

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 1/03/02	2. LOCATION Lincoln, Illinois
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Possible (AIRCRAFT) ✓ JH
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	No data presented to indicate object could not have been an aircraft.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 seconds	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Object moved across the sky, appeared to stop once more, started again and disappeared just like a light being turned off. The light was a light white with occasional flickering of red lights. Observer stated after about 1 minute or less following the disappearance of the UFO a low flying jet came overhead and flew in same direction from which the UFO disappeared.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual	
7. COURSE NE - E	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

FORM

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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIVISION (AFSC)
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE, OHIO 45433

3 June 67



REPLY TO
ATTN OF TDET/UFO

SUBJECT UFO Observation, 3 June 1967

JUN 21 1967

TO: Miss [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
Lincoln, Illinois 62656

Reference your unidentified observation. The information which we have received is not sufficient for a scientific evaluation. Request you complete the attached FTD Form 164 and return it in the envelope provided. Thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

JAMES C. MANATT, Colonel, USAF
Director of Technology and Subsystems

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FTD Form 164 w/envelope

TDET/UFO OFFICIAL FILE CY

June 3, 1967

Project Bluebook
Wright- Patterson Air Force Base
Dayton, Ohio

Dear Sirs:

At approximately 9:45 this evening, my younger sister and I observed a U.F.O. in the sky while stargazing. I am 15 years old and my sister is 11. For the past 4 months or so, I have been a serious student of the U.F.O. mystery but beleive me, I never thought I'd see one myself. Let me describe to you what I saw and perhaps you may be able to find an explanation for it.

My sister, an unbeleiver in U.F.O.'s, sighted the object first and attracted my attention to it. My first impression was that it was some sort of a pplane or satellite, but after watching its strange behavior I realized that it was something out of the ordinary. It was a fairly bright, consistant white light, with occasional flashings of red. It first appeared directly overhead, moved across the sky a distance, blinked off, blinked on, and continued to do this until it was rather low in the north-east sky. It then completely vanished, just like a light being turned off. That was the last we saw of it. And another strange thing, as I have read in many U.F.O. reports, a low-flying jet came into the sky about 10 minutes later and went off in the same direction from which the U.F.O. disappeared. Please beleive me, I have never seen anything like this before. I would be happy to fill out one of your U.F.O. Sighting forms, in hopes that you may be able to explain what I saw.

Yours truly,


Send 164

Aircraft (possible)

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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?

3 June 1967
Day Month Year

2. Time of day: 9 45
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] Road Lincoln Illinois
Nearest Postal Address City or Town State or County

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

Hours Minutes 30 Seconds

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

5.1 How was time in sight determined? _____

5.2, Was object in sight continuously? Yes / No _____

6. What was the condition of the sky?

DAY NIGHT
a. Bright a. Bright
b. Cloudy 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:

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? | <u>Yes</u> | No | Don't know |
| b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time? | <u>Yes</u> | No | Don't know |
| c. Break up into parts or explode? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| d. Give off smoke? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| e. Change brightness? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| f. Change shape? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| g. Flash or flicker? | <u>Yes</u> | No | Don't know |
| h. Disappear and reappear? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |

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

Yes. After stopping, it moved a distance across the sky, stopped again, and then disappeared just like a light being turned 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: _____

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

a. Sound None

b. Color Bright white with occasional flashings of red on it

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?

about $\frac{2}{3}$

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? _____

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? _____

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

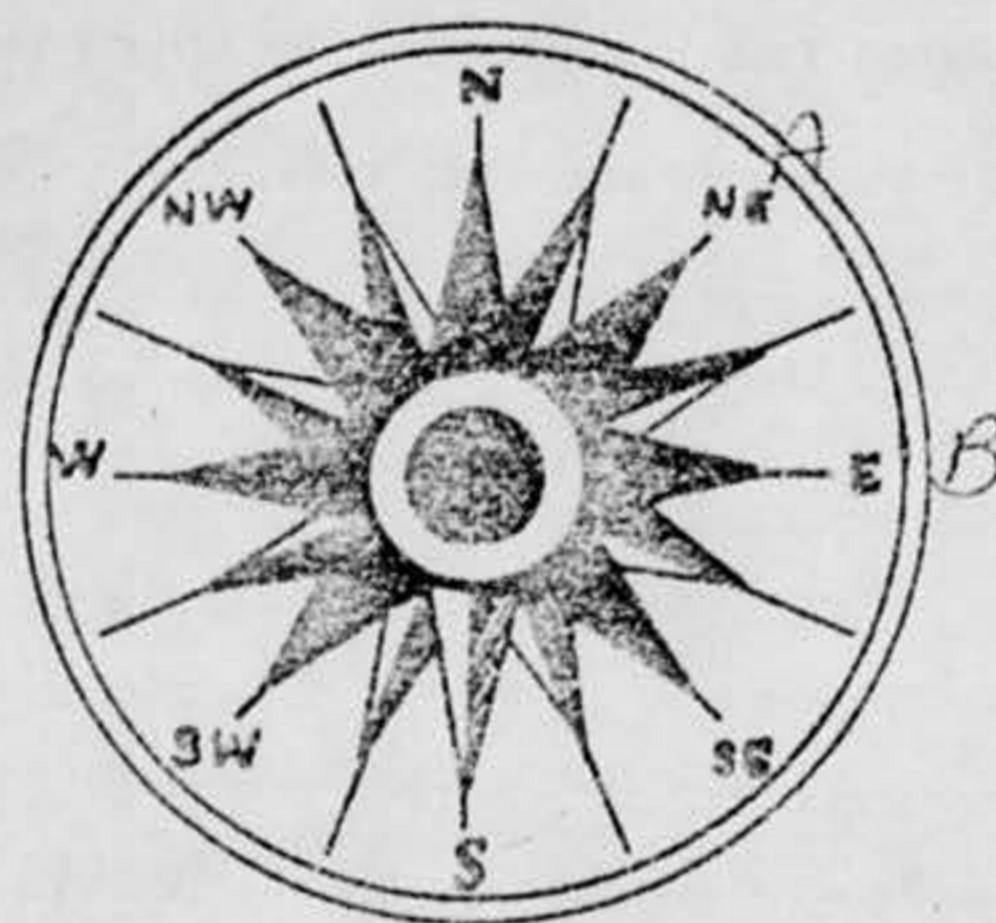
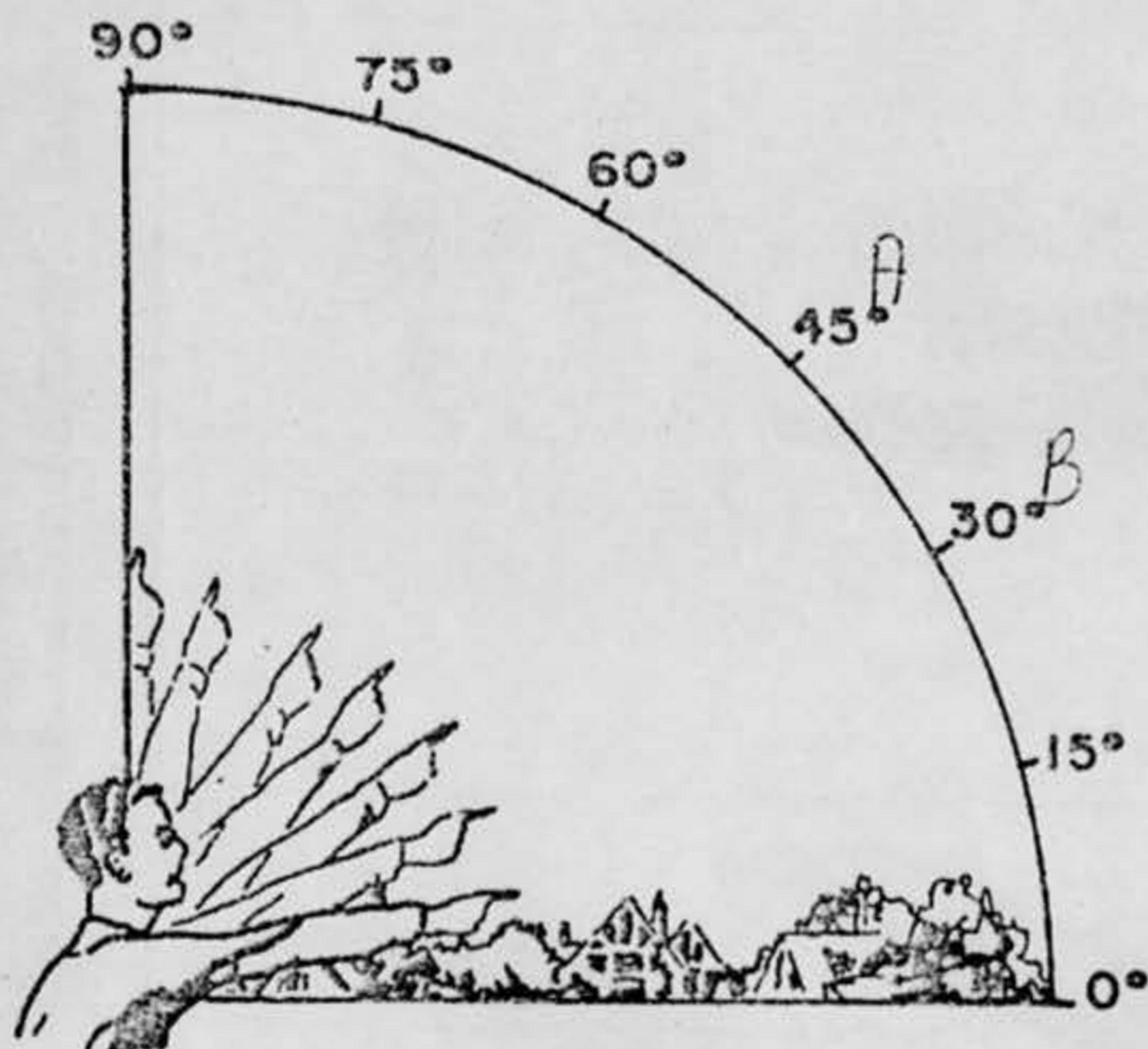
☒ No

h. Other _____

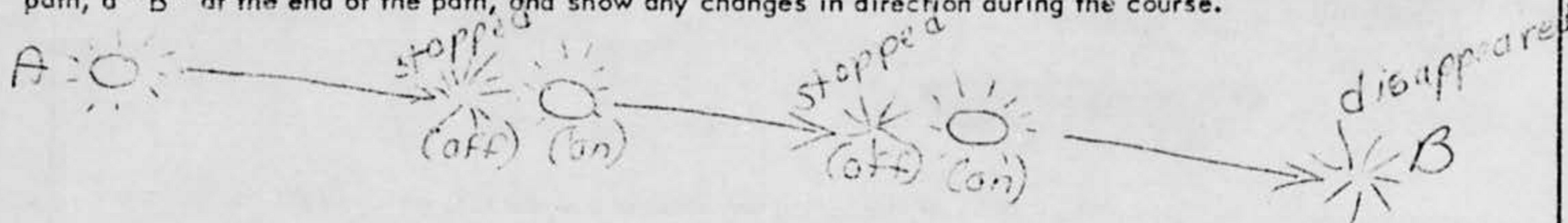
26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

*the bright light from a light bulb
(at quite a distance)*

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.

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] Rd.
Lincoln, Illinois

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME

Last Name

First Name

ADDRESS

City

Zone

State

TELEPHONE NUMBER

AGE

SEX

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

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

Mr. Arthur W. Bree

Day

Month

Year

34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

23
Day

June
Month

1967
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.

About 5 minutes (or less) following the disappearance of the UFO, a low-flying jet came overhead and flew off into the same direction from which the UFO had disappeared.