

January 8, 1941

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Sir :

With reference to the Cunningham Comet and in answer to your queries, please be informed:

1. The Comet is expected to be visible to the naked eye about January 26, but you will not see it because on that day it will be below the horizon.
2. The Comet is to date near the constellation of Aquila, very close to the western horizon at sunset.
3. The Comet sets very near the same time as the Sun; it is not visible throughout the night.
4. The Comet is supposed to be at its maximum brilliancy about January 26, 1941.
5. The orbit of the Comet is not known; likewise, its period is not known; consequently, we cannot say when it will come again, if ever to the earth.
6. The brightness and the appearance of this Comet is far below the brightness of Halley's Comet in 1910.

Sincerely yours,

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Director, Weather Bureau