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FLAMING UFO IN GARDEN

A FIERY Unidentified Flying Object missed a house by inches and crashed into a garden yesterday.

Mrs. Myra Wheelan and her bus driver husband Alan were awakened by neighbours who saw an object about the size of a football burning in the Wheelans' garden at Maidenhead, Berks.

Mrs. Wheelan said yesterday: "Smoke seeped through the back door and went round the house.

Alarm

"We couldn't go outside until it cleared."

Neighbour John Miles, who raised the alarm, said: "I heard a sound like a pistol shot then saw the fire."

A fireman said: "None of us has seen anything like it. We think it's a meteorite."

The object has been sent to the Home Office forensic laboratory at Aldermaston, for examination.