

# **Victoria Strange Object**

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**"The latest strange object report comes from the first officer aboard the Chinoik, the Seattle-to-Victoria car ferry, and is vouched for by the quartermaster and lookout."**

**"This week they saw a bright light in the sky moving towards Victoria at about 2,000 feet."**

**"'It was moving from side to side and up and down much too sharply to be a plane, ' the officer said."**

**"The latest 'object' was too 'erratic to follow with binoculars and it was too dark to see any shape. ' "**

**"It came within a mile of the ship and then spiralled swiftly upwards through the overcast."**