PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP	2. LOCATION
23 June 66 24/0140Z	Hamburg, New York 4 witnesses
3. SOURCE Civilian	**10. CONCLUSION** Aircraft (possible)
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS One	
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3-4 minutes	**11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS** Observers noted a red colored object coming from the western sky. The observers heard no sound at any time during the observation. The object appeared to turn and back up. The witnesses compared the object to an automobile tail light. The description is consistent with that of an aircraft observation.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual	
7. COURSE Northward	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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



This case contains 1,
3"x4" photo.

At three
There was a steady light
no flickering and very red.
Sincerely

Mrs. [redacted]

Telephone no.
Area Code [redacted]

P.S. We are in a Bulldog
Year Buffalo.

7 it. For several nights
afterwards I was seeing
that startling glare
coming toward me when
I tried to sleep. It was
an experience which I
hope I shall never have
again.

The only reason I
can account for it might
have been the fact our
garage flood light was
on the hall-way light
was on upstairs and that
door was open out onto the
deck; the neighbor to the
East two houses had their
flood light on facing this
way - they might have
thought it was a field

If anyone is interested
I shall very glad to talk

said "yes, we were watching it." Their son who will be a Senior in High School this year had seen it coming from the West and had called his mother & Father who had come out side and were watching it. They thought they could hear a slight hum from it

When it turned to take off the light disappeared but there was a glow from it

I wasn't going to report this as I have always laughed at the reports of these objects and didn't believe them but this was such a startling experience I don't think I shall ever stop having Chills when I think

there just staring at me.
I said Well I saw you
to me who you are and I
walked the patio door
went around the house
and at that it maneuvered
very fast backing up and
rising, turned and as
tho' shot out a gun it
disappeared to the north.
There seemed to be no noise
making me think it had
instant power. It certainly
couldn't have been too large
to have maneuvered in the
space it did.

I stood there after it
had gone, thinking no one
else but myself had seen it
but I heard someone talking
so I called as loud as I
could "Did you see that?"
our neighbors two houses over

reading about 15 minutes
heard nothing unusual
when all of sudden a
very brilliant red light
similar in color and
brilliance to an automobile
tail light about 2 to 3
feet in diameter caught
my eye, I was sitting facing
the backyard but the
side of me was to the
backyard. I dropped the
paper and screamed
"Oh my God no." It was
between the garage and
our house coming toward
the window. I stood up
and said "what are you
doing in our backyard?
At that it seemed to
pause in space and I
stood by the window too
startled to move, It stood

Send
To

[redacted]

Hamburg 21 2/
Aug 25' 66

Unidentified Flying Objects
Dayton Ohio

Dear Sirs,

I am 61 yrs old
married and living at the
above address. I am
enclosing a picture of my
backyard where the following
incident occured.

On the night of June 23'66
between 9.30 and 10 oclock I
was sitting on our enclosed
patio at the back of our house
by a reading lamp near
an open window which
is 5 ft high and about a
foot from the floor. this
window is facing the back
yard. I was reading the
newspaper and had been

Hamburg, N.Y. 23 June 66

FTD (TDETR) hl
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433
6 September 1966

[redacted]r
[redacted]
Hamburg, New York 14075

Dear [redacted]

Reference your unidentified observation of 23 June 1966. The information which we have received is not sufficient for evaluation. Request you complete the attached FTD Form 164 and return it in the envelope provided.

We wish to thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

Sincerely,

HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Major, USAF
Chief, Project Blue Book

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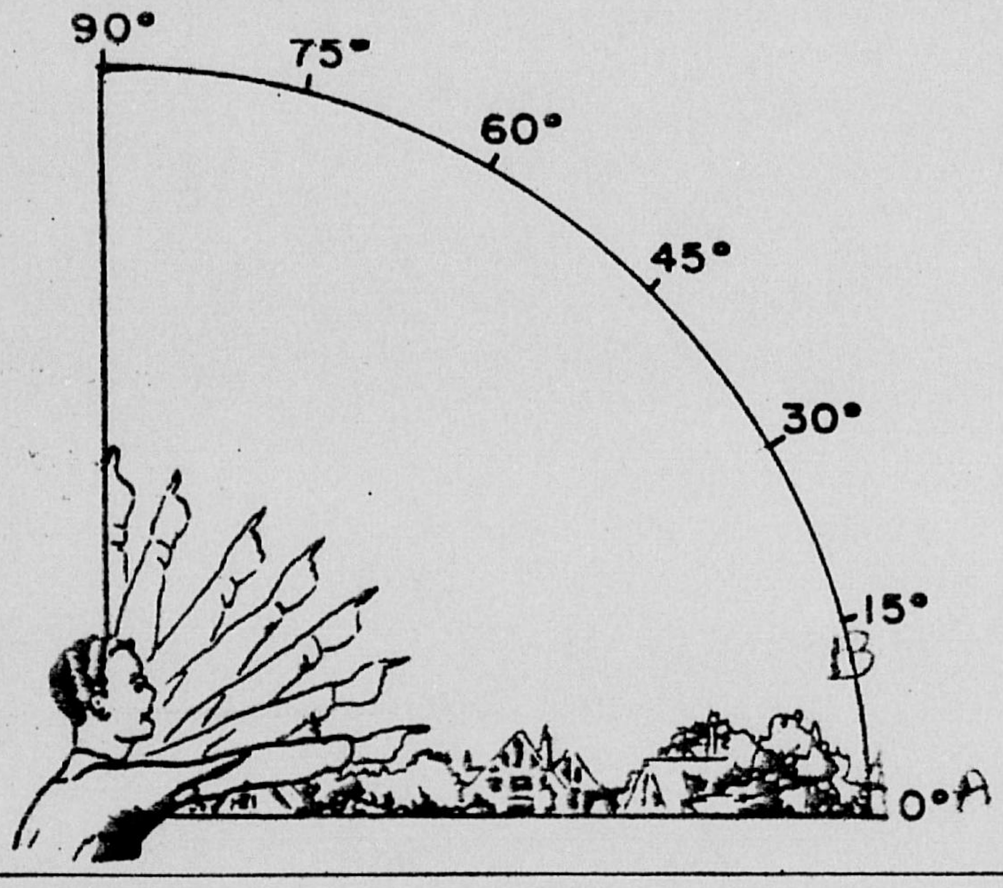
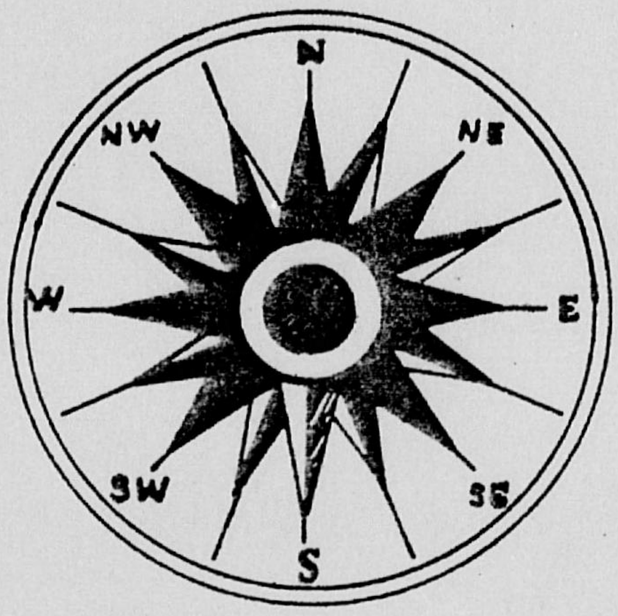
34. Date you completed this questionnaire: 1 Apr / ' / '64
Day Month Year

35. Information which you feel pertinent and which is not adequately covered in the specific points of the questionnaire or a narrative explanation of your sighting.

I was sitting in my car reading the paper and at the time I looked up the brilliant light that caught the corner of my eye that drew my attention to it. I drove carefully forward the intersection. As I approached the intersection I slowed down as the object appeared to be directly over the intersection. After I had stopped the object moved slowly to the East and out of sight.

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.

The aircraft is before I had seen the object much smaller and the object I saw about 4 times as large as the aircraft. Also it was higher in the sky.

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:

Our neighbors aircraft - Mr. and Mrs. [redacted] and [redacted]
Fairburg N.Y.

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

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

ADDRESS [redacted] (Street) Highland (City) (Zone) N.Y. (State)

TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] AGE 41 SEX Female

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

33. When and to whom did you report that you had seen the object? Told several people the next day and reported it to several people recently

Day Month Year

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? It moved very fast. Estimated at least

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? 57 ft - Measured at

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
b. Northeast
c. East
d. Southeast
e. South
f. Southwest
g. West
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 Screen on window and		

and outside

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.

An automobile tail light the size of larger than a fridge plate at least 30 or 4 ft in diameter

14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how? yes - it tracked up and raised attitude, turned and took off as tho' it had been shot out of a cannon. It had instant speed.

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:

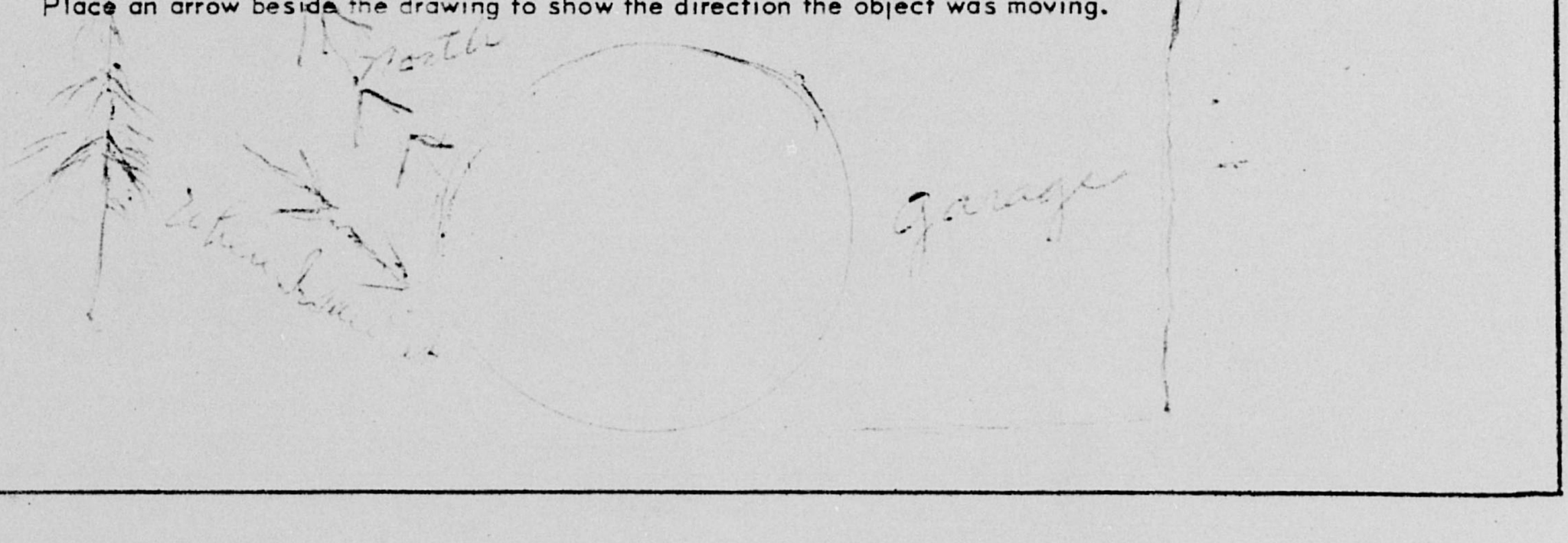
a. Sound I didn't seem to hear any sound

b. Color A very brilliant red.

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?

just a small dot ✓

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.



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

The light was solid but it seemed to turned there was a definite form of another at least I felt it

11. If it appeared as a light, was it brighter than the brightest stars? *(Circle One)*:

a. Brighter
b. Dimmer
c. About the same
d. Don't know

11.1 Compare brightness to some common object:

It was as bright as a full moon light

12. The edges of the object were:

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

e. Other Like the stars were very bright but sharp

13. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

a. Appear to stand still at any time?	Yes	No	Don't know
b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time?	Yes	No	Don't know
c. Break up into parts or explode?	Yes	No	Don't know
d. Give off smoke?	Yes	No	Don't know
e. Change brightness?	Yes	No	Don't know
f. Change shape?	Yes	No	Don't know
g. Flash or flicker?	Yes	No	Don't know
h. Disappear and reappear?	Yes	No	Don't know

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23 June 66

Hamburg, N.Y.

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?

23 June 1966
Day Month Year

2. Time of day: about 9 40
Hour Minutes

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

3. Time Zone:

(Circle One): (a.) Eastern
b. Central
c. Mountain
d. Pacific
e. Other _____

(Circle One): (a.) Daylight Saving
b. Standard

4. Where were you when you saw the object?

[redacted]
Nearest Postal Address

Hamburg
City or Town

N.Y.
State or County

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration) _____ 3 2 4 _____
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 solid w/ hi watching it

5.2 Was object in sight continuously? Yes X 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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