

MYSTERY FLASH IN SKY

A MYSTERY object which exploded in a flash over the Atlantic yesterday was seen by two jet airliner pilots.

The pilots, both Americans, saw the object about 200 miles West of Land's End.

They said it "turned from blue to a red flame, leaving a white trail extending about 100ft. behind."

A Pan American Airlines spokesman in London said: "Perhaps it was the booster part of a Russian satellite."