightest stars?

It was similar to two large auto headlamps, somewhat of a brilliant yellow.

11. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

- | | | | |
|---|-----|-------------------------------------|---|
| a. Appear to stand still at any time? | Yes | ☒ No | Don't Know |
| b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time? | Yes | ☒ No | Don't Know |
| c. Break up into parts or explode? | Yes | ☒ No | Don't Know |
| d. Give off smoke? | Yes | ☒ No | Don't Know |
| e. Change brightness? | Yes | ☒ No | Don't Know |
| f. Change shape? | Yes | ☒ No | Don't Know |
| g. Flash or flicker? | Yes | ☒ No | Don't Know |
| h. Disappear and reappear? | Yes | No | ☒ Don't Know |

12. 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: _____

13. 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: _____

14. Did the object appear: (Circle One): ☒ a. Solid b. Transparent c. Vapor ☒ d. Don't Know

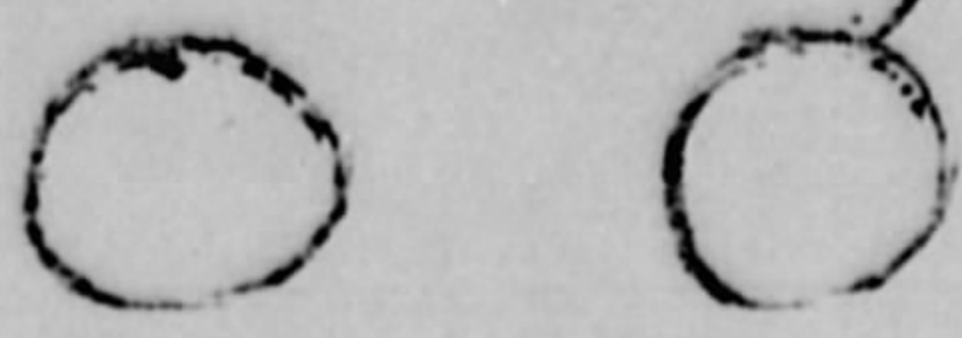
15. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

- | | | | | | |
|--|--------------------------------------|----|----------------|-----|----|
| ☒ 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 _____ | | |

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

- a. Sound Absolutely no sound
- b. Color Just the two brilliant yellow lights

17. 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.

Two large yellow lights coming directly
 toward our East window!

18. 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 Irregular edges of
the lights

19. 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.

20. 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.

coming directly toward us from out of the East.

21. How large did the object appear to you as compared to an object with which you are familiar?

Like two large auto headlights

22. 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?

Possibly half size

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

no

24. 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.

An automobile with headlights could discern no outline to speak of.

25. 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 _____

26. 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 _____

27. What were you doing at the time you saw the object, and how did you happen to notice it?

watching a television program.
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28. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

28.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

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

28.2 How fast were you moving? _____ miles per hour.

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

(Circle One) Yes No

29. What direction were you looking when you first saw the object? (Circle One)

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

30. What direction were you looking when you last saw the object? (Circle One)

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

31. If you are familiar with bearing terms (angular direction), try to estimate the number of degrees the object was from true North (thru east) and also the number of degrees it was upward from the horizon (elevation).

31.1 When it first appeared:

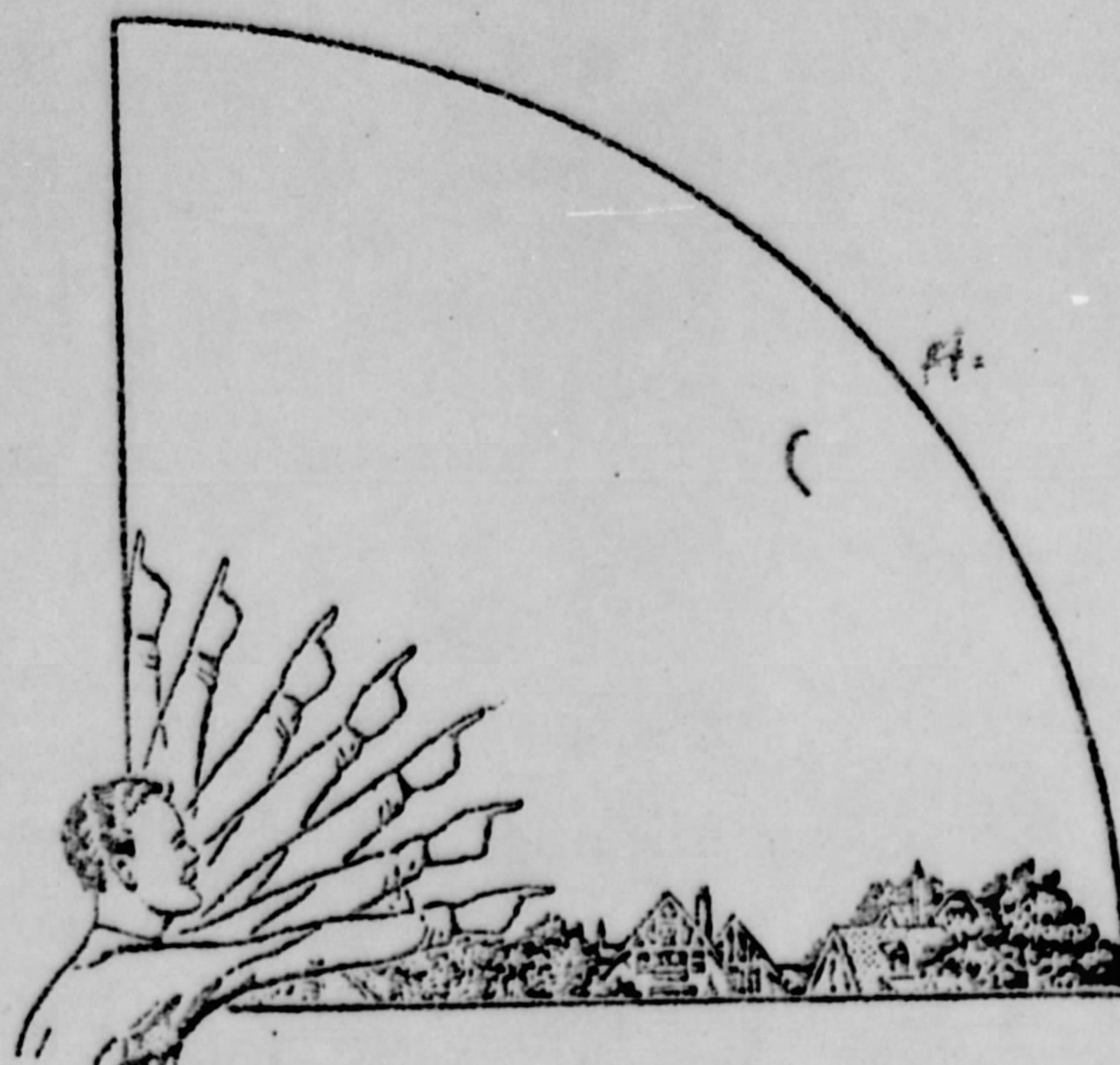
- a. From true North 45-50 degrees.
b. From horizon 45-50 degrees.

31.2 When it disappeared:

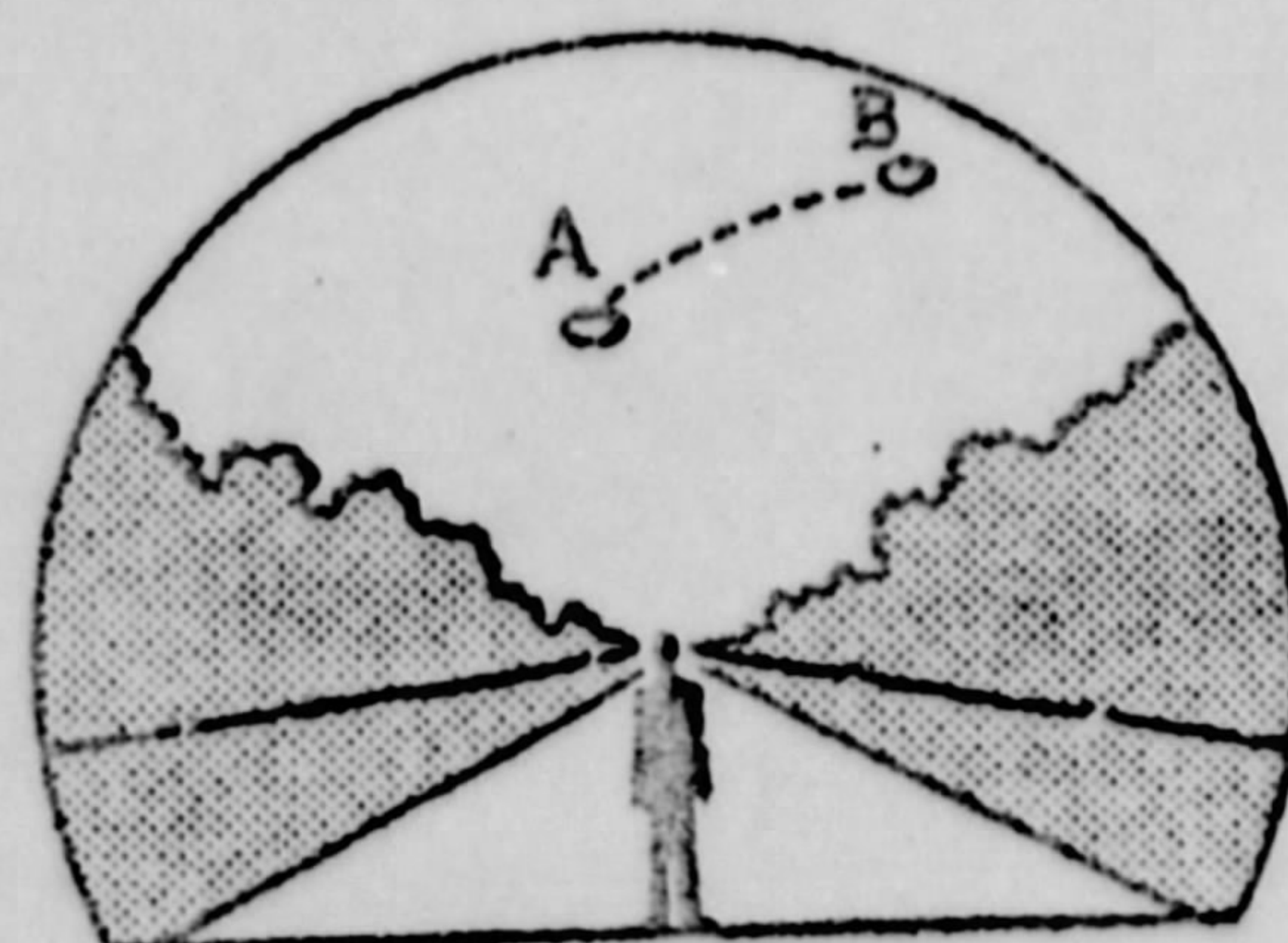
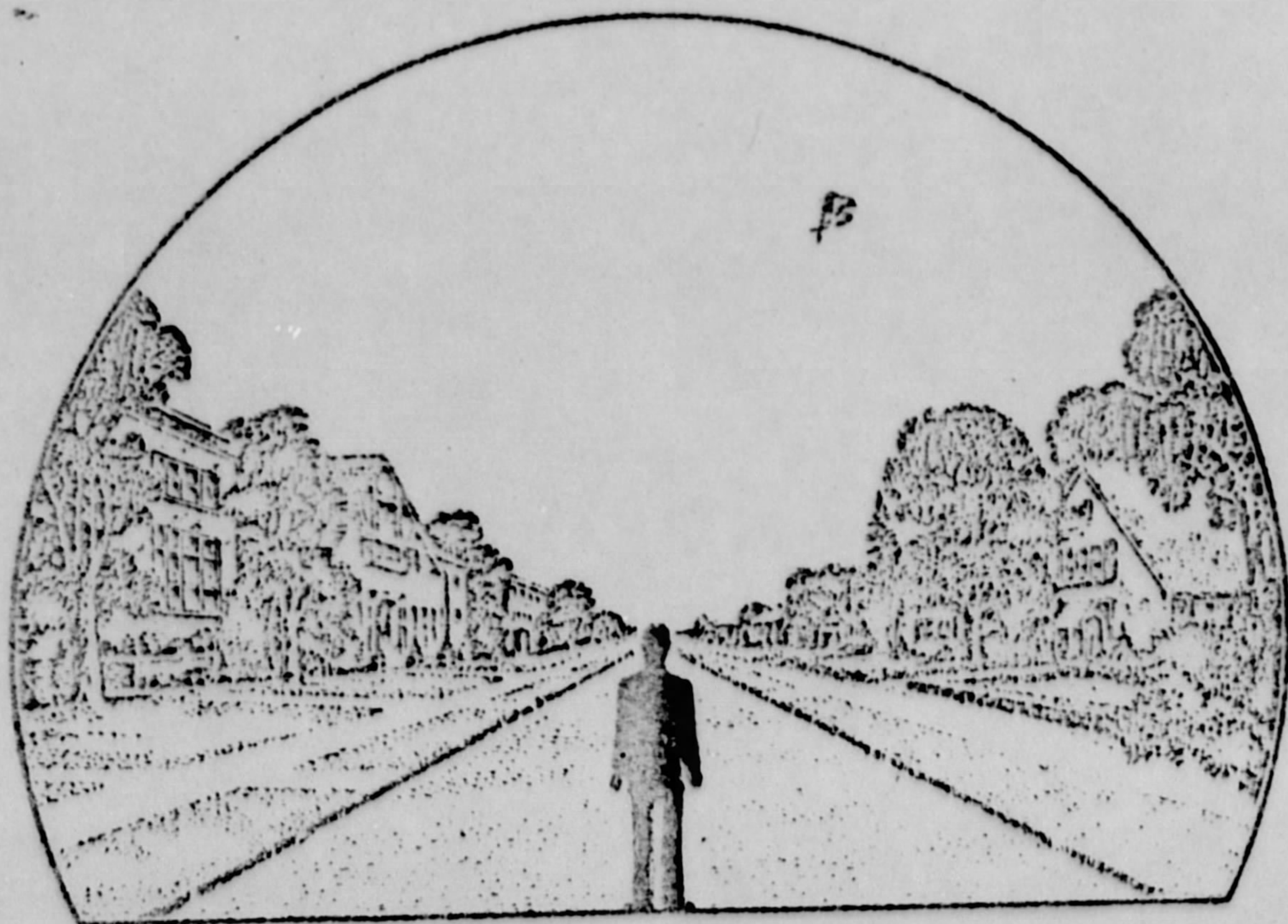
- a. From true North _____ degrees.
b. From horizon _____ degrees.

rather low on the horizon, perhaps 2,000 ft. but I am not sure.

32. 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.



33. In the following larger 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. Refer to smaller sketch as an example of how to complete the larger sketch.



34. 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 (

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

Day

Month

Year

*Wright Patterson Field,
Dayton, Ohio*

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

(Circle One) ☒ Yes No

36.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too?

(Circle One) ☒ Yes No

36.2 Please list their names and addresses:

*Mr. [REDACTED]
Box [REDACTED]
Dillboro, Indiana*

37. Was this the first time that you had seen an object or objects like this?

(Circle One) ☒ Yes No

37.1 IF you answered NO, then when, where, and under what circumstances did you see other ones?

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

*I really can't say, I thought if I heard
 sound it could be an airplane, but there
 was no sound. It seemed to float toward
 us.*

39. 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? It was moving slowly

40. 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? _____

41. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Last Name First Name Middle Name

ADDRESS BX [REDACTED] DILLSBORO INDIANA
Street City Zone State

TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED]

Age 37 Sex Male

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

I served in the Coast Guard for eight years. I was a Radar operator for about five years. Monitor & Master stations.

42. Date you completed this questionnaire:

21 Jan 1961
Day Month Year

U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION SHEET
(SUMMARY DATA)

In order that your information may be filed and coded as accurately as possible, please use the following space to write out a short description of the event that you observed. You may repeat information that you have already given in the questionnaire, and add any further comments, statements, or sketches that you believe are important. Try to present the details of the observation in the order in which they occurred. Additional pages of the same size paper may be attached if they are needed.

NAME

(Do Not Write in This Space)

SIGNATURE

CODE:

DATE

Jan 30, 1961

As I have said previously, the object that my wife and I observed, did not make any sound, there was no definite outline or shape, only the two intense yellow lights. When it disappeared from my wife's view, she claims it went over the house but I believe I have to differ with her statement. The next morning I saw after my shower and returned I was

