

WORLD NEWS IN BRIEF

## **Report of "flying saucer circus" from France**

A "FLYING SAUCER CIRCUS" has visited the skies around Lyon, France according to four separate reports from eye witnesses.

One farmer, 28-year-old Yves David, of Chatterault, insisted he was actually touched by a "burbling" creature in a spacesuit who paralysed him momentarily with a green ray and made off in a trail of sparks. Dr. M. Martinet, of Chambéry, a former artillery observer, backed up by 15 witnesses, said he saw a dark grey mass hovering over mountains at an altitude of about 6000 feet. The doctor said that when the grey mass lost height it appeared "in the shape of a plate bottom side

up," light in colour with dark patches all round. Then it "shot away like lightning and disappeared," Dr. Martinet said.

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### **Loan discussed**

**T**HE Australian Treasurer (Sir Arthur Fadden) has held preliminary discussions in Washington with

CUSSIONS IN WASHINGTON WITH  
World Bank officials about a  
new loan to finance Australia-  
lian development. Australian  
so far has borrowed a total  
of 204 million dollars (about

£91 million) in three loans.  
Australia still has more than  
half her last loan of 54 mil-  
lion dollars (about £24 mil-  
lion) to spend between now  
and next March.

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### New missile

THE U.S. Army Secre-  
tary (Mr. Robert Ste-  
vens) announced yester-  
day that modest produc-  
tion of a new long-  
range ground-to-ground  
guided missile called the  
"Redstone" would begin  
soon. The missile was  
developed by the same

German scientists who  
produced the V-2 rocket.

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### Body washed up

POLICE believe the body  
of a man washed ashore  
at Castricum, Holland, yes-  
terday is that of English  
Channel swimmer Ted May,  
who has been missing since

... who has been missing since he left Cape Gris Nez on September 8. The body was found on the North Sea coast. It was clothed in black bathing trunks with red stripes and a compass was attached to the wrist.