

## **New type of flying saucer**

**WASHINGTON (A.P.)**—The U.S. Army is experimenting with flying saucers—to supply troops in the field with water, petrol and other liquids.

It announces that disc-shaped containers made of synthetic rubber have been dropped from altitudes of 400 to 2000 feet without bursting or spilling their five-gallon contents of liquids.

When they hit the ground the Army said, they stretch to almost double their normal size, bound back into the air and then settle down near the point of contact.

Tests have shown the containers may be dropped many times without damage.

The Army described these honest-to-goodness, junior-sized flying saucers as looking like inflated pancakes, about two feet across and weighing five pounds.