

Saucers Appear Over Maillardville, BC

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The mystery of the "flying saucers" became more and more mystifying to local residents over the weekend as six persons, three of them residents of Maillardville, laid claim to having seen the flashing discs streaking through the sky at noon-time on Sunday (July 6, 1947).

Antoine Beauregard, painter, said he was working on a house during the afternoon and suddenly saw "a shiny aluminum disc" cross the sky "at a height of about 15 miles. "

"It was about 300 feet long, " said Mr. Beauregard. "My eyesight is very, very good, and I can judge distance and height accurately. "

A Columbian reporter who tried to catch up with Mr. Beauregard but he was not at his work. He was seen along Columbia Street early this morning but the reporter was unable to find him to get his story of the cavorting crockery.

Mrs. Beauregard said she knew little of what her husband saw.

"My husband said that he saw a shiny, round disc, bigger than most and sort of squared off on one side. (Interesting ! See descriptions of the crashed Roswell saucer - J. T.) That's all I really know about it. "

Others laying claim to having seen the "saucers" were Mrs. V. M. Bailey, Mrs. Edward Vere and Mrs. Carol Watkins, who were sitting on the steps of the Old Orchard Auto Camp about 4 p.m. Sunday when they saw "a cloud of dust like two small tornadoes on the hill toward New Westminster. "

According to their report, "three discs then pulled up from behind the trees."

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