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Policemen say they saw a UFO land

By CLIFF SADLER

GWENT POLICE have a mystery they would dearly like to solve — did a UFO really land in the county yesterday?

There are two policemen who are certain that one did. They have put in an official report that they watched a strange pulsating object in the sky for half an hour — and that it appeared to make a landing. It was the third reported UFO sighting in the county in just over a week.

There were no marks reported afterwards to indicate that a UFO had actually landed, nor was it possible to pinpoint the exact spot.

Police constables David Holder and Graham Banks were fascinated and flabbergasted at what they saw.

Chief Inspector Keith Harris of the Monmouth sub division gave details of their report. "They were on patrol in Goldwire Lane, Monmouth, when they saw a strange light in the sky. It was 4am," he said.

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"It was about the size of a star and flickered blue and white with occasional red flashes. It was briefly seen to split into three white lights and then back into one light.

"It was moving from left to right, up and down and in both clockwise and anti-clockwise circles. They watched it for approximately 20 minutes.

"Then two red lights were seen to fall from the object towards the ground."

At that point they moved their position to Rockfield Road to get a better view.

"They saw it move upwards very quickly, rising at approximately 45 degrees. It then disappeared. Two or three minutes later they saw a bright flash of light in the ground area where the two red lights appeared to have fallen," said the chief inspector.

This, the police constables believe, was the landing of the UFO.

A minute or so later they saw a bright blue light at the spot. It then soared into the air and moved off to the north-west. The time was then 4.30am.

On September 14 a report was made to the police that an object with a pulsating bright light flew over Cwmbran.

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