PROJECT 10073 RECORD

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 11 or 12 Sep 67 2330 EDT 12 or 13/0330Z	2. LOCATION NEAR LACHINE, MICHIGAN 2
3. SOURCE CIVILIAN	10. CONCLUSION INSUFFICIENT DATA FOR EVALUATION
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS ONE	COMMENTS: See reverse side of card.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 40 mins	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS The observers sighted an object that resembled a star at its farthest point but when it was overhead looked like a thick grey metallic disc shaped object with runners on the bottom.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION ground visual	
7. COURSE complex	
8. PHOTOS ☐ Yes ☒ No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE ☐ Yes ☒ No	

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

COMMENTS: There are several minor conflicts in the description. One observer said that they reflected a spot light off the object when it was directly overhead but the other said that this occurred after the object had moved to the west. The date of the observation as given in the original TWX is 11 September but both observers returned their forms stating that it was 12 September. Another point of interest is that althoughthey said it locked star-like at a distance they do not show any lights on the object when it is at close range. The observers were near Lachine which is about ten miles west of Alpena (Lachine is not listed in back index of Rand McNally Road Atlas). This would mean that the observers were quite close to the Alpena airport. (See map). The observers also stated that they called a local police station who in turn contacted a radar facility. The name of police department and radar facility were requested from the observers but have never been returned. Another point of interest is the fact that one observer is very interested in UFOs and would like to make a carreer of UFO investigation. Dr J Allen Hynek was requested to comment on this case in November 1967, he has failed to forward any additional information as of 2 September 1968. Because information was requested of the observers but they failed to respond the sighting is being carried as Insufficient Data for Evaluation.

11 or 12 Sept 67

THE FOLLOWING REPORTS WERE FORWARDED TO THE UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO ON

5 APRIL 1968

11 or 12 Sep 67	Spratt, Michigan
2 Oct 67	Cold Springs, New York
3 Oct 67	Cold Springs, New York
21 Oct 67	Blytheville AFB, Arkansas
13 Sep 67	Kittanning, Pa

Note:
The complete cases were forwarded

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11 or 12 Sep 67

Pending Dr. Hynek reply

TDET/UFO (Maj Quintanilla/70916/mhs/3 Nov 67) NOV 6 1967

UFO Observation, 11 or 12 September 1967

Mr. [redacted]
[redacted]
Detroit, Michigan 48228

1. Reference your recent observation of an unidentified flying object. Prior to reaching our final conclusion on your sighting we need to know the exact date. The initial report from the local air base indicated the sighting occurred on the night of 11 Sep; however, the questionnaire you completed indicated that the sighting occurred on 12 September. We would appreciate a note from you clarifying this discrepancy.

2. We also need additional information on your sighting.

a. We cannot find the location of your sighting on our map. Could you give us the names of neighboring towns that surround your area?

b. What police department did you contact and where are they located?

c. What radar station did the police department contact?

d. Did the object emit a series of flashes at any time?

3. Thank you for your assistance in providing additional information on your unidentified observation.

JAMES C. MANATT, Colonel, USAF
Director of Technology and Subsystems

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Possibly reply to Col Hoye

11 Sept 61

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

OCT 19 1967

REPLY TO ATTN OF: TDET/UFO

SUBJECT: UFO Observation 11 Sep 67

TO: [redacted]
[redacted], Michigan 48228

Reference your unidentified observation. The information which we have received is not sufficient for a scientific investigation. Request you complete the attached FTD Form 164 and return it in the envelope provided. Thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

JAMES C. MANATT, Colonel, USAF
Director of Technology and Subsystems

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FTD Form 164 w/envelope

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?

12	9	67
Day	Month	Year

2. Time of day: 11 (Hour) 30 (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?

LACHINE - ROUTE #1	SPRATT	MICHIGAN
Nearest Postal Address	City or Town	State or County

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration) ____ Hours 40 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 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 FTD OCT 62 164 This form supersedes FTD 164, Jul 61, which is obsolete.

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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
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:

SATALIGHT

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? - SEE REMARKS	Yes	No	Don't know
h. Disappear and reappear?	Yes	No	Don't know

14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how? NO

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

(Circle One): Yes (No) Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what it moved behind: _____

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

(Circle One): Yes (No) Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what in front of: _____

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

a. Sound NONE

b. Color SILVER

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? AT LEAST 1/5 BUT NO MORE

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.



AT THIS POINT, OBJECT WAS STANDING STILL. THIS IS ABOUT A 75° ANGLE OF IT.

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 FROM HORIZON TO HORIZAN IN ABOUT A MINUT

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? THE DISTANCE OF THE BEAM OF A 6 VOLT SEARCH LIGHT 500-1000'

22. Where were you located when you saw the object? *(Circle One):*

a. Inside a building
(b. In a car)
c. Outdoors
d. In an airplane (type)
e. At sea
f. Other _____

23. Were you (Circle One)

a. In the business section of a city?
b. In the residential section of a city?
(c. In open countryside?)
d. Near an airfield?
e. Flying over a city?
f. Flying over open country?
g. Other _____

24. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

24.1 What direction were you moving? *(Circle One)*

a. North c. East e. South g. West
b. Northeast d. Southeast f. Southwest h. Northwest

24.2 How fast were you moving? _____miles per hour.

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

(Circle One) Yes No

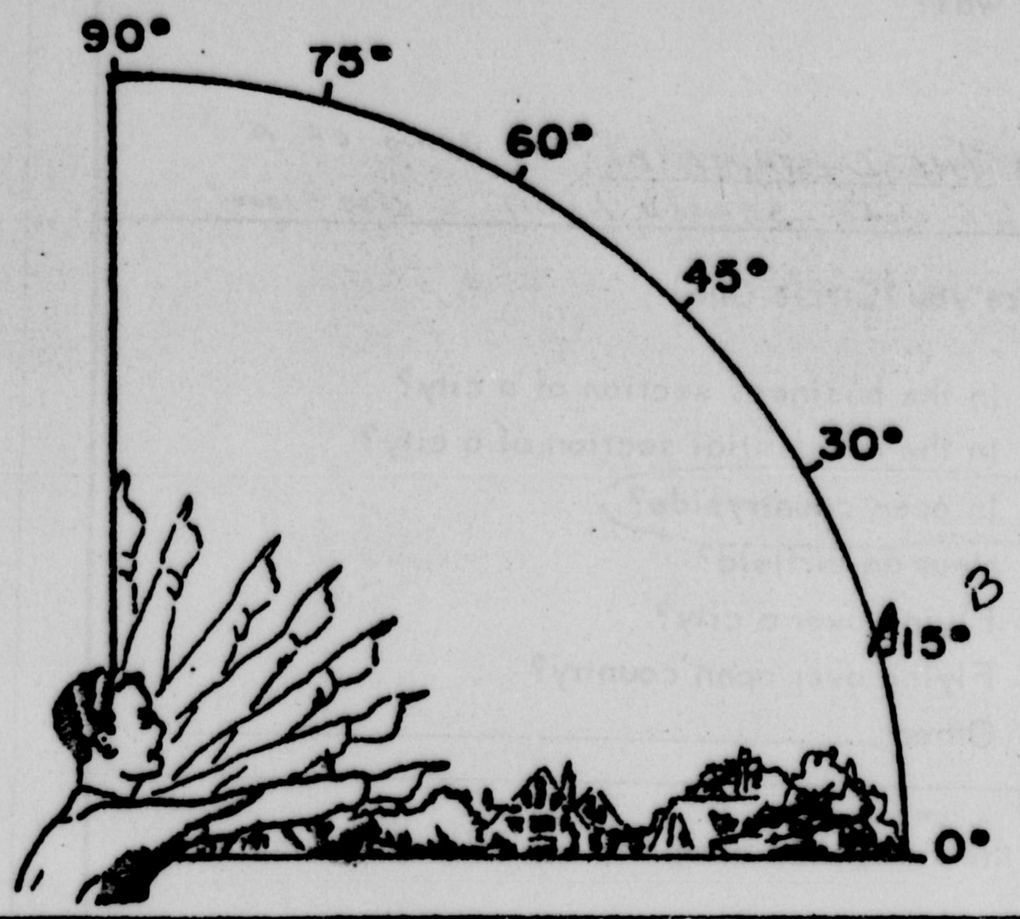
25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

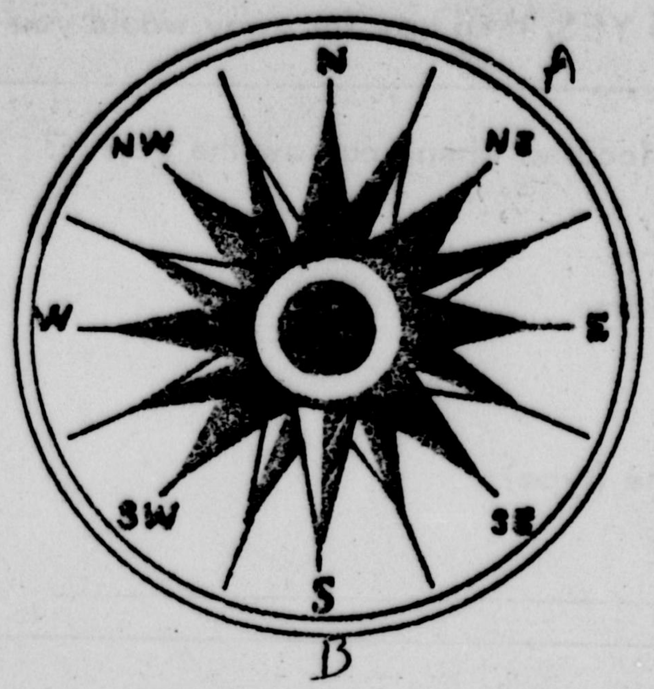
a. Eyeglasses	Yes	(No)	e. Binoculars	Yes	(No)
b. Sun glasses	Yes	(No)	f. Telescope	Yes	(No)
(c. Windshield)	(Yes)	No	g. Theodolite	Yes	(No)
d. Window glass	Yes	(No)	h. Other _____		

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

A THIN LAYER CAKE, ROUND, WITH RUNNERS

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 it.





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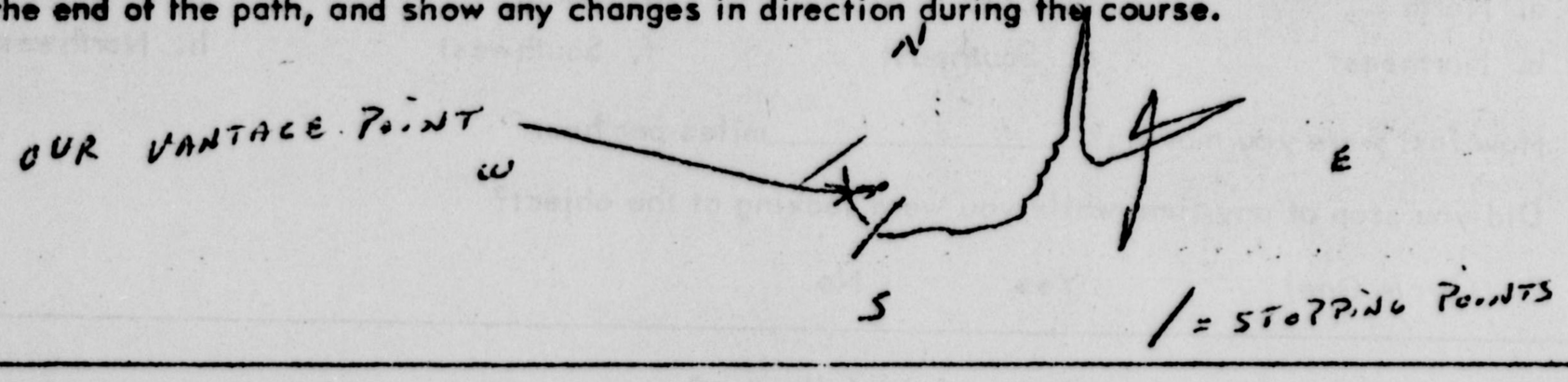

29. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? _____
Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.

30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location.

No

31. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object? *(Circle One)* (Yes) No

31.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too? *(Circle One)* (Yes) No

31.2 Please list their names and addresses:

[redacted]
DETROIT MICH

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

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

ADDRESS [redacted] (Street) DETROIT (City) 27 (Zone) MICH (State)

TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] AGE 20 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? STATE POLICE AIR FORCE, CONSERVATION PATROLMAN

13 (Day) 9 (Month) 67 (Year)

34. Date you completed this questionnaire: 24 (Day) 10 (Month) 67 (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.

(11) object first appeared as a battalight and moved with terrific speed

(13.6.) AS THE OBJECT WAS TRAVELING OVER TOWARDS US FROM THE EAST, I FLASHED MY 5 CELL FLASHLIGHT AT IT SEVERAL TIMES, WHEN IT STOPPED DIRECTLY OVER HEAD I FLASHED AN S.O.S SEVERAL TIMES JUST TO SEE WHAT WOULD HAPPEN. AT THIS POINT I HAD REALIZED THAT IT WAS NOISELESS AND I WAS VERY CURIOUS. IT SHIFTED A SLIGHT TO THE WEST, AND WAS AT ABOUT 75° ANGLE FROM US, AND STOPPED AGAIN. [TIM WEBER SHINED A 6 VOLT SEARCH LIGHT AT IT AND GOT A REFLECTION AT THIS POINT A FAINT FLORESCENT TYPE LIGHT WAS SHOT DIRECTLY ON US] WITHOUT ANY SEARCHING, AND STAYED ON FOR ABOUT 5 SECONDS. I FLASHED ANOTHER S.O.S AND A LIGHT FROM WHAT APPEARED AS THE FRONT, FLICKERED SHORT SERIES OF FLASHES. THEN THE OBJECT TOOK OFF.

(20) THE SPEED OF THIS THING WAS UNBELIEVABLE. IT WENT FROM HORIZON TO HORIZON (~~NORTH TO SOUTH~~ SOUTH TO NORTH) IN NO MORE THAN A MINUT. THIS WAS AT THE POINT WHERE IT WAS HIGH ENOUGH TO LOOK LIKE A SATTALIGHT. I WOULD ESTIMATE THE SIZE OF THE OBJECT AS ABOUT A 40 FOOT DIAMETER

(32) WE WERE WATCHING FOR BEARS IN AN OPEN DUMP WHEN WE FIRST SPOTTED THE OBJECT, AFTER THAT WE WERE ON THE ROOF OF THE TRUCK

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1. When did you see the object?

12 (Day) 9 (Month) 1967 (Year)

2. Time of day: 11 (Hour) 30 (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) SPRATT (City or Town) MICHIGAN (State or County)

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration) _____ (Hours) 45 (Minutes) _____ (Seconds)

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

5.1 How was time in sight determined? FROM TIME WE LEFT OUR CABIN TO THE TIME WE CALLED STATE POLICE

5.2 Was object in sight continuously? Yes ✓ No ____

6. What was the condition of the sky?

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

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

(Circle One):
a. In front of you
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
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

WHEN THE OBJECT WAS FARTHEST IT APPEARED TO BE LIKE A VERY BRIGHT STAR.

11.1 Compare brightness to some common object:

HOWEVER, AT ITS CLOSEST POINT, I AM POSITIVE IT WAS SOLID

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 THE OBJECT RESEMBLED A LARGE STAR AT ITS FARTHEST POINTS. HOWEVER, AT ITS CLOSEST POINT THE OUTLINE WAS DISTINCTLY OUTLINED.

13. Did the object: *(Circle One for each question)*

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

14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how? NO

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

(Circle One): Yes (No) Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what it moved behind: _____

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

(Circle One): (Yes) No Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what in front of: WHEN THE OBJECT STOPPED AT ITS CLOSEST POINT, IT WAS BLOCKING FROM VIEW THE STARS BEHIND IT.

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

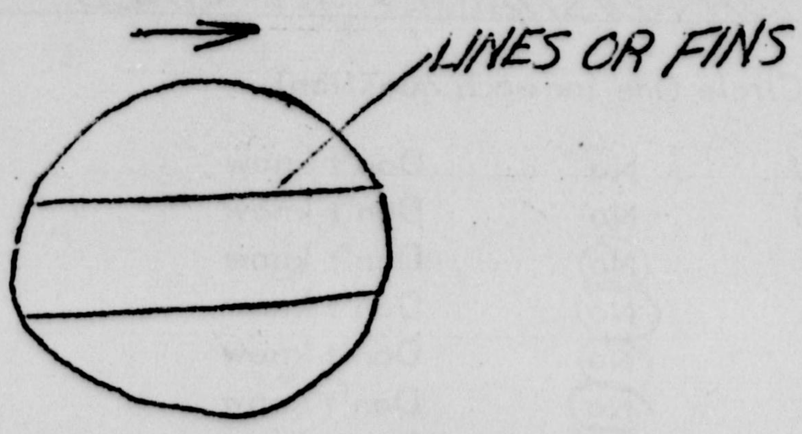
a. Sound NONE

b. Color OFF GRAY METALLIC 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?

ONLY A SMALL PORTION of THE OBJECT WOULD HAVE BEEN COVERED.

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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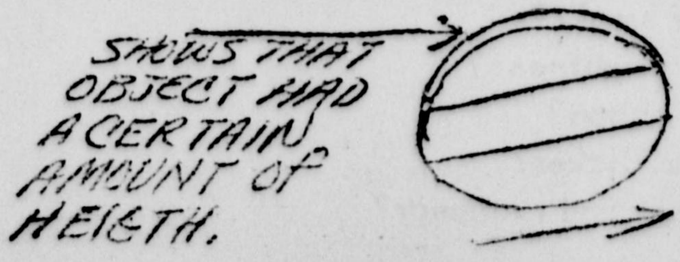


20. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One) Yes (No)

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? HOWEVER, I (WE) FIGURED IT TRAVELED FROM HORIZON TO HORIZON IN LESS THAN 1 MIN.

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? 700 - 1000 FT. AT ITS CLOSEST POINT.

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

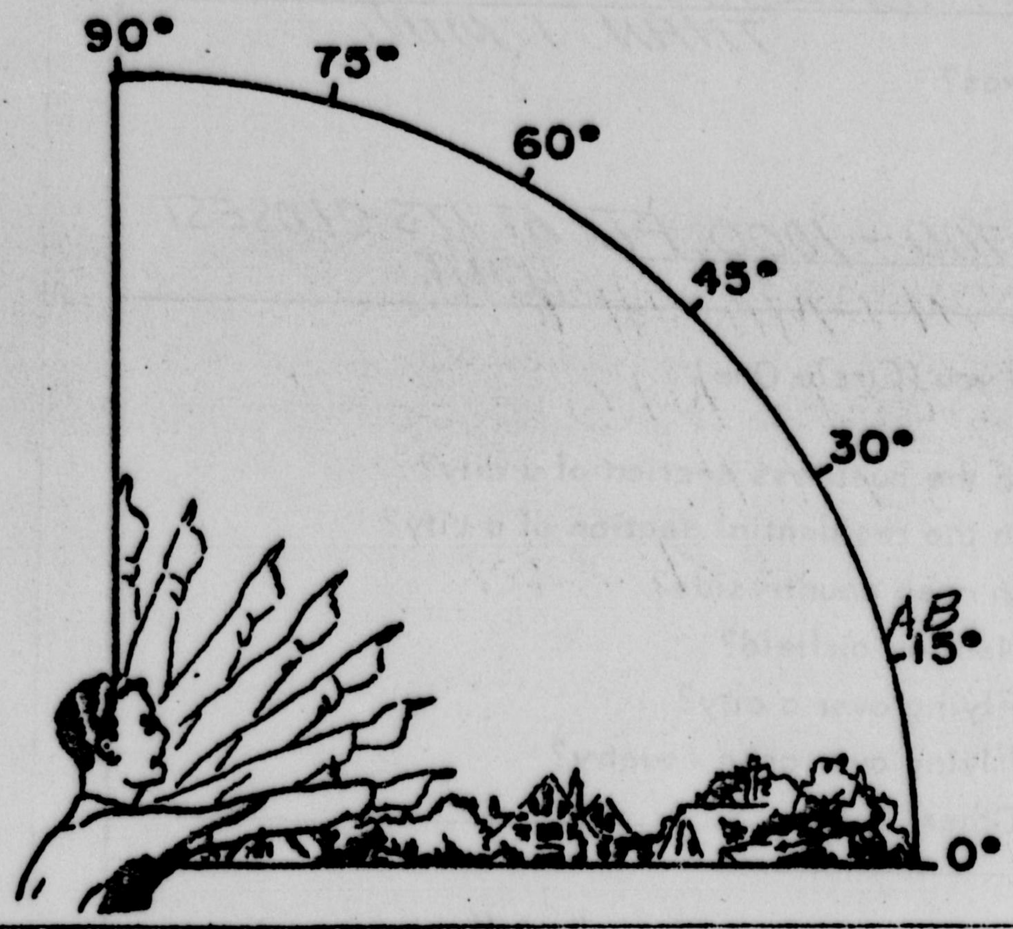
25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

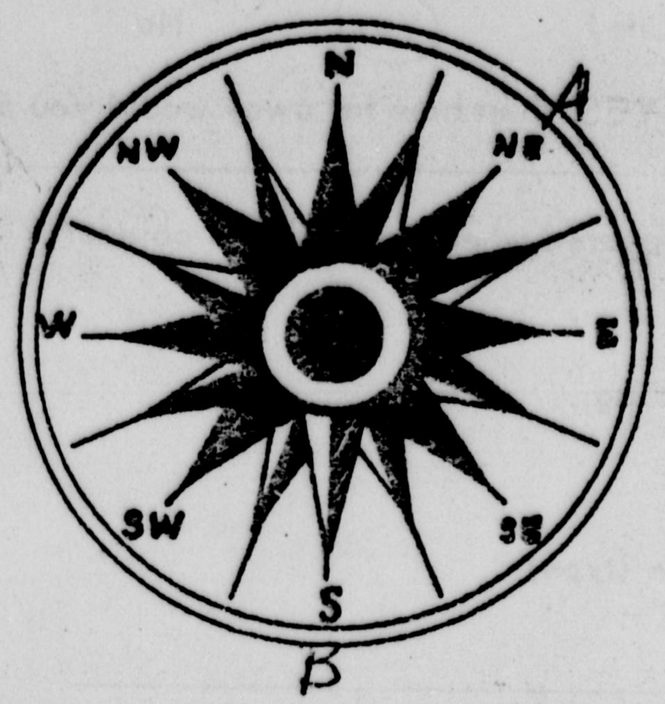
a. Eyeglasses	Yes	No	e. Binoculars	Yes	No
b. Sun glasses	Yes	No	f. Telescope	Yes	No
(c.) Windshield	Yes	No	g. Theodolite	Yes	No
d. Window glass	Yes	No	h. Other _____		

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.

AT A NEAR PERPINICULAR ANGLE, THE OBJECT APPEARED TO HAVE THE SHAPE OF A THICK ROUND ASHTRAY WITH ROUNDED EDGES. IT ALSO HAD TWO RUNNERS OR LINES ON THE BOTTOM.

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.





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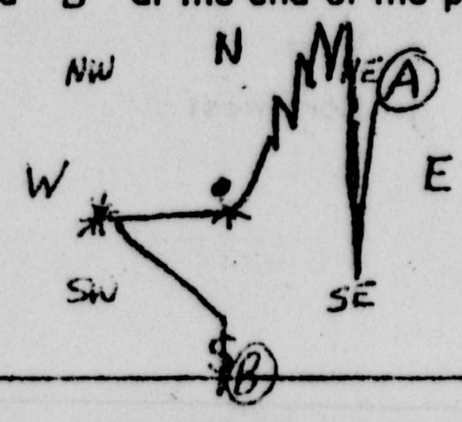

OUR LOCATION IS IN THE MIDDLE OF THE COMPASS

* = STOP

29. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? _____
Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.

30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location.

NO

31. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object? *(Circle One)* (Yes) No

31.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too? *(Circle One)* (Yes) No

31.2 Please list their names and addresses:

[redacted]
[redacted]
DETROIT, MICH.
48227

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

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

ADDRESS [redacted] (Street) DETROIT (City) 23 (Zone) MICHIGAN (State)

TELEPHONE NUMBER [redacted] AGE 21 SEX MALE

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

I AM MARRIED WITH ONE CHILD.
I ATTENDED COLLEGE FOR 2 YRS. 1964-66
I AM IN INDUSTRIAL SALES WITH THE
GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY.
FINALLY, I AM SINCERELY INTERESTED
IN THE FIELD of UNIDENTIFIED AERIAL
PHENOMENOM.

33. When and to whom did you report that you had seen the object?

13 (Day) 9 (Month) 67 (Year)

34. Date you completed this questionnaire: 24 Day 10 Month 67 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.

IN REFERENCE TO SPECIFIC QUESTIONS ON THIS FORM:

(10) AT ITS FARTHEST POINT, THE OBJECT LOOKED LIKE VERY MUCH LIKE A BRIGHT STAR. BUT, AT ITS CLOSEST POINT, THE OBJECT WAS DEFINITELY A SOLID METALLIC MASS.

(13) FLASH OR FLICKER? (G) AFTER WE HAD HIT THE OBJECT WITH OUR LIGHTS (6 VOLT SPOT), IT TOOK off DUE WEST FROM US. THE OBJECT SEEMED TO STAY AT ABOUT THE SAME ALTITUDE UNTIL IT WAS APPROXIMATELY A MILE OR SO FROM US. THE OBJECT THEN APPEARED TO STOP COMPLETELY. (WE HAD ALL OF OUR LIGHTS OFF.) SUDDENLY WE WERE IN A DIRECT BEAM OF LIGHT COMING FROM THE OBJECT. THIS LIGHT WAS NOT BRIGHT BUT MORE LIKE A SOFT FLOURESCENT TYPE OF LIGHT. HOWEVER, THE LIGHT WAS A STRAIGHT AND STEADY BEAM WHICH FOUND US WITHOUT SCANNING OR SEARCHING THE GROUND. THEY TRUCK ON WHICH WE WERE STANDING WAS A DARK, ALMOST BLACK BLUE, BUT IN THIS LIGHT, APPEARED TO BE POWDER BLUE. Say nothing of series of flashes from front.

(14) ALTHOUGH THE LOCATION OF THE OBJECT WAS ALWAYS KNOWN BY US, THE LIGHT FROM THE OBJECT DID GO OFF FOR A FRACTION OF A SECOND SEVERAL TIMES.

(18) AT ITS FARTHEST POINT, A MATCH HEAD WOULD HAVE COVERED THE COMPLETE OBJECT. HOWEVER, AT ITS CLOSEST POINT, A MATCH HEAD WOULD ONLY COVER A VERY MINUTE PORTION.

(19) DURING THE TIME WE WERE WATCHING THE OBJECT, WE NEVER SAW ANY SIGN OF VAPOR TRAILS. HOWEVER, AFTER THE OBJECT STOPPED RIGHT ABOVE US, I THOUGHT I HEARD A SLIGHT HUM, BUT I AM NOT POSITIVE IF IT WAS COMING FROM THE OBJECT

(21) AT ITS FARTHEST POINT, I WOULD ESTIMATE THAT IT WAS 10 OR 15 MILES EAST OF US.

GELD marked states that they RELFected 6 volt beam off object at its point.

OVER

(226) WE WERE SITTING IN A PICK-UP TRUCK FACING EAST. WHEN I FIRST POINTED IT OUT TO MIKE, WE WERE VIEWING IT THROUGH THE WINDSHIELD. WE THE GOT OUT AND WATCHED THE OBJECT FROM THE ROOF.

(272) WHEN WE FIRST SAW THE OBJECT IT WAS ABOUT 15 DEGREES OVER THE EASTERN HORIZON. HOWEVER, WHEN IT STOPPED OVER US, IT WAS AT APPROXIMATELY 85°. WHEN IT WENT OUT OF SIGHT IT DISAPPEARED FROM SIGHT INTO THE SOUTHERN HORIZON. WHEN WE WERE TALKING TO THE STATE POLICE ON THE PHONE, THE OBJECT REAPPEARED COMING FROM THE SOUTH. IT CAME INTO SIGHT AT ABOUT 10° & CAME AS CLOSE AS ABOUT 45° BUT VERY HIGH THIS TIME. WE FLASHED OUR LIGHTS HOPING TO ATTRACT IT, BUT THATS AS CLOSE AS IT CAME. WHEN WE SAW IT WHILE TALKING TO THE POLICE, THEY CALLED RADAR BUT SHOWED NO SIGN OF ANYTHING. IT THEN DISAPPEARED FOR GOOD INTO THE S.E. HORIZON ABOUT 5 MINUTES BEFORE THE CONSERVATION OFFICER REACHED US.

— WHENEVER WE SIGNALED THE OBJECT, WE SENT UP S.O.S. SIGNALS — FIGURING THAT IF IT WAS AIR FORCE OR PRIVATE VEHICLE, THE S.O.S SIGNAL WOULD BE REPORTED. BUT THERE WAS NO REPORT OF S.O.S. COMING FROM THE GROUND.

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2 DEAR SIRS,

I AM PERSONALLY, VERY INTERESTED IN THE STUDY OF AERIAL PHENOMENON. I WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INFORMATION YOU COULD SUPPLY, WHICH WOULD HELP ME PURSUE A CAREER IN THIS FIELD. I WOULD LIKE TO KNOW IF A COLLEGE DEGREE IS REQUIRED (IF SO, IN WHAT SUBJECTS) OR IF THE U.S.A.F. HAS ITS OWN TRAINING PROCEDURES IN THIS FIELD. ANY HELP WOULD BE SINCERELY APPRECIATED.

THANK YOU

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P.S. ANY FINDINGS FROM YOUR INVESTIGATION WOULD ALSO BE APPRECIATED IF POSSIBLE TO SUPPLY.

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UNCLAS E F T O 445-1-CCR 60315 SEP 67. AFRDC, SAF-OI. SUBJECT.

UFO SIGHTING.

A. DESCRIPTIONRM

1. SHAPE - ROUND

2. SIZE - BIGGER THAN A HOUSE

3. COLOR - WHITE/CREME

4. NO. OF OBJECTS - ONE

5. FORMATION - N/A

6. FEATURES OF ABJECT - TWO FINS ON UDERSIDE

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B. SOUND - NONE

9. ANY OTHER FEATURES - NONE

B. DESCRIPTION OF COURSE

1. WHAT CALLED ATTENTION TO OBJECT - THE MOVEMENT IN THE CLEAR KY.

2. ANGLE OF ELEVATION AND WHERE FIRST SIGHTED - HIGH IN THE NORTHEAST SKY TRAVELING FROM NORTH TO SOUTH, AT A HIGH RATE OF SPEED.

3. ANGLE OF ELEVATION AND WHERE LAST SIGHTED - HIGH IN THE SKY TRAVELING IN A SOUTHERNLY DIRECTION.

4. DESCRIPTION OF FLIGHT PATH - NORTH TO SOUTH, THEN REVERSED SOUTH TO NORTH, THEN A SIM-CIRCLE WESTERLY, THE NORTH, THEN WEST SOUTH WEST, UNTIL IT STOPPED DIRECTLY OVERHEAD, THEN WEST, THEN SOUTH EAST, SECOND SIGHTING. SOUTH TO NORTH, THEN REVERSED NORTH TO SOUTH AND DISAPPEARED IN THE HORIZON.

5. HOW DID OBJECT DISAPPEAR - IN THE HORIZON.

6. OBJECT OBSERVED - OBSERVERS COULD NOT GIVE DISTANCE

C. MANNER OF OBSERVATION.

1. HOW SIGHTED - VISUAL

2. N/A

D. TIME OF SIGHTING - 2345 LOCAL, 0345ZULU 11 SEP 67

LIGHT CODITIONS - CLEAR STARRY NIGHT, NO CLOUDS IN SIGHT.

E. LOCATION OF OBSERVERS - WERTH ROAD DUMP, APPROX 2 MILES EAST OF MICHIGAN HIGHWAY M-65.

F. IDENTITY OF OBSERVERS.

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G. WEATHER AND WINDS.

1. OBSERVERS ACCOUNT - CLEAR, STARRY, MOON LOW IN THE SOUTHWEST.

2. OFFICIAL WEATHER - CLEAR, 15 PLUS, TEMP 44, WINDS CALM,
ALTIMETER 3033.

3. CEILING CLEAR

4. FISABILITY - 15 PLUS

5. AMOUNT OF CLOUD COVER 7 NONE IN SIGHT

6. NO THUNDERSTORMS IN THE AREA

7. VERTICAL TEMP RADIENT - NONE AVAILABLE AT THIS STATION

H. ANY OTHER UNUSUAL ACTIVITY OR CONDITIONS

1. OBJECT MADE A COMPLETE REVERSE OF COURSE WITHOUT CIRCLING

2. STOPPED OVERHEAD

3. LIGHT FROM OBJECT WAS SHOWN ON MEN

4. MEN BLINKED THEIR FLASHLIGHTS ONTO THE OBJECT AND A

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DIFFERENT LIGHT ON THE CRAFT BLINKED.

I. IDENTIFICATION ACTION TAKEN - AS DESCRIBED IN H 4.

J. LOCATION - APPROX ALTITUDE - UNKNOWN.
DIRECTION OF FIG T - AS STATED IN B 4. ABOVE.

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10 Sep 67

THE FOLLOWING UFO REPORT FROM 445FIS PHELPS COLLINS AIRPORT, MICHIGAN

WAS FORWARDED TO THE UNIVERSITY OF COLORADO ON 14 SEPTEMBER 1967

10 September 1967 Detroit, Michigan

MEMO FOR THE RECORD

18 Sept. 1967

Talked to Maj. Moler Phelps Collins Airport (551-3744). He says that Sgt. Deigle at Phelps Collins prepared the report . He (Sgt Deigle) has no autovon no but could be reached by commercial no. 356-2141 ex. 273 . No identification action was taken by Phelps Collins because they are not tasked to do it. They passed the info. on to the 34th Air Division at Custer AF station who he says are responcible for findin, if any aircraft etc. were in the area at the time of the sighting.

18 Sept. 1967

Called Custer AF Station (551-3360) and talked to Lt. Doney who is the UFO officer at Custer. He doesn't know anything about the sighting but prommised to find out exactly what goes.

21 Sept. 1967
Lt. Doney Called. He found his copy of the report and is going to investigate sighting. Will call us on his findings.