

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 20 May 64		2. LOCATION Andover, Massachusetts		12. CONCLUSIONS ☐ Was Balloon ☐ Probably Balloon ☐ Possibly Balloon ☒ Was Aircraft ☐ Probably Aircraft ☐ Possibly Aircraft ☐ Was Astronomical ☐ Probably Astronomical ☐ Possibly Astronomical ☐ Other _____ ☐ Insufficient Data for Evaluation ☐ Unknown	
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT 20/1929Z		4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ☒ Ground-Visual ☐ Ground-Radar ☐ Air-Visual ☐ Air-Intercept Radar			
5. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No		6. SOURCE civilian			
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 10 seconds		8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one			
		9. COURSE manuvered			
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Object like dime made a "U" turn suddenly accelerated and disappeared. No sound. Object "shiny". Compared to B-52 at high alt without contrail.				11. COMMENTS Probable a/c sighting since object compared to B-52. Duration inconsistent (10 seconds).	

34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

20

Day

May

Month

1964

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.

Objects (U.F.O.'s) were sighted over Lawrence, Mass. ^{or five} four days ago. There were many observers. Then at 4:10 ^(same day) it flew directly overhead heading toward Boston. At the same time an object appeared, headed toward it then stopped and disappeared. The object was round, very bright, left no contrail, and made no sound.

 CASE 20 MAY 64

164, from  N. Andover, Mass. 01845
UFOs in N. Andover.

20 May 1964
No Andover, Mass

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?

20 May 1964
Day Month Year

2. Time of day:

3 29
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?

[Redacted]
Nearest Postal Address

Andover
City or Town

Massachusetts
State or County

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

Hours

Minutes

10
Seconds

a. Certain

b. Fairly certain

c. Not very sure

d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined?

watch

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

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:

Looked like a dime

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?
- 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?

Yes

No

Don't know

Yes

No

Don't know

Yes

No

Don't know

Yes

No

Don't know

Yes

No

Don't know

Yes

No

Don't know

Yes

No

Don't know

Yes

No

Don't know

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

Yes
After making a U-turn sped up to a very fast speed, too fast for a jet, and disappeared

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 no sound
b. Color bright like a light, shiny,

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? All

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
(object round)
→ 0 suddenly accelerated → 0 disappeared

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? 1200 m.p.h. +

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? 5 miles

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

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

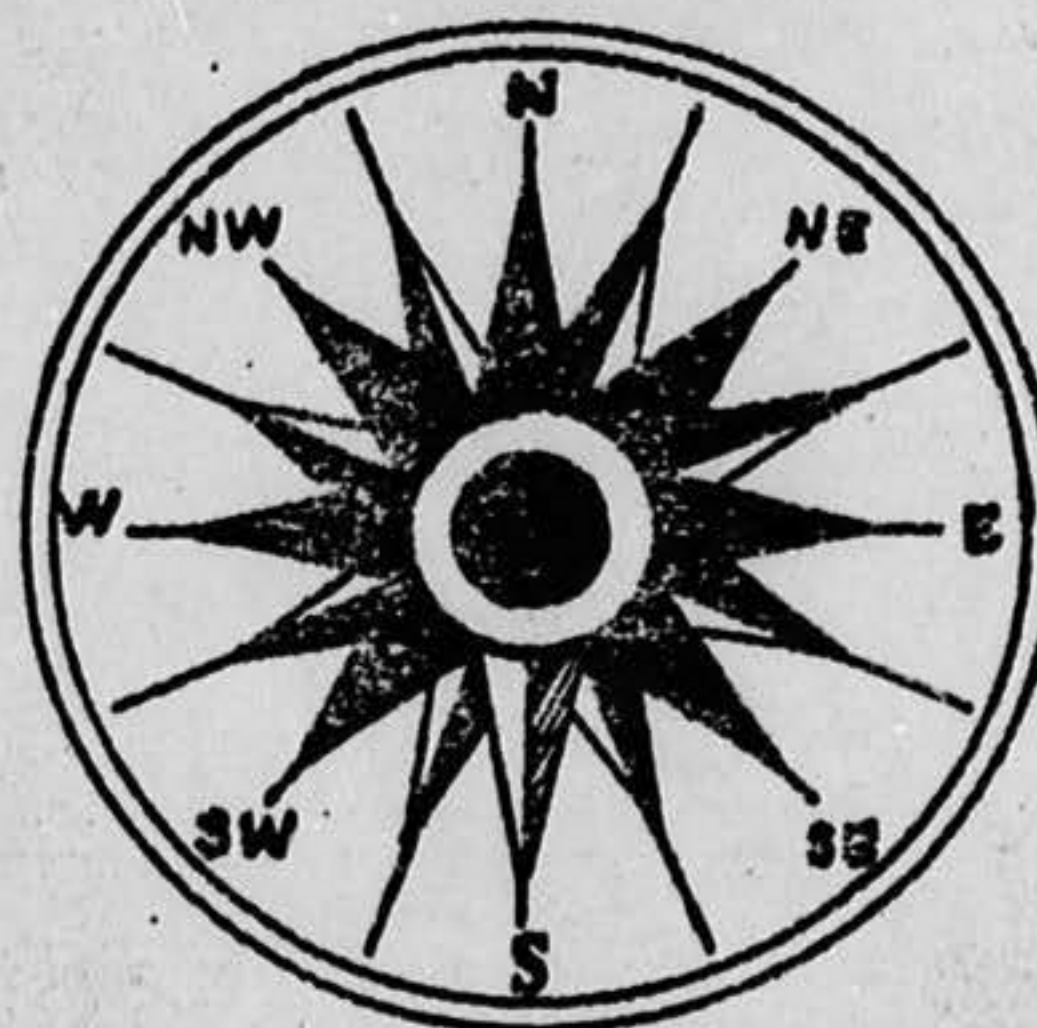
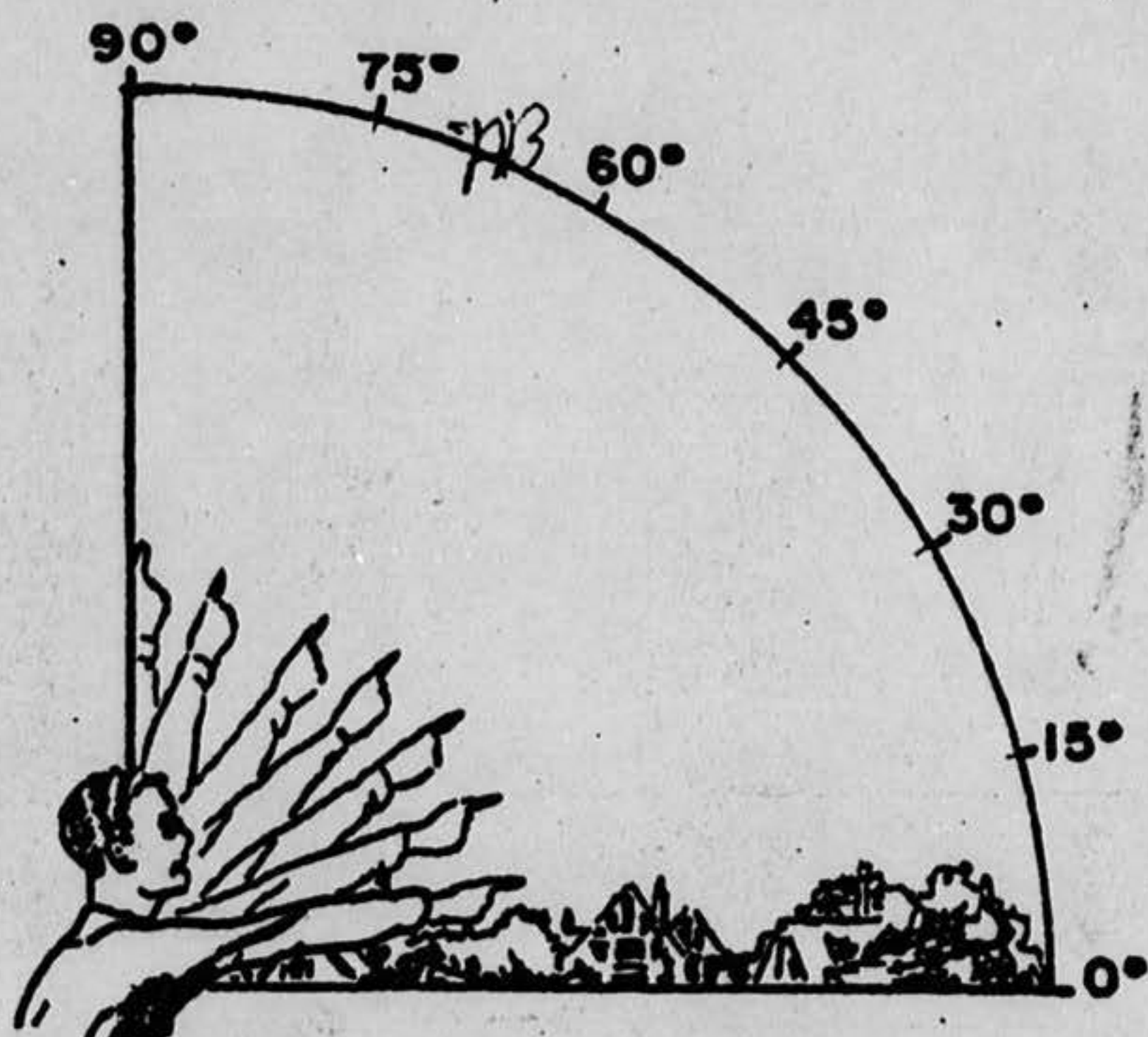
No

h. Other _____

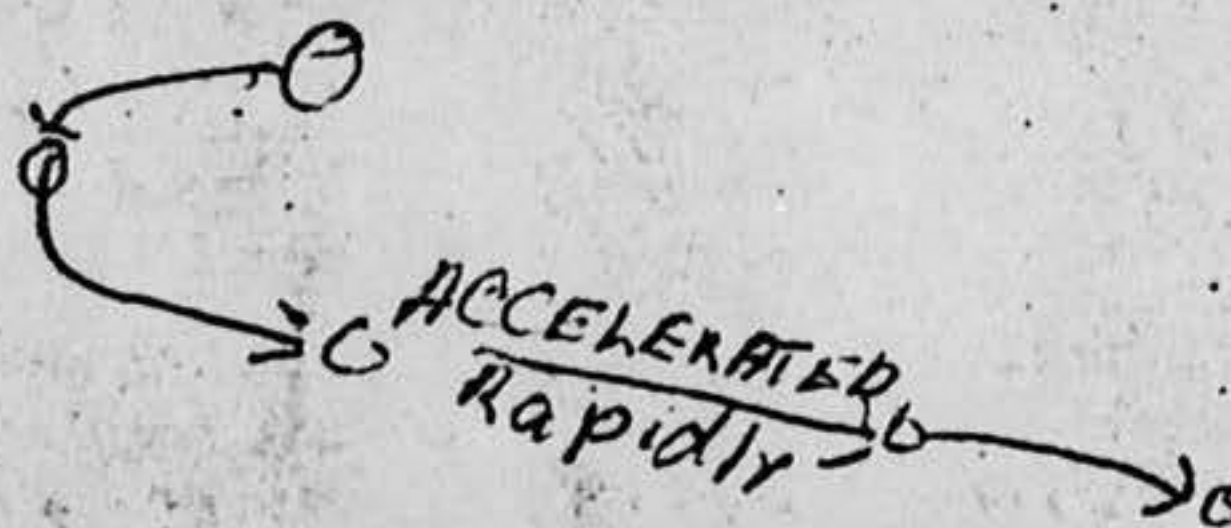
26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

A jet plane, B-52, travelling at a high altitude and speed but leaving no contrail.

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.

April '63 - home
March '58 home

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:

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

ADDRESS

Street

City

Zone

State

TELEPHONE NUMBER

AGE

16

SEX

male

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

Conditions were not favorable for an air inversion

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

Day

Month

Year

Strange Aerial Objects Still Seen In South Lawrence

Just 20 days ago as three Sacred Heart school boys were entering their school building they spotted something strange in the sky...It has haunted them ever since.

This week Rev. Guy J. Cyr, SM, of the parish, has recounted the sighting of the strange object and has called for additional reports from anyone else who may have seen an unidentified flying object on May 11. In a communication to the public the priest says:

Monday morning May 11, 1964 Robert Dumond of 54 Beacon street and his classmates: Allen Newcomb, John Rheame, Kenneth Gallant and other sixth graders at the Sacred Heart school, saw something in the sky which held them aghast for 7 to 8 seconds.

They testified that they clearly observed in the sky a very mysterious aircraft. It had no wings and it made no sound whatsoever. Yet it traveled at the speed of average airplanes and it wasn't far away.

There was no noise at that time which could have prevented them from hearing it.

It was 8:30. The bell had rung and they were walking two by two on the sidewalk toward the gate. It was in front of them, at first slightly to their left and the sun was behind them.

As some of them pointed to the area where it had been seen I estimated that the viewing angle

of elevation was about 60 degrees.

There were a few clouds BEHIND it. So, the circumstances for seeing and comparing were excellent.

The ufo was shining "like silver" and had the strangest shape: It looked like a tadpole in its early stages. It was "as big as two moving vans," the boys said. It followed a horizontal straight-line course from SE to NW. The observers 'lost' it behind house-tops.

Just a few hours later, namely at 12:15 the same pupils were at the same place, again going into school and they saw the same or an identical object. However,

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UFO SIGHTED

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there was at least one unexpected difference: The craft simply vanished in mid-air while the observers had their eyes "glued" on it.

It didn't disappear behind a tree nor houses: It just "evaporated" to nothing. At that time, by the way, there were no leaves yet in that one tree to their right. So, even if it had gone behind that tree it's obvious to anybody who went and stood on the spot that they still could have seen it very clearly.

I went twice to the very spot where the youngsters were at the time they made these two stupendous sightings and while I was there interviewing them and trying to catch flaws and contradictions in their testimonies, several planes, including jets passed by. So, it was easy to make comparisons and see how they knew about the "retarded" sound of a jet.

The second time I was there it was on a very bright day at 4:30 in the afternoon and we had the sun almost in our eyes. Yet, poor as my eyesight is, I could easily distinguish the wings and even the ailerons. Some of these planes the eyewitnesses told me, were much further than the strange craft they saw, and moreover, there were no clouds behind those planes by which silhouettes would have been created.

Has anyone else seen this ufo in the sky at that time? If so, let us or someone else know. If you fear ridicule, make an anonymous report.

N. Andover, Mass. 01845

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