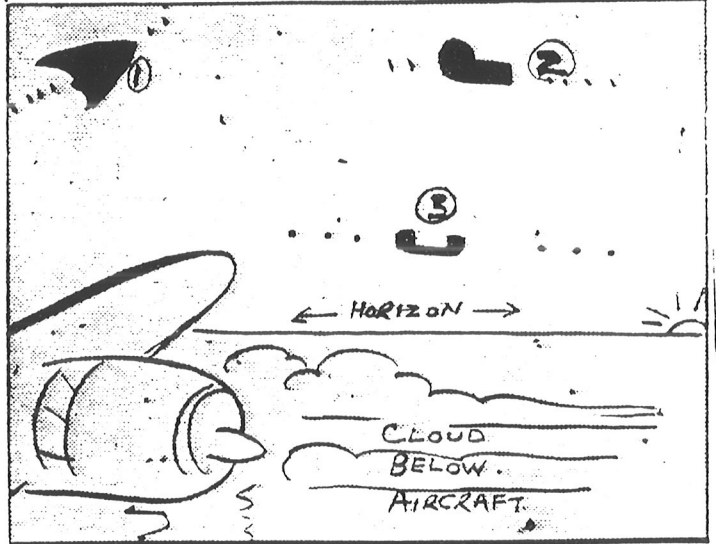


Pilot draws 'flying jellyfish'



By Daily Mail Reporter

THIS sketch of seven mysterious flying objects was drawn exclusively for the *Daily Mail* yesterday by Captain James Howard, 33-year-old pilot of the BOAC stratocruiser, who saw them at 19,000ft. over Goose Bay, Labrador, on Wednesday.

The centre machine he described as a "flying jellyfish" because it appeared to be constantly changing shape. His sketch shows the three main shapes. The six smaller blobs—"they were dots in comparison"—altered their positions, sometimes three ahead and three astern, at other times one or two ahead and the rest astern.

At his Bristol home, Captain

Howard said: "I'm still sceptical of the flying saucer theory, of piloted aircraft from other planets, and all the other tales. All I am willing to believe is what I saw and what my crew saw. Whether these objects were piloted craft or what they were I refuse to speculate. They were not like any plane I have seen before except for one short time when the larger object took on the shape of a delta-wing aircraft."

"In my 7,500 hours in the air, nothing like this has ever happened before. I am certain these objects were not the result of reflected light or mirages or any other usual phenomena one meets at high altitude. This really was something different."

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