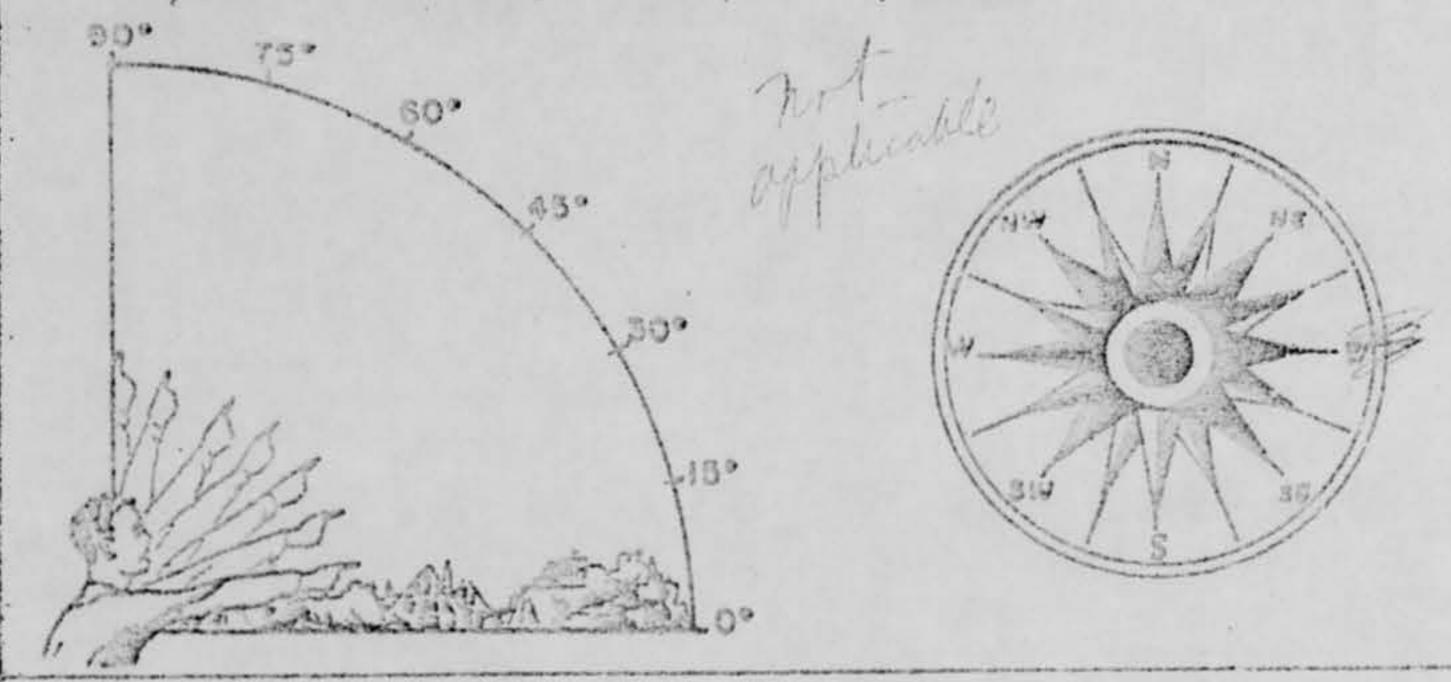
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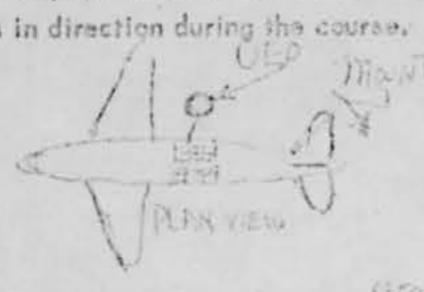
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Dr Donald H Menzel, Director Harvard College Observatory Cambridge 38, Massachusetts

Dear Dr Menzel,

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Sincerely,

HECTOR QUINTANTLLA, Jr Major, USAF Chief, Aerial Phenomena Branch 1 Atch UFO Rpt, 22 Jan 65, Elkins, W Va

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22 JAN 65 Mrs Bunt/SAFOICC/72842/6 May 65 may 6, 1965 Dear Mr. Fitzgerald: Reference is made to the unidentified flying object which you observed as a passenger in an aircraft on 22 January 1965 over the area of Elkins, West Virginia. Your observation has been evaluated as a solar image by Doctor J. Allen Hynek, the Air Force civilian consultant to Project Blue Book. While rare, this unique phenomena has appeared before, and on one occasion it was photographed. This phenomena occurs only at cortain angles with the sun, and the reflecting surface is a thin layer of ice crystals in the atmosphere. This layer is transparent and not visible from the Aircraft. I am enclosing a copy of the current report on Project Blue Book, the Air Force project on unidentified flying objects. I hope this report will be of interest to you. Sincerely, JOHN P. SPAULDING Lt Colonel, USAF Chief, Civil Branch Community Relations Division 1 Atch Office of Information Blue Book Report Mr. William M. Fitzgereld, Jr. 1057 Crane Drive Fells Church, Virginia

FOREIGN TECHNOLOGY DIVISION

AIR FORCE SYSTEMS COMMAND
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
WRIGHT-PATTERSON AIR FORCE BASE, OHIO



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ATTN OF: TDEW

SUBJECT: UFO Sighting, 22 Jan 65, Elkins, West Virginia

26 Apr 65

To: Hq USAF SAFOI-CC (Mrs Hunt)
Wash D C 20330

- 1. This office is in receipt of a UFO report from William M Fitzgerald, Jr of 1057 Crane Drive, Falls Church, Virginia. His observation took place on 22 January 1965 near Elkins West, Virginia. The following information is provided in order that a reply may be made to him from your office.
- a. The above observation made from an aircraft has been evaluated as a solar image by Dr J Allen Hynek, Air Force Consultant to Project Blue Book. While rare, this unique phenomena has appeared before, and one one occasion it was photographed. This phenomena occurs only at certain angles with the sun and the reflecting surface is a thin layer of ice crystals in the atmosphere. This layer is transparent and not visible from the aicraft.

FOR THE COMMANDER

HECTOR QUINTANI Major, USAF

Chief, Aerial Phenomena

YOU - THE NUCLEUS OF SECURITY!

FALLS CHURCH, VIRGINIA 27 January 1965 Dear Mr. Fitzgerald: Major Ted Burkey requested that we send you the attached FTD Form 164 which is used for reporting a UFO observation to the Air Force. The form should be completed as fully as possible and

returned to this office for analysis and evaluation. You will be advised of the conclusions reached by the Air Force upon completion of the investigation.

Sincerely,

MASTON M. JACKS Major, USAF Public Information Division Office of Information

1 Atch FTD Form 164

Mr. William M. Fitzgerald, Jr. 1057 Crane Drive Falls Church, Virginia

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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?	2. Time of day: 12:25-12:30
ZZ JANUARY 1965 Doy Month Year	(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? PASSER FLIGHT#8 FROM DALLAS TEXAS TO UFO ABOUT 20-25 MINUTES OUT OF DUL	NOTER ON BRANIFF AIRLINE JET- WASHINGTON DC (DULLES). SIGHTED WES AIR PORT- POSSIBLY OVER ELKINS, W. VA.
WEST AND PERHAPS SOUTH OF STAUNT	City or Town VA State or County
5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration)	Hours Minutes Seconds
b. Fairly certain d. Ju	ot very sure ust a guess
5.1 How was time in sight determined? ESTIMATE	<u></u>
5.2 Was object in sight continuously? Yes	_ No
6. What was the condition of the sky?	
b. Cloudy NIG a. Bright b. Cloudy b. Cl	right
7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, where was the	e SUN located as you looked at the object?
(Circle One): a. In front of you b. In back of you e. One	verhead on't remember

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8.	IF you saw the object at NIGHT, what did y	ou notice concerning the STARS and MOON?
	8.1 STARS (Circle One):	8.2 MOON (Circle One):
	a. None	a. Bright moonlight
	b. A few	b. Dull moonlight
	c. Many	c. No moonlight - pitch dark
	d. Don't remember	d. Don't remember
9.	What were the weather conditions at the time	you saw the object?
	CLOUDS (Circle One):	. WEATHER (Circle One):
	a. Clear sky	a. (Dry)
	b. Hazy	b. Fog, mist, or light rain
	c. Scattered clouds	c. Moderate or heavy rain
	d. Thick or heavy clouds	d. Snow
		e. Don't remember
10.	The object appeared: (Circle One):	
	a. Solid d. As a light	
	b. (Transparent) e. Don't rem	ember
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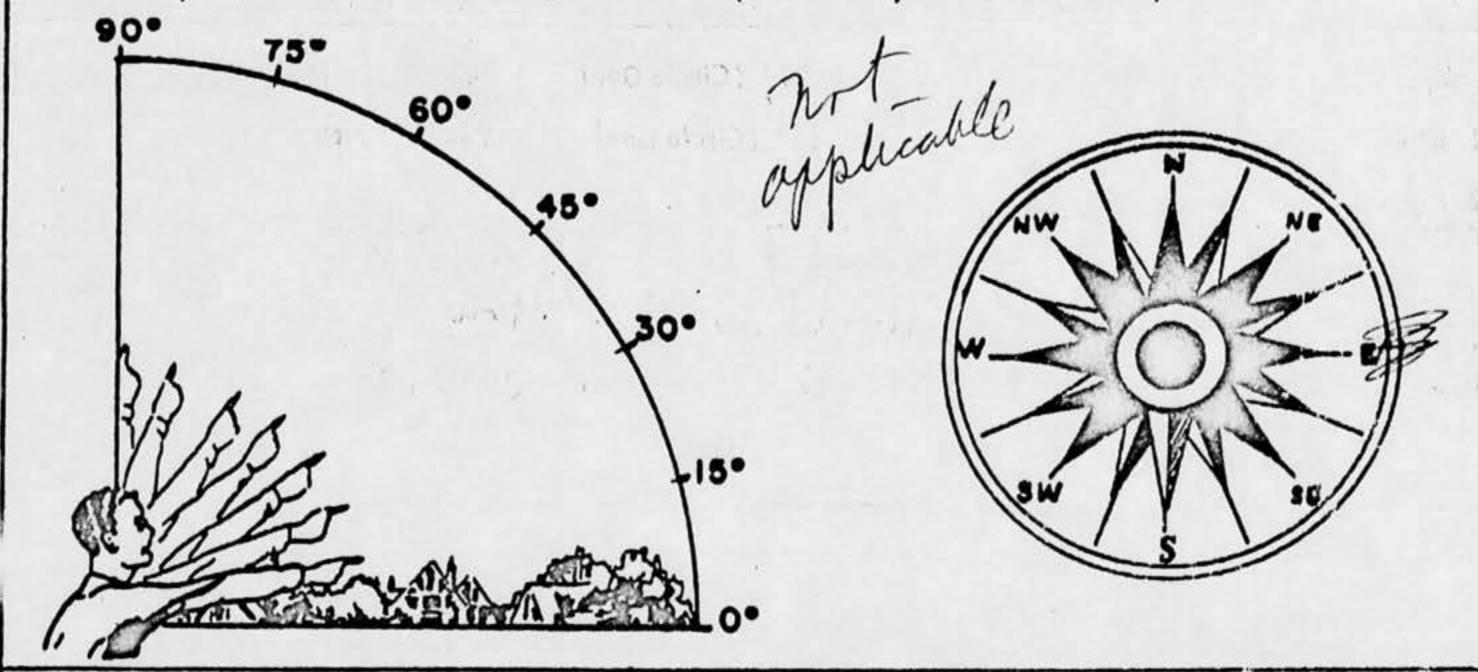
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20. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object	1?
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21. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you	the object was?
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a. Inside a building	b. In the residential section of a city?
b. In a car	c. In open countryside?
c. Outdoors	d. Near an airfield?
(d) In an airplane (type) 720 JET	e. Flying over a city?
e. At sea	(f.) Flying over open country?
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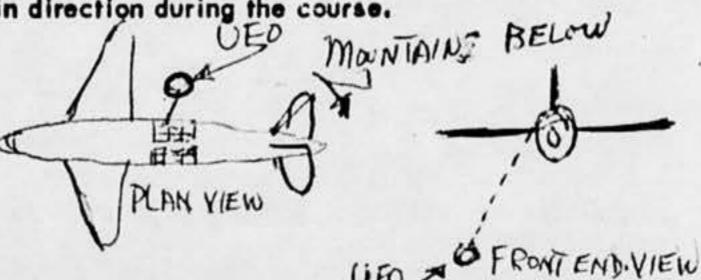
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30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object bef	fore. If so give date or date:	s and location.
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31. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the 31.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the ob-		Yes No
31.2 Please list their names and addresses:		
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32. Please give the following information about you	rself:	
NAME FITZGERALD LOST Name	WILLIAM First Name	MICHAEL 3 JR.
ADDRESS 1057 CRANE DRIVE	FAUS CHURCH	Zone VIRGINIA
TELEPHONE NUMBER JE 4-2153	AGE # SEX	MALE
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33. When and to whom did you report that you had see JANUARY 1 Day Month		OR TED BURKEY AF- WASH. D.C.

34. Date you completed this questionnaire: 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. The UFO was sated by an unusual movement which raised my body exceptional ligh in the plane seats the bright, round & light was travelling in the same direction, and what appeared to be the same ground speed. They attention was drawn its the fact that the object, if not an unusual reflection from the average or ather source, was not undulating with respect to the vallage, hills, and depressione, as the object passed our the mountains alts path was straight and unwavering. It gave the impression of heiner transtruent, but not really so at the same instant, It appeared to be very close to the grounds the pilot banked the Jet to approx imately 150 down on the port side, appeared to make a slight change in heading to the left, at which time the object left my view, under the laid of the get. The object was not in view when the get returned to straight and level flight approximately 10-15 seconds later. I did not see it again. The precise location might be determined of the circline listess makes the announcement of delent to kulles airport at the same time each identices flight. my siting accured about 2 menutes after she made this amitancement, the object appeared as a flat Plane, with

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- This office is in receipt of a UFO report from the Jr of the falls Church, Virginia. His observation took place on 22 January 1965 near Elkins West, Virginia. The following information is provided in order that a reply may be made to him from your office.
- a. The above observation made from an aircraft has been evaluated as a solar image by Dr J Allen Hynek, Air Force Consultant to Project Blue Book. While rare, this unique phenomena has appeared before, and one occasion it was photographed. This phenomena occurs only at certain angles with the sun and the reflecting surface is a thin layer of ice crystals in the atmosphere. This layer is transparent and not visible from the aicraft.

FOR THE COMMANDER

HECTOR QUINTANILIA, Jr

Major, USAF

Chief, Aerial Phenomena

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YOU - THE NUCLEUS OF SECURITY!

LACES CHINEL THE T 27 January 1965 Dear Mr. Major Ted Burkey requested that we send you the attached FTD Form 164 which is used for zoporting a UFO observation to the Air Force. The form should be completed as fully as possible and returned to this office for analysis and evaluation. You will be advised of the conclusions reached by the Air Force upon completion of the investigation. Sincerely, MASTON M. JACKS Major, USAF Public Information Division Office of Information 1 Atch FTD Form 164 Falls Church, Virginia phone

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?	2. Time of day. 13.35 13.30 Minutes
27- JANUARY 1965 Day Month Your	(Circle One): A.M. or (P.M.)
3. Time Zone; (Circle One): a. Eastern b. Central c. Mountain d. Pagific e. Other	(Circle One): a. Daylight Soving b. Standard
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