

JET FIGHTERS CAN'T CATCH GHOSTS OVER WASHINGTON

Australian Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Sunday.—Jet fighters last night tried to intercept unknown objects over Washington after they had been spotted (for the second time in a week) by radar.

No direct contact was made.

The Air Force said between four and 12 unidentified objects were observed by radar and two jets were ordered up to make a check.

They were guided to several of the objects.

One pilot reported sighting four lights about 10 miles in front and slightly above him, but he had no apparent closing speed and they disappeared before he could overtake them.

Later the same pilot

reported a steady light that disappeared in about a minute.

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In daylight four giant B36 bombers gave Chicago a scare by flying low over the city in a simulated raid.

Their engines caused a tremendous racket and switchboards of newspapers and radio stations were jammed with inquiries from alarmed residents.