

Investigating "Saucer" Reports

CANBERRA, December 16.—
"Flying Saucers" reported by a
Nowra fleet air arm pilot are
being investigated by naval
headquarters in Melbourne.

Pilot Lieutenant O'Farrell
saw two objects which he took
to be flying saucers when fly-
ing at night over Goulburn
(NSW) on a return trip to
Nowra.

He told authorities at the
Nowra air station and base for
the fleet air arm that he saw
what appeared to be lights of
two aircraft when flying about
285 miles an hour. He said the
saucers flew on each side of
him, circled his plane, then
drew rapidly away.

At his request, a Nowra
radar crew fixed his position
and reported back. The screen
showed the echo of another
object moving alongside his
Sea Fury.

This is the first known case
in which an unidentified object
in the sky has been confirmed
by radar.

Authorities ascertained that
there were no military aircraft

in the vicinity at the time.