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Strange sight in the sky

A COUPLE from Tytherleigh had a close encounter last week.

Marion and Stan Sampson watched in disbelief as they followed a UFO across the night sky.

"The flying saucer was as big as six full moons comprising a circle of about a dozen lights as big as a grapefruit," said Mrs Sampson. "It was quite low, about 3,000ft."

Spotted

The mystery object was spotted at 10.30 pm last Sunday and travelled from the Axminster direction across the sky to Chardstock, Tytherleigh and Chard.

"If Yeovilton did not see this they must have very poor lookouts," said Mr Sampson.

Now the couple hope others will corroborate their sighting. Any other witnesses should contact them at Culverfield, Tytherleigh.