

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP Aug 65 1700Z	2. LOCATION Hamilton, Ohio
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Insufficient Data for evaluation
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Without an exact date of the sighting an evaluation is not possible.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual	
7. COURSE In the NW	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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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:

sun shining on a diamond

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? | ☒ 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 |

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

The object seemed to disappear - was only heard at a distance. It made a sort of a clicking sound. A sort of boom away. Another said silver streak. A flash of light when it took off.

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: Between houses

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

a. Sound Buzzing + Picking like engine noise

b. Color Silver streak

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?

(?) At least 5 foot diameter or bigger.

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.



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? Estimated speed 60 mph

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? 4 ft from house

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 near a school

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

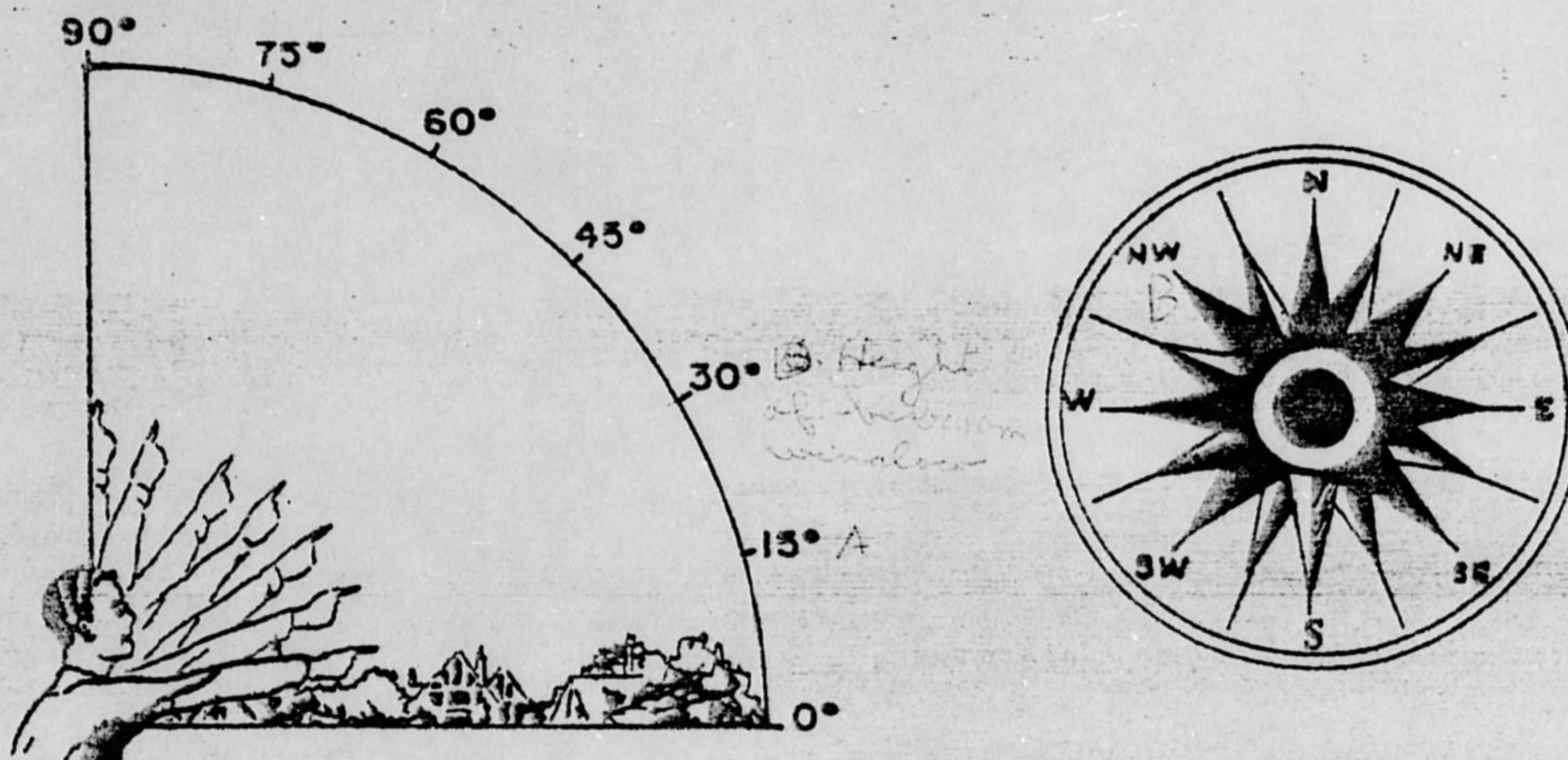
25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

- | | | | | | |
|-----------------|-----|----|-------------------------------------|-----|----|
| 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 <u>slung over shoulder</u> | | |

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.

None

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.

As far as we know it went straight up as we looked out bedroom window. Mother went and called me to come outside but when we got there it was gone.

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.

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:

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

Hamilton, Ohio

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

ADDRESS

Street

City

Zone

State

TELEPHONE NUMBER

AGE

SEX

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

I did not see all of the details mentioned here but I do remember the noise and the flash of light. We also saw flashes of light earlier in the day around 6 o'clock in the evening. We think we heard it again recently.

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

Day

Month

Year

34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

Day

Month

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.

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FTD (TDEW)
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433
5 April 1966

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Hamilton, Ohio

Dear Miss [REDACTED]

Reference your unidentified observation in the summer of 1965. The information contained in your letter is not sufficient for evaluation. Request you complete the attached FTD Form 164 and return it in the envelope provided.

We wish to thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

Sincerely,

Neil H. Perkins
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Chief, Project Blue Book