

White Sphere is student prank — Chief Inspector

THREE days after its original sighting, by Mrs. Betty Davies of Nottingham, reports continue to flood in from all over the East Midlands about the mysterious white sphere.

Chief Inspector Jack Proudfoot appeared on ITV last night to dismiss claims that the photograph of the white sphere published in yesterday's papers is a UFO. "This is an elaborate hoax perpetrated by the students of Aston University", he asserted.

The Student Union today was unavailable for comment as most of its members had gone down for the Christmas holidays.

Television transmissions which it was feared would be disrupted, have so far remained unaffected.

