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Ex-Airman Sees 'Saucer' East of City

Traveling at a high rate of speed, an object resembling a "flying saucer" swept across the sky east of Wichita Falls and disappeared in a matter of seconds in the direction of Lake Wichita Friday morning according to a retired airman.

Staff Sgt. E. H. Hare, retired, twenty-day Worthington whose 20 years in the armed forces included service in both fighter and bomber-then-all units as well as with the field artillery, saw the object.

Hare estimates the "saucer" was traveling at least 1,000 miles per hour. "Faster as fast as any jet I ever saw," he said. Hare estimated the altitude of 1,000 feet to 2,000 feet at the time he was watching.

He described it as "about half the size of a normal saucer" with metal color and bright, shaped like a saucer and angled slightly as though banking.

It was the former airman's view about five seconds, he said. Hare started to call for someone to look "but it was too late."

Hare saw the object from the home of his brother-in-law, E. V. Turner, at 400 Star Avenue, near the east edge of the city, about 10 a. m.

The retired airman estimates the object was about a mile east of him when he first sighted it.

Others who first drew him to sight in the sky of the late Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hare, who were visiting day relatives north of the city.

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An object resembling a "flying saucer" swept over the area at 1,000 miles per hour Friday morning and disappeared in the general direction of Lake Wichita, according to a retired Wichita Falls citizen with 20 years service.

Staff Sgt. E. H. Hare estimated the size of the object to be "about half the size of a normal saucer" plus "like a saucer" and bright and shaped as though banking.

Hare said he saw the object from the home of his brother-in-law, E. V. Turner, 400 Star Avenue, near the east edge of the city, about 10 a. m.

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