UFO over British A-Bomber Base

Air Ministry Baffled

A N UNIDENTIFIED flying object flew slowly over the airfield at Gaydon, Warwickshire, on Monday, October 21. This is one of the R.A.F.'s top atom bomber stations. The object was spotted by a night fighter pilot and was also picked up by ground radar. At 9.18 p.m. on that evening, Flying Officer D. W. Sweeney was flying a Meteor on a training exercise from R.A.F. station, North Luffenham.

He was at 28,000 ft. and flying west, when he almost collided with an object which was moving slowly and showed six lights. Flying Officer Sweeney was then over Gaydon, where atom bomb crews are trained in Valiants.

After avoiding a collision, he approached the UFO from the starboard side. The lights then went out and

the UFO disappeared.

Flying Officer Sweeney's report tied in with a radar sighting reported a few minutes earlier from R.A.F. station, Langtoft. This radar report confirmed that the object was at about 28,000 ft. over Gaydon. A check on military and civil aircraft movements showed that the Meteor was the only aircraft in the area at the time.

Object over Argyll Same Day

Forestry workers watched a UFO for five minutes as it flew over Succoth Forest, Dalmally, Argyll, Scotland. They spotted it in the middle of the morning. A silver object travelling slowly in a south-easterly direction. Mr. Robert Kilpatrick said: "There was no indication of wings or engines, and it made no noise before, during or after being seen."

Two other men also saw the object. One of them, Mr. Andrew Cameron, agreed that it was a silvery white colour, and that it made no sound.

SAUCER OVER GUIDED MISSILE CENTRE

U.S. Air Force officials confirmed that reports of an UFO near the Cape Canaveral guided missile test centre were under investigation. The object, oval in shape, appeared for the second time on the night of Monday, October 7. More than 12 people at a skating rink close by reported seeing it. One of those who saw it was Al Leonard of radio station WKKO. "I hate to say this, but it sure looked like what you might call a flying saucer," he said.

MALAY HAS ITS UFO

Tin miners, rubber planters, office workers and school-masters, living in a 100-mile belt across Central Malaya, reported that they saw on the night of October 27 a strange object in the sky which looked like a ball of fire before it disintegrated in the sea.

The managing director of the Pacific Tin Mining Company, Norman Cleveland, aged 56, said at first he thought it was a falling star, but it was too red for that. It left behind a white trail rather like a vapour trail from an

aircraft. This trail wavered, but remained in the sky for about 10 minutes.

Eighty miles away schoolmaster Mr. N. C. Thomas and a group of Malayan schoolboys had a similar experience.

The Meteorological Department and the R.A.F. at Kuala Lumpur were unable to give any explanation.

SCHOOL SENDS SIGHTING REPORT TO FLYING SAUCER REVIEW

A number of boys at Sevenoaks School, Kent, England, have spotted unidentified flying objects. Here is a report from Andrew Fenton, of Johnson's House, at the school: "Last night (October 31), at approximately 9.13 p.m., a group of boys was walking up Oak Lane when one of them noticed a bright yellowish-orange object passing in front of them. The object was in view for some 30 seconds, and when last seen was making over the horizon in a north-easterly direction. The elevation was approximately 66°, and the angle through which it turned was approximately 90°. The boys concerned say there was, in fact, a low droning sound in the sky at the time, but this was going in the opposite direction to the object, and faded out before it disappeared anyway. Weather conditions at the time were ideal, although from 9.15 p.m. onwards the high wind present kept alternately clouding and clearing the sky. This is not all. We talked about the sighting for about a quarter of an hour when the group arrived in the House. Then two strolled out to 'see what two could see.' To my intense disappointment the sky was just clouding over, but after half a minute, an object similar in appearance to the one seen twenty minutes earlier appeared from behind a tree, passed through the sky travelling E.N.E. with a constant velocity, and faded away into the mists of the cloud base which was presumably between 10.000-20,000 ft.

. . The size of the objects in both sightings was the size of a bright star. .

"But these are not the first sightings seen by Johnson's boys. At about 11.05 p.m. on September 21 a similar object, witnessed by five members of B dormitory, was seen to travel in a N.E. direction.

"However, up to date we now have twelve people in Johnson's who are prepared to swear on oath that they saw something inexplicable in the sky."