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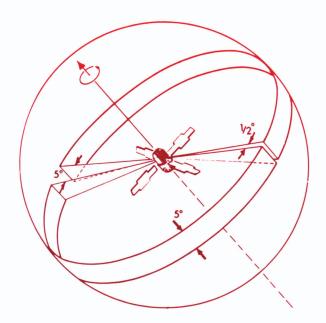
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Above: Uhuru X-ray detector.

Opposite: A black hole thought of as the collapse of a star leading to the formation of trapped surfaces, event horizon and spacetime singularity.

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TRAPPED SURFACE

T= 2 m
EVENT
HORIZON

SURFACE OF
STAR

INTERIOR OF
STAR

Front cover: Simultaneous X-ray-radio variability of Cyg X-1 suggesting the existence of a black hole.