

— World News In Brief —

Canada Said To Have 'Flying Saucer'

U.S. top defence scientists are conferring with Canadian officials in Toronto on Canada's super-secret "Project Y," a "New York Times" correspondent reported yesterday.

The report said that "Project Y" was Canada's blueprint for a disc-shaped fighter aircraft which could reach 1500 m.p.h. after a vertical take-off.

The report added that the scientists had viewed a 40-foot model of the jet-powered disc, the pilot of which sits in a stationary plastic bubble around which the engine revolves.

Take-off probably would be from a type of catapult and the wheel-less craft could be "pancaked" to a landing.

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Pessimistic

IN a 90-minute address on foreign affairs yesterday the Indian Prime Minister (Mr. Nehru) — usually optimistic — expressed for the first time doubts about the possibility of a peaceful settlement in the world.

settlement in the world. "We live in a precarious state between hope and fear," he said. "On the one hand there are the atom bomb, the hydrogen bomb

and now even talk of a cobalt bomb. At the same time there is the prospect of an infinitely better life than ever before. The choice before the world is between these two. Mr. Nehru said nearly all the people of the world obviously wanted peace. "And yet I must confess that recent events have made me slightly doubtful of any permanent settlement in the near future," he said.

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Quads Returning

THE Australian quads, Judith, Phillip, Mark and Alison Sara sailed for home yesterday with their parents on the liner Himalaya. They had been in England eight weeks to visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Holmes, of Chiswick, London.

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High Praise

TEN-year-old Allan Schiller played Mo-

L Schiller played Mozart's piano concerto G at a concert in Leeds last night with Sir John Bar-

birolli conducting the Halle orchestra. Later, Sir John said: "A genius? It's hard to say but if he isn't a genius he is the nearest thing to it. He is the best I have heard in my career."

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Together Again

AVA Gardner and Frank Sinatra were back together again yesterday after a brief cool spell. The actress and her crooner husband were reunited at the Riviera night club in Fort Lee, New Jersey, where Sinatra is performing. It was reported yesterday that Sinatra's mother arranged the reconciliation.