

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE TIME GROUP 8- 15 Oct 66 1500Z	2. LOCATION Price, Utah (2 witnesses)
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION 1. Astro (S/P) 2. Photo: ONLY RECORDED GROUND LIGHTS
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1-2 hours	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observer stated the object appeared as a light. Object was brighter than the brightest star. The edges of the object were fuzzy and blurred. Object had no distinct sound. The Color of the object was bright orange that was glowing, the photographs were included.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual	
7. COURSE Stationary	
8. PHOTOS ☒ Yes ☐ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

FORM

FTD SEP 63 0-329 (TDE) Previous editions of this form may be used.

7 APR 66

~~8 OCT 66~~

SAF-OICC/Mrs Cassel/bp/79079/11 Mar 67

APR 11 1967

Dear Mrs. [REDACTED]:

Reference is made to your recent unidentified flying object (UFO) observation and the photographs which you submitted.

Photographic analysis revealed the following: Examination of the submitted color slides has shown the unidentified objects to be a result of an attempt at night photography with insufficient illumination of anything except several sources of lights. Although the type of light has not been determined (street light, interior lights, etc.), it was found that the image pattern and distance separating the light sources on the October 8 and October 15, 1966 frames were identical.

The photograph indicates a repetitive coverage of the exact same target or background photographed from a common point. Each exposure reveals a different shape for the light sources. This is a common photographic phenomenon resulting from camera movement which is caused by too long an exposure when the camera is hand held. The remaining two frames of April 7 and October 8 although showing a different pattern of light sources, exhibit camera movement also.

The description of your visual observation is consistent with that of an astronomical observation. To obtain a photograph of an astronomical body requires high speed films and a tripod to prevent camera movement. Your slides are inclosed; thank you for submitting them to us for analysis.

Sincerely,

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GEORGE P. FREEMAN, JR.
Lt Colonel, USAF
Chief, Civil Branch
Community Relations Division
Office of Information

Attachments

8 slides for

Mrs. [REDACTED]

COORDINATED BY (Officer's Name, Grade, Date)	
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Reader cy - SAF-OIC
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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
HEADQUARTERS FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIVISION (AFSC)
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE, OHIO 45433



REPLY TO
ATTN OF: TDETR

SUBJECT: UFO Photographs

OCT 12 1966

TO: Mrs. [REDACTED]

1. Reference your letter of 2 October 1966, regarding slides of unknown objects photographed over Price, Utah, on 7 April 1966. If you wish to submit your original slides to our office for analysis we will return them along with a print of each negative after the analysis has been completed. Request you also complete the enclosed FTD Form 164 describing your observation and forward both to our office.

2. The following information on your camera will be most helpful in evaluating the photographs:

- a. Type and make of camera. Iloca - Quick A 35MM
- b. Type, focal length, and make of lens.
Iloca - Jlitir-Anastigmat .V.1;3,5 .F=45MM
- c. Brand and type of film.
Kodak Kodachrome II Color Film K 135-20
- d. Shutter speed used.
Information enclosed in envelopes
- e. Lens opening used; that is "f" stop.
F 3
- f. Filters used.
No
- g. Was tripods or solid stand used.
No
- h. Was "panning" used.
No
- i. Exact direction camera was pointing with relation to true north, and its angle with respect to the ground.
Northeast 15° & 25°
- j. If supplemental information is unobtainable, the minimum camera data required are the type of camera, and the smallest and largest "f" stop and shutter speed readings of the camera.

FOR THE COMMANDER

Louis de Goes
LOUIS DE GOES, Colonel, USAF
Deputy for Technology & Subsystems

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FTD Form 164

Price, Utah
Oct. 2, 1966

Mr. Hester Quintanilla, Jr. Major , USAF
Chief, Project Blue Book
Wright Patterson AFB
Dayton, Ohio

Dear Sir;

This letter is concerning unknown objects. I sighted the objects over Price, Utah , on April 7, 1966, and took a picture of them. At the time I did not know if my camera would take anything that far away and at night but it did , and I have two colored slides of these unknown objects taken at 9:45 p.m. The objects were just hovering low in the sky and were flashing off and on, so I shouldn't tell if I got a picture of it or not , so I took two to be sure that I had gotten something.

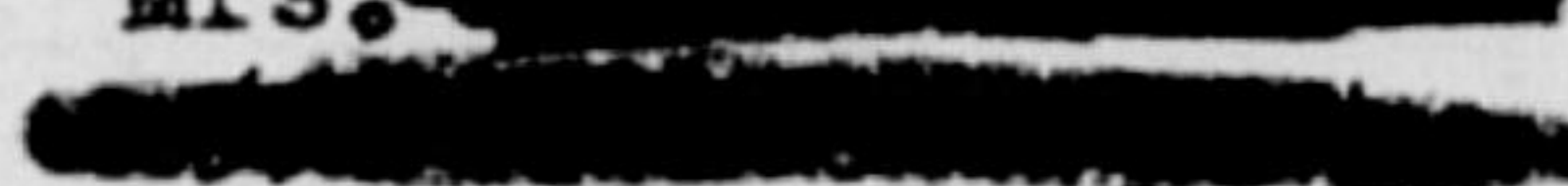
I was very much surprised when I got the slides developed and could see the shape and how vivid they were in color, also you can see the designs on three of them. In slide No. 2 you can count about 15 of these objects, The largest object was flashing from silver to orange. They have been sighted , as far as I know, 3 different times over our City by different people at different times, after I have taken these slides.

If these slides would be of any help to our Government in their " Project Blue Book"

I have no idea what these things are , but there are too many of them being sighted for the people not to know what they are. I would very much like to know.

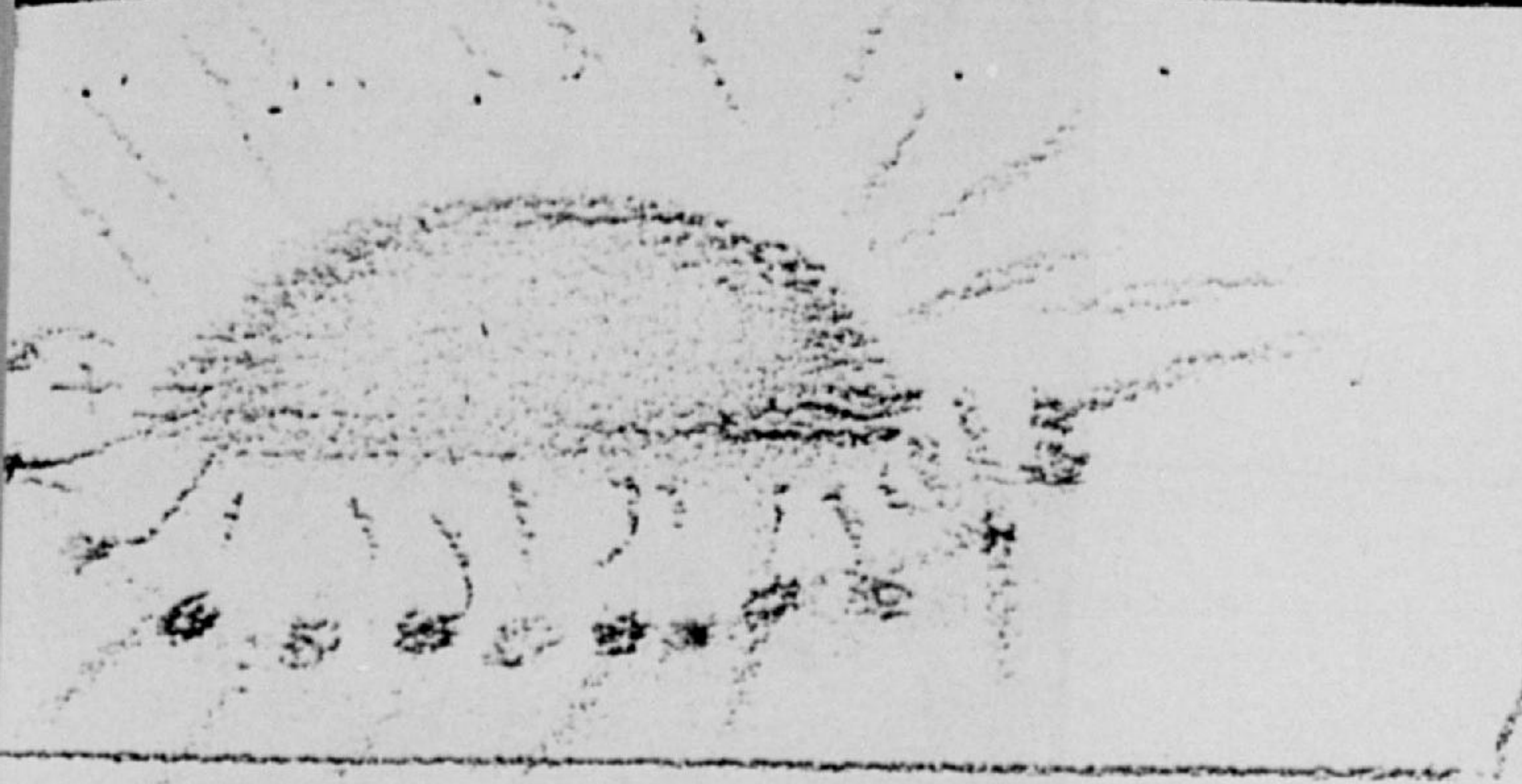
If these slides are of interest to you, I would appreciate hearing from you.

Sincerely yours,


Mrs. 

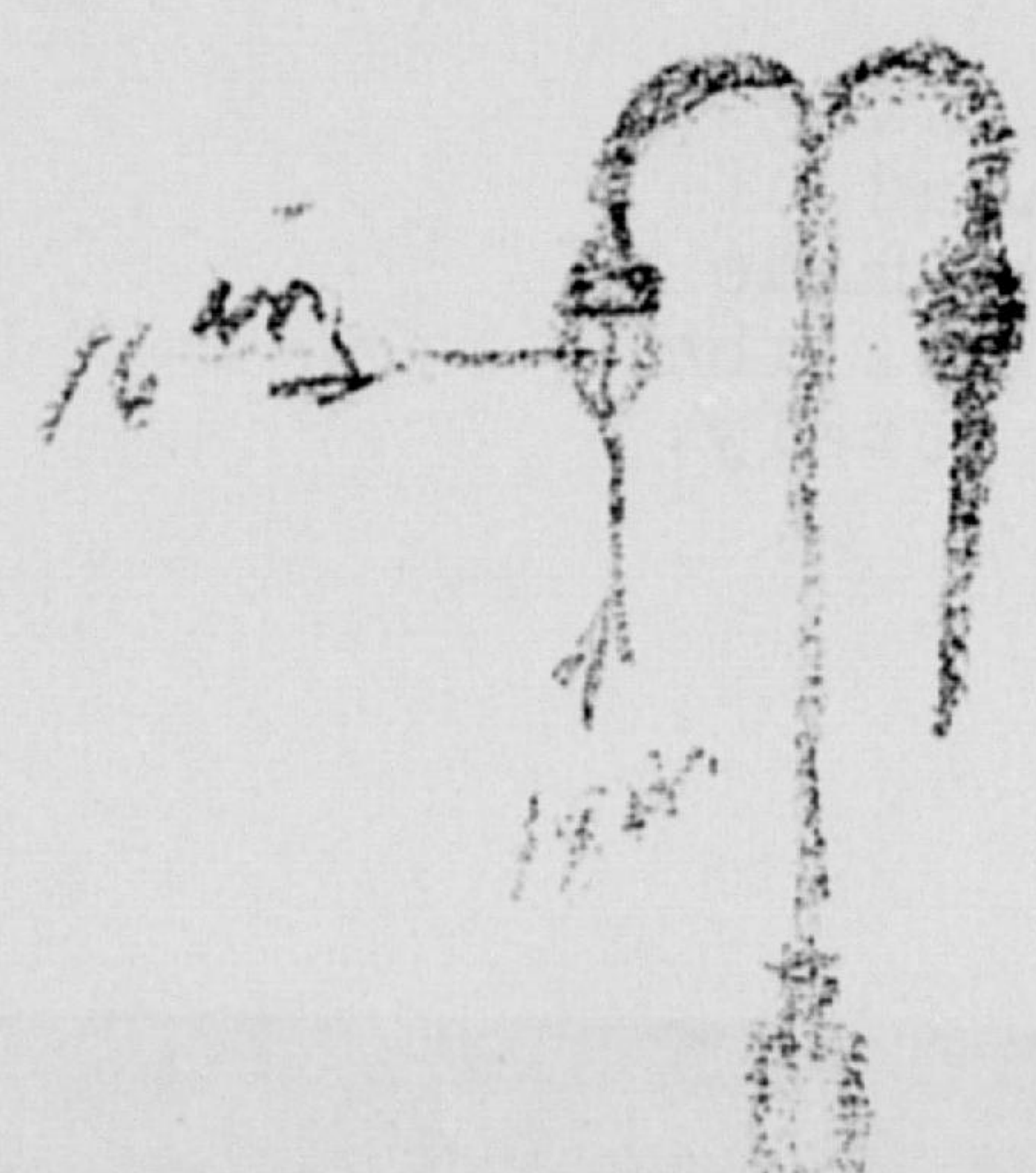
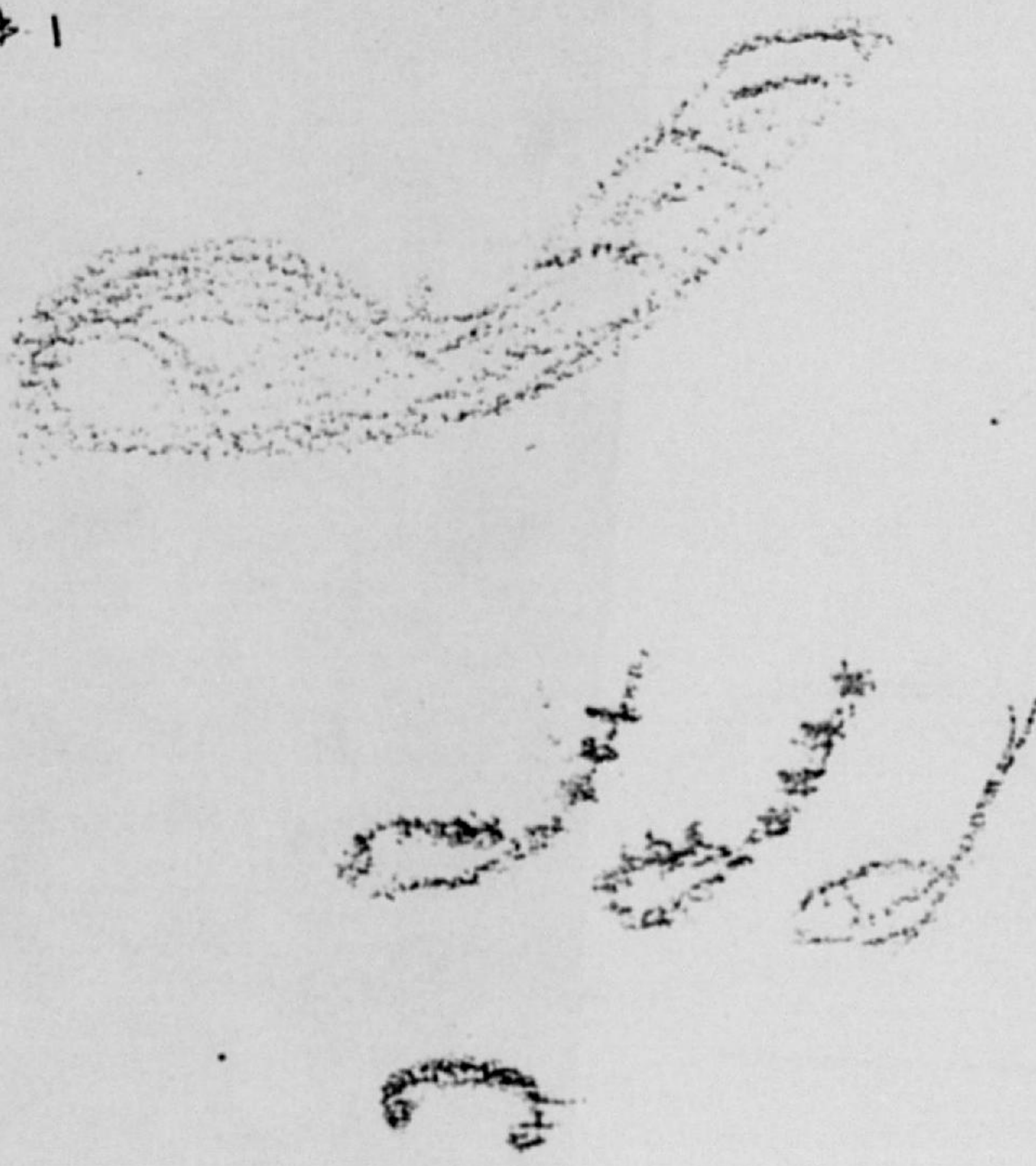
Price, Utah 84501

Phone No. 637-1773



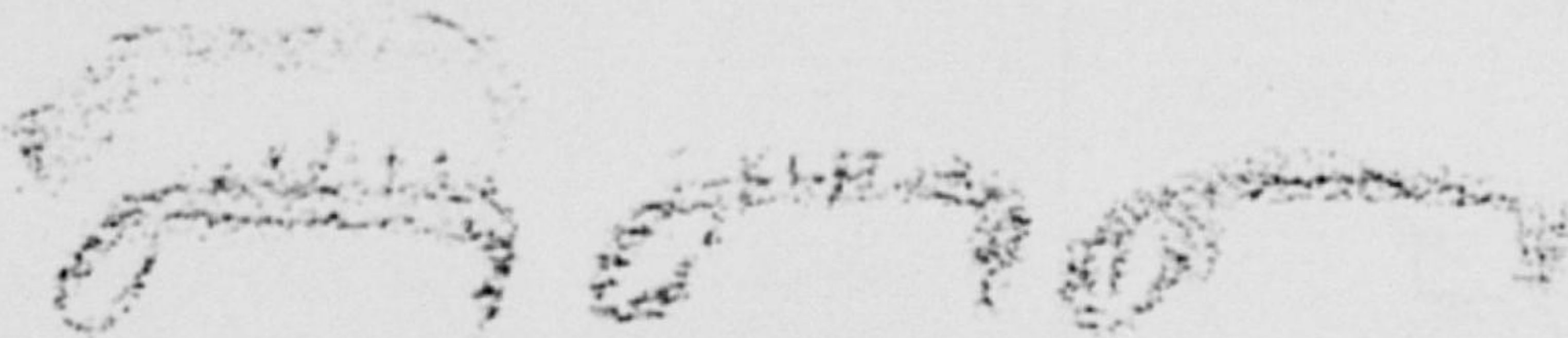
← The way it looked
With Naked eye
Apr. 7. 1966

Slide #1



This is a sketch of a street l
and by holding a stick match a
the match covers one light. I
the object in the sky on Apr
match would not have cove

Slide
#2



of a street light about 430 feet away
a stick match at arms length the head of
rs one light. If this test had been made of
the sky on April 7, 1966 the head of the
not have covered the object completely.

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? | Yes | <u>No</u> | 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? | <u>Yes</u> | No | Don't know |
| f. Change shape? | <u>Yes</u> | No | Don't know |
| g. Flash or flicker? | <u>Yes</u> | No | Don't know |
| h. Disappear and reappear? | <u>Yes</u> | No | Don't know |

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?

7, April, 1966
8, Oct. 1966
15, Oct. 1966

Day

Month

Year

2. Time of day: 9:00 P. M. to 10:00 P. 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?

55 No. 3rd East

Nearest Postal Address

Price,

City or Town

Utah

State or County

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

1 to 2 Hours

Hours

Minutes

Seconds

a. Certain X

b. Fairly certain

c. Not very sure

d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined? I checked my watch when first sighted.

5.2 Was object in sight continuously? Yes _____ No X

6. What was the condition of the sky?

DAY

a. Bright

b. Cloudy

NIGHT

a. Bright

b. Cloudy

X

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

14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how? Yes
 The lights on the object went out and I could not see it anymore.

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
 b. Color Bright glowing Orange 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?

On October 15th sighting I held a stick match at arms length and the head of the match covered the object.

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.

Drawing enclosed.

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

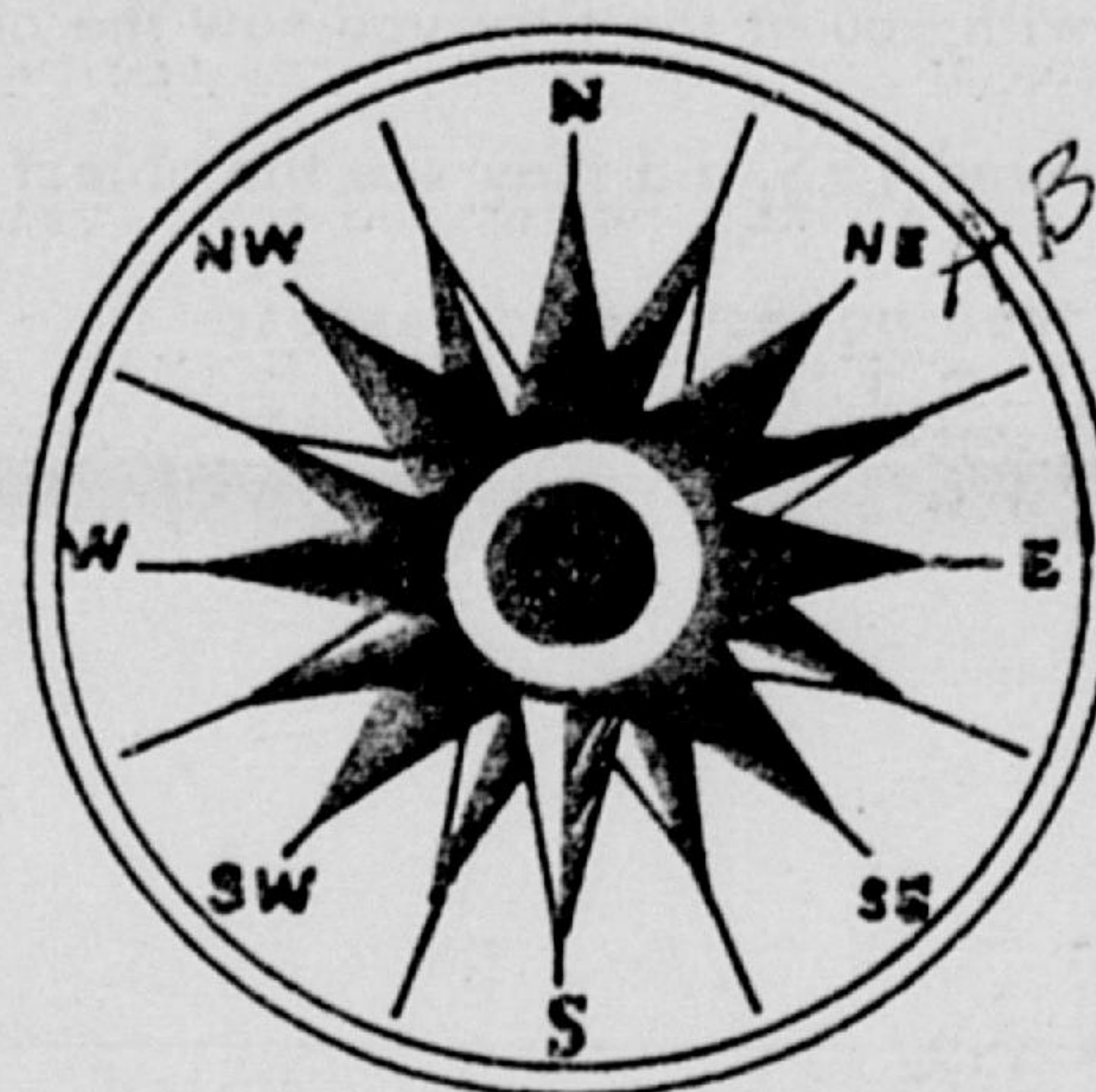
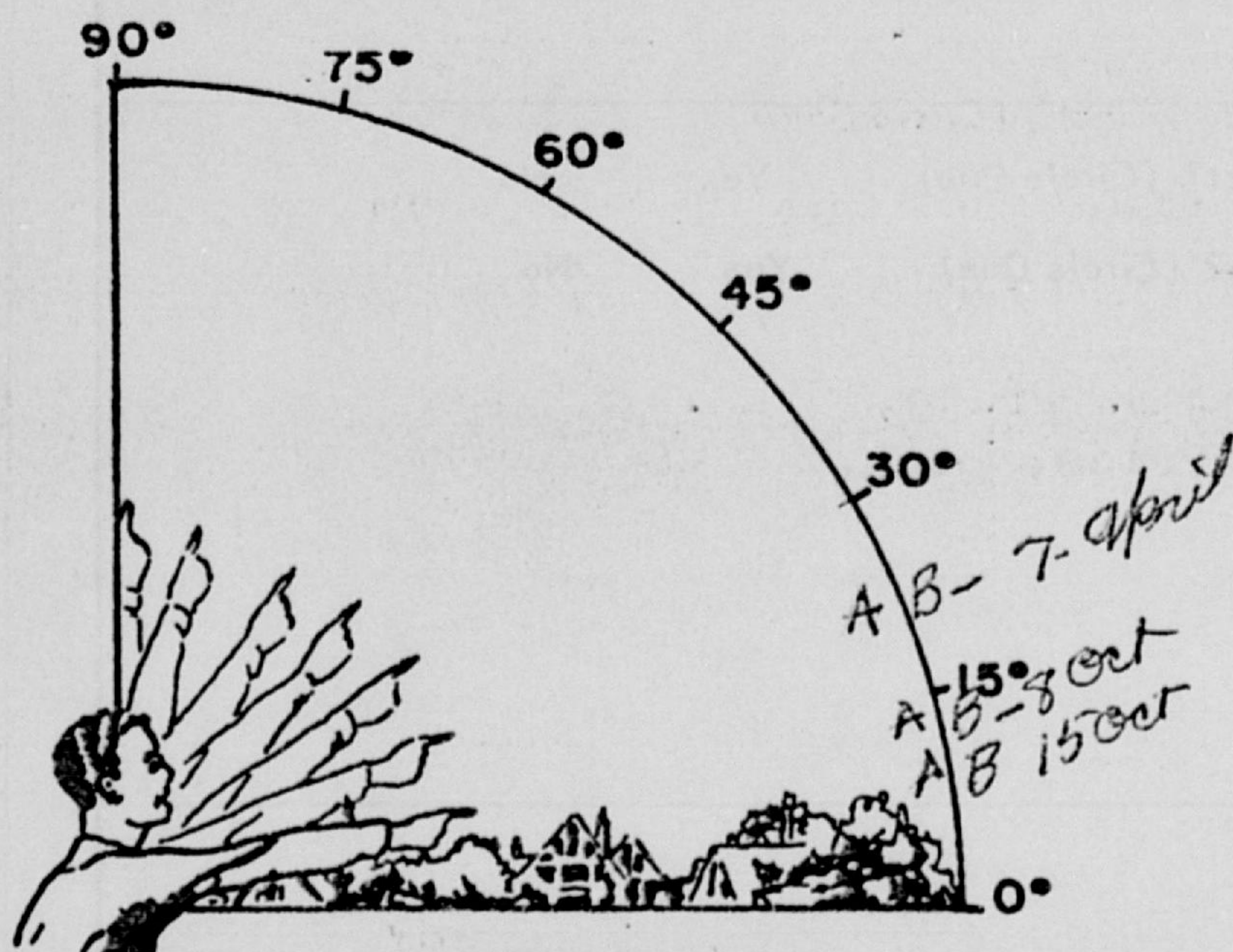
Yes

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.

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.

Photographs enclosed.

30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location.
April 7, 1966, Oct. 8, 1966 and Oct. 15, 1966.
in about the same location.

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] 55 [REDACTED] Price, Utah.

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
Last Name First Name Middle Name

ADDRESS [REDACTED] Price, 84501 Utah
Street City Zone State

TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] AGE 60 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?

Day

Month

Year

PHOTO ANALYSIS REPORT

NR 67-12

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DATE OF REPORT 28 February 1967

SUBJECT UNIDENTIFIED FLYING OBJECT

LOCATION Price, Utah

DATE 7 April 1966, 8 October and
15 October 1966

PHOTOGRAPHY

AF IR QUALITY Poor

P NRS (6) 35 mm color slides, (6) prints (B&W)

1. PURPOSE: This report is in reply to a request submitted by Major Quintanilla (TDETR) to determine the identity of the object photographed.

2. ANALYSIS: Examination of referenced color slides has shown the "unidentified objects" to be a result of an attempt at night photography with insufficient illumination of anything except several sources of light. Although the type of light has not been determined (i.e. street lights, interior lights etc.), it was found that the image pattern and distance separating the light sources on the 8 October and 15 October 1966 frames were identical.

a. Source stated that these were isolated or individual sightings, but the photography indicates a repetitive coverage of the exact same target or background photographed from a common point. Each exposure reveals a different shape for the light sources. This is a common photographic phenomenon resulting from camera movement which is caused by too long an exposure when the camera is hand held. The remaining two frames of 7 April and 8 October 1966, although showing a different pattern of light sources, exhibits camera movement also.

PHOTO ANALYSIS BY:

Douglas Rogers

DOUGLAS ROGERS
Intelligence Research Specialist

APPROVED BY:

William L. Turner

WILLIAM L. TURNER
Major, USAF
Chief, Photo Analysis Branch

Wilber Price, Jr.

WILBER PRICE, JR.
Chief, Photo Exploitation Division

34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

29,

Oct.

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.

Sketches and explanations are enclosed.

On April 7, 1966 I took two pictures, on Oct. 8, 1966 I took six pictures and on Oct. 15, 1966 I took six pictures each time within the time it takes to turn the film in my camera. With the naked eye the object looked about the same each time. However after the films have been developed no two of the pictures are the same.

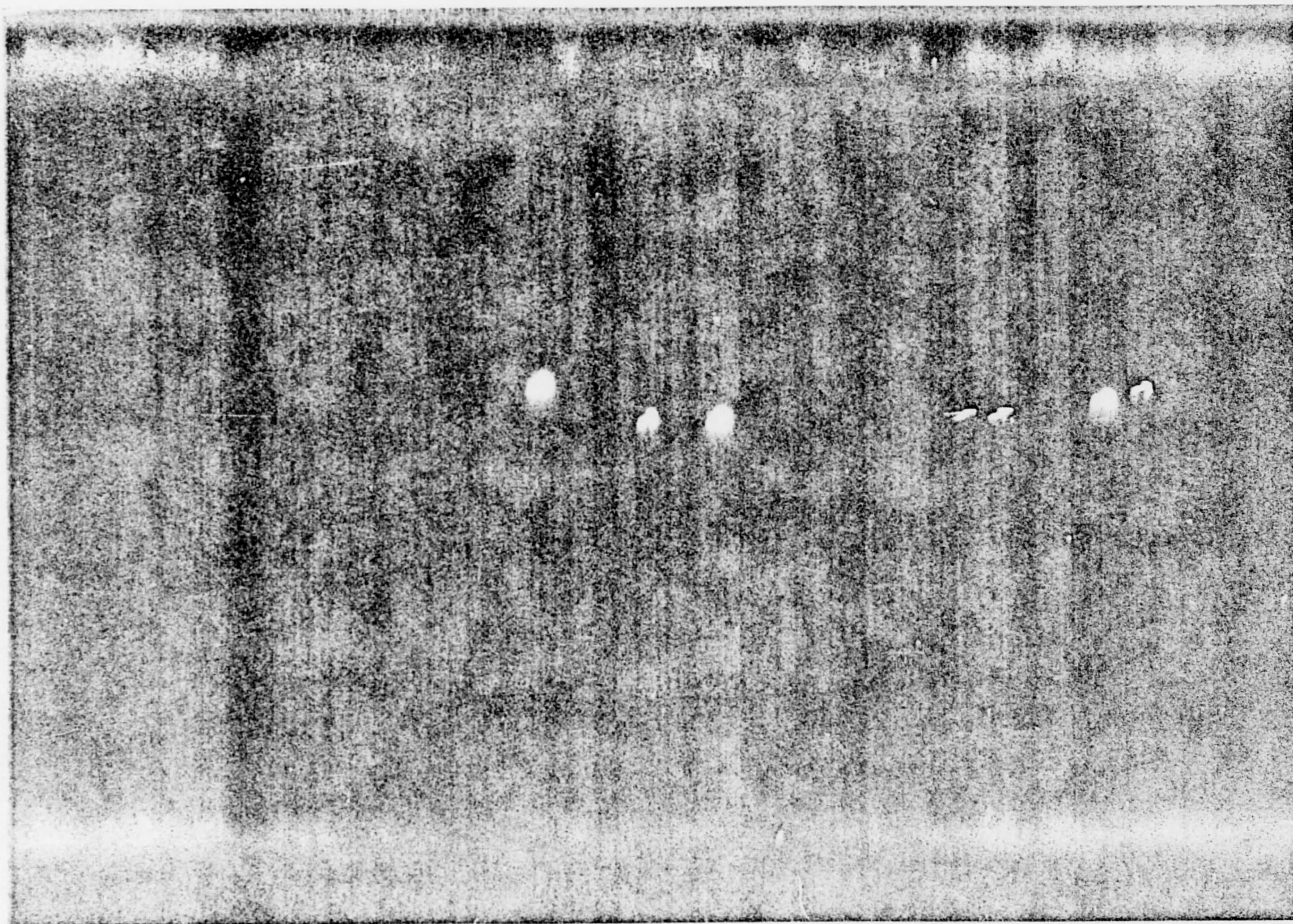
Can you explain the reason for this difference in the slides?

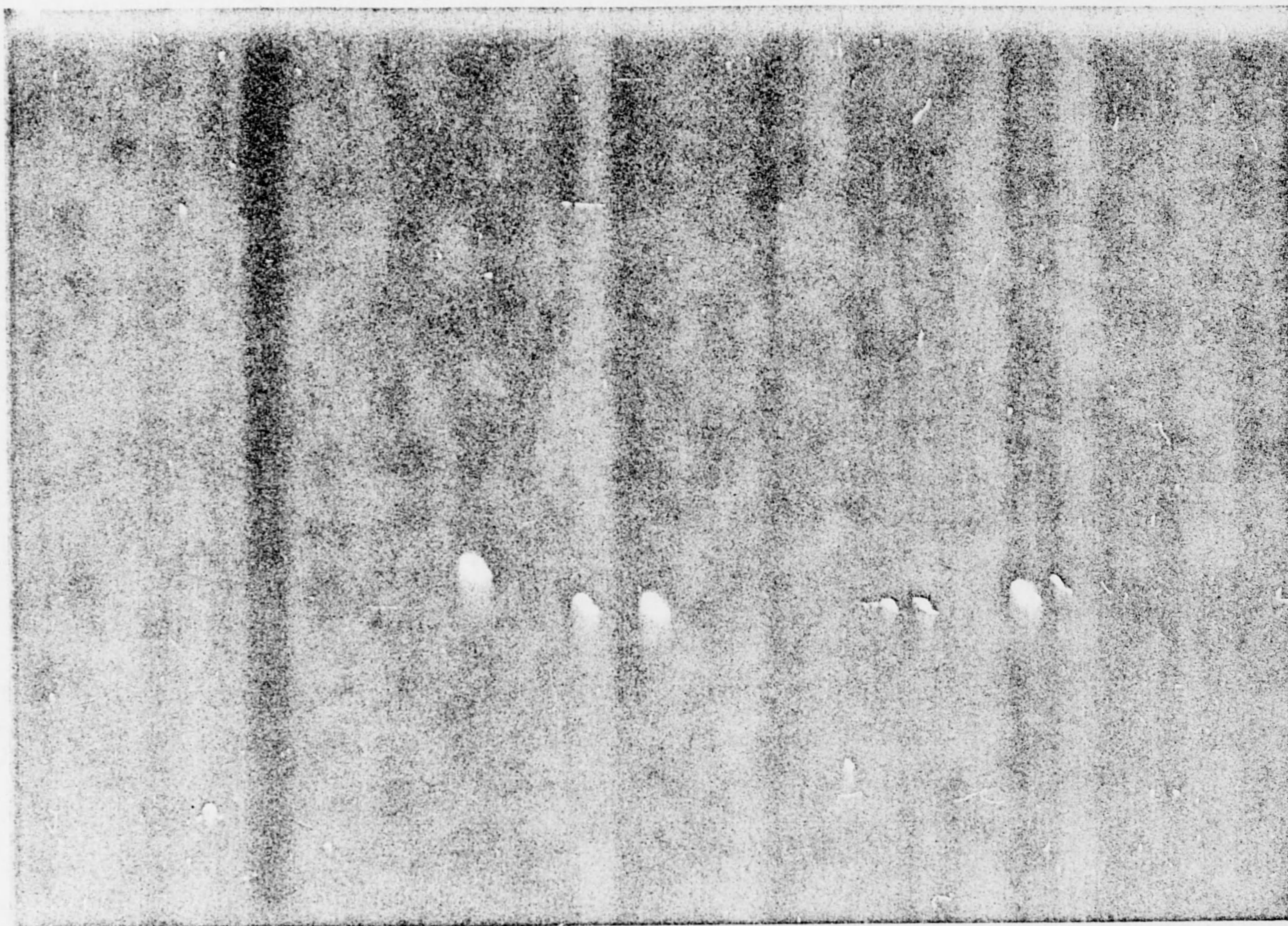
I am sorry that I do not have the original slides which I took on April 7, 1966 as I let someone have them just the day before I received this questionnaire. I am enclosing a copy of the original slide. I will have the original slide back at a later date.

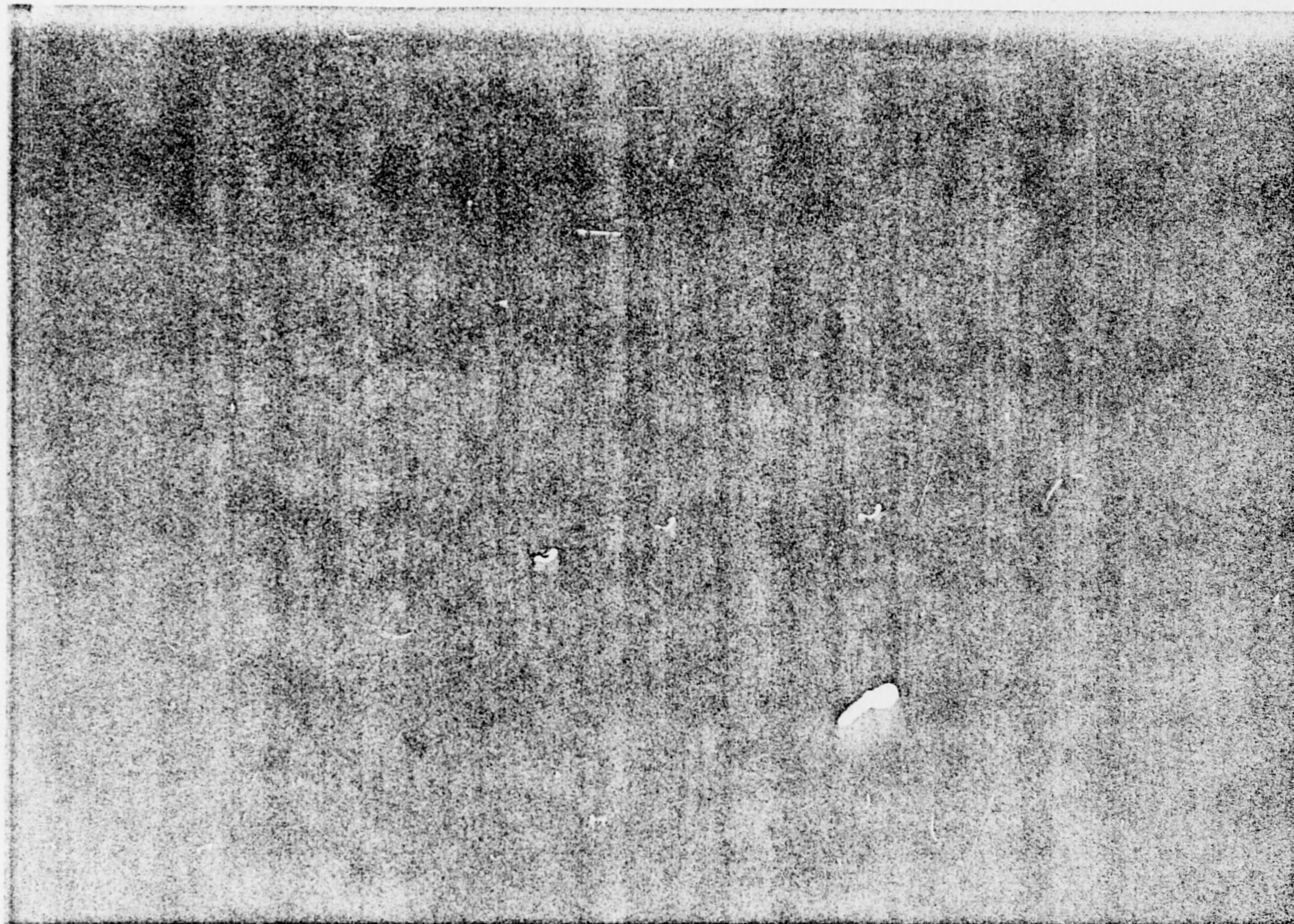
The enclosed slides of the Oct. 8th and Oct. 15th sightings are the original slides.

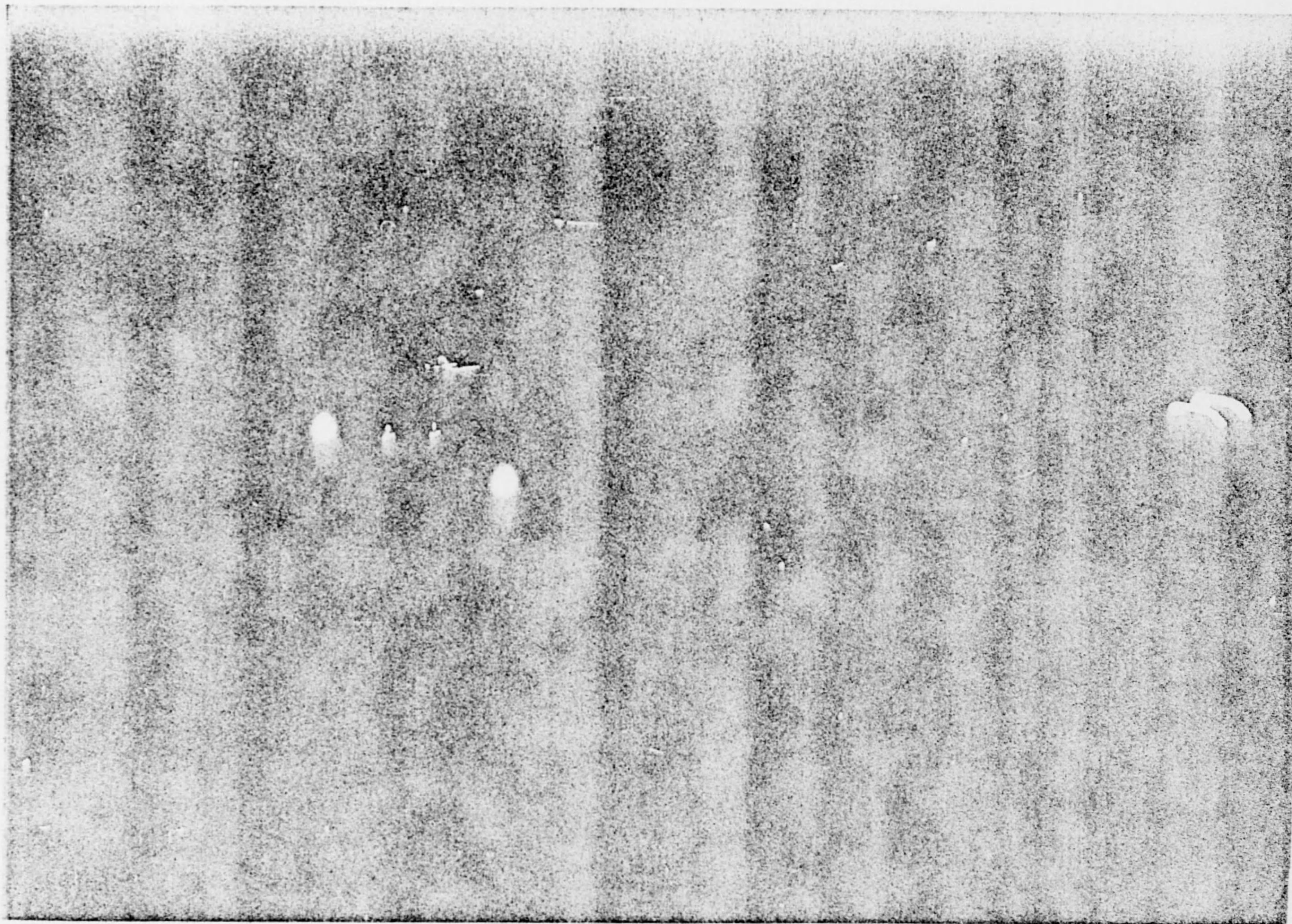
I will appreciate your returning these slides when you are thru with them.

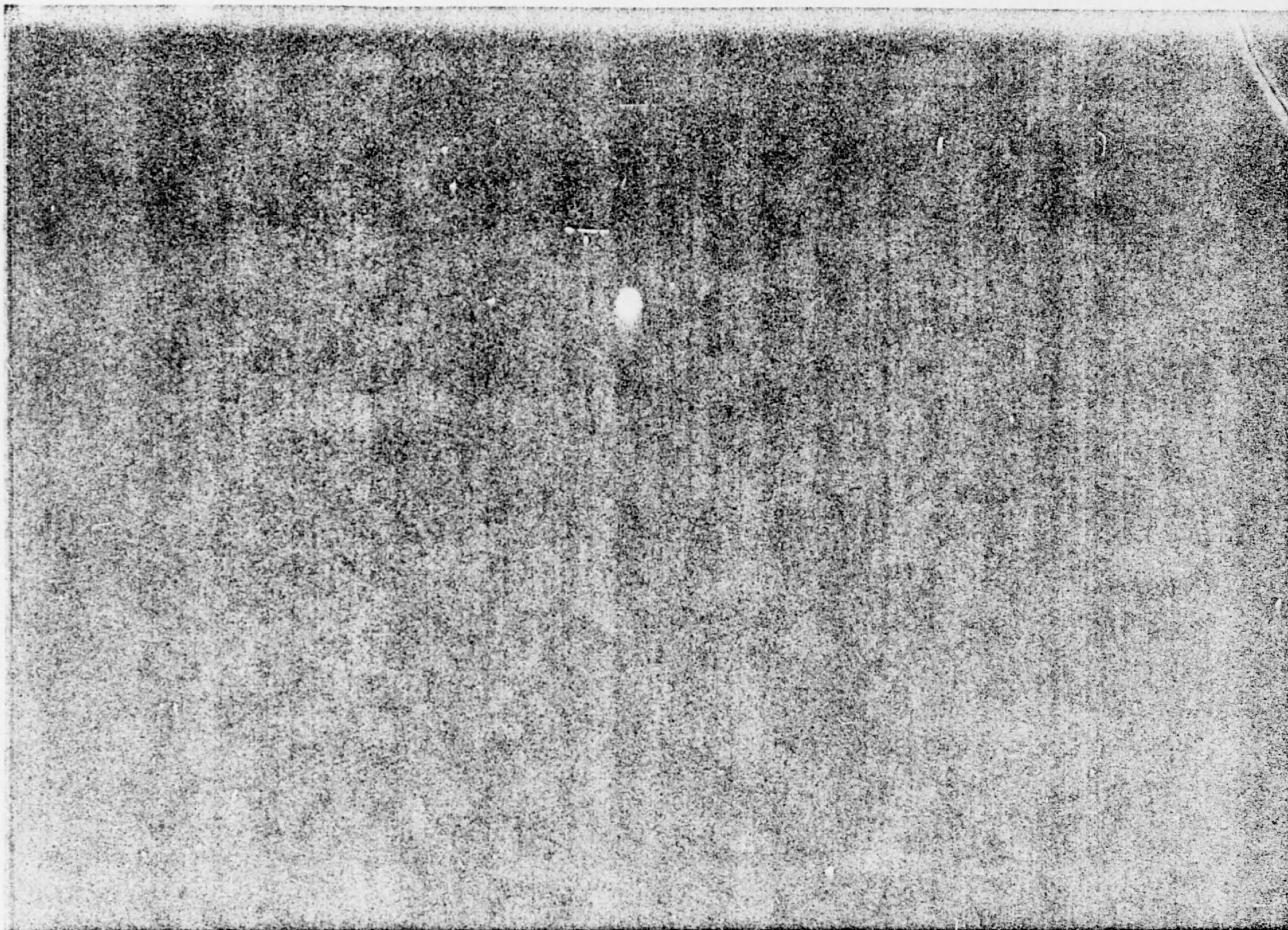
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of motion picture film and 15
8" x 10" photographs.

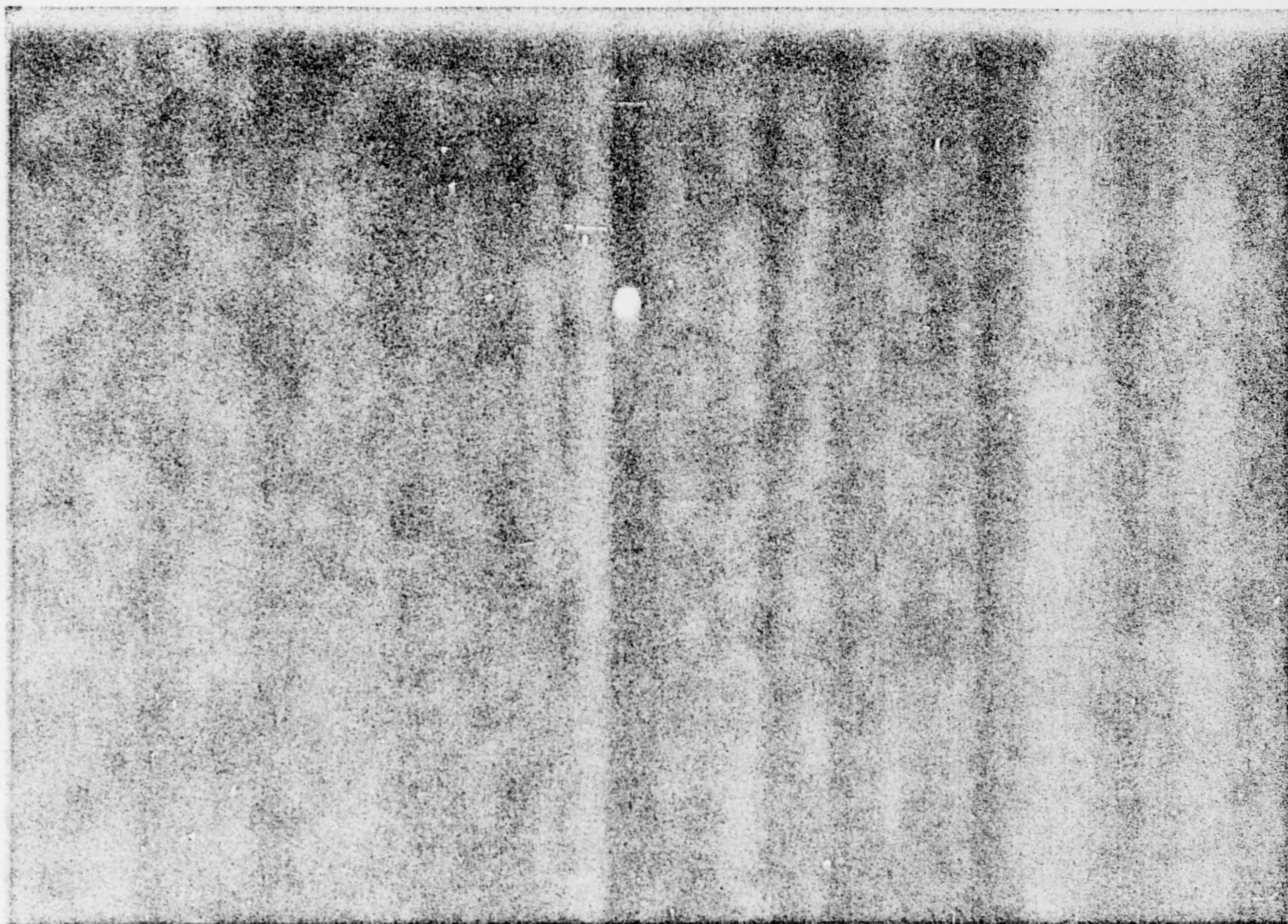






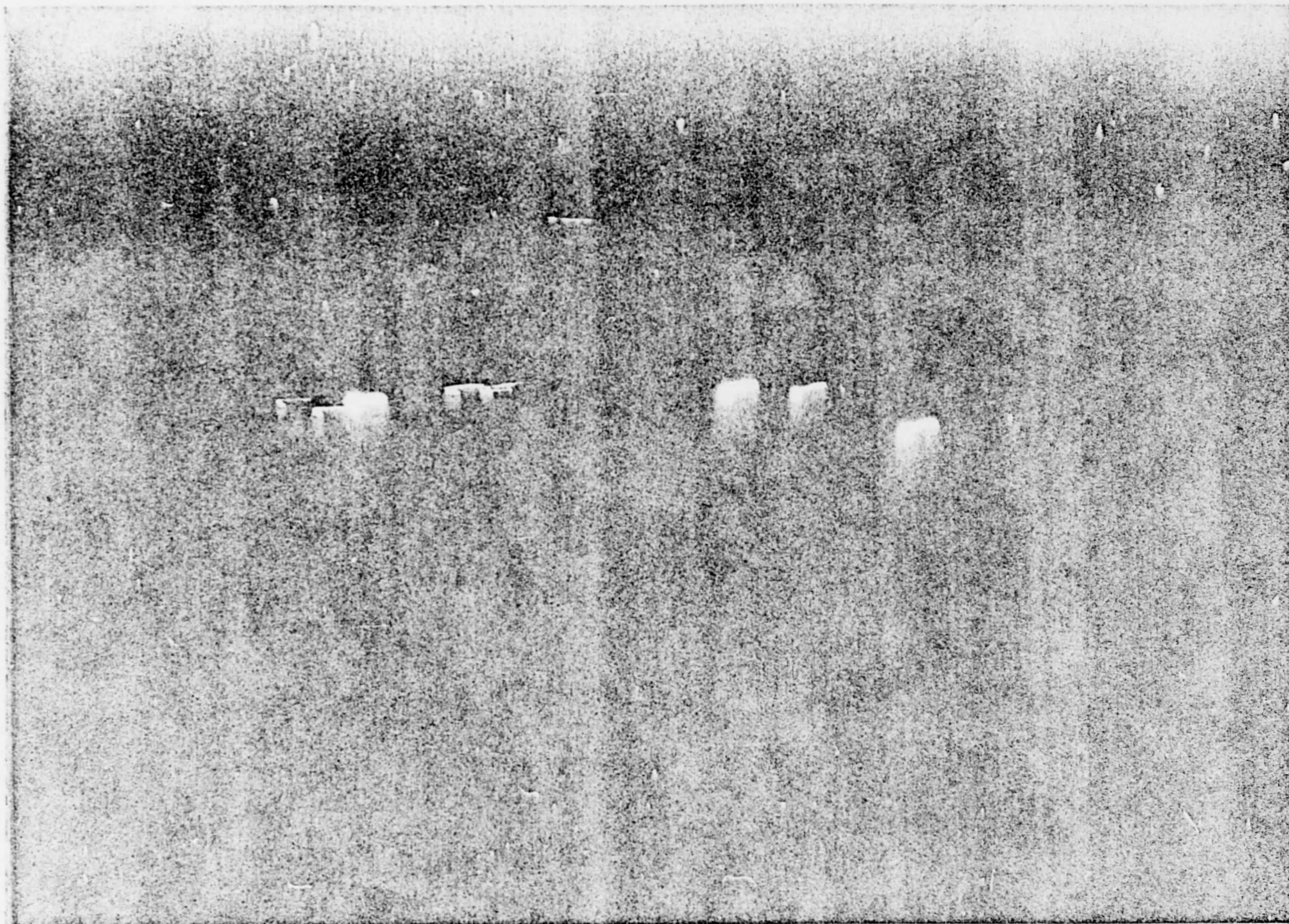


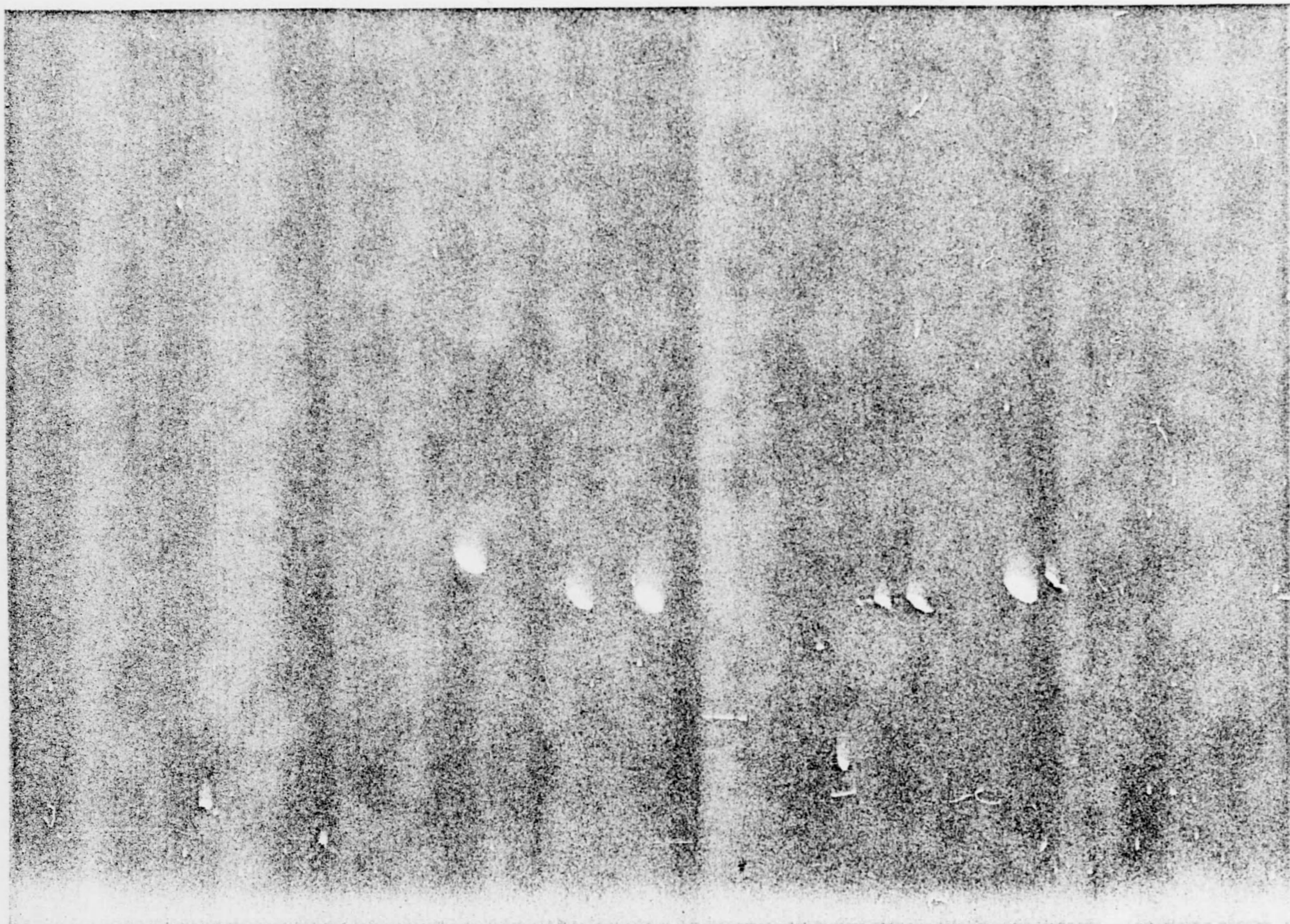


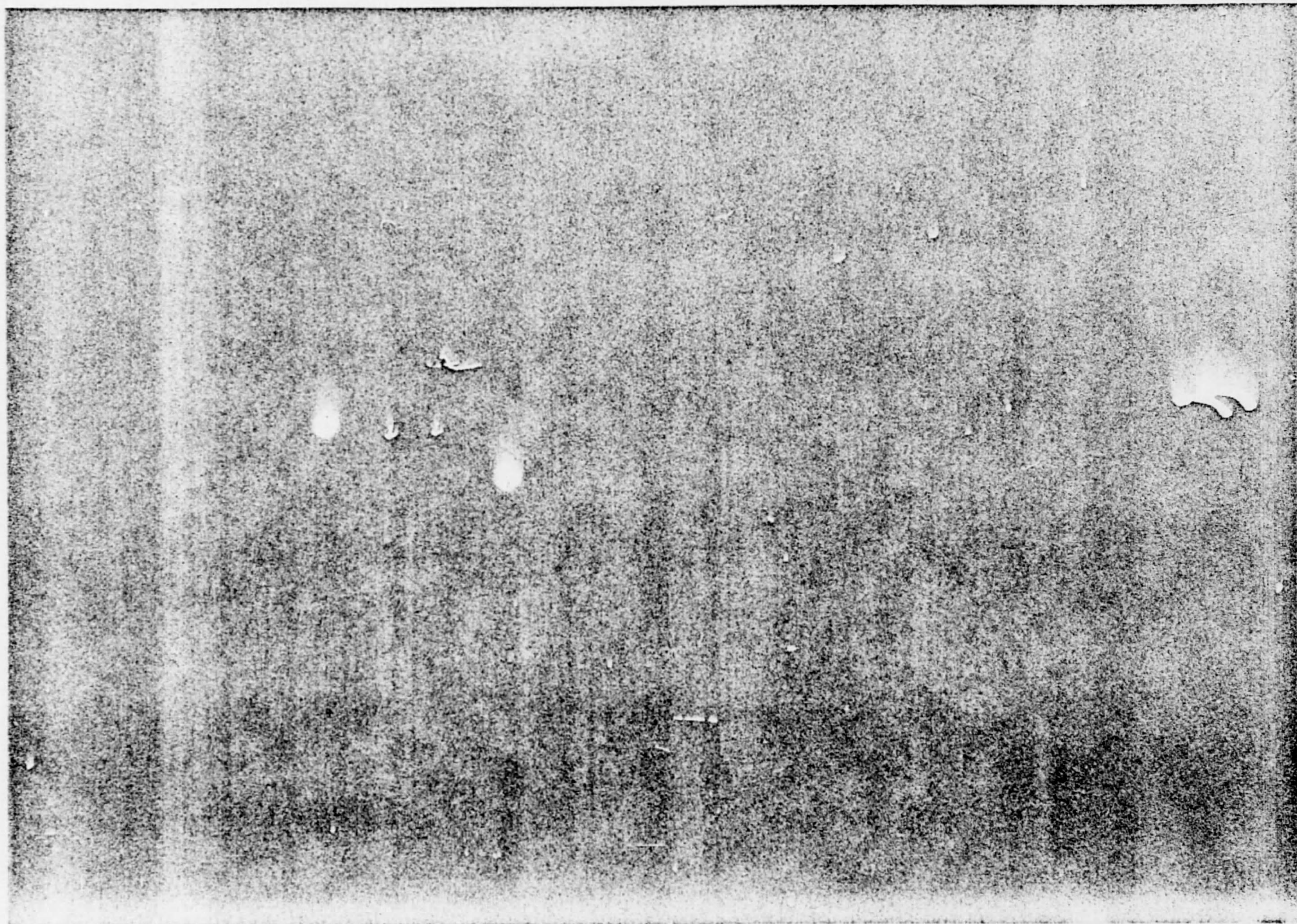


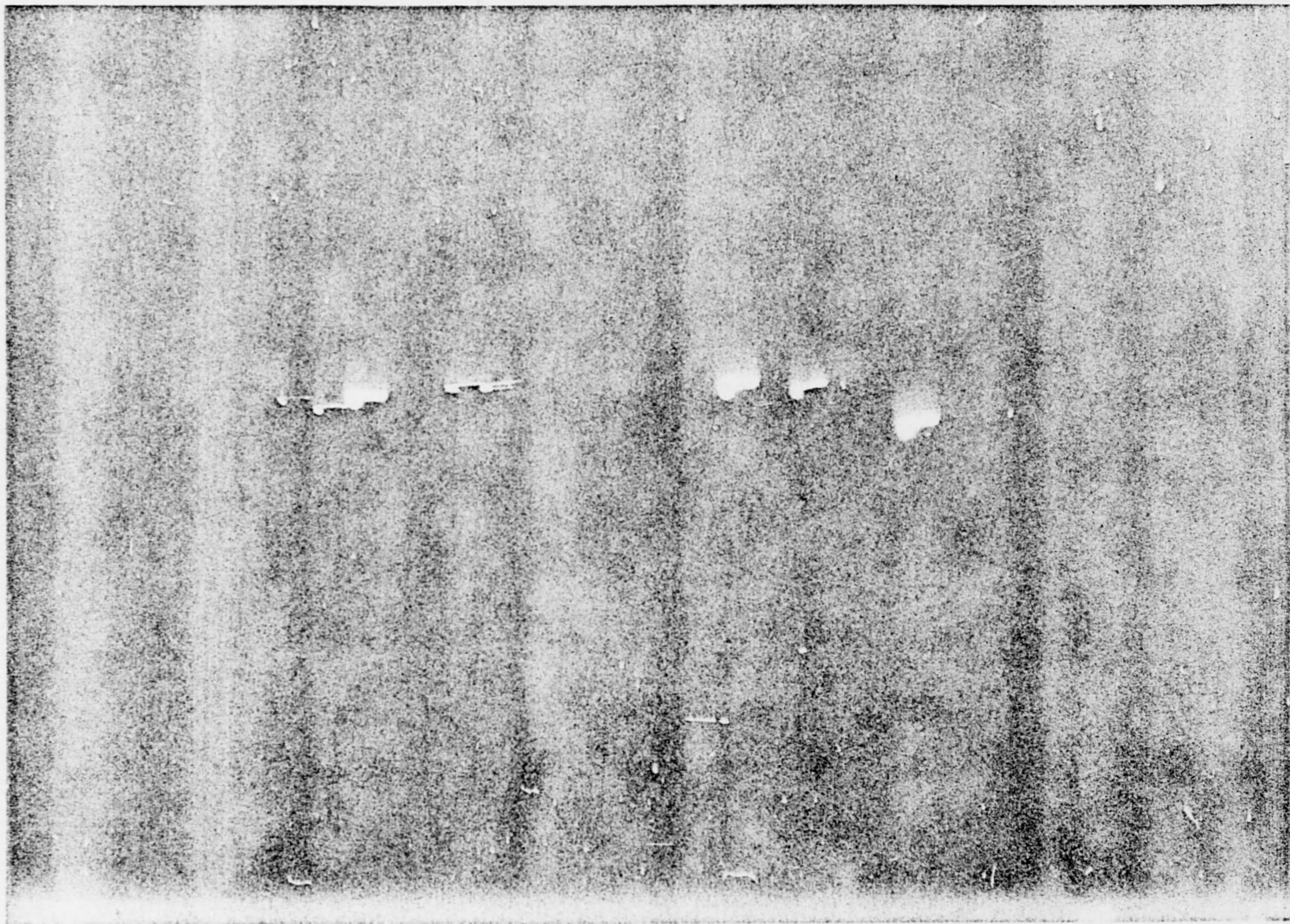


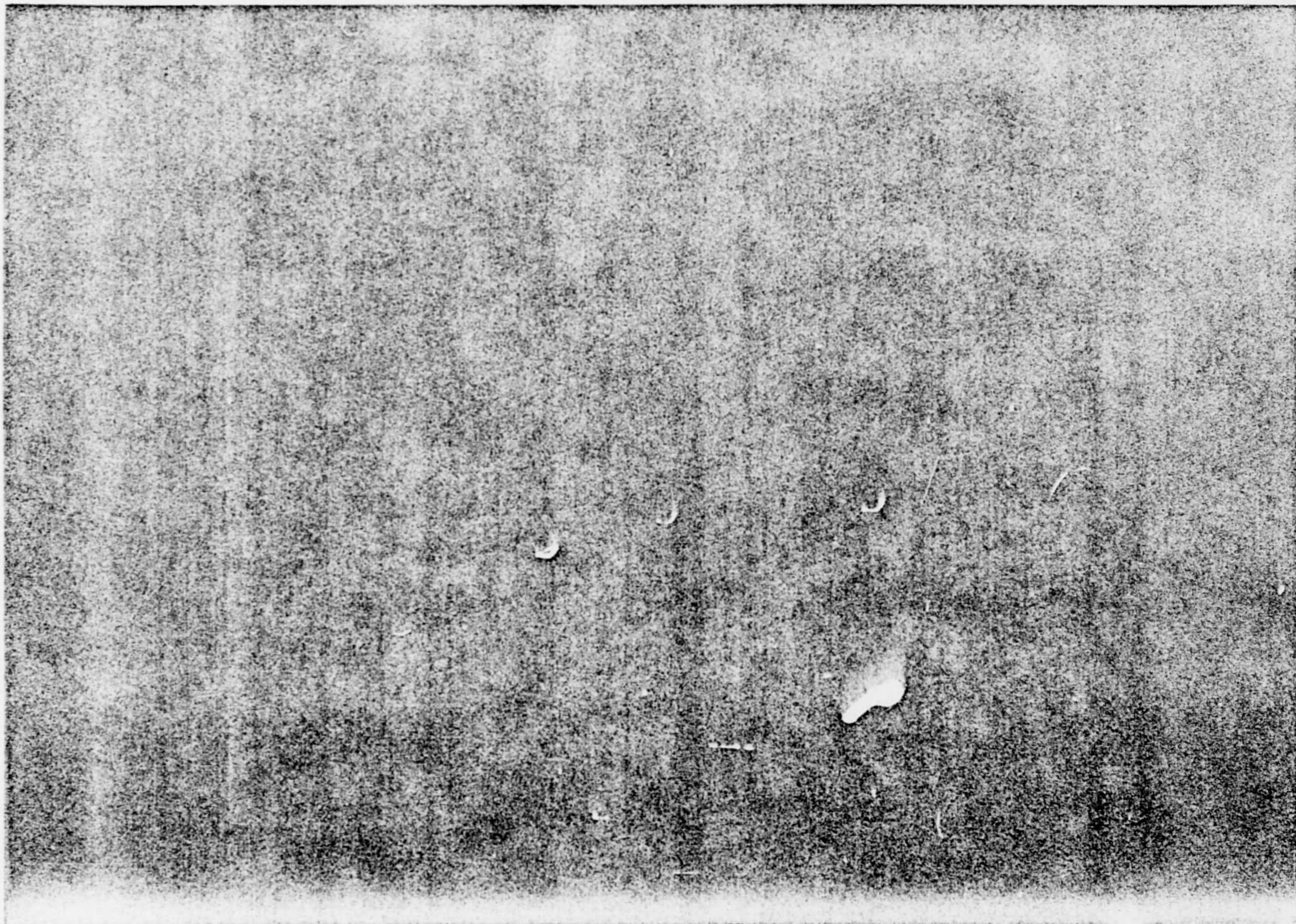


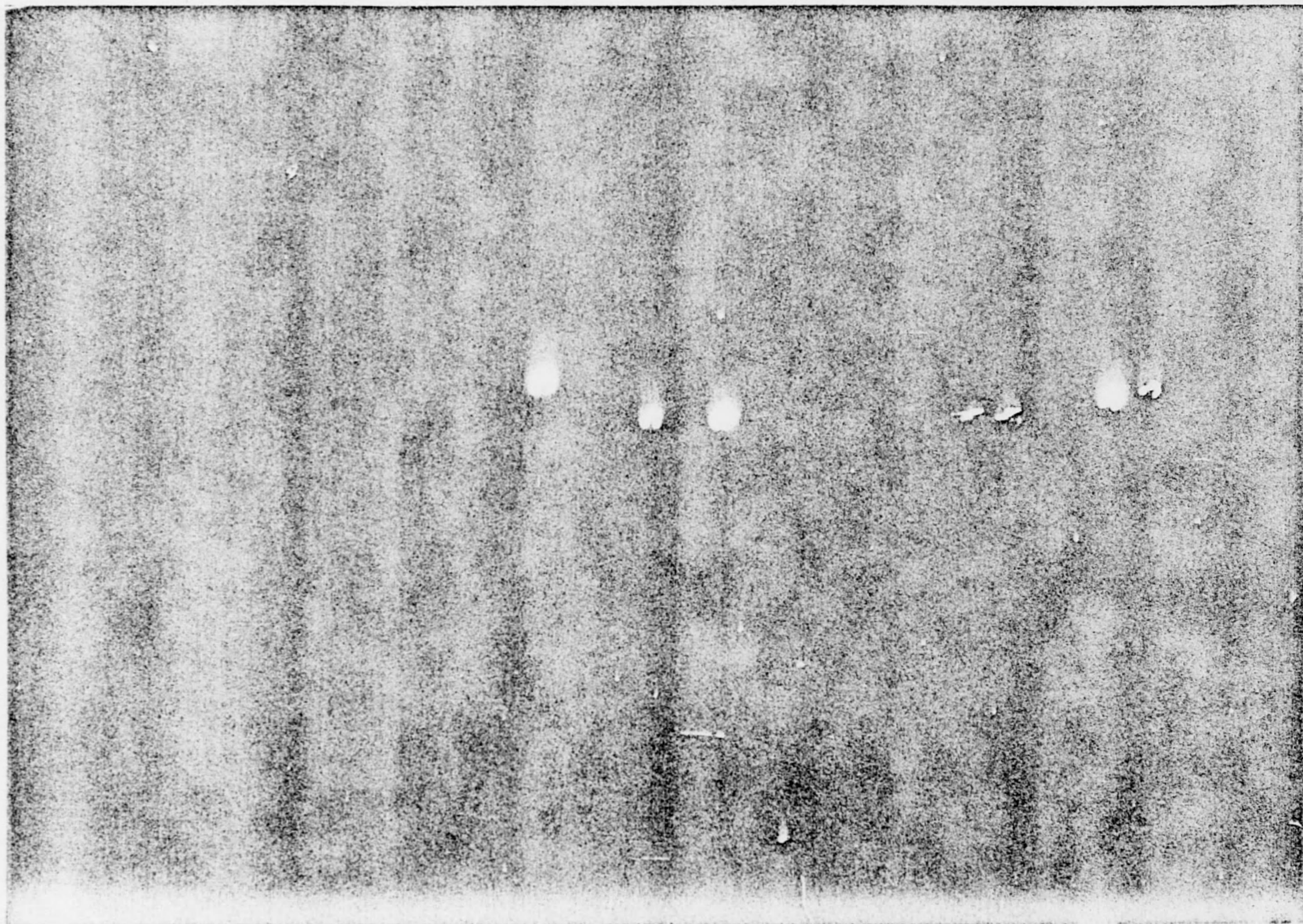


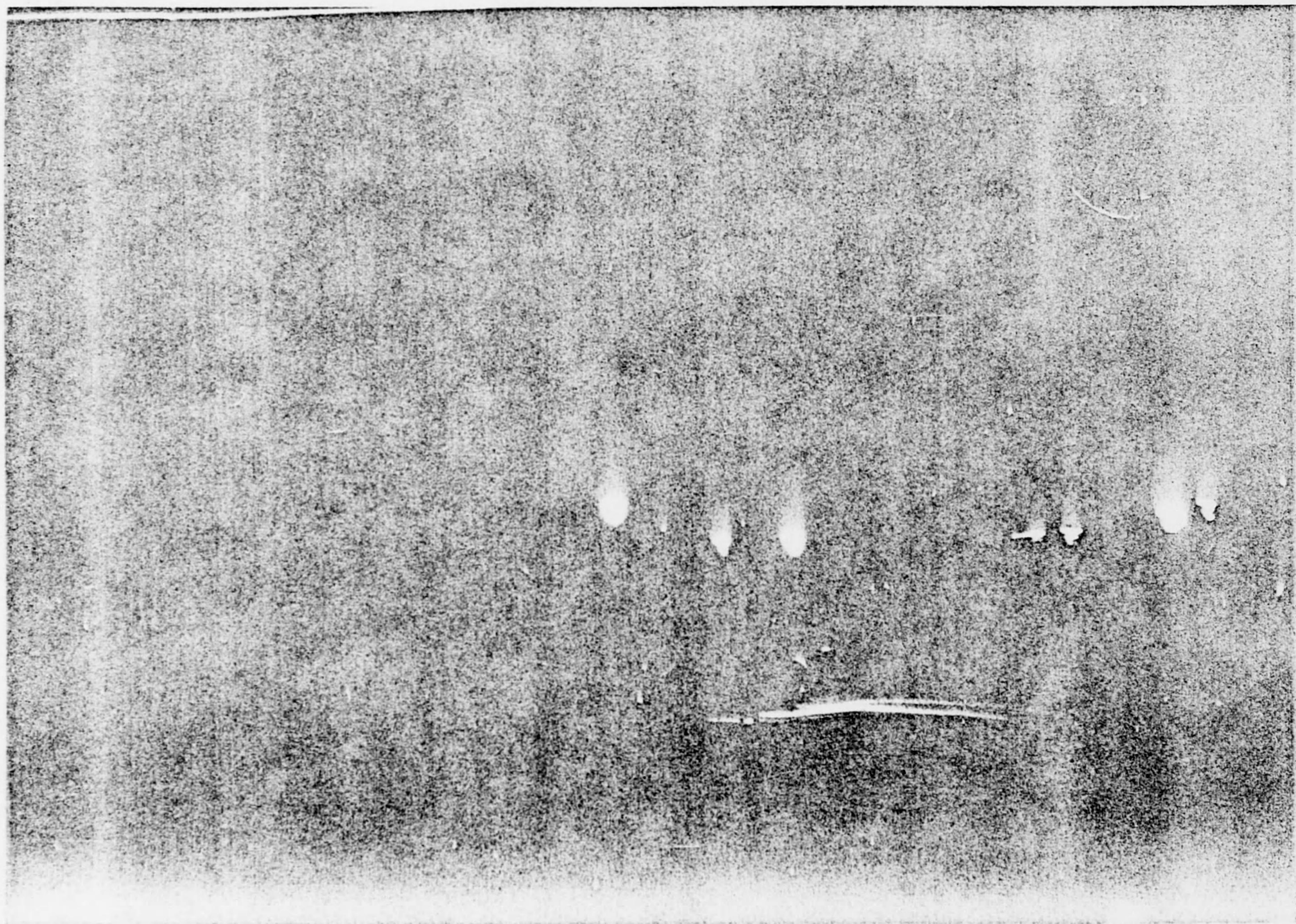












2 prints of
each slide

Over Price, Utah
April, 7, 1966
Time. 9:45

This is a copy slide of the slide photographed on
April, 7, 1966 This slide that I am enclosing to you is made
from placing the original slide in my projector and placing
it on the screen. I was able to photograph back and this is
is that slide.

Camera, "F" stop 3, and the Vero shutter speed used. 1/25
feet, 25

the copy slide made with the same only 6 feet

2 of each slide

Over Price, Utah
October 15, 1966
time 8,30 P.M.

Oct. 15, 1966

I sighted the object at about 8:00 P. M. and
and watched it until about 10:00 PM.

I took these pictures at about 8:30 P. M./

Iloca Camera F 3 , Vero Shutter speed at B
25 feet.

2 prints of each
slide

Slide of Price, City and of the moon

One enclosed slide shows the portion of the City taken from my front yard facing in the same direction as the slides of the object in the sky.

The object in the sky appeared above the trees in the center of this picture and about the highth of the trees above these trees.

The other slide is one I took of the moon to see how it would compare in size and brightness with the other objects.

The camera setting for the moon picture was the same as the setting used for the other objects.

I am sending this as additional information for you.

October, 8, 1966

Camera, "F" Stop 3, and Vero shutter speed used. 1/100
25, feet,
I am enclosing 3, slides

and these were taken at the same time and all I could
see in the sky was a big bright flashing orange light,

Weather conditions, clear sky, weather dry, dark night
no sound.

2 prints of
each slide

Over Price, Utah

October-8, 1966
Time 10.P.M

UFO Seen Over Price

Reports of UFOs (unidentified flying objects) are not confined to Wasatch Front areas. Such sightings also have been reported in the Price Area.

Mrs. Ann Anella, who lives a mile southeast of Price, reported seeing a lighted object in the air first on Sept. 1 then again on Sept. 22. She reports the object, appearing to be like a shining light, was traveling southward.

Thursday, October 6, 1966

THE SUN-ADVOCATE, PRICE, UTAH