

UFO sighting

AN EERIE sight over Dartford's Tree Estate has aroused new interest among UFO researchers. A *Times* reader spotted a faded object larger than a house edged with red, white and green lights at 7.30 pm one night last week. He and his children watched for a minute as two beams swept the ground as though in search of something. Suddenly, in complete silence, it sped off in the direction of Dartford Power Station.

The Royal Observatory had no reports of anything unusual that night but local UFO researcher Maureen Hall said there had been a sighting in the same area a year ago. This latest vision was possibly a helicopter checking electricity pylons, she said, but they would be delighted to hear from anyone else who saw the mystery object. Mrs Hall can be contacted on Dartford 75973.