

PILOT CHASED A FLYING SAUCER

Perth Thursday

FOR hours today the small population of Mundingjong stared into the sky at a small luminous object darting about, but never far from one spot.

"A flying saucer." The word went round like wild-fire.

People from nearby Mardella soon heard of it and they too looked up and saw it.

Then word reached Perth and the R.A.A.F. at Pearce, thirty miles to the north, were told.

A Senior Flying Officer was on a training flight in a Vampire jet fighter, so the R.A.A.F., always interested in flying saucers, radioed him to investigate.

But he could not close on the object — it turned out to be Venus magnified by air currents.

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