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| 1. DATE - TIME GROUP<br>17 November 64 18/0230Z                                                |  | 2. LOCATION<br>Bridgewater, Massachusetts                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |  |
| 3. SOURCE<br>Civilian                                                                          |  | 10. CONCLUSION<br>AIRCRAFT                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |  |
| 4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS<br>Three                                                                  |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |  |
| 5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION<br>15 Minutes                                                         |  | 11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS<br><br>Ltr: Two lights no definite shape. Spinning and approaching each other. Round. Incredible speed. Too slow for comets (meteors). Clear sky. 80 ft high, 170 yds away, two ft in diameter. 29 deg azimuth. Elevation not reported. Second observation at 2130. This object was at 46 deg azimuth 100 ft in air and 20 yds away. This object made noise like helo. Object came from the SW. Diamond shaped with multi colored light Form 164. Duration reported as 15 minutes. Object reported as solid with lights. Sharply outlined.<br><br>COMMENTS: Object observed for 15 minutes and reported as only 20 yds away. Incredible speed. Number of lights not reported. Witnesses were teen-age girls. Probable inaccuracies in reported distances speeds directions altitudes etc. General discription indicates a likely misinterpretation of some conventional object such as an A/C towing a banner, or an aircraft at low altitude with multiple lights such as a helo. |  |
| 6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION<br>Ground-Visual                                                        |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |  |
| 7. COURSE<br>NW                                                                                |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |  |
| 8. PHOTOS<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No            |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |  |
| 9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE<br><input type="checkbox"/> Yes<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No |  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |  |

FORM  
FTD SEP 63 0-329 (TDE)

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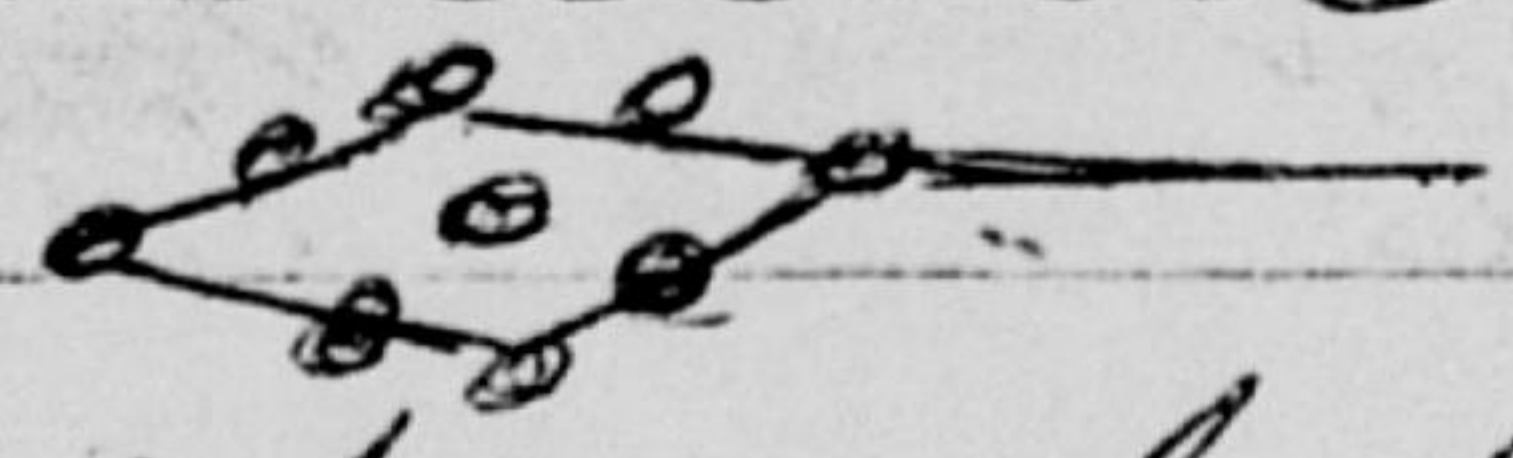
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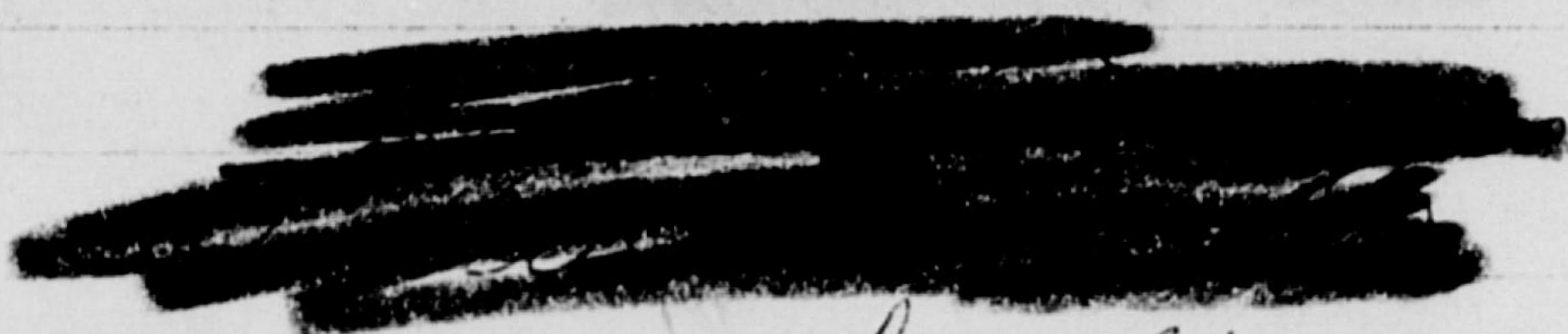
Dear Sirs,

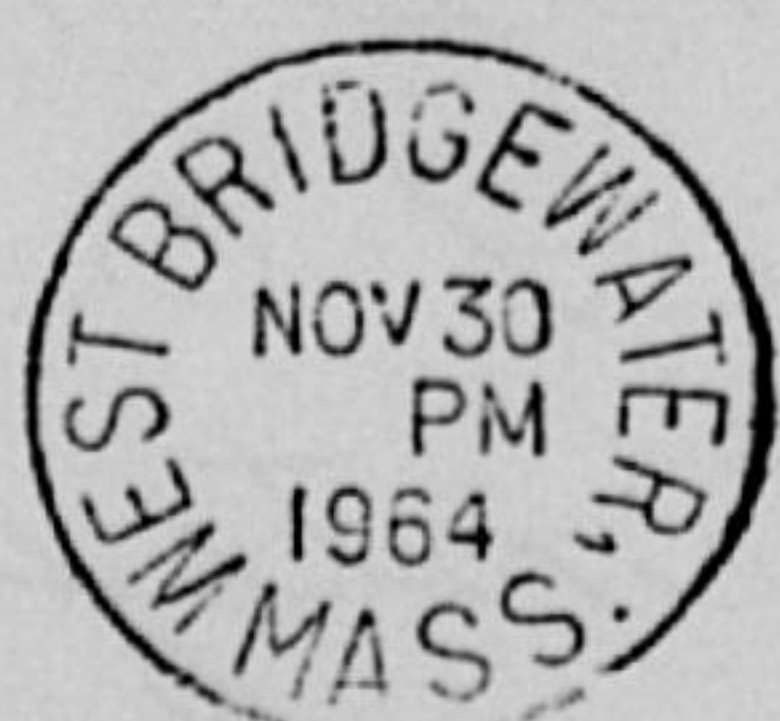
At exactly 9:04 on Tuesday November 17, 1964 in West Bridgewater Mass, I looked up at the sky to see two very strange lights. They had no definite shape and were spinning round and round at incredible speed. As they spun they came towards each other, but were too slow to be comets. It was a clear sky, there was a three-quarter moon, and the objects were 80 feet in the air, 170 yards away, and were about 2 feet in diameter. From where I stood they were  $29^{\circ}$  north and the moon was in back of me.

The same night at 9:30, another girl reported having seen a definite shape of some sort of flying object but it was definitely not a plane. It was  $46^{\circ}$  north, 100 feet in the air, and 20 yards away. It made

a noise similar to that made by the rotary blades of a helicopter. The unidentified object came from a south-west direction.

Looking up at it, the bottom of the craft looked something like this  with many different colored lights. Many girls saw this and we would like to know if you have reports of any unidentified flying objects being sighted on that day. If it was by any chance ~~we would~~ a shooting star we would like to know about it. Thank you very much. I am writing in the interest of myself and my other biology classmates.

  
for Girls



Unidentified Flying Objects  
Washington 25, D. C.

SA FOI

~~Howard School~~  
W. Bridgewater  
Mass.

8 December 1964

Dear Miss [REDACTED]:

This is in reply to your letter of November 23.

Attached is FTD Form 164 which is used for reporting unusual aerial sightings to the Air Force. This form should be filled out as fully as possible and returned to this office for further evaluation.

Sincerely,

MASTON M. JACKS  
Major, USAF  
Chief, Pictorial Branch  
Public Information Division  
Office of Information

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FTD Form 164

[REDACTED]  
W. Bridgewater, Massachusetts

# 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?

17 Nov 64  
Day Month Year

2. Time of day:

9 3  
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] for Girls W. Bridgewater Mass.  
Nearest Postal Address City or Town State or County

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

15  
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 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 d. To your left  
b. In back of you e. Overhead  
c. To your right 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 with lights
- 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 |

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: \_\_\_\_\_

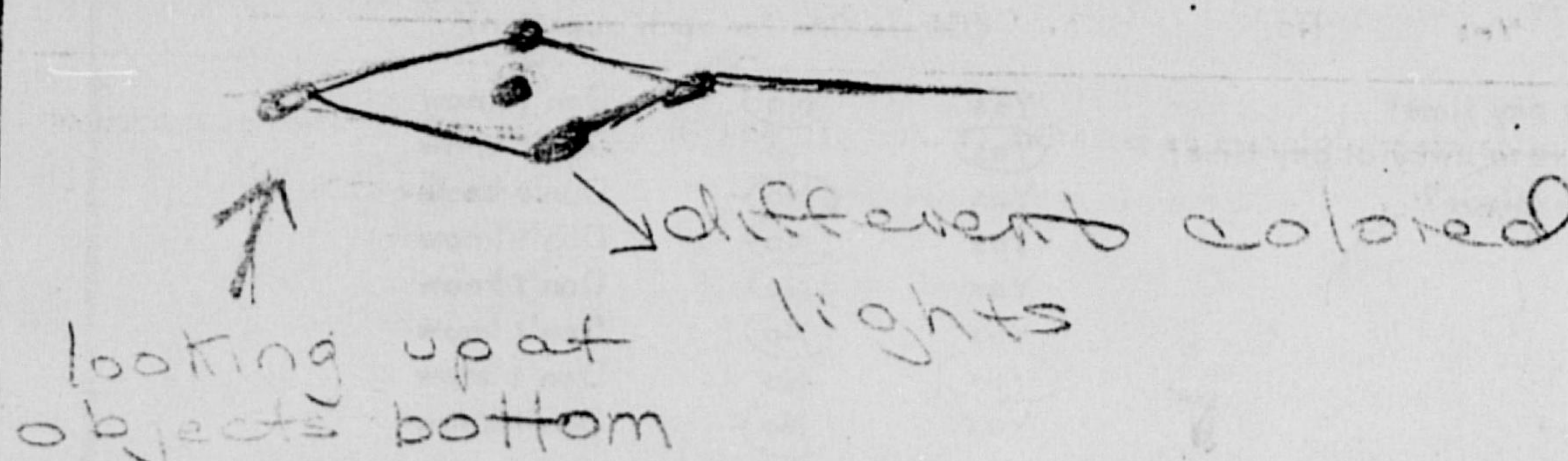
17. Tell in a few words the following things about the object:

a. Sound Made a whirling sound like that of helicopter

b. Color It was solid with different colored lights around the edges

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.



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? 20 yards

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

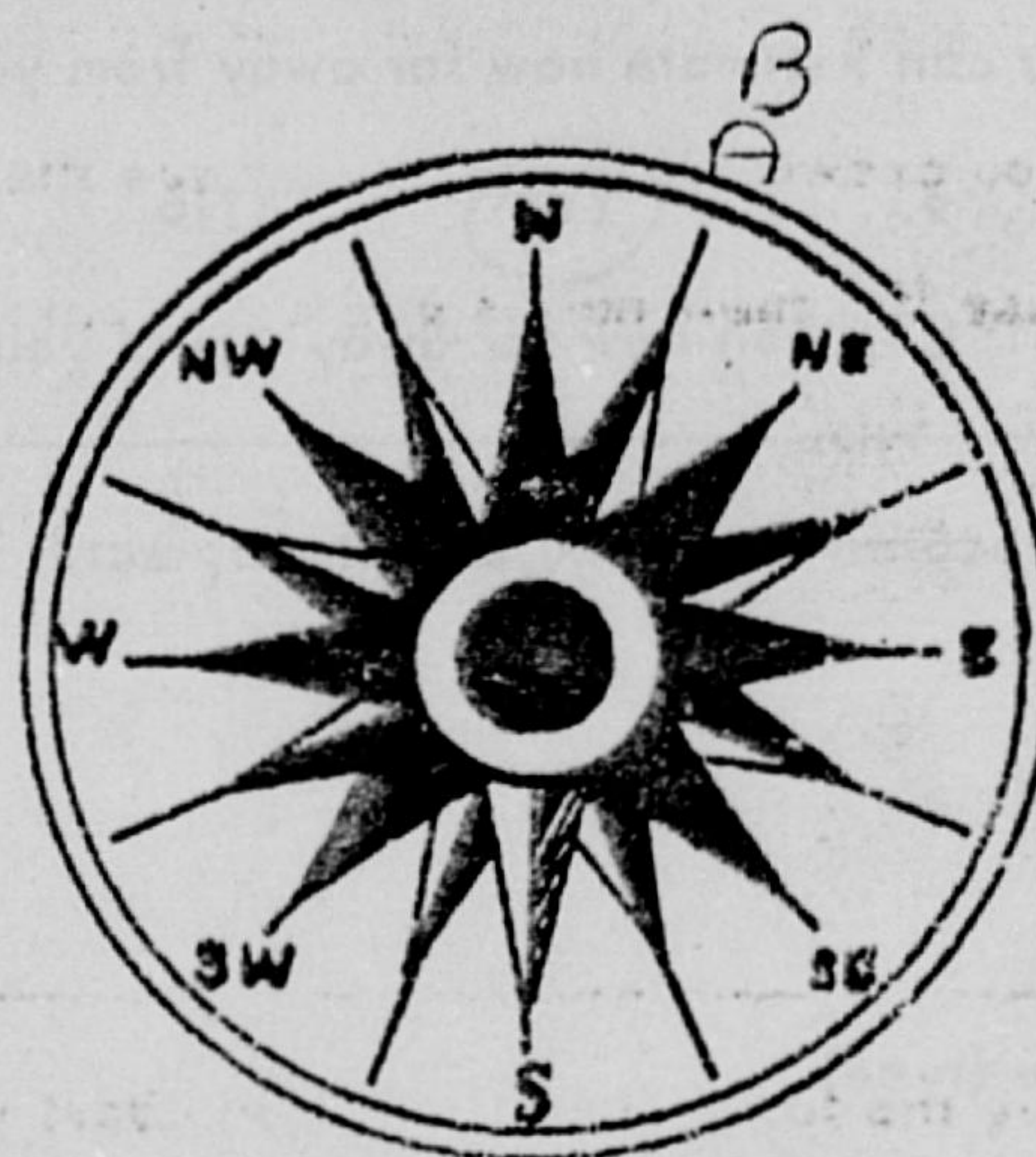
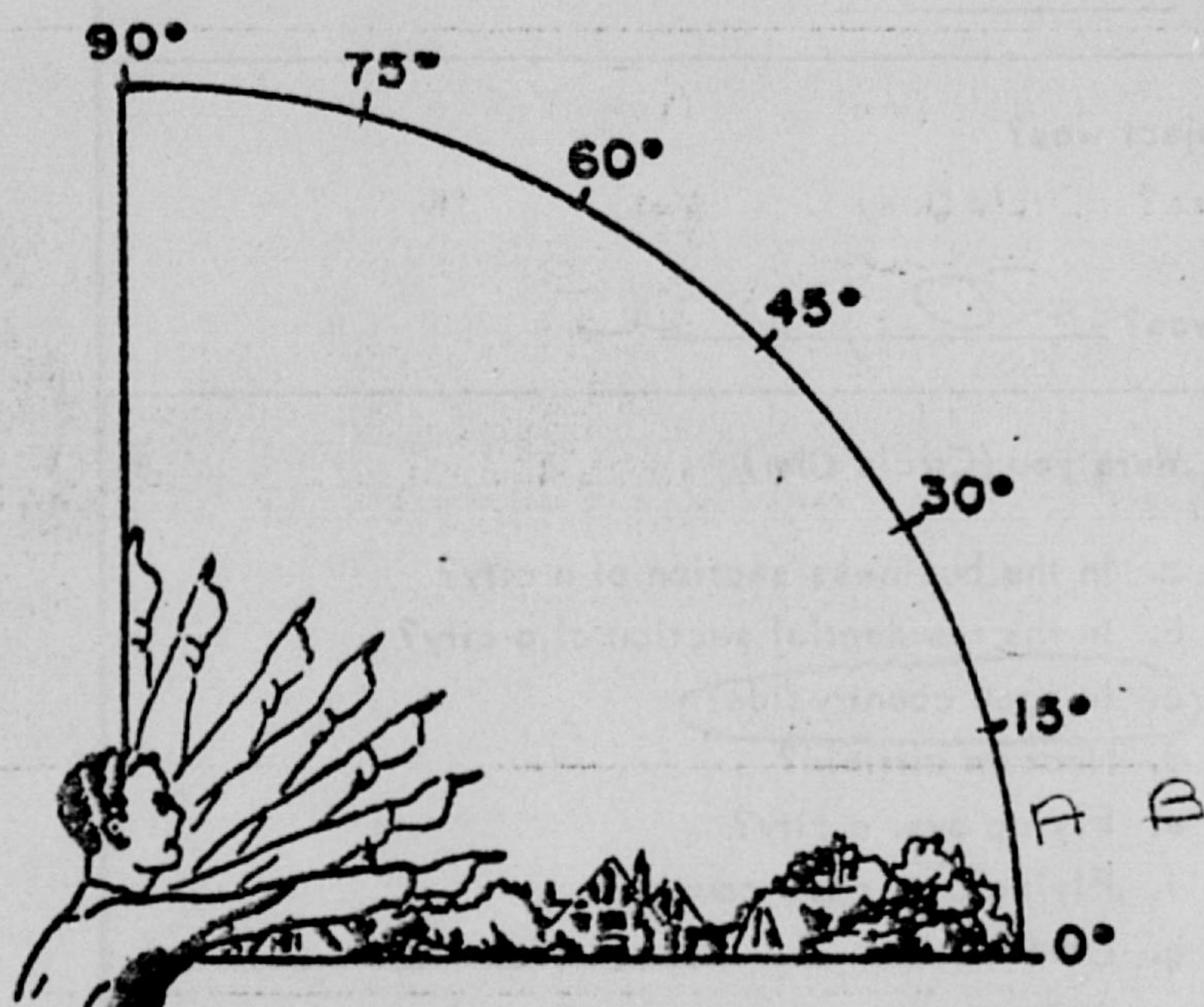
No

h. Other \_\_\_\_\_

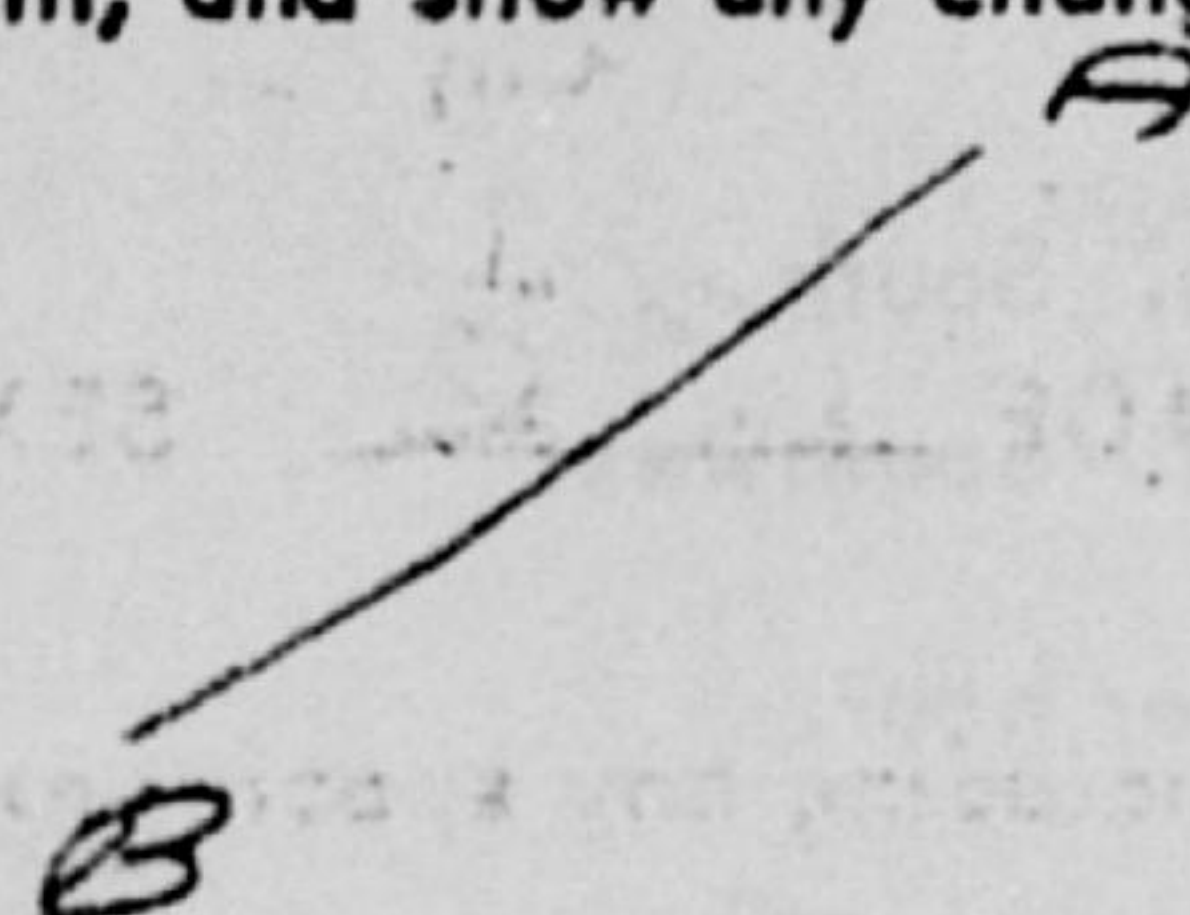
26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

Don't know of any

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:

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME

Last

First Name

Middle Name

ADDRESS

Street

City

Zone

State

Mass.

TELEPHONE NUMBER

AGE

13  $\frac{1}{2}$

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?

Tuesday November 17 1964

Day

Month

Year

To my biology teacher.

34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

Friday Dec 25 1994  
Day Month Year

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.

Dear Sirs,

As I explained in a former letter we sighted this object at my school and writing for my biology class, we were interested in knowing if anyone else had reported seeing a flying object <sup>or</sup> if you knew what it was. We are very interested to know and are anxiously awaiting your answer.

Thank you

Thank you

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20 yards away.

