

# Flying Saucers Claimed At Moparrabah

Mrs. Victor Farrell, of Moparrabah, had an unusual experience on Monday afternoon, when she saw two shining objects gliding over the tree tops about half-a-mile from her home, which is about 24 miles west of Kempsey.

The objects, which appeared to be made of aluminium, shone like burnished silver, and appeared to be about 6 feet long and 4 feet wide said Mrs. Farrell.

Mrs. Farrell, in reporting the matter to the "Macleay Argus", said the first object came into view about 3.50 p.m., and glided with an undulating motion in a southerly direction.

Just ten minutes later, at 4 p.m., a similar object came into view and followed the same direction as the first, till it disappeared from sight.

"I never thought I'd live to see a flying saucer", said Mrs. Farrell, "but these two objects certainly did not resemble aircraft, and I heard no sound".

Mrs. Farrell said she had called her grand-daughter, Miss Margaret Crotty, from the house to witness the phenomena, and Miss Crotty was equally astounded and mystified by the unusual

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Mrs. Farrell said the objects appeared to be about half-a-mile from her home, gliding rather than flying, and travelled at a much slower pace than modern aircraft.

Mr. Don O'Neill, Kempsey Aerodrome, when informed of the incident, promptly rang Coff's Harbour Aerodrome, but the officer there said he had no knowledge of

any aircraft that would be in the vicinity of Moparrabah yesterday afternoon.

Mr. J. Faulkner, O.C. at Coff's Harbour, contacted headquarters in Sydney. Mr. Hepburn, Regional Director of Civil Aviation, said the authorities were very interested in the report made by Mrs. Farrell, and asked that she be requested to forward a written statement on the mat-

ter, which Mrs. Farrell has agreed to do.

Mr. Hepburn said a special committee had recently been appointed to investigate reports of unusual objects in the sky, following receipt of several well authenticated reports of unusual and unidentified objects in the sky at various points on the North

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coast in recent weeks.