

Army Pilots Searching for Mysterious 'Flying Discs'

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Army pilots were ready today for another search for the mysterious "flying saucers" now reported seen in 31 states and parts of Canada as practical jokesters added to the confusion.

Equipped with telescopic cameras, 11 Army planes searched the Pacific Northwest yesterday without finding any trace of the flying discs which had been reported over scores of communities the preceding two days. At Sioux Falls, S. D., a Coast Guard plane already in the air was ordered to investigate a silvery disc with a short tail which Gregory Zimmer said he saw shoot across the heavens. The pilot found nothing but empty sky.

The Army "camera patrol" over the Cascade Mountains yesterday included eight P-51 pursuit ships and three A-26 bombers.

There was growing belief that the concentrated aerial search would show the saucers to be optical illusions or the work of practical jokesters magnified by aroused imaginations.

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Island Control Plan Approved in Senate

WASHINGTON, July 7 (U.P.)—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee today unanimously approved a United Nations agreement giving the United States sole trusteeship over former Japanese mandated islands in the Pacific.

The approval came swiftly after Secretary of State George C. Marshall, Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson, Secretary of Navy James V. Forrestal, General Dwight D. Eisenhower, Army chief of staff, and Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, chief of naval operations, all had urged approval of the agreement.

Committee Chairman Arthur H. Vandenberg, R., Mich., told reporters he considered ratification of the agreement a "must" for Congress before it adjourns late this month.

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