

## "Flying Saucer" Seen Near Tumut

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Anderson, of Tumut, state that they saw a flying saucer whilst driving along the Brungle road towards Tumut about four miles from the town on Tuesday afternoon last.

In an interview with a representative of the "Adelong and Tumut Express," Mr. Anderson, who is the well-known gunsmith of the firm of Pidsley Bros. & Anderson, of Tumut, stated that he was driving along the road at 3.45 p.m. when his wife drew his attention to an object in the sky about 600 yards away and to the left of the road.

"I believe that the object was a flying saucer similar to those seen in other parts of the world," stated Mr. Anderson. "It was about 25 to 30 feet in diameter, 8 feet high and was shaped like the top of a mushroom. It had no doors or windows and was not spinning around."

Immediately he saw the object Mr. Anderson said he stopped the car, jumped out and grabbed his rifle, which is equipped with a telescopic sight, and was able to bring the object much nearer than he could see it with his naked eye.

"I watched the object for about a minute and a half," said Mr. Anderson. "It appeared to be bright aluminium on the top and painted black underneath, which was slightly concave. I could distinctly see riveting and plating up the sides of the object, which was hovering and only moving at about 10 to 20 miles an hour. It had no doors or windows nor propellers and was completely silent in its movement."

Mr. Anderson said the "saucer" came towards them for a while and then turned and went from view behind a tree. They jumped back in the car and drove along hoping to get a better view, but the object disappeared. He could have shot at the "saucer" with his high-powered rifle but it never occurred to him at the time as he was completely overcome with curiosity and amazement.—"Adelong & Tumut Express."

[When stories of "flying saucers" first came to be told by persons who claimed to have seen them, the nar-

claimed to have seen them, the narrators were suspected as being "cuckoo." But since then the saucers have been stated to be the result of a new scientific invention, but mostly kept secret for some reason or other. Of late, articles have appeared on the

subject, and there is no longer any reason to question the existence of these strange engines or weapons, or whatever they may be intended to be. If one should come over Corowa district, as is likely any time, it is to be hoped that someone shoots it down, then we may be let into the mystery and secrets of these strange new "aircraft"!—Ed. "C.F.P."]