

Air Alert in N.S.W.

"UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT SIGHTED"

Sydney, May 27.—Air raid sirens sounded the alert in Wollongong and Port Kembla this afternoon. In Sydney there was no alert, but chief wardens in the city were given a standby order to-night. An army spokesman said to-day that a precautionary alarm was given when an unidentified object was sighted, but identification was established almost immediately and the "all clear" was given.

It was officially reported that the National Emergency Services functioned satisfactorily. There was no panic among civilians, who left the streets to safe refuge in business premises, while factory employees went to the shelters provided.