

Strange Light Observed From Home Near Lake

Mrs. Rodney K. Johnson went into her kitchen Friday night as the clock struck 10.

The Johnson home, just northwest of Lake Beaverfork, was in darkness. "All at once, the house was full of light; I thought the hill was on fire," she recounted.

As Mrs. Johnson went to her living room to investigate, she looked out her south window and in the sky "I saw this blazing thing. I thought it might have been a jet. It was like the sun was right in front of you."

For approximately 10 minutes, Mrs. Johnson said she observed the strange light which hovered motionless south and a little west of her home. Later, she said the light slowly went down beyond the horizon and disappeared.

What was it? Mrs. Johnson wasn't quite sure. Her best description of it was that it was round and had fringes and ribbons of flame extending out from the circle of fire.

Mrs. Johnson admitted she was "startled" by the light.

Mrs. Johnson said her husband, asleep in another part of the house, had a loaded camera available, but she did not wake him during the episode.

Unidentified flying objects were reported sighted at night several weeks ago by persons in various parts of Faulkner County.