

PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 8 Jan 67 9/0010Z	2. LOCATION Detroit, Michigan one MULTIPLE
3. SOURCE Civilian	10. CONCLUSION Aircraft(possible) ✓ JH
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 10 minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual	Observers watched a bright white light coming towards them. The object gradually turned toward the eastern horizon. The object came from the north and as it turned to the east it appeared to getting lower in the sky.
7. COURSE eastward	The description is consistent with that of an aircraft observation. An aircraft approaching Detroit with bright landing lights could account for the sighting.
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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8 Jan 67

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



REPLY TO
ATTN OF: TDET/UFO

1 February 1967

SUBJECT: UFO Observation, 6 Jan 67

TO:

[REDACTED]

Detroit, Michigan 48215

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.

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Director of Technology and Subsystems

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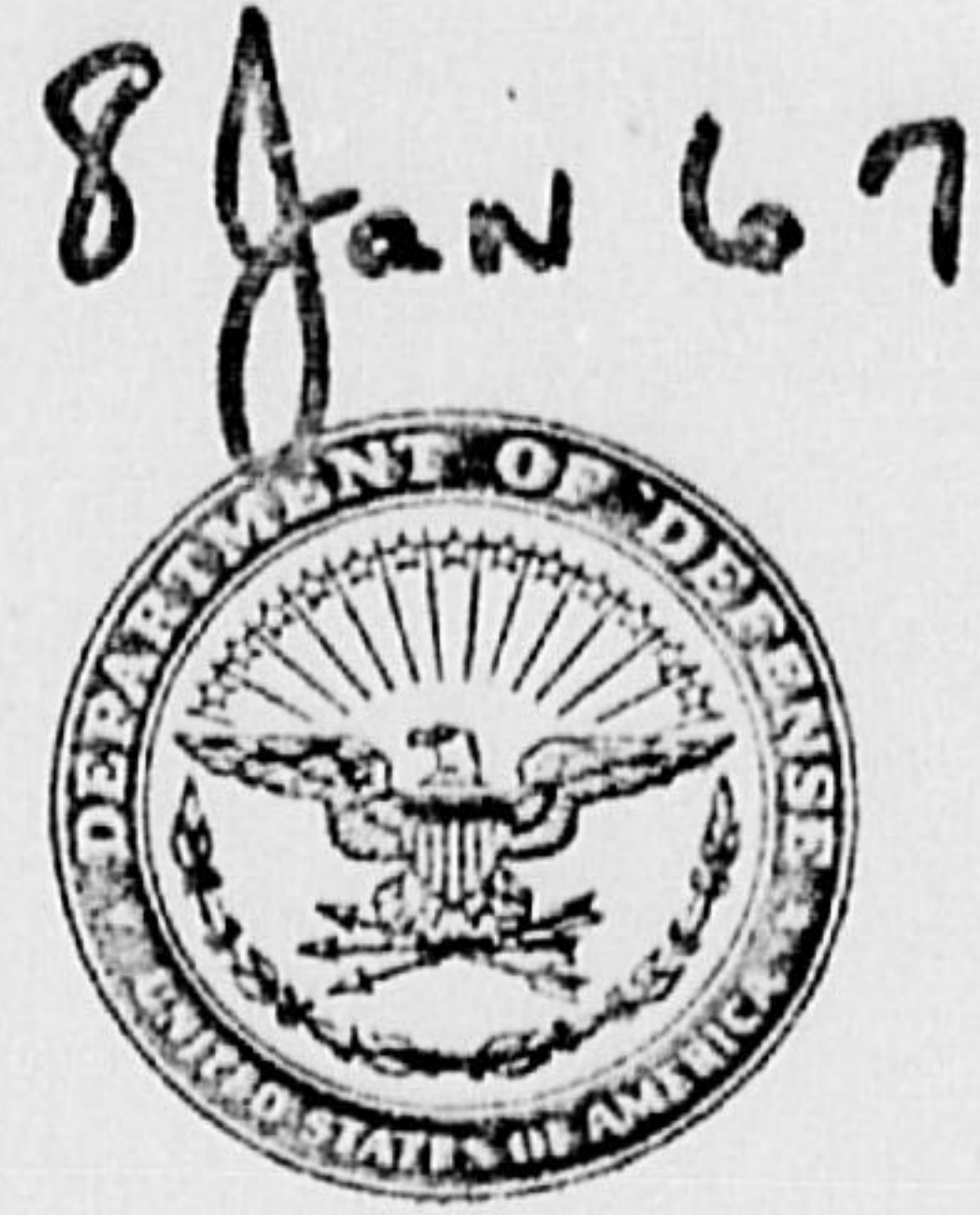
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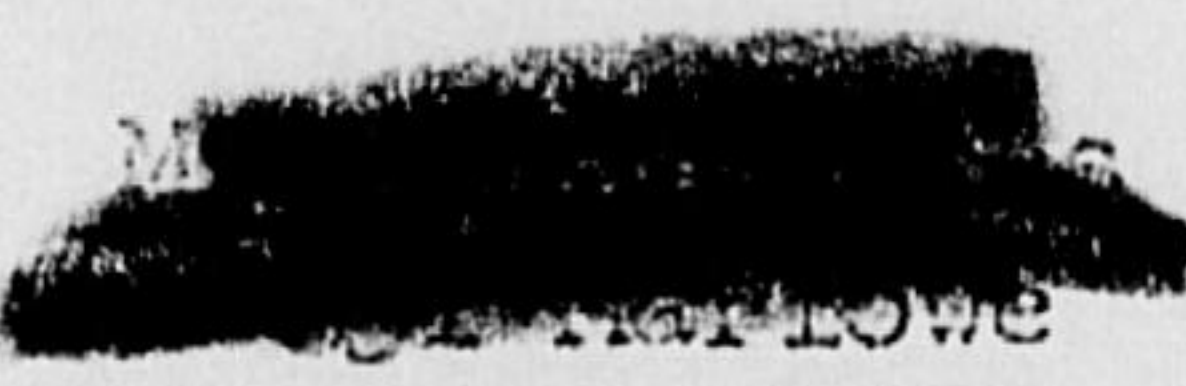


REPLY TO
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1 February 1967

SUBJECT: UFO Observation, 3 Jan 67

TO:


Detroit, Michigan 48227

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8/Jan/67.

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"UFO" Reporting Data:

a. DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECT(S):

(1) Shape Round

(2) Size compared to a known object (use one of the following terms: Head of a pin, pea, dime, nickel, quarter, half dollar, silver dollar, baseball, grapefruit, or basketball) held in the hand at about arm's length.

Size Pea

(3) Color It was whiteright light.

(4) Number One

(5) Formation, if more than one

(6) Any discernible features or details Nowery bright light. ✓

(7) Tail, trail, or exhaust, including size of same compared to size of object(s) None

(8) Sound; if heard, describe sound No sound

(9) Other pertinent or unusual features Extra-ordinarily bright. ✓

b. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT(S):

(1) What first called the attention of observer(s) to the object(s)?
Movement ✓

(2) Angle or elevation and azimuth of object(s) when first observed.
45 degree angle

(3) Angle or elevation and azimuth of object(s) upon disappearance.
Angle of elevation 20 degrees, Azimuth- 60 degrees

(4) Description of flight path and maneuvers of object(s).

Heading East and turned South ✓

(5) How did the object(s) disappear? Instantaneously to the North, etc.)?
Gradually disappeared in the South behind a cloud.

(6) How long were the objects(s) visible? (Be specific, 5 minutes, 1 Hour, etc. 10 minutes

Send 164's to all 3 people.

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"UFO" Reporting Data (continued)

c. MANNER OF OBSERVATION:

(1) Use one or any combination of the following items: Ground-visual, air-visual, ground-electronic, air-electronic. (If electronic, specify type of radar.)

Ground-visual

(2) Statement as to optical aids (telescopes, binoculars, etc.) used and description thereof.

Selsi Coated Optics 30X60 mm. telescope.

(3) If the sighting occurred while air-borne, give type of aircraft, identification number, altitude, heading, speed, and home station.

d. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING:

(1) Zulu time-date group of sighting 1-8-67, 18:10 to 18:20 o'clock

(2) Light conditions. (Use one of the following terms: night, day, dawn, dusk.)

Night and cloudy

e. LOCATION OF OBSERVER(s). Give exact latitude and longitude of each observer, and/or geographical position.

East side of Detroit (1128 Drexel)

f. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVER(s):

(1) Civilian - Name, age, mailing address, occupation, and estimate of reliability.

[REDACTED] Detroit, Hairdresser, Good

[REDACTED] Detroit, Teacher, Good

Mrs. [REDACTED] Sr., Detroit, Housewife, Good

(2) Military - Name, grade, organization, duty and estimate of reliability.

ADC-1 Cmbt Spt Gp-CDC
Selfridge AFB, Mich.

U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION

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1. When did you see the object? <u>Eight</u> <u>January</u> <u>1967</u> Day Month Year	2. Time of day: <u>7</u> <u>10</u> Hour Minutes (Circle One): A.M. or <u>P.M.</u>
3. Time Zone: (Circle One): a. <u>Eastern</u> b. Central c. Mountain d. Pacific e. Other _____ (Circle One): a. Daylight Saving b. <u>Standard</u>	
4. Where were you when you saw the object? <u>[Redacted]</u> Nearest Postal Address <u>Detroit</u> City or Town <u>Michigan</u> State or County	
5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration) <u>10</u> Hours Minutes Seconds a. Certain b. <u>Fairly certain</u> c. Not very sure d. Just a guess 5.1 How was time in sight determined? <u>Clock</u> 5.2 Was object in sight continuously? Yes <u>✓</u> No _____	
6. What was the condition of the sky? DAY a. Bright b. <u>Cloudy</u> NIGHT a. Bright b. <u>Cloudy</u>	
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 *But snow on ground*
- 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. 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:

Color of fluorescent light

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 *I looked through*
a telescope at UFO

13. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

- | | | | |
|---|-----|-----------|------------|
| a. Appear to stand still at any time? | Yes | <u>No</u> | 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? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| f. Change shape? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| g. Flash or flicker? | Yes | <u>No</u> | 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?

15. Did the object move ^{in front of} ~~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:

just before it went out of sight it went behind cloud

16. Did the object move ^{behind} ~~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 light white 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?

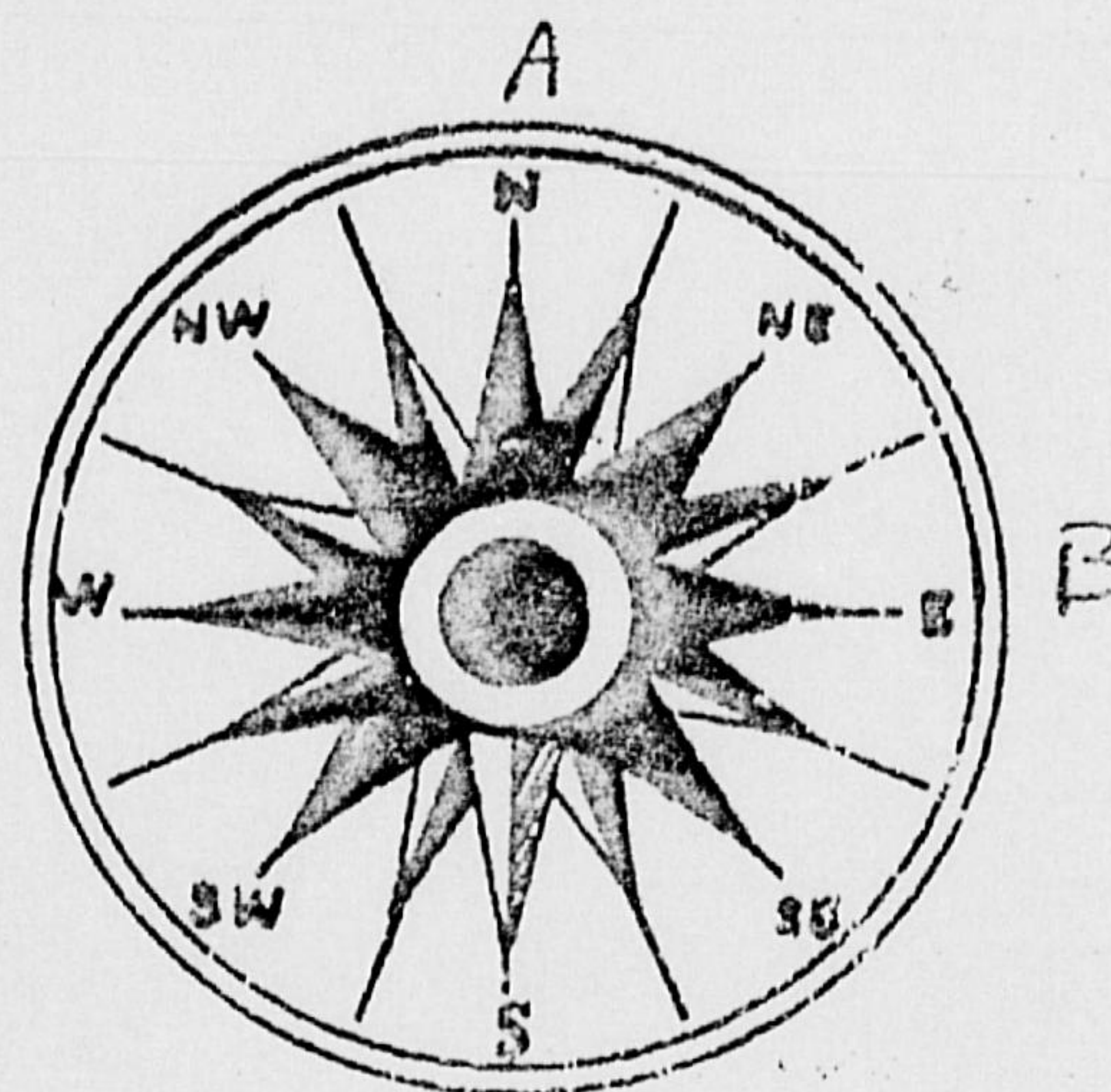
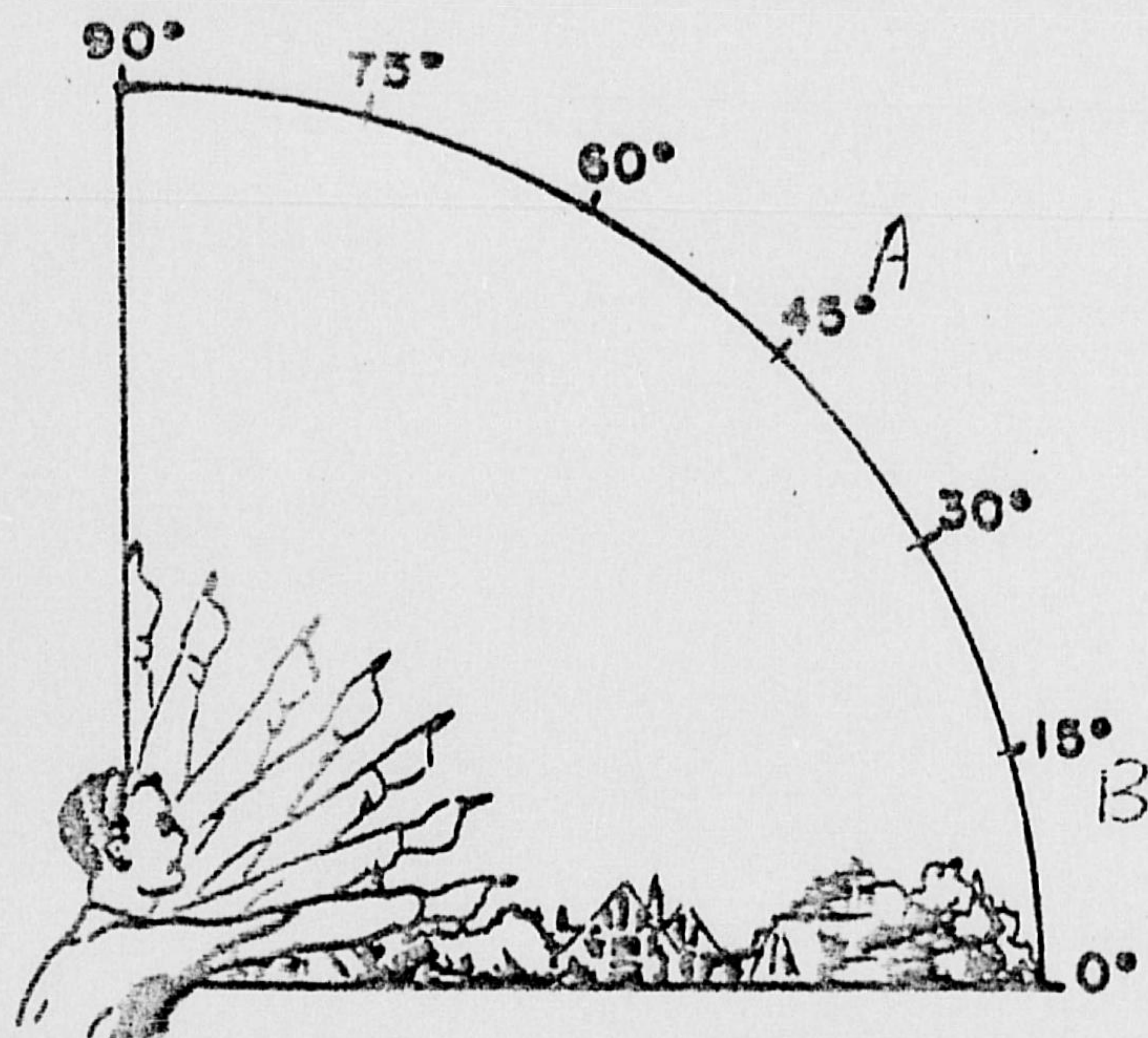
Cover whole object

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.



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:

Miss [redacted] *48227*
Mrs. [redacted] *48215*
Mr. [redacted] *48215*

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME [redacted] [redacted] [redacted]
 Last Name First Name Middle Name
 ADDRESS [redacted] *Detroit* *15* *Michigan*
 Street City Zone State
 TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] AGE *28* SEX *Male*

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?

8 *1* *1967* *Selfridge AFB*
 Day Month Year *Mount Clemens Mich.*

34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

7

Day

2

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.

The object moved very smoothly through the air.

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| e. Change brightness? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
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Gradually flew out of sight.

15. Did the object move behind something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One):

Yes

No

Don't Know.

IF you answered YES, then tell what

it moved behind:

16. Did the object move in front of something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One):

Yes

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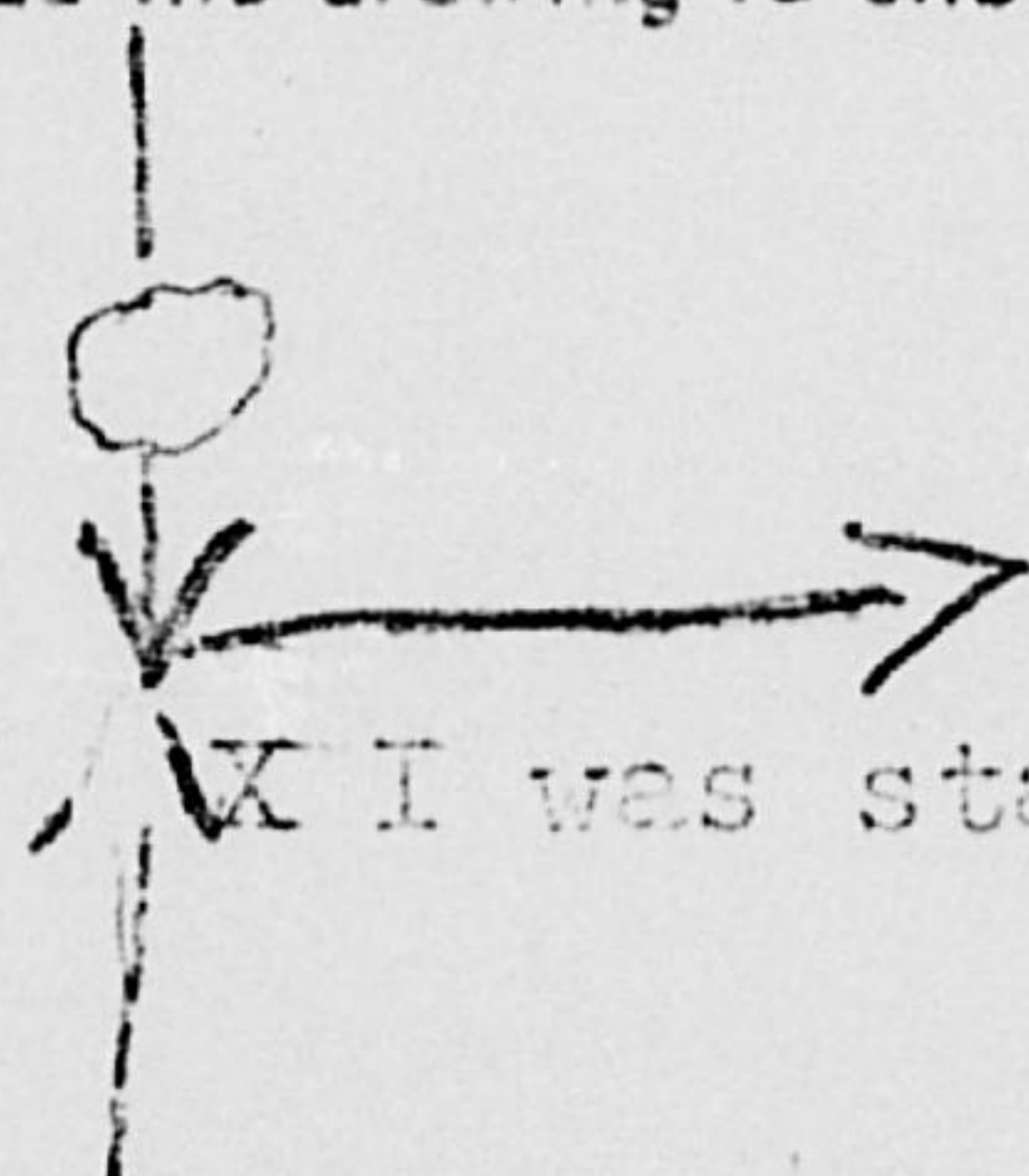
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X I was standing where the X is.

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

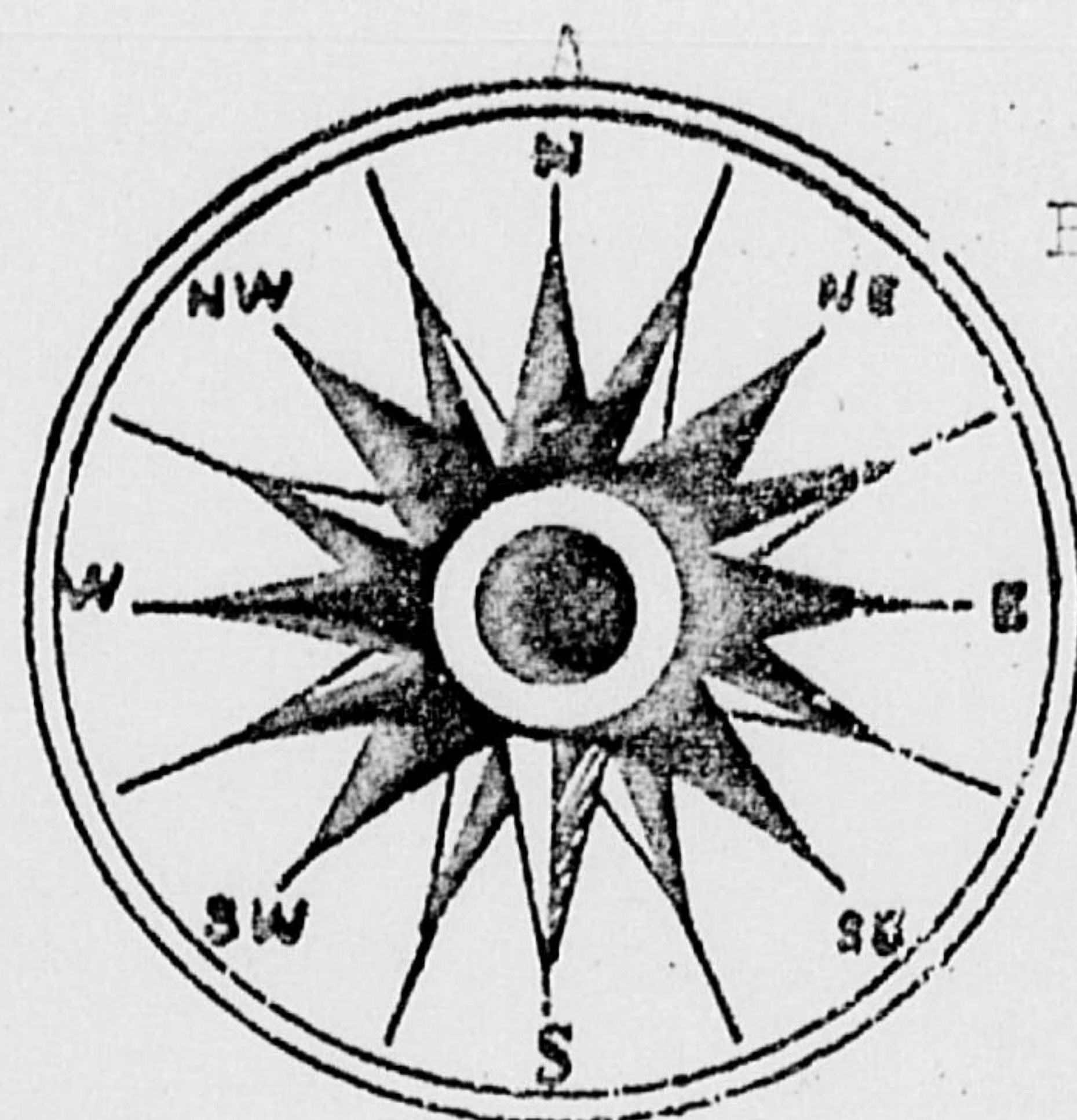
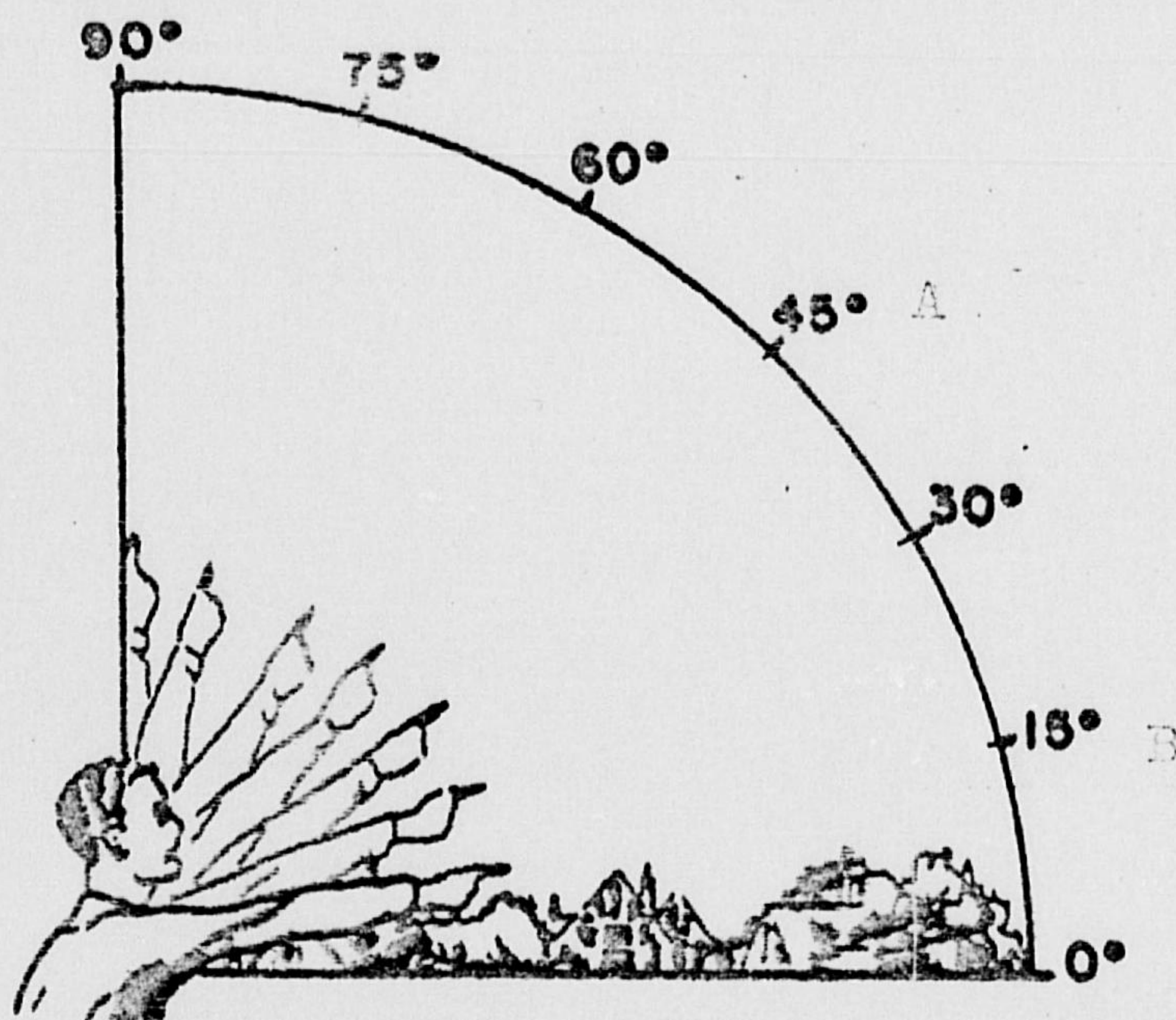
25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

- | | | | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-----------|----------------|-----|-----------|
| a. Eyeglasses | Yes | <u>No</u> | e. Binoculars | Yes | <u>No</u> |
| b. Sun glasses | Yes | <u>No</u> | f. Telescope | Yes | <u>No</u> |
| c. Windshield | Yes | <u>No</u> | g. Theodolite | Yes | <u>No</u> |
| d. Window glass | Yes | <u>No</u> | 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 flashlight at about a distance of one city block. It moved at about the rate of a airplane.

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[REDACTED]
Detroit, Michigan 48215

Mrs. [REDACTED]
Detroit, Michigan 48215

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

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

ADDRESS [REDACTED] Detroit 27 Michigan
Street City Zone State

TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] AGE 24 SEX F

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

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Day

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Day Month Year

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When the object was first sighted, it seemed to be heading towards the spot I was standing. It gradually turned toward my right side and went out of sight.