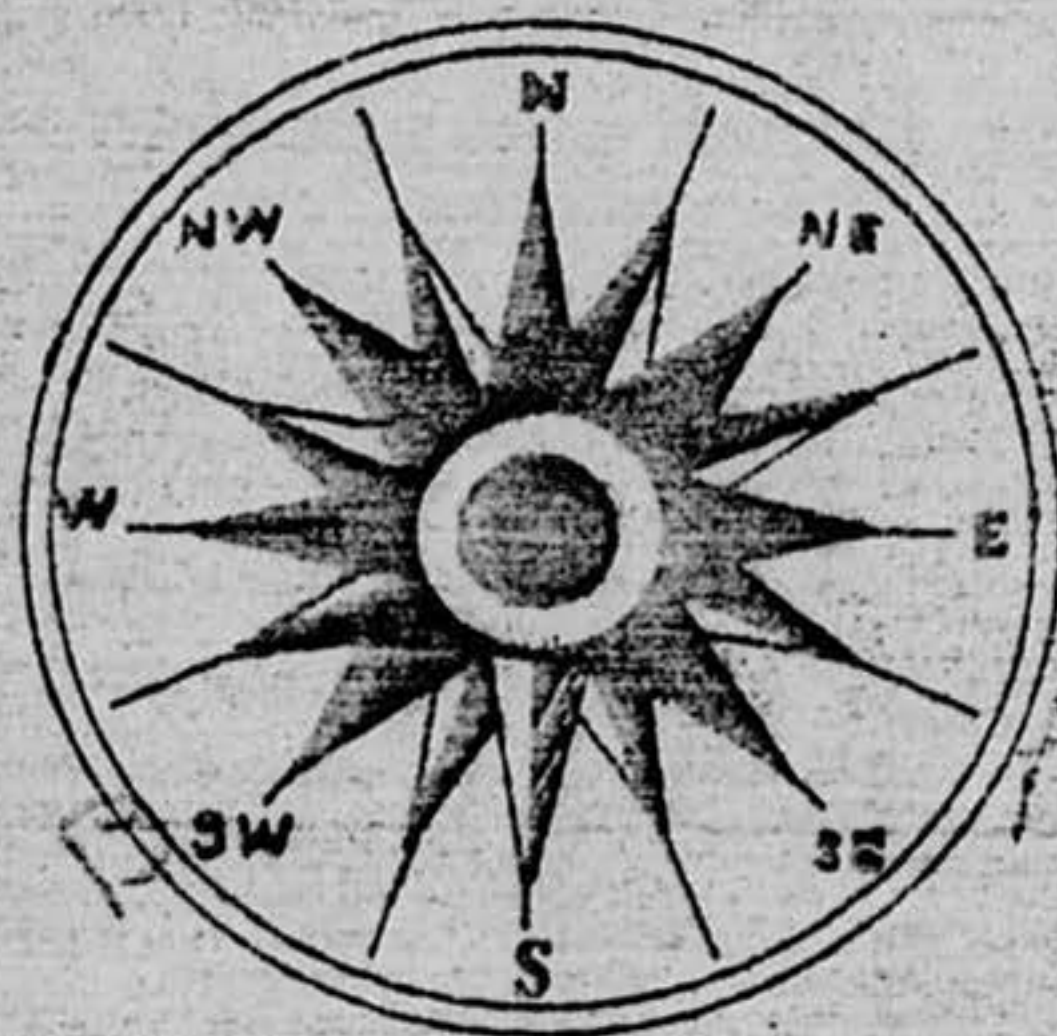
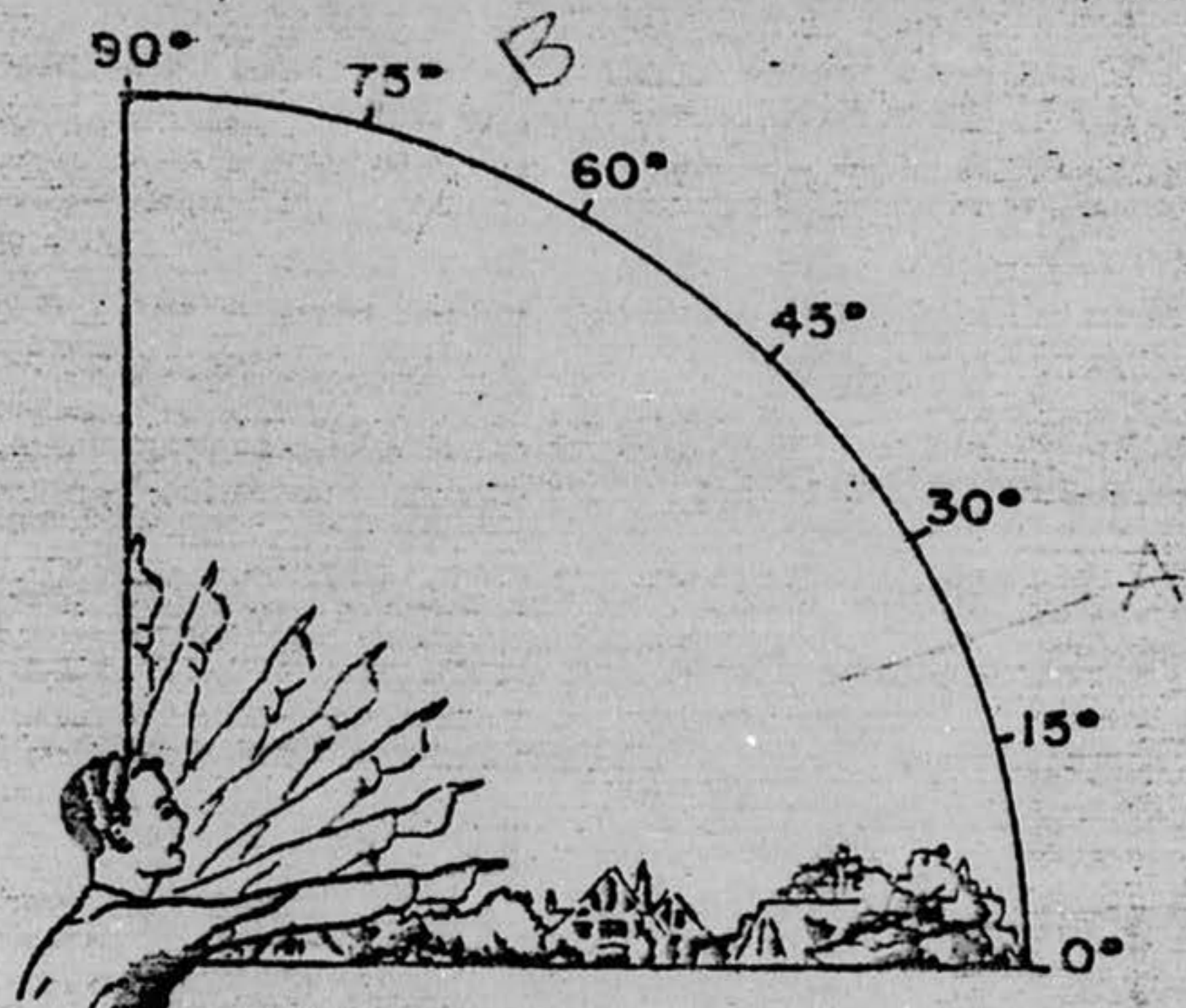


PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 12 February 66 13/003 Z	2. LOCATION
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Possible (missile) <i>get</i> No data presented to indicate object could not have been an object flying at night without reflecting off of its surroundings for orange, red color.
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS Two	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observer noted object that changed in color from bright orange red to pale orange to metallic in color as it progressed from east to west. It was a star or the known satellites, it was or appeared to be round.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 4 Minutes	
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE West	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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.

There was one to the right and two before it went out of sight.

30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location.

Sometime in June or July 1965
yes - from due east to west

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

SEX

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

I've always been interested in the
cosmos and have spent hours
as a child watching the stars. I still
do but not as much now as then.

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

Day

Month

Year

Wrote to Cape Kennedy - 1965

34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

7
Day

4
Month

66
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.

On the evening of February 12 at about 6:34 I walked out of the house to drive to the grocery store. As I stepped off the porch I gave the sky a sweeping glance. There was an unusually bright warm red star in the east. In the back of my mind was the comment "That one was not there yesterday." I started to go on into the garage but stopped again and I backed up to line the object up with a telephone pole in the pasture. It showed up just under the wires and it moved. I knew then it was a satellite.

I first viewed it at about 25° to the east-southeast. It was brighter than any other star in the heavens at that time. It glowed. ~~xx~~ It was just after the sun dipped beyond the western-southwestern horizon. The eastern sky was dull gray. ~~It was far from being completely dark.~~ The western sky was a deep dark red. There were no clouds but a mist along the western horizon.

This object proceeded from east to west and as it neared the west it changed in color from an orange-red to light orange to metallic in color. When it passed a point of about 105° it was then two objects. It split into parts. I don't know if they were side by side or one above the other, but I could see two distinct objects. There was a definite space between them. It disappeared into the mist of the western sky.

I'm sorry I did not have a telescope to witness this one. It was by far the most puzzling object I've seen. Coming from the east as it did was caused me to stop and watch it until it was out of sight. And when it broke up I decided to write in and report it. Since writing the first time I've been very ill and have not had time to fill in the papers you sent me.

I hope this will give you a idea of the object I saw. One thing I would like to know is this: Are all satellites aimed toward the east? If so the return orbit could be from the west, southwest or northwest. How can they come out of the east?

FTD (TDEW)
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433
13 June 1966

[REDACTED]
Duson, Louisiana 70529

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

Sincerely,


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JOHN F. KENNEDY SPACE CENTER, NASA
KENNEDY SPACE CENTER, FLORIDA 32899

March 16, 1966

IN REPLY REFER TO PA0-2

Miss [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Duson, Louisiana

70529

Dear Miss [REDACTED]

Thank you for your recent inquiry on information related to Unidentified Flying Objects.

Neither the Kennedy Space Center nor any other agency of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration is responsible for scientific or investigative aspects concerning UFO's. This is a mission of the U. S. Air Force. I suggest you direct your inquiry to:

Air Force Systems Command (FTD)
Andrews Air Force Base, Maryland

Sincerely yours,

Paul O. Siebeneichen
Paul O. Siebeneichen, Chief
Education & Community Services

Commanding Officer
Andrews AFB
Maryland

Dear Sir:

Please do not push off us citizens who see these strange unusual objects in the sky as 'spot-light' seekers or crackpots. This is the second time I've seen an object moving from east to west. Only this one was most unusual.

Since I received this reply from NASA I spent some time in a hospital and this delayed forwarding it to you.

Sincerely yours

[REDACTED]

(SEND 164)

March 8, 1966

~~_____~~
Duson, Louisiana

70529

Commander in Charge
Space Program
Cape Kennedy, Florida

Dear Sir:

You can readily see by the addressee of this letter that I do not know to whom to write. And I have hesitated to write because we who see unidentified objects are looked upon as freaks, crack-pots, idiots and what-nots looking for publicity. I am none of these. But I did see something that has prompted me to write because this satelight was not like the others I've seen and I've seen several.

I'm a habitual star-gazer. I never walk out of the house in the evening but that I walk out with my eyes upon the stars. I always sweep the heavens with a quick glance before I get into my car. I've been rewarded by seeing many of our satelights. And I watch them out of sight. Since I do this so often I know at a glance when a 'star' is out of place. If they move I know they are satelights.

On the evening of February 12 at about 6:25 I walked out of the house and gazed toward the east. Low in the south-east was a brilliant warm orange-red 'star'. I knew it was not Mars, it certainly was not Venus, and much too early for Jupiter. It could only be a satelight so I backed up and lined it up with a telephone pole in the pasture and found it to be moving slowly in an east-west direction. The eastern sky was darker than the west. The sun had just set and the western horizon was a rosy red. As the satelight progressed toward the west it diminished in magnitude and color. The satelight began to take on a lighter red then as it passed a point immediately south it was a somewhat metallic color. Then comes the difference it was no longer just one satelight it was two side by side. I don't know in what relationship -- up and down or sideways. There were two instead of one. I'm sorry I did not have a telescope or binoculars to watch this one..... What was it?

Me and a few others are very anxious to know.

Sincerely

~~_____~~
~~_____~~



Air Force Systems Command
Andrews Air Force Base
Maryland SCF

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? <u>12</u> <u>2</u> <u>66</u> Day Month Year	2. Time of day: <u>6</u> <u>34</u> Hour Minutes (Circle One): A.M. or <u>P.M.</u>
3. Time Zone: (Circle One): a. Eastern <u>b. Central</u> c. Mountain d. Pacific e. Other _____ (Circle One): a. Daylight Saving <u>b. Standard</u>	
4. Where were you when you saw the object? <u>Duson</u> <u>La.</u> Nearest Postal Address City or Town State or County	
5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration) <u>4</u> Hours Minutes Seconds a. Certain c. Not very sure b. Fairly certain <u>d. Just a guess</u> 5.1 How was time in sight determined? <u>after TV news</u> 5.2 Was object in sight continuously? Yes <u>✓</u> No _____	
6. What was the condition of the sky? DAY a. Bright b. <u>Cloudy</u> NIGHT a. <u>Bright</u> b. Cloudy <i>no clouds</i>	
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 d. To your left b. In back of you e. Overhead <u>c. To your right</u> f. Don't remember <i>not a true</i>	

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 ~~— night 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:

warm orange-red

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?

It changed in color from bright white to pale orange to red and then disappeared from sight.

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 _____

b. Color _____

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?

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.

*It was like a streak. The object
satellite it was moving in the
sky.*

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? 18,000 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? 185 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.

It was a bright white object that
looked about as big as a
small plane seen from