

## **MYSTERIOUS FLYING OBJECT IN FRANCE**

**PARIS, Thursday. —** Military authorities at Metz, eastern France, are investigating an army report of an object "like a flying Christmas tree decoration."

The object was held for three hours in the beam of a searchlight operated by soldiers at the army stand of a fair. The soldiers said that the object, about 50 metres across, remained stationary at an altitude of about 10,000 metres.

Meanwhile, with other reports in France of flying saucers, flying tea-cups, flying mushrooms and flying bells, came the story of a 15-year-old boy who said he met a "flying cigar" piloted by a man who spoke to him said the man told him "You can look at it, but don't touch."