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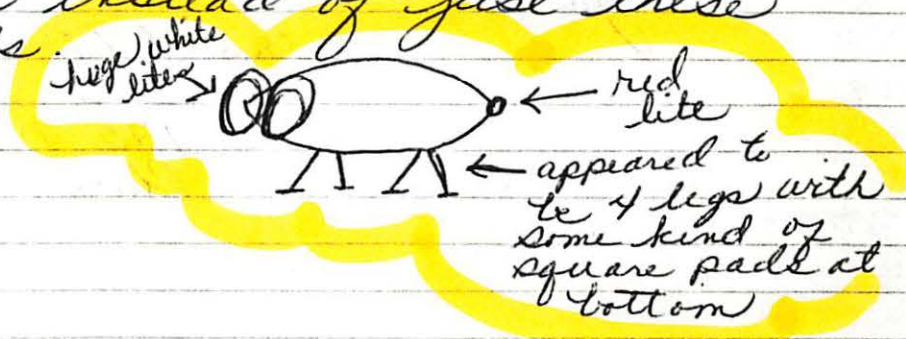
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Dear Sir,

I'm writing to request any literature or information you may have on UFO's. My husband and I are very interested in anything you or anyone else connected may have.

He had the most frightening experience we've ever had on March 14. He was snowmobiling at the time with another couple and noticed a very bright orange glow in the sky. Suddenly the glow went out and turned to what seemed to be two huge headlights with a red lite behind (almost like a car but the headlight were so bright and out of proportioned) This thing then approached us at an unknnowledgeable speed, stopped over the top of us and ~~suddenly~~ suddenly dropped straight down to about tree top level. At this time it was visibly clear to get an actual look at it to make out what the structure looked like instead of just these huge lights.



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us for awhile and suddenly
vanished. A few minutes later
it appeared again as an orange
glow and went off into the distance.
A few days later Professor Bostrack
from the University of River Falls
contacted us to investigate it farther.
(As he is involved in investigating
UFO's) Since March 14 he has
been down here several times, also
around the area. As I'm sure you've
probably heard on the news and papers,
there has been many many of these
UFO's in the Plum City Area. One
Sunday night there were as many
as 8 of them but only 2 landed
out on a hill behind our house.
Professor Bostrack describes it as
a lapse. He said it is a character-
istic of UFO's. The last one we saw
was last Tuesday night.

Please send us any information
you may have. And any advice as
to what to do when this happens
again.

Thank You
Mrs. Ann. Gibson
120 Main
Plum City, Wisconsin

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NAME Mrs. Wm. Gibson DATE OF SIGHTING Nov 14 1975 LIGHT OR OBJECT? Both
 STREET 120 Main LOCATION Del. Area HOW LONG IN VIEW? 5-10 minutes
 CITY Plim City STATE Miss (715) LOCAL TIME AM 10:15 PM NUMBER OF WITNESSES 4
 ZIP 54761 PHONE 647-2874

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CENTER FOR UFO STUDIES
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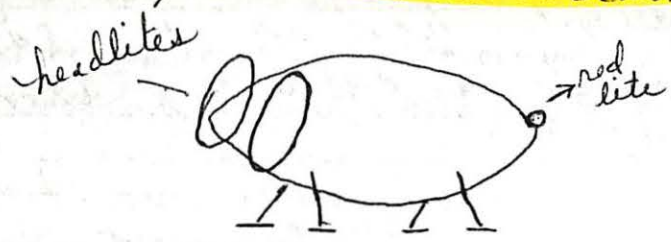
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Please relate your experience below, enclosing any maps, pictures, sketches or newsclipping you feel may be helpful. Please print or type.

ANY PHYSICAL EFFECTS?

[PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE]

My husband & I & another couple were snow-mobiling one night. The just came out of a woods & into a field & stopped to have a break. All of a sudden a big orange glow appeared quite high in the sky (east). All of a sudden the orange ~~color~~ went off & 2 huge lites came on (appeared to be like headlites) in the back was a small red lite. He had a side view of it & it was just dead still as we were. He then got on the snowmobiles & started off. The minute we started to move this object turned toward us (then just the headlites were visible) and came at us at incredible speed (2 or 3 seconds to go 3 miles) It got over the top of us still high in the sky & just dropped straight down over us. This is when it was clearly visible. It looked like two coffee saucers put together. There were no wings or props or anything to that discription that would make it navigate. On the bottom of it were four stick like legs with a square pad on the bottom of each leg.



These headlites were just so huge they were way out of proportioned. She took off at top speed to the nearest farm house. To get to this house we had to cross a very very large field. As we were doing this over

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The object paced right with us. Suddenly it absolutely vanished. After about 2 or 3 minutes it appeared again in the distance as an orange glow ~~again~~ heading west.

Since this site ~~is~~ we have had many more experiences with them. For some reason out behind our house is a place where they seem to come out of the sky. They just appear. I've had many officers here to see them, airplane pilots, professors, photographers and news media. Many neighbors can give eye witness reports also. One Sunday nite there was as many as 8 of them. 2 of them touched down & landed.

If you would be interested, you could send a form to fill out to the following people. I'm sure you'll find them very interesting. These two particular people had similar experiences where a UFO came down on top of them.

George Wheeler ^(police officer)
Elmwood, Miss.

Mrs. Bud Forester ^(school teacher)
Elmwood, Miss.

This man had a red, white, & blue object the size of a 747 come on him in his patrol car. When it took off it went between 15 & 15,000 mph.

This woman had a similar UFO to the one we saw actually attack her in her car with her 3 children. One of the children now has a physical problem. It returned several different nites to do the same thing.

Please **CIRCLE** the appropriate answers to the questions below, whether they have been covered in the narrative or not.

WHAT WERE THE WEATHER CONDITIONS?

Clear Partly cloudy Full cloud cover Rain Sleet Snow
Smog Fog Hazy Windy

DESCRIBE THE AREA OF THE SIGHTING

City Suburban **Rural** Industrial Commercial Residential

DID THE SIGHTING OCCUR NEAR ANY OF THE FOLLOWING?

Reservoir Lake River Military Installation Power Station
Power Lines Other that you feel is significant? no

WHERE WERE YOU WHEN YOU FIRST OBSERVED THE UFO?

Outdoors Indoors In a car In an airplane
Were you looking through: no
Screen Glass Double Glass

WHAT WERE YOU DOING WHEN YOU FIRST OBSERVED THE UFO?

Lying down Sitting **Standing** Driving

HOW DID THE UFO COME TO YOUR ATTENTION?

Someone called it to your attention Heard a sound Animals reacted
Saw the object move **Saw a light** Electrical Interference Don't know
Other _____

WHERE WAS THE LIGHT OR OBJECT WHEN FIRST SEEN?

High in the sky Tree top level On the ground
How high was it? Not sure, hard to estimate - maybe 2 or 3 thousand feet at first
How far away was it? About 3 miles at first
How fast was it moving? unlockable speed for a while as it approached

WHAT WAS THE APPEARANCE OF THE UFO?

How large did it appear? 2 cars side by side, only circular
Shape round & saucer shaped
Was it clearly outlined? definitely yes
Did it separate into parts? no

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1. Name MRS. W.M. GIBSON Place of Employment _____
 Address BOX 104 Occupation HOUSEWIFE
PLUM CITY Date of birth 1-27-50
WISE Education _____
 Telephone 647-2874 Special Training _____
 Military Service _____
2. Date of Observation MARCH 14, 1975 Time 10:00 AM PM Time Zone Central Standard Time
3. Locality of Observation EXILE, ELMWOOD AREA
4. How long did you see the object? Hours 5 min Minutes 0 Seconds _____
5. Please describe weather conditions and the type of sky; i.e., bright daylight, nighttime, dusk, etc. NIGHT-VERY CLEAR
6. Position of the Sun or Moon in relation to the object and to you. Object - ^{EAST} ~~SOUTH~~ MOON - ^{WEST} ~~NORTH~~
7. If seen at night, twilight, or dawn, were the stars or moon visible? YES CLEARLY
8. Were there more than one object? NO If so, please tell how many, and draw a sketch of what you saw, indicating direction of movement, if any.
9. Please describe the object(s) in detail. For instance, did it (they) appear solid, or only as a source of light; was it revolving, etc.? Please use additional sheets of paper, if necessary. SOLID with lights
10. Was the object(s) brighter than the background of the sky? YES
11. If so, compare the brightness with the Sun, Moon, headlights, etc. 3 TIMES brighter than headlights
12. Did the object(s) - (Please elaborate, if you can give details.)
 - a. Appear to stand still at any time? yes
 - b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time? yes
 - c. Break up into parts or explode? no
 - d. Give off smoke? no
 - e. Leave any visible trail? no
 - f. Drop anything? no
 - g. Change brightness? yes
 - h. Change shape? no
 - i. Change color? yes
13. Did object(s) at any time pass in front of, or behind of, anything? If so, please elaborate giving distance, size, etc, if possible. no
14. Was there any wind? no If so, please give direction and speed.
15. Did you observe the object(s) through an optical instrument or other aid, windshield, windowpane, storm window, screening, etc? What? no
16. Did the object(s) have any sound? yes What kind? smooth motor How loud? quite loud heard over snowmobile
17. Please tell if the object(s) was (were) -
 - a. Fuzzy or blurred.
 - b. Like a bright star.
 - c. Sharply outlined.
18. Was the object -
 - a. Self-luminous?
 - b. Dull finish?
 - c. Reflecting?
 - d. Transparent?
19. Did the object(s) rise or fall while in motion? yes
20. Tell the apparent size of the object(s) when compared with the following held at arm's length:
 - a. Pinhead
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 - c. Dime
 - d. Nickel
 - e. Half dollar
 - f. Silver dollar
 - g. Orange
 - h. Grapefruit
 - i. Larger

Or, if easier, give apparent size in inches on a ruler held at arm's length.

21. How did you happen to notice the object(s)? *bright lights to large to go un noticed Mrs. Kitchner pointed it out when it was orange*
22. Where were you and what were you doing at the time? *snowmobiling*
23. How did the object(s) disappear from view? *vanished then reappeared & slowly disappeared*
24. Compare the speed of the object(s) with a piston or jet aircraft at the same apparent altitude *2-3 miles in 5-10 seconds then complete stop*
25. Were there any conventional aircraft in the location at the time or immediately afterwards? *no* If so, please elaborate.
26. Please estimate the distance of the object(s). *3mi. then hovered over top of us*
27. What was the elevation of the object(s) in the sky? Please mark on this hemisphere sketch? *first then*
28. Names and addresses of other witnesses, if any.

*Mr + Mrs. Michael Kitchner
Maiden Rock,
Wisconsin*

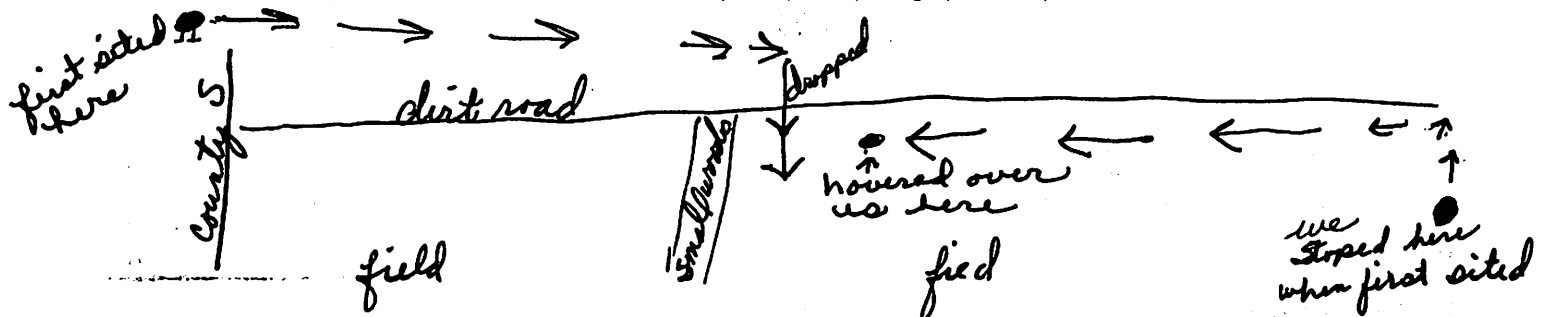
29. What do you think you saw?

- a. Extraterrestrial device?
- b. UFO?
- c. Planet or star?
- d. Aircraft?
- e. Satellite?
- f. Hoax?
- g. Other? (Please specify).

30. Please describe your feelings and reactions during the sighting. Were you calm, nervous, frightened, apprehensive, awed, etc.? If you wish your answer to this question to remain confidential, please indicate with a check mark. (Use a separate sheet if necessary)

first calm then apprehensive then when I got a clear view of it & could distinctly make it out I went beyond the point of being scared when it was hovering over us.

31. Please draw a map of the locality of the observation showing North; your position; the direction from which the object(s) appeared and disappeared from view; the direction of its course over the area; roads, towns, villages, railroads, and other landmarks within a mile.



32. Is there an airport, military, governmental, or research installation in the area? *no*
33. Have you seen other objects of an unidentified nature? If so, please describe these observations, using a separate sheet of paper. *no*
34. Please enclose photographs, motion pictures, news clippings, notes of radio or television programs (include time, station and date, if possible) regarding this or similar observations, or any other background material. We will return the material to you if requested. *no (seems to be the same one as Mrs. Bud Forester saw)*
35. Were you interrogated by Air Force investigators? By any other federal, state, county, or local officials? If so, please state the name and rank or title of the agent, his office, and details as to where and when the questioning took place. *no Pierce County Sheriff's Dept March 14*
- Were you asked or told not to reveal or discuss the incident? If so, were any reasons or official orders mentioned? Please elaborate carefully. *no*
36. We should like permission to quote your name in connection with this report. This action will encourage other responsible citizens to report similar observations to NICAP. However, if you prefer, we will keep your name confidential. Please note your choice by checking the proper statement below. In any case, please fill in all parts of the form, for our own confidential files. Thank you for your cooperation.

You may use my name.

Please keep my name confidential.

37. Date of filling out this report

Signature: *Mrs. Wm Gibson*

March 18, 1975

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1. Name Mrs. Michael Kitchner Place of Employment Chippewa Valley Area Hospital
Address Rt. 1 Box 195 Occupation Nurses Aide
Main St., Wisc Date of birth 10-8-48
Telephone 448-2655 Education
Special Training
Military Service

2. Date of Observation March 14, 1975 Time 10 AM PM Time Zone CST

3. Locality of Observation Exile Elmwood Area

4. How long did you see the object? _____ Hours 2 Minutes _____ Seconds

5. Please describe weather conditions and the type of sky; i.e., bright daylight, nighttime, dusk, etc. clear stars out night time

6. Position of the Sun or Moon in relation to the object and to you. object east moon west

7. If seen at night, twilight, or dawn, were the stars or moon visible? yes half moon

8. Were there more than one object? no If so, please tell how many, and draw a sketch of what you saw, indicating direction of movement, if any.

9. Please describe the object(s) in detail. For instance, did it (they) appear solid, or only as a source of light; was it revolving, etc.? Please use additional sheets of paper, if necessary. first saw red light then saw 2 large lights as it changed

10. Was the object(s) brighter than the background of the sky? yes

11. If so, compare the brightness with the Sun, Moon, headlights, etc. Brighter than headlights 2 or 3 times brighter

12. Did the object(s) - (Please elaborate, if you can give details.)

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Or, if easier, give apparent size in inches on a ruler held at arm's length.

21. How did you happen to notice the object(s)? *was sitting on snowmobile in yard*
to look over my red light when
out to Mrs Wilson, when she called me and pointed it


22. Where were you and what were you doing at the time? *snow making*

23. How did the object(s) disappear from view? *drove off on snowmobile so*

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25. Were there any conventional aircraft in the location at the time or immediately afterwards? If so, please elaborate. *no*

26. Please estimate the distance of the object(s). *2 to 3 miles away*

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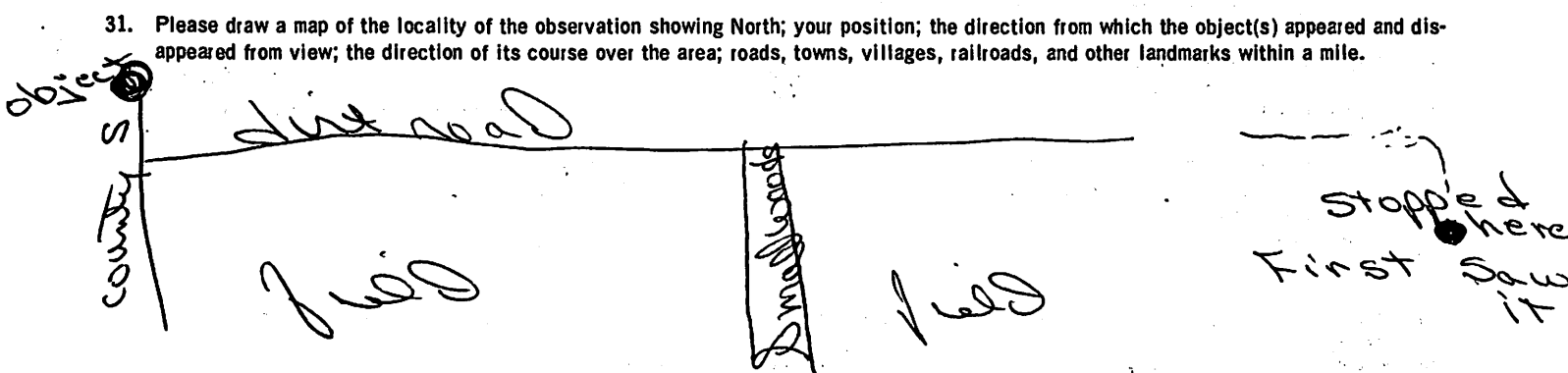
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I was nervous when I seen the large light



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37. Date of filling out this report *March 20 1975*

Signature: *Mrs Michael Kuchner*

Spring Valley Sun
MAR 27 1975

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Mrs. Gibson said that it was the most frightening experience she had ever had. When they got to the Bechel's, they ran into the house without even stopping to knock. The men went outside again and the UFO had gone up in the air and they could see the lights heading west.

The sheriff's office was notified and an officer came out.

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Ellsworth-Pierce County Herald

MAR 27 1975

UFO Comes Close To Driver on Road

"I was always an unbeliever," Mrs. Alfred "Bud" Forster of rural Elmwood said, "as far as UFO's were concerned, but I am not anymore."

It all started when she and her three children, Mary, 9, Ann Marie, 5, and Tom, 4, were returning home about 8 p.m. on March 2 from visiting her parents in Arkansaw. The Forsters live between Elmwood and Eau Galle.

They noticed what they believed to be a particularly bright star soon after they started out and she laughingly said they even sang "Star Light, Star Bright". As they continued homeward, she noticed the "star" seemed to stay right with them, but didn't think too much about it.

She went through Eau Galle and when she turned the corner near the Jack Baier farm, the bright "star" started dipping lower. She stopped the car and considered driving in the Jack Baier farm but told herself that she was just being foolish and continued on.

As she neared the Mrs. Carl Weber farm, the "star" was drifting just over the treetops and she decided to stop at the Weber farm. Mrs. Weber's son, Roger, was there with his two children, John and Laurie, and they all observed the light. He told her that it definitely was not a "star", but that it could possibly be some kind of satellite.

She was reassured and warning him not to tell anyone how foolish she was, she started for her home that was about three miles away.

She had gone only a very short distance when the object gently settled down in front of her car and appeared to be preparing to land. She said it looked like two saucers that had been put together and was white in color with lights all around it. The lights were not intense so they could look at it and see the stick-like legs that protruded from the bottom. She said it was not large. It appeared to be about the size of a car, but circular.

Different
Case in
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The children were very frightened and were screaming and crying and she put the car in reverse and backed to the Weber farm and blew the horn so that they would know that something was wrong.

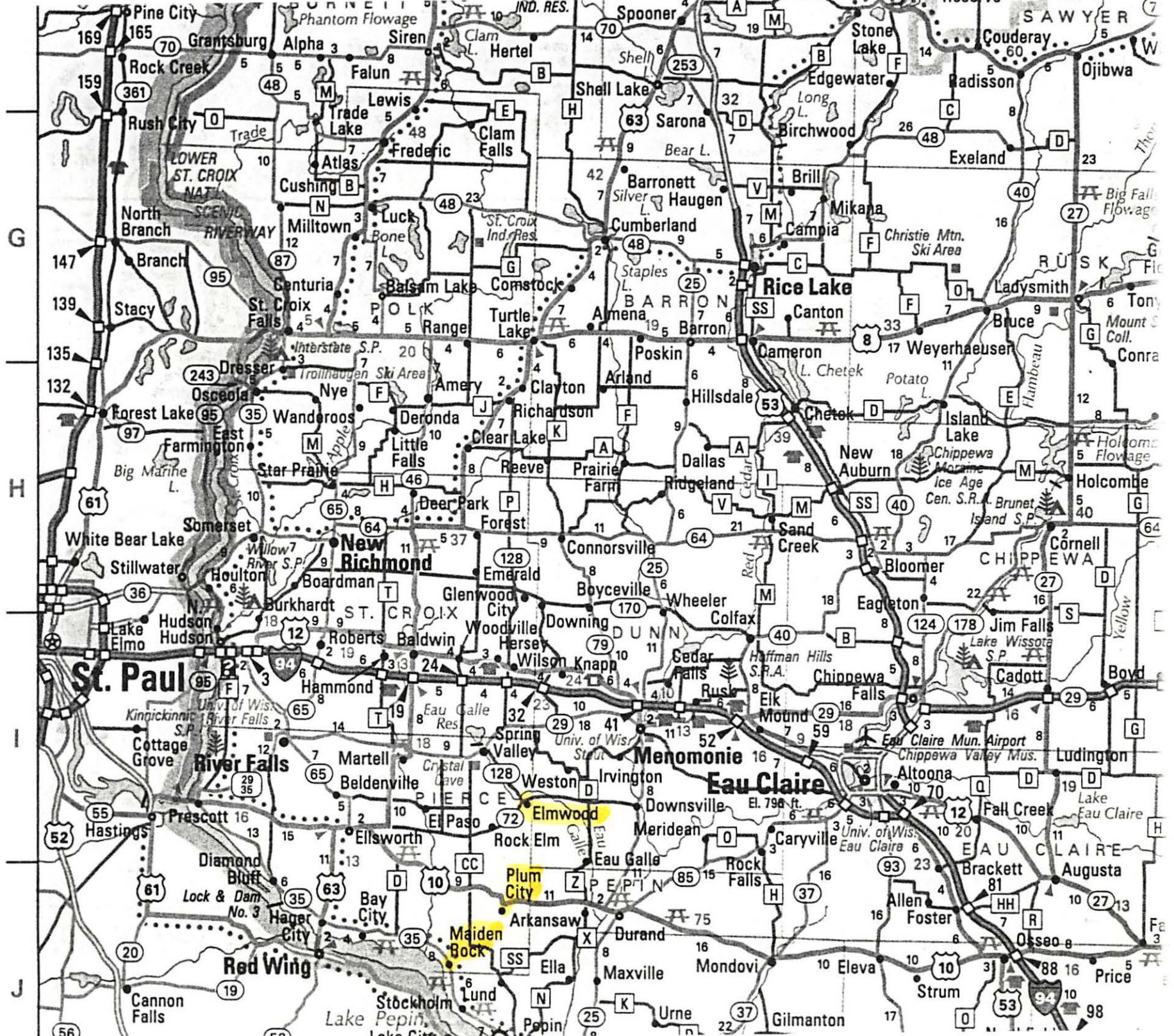
The object then rose in the air above the trees but was still visible to the Webers when they came out of the house to see what was the trouble.

Roger Weber took his car and drove in front of hers and saw to it that she and the children arrived home safely. The object did not come down again, but was still visible and reportedly its lights turned an orange color.

Mrs. Forster said she hesitated to tell anyone about her experience for fear they would think that she had just imagined it. However, she has found that there have been a number of people who have seen UFO's in the area the past few weeks.

Whatever it was, Mrs. Forster and her children would rather not have it settle down in the road ahead of them again.

Rand McNally map ©



Could you furnish us with Mrs. Forester's address?

*The address is
Mrs. Alfred Forester
RR Elmwood
Wis*

CENTER FOR UFO STUDIES
P.O. BOX 11 - NORTHFIELD, ILLINOIS 60093

J. ALLEN HYNEK
DIRECTOR

Dear Friend,

Thank you for reporting your sighting to the Center for UFO Studies. We hope that you will pardon this form letter and understand that due to our limited staff and the nature of our research organization, a personal response is not possible. All cases received are thoroughly read.

The Center is an association of scientists from major universities in this country and throughout the world involved in the serious study of the UFO problem. Reports are used for research purposes, only, and all personal information is considered confidential. The content of all reports is entered into a central data bank for permanent record.

I am enclosing some literature describing the Center for UFO Studies. Public education materials are available from the Center. A list of suggested books, a list of documents pertaining to the history of the UFO problem, a list of additional sources, and a list of recent reprints from various periodicals is available from the Center and may be obtained by sending a self-addressed, long stamped envelope to: LIBRARY SERVICES, Center for UFO Studies, PO Box 11, Northfield, IL 60093.

News Bulletins and summaries of Technical and Operational Reports are offered to donors to the Center. As the Center is a tax-exempt, not-for-profit organization, all donations are tax-deductible. Information detailing how to obtain these publications is included in the enclosed literature.

Thank you, again, for your assistance in our research.

Sincerely,

J. Allen Hynek
J. Allen Hynek
Director

Professor of Astronomy
Northwestern University

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Enclosure

June 17, 1975

Mrs. Alfred Forester
RR
Elmwood, WI 54740

Dear Mrs. Forester,

A witness to a UFO sighting in your area has told us about your very close encounter with a UFO this Spring. I do hope that you will not mind filling out our report form and returning it in the enclosed business reply envelope. All personal information is kept confidential, and sighting information is used for research purposes, only.

The Center is an association of scientists with a working interest in the UFO problem. We are a not-for-profit educational and research organization.

I thank you in advance for your assistance.

Sincerely,

J. Allen Hynek

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