

"Saucer" identified as meteor

A "flying saucer," which more than a dozen people in two States said they saw on Wednesday, was identified in Sydney today.

The Government Astronomer (Mr. Harley Wood) said it was a meteor.

"In fact," he said, "two of the descriptions we had of the saucer were the best we have ever had of a meteor."

The "flying saucer" was seen about 7 pm on Wednesday by persons in Brisbane, Glen Innes, Gladstone (NSW) and in Homebush.

Mr. Harley Wood explained: "The meteor would be about 80 miles up, and travelling faster than 25 miles a second.

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That is the reason why it was
seen over such a wide area."