
WAS THIS A "SAUCER" OR A BALLOON?

LONDON. — An Air Ministry spokesman said in London today that a strange object which bore resemblance to popular notions of the "flying saucer" could have been a meteorological balloon.

FLEW HIGH

A Kent Army Radar unit reported an unidentified strange object flying high on November 3rd.

A British War Office official last night said the mysterious object had been tracked for 10 minutes on an army radar screen.

BURST OVER CHANNEL

The Air Ministry said today

The Air Ministry said today that a meteorological balloon had been released in the same area on November 3.

The balloon had risen to 57,000 feet, crossed the coast, and later burst over the English Channel.

"This could have been the object seen on the army radar screen" a spokesman said.
