

# **TO BE BELIEVED, PEOPLE MUST DEFINE SAUCER'S NOISE**

**M**MELBOURNE.—If you see a “flying saucer” you'll have to describe some sort of accompanying noise if you want your claim to be taken seriously by aeronautical scientists.

Superintendent of the Commonwealth Aeronautical Research Laboratories L. P. Coombes said that a flying object would emit some noise.

## **“CONSIDERABLE SOUND”**

A flying saucer would have to have some sort of engine, either internal combustion, jet or turbine, and any of these would make considerable sound.

But what if the engines were turned off and the plane was gliding?

There would still be noise, said Mr. Coombes.

## **EDDIES SET UP**

No matter how aerodynamically perfect the plane was, its passage through the air would set up eddies which would emit sound waves.

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**And what sort of sound would a gliding flying-saucer make?**

**Mr. Coombes said he didn't know.**

On the other hand, Department of Civil Aviation Superintendent of Air Traffic Control in Melbourne R. M. Seymour asked all people who had seen unidentified aerial objects to tell the department.