

# The Thing goes flash in the night

By Daily Mail Reporter

A GREAT ball of fire "travelling at fantastic speed over the water" was reported by two policemen on the promenade at Porthcawl, Glamorgan.

They saw it at 11.45 p.m. on Sunday. Police authorities revealed their report last night after consulting the Air Ministry.

The fire-ball, which bore three jagged horizontal black lines, disappeared in a white flash.

At Tenby, 45 miles away, coast guards about the same time saw "a great flare" out to sea and called out the lifeboat. It searched in vain.

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