

Mailed 10/1/45

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1 Your name and address: Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Witt, Mt. Ida, Ark.

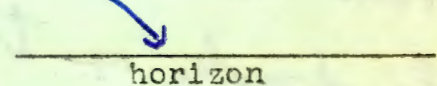
2 Meteor appeared at Sundown on Sep. 17, 1945
hour minute date

3 Place you were when you saw meteor: Mt. Ida, Ark.

4 What was the duration of its flight in seconds? About 1 second.
(A good watch ticks 5 times a second.)

5 At what altitude did you 1000 ft. Last see it?
first see the meteor? Last see it?
(Use degrees of arc and give angular distance above horizon.
It is 90 degrees from the horizon to directly overhead. The
North Star is about 30 degrees above the horizon. The Big
Dipper "pointers" are 5 degrees apart.)

6 In what direction did you S.W.- Last see it? West.
first see the meteor? Last see it?
(Drop a perpendicular from the beginning point to the horizon
and give the direction where this line cuts the horizon.
Do the same for the ending point. Give directions to nearest
point of the compass.)

7 Draw an arrow for the meteor, to show
the angle it made with the horizon: 

8 If the meteor was low in the sky, did it seem to reach
the horizon? yes.
Did it go behind a building, trees or hill before it went out?
Behind a hill -

9 If the meteor was high in the sky, did it seem to go nearly
overhead? no.-

10 If the sky was dark and you know the constellations, describe
the meteor path with reference to the stars:
It was about Sundown. - not dark.

11 If a train was left after the meteor disappeared, how long
did the train last: 30 mins
State color, shape and motion of train:

12 Did you see the meteor burst? yes
Did you hear any sound of explosion? no If so, how long
after seeing the meteor until the sound was heard?
(If some seconds, rehearse your actions with a watch in hand
and report the time as measured.)

13 Color of meteor itself: Silver and red -

14 Brightness of meteor (like a bright star, a bright planet,
or the moon?): star,

15 If the meteor had a noticeable size, did it look as large as
the moon: no.-

(Use reverse side for other comments or sketches.)

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