

Mysterious Object Beats Jets

MITCHELL F I E L D
(A.A.P.).—A mysterious round flying object traveling at nearly 900 m.p.h., was chased for 30 miles yesterday by two U.S. Air Force jet fighter pilots who failed to catch it.

Reporting this from Mitchell Field, near New York, the pilots (Lieut. Rogers and Capt. Ballard) said they were flying a jet training aircraft when they sighted the object over Sandy Hook, New Jersey.

"I don't know if it was a flying saucer, but it sure was something I've never seen before," said Rogers. "It could not have been a weather balloon either because it was descending and no balloon goes that fast."

They lost sight of it when it turned out to sea.