PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 31 July 66 31/0900Z	2. LOCATION Hedgeville, West Virginia
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Astro (CAPELLA) ✓ JHH
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	CAPELLA was at 60 deg azimuth, 40 deg elevation at time of sighting.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 Minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observers noted very bright object just above the eastern star. Object was viewed for about 30 minutes, and in this time period, it did not move. Object did not disappear.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	
7. COURSE E	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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HEDGESVILLE, W. VA. 31 JUL 66
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STAFF MESSAGE BRANCH
INCOMING MESSAGE

AF IN: 20301 (2 Aug 66) A/jjp

ACTION: RDC-4

INFO: XOP-1, XOPX-2, SAFOS-3, NIN-7, DIA-1 (19). ADV CY DIA

SMB D200UTR

PTTU JAW RUEBBAA7801 2142113-UUUU--RUEDHQA.

ZNR UUUUU

P 021900Z AUG 66

FM 1001 AB WG ANDREWS AFB MD

TO RUWMFVA/ADC ENT AFB COLO

RUEDMBA/26 ADIV HANCOCK FLD NY

RUEDFIF/FTD WPAFB OHIO

RUEDHQA/CSAF

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INFO RUEBBJA/HQ COMD USAF

BT

UNCLAS FROM 1001 AB WG (DOOT) 30210 AUG 66. CSAF FOR AFNIN.

OSAF FOR SAVOI. INFO FOR OOT. UFO. REFERENCE PARA 14, AFR

20012.

A1. ROUND

2. DINNER PLATE

3. NO COLOR, VERY BRIGHT LIGHT AROUND OUTER EDGE.

4. ONE

5. N/A

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YM OBJECT APPEARED BRIGHT INSIDE, RESEMBLED THE FACE OF A
CLOCK WITH VERY BRIGHT HANDS RADIATING FROM CENTER WITH
PAGE 2 RUEBBAA7801 UNCLAS
DARK AREAS BETWEEN.

7. NONE

8. NONE

9. NONE

B1. "THE DOG BARKED AND I AWOKE. I WENT OUTSIDE TO LET HER OUT. I LOOKED UP AND SAW AN OBJECT THE SHAPE AND SIZE OF A DINNER PLATE VERY HIGH IN THE SKY WITH A VERY BRIGHT EDGE. I WATCHED IT FOR TEN TO FIFTEEN MINUTES THEN I WENT IN, WOKE MY HUSBAND (RETIRED V/ADM, USN) AND HE CAME OUT AND SAW EXACTLY THE SAME HING. WE WATCHED THE OBJECT FOR 5-10 MINS THEN WENT INSIDE." SHE ALSO SAID THAT ALTHOUGH THE DAWN WAS APPROACHING, THE OBJECT NEVER DIMINISHED IN BRIGHTNESS.

2. JUST ABOVE THE MORNING STAR (0900Z) 31 JUL 66. OBJECT DID NOT MOVE.

3. NONE

4. REMAINED FOR ENTIRE SIGHTING PERIOD.

TM N/A

6. APPROX TWENTY MINUTES.

C1. GROUND VISUAL

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2. NONE

3. N/A

D1. SUNDAY AM 31 JULY 66, 0900Z

2. DAWN

E1&2 10 MILES NW OF MARTINSBURG AT HEDGESVILLE, W. VA.

F MR[redacted], HOUSEWIFE[redacted]NGTON,

VA.[redacted]EST OF RELIABILITY - EXCELLENT.

G1. CLEAR

2. SFC-3504; 6M-0216; 10M-0215; 16M-0115; 20M-0127; 30M-3534; 50M-2623; 80M-0923.

3. CLEAR

4. 7 MI

5. FEW ALTHOUGH CUMULUS

6. NONE

7. 2.0 DEGREES C/THOUSAND (AVERAGE) SFC INVERSION PRESENT.

H. NONE

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I. NONE

J. NONE

K. JOHN P. DIENER, MAJOR, USAF ASST CHIEF, OPERATIONS & TNG

L. NONE

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Time of Sighting********** 2305 E. S. T.

Date of sighting********** 6 July 1966

Direction of sighting ********** 270° Azimuth

Sky conditions**********Cloudless and full moon

Position of viewing**********Inside of house thru an open 3 ft. window

Direction of motion**********East to West in an arcing path

Length of viewing**********Approx. 1/4 sec in view from the left side of the window to the right side of the window.

Speed of the object********** Unknown

Size of object**********Oval with a projection on one side, length over minor diameters appeared to be equal to the dia. of the moon that nite.

Color**********White with a bluish border fringe.

This information may or may not be of any information to you, but I felt it my duty to make this report to your office....

Sincerely yours

Witness..... Date 8 July 1966

NO CASE INFORMATION

MARION, INDIANA
6 JULY 66

Subject U. F. O. SIGHTING AT MARION, INDIANA JULY 6, 1966******TIME 2305 E. S. T.

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ROBERT W. NAVARRO L, Hy.
6304 S. Western Ave.
Marion, Indiana
ZC-46952

Signature [redacted] Date 8 JULY 1966

Wright Patterson Air Force Base
Dayton, Ohio

U. F. O. Division:

Gentlemen:

The following information was given to me by a fellow worker Mr D. Van Hook. We are both employed by Radio Corp of America, Engineering Equipment Dept. Mr Van Hook is an Electrical Design Eng., And I am employed as a Mechanical Design Eng.

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phone 298-1276

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Phone No's

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No case Info only

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34. Date you completed this questionnaire: 19 (Day) February (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.

We were on a camping trip that night. I noticed a pulsating ~~star~~ object ~~that~~ and called Bennie's attention to it. We also noticed that it was blinking in series red, yellow, blue and green. We began looking and saw about 10 such objects (the reason that I didn't include these ~~in~~ that they were quite far away) This was at 11:00 P.M., ~~and~~ We tried to signal one with a flashlight (We wanted to try for a contact). After about 10 minutes of signaling we gave up. A little while later we noticed several of these objects moving into a position which seemed to circle us. At about 2:30 A.M. we saw some of these take off. They would be standing still then all of a sudden they would take off.

They would leave a white trail behind them about ~~3~~ inches long (in comparison) and then just dissappear. From this factor I

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Force UFO form continued

Think that they probaly passed the speed of light. (They looked something like meteors except that they would be standing still and they were standing up instead of down.) At about 3:30 we decided nothing else was going to happen so we lay down and watched them take off. At about 3:45 Roney Hoole pointed to the sky and said "Look."

We looked and there coming straight toward us was a U.F.O. We were camped on a bluff overlooking a small stream. From us to the other bank was about 35 ft and the bluff was about 40 ft. high. The object came straight toward us it leveled off about 25 ft higher than us (laying down) on the other side of the stream and started circling around us when it was about halfway around two other objects started to come down to. They came within about 100 yards and then retreated to their original positions, meanwhile the first continued to circle untill we lost sight of it behind the trees. I believe we could have made contact that night if we had thought of yelling or trying someway to let them know where we were. After that we went to bed and went to sleep. About 2 miles West there is a high tension power line.

Hedgesville, West Virginia
31 Jul

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?

31st (Day) July (Month) 1966 (Year)

2. Time of day: 5 a.m. (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?

6 miles West of Hedgesville (Nearest Postal Address) Hedgesville (City or Town) West Virginia (State or County)

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration) ½ (Hours) _____ (Minutes) _____ (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
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

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Capella 60°A? 40°EL

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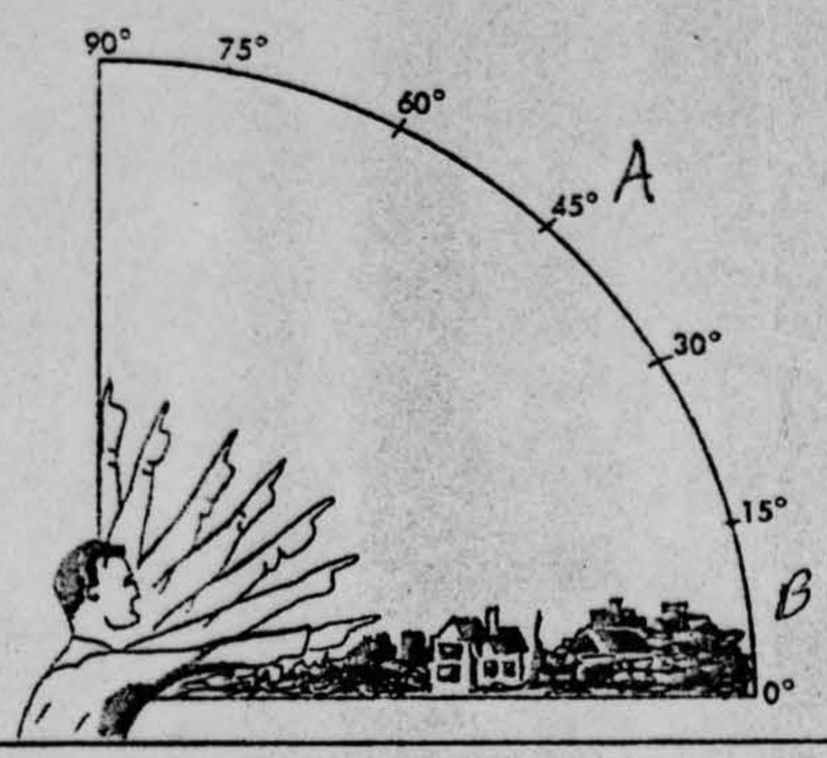
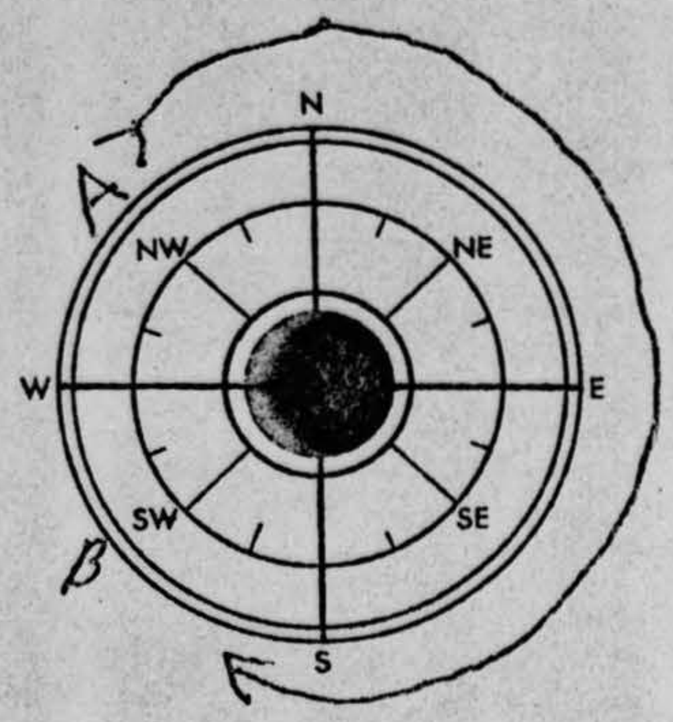
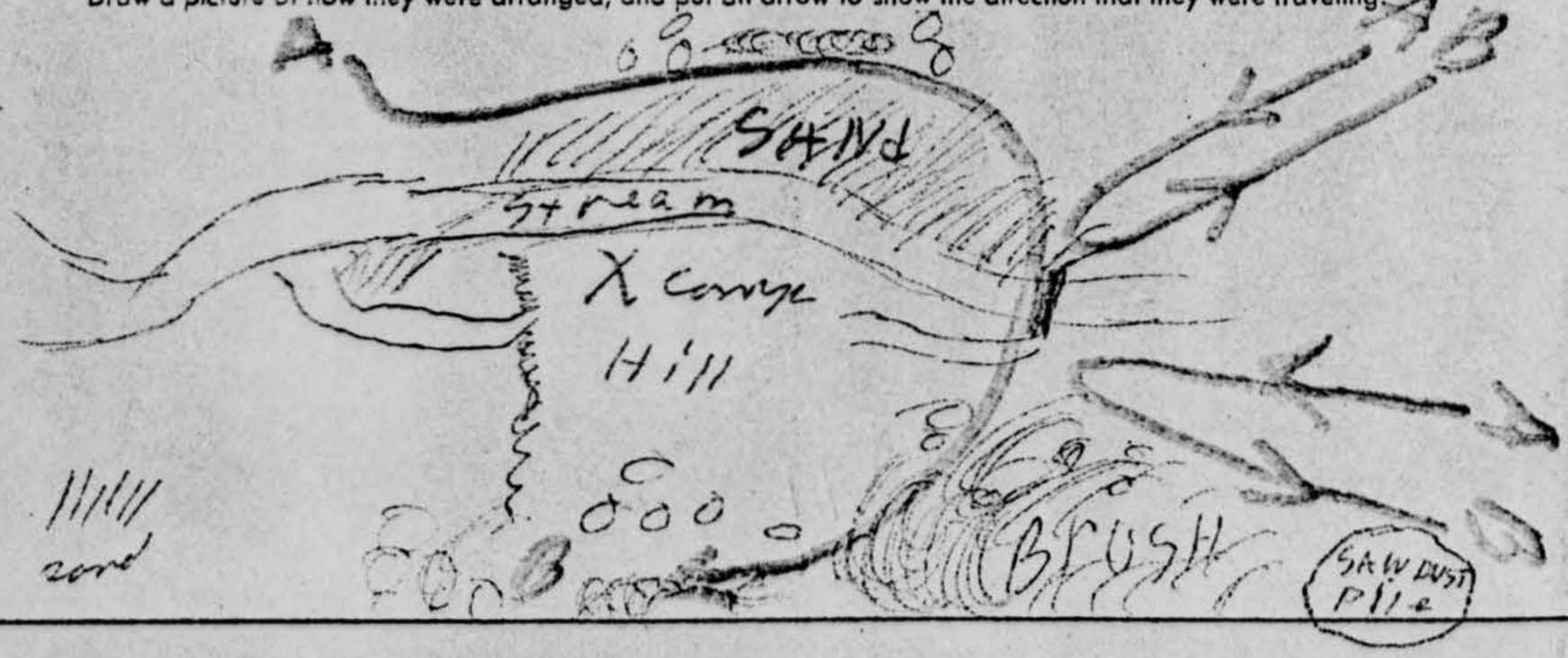
27. In the following sketch, imagine that you are at the point shown. Place an "A" on the curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the same curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *last* saw it. Place an "A" on the compass when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the compass when 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

yes
a.

31. Was anyone else with you

31.1 IF you answered YES,

31.2 Please list their names

Bennie Z

Roney Ho

32. Please give the following in

NAME [redacted]
Last

ADDRESS Rt. 2,

TELEPHONE NUMBER 3

Indicate any additional info

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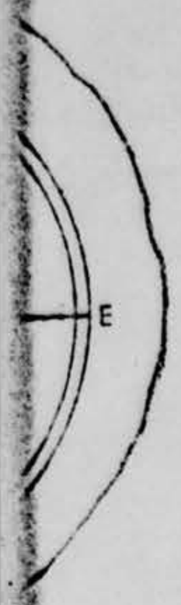

path, a "B" at

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

yes same location on October 14, 1966
I believe the date is right but I'm not sure

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] Hammond, La.

[redacted] Hammond, La

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME [redacted] (Last Name) [redacted] (First Name) [redacted] (Middle Name)

ADDRESS [redacted] (Street) Hammond (City) ___ (Zone) Louisiana (State)

TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] AGE 14 SEX M

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

I've always wished that I could personally see and establish contact with a U.F.O. But Bernie told me I was crazy and that there wasn't any such thing as a U.F.O. that very day. He never had believed in them untill that night. Also Bernie does not wear eyeglasses.

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

25 (Day) July (Month) 1966 (Year) Our Parents

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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 — extremely scattered
d. Thick or heavy clouds

WEATHER *(Circle One)*:

a. Dry — had rained earlier dry now
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 — it gave off a very dim glow and had 4 lights on it
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:

it look like reflected moonlight except for the 4 lights

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

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1. When did you see the object?

19 — Day; ~~August~~ July — Month; 1966 — Year

2. Time of day: 11:30 — 3:30 (~~4:3~~) — Hours; 30 — Minutes

(Circle One): (A.M.) or (P.M.)

from about 11:30 P.M. to 3:45 A.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? (it was at Natalbany Creek)

I don't know — Nearest Postal Address; Albany — City or Town; Louisiana — State or County

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration) 45 minutes — Hours; 45 — Minutes; — — Seconds

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

5.1 How was time in sight determined? by 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

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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? 10 mph. for the close ones

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? 50 ft.

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.

none

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14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how? no.

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: a group of trees behind us

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: a group of trees in front of us

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

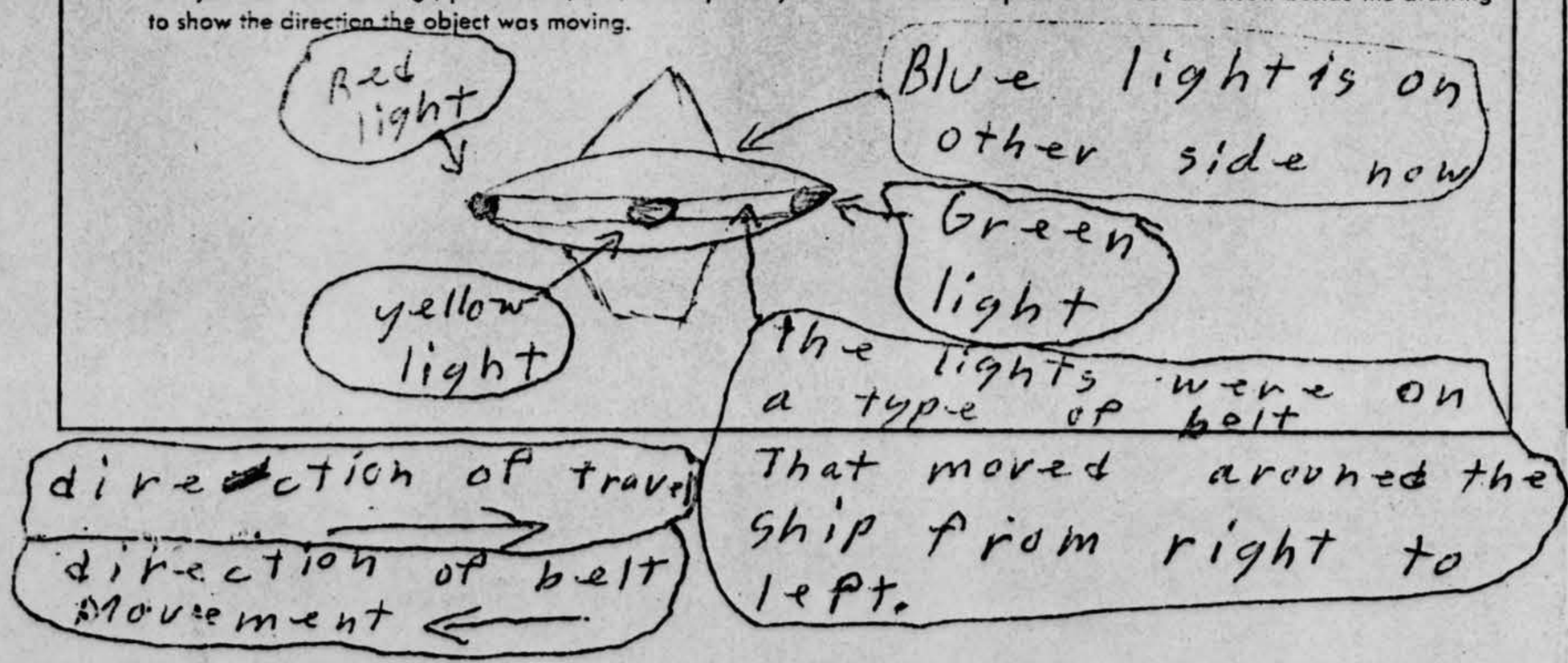
a. Sound none

b. Color metalic yellow like a bronze or ~~bright~~ copper with a light

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~~ ~~2~~ I'm not sure but it would not have covered very much probably about an inch of it. I think it was about 30 ft. in diameter.

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.



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KANE REPUBLICAN 22 JULY

UFO Hovers In Sky Here Last Night

Large Object, Close To Hilltop, Viewed Over Half-Hour

Last night a huge circular object with a bright white light — and flashing red lights—hovered over a Greendale Road area two miles east of Kane for more than a half hour before streaking away at an incredible speed. This has been verified by five persons who watched the UFO. As it flashed away, other Kane residents were attracted by the light—thinking they saw a meteor.

Last night at 9:45 o'clock, three Kane young men, Robert Holland, Pat Scutella and Harold (Corky) Haight, were driving a jeep on the road connecting Route 321 with the Greendale Road via the "Waterworks."

This is their story:

They saw a bright light ahead as they drove onto the Greendale Road. They turned off the jeep lights and motor to note a large round object "close to the ground," hovering in a fixed position. They watched it several minutes—noting flickering or flashing red lights at the edge. The object began moving, almost an undulating movement, rising and lowering—soundless.

Not trusting their own eyes, they drove to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Peterson on the old Smethport Road where the Peterson family came out and watched the object. The Peterson children also watched the object — and were frightened.

They observed the "bright light" of the object for some minutes. There were sounds of a jet plane approaching and the object, which had been rising and lowering slowly, became "jerky in movement" and suddenly flashed away with with meteor-like speed "toward the moon."

The young men came into Kane sub station of State Police to report their experience to Sgt. John Dussia and Corporal Murray. A description was drawn—agreed by all observers. Sgt Dussia said it matched previous UFO reports.

Authorities are convinced the youths saw "something."

A check with Greendale Road residents revealed that two residents saw an unusual red light in the sky three weeks ago.

As the several Kane residents agree on what they observed—to minute details — it is expected others who have seen the objects will report their sightings.

But, as they all agreed, "We could hardly believe our eyes—and how can we expect others to believe what we saw? We do not know what we saw ourselves."

[redacted]

KANE, PA.

KANE
JUL 29
FRI
1966

MAJOR QUINTANILLA
PROJECT BLUE BOOK
WRIGHT PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE
OHIO . 45433

[redacted]

KANE, PA

SIR,

ENCLOSED IS ARTICLE FROM "KANE REPUBLICAN" FRI JULY 22 DESCRIBING SIGHTING OF THUR 21.

RESPECTFULLY

[redacted]

NO CASE INFO ONLY

22 July 66

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26 July 66

XXXXXXXXXX SAF-OICC/Maj Rademacher/ua/78079/16Jun67

JUN 16 1967

Dear [redacted]

This will reply to your letter of June 7th reporting your unidentified flying object (UFO) sighting.

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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:

_____

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

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Dear Sirs, June 7 ([redacted] 1967)

My name is [redacted] + I am seventeen yrs. old and I would like to tell you about my experience with three U. F. O's. Last July 26, 1966 I went out to call my brother to come + eat supper. when I looked up in the sky toward the lake, I always have a bad habit looking up at the sky to see what kind of a day its goning to be when I saw three objects that looked oval shaped + was very shiny like a quarter in the sun. Well I noticed they had no wings + no tail + they moved up + down + across like they were playing jump the frog. Well I was fastinated by them ~~by~~ I thought they were helicopters but I realized they had no sound. + went out of formation like a square is shaped. It was about 3 A.M. + the sky was <u>clear</u> they were 100 ft from me + were up about 1 mile. Then 2 wks later I saw a green light coming toward me + I thought it was a lightning bug but well

I got scared because it was a big round ball that kept bouncing up + down moving from side to side + went around me + went up straight into the sky. My girlfriend A.F + I saw it together. Well I would like you to find out if I have some kind of thing with them I mean why should I see them - other people cannot? Why am I fortunet to see them. I want to get in contact with M[redacted] from another galexy but I try + nothing happens I think real hard but I can't get contact with him, Oh well I hope I didnt take up all your time so I'll go now.

Sincerly, yours
[redacted]

P.S. Write
Back
Soon

P.S. I belive in U.F.O's + Im a very religous person.

28 JUL 66

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UFO REPORT 28 JULY 0657Z. REPORT IN FORMAT OF AFR 200-2.

PARA 14: UFO. INITIAL SIGHTING 28/0657Z, JUL 66.

A. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT:

(1) ROUND

(2) STAR SIZE

(3) BRILLIANT, PROMINENTLY RED WITH A LITTLE WHITE.

(4) ONE OBJECT

(5) N/A

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(6) NONE

(7) NONE

(6) NONE

(7) NONE

(8) NONE

(9) AT 0717Z, GROUND OBSERVATION BY MONCTON REPORTED THE COLOR TO BE SILVER WITH NO LIGHTS. AT 0723Z, TOWER OPERATOR AT SUMMERSIDE OBSERVED IT THROUGH GLASSES AND REPORTED IT TO APPEAR AS =A BIG DAB OF LIGHT ACROSS THE SKY=. Dab: How big?

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT:

(1) MONCTON TOWER OPERATOR OBSERVED IT TO APPEAR OVER THE MONCTON RADIO RANGE AND CALLED MONCTON CENTER CONTROLLER TO SEE IF THEY HAD TRAFFIC APPROACHING.

(2) MONCTON TOWER OPERATORS ESTIMATE AT INITIAL DETECTION TO BE 900 FEET, APPROACHING THE MONCTON AIRPORT FROM NE TO SW, 085 TO 090 DEGREES AZIMUTH FROM MONCTON TOWER. NO ELEVATION ANGLE PROVIDED.

(3) AZIMUTH OF 130 DEGREES WITH ESTIMATED DISTANCE OF 5 MILES FROM THE SUMMERSIDE TOWER. ESTIMATED ELEVATION WAS

9000 FEET.

(4) FROM POINT OF DETECTION OBJECT APPEARED TO APPROACH MONCTON TOWER FROM THE NE, TURNED EASTERLY OVER MONCTON TOWARD SUMMERSIDE, TURNED NORTHERLY INTO GRAYING DAWN 5 MILES SE OF SUMMERSIDE AND DISAPPEARED. NO ERRATIC MOVEMENTS WERE NOTED

BUT SPEED APPEARED TO CONTINUALLY INCREASE AND WHEN VISUAL CONTACT WAS LOST BY SUMMERSIDE TOWER AT 0724Z, THEY REPORTED IT TURNED NORTH AND WAS =MOVING VERY RAPIDLY=.

(5) VISUAL SIGHTING THROUGH GLASSES BY SUMMERSIDE TOWER OPERATOR WAS LOST AND CONTACT NOT RE-ESTABLISHED.

(6) 27 MINUTES.

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION:

(1) GROUND VISUAL, AIR VISUAL, AND POSSIBLE MONCTON CENTER RADAR.

(2) AIRFIELD TOWER GLASSES AT MONCTON AND SUMMERSIDE.

(3) LIGHT AIRCRAFT DEPARTING MONCTON AFTER INITIAL SIGHTING ATTEMPTED TO INTERCEPT. MONCTON FLYING CLUB ACFT, A PIPER CHEROKEE,

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SIDE, THE PILOT ESTIMATED THE OBJECT TO BE AT 9000 FEET. NO PILOT
ESTIMATE OF RANGE WAS PROVIDED. ACFT RETURNED TO MONCTON AFTER
LOSING SIGHT OF OBJECT JUST PRIOR TO REACHING SUMMERSIDE.

D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING:

(1) 28/0657Z, JULY 66.

(2) NIGHT

E. AND F. LOCATION OF OBSERVERS AND IDENTIFYING INFORMATION:

(1) MONCTON TOWER OPERATOR [redacted] CIVILIAN

(2) MONCTON CENTER (DOT) CONTROLLER: [redacted]
CIVILIAN.

(3) AIRCRAFT PILOT - [redacted] IVILIAN.

(4) AIRCRAFT PASSENGER: [redacted] IVILIAN

(5) SUMMERSIDE TOWER OPERATOR: OFFICER CADET R.A. KAY

G. WEATHER AND WINDS: CARRIED BY MONCTON CENTER AT 0700Z

FOR MONCTON; 10,000 SCATTERED, VIS 15 PLUS; TEMP. 50; DEW POINT 47;
WIND 230 DEGREES TRUE AT7. ONE-TENTH ALTO CIRRUS CLOUDS.
SUMMERSIDE: CLEAR AND 15 MILES. SAGE WEATHER FOR THE AREA DURING
PERIOD OF OBSERVATION FOLLOWS:

(1) GOOD VFR AT MONCTON AND SUMMERSIDE.

(2) SURFACE, 230 DEREES FROM 6 TO 9. 6000 FT., 280 DEGREES/
20; 10,000 FT, 300 DEGREES/27; 16,000 FT., 300 DEGREES/30; 20,000
FT., 290 DEGREES/35; 30,000 FT., 3000 DEGREES/42; 50,000 FT., 290
DEGREES/25; 80,000 FT., NOT AVAILABLE.

(3) CEILING: MONCTON - 0600Z - 0700Z; CLEAR/10,000
SCATTERED. SUMMERSIDE - 0600Z -0700Z; CLEAR/CLEAR.

(4) VISIBILITY - MONCTON 15/15; SUMMERSIDE NA/NA

(5) NA/1/10 ALTO CUE N/A / N/A

(6) NONE NONE

(7) SURF PLUS 10 DEGREES C

6000 PLUS 3 DEGREES C; 10,000 - 0 DEGREES C;
16,000 MINUS 9 DEGREES C; 20,000 MINUS 20 DEGREES C; 30,000

MINUS 44 DEGREES C; 50,000 MINUS 50 DEGREES C.

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H. NONE.

I. NONE EXCEPT AS STATED IN PARA C(3) ABOVE.

J. NO KNOWN OR OBSERVED TRAFFIC IN THE AREA OTHER THAN THE ACFT MENTIONED ABOVE. NO KNOWN BALLOON RELEASES THAT COULD ACCOUNT FOR THE SIGHTING.

K. MAJOR ELTON G. CATE, SENIOR DIRECTOR C-CREW. COMMENTS:
RADAR TRACKING OF THE PIPER WAS CONDUCTED BY MONCTON CENTER AND SAGE. IN ADDITION, MONCTON CENTER HAD A TWO-SWEEP RADAR RETURN AT 088 DEGREES - 42 MILES FROM THE MONCTON LF RADIO RANGE AT 0723Z. AFTER THE OBJECT HAD REPORTEDLY TURNED NORTH THEY HAD A ONE-SWEEP DETECTION AT 083 DEGREES 45 MILES AT 0725Z. THE MONCTON CENTER CONTROLLER STATED HIS RADAR WAS UNSUALLY CLEAR OF ANY PES OR ANGLES AND THE RETURNS AS REPORTED WOULD GENERALLY

COINCIDE WITH POSITIONS OF THE OBJECT AS BEING REPORTED VISUALLY. SUMMERSIDE RADAR WAS OFF AT THE TIME OF INITIAL SIGHTING. IT WAS ORDERED TURNED ON AS THE OBJECT APPROACHED AND BEGAN TO

FUNCTION ABOUT THE TIME VISUAL CONTACT WAS LOST BY THE TOWER

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L. NONE.

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14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how? No

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: ____

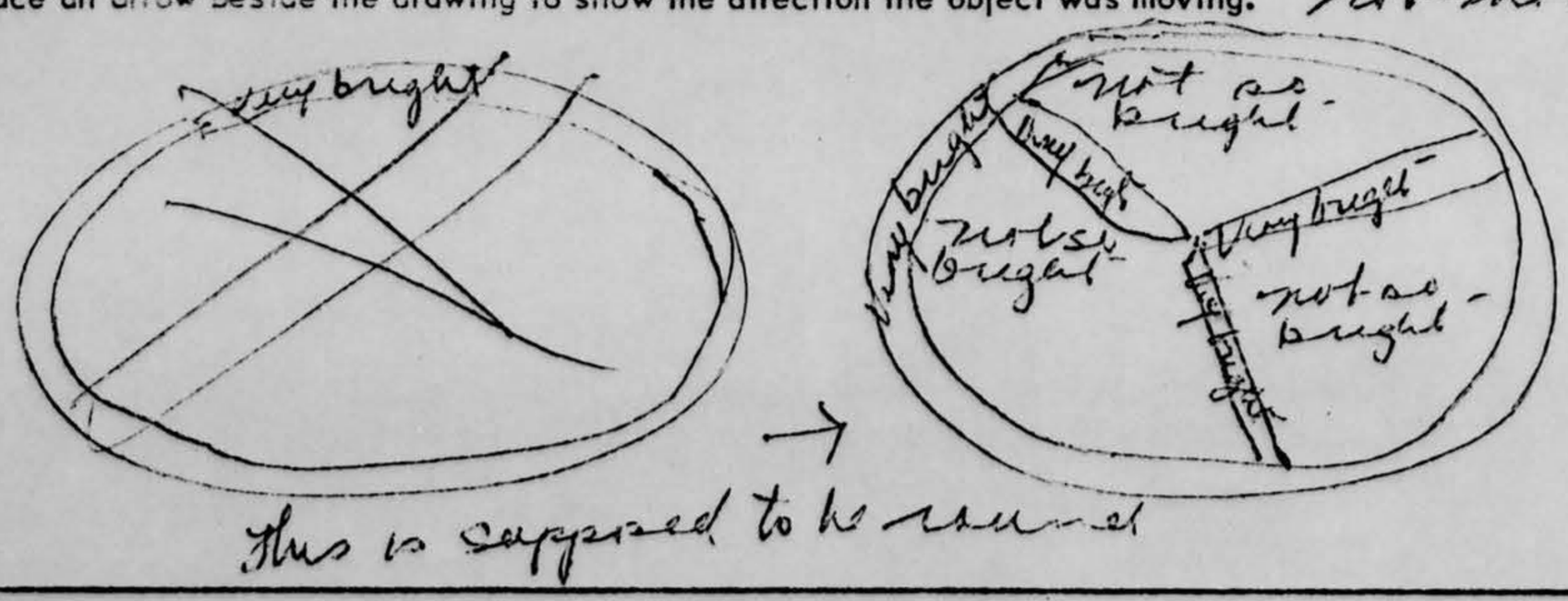
17. Tell in a few words the following things about the object:

a. Sound No sound

b. Color Very bright

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. Not moving



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28 JUL 66

ACFT DECAL WT REPORTING CIRVIS 0507Z RADAR SIGHTING IN SHAPE OF LETTER S APPROXIMATELY 1/8 IN IN SIZE ON SCOPE

SIGHTING IS IN WATER AT 3904N 12557W

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July 30, 1966 [redacted]

Tyler, Texas, 75701

Sir -

Over some 50 yrs. I've viewed the moon with awesome admiration. My bifocals are X3, made in Japan some 40 yrs. ago. (I took the rt. small eye piece, put it face down on the large left eye piece and secured it with tape) and this is some of my views. What am I seeing? Reflection of my own eye sighter? No.

My point of focus is the moon.

If I am seeing my own eye pupil then it is indeed a remarkable discovery to me, and would call for more writing than I care to do at this time.

I can name a few things, I am not. I am not an astronomer, an artist OR neurotic and I have this in print.

Now for my letter. I begin to view the moon about 7:15 p.m. & I marvel at it being bright so early in the p.m. No. 1 & 2 were viewed near 10 p.m. at the same time = no reflection, ~~but~~ because I saw to it, there was none. If another

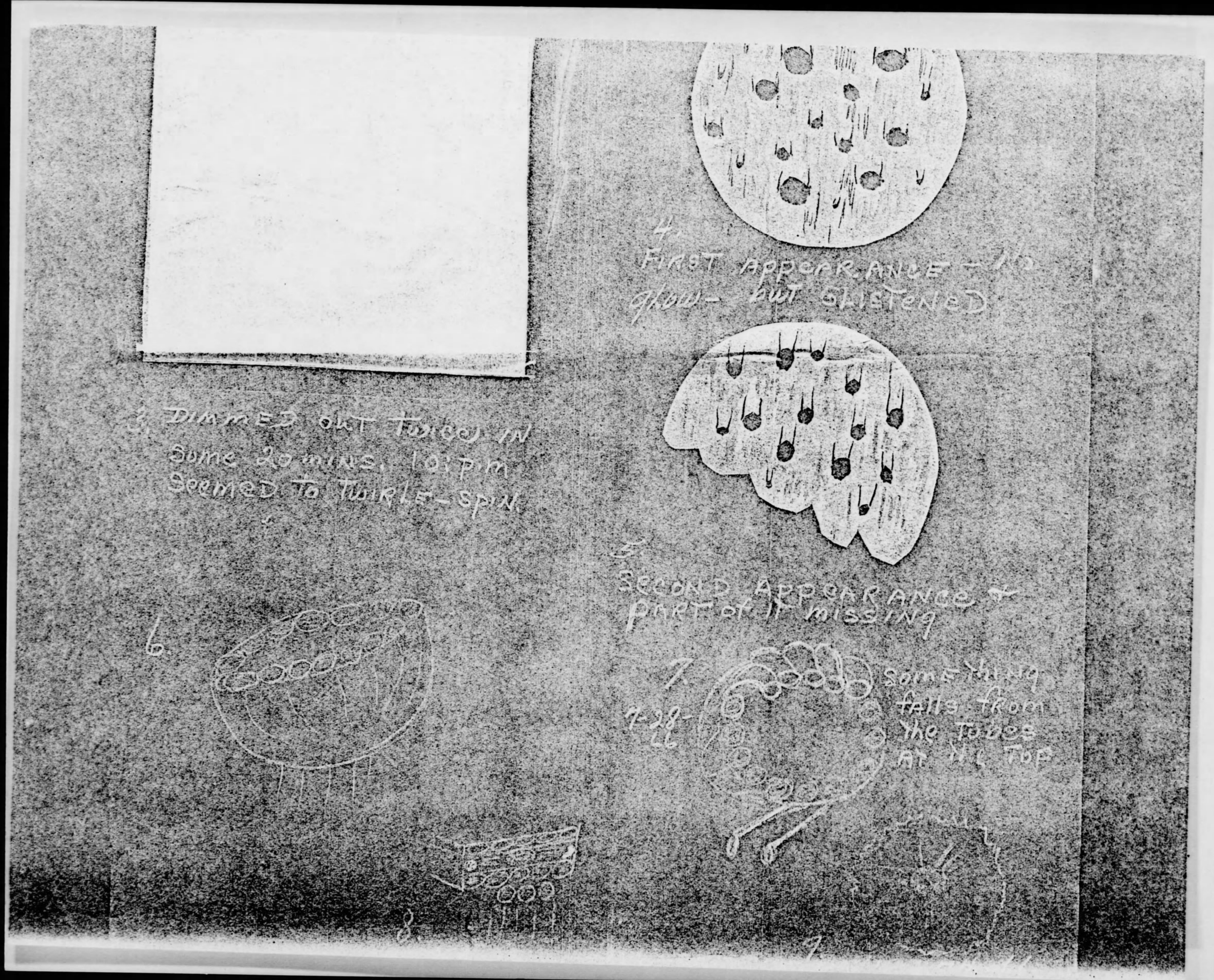
planet, it is closer than earth to the moon. My last account of ♀ is June 30, 1966 4° ♊, (& for July 29, ☽ is leaving ♐). The big black spot was near 1/4 of the moon's area. No 3. The moon dimmed out, spinned, to barely visible, then returned to No. 4, to something similar to sea sponge or seared metal, it glistened but not a glow. It returned to a state similar to no. 3 again, & returning to no. 5, with about a 1/4 of it missing. No. 6, 7, 8, 9, & 10 are views at other hrs. on the 27th 28th and 29th. No. 11 is my view of a "glow ball" & could be a tornado eye. No. 12, A full moon, with valcano or water sprout action being struck by nimbus-cumulus clouds, Feb. 5, 1966. (by black, bellowy, rolling clouds).

I have never read or heard of the moon having any other changes other than the by monthly that we are so acquainted with, but I believe it is in one that we have been missing over many centuries.

Thank you for your time, I am

Respectfully

Mr. [redacted]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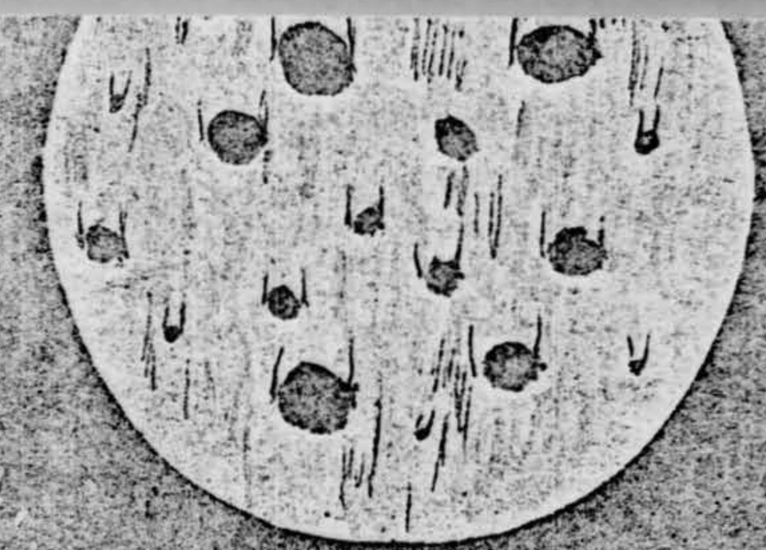

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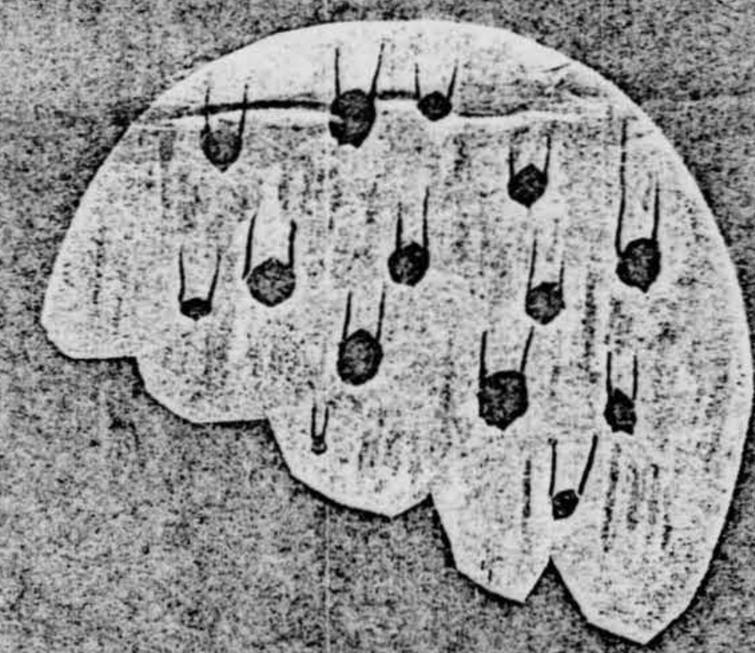

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SECOND APPEARANCE — PART of it missing

3. DIMMED OUT TUBES IN Some 20 mins. 10:P.M SEEMED TO TWIRLE-SPIN

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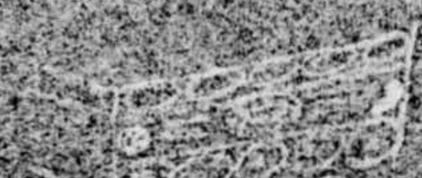
SOMETHING falls from the TUBES AT THE TOP



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July 29, 1966, 10:pm
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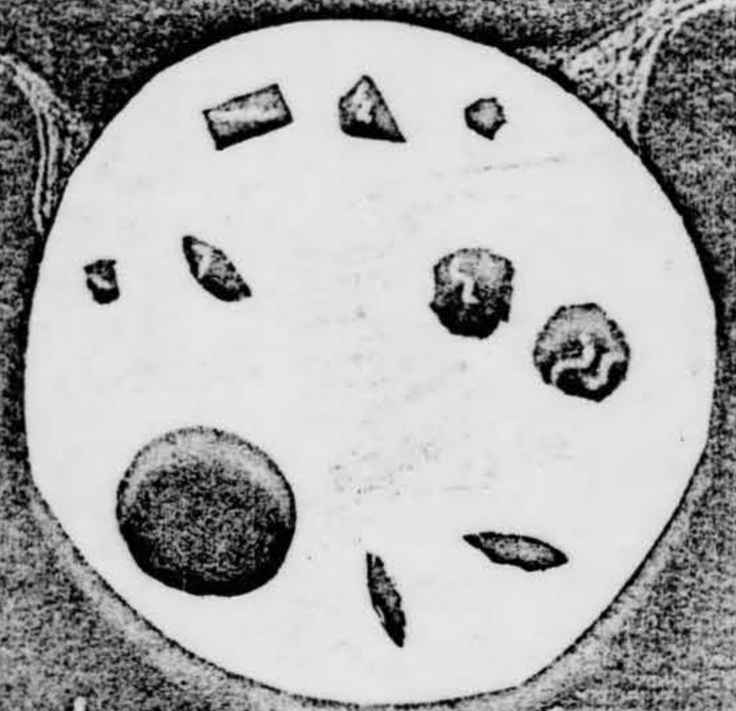
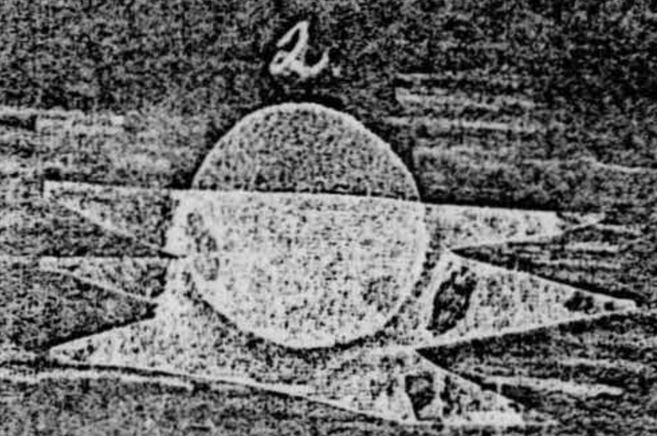
CUTTLE BONE



1. Moon, 29° x1



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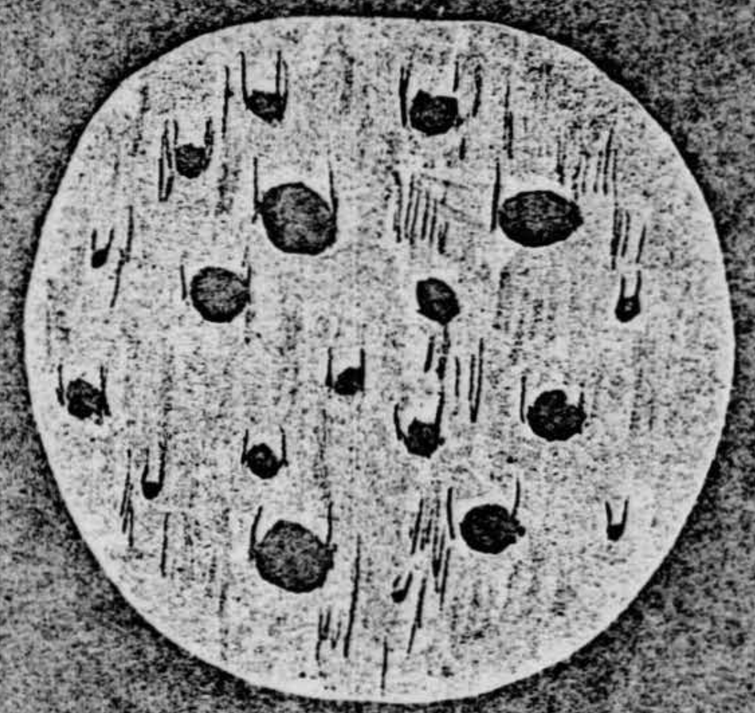

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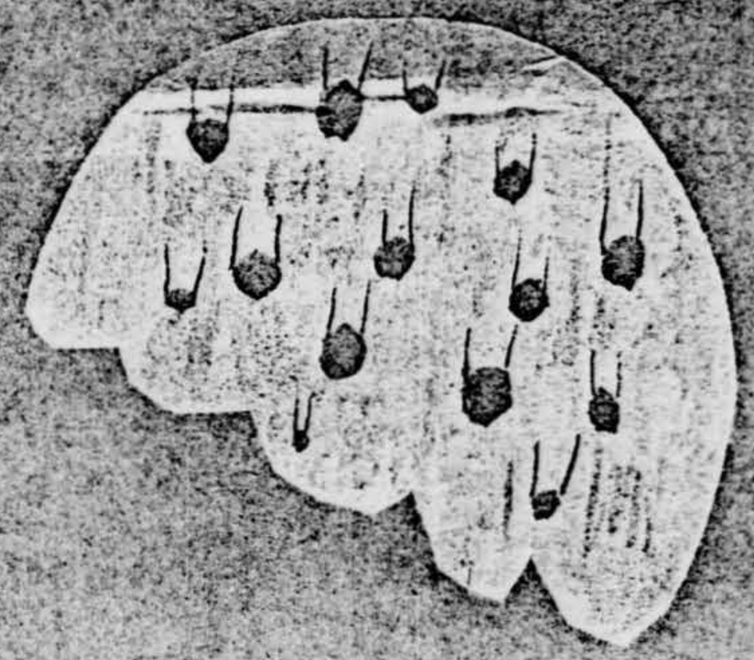

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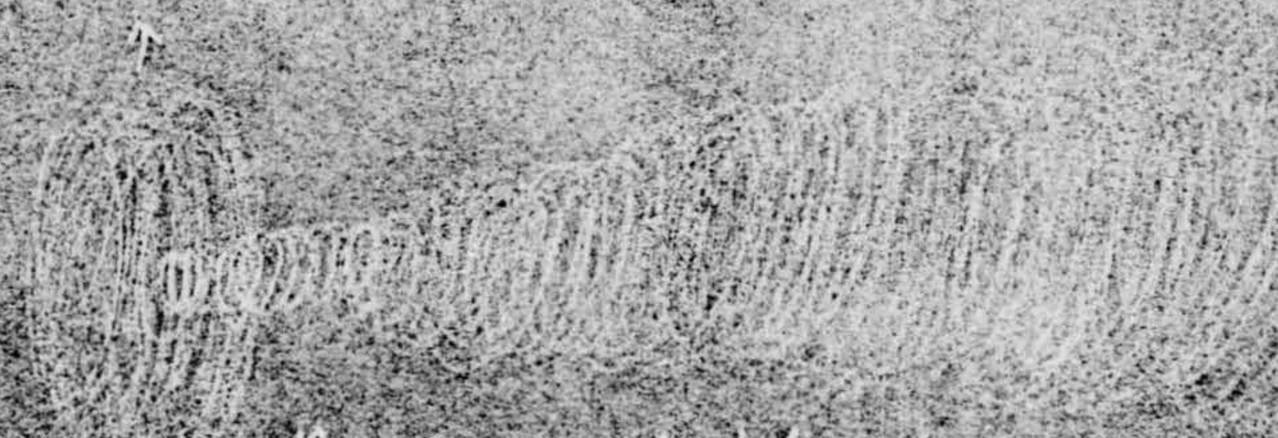
Some 20 mins. 10:pm
Seemed to Twirle-spin.

In July 14, 1966 A seconds view of a "glow ball" in a streak of cloud. The cloud span S. to E. traveled N.W. (No rain or wind resulted.)

12. Feb. 5, 1966, 2 a.m.
Full moon, 90° ∠ set at 7:17 a.m.



13.
90° ∠ Apr. 21, 1966 10:00 — 74 m.p.h. wind
Reported to Day. in the Rio G. Valley

10.

Many Different Witnesses

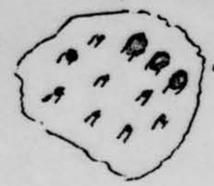
11. July 14, 1966. A seconds view of a "glow ball" in a streak of cloud. The cloud span S. to E. Traveled N.W. (No rain or wind resulted.)

4. 8:15 twice - and twice it lightened (red) in the east

5. 8:20 P.M. West of D. in the heavy black clouds Nebula

6. Nebula, over hazy, pale D. 8:30 P.M.

Before 8:10 P.M. the 2 small objects with in the D moons area blew up like balloons - before bursting, one at the time. = fig 4 =

8:25 P.M. Black spot opened and shut very quickly. Resembled an old man's mouth - to me. It takes on many forms & actions  - in a white object we call D.

P.S. This is my personal idea - but I believe it (D) has had inferrences from the back or it's shedding a century coat of collections of many discriptions. → The No. 142 on the black sheet, could have struck each other.

So interesting.

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 Also from my bedroom Window.

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 _____		

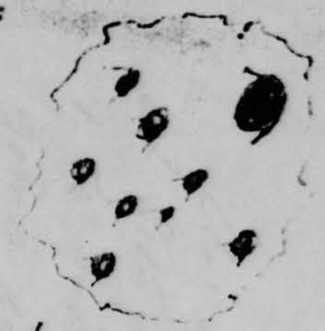
26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

It looked like a large dinner plate, the face of it looked like a clock

July 30 1966

2. D in a haze 8:4 P.M.

3. D activity in center & bottom 8:10 P.M. Bellowy black clouds at rear. & Fe flickering.



1. 7:50 p.m. white, cattle bone D

4. 8:15 twice - and twice it lightened (red) in the east

5. 8:20 West of Hq D. in the heavy black clouds Nebula

6. Nebula, over hazy, pale D. 8:30 p.m.

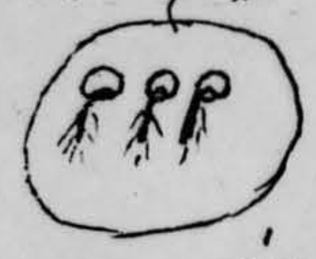
Before 8:10, the 2 small objects with in the D moons area blew up like balloons - before bursting, one at the time. = fig 4 =

8:25 P.M. Black spot opened and shut very quickly. Resembled an old man's mouth - to me. It takes on many forms & actions - in a white object we call D.

An other listing for this same date at 8:15 p.m., Gross view, a ~~A~~ object of some 1.50 mag., 25,000 ft. alt., on the zenith, going east. Thro' bifocals it was a white (not* bright) round cloud-like, bobbling on its course. (no signals, or other color). —(Sure hard to describe.)

For added interest, Spica is a wee bright dot at 7:42 p.m., off the zenith east about 10°. It has 2 high cirrus,

or



same color, but the glow, as if pouring out of the ooo.

An other seconds view the upper rt. is a glow that can be detected (gross) and on most any side or bottom, or time of vcibility.

Leo, the sickle, a Leonic is a black ball, that flashes like "earth-shine" on the new moon, it is so irregular & have not had a chance to view ~~it~~ Chart. Just once there was a white (~~bump~~ bump) balloon-like, that whirled out of view very quickly. 7-30-66 8:p.m.

Thank you sir for your time now. I am

Respectfully, MRB. [redacted]

Tyler, Texas

W8

Aug. 4, 1966
[redacted]
Tyler, Texas, 75701

Project Blue Book Inf. Ofc.
LA 70 A
Washington, D.C., 20330

Dear Sir:

Monday, Aug 1, 1966, 9:P.M.

... an object like a 2. mag. star went east, about 90° A. & in the south east, and seemly some 25 to 28,000 ft. alt., more of a floating action, than a sail. No signals flashed.

You have my notes mailed Aug. 1st., and I have a number more, in fact, too many to attempt to discribe in a letter. If you have an address in Tyler that I might visit, and tell my findings to, it would be very enlightening both ways. I've lived in Tyler some 57 yrs. just a plain old human being with good intentions, I will assure you.

By the way, sir, that "missing part" from the D is still gone

over, please.

Aug. 1, 1966

[redacted]

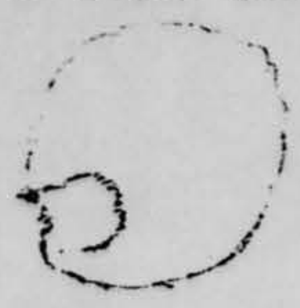
Tyler, Texas, 75701

Project Blue Book Inf. Ofc.,
USAFOS.,
Wash., D. C., 20 330

Dear Sir

The letter, and sketches that are stapled to gether are views, or were viewed before July 30, 1966. - and I thi't that would take care of a small portions of (?) heaven only knows.

Then came the view of July 31, 1966, 8:30 p. m., the moon with a jagged edged hole in the side, at the location of ("part of it missing" in sketch #5 on the black sheet.) Roughly, sketched it looked similar to this,



paler than this color, like a plug pinched out of a ball form of commercial plastic foam. I could see down into the hollow, same color. - Sorry to take up your time & thank you for it. —

Mr. [redacted]

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TEL. MELROSE 5-0310

Aug 3/66

Major H. Quintanilla Jr.,
Project Blue Book,
Wright - Patterson AFB.,
Dayton, Ohio,
USA.

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Because of the altitude or smallness of the object, no details were observed of its structure or shape, even though it was observed through binoculars. The sky was exceptionally clear that evening and as a result, many stars were visible. No luminous tail was observed on this object and no audible sound could be detected. It possessed brightness of the same intensity as an Echo satellite for example, or a very close star. The brightness did not vary and no

Ontario, ~~[illegible]~~ CANADA 31 Jul 66

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Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433
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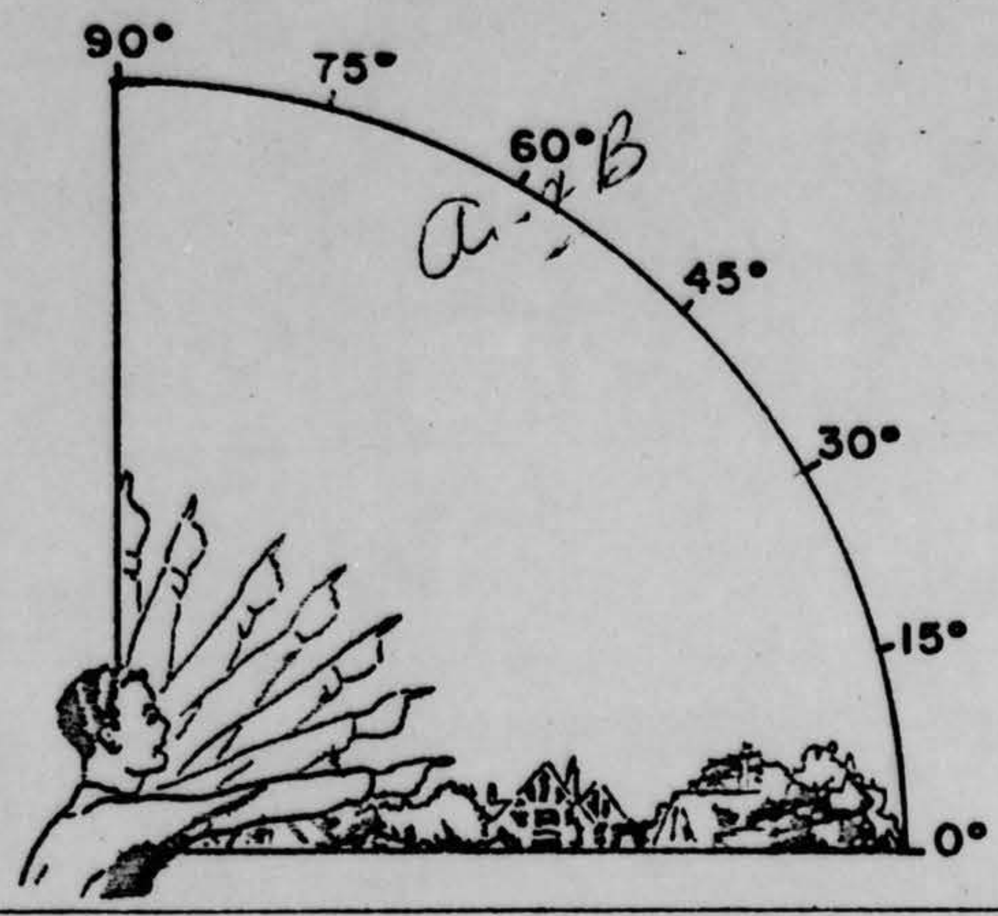
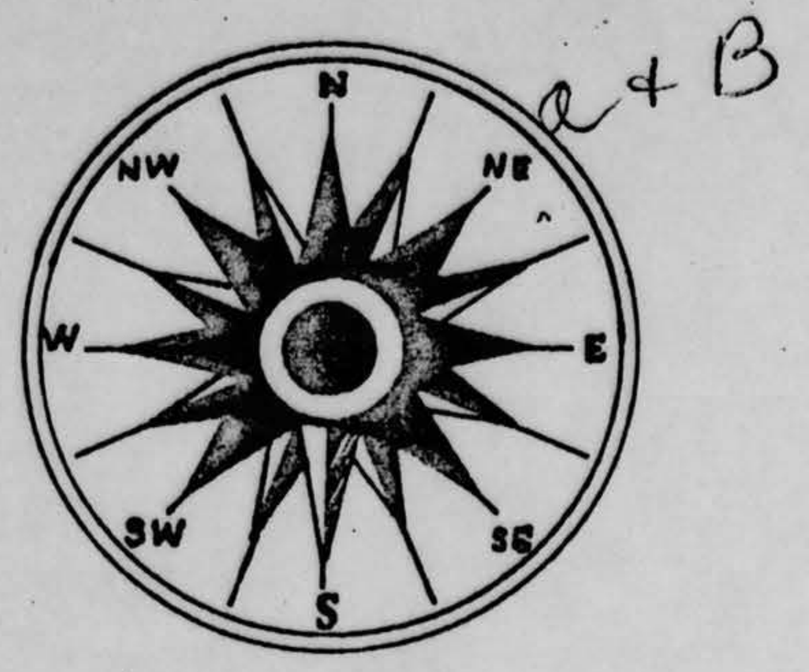
27. In the following sketch, imagine that you are at the point shown. Place an "A" on the curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *first* saw it. Place a "B" on the same curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you *last* saw 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.

Did not move

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:

My husband — [redacted]
Arlington, West Va 22202

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME [redacted] [redacted] [redacted]
Last Name First Name Middle Name

ADDRESS [redacted] Arlington 22202 Virginia
Street City Zone State

TELEPHONE NUMB[redacted] AGE 70 SEX Female

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? To Pentagon

July 31 July 1966
Day Month Year

34. Date you completed this questionnaire: Monday 15th August 1966
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.

Arlington, Va 31 July 66

FTD (TDETR) /HL
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433
11 August 1966

Mrs. [redacted]
Arlington, Virginia 22202

Dear [redacted]

Reference your unidentified flying object report of 31 July 1966. The only indication of azimuth and elevation of the alleged UFO was given as just above the morning star. Assuming Venus to be the morning star, the planet was rising on an azimuth of 75° degrees and at 0400 EST was at an elevation of 18 degrees.

Request you complete the enclosed FTD Form 164 and enclose a sketch of the alleged UFO in relation to the morning star.

Your cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

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