

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 23 Apr 62	2. LOCATION Lincoln Park, Mich		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 2015-2130 GMT 24/0115-24/0230	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar		<input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft
5. PHOTOS <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Civilian		<input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 1 hr 15 min	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 1	9. COURSE Toward horizon	<input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Very bright objt was observed in western sky that moved very slowly toward horizon. Objt was described as appearing like a light. Objt was in sight for 1 hr 14min. Witness reported objt appeared to flash just before it disappeared.		11. COMMENTS Planet Venus ♀ was probable cause of sighting. Planet set at this location at 2130 and was bright enough to attract attention, magnitude -3.3. Flashing just as planet set & was probably due to atmospheric refraction and inconsistencies in air mass.	

34. 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

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

23 4 62  
 Day Month Year

W P & P B POST CARD ONE.  
 ALSO LETTER 2ND.  
 3 TAPE NOISE.


36. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object?

(Circle One)  Yes No

36.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too?

(Circle One)  Yes No

36.2 Please list their names and addresses:

MRS. 

37. Was this the first time that you had seen an object or objects like this?

(Circle One) Yes  No

37.1 IF you answered NO, then when, where, and under what circumstances did you see other ones?

HAVE OBSERVED SINCE WW2-  
3 TIME SAME SECTION ALSO ANN ARBOR.  
ALSO THAT RAPID CITY STRUCK ONE HOUR LATER  
DECORATION DAY 1954 OR DAY

38. In your opinion what do you think the object was and what might have caused it?

1959.  
FLYING SAUCER FROM ANOTHER PLANET  
OR FROM THE HOLY BIBLE SENT TO WATCH  
EARTH.

39. 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? 1,700 mph.

40. 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? 500 miles distant.

41. Please give the following information about yourself:

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

ADDRESS [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED] MICH.  
Street City Zone State

TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED]

Age 32 Sex MAL.

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

I. C. S. PRACTICAL ELECTRICAL EA9 555795  
 U. S. A. F 2750 MEDICAL (51) 1600 AIR 50  
 I. A. S. CHICAGO 6557-X  
 HIT

42. Date you completed this questionnaire:

10 5 62  
Day Month Year

U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION SHEET  
(SUMMARY DATA)

In order that your information may be filed and coded as accurately as possible, please use the following space to write out a short description of the event that you observed. You may repeat information that you have already given in the questionnaire, and add any further comments, statements, or sketches that you believe are important. Try to present the details of the observation in the order in which they occurred. Additional pages of the same size paper may be attached if they are needed.

NAME

(Please Print)

(Do Not Write in This Space)

CODE:

SIGNATURE

DATE

May 10 1962

a very bright light in the evening sky.  
at least 5 times brighter than stars.  
also gave out sharp jets of light  
stayed in a true parabolic path  
at  
then went straight out  
and was lost to view in  
15 min.  
see attached.

Regards.

[REDACTED]

(65)

Flying saucer Div.

From where i stood looking out along side detroit Edison Post 40-3  
placing both my feet on a yardstick came out 22- $\frac{1}{2}$  inches. per set.  
i counted 104 sets. 104X 22 $\frac{1}{2}$  = 64 yards & 5/18 of a yard.  
noting that the post was 40 foot high and i stand 5.9 plus  
the light was at first even with the post and then slowly went straight out  
and within 20 min. had completely faded from the sky.

in using a matchstick bottom, i had it completely covered on another  
night send letter first was post card.

it still shot out beams of light.

This i called to my Mothers attention, she noticed it also. said it looked  
like a light bulb, but gave out streaks of light.

may 14-62

Lt. Col. Friend

UFG.

Same results in sky tonight same location [redacted]  
but around 9 PM. also noticed by a neighbor and another.  
3 of us.

Took 9 shots of it with total 35 mill. inf. 25- normal  
noticed same waves from it. it got brighter at times also  
went dinner- and wawie. also got a big bright flash and then  
very dim.

i could say it acted once like it was switched from a 100 watt  
bulb to a 10 watt.

this noticed around 9 pm till- 9.07 flipped.

will check now at 9.15 pm

getting lower, cant see from two houses away, cause of roof tops  
but note, when first saw was away above those house tops.  
no change in color.

disappeared from sight at 9.33 PM east.

a neighbor miss, said it blinked and then was gone.

had been getting lower and lower in sky. my last shot of eve.  
was of another fixed star like object with part of tree leaves in  
shot this is not as bright as the other one. shot 8.  
from shot nine left to 20 i took of other bright unit.

Sincerely

[redacted]  
[redacted]  
Lincoln Park Michigan.

send a few for my next door neighbor. [redacted]  
[redacted]

It.Col. Friend.

[REDACTED]

Dear Sir.

Lincoln Park Mich.

[REDACTED]

saw the object last night coming in from 270 degree at dusk, and when it hit the telephone poles, again [REDACTED] went out again. straight down along the pole line, same as before.

tonight a Neighbor boy and i after 9-15 PM noticed it shoot out side flips, and they seemed to shoot it over to the left straight then in a few min. flashed again and shot it back on course. getting dinner going out and down.

i finished up my roll of film. then i do have a picture 2 of neighbor kids. rest are all on object.

undeveloped film. so here it is.

sincerely

[REDACTED]

KODAK K 135 COLOR - 18 SHOTS.  
F 4.5

INF. 30MB B 25 - B 50  
7 - - end standards  
50

Ford Motor Company

EMPLOYEE SUGGESTION  
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Nº B 635600

Complete all spaces below and sign form. Also see reverse side.

		CASE NO.		CODE NO.	
SUBJECT OF SUGGESTION	NAME OF JOB				DATE
	PLANT OR BUILDING		DEPARTMENT		BAY
PERSONAL INFORMATION	BADGE NO.	DEPARTMENT	PLANT	SHIFT	NAME OF YOUR SUPERVISOR
	YOUR NAME		YOUR ADDRESS (No., Street, City, Zone, State)		

PRESENT CONDITIONS

*Need more Ford  
Please W.F.O.*



I SUGGEST

ADVANTAGES

The foregoing suggestion is submitted under the Employee Suggestion Plan of Ford Motor Company with which I am familiar. In consideration of my participation in this Plan, the compensation paid to me as an employee and the facilities and data made available to me by Ford Motor Company, I hereby recognize as the exclusive property of, and assign, transfer and convey to Ford Motor Company any and all rights I may have to the whole or any part of this suggestion, including patent rights, if any, and I will execute any and all conveyances, assignments or other papers relating thereto which the Company may request. I agree that any decision made by the Company regarding eligibility, adoption, rejection or award with reference to my suggestion shall be final and binding, and that the Company shall have the right to withdraw or change the plan at any time.

EMPLOYEE'S SIGNATURE



*Att # 113*



HEADQUARTERS  
FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIVISION  
AIR FORCE SYSTEMS COMMAND  
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE  
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE, OHIO



REPLY TO  
ATTN OF: TD-E/Lt Col Friend/vw/69216  
SUBJECT: Request for Photo Analysis

25 June 1962



TO: TD-D4a

1. It is requested that an analysis be made of the attached photographic prints and negatives to determine the nature of the images.
2. It is requested that the negative and prints be forwarded to TD-E upon completion of the analysis in order that they may be returned to the witness.

*Robert J. Friend HCF*

*js*  
EDWARD H. WINN  
Colonel, USAF  
Deputy for Science  
and Components

2 Atchs

1. 3 ltrs 
2. negatives 

Ltr, TD-E, dated 25 June 1962, Request for Photo Analysis

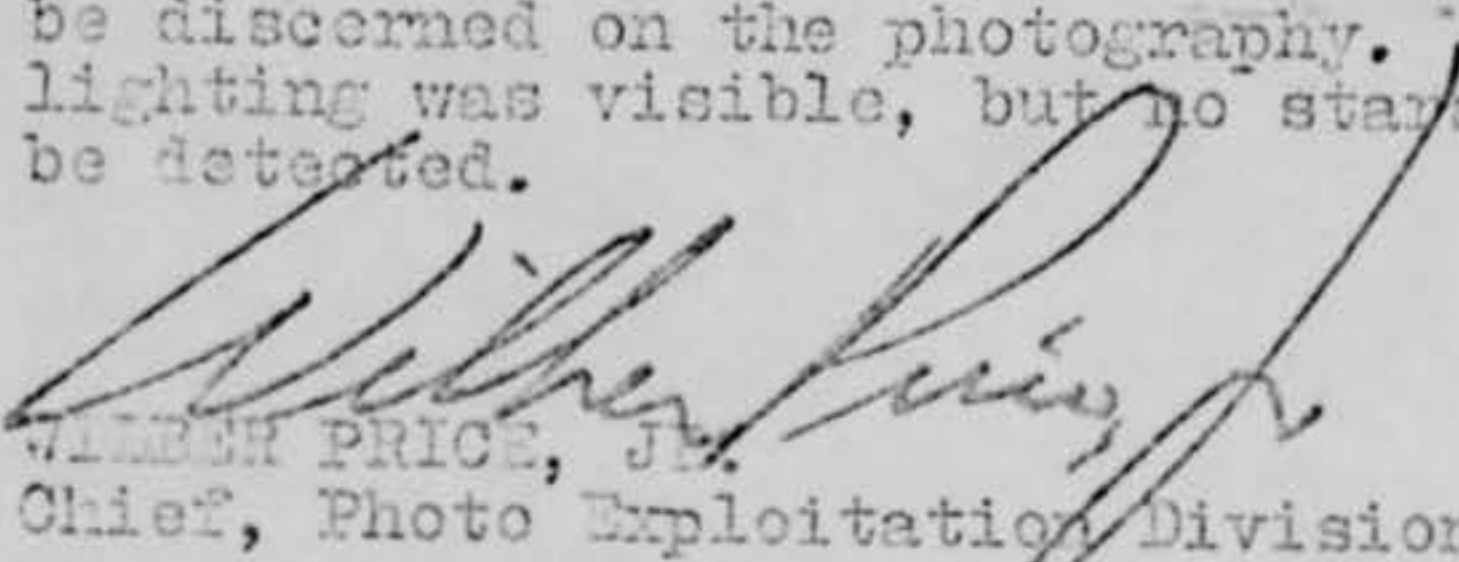
1st Ind (TD-D4a/Mr. B. E. Hultz/74136)

3 July 62

TO: TD-E

1. The attached color transparencies were examined by two Photo-Analysts of the Photo-Analysis Branch.

2. Nothing resembling Mr. [REDACTED] description could be discerned on the photography. Normal advertising display lighting was visible, but no stars or starlike objects could be detected.

  
WILBER PRICE, JR.  
Chief, Photo Exploitation Division

2 Atch n/c

LINCOLN PARK, MI 23 Apr 62

Case includes one (1) STRIP  
OF FILM

[REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Michigan.

April 23 1962 8.30 PM

URG

Wright Fields.

Any Radar sighting of an u f o- on April 23 1962 8.15-30 PM  
noticed one west North West of Lincoln Park Michigan.

Checked with botton of standard kitchen match, It showed Flares of Light  
of standard electric light light.

seemed standard type as that of sighting of oct 1960

Keep moving in a certain V type of triagle also steady light .

In short as as electric light setting unshaded on a table.

some what low in sky. i checked against building by standing  
and it was lower than the electric light utility pole 40 Ft high  
in next alley from home less than 200 ft away in 5.9 on drivers lic.

sorry no film i had shot my film up and took to shop tonight.

but this is last time i shall shoot all film without another roll in home.

Sincerely [REDACTED]

Gosh in a way i Miss [REDACTED] ( Non Smoker also)

Id like to take a flying saucer ride, smoother than any auto i bet  
also mentioned in Holy Bible.

TD-3/Lt Col Friend

UFO Sighting

9 MAY 1962

Mr. [REDACTED]  
[REDACTED] Michigan

Dear Mr. [REDACTED]

Reference is made to your recent letter concerning the sighting of an unidentified flying object. The information contained in your letter is the only indication the Air Force has regarding a sighting in Michigan on this date.

However, since there is insufficient data contained in your letter to warrant a valid conclusion, request you fill out and return the attached questionnaire in the self-addressed envelope.

Sincerely

EDWARD H. WYNN  
Colonel, USAF  
Deputy for Science  
and Components

2 Atchs  
1. FTD Form 164.  
2. Self-addressed envelope.

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**U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION SHEET**

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, and will be regarded as confidential material. 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.

<p>1. When did you see the object?</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <u>23</u> Day      <u>4</u> Month      <u>62</u> Year         </p>	<p>2. Time of day: <u>8</u> Hour      <u>15</u> Minutes</p> <p>(Circle One):      A.M.      or      <input checked="" type="radio"/> P.M.</p>
<p>3. Time Zone: (Circle One) <input checked="" type="radio"/> a. Eastern</p> <p style="padding-left: 150px;"> <input type="radio"/> b. Central  <input type="radio"/> c. Mountain  <input type="radio"/> d. Pacific  <input type="radio"/> e. Other _____         </p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Circle One):      a. Daylight Saving  <input checked="" type="radio"/> b. Standard</p>	
<p>4. Where were you when you saw the object?</p> <p> <span style="background-color: black; color: black;">[REDACTED]</span>      <span style="background-color: black; color: black;">[REDACTED]</span>      <u>MICH.</u>  <small>Nearest Postal Address      City or Town      State or Country</small> </p> <p>Additional remarks: <u>SAW SAME ACTIONS - 2 TIMES. VERY BRIGHT.</u></p>	
<p>5. How long was object in sight?      _____ Hours      <u>15</u> Minutes      _____ Seconds</p> <p>5.1 How was time in sight determined?      <u>CLOCKED 9:15-30 PM.</u></p> <p> <input checked="" type="radio"/> a. Certain      <input type="radio"/> c. Not very sure  <input type="radio"/> b. Fairly certain      <input type="radio"/> d. Just a guess         </p>	
<p>6. What was the condition of the sky?</p> <p style="text-align: center;"> <span style="margin-right: 200px;">DAY</span> <span>NIGHT</span> </p> <p style="padding-left: 50px;"> <input type="radio"/> a. Bright      <input checked="" type="radio"/> a. Bright - <u>ONE OF STARS.</u>  <input type="radio"/> b. Cloudy      <input type="radio"/> b. Cloudy      <u>LIGHT WAS BRIGHT</u> </p>	
<p>7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Circle One):      a. In front of you      d. To your left</p> <p style="padding-left: 50px;"> <input type="radio"/> b. In back of you      e. Overhead  <input type="radio"/> c. To your right      f. Don't remember         </p>	

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. The object appeared:

(Circle One):  a. As a light  b. Shiny c. Dark d. Don't remember

10. If it appeared as a light, was it brighter than the brightest stars?

YES

11. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

- |   |                                      |                                     |            |
|---|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|------------|
| a. Appear to stand still at any time?           | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | No                                  | Don't Know |
| b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time? | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | No                                  | Don't Know |
| c. Break up into parts or explode?              | Yes                                  | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | Don't Know |
| d. Give off smoke?                              | Yes                                  | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | Don't Know |
| e. Change brightness?                           | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | No                                  | Don't Know |
| f. Change shape?                                | Yes                                  | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | Don't Know |
| g. Flash or flicker?                            | <input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes | No                                  | Don't Know |
| h. Disappear and reappear?                      | Yes                                  | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | Don't Know |

12. 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: \_\_\_\_\_

13. 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: EDISON POST 40 FT TALL THEN WENT STRAIGHT OUT AWAY + LOST TO VIEW

14. Did the object appear: (Circle One): a. Solid b. Transparent c. Vapor d. Don't Know

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

- |                 |                                      |    |               |                       |    |
|-----------------|--------------------------------------|----|---------------|-----------------------|----|
| a. Eyeglasses   | <input checked="" type="radio"/> 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      | <u>CAMERA AND VU.</u> |    |

16. Tell in a few words the following things about the object.

a. Sound NONE.

b. Color ELECTRIC LIGHT LIGHT + BLUE SPARKLE BRIGHTER THAN ANY STAR IN SKY ALSO SHARP LIGHT STABS FROM.

17. 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.



18. 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 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

19. 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.

ONE EACH OF THREE CERTAIN NIGHTS  
 ALL IN SAME SECTION OF SKY.  
 ALL DOING SAME TRIANGLE MOVES  
 THEN SAME DISAPPEARANCE (OR)  
 GOING AWAY TIL LOST FROM VIEW.



20. 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.



21. How large did the object appear to you as compared to an object with which you are familiar?

HOLD MATCH STICK OUT LIGHT STREAKS SHOW

22. 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?

ALL EXCEPT LIGHT STREAKS FROM OBJECT.

23. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how?

STRAIGHT OUT INTO SPACE DROP.

24. 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.

NONE TO MY KNOWLEDGE.

OF ANY KNOWN EARTH PRODUCT GIVES  
SAME RESULT.

25. 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 \_\_\_\_\_

26. 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 \_\_\_\_\_

27. What were you doing at the time you saw the object, and how did you happen to notice it?

OBSERVATION OF SKY IN EVENING

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

28.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

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

28.2 How fast were you moving? \_\_\_\_\_ miles per hour.

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

(Circle One) Yes No

29. 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 | <input checked="" type="radio"/> h. Northwest |
|              |              |              | i. Overhead                                   |

30. 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 | <input checked="" type="radio"/> h. Northwest |
|              |              |              | i. Overhead                                   |

31. If you are familiar with bearing terms (angular direction), try to estimate the number of degrees the object was from true North (thru east) and also the number of degrees it was upward from the horizon (elevation).

31.1 When it first appeared:

- a. From true North 290 degrees.  
b. From horizon \_\_\_\_\_ degrees.

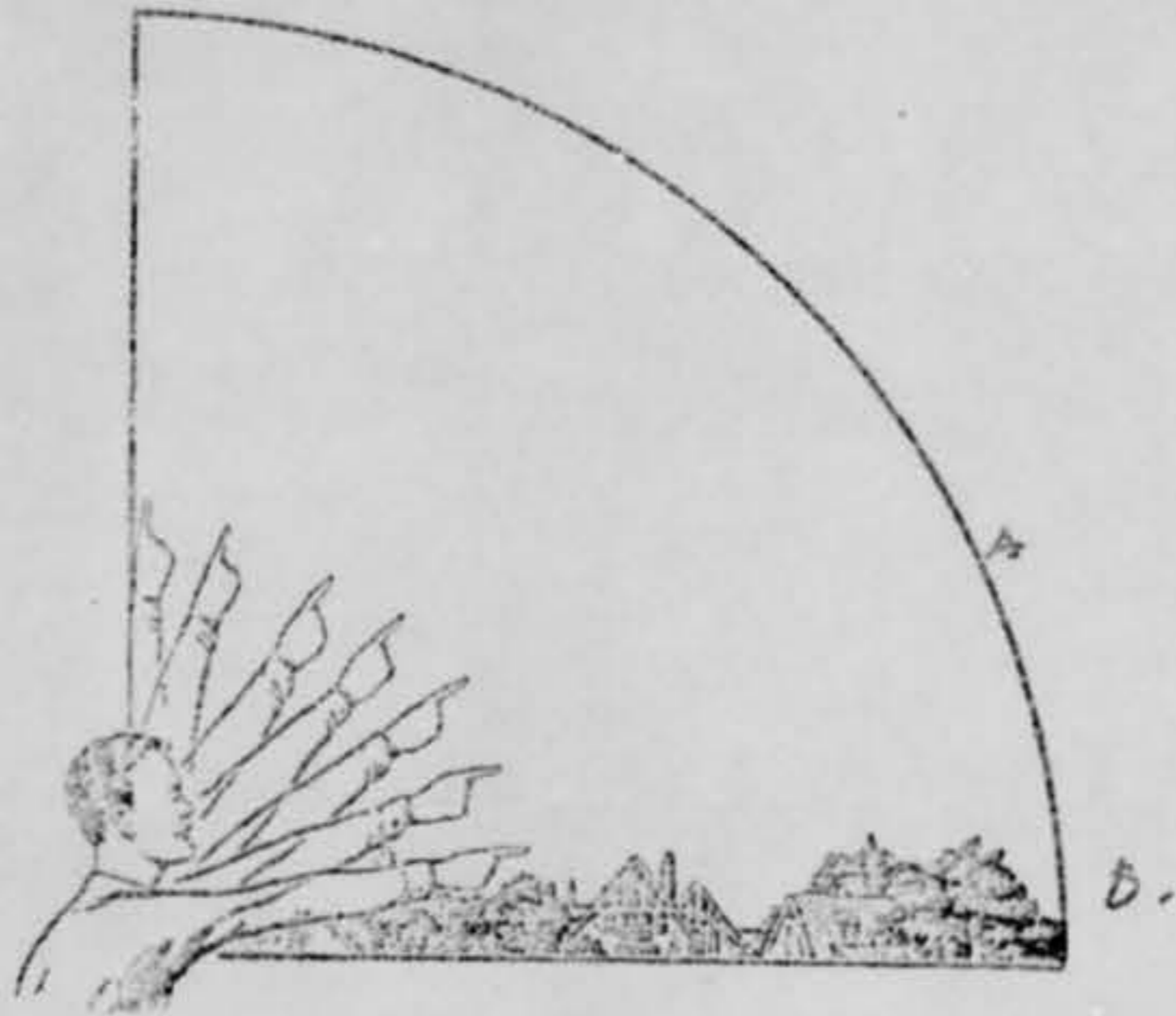
35 FT FROM HEIGHT FIRST

64 YARDS 5/10 OF YARD AWAY.

31.2 When it disappeared:

- a. From true North 290 degrees.  
b. From horizon \_\_\_\_\_ degrees.

32. 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.



33. In the following larger sketch place an "A" at the position the object was when you *first* saw it, and a "B" at its position when you *last* saw it. Refer to smaller sketch as an example of how to complete the larger sketch.

