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The thing 3404 in the sky seen again in Devon

THE "thing," seen by two policemen in the sky near Okehampton, Devon, on Monday night has been up to its tricks again.

But this time it was not so daring and made only a brief appearance.

A police patrol car, with a Press photographer as a passenger, was out in a country district near Okehampton about 5 p.m. yesterday when a fiery object appeared.

"Those in the car had such a brief glimpse of the object that the photographer did not have time to get a picture," said a police spokesman.

Police-constables Roger Willey and Clifford Waycott, reporting on the previous incident, said a cross-shaped object appeared in the air behind their car while they were on patrol.

It was larger than an aircraft and radiated light. Flying low and sometimes at tree-top level, it followed the road the car was taking.

Hide and seek

Sometimes it travelled at great speed and then hovered as the patrol car approached. The car gave chase and then a second object joined the first and they disappeared together.

The game of hide and seek covered 17 miles and lasted fifty minutes.

There have been similar reports from various parts of Southern England, and the minister of defence, Mr. Denis Healey, is being pressed by Mr. Peter Mills, Conservative M.P. for Torrington, to make a statement.

Some people believe the unidentified objects are British secret weapons being tried out. Some experts put the blame on Venus.