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2 Jun 68

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MEMO TO: _____

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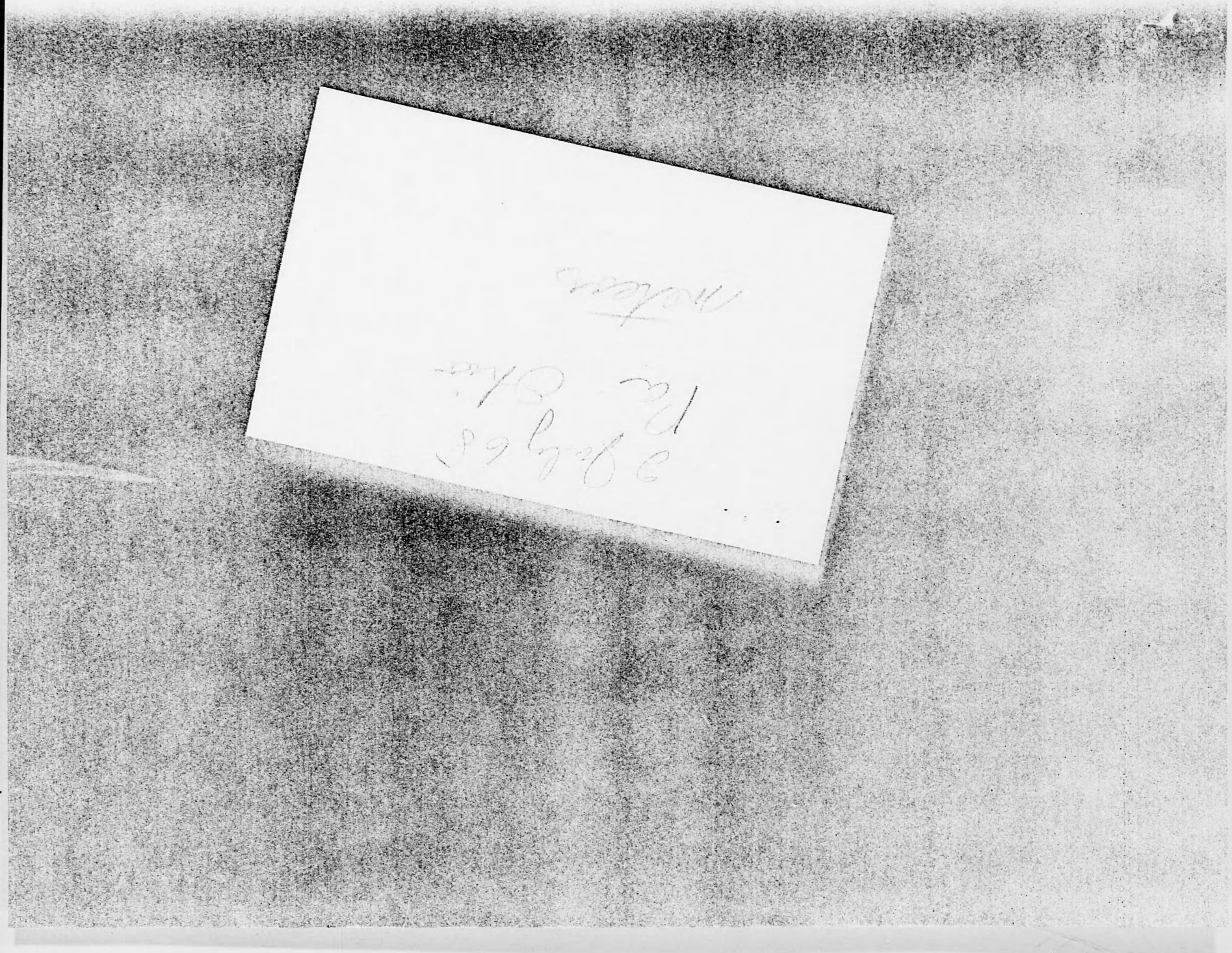

2 JUL 68

TO: TDPT (UFO) Col Quintanilla
Reply: TDPMG (CAPT LANE)

1. The 3rd Canton Ohio Traffic controller called at 2140 Local to report that he had had three reports from aircraft that of UFO sightings at about 2120 local in the area north of Akron. Additionally, he said the sighting was reported by the Akron-Canton tower

2. A short time later, I received a call from Chief, Investigative Branch 3rd Dist OSI at Olmstead AFB, Pa.

He quote "spotted a meteor ... or it could have been a meteor" at about 2120-2125 local that traveled from west to east; he report he heard a double sonic boom during the sighting.

Mr [redacted]
Middletown Pa, 17057

[redacted]

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Lt Marano called Smaokin City Police, 717 648-5708 on 3 July 1968. Mr Suckanick said that they had received calls from Mrs. [redacted] I, Shomokin, Pa and one from Mr [redacted], Shomokin, Pa.

Lt Marano called Mr [redacted] at the Smithsonian on 3 July 1968. Mr [redacted] had not heard of the meteor entry yet. He said he would find out if the prarie network had gotten any photos and contact moonwatch members in the area.

5 July - called Mr [redacted] again. Mr [redacted] said that there weren't any photos of meteors on the prarie network. He also said that Dr McCrosky didn't think that it was a big enough meteor to have actually hit. Mr [redacted] said that he had contacted Mr Von Dell Chamberlain and that Mr Chamberlain was going to get reports from the observatories in the area. He said that he had already received a report from an observer in Akron who first saw the object in the ESE at about 25 deg above the horizon. The meteor seemed to be traveling toward the northeast and burned out due East of Akron

11 July - talked to Mr [redacted] again about 2 July meteor. Mr [redacted] said that the people at the Smithsonian didn't think the meteor had actually hit. Even if it did, the general area of Pennsylvania where it may have come down is pretty mountainous and it is not likely that the meteor had actually hit. Even if it did, the general area of Pennsylvania where it may have come down is pretty mountainous and it is not likely that the meteor will be retrieved. The Smithsonian has stopped investigation since they didn't feel they were likely to retrieve the meteor.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD 3 Jul 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 Jul 68

Lt Mararo called Youngstown FAA re observation of 2 Jul 68 (meteor or satellite debris) 216 539-5121. They didn't have any reports, however, one of them heard a rumor that it was a meteor and landed near Routestown, Ohio. Lt Marano spoke with [redacted] He would check with the night man, Mr[redacted] and if they had anything would call on Friday, 5 Jul

Akron Control Tower, 216 784-1246 - negative, recommended we call Akron-Canton Controller.

AKRON-CANTON Controller, 216 [redacted] Mrs.[redacted], the only one who observed anything was [redacted] SW, North Canton, Ohio 44720 216 [redacted] Lt Marano called Mr[redacted] called and said he saw the object in the eastern sky. He was looking from the control tower. The object came from the SSW and went NNE, quite huge with a long trail. 5 - 6 seconds, extremely white in front. The object trailed then made a terrific dip, extremely white and bright in front. Saw it at approximately 2120 local. We had about fifty phone calls but did not take any names. Heard Niagara Falls tower saw it for five - six seconds.

Capt Richardson, 944-7689/7680 - When I saw it thought it was a meteor or re-entry. I saw it about 2115 (915) out in fornt of the house and the wife commented on the weather, then I first saw a flash of light almost directlyoverhead. Roughly ten miles out of Harrisburg, saw it at the time and it traveled from east to west. Runway NW-SE, S63°10'E. The object was traveling from East to West.As it was heading west it was incondescent and lit up the area to about the degree of a close lightning flash. Yellow light instead of blue white. Total time, my sight was not more than 30 seconds. My visibn was restricted by trees. Later, between 3 - 5 minutes I heard a double sonic boom in the

West, it wasn't close. Capt Robinson's address is :

Quarters 46-B, Luke Drive, Olmsted Airport, ~~Williamstown~~ Middletown, Pa 17057, home phone 944-4402.

Capt Richardson called back again. They figure it went into the area Petersburg, Pa (State College almost due south, near Huntington) a little Due west of State College) slightly to the NNW of Huntington is Petersburg,. There is a square, Petersburg, Huntington, Greenwood Furnance Whipple Dam. This is the area they think it came down in. This friend of Capt Richardson's Raymond Holland heard a noise and an explosion and impact. Holland is a State Probabtion Officer and Retired aOSI AF man. Ray saw what appeared similar to jets auger in and it was similar to this, it lit up the window. Ray's number is area code 814 643-5102. Holland knows the area real well if we need his assistance. Holland said Army helicopters have been flying over the area in question all day.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Altoona
5 July 1968

Subj: JUL 2 1968

Called the Altoona City Police Department on Watts Line (814 944-5001) and talked to Sgt S J Francemore. The Sgt said that they had received numerous calls but had not recorded any names. The local paper had some though. Some that were in the paper were:

[redacted]

Mr [redacted]

[redacted]

Mr [redacted]

[redacted]

The Sgt is going to send a copy of the clipping to the office.

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Altoona Mirror
ed. July 3, 1963
Evening Edition

ALTOO

A Whatsit?

No, Just Big Ball Of Fire!

What is believed to be a meteorite — although it might be space junk falling back into the atmosphere — was witnessed by many Altoonans about 9:23 p.m. yesterday.

"A bright ball of yellow-green fire, followed by a batch of light. It was about a quarter of the size of a full moon, moving from south to north, not far above the horizon," said H. Earl Griffith, who witnessed it from his porch at 921 25th Ave.

"I was petrified. It was ducking in and out of the clouds," said Mrs. Edna Delo of 1512 12th St., who said she saw the phenomenon "sometime after 9 o'clock."

"I was locking the car, when I saw the reflection in the car," reported Mrs. Robert Spallone of 919 5th Ave. She described it like a harvest moon, with a red and pink glow, when she looked up.

"The light was bluish. It moved very fast across the sky," said a 12th Ward resident, who saw it from a neighbor's yard.

"It was a melon-colored ball, trailing bluish-white streaks," said Mrs. Rita Casanave of 409 Walton Ave., who was motoring with her husband in Centre County when she saw it move across the sky.

All the witnesses agreed the ball moved from south to north. It was visible only a few seconds.

Lots of Color

RAVENNA, Ohio (UPI) — Startled residents of four states described it variously as red, orange, yellow and a blue-white sputtering flash.

The Weather Bureau at Port Columbus said the sky-brightening object sighted in Pennsylvania, upstate New York, northeastern Ohio and the Baltimore area was a meteorite.

The weather bureau at Harrisburg, Pa., said the object was either a meteorite or debris from a space shot. A spokesman said there was a low cloud cover in the Harrisburg area and the object would have to have been "very low" to have been seen.

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MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Beadford
5 July 1968

Subj: JUL 2 1968

Called the Bradford City Police (814 368-6133) and Lt Reynold Florentine said that they had not received any reports.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Bellefonte
5 July 1968

Subj: JUL 8 1968

Called the Bellefonte State Police Department (355-5533) and talked to [redacted]. He had seen the object himself. They didn't have any names in the log, but M[redacted] gave the following information:

He compared the sighting to a blue flash of lightning. The bluish white object was first seen in the east going from SE to the NW. It was as bright as a full moon and was in sight for 5 to 10 seconds. He did not hear any noise and saw only one meteor. Mr[redacted] thought that the meteor may have crossed 22° somewhere between Bellefonte and Lock Haven. His complete name and address is:

[redacted]

Bellefonte, Pa

Officer Weight also saw the meteor.

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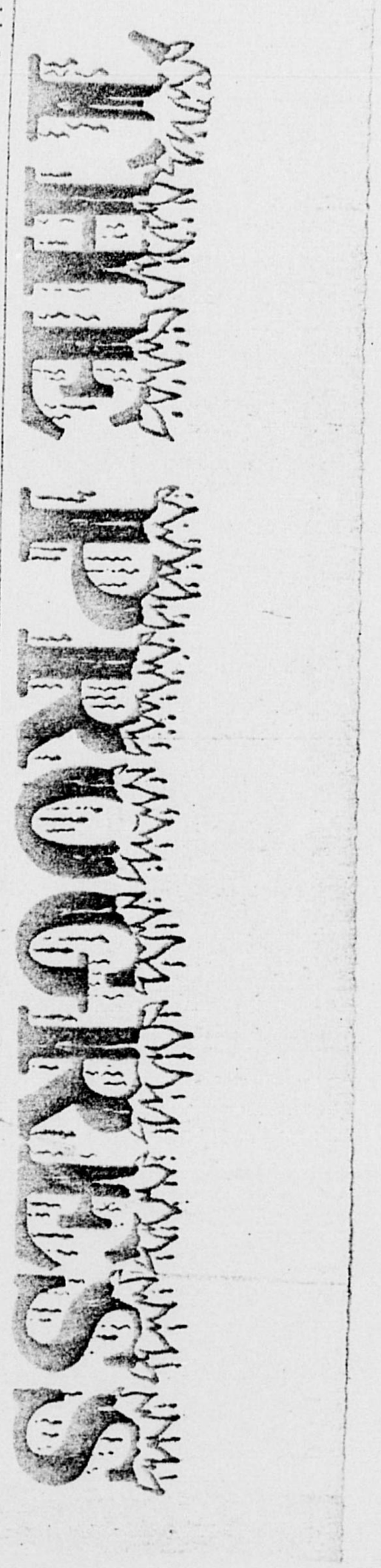
MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Center Union
5 July 1968

Subj: JUL 2 1968

Called [redacted] of Center Union, Pa ([redacted] Mr [redacted] said that there were two objects that went over the area. The first one went over and Mr [redacted] saw the flash but there was no sound. Mr [redacted] saw the second one cross the trail of the first one and the tails formed an X. The object passed out of sight in 5 to 10 seconds and 3 to 5 seconds later Mr [redacted] heard a loud boom. Mr [redacted] said the sonic boom was extremely loud. He felt the object was brighter than a full moon and would have cast a shadow. He said that he thought it in the octangle formed by Petersburg, Huntington, Belleville, and Baileyville. He also said that he saw a helicopter apparently combing the area today. The objects were NE of him at their closest point.

Clearfield, Curwensville, Philipsburg, Moshannon Valley, Pa., Wednesday, July 3, 1968 Copy 10 Cents



Fireball Seen By Thousands

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

What one scientist called "a rather large meteor" was spotted in the sky Tuesday night by thousands of Pennsylvanians and residents of neighboring states.

Among the spotters were a number of airplane pilots, according to the Federal Aviation Authority, who "all thought it was a meteor."

Dr. John Cavanaugh, curator of astronomy and planetarium director at Franklin & Marshall College, said a long tail containing many minerals provided the color.

"The whole sky lit up and then sparks flew — like fireworks," said 14-year-old Donald Hebel of Keewaydin. Hebel said it also rumbled like a jet, only louder.

John Askey, also of Keewaydin, said the rumbling sounded like a series of explosions. He described the meteor as "balls of fire spraying out of the southeast."

From State College, came a report that a sonic bomb accompanied the sighting.

Newspapers, radio stations, police stations and airports were deluged with inquiries about the meteor shortly after 9:30 p.m. Apparently, many people spotted it as they took to the out-of-doors to get relief from the summer heat.

The U.S. Weather Bureau in Harrisburg said spottings were reported as far as Columbus, Ohio, Rochester, N.Y., and Baltimore, Md.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

DuBois
5 July 1968

Subj: JUL 2 1968

Called DuBois City Police Department (371-2323). Mr. [redacted] who is a police officer saw the meteor.

[redacted]

DuBois, Pa

[redacted]

He saw the meteor between 9:20 and 9:25 pm. The duration was 15 to 20 seconds. There were heavy clouds which were broken at times. The number of objects was one. The meteor was NE of DuBois going in a NW direction. He could see it only when it passed through a broken spot in the clouds. At no time did it pass under any clouds. He was walking on the street but did not hear any noise. He did not think it would have been as bright as a full moon. Also [redacted], another police officer, saw it.

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MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Erie
5 July 1968

Subj: JUL 2 1968

On 3 July at 1155 hrs I made a Watts line call to Port Erie Control Tower (814 833-0841). Mr Gilmore said that there was nothing in the log, but that if I would call back after 4:00 pm the night shift might know of someone.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Erie
5 July 1968

Subj: JUL 2 1968

Called Erie City Police Department and the same Sgt that worked the night of the 3rd was on duty. He reported that he had not received any calls or complaints.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Franklin
5 July 1968

Subj: JUL 2 1968

Called the Franklin City Police (814 432-2191). The Sgt that was on duty the night of the 2nd was on again and he stated that he had not received any calls related to a bright object, flash, and/or sonic boom.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Hughville
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

Called [redacted] in Hughville, Pennsylvania ([redacted]). [redacted]r said that he did not actually see anhthing. He said he saw what appeared to be lightning, but he did not actually see anything or hear a boom as the other people in the area claimed. He said that he was in the cab and that they heard some airplanes warming up outside and that might have drowned out the sound if there was any.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Johnstown
5 July 1968

Subj: JUL 2 1968

Called the Johnstown City Police on Watts Line ([redacted]). The desk Sgt reported that they had received no complaints but that Altoona had been swamped with calls about lights.

TERMED HUGE METEOR

Tribune Democrat
Johnstown, Penna
July 3, 1968 Morning edition

Many Persons Report Sightings of Fireball

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Thousands of Pennsylvanians, and residents of neighboring states, outside to escape the sweltering summer heat, reported sighting a fireball crossing the sky from east to west Tuesday night.

Among the spotters, according to Federal Aviation Authority officials, were a number of professional and private plane pilots who identified the glowing object as a huge meteor.

Hundreds of persons who were attending an outdoor beauty pageant at Martinsburg in Blair County reported seeing light flashes in the sky "that lingered much longer than lightning." The FAA flight service station at Martinsburg confirmed that it had received numerous reports of a similar phenomenon from ground observers and from pilots in the area.

The police department in Altoona was swamped with inquiries on the aerial lights.

"We had three airplanes on our frequency at the time," said the control tower operator at Harrisburg-York State Airport. "All were professional pilots and all thought it was a meteor."

Deluge of Calls

Newspapers, radio stations, police stations and airport officials all reported a deluge of calls shortly after 9:30 p.m.—the approximate time of the sightings.

Perhaps the first report came from [redacted] a state [redacted] in the fire tower on Effort Mountain near Stroudsburg.

[redacted] said a "ball of fire" passed overhead about 9:25 p.m. followed at 9:32 p.m. by two sharp booms "like the noise when a plane breaks the sound barrier."

Two [redacted] in Lancaster in south-central Pennsylvania described the object as a "rather large meteor."

Colorful, Long Tail

[redacted] of astronomy and planetarium director, said it had a highly colorful, long tail and apparently contained many minerals to provide such a gamut of colors.

[redacted] observatory, also spotted the bright light, which other Lancaster area residents described as "big as the moon."

The U.S. Weather Bureau station in Harrisburg reported many sightings of "bright lights" and said other sightings were reported as far as Columbus, Ohio, Rochester, N.Y., and Baltimore, Md.

Sightings by pilots and residents in Western Pennsylvania included many describing "several streaks of light" indicating the hunk of material from outer space may have broken up by then—a common occurrence.

The Lancaster Airport control tower reported one [redacted] Airlines pilot as saying it appeared to break up somewhere over Williamsport.

Meteors are pieces of space debris traveling at thousands of miles per hour. When they hit the Earth's atmosphere, friction with the air superheats them, causing most to burn completely before hitting the ground.

[redacted]

[redacted]

ALTOONA PA
JUL 2 PM
1968

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Lewistown
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

On the evening of 3 July I called the Lewistown City Police Department on Watts Line (717 248-6715). I talked to [redacted] She reported that she had received only one complaint from a woman in Yeagertown who said that she saw a bright flash and that a boom shook her house. [redacted] had not recorded the name of the observer, however. She had a news clipping from a local paper that she is sending us.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Lewistown
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

At 1430 hrs I placed a Watts Line call to the Lewistown Police Department (717 248-6715). They have nothing in their log but suggested that I contact the local radio station WKBI (717 248-6771).

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Lewistown
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

Called Lewistown radio station WKBA (717 248-6771). They will try to get a list of names of people who a UFO. They will call back tomorrow at 11:00 am.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Lewistown
5 July 1968

Subj: JUL 2 1969

Called [redacted] again and talked to [redacted] said that he had seen the meteor himself and that the station had received about 50 calls, "10 which said it landed in their back yard." I said that I was interested in the area of Center Union since I had a report from the area by a man who said he heard the sonic boom about 3 seconds after the meteor disappeared. [redacted] said that it was actually about 3 minutes after it passed over that there was a sonic boom. [redacted] said that it passed east of Lewistown and was traveling in a NW direction. The duration was about 3 seconds. The object burned out about 60 degrees above the horizon, more toward the West. At its highest point the meteor was at about 80 to 85 degrees above the horizon and it seemed to follow a slightly curved path. It sputtered and flared twice as it passed over. [redacted] said that on the basis of the calls he received and the police depts. that the station had contacted it seems very likely that it did not hit in the area at all

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Lewistown
5 July 1968

Subj: JUL 2 1968

Accepted a collect call from [redacted] radio station). Apparently, [redacted] did not know that I had just talked to [redacted]s. The information he gave me was very similar to that given by [redacted]. He said that there was one meteor, one long sonic boom, and that some farmer claimed it landed in his field. The report by the farmer was and still is unconfirmed and what appeared in the paper is possibly third hand. He doesn't feel that the meteor could have landed in the area at all. He, too, said that the object passed slightly east of Lewistown going NW.

Memo

From
LEE G. LYTER
Chief of Police

To [redacted]

As per our telephone conversation I am enclosing a clipping out of our newspaper THE SENTINEL regarding the meteorite. This occurred around 9:30 P.M. July 2, 1968.

Sincerely,

[redacted]

J[redacted]
Deskclerk

BOROUGH OF LEWISTOWN
2 E. Third St.
LEWISTOWN, PA. 17044

ny activity around the capital,...

Harrisburg Paper 7-3-08

Flaming Object Lights Sky, Startles Midstate Residents

A bright meteor-like object flashed across the sky last night, startling residents of the Central Pennsylvania area for miles around.

The object, described as having an "eerie bluish white color and bearing a fiery tail," was believed to have landed in the Seven Mountains, west of Lewistown, although eyewitnesses could not reveal the exact location.

Plane pilots as well as motorists and residents sitting outdoors noticed the object in the sky about 9:25 p.m., traveling in a west-northwest direction. It was described as "larger than a full moon high in the sky."

State Police at Lewistown, where the object reportedly landed, said a man in a field on Seven Mountains had noticed the flash and saw the meteor strike the ground, although they were unable to identify him.

The object was said to have been seen by persons in upstate New York, Northeastern Ohio and the Baltimore area, as well as in Central Pennsylvania as far east as Harrisburg.

The Weather Bureau at Harrisburg said the object was either a meteorite or debris from a space shot. It indicated there was a low cloud cover over Harrisburg at the time and the object would have had to been very low to be seen by so many spectators.

[redacted], [redacted] Astronomical Society of Harrisburg, did not see the object flashing across the sky here, but said several other members of the society called him to say that they had seen something "which appeared to be a lightning flash," at that time.

[redacted] said that when a meteor strikes the Earth, it is called a meteorite and takes the name of the nearest post office. For example, in this case, it would be the Lewistown Meteorite.

He also cited the possibility of last night's flash being caused by satellites that had left its orbit and disintegrated.

Many calls by curious persons were made to the Patriot and City Hall in an effort to determine the source of the flash.

Flying Object Lights Sky, Causing Alarms

The "big hickie" blazed across the sky shortly after 9:30 o'clock Tuesday night, and today everybody is wondering.

Speculation ran from scientific sources that it was a meteor to the less expert who wondered whether it might be garbage of a burning-out second stage rocket from a space shot, and one theory that the little green men had landed.

For an instant it lighted everything like daylight and then disappeared to the north accompanied by a muffled blast.

It was a bright, meteor-like object that flashed across the sky and startled Central Pennsylvania residents by its sudden, unexpected light sometime after 9:30 and before 10 p.m.

The muffled explosion sound led many to believe that it had crashed somewhere in the Seven Mountains area.

The object was described as having an "eerie bluish white color and bearing a fiery tail."

One scientist called it "a rather large meteor." Among the spotters were a number of airplane pilots, according to the Federal Aviation Authority, who "all thought it to be a meteor."

[redacted] College said "it" was a highly colorful, long tail comet, apparently containing many minerals to provide the coloration.

Newspapers, radio stations, police stations and airports were deluged with inquiries about the meteor shortly after 9:30 p.m. Apparently, many people spotted it as they took to the out-of-doors

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Large Meteor Spotted in Sky

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to get relief from the Summer heat.

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State police here said they were deluged with inquiries about the object and following explosion.

At noon today J[redacted] of [redacted] called this newspaper to say that he saw the object.

"My wife and I and our two children were just leaving Greenwood Furnace to go home when we saw this thing.

"It was cigar-shaped and had six portholes along the side, and made the noise when it landed about two miles away in a field. I wanted to go over to it, but my wife wouldn't let me," he said, adding that shortly afterward it took off again.

[redacted] added that he could see some figures at the portholes.

Last night's television programs carried "The Invaders," but Anderson denied watching the program.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Lock Haven
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

Called the State Police at Lock Haven (748-2214). There was nothing in the log about a fiery object, flash, and/or sonic boom. The man at the desk last night received a number of phone calls but did not record names. He did not hear anything either. The paper said that [redacted] had identified the object as a meteor.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Lock Haven
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

Called the City Police Department at Lock Haven, Pennsylvania and talked to [redacted]. None of the names of the people who called in were recorded. [redacted], however, saw the object. He was at his summer home which is [redacted]. He saw one big bright white light that had several little balls behind it. He said he saw the object for no longer than 30 seconds to one minute. It was as bright as the full moon and was south of his position and seemed to be traveling in an east to west direction. About 3 or 4 minutes after the meteor disappeared, he heard a boom. [redacted]s address is:

[redacted]k
[redacted]t
[redacted]
[redacted]

M[redacted]k lost sight of the object when it passed behind a mountain which was SW (?) of his position.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Phillipsburg
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

Called the Phillipsburg City Police and talked to [redacted]

[redacted] Between 9 and 9:30

she saw what appeared to be one big flash of light that seemed to light up the whole sky. Less than a minute later she heard one long muffled boom. It wasn't too loud and she thought it was a storm. She said she thought the flash occurred in the NW but wasn't too sure about the direction. She had an article in the [redacted] about the sighting. An observer named [redacted] saw a bright object that was trailing a tail of sparks and said it rumbled like a jet. [redacted] said she would send us a copy of the news article.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

State College
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

Called the Police Department at State College, Pennsylvania and talked to [redacted] She did not see the object but she said that the sonic boom rattled the window panes of the building. She said that she had received several calls but had not recorded the names. She said that one man from near [redacted] apparently saw one piece start to break up. [redacted] thought that it probably hit against the mountains somewhere between [redacted] from the information she had. She suggested that I call [redacted] station ([redacted]) or possibly [redacted] station for more information.

MEMO FOR THE [redacted]

Sunbury
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO [redacted] July 1968

Called Sunbury [redacted] Police (717 28604585). The desk Sgt said that they had received several calls. One came from [redacted] and also several others. They did not take names and addresses, therefore, that was all the information he could give me on the observers. He did say that some people reported a loud explosion and that there was an article in the Sunbury Daily Item on the meteor. The information operator gave the following numbers:

[redacted]

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Sunburg
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

Called [redacted]. He was outdoors near the intersection of Agusta St and Fairmont Avenue when a flash of light similar to that of a flash bulb attracted his attention. [redacted] looked in the direction of the flash and saw a orange-red fiery object moving above the clouds. The meteor was elongated and was not quite the size of a full moon but was brighter than a full moon. The object was in sight from 5 to 10 seconds and was traveling from E to W. It passed almost directly overhead and disappeared in the cloud cover to the west. About 4 or 5 minutes after the object disappeared [redacted] heard a boom. He said it came from a different direction than he had seen the meteor disappear. The meteor disappeared toward the West but [redacted] thought that the boom came from the South and did not think it was connected to the sighting.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Sunbury
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

Called B[redacted]). He did not actually see the meteor. The only thing that he said that he saw was that the sky lighted up for 15 to 20 seconds in a sort of bluish light. He did not remember hearing any sound later.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Wellsboro
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

Called [redacted]). The desk Sgt said that they had received no complaints.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Williamsport
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

Called Williamsport Control Tower (717 368-2141). I talked to [redacted] said he did not actually see the object but he thought it was more like a lightning flash. It was a sort of greenish color and it shook the ground. [redacted] in the control cab said it lighted up the inside of the cab. [redacted] suggested that I call the [redacted]. [redacted] lives in [redacted] and his number is ([redacted]) The local State Police Department at Williamsport is (368-8692).

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Williamsport
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

Called the Williamsport Sun. The only one there who saw it was [redacted]

[redacted] was about 5 miles N of Williamsport playing softball when he saw the two flashes. "They were back to back so to speak" and occurred in the Harrisburg direction from Williamsport. They were to the SE (yet at another time he stated they were west of him). A few seconds after he saw the flash he heard two booms that were 2 to 3 seconds apart. He did not see any contrails because of a hill just south of the softball field.

N.Y.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Niagra Falls
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

Called [redacted] to Niagra Falls control tower ([redacted]). The watch supervisor did not have access to the log, but said he would have the chief controller call when he got back. [redacted] said that none of the controllers had actually seen anything. Several planes had called in, however, so they called Cleveland ARTCC who verified visuals with air carrier pilots. [redacted] said that the police had also numerous reports but that there was no record of names etc in the control tower log. He suggested that I contact the Niagra Police Dept.

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MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Niagra Falls
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

Placed a Watts Line call at 1400 hrs to the Niagra Falls Police Department (716 285-9111). There was nothing on the radio log for the evening of 2 July relative to any UFO. He suggested I contact the Gazette.

N.Y.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Rochester N.Y.
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Observation, 2 July 1968

Called the Rochester City Police (716 232-7070 EX 308) and spoke to a M[redacted] T[redacted] said that they did not keep any records of that type, but that he read in the newspaper that one went over the city traveling from E to W.

Ohio

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Akron-Canton
5 July 1968

Subj: JUL 2 1968

Called the Akron Canton Control Tower on 3 July. [redacted]r checked the log, but there was nothing in it. She said that one of the controllers had seen the object, but she didn't know which one. She will try to get his name, address, and phone number and call back collect. She also suggested that I contact the weather station at the airport since they had identified it as a meteor. The weather bureau's phone number is 216 499-2500.

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MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Akron-Canton
5 July 1968

Subj: UFO Report 2120 hrs JUL 2 1968

On 3 July at 1255 hrs I placed a Watts Line call to the Akron-Canton weather station. (216 499-2500) Nothing was in the log according to [redacted] [redacted] However there were many visuals from Rochester and Harrisburgh.

Eastern Skies Brightened By Flames of Meteorite

By the Associated Press

Thousands of people relaxing under warm night skies Tuesday saw a flaming meteorite flash through the darkness for about half a minute.

From Vermont and northern New York to Maryland, from the Atlantic ocean to Ohio, reports came in of a bright, flaming object sailing through the night.

AMONG the spotters were several professional airline pilots. Police, newspapers, radio stations and airports all reported a flood of telephone calls at about 9:30 p.m., minutes after the sightings.

Observers said the object moved from east to west, and many people reported seeing a brightly colored tail to the flaming object. Several pilots and residents in western Pennsylvania reported "several streaks of light," indicating that the meteor may have broken up by then.

The Dudley observatory in Albany, N. Y., reported sightings from Utica, N. Y. to Burlington, Vt. The Champlain valley was deluged with reports of the meteor, from Burlington and Barre, Vt. to Glens Falls and Plattsburgh, N. Y.

"WE HAD three airplanes on our frequency at the time," the control tower operator at Harrisburg-York State airport in Pennsylvania said. "All were professional pilots and all thought it was a meteor."

The Lancaster, Pa. airport control tower reported that an Eastern Airlines pilot said the meteor appeared to break up somewhere over Williamsport, Pa.

The U. S. Weather Bureau in Harrisburg reported sightings from Columbus, O., to Baltimore, Md.

Dayton Daily News
3 July 68

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LISTING OF TELEPHONE CALLS

ATE	PERSON MAKING CALL	RECEIVED OR CALLED PARTY			IN	OUT	ADDITIONAL INFO
		CITY AND STATE	TELEPHONE NUMBER	NAME			
1 68	[redacted]	Canton, Ohio	[redacted]	[redacted]	X		Satellite Decay
	" "	N Canton, Ohio	[redacted]	[redacted]		X	"
	" "	Niagra AFS, N Y	[redacted]	Control Tower	X		"
	" "	Williamsport, Pa	[redacted]	Williamsport Control Tower		X	"
	" "	Middletown, Pa	[redacted]	[redacted]		X	"
	" "	Cambridge, Mass	[redacted]	[redacted]		X	"
	" "	Center Union, Pa	[redacted]	[redacted]		X	"
	" "	Hughville, Pa	[redacted]	[redacted]		X	"
	" "	Williamsport, Pa	[redacted]	[redacted]		X	"
	" "	Williamsport, Pa	[redacted]	[redacted]		X	"
	" "	Phillipsburgh, Pa	[redacted]	Phillisburg City Police		X	"
	" "	State College, Pa	[redacted]	City Police		X	"
	" "	Lock Haven, Pa	[redacted]	State Police		X	"
	" "	Lock Haven, Pa	[redacted]	City Police		X	"
	" "	Earie, Pa	[redacted]	City Police		X	"
	" "	Franklin, Pa	[redacted]	City Police		X	"
	" "	DuBois, Pa	[redacted]	City Police		X	"
ul 68	" "	Lewistown, Pa	[redacted]	[redacted]	X		"

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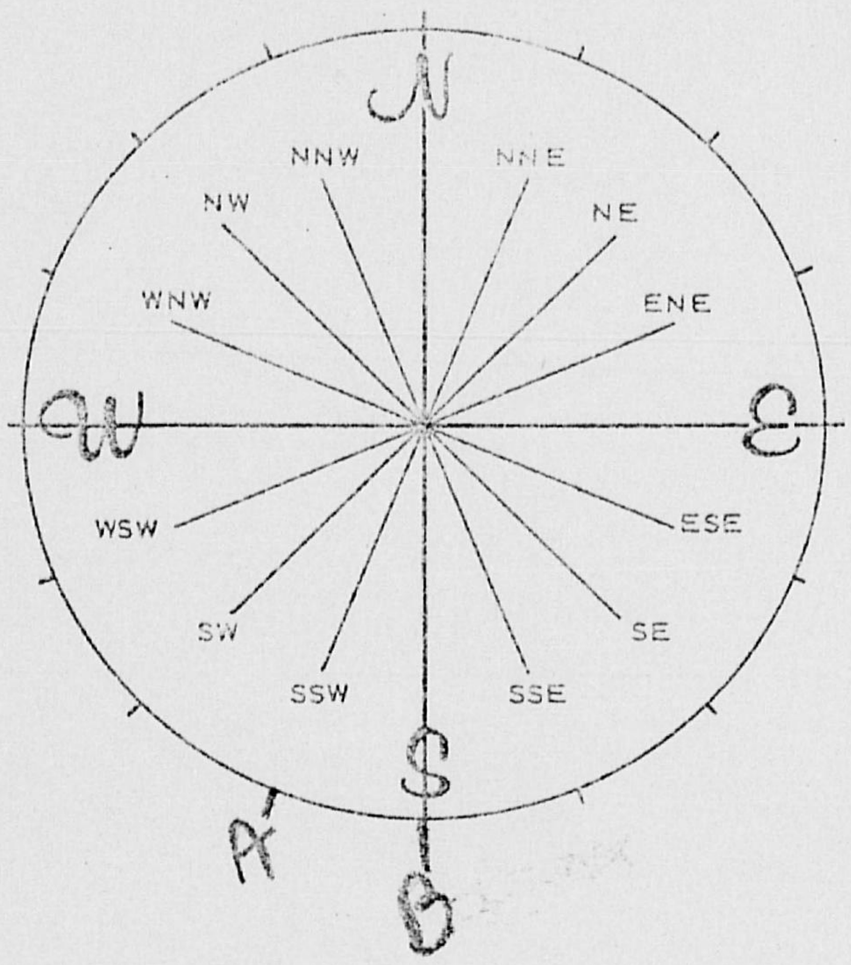

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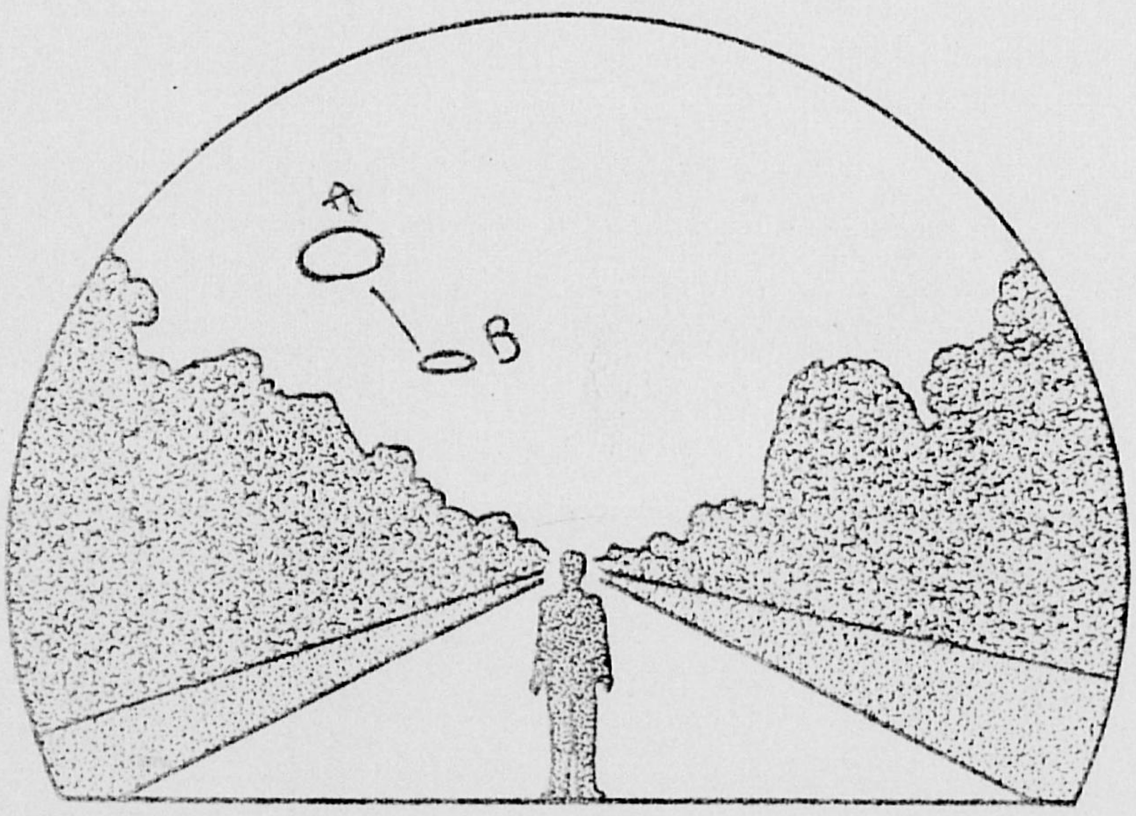

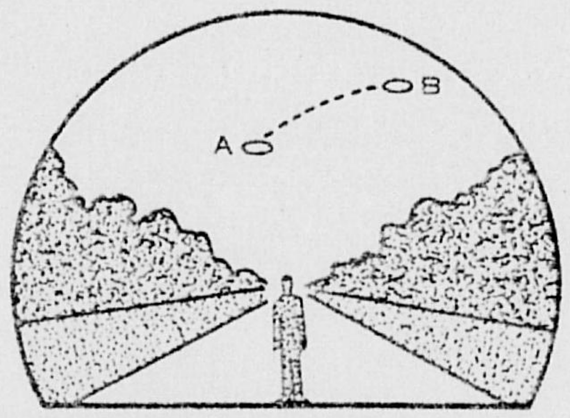

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SIGHTING OF UNIDENTIFIED PHENOMENA QUESTIONNAIRE

BUDGET BUREAU APPROVAL NUMBER 21-R258

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July 6 1968

1. WHEN DID YOU SEE THE PHENOMENON?
July 6, 1968 — DAY 6 MONTH July YEAR 1968

2. WHAT TIME DID YOU FIRST SIGHT THE PHENOMENON?
HOUR 12 MINUTES 50 ☐ A.M. ☒ P.M.

3. WHAT TIME DID YOU LAST SIGHT THE PHENOMENON?
HOUR 12 MINUTES 15 ☒ A.M. ☒ P.M.

4. TIME ZONE ☐ DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ☐ STANDARD
☒ EASTERN ☐ CENTRAL ☐ MOUNTAIN ☐ PACIFIC ☐ OTHER

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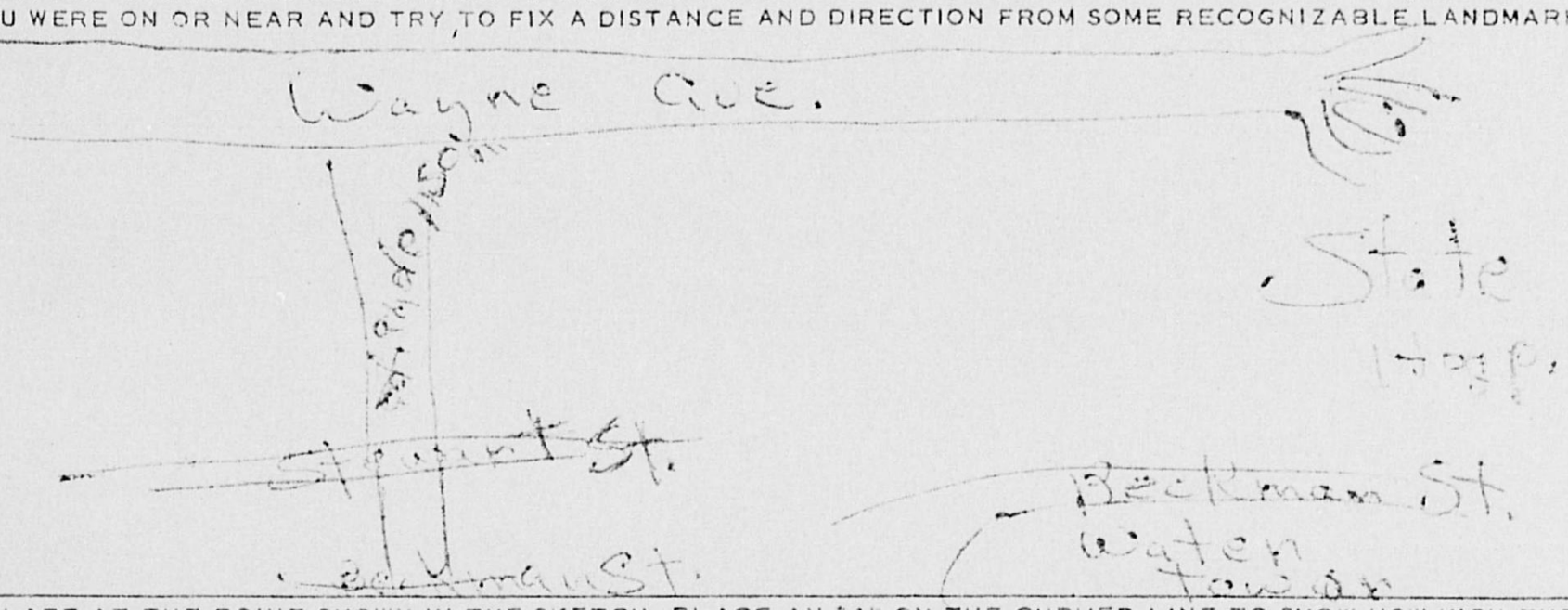

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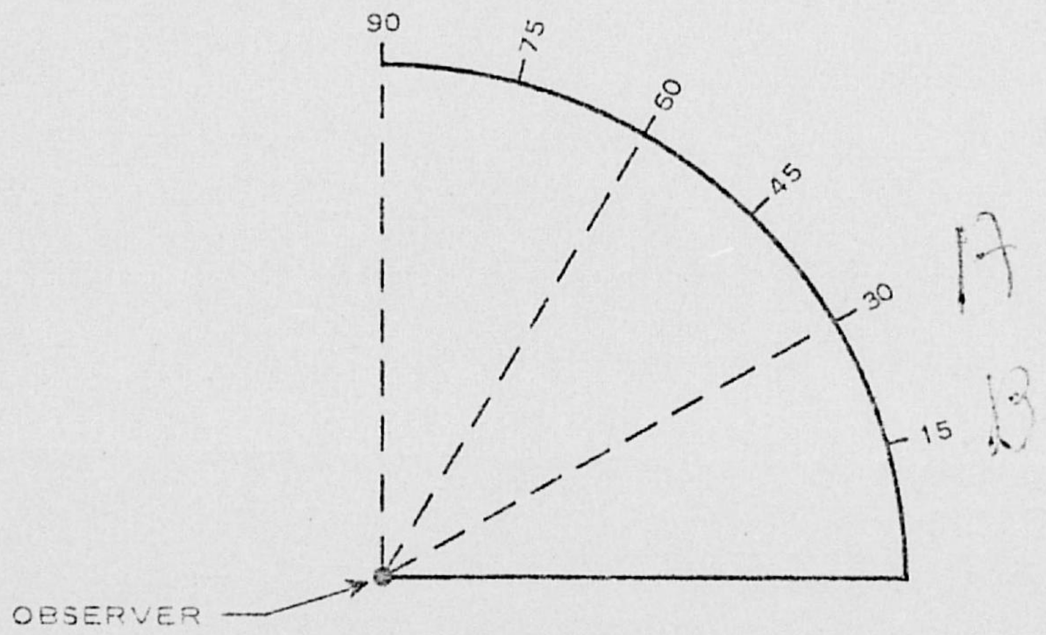

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10. IF THERE WERE MORE THAN ONE PHENOMENON, HOW MANY WERE THERE? DRAW A PICTURE TO SHOW HOW THEY WERE ARRANGED. DID THIS APRANGEMENT CHANGE DURING THE SIGHTING?

None at all!
Just one U.F.O.

11. CONDITIONS *(Check appropriate blocks.)*

A. SKY		B. WEATHER			
	DAY		CUMULUS CLOUDS *(Low fluffy)*		FOG OR MIST
	TWILIGHT		CIRRUS CLOUDS *(High fleecy or Herring-bone)*		HEAVY RAIN
✓	NIGHT				LIGHT RAIN OR DRIZZLE
	CLEAR		NIMBUS CLOUDS *(Rain)*		HAIL
✓	PARTLY CLOUDY		CUMULONIMBUS CLOUDS *(Thunderstorms)*		SNOW OR SLEET
	COMPLETELY OVERCAST			✓	UNKNOWN
			HAZE OR SMOG		NONE OF THE ABOVE

C. IF THE SIGHTING WAS AT TWILIGHT OR NIGHT, WHAT DID YOU NOTICE ABOUT THE STARS AND MOON?

(1) STARS		(2) MOON			
	NONE		BRIGHT MOONLIGHT	✓	NO MOONLIGHT
✓	A FEW		MOON WITH HALO		UNKNOWN
	MANY		MOON HIDDEN BY CLOUDS		
	UNKNOWN		PARTIAL *(New or quarter)*		

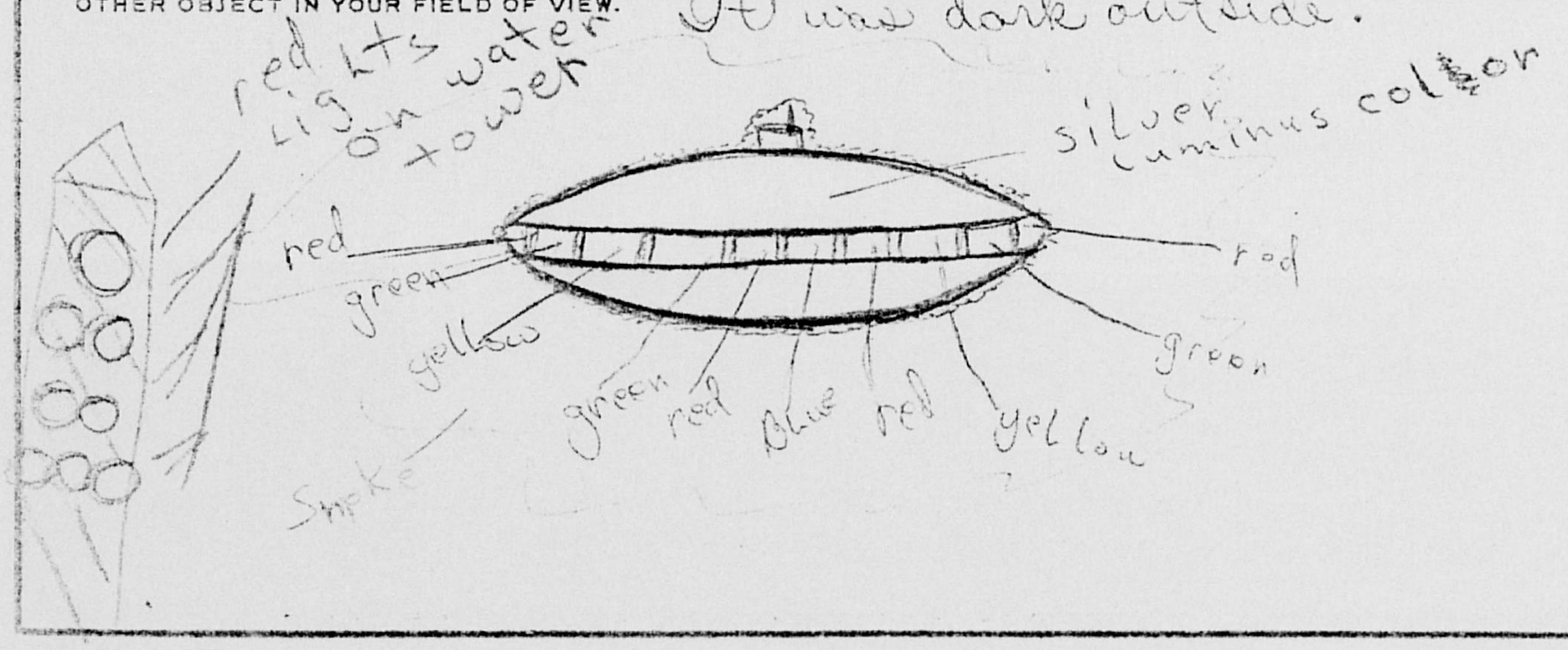
D. IF SIGHTING WAS IN DAYLIGHT, WAS THE SUN VISIBLE? ☐ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," WHERE WAS THE SUN AS YOU FACED THE PHENOMENON?

	IN FRONT OF YOU		TO YOUR RIGHT		OVERHEAD *(Near noon)*
	IN BACK OF YOU		TO YOUR LEFT		UNKNOWN

E. SPECIFY THE MAJOR SOURCE OF ILLUMINATION PRESENT DURING THE SIGHTING, SUCH AS THE SUN, HEADLIGHTS OR STREET LAMP, ETC. FOR TERRESTRIAL ILLUMINATION, SPECIFY DISTANCE TO LIGHT SOURCE. Not far.

12. GIVE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PHENOMENON, INDICATING WHETHER IT APPEARED DARK OR LIGHT, WHETHER IT REFLECTED LIGHT OR WAS SELF-LUMINOUS AND WHAT COLORS YOU NOTICED. DESCRIBE YOUR IMPRESSION OF WHETHER IT WAS SOLID OR TRANSPARENT, WHETHER EDGES WERE SHARP OR FUZZY. DESCRIBE THE SHAPE OR INDICATE IF IT APPEARED AS A POINT OF LIGHT. INDICATE COMPARISONS WITH OTHER OBSERVED OBJECTS, LIKE STARS, A LIGHT OR OTHER OBJECT IN YOUR FIELD OF VIEW.

It was dark outside.



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	OUTDOORS		IN BUSINESS SECTION OF CITY
	IN BUILDING	✓	IN RESIDENTIAL SECTION OF CITY
	IN CAR ☐ AS DRIVER ☐ AS PASSENGER		IN OPEN COUNTRYSIDE
	IN BOAT		NEAR AIRFIELD
	IN AIRPLANE ☐ AS PILOT ☐ AS PASSENGER		FLYING OVER CITY
	OTHER		FLYING OVER OPEN COUNTRY
✓	In House		OTHER

A. IF YOU WERE IN A VEHICLE, COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

WHAT DIRECTION WERE YOU MOVING?

	NORTH		EAST
X	SOUTH		WEST
	NORTHEAST		SOUTHEAST
	NORTHWEST		SOUTHWEST

HOW FAST WERE YOU MOVING? Not moving

DID YOU STOP ANYTIME WHILE OBSERVING THE PHENOMENON? ☒ YES ☐ NO

EXPLAIN WHETHER SUCH MOVEMENT AFFECTS YOUR SKETCHES IN ITEMS 5 AND 6. It doesn't, it was just the way I said it was.

DESCRIBE TYPE OF VEHICLE YOU WERE IN AND TYPE OF ROAD, TERRAIN OR BODY OF WATER YOU TRAVERSED DURING THE SIGHTING. STATE WHETHER WINDOWS OR CONVERTIBLE TOP WERE UP OR DOWN. I was in the house at the time looking out my mom's window.

HOW MUCH OTHER TRAFFIC WAS THERE? Not much traffic

DID YOU NOTICE ANY AIRPLANES? ☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE WHEN THEY WERE IN SIGHT RELATIVE TO THE TIME OF SIGHTING THE PHENOMENON AND WHERE THEY WERE IN THE SKY RELATIVE TO THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON.

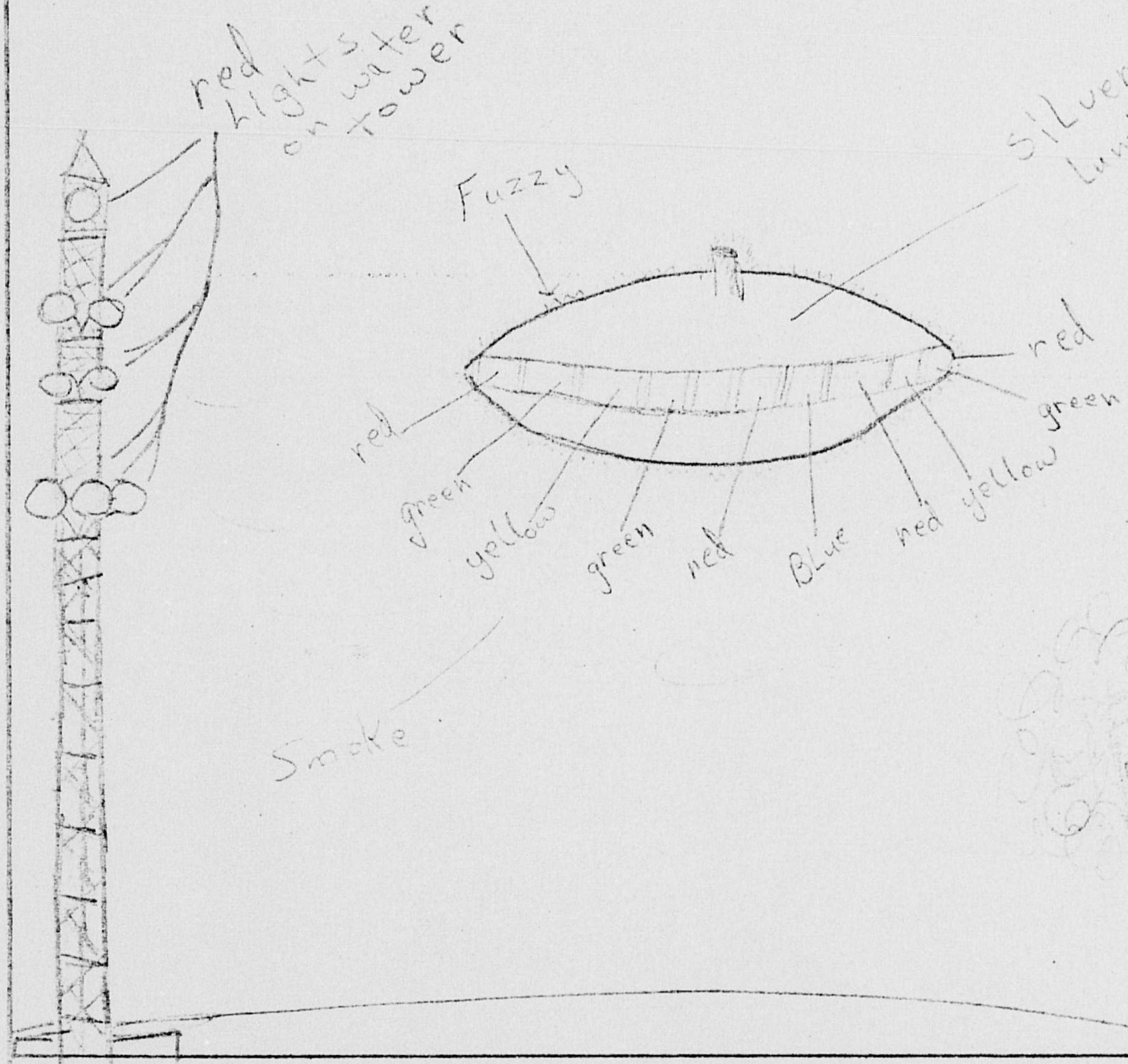
9. HOW LONG WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT?

LENGTH OF TIME 15 min.	✓	CERTAIN OF TIME		NOT VERY SURE
		FAIRLY CERTAIN		JUST A GUESS

HOW WAS TIME DETERMINED?

WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT CONTINUOUSLY? ☒ YES ☒ NO. IF "NO," INDICATE WHETHER THIS IS DUE TO YOUR MOVEMENT OR THE BEHAVIOR OF THE PHENOMENON, AND DESCRIBE SUCH MOVEMENT OR BEHAVIOR. INDICATE DISAPPEARANCES ON PREVIOUS SKETCHES. It was circling very slowly around the water tower on Beckman St. Hill.

15. DRAW A PICTURE THAT WILL SHOW THE SHAPE OF THE PHENOMENON. INCLUDE AND LABEL ANY DETAILS THAT MIGHT HAVE APPEARED AS WINGS OR PROTRUSIONS, AND INDICATE EXHAUST OR VAPOR TRAILS. INDICATE BY AN ARROW THE DIRECTION THE PHENOMENON WAS MOVING.



16. WHAT WAS THE ANGULAR SIZE? HOLD A MATCH AT ARM'S LENGTH IN FRONT OF A KNOWN OBJECT, SUCH AS A STREET LAMP OR THE MOON. NOTE HOW MUCH OF THE OBJECT IS COVERED BY THE HEAD OF THE MATCH. NOW IF YOU HAD BEEN ABLE TO PERFORM THIS EXPERIMENT AT THE TIME OF THE SIGHTING, ESTIMATE WHAT FRACTION OF THE PHENOMENON WOULD HAVE BEEN COVERED BY THE MATCH HEAD.

13. DID THE PHENOMENON	YES	NO	UNKNOWN
MOVE IN A STRAIGHT LINE?		X	
STAND STILL AT ANY TIME?	X		
SUDDENLY SPEED UP AND RUN AWAY?		X	
BREAK UP IN PARTS AND EXPLODE?		X	
CHANGE COLOR?		X	
GIVE OFF SMOKE?	X		
CHANGE BRIGHTNESS?	X		
CHANGE SHAPE?		X	
FLASH OR FLICKER?	X		
DISAPPEAR AND REAPPEAR?		X	
SPIN LIKE A TOP?	X		
MAKE A NOISE?	X		
FLUTTER OR WOBBLE?	X		

14. WHAT DREW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE PHENOMENON?

Well I Like to redd the ~~sky~~ stars at night. It just so happened, I was ready to take the dog out when, he jumped, and his fur flew up and so I let him in the house. I went out hear a sisssss sssss sound and came in. I then, ran upstairs and told my Little sister. We both looked outside and seen it. She seen a Little but she didn't see the thing LiKe I did.

A. HOW DID IT FINALLY DISAPPEAR? It wobbled away over the Hill,

B. DID THE PHENOMENON MOVE BEHIND OR IN FRONT OF SOMETHING, LIKE A CLOUD, TREE, OR BUILDING AT ANY TIME?
☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE. I circled around and then dissappeared behind The Hill on Beckman St. towards Oakday Swimming Pool on Irving Ave.

17. DID YOU OBSERVE THE PHENOMENON THROUGH ANY OF THE FOLLOWING? INCLUDE INFORMATION ON MODEL, TYPE, FILTER, LENS PRESCRIPTION OR OTHER APPLICABLE DATA.

	EYEGLASSES		CAMERA VIEWER
	SUNGLASSES		BINOCULARS
	WINDSHIELD		TELESCOPE
	SIDE WINDOW OF VEHICLE		THEODOLITE
✓	WINDOWPANE		OTHER

A. DO YOU ORDINARILY WEAR GLASSES? ☐ YES ☒ NO

B. DO YOU USE READING GLASSES? ☐ YES ☒ NO

18. WHAT WAS YOUR IMPRESSION OF THE SPEED OF THE PHENOMENON? GIVE ESTIMATE OF SPEED 10 mph.

19. WHAT WAS YOUR IMPRESSION OF THE DISTANCE OF THE PHENOMENON? GIVE ESTIMATE OF DISTANCE [illegible].

20. IN ORDER THAT WE MAY OBTAIN AS CLEAR A PICTURE AS POSSIBLE OF WHAT YOU SAW, DESCRIBE IN YOUR OWN WORDS A COMMON OBJECT OR OBJECTS WHICH, WHEN PLACED IN THE SKY, SIMILAR TO WHERE YOU NOTED THE PHENOMENON, WOULD BEAR SOME RESEMBLANCE TO WHAT YOU SAW. DESCRIBE SIMILARITIES AND DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE COMMON OBJECT AND WHAT YOU SAW. Two paper plates remindsme of it. Only it was fuzzy looken and had green, red, blue a little yellow. And was a silver, Luminus color. It had smoke around it and a kind of pipe or propeller on top. I couldn't see that to well.

21. DID YOU NOTICE ANY ODOR, NOISE, OR HEAT EMANATING FROM THE PHENOMENON OR ANY EFFECT ON YOURSELF, ANIMALS OR MACHINERY IN THE VICINITY? ☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE. Our dog when I first took him outside, he reared Back and growled and his fur stood up on end. Our old Black cat she smelt all over the house. Our White cat looked outside then ran upstairs with us. There was a wreak down a few blocks and the trees looked as though they were smashed down cause all the Leaves looked down.

A. DID THE PHENOMENON DISTURB THE GROUND OR LEAVE ANY PHYSICAL EVIDENCE. ☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

The ~~trees~~ ~~were~~ leaves on the trees inaway were pointing downward.

22. HAVE YOU EVER SEEN THIS OR A SIMILAR PHENOMENON BEFORE? [X] YES [ ] NO. IF "YES," GIVE DATE AND LOCATION. November 17, 1968 over some Hill. ~~December~~ August 5 1967 over same area over a little ~~towards~~ Oakley swimming pool.

23. WAS ANYONE WITH YOU AT THE TIME YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? [X] YES [ ] NO. IF "YES," DID THEY SEE IT TOO? [X] YES [ ] NO. My little sister she seen its lights. She's 7yrs old.

A. LIST THEIR NAMES AND ADDRESSES [redacted]
Dayton 10, Ohio
45410
She's only 7 though.

24. GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ABOUT YOURSELF

LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE NAME [redacted]

ADDRESS (Street, City, State and Zip Code) [redacted] Dayton 10, Ohio 45410

TELEPHONE (Area code and number) [redacted]

AGE		MALE		FEMALE
14 at the time			✓	

INDICATE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION INCLUDING OCCUPATION AND ANY EXPERIENCE WHICH MAY BE PERTINENT.
I'm a student at Belmont High School.

25. WHEN AND TO WHOM DID YOU REPORT THAT YOU HAD SIGHTED THIS PHENOMENON?
NAME UFO Department WRAB. DAY 7 3:00 am MONTH June YEAR 1968

26. DATE YOU COMPLETED THIS QUESTIONNAIRE.
DAY 20th MONTH Nov. YEAR 1968

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

JUL 10 1968

REPLY TO
ATTN OF: TDPT (UFO)

SUBJECT: UFO Observation, 6 July 1968

TO: [redacted]

Your name has been given to the Aerial Phenomena Office (Project Blue Book) as being a witness to an unidentified flying object. If you were a witness to an UFO sighting on 6 July would you please complete the attached AF Form 117 and return it in the envelope provided. If you were not a witness to this sighting, would you please make a statement to this effect on the attached form. The information which you provide will be used in evaluating this observation. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Lt Colonel, USAF
Chief, Aerial Phenomena Office
Aerospace Technologies Division
Production Directorate

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AF Form 117 w/envelope

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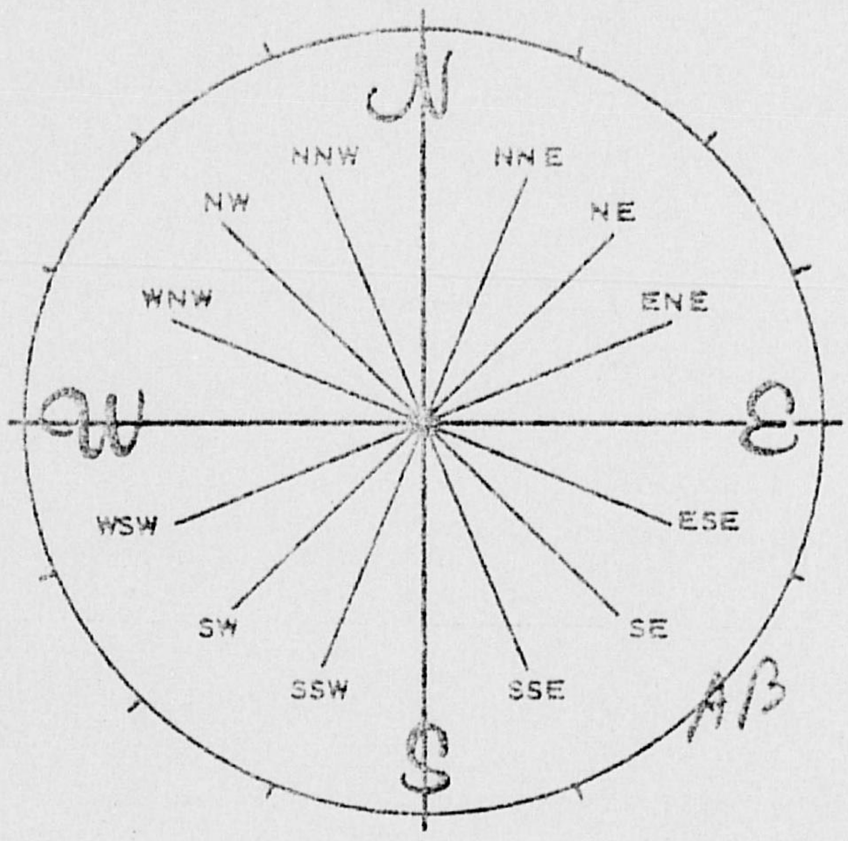

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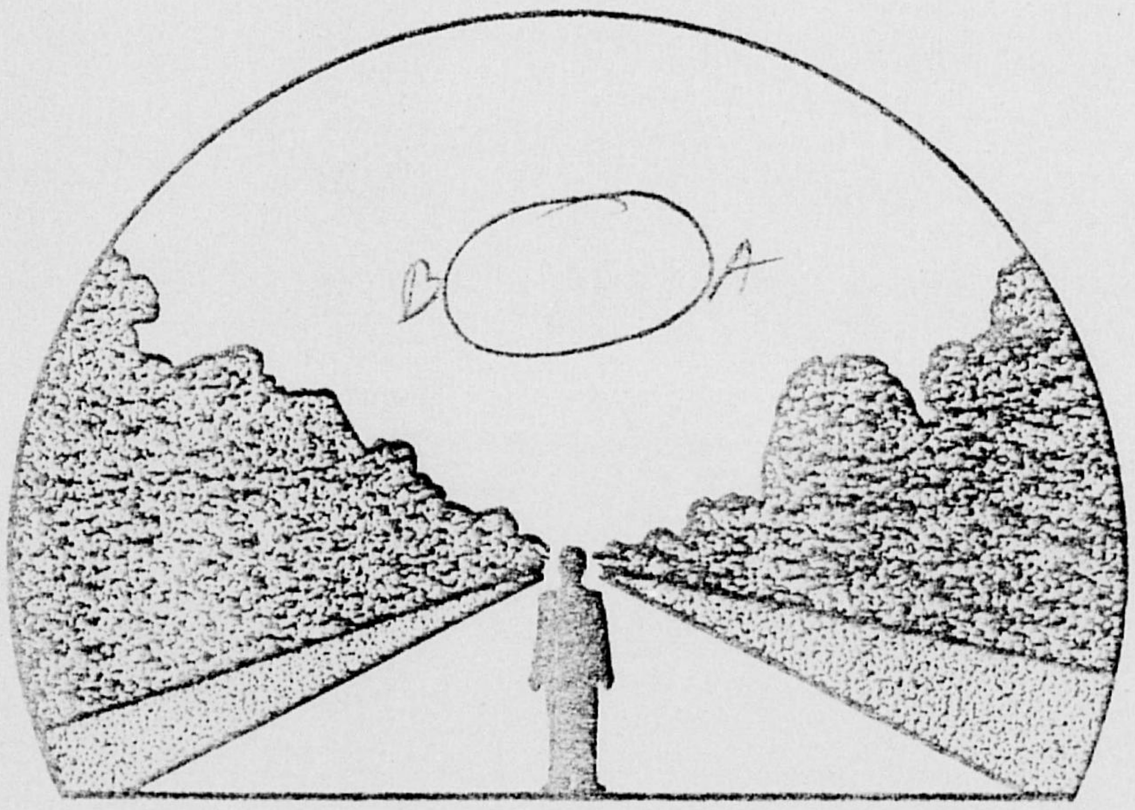

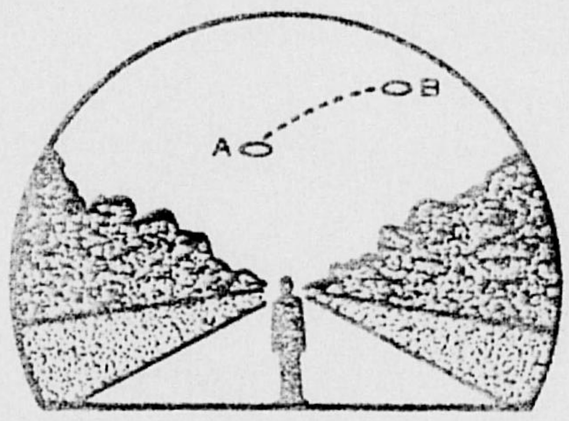

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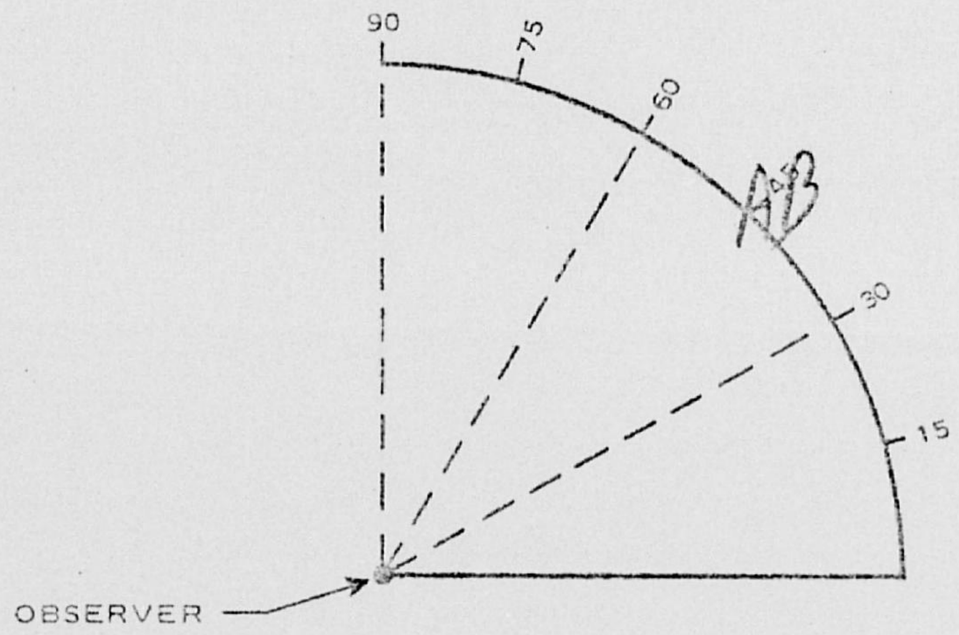

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HOW FAST WERE YOU MOVING?

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HOW MUCH OTHER TRAFFIC WAS THERE?

DID YOU NOTICE ANY AIRPLANES? ☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE WHEN THEY WERE IN SIGHT RELATIVE TO THE TIME OF SIGHTING THE PHENOMENON AND WHERE THEY WERE IN THE SKY RELATIVE TO THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON.

9. HOW LONG WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT?

LENGTH OF TIME 15 MIN		CERTAIN OF TIME		NOT VERY SURE
	X	FAIRLY CERTAIN		JUST A GUESS

HOW WAS TIME DETERMINED?

WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT CONTINUOUSLY? ☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "NO," INDICATE WHETHER THIS IS DUE TO YOUR MOVEMENT OR THE BEHAVIOR OF THE PHENOMENON, AND DESCRIBE SUCH MOVEMENT OR BEHAVIOR. INDICATE DISAPPEARANCES ON PREVIOUS SKETCHES.

10. IF THERE WERE MORE THAN ONE PHENOMENON, HOW MANY WERE THERE? DRAW A PICTURE TO SHOW HOW THEY WERE ARRANGED. DID THIS ARRANGEMENT CHANGE DURING THE SIGHTING?

ONE

11. CONDITIONS *(Check appropriate blocks.)*

A. SKY		B. WEATHER			
	DAY		CUMULUS CLOUDS *(Low fluffy)*		FOG OR MIST
	TWILIGHT	X	CIRRUS CLOUDS *(High fleecy or Herring-bone)*		HEAVY RAIN
X	NIGHT				LIGHT RAIN OR DRIZZLE
	CLEAR		NIMBUS CLOUDS *(Rain)*		HAIL
X	PARTLY CLOUDY		CUMULONIMBUS CLOUDS *(Thunderstorms)*		SNOW OR SLEET
X	COMPLETELY OVERCAST				UNKNOWN
			HAZE OR SMOG	X	NONE OF THE ABOVE

C. IF THE SIGHTING WAS AT TWILIGHT OR NIGHT, WHAT DID YOU NOTICE ABOUT THE STARS AND MOON?

(1) STARS		(2) MOON			
	NONE		BRIGHT MOONLIGHT		NO MOONLIGHT
	A FEW		MOON WITH HALO		UNKNOWN
X	MANY	X	MOON HIDDEN BY CLOUDS		
	UNKNOWN		PARTIAL *(New or quarter)*		

D. IF SIGHTING WAS IN DAYLIGHT, WAS THE SUN VISIBLE? ☐ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," WHERE WAS THE SUN AS YOU FACED THE PHENOMENON?

	IN FRONT OF YOU		TO YOUR RIGHT		OVERHEAD *(Near noon)*
	IN BACK OF YOU		TO YOUR LEFT		UNKNOWN

E. SPECIFY THE MAJOR SOURCE OF ILLUMINATION PRESENT DURING THE SIGHTING, SUCH AS THE SUN, HEADLIGHTS OR STREET LAMP, ETC. FOR TERRESTRIAL ILLUMINATION, SPECIFY DISTANCE TO LIGHT SOURCE.

12. GIVE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PHENOMENON, INDICATING WHETHER IT APPEARED DARK OR LIGHT, WHETHER IT REFLECTED LIGHT OR WAS SELF-LUMINOUS AND WHAT COLORS YOU NOTICED. DESCRIBE YOUR IMPRESSION OF WHETHER IT WAS SOLID OR TRANSPARENT, WHETHER EDGES WERE SHARP OR FUZZY. DESCRIBE THE SHAPE OR INDICATE IF IT APPEARED AS A POINT OF LIGHT. INDICATE COMPARISONS WITH OTHER OBSERVED OBJECTS, LIKE STARS, A LIGHT OR OTHER OBJECT IN YOUR FIELD OF VIEW.

FLAT SAUCER

of Light

Green

BLUE

RED

15. DRAW A PICTURE THAT WILL SHOW THE SHAPE OF THE PHENOMENON. INCLUDE AND LABEL ANY DETAILS THAT MIGHT HAVE APPEARED AS WINGS OR PROTRUSIONS, AND INDICATE EXHAUST OR VAPOR TRAILS. INDICATE BY AN ARROW THE DIRECTION THE PHENOMENON WAS MOVING.

16. WHAT WAS THE ANGULAR SIZE? HOLD A MATCH AT ARM'S LENGTH IN FRONT OF A KNOWN OBJECT, SUCH AS A STREET LAMP OR THE MOON. NOTE HOW MUCH OF THE OBJECT IS COVERED BY THE HEAD OF THE MATCH. NOW IF YOU HAD BEEN ABLE TO PERFORM THIS EXPERIMENT AT THE TIME OF THE SIGHTING, ESTIMATE WHAT FRACTION OF THE PHENOMENON WOULD HAVE BEEN COVERED BY THE MATCH HEAD.

Top 1/2

13. DID THE PHENOMENON	YES	NO	UNKNOWN
MOVE IN A STRAIGHT LINE?		X	
STAND STILL AT ANYTIME?		X	
SUDDENLY SPEED UP AND RUN AWAY?		X	
BREAK UP IN PARTS AND EXPLODE?		X	
CHANGE COLOR?		X	
GIVE OFF SMOKE?		X	
CHANGE BRIGHTNESS?		X	
CHANGE SHAPE?		X	
FLASH OR FLICKER?	X		
DISAPPEAR AND REAPPEAR?		X	
SPIN LIKE A TOP?		X	
MAKE A NOISE?	X		
FLUTTER OR WOBBLE?	X		

14. WHAT DREW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE PHENOMENON?

HEARED NOISE

A. HOW DID IT FINALLY DISAPPEAR?

WENT INTO DISTANCE

B. DID THE PHENOMENON MOVE BEHIND OR IN FRONT OF SOMETHING, LIKE A CLOUD, TREE, OR BUILDING AT ANY TIME?
☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

17. DID YOU OBSERVE THE PHENOMENON THROUGH ANY OF THE FOLLOWING? INCLUDE INFORMATION ON MODEL, TYPE, FILTER, LENS PRESCRIPTION OR OTHER APPLICABLE DATA.

	EYEGLASSES		CAMERA VIEWER
	SUNGLASSES		BINOCULARS
	WINDSHIELD		TELESCOPE
	SIDE WINDOW OF VEHICLE		THEODOLITE
	WINDOWPANE		OTHER

A. DO YOU ORDINARILY WEAR GLASSES? ☐ YES ☒ NO

B. DO YOU USE READING GLASSES? ☐ YES ☐ NO

18. WHAT WAS YOUR IMPRESSION OF THE SPEED OF THE PHENOMENON? GIVE ESTIMATE OF SPEED 100 mph

19. WHAT WAS YOUR IMPRESSION OF THE DISTANCE OF THE PHENOMENON? GIVE ESTIMATE OF DISTANCE 1/2 mile

20. IN ORDER THAT WE MAY OBTAIN AS CLEAR A PICTURE AS POSSIBLE OF WHAT YOU SAW, DESCRIBE IN YOUR OWN WORDS A COMMON OBJECT OR OBJECTS WHICH, WHEN PLACED IN THE SKY, SIMILAR TO WHERE YOU NOTED THE PHENOMENON, WOULD BEAR SOME RESEMBLANCE TO WHAT YOU SAW. DESCRIBE SIMILARITIES AND DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE COMMON OBJECT AND WHAT YOU SAW.

21. DID YOU NOTICE ANY ODOR, NOISE, OR HEAT EMANATING FROM THE PHENOMENON OR ANY EFFECT ON YOURSELF, ANIMALS OR MACHINERY IN THE VICINITY? ☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

A. DID THE PHENOMENON DISTURB THE GROUND OR LEAVE ANY PHYSICAL EVIDENCE. ☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

22. HAVE YOU EVER SEEN THIS OR A SIMILAR PHENOMENON BEFORE? ☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," GIVE DATE AND LOCATION.

About 1 yr. ago – Same location

23. WAS ANYONE WITH YOU AT THE TIME YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? ☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," DID THEY SEE IT TOO? ☐ YES ☐ NO.

Little Sister

A. LIST THEIR NAMES AND ADDRESSES

24. GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ABOUT YOURSELF

LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE NAME [redacted]

ADDRESS (Street, City, State and Zip Code) [redacted]

TELEPHONE (Area code and number)	AGE		MALE		FEMALE
[redacted]	15			X	

INDICATE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION INCLUDING OCCUPATION AND ANY EXPERIENCE WHICH MAY BE PERTINENT.

25. WHEN AND TO WHOM DID YOU REPORT THAT YOU HAD SIGHTED THIS PHENOMENON?

NAME_____ DAY_____ MONTH_____ YEAR _____

25. DATE YOU COMPLETED THIS QUESTIONNAIRE.

DAY_____ MONTH_____ YEAR _____

11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS

The observer di[illegible] an light and at first he thought
a star. After looking closely at the light, he
that it was too light and he also noticed that
red and green. The light was nearly stationary
a period of 1 hr 45 min it moved to the west and

[illegible]

[redacted]

[illegible] (TDE) Previous editions of this form may be used.

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...IDENCE

11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ...ALYSIS

The observer si... ...ed an light and at first he ... a sta... After ...oking closely at the light, he ... that it was too bright and he also noticed that ... red and green. The light was nearly stationary ... a period of 1 hr 45 min it moved to the west and disap...

[redacted]

...D (TDE) Previous editions of this form may be used.

1. WHEN DID YOU SEE THE OBJECT?

8	7	68
DAY	MONTH	YEAR

2. TIME OF DAY: 3 HOUR 0 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?

37 BOOTH ST.	NEW BRITAIN	CONN.
NEAREST POSTAL ADDRESS	CITY OR TOWN	STATE OR COUNTY

5 HOW LONG WAS OBJECT IN SIGHT (TOTAL DURATION)

1	45	0
HOURS	MINUTES	SECONDS

(A). CERTAIN
B. FAIRLY CERTAIN
C. NOT VERY SURE
D. JUST A GUESS

5.1 HOW WAS TIME IN SIGHT DETERMINED

WATCH

5.2 WAS OBJECT IN SIGHT CONTINUOSLY

YES X NO ____

6. WHAT WAS THE CONDITION OF THE SKY

DAY	NIGHT
A. BRIGHT	(A) BRIGHT
B. CLOUDY	B. CLOUDY

X. 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. THE OBJECT APPEARED: (CIRCLE ONE)

A. SOLID (D). AS A LIGHT
B. TRANSPARENT E. DON'T REMEMBER
C. VAPOR

9. IF IT APPEARED AS A LIGHT, WAS IT BRIGHTER THAN THE BRIGHTEST STARS?

(CIRCLE ONE)

(A). BRIGHTER C. ABOUT THE SAME
B. DIMMER D. DON'T REMEMBER

9.1 COMPARE BRIGHTNESS TO COMMON OBJECT

LIGHTS ON AN AIRPLANE

10. 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 - TO DARK

TO SEE

11. DID THE OBJECT (CIRCLE ONE FOR EACH QUESTION)

A. APPEAR TO STAND STILL AT ANY TIME?

(A). YES B NO C I DON'T KNOW

B SUDDENLY SPEED UP AND RUSH AWAY AT ANY TIME?

A YES (B) NO C I DON'T KNOW

C. BREAK UP INTO PARTS OR EXPLODE?

A YES (B) NO C I DON'T KNOW

D. GIVE OFF SMOKE?

A. YES (B). NO C. I DON'T KNOW

E CHANGE BRIGHTNESS?

A. YES (B). NO C, I DON'T KNOW

F. CHANGE SHAPE?

A YES (B). NO C. I DON'T KNOW

G. FLASH OR FLICKER?

(A) YES B NO C. I DON'T KNOW

H. DISAPPEAR OR APPEAR?

A YES (B). NO C. I DON'T KNOW

16. WHAT TYPE CRAFT REPORTED? (CIRCLE ONE)

(A) BRIGHT ORIGG B. SMALL CIGAR C LARGE CIGAR

D SMALL DESC E LARGE DISC F SMALL EGG

G LARGE EGG H. SMALL GLOBE I LARGE GLOBE

J DON'T KNOW K OTHER _____

17. YOUR NAME: [redacted]
LAST MIDDLE INITIAL FIRST

AGE: 42 SEX: MALE

RESIDENCE: NEW BRITAIN CONN. [redacted]
CITY STATE ROAD

PHONE NUMBER: [redacted]

PRESENT JOB: INVESTIGATOR FOR THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT + EMPLOYED AT FAFNIR BEARING

18 TELL IN A FEW WORDS THE FOLLOWING THINGS ABOUT THE OBJECT:

A. SOUND - NONE HEARED

B COLOR - RED AND GREEN

19. PICTURE OF OBJECT - IT WAS DARK AND I COULDN'T SEE THE SHAPE OF THE OBJECT BECAUSE I ONLY SAW LIGHTS.

20. HOW LARGE DID THE OBJECT OR OBJECTS APPEAR AS COMPARED WITH ONE OF THE FOLLOWING OBJECTS HELD IN THE HAND AND AT ABOUT ARM'S LENGTH?

(CIRCLE ONE)

A. HEAD OF A PIN
(B) PEA
C. DIME
D. NICKLE
E QUARTER
F HALF DOLLAR
G. SILVER DOLLAR
H. BASEBALL
I GRAPEFRUIT
J BASKETBALL
K. OTHER _____

20.A IN THE ABOVE QUESTION WERE YOU.

A. CERTAIN
B. FAIRLY CERTAIN
C. NOT VERY SURE
(D) UNCERTAIN

21. HOW DID THE OBJECT DISAPPEAR FROM VIEW? GRADUALLY MOVED AWAY.

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
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. FLYING NEAR AN AIRFIELD

E. FLYING OVER A CITY

F FLYING OVER OPEN COUNTRY

G. OTHER

24. WHAT WERE YOU DOING AT THE TIME YOU SAW THE OBJECT, AND HOW DID YOU NOTICE IT? WORKING AND LOOKED OUT THE WINDOW AND NOTICED THE OBJECT

25. WHAT DIRECTION WERE YOU LOOKING WHEN YOU FIRST SAW THE OBJECT (CIRCLE ONE)

(A). NORTH C. EAST E SOUTH G. WEST

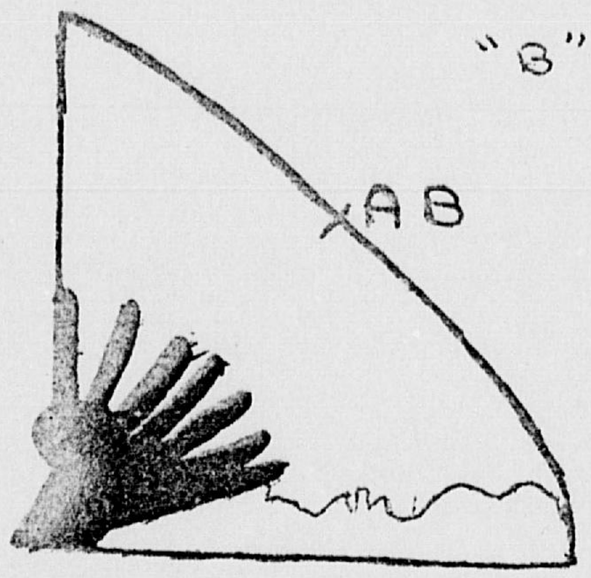
B. NORTHEAST D. SOUTHEAST F SOUTHWEST H NORTHWEST

26. WHAT DIRECTION WERE YOU LOOKING WHEN YOU LAST SAW THE OBJECT (CIRCLE ONE)

(A) NORTH C. EAST E SOUTH G. WEST

B. NORTHEAST D SOUTHEAST F SOUTHWEST H. NORTHWEST

27. PLACE AN "A" ON THE CURVED LINE TO SHOW HOW HIGH OBJECT WAS WHEN FIRST SEEN, PLACE A "B" ON LINE TO SHOW HOW HIGH WHEN LAST SEEN.



28. WHAT WERE THE WEATHER CONDITIONS AT THE TIME WHEN YOU SAW THE OBJECT

28.A. CLOUDS (CIRCLE ONE)

(A). CLEAR SKY
B HAZY
C. SCATTERED CLOUDS
D. THICK OR HEAVY CLOUDS
E. DON'T REMEMBER

28.B WIND (CIRCLE ONE)

(A). NO WIND
B. SLIGHT BREEZE
C. STRONG WIND
D. DON'T REMEMBER

28 C WEATHER (CIRCLE ONE)

(A) DRY
B. FOG, MIST, OR LIGHT RAIN
C. MODERATE OR HEAVY RAIN
D. SNOW
E. DON'T REMEMBER

28 D TEMPERATURE

A. COLD
B. COOL
(C) WARM
D HOT
E DON'T REMEMBER

29. WHEN DID YOU REPORT TO SOME OFFICIAL THAT YOU HAD SEEN THE OBJECT ?.

15 DAY — 7 MONTH — 68 YEAR - YOU ARE THE OFFICIALS I REPORTED TO

30. WAS ANYONE ELSE WITH YOU AT THE TIME YOU SAW THE OBJECT (CIRCLE ONE)

(A) YES B NO

30A IF YOU ANSWERED YES, DID THEY SEE THE OBJECT ? (CIRCLE ONE)

(A) YES B NO

30B PLEASE LIST THEIR NAMES AND ADDRESSES

[redacted]

EAST HARTFORD

[redacted]

NEW BRITAIN

[redacted]

31. IN YOUR OPINION WHAT DO YOU THINK THE OBJECT WAS AND WHAT MIGHT HAVE CAUSED IT? NO OPINION, BUT NOT AN AIRPLANE

32. DO YOU THINK YOU CAN ESTIMATE THE SPEED OF THE OBJECT (CIRCLE ONE)

A YES (B) NO

IF YOU ANSWERED YES, WHAT SPEED WOULD YOU ESTIMATE IT AT _____ M.P.H.

33. DO YOU THINK YOU CAN ESTIMATE HOW FAR AWAY FROM YOU THE OBJECT WAS? (CIRCLE ONE) A YES (B) NO

IF YOU ANSWERED YES HOW FAR WOULD YOU SAY IT WAS _____ FEET

34. DATE YOU COMPLETED THIS QUESTIONNAIRE

13 DAY 7 MONTH 68 YEAR

25 PLEASE INDICATE ANY SPECIAL EDUCATIONAL TRAINING THAT YOU HAVE HAD

A. GRADE SCHOOL - K - 8th GRADE

B. HIGH SCHOOL - 9 - 12th GRADE

C. COLLEGE - 1 YEAR

D. POST GRADUATE - —

E. TECHNICAL SCHOOL - —

F. OTHER SPECIAL TRAINING - EMBALMER

NAME -

SIGNATURE [redacted]

DATE - JULY 8, 1968

36. DESCRIPTION OF OBSERVATION

WENT TO HAVE A SMOKE, AND THE WINDOW WAS WIDE OPEN. I LOOKED TO THE NORTH AND SAW A BRIGHT OBJECT AT FIRST I THOUGHT IT WAS A STAR BUT NOTICED IT WAS TO BRIGHT. I THEN FOCUSED ON THE OBJECT AND SAW A GREEN AND RED OBJECT. AT FIRST I THOUGHT IT WAS A PLANE BUT IT REMAINED STATIONARY. I WENT TO GET MY FRIEND, HE LOOKED AT IT AND

THOUGHT IT WAS A PLANE BECAUSE
IT WAS FLASHING GREEN + RED.
HE THEN AGREED THAT IT WAS NOT
A PLANE BECAUSE OF ITS STILLNESS.
HE THEN CALLED HIS FRIEND AND
HIS FRIEND SUMMERNED THE SAME
OPINION. I WATCHED IT AND IT
KEEP ON MOVING FROM EAST TO WEST
WHEN AT QUARTER TO FIVE THE OBJECT
GRADUALLY DISSAPEARED INTO THE WEST

GROUP

DATE

10. CONCLUSION

[illegible] DATA FOR EVALUATION

[illegible] OF OBJECTS

COMMENTS: See reverse side of [illegible]

[illegible] OF OBSERVATION

[illegible] OF OBSERVATION

[illegible]

PHOTOS

[illegible]

PHYSICAL EVIDENCE

[illegible] Yes

[illegible] No

11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS

The observer stated that he sighted a light "that seemed to come from a southerly direction, then moved easterly with a quick burst of speed." Traveling easterly in a straight line it suddenly ascended on an 80 deg angle, about 15 deg higher than its original position, and got dimmer and disappeared.

[redacted]

FORM
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[illegible] only of a light in the sky, it does not fall under [illegible] given in [illegible] 80-17. The observer stated that it looked [illegible] UFO II. UFO II was about 15 degs west of the observer at about 9:[illegible] pm, [illegible] have been visible to people under it, but it would have at best been [illegible] over the horizon in the NW from Rhode Island. A bolide might have the [illegible] could execute the maneuvers that the observer ascribed to it. It [illegible] possible that the observer sighted something blowing in the wind and reflecting light. However, other than pure speculation, there certainly isn't enough information [illegible] the stimulus, other than a light source. For this reason the sighting is [illegible] as INSUFFICIENT DATA FOR EVALUATION.

AFR 80-17(C1)

SIGHTING OF UNIDENTIFIED PHENOMENA QUESTIONNAIRE

BUDGET BUREAU APPROVAL NUMBER 21-R258

THIS QUESTIONNAIRE HAS BEEN PREPARED SO THAT YOU CAN GIVE THE U.S. AIR FORCE AS MUCH INFORMATION AS POSSIBLE CONCERNING THE UNIDENTIFIED PHENOMENON THAT YOU HAVE OBSERVED. PLEASE TRY TO ANSWER ALL OF THE QUESTIONS. THE INFORMATION YOU GIVE WILL BE USED FOR RESEARCH PURPOSES YOUR NAME WILL NOT BE USED IN CONNECTION WITH ANY OF YOUR STATEMENTS OR CONCLUSIONS WITHOUT YOUR PERMISSION. RETURN TO AIR FORCE BASE INVESTIGATOR FOR FORWARDING TO FTD (TDETR), WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB, OHIO 45433, IAW AFR 80-17. *(IF ADDITIONAL SHEETS ARE NEEDED FOR NARRATIVE OR SKETCHES ATTACH SECURELY TO THIS FORM OR ANNOTATE WITH YOUR NAME FOR IDENTIFICATION.)*

1. WHEN DID YOU SEE THE PHENOMENON?
DAY 8 MONTH 8 YEAR 1968

2. WHAT TIME DID YOU FIRST SIGHT THE PHENOMENON?
HOUR 9 MINUTES 30 ☐ A.M. ☒ P.M.

3. WHAT TIME DID YOU LAST SIGHT THE PHENOMENON?
HOUR 9 MINUTES 30'30" ☐ A.M. ☒ P.M.

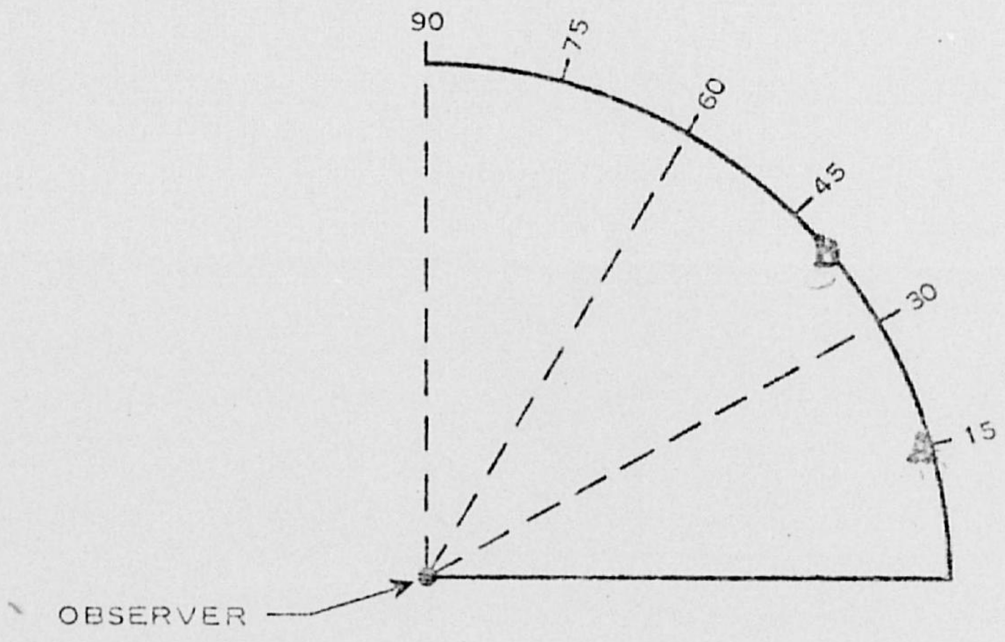
4. TIME / ZONE ☒ DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ☐ STANDARD
☒ EASTERN ☐ CENTRAL ☐ MOUNTAIN ☐ PACIFIC ☐ OTHER

5. WHERE WERE YOU WHEN YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? IF IN CITY, GIVE THE NEAREST STREET ADDRESS AND INDICATE ON A HAND DRAWN MAP WHERE YOU WERE STANDING WITH REFERENCE TO THE ADDRESS. IF IN THE COUNTRY, IDENTIFY THE HIGHWAY YOU WERE ON OR NEAR AND TRY TO FIX A DISTANCE AND DIRECTION FROM SOME RECOGNIZABLE LANDMARK.

[redacted]

Johnston, R.I.

6. IMAGINE YOU ARE AT THE POINT SHOWN IN THE SKETCH, PLACE AN "A" ON THE CURVED LINE TO SHOW HOW HIGH THE PHENOMENON WAS ABOVE THE HORIZON, OR SKYLINE, WHEN FIRST SEEN. PLACE A "B" ON THE SAME CURVED LINE TO SHOW HOW HIGH ABOVE THE HORIZON THE PHENOMENON WAS WHEN LAST SEEN.



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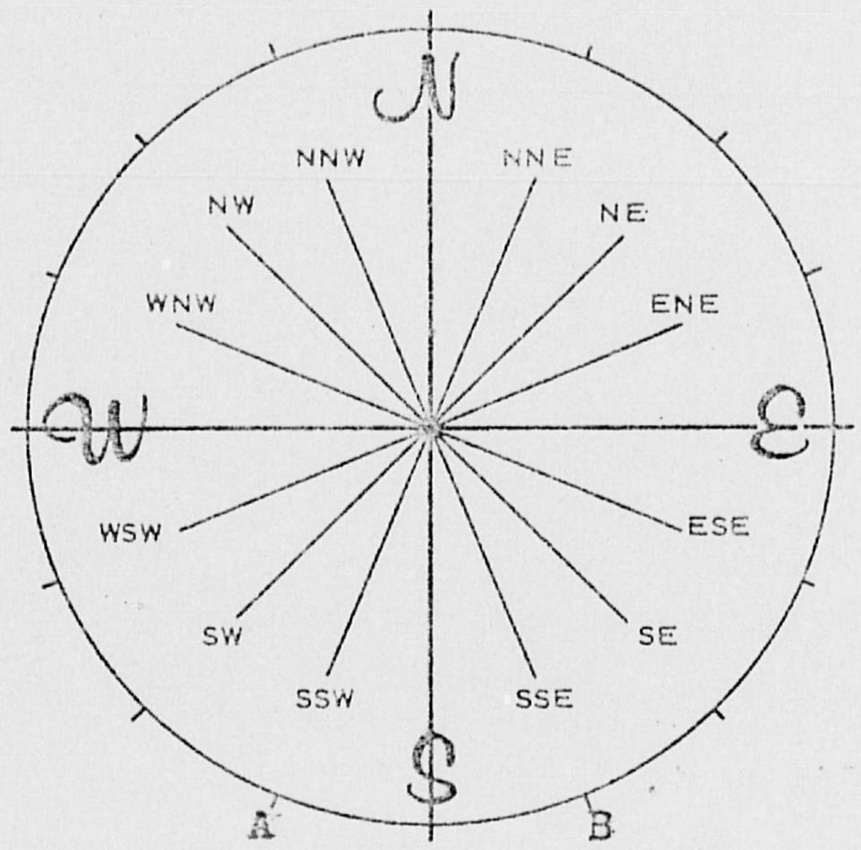
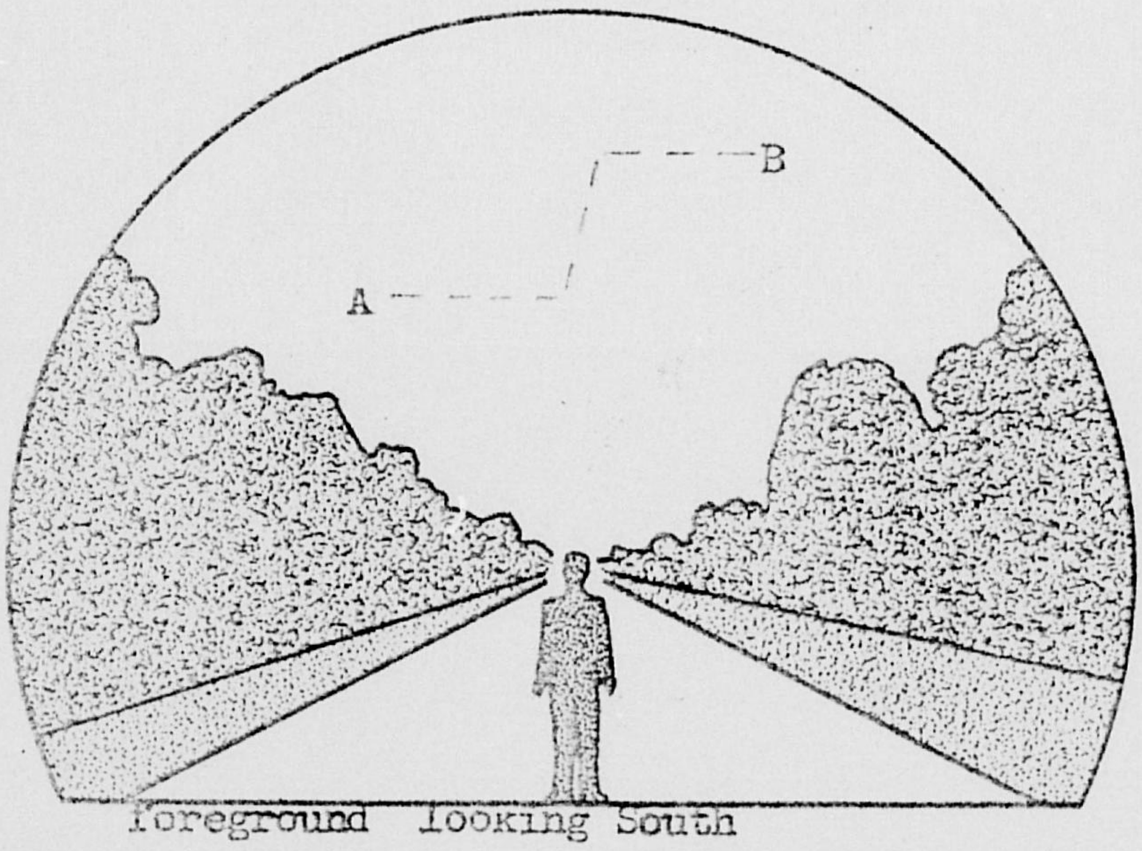
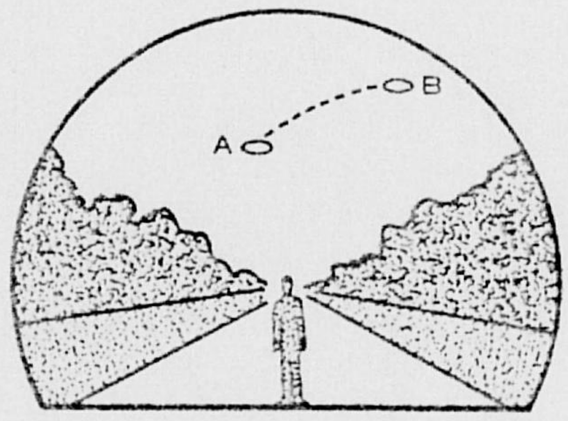
6A. NOW IMAGINE YOU ARE AT THE CENTEP OF THE COMPASS ROSE. PLACE AN "A" ON THE COMPASS TO INDICATE THE DIRECTION TO THE PHENOMENON WHEN FIRST SEEN. PLACE A "B" ON THE COMPASS TO INDICATE THE DIRECTION TO THE PHENOMENON WHEN LAST SEEN.



7. IN THE SKETCH BELOW, PLACE AN "A" AT THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON WHEN FIRST SEEN, AND A "B" AT THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON WHEN LAST SEEN. CONNECT THE "A" AND "B" WITH A LINE TO APPROXIMATE THE MOVEMENT OF THE PHENOMENON BETWEEN "A" AND "B". THAT IS, SCHEMATICALLY SHOW WHETHER THE MOVEMENT APPEARED TO BE STRAIGHT, CURVED OR ZIG-ZAG. REFER TO SMALLER SKETCH AS AN EXAMPLE OF HOW TO COMPLETE THE LARGER SKETCH.



Foreground looking South



10. IF THERE WERE MORE THAN ONE PHENOMENON, HOW MANY WERE THERE? DRAW A PICTURE TO SHOW HOW THEY WERE ARRANGED. DID THIS ARRANGEMENT CHANGE DURING THE SIGHTING?

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	COMPLETELY OVERCAST				UNKNOWN
			HAZE OR SMOG		NONE OF THE ABOVE

C. IF THE SIGHTING WAS AT TWILIGHT OR NIGHT, WHAT DID YOU NOTICE ABOUT THE STARS AND MOON?

(1) STARS		(2) MOON			
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	A FEW		MOON WITH HALO		UNKNOWN
X	MANY		MOON HIDDEN BY CLOUDS		
	UNKNOWN		PARTIAL *(New or quarter)*		

D. IF SIGHTING WAS IN DAYLIGHT, WAS THE SUN VISIBLE? ☐ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," WHERE WAS THE SUN AS YOU FACED THE PHENOMENON?

	IN FRONT OF YOU		TO YOUR RIGHT		OVERHEAD *(Near noon)*
	IN BACK OF YOU		TO YOUR LEFT		UNKNOWN

E. SPECIFY THE MAJOR SOURCE OF ILLUMINATION PRESENT DURING THE SIGHTING, SUCH AS THE SUN, HEADLIGHTS OR STREET LAMP, ETC. FOR TERRESTRIAL ILLUMINATION, SPECIFY DISTANCE TO LIGHT SOURCE.

MOON . Object seemed to be as far away as the stars.

12. GIVE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PHENOMENON, INDICATING WHETHER IT APPEARED DARK OR LIGHT, WHETHER IT REFLECTED LIGHT OR WAS SELF-LUMINOUS AND WHAT COLORS YOU NOTICED. DESCRIBE YOUR IMPRESSION OF WHETHER IT WAS SOLID OR TRANSPARENT, WHETHER EDGES WERE SHARP OR FUZZY. DESCRIBE THE SHAPE OR INDICATE IF IT APPEARED AS A POINT OF LIGHT. INDICATE COMPARISONS WITH OTHER OBSERVED OBJECTS, LIKE STARS, A LIGHT OR OTHER OBJECT IN YOUR FIELD OF VIEW.

Object appeard to be of the fifth magnitude, and was of the same color as the ECHO SATELLITE but much brighter. As for the shape i am not certain but it did appear to be round.

10. IF THERE WERE MORE THAN ONE PHENOMENON, HOW MANY WERE THERE? DRAW A PICTURE TO SHOW HOW THEY WERE ARRANGED. DID THIS ARRANGEMENT CHANGE DURING THE SIGHTING?

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	PARTLY CLOUDY		CUMULONIMBUS CLOUDS *(Thunderstorms)*		SNOW OR SLEET
	COMPLETELY OVERCAST				UNKNOWN
			HAZE OR SMOG		NONE OF THE ABOVE

C. IF THE SIGHTING WAS AT TWILIGHT OR NIGHT, WHAT DID YOU NOTICE ABOUT THE STARS AND MOON?

(1) STARS		(2) MOON			
	NONE	X	BRIGHT MOONLIGHT		NO MOONLIGHT
	A FEW		MOON WITH HALO		UNKNOWN
X	MANY		MOON HIDDEN BY CLOUDS		
	UNKNOWN		PARTIAL *(New or quarter)*		

D. IF SIGHTING WAS IN DAYLIGHT, WAS THE SUN VISIBLE? ☐ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," WHERE WAS THE SUN AS YOU FACED THE PHENOMENON?

	IN FRONT OF YOU		TO YOUR RIGHT		OVERHEAD *(Near noon)*
	IN BACK OF YOU		TO YOUR LEFT		UNKNOWN

E. SPECIFY THE MAJOR SOURCE OF ILLUMINATION PRESENT DURING THE SIGHTING, SUCH AS THE SUN, HEADLIGHTS OR STREET LAMP, ETC. FOR TERRESTRIAL ILLUMINATION, SPECIFY DISTANCE TO LIGHT SOURCE.

MOON . Object seemed to be as far away as the stars.

12. GIVE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PHENOMENON, INDICATING WHETHER IT APPEARED DARK OR LIGHT, WHETHER IT REFLECTED LIGHT OR WAS SELF-LUMINOUS AND WHAT COLORS YOU NOTICED. DESCRIBE YOUR IMPRESSION OF WHETHER IT WAS SOLID OR TRANSPARENT, WHETHER EDGES WERE SHARP OR FUZZY. DESCRIBE THE SHAPE OR INDICATE IF IT APPEARED AS A POINT OF LIGHT. INDICATE COMPARISONS WITH OTHER OBSERVED OBJECTS, LIKE STARS, A LIGHT OR OTHER OBJECT IN YOUR FIELD OF VIEW.

Object appeard to be of the fifth magnitude, and was of the same color as the ECHO SATELLITE but much brighter. As for the shape i am not certain but it did appear to be round.

8. WHERE WERE YOU WHEN YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? *(Check appropriate blocks.)*

X	OUTDOORS		IN BUSINESS SECTION OF CITY
	IN BUILDING	X	IN RESIDENTIAL SECTION OF CITY
	IN CAR ☐ AS DRIVER ☐ AS PASSENGER		IN OPEN COUNTRYSIDE
	IN BOAT		NEAR AIRFIELD
	IN AIRPLANE ☐ AS PILOT ☐ AS PASSENGER		FLYING OVER CITY
	OTHER		FLYING OVER OPEN COUNTRY
			OTHER

A. IF YOU WERE IN A VEHICLE, COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

WHAT DIRECTION WERE YOU MOVING?

	NORTH		EAST
	SOUTH		WEST
	NORTHEAST		SOUTHEAST
	NORTHWEST		SOUTHWEST

HOW FAST WERE YOU MOVING?

DID YOU STOP ANYTIME WHILE OBSERVING THE PHENOMENON? ☐ YES ☐ NO

EXPLAIN WHETHER SUCH MOVEMENT AFFECTS YOUR SKETCHES IN ITEMS 5 AND 6.

DESCRIBE TYPE OF VEHICLE YOU WERE IN AND TYPE OF ROAD, TERRAIN OR BODY OF WATER YOU TRAVERSED DURING THE SIGHTING. STATE WHETHER WINDOWS OR CONVERTIBLE TOP WERE UP OR DOWN.

HOW MUCH OTHER TRAFFIC WAS THERE?

DID YOU NOTICE ANY AIRPLANES? ☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE WHEN THEY WERE IN SIGHT RELATIVE TO THE TIME OF SIGHTING THE PHENOMENON AND WHERE THEY WERE IN THE SKY RELATIVE TO THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON.

exactly at the same time.
The airplane was about 10 degrees higher, but much closer.
The plane moved in an westerly direction and the phenomenon moved in a easterly direction.

9. HOW LONG WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT?

LENGTH OF TIME				
8 seconds		CERTAIN OF TIME		NOT VERY SURE
	X	FAIRLY CERTAIN		JUST A GUESS

HOW WAS TIME DETERMINED?

mental

WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT CONTINUOUSLY? ☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "NO," INDICATE WHETHER THIS IS DUE TO YOUR MOVEMENT OR THE BEHAVIOR OF THE PHENOMENON, AND DESCRIBE SUCH MOVEMENT OR BEHAVIOR. INDICATE DISAPPEARANCES ON PREVIOUS SKETCHES.

This object seemed to come from a southerly direction, then moved easterly with a quick burst of speed. At this time it was much brighter. Traveling easterly in a strait line it suddenly ascended on an 80 deg. angle about 15 degrees higher than it's original position, and got dimmer and disappeared .

17. DID YOU OBSERVE THE PHENOMENON THROUGH ANY OF THE FOLLOWING? INCLUDE INFORMATION ON MODEL, TYPE, FILTER, LENS PRESCRIPTION OR OTHER APPLICABLE DATA.

	EYEGLASSES		CAMERA VIEWER
	SUNGLASSES	X	BINOCULARS 7x50
	WINDSHIELD		TELESCOPE
	SIDE WINDOW OF VEHICLE		THEODOLITE
	WINDOWPANE		OTHER

A. DO YOU ORDINARILY WEAR GLASSES? [X] YES [ ] NO

B. DO YOU USE READING GLASSES? [ ] YES [ ] NO

18. WHAT WAS YOUR IMPRESSION OF THE SPEED OF THE PHENOMENON? GIVE ESTIMATE OF SPEED triple that of ECHO 2.

19. WHAT WAS YOUR IMPRESSION OF THE DISTANCE OF THE PHENOMENON? GIVE ESTIMATE OF DISTANCE as far as the stars.

20. IN ORDER THAT WE MAY OBTAIN AS CLEAR A PICTURE AS POSSIBLE OF WHAT YOU SAW, DESCRIBE IN YOUR OWN WORDS A COMMON OBJECT OR OBJECTS WHICH, WHEN PLACED IN THE SKY, SIMILAR TO WHERE YOU NOTED THE PHENOMENON, WOULD BEAR SOME RESEMBLANCE TO WHAT YOU SAW. DESCRIBE SIMILARITIES AND DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE COMMON OBJECT AND WHAT YOU SAW.

ECHO 2 satellite

21. DID YOU NOTICE ANY ODOR, NOISE, OR HEAT EMANATING FROM THE PHENOMENON OR ANY EFFECT ON YOURSELF, ANIMALS OR MACHINERY IN THE VICINITY? [ ] YES [X] NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

A. DID THE PHENOMENON DISTURB THE GROUND OR LEAVE ANY PHYSICAL EVIDENCE. [ ] YES [X] NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

22. HAVE YOU EVER SEEN THIS OR A SIMILAR PHENOMENON BEFORE? ☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," GIVE DATE AND LOCATION.

1962 about a mile due south from shown position.

23. WAS ANYONE WITH YOU AT THE TIME YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? ☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," DID THEY SEE IT TOO? ☐ YES ☐ NO.

A. LIST THEIR NAMES AND ADDRESSES

[redacted]
same address

24. GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ABOUT YOURSELF

LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE NAME

[redacted]

ADDRESS (Street, City, State and Zip Code)

[redacted], Jonston, R.I. 02919

TELEPHONE (Area code and number)	AGE		MALE		FEMALE
[redacted]	29	X			

INDICATE PERSONAL INFORMATION INCLUDING OCCUPATION AND ANY EXPERIENCE WHICH MAY BE PERTINENT.

At present i am a machine operator in a coating plant. I have studied almost all fields of science, since i was old enough to read. I have participated in three local science fairs in grade school, and one two awards. Ihave also studied machine at a local extension school.

25. WHEN AND TO WHOM DID YOU REPORT THAT YOU HAD SIGHTED THIS PHENOMENON?

NAME PROJECT BLUE BOOK DAY 15 ~~15~~ MONTH 8 YEAR 68

26. DATE YOU COMPLETED THIS QUESTIONNAIRE.

DAY 25 MONTH 8 YEAR 68

13. DID THE PHENOMENON	YES	NO	UNKNOWN
MOVE IN A STRAIGHT LINE?		X	
STAND STILL AT ANYTIME?		X	
SUDDENLY SPEED UP AND RUN AWAY?	X		
BREAK UP IN PARTS AND EXPLODE?		X	
CHANGE COLOR?		X	
GIVE OFF SMOKE?			X
CHANGE BRIGHTNESS?	X		
CHANGE SHAPE?		X	X
FLASH OR FLICKER?		X	
DISAPPEAR AND REAPPEAR?		X	
SPIN LIKE A TOP?			X
MAKE A NOISE?			X
FLUTTER OR WOBBLE?			X

14. WHAT DREW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE PHENOMENON?

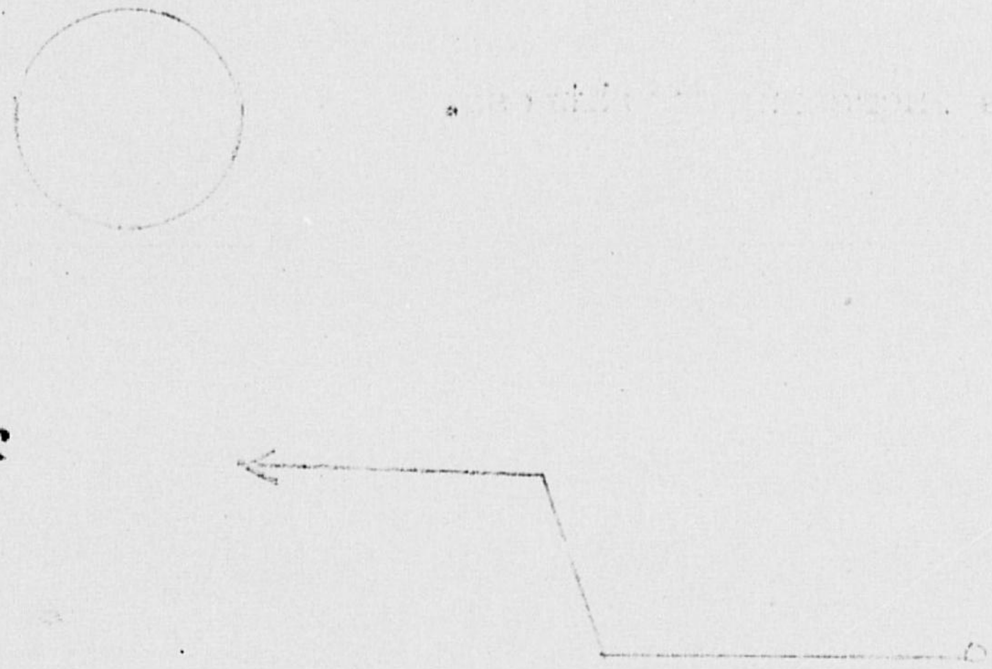
It's incresing brightness.

A. HOW DID IT FINALLY DISAPPEAR?

It got very dim.

B. DID THE PHENOMENON MOVE BEHIND OR IN FRONT OF SOMETHING, LIKE A CLOUD, TREE, OR BUILDING AT ANY TIME?
☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

15. DRAW A PICTURE THAT WILL SHOW THE SHAPE OF THE PHENOMENON. INCLUDE AND LABEL ANY DETAILS THAT MIGHT HAVE APPEARED AS WINGS OR PROTRUSIONS, AND INDICATE EXHAUST OR VAPOR TRAILS. INDICATE BY AN ARROW THE DIRECTION THE PHENOMENON WAS MOVING.



16. WHAT WAS THE ANGULAR SIZE? HOLD A MATCH AT ARM'S LENGTH IN FRONT OF A KNOWN OBJECT, SUCH AS A STREET LAMP OR THE MOON. NOTE HOW MUCH OF THE OBJECT IS COVERED BY THE HEAD OF THE MATCH. NOW IF YOU HAD BEEN ABLE TO PERFORM THIS EXPERIMENT AT THE TIME OF THE SIGHTING, ESTIMATE WHAT FRACTION OF THE PHENOMENON WOULD HAVE BEEN COVERED BY THE MATCH HEAD.

FIFTH MAGNITUDE

27. INFORMATION WHICH YOU FEEL IS PERTINENT BUT WHICH IS NOT ADEQUATELY COVERED IN THIS QUESTIONNAIRE, ALTERNATIVELY PROVIDE A NARRATIVE EXPLANATION OF THE SIGHTING.

ON THE DATE OF 15/8/68 I MAILED A NARRATIVE EXPLANATION OF MY SIGHTING TO PROJECT BLUE BOOK c/o MAJOR HECTOR QUINTANILLA

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P.S. LT COLNEL Hector Quintanilla,"SORRY ABOUT THAT CHIEF."

8 Aug 68

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

REPLY TO ATTN OF: TDPT (UFO)

22 AUG 1968

SUBJECT: UFO Observation, 8 Aug 68

TO: [redacted] Street
Johnston, Rhode Island

Reference your recent unidentified flying object sighting which you reported to the Air Force. The information which we have received is not sufficient for a scientific investigation. Request you complete the attached AF Form 117 and return it in the self-addressed envelope. Thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Lt Colonel, USAF
Chief, Aerial Phenomena Office
Aerospace Technologies Division
Production Directorate

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AF Form 117 w/envelope

Echo II at 9:35 pm. EDT was at
44.5 lat 87 long

at 9:39 pm EDT at
30 lat 84 long.

Appx location of observer
41 lat 71 long.

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	10. CONCLUSION UNKNOWN (ECHO II)
8. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION Approximately 5 minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS The observer sighted a bright white point source of light that traveled accross the sky in about five minus. Comments: This does not represent a valid UFO report as defined in AFR 80-17, however, it appears that he was watching ECHO II was traveling southerly at 0348Z 1 Aug at 44.5 lat, 90 deg longitude and 0322Z 2 Aug at 44.5 deg lat, 102 deg long.
9. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Direct Visual	
10. COURSE Southerly	
12. PHOTOS X Yes X No	
13. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE X Yes X No	

FORM
AFTAC 3-2219 (TDE) Previous editions of this form may be used.

31 Jul - 1 Aug 68

3 SEP 1968

TDPT (UFO) Lt Col Quintanilla/70916/mhs/31 Aug 68

UFO Observations, 31 July - 1 August 1968

Mr [redacted]
Antigo, Wisconsin 54409

Reference your unidentified observations of 31 July and 1 August 1968. Our satellite records indicate that at the approximate time of your sightings, ECHO II should have been visible from your position passing almost directly overhead on 31 July and in the western sky on 1 August. The satellite was traveling on roughly a south-southeast course and should have remained visible for approximately five minutes. ECHO II has a stellar magnitude of -1 and as such, is brighter than most stars.

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Lt Colonel, USAF
Chief, Aerial Phenomena Office
Aerospace Technologies Division
Production Directorate

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31 Jul 68

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

REPLY TO ATTN OF: TDPT (UFO)

13 AUG 1968

SUBJECT: UFO Observation
, 31 July 1968

TO:

Mr. [redacted]
Antigo, Wisconsin 54409

Reference your recent unidentified flying object sighting which you reported to the Air Force. The information which we have received is not sufficient for a scientific investigation. Request you complete the attached AF Form 117 and return it in the self-addressed envelope. Thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

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0317Z 2 Aug Echo-II N→S 59 lat 107 long
0322Z " " " " " " 44.5 " 102 "
0326Z " " " " " " 30 lat 98. "

Above coord. Z 45 lat 89 long.
0043Z 1 Aug Echo-II N→ 59 lat 95 long
at 0248Z 1 Aug Echo-II N→S 44.5 lat 90 long
0252Z " " " " " " 30 lat 87 "

AFR 80-17(C1)

SIGHTING OF UNIDENTIFIED PHENOMENA QUESTIONNAIRE

BUDGET BUREAU APPROVAL NUMBER 21-R233

THIS QUESTIONNAIRE HAS BEEN PREPARED SO THAT YOU CAN GIVE THE U.S. AIR FORCE AS MUCH INFORMATION AS POSSIBLE CONCERNING THE UNIDENTIFIED PHENOMENON THAT YOU HAVE OBSERVED. PLEASE TRY TO ANSWER ALL OF THE QUESTIONS. THE INFORMATION YOU GIVE WILL BE USED FOR RESEARCH PURPOSES. YOUR NAME WILL NOT BE USED IN CONNECTION WITH ANY OF YOUR STATEMENTS OR CONCLUSIONS WITHOUT YOUR PERMISSION. RETURN TO AIR FORCE BASE INVESTIGATOR FOR FORWARDING TO FTD (TDETR), WRIGHT-PATTERSON AFB, OHIO 45433, IAW AFR 80-17. *(IF ADDITIONAL SHEETS ARE NEEDED FOR NARRATIVE OR SKETCHES ATTACH SECURELY TO THIS FORM OR ANNOTATE WITH YOUR NAME FOR IDENTIFICATION.)*

1. WHEN DID YOU SEE THE PHENOMENON?

DAY 1 MONTH Aug YEAR 1968

2. WHAT TIME DID YOU FIRST SIGHT THE PHENOMENON?

HOUR 10 MINUTES 10 ☐ A.M. ☒ P.M.

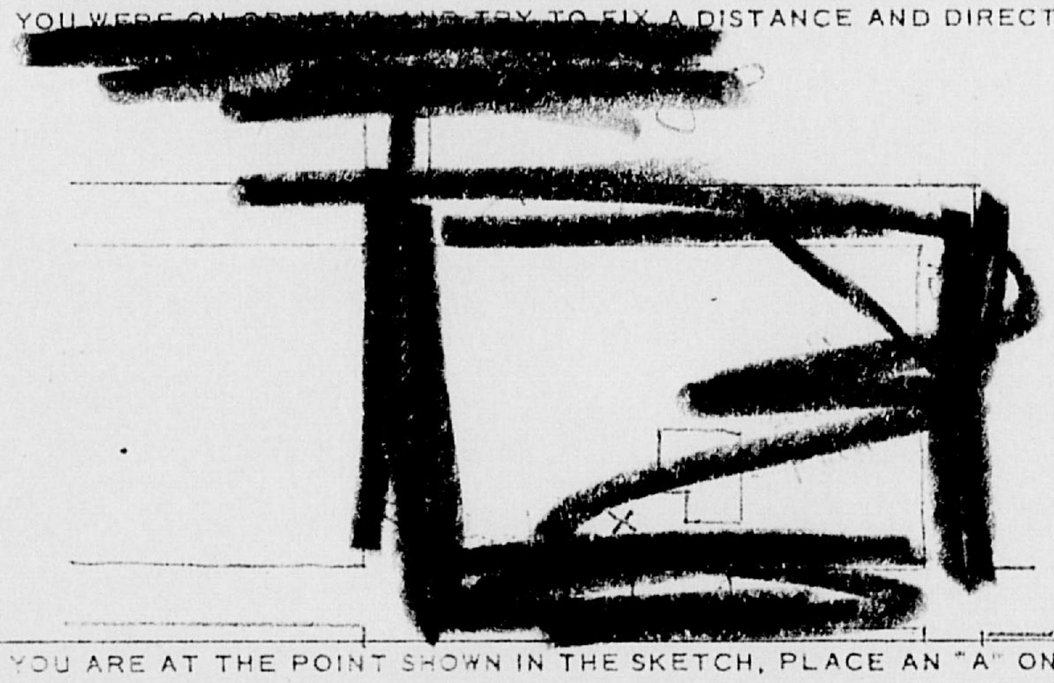
3. WHAT TIME DID YOU LAST SIGHT THE PHENOMENON?

HOUR 10 MINUTES 15 ☐ A.M. ☒ P.M.

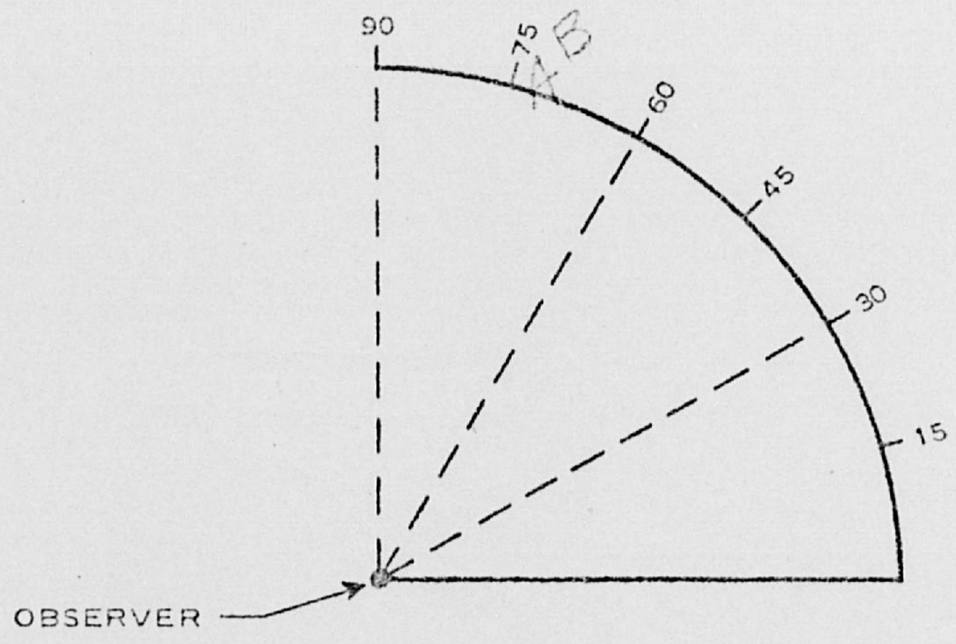
4. TIME ZONE ☒ DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ☐ STANDARD

☐ EASTERN ☒ CENTRAL ☐ MOUNTAIN ☐ PACIFIC ☐ OTHER

5. WHERE WERE YOU WHEN YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? IF IN CITY, GIVE THE NEAREST STREET ADDRESS AND INDICATE ON A HAND DRAWN MAP WHERE YOU WERE STANDING WITH REFERENCE TO THE ADDRESS. IF IN THE COUNTRY, IDENTIFY THE HIGHWAY YOU WERE ON OR NEAR AND TRY TO FIX A DISTANCE AND DIRECTION FROM SOME RECOGNIZABLE LANDMARK.



6. IMAGINE YOU ARE AT THE POINT SHOWN IN THE SKETCH, PLACE AN "A" ON THE CURVED LINE TO SHOW HOW HIGH THE PHENOMENON WAS ABOVE THE HORIZON, OR SKYLINE, WHEN FIRST SEEN. PLACE A "B" ON THE SAME CURVED LINE TO SHOW HOW HIGH ABOVE THE HORIZON THE PHENOMENON WAS WHEN LAST SEEN.



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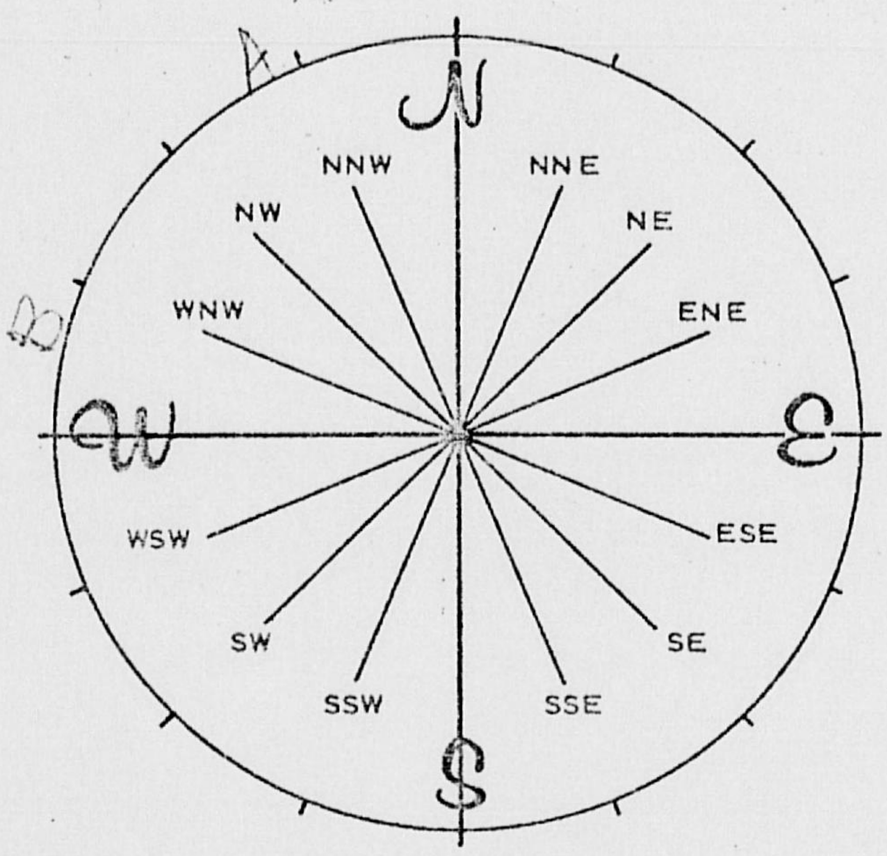
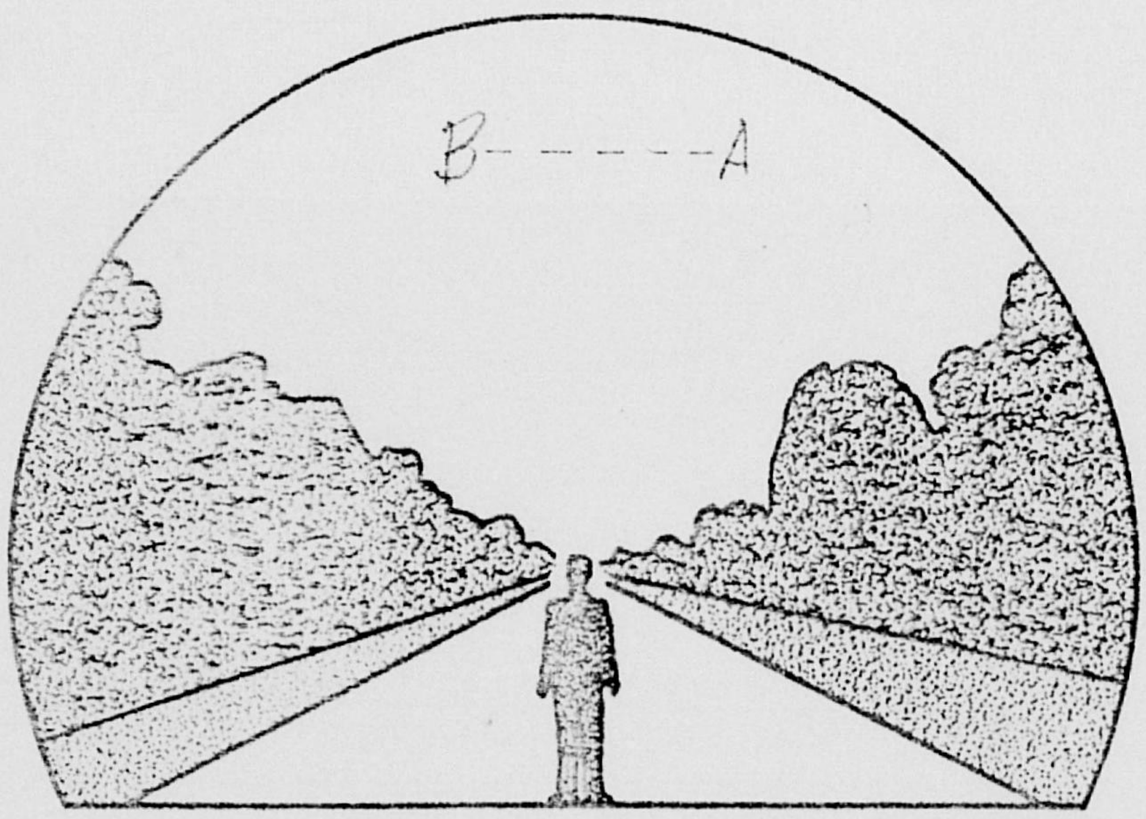
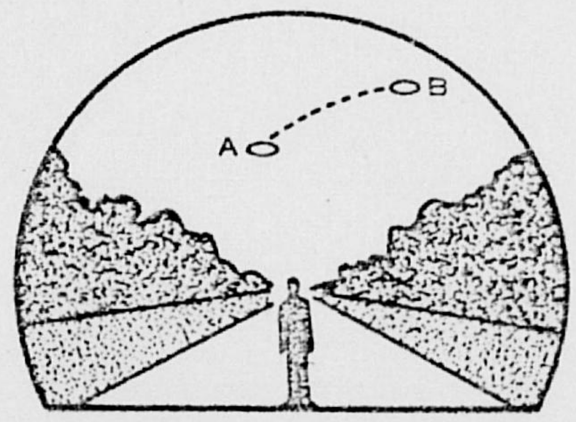
6A. NOW IMAGINE YOU ARE AT THE CENTER OF THE COMPASS ROSE. PLACE AN "A" ON THE COMPASS TO INDICATE THE DIRECTION TO THE PHENOMENON WHEN FIRST SEEN. PLACE A "B" ON THE COMPASS TO INDICATE THE DIRECTION TO THE PHENOMENON WHEN LAST SEEN.



7. IN THE SKETCH BELOW, PLACE AN "A" AT THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON WHEN FIRST SEEN, AND A "B" AT THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON WHEN LAST SEEN. CONNECT THE "A" AND "B" WITH A LINE TO APPROXIMATE THE MOVEMENT OF THE PHENOMENON BETWEEN "A" AND "B". THAT IS, SCHEMATICALLY SHOW WHETHER THE MOVEMENT APPEARED TO BE STRAIGHT, CURVED OR ZIG-ZAG. REFER TO SMALLER SKETCH AS AN EXAMPLE OF HOW TO COMPLETE THE LARGER SKETCH.





8. WHERE WERE YOU WHEN YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? *(Check appropriate blocks.)*

✓	OUTDOORS		IN BUSINESS SECTION OF CITY
	IN BUILDING	✓	IN RESIDENTIAL SECTION OF CITY OPEN Area
	IN CAR ☐ AS DRIVER ☐ AS PASSENGER		IN OPEN COUNTRYSIDE
	IN BOAT		NEAR AIRFIELD
	IN AIRPLANE ☐ AS PILOT ☐ AS PASSENGER		FLYING OVER CITY
	OTHER		FLYING OVER OPEN COUNTRY
			OTHER

A. IF YOU WERE IN A VEHICLE, COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

WHAT DIRECTION WERE YOU MOVING?

	NORTH		EAST
	SOUTH		WEST
	NORTHEAST		SOUTHEAST
	NORTHWEST		SOUTHWEST

HOW FAST WERE YOU MOVING?

DID YOU STOP ANYTIME WHILE OBSERVING THE PHENOMENON? ☐ YES ☐ NO

EXPLAIN WHETHER SUCH MOVEMENT AFFECTS YOUR SKETCHES IN ITEMS 5 AND 6.

DESCRIBE TYPE OF VEHICLE YOU WERE IN AND TYPE OF ROAD, TERRAIN OR BODY OF WATER YOU TRAVERSED DURING THE SIGHTING. STATE WHETHER WINDOWS OR CONVERTIBLE TOP WERE UP OR DOWN.

HOW MUCH OTHER TRAFFIC WAS THERE?

DID YOU NOTICE ANY AIRPLANES? ☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE WHEN THEY WERE IN SIGHT RELATIVE TO THE TIME OF SIGHTING THE PHENOMENON AND WHERE THEY WERE IN THE SKY RELATIVE TO THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON.

9. HOW LONG WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT?

LENGTH OF TIME: At least 5 min.	✓	CERTAIN OF TIME		NOT VERY SURE
		FAIRLY CERTAIN		JUST A GUESS

HOW WAS TIME DETERMINED? Clock on wall of Water Plant garage

WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT CONTINUOUSLY? ✓ YES ☐ NO. IF "NO," INDICATE WHETHER THIS IS DUE TO YOUR MOVEMENT OR THE BEHAVIOR OF THE PHENOMENON, AND DESCRIBE SUCH MOVEMENT OR BEHAVIOR. INDICATE DISAPPEARANCES ON PREVIOUS SKETCHES.

10. IF THERE WERE MORE THAN ONE PHENOMENON, HOW MANY WERE THERE? DRAW A PICTURE TO SHOW HOW THEY WERE ARRANGED. DID THIS ARRANGEMENT CHANGE DURING THE SIGHTING?

11. CONDITIONS *(Check appropriate blocks.)*

A. SKY		B. WEATHER			
	DAY		CUMULUS CLOUDS *(Low fluffy)*		FOG OR MIST
	TWILIGHT		CIRRUS CLOUDS *(High fleecy or Herring-bone)*		HEAVY RAIN
✓	NIGHT				LIGHT RAIN OR DRIZZLE
✓	CLEAR		NIMBUS CLOUDS *(Rain)*		HAIL
	PARTLY CLOUDY		CUMULONIMBUS CLOUDS *(Thunderstorms)*		SNOW OR SLEET
	COMPLETELY OVERCAST				UNKNOWN
			HAZE OR SMOG	✓	NONE OF THE ABOVE

C. IF THE SIGHTING WAS AT TWILIGHT OR NIGHT, WHAT DID YOU NOTICE ABOUT THE STARS AND MOON?

(1) STARS		(2) MOON		
	NONE	✓	BRIGHT MOONLIGHT		NO MOONLIGHT
	A FEW		MOON WITH HALO		UNKNOWN
✓	MANY		MOON HIDDEN BY CLOUDS		
	UNKNOWN		PARTIAL *(New or quarter)*		

D. IF SIGHTING WAS IN DAYLIGHT, WAS THE SUN VISIBLE? ☐ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," WHERE WAS THE SUN AS YOU FACED THE PHENOMENON?

	IN FRONT OF YOU		TO YOUR RIGHT		OVERHEAD *(Near noon)*
	IN BACK OF YOU		TO YOUR LEFT		UNKNOWN

E. SPECIFY THE MAJOR SOURCE OF ILLUMINATION PRESENT DURING THE SIGHTING, SUCH AS THE SUN, HEADLIGHTS OR STREET LAMP, ETC. FOR TERRESTRIAL ILLUMINATION, SPECIFY DISTANCE TO LIGHT SOURCE.

Moon & Stars were major light source.

12. GIVE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PHENOMENON, INDICATING WHETHER IT APPEARED DARK OR LIGHT, WHETHER IT REFLECTED LIGHT OR WAS SELF-LUMINOUS AND WHAT COLORS YOU NOTICED. DESCRIBE YOUR IMPRESSION OF WHETHER IT WAS SOLID OR TRANSPARENT, WHETHER EDGES WERE SHARP OR FUZZY. DESCRIBE THE SHAPE OR INDICATE IF IT APPEARED AS A POINT OF LIGHT. INDICATE COMPARISONS WITH OTHER OBSERVED OBJECTS, LIKE STARS, A LIGHT OR OTHER OBJECT IN YOUR FIELD OF VIEW.

It appeared as a point of bright white light, twice the size and brightness of the brightest star that night that time.

13. DID THE PHENOMENON	YES	NO	UNKNOWN
MOVE IN A STRAIGHT LINE?	✓		
STAND STILL AT ANYTIME?		✓	
SUDDENLY SPEED UP AND RUN AWAY?		✓	
BREAK UP IN PARTS AND EXPLODE?		✓	
CHANGE COLOR?		✓	
GIVE OFF SMOKE?		✓	
CHANGE BRIGHTNESS?		✓	
CHANGE SHAPE?		✓	
FLASH OR FLICKER?		✓	
DISAPPEAR AND REAPPEAR?		✓	
SPIN LIKE A TOP?		✓	
MAKE A NOISE?		✓	
FLUTTER OR WOBBLE?		✓	

14. WHAT DREW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE PHENOMENON?

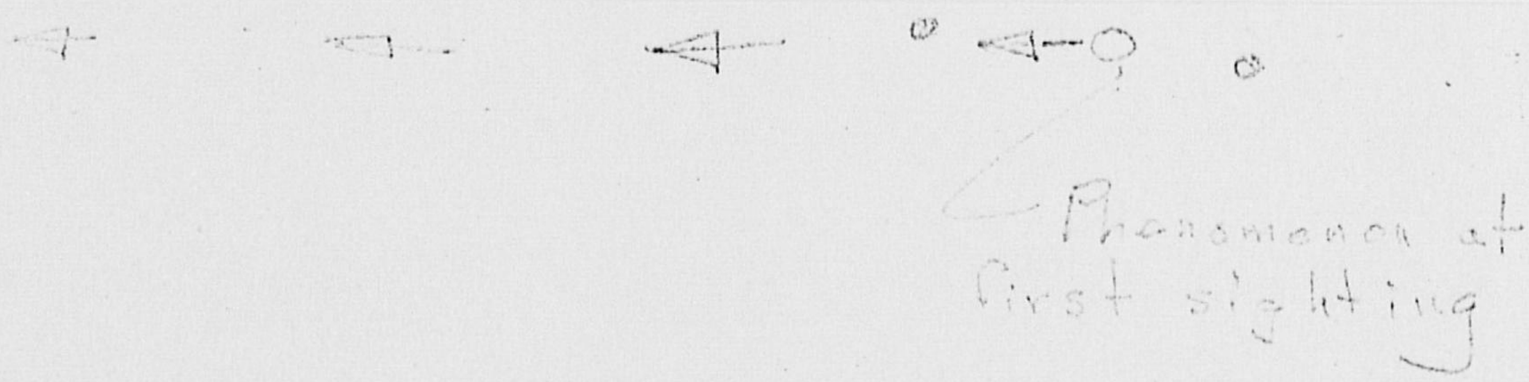
Mr [redacted]

A. HOW DID IT FINALLY DISAPPEAR?

I don't know. I quit watching it to call the USAF 676 Radar Squadron to find out what it was.

B. DID THE PHENOMENON MOVE BEHIND OR IN FRONT OF SOMETHING, LIKE A CLOUD, TREE, OR BUILDING AT ANY TIME?
☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

15. DRAW A PICTURE THAT WILL SHOW THE SHAPE OF THE PHENOMENON. INCLUDE AND LABEL ANY DETAILS THAT MIGHT HAVE APPEARED AS WINGS OR PROTRUSIONS, AND INDICATE EXHAUST OR VAPOR TRAILS. INDICATE BY AN ARROW THE DIRECTION THE PHENOMENON WAS MOVING.



16. WHAT WAS THE ANGULAR SIZE? HOLD A MATCH AT ARM'S LENGTH IN FRONT OF A KNOWN OBJECT, SUCH AS A STREET LAMP OR THE MOON. NOTE HOW MUCH OF THE OBJECT IS COVERED BY THE HEAD OF THE MATCH. NOW IF YOU HAD BEEN ABLE TO PERFORM THIS EXPERIMENT AT THE TIME OF THE SIGHTING, ESTIMATE WHAT FRACTION OF THE PHENOMENON WOULD HAVE BEEN COVERED BY THE MATCH HEAD.

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17. DID YOU OBSERVE THE PHENOMENON THROUGH ANY OF THE FOLLOWING? INCLUDE INFORMATION ON MODEL, TYPE, FILTER, LENS PRESCRIPTION OR OTHER APPLICABLE DATA.

	EYEGLASSES		CAMERA VIEWER
	SUNGLASSES		BINOCULARS
	WINDSHIELD		TELESCOPE
	SIDE WINDOW OF VEHICLE		THEODOLITE
	WINDOWPANE		OTHER

A. DO YOU ORDINARILY WEAR GLASSES? ☐ YES ☑ NO

B. DO YOU USE READING GLASSES? ☐ YES ☑ NO

18. WHAT WAS YOUR IMPRESSION OF THE SPEED OF THE PHENOMENON? GIVE ESTIMATE OF SPEED [illegible].

19. WHAT WAS YOUR IMPRESSION OF THE DISTANCE OF THE PHENOMENON? GIVE ESTIMATE OF DISTANCE [illegible].

20. IN ORDER THAT WE MAY OBTAIN AS CLEAR A PICTURE AS POSSIBLE OF WHAT YOU SAW, DESCRIBE IN YOUR OWN WORDS A COMMON OBJECT OR OBJECTS WHICH, WHEN PLACED IN THE SKY, SIMILAR TO WHERE YOU NOTED THE PHENOMENON, WOULD BEAR SOME RESEMBLANCE TO WHAT YOU SAW. DESCRIBE SIMILARITIES AND DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE COMMON OBJECT AND WHAT YOU SAW.

It appeared to be similar to the first sighting [illegible]

21. DID YOU NOTICE ANY ODOR, NOISE, OR HEAT EMANATING FROM THE PHENOMENON OR ANY EFFECT ON YOURSELF, ANIMALS OR MACHINERY IN THE VICINITY? ☐ YES ☑ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

A. DID THE PHENOMENON DISTURB THE GROUND OR LEAVE ANY PHYSICAL EVIDENCE. ☐ YES ☑ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

22. HAVE YOU EVER SEEN THIS OR A SIMILAR PHENOMENON BEFORE? [X] YES [ ] NO. IF "YES," GIVE DATE AND LOCATION.

See question 20.

23. WAS ANYONE WITH YOU AT THE TIME YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? [ ] YES [ ] NO. IF "YES," DID THEY SEE IT TOO? [X] YES [ ] NO.

A. LIST THEIR NAMES AND ADDRESSES

[redacted]

24. GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ABOUT YOURSELF

LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE NAME					
[redacted]					
ADDRESS (Street, City, State, ZIP Code)					
[redacted]					
TELEPHONE (Area code and number)	AGE		MALE		FEMALE
[redacted]	34	[X]		[ ]	

INDICATE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION INCLUDING OCCUPATION AND ANY EXPERIENCE WHICH MAY BE PERTINENT.

I am employed by [redacted]

25. WHEN AND TO WHOM DID YOU REPORT THAT YOU HAD SIGHTED THIS PHENOMENON?

NAME [redacted] DAY [illegible] MONTH [illegible] YEAR [illegible]

26. DATE YOU COMPLETED THIS QUESTIONNAIRE.

DAY 14 MONTH [illegible] YEAR [illegible]

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STAFF MESSAGE BRANCH
INCOMING MESSAGE

AF IN: 23220 (2 Aug 68) M/cwh

ACTION:RDC-4 INFO: SAFOS-3 (8)

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FOR FTD (TDETR): CSAF (AFRDC): AND

OSAF (SAF-OI). SUBJ: UFO REPORT. THE FOLLOWING IS UFO REPORT OF

A SIGHTING WHICH OCCURRED ON 1 AUG 1968 AT ANTIGO WIS. REF AFR 80-17.

A. DESCRIPTION OF OBJECT: (1) BELL (2) VERY LARGE STAR

(3) WHITE (4) 1 (5) NO (6) BRIGHT LIGHT (7) NONE (8) NONE

(9) NONE

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT: (1) ANOTHER MAN NOTICED IT

AND POINTED IT OUT TO ME [redacted] DEGREES

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AF IN: 23220 Pg 2of 2

K3) 30 DEGREES (4) PASSED UNDER HANDLE OF BIG DIPPER, NORTH TO SOUTH
(5) DISAPPEARED WHILE TALKING TO REPORT RECEIVER ON PHONE (6) 4
PAGE 2RUCIGDQ0009 UNCLAS
MIN C. METHOD OF OBSERVATION: GROUND VISUAL N/A (2) N/A
(3) (A) N/A (B) N/A (C) N/A (D) N/A (E) N/A (F) N/A
D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING: (1) 1 AUG 68 0513 ZULU 31 July 2213 local
D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING: (2) NIGHT E. LOCATION OF OBSERVER:
(1) 45DEGREES 89DEGREES (2) N/A F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION OF OBSERVER:
(1) CIVILIAN (A) MR [redacted] (B) 4 (C) [redacted]
ANTIGO WIS 54409 (D) CITY ENGINEER (E) GOOD WEATHER: (1) PERFECT
(2) (A) 170DEGREES 5KTS (3) CLEAR (4) 15 (5) NONE (6) NO
(7) 61DEGREES GROUND H. UNUSUAL ACTIVITY IN AREA: (1) NONE (2) NONE
(3) N/A I.; 8,534:30589, 94 883,58!8:-589, 9! -84:4-!5/BALLONS IN AREA
AT TIME: NONE K. PREPARING OFFICER: (1) NCOIC OPERATIONS, UFO,
NCO (2) JOHN F. HALE (3) MSGT (4) 676 RADAR SQ ANTIGO AFS
ANTIGO AFS WIS 54409 (5) 344 0247 (6) EST 393 (7) EXT 306
(8) MAY HAVE BEEN A MAN MADE SATELLITE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:
NONE (2) SSGT PATRICK W. LAKE SSGT SAGE CREW CHIEF 3440236
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: (2) 2218 LOCAL (3) CALLED 34TH AIR DIV
FILED REPORT. CHECKED FOR IDENTIFICATION: CALLED WEATHER: NOTIFIED
UFO NCO.
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26 JULY 68

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?

26 (Day) 7 (Month) 68 (Year)

2. Time of day: 12 (Hour) 20 (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] land

Nearest Postal Address — State or County

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration) _____ (Hours) 1 (Minutes) 20 (Seconds)

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

5.1 How was time in sight determined? [illegible] when we left

5.2 Was object in sight continuously? Yes V No _____

6. What was the condition of the sky?

DAY	NIGHT
a. Bright	a. Bright
(b.) Cloudy	b. Cloudy

7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?

(Circle One): a. In front of you
b. In back of you
c. To your right
(d.) To your left
e. Overhead
f. Don't remember

FORM
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[redacted]

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:

a dull bright star

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?

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: _____

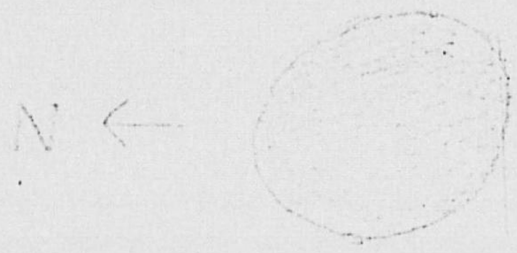
17. Tell in a few words the following things about the object:

a. Sound _____

b. Color _____

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? 20

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? 3 miles

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? 5 miles per hour.

24.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One) (Yes) No

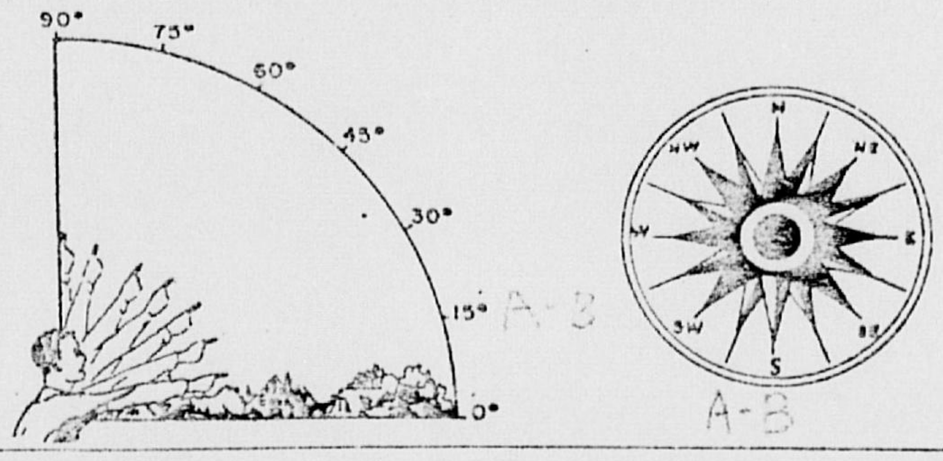
25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

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 _____		

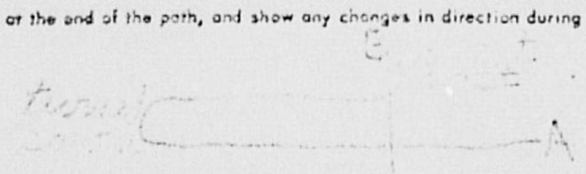
26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

a car light at night [illegible]

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.

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]

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME [redacted] Middle Name

[redacted] Zone State

TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] AGE 23 SEX M

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?

26 Day 7 Month 68 Year

34. Date you completed this questionnaire: 26 Day 7 Month 68 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.

I was driving over railroad tracks

No Case Info Only

27 Jul 68

FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIVISION

Date _____

MEMO TO: _____

[redacted]

[redacted]

SUSPENSE:

[redacted]

CENTRAL MAIL ROOM

AUG 5 2 55 PM '68

[redacted]

[redacted] TELEPHONE
APARTADO 676 BILBAO

August 1, 1968

ACTION A P3

INFO

[redacted]

N.A.S.A
Houston, Texas
U.S.A.

Attention: U.F.O Department

Dear Sirs:

My curiosity is aroused enough to inquire if there are man-made satellites going around the earth from east to west? We saw a U.F.O doing that last Saturday night, July 27.

We reside in Bilbao but we have a week-end cottage in the country, 3 Km. east of Munguia which is 20 Km. northeast of Bilbao on the north coast of Spain. Saturday night at 11.45 p.m. local time as we sat on the cottage porch under a beautifully clear night sky, we saw a conventional satellite like "Echo" come into sight at the top center of the dipper of the Big Dipper and continue on its eastwardly way across the sky. Still scanning the sky with only our eyes as we watched the satellite disappear, my wife and I spotted what looked like a light blue vapor cloud moving with all of the speed of an "Echo" only going from east to west. To both of us the U.F.O seemed to be at a higher altitude than the satellite we had just seen going the other direction but about the same size.

We first spotted the U.F.O in a line with the second major star in the top of the handle of the Big Dipper and it continued in an arc taking it just above the last major star at the top end of the dipper of the Big Dipper.

For the U.F.O to have been a plane, we do not think that the plane would have the nebulous light blue glow. Furthermore, a plane would have probably been heard, as quiet as it was at that hour in the farm area surrounding us. A plane also would probably not have an arc flight pattern in proceeding from the handle to the dipper of the Big Dipper.

We realize full well that what we saw was probably a plane but it certainly had the aspects of a U.F.O and we thought it worthy of bringing it to your attention as you might have an explanation.

Sincerely yours,

[redacted]

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28 July 68

27 AUG 1969

TDPT (UFO)

UFO Observation Of 28 Jul 1968, Randolph, New Hampshire

Mr [redacted]
[redacted]s.
England

Reference your UFO sighting of 28 Jul 1968. Because of the age of the report, no investigative action is possible at this time; however, the report will be included in Air Force files for information purposes. Thank you for your interest and efforts in this matter.

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Lt Col, USAF
Chief, Aerial Phenomena Office
Aerospace Technologies Division
Production Directorate

TDPT (UFO) Special Rpt Proj

Segment 7
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MT.
MADISON
MT.
ADAMS

Air Force Base Investigator for Forwarding
to FTD (TDETR)
Wright-Patterson AFB
Ohio 45433
U.S.A.

[redacted]
England

Dear Sirs,

I am sorry that I have taken so long to report this UFO sighting, and I have little doubt that it that it will not be of much use. (The sighting was in July, 1968.)

The diagram(In green) was made right after the sighting to send in to one of the UFO organizations. I never got around to it.

I am a U.S. citizen, and the sighting was made in the U.S., so I decided after this long time to send it to you.

I hope the report will be of some use. Please send me the results of your findings on this report.

I woke up at about 2 A.M. very thirsty. I saw the UFO about 15 minutes later. Since I had A temperature of about 103 degrees, it could have been a hallucination. I did not have my glasses on during the sighting, and the object was blurry. Even though I no almost nothing about hallucinations, I think that it should have been clear(visually) if it was a hallucination, and I saw it without my glasses on.

Sincerely,

[redacted]

The object was seen on July 28, 1968
At Approx. 02:15:00 AM EDST through 02:15:10 AM EDST
XxxxxxxI w[redacted]d., off U.S.
2 in Randolph, N.H. I was in a screen porchfacing
the woods.
I noticed no airplanes.
The phenomenon was in sight approximately 10 seconds.
I am fairly certain of the time. The time was estimated
by the speed that it blinked.
The object was not in sight continuously as it blinked
on and off.
The night was very clear.There were many stars but
no moonlight.
The major source of illumination were stars and the
phenomenon itself.
The phenomenon looked like a round, diffuse, yellow
ball. It may have appeared diffuse because I did not
have my glasses on at the time. It was probably about
18 inches in diameter.
It did none of the things in section 13 of form AFR 80-
17(C1) except blink on and off.(If that is what you
mean by flash.
It seemed to dis appear in the woods.
I ordinarily use glasses(I am nearsighted) but I did
not have them on at the time.
It seemed to move at about 7 ft. per sec. and was about
15 feet away at its closest point.
It did not make any noise.It also left no physical
evidence.
I have seen a slightly similar object before, far up
in the sky, changing course several times on Oct. 29,
1967, and April 20, 1968.
2 other people were with me when I saw the phenomenon,
my broth[redacted] my brother[redacted] but they were asleep.

[redacted]
St. Albans, Herts.
England

I am 13 years old and going into the 3rd form(which is like the 8th grade) at Francis Bacon Grammar School. I am an amateur astronomer and an amateur radio operator.
Please excuse my bad typing.(Yes, I know what paragraphs are, but as tis report is more of a list, I decided not to use them!)

N. C. I. O.

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

Subject: UFO Observation 28 July 68

Received a phone call from an observer at 1530, 30 July 68, who said he was driving along the Ohio River on 28 July 68 and observed an object from his moving car. He said the object was in view from about 2045 - 2115. He said it was between Wheeling West Virginia and Bridge Port, Ohio, below Bel-Air. He stated it was similar to a Helo, but wasn't sure. He said one time during the observation he looked through a pair of binoculars and it appeared to be rectangular shaped. Appeared to have lights in a row from front to back. In the distance it appeared to be on fire. Sgt Jones asked him for his name and address so we could send him a Form 117 for more detailed information, he said he thought it was an advertising aircraft with lights and wanted to know if we knew of any one flying out of Pittsburg, who advertises in West Virginia and Ohio area. Sgt Jones said SKY-ADS flew over Ohio, West Virginia, Pennsylvania. Observer said he would give them a call and if he couldn't track it down he would give us another call back.

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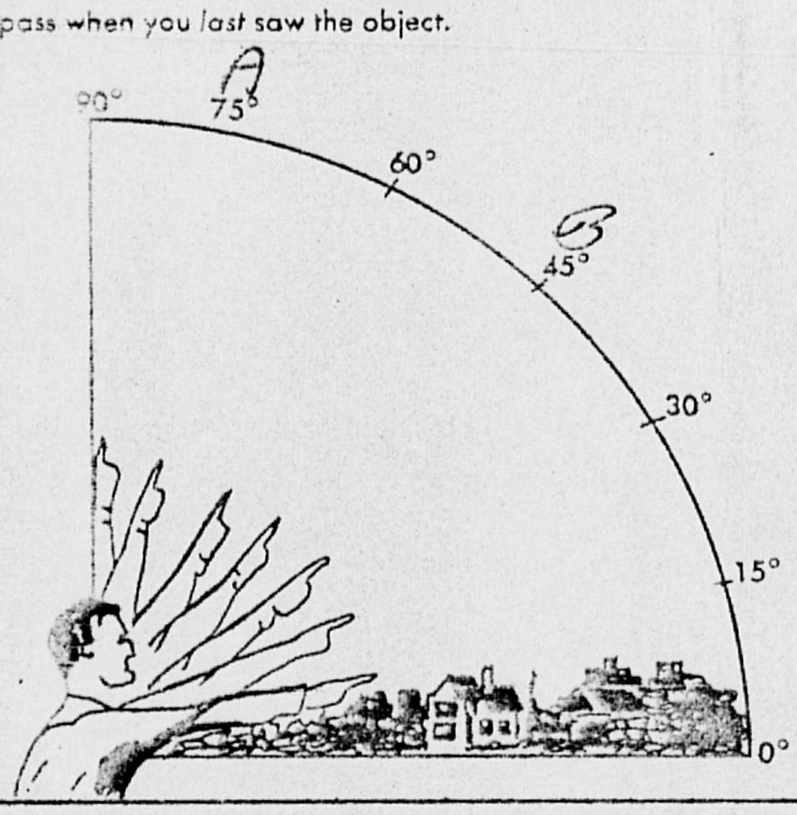

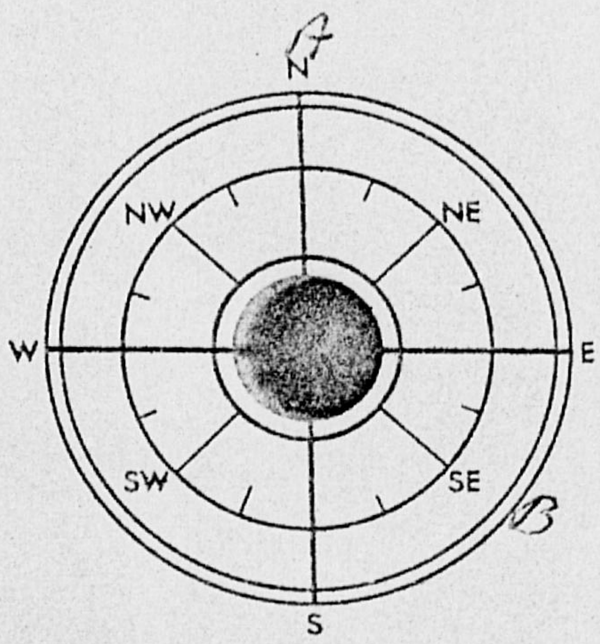

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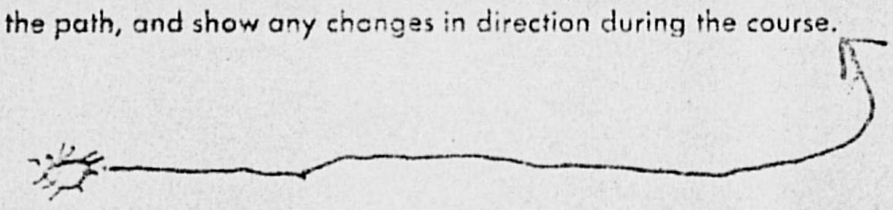

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30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location. NO

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

ADDRESS [redacted] (Street) SKOKIE (City) NONE (Zone) ILL, 60076 (State)

TELEPHONE NUM [redacted] 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?

24 (Day) 7 (Month) 68 (Year) SKOKIE POLICE

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34. Date you completed this questionnaire: 24 (Day) 7 (Month) 68 (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.

IT WAS SO FAR AWAY THAT IT WAS HARD TO SEE A SHAPE AT ALL EXCEPT A ROUND SHAPE

NC10 29 Jul 68

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Boland

U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION

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1. When did you see the object?

29 (Day) 7 (Month) 68 (Year)

2. Time of day: 9 (Hours) 20 (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] (Nearest Postal Address) SKOKIE (City or Town) ILL. (State or County)

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration) _____ (Hours) 10 (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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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
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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:

A 200 WATT LIGHT BULB

12. The edges of the object were:

(Circle One): a. Fuzzy or blurred
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c. Sharply outlined
d. Don't remember

e. Other _____

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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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14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how? YES, IT DISAPPEARED BEHIND TREES

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: A STAR

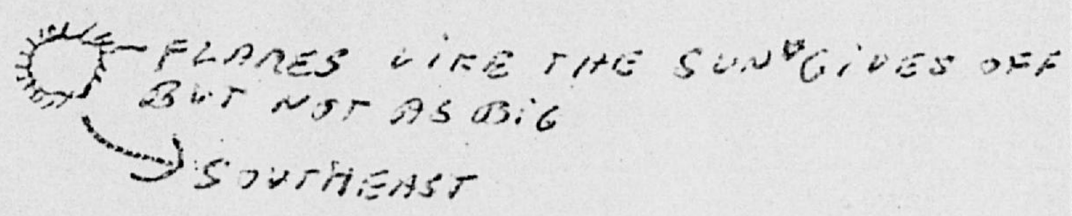
17. Tell in a few words the following things about the object:

a. Sound NONE

b. Color WHITE

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? THE 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.



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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?_____

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? FAR ENOUGH AWAY SO THAT IT LOOKED LIKE A STAR

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 ON MY PATIO

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.

A STAR

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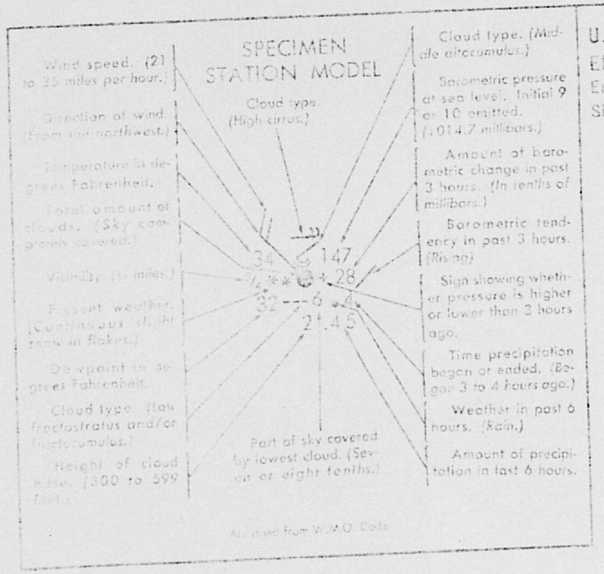

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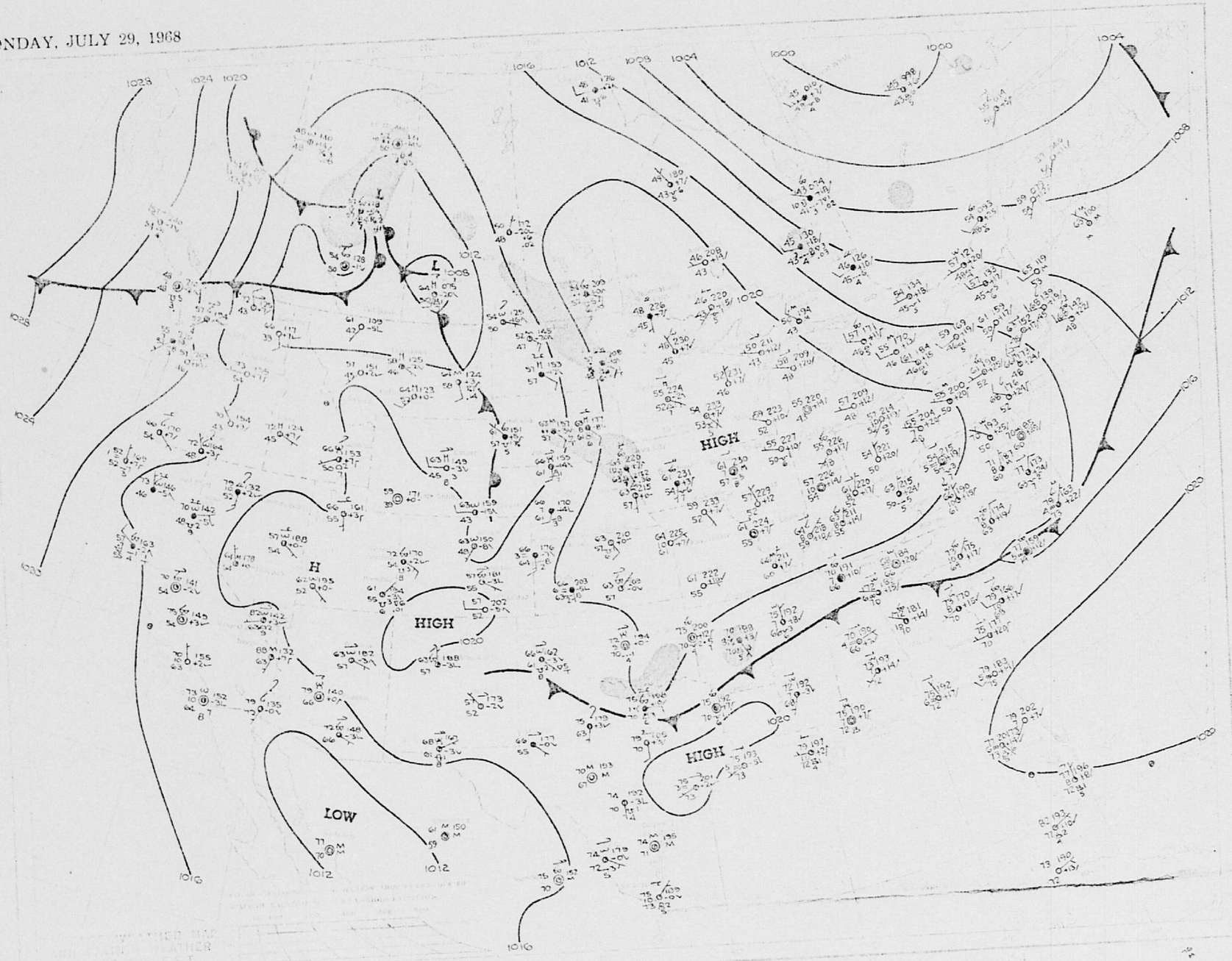
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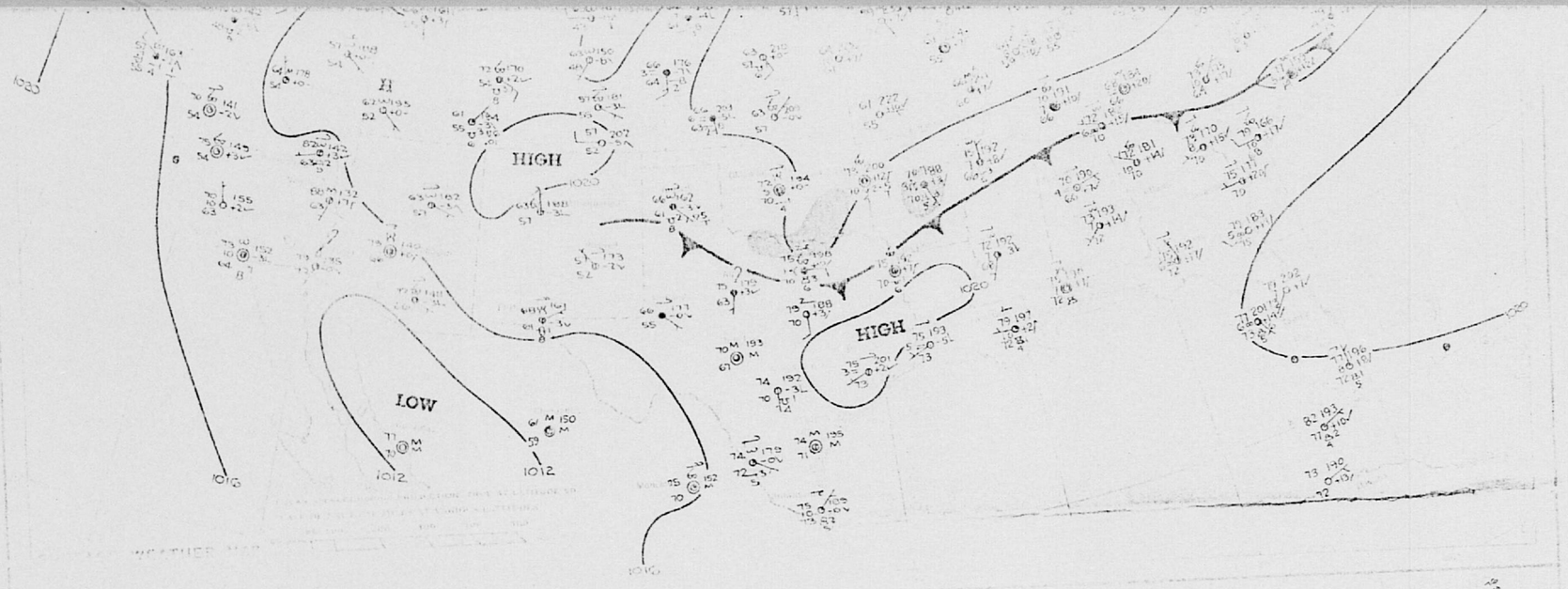
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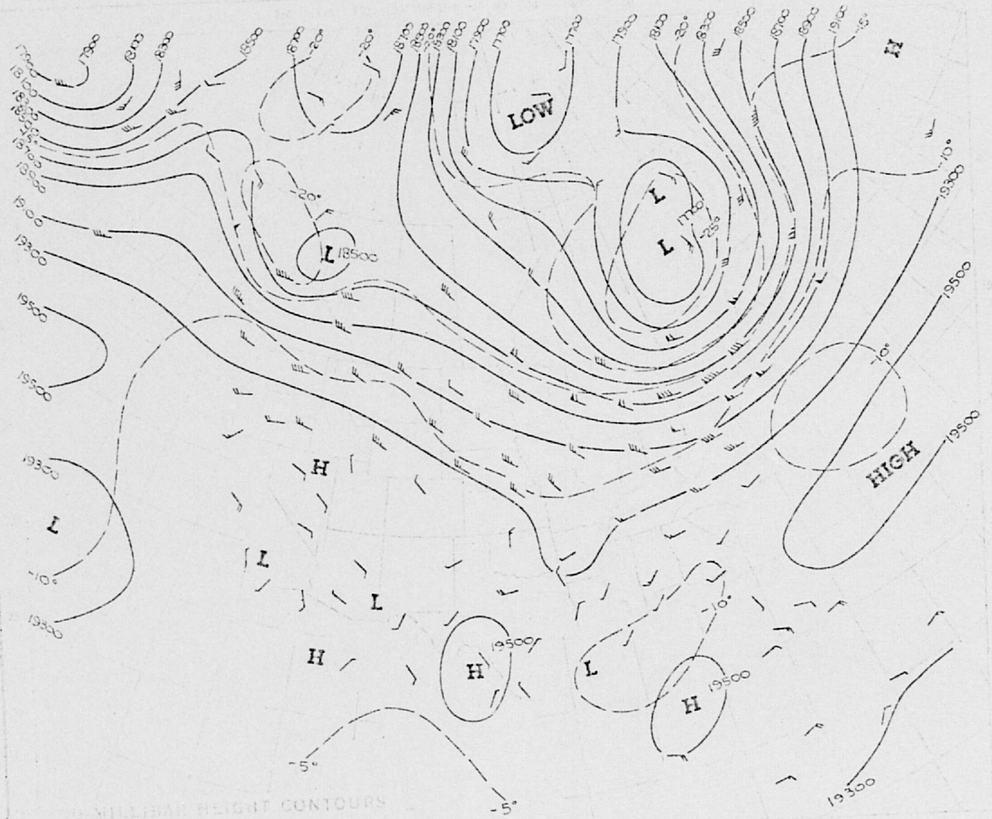
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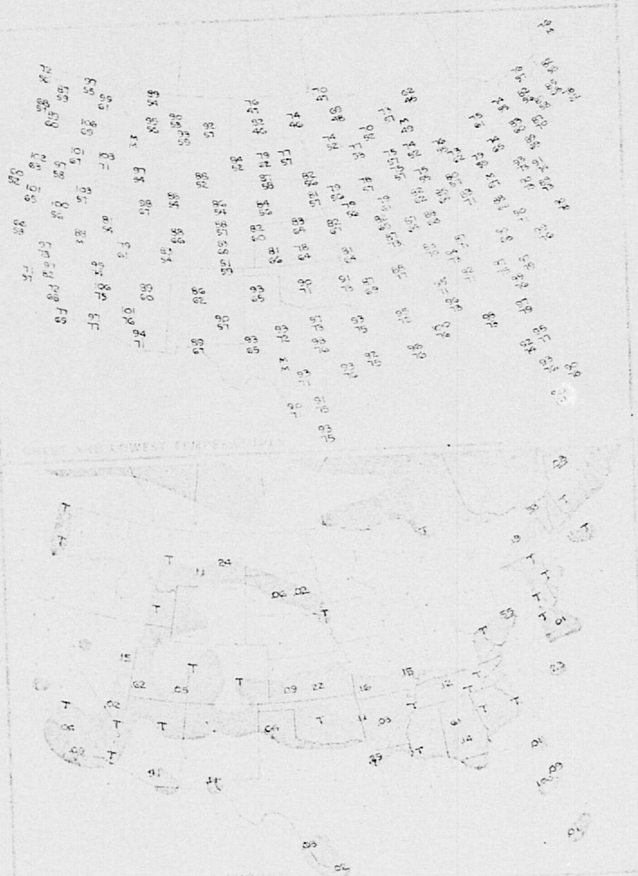

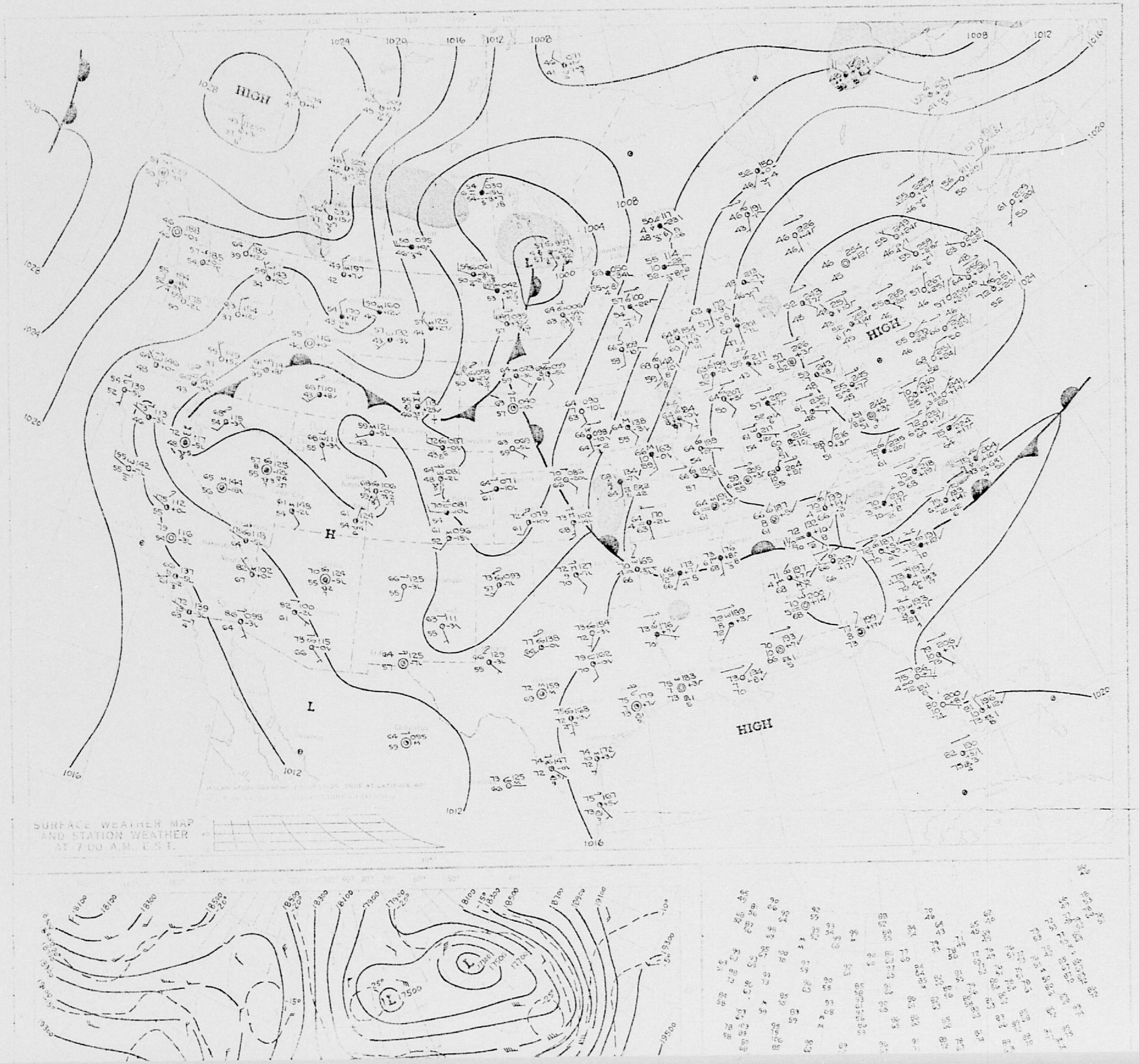
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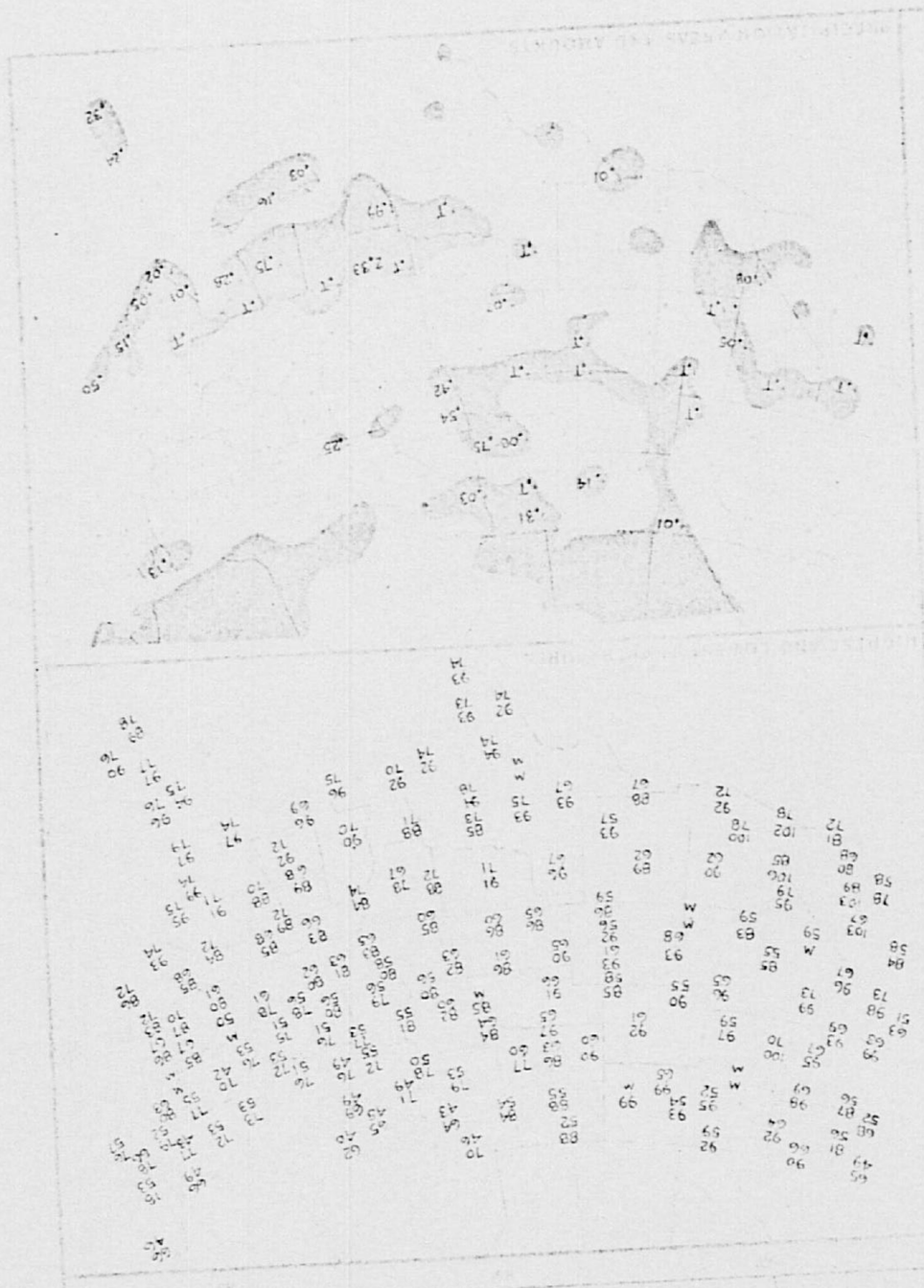

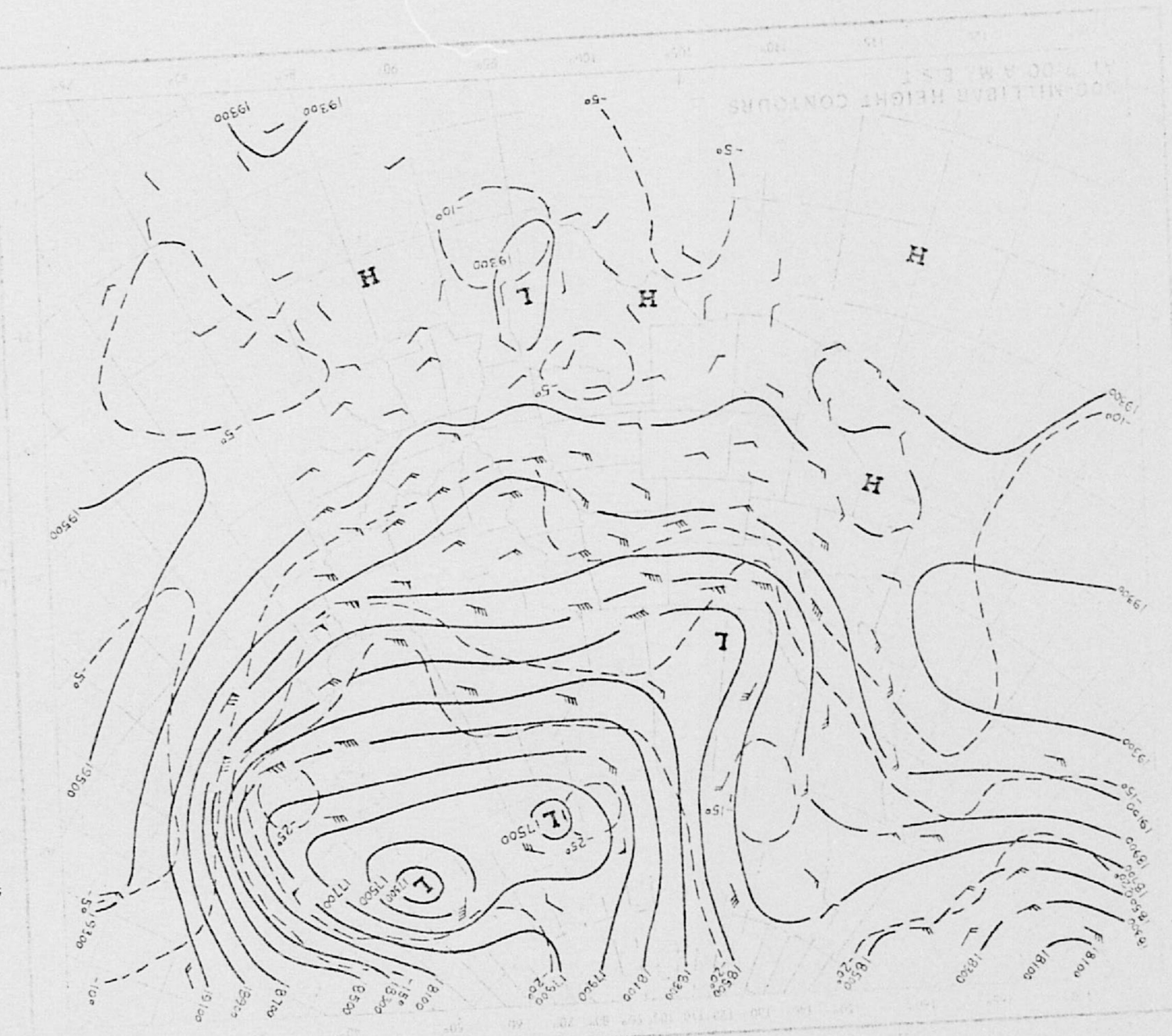
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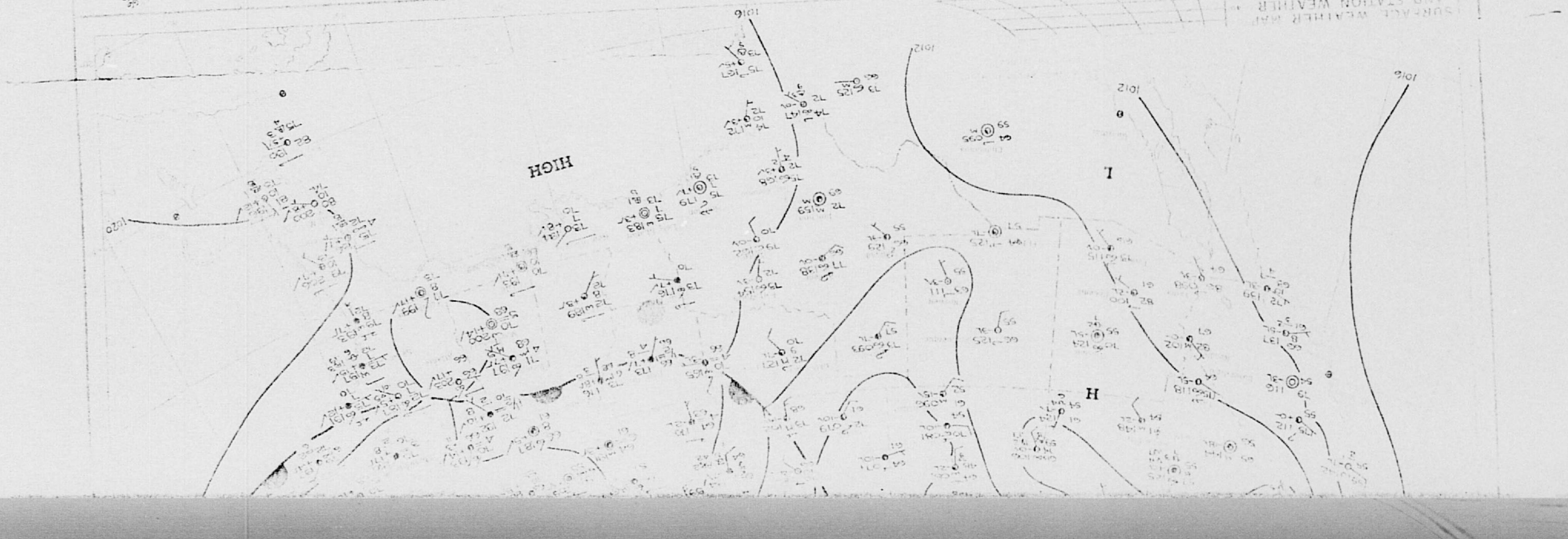
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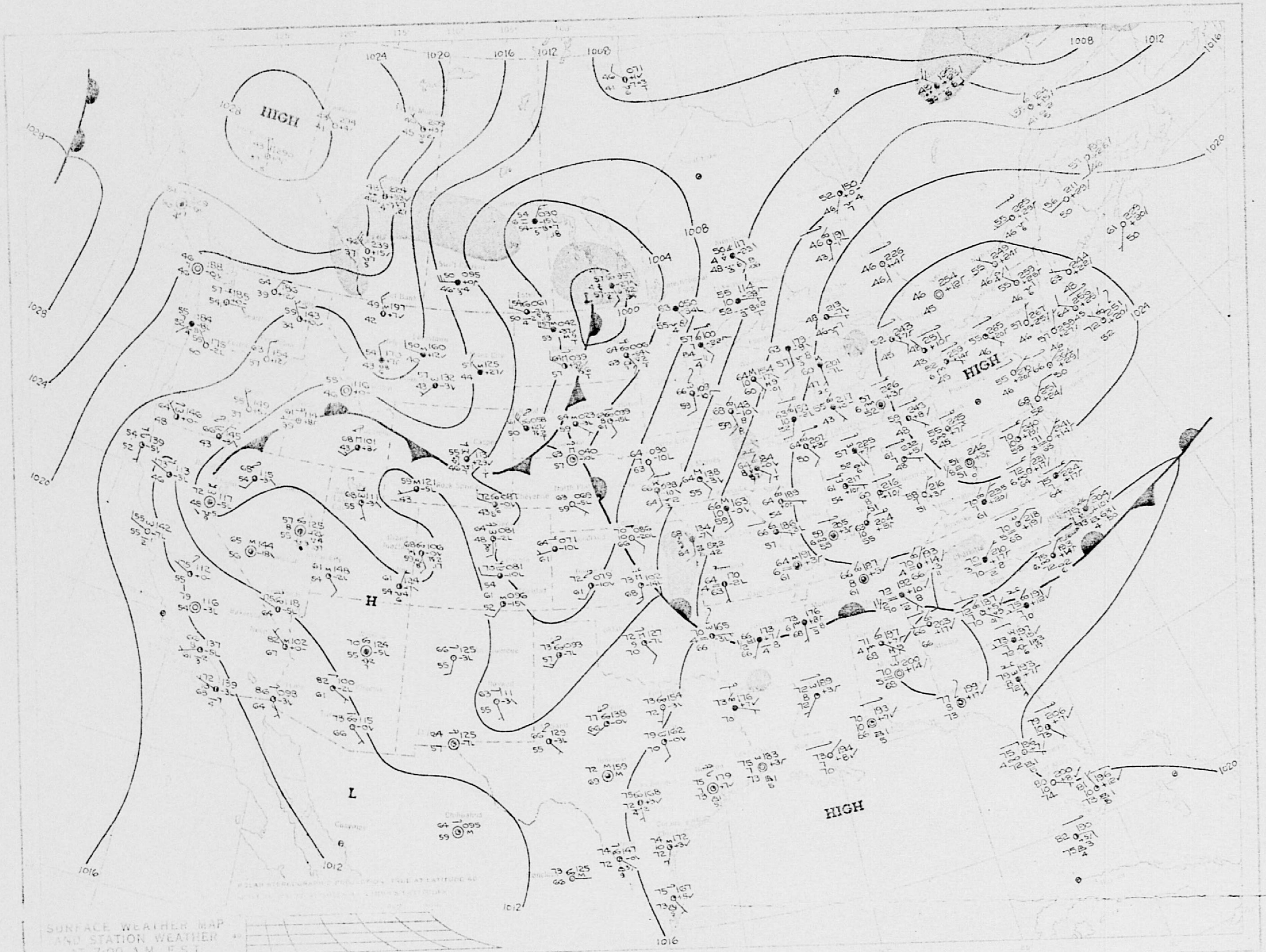
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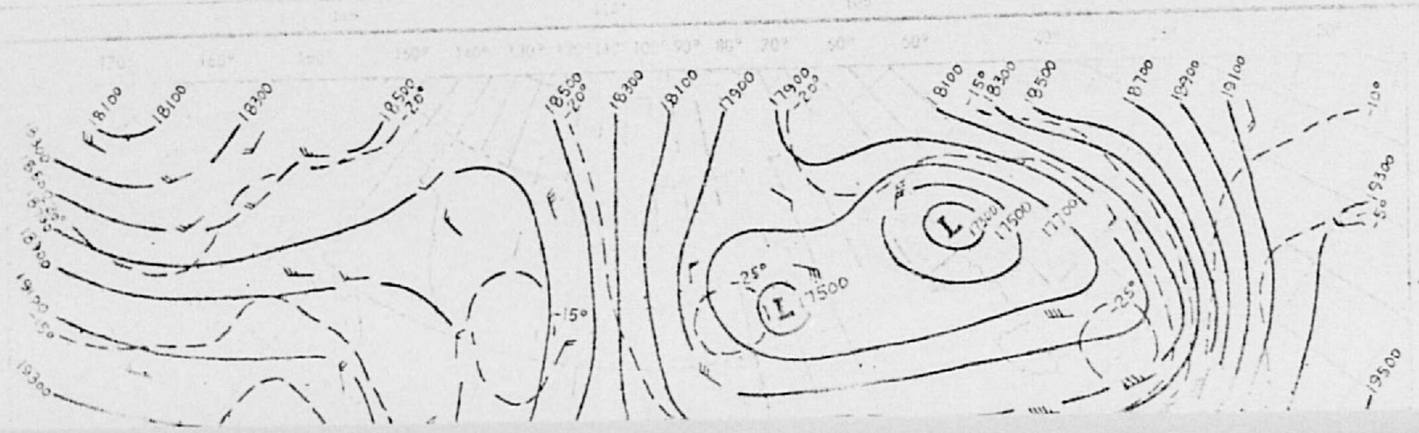

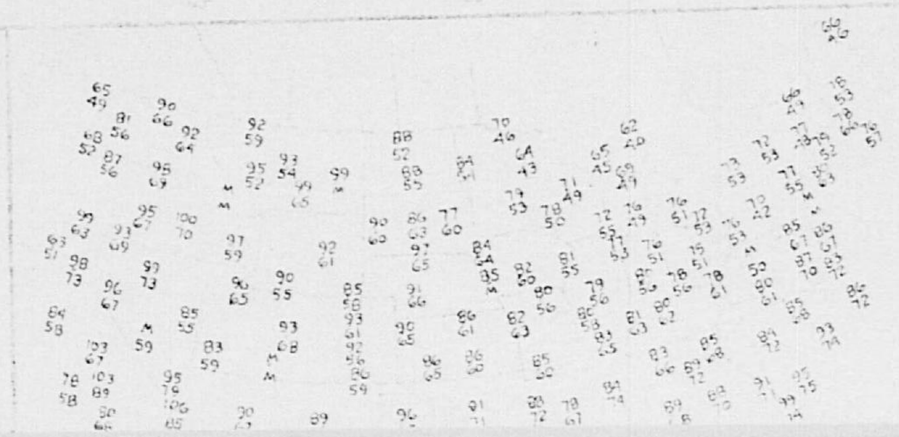

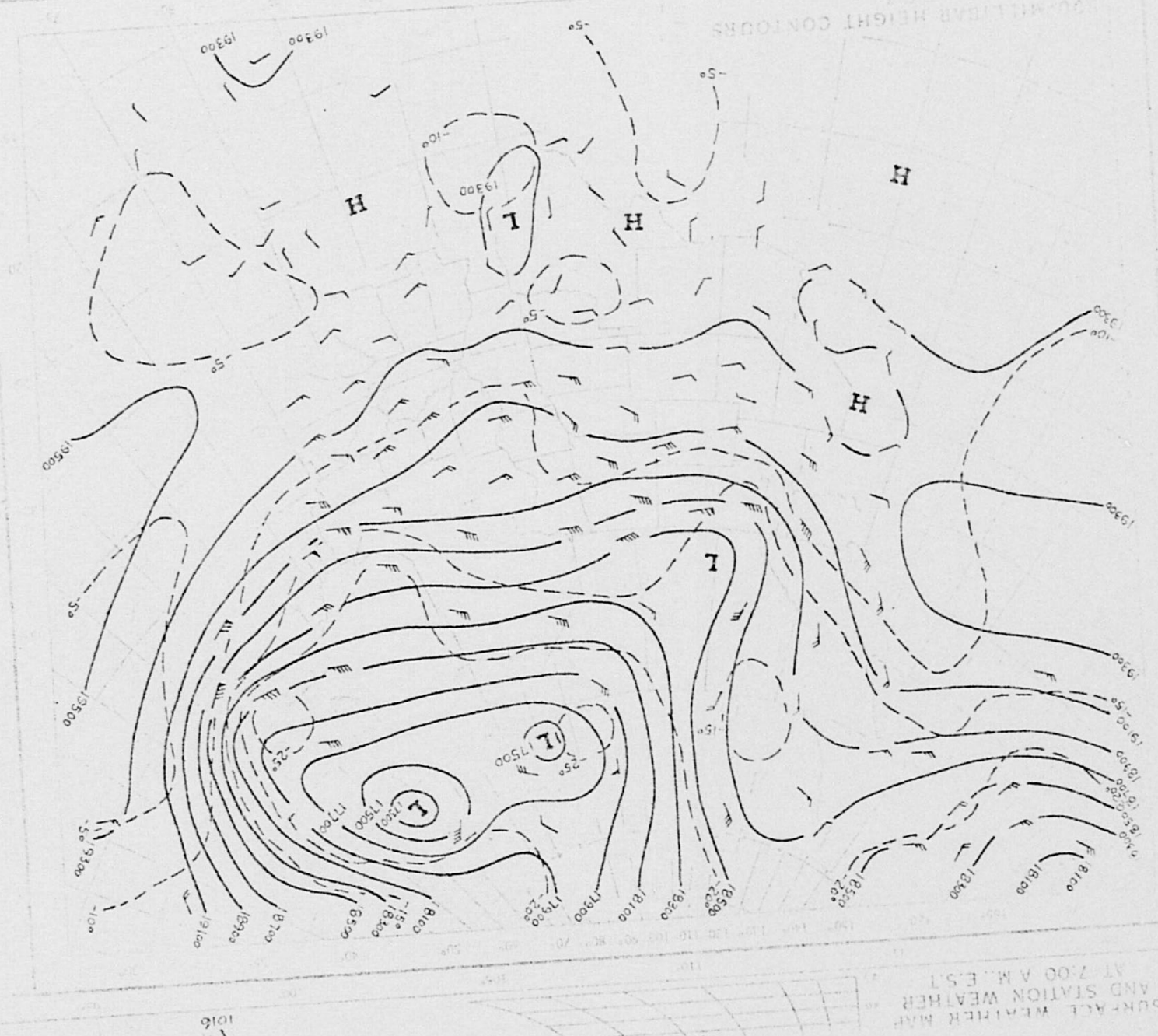

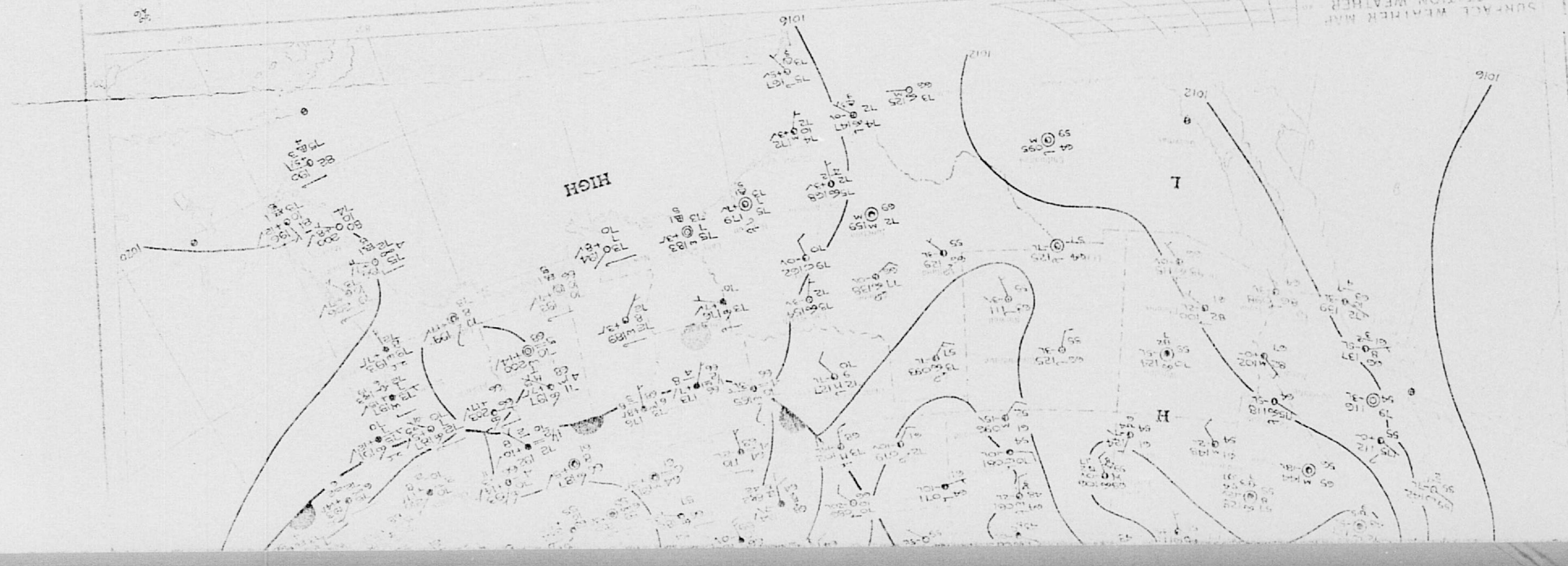
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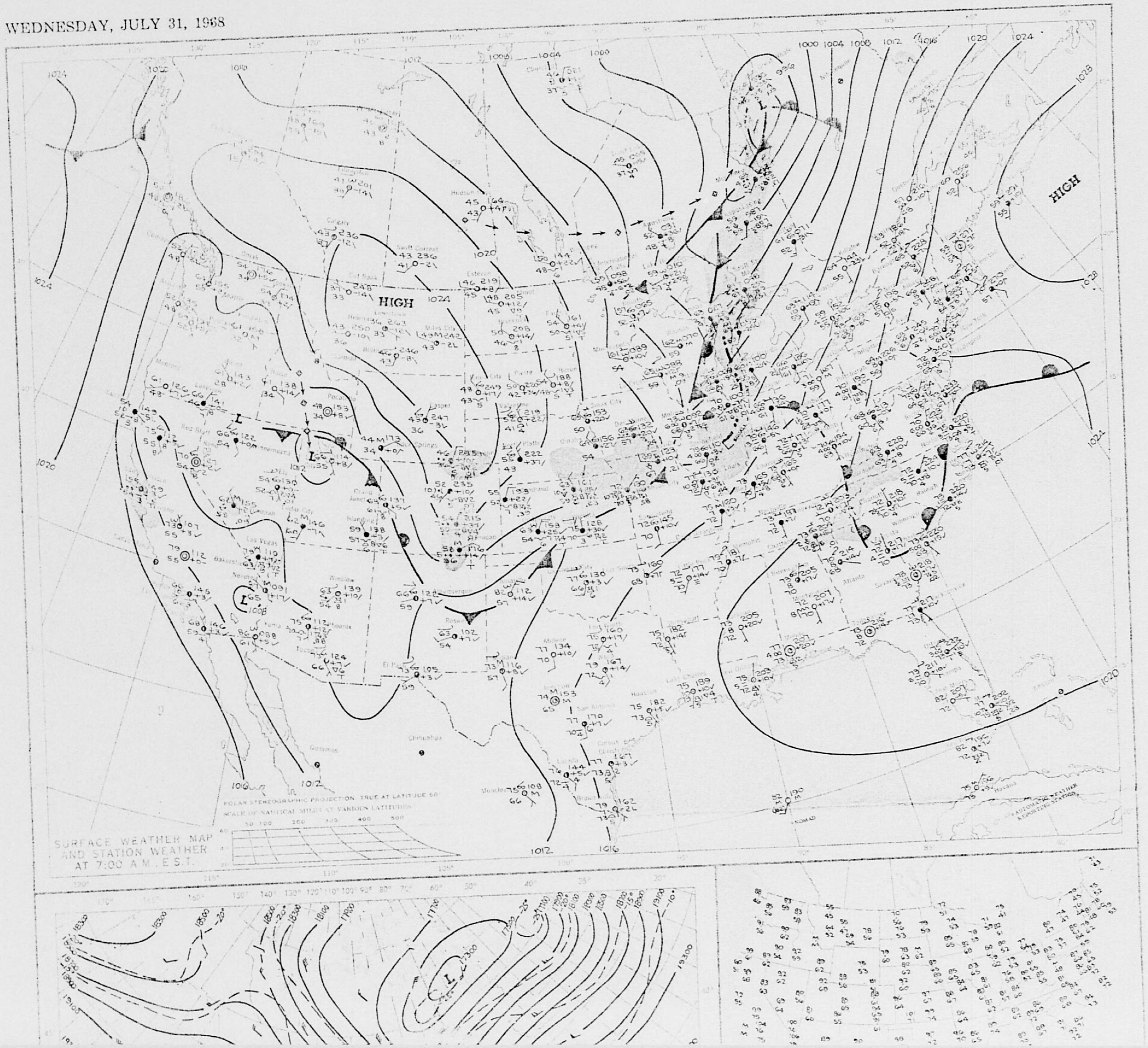

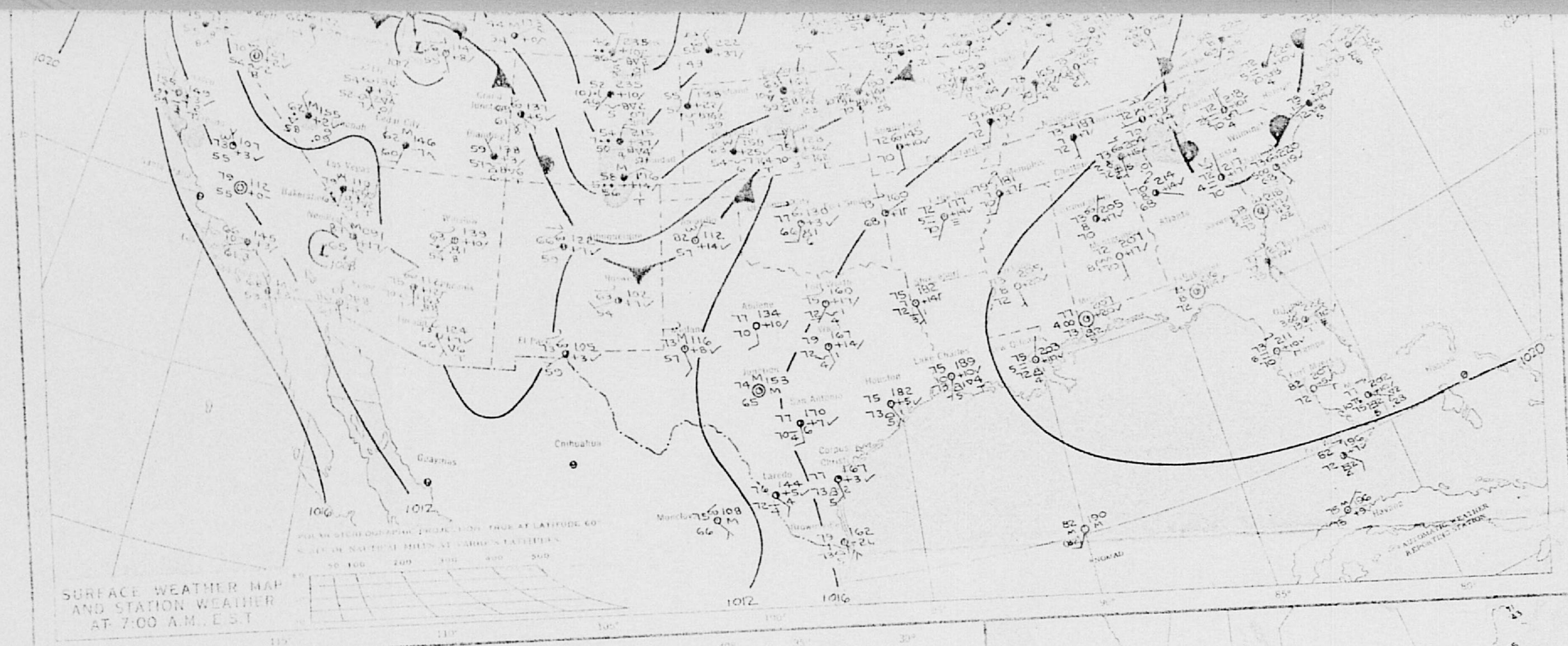
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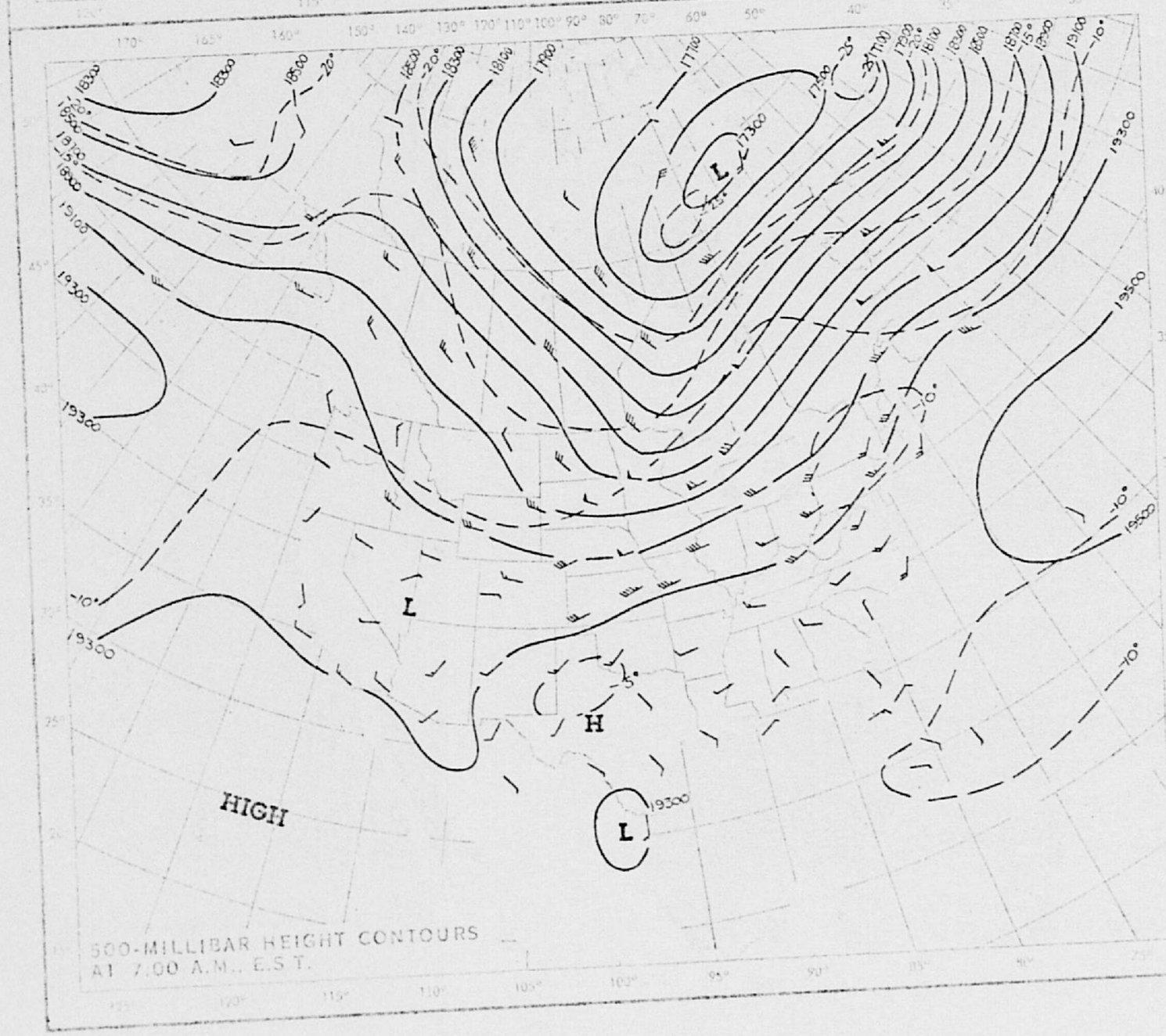
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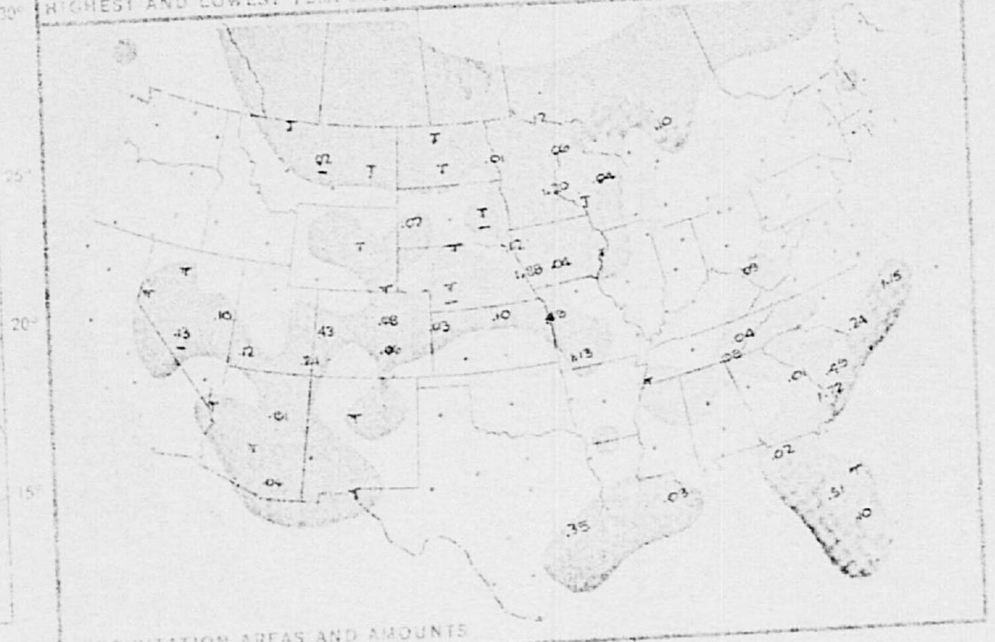
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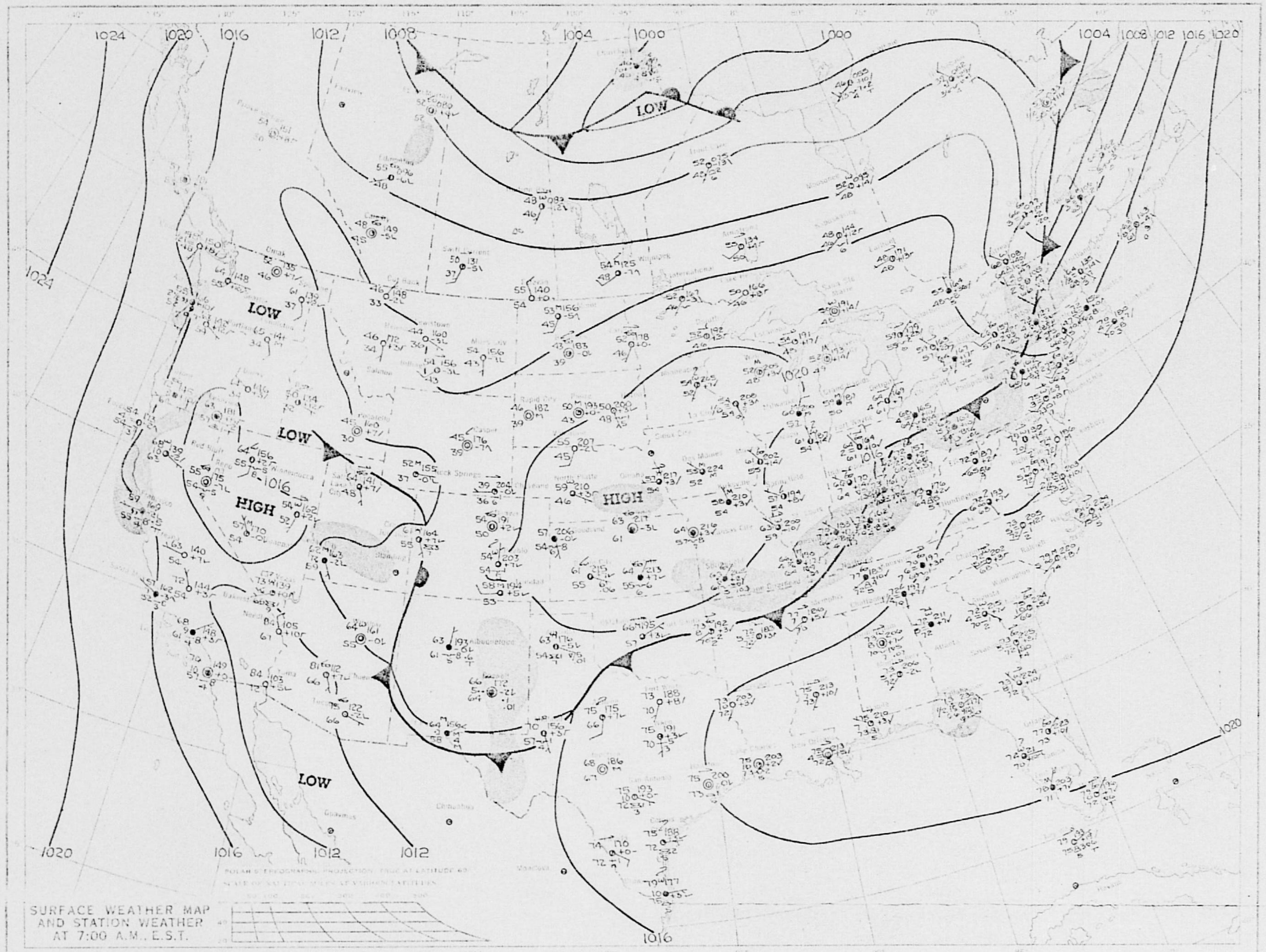

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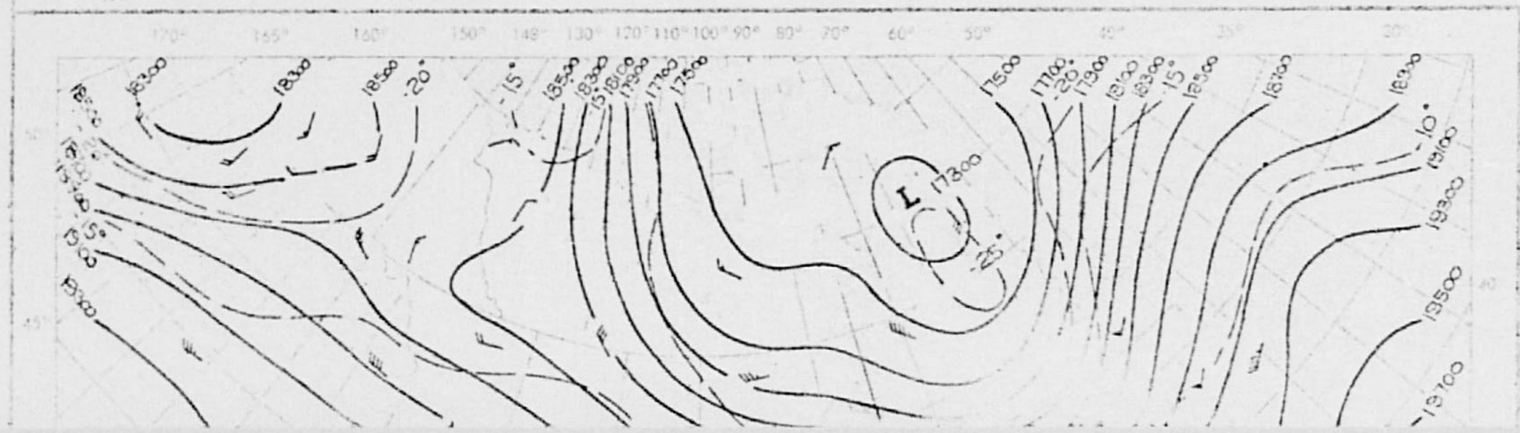

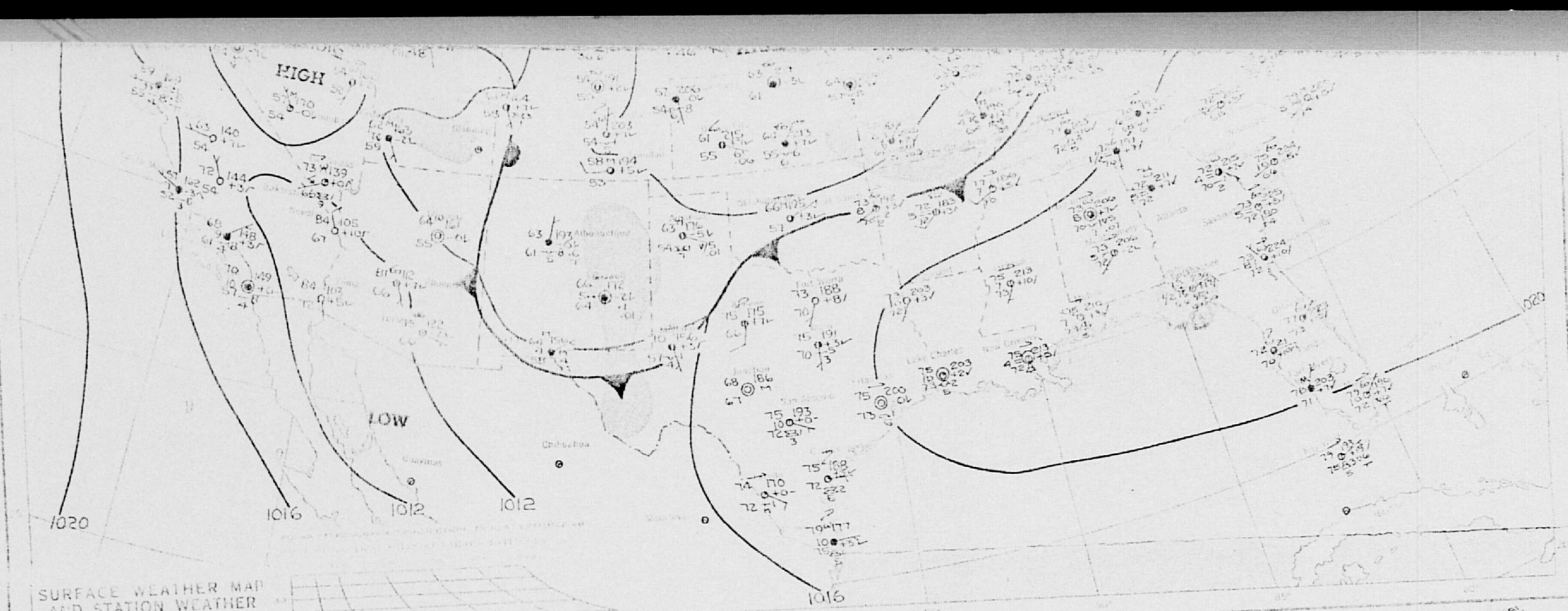

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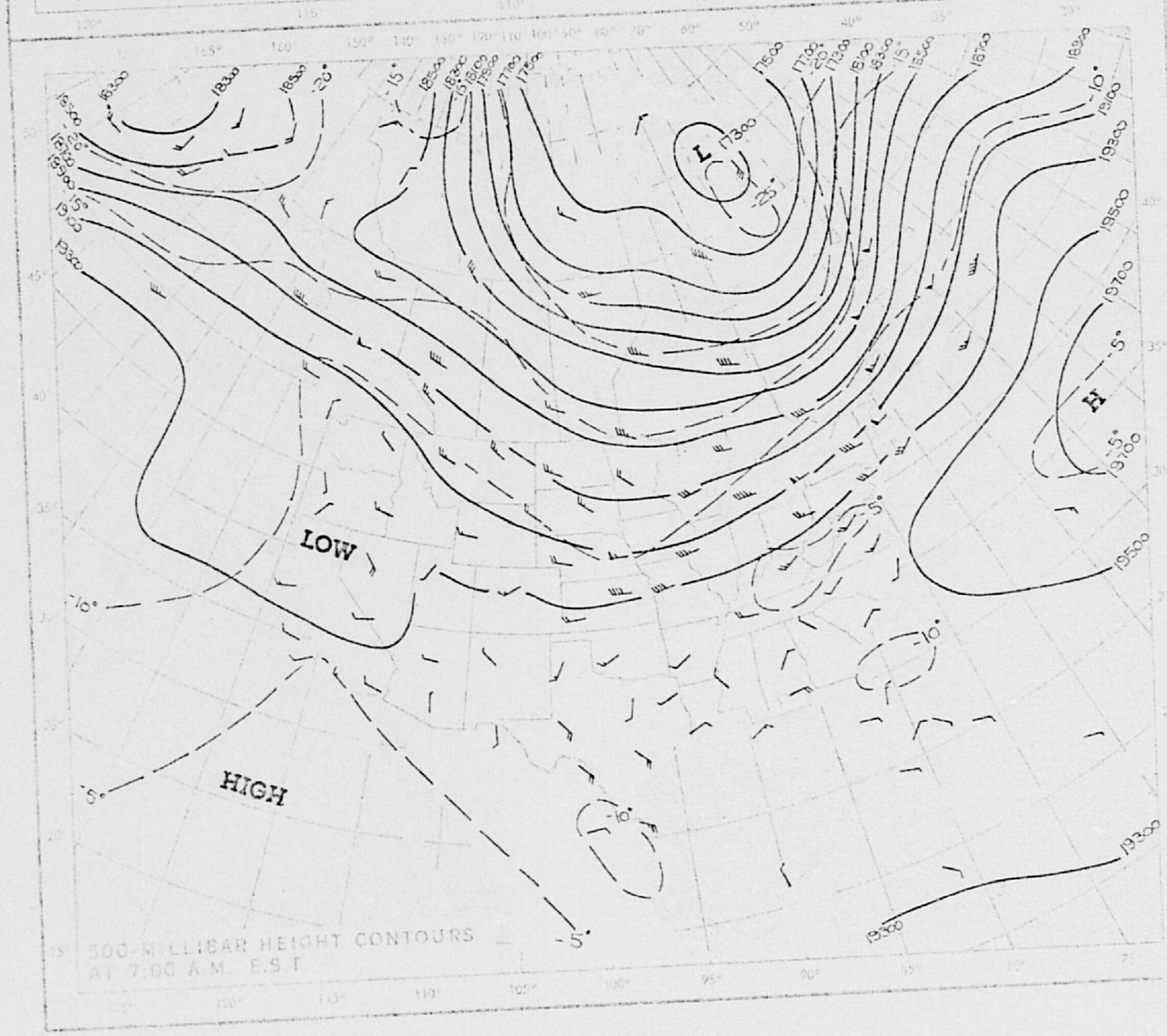

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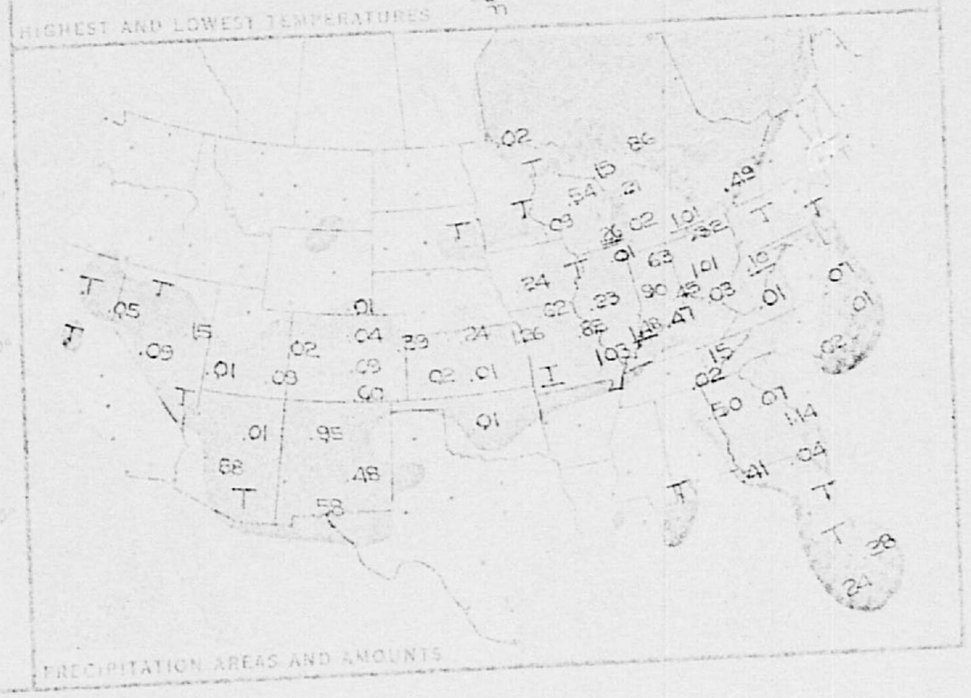

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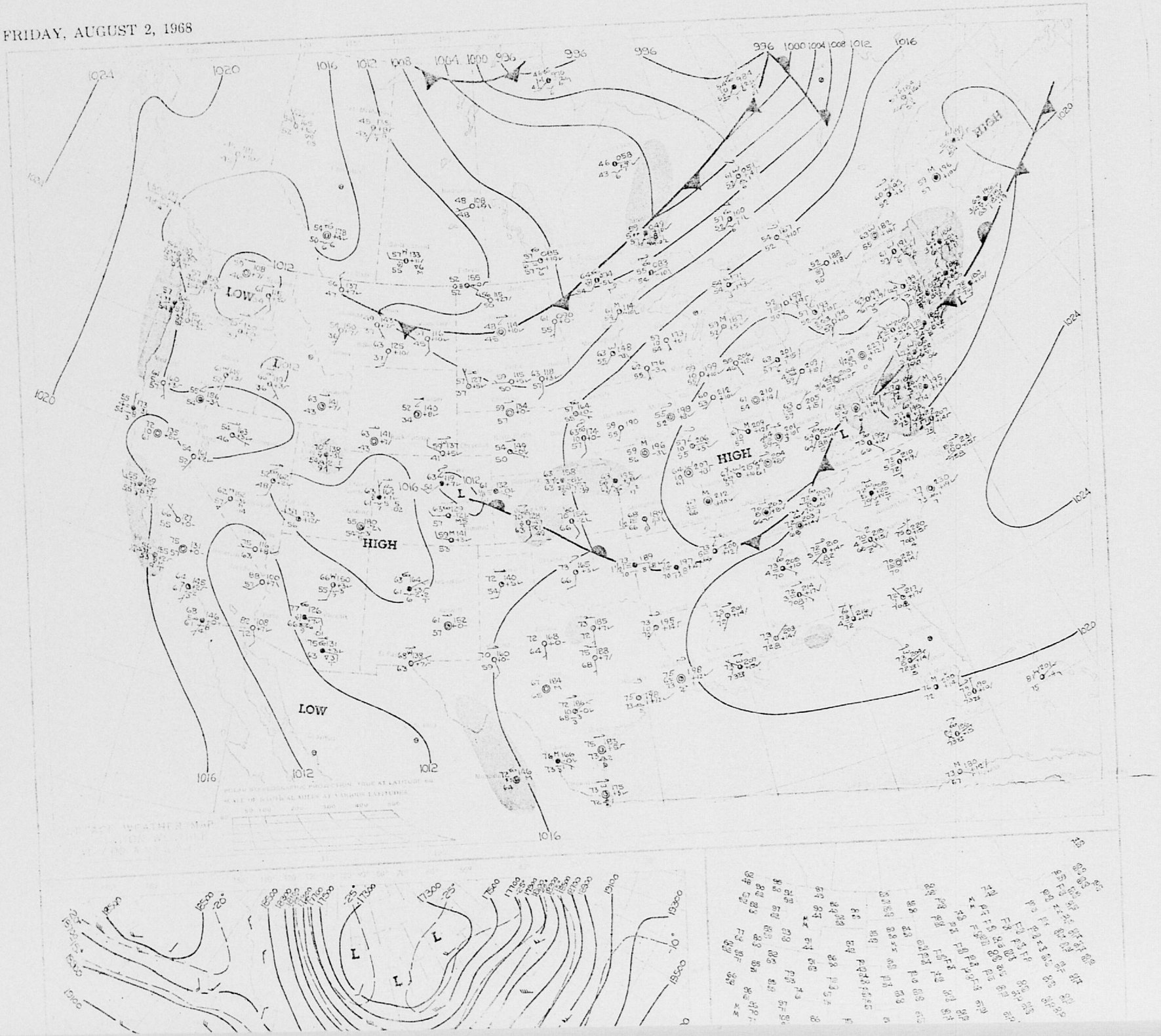
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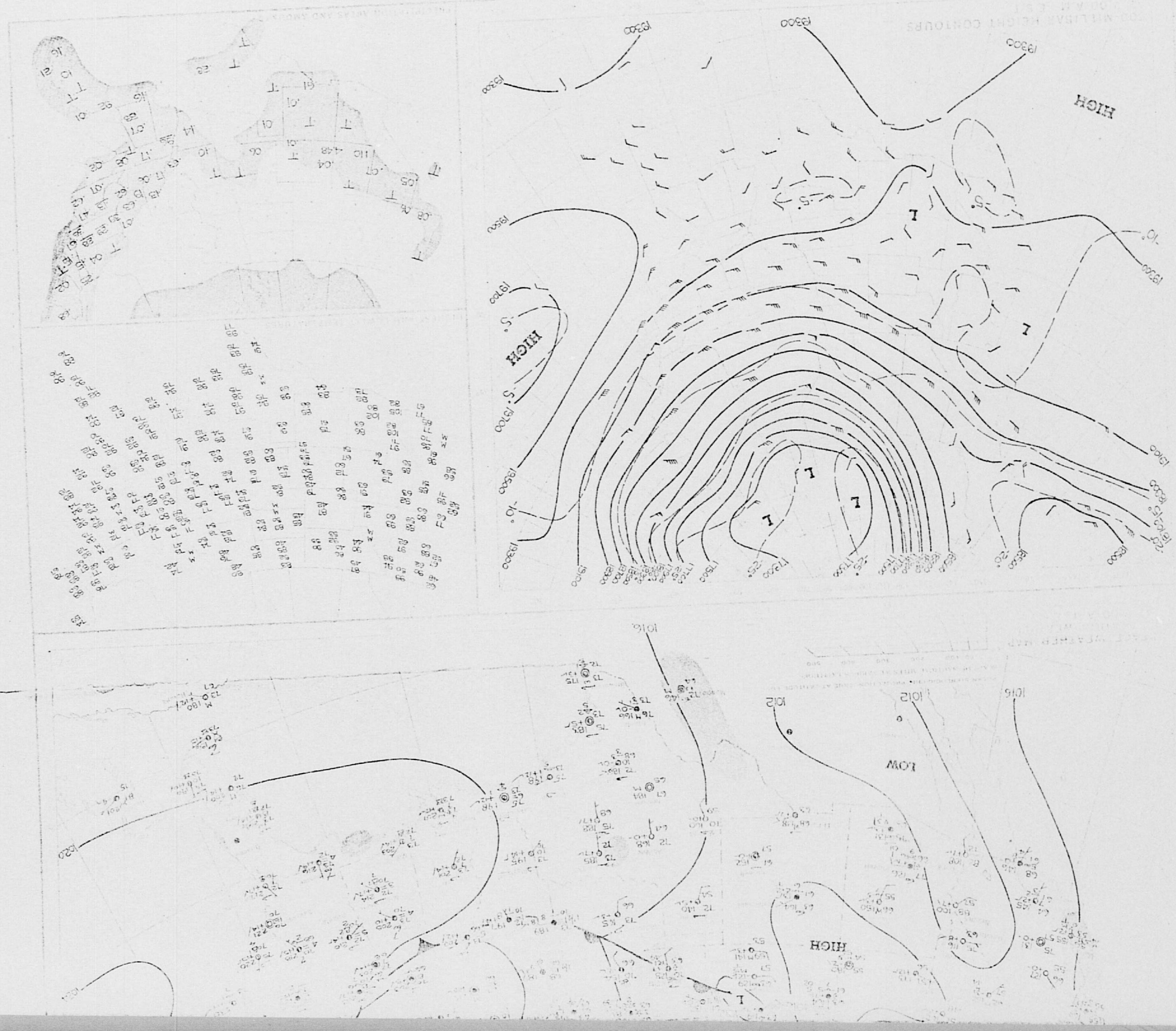
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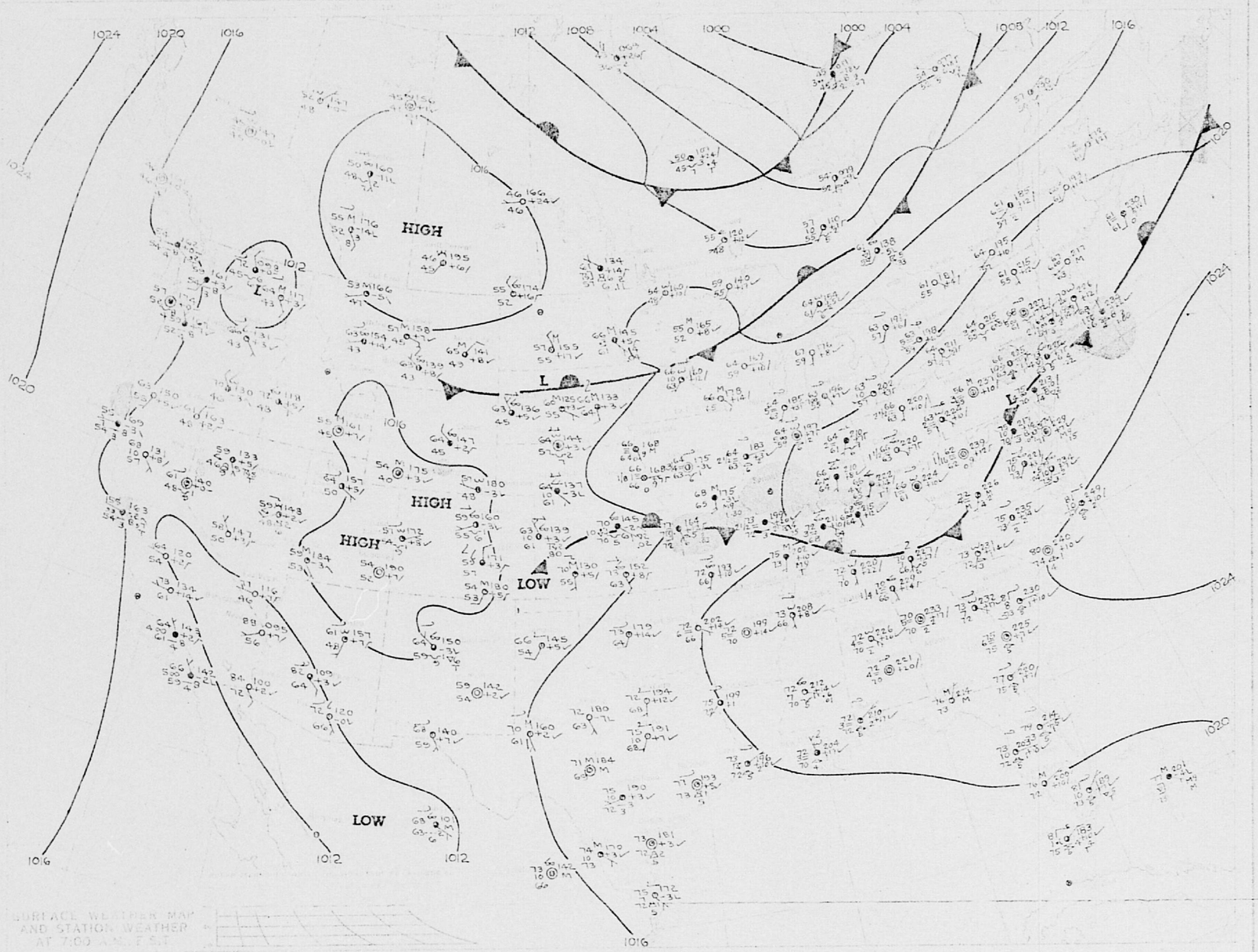

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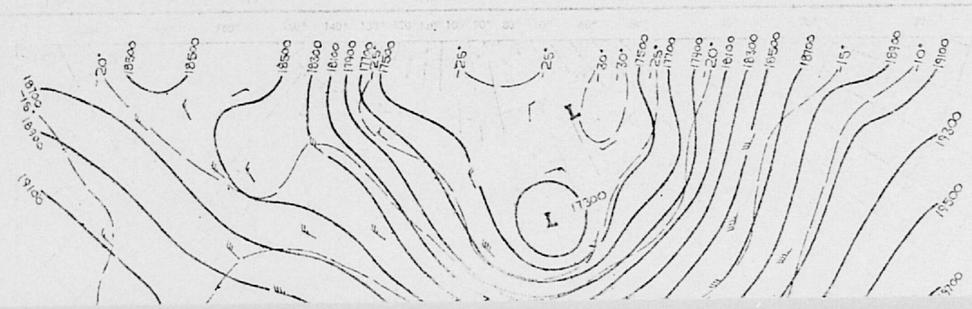

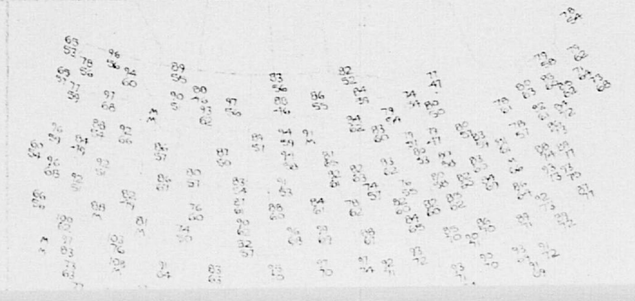

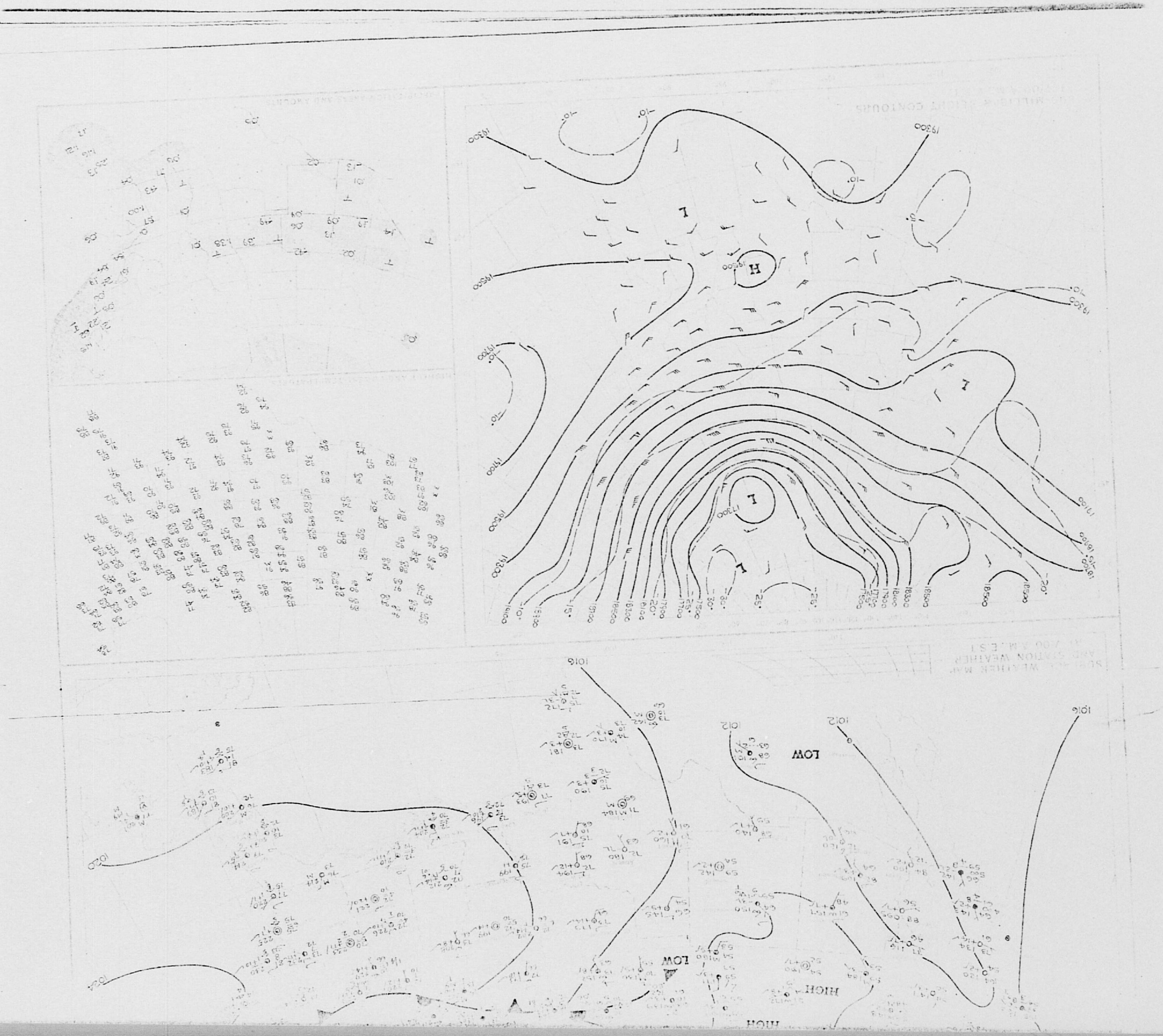

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DATE	LOCATION	OBSERVER	EVALUATION
Aug	Hopewell Junction, New York		Insufficient Data
Aug	Folcroft, Pennsylvania		Other (CONFLICTING DATA)
Aug	Memphis, Tennessee		Insufficient Data
1	Winona, Mississippi		Other (UNRELIABLE REPORT)
2	Dayton, OHIO		Satellite (ECHO II)
2	Dayton, Ohio		Insufficient Data
3	Lynchburg, Virginia		Satellite
3	Jeffersonville, Indiana		Balloon
3	Talladega, Alabama		Insufficient Data
5	San Angelo, Texas		Insufficient Data
9	Selma, California		Aircraft
10	Tucson, Arizona		Balloon
11	Port Orchard, Washington		Aircraft
11	Pound Ridge, New York		Other (DEBRIS IN WIND)
12	Dayton, Ohio		Insufficient Data
12	Dayton, Ohio		Astro (STARS)
14	Cincinnati, Ohio		Insufficient Data
15	Yellow Springs, Ohio		Astro (MOON)
16	Craig AFB, Alabama	Multiple	Other (ROCKET LAUNCH)
16-17	Cincinnati, Ohio		Insufficient Data
17	Dayton, Kentucky		Aircraft (W/ADVERTISING SIGN)
19	Dayton, Ohio		Insufficient Data
19	Moatsville, West Virginia		Astro (CAPELLA)
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20	West Carrollton, Ohio		Insufficient Data
20	Middletown, Ohio		Insufficient Data
16	Albuquerque, New Mexico		

ADDITIONAL REPORTED SIGHTINGS (NOT CASES)

DATE	LOCATION	SOURCE	EVALUATION
2	West Virginia	Newsclipping	
6	Blind River, Canada	Memo	
10	Puerto Rico	Ltr	
12	Windsor, Pennsylvania	Ltr	
11	Mexico City	[redacted]164	
18	Calgary, Alberta, Canada	Houston	
19	Vietnam		

	10. CONCLUSION PROBABLY UNIDENTIFIED
[illegible] OF OBJECTS One	It that it is just a point source of light, it really doesn't fit the definition of an UFO as given in AFR 80-17, however, the description is similar to that of a satellite.
[illegible] OF OBSERVATION Night	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS The observer sighted a moving white light that was brighter than the stars. The light went from the NW to the SE.
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PHOTOS Yes	
PHYSICAL EVIDENCE Yes	

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TDPT (UFO) Lt Col Quintanilla/70916/mhs/31 Aug 68

UFO Observation, 3 August 1968

Mr [redacted]
Lynchburg, Virginia 24501

Reference your unidentified flying object sighting of 3 August 1968. The description you provided is similar to past descriptions we have received of satellite observations. However, because there are over 1500 man made objects in space, of which approximately 150 are visible to the naked eye, it would be very difficult to positively identify which one of these objects you observed.

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Lt Colonel, USAF
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SIGHTING OF UNIDENTIFIED PHENOMENA QUESTIONNAIRE

BUDGET BUREAU APPROVAL NUMBER 21-R259

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DAY 3 MONTH Aug. YEAR 1965

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City Lynchburg Va. on [redacted] facing North. With my back to E. C. Glass High School. Also [redacted] to my back

[redacted] St.

West

East

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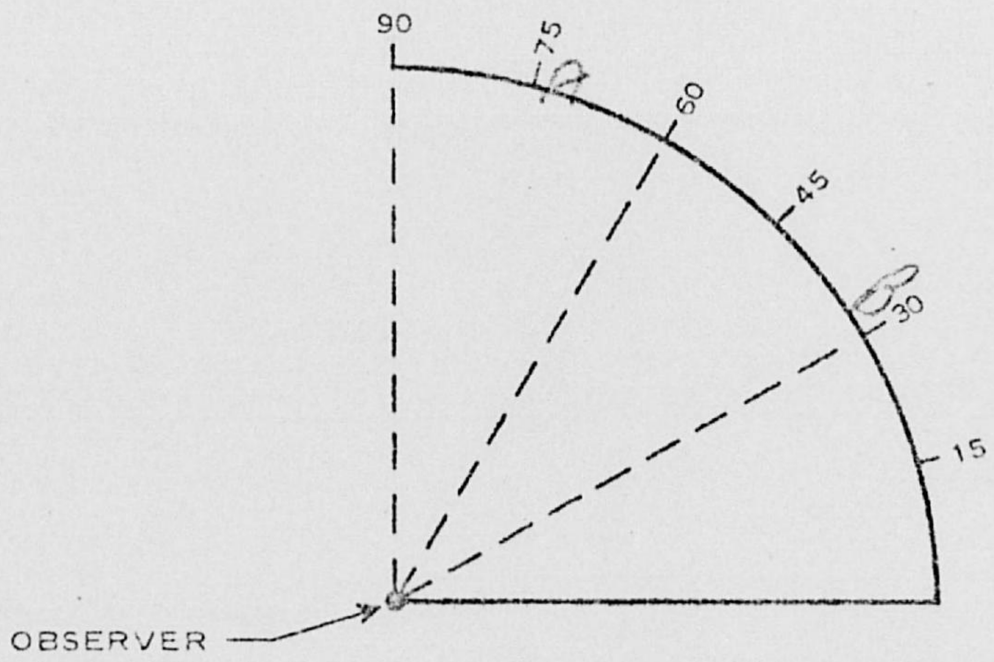

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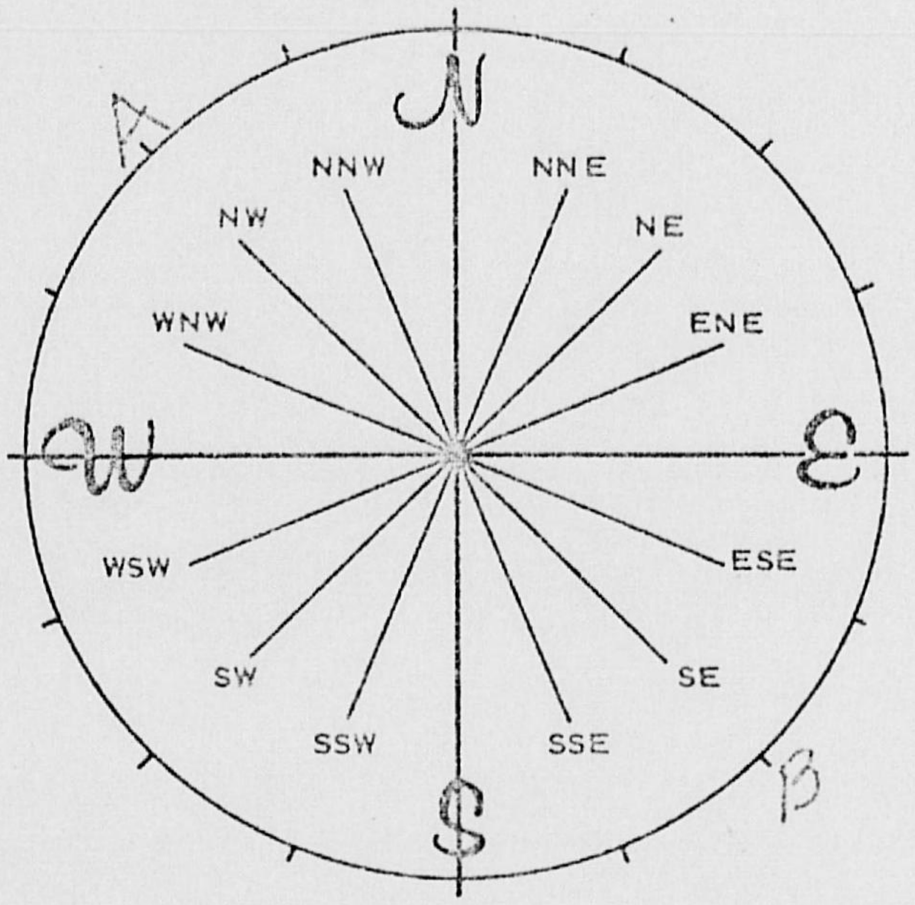
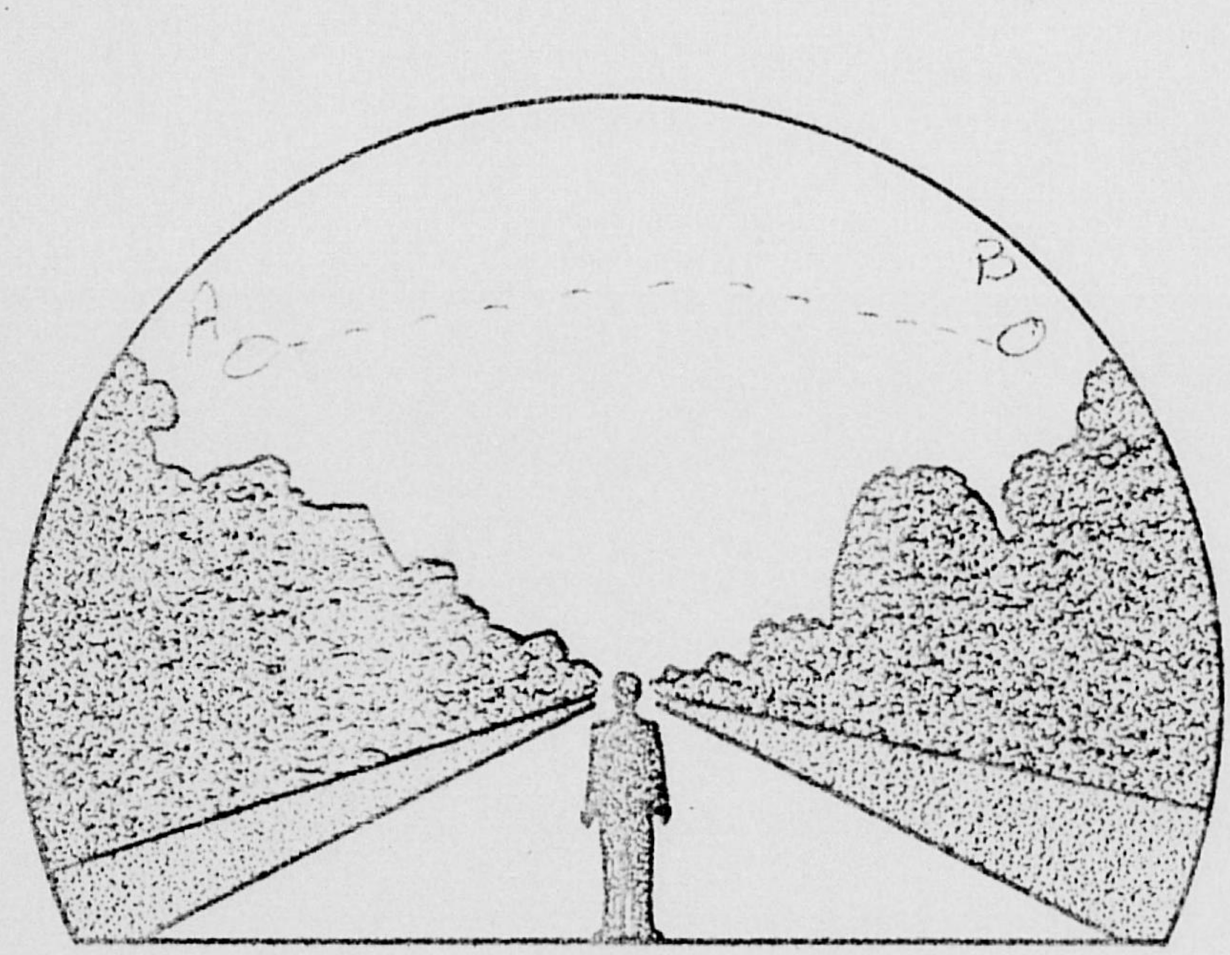
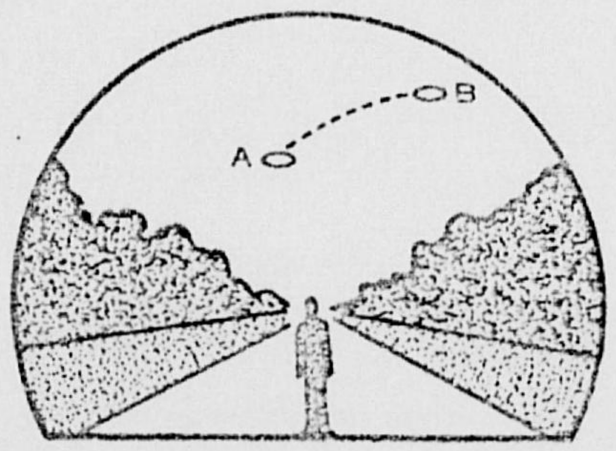


7. IN THE SKETCH BELOW, PLACE AN "A" AT THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON WHEN FIRST SEEN, AND A "B" AT THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON WHEN LAST SEEN. CONNECT THE "A" AND "B" WITH A LINE TO APPROXIMATE THE MOVEMENT OF THE PHENOMENON BETWEEN "A" AND "B". THAT IS, SCHEMATICALLY SHOW WHETHER THE MOVEMENT APPEARED TO BE STRAIGHT, CURVED OR ZIG-ZAG. REFER TO SMALLER SKETCH AS AN EXAMPLE OF HOW TO COMPLETE THE LARGER SKETCH.





8. WHERE WERE YOU WHEN YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? *(Check appropriate blocks.)*

✓	OUTDOORS		IN BUSINESS SECTION OF CITY
	IN BUILDING	✓	IN RESIDENTIAL SECTION OF CITY
	IN CAR ☐ AS DRIVER ☐ AS PASSENGER		IN OPEN COUNTRYSIDE
	IN BOAT		NEAR AIRFIELD
	IN AIRPLANE ☐ AS PILOT ☐ AS PASSENGER		FLYING OVER CITY
	OTHER		FLYING OVER OPEN COUNTRY
			OTHER

A. IF YOU WERE IN A VEHICLE, COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

WHAT DIRECTION WERE YOU MOVING?

	NORTH		EAST
	SOUTH		WEST
	NORTHEAST		SOUTHEAST
	NORTHWEST		SOUTHWEST

HOW FAST WERE YOU MOVING?

DID YOU STOP ANYTIME WHILE OBSERVING THE PHENOMENON? ☐ YES ☐ NO

EXPLAIN WHETHER SUCH MOVEMENT AFFECTS YOUR SKETCHES IN ITEMS 5 AND 6.

No

DESCRIBE TYPE OF VEHICLE YOU WERE IN AND TYPE OF ROAD, TERRAIN OR BODY OF WATER YOU TRAVERSED DURING THE SIGHTING. STATE WHETHER WINDOWS OR CONVERTIBLE TOP WERE UP OR DOWN.

None

HOW MUCH OTHER TRAFFIC WAS THERE?

None

DID YOU NOTICE ANY AIRPLANES? ☐ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE WHEN THEY WERE IN SIGHT RELATIVE TO THE TIME OF SIGHTING THE PHENOMENON AND WHERE THEY WERE IN THE SKY RELATIVE TO THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON.

9. HOW LONG WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT?

LENGTH OF TIME				
20 min		CERTAIN OF TIME		NOT VERY SURE
	✓	FAIRLY CERTAIN		JUST A GUESS

HOW WAS TIME DETERMINED?

I had just looked at my watch.

WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT CONTINUOUSLY? ☐ YES ☐ NO. IF "NO," INDICATE WHETHER THIS IS DUE TO YOUR MOVEMENT OR THE BEHAVIOR OF THE PHENOMENON, AND DESCRIBE SUCH MOVEMENT OR BEHAVIOR. INDICATE DISAPPEARANCES ON PREVIOUS SKETCHES.

10. IF THERE WERE MORE THAN ONE PHENOMENON, HOW MANY WERE THERE? DRAW A PICTURE TO SHOW HOW THEY WERE ARRANGED. DID THIS ARRANGEMENT CHANGE DURING THE SIGHTING?

No Question

11. CONDITIONS *(Check appropriate blocks.)*

A. SKY		B. WEATHER			
	DAY		CUMULUS CLOUDS *(Low fluffy)*		FOG OR MIST
	TWILIGHT		CIRRUS CLOUDS *(High fleecy or Herring-bone)*		HEAVY RAIN
✓	NIGHT				LIGHT RAIN OR DRIZZLE
✓	CLEAR		NIMBUS CLOUDS *(Rain)*		HAIL
	PARTLY CLOUDY		CUMULONIMBUS CLOUDS *(Thunderstorms)*		SNOW OR SLEET
	COMPLETELY OVERCAST				UNKNOWN
			HAZE OR SMOG		NONE OF THE ABOVE

C. IF THE SIGHTING WAS AT TWILIGHT OR NIGHT, WHAT DID YOU NOTICE ABOUT THE STARS AND MOON?

(1) STARS		(2) MOON			
	NONE	✓	BRIGHT MOONLIGHT		NO MOONLIGHT
	A FEW		MOON WITH HALO		UNKNOWN
✓	MANY		MOON HIDDEN BY CLOUDS		
	UNKNOWN		PARTIAL *(New or quarter)*		

D. IF SIGHTING WAS IN DAYLIGHT, WAS THE SUN VISIBLE? ☐ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," WHERE WAS THE SUN AS YOU FACED THE PHENOMENON?

	IN FRONT OF YOU		TO YOUR RIGHT		OVERHEAD *(Near noon)*
	IN BACK OF YOU		TO YOUR LEFT		UNKNOWN

E. SPECIFY THE MAJOR SOURCE OF ILLUMINATION PRESENT DURING THE SIGHTING, SUCH AS THE SUN, HEADLIGHTS OR STREET LAMP, ETC. FOR TERRESTRIAL ILLUMINATION, SPECIFY DISTANCE TO LIGHT SOURCE.

Street Lamps, and Stars Moon -

12. GIVE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PHENOMENON, INDICATING WHETHER IT APPEARED DARK OR LIGHT, WHETHER IT REFLECTED LIGHT OR WAS SELF-LUMINOUS AND WHAT COLORS YOU NOTICED. DESCRIBE YOUR IMPRESSION OF WHETHER IT WAS SOLID OR TRANSPARENT, WHETHER EDGES WERE SHARP OR FUZZY. DESCRIBE THE SHAPE OR INDICATE IF IT APPEARED AS A POINT OF LIGHT. INDICATE COMPARISONS WITH OTHER OBSERVED OBJECTS, LIKE STARS, A LIGHT OR OTHER OBJECT IN YOUR FIELD OF VIEW.

What made me to spot it was, Because
It was brighter than the Stars.

13. DID THE PHENOMENON	YES	NO	UNKNOWN
MOVE IN A STRAIGHT LINE?	✓		
STAND STILL AT ANYTIME?	✓		
SUDDENLY SPEED UP AND RUN AWAY?		✓	
BREAK UP IN PARTS AND EXPLODE?		✓	
CHANGE COLOR?		✓	
GIVE OFF SMOKE?		✓	
CHANGE BRIGHTNESS?		✓	
CHANGE SHAPE?		✓	
~~FLASH~~ OR FLICKER?	✓		
DISAPPEAR AND REAPPEAR?		✓	
SPIN LIKE A TOP?		✓	
MAKE A NOISE?		✓	
~~FLUTTER~~ OR WOBBLE?	✓		

14. WHAT DREW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE PHENOMENON?

Because it was brighter than the Stars. Also a little bigger than the Stars. I happened to look up

A. HOW DID IT FINALLY DISAPPEAR?

By going out of sight over the horizon.

B. DID THE PHENOMENON MOVE BEHIND OR IN FRONT OF SOMETHING, LIKE A CLOUD, TREE, OR BUILDING AT ANY TIME?
☐ YES ☑ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

15. DRAW A PICTURE THAT WILL SHOW THE SHAPE OF THE PHENOMENON. INCLUDE AND LABEL ANY DETAILS THAT MIGHT HAVE APPEARED AS WINGS OR PROTRUSIONS, AND INDICATE EXHAUST OR VAPOR TRAILS. INDICATE BY AN ARROW THE DIRECTION THE PHENOMENON WAS MOVING.

Looks just a round light.

16. WHAT WAS THE ANGULAR SIZE? HOLD A MATCH AT ARM'S LENGTH IN FRONT OF A KNOWN OBJECT, SUCH AS A STREET LAMP OR THE MOON. NOTE HOW MUCH OF THE OBJECT IS COVERED BY THE HEAD OF THE MATCH. NOW IF YOU HAD BEEN ABLE TO PERFORM THIS EXPERIMENT AT THE TIME OF THE SIGHTING, ESTIMATE WHAT FRACTION OF THE PHENOMENON WOULD HAVE BEEN COVERED BY THE MATCH HEAD.

Unknown.

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14. WHAT DREW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE PHENOMENON?

Because it was brighter than the Stars.
Also a little bigger than the Stars.

P.S. I was sitting in my front yard and happen to look up in the sky and happen to see something moving, it was still at first and then it started to move.

A. HOW DID IT FINALLY DISAPPEAR?

By going out of sight over the Canyon.

B. DID THE PHENOMENON MOVE BEHIND OR IN FRONT OF SOMETHING, LIKE A CLOUD, TREE, OR BUILDING AT ANY TIME?
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We know,

17. DID YOU OBSERVE THE PHENOMENON THROUGH ANY OF THE FOLLOWING? INCLUDE INFORMATION ON MODEL, TYPE, FILTER, LENS PRESCRIPTION OR OTHER APPLICABLE DATA.

	EYEGLASSES No.		CAMERA VIEWER No
	SUNGLASSES No		BINOCULARS No
	WINDSHIELD No		TELESCOPE No
	SIDE WINDOW OF VEHICLE No		THEODOLITE No.
	WINDOWPANE No		OTHER No

A. DO YOU ORDINARILY WEAR GLASSES? ☐ YES ☑ NO

B. DO YOU USE READING GLASSES? ☐ YES ☑ NO

18. WHAT WAS YOUR IMPRESSION OF THE SPEED OF THE PHENOMENON? GIVE ESTIMATE OF SPEED _____.

19. WHAT WAS YOUR IMPRESSION OF THE DISTANCE OF THE PHENOMENON? GIVE ESTIMATE OF DISTANCE _____.

20. IN ORDER THAT WE MAY OBTAIN AS CLEAR A PICTURE AS POSSIBLE OF WHAT YOU SAW, DESCRIBE IN YOUR OWN WORDS A COMMON OBJECT OR OBJECTS WHICH, WHEN PLACED IN THE SKY, SIMILAR TO WHERE YOU NOTED THE PHENOMENON, WOULD BEAR SOME RESEMBLANCE TO WHAT YOU SAW. DESCRIBE SIMILARITIES AND DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE COMMON OBJECT AND WHAT YOU SAW.

The Only thing I can tell you what it looked like it was just another Star, But this was the first time I saw a Star travel in a straight line, It. ~~was~~ Just kind of stood, and bounced a little bit. Like a Cork on the water.

21. DID YOU NOTICE ANY ODOR, NOISE, OR HEAT EMANATING FROM THE PHENOMENON OR ANY EFFECT ON YOURSELF, ANIMALS OR MACHINERY IN THE VICINITY? ☐ YES ☑ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

A. DID THE PHENOMENON DISTURB THE GROUND OR LEAVE ANY PHYSICAL EVIDENCE. ☐ YES ☑ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

22. HAVE YOU EVER SEEN THIS OR A SIMILAR PHENOMENON BEFORE? ☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," GIVE DATE AND LOCATION.

23. WAS ANYONE WITH YOU AT THE TIME YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? ☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," DID THEY SEE IT TOO? ☒ YES ☐ NO.

A. LIST THEIR NAMES AND ADDRESSES

Neighbors.

24. GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ABOUT YOURSELF

[redacted] MIDDLE NAME

ADDRESS (Street, City, State and Zip Code) [redacted] Va. 24501

TELEPHONE (Area code and number) [redacted] AGE 36 ☐ MALE ☐ FEMALE

INDICATE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION INCLUDING OCCUPATION AND ANY EXPERIENCE WHICH MAY BE PERTINENT.

[redacted] Project Engineer

Flight Mechanic

U.S. Air Force 3 yrs.

Virginia National Guard 15 yrs.

as Medical Platoon Sgt.

25. WHEN AND TO WHOM DID YOU REPORT THAT YOU HAD SIGHTED THIS PHENOMENON?

NAME Bedford AIR force DAY 3 MONTH Aug YEAR 68

26. DATE YOU COMPLETED THIS QUESTIONNAIRE.

DAY 13 MONTH Aug YEAR 68

27. INFORMATION WHICH YOU FEEL IS PERTINENT BUT WHICH IS NOT ADEQUATELY COVERED IN THIS QUESTIONNAIRE, ALTERNATIVELY PROVIDE A NARRATIVE EXPLANATION OF THE SIGHTING.

13 Aug. 1968
Lynchburg Va -

Dear Sir:
I try to complete the
Questionnaire to the best of my ability
It had to put units words to what
you see sometime - I hope this
will help you. I would like to know
what you come up with from this
Questionnaire. Also if you have
received any report like this before

Thank you

3 Aug 68

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

REPLY TO ATTN OF: TDPT (UFO)

6 AUG 1968

SUBJECT: UFO Observation, 3 August 1968

TO: [redacted]
Lynchburg, Virginia 24501

Reference your recent unidentified flying object sighting which you reported to the Air Force. The information which we have received is not sufficient for a scientific investigation. Request you complete the attached AF Form 117 and return it in the self-addressed envelope. Thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Lt Colonel, USAF
Chief, Aerial Phenomena Office
Aerospace Technologies Division
Production Directorate

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AF Form 117 w/envelope

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0110Z at 29 lat 92 long
0119Z at 45 lat 92 long

THE FOLLOWING UFO-REPORT WAS FORWARDED TO THE UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO
ON 8 AUGUST 1968

3 Aug 1968 Lynchburg, Virginia

UNCLASSIFIED

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
STAFF MESSAGE BRANCH
INCOMING MESSAGE

AFIN: 30642 (6 Aug 68) P/fdb

ACTION: RDC-4 INFO: XOP-2, XOX-2, SAFOS-3, JCS/DIA-1 (13) ADV CY DIA

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UNCLAS 6490AC. SUBJ: UFO REPORT. FTD WPAFB FOR TDETR, CSAF FOR AFRDC, OSAF FOR SAF-OI, IAF FOR IAF-OIN, 3D ADIV FOR 330IN. THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION CONCERNING A UFO SIGHTING IS SUBMITTED IAW PARA II, AFR 80-17 IN THE FORMAT PRESCRIBED:

A. DESCRIPTION OF THE OBJECT:

(1) PINPOINT OF LIGHT LIKE A BRIGHT STAR

(2) STAR SIZED

(3) WHITE

(4) 2

(5) NO FORMATION, FIRST OBJECT DISAPPEARED BEFORE SECOND

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APPEARED.

(6) NONE

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(7) NONE

(8) NONE

(9) NONE

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE OF OBJECT:

(1) WAS OUTSIDE AT TIME AND SAW A BRIGHT LIGHT IN SKY.

(2) FIRST OBJECT - HIGH IN NORTHWESTERN SKY. SECOND OBJECT - HIGH IN WESTERN SKY.

(3) FIRST OBJECT DISAPPEARED OVER THE SOUTHWESTERN HORIZON. SECOND DISAPPEARED BEHIND SOME CLOUDS.

(4) FIRST OBJECT - MOVED IN A STRAIGHT LINE ACROSS SKY WITH POSSIBLE BOBBING MOTION TO IT. SECOND OBJECT - STRAIGHT LINE.

(5) FIRST OBJECT - OVER HORIZON. SECOND OBJECT BEHIND CLOUDS.

(6) FIRST OBJECT - APROXIMATELY 10 MINUTES. SECOND OBJECT - APPROXIMATELY 30 SECONDS.

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION:

(1) GROUND - VISUAL.

(2) NONE

(3) N/A

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D. TIME AND DATE OF SIGHTING:

(1) 040100Z AUG 68; LOCAL TIME 9 PM.

(2) NIGHT

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVER: WITHIN 200 YARDS OF E. C. GLASS HIGH SCHOOL, LYNCHBURG, VIRGINIA.

F. IDENTIFYING INFORMATION ON OBSERVER: CIVILIAN [redacted] AGE: 25; MAILING ADDRESS: [redacted] LYNCHBURG, VIRGINIA 24501; MECHANIC; HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATE; HAVE NO REASON TO QUESTION HIS RELIABILITY.

G. WEATHER AND WINDS - ALOFT CONDITIONS AT TIME AND PLACE OF SIGHTING:

(1) OBSERVERS ACCOUNT: MOSTLY CLEAR AND CALM.

(2) 3,000 250/12

5,000 250/12 PLUS22

7,000 250/15

5 10,000 260/15 PLUS11

(3) CEILING: NONE

(4) VISIBILITY: 10 MILES

(5) AMOUNT OF CLOUD COVER: HIGH THIN SCATTERED CLOUDS (ABOV
18,000 FEET).

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(6) NONE

(7) REFER TO PARA G (2).

H. NONE

I. NONE

J. NONE KNOWN

K. COMMENTS OF INVESTIGATING OFFICER: 2LT RICHARD H. REUFER, GROUND ELECTRONICS OFFICER, 649TH RADAR SQ, BEDFORD AFS, VA.; AREA CODE 703; HOME TELEPHONE [redacted] OFFICE TELEPHONE: SAGE ATUOVON: [redacted] THERE WERE OTHER PEOPLE THAT OBSERVED THE OBJECT SO I DONT DOUBT THIS VALIDITY OF THE REPORT. BECAUSE THE FIRST OBJECT REPORTED TRAVELED SLOWLY ACROSS THE SKY (PROB-ABLY FOR A SOMWHAT SHORTER PERIOD OF TIME THAN THE 10 MINUTES REPORTED) AND IN A RELATIVELY STRAIGHT PATH I WOULD NOT RULE OUT THE POSSIBILITY OF IT BEING A SATELLITE. THE INFORMATION ON THE SECOND OBJECT IS TOO INCOMPLETE TO EVEN MAKE A GUESS AS TO WHAT IT

COULD HAVE BEEN. LYNCHBURG MUNICIPAL AIRPORT AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL TOWER WAS CALLED AND REPORTED SEEING NOTHING AT THE REPORTED TIME AND ROANOKE AIRPORT CONTROL TOWER WAS CALLED AND THEY REPORTED NOTHING.

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[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible] OF OBJECTS	The observer is located close to the Seattle municipal airport and also about 15 miles from Tacoma municipal airport. There seems to be no reason why the sighting could not have been of aircraft.
[illegible] OF OBSERVATION [illegible] SECONDS	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS OBSERVER SIGHTED A PULSATING WHITE LIGHT GOING TOWARD THE [illegible].
TYPE OF OBSERVATION	
[illegible] COURSE	
[illegible] [illegible]TUDE [illegible]	
PHYSICAL EVIDENCE Yes No	

Terry

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AFR 80-17(C1)

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BUDGET BUREAU APPROVAL NUMBER 21-R258

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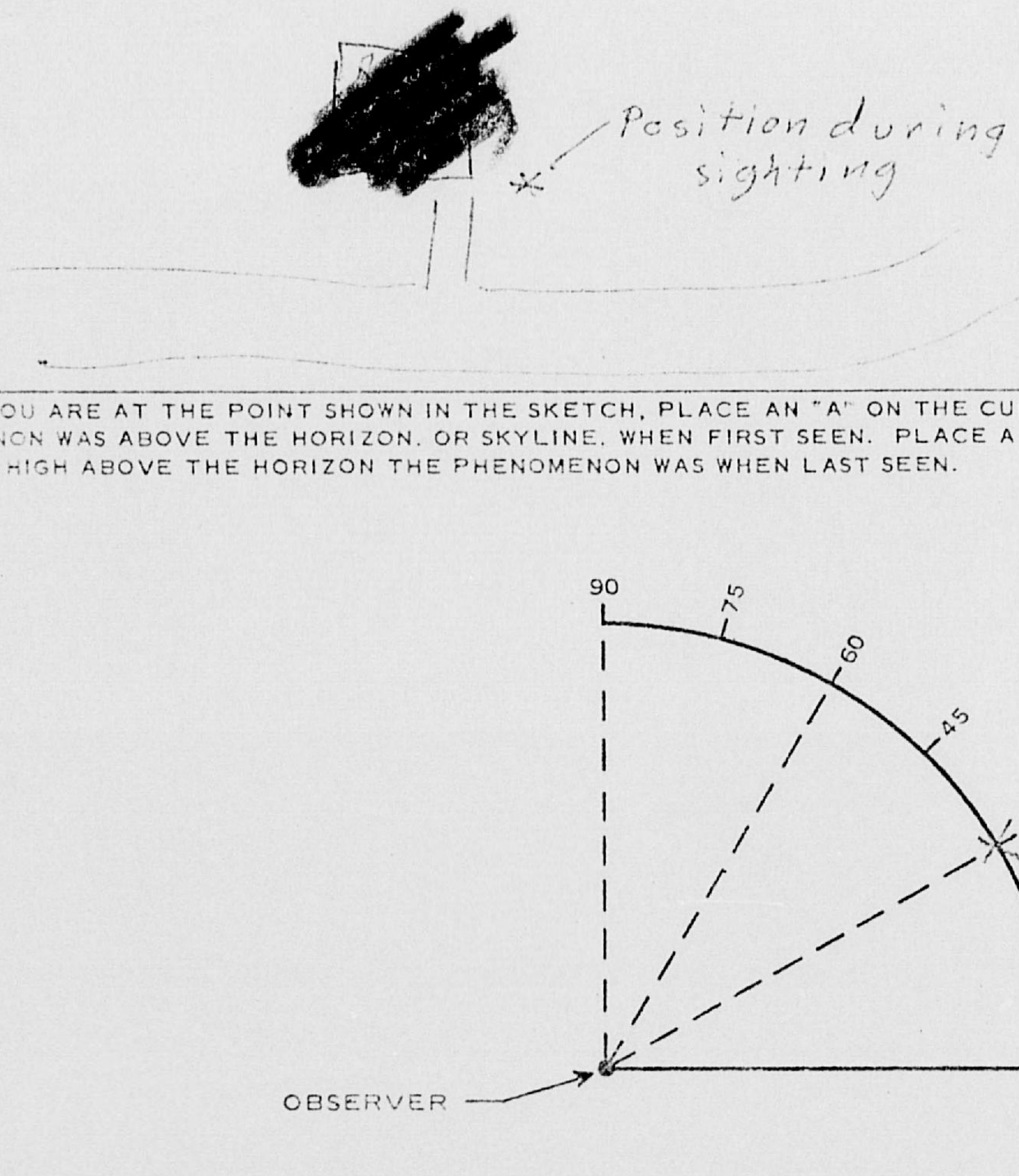

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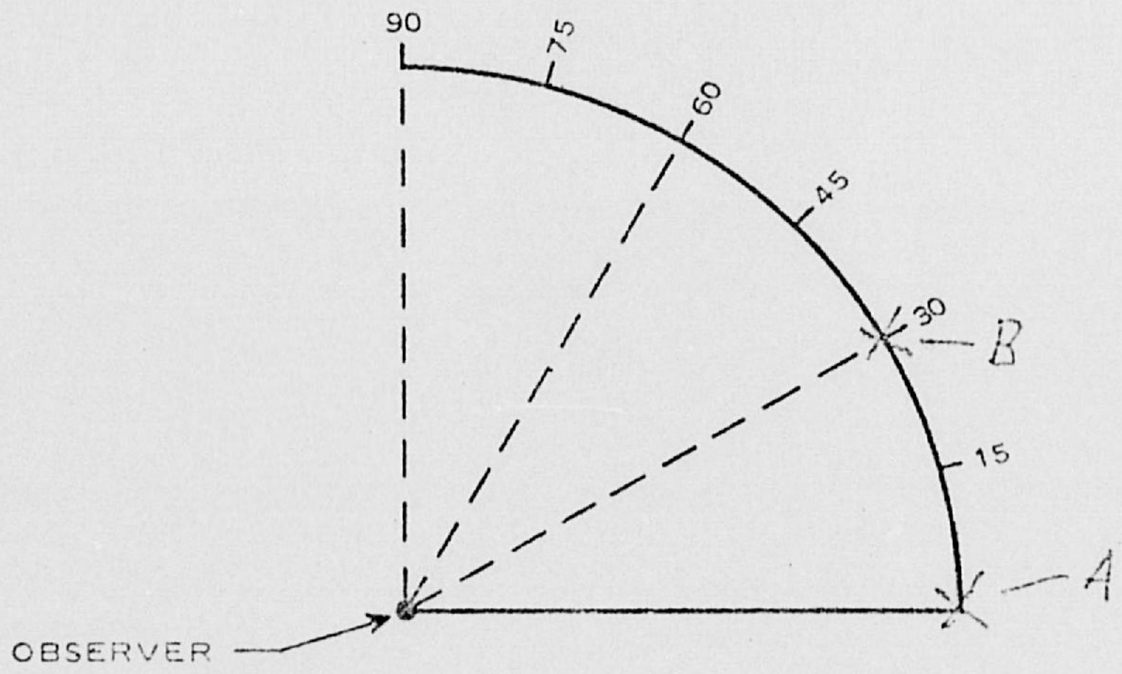

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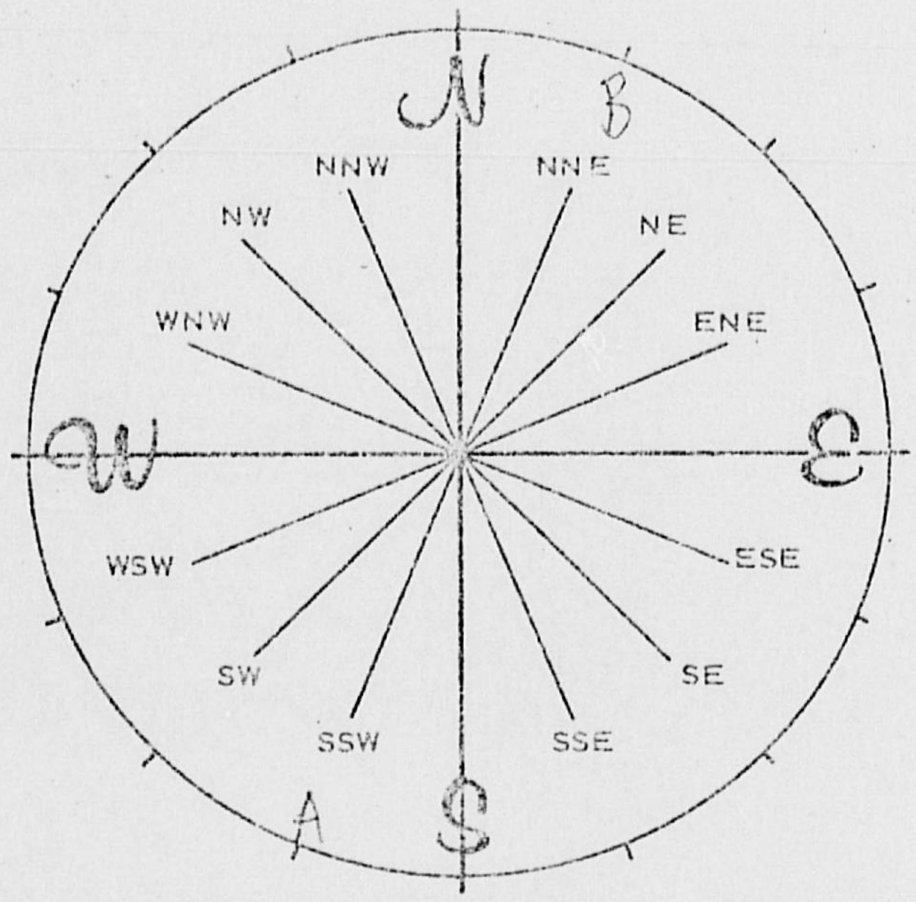
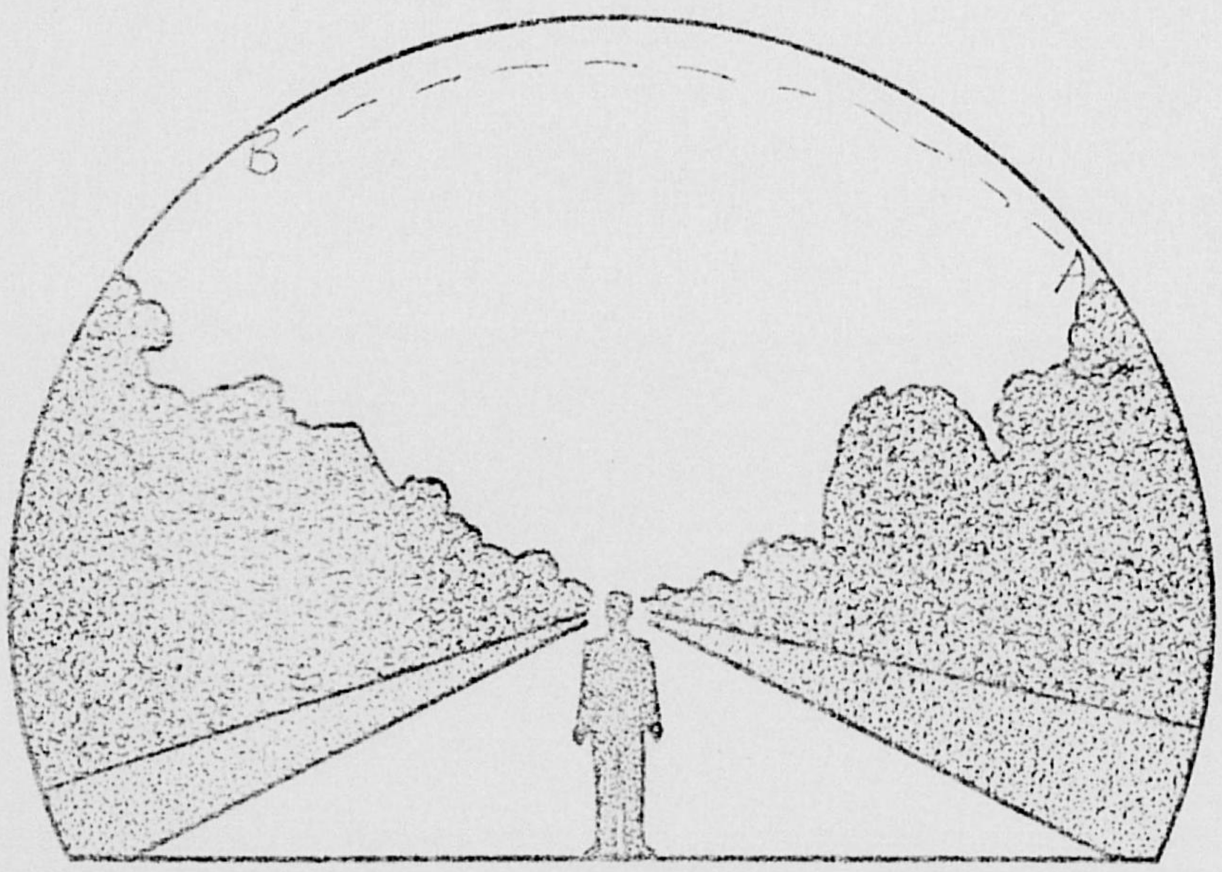
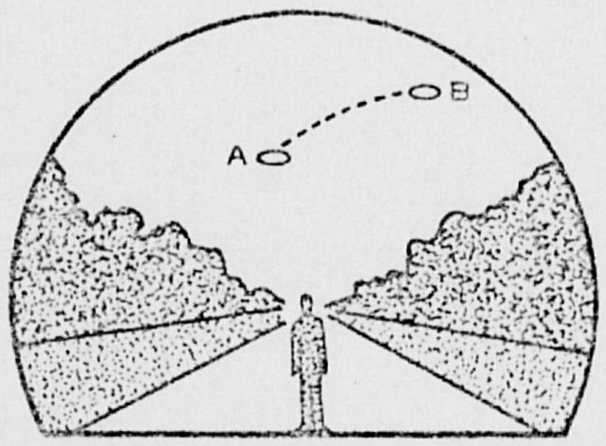
Port Orchard ≈ 10 mi W. of Seattle Airfield
≈ 15 to 20 mi N. of Tacoma Airfield
Also several military bases in area

6A. NOW IMAGINE YOU ARE AT THE CENTER OF THE COMPASS ROSE. PLACE AN "A" ON THE COMPASS TO INDICATE THE DIRECTION TO THE PHENOMENON WHEN FIRST SEEN. PLACE A "B" ON THE COMPASS TO INDICATE THE DIRECTION TO THE PHENOMENON WHEN LAST SEEN.



7. IN THE SKETCH BELOW, PLACE AN "A" AT THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON WHEN FIRST SEEN, AND A "B" AT THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON WHEN LAST SEEN. CONNECT THE "A" AND "B" WITH A LINE TO APPROXIMATE THE MOVEMENT OF THE PHENOMENON BETWEEN "A" AND "B". THAT IS, SCHEMATICALLY SHOW WHETHER THE MOVEMENT APPEARED TO BE STRAIGHT, CURVED OR ZIG-ZAG. REFER TO SMALLER SKETCH AS AN EXAMPLE OF HOW TO COMPLETE THE LARGER SKETCH.





8. WHERE WERE YOU WHEN YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? *(Check appropriate blocks.)*

X	OUTDOORS		IN BUSINESS SECTION OF CITY
	IN BUILDING	X	IN RESIDENTIAL SECTION OF CITY
	IN CAR ☐ AS DRIVER ☐ AS PASSENGER		IN OPEN COUNTRYSIDE
	IN BOAT		NEAR AIRFIELD
	IN AIRPLANE ☐ AS PILOT ☐ AS PASSENGER		FLYING OVER CITY
	OTHER		FLYING OVER OPEN COUNTRY
			OTHER

A. IF YOU WERE IN A VEHICLE, COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING:

WHAT DIRECTION WERE YOU MOVING?				HOW FAST WERE YOU MOVING?
	NORTH		EAST	
	SOUTH		WEST	DID YOU STOP ANYTIME WHILE OBSERVING THE PHENOMENON? ☐ YES ☐ NO
	NORTHEAST		SOUTHEAST	
	NORTHWEST		SOUTHWEST	

EXPLAIN WHETHER SUCH MOVEMENT AFFECTS YOUR SKETCHES IN ITEMS 5 AND 6.

DESCRIBE TYPE OF VEHICLE YOU WERE IN AND TYPE OF ROAD, TERRAIN OR BODY OF WATER YOU TRAVERSED DURING THE SIGHTING. STATE WHETHER WINDOWS OR CONVERTIBLE TOP WERE UP OR DOWN.

HOW MUCH OTHER TRAFFIC WAS THERE?

DID YOU NOTICE ANY AIRPLANES? ☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE WHEN THEY WERE IN SIGHT RELATIVE TO THE TIME OF SIGHTING THE PHENOMENON AND WHERE THEY WERE IN THE SKY RELATIVE TO THE POSITION OF THE PHENOMENON.

It was sighted about 15 minutes prior directly south and a little above the horizon

9. HOW LONG WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT?

LENGTH OF TIME					
15-20 seconds		CERTAIN OF TIME		NOT VERY SURE
	X	FAIRLY CERTAIN		JUST A GUESS

HOW WAS TIME DETERMINED?
estimate

WAS THE PHENOMENON IN SIGHT CONTINUOUSLY? ☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "NO," INDICATE WHETHER THIS IS DUE TO YOUR MOVEMENT OR THE BEHAVIOR OF THE PHENOMENON, AND DESCRIBE SUCH MOVEMENT OR BEHAVIOR. INDICATE DISAPPEARANCES ON PREVIOUS SKETCHES.

10. IF THERE WERE MORE THAN ONE PHENOMENON, HOW MANY WERE THERE? DRAW A PICTURE TO SHOW HOW THEY WERE ARRANGED. DID THIS ARRANGEMENT CHANGE DURING THE SIGHTING?

11. CONDITIONS *(Check appropriate blocks.)*

A. SKY		B. WEATHER			
	DAY		CUMULUS CLOUDS *(Low fluffy)*		FOG OR MIST
X	TWILIGHT		CIRRUS CLOUDS *(High fleecy or Herring-bone)*		HEAVY RAIN
	NIGHT				LIGHT RAIN OR DRIZZLE
X	CLEAR		NIMBUS CLOUDS *(Rain)*		HAIL
	PARTLY CLOUDY		CUMULONIMBUS CLOUDS *(Thunderstorms)*		SNOW OR SLEET
	COMPLETELY OVERCAST				UNKNOWN
			HAZE OR SMOG	X	NONE OF THE ABOVE

C. IF THE SIGHTING WAS AT TWILIGHT OR NIGHT, WHAT DID YOU NOTICE ABOUT THE STARS AND MOON?

(1) STARS		(2) MOON			
	NONE		BRIGHT MOONLIGHT	X	NO MOONLIGHT
	A FEW		MOON WITH HALO		UNKNOWN
X	MANY		MOON HIDDEN BY CLOUDS		
	UNKNOWN		PARTIAL *(New or quarter)*		

D. IF SIGHTING WAS IN DAYLIGHT, WAS THE SUN VISIBLE? ☐ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," WHERE WAS THE SUN AS YOU FACED THE PHENOMENON?

	IN FRONT OF YOU		TO YOUR RIGHT		OVERHEAD *(Near noon)*
	IN BACK OF YOU		TO YOUR LEFT		UNKNOWN

E. SPECIFY THE MAJOR SOURCE OF ILLUMINATION PRESENT DURING THE SIGHTING, SUCH AS THE SUN, HEADLIGHTS OR STREET LAMP, ETC. FOR TERRESTRIAL ILLUMINATION, SPECIFY DISTANCE TO LIGHT SOURCE.

Street light about 75-100 feet away

12. GIVE A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PHENOMENON, INDICATING WHETHER IT APPEARED DARK OR LIGHT, WHETHER IT REFLECTED LIGHT OR WAS SELF-LUMINOUS AND WHAT COLORS YOU NOTICED. DESCRIBE YOUR IMPRESSION OF WHETHER IT WAS SOLID OR TRANSPARENT, WHETHER EDGES WERE SHARP OR FUZZY. DESCRIBE THE SHAPE OR INDICATE IF IT APPEARED AS A POINT OF LIGHT. INDICATE COMPARISONS WITH OTHER OBSERVED OBJECTS, LIKE STARS, A LIGHT OR OTHER OBJECT IN YOUR FIELD OF VIEW.

The object was self luminous but pulsated on and off with a very bright white light

It had the appearance of a diminutive planet Venus as viewed with the naked eye and did appear solid much as a point of light

13. DID THE PHENOMENON	YES	NO	UNKNOWN
MOVE IN A STRAIGHT LINE?	X		
STAND STILL AT ANYTIME?		X	
SUDDENLY SPEED UP AND RUN AWAY?		X	
BREAK UP IN PARTS AND EXPLODE?		X	
CHANGE COLOR?		X	
GIVE OFF SMOKE?		X	
CHANGE BRIGHTNESS?		X	
CHANGE SHAPE?		X	
FLASH OR FLICKER?	X	X	
DISAPPEAR AND REAPPEAR?		X	
SPIN LIKE A TOP?		X	
MAKE A NOISE?		X	
FLUTTER OR WOBBLE?		X	

14. WHAT DREW YOUR ATTENTION TO THE PHENOMENON?

My younger brother (11yrs) pointed it out

A. HOW DID IT FINALLY DISAPPEAR?

the light faded from view

B. DID THE PHENOMENON MOVE BEHIND OR IN FRONT OF SOMETHING, LIKE A CLOUD, TREE, OR BUILDING AT ANY TIME?
☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

15. DRAW A PICTURE THAT WILL SHOW THE SHAPE OF THE PHENOMENON. INCLUDE AND LABEL ANY DETAILS THAT MIGHT HAVE APPEARED AS WINGS OR PROTRUSIONS, AND INDICATE EXHAUST OR VAPOR TRAILS. INDICATE BY AN ARROW THE DIRECTION THE PHENOMENON WAS MOVING.

Indistinguishable

16. WHAT WAS THE ANGULAR SIZE? HOLD A MATCH AT ARM'S LENGTH IN FRONT OF A KNOWN OBJECT, SUCH AS A STREET LAMP OR THE MOON. NOTE HOW MUCH OF THE OBJECT IS COVERED BY THE HEAD OF THE MATCH. NOW IF YOU HAD BEEN ABLE TO PERFORM THIS EXPERIMENT AT THE TIME OF THE SIGHTING, ESTIMATE WHAT FRACTION OF THE PHENOMENON WOULD HAVE BEEN COVERED BY THE MATCH HEAD.

All of it

17. DID YOU OBSERVE THE PHENOMENON THROUGH ANY OF THE FOLLOWING? INCLUDE INFORMATION ON MODEL, TYPE, FILTER, LENS PRESCRIPTION OR OTHER APPLICABLE DATA.

X	EYEGLASSES		CAMERA VIEWER
	SUNGLASSES	X	BINOCULARS
	WINDSHIELD		TELESCOPE
	SIDE WINDOW OF VEHICLE		THEODOLITE
	WINDOWPANE		OTHER

A. DO YOU ORDINARILY WEAR GLASSES? ☒ YES ☐ NO

B. DO YOU USE READING GLASSES? ☐ YES ☒ NO

18. WHAT WAS YOUR IMPRESSION OF THE SPEED OF THE PHENOMENON? GIVE ESTIMATE OF SPEED Beyond my ability.

19. WHAT WAS YOUR IMPRESSION OF THE DISTANCE OF THE PHENOMENON? GIVE ESTIMATE OF DISTANCE 2-3 miles. straight overhead

20. IN ORDER THAT WE MAY OBTAIN AS CLEAR A PICTURE AS POSSIBLE OF WHAT YOU SAW, DESCRIBE IN YOUR OWN WORDS A COMMON OBJECT OR OBJECTS WHICH, WHEN PLACED IN THE SKY, SIMILAR TO WHERE YOU NOTED THE PHENOMENON, WOULD BEAR SOME RESEMBLANCE TO WHAT YOU SAW. DESCRIBE SIMILARITIES AND DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE COMMON OBJECT AND WHAT YOU SAW.

Just a pulsating white light

21. DID YOU NOTICE ANY ODOR, NOISE, OR HEAT EMANATING FROM THE PHENOMENON OR ANY EFFECT ON YOURSELF, ANIMALS OR MACHINERY IN THE VICINITY? ☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

A. DID THE PHENOMENON DISTURB THE GROUND OR LEAVE ANY PHYSICAL EVIDENCE. ☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," DESCRIBE.

22. HAVE YOU EVER SEEN THIS OR A SIMILAR PHENOMENON BEFORE? ☐ YES ☒ NO. IF "YES," GIVE DATE AND LOCATION.

23. WAS ANYONE WITH YOU AT THE TIME YOU SAW THE PHENOMENON? ☒ YES ☐ NO. IF "YES," DID THEY SEE IT TOO? ☒ YES ☐ NO.

A. LIST THEIR NAMES AND ADDRESSES

[redacted] th Street Port Orchard Wa.

24. GIVE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION ABOUT YOURSELF

LAST NAME, FIRST NAME, MIDDLE NAME: [redacted]

ADDRESS (Street, City, State and Zip Code) [redacted] Port Orchard, Wa. 98366

TELEPHONE (Area code and number)	AGE		MALE		FEMALE
[redacted]	16 yrs 10 mos	X			

INDICATE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION INCLUDING OCCUPATION AND ANY EXPERIENCE WHICH MAY BE PERTINENT.

I am an amateur astronomer

25. WHEN AND TO WHOM DID YOU REPORT THAT YOU HAD SIGHTED THIS PHENOMENON?

NAME Project Blue Book DAY 14 MONTH August YEAR 1968

26. DATE YOU COMPLETED THIS QUESTIONNAIRE.

DAY 24 MONTH August YEAR 1968

27. INFORMATION WHICH YOU FEEL IS PERTINENT BUT WHICH IS NOT ADEQUATELY COVERED IN THIS QUESTIONNAIRE, ALTERNATIVELY PROVIDE A NARRATIVE EXPLANATION OF THE SIGHTING.

The object appeared at the horizon (SSW) and proceeded until it disappeared above the horizon 30° (NNE). During the course of its rather rapid flight it pulsated regularly in a 1-1 sequence all that was distinguishable was that it was a rather bright white light after discovery it was kept in sight while viewing through binoculars but nonetheless faded from view rather than remain in sight right up to the horizon. I have seen jet aircraft reflect the moonlight at night and this appeared to be what it was until I used the binoculars for positive identification but was unable to accomplish that purpose.

11 Aug 68

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

REPLY TO ATTN OF: TDPT (UFO)

22 AUG 1968

SUBJECT: UFO Observation, 11 Aug 68

TO: [redacted]
Port Orchard, Washington 98336

Reference your recent unidentified flying object sighting which you reported to the Air Force. The information which we have received is not sufficient for a scientific investigation. Request you complete the attached AF Form 117 and return it in the self-addressed envelope. Thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Lt Colonel, USAF
Chief, Aerial Phenomena Office
Aerospace Technologies Division
Production Directorate

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AF Form 117 w/envelope

11 Aug 68

[redacted]
Port Orchard, Wash
98366
August 15, 1968

Project Blue Book
Wright-Patterson Air Force Base
Dayton, Ohio

Sirs;

I am writing to request one of the forms you distribute for the collecting of data on U. F. O. observations as I have observed what I believe to be the same. My knowledge is somewhat limited in the field of aerial observation as compared to that of yourselves and justifiably I can presume that you will immediately identify the object I am writing about. Just for the sake of "getting it off of my mind" temporarily:

My younger brother and I

were out looking for meteorites
as we read in the paper would
appear the night of August 11, 1968
We had gone out at about
9:00 (2100hrs) and about fifteen
minutes later we watched a satellite
travel from North to South, horizon
to horizon and it was approximately
fifteen minutes later that we watched
a pulsating bright white object rise
from the horizon in a direction
approximately WSW of us and cross
the sky through the zenith and
disappear some degrees above the
horizon as though breaking away
from the earth at NNE on the compass.
The object gave off such a bright
light that we should have been
able to see it as it disappeared
over the horizon as we had seen
it rise, which caused me to arrive
at the previous conclusion.
Shape could not be distinguished

due to its great distance from us (just as when you observe the stars with the naked eye they are usually not thought of with their actual shape, but rather are imagined as the ancients pictured them with many points radiating from a common center) and because of its very rapid pulsating. At no time was there any other color visible than a bright white and it did not have a vapor trail.

At the expense of being repetitious I will say that all this occured at 2130 hrs. with a total E.T. of 15 seconds.

Yours sincerely,

[redacted]