

# **N.Z. CLAIMS "FLYING FOOTBALL"**

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A flying saucer, "shaped like a rugby football with the back end cut away," according to one observer, was seen over Hamilton, in the centre of the Waikato district, shortly after 9 p.m. on Sunday.

It was seen by a number of witnesses, including a Baptist minister, the Rev. F. H. Carter, who said it was a solid, bright object followed by a stream of vapour and sparks.

It was steady in its course, could not have been a rocket, and was nothing like a meteor.

A woman who saw the object from a window said

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it flashed parallel with the  
horizon across the sky at  
tremendous speed.**