

FLYING SAUCER AT HARTS RANGE ?

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Something streaked across the sky in the Harts Range area very early one morning recently with a strange high-pitched noise. Some who have heard the report believe that Central Australia has been visited by a "flying saucer."

The report is the first of any kind in the N.T. and is suggestive of the current "flying saucer" stories. They have been "seen" in Australia recently, but this is the nearest we have come to having our own "saucer."

Four aborigines were witnesses to the strange sound. It was about 5 a.m. in the morning and the sky was clouded over, so that whatever past overhead was not seen.

Very uneasy about the incident the four men immediately went to the camp of Mr. Mark Mitchell and his wife to report. They said that the sound was not that of a plane, and they have heard many planes. Apart from sound, the object was travelling too fast. The natives claim that whatever it was

... natives claim that whatever it was, and it sounded to be just above the low cloud, it shot across at tremendous speed, but they heard it coming and going for several minutes.

Mr. Mitchell stresses that he did not hear the sound, but is positive that the men heard something strange, because they are reliable memotional types. They were plainly intrigued and their first thought had been to go to someone who may be able to tell them what it was.

The "Advocate" checked to see if the sound could possibly have been a jet plane, but no aircraft passed that way at this time, or during the week of the incident.