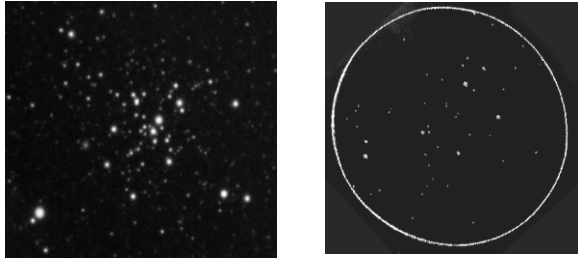


Astronomical Objects You Might See Tonight

Stellar Journeys – Larry McHenry

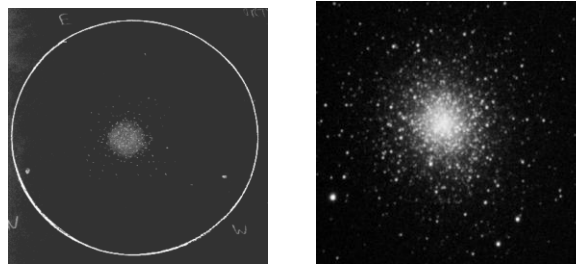
Open Clusters:

Loose collections of up to 100 stars



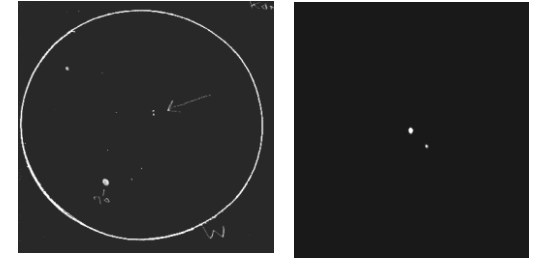
Globular Clusters:

Up to 1,000,000 stars swarming together



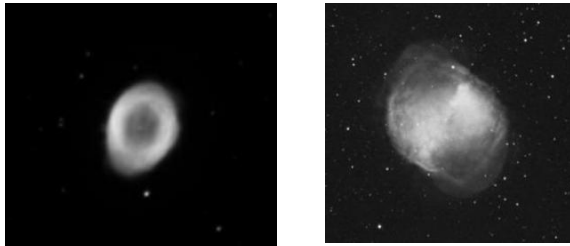
Double Stars:

Actual binaries or coincidental positions



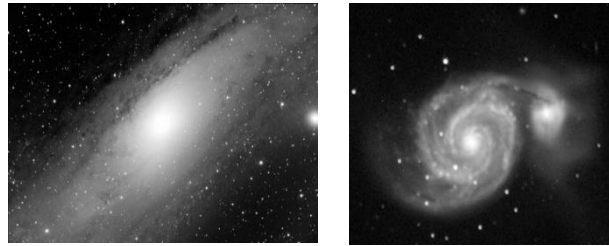
Planetary Nebulae:

Old stars that have blown-off their outer shells



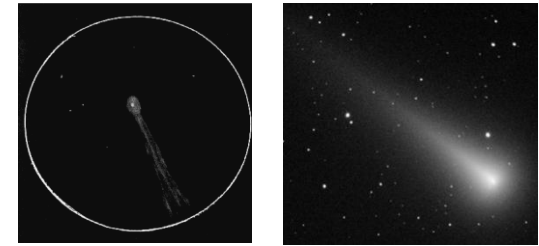
Galaxies:

Billions of stars like our own Milky Way



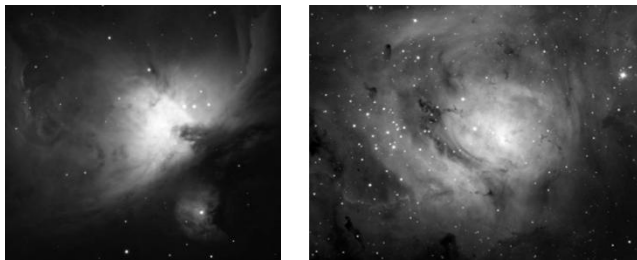
Comets:

“Dirty snowballs” emitting gasses and dust



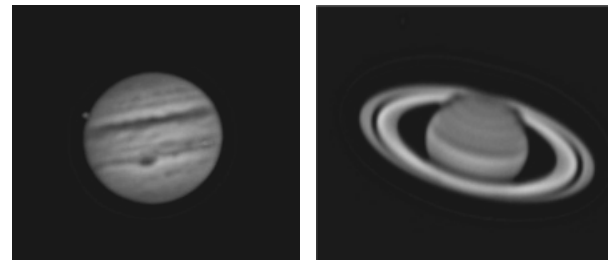
Diffuse Nebulae:

Gas clouds condensing into new stars



Planets:

Large spherical bodies like Earth, orbiting the Sun



Meteors:

Small rocks, grains of sanding burning-up in Earth's atmosphere

