

Five Pilots Tell Of Flying Lights On Pacific Flight

SAN FRANCISCO, Sunday (A.A.P.-Reuter). — Five trans-Pacific aircraft pilots, flying separate planes, reported seeing a group of “extremely bright lights” flying at high speed over the ocean yesterday.

A Pan-American spokesman here said the first report of the unidentified flying object came from Captain George Wilson, commander of a DC-7C flying from San Francisco to Honolulu.

“They were extremely bright lights,” Captain Wilson said.

“They approached us at approximately 21,000 feet altitude.

“They were closing in rapidly. The objects then headed south. After about 10 seconds all of the lights

10 seconds all of the lights disappeared," he said.

He was about 840 miles from Honolulu at the time.

Shortly after his report, two other Pan-American pilots radioed that they had seen a similar thing.

Captain Noble Sprunger, bound from Los Angeles to Honolulu, reported seeing the objects a little further to the south from Captain Wilson's position.

The other Pan-American pilot who sighted the object was Captain E. G. Kelley, who departed San Francisco for Honolulu half an hour ahead of Captain Wilson.

The Pan-American spokesman here said pilots of a Canadian Pacific Airlines craft and a Slick Airways cargo plane also reported seeing the objects. All were bound for Honolulu.

In Los Angeles the director of the Amalgamated Flying Saucers Club of America said the lights were "merely one of the thousands of confirmations of flying saucers."

Mr. Gabriel Green, attending his organisation's first convention in Los Angeles,

convention in Los Angeles, said, "These confirmations have been occurring for the last 12 years and are proof that flying saucers are real.

"It is proof that space people are coming here to assist us in our problems."