

NOWRA PILOT SAW 'FLYING SAUCERS' HERE

SYDNEY, Thursday: Royal Australian Navy radar experts are keeping a close watch for unidentified objects following a recent report by a Navy pilot that he saw two "flying saucers" in the Goulburn area.

The first report of the incident was given at the Nowra Fleet Air Arm Station yesterday, but officials would give no further details.

A Navy spokesman refused to comment further to-day, beyond saying that pilots and radar operators had been alerted to watch for unidentified objects.

It was stated yesterday that a pilot reported three months ago that he had seen the two objects while flying a Sea Fury at night near Goulburn.

He said the objects were lighted and travelled faster than his aircraft. They passed close by.

The pilot reported the objects to Nowra station by radio and radar operators then tracked two other objects besides the plane in the area.

There were no other planes in the area at the time.

The report is still being hushed up, but further inquiries are being made.

IMMEDIATE INQUIRY

An immediate inquiry had been ordered by the Navy Minister, Mr. Francis, into the report of the objects.

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Professor Harry Messell, Professor of Physics at Sydney University, said to-day that if flying saucers existed it was "stupid" to believe they came from outer space. He believed they were part of secret military manoeuvres.
