

## Second "flying saucer"

**M**ELBOURNE, Sunday.—A spherical shaped object trailing vapor was seen flashing across the sky at a terrific speed over Box Hill, Melbourne, at 2.30 p.m. today.

It dived from about 3000 feet toward what appeared to be a large balloon.

Then they both disappeared. The mystery objects were seen by A. Heinrichs, a journalist, and his wife.

Air Traffic Control at Essendon said the first object could have been a balloon released from Laverton R.A.A.F. aerodrome at 2 p.m.


"We have radar sweeping the sky 24 hours a day and

nothing unusual was recorded today," the control officer said.

Only aircraft in the area at the time was a plane doing skywriting. Today's sightings were the second in three days.

Heinrichs said: "What myself and my wife saw was not the skywriter — or like any plane I have ever seen."

The "saucer" seen above the Yarra Valley on Friday



by an A.N.A. pilot, Capt. D. Barker, is now thought to have been a model plane.

Garry Sunderland, of Melbourne said he was flying a 6ft. wingspan glider with a friend at Templestowe 15 minutes before the "saucer" was sighted. "It got away and when we last saw it it was 1000 feet high heading away from Templestowe."

He said the plane's wings would seem to be transparent giving the effect of sunlight shooting through it.