

PROJECT 0073 RECORD

1. GROUP 3007	2. LOCATION Titusville, Florida
3. DATE 11/11/66	10. CONCLUSION Sightings: (INSUFFICIENT DATA) Photos: Probable Astro (STELLAR BODIES)
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS 8	The duration of each sighting is not given. It is not clear what the elevation of each object is upon appearance and disappearance.
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 30 minutes	11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS The observer sighted several orange lights in the sky. The observer had a total of 4 different sightings during the 15 min period. The object did not move while visible but would disappear and then reappear more toward the E. The observer stated that the object was as big as a dime at arms length.
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground-Visual	CONCLUSION CONT'D: Photo analysis could find no object on the film as described in the report. The film contained processing blemishes and true images. The images appear to be stellar bodies or light sources from distant earth objects or their reflections. The local UFO investigator felt the observer was watching stars.
7. COURSE Stationary	
8. PHOTOS XX Yes [ ] No	
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE [ ] Yes XX No	

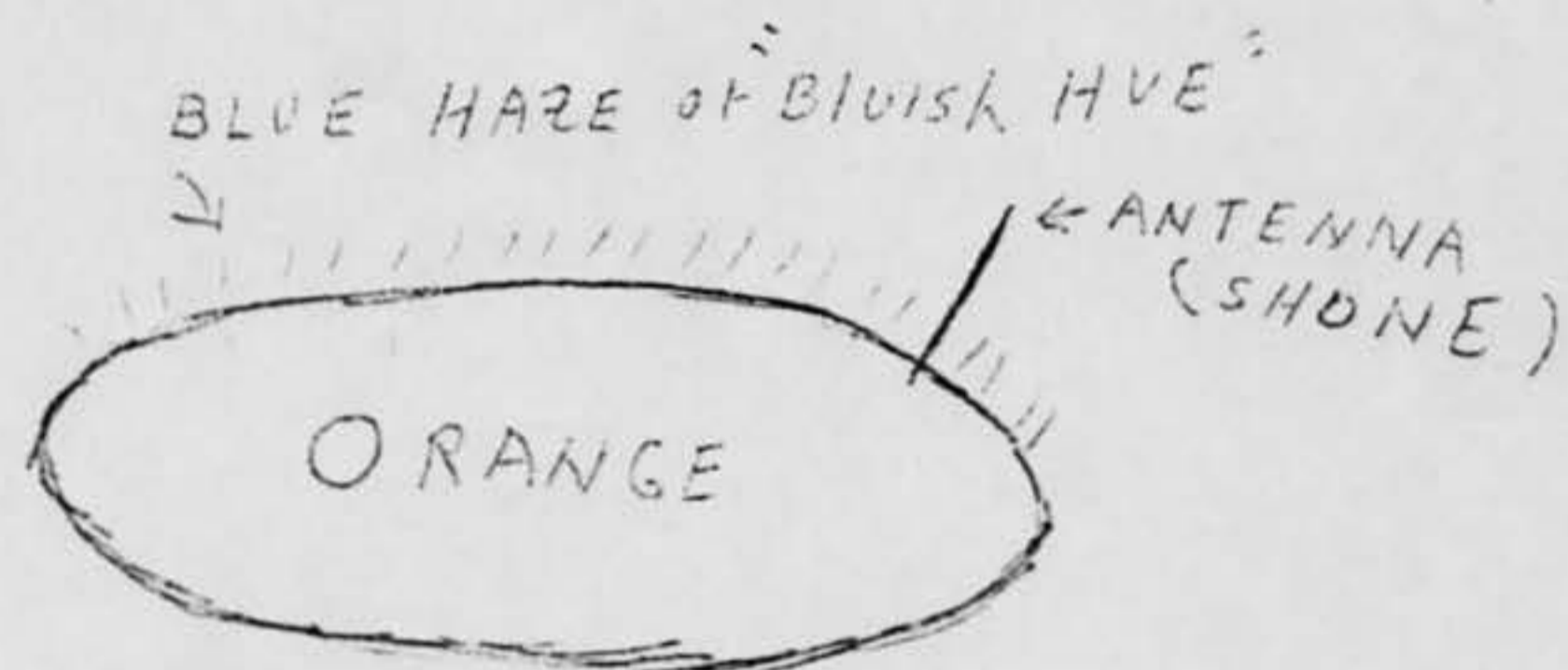
- h. Possible causes: Range Control Office, Cape Kennedy Air Force Station indicated that no activities were taking place at that time.
- i. None
- j. None
- k. Interviewer:  
Electronic Engineer (electro-magnetic)  
██, Jr.  
Civilian  
Technical Support Division, Directorate of Foreign Technology (ETWT),  
Patrick Air Force Base, Florida.  
Area code: 305; office phone: ████████████████████ home phone: ████████████████████

Comments: Observer also stated that he turned on his TV and swept through the channels and turned on a short wave set and swept the frequencies. He noticed a whistling and static around 17 KC. A 4° deviation was also noted in two of the boats' compasses that had cleared up by morning.

Possible Cause: Possible planet or star based upon:  
Photo similar to other photos of stars and planets.  
Duration of sighting (1-1/2 hours)  
General motion of object during sighting period  
Atmospheric conditions.  
Observer's interest in UFOs which may have affected his judgment and evaluation of the object.

No attempt has been made to evaluate the second object which did not appear in the photograph.

NOTE: Observer was contacted by representatives of "NICAF" before this interview. He requested to be informed of the results of this investigation.



Object was very bright. Affected observers vision after looking at it a short time.

SKETCH OF U F O VIEWED THROUGH 7 X 50 BINOCULARS

# INTRACOASTAL WATERWAY CHART 843-SC TOLOMATO RIVER TO EAU GALLIE FLORIDA

MERCATOR PROJECTION AT SCALE 1:40,000  
SOUNDINGS IN FEET AT MEAN LOW WATER

HEIGHTS  
Heights in Feet above Mean High Water

AUTHORITIES  
Hydrography and topography by the Coast and Geodetic Survey  
with additions and revisions from the Corps of Engineers and Geological  
Survey.

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INTRACOASTAL WATERWAY  
The Waterway is demarcated by a magenta line. Distances are given  
in International Nautical Miles.

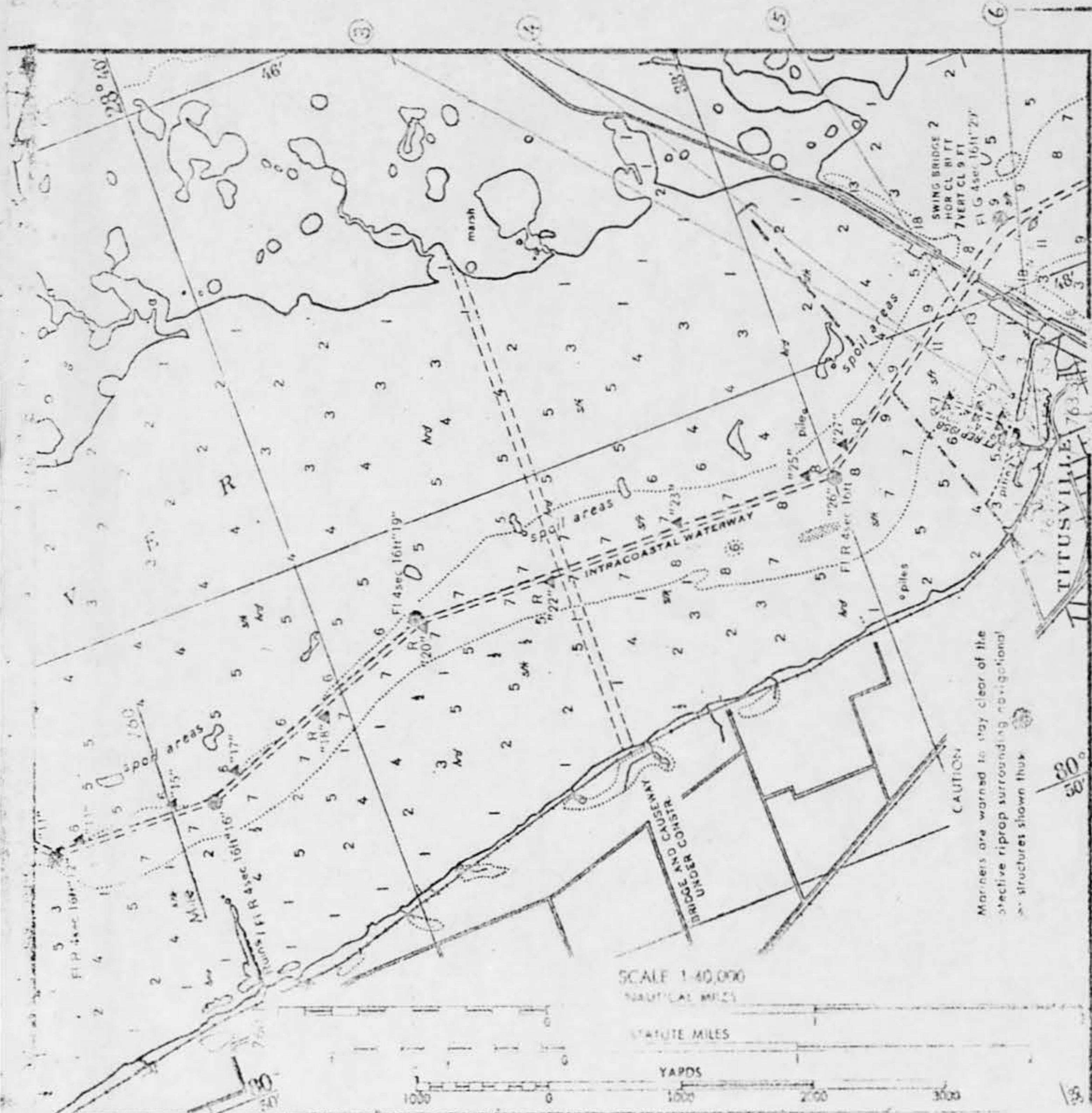
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**SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS**

(For complete list of Symbols and Abbreviations, see C. & G. S. Chart No. 1)

Navigation aids					
○	Unlighted buoy (C. can. N. buoy, S. spar, Bell, Gong, Whistle)	○	Lighted buoy	○	R. Bu. radiobeacon
⊙	Daymark or junction buoy	⊙	Lighted buoy	○	R. Bu. radiobeacon
⊙	Magnetic buoy	⊙	Lighted buoy	○	R. Bu. radiobeacon
⊙	Lighted buoy	⊙	Lighted buoy	○	R. Bu. radiobeacon
Light characteristics (Lights are white unless otherwise indicated)					
F	Fixed	Gp	group	Alt.	alternating
DIA	diaphone	SEC	sector	2	red

1. Observers position at first sighting
2. Observers position at other sightings (yatch "Bluenose")
3. First sighting
4. Second sighting, one photo
5. Third sighting, two photos
6. Last sighting



JOINS BOTTOM PANEL

1  
2

30°

30°

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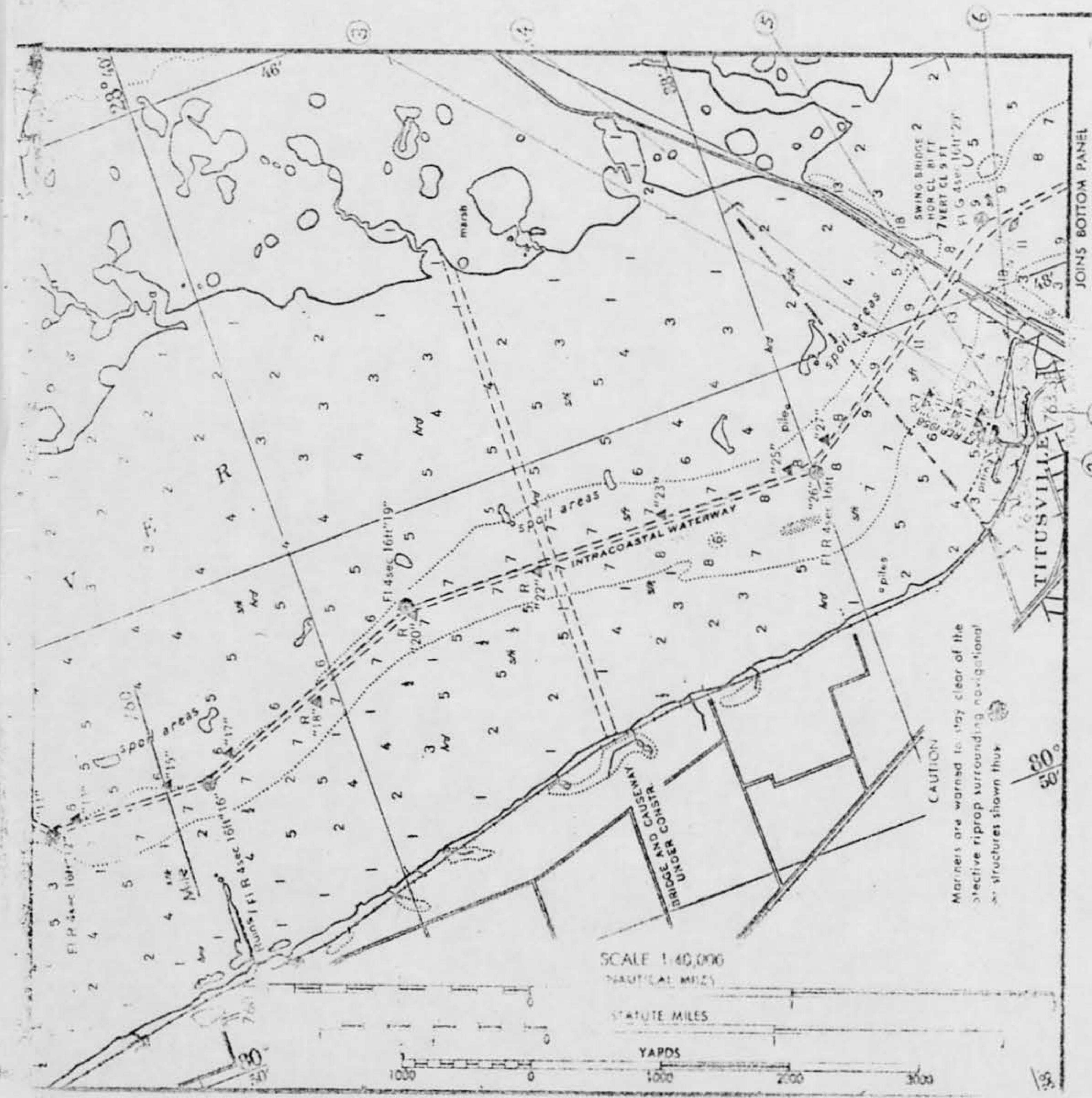
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	Moored buoy			
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	Fixed		Gp group	SEC. sector
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PANHROMATIC - HIGH SPEED

620  
SIZE

ASA Sp. Index: 30 Daylight; 64 Tungsten  
Westa, Exp. Index: 64 Daylight; 50 Tungsten

EMULSION NO. DEVELOP BEFORE  
21290035 JUNE 68

620  
SIZE

PRINTED IN U. S. A.

MADE IN BELGIUM

PHOTOGRAPHIC DATA

1. Type and make of camera  
IMPERIAL MARK TWELVE
2. Type, focal length, and make of lens  
FIXED FOCUS
3. Brand and type of film  
TABS ENCLOSED
4. Shutter speed used  
FIXED
5. Lens opening used; that is, "f" stop  
FIXED
6. Filters used  
NONE
7. Was tripod or solid stand used  
NO
8. Was "panning" used  
NO
9. Exact direction camera was pointing with relation to true North, and its angle with respect to the ground.  
NORTH NORTH EAST FORTY FIVE DEG AROUND FIVE DEG OR SO
10. If supplemental information is unobtainable, the minimum camera data required are the type of camera, and the smallest and largest "f" stop and shutter speed readings of the camera.

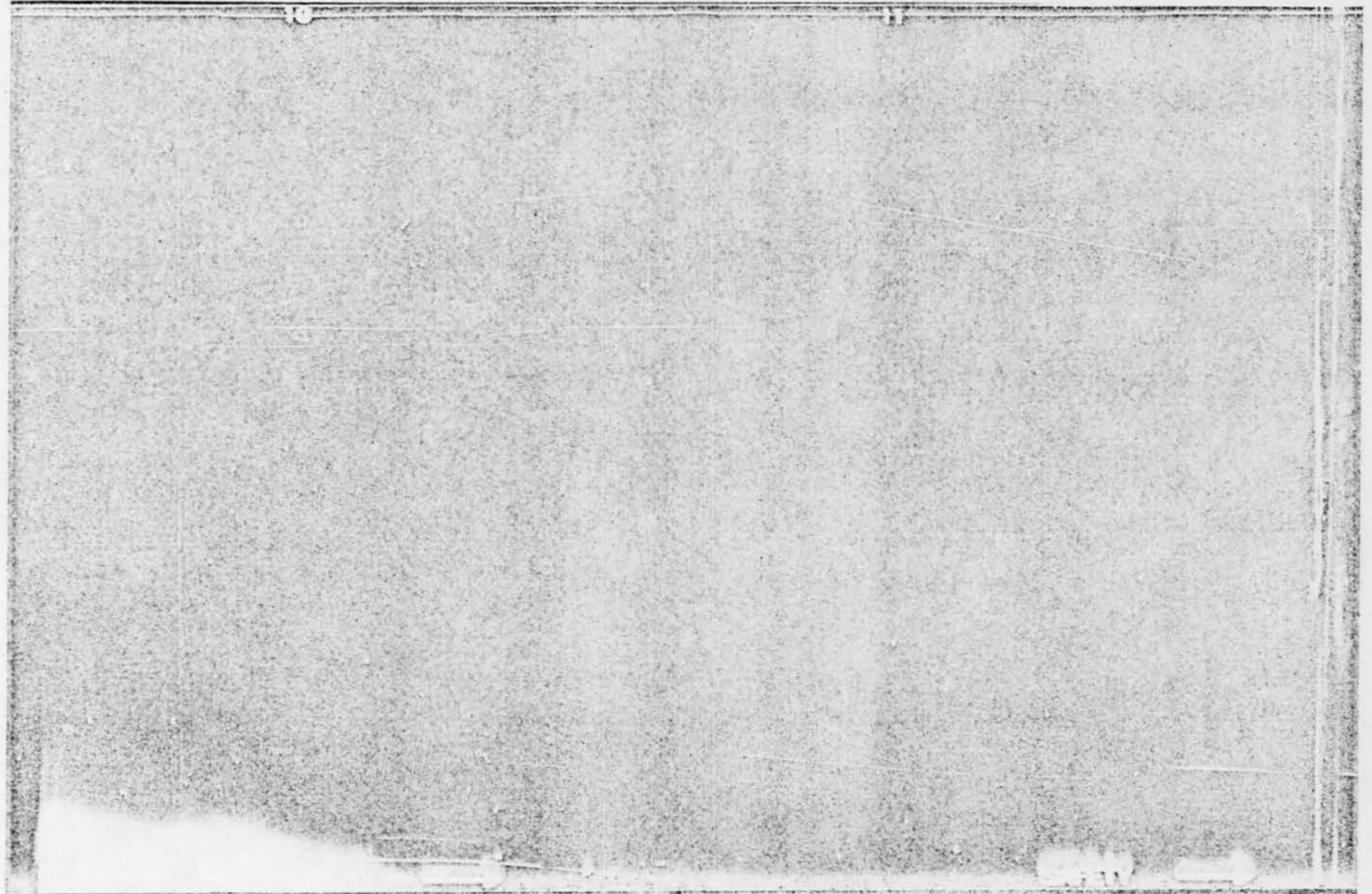
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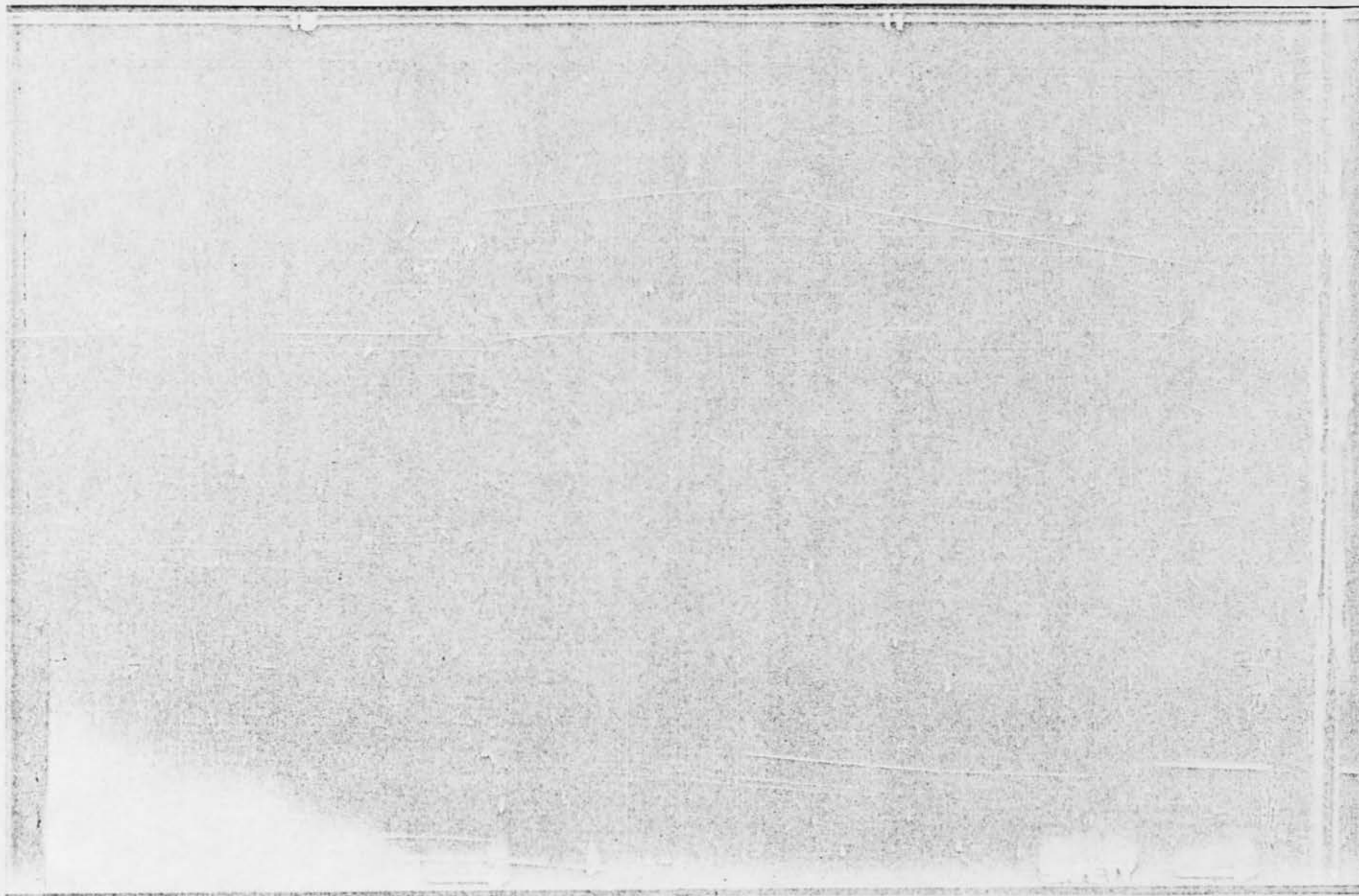

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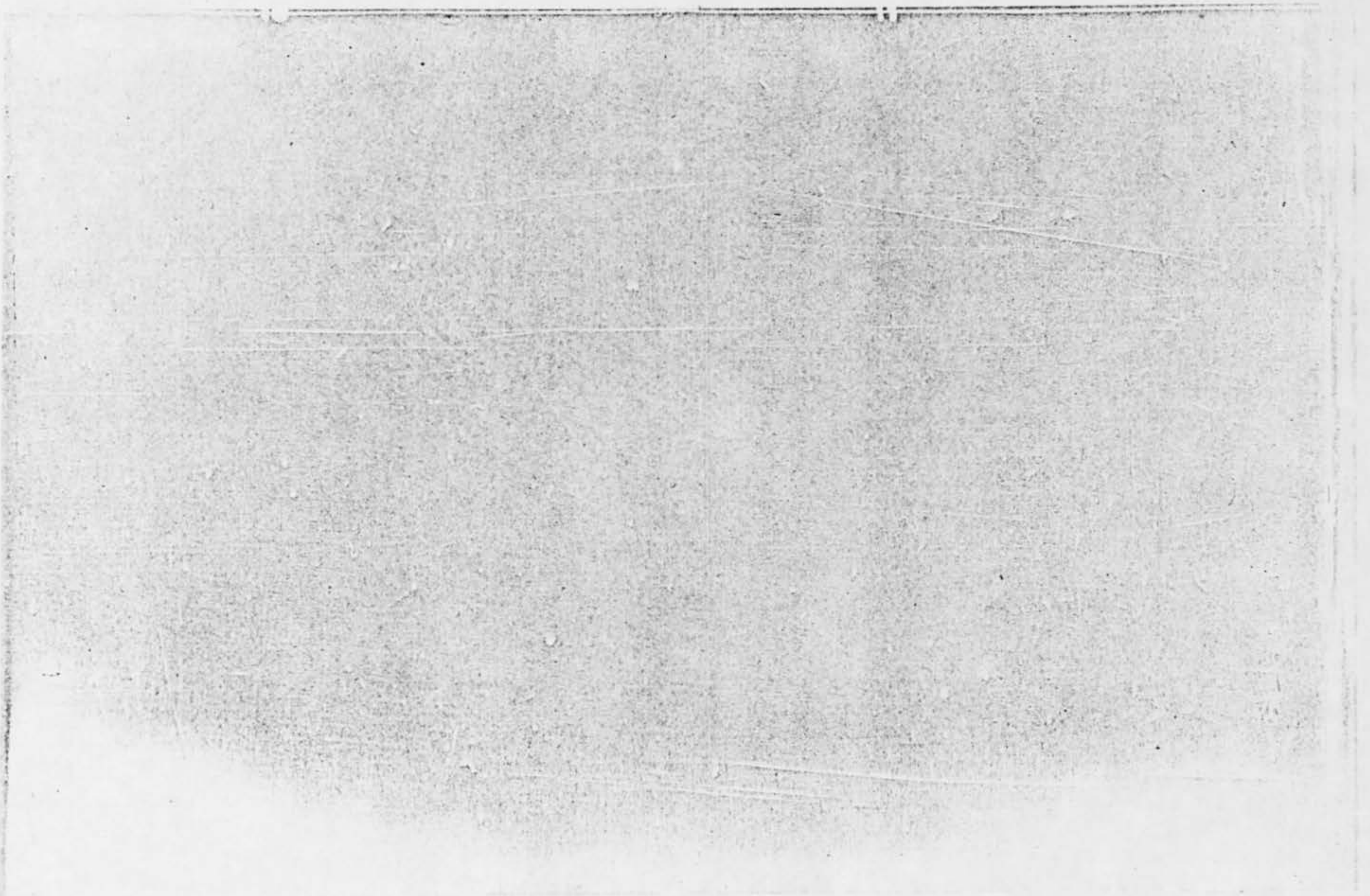
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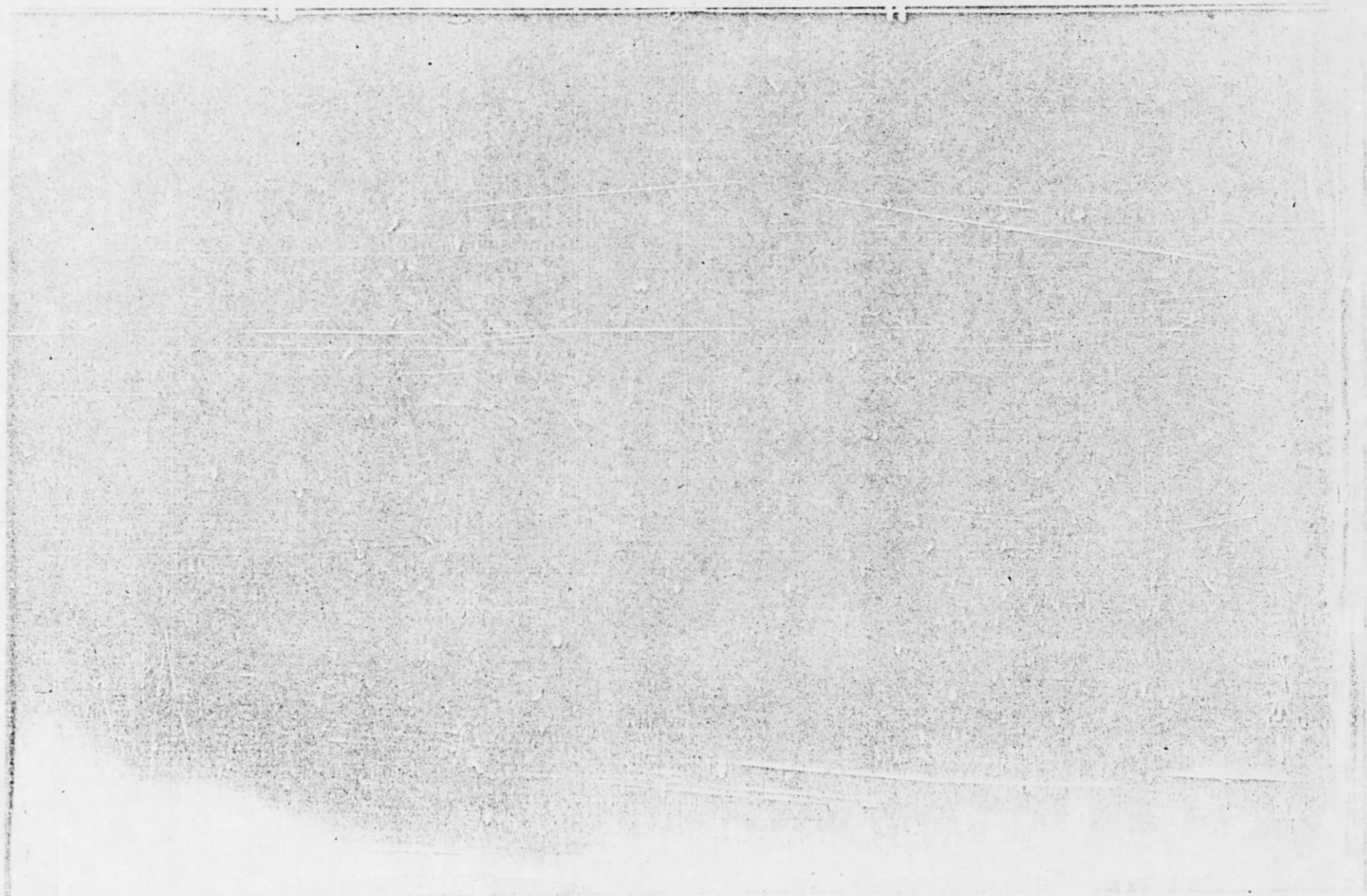
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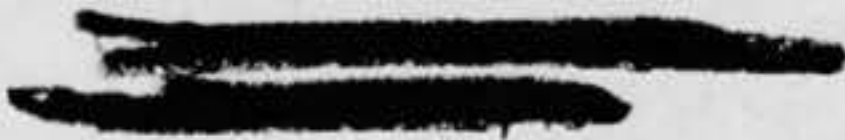





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UFO Observation & Photograph, April 24, 1967

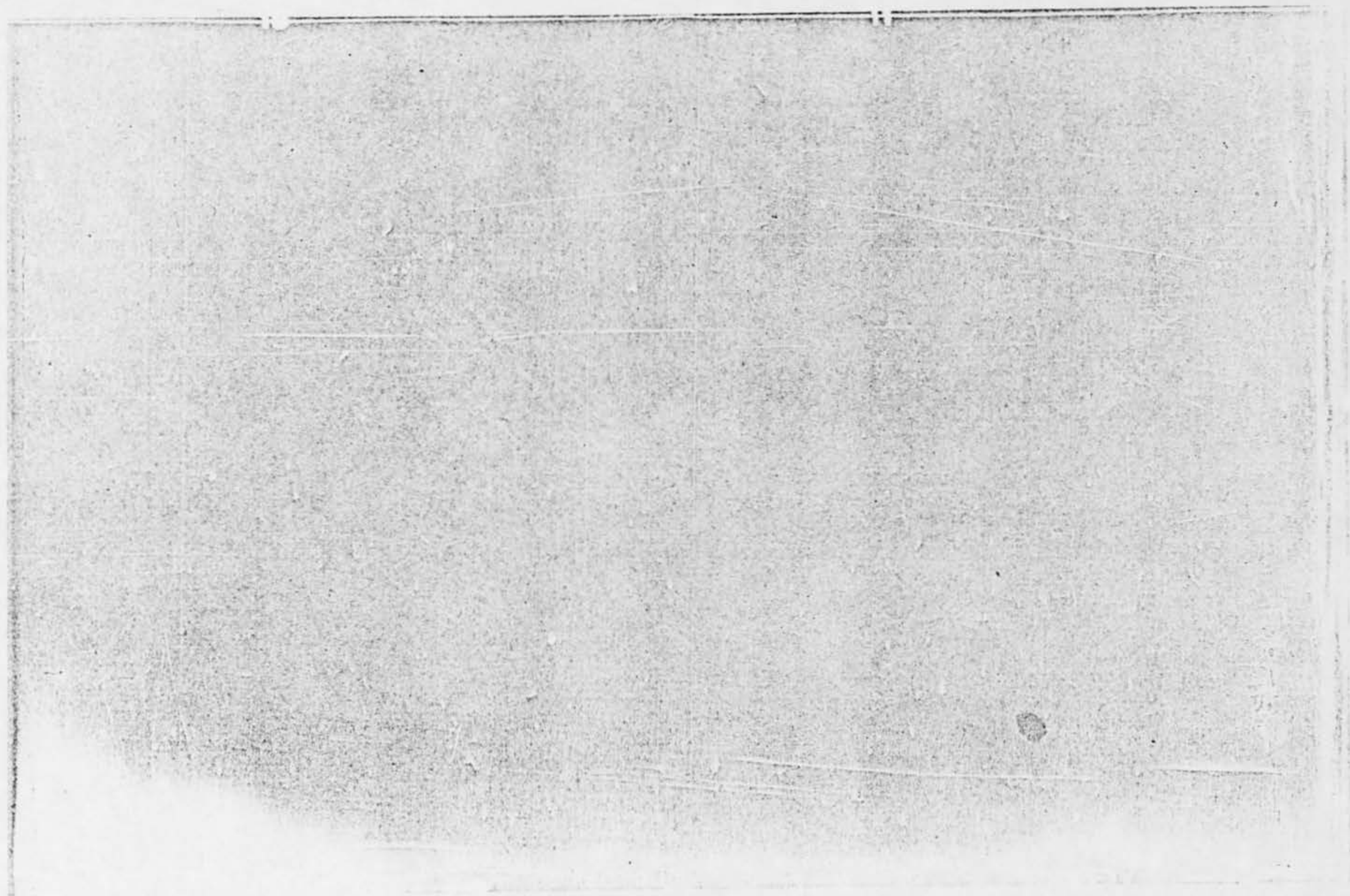
  
Titusville, Florida 32780

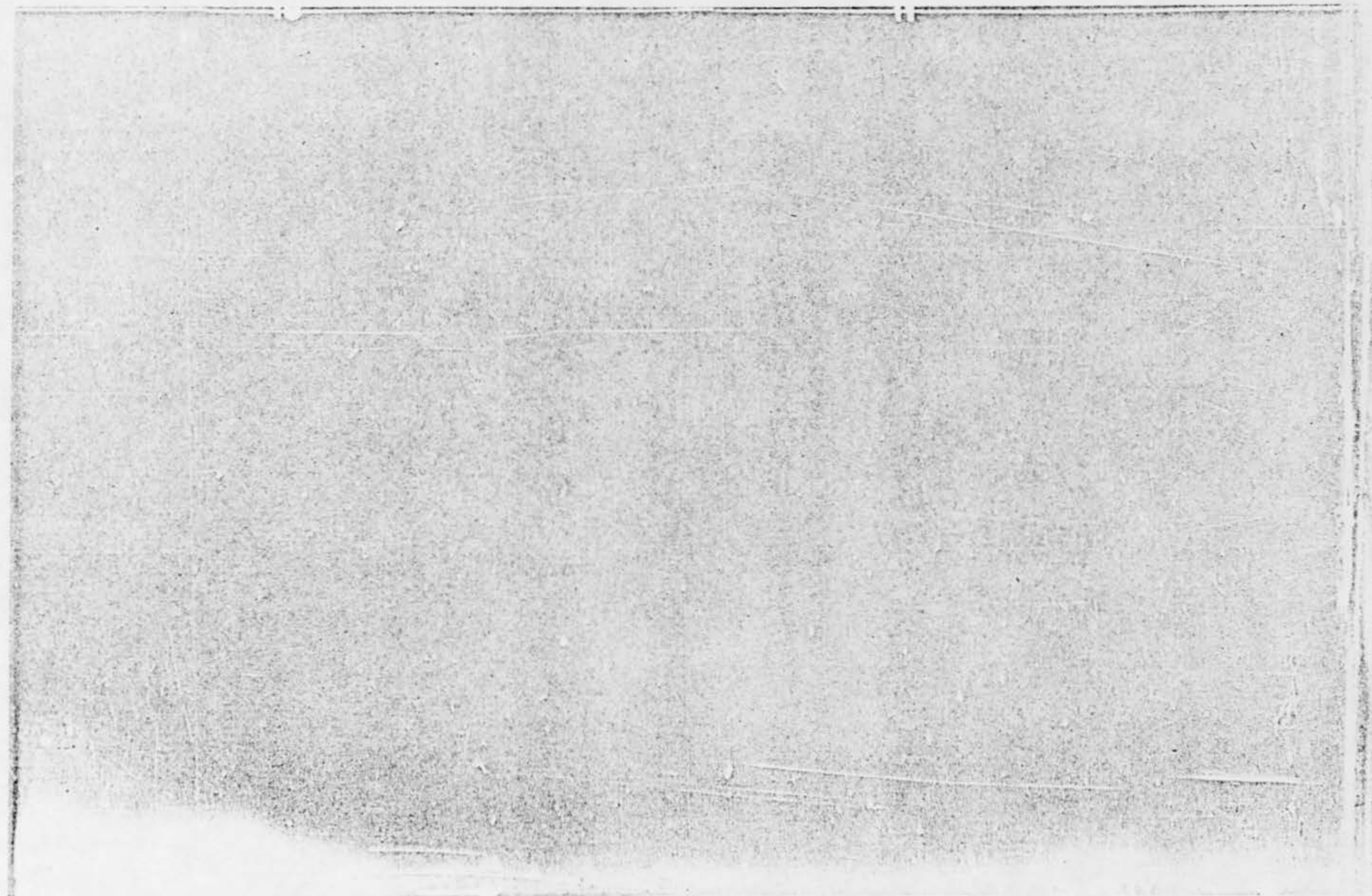
1. Reference your unidentified flying object (UFO) sighting and subsequent photographs of April 24, 1967.
2. The only imagery on the film, other than processing blemishes, appear to be stellar bodies or light sources from distant earth objects or their reflections. No object could be found such as that described in your report and sketch.
3. Inclosed are your negatives and an enlargement of the frames. Thank you for reporting your observation to the Air Force.

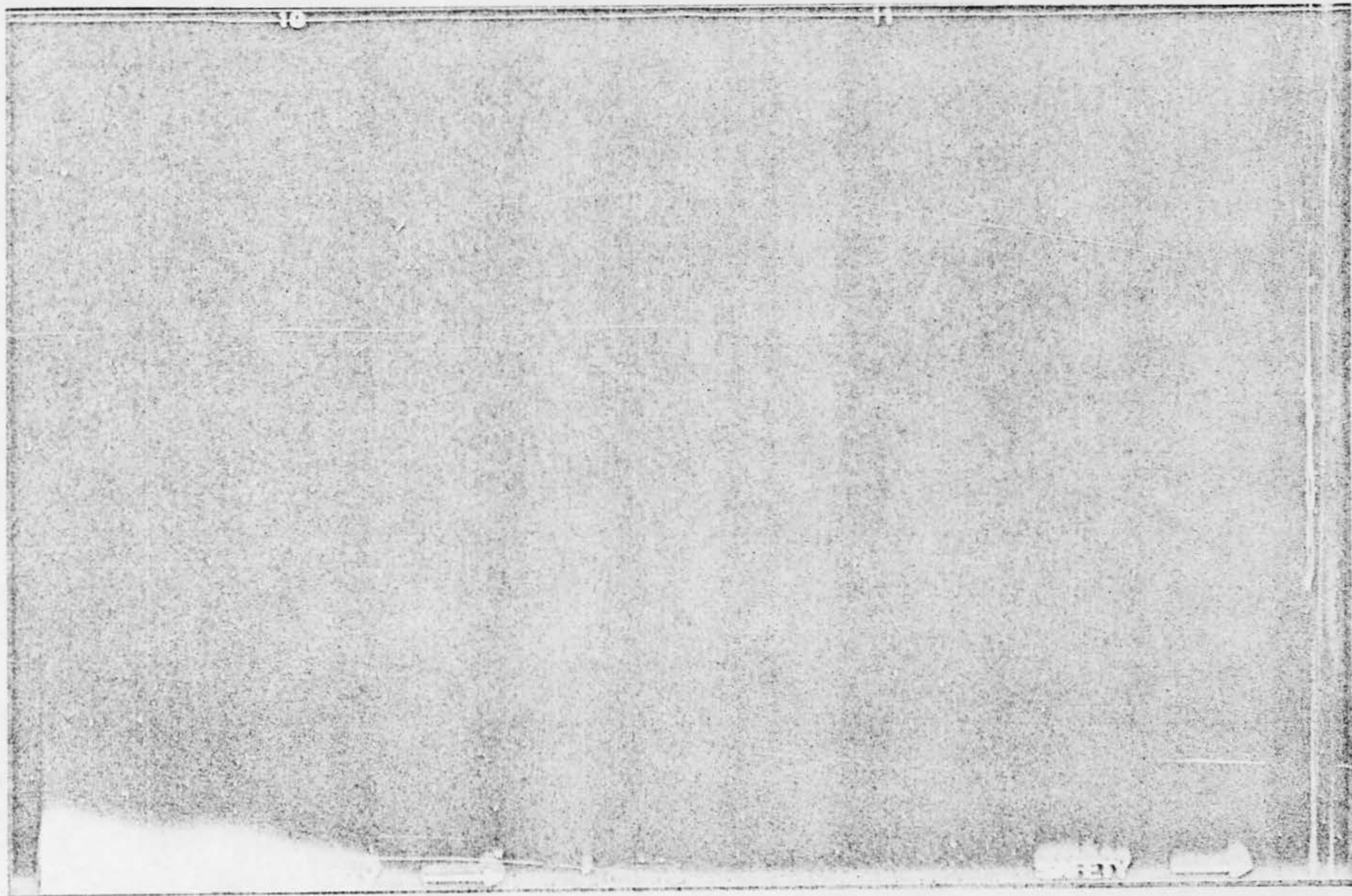
  
HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Major, USAF  
Chief, Aerial Phenomena Office  
Aerospace Technologies Division  
Production Directorate

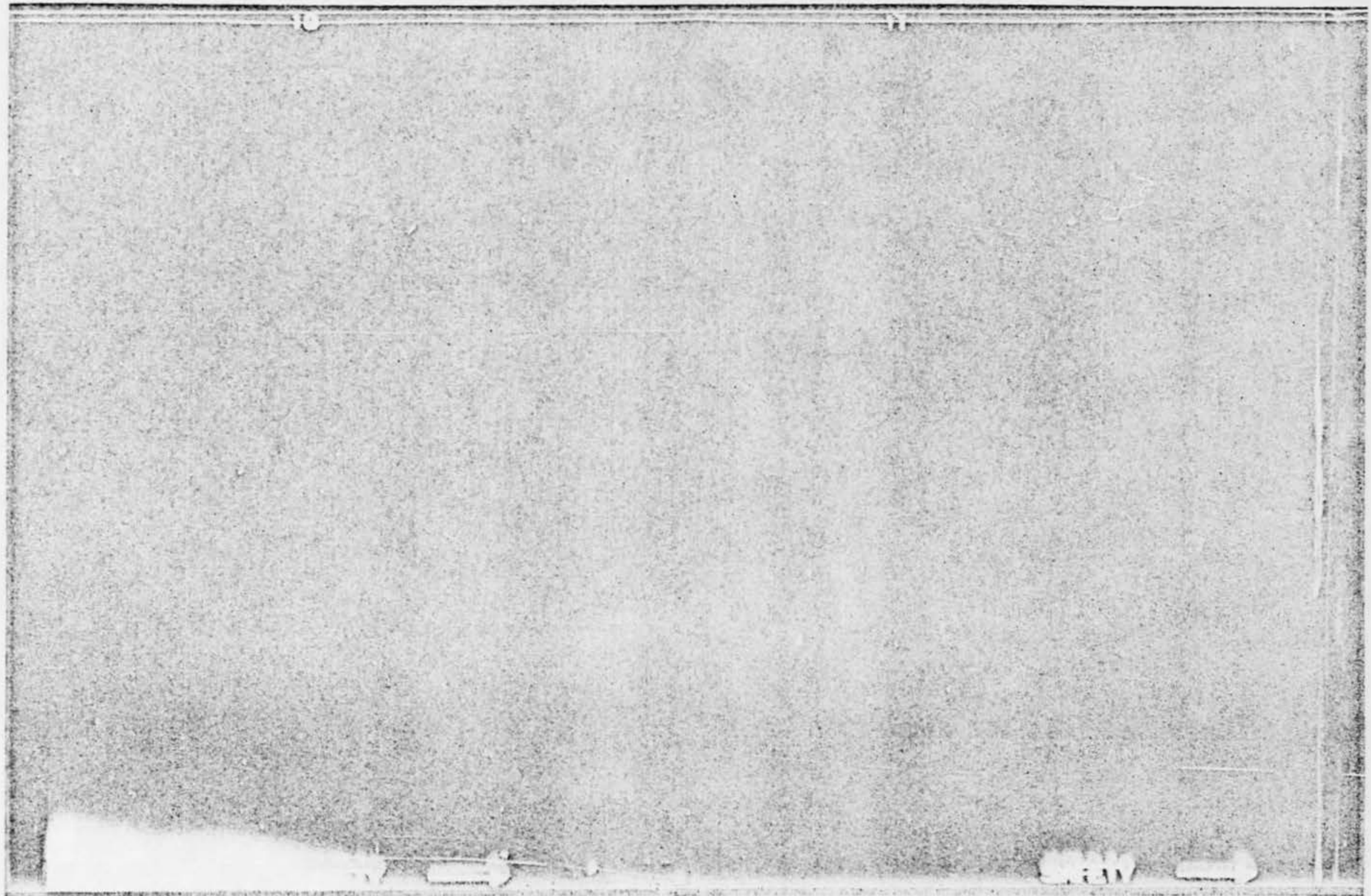
1 Atch  
Negatives w/enlargement

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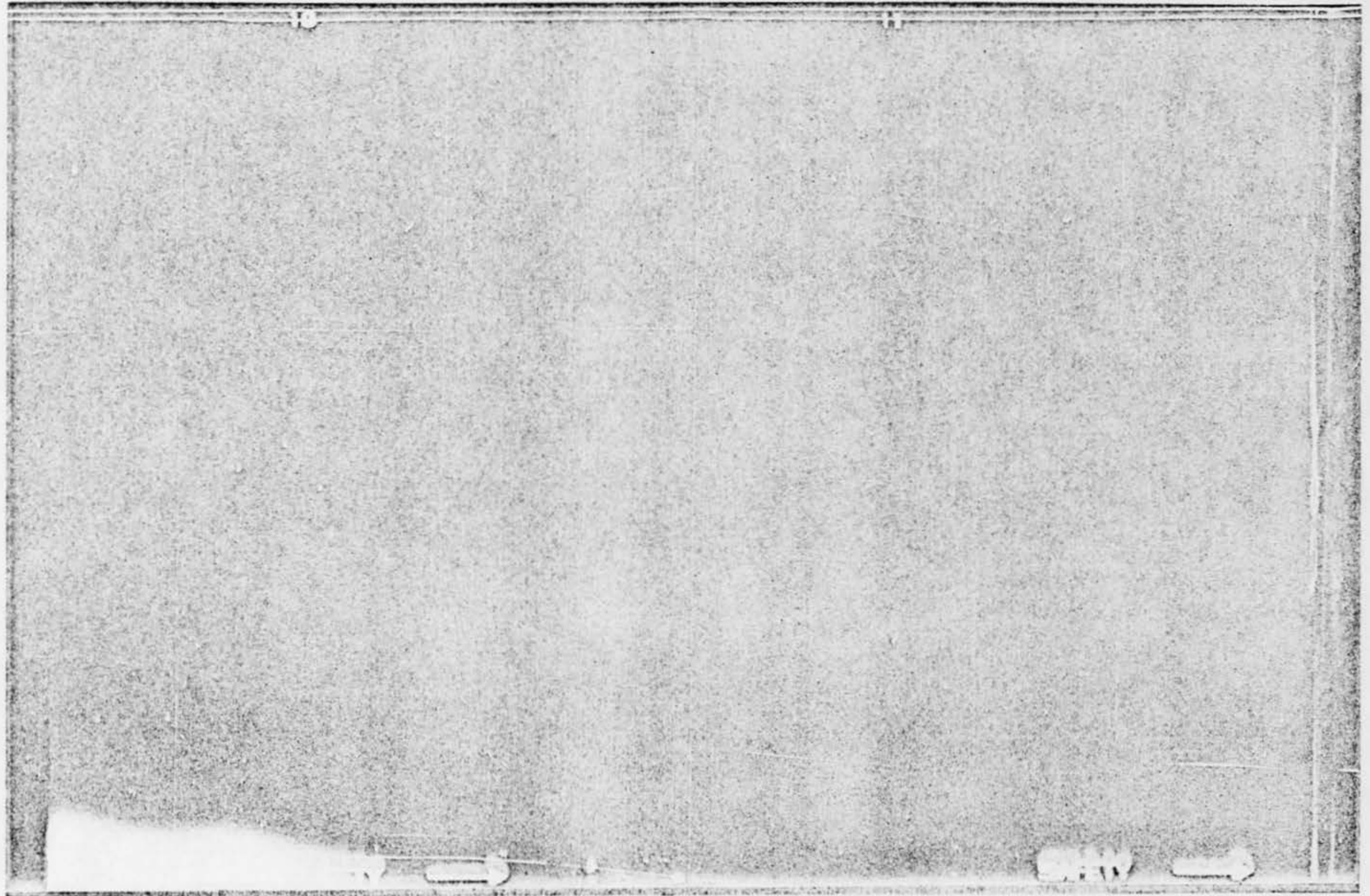












24 April 67

PHOTO ANALYSIS REPORT NR 67-70

PAGE 1 OF 1 PAGES  
DATE OF REPORT 10 Oct 1967

SUBJECT UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT, TITUSVILLE, FLORIDA  
LOCATION Titusville, Florida DATE 24 April 1967

PHOTOGRAPHY

AF \_\_\_\_\_ IR \_\_\_\_\_ QUALITY \_\_\_\_\_  
P NRS 1 Roll (16 Frames) of Original Negatives

- 1. PURPOSE: The purpose of this report is to answer Work Order Number 67-124, submitted by Major H. Quintanilla, for identification of objects as reported on the attached film strip.
- 2. ANALYSIS: The roll of film appears to have been exposed in the hours of darkness or near darkness as suggested in the interview report. (0130 to 0300 hours local time.) The only imagery on the film, other than processing blemishes, appear to be stellar bodies or light sources from distant earth objects or their reflections. No object could be found such as was described in the accompanying report and sketch.

PHOTO ANALYSIS BY:  
*Robert L. Countryman*  
ROBERT L. COUNTRYMAN  
Intelligence Research Specialist

APPROVED BY:  
*William L. Turner*  
WILLIAM L. TURNER  
Major, USAF  
Chief, Photo Analysis Branch  
*Wilbur Price, Jr.*  
WILBUR PRICE, Jr.  
Chief, Photo Exploitation Division

PHOTO SERVICE REQUEST

TDDPP WORK ORDER NO.

70-431

TO: TDDPP	DATE 26 Oct 67	PROJECT NO. P60102 12 1990	TASK NO.
INITIATOR Sgt Jones	EXP. DATE COMPLETION #3	COMPLETED DATE	QUALITY CONTROL
ORGN CODE XBAR TCE	EXT: 75578	CLASSIFICATION Unclass	TAB: U-25-0

DESCRIPTION OF SERVICES (Include purpose of request, time and place of requirement, and other pertinent information).

PHOTOGRAPHIC SPECIFICATIONS

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Copy	4x5	By	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Projection Prints	8x10	By
	Duplicate Negative		By		Continuous Prints		By
	Duplicate Positive		By		Other		By
	Develop		By	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Gloss		Single Wt
	Contact Prints		By		Matte		Double Wt

No. of Copies 6

MATERIAL FURNISHED:

1 strip negs: PICK OUT BEST FRAME - MAKE 6 8x10 PRINTS & 1 NEG

24 copies 67 ?

REMARKS/ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

RECEIPT FOR PHOTOGRAPHIC WORK

I certify that I have received 1 originals, 1 4x5 negatives and 6 8x10 prints, all to be used in the service of the UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT ONLY.

TDDPP WORK ORDER NO.

NAME RANK DATE

*pending photo analysis*

*24 April 67*

# FTD WORK ORDER

Date Issued \_\_\_\_\_

1. Description of Work: (Include title of unscheduled tasks.)

Request photo analysis be accomplished on the attached film strip to determine what unidentified object may be.

24 April 1967 sighting, Titusville, Florida 32780.

Request all material be returned upon completion of analysis.

**-FROM-**

2. FTD W.O. No.	6010212
3. Monitor	Mag Quintanilla
4. Phones	Ext 70916/75679
5. DIA Task No.	65-01-59
6. DIA Priority	6A
7. Date Needed	15 Oct 67
8. Consequence Code	A
9. Classification of Sources	All sources
10. Classification of End Product	unclassified
11. PPTD or Dep Sig.	<i>[Signature]</i>

18. Div. Chiefs Instructions/Modification or Expansion of Work Description

**-TO-**

12. Div./Dir. Symbol	TDDP
13. M-H Estimate	
14. Monitor	
15. Phones	
16. Div. Precedence	
17. Div. Chief/Dir. Sig.	<i>[Signature]</i>

*67-124  
20 Oct 67*

PENDING PHOTO DATA

24 April 67


TDET/UFO (Maj Quintanilla/70916/mhs/21Jul)  
UFO Observation, April 24, 1967

24 July 1967

Mr. [REDACTED]

Titusville, Florida 32780

Reference your observation on April 24, 1967 and subsequent photograph of an unidentified flying object. Initial information received by our office, stated that you would send camera data at your earliest convenience. Before our photographic analysts can attempt any evaluation, additional information is necessary. Please complete and return the enclosed photographic data sheet.

 HERBERT S. HOLDSAMBECK, Colonel, USAF  
Acting Director of Technology and Subsystems

1 Atch  
Photo Data Sheet

TDET/UFO OFFICIAL FILE CY

DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE  
HEADQUARTERS AIR FORCE EASTERN TEST RANGE (AFSC)  
PATRICK AIR FORCE BASE, FLORIDA 32925



REPLY TO  
ATTN OF:

ETWT/Mr. O'Shaughnessy/494-6825

SUBJECT:

Unidentified Flying Object of 24 April 1967

25 May 1967

TO:

FPD (TDETR)

1. In accordance with reference AFR 80-17, para 11, attachments 1 thru 5 are forwarded for your information and action.
2. The photograph (atch 1) was taken by [REDACTED] on 24 April 1967. He reported that three exposures were made on the enclosed roll of film (atch 2) which was processed at Patrick Air Force Base. The photographs were taken with his son's "\$2 or \$3 camera." It was not available for identification, but Mr. [REDACTED] indicated that he would phone the required information to ETW. The photos were taken at an elevation angle of approximately 15° at the azimuth angles indicated on atch 5.
3. Information on the camera and film will be forwarded when it becomes available.

Follow  
up  
with  
exposure  
times.

FOR THE COMMANDER

*Murray Guin*  
for ERNEST R. MANIERRE, Colonel, USAF  
Director of Foreign Technology

5. Attachments
1. 8 x 10 photograph
2. Developed negatives
3. Interview report
4. Sketch
5. Map

ASTRO (DENEK)

DENEK ON Az of 50 deg @ EL of 25 deg

INTERVIEW REPORT OF UFO OF 24 APRIL 1967

Interview with [redacted] at Pad 37, CKAFS from 1330 to 1430E, on 24 May 1967. By S. J. O'Shaughnessy, ETWP.

Photo is characteristics of stellar flare

The following paragraphs are in accordance with paragraph numbers and letter in AFR 80-17, para 11.

- a. (1) Shape: "Source of Light" with naked eye.  
"Flying Pancake" with 7X50 binoculars (See atch 1)
- (2) Size: About a dime at arms length. (This had been arrived at with the assistance of private investigators who had contacted subject earlier.
- (3) Color: Orange with naked eye. Orange with blue haze on top with binoculars.
- (4) Number: Sighting 1 - 2  
Sighting 2 - 1  
Sighting 3 - 1, then 2, then 1  
Sighting 4 - 1
- (5) Formation: Sighting 1 - 1 on ground below the other  
Sighting 3 - 1 below and slightly to the side of the other
- (6) Details: Rod antenna type object was noted with binoculars (See atch 1).
- (7) Tail, Trail, etc.: None
- (8) Sound: None
- (9) Other details: See comments of interviewer.

chromatic aberration

- b. (1) What called attention: Subject was out looking around marina as owner had asked him to keep an eye on things.
- (2) Elevation and azimuth when first observed: AZ - 50° True  
EL - 15° (both are APX) (See atch 2).
- (3) Elevation at disappearance: A little less than 15 degrees.
- (4) Flight path: Objects did not move while visible. They would disappear and reappear more towards the East. Object receded from view at end of last sighting.
- (5) How did object disappear: "The light went out" at end of first three sightings. It receded towards the Vertical Assembly Building at the end of the last sighting.

Capt for Hynd

Atch 2

- c. (1) Type sighting: Ground-visual  
 (2) Optical aids: 7 X 50 binoculars used for portion of 2 sightings.
- d. (1) Time: 240630 to 240800, April 1967 (Zulu time)  
 (2) Night
- e. Location of observers: Titusville Marine, Titusville, Florida, 28°37.2'N - 80°48.6'W
- f. Identification of observer: [REDACTED] (approx age-45), [REDACTED] Titusville, Florida. Lives aboard yacht "[REDACTED]" in [REDACTED]. Employment: Federal Electric Corp., Kennedy Space Center, Florida, Electronics Technician on Saturn 1B. Work phone [REDACTED]

Observer served as radio operator in Air Force 1942 - 1947. He appears to be a 'gadeteer' and talked about his magnometer, I R equipment, radiation detectors and doppler radar that was still up in Ohio. He stated that he had observed a UFO in 1947 while doing a field strength survey for a TV station near Pittsburgh. He has also worked on detection of atomic blasts in Ohio, looked for uranium in Canada, and tracked B-52's with his doppler radar. He questioned the presence of uranium in Florida or the ocean that these objects may be seeking and related the sighting to the night before the Titan III had all the prelaunch problems.

Other observers: Wife, [REDACTED]  
 Daughter: [REDACTED]  
 Son: [REDACTED]  
 Owner of yacht "4 M", [REDACTED]

- g. Weather reported by Patrick Air Force Base:

(2) Winds at 0600Z:

Altitude (X1000 feet)	Direction (°)	Speed (knots)
Surface	260	5
6	260	17
10	290	25
16	300	30
20	300	40
30	300	65
50	280	40
80	100	6