

"SAUCER" SCARE IN LONDON

LONDON, July 8.—London had its own "flying saucer" scare today when thousands of people stopped in the streets to watch a mysterious silver object floating high in the sunshine. It was variously described as pear-shaped and boomerang shaped.

Meteorological experts studied the thing for over an hour from the roof of the Air Ministry building. Then came the official explanation.

It was a 60ft. wide balloon released by scientists at Bedfordshire for cosmic radiation research. It carried photographic plates, and was expected eventually to reach a height of 100,000ft. before the timing apparatus would drop the scientific equipment by parachute somewhere in Western England.

Cap for Dollery — Australian Keith Dollery was presented with a Warwickshire County cap after skittling four of Gloucester's last seven batsmen for eight runs. His team won by 28 runs.—London message.