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A1446, South Carolina

21 November 1952

I. Description of Incident

On 21 November 1952 at 1600 EST, two heavy equipment operators working in the Savannah River AEC installation observed one round, glaring red, object with no tail, which appeared to be traveling at high speed. The object faded from view in the ESE after being in sight for about 30 seconds. It appeared to be losing altitude when it disappeared. No sound was heard.

II. Discussion of Incident

The description of the reported object fits the typical fireball or large meteor.

III. Conclusion

Probably a fireball.

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