

Two Men Claim They Saw

Flying Saucer

A Warracknabeal agent and a Warracknabeal bank manager are certain they have seen a flying saucer.

Estate agent, Mr. N. Tosh, and manager of the Warracknabeal Branch of the Commercial Bank (Mr. Dickson) were returning from a trip to the Grampians on Sunday when they saw the object.

It was noticed at about 9 p.m. by Mr. Dickson's eight-year-old daughter. Mr. Tosh stopped the car.

Mr. Tosh said they clearly saw a bright light which seemed bigger than a star crossing a star cluster to the south west of their position in the general direction of Horsham.

The light appeared to be travelling much faster than an aeroplane. Mr. Tosh estimated that the light took about one minute to pass across the star cluster.

Mr. Tosh said he knew nothing of astronomy and the only way he could identify the star cluster was he thought it was the one that children referred to as "the hen and chickens"—there was one bright star in the group surrounded by several dimmer

rounded by several dimmer and what appeared to be smaller stars.

After the "saucer" had passed the group, it remained visible for about another minute and disappeared in a south westerly direction.

They intend to report the phenomenon to the Department of Aviation.

"Men should be encouraged to develop the widest possible diversity of tastes, talents, and pursuits."—Mr. Justice Barry, Victorian Supreme Court.