

# “SAUCER” JOINS IN EXERCISE

LONDON, Sat (AAP).

—A “flying saucer” entered “Operation Mainbrace” manoeuvres to-day.

The Royal Air Force station at Topcliffe (Yorkshire) reported to exercise headquarters that a silver object, circular in shape, appeared five miles behind a Meteor fighter flying at 15,000 ft.

The object maintained slow forward speed before descending with a swinging pendulum motion.

When the Meteor turned back towards base, the ob-

ject appeared to follow suit.

The object then began a rotary motion about its own axis, suddenly accelerated at incredible speed in a westerly direction, but later turned to a south-easterly course.

Royal Air Force officers and men who saw it said its movements were not identifiable with anything they had seen in the air.

An RAF spokesman said: “The report is being investigated.”