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00:00:00,000 --> 00:00:28,160

Hi, neighbors.

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00:00:28,160 --> 00:00:30,000

This is Long John with the Party Line.

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00:00:30,000 --> 00:00:33,880

We're around from midnight to 5.36 m during the week.

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00:00:33,880 --> 00:00:37,200

Monday mornings we get started about one.

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00:00:37,200 --> 00:00:44,800

We continue through till 5.30, and that means we're around for 37.5 hours a week.

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00:00:44,800 --> 00:00:51,760

During the past week or last week, I mention quite often that we would have what I consider

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00:00:51,760 --> 00:00:58,600

to be a very, very exciting discussion this morning.

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Or maybe you think we're still in Monday.

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Actually, we're in the Tuesday morning already.

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First let me bring you up to date.

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Major Donald E. Kehoe, United States Marine Corps flyer retired and author of three books

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on UFOs commonly called Flying Saucers and presently director of National Investigations

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Committee on Aerial Phenomena of Washington, D.C., was a guest on the Armstrong Circle

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Theater Wednesday night, the 22nd of January, 1958.

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If you've been listening to the Party Line, you certainly remember that we discussed that

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particular telecast.

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We spent a lot of time on it.

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Now the show was scripted, and all guests and professional performers appearing there

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on are supposed to undergo two days of rehearsal and then read their lines from teleprompters.

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On the program with Major Kehoe were, first, its senior writer who sat in as a guest for

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Mr. Kenneth Arnold because Arnold refused to appear after the last rehearsal.

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Now Major Kehoe was allotted about five minutes immediately after the Air Force representative

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read from his teleprompter several statements that would confirm the existence of UFOs.

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Well now, wait a moment.

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At this point, some people may be a little confused.

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You may be under the impression that I have made the statement that the Air Force representative

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00:02:38,240 --> 00:02:43,840

led people to believe that there is an existence of UFOs.

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It was Major Kehoe's opinion.

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In fact, I think that he implied that these UFOs are coming from outside this earth.

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00:02:55,760 --> 00:03:03,960

Now Major Kehoe concluded his allotted time for the final 20 seconds with an ad-lib statement

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that was not in the script.

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00:03:07,360 --> 00:03:12,480

Now this statement was monitored from the air by at least two private citizens and recorded

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00:03:12,480 --> 00:03:15,120

by them on tape.

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00:03:15,120 --> 00:03:21,560

Unfortunately it was inaudible to the average listener due to the volume having been cut

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00:03:21,560 --> 00:03:29,360

down almost to the minimum at some physical point between the microphone being used by

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00:03:29,360 --> 00:03:36,040

Major Kehoe and the TV transmitter then being used.

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00:03:36,040 --> 00:03:40,280

Now this could have been at any one of several points.

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00:03:41,040 --> 00:03:45,800

However, this is what I consider to be very important.

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00:03:45,800 --> 00:03:56,040

Kehoe's statement, which faded at the 13th word, was finally cut off.

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00:03:56,040 --> 00:04:01,680

Now this is quite different technically from a fade.

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00:04:01,680 --> 00:04:05,640

Actually it was cut off two words before the end.

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00:04:05,640 --> 00:04:13,400

Now I have been told and I hope I am not wrong but to bring you up to date, this is supposed

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00:04:13,400 --> 00:04:20,280

to be part of the statement that you heard and part of the statement that you didn't

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00:04:20,280 --> 00:04:26,680

hear, which you may be hearing for the first time this morning.

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00:04:26,680 --> 00:04:34,800

Kehoe made this statement, I would like to make a disclosure that has never been revealed

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00:04:34,800 --> 00:04:37,440

to the public.

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00:04:37,440 --> 00:04:41,000

Now at this point, fade began.

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00:04:41,000 --> 00:04:46,040

In other words, the microphone seemed just like at home if somebody got up to your volume

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00:04:46,040 --> 00:04:49,520

control and turned it down slowly.

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00:04:49,520 --> 00:04:57,040

Now according to two private citizens, possibly many more, but two of them that knew enough

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00:04:57,040 --> 00:05:04,320

how to record this even at that low volume told me that this was the balance of the statement.

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00:05:04,320 --> 00:05:08,080

I will read it for you.

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00:05:08,080 --> 00:05:16,960

For the last six months our committee has been working with a Senate committee which is investigating

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00:05:16,960 --> 00:05:19,320

UFOs.

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00:05:19,320 --> 00:05:26,440

If the hearings are held in open hearing, I feel it will prove beyond doubt that the

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00:05:26,440 --> 00:05:29,560

flying saucers are real.

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00:05:29,560 --> 00:05:36,440

In order to secure the information we need, we suggest that all of the citizens write

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00:05:36,440 --> 00:05:40,840

to and at this point there was a true cut.

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00:05:40,840 --> 00:05:42,840

There was absolutely no sound.

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00:05:42,840 --> 00:05:50,840

Now according to a lip reader that contacted me, I have been told that the last two words

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00:05:50,840 --> 00:05:55,720

were your congressman.

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00:05:55,720 --> 00:06:01,720

Now no sooner had the video cut to Douglas Edwards, who was the emcee of the show, when

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00:06:01,720 --> 00:06:04,400

the telephones began to ring.

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Now actually a large number of viewers wanted to know what Keeho had said and they also

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00:06:10,000 --> 00:06:13,360

wanted to know what had happened.

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00:06:13,360 --> 00:06:16,800

Many of them naturally were crying censorship.

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00:06:16,800 --> 00:06:22,600

And within hours a series of statements were issued to the wire services.

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00:06:22,600 --> 00:06:26,480

To them attributed to CBS spokesman.

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And also a phone report was made by Irving Tunick, the writer of the show who sat in

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00:06:32,320 --> 00:06:33,880

for Kenneth Arnold.

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And of course actually I'm the one that received that report.

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00:06:38,360 --> 00:06:43,520

Now I've got a lot of things to sort of straighten out with you first so that you'll know exactly

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00:06:43,520 --> 00:06:46,920

what took place on that telecast.

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And of course we'll hear statements from Major Keeho and from many of the other people, but

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00:06:52,680 --> 00:06:57,560

before we get into that part of the discussion, let me take just a moment to talk about one

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of our sponsors.

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Now before we get back with our discussion and I might add that we'll be hearing from

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Cortland Hastings, Jules B. St. Germain, Major Keeho, in case you're not aware of this, Major

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Keeho is director of NICAP.

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National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena.

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They're located at 1536 Connecticut Avenue, Washington, 6 D.C.

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This is the non-profit organization.

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00:07:30,200 --> 00:07:35,600

Now before we get back into the discussion and I would suggest to you to call your friends

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00:07:35,600 --> 00:07:38,000

and neighbors and tell them to join us tonight.

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00:07:38,000 --> 00:07:42,960

At 710 in your dial this is WOR Radio, your station in New York.

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00:07:42,960 --> 00:07:46,720

It's important to have them with us because this is a very, very important discussion

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00:07:46,720 --> 00:07:47,720

this morning.

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00:07:47,720 --> 00:07:53,360

Believe me, that was a very, very exciting night because I know according to the letters

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00:07:53,360 --> 00:07:59,200

and telegrams that I receive, people were very, very concerned about the fact that Major

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00:07:59,200 --> 00:08:01,640

Keeho had been cut off.

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00:08:01,640 --> 00:08:04,560

That was Wednesday night, the 22nd of January.

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00:08:04,560 --> 00:08:09,960

Now we went on with the party line at midnight that night.

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I don't know if you call it that night or the following morning, but just in a matter

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00:08:14,480 --> 00:08:22,080

of seconds we were into the morning of January the 23rd.

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And we discussed that Armstrong Circle Theater telecast.

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It was sort of a documentary.

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It was about flying saucers.

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And I was quite amazed why Mr. Kenneth Arnold did not show up.

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00:08:37,200 --> 00:08:46,840

And however, in the morning of January 23rd, I received a telegram from Irv Tunick.

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00:08:46,840 --> 00:08:53,960

Now Mr. Tunick was the writer of the Armstrong Circle Theater for that particular telecast.

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Irv Tunick.

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00:08:55,760 --> 00:08:57,280

Now let me read the telegram.

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I have it in front of me now.

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00:09:00,520 --> 00:09:05,760

It's addressed to Long John Neville Radio Station WOR New York.

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00:09:06,520 --> 00:09:11,120

K, that's a funny thing, K. I don't know what K means for.

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00:09:11,120 --> 00:09:18,680

As a writer of Armstrong Circle Theater, extremely anxious to give you all the facts on the Keeho

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00:09:18,680 --> 00:09:24,080

incident, have been up since five.

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00:09:24,080 --> 00:09:33,800

And the need of sleep badly would appreciate your call if you really want authentic report.

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00:09:33,800 --> 00:09:42,560

Now at that time when I received that telegram, I contacted Mr. Irv Tunick at his home.

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00:09:42,560 --> 00:09:48,680

I might also say in the telegram he included his home phone number, which I have deleted

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00:09:48,680 --> 00:09:52,720

because I don't think it should be given out in the air.

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00:09:52,720 --> 00:09:56,880

Now we recorded that conversation.

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It was a beeper phone conversation.

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So that you can be brought up to date what Mr. Tunick had to say about that particular

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00:10:06,320 --> 00:10:10,920

telecast, we're going to play that back for you right now.

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00:10:10,920 --> 00:10:12,320

Do you have that set up, Tommy?

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00:10:12,320 --> 00:10:18,680

All right, let's hear that telephone conversation that I had with Irv Tunick, the writer of the

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Armstrong Circle Theater, on the morning of January 23rd.

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Hello?

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00:10:24,880 --> 00:10:25,880

Hello?

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00:10:25,880 --> 00:10:26,880

Mr. Tunick?

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00:10:26,880 --> 00:10:27,880

Hello, I'm Irv Tunick.

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00:10:27,880 --> 00:10:28,880

I'm Irv Tunick.

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00:10:28,880 --> 00:10:29,880

I'm also Irv Tunick.

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00:10:29,880 --> 00:10:32,880

Fine, Mr. Tunick, you know we're on the air on a beeper phone.

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That's great.

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All right.

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Is that all right, sir?

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00:10:35,880 --> 00:10:36,880

Certainly.

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00:10:36,880 --> 00:10:38,680

Fine, and unfortunately I did not get your number.

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00:10:38,680 --> 00:10:42,760

I had no knowledge of your call until this very moment when the telegram was delivered

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00:10:42,760 --> 00:10:43,760

to me.

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00:10:43,760 --> 00:10:48,880

All right, Mr. Tunick, are you aware of the fact that we've been talking about it today?

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Yes, I caught it coming home from the studio in my car.

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00:10:51,880 --> 00:10:52,880

Uh-huh.

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00:10:52,880 --> 00:10:59,880

I got home about 12.25, caught it that time, and very honestly I've just got the sense

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00:10:59,880 --> 00:11:00,880

of the strain.

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00:11:00,880 --> 00:11:01,880

I can understand.

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00:11:01,880 --> 00:11:02,880

Well, I'm sorry.

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00:11:02,880 --> 00:11:03,880

I didn't get that information.

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00:11:03,880 --> 00:11:06,880

Well, what actually happened, Mr. Tunick?

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00:11:06,880 --> 00:11:08,880

Well, let me give you the details first of all.

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00:11:08,880 --> 00:11:14,880

Let me correct you things that evidently reports coming to you were not quite right.

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00:11:14,880 --> 00:11:18,880

First of all, to my knowledge, Major Captain Rupel is not in town.

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00:11:18,880 --> 00:11:21,880

Is it to your knowledge, Rupel is not in town?

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00:11:21,880 --> 00:11:26,880

No, the last conversation we had with Captain Rupel was that he could not get a believe

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of absence from his position in California.

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And it was for that reason in Maine that he was not on the program.

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It was purely on his part.

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We originally did ask him to come and we would have liked to have him.

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Oh, I hope that I did not imply that you did not invite him.

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It was told to me that he was invited and that he was billed.

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00:11:51,880 --> 00:11:58,880

In other words, that he was programmed, but I have been told, and this I do not know from

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00:11:58,880 --> 00:12:03,880

Rupel, but I have been told that he did not want to go on the program the last minute

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00:12:03,880 --> 00:12:05,880

that he sent a wire and canceled.

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00:12:05,880 --> 00:12:10,880

I have no knowledge of any such wire in my conversation with Captain Rupel,

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especially rather in eagerness to come on the program.

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So, I know nothing further about any caligrams if any did arise.

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And as he was being in town, he is a surprise to me.

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00:12:22,880 --> 00:12:24,880

The last I know I spoke to him in California.

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00:12:24,880 --> 00:12:26,880

Kenneth Arnold is in town, is that right, too?

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Mr. Arnold came into town Monday.

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00:12:28,880 --> 00:12:29,880

I see.

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We brought him into town from Boise, Idaho.

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We had previously over a period of a couple of weeks made arrangements to him and his wife.

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We brought them both in and we put them up here in New York.

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00:12:42,880 --> 00:12:43,880

Yes.

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00:12:43,880 --> 00:12:45,880

He appeared every husband for two days.

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This morning, we received a telegram that he would not appear.

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And he did not appear.

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As a result, I had appeared here.

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You know, I kind of saw the inform.

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Well, Mr. Tuning, may I ask you this question?

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00:12:58,880 --> 00:12:59,880

Sure.

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Did he say in his telegram why he didn't want to appear?

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00:13:04,880 --> 00:13:08,880

Well, very honestly, and I'm being extremely honest, I did not see it coming at the telegram.

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00:13:08,880 --> 00:13:14,880

I understand that he sent telegram to the producer and to newspapers around town,

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00:13:14,880 --> 00:13:16,880

and getting his reasons.

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I believe he felt that there was not enough time being given to his side of the story.

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Now, in that regard, we have a signed statement from H.E.O.

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in which he states that our program was handled objectively and fairly.

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And that...

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Was this a statement that was signed after the program, sir?

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00:13:34,880 --> 00:13:38,880

No, it was a statement that was signed much before the program and on the end,

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00:13:38,880 --> 00:13:40,880

when we heard that Mr. Arnold would not appear.

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00:13:40,880 --> 00:13:41,880

Oh, I see.

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00:13:41,880 --> 00:13:48,880

Now, after the very, well, shall we call it, the FAT incident that occurred,

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00:13:48,880 --> 00:13:53,880

I worked very closely with the major, K.O. and if you call him incidentally,

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00:13:53,880 --> 00:13:59,880

I don't want to mention where he's staying, but I have that information and I can get it to you.

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00:13:59,880 --> 00:14:00,880

I'm sure he'll...

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No, no, give it on the air.

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00:14:01,880 --> 00:14:03,880

We're on the air now.

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00:14:03,880 --> 00:14:05,880

Yes, I won't do it.

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00:14:05,880 --> 00:14:07,880

But he will verify what I'm doing, you know.

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00:14:07,880 --> 00:14:09,880

I worked with him very hard.

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00:14:09,880 --> 00:14:15,880

He cooperated with me beautifully and I think I did the script more or less as he wanted it.

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When he went on the air, he began to make the statement as quoted by yourself

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and Mr. Sanderson...

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00:14:24,880 --> 00:14:25,880

Yes, I am Sanderson.

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00:14:25,880 --> 00:14:26,880

That's right.

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00:14:26,880 --> 00:14:30,880

He did make that statement at that time, the director and the producer,

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00:14:30,880 --> 00:14:36,880

working under CBS regulations had to flip the key and cut the audio

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00:14:36,880 --> 00:14:39,880

because we did not know what statement was coming out.

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The statement had not been approved by the continuity,

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00:14:42,880 --> 00:14:45,880

as you know, must be done on that work show.

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We did not know if the Senate subcommittee mentioned had approved this statement

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00:14:51,880 --> 00:14:59,880

and in view of that fact, and as I say, by regulation, they had to cut the speech

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00:14:59,880 --> 00:15:03,880

and no one felt worse about it than the people who had cast the program.

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00:15:03,880 --> 00:15:07,880

Well, then actually the next question that I would normally ask...

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00:15:07,880 --> 00:15:10,880

I cannot ask because you're not going to give it to me anyway.

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00:15:10,880 --> 00:15:13,880

In other words, you would not be in a position to tell me what he said

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00:15:13,880 --> 00:15:15,880

during the time that the mic was cut off.

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No, I was not being...

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00:15:16,880 --> 00:15:17,880

I understand.

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00:15:17,880 --> 00:15:21,880

I do know that following the show, I and S called

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00:15:21,880 --> 00:15:23,880

and he did give them the statement.

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00:15:23,880 --> 00:15:28,880

And also after the program, they again signed another statement.

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Yes.

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00:15:29,880 --> 00:15:33,880

In which he stated that he regretted the incident.

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He was not aware of these regulations.

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He had been committed a certain amount of ad lib during the course of his presentation

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and he did not realize that a statement such as this did not fall into the ad lib category.

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Mr. Tonic, I am a Johnny cum lately in this business.

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00:15:54,880 --> 00:15:57,880

I am much more lately in the flying.

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00:15:57,880 --> 00:16:02,880

I was never familiar with that ruling.

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00:16:02,880 --> 00:16:05,880

I mean, we don't have it in radio anyway.

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00:16:05,880 --> 00:16:11,880

Are you saying then that if I were to be interviewed by somebody on television

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00:16:11,880 --> 00:16:13,880

that we would have to have a prepared interview?

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No, no, no, no.

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00:16:14,880 --> 00:16:18,880

When you have an interview program, obviously it's an ad lib program.

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But when a program is scripted, must pass through continuity acceptance.

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Now you know that as well as I do.

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00:16:25,880 --> 00:16:29,880

And all of the material is placed on calipron.

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00:16:29,880 --> 00:16:35,880

Now obviously no one expects anyone to follow calipron word by word.

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00:16:35,880 --> 00:16:37,880

There is a certain line it's given.

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00:16:37,880 --> 00:16:42,880

However, then put yourself in this position if you're the potential other director.

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Yes, the statement comes out.

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I am now going to say something that has never been revealed before.

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You don't know what that statement is.

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You have no idea if it's been cleared by the proper authorities while being mentioned.

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If it's not been cleared by continuity acceptance,

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you are at the mercy of the person who is making the statement.

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And it's a general rule that at that time the director has no prerogative but to cut the show.

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Now this is a fact and we're still awful about it.

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This is not a matter of censorship.

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As it turned out, as I believe, this statement was fairly innocuous.

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And possibly might have gone just the way it was on the app.

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In other words, it was not a world-shattering statement.

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No, I don't think it was.

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You heard the statement, I didn't hear the statement.

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No, I was in the control room.

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Oh, you didn't hear it?

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No, you see we cut the audio and we lost it in the control room.

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Oh yes, that's true, I didn't realize it.

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So I do know that following the show, he's I.N.S. Gold.

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And he gave them the statement.

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But it was strictly a matter of routine.

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I mean it was not a question of any type of censorship.

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As a writer, I am very much sensitive to points of censorship.

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And I can assure you that this turned out if we do it one little bit,

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nor did the Air Force in any way control our program.

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The original idea for the program was our own.

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We said about it, just as we said about any other program,

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we were very pleased when the Air Force offered us cooperation.

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When they opened their files to us,

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as a matter of fact, I had the files in my home for a number of days.

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Working on the show.

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Mr. Tunick, I had just one more question.

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Yes, it doesn't bore your question.

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May I just correct one of the statements?

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Yes.

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Mr. Sanderson said it was cut off for a minute and a half.

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It was cut off for exactly 18 seconds.

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18 seconds.

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I think, I don't know, Mr. Sanderson made the statement.

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I know that I made it before I thought it was approximately a minute and a half.

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And I apologize.

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I was not timing it, believe me.

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Now if you would like to get Mr. Kehoe's statement,

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the peace sign, following the program.

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Yes.

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That statement would be available to you tomorrow

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if you call Talent Associates the producers of the show.

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What is the...

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Talent Associates.

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Talent Associates.

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Their address is 41 East 50th.

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I won't get the phone number.

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No, no.

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I can find that out.

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All right.

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I was just wondering why, in other words,

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I'm certainly not being critical because I am not a critic,

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but I was just wondering why on a program

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that was a documentary program

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and you had so many different angles

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of the flying saucers involved,

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how is it that somebody like Damseke or Mantasso,

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or one of the people who have made the claim

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that they've had a physical contact with Martians or Venugians,

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how is it one of those we're not put in the program?

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Well, a very good reason because we were suffering

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under what might be called a students' agency of time.

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I see.

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After all, Don Kehoe does make the point,

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and I think a valid point,

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that he did not have equal time with the Air Force.

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That was not because of any other reason except time.

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Yes.

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We are...

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Actually, we had to cut 12 minutes out of the show

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after our first crash.

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And that's the only reason, because we have no action to arouse.

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We're trying to prepare an objective,

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an espousal program.

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Mr. Tunick, another question comes out of my mind.

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That's if you had planned on having a physical contact

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with Kenneth Arnold on the program.

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We know that Repelt, he couldn't get away from his job,

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but you did bring Mr. and Mrs. Arnold into New York.

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Yes, Captain.

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And they were going to be on the program.

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Well, why not?

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No, no, no, no, no, no, no, no.

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No, they were going to be on the program.

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I mean, he was going...

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I'm sorry, sir.

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He was going to be on the program.

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What happened to the time that he was going to have on the program?

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I pinched him.

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I set in for him.

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Because it was done.

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You see, we had no notifications.

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He sent us a telegram, which arrived about one o'clock this afternoon.

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I'm familiar with the telegram.

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That's right, and we were caught.

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You know, after all, we're all on telepon,

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everything is set in the show.

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We were ready to go into our run-through.

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And suddenly, one of our guests just doesn't appear.

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Well, what do we do?

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We kind of jelly-rigged it.

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I set in for him and I read the lines.

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Right.

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As we caught.

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And we felt very badly about it.

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We do think that in all fairness,

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we should have been informed at least in person,

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not to be informed by a telegram.

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All right.

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I don't think your service was done to anyone.

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Matt, we got.

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Well, Mr. Tunick, I have on this meter phone

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an eight-second delay.

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Go ahead.

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And some of my guests here are only hearing our kind of call.

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My guests here are only hearing our conversation now.

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They're picking it up.

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So if you give me just a second or two,

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I just want to see if any of the others,

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they have headsets on.

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That's the way they listen to it.

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And I just want to find out if there's anything else

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that possibly Ivan or Charles Leedham

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or any of the other guests would like to ask.

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Oh, yes.

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One question that Ivan Sanderson has raised.

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Why wasn't Arnold's name mentioned by the Air Force?

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By the Air Force?

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I don't know why his name wasn't mentioned by the Air Force.

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The only reason that I think that Ivan brought that question up

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is the fact that he was former head

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of the United States Air Force Project Blue Book.

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You mean Rue Pelt?

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Yes.

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I thought you asked about Kenneth Arnold.

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I think you asked me if Arnold's name was mentioned.

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Why Rue Pelt's name?

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Yes.

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I have to give it to them in three minutes or I just don't know.

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I mean, it just didn't come up, but I recall at any time

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that they would mention him.

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I didn't know why they would.

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It's only was in no case deleted.

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Yes.

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Also, well, you've already answered the question.

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Ivan is once again writing me a note here

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and he was wondering,

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wait a minute, what's his name?

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Well, Ivan, just one.

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I want to pick this up a moment and finish this up with him.

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You want it?

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Yes, sure.

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Just a moment, Mr. Tonics.

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We have some difficulties here to get,

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but Ivan would like to talk to you a moment

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on the vapor phone to get some additional information.

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Just a moment, sir.

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Hi, Mr. Doosan.

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How do you do that?

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It's one thing I'm very interested in.

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I noticed that the gentleman, I think, from the Air Force,

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he kept on saying,

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he never mentioned Kenneth Arnold's name,

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but said that he was one of the pilots

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who was looking for a lost plane around about...

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Now, wait a minute.

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You have that little wrong.

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It was in my section that the Kenneth Arnold sighting

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was discussed, not in the Air Force.

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The Air Force, the...

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Oh, I'm sorry.

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I wasn't quite sure of which it was,

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because I haven't seen it.

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In other words, because Kenneth Arnold was not there...

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That's right. His name was not there.

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No, but not mentioned, I see.

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But there was the same person you were talking about,

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the pilot who was looking for the lost plane.

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Well, I don't want to get into any kind of illegal situation.

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Oh, oh, oh. I think about it.

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All right. I know.

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I'm sorry. I shouldn't have asked that.

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I just wanted to know if it was the same man,

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but I understand what you mean.

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You can obviously answer that question

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if you can answer the other one.

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Yes, John, again. Thank you, sir.

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All right.

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Well, Mr. Tunick, thank you very, very much.

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Very...

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I know. I'm kidding.

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I can't even touch you on this.

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May I thank you for the very kind words

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you had to say about the program as a whole.

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I enjoyed it.

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Well, that's very good. We're happy.

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And we really are very...

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We're sad that the situation had to come up

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because we thought it was a big good program

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that the audience would be interested in.

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And we don't want the audience to feel

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that they've been cheated in any way.

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Fine.

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We're an emergency emergency.

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Go understand that.

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Fine. Thank you very much, Mr. Tunick.

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Good night, sir.

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Well, that was the telephone conversation,

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beeper phone conversation that I had with Irv Tunick

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on the morning of January 23rd.

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Actually, that was the morning after the

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Armstrong Circle Theater telecast,

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the one that they had in reference to

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Flying Saucers with

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Major Donnelly Keyhole,

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and they were supposed to have Kenneth Arnold,

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but Mr. Arnold did not show.

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Before I continue along,

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and believe me, we've got some exciting things for you.

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Of course, we'll be talking with Major Donnelly Keyhole,

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Cartland Hastings, Jules B. St. Germain,

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and we'll get a lot of information.

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But before we get into that,

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let me take a moment to talk about...

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Now, getting back to our discussion of the morning,

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Kenneth Arnold is the man who

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really coined the phrase,

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Flying Saucers.

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This is back in the year of 1947.

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And Kenneth Arnold is a very respected person,

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a man who I might add is considered to be

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just about tops in his field,

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as not only a private pilot,

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but also a very keen businessman,

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and just about everybody in the Flying Saucer field

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has great respect for Kenneth Arnold.

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Now, Mr. Arnold, it had been suggested by

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Mr. Irv Tunick and Mr. Robert Costello

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of the Armstrong Circle Theater

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that he come into New York to participate in this program.

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And I'd like to add at this time

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that he was given a check for \$250.

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Just about three weeks ago,

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he sent me that check that was made out to him.

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He endorsed it over to the W-O-R Christmas Fund.

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He would not accept payment,

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although it did cost him a considerable amount of money

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to come in from Boise, Idaho,

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and he had hotel expenses,

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and his fee of \$250,

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he turned it over to my favorite charity,

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which happens to be the W-O-R Christmas Fund,

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and I think that that was a large sum, too, \$250.

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So again, I'd like to just say thanks to Kenneth Arnold

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for turning that check over to me.

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Now, the following day, again, January 23rd,

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I made every effort to get in touch with Kenneth Arnold.

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I may also say that I tried to get in touch with Major Keyhole,

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but that seemed to be impossible.

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I was told that Major Keyhole was not talking.

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I heard a lot of rumors, but actually Major Keyhole

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held a press conference,

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and I did not know about this until, oh, I'd say 10 or 11 o'clock

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in the morning.

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That is the morning of January 23rd.

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However, about 2 o'clock in the afternoon,

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I was fortunate enough to get in touch with Kenneth Arnold.

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I might say that I am very grateful to a lady

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who made the arrangements for me,

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and I am talking about Virginia Belmont.

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Virginia Belmont owns the Belmont Bird and Kennel shop

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in Radio City, and she made the connection for me

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giving Mr. Arnold my private phone number.

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He called me and I said to him that I would like to talk to him

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on the beeper phone so that our listeners could understand

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exactly what happened, and he said he was agreeable,

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and he permitted me to have his private phone number,

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and I called him on the phone, and I had the following conversation.

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So, Tommy, if you will please, Tommy Reynolds,

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that particular tape, that beeper telephone conversation

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that I had with Kenneth Arnold in the afternoon of January 23rd,

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I'd like the listeners to hear it now.

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Hello, Mr. Kenneth Arnold?

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That's right.

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This is Long John from W-O-R, sir.

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I'm very happy to have this opportunity of talking with you.

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I'm sorry, though, that you weren't able to join us on the program,

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but I was wondering, did you hear any of the program that we had on last night

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in reference to the Armstrong Circle Theater program?

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I did, Long John, and in fact I stayed up the entire night

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to hear the entire program.

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Well, believe me, I'm very proud, Mr. Arnold.

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Actually, we need the listeners, so we've added a couple.

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Mr. Arnold, I know you're a very busy man,

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but very frankly there's a couple of questions I would like to ask.

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First of all, a Mr. Irving Tunick, who is the writer of that particular program

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that was on the Armstrong Circle Theater last night,

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told me during a two-way beeper telephone conversation

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that the Armstrong people paid for you and Mrs. Arnold

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to come from Boise, Idaho to New York,

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and I understand they picked up the tab at the hotel,

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and that you rehearsed for two days, and at the end of that time,

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in other words, the day of the broadcast or the telecast,

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you sent a telegram and you failed to appear.

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Now, is that what happened, Mr. Arnold?

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That's right.

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In other words, you just failed to appear.

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That's right.

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Would you care to comment on that, sir?

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I think if I am able to give you the background as to what induced me to come to New York,

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you as well as your listeners would better understand my position

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as to not appearing on the program.

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Well, we'd certainly like to hear your side of it, Mr. Arnold.

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It was represented to me by a long-distance telephone conversation

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that the program, which was going to appear on the subject of UFO

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on the Columbia Broadcasting System television network,

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was to be an honest, straightforward program giving a clear, concise picture

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of all of the really important knowledge that has been gathered about this subject

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since my first report of June 24th of 1947.

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That's the time when you came up with that term, flying saucer.

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You're the originator of it, isn't that right, Mr. Arnold?

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Not exactly long, John.

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The term was actually coined by a United Press correspondent

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who put the question to me as how did they fly?

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And I replied they flew as if you would take a saucer and skip it across the water

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in a rough, erratic fashion.

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That's how the name, I think, became, as we look at it today, UFO or flying saucer.

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I still think, Mr. Arnold, you could take a bow for me.

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Well, let's get back into now.

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In other words, when you were planning to appear on the Armstrong Circle Theater,

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you were under the impression that you would be able to bring out all of the things

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that you had acquired as far as knowledge is concerned about this phenomenon

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known as flying saucers since June 24th, 1947,

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right up to and including this day of January 23rd, 1958.

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Is that about the size of it?

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To a major extent, it was, long, John, except that being that the subject of flying saucers

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has become such a complex problem since the time I first made my report,

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it would have been impossible to, you might say, project in a short time

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all of the pertinent facts that have been gathered.

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So I was led to believe, and it was entirely at my choice to appear on the program

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if I was satisfied that it was as it was represented to me in Boise, Idaho.

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The letter I received from these parties that induced me to make this long trip,

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dated December 31st of 1957,

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assured me that before I left Boise, Idaho, and I will quote from the letter,

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as soon as we have the first draft of the script ready, we will forward it to you.

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I never received a draft of this script, but was assured over the telephone

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that they wanted me to come and that they knew that I would be more than happy to appear

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the program, there was no question as to the representation

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and that they would discuss that with me when I came to New York

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and had a chance to see what was going to be portrayed.

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Signed this letter that was mailed on December 31st, 1957.

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The letter is of, on the stationery of the talent associates limited,

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41 East 50th Street, New York 22, New York, and it is signed by Mar-Dette Edwards

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of the editorial department.

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I see. So you decided after talking to them on the phone after receiving that letter

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dated December 31st, 1957, that you would make the trip to New York.

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In other words, you had confidence in them. Is that right, Mr. Rodney?

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I had all the confidence that I could be assured of over the telephone

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and though I've turned down many requests of this type, it seemed as though

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that this was going to be projected as represented and I was anxious of course

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to see that the dream story as far as we know was being portrayed for public interest.

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Now, Mr. Arnold, when you did arrive here in New York, I assume that you went into

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conference with Mr. Robert Costello, the producer and with Mr. Irving Tunick, the writer.

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Is that true, sir?

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That's true.

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And you saw the script that they had prepared for you?

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I saw the script that they had prepared.

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Every participant in the program, it seemed, was continually changing everything in the script.

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So actually, no one, I don't believe, really knew what the final outcome of it was going to be.

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I see. In other words, even after the second day of rehearsal, you were not confident

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that this was going to be the last and final draft. Is that right, sir?

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Right.

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Now, when did you make up your mind that you would not participate in this program, Mr. Arnold?

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I made my final decision, I think, about one o'clock of the day of the program of January 26,

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I mean January 27, or 22nd.

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January 22, I'm sorry.

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January 22nd, about one o'clock of the program.

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Yeah, about one o'clock in the afternoon.

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Yeah.

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Now, that's only a couple of days ago, sir.

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What actually made you make that last-minute decision at that time?

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Did you see a revised edition of the script that you didn't like or something?

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The entire program had not actually been reviewed as of the day before it was to be projected.

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The secretary of research development for our government had never appeared and we didn't know

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whether his script was going to be as printed or whether it was going to be entirely changed.

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And even the people that I talked to on the program that had to do with it were unable to give me a definite answer about that.

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I see.

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I understand from Mr. Tunic who spoke to me on our Beeper telephone and I think you heard that conversation

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because you were listening to the program.

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He mentioned about a telegram that he did not read, but he was aware of the fact that it had been received

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evidently by the producer Robert Costello.

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I wonder if you happen to have a copy of that telegram with you that you could read to me

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or if you feel that it's of a personal nature.

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Certainly, Mr. Arnold, I wouldn't insist that you read it.

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I'd let you pass judgment.

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I can't very well say that it is too personal a nature because the telegram stated at least five principles

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as to some background as to why I was not going to appear on the program and copies of this telegram

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were also sent to two of the large New York newspapers as well as representative of Newsweek magazine, Roger Gander.

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Do you know if a copy of the telegram appeared in any one of the two New York newspapers?

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I do not know. The papers they get out here, I'm not in New York City itself right now.

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I don't mention where you are either, sir, because I have not devolved to our listeners your phone number

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because I know many of them who are fans of yours would like to be able to contact you

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and I know that you'd like to get some sleep.

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So don't mention the town that you're in, please.

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All right. Now, Mr. Arnold, would you be kind enough to read the telegram to me?

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The copy of the telegram that you have requested.

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As the date and the time was January 22, 1958 at 2.44 p.m. in the afternoon,

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it was sent to a Mr. Robert Testello, Mr. Ivan Poonich,

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in care of the Armstrong Circle Theater CBS Studio 58841 9th Avenue, corner of 55th Street, New York.

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It is as follows.

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The persons or agencies who project information of national interest have a serious responsibility.

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A correctly informed public is one of the greatest assets this nation can have.

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This is to inform you that I will not be a participant on any program that obviously

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misrepresent and distort facts available on any subject broadcast for the public interest.

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Nor could I allow any photographs or material properly copyrighted to be used on any program

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without written permission of the owners.

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Signed Kenneth Arnold and there is a P.S.

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I am not making an appearance on any television program on January 22, 1958.

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Well, I don't think you pulled any punches, Mr. Arnold.

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I was wondering if, I'm quite interested, I'm not really great at shorthand,

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but I tried to make some quick notes on this just to question you about,

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I hope I have it down correctly, however on the tape it is correct, sir.

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You mentioned about not wanting to participate in a program that I think you said misrepresent or distort facts.

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I'm paraphrasing that, I'm not quoting you accurately, sir.

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Do you feel that the program, first of all, did you see the program last night, sir?

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Yes, I did.

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And do you feel after viewing the program that there was a certain amount of misrepresentation and distortion of facts?

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In this respect, mainly, you didn't quite read the part of the program or the telegram as I projected it to you properly.

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In this way, I said this is to inform, this is the part of the telegram, this is to inform you that I will not be a participant on any program that obviously misrepresent and distort facts available on any subject.

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I see.

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In other words, I know a great deal of demonstrable facts on this subject that were completely ignored even when I sent to the studio photographs and photographs of things that I know and could substantially prove to be true.

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I see.

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Mr. Arnold, do you have any comment to make on the fact that Major Keyhole, the last part of his statement, was cut off the air?

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Do you have any comment on that? Or are you aware of the fact that it was cut off?

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Yes.

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This was done intentionally, you know.

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Pardon?

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This was done intentionally. This was not an accident. This was not faulty equipment.

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I realize that.

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What do you think about that, sir?

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Mr. Keyhole, as anyone participating on a program, is that a terrifically disadvantage or a terrific disadvantage, I should say, due to the fact that you have to sign a release if you appear on the program, stating that everything that is going to be stated, of which I'm sure Mr. Keyhole didn't know the entire story, because I don't believe anyone knew.

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At least I couldn't find out. He had to sign this if he wanted to be a participant. I refused to sign mine because I had not, as pre-arranged, the agreement between the program director and myself, given the opportunity to actually see the entire program protected before it went on the air.

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Are you familiar with any of the details about Captain Ruppelt? According to many of the program listings in the newspapers, it was announced that Ruppelt would appear on that program. Do you know if he arrived in New York and possibly decided the last minute not to participate in the same manner that you're just around?

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I don't know anything about Mr. Ruppelt. My impression, and I read that Clarence F. Child, an Eastern airline captain, was going to appear only by reading it in the paper. I think it was the Tribune.

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I learned at the studio, I can't quote who it was, it told me it was one of the officials there. I assumed that Eastern Airlines, which is, I think, managed by Eddie Rickenbacher, refused to let him come and be on the program. That, of course, was just hearsay. I had no way of verifying it.

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In other words, then, I think possibly we could say that although we all believe in freedom of speech, evidently freedom of speech is something that we can have after approval by the authorities.

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Well, it looks as though that through no fault of my own, I have placed myself here. I have been placed in a very precarious position and I hesitate in making a remark on that.

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I don't feel in any way that I'm an authority on the principles of what is represented in our constitution. I interpret them, I think, like lots of people, the best way I can.

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And my impression, of course, is that these things, anything that a man wishes to say, he has the right to say it as long as it in no way causes injury to anyone else of which can be settled by new process of law.

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Now, my telegram in no way incriminates, I don't believe, anyone. I simply stated my principles and my principles pretty well established my position as far as being a participant in a program that was for the public interest.

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And I wanted to be absolutely sure of the facts before I subjected myself as a representative of thousands of pilots to, well, what should I say?

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It wasn't when Kenneth Arnold was important at all. It was the fact that I didn't believe that the program was treated quite fairly.

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And I don't believe that it probably was Mr. Costello or Mr. Tunick's fault in any way. It was just a circumstance that arose, probably, due to the fact that there has been so much controversy about this subject.

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If you know what I mean, go on, I'm quite familiar with it.

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Mr. Arnold, no doubt you heard Professor Menzel's comments about what he thought about pilots. Do you remember that comment?

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Yes.

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Would you care to say anything about it?

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I received a phone call. How he got my number, I'm not sure, of this morning.

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From Professor Menzel?

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No, no, from one of the prominent pilots.

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I see.

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Of one of the major airlines congratulating me on my stand.

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And apparently, Mr. Menzel's ridicule of, or criticism of indirectly, of course, of pilots who are responsible every day for hundreds, probably thousands of our lives as we travel the airline wasn't too popular.

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I can imagine.

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One last question, sir. I'm very, very appreciative of the fact that you've given us so much of your valuable time.

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Do you actually believe that the so-called flying saucers are interplanetary craft?

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I don't think that you quite put your question properly.

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Well, suppose you rephrase my question and answer it, sir.

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Pardon?

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Supposing you rephrase my question and answer it in your own way, sir.

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What these things are that we are seeing in our skies, I don't believe it's anything to become hysterical about.

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Let me try to put it this way.

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I have no conclusions if I were to come to any conclusions, which, of course, would have to be, I think, temporary on anyone that I know of's part on this subject of things in the sky that are seized.

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What would have to be based on the process of elimination, and that is that I have been pretty well demonstrated to me for nearly ten years that it is not a product of our air forces or of the air forces or ingenuity of any other country on this globe.

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And the only conclusion that I could come to, cautiously, would be that it must be of an extraterrestrial origin, whether it comes from another planet, as we interpret as a planet, is something that I certainly couldn't make a statement because that is something that I would be unable to prove.

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Mr. Arnold, thank you very, very much for being kind enough to talk to me on the beeper phone.

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I'm only sorry that you were not able to join us on the party line in person during your stay in New York, but we sincerely hope that if you do come back to New York at any time that you'll know that the welcome man is out in front, and you're more than welcome to be on, we'll be proud to have you.

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Thank you very kindly, Alon John. I'm sorry to have been so cautious, but I do feel a way to responsibility in making a statement that would be incorrect, and I'm doing the very best I can.

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Thank you again. Goodbye, sir.

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Well, that was the beeper telephone conversation that I had with Kenneth Arnold, the man that coined the phrase, flying saucers, back in the year of 1947.

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The way I said that, you might think I had that telephone conversation in 1947. Actually, it was in 1958, January 23, 1958, just a short time ago.

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Before we continue on with the discussion this morning, and I sincerely hope that maybe you'll call some of your friends and neighbors who are interested in this, because we are now talking about a very, very serious subject.

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And I think you heard the opening statement that Major Keyhole made about what would happen if we had members of the Air Force in the studio with us. We don't, so you can expect something very, very exciting.

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Let me, first of all, take a moment to talk about this as long as you're on with the party line. Did I just identify the station? I did. Well, I'm so happy, so proud to be on W.O.I. that I've done it twice.

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And if I were getting scaled for it, I'd get another \$7.50. So what? Tommy Reynolds, my producer out there, he got very concerned that I'd doubled up on the station identification.

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Now, we're going to be talking with Major Keyhole, Major Donald E. Keyhole, Director of NICAP, National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena.

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And for the people who would like to contact that organization, I might also add it's a non-profit organization. You are more than welcome to take advantage of this address.

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Just right to NICAP, N-I-C-A-P, NICAP, the address 1536, Connecticut Avenue, Washington, 6 D.C.

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Now, we'll be talking with Major Donald E. Keyhole, Jules B. St. Germain, Cortland Hastings, and Charles Ledham. Mr. Ledham is a TV producer and an author.

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But first, we're going to break away for a few minutes, maybe five or six minutes. We're going to enjoy a little coffee out in the kitchen.

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Incidentally, you know, we're not in New York tonight. We're out in the transmitter of W.O.I. that's located in Carter Rap New Jersey.

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And we're going to be enjoying a little coffee and a little of a Danish pastry, and then we'll be back with you.

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And I hope you call some of your friends and neighbors because you'll possibly have the opportunity.

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Maybe it'll be your first time to hear Major Donald E. Keyhole. We'll be back in just a few minutes.

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Major Keyhole is Director of NICAP. He is also the author of a number of books on the subject of flying saucers, including Flying Saucers from Outer Space, Published by Holt,

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The Flying Saucer Conspiracy, also published by Holt, and available in your bookstores.

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We have also with us this morning Cortland Hastings and Charles Ledham.

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And I understand that possibly in another 30 or 40 minutes,

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that we'll have the pleasure of having Jules B. St. Germain, the attorney from Lindbrook, Long Island. He'll be joining us.

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Possibly some of you people remember the Armstrong Theater Telecast.

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I think that that was viewed around January 22nd of this year.

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And at that time, Major Keyhole, it has been suggested by many that his conversation was sort of faded out.

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Some people claim that they didn't have time to let the Major complete his statement.

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However, he was on camera for the entire time moving his lips, and yet what he had to say was not heard.

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We've had opinions from people associated with the Armstrong Circle Theater.

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We've talked to them on our beeper phone. We've also talked with Kenneth Arnold on the beeper phone.

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And this morning we have the pleasure of talking with Major Keyhole in person.

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This is something we've attempted to do for some two years now.

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Major Keyhole, I wonder if you could first tell some of our listeners, as well as the gentlemen sitting around the table here,

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if you could tell us what NICAP is.

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NICAP is a nonprofit private organization which is designed to correct and evaluate and make public all authentic information on unidentified flying objects or flying saucers.

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It has memberships in 47 states, 14 foreign countries, and on its board it includes such distinguished citizens as Vice Admiral R.H. Hillen Carter,

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who used to be Director of CIA, Central Intelligence Agency, New Admiral Knowles, Colonel R.B. Emerson, Army Retired,

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Major Forney, who used to be the number one investigator on UFOs for the Air Force and the Pentagon, and a number of others.

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We have a panel of scientists, educators, religious men. We have a panel of experts in various fields who help evaluate sightings and other developments.

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And then we try to cover these publicly in the magazine and bulletins.

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And our aim is to try to get the subject out in the open and to get Congress to have open hearings so they'll finish triple way the secrecy.

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Say Major Kehoe that you want the subject to be brought in the open.

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What do you think should be brought out, sir? Is there something that we don't know as citizens of this country?

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There's a very great deal. In the first place, pilots in the armed forces, and in fact all members of the armed forces, are muzzled to a great degree in regard to sighting reports.

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The Air Force constantly denies this, but I have in front of me here copies of the official orders, Johnup 146, Joint Chiefs of Staff Document and AFR 200, that's an Air Force order, which says that no one will discuss any unexplained sightings.

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They won't release them to the press. Kehoe, of course.

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What is your opinion about this Major Kehoe? What is the reason that they're trying to silence these people?

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Well, for a long time the policy has been to explain away these sightings while behind the scenes they're very seriously investigating and trying to get all the answers.

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They're also trying to find the secret of propulsion so that we can duplicate it.

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I agree in the last phase that they're right in keeping everything they learn technically to

themselves.

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I think it's a great mistake to deceive the public, treat the American people like children, the way they did for a long time about the H-bomb.

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I mean, everybody was told that yes, it was something that was a little worse than an A-bomb, and they didn't let us know that we could be blown right off the map.

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And for a long time missiles and submarines were in the same category.

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Now right now, 40 or 50% of the country could be wiped out by missiles and subs. Now that was hushed up for a long time.

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Do you think that this country is in danger from the possibility of an attack by people who may live on other planets?

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I never thought so because the modern phase goes back 10 years into World War II and they've had plenty of time if they wanted to attack us.

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Unless it's a very, very long-range preparation. Of course there have been a few accidents and some people view those as evidence of hostility.

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But I think we're merely under observation and it's taking a long time because they are probably having difficulty in understanding us and deciding what to do.

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What do they intend to communicate?

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Pardon me. What planet do you think that these UFOs are coming from? What do you like to call them, sir?

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I call them UFOs because even though you'll find the word flying saucers in the title of every book I've written, that's because a lot of people don't know what UFOs are.

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They're gradually coming around to it. But it helps to make the subject a little more serious.

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It's a very silly word, a term, flying saucers. It's an unfortunate thing if they call them discs, it would have helped.

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Or unidentified objects. But a lot of people hate to admit they believe in flying saucers just because of that name.

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I like to call them UFOs.

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Possibly court, you'd like to get in and about this time. I know that you've waited for a long while to have the opportunity of talking with Major Kehoe.

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Is that a call you have now, Major?

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Yes. I'll be right back if you can.

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Go right ahead. I understand that there's a call that came in for Major Kehoe and we hope that it may be something that will be of interest to our listeners because if we have something that we think that we may have, I think it will be of extreme interest to all concerned.

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Court, you've been a member of NYCAP for quite a period of time. Is that right?

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Yes, I have, John.

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And I was wondering if you could tell the listeners something about your personal opinions of NYCAP. Why it should remain in business if that's the proper phrase to use. Why it should continue to function?

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Well, I think it's probably the outstanding organization, certainly in the United States and I believe in the world, for the purpose of investigating UFOs or spaceships.

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I also prefer term other than flying saucers because it is a term of ridicule, a term which certainly does not lend any commendation to the whole subject.

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The whole organization, John, of NYCAP I've been familiar with, in fact considerably before Donald Kehoe became as director.

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I had known the previous director, in fact the man who organized NYCAP, but when I went to Washington to look into it and at that time, the former director had proposed that I be a director of the organization.

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Upon investigation of it, it didn't seem to be set up properly to do the job that it was supposed to do.

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And therefore I sent regrets regarding the honor which was offered.

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And since that time I understand the situation has been clarified.

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NYCAP is on an extremely sound basis of operation, but of course NYCAP naturally needs members to carry on its work. It needs money to carry on its work.

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And I feel that anything as worthwhile as this certainly is entitled to receive such.

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I think Donald Kehoe himself, John, has done a tremendous piece of work.

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He and his secretary or administrator-treasurer, I believe, is her proper term now.

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Mrs. Campbell?

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Mrs. Campbell, yes, whom I know, have done yeoman work. They have just really been slaves at it and have put far and beyond the call of duty into NYCAP.

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But they need help. They need help of those who are interested in saucers and of people who perhaps may not approve the subject or perhaps not be as familiar with it as others may be.

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But it is certainly a wonderful idea because they are trying to find the truth out about spaceships.

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In other words, you don't feel that the government can accomplish this?

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Definitely. I do not feel that the government is even beginning to accomplish it, John, because this problem is in the hands, very much in the hands of the wrong agency, the Air Force.

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This kind of thing should be in the hands of another department of the government, perhaps the Department of State, better yet, in a completely new agency because we are dealing with something which is not known to physical science

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as to what the power is. It is not known to anybody here on earth from where they come. That is, let's put it this way, it can't be proven from where they come, except that they don't come from

this planet.

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May I interrupt you for just a moment, Troy? What is coming?

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In other words, you say that the Air Force, or rather you say that science has no knowledge of where they come from or what the method of propulsion is. What are you talking about?

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I'm talking about the UFOs, the spaceships. We don't know what powers them. We know it's something...

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But in other words, are you implying that we know that they're there?

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Sure, of course. Without any question of a doubt.

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If our pilots of the Air Force, our commercial pilots, if thousands of American citizens, I

probably could almost say hundreds of thousands, but let's be conservative and say thousands, can be believed.

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Now, granted, there are a number which are mistaken identity, perhaps even over half. But I would say that certainly a minor portion of the sightings, a major portion by the pilots, but a minor portion by the citizenry, could be termed as credible.

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You feel that half of them are credible?

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Of the citizenry? Or the pilots?

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Yes, of the sightings.

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Well, the pilots, John, I think the big... Oh yes, because the pilots are men who know what is in the skies. They are trained to identify other aircraft.

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And their opinions are those of men who are learned in subject of flight and ships which go through the air.

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Therefore, we could, I think, safely assume that their sightings would be very much more reliable than would the citizenry. And in many cases, they'd been closer.

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I think that Dr. Manzello sort of blew that theory high-widened hands.

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When he was on the Armstrong Circle Theater, he does not discredit the pilots as pilots.

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But the fact that a man as a pilot does not mean that he is also a physicist and an astronomer and a scientist and general did.

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Now, John, and I don't think that our physicists and astronomers at this point are geared in whole round fashion to judge these either.

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Because apparently, there is something beyond our three-dimensional science involved.

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Go ahead, Cor, I'm sorry.

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The pilots, however, several have seen these at rather close quarters. That is, within several hundred feet, some within a quarter mile, some within a half mile or a mile, and some at a greater distance.

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But they are obviously not other aircraft, and they move at such fantastic speeds.

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And with such maneuverability, such as taking sharp right-angle turns, going at perhaps a thousand or three thousand miles an hour, or even reverse directions with no hesitancy.

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And that, obviously, is something we can...

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Isn't that pretty slow?

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I think I've heard reports.

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I mean, I think you've read them, too, Court, reports about UFOs being checked in some manner,

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and they claim that the speed is seven thousand miles an hour.

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That is right, and I believe that Commander McLaughlin, I believe, is a Navy, had some tracking mechanism.

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I'm not familiar with the tracking mechanism, John, but at any rate, it was done for the purpose of checking the weather balloons, and they tracked a saucer somewhere around fifty thousand feet elevation, I believe, going about eighteen thousand miles an hour.

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But that has been the maximum speed.

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However, it's no different than our Sputnik or satellite, so...

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Mm-hmm. Charles, lead them.

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Court, a couple of questions. First of all, on NICAP, I've heard this term thrown around a great deal, and I do not remember...

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I can't remember exactly what it stands for.

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Congratulations, John. I don't wonder. I have to stop it.

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I'm not going to kill anybody.

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The second question. Earlier, you spoke about what NICAP was doing, and I think your phrase was they were trying to find out the truth about spaceships.

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Now, to me, this indicates a certain predisposition when you say to find out the truth about spaceships.

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Am I perhaps wrong in thinking that you are predisposed to there being spaceships, or would you like to rephrase it and say to find out the truth about the objects?

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Oh, that's all right. It really doesn't matter much. The term will use UFOs, spaceships, whatever.

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Well, it matters to me a great deal, because if a man comes to me and says, I've got a project to find out the truth about spaceships,

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then I say to him, well, you already convinced there are spaceships, and you just want to show it so. Isn't that true?

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And if he comes and says, I want to find out the truth about objects,

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then I assume that he's taking a scientific attitude and will accept reasonable proof that they don't exist.

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I'm not going to push you into anything. Do you think these are spaceships and you want to prove that they are? Is that the object of NICAP?

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The object of NICAP is to investigate anything, shall we say, from space.

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So I would put that in perhaps less definite terminology than I had phrased it.

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I didn't mean to try and pin it down quite that closely, Charles. Personally, I do believe in spaceships.

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I think that the overwhelming weight of testimony is so vast that there is no question, but there is much to be learned about them,

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because we actually know very, very little about them. Other than they appear to come from other than earthly origin,

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in other words, are of extraterrestrial origin, that they go through our atmosphere at vast speeds, far in excess of our own aircraft speeds.

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They have maneuverability, which we cannot have and don't have. I don't say cannot have. We may have some day, but we certainly don't have it now.

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Some of these appear to be construction, some appear to have landed.

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There is one question which has bothered me about flying saucers and spaceships or whatever they are.

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The maneuverability, particularly this right-angle turn thing, which if true, if something turns the right angle at fantastic speeds,

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9, 10, 12,000 miles an hour, then they have got something there.

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But without attempting to penetrate the mind of the man who is flying this thing, the Venusian or Martian,

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if he wants to get from point A to point B, why in the devil would he fly a right-angle corner? I've never been able to understand that.

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I can do it. I'm walking from here over yonder, and if I want to do a right-angle turn, I'm going slow, but ordinarily I sort of go straight there.

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Well, if they had to go from point to point, I venture to say they would probably go perhaps even a shorter distance than our own aircraft fly,

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because unless we're flying great distances, we don't go via the great circle route.

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But I don't know just why they make right-angle turns other than in some cases to avoid.

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For example, you will recall, I think, Charles hearing the story by Jay Glick, who was on this program with us some time back.

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I had contacted Jay myself at the request of some others because I'd never met the gentleman.

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And when I saw that he seemed like a very sensible person, had a very interesting story to tell.

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In fact, he's an extremely interesting person in his own right.

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Long John was kind enough to invite him on the program, and Jay was on the plane, which flew to San Juan from New York.

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And just a little bit out of San Juan, this flying object, UFO, appeared to approach this plane coming at a tremendous speed,

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and it looked as though it was absolutely on a collision course.

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So the pilot, in order to avoid this, pulled the plane into an extremely sharp climb through everybody in the aisle and bounced people off the ceiling.

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It hurt some. In fact, I understand one of the people is still hospitalized.

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And Jay was thrown back in his seat very sharply, but it put him at such an angle that he had a better view to look out the window than he had when he was sitting upright.

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And he could see this thing, and it came directly at the plane, took a right-angle turn, and took another one, went right back.

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There was no hesitancy in any of these movements.

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What do you think this proves, Carl?

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Well, it shows that it certainly was something that we don't have. It wasn't a meteor. It wasn't a fireball. It wasn't another plane. It had to be something which...

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Why do you put that much confidence in Mr. Glick?

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Well, it wasn't only Mr. Glick. After all, I think again we have to look at the pilot.

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The pilot is a man of many, many thousands of hours of flying, and he has seen probably all the different aircraft there are.

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And there is nothing which indulges in that kind of maneuver. Furthermore, there were no other aircraft right close by him, although seven other aircraft did see this object.

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Well, we've talked about NICAP on this program many, many times.

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NICAP, that stands for National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena.

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Major Donnelly Kehoe, our guest this morning, is Director of NICAP.

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As an individual, I don't buy the flying saucer stories, but I don't think you're interested in my opinion.

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However, I can honestly tell you this, that I receive, I think, almost every publication that is published in the field of flying saucers.

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And some of them are really great. But I can honestly tell you that I think that the NICAP publication is just about tops.

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If you'd like to know more about it, you can write a letter or a card to NICAP.

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Now, I'll repeat that again.

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Now, this is not a commercial. They are not sponsors of the program.

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But I think that certainly the good, both of our listeners, the great majority, should certainly be interested in NICAP

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because it offers memberships and publications giving authentic UFO sightings, and I'd like to underline that word, authentic UFO sightings,

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and to update developments about unidentified flying optics.

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And if you'd like to become a NICAP associate member, it will entitle you to a year's subscription to NICAP magazine,

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the UFO investigator, and to special or confidential bulletins as issued from time to time.

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So if you'd be interested, NICAP, N-I-C-A-P, the address, 1536, Connecticut Avenue, Washington, 6 D.C., District of Columbia.

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Major Keyhole, just as we were going to talk to you again, there was a call for you, a long distance call.

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I was just wondering, is that a personal call or was it something that made me of interest to our listeners?

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Well, I think it would interest almost anyone who is interested in the flying saucer subject.

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This came from Captain Joe Hall of Capitol Airlines.

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Captain Hall is a veteran. He's been flying 18 years, 16,000 hours, most of them at the controls and airliner.

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Now, this is not a personal sighting of his, but it's one from a lieutenant in the United States Navy, and he checked on it and backs it 100%.

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Incidentally, Captain Hall himself had a sighting which was reported some months ago, a very strange one, as he was flying from New York to New Orleans.

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On this flight, he was also flying from New, no, he's flying from New Orleans to New York, and this naval pilot, and we can't give his name,

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although I have it in front of me, because you have to request the man's permission before you can name him on the air like that.

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He reported this sighting. On December 11, 1955, he and another Navy pilot were flying from Jacksonville Naval Air Station, Jacksonville, Florida.

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They were flying Cougar jets on a practice mission. It was a clear night, and they hadn't seen anything in the sky.

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Suddenly, they received an urgent message from the tower to fly directly out over the ocean, and they were vectored, that is, guided on a certain course.

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They flew several miles on this course, and they suddenly discovered in front of them an object with an orange-red glow to it, which as soon as they started to close in began to maneuver at very high speed.

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Each one of these Cougar jets was equipped with radar, and they picked up this strange UFO or flying saucer, but they couldn't get a lock on.

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That is, the radar would not lock on and guide the planes automatically, because each time they tried to close in, this strange object would either accelerate to tremendous speed, or else it would climb up to a very high altitude.

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In fact, the altitude during this chase varied from 6,000 to 30,000 feet, and the speed varied from about a slow cruising speed as they could make with a jet up to near sonic,

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which is roughly over 700 miles an hour, near sea level.

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They said during this chase, they were constantly receiving reports from the tower.

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They said by that time the tower was filled with high-ranking officers from Jacksonville Naval Air Station, and that they were being tracked by radar at Jacksonville,

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which showed the blips of the two jets and the UFOs without maneuvering them.

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They were also getting report telephone calls from people all over the area so that they had direct authentic reports from more than 100 ground witnesses.

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Now, this particular report was checked by Hall. He found out the name of the other pilot involved.

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He said there is no doubt in his mind that this was an authentic sighting, and that the pilot told him that they felt absolutely ridiculous,

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because here they were in high-speed jets, and this thing was just making monkeys out of them.

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This may not convince, may not sound as dramatic as some of the sightings that have been published,

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but if you stop and think the men involved being trained Navy pilots and the man investigating it, a veteran airline captain, I think it should make an impression.

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To me, it's a very interesting case.

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Major Kehoe, we have so many questions to ask you, and I know that I have dozens of them,

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but I think in all fairness, Charles will give you a little chance for a couple of minutes anyway.

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All right, sir. One question which has interested me, Major, and I believe you've mentioned several times that there is, to your mind,

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or at least to the mind of NICAP, a good possibility that the saucers are using, perhaps, Mars as a base of operations for observing Earth.

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Yes, I've said that.

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And I think you said that one of the things which led you to believe this was that the incidence of sightings had increased every time Mars was nearby over the past ten years.

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That's right.

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Well, the thing which makes me curious about this is if indeed these objects are interplanetary or perhaps intersystem ships,

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so they must be capable of pretty fantastic range and speed and so forth, why would they even bother with a little thing like the extra distance across the solar system

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and just wait around until Mars happened to be a little closer to come looking at us?

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Well, that's a very good question. Of course, we don't know the maximum speeds or the propulsion methods.

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It's really speculation based on sort of an educated guess.

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The first time that this increase was noted, it was just considered a coincidence. That was in 1948.

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It was another very big one in 50, very great one in 52, enough so that the Canadian government project decided at that time that they would make it official.

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It had been an unofficial deal until then.

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As far as the speeds are concerned, it may be that there are large units which do take advantage of the closeness of Mars to discharge smaller ones,

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which they leave in our area operating, orbiting, perhaps even operating from the moon.

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I don't know the answer. It's mere speculation, as I say, but it is on record, however, that there has been an increase which precedes the opposition to Mars

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and lasts anywhere from two to three months afterwards.

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On the subject of speeds, I don't know whether it was you or Cort who mentioned earlier that there had been at least one report of an object traveling at, I think, 18,000 miles an hour.

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Is that an official NICAP sighting?

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That is one of which NICAP is aware. It's an official Navy sighting which was referred to the Air Force.

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It was out of white sands. As a matter of fact, it was a Hollandman Air Force base.

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It was a theodolite tracking by trained observers who were tracking a balloon and about to track a missile, and they sighted this object.

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It was certified by everyone in the group and was considered by the Navy a very good sighting.

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The Air Force later tried to be literally observers and say they were incompetent.

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One of them who made this report was Captain R.B. McLaughlin, U.S. N, who is now the commanding officer of the Naval Ordnance Laboratory at Corona, California.

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He's a guided missile expert. He says that he thinks that this thing was undoubtedly a spaceship, and he believes that they are operating from Mars.

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And he's still a high-ranking officer and is still in charge of a missile laboratory.

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You mean the Air Force didn't succeed in having him broken?

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Well, do you mean the courts that they tried to have him broken?

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They ridiculed the sighting, but they had nothing to base the ridicule on.

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Well, Major, the thing I'm not familiar with this case is that from what you said, I assume that someone who was tracking a weather balloon saw this object through the theodolite.

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Which, to my recollection, is a small sighting device, a tube or something with lenses in which you get an altitude and direction fix on a weather balloon.

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That's right. Usually a very good telescope, though.

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And then, according to my mathematics, this thing which was moving at five miles per second, they apparently followed that across the sky, accurately, with this small telescopic device.

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If you're a good theodolite operator, you can track quickly. They track guided missiles with those out at White Sands, too.

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Yes, but I don't think those go at five miles per second, do they?

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That's from horizon to horizon in a couple of seconds.

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This thing was not observed from horizon to horizon. It was picked up and observed until it made a very sudden sharp ascent.

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And the thing that made the reporting process was the fact that the angle of crime was also calculated.

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And the Gs involved were, I think, on the order of 36 to 38 Gs.

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Well, I should agree.

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It was accepted by the people at the base there, including commanding officers of the naval unit, and it was exciting because of the experience of the men involved.

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Charles, you said that you went from horizon to horizon in a couple of seconds.

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I don't think that this is quite what you mean because the Earth is 8,000 miles in diameter, and if this thing was going at 18,000 miles an hour, it would have taken, say, 20 minutes or so at least to make that traverse.

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Well, I think you're mistaken there, Court, because most theodolites are not able to observe from one side of the Earth to the other, at least not the ones with which I am familiar.

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The ones with which I am familiar are based on the ground and can see to the horizon, which is 0 from ground level 5 to 10 miles away.

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They cannot see around the curve of the Earth.

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That's understandable, yes.

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Well, how do you mean it took 20 minutes?

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Well, I was trying to figure the 8,000 miles divided by 18,000 miles an hour. I was making it conservative.

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You, is it your understanding that theodolite kept the subject?

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I don't know anything about the theodolite myself.

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And chasing your own figures, is it your understanding that the man, wherever it was with or without a theodolite, tracked this object from, shall we say, China around to Russia, which would fit in with your statistics?

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Well, what was the 20 minute thing you gave me?

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Because I say I was simply dividing the diameter of the Earth, which would be some 8,000 miles, and assuming that 8,000 would be tangential to the surface of the Earth, one could see at that point in a straight line from a tangent point in either direction, which roughly we would call horizon to horizon.

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And actually we don't see around curvature as we know.

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So at least it would be quite a number of minutes, which this thing would be within vision.

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Well, of course, the thing I'm trying to pin down here, because this is a very interesting sighting to me, is I take it you are given to understand that the theodolite first picked this thing up when

it was 4,000 miles away.

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I don't know. I don't, I'm not familiar.

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I made the research about that one.

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I think people would be more familiar with it. You have some reference on that particular sighting, Major?

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Well, I think it is a briefing on it. I haven't, I wouldn't have all the details here.

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It was calculated to be 56 miles above the Earth and and flying at five miles per second. That is, you correct, 18,000 miles per hour.

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It was elliptical in shape and they computed the approximate size or length as 105 feet.

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So I'm not very sure what the basis of that particular report.

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If I can find the rest of it later, I'll get to you.

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But anyway, I do remember that.

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And the fact that McLaughlin added three other reports when he made this one public and the others were not merely one unit sighting was worth.

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Theodolites had been tracking objects from various points in white sands and also radar had picked them up.

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And in one case, they've been a visual and moving picture film taken at the same time.

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Kehoe, do you think that the officials of the Air Force actually believe that there are UFOs arriving here on this planet or at least hovering over this planet that are coming here from other planets from Mars or Venus?

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You didn't say how many. If you mean the entire Air Force...

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No, no, no, I certainly wouldn't want you to go on record to tell us what the...

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I would say that there is a sizeable group in the Air Force and I know that the time when I was working with them, which was back in 52 and 53, there was a very good percentage that believed it, not only believed it, but thought the public should know about it.

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And there have been documents drawn up by Air Force intelligence officers stating their belief in that.

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And of course the most important one was the 1948 top secret estimate, which the Air Force, for the first time tonight, came out and denied.

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They denied because they were on the spot with that document.

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Was that on the Mike Wallace?

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That was where the denial was made.

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That's where the denial was made. It was given to Mike Wallace.

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What happened was that I had tried to say that the Air Force had these documents.

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I tried to say that on the Armstrong program, January 22nd.

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The Air Force represented, even according to Mr. Erd Tunick, the writer for Armstrong,

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told him that that would have to be taken out or the Air Force would immediately deny it, and even if it meant denouncing the source.

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The source, not me, but Captain Edward RuPaul, who was formerly chief of Project RuPaul.

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RuPaul had stated the existence of those documents in his book, which was cleared by Security and Review of the Air Force.

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I checked on that. It was cleared December 5th, 1955.

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They did not want that statement made.

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Wait a minute. I'm sorry, Major. Who didn't want the statement made?

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The Air Force did not want it made.

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On that topic?

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On his book. No.

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In the RuPaul book, they tried to hold up his book, and they were told by a double day, the publisher,

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that if they didn't get experience within a certain time, they're going to publish it anyway, so they got it.

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But on this, they had refused to answer questions about that for a long time.

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I had my Senator, Byrd, ask him specifically about it.

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One of 11 questions, Major General Joe Kelly, head of the Legislative Liaison,

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debated all the questions, including that one.

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Nobody had ever pinned the Air Force down.

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I had told Wallace that I had this, had proof of it,

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and they said it was absolutely untrue.

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I showed a portion of the script in which this was marked right out,

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and anybody can identify that as part of the Armstrong script because it's from the same typewriter.

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You can see it. I've got all those scripts in my...

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Would you read that part of the script, too, as tonight?

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I'd like to hear that.

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While you're getting that ready, sir, let me take a moment to talk about one of our sponsors, and then we'll be back with Major Keyhole.

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Major Keyhole, before you read the statement that you were not permitted to read on the Armstrong Circle Theatre Telecast,

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I would like to have you give me your opinion, if you will, please, on two questions.

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Number one, why didn't Rupel appear on that program according to TV Guide he was listed?

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Well, that's right.

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He at first accepted the invitation. According to Mr. Tunick, the Armstrong writer, he was quite

enthusiastic about it.

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Later, he said he didn't realize he'd have to be there for rehearsals for two or three days, and that he just couldn't spare the time.

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That may be the exact answer. It's also possible that, since he's with an aircraft company, that they decided maybe it was just as well or not anymore.

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But they did agree to let him on the... I've got a secret program sometime before, so I assume that is the correct answer.

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Now, the next question, sir.

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Kenneth Arnold was in town. He was at rehearsals, I think, for two days, and he refused to appear on the program, and it was his opinion.

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And I have the telegram in front of me a copy of it. He said in this telegram,

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I will not be a participant on any program that obviously misrepresents and distorts the facts available on any subject broadcast for the public interest.

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Nor would I allow any photographs or material properly copyrighted to be used on any program without written permission of the owners.

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Do you feel that Mr. Arnold was correct in that statement?

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Well, I talked with Arnold quite a bit. I could tell at the end of the first day that he wasn't happy about it, and the second day that he was thinking of pulling out,

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and I happened to see him very history, and he was checking out a hotel.

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And I told him I thought it would be better if he'd stay on, because it would look bad, you know, though he was giving in to the Air Force.

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And he said that he felt that it was a rig program, or that may not be verbatim, which is that effect.

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And he had wanted to state certain things, and they said there was not enough time for it.

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I didn't overhear his discussion with the writers and producers, but I knew that he was progressively getting unhappy about it.

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And he sent them that telegram, and they got it about four talking afternoon, and of course somebody else had to read his section.

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Well, now before you read your statement, sir, I wonder if you can give me your opinion.

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For the reason why did they even produce or even think of this particular show?

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If they were going to run into so many problems, and certainly the Air Force must have informed Robert Costello and Erb Tunick that they were not going to agree with you,

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and they were not going to let you just make any statement that you felt would be right to do.

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Well, I can give you two or three angles on that. I don't know whether you may have seen these letters.

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But I'll go back to the first. They told me that I was the first one that they approached.

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Now you're referring to the arms of people.

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Mr. Tunick called me and asked whether NICAP would cooperate putting on a program on UFOs.

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I said, yes, we'd be glad to, as long as we were given a fair representation.

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He said, well, we'd be glad to do that, and they asked for advice, and I gave him some ideas.

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And I was thinking at the time that it was going to be a panel discussion, I said, be sure to get the Air Force in there.

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He said later we're having a little trouble with the Air Force.

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I said, well, tell them that if they don't put somebody on, you'll simply announce on the air that the Air Force was given full chance to explain each side,

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and they refuse to have anyone on.

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Well, we're not that good at it. I don't know.

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But anyway, he called back, said the Air Force is now reversed itself, and everything's fine.

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They're giving us full cooperation.

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The first thing I knew, a script came down, showing the Air Force at all of part two, and I had five minutes of part three.

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Rubel had three minutes, and Menzel and the Air Force had the rest of it, which meant a balance of more than three to one in time.

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I kicked about it, and he said, well, you should have asked for equal time at the start, which was true, but I had thought it was a discussion show.

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Did they give you any reason?

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Is that why they didn't give you equal time?

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Didn't they think the nightcap would be entitled equal time?

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They said they felt that Douglas Edwards' presentation was more from Nightcap's viewpoint than the Air Force,

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but it was really on our side and that helped balance it.

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I do say that he did give a very fair picture of it, but it was not Nightcap's story.

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And they said, well, we'll squeeze in a few more minutes if we can, and Rubel backed out,

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and I got his time, and they squeezed in another minute or two.

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I think altogether I ended up with about ten or eleven.

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Is this including the time that you were talking about that the pots were closing?

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I don't know. It wasn't time exactly, but something like that.

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On Sunday before the show, I would talk to some of our Board of Governors, and they said, we don't like it.

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That script is entirely too weak, and I agreed, and they said, well, we'll have these points, and we'll list these four documents.

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I'm going to tell you about that should be mentioned and other things.

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In the meantime, I had been told that the Air Force would not go on the show if there were going to be any personalities,

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and also I was told that I could not mention the orders which muzzle pilots.

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That's what you did mention on this program?

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I didn't mention, I mean, you mean just now?

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That there are orders muzzle pilots, yes, but I was told I couldn't mention that on that program.

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In other words, I'm pretty stupid.

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Now you're open-minded.

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Well, they were in a spot.

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Anyway, he said, well, do the best you can, but then I insisted on the change.

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So I completely rewrote the script that night, and the morning I got up there, it was in typewriting.

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I read it off in rehearsal with Doug Edwards, and it wasn't until either late that afternoon or the next day

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that the Air Force man discovered about these four documents.

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At that time, they, Tunik came over and said that they won't allow that to go on as is without protest,

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and they will immediately deny it and deny the source.

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Now, if you want me to, I'll read the statement now.

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I said he wants you to, Major.

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All right, here is the statement which crossed out,

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we want to read the opening part of that statement that we did here,

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those people who saw the telecast, there may be some who missed it,

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and then tell us when you're reading the part that they would not permit you to do.

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All right, I don't have the preceding page, but I can remember it.

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Edwards asked me what was the reason for the wide difference of statements between ICAP, myself, and the Air Force.

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I mean, the Air Force said they don't exist, we said they do exist.

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And I said there could be two reasons, one of them was an honest difference of opinion among analysts,

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second, there is an official policy believed in the best interests of the people,

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not to confirm the existence of UFOs until all answers are known, and then this was supposed to follow.

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Captain Edward J. Ruble, former chief of Project Newbook, has confirmed the existence of four important Air Force documents that should be noted.

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In 1948, in a top secret estimate, ATIC, the CERA Technical Intelligence Center,

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concluded the UFOs were interplanetary spaceships.

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In 1952, an Air Force intelligence analysis of UFO maneuvers brought the same conclusion, interplanetary.

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In 1953, a report by a panel of top scientists at the Pentagon reached this conclusion.

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There is strong circumstantial evidence, but no concrete proof that the UFOs are spaceships.

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They recommended intensifying the investigation and telling the American people all the facts.

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Now that is the part that was cut out.

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You'll notice there are only three documents mentioned.

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Just before that, apparently the safe space, a tunic or someone, had cut out the 1947 documents,

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which said that these things were real, whatever they were.

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Now, wasn't this on the teleprompter scene?

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No, it was not on the teleprompter because for two days we rehearsed with scripts.

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I think at the end of the second day they were out of the teleprompter.

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Yes, but this never was put on the teleprompter.

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At that time, I was faced with the alternative of either allowing it to be cut out or else not going on the air.

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It was a state at that way.

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It merely said that the Armstrong people couldn't have any fight of that kind.

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I mean, I would make this statement, the Air Force would deny it and end up calling Captain Rufon the liar.

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Well, if they had done that, I would have, of course, have produced some other evidence that I had.

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But to avoid it, I was afraid that I'd be out of it completely and Air Force would simply have it clear

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and it would look pretty quick as though we were afraid to talk back to the Air Force.

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One point, Major Keyhole.

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I saw that telecast and I imagine that you were allotted about five minutes after the Air Force represented.

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According to my opinion, it was about five minutes that you talked.

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Now, I was under the impression that you were reading from a teleprompter several of the statements that you made

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that would possibly confirm the existence of the UFOs.

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I did, that's right.

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In other words, that was a teleprompter.

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Now, what happened when we came to that final twenty seconds?

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Was the teleprompter blank?

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What had happened was this.

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I was getting more burned out, usually, colloquialism at the fact that the Air Force had too much time

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and that this had been cut out of the script and that the public was getting an unfair picture.

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So I mentioned to one of the Armstrong representatives that we had been working with the Senate subcommittee

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on UFO secrecy for about six months and they had a lot of evidence

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and that they were considering possibility of public hearings.

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And I said, if I put that in there, how would that be?

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And he thought it would be terrific.

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But I understood later that he had no authority to okay such a thing

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and what I should have done was go on to Bob to tell all the producers.

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I still hadn't made up my mind.

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We went on the air, we got to a certain point and I just stuck in,

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I started to stick in a line ad looping this about the Senate committee.

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As soon as I got to the word Senate committee, they cut off the audio on my mic.

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It came over, Doug Edwards, some people did hear it, thankfully.

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Yeah, I have it on tape.

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But that was what I was trying to say.

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I was not going to mention this other stuff that was deleted because I promised not to.

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I'm sorry to interrupt, Major Keyhole, but I'm going to have to take a couple of minutes to take care of some of our sponsors.

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We're going to take a couple of minutes off for a coffee break.

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I hope that if you know some of your friends who may be up at this time of the morning,

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I certainly would appreciate it if you would be with Major Donnelly Keyhole.

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That's Major Keyhole of NYCAP, N-I-C-A-P.

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That's National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena.

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This is an unprofit organization that he is director of.

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It's located in Washington, D.C.

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That's NYCAP, N-I-C-A-P.

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And their address for our listeners who will be interested, no doubt, in contacting NYCAP.

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That's 1536 Connecticut Avenue, Washington, D.C.

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Now, NYCAP, as I mentioned before, is an unprofit organization.

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This is not a commercial for them, but I certainly would like to extend Major Keyhole this courtesy into the organization.

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I happen to be a member of it, and I think that their publication is something that everybody should have in their home

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if you're interested in the subject of flying saucers.

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Even if you buy them or if you don't buy them, certainly this is a very, very interesting publication.

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And of course, when you join NYCAP, it offers you membership and publications,

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giving you authentic UFO sightings and to update developments about unidentified flying objects.

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And if you become a NYCAP associate member, you will be entitled to a year's subscription to NYCAP magazine,

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the UFO investigator, and to special or confidential bulletins as issued from time to time.

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And you can contact NYCAP at 1536 Connecticut Avenue, Washington, D.C.

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Major Keyhole, I think you mentioned on that telecast, and of course we'd like to have the other information

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that you were not permitted to read or mention over the Armstrong Circle Theater that particular evening.

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But I think you mentioned something about a Senate committee.

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Were you referring to the McClellan Committee, sir?

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Of the McClellan Subcommittee, which is the permanent subcommittee on government operations.

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That's the committee that you were referring to.

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I had not given that name out before because at one time they said,

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don't, we'd get along, we'd be swamps with mail.

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But after the Armstrong program, somebody guessed it, and Paul Parker down Philadelphia called in and got permission to name it.

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So he put it on the air.

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Who did he get permission from?

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From you or from the committee?

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From the committee.

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The way the chief comes.

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Are you supposed to get permission?

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Well, no, he merely wanted to verify it, I think, the fact that there was,

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so that he could make it authentic.

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I mean, I had told him about the committee without naming it,

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and he did a little guessing and called out, and the chief counsel said,

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yes, we've been making a preliminary check before we decide on public hearings.

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That was, of course, the thing that I tried to say when I was cut off.

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Incidentally, you asked about the teleprompter.

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I had two or three more paragraphs on there in which I said that I urged anyone who had information on UFOs,

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and was withholding it, that is, good verified sightings, to send them in to us,

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either openly or confidentially, and to, if they were interested in subject to right to us,

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and we had our address in there, everything, which you've been so kind to mention here.

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As soon as I started living this, the teleprompter began to rack up and down so fast,

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I couldn't read it, so I knew by then that I was in disfavor somewhere.

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But I finished as quickly as I could from memory, and they had left me on camera.

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At that time, they switched to Doug Edwards, but here's something I'd like to make clear.

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I want everyone to know that I never blamed Armstrong or CBS.

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The writer, Tunik, and the producer, Bob Costello, were the nicest guys I have ever encountered on a TV program like that,

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and, well, anywhere on any network. And they did try hard to offset the lack of time.

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I felt particularly bad because Costello was so worried about the effect.

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And I stuck around there for an hour and a half to talk with the industry people,

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to call it up in spite of the fact several people said, I went away and left everybody in the dark

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about what I was going to say. But here is a statement that CBS...

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If I may interrupt you for just a moment, Major, also in talking about Robert Costello and Herb Tunik,

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I think it was about three o'clock in the morning, the following morning, I talked with Mr. Tunik.

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He was trying and trying to get me on the phone, and our switchboard was pretty well tied up that morning

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because, naturally, a number of people had saw the telecast, thought that maybe we would have some knowledge of what you tried to say.

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So Mr. Tunik sent me a wire, and then I had him on the beeper phone, and he told us what had happened down there,

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and he was extremely complimentary about you, sir. And he said that you were very cooperative, and he appreciated it.

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Well, I appreciate it.

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He made it right on the...

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I hated it, I hated it because they both been so friendly, and they did not.

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I don't think either one of them liked this, but this is about the censorship.

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And also, so that's okay, and I'd excited the statement to that effect.

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However, I didn't mention the censorship that happened before then because I thought, well, if I do that,

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it will look as though I did this for that reason, that I did it in order to get that thing in the newspapers.

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So I purposely kept quiet about the censorship that the Air Force had caused during the time.

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It would have been a wonderful time to spring it and show that piece of paper from the script,

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but I didn't, I just waited because I didn't want to hurt Costello and Tunik anymore.

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I thought they might be playing for having something, some knowledge of it.

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But here is a line that PBS had in a letter, a form under the sender, everybody, about the program,

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said, this program had been carefully cleared for security reasons.

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Therefore, it was the responsibility of this network to ensure performance in accordance with predetermined security standards.

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Now, I would like to know why if the flying saucers don't exist, if they absolutely are no menace of any kind,

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and they couldn't be, and they simply are something in the project of imagination of their errors,

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why there is security about it, and why the program had to be cleared at all.

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Why was it that they were so worried that I might say something?

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And also, I bet you to say this, if the Air Force Colonel had started to add a statement in there,

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I wonder whether they would have pulled a switch on him.

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I can't answer the question.

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I'd like a good bet, about 50 to one, that they wouldn't have.

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You're a betting man, Cardi.

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If you want to get around to it later, I know I've talked quite a little bit here,

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there are some other items that were in the original manuscript set up there.

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Well, no, I would appreciate it very much if you'd like to comment on them right now, sir.

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Oh, I thought the listeners would actually be very interested in the invention.

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I don't say that this was censorship, because it could actually, unless they'd given me even time,

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they couldn't have covered all this.

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I was hoping that they would actually be forced into giving me equal time with the Air Force, which didn't happen.

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Well, one of the cases in Indianapolis where practically half the city saw an object in 1952,

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and a statement by Captain Richard Case, who was flying an American Airlines Convair,

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and said that this was a controlled craft of some sort, and he was perfectly convinced.

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Then I had a military case by Marine Corps Captain Don Holland,

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and the fact that his sighting was confirmed by Major General William G. Manley, USMC,

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who said he did sight it, and that it was an authentic sighting.

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Then I mentioned the fact that many Air Force pilots are among the 100 to claim the UFOs are real.

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And I had in here the Far East Air Force Report of an encounter in December 1956.

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Incidentally, that was described in our magazine, the UFO Investigator.

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There's an Air Force jet pilot caught this on his radar, and the blip showed it to be as large as a larger than a B-29 bomber.

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And he locked on with his radar and tried to close in.

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He saw this thing ahead of him, a strange round object, and this was later computed to be at least 200 and 250,

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and for up to 300 feet in diameter.

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He closed it within five miles, and during that time he had a mysterious radar interference from the object.

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He kept switching frequencies, and after a few seconds the interference would come back.

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When he got to within five miles, this object accelerated to between 1500 and 1800 knots,

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that's roughly around 2,000 miles an hour, and went out of sight so quickly that it just vanished.

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That was cut out. I was argued against using that one because you can't use the pilot's name.

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Well, the Air Force will not release the names of witnesses in any case.

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I think it was a good one. I think the reason it was cut out because it would have put the Air Force on the spot.

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I also mentioned back to Center Barry Goldwater, an Air Force reserve colonel,

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and said that he frankly feels he's a great deal to this, and he'd often discussed it with Air Force officers.

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Then I mentioned the documents, which I've already gone over, and the Mantell case, what stayed in?

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The Mantell case. I mentioned that also in 1948 the pilot of an Air Force T-6 had had a weird dogfight

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with a strange UFO over Andrew's Air Force base in Maryland.

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After trying to close in for ten minutes, he switched on his landing lights,

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and he saw this strange object make a tight turn and head toward the east coast.

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Now, the Air Force experts in the Air Weather Service checked on this and reported,

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in a secret report which was later declassified. This was definitely not a balloon.

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In spite of that, the Air Force came out and released a public statement that this man had been dogfighting with a balloon.

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Now, that's another thing that was not on the air.

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Most of the other has to do with sightings, or there was one other thing, a special report 14.

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That's the Air Force Blue Book report in which they say that they analyzed 3,201 cases,

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and in the back of this it shows a table that 19.5% were unexplained.

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In other words, to add on the ones that they had to explain on up to date, it makes a total of more than 700.

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They admit 5,700, so 700 out of 5,700 or more than 12% are unexplained.

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The Air Force admits that, but they come out and say, we are currently explaining 1.9%.

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The word currently gets dropped out and everybody thinks the Air Force has explained about all but 2% of the sightings.

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I had that in there and part of it was left in.

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The one other thing that I wanted to mention was the fact that the Air Force said that they could not build a working model of a flying saucer

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because they had 12 cases out of all these, what they call the cream of the crop, and all of them were describing different objects.

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This inspired the fact that in 1949 Project Grudge report was released temporarily and later was classified.

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They said that there were several groups.

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Group 1, the most numerous, described a disc-shaped object, apparently metallic, which had a diameter 10 times the thickness of it

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because these things were capable of swift accelerations and high-speed turns.

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Group 2, the most numerous object seen at night and Group 3, the cigar-shaped object.

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You certainly can make working models out of a disc or a cigar-shaped object.

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Here is Special Report 14, which was apparently led out to deceive the American people.

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This was denounced shortly afterwards by Captain Rupel, the former head of the project, who said that he was responsible for having this thing drawn up.

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And when it came in, everybody agreed it was practically worthless and it's still being put over as the official document of the Air Force.

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Major, there's a question on these documents. These four top secret documents seem to keep coming in and out of all the conversations on this.

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Now, to my understanding, you knew the contents of these documents through Captain Rupel.

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Is that correct?

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The Air Force denied that three of these things ever existed and stated that the fourth document did exist,

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but that its contents were pretty diametrically opposite to what you claim.

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In fact, they claim, I think it was a statement of Secretary Horner, that in fact the contents of this document were that the public should be widely informed true,

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but they should be widely informed that there was no evidence to support the hypothesis that there were flying saucers or spaceships or what have you.

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Now, earlier you said that on the Armstrong Circle Theater they did not want to get into this because the Air Force would deny the existence of them and would in fact be calling Captain Rupel a liar.

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Now, can I assume that the Air Force has now called Captain Rupel a liar?

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It would appear to me that they had, yes.

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And that raises quite a number of points because he's not the only one who confirmed the existence of these documents.

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I learned of the existence of two of them a long time before his book came out.

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Now, there's a very funny thing about the one they do admit.

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This was not an Air Force document solely.

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It was originally an investigation or rather an examination of evidence by scientists called together by the Central Intelligence Agency.

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They ran the show with the Air Force producing the evidence they had.

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These top level scientists and aviation leaders, astronomers and so on, were called in to advise the Air Force what to do.

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Now, the one recommendation in there which is very important is that they said you should quadruple the size of the project and set up special observation posts.

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Now, that's one thing that people in the project have been fighting for.

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Rupel mentions in there that Major General William Garland, who was then out at ATIC, came to the Pentagon and fought for this and was finally turned down.

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He wanted it carried through, the thing called Rupel and the observation posts and so forth.

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It'd be very easy to call Garland and Colonel Don, Frank Don and others, Rupel mentions in there and it's interesting to notice that nobody mentioned by Rupel in that book has ever come out and said that's a lie.

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It copies of that book, went to every officer in there who's mentioned in it.

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There's no question that those things exist, but the Mintley Air Force admits it, then they are on the spot.

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Well, the such, then finally having denied it, finally denied it, seems that it is no longer a case of perhaps concealing things from the public, but it is, and now pretty much a flat case of somebody, either Captain Rupel and the other gentlemen, or the official representatives of the Air Force are just plain lying.

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Well, I don't like to use the word lying, here's what I would like to say there.

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There are people who think that it is wiser not to let the American people know any bad news.

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That's been prevalent and it's more and more prevalent in Washington today.

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Big Brother will decide what is best for the American people and I think it's wrong.

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Now when I say I, I'm speaking for most of the people on our board of governors and you could say, as Wallace started out saying, well everybody's connected to this seems to be a crackpot

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or something else.

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Now we have Vice Admiral R. H. Hillen Carter, as I mentioned.

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He was formerly head of the CIA.

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He had a wonderful war record.

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Real Admiral Herbert Knowles will also find war record.

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Colonel Robert Emerson, USAR, who occasionally goes on active duty for the Army today, investigated this for years.

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J.B. Hartrants, who's president of the Aircraft Owners and Powers Association, the largest organization in the world of pilot pilots.

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Major Farnay, who was on the project, and the number one man in Washington, the number one investigator.

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Quite a number of people.

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Well, Frank Edwards, you just mentioned him, identified him a while ago, and some religious leaders,

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And we have a number of other people who will not let their names be used, but who are special advisors in various fields.

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Some of them top rocket missile men.

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These people, most of them, will agree that the Air Force is keeping the facts from the public.

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May I ask you this, Major Kehoe?

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You've given us a list of names here.

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Would you go on record here this morning and make the statement that all of these people,

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whose names you have just listed to us, would you say that they all believe that these UFOs are interplanetary?

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No, I won't say that because there's a variation in there.

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And I do hope to have a statement on that out within the next week or two.

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At least there will be a statement by a majority of the board on this question of censorship.

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Some of the board members, and I think it goes up to more than 50%, believe that these things are interplanetary.

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I'm not going to identify them until each one has given me permission.

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Some of them are absolutely convinced of it.

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Some of them say it looks like it, and they're almost convinced.

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And others say I'd still like to see some more evidence.

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One quick question, and then I'll have to take care of them.

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This is Major.

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Are you representing NICAP this morning, or are you talking as Major Donald E. Kehoe?

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I'm representing NICAP, and anytime you want my personal views aside, it's a little hard to split myself apart.

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But what I have said up to now is as a director of NICAP.

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My guests this morning, Major Donald E. Kehoe of NICAP, director of NICAP, Cortland Heistings, Charles Liedem.

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I don't know for a moment there if something happened, Charles, just a blank.

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I'm looking at you and I'm not quite sure if you were a Venusian.

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And Jules B. St. Germain, the attorney and author from Lindbrook, Long Island.

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I think just at the time that I interrupted to take care of a little business here,

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you were telling us, you were giving us some additional information about what occurred on that telecast,

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and also you were giving us a statement in reference to whether you were representing NICAP this morning,

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or representing just Donald E. Kehoe.

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I have one brief question to ask you, sir, and then there's no doubt my other panel members around here have a number of questions too.

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Well, I hope you realize that you'll have plenty of time to give us some of that exciting information.

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Charles, did you want to pick up something here?

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Yes, one small point, Major. I noticed that earlier on television and just now you've said you've offered these gentlemen the presumed contactees

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the opportunity to come to Washington or perhaps someone will go there.

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I don't know how it would work.

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And take a lie detector test.

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And if I were a, if I had a story about contacting Venusians

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and were told in effect that I would, my story would stand or fall on the result of a lie detector test,

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I think I would quite justifiably turn it down too because as you know well, these are not exactly

reliable instruments.

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They are not admitted as court evidence, I don't believe. Is that true, Drew?

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Generally speaking, they're not admitted as court evidence. Of course, the question of reliability, you'll get various opinions.

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But as long as there are at least a few expert opinions on non-reliability, I would hate to have my whole story fall on the fact that something went wrong with the polygraph when I happened to be tied to it.

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Well, if I understand the major correctly, I believe this was merely an incident of one of various tests that be applied and appearing before a panel. Is that right, sir?

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That's right. It was a question that was suggested as one of the eight. In fact, they had originally about 20, and it just kept to be too long.

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They cut it down. Now, we printed the replies that we got.

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Well, what happened?

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Well, the point is this. We had stated that whenever an ICAP was able to have these hearings, it's going to be an expensive proposition to transport somebody from the West Coast and to put them up there for whatever time it takes for these hearings.

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And I also have always said that I felt the investigation of factual sightings should come first.

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This is W.O.R. Radio, your station in New York 710 in the Dile.

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Major Kehoe, don't you think, though, that that's a rather unfortunate situation?

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In other words, let us say as an example that I, one night, come in front of this microphone and I say that I was driving down the Jersey Tertent Pike and I saw a light in the sky and something landed near the side of the highway and it was a Venusian spaceship.

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And I took a ride in it. Of course, I do this show and there would be some people who would believe me and many people wouldn't believe me, the same as any of the others.

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So immediately you hear about it and you send me one of these forms to fill out.

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And I fill it out and I agree. Yes, by all means, Major Kehoe, bring the lie detector test up.

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Of course, you've possibly sent this form maybe to 40 or 50 people and I am one of three people who've agreed to submit to the lie detector.

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The outcome of it is you don't have this available at the present time. Wouldn't you say that this would sort of imply that I am honest and that I'm telling a legitimate story because I'm willing to submit to it?

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I wouldn't say that implies that 100% because there are a lot of people that will agree to anything because they are convinced of what they are saying.

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You know that sometimes a man can be so convinced of the truth after he said it enough times that he might even be able to pass the lie detector test.

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I've been told that. I think that's possible.

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The whole thing was unfortunate. I did not want to go into this contact business so soon because I felt that your first job is to convince the American people and the press that these things are real.

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After that, the other things in the right order.

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Well, don't you think that's the easiest way? And believe me, I'm not being critical of you, sir, or NICAP. I'm not in the position to be and I don't think it's my right to be.

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But you sit here, Major Kehoe, and you tell us about these sightings and they're extremely interesting.

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And of course, you have no tangible proof to afford us this morning except the fact that this pilot and that pilot and this Air Force General has made the statement.

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I think that's a lot of things that are fine and dandy. But don't you think it would prove more to the American public that there is something to this story if it could be proven that these fellas who claim that they've been talking to venusians and Martians,

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if it could be proven that they're telling the truth. I don't buy it myself, frankly, Major.

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It would be easier to sell me the idea that this is something that has to be.

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I'll try to answer that before I do. I want to make one little correction in there about not having anything tangible.

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There are photographs and there are photographs of radar scopes showing triangulation of objects and there are pieces of metal which have fallen from objects which have disintegrated and which were reported as UFOs just before they did.

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So I would say there is some tangible evidence. Now, to go into this other, I know quite a number of better newspaper men and a number of newscasters in Washington.

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I said, what is your opinion? What's the best policy for NICAP after I was put in there and inherited it and sometimes wish I'd never been born.

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But anyway, I said, no matter what you personally believe, it is smarter to concentrate on your factual sightings because the minute you start in on any other angle, you're going to lose the press.

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Then you will start being ridiculed as having accepted contact stories, whether you accept them or not, the minute you start sounding as all you do, you said, the best advice we can give you is not even to mention them.

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Don't say yes or no, just keep still. So I tried that at first. It didn't work.

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The pressure built up because there are many people who are sincerely convinced that these things are true and some people who accept all of them and some people who accept a few.

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The pressure got so great that I was accused of clamping a lid. Here I am, I got trying to expose censorship and I'm clamping a lid on the contact stories.

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So I said, all right. So I got advice from a lot of people about a policy and we set out these questions and we did not send to a lot of people because we selected the best known ones.

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There are by now, I think, hundreds who claim contact or communication here and abroad. So it didn't satisfy anybody.

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There are people that don't believe in them, they wrote in and said, what are you bothering with those for? What's the idea?

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And we thought Nikef was a factual organization. The people who believe in the contacts wrote in and said, here you are trying to force people to take a lie detector test.

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The result is, it's no better than it was. I will say this. I have tried very hard and tonight perhaps is the first time that I have said anything that sounded a little hard-boiled.

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I've tried very hard to say we are going to be impartial. If anybody can bring in absolute proof that will convince not me, but the advisors and the board that will be out and writing with a Nikef banner on it.

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Major, on the business of the contact stories, I think the advice of the newspaper men that you consulted was probably good.

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And I bring up my own case very briefly to lead up to the question I want to ask you is that years ago when the books and sightings first started coming out,

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I bought quite a few of them and read them and had, shall we say, an open mind on it. I don't know if I really did.

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But I started to get off the boat very quickly when I read stories about glowing venusians with long hair, leaving hieroglyphics in the sand,

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and a few other, rather, shall we say, curious incidents. And I figured, well, if the flying saucer people are like this, well, who needs them?

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Now, which leads up to the question is, I wonder if perhaps you as the director of Nikef, or perhaps just as Donald Keyhoe, a private citizen,

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feel that the contact stories are damaging your case?

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I think they are delaying acceptance of UFO reality by most people in the United States. And I said

that in a statement of policy, and I think our second issue.

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I said, no matter what you believe, why don't you take it easy, and let's prove that these sightings are correct.

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Take the most factual ones you can get, and once the newspapers buy it and the networks buy it, the individual broadcasters,

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nothing can stop investigation of every phase, everything, the communication claims, the contact claims.

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Every angle of it will immediately be explored, because then it will be the biggest story they've got, and they'll jump on it,

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you'll have thousands of people writing and talking about it from then on. So let's get the facts in there.

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And that's the one thing the Air Force is worried about. They love the contact stories, because it helps them to laugh at all.

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Now, there may be somewhere or other, there may be a guy with a contact story that is absolutely 100% true, and he's being crucified.

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I will admit that in my books, particularly the second one, I took some cracks, and I treated the subject very lightly,

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and if I were to write another one now, I don't know what I would do. I probably would state the nightcap policy and keep my own opinion out of it.

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What I wanted to get in here, as a matter of fact, I hear the resonant voice of Jules coming in.

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The squeaky voice of Jules is that this is an introduction to you, by the way, Jules.

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Thank you very much.

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I don't know whether you would call CSI, or I'm sure you wouldn't call it a rival organization, let's say a fellow organization in the field,

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civilian, saucer, intelligence, and as we are on this subject, it is my understanding that CSI, either as a body or a large number of its individual members,

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believe in what we have, I think, incorrectly called little green men and been corrected to little men.

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That's right, not little green.

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And here sitting on my right is the president.

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The little man?

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Oh, have Jules say to your man who, are you as a representative of CSI tonight, Jules, or just as a member of CSI?

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Individually as a 230 pound little man. He's tightly packed.

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Jules, I wonder if you could recap briefly for some of the listeners who may have joined us for the first time.

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The statement that you made a couple of weeks ago on this program about the opinions of two of the gentlemen who had the research department of CSI,

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I think that's Mr. Ted Blocher and Mr. Alex Meben.

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I think you told us something about not little green men, but about little men.

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Well, I hate to quote someone else.

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I think there has been a differentiation by CSI in the contact claims.

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Putting one in the class of the fair-haired or long-haired venusians or Martians with the metaphysical and the religious and occult significance

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and the stories of the generally non-communicative little men who are more of the humanoid variety.

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And although I don't think that either class is endorsed, I think it is the position of CSI generally speaking,

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or possibly the majority of the members, my phraseology may be poor,

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that of the two classes there is more likelihood of truth in those stories which embrace the humanoid group which we call the little men.

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Now, I hope I'm quoting the general position correctly.

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If that is my personal opinion on any event.

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Charles, any further question or comment?

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No. The one line of thought here which has occurred to me,

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and I am certainly doing this at either CSI or NICAP or just by anybody else in the flying saucer field,

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is that there are a lot of statements quoted about scientist's speculation on the fact that other worlds are inhabited.

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And statistically it seems to be a fair chance that a good many of other worlds throughout the universe are inhabited.

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And CSI and NICAP and the various flying saucer people say that there are such things as flying saucers

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that very possibly they come from some unspecified or perhaps more than one unspecified other world far away in the universe.

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And also there are statements about top secret documents which may or may not exist, we don't know, we have conflicting testimony on that.

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But all of these things, it seems to me that the people who claim it are on the long end of the stick here,

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is that nobody, it's an easy thing to maintain and I don't know if this is necessarily any condemnation of it,

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but it is unfortunate that those of us who are on the other side of the fence who do not believe in saucers

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or little men or contacts or anything else are not going to be able to have a final word on this thing

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until that great golden day when the Earth spaceships have explored each and every last sun in the universe.

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So we're on the short end of it and they're on the long end of it and it's perhaps just providentially very fortunate for them.

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And I don't know where, whatever we're going to do.

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The thing, the question that all this is leading around to all of this circuitism, and it is circuitous,

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is that in these presumably open-minded and scientific investigations of saucers and contacts and little men,

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if there is anything that would prove, I assume that their minds are open one way or the other, maybe there are, maybe there aren't,

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if there was anything that would prove to the representatives of these organizations that in fact there were no such things as flying saucers.

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Before we visited the last sun in the universe and said nobody home, I leave that wide open, anybody can come in that wants to.

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Well, I mean, I understand what you're saying, child, I don't quite understand your point.

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Well, my point is this, the civilian saucer intelligence and NICAP represent themselves, and I'm sure they are,

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as open-minded scientific groups wanting to investigate this thing right down to the last rivet of unidentifiable metal falling from the sky.

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But they only seem to be investigating it in a positive sense. They want to prove that it is so.

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And most of the things which I consider as scientific investigations as an open-ended thing both ways,

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we make a hypothesis and we say, well, maybe this is so and maybe it isn't, we are now going to find out.

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And there are certain criteria. We will apply certain tests to something that we are testing.

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If this test works out this way, then the hypothesis is wrong. If the test works out the other way, the hypothesis is right.

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Now, of course, the obvious way of proving that your hypothesis is right is the little man or perhaps the long-haired man walking into the studio or something

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and saying, hi, kids, I'm from Venus, and proving it. Is there anything which would convince any of you people that there were no such things as flying saucers?

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Well, I might say, first of all, it seems to me that you are presupposing a blind acceptance upon the part of NICAP and CSI of all UFO stories.

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In that respect, I think you are wrong. Now, just what Major Kehoe said in reference to the policy on the contact claims,

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that would seem to me a highly objective approach. They're not accepting it. They're asking for proof.

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They're asking if the party is willing to undergo a lie detector test. So, certainly, I think that would contradict you.

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To get to the question, of course, of tangible evidence, I think that's a term that can be open to various interpretations.

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To make a parallel example, it certainly is an exaggerated one. I've seen the top of the Empire State Building, but I've never touched it.

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Does that mean that it is possibly a fantasy? Of course, I realize that's exaggerated. It's not strictly comparable.

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What intangible evidence, when you see definite and solid blips on radar, to me that would certainly approach, if not actually being, tangible evidence.

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Of what?

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Of some object in the sky, the radioscope indicates a speed in excess of that, which can be accomplished by any aircraft known to us here.

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That would indicate that it is something of an unusual origin. Then the next question, of course, is what is it?

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Basically, there are three classes. One, spaceships, number two, the secret weapon, and three, a little advanced theory that is some type of life form in the air.

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Do you know of any other classes, Major?

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There is no, except the Air Force answer is that the radar men are always wrong, or something is wrong with the set.

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But you have to rule that out when you take the hundreds of radar reports and realize that the men who make them are the ones who either GCI, Ground Control Intercept in the Air Force,

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and are trained to guide fighters in very closely to enemy bombers, or they are cyber aeronautics experts, including the men who can bring you in right down to the runway,

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and you don't see anything almost until you're there, and they can say you're five feet to the left, over down five, up four.

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I mean, they spot you instantly. If those men aren't able to recognize the difference between a solid object coming in under control and a bird or a temperature inversion or something like that,

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they'd be cracking up planes all over runways, and you wouldn't be having airliners flying in under those ceilings in the airports.

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Now, those radar men are good, and they very, very much resent the Air Force statements that radar doesn't prove anything.

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They've even got Air Force radar now, 3,000 miles, is supposed to pick up an enemy missile, and they're wondering, they just say, oh, that's great.

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It's so good, why isn't the other any good?

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One brief question, Major Kehoe. You have made the statement a couple of times this morning that you feel that the government is acting as sort of a big brother.

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They're going to tell us the things that they think that we can stand to hear and the things that we shouldn't hear, they're not going to tell us about.

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Now, in other words, what you've implied is that they possibly know as much as you do, maybe even a little bit more about these things that are flying around,

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and possibly they know that they're coming from other planets. You've sort of implied this anyway.

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Now, my question is just this. Is it possible, sir, that maybe some foreign government, I'm talking about a government on this planet,

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that maybe they've developed something that acts like youthfals, and maybe our government is familiar with the fact that it may be something that was built by Russia,

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and that they don't want to tell us that because they're afraid that it may cause too much concern?

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Well, that, of course, was the first answer that the Air Force and the Navy and the Army considered back in 47 when they had the mass sightings.

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There were a lot of scared people running around the Pentagon when these things finally seemed to be real.

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And then they began to take some stock and said, well, either the Soviet had a terrific leap here,

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and less than two years since they ended World War II and their devastated factories and practically nothing,

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and all of a sudden they've got a perfect global weapon, or else these are coming from somewhere else.

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So they did a hasty intelligence job. The end of six months with the help of the British, they had ruled out any possibility these could be Russian.

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But now, just to say for a minute that they were Russian, it would mean that since 1940, actually since the middle of World War II,

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the Russians had something in operation, or maybe it was the Germans and the Russians took it over.

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And then they perfected it by 47. For 11 years, they've been building ordinary jets and working like mad to build missiles and get sputniks in the air

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when they already had the ultimate perfect device and weapon.

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They were letting us fight them when all they had to do was to take one of these things and say,

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we are going to have it over the center of Wichita, Kansas tomorrow, and everybody better get out of there,

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because when we have it over there, we're going to drop something and they could prove it without any doubt, and they would have owned the world by now.

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I don't think there's any possibility of a Soviet answer, and the US secret weapon answer rules out the same way,

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because we wouldn't be so afraid, we would certainly not have failed to put sputniks in the air, and we would not be building ordinary jets and missiles.

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Cortland Hastings?

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This problem of these constructions coming from other countries here.

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Jessup brought out the point in a letter to open letter to Arthur Constance in the Flying Saucer Review.

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In 1882...

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Pardon me, who's Arthur Constance?

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He's quite an English scientist who wrote the Inexplicable Universe.

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He's a what, sir?

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A scientist.

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A scientist.

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Yes.

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Is that the gentleman who... I think I... is that the book published by Citadel Press?

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I don't believe so, but I don't know.

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Is this the gentleman who claims that he feels that Adamsky has legitimate pictures?

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No, I'm sorry.

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But at any rate, there was a very great structure seen in the air, a UFO, in 1882.

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So this is long before any airships, and this was tested to by at least three prominent astronomers at the time.

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And your friend Jay Glick, as a matter of fact, going way, way back into history...

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Jay is quite an Egyptologist.

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He stated that there were numerous references in the Egyptian Book of the Dead to spaceships as machines from space.

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So these things have been around here for so long that it isn't anything recent, except...

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Well, if I may use the same reasoning that Major Kehoe just used in reference to the possibility of Russia having developed something back in 1947,

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and by now they would have dropped the bomb at Wichita, Kansas,

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Why are the Martians or the Venetians flying around with these things for the last thousand, two thousand years, or four hundred years?

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Why haven't they done something instead of continuing to fly around?

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By now, don't they know enough about this planet?

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Well, it might be that they're simply keeping us under observation.

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For what purpose?

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Simply to see where we're reacting.

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Simply as possibly older people might watch some kindergarten children reacting.

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I don't know why they're here, John.

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I have any more ideas than you or John.

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You can say you don't know why they are here.

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In other words, you've implied that they are here.

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Is that right, Court?

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Well, I feel very sure that they're here.

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I don't think there's any question about it.

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Who are they?

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People that UFOs intelligently controlled have been seen by the thousands,

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probably tens of thousands in our atmosphere, by credible witnesses.

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I think they're always in these discussions, I don't mean just here, but discussions everywhere, about UFOs.

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People seem to get away from the fact, or not want to accept the fact,

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that pilots and very fine sound citizens have seen these in such vast number

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that there's no longer question as to whether they are.

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The question is to what they are and from where they come.

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In other words, then what you're saying, Court, is that you don't know what they are

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or where they're coming from, and you really don't...

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In other words, do you actually feel that there's a possibility that some of these things have landed on this planet?

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Yes, because they've been seen to have been landed.

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In this last issue of the UFO investigator put out by NICAP, there were several instances where the UFO was on the ground or hovering.

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Well, if you want to say landed, where one was touching.

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The fact that it was down a level and touching.

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The UFO investigator, that's the NICAP official publication.

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Does this mean that NICAP have sort of given that deciding their seal of approval

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or just that they have recorded it in their publication?

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Well, I'd say that in this case they probably gave it a seal of approval

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because they sent down one of their representatives of the board.

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Major Keyhole, which I believe...

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Care to comment on that?

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I don't think that we have anything in here saying there was an actual landing.

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We have the case of the Army MPs who said this thing came down very close.

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Now, let me see.

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The one in Texas was not reported to have touched down.

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It was supposed to have come very close to it.

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Is that the level in Texas?

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Yes, the level in Texas.

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This Corporal Roy says it stayed there three minutes giving off a reddish-orange light

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and it came to the ground fairly fast, looked like a completely controlled landing.

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Well, that's what you're probably referring to.

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That's right.

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Now, we quoted...that was a story we got straight from the press wires

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and we tried to check with the Air Force and they said they had nothing to say about it.

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There was another MP story in the same general area of White Sands.

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It was hovering 50 feet from the ground.

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This one later was explained by the Air Force that two of these MPs had seen the moon

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and mistaken the moon for something hovering and landing touching the ground

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and the others had seen the planet Venus.

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Those explanations have given out.

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I don't believe either of those explanations are correct.

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Now, whether these men actually saw the thing touch or hover in that one case, I don't know.

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Ordinarily, when people talk about landings, it's usually hooked up with the idea of

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they see people come in and out of them.

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Now, I think there probably have been some touchdown landings

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where they touched down very briefly and went off again

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because there have been ready cases where the ground seemed to be radioactive for...unusually so.

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There was something using that type of propulsion had been there.

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That doesn't hook up with any contact stories, however.

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In level land, as I recall, and that's the Cindy,

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it wasn't their one case reported of a UFO being in the middle of a road

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and the driver of a car having stopped, got out and then it took off.

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There had been some landings in case there.

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In the level-in case, no. In the level-in case, it was said that it came low over them.

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And the altitude was variously guessed up to...well, I'm not looking at it this moment,

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but I recall around 200 feet with the lowest altitude that I read.

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Now, the Alamogordo case was nowhere nearly that close to the ground.

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It wasn't their one where I believe a truck driver from Waco, Texas,

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had actually stopped his motor vehicle and there was a egg-shaped object on the road in front of him.

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I had that impression.

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That was down in Mississippi or Alabama or somewhere,

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and that's when we described occupants that came out and talked with him.

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It wasn't the one I had in mind, Major. I made the entirely wrong leg.

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Not true. In the Saucers magazine, in regard to this level-in Texas major,

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I will quote here because it's only a few lines,

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that Pedro Saucedo, a farmhand in Joe Salas, were driving toward a farm at Pettit, Texas.

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Saucedo suddenly spotted an object rise from a field and come toward us.

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Then his truck motor died and the headlights dimmed out.

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Pedro Saucedo jumped out of his truck.

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He said,

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The thing passed directly over my truck with a great sound and a rush of wind.

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It sounded like thunder and my truck rocked from the blast.

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I felt a lot of heat.

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The enigmatic craft was torpedo-shaped.

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Well, that was, in essence, the report there.

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As a matter of fact, I think, in one of the earlier Air Force cases,

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the case of a musician by the name of Squires, I believe, in Kansas,

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which was, I believe, dubbed reliable by the Air Force.

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I think this man described an object on the ground

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and he thought he sighted someone through a portal.

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I thought it was hovering a very close distance from the ground.

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I think you are right there, but it seemed to be hovering very close.

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Maybe, well, that was, it was about dawn or just before dawn.

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And I talked with one of the officers on the project about that.

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Now, maybe he was wrong. He gave me the wrong impression,

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but he said that it was hovering very close to the ground.

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Some time ago, Major, I had some correspondence with Mr. Reinhold Schmidt

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in Caught in Nebraska, and I received a six-page letter in answer to a letter I had sent him.

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And I do have the impression, now, I may be entirely wrong,

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that Nightcap had sent him a letter or a questionnaire, had contacted him.

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Do you have any recollection of it?

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No, we did not send him.

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You did not?

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No. In fact, I think there was some confusion there

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between the man in Washington named Wayne Aho,

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because I received a call from a radio station or newspaper out there

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wanting to know what we had asked Mr. Schmidt, and I said,

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we had not asked him anything.

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And he said, well, he said that the head of this Washington Saucer Group had asked him.

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I said, well, it chances are it's Aho. Sometimes the names are confused.

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I assume there is no relationship between Mr. Aho and yourself.

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No, he spells his name A-H-O.

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There's two A-Hos. There's Major Wayne Aho and there's Arthur Aho.

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That's the brother who's associated with George Van Tassel, Arthur Aho.

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That's right. I remember there was one.

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I might add, by the way, I did also communicate with the prosecutor's attorney in Caught in

Nebraska,

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who has the unusual name of Goatabed, G-O-T-O-B-E-D.

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Unfortunately, I don't have the letter with me,

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but I was interested primarily in the claim of mistreatment, so to speak, of Schmidt.

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I don't have the letter with me, but the idea, basically, as he expressed it,

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was to save Schmidt from himself.

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He thought he might have suicidal tendencies.

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Jules, I'm sorry that I have to interrupt, but in fact, I'll tell you what,

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you might get up and go out to the kitchen with some of the other boys.

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I know Tommy Reynolds is anxious to get out there and prepare a little coffee.

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In the meantime, I'd like to talk to some of the listeners about

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Major Donnelly Kehoe, director of NICAP.

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That's National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena.

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Cortland Hastings, Charles Liedem, and Jules B. St. Germain.

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Now, I know that we all have a lot of questions and we want a lot of answers,

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so if we can get brief questions, maybe we'll get a lot of answers from Major Kehoe.

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Charles?

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Well, this one is a double question, actually, and I...

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I mean, a two for one.

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Two for one. All right.

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All for one price.

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And it's both a Major Kehoe and a court.

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I don't know what the NICAP attitude is towards these, or I shouldn't call them prehistory,

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these early sightings, the Egyptian sightings, and who knows, Babylonian sightings,

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and so forth, the flying saucers.

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This is the second time I've heard Cort mention the Book of the Dead of Egypt and its sightings

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of saucers from outer space.

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And the thing that the first part of my bargain question here is, I don't know when it was,

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in the 1700s, sometimes the 1600s, there was a well-documented case in London of hundreds

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and perhaps thousands of people seeing flights of angels over the sea.

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And there have been throughout the ages wonderfully documented many thousands of sightings of trolls

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and gnomes and elves and cobalds and so forth.

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And there's a mythical beast, I can't remember, which was seen in central Europe by thousands

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of people, which had the, I think, the head of a chicken and the body of a snake.

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I can't think of the name of it now, but if it looked at you or you looked at it, you turned a stone.

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There were a great many sightings of this, and speaking of sightings by competent people,

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the observers of the sea, sailors, captains, people whose entire lives had been spent watching the sea

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and objects therein, and were certainly as competent as anyone else saw sea serpents,

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and who knows, maybe there are sea serpents, but they also saw a lot of mermaids.

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And I think we're fairly well convinced now that there are no mermaids.

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Now the thing I want to know, first is why court or the nightcap or whoever it happens to be,

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selects out of this great mass of curious stuff the sightings of objects in the sky,

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which is supposed to be from outer space, and throws them at us as being from the Book of the Dead Court?

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I'm very glad to answer that.

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I'm glad you can.

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I'll answer it, best I can.

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The Book of the Dead is instruction, actually, for people on this earth.

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It isn't instruction, as the name would indicate, for people after death.

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In the Olden Times, antiquity, in the Times of Antiquity, the term dead then meant life on this earth,

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and that the human soul is much more alive in the unseen than it is here on this earth.

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The reference definitely was to machines from space.

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It was not to be confused with the sun, because these things were referred to as machines, although having brilliant light.

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See, there have been many explanations that these were suns they were referring to.

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Well, they had brilliant light, but they were machine suns.

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In other words, if they were constructions, they were entities.

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I don't mean entities in a sense of people, but were things which were coming to their earth.

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And there were many references, too, to occupants of these machines from space.

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It wasn't just a machine alone.

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So I think we've got to look at that in as broad a fashion as we can, with as open mind as we can.

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Now, your reference to these other sightings, Charles,

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is where people saw peculiar monsters and all that.

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We know that superstition naturally does play a large part.

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On the other hand, for example, if we come up to a little more modern time, say in around 1880, I believe it was,

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somewhere in that neighborhood in Kansas, there was a UFO which hovered over a city, I believe it was Kansas,

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for about three days.

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There was a picture in a newspaper.

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After all, there are thousands of people, in fact, all the inhabitants of the city saw this.

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And I didn't see it for just an instant, or two seconds or five minutes.

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It was there for days.

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So these things, I don't think we can laugh off nor discredit.

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And I think there's too much a tendency, just because our officialdom doesn't admit these things,

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to say that there's no reason for it.

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To me, the biggest problem and the biggest source of worry is the attitude expressed by the Air Force.

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I share Donald Keyho's feelings 100%.

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When they state, or when he is on his Armstrong Circle Theater,

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so that there might be an honest difference of opinion,

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of course that is obviously not true,

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but the second point was that they might be the best interests of people,

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not to confirm UFOs until all facts are known.

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Well now, if that is the case, neither should they deny them until all facts are known.

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Anything less than this is distortion.

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The Armstrong Circle Theater was an example of what distortions the Air Force causes,

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where officialdom is concerned.

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Now the Air Force has many times alleged that it wishes to avoid panic.

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I believe it is doing the very thing to bring on panic by not telling the American people the truth.

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I think the Air Force has far exceeded its authority.

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Certainly if we hold our Constitution to be the guide by which our Federation is run.

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The Air Force is supposed to defend the United States.

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The Air Force is not supposed to make rules.

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We have three departments in our government, the legislative, executive and judicial.

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These duties and responsibilities were most carefully defined by our forefathers.

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And because of this wonderful separation of function,

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I believe is the reason the United States has progressed to the fantastic point it has.

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Now however, in the field of security and nuclear weapons,

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obviously the military must maintain secrecy.

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But once secrecy is maintained,

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and a certain unit of government has the ability to control completely all these functions of government,

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here is where we get into a very bad situation.

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The Senate document, or the publication, United States Constitution,

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issued in 1948 by Alexander Wally, chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary of the United States Senate,

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writes in one paragraph,

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the Constitution has value not only as the guiding political instrument of our land,

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but also as a guide in the economic, social and religious life of the nation.

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The basic principle of the Constitution is that of checks and balances of division,

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rather than concentration of power.

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And he goes on to say that,

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power corrupts in whosoever hands it may be,

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and that absolute power, whatever its form, corrupts absolutely.

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And I think this has been demonstrated very clearly by the Air Force attitude.

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The Air Force is not a big brother.

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The Air Force group in Washington have constituted themselves as a group of censors

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to determine what the American people should know.

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Now this is a thing during World War II,

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during World War II we fought against a nation,

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which was dictatorial, which was run by one man and a group under him.

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This group determined what the German nation should know.

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We have a more contemporary group in Russia which determined what the Russian people should know.

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This is against all American basic concepts of freedom.

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And I believe that our citizenry should go to their senators and representatives

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and have them exert all the influence possible on the government and on the Air Force

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to release all information which is not critical national security.

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And flying saucers certainly are not national security.

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This is information that belongs to the people of the United States.

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The people of the United States are the judges, not the Air Force.

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I hesitate, Clark, to ask the first part of my omnibus question again,

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but why is it that you choose to put more credence in Egyptian flying machines

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02:44:21,880 --> 02:44:25,880

than in, say, reports of mermaids?

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02:44:25,880 --> 02:44:29,880

I don't recall that any reports of mermaids were made in the Book of the Dead.

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02:44:29,880 --> 02:44:33,880

Is that your sole source of authority in this world, the Book of the Dead?

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02:44:33,880 --> 02:44:39,880

It is a tremendous book of the Egyptians, one of the greatest books.

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02:44:39,880 --> 02:44:41,880

The Bible happens to be another book.

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02:44:41,880 --> 02:44:44,880

Well, I'll let that one go by for a while.

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02:44:44,880 --> 02:44:49,880

It seems to me, Charles, that to a certain extent your point is well taken.

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02:44:49,880 --> 02:44:52,880

Thank you for a certain extent.

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02:44:52,880 --> 02:44:57,880

Well, by this I mean it seems to me it's a perfect list to a great extent

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02:44:57,880 --> 02:45:01,880

to rely on these ancient reports going back to the Middle Ages

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02:45:01,880 --> 02:45:06,880

and to allege biblical references in the Book of Ezekiel or the like

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02:45:06,880 --> 02:45:10,880

when we have as late as 1880, which is fairly contemporary.

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02:45:10,880 --> 02:45:13,880

I go along with you, Charles. This was only background.

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02:45:13,880 --> 02:45:16,880

I think we can concern ourselves only with today.

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02:45:16,880 --> 02:45:20,880

That is right. I believe it was in the 1897 and 98

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02:45:20,880 --> 02:45:24,880

where some crafts were sidelved over Oakland, later over Chicago,

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02:45:24,880 --> 02:45:29,880

and numerous cities that seemed very, very tangible evidence.

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02:45:29,880 --> 02:45:32,880

But in connection with the Air Force, I'd like to ask the major

1867

02:45:32,880 --> 02:45:37,880

if he has any idea why there apparently has been a change in policy.

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02:45:37,880 --> 02:45:42,880

I assume there has been a change from the early 50s to the present time.

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02:45:42,880 --> 02:45:45,880

Would that be due to the press in Ellingtale?

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02:45:45,880 --> 02:45:50,880

No, it was due to the fact that one time one group was a little more powerful

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and then somebody would be transferred and then another top-level officer

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02:45:54,880 --> 02:45:57,880

would come in and throw his weight.

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02:45:57,880 --> 02:46:03,880

The policy at first, 1947, was one of bafflement.

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And let's see what's going on.

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02:46:05,880 --> 02:46:09,880

And then it began to suspect what it was and put it under wraps.

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02:46:09,880 --> 02:46:15,880

And then the latter part of 1948, there was some talk about putting it out,

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02:46:15,880 --> 02:46:17,880

and then that got knocked down.

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02:46:17,880 --> 02:46:21,880

And then everything was completely under wraps for a couple of years

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02:46:21,880 --> 02:46:24,880

and they began to get open again. Let's get serious about it.

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02:46:24,880 --> 02:46:28,880

In 1952, they finally decided, let's get it out and tell the people

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02:46:28,880 --> 02:46:31,880

even though we don't have proof and full answers.

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02:46:31,880 --> 02:46:36,880

And in 1953, they almost got away with it and then it was knocked down but hard.

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02:46:36,880 --> 02:46:40,880

And from then on, the censorship has gotten tighter and tighter

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02:46:40,880 --> 02:46:45,880

and the point where they will even contradict things that they have put in writing before

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02:46:45,880 --> 02:46:47,880

and you put them side by side.

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02:46:47,880 --> 02:46:50,880

It's obvious one of them can't be true.

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02:46:50,880 --> 02:46:56,880

In fact, that's shown up here the very time when the Armstrong Theater deal.

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02:46:56,880 --> 02:47:01,880

Here you had on the Armstrong Theater, you had the assistant secretary, Horner,

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02:47:01,880 --> 02:47:05,880

and the mistake to believe that the Air Force is withholding anything

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02:47:05,880 --> 02:47:08,880

and I do not qualify this in any way.

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02:47:08,880 --> 02:47:13,880

And the very, now that was the 22nd.

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02:47:13,880 --> 02:47:20,880

On the 23rd of January, Captain Gregory H. Olinberg, Langley Air Force Base, Virginia

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02:47:20,880 --> 02:47:25,880

wrote a letter to one of the NICAP members who asked if he could submit an advertisement

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02:47:25,880 --> 02:47:29,880

to run in the Langley Flyer. It's the base newspaper.

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02:47:29,880 --> 02:47:33,880

And all it was was they would like to hear from those interested in forming a local affiliate

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02:47:33,880 --> 02:47:39,880

of a national investigation network on the origin of flying saucers and UFOs

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02:47:39,880 --> 02:47:42,880

with the public dissemination of the data so obtained.

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02:47:42,880 --> 02:47:45,880

And this captain says, and this is on Air Force Stationery,

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02:47:45,880 --> 02:47:51,880

I objected to the running of this ad because I felt that it would encourage Air Force personnel

1900

02:47:51,880 --> 02:47:58,880

to violate present Air Force policy and specifically Air Force regulation 200-2.

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02:47:58,880 --> 02:48:02,880

Within 24 hours after the Air Force secretary says, nobody's hiding anything.

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02:48:02,880 --> 02:48:04,880

Here's a man who comes out and writes it.

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02:48:04,880 --> 02:48:09,880

Not only that, at the bottom of this, after turning down a much weaker advertisement,

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02:48:09,880 --> 02:48:13,880

he says, although the wording of these two ads has been changed,

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02:48:13,880 --> 02:48:18,880

it is my belief that one of the objectives of your organization is the public dissemination

1906

02:48:18,880 --> 02:48:20,880

of data on unidentified flying objects.

1907

02:48:20,880 --> 02:48:26,880

As I pointed out to you on the 20th of January, this is contrary to Air Force policy and regulations.

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02:48:27,880 --> 02:48:28,880

Now that's on record.

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02:48:28,880 --> 02:48:33,880

Now here's a man that says, if he gets the policy and regulations to disseminate any data,

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02:48:33,880 --> 02:48:37,880

the assistant secretary of the air gets on and says we're not hiding a thing.

1911

02:48:37,880 --> 02:48:43,880

On top of that, Major General Kelly writes a letter to NiCAP in which he says,

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02:48:43,880 --> 02:48:47,880

you will note that this release reaffirms the United States Air Force position

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02:48:47,880 --> 02:48:50,880

as to the non-existence of flying saucers.

1914

02:48:50,880 --> 02:48:54,880

Shortly after that, he wrote a letter to, well, it was quite a little after that,

1915

02:48:54,880 --> 02:48:59,880

to Senator Goldwater asking about by being knocked off the air,

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02:48:59,880 --> 02:49:04,880

and that was answered by Horner himself in which he says the allegations of the Air Force

1917

02:49:04,880 --> 02:49:09,880

as withheld information on UFOs are entirely an error.

1918

02:49:09,880 --> 02:49:12,880

Who are you going to believe and why?

1919

02:49:12,880 --> 02:49:16,880

Well, Major, excuse me, this is very pertinent to this.

1920

02:49:16,880 --> 02:49:21,880

You mentioned several times the Air Force regulation, I think, 200-something or other,

1921

02:49:21,880 --> 02:49:28,880

200-2, and I wonder if perhaps a wrong interpretation may not be being put on this.

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02:49:28,880 --> 02:49:36,880

I am not at all familiar with this, but here is how I might reconstruct the thinking of the Air Force

1923

02:49:36,880 --> 02:49:40,880

in issuing that, and in this gentleman's refusing this ad,

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02:49:40,880 --> 02:49:46,880

is that I should think it would be very logical for the Air Force to desire that its personnel

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02:49:46,880 --> 02:49:52,880

hold down to a minimum any discussion of objects they see going around the sky

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02:49:52,880 --> 02:49:58,880

with the thought in mind, one, that the objects that they do see might be secret, experimental,

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02:49:58,880 --> 02:50:03,880

and so forth, American craft, not flying saucers or anything related to them,

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02:50:03,880 --> 02:50:08,880

and if the boys see a few things zipping around and they get together downtown

1929

02:50:08,880 --> 02:50:13,880

in the little room behind the bar and in comes the local barber and the local spy and so forth,

1930

02:50:14,880 --> 02:50:18,880

and they talk over these things, see Jesus was going 9,000 miles an hour

1931

02:50:18,880 --> 02:50:22,880

and it made a right-angled turn and it spit green bolts and so forth,

1932

02:50:22,880 --> 02:50:27,880

and here they are, all unawares, of course, with certainly no subversive intention,

1933

02:50:27,880 --> 02:50:32,880

hashing over possible secret developments of the American Air Force,

1934

02:50:32,880 --> 02:50:37,880

and this is only one reason I can see for them being a little reluctant to have their personnel

1935

02:50:37,880 --> 02:50:40,880

going around talking up all the things they've seen in the sky.

1936

02:50:41,880 --> 02:50:45,880

Well, that, I can see your reason for thinking so,

1937

02:50:45,880 --> 02:50:50,880

but if you had examined all the Air Force documents, you would know that they specify there's a difference.

1938

02:50:50,880 --> 02:50:57,880

When they talk about UFOs, they specify that these are entirely different from ordinary missiles or aircraft types.

1939

02:50:57,880 --> 02:51:03,880

The Navy says the same thing in its order. This particular one, here's the way it reads,

1940

02:51:03,880 --> 02:51:08,880

relates to any airborne object which by performance aerodynamic characteristics or unusual features

1941

02:51:08,880 --> 02:51:11,880

does not conform to any presently known aircraft or missile type.

1942

02:51:11,880 --> 02:51:15,880

Well, doesn't this exactly describe a perhaps experimental American thing?

1943

02:51:15,880 --> 02:51:21,880

They don't test experimental devices along airways flying around airliners,

1944

02:51:21,880 --> 02:51:24,880

getting so close to them that they scare the pilot to death

1945

02:51:24,880 --> 02:51:30,880

and sometimes cause people to panic as they did down in Brazil, the whole formation of these things.

1946

02:51:30,880 --> 02:51:35,880

If we're flying those things around Brazil, we're not going to have any friends in South America left.

1947

02:51:35,880 --> 02:51:40,880

And they've been, you don't have them flying over cities, you don't have them buzzing aircraft,

1948

02:51:40,880 --> 02:51:43,880

flying head on at them and scaring people to death.

1949

02:51:43,880 --> 02:51:47,880

Major, the thing that I want to get at is that this was not directed.

1950

02:51:47,880 --> 02:51:51,880

This Air Force regulation was directed, as I understand it, to all Air Force personnel.

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02:51:51,880 --> 02:51:53,880

It was directed to all Air Force personnel.

1952

02:51:53,880 --> 02:51:58,880

And not just at personnel who happened to be stationed on or near populated airways

1953

02:51:58,880 --> 02:52:00,880

or who happened to be stationed in Brazil.

1954

02:52:00,880 --> 02:52:03,880

They don't want them, as I might reconstruct,

1955

02:52:03,880 --> 02:52:07,880

they don't want them talking up anything they see flying around

1956

02:52:07,880 --> 02:52:13,880

for fear the guy who happens to be on base or off base at Alamo Gordo may spill something

1957

02:52:13,880 --> 02:52:18,880

and I certainly don't think they could say this only applies to people around Alamo Gordo, New Mexico

1958

02:52:18,880 --> 02:52:20,880

without automatically spilling it themselves.

1959

02:52:20,880 --> 02:52:23,880

They do have special instructions down there at those places

1960

02:52:23,880 --> 02:52:28,880

and most of the people that are down there understand what is under test.

1961

02:52:28,880 --> 02:52:29,880

We haven't anything.

1962

02:52:29,880 --> 02:52:35,880

We have no round airforms, 100 feet or more on diameter,

1963

02:52:35,880 --> 02:52:40,880

which can be tracked on radar up to speeds of 7,200 miles an hour over airports,

1964

02:52:40,880 --> 02:52:45,880

which has been done on record, worse than airport triangulation by three radars.

1965

02:52:45,880 --> 02:52:48,880

Flying around, buzzing airliners and everything else.

1966

02:52:48,880 --> 02:52:52,880

But the point I was talking about in this regulation is that it says in here, right in the back,

1967

02:52:52,880 --> 02:52:55,880

about release of facts.

1968

02:52:55,880 --> 02:53:05,880

It is permissible to inform news media representatives when the object is positively identified as a familiar object.

1969

02:53:05,880 --> 02:53:11,880

For those objects which are not explainable, only the fact that the ATIC will analyze them can be released.

1970

02:53:11,880 --> 02:53:15,880

In other words, if you can explain it away, tell the newspapers.

1971

02:53:15,880 --> 02:53:18,880

If you can't explain it away, keep your mouth shut.

1972

02:53:18,880 --> 02:53:22,880

I'd like to ask you one question, Major Keyhole.

1973

02:53:22,880 --> 02:53:35,880

You mentioned earlier this morning that you felt that possibly the Air Force told the producer and the writer of the Armstrong Circle Theater

1974

02:53:35,880 --> 02:53:41,880

that certain material should be deleted from that telecast.

1975

02:53:41,880 --> 02:53:43,880

This was your impression. Am I right, sir?

1976

02:53:43,880 --> 02:53:44,880

Yes.

1977

02:53:44,880 --> 02:53:45,880

Am I misquoting you?

1978

02:53:45,880 --> 02:53:46,880

That's what I was told.

1979

02:53:46,880 --> 02:53:47,880

Yes.

1980

02:53:47,880 --> 02:53:57,880

If this is true, and I have no reason to believe otherwise, why is it that I can sit up here seven nights a week,

1981

02:53:57,880 --> 02:54:02,880

and I certainly don't want to appear to be an egotist that this is a great important show to the nation,

1982

02:54:02,880 --> 02:54:07,880

but nevertheless it is available to a lot of people.

1983

02:54:07,880 --> 02:54:11,880

A lot of people can listen to it because we cover 27 states.

1984

02:54:11,880 --> 02:54:18,880

And how is it that no one came over to me and said or sent me a wire or a letter and said,

1985

02:54:18,880 --> 02:54:26,880

John, when you have this fellow Keyhole on tonight, don't let him say anything about the Air Force.

1986

02:54:26,880 --> 02:54:28,880

Don't let him say this, that and the other thing.

1987

02:54:28,880 --> 02:54:32,880

Now, there's no secret that you were going to be on here this morning, sir.

1988

02:54:32,880 --> 02:54:33,880

Very good reason.

1989

02:54:33,880 --> 02:54:35,880

I've announced it all week.

1990

02:54:35,880 --> 02:54:36,880

Very good reason.

1991

02:54:36,880 --> 02:54:38,880

You don't have an Air Force representative here.

1992

02:54:38,880 --> 02:54:42,880

The minute you get an Air Force representative in this room, I am censured.

1993

02:54:42,880 --> 02:54:44,880

You're not going to be able to let me speak freely here.

1994

02:54:44,880 --> 02:54:46,880

I wonder if Charles is going to be able to do so.

1995

02:54:46,880 --> 02:54:47,880

Maybe.

1996

02:54:47,880 --> 02:54:48,880

Super Agent.

1997

02:54:48,880 --> 02:54:50,880

The Air Force is all that program.

1998

02:54:50,880 --> 02:54:51,880

I see.

1999

02:54:51,880 --> 02:54:53,880

That made it semi-official, and they didn't dare let anybody in.

2000

02:54:53,880 --> 02:54:55,880

I'm glad you clarified that.

2001

02:54:55,880 --> 02:54:57,880

Uh, Jules B. St. Germain.

2002

02:54:57,880 --> 02:54:59,880

I'm going to ask you, Major.

2003

02:54:59,880 --> 02:55:03,880

I'm going to link them my name because he gets so much billing just by sending that name.

2004

02:55:03,880 --> 02:55:04,880

What's his name?

2005

02:55:04,880 --> 02:55:05,880

Well, this is Bill.

2006

02:55:05,880 --> 02:55:06,880

Gentlemen?

2007

02:55:06,880 --> 02:55:08,880

Well, I'm not going to say it's too bad to after all.

2008

02:55:08,880 --> 02:55:12,880

By the time John has stated my name in full, I forgot the question I was going to ask,

2009

02:55:12,880 --> 02:55:15,880

originally, as is the case now.

2010

02:55:15,880 --> 02:55:20,880

Major, I was going to ask you, I know I think you've been in television several times and

2011

02:55:20,880 --> 02:55:21,880

on the air.

2012

02:55:21,880 --> 02:55:27,880

I've been interested in this idea of a television program and planned on the presentation of

2013

02:55:27,880 --> 02:55:28,880

a series.

2014

02:55:28,880 --> 02:55:35,880

Do you not feel that this type of program, whether it be on radio or television, with a spontaneous

2015

02:55:35,880 --> 02:55:40,080

and well, an unrehearsed aspect.

2016

02:55:40,080 --> 02:55:42,480

Is that far more interesting to the public

2017

02:55:42,480 --> 02:55:45,280

than one which is more or less canned and rehearsed?

2018

02:55:46,640 --> 02:55:48,680

Well, I should think so, depending of course

2019

02:55:48,680 --> 02:55:50,760

whether you're going to include sightings.

2020

02:55:50,760 --> 02:55:53,200

I think discussions will hold in us for a while.

2021

02:55:53,200 --> 02:55:57,360

I think you're going to have to include

2022

02:55:57,360 --> 02:56:00,160

a number of dramatic cases and dramatic developments

2023

02:56:00,160 --> 02:56:01,640

in a series of that kind.

2024

02:56:01,640 --> 02:56:04,320

People won't listen entirely to discussion.

2025

02:56:04,480 --> 02:56:07,560

If you could have say one interesting new case

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02:56:07,560 --> 02:56:09,480

or bring up one that hasn't been well known

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02:56:09,480 --> 02:56:11,960

or examine an old one that is well known

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02:56:11,960 --> 02:56:13,480

and gives some new information on it,

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02:56:13,480 --> 02:56:15,040

you'd have a program.

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02:56:15,040 --> 02:56:17,640

Yes, but the point I'm making is particularly,

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02:56:17,640 --> 02:56:21,600

I enjoy the arm-string cycle very much,

2032

02:56:21,600 --> 02:56:25,960

but the rehearsed aspects seem to me to detract

2033

02:56:25,960 --> 02:56:28,600

from what could have been a more interesting program.

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02:56:28,600 --> 02:56:30,040

I didn't know if you felt the same way.

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02:56:30,040 --> 02:56:32,000

Well, I wanted it unrehearsed, but they said

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02:56:32,400 --> 02:56:35,200

the force would not go on it for anything like that.

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02:56:35,200 --> 02:56:37,880

I had been hoping that I could say you tangled

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02:56:37,880 --> 02:56:40,160

with Professor Menzel, which I'm sure

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02:56:40,160 --> 02:56:41,400

would have been very interesting.

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02:56:41,400 --> 02:56:44,120

I wanted to tangle myself and I heard him speak.

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02:56:44,120 --> 02:56:47,520

Very frankly, prior to that broadcast,

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02:56:47,520 --> 02:56:51,160

I had not shared some of the harsh sentiments

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02:56:51,160 --> 02:56:54,200

concerning the Air Force, but I considered

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02:56:54,200 --> 02:56:57,280

their presentation on the arm-string cycle fair

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02:56:57,280 --> 02:56:59,960

to a direct insult to my intelligence.

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02:57:00,000 --> 02:57:03,680

It was not only ridicule, it was distortion.

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02:57:03,680 --> 02:57:06,480

And nevertheless, I found in speaking to people

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02:57:06,480 --> 02:57:09,640

the next day that apparently the Air Force

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02:57:09,640 --> 02:57:12,120

impressed the average listener.

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02:57:12,120 --> 02:57:14,880

If the people I spoke to were the average listener,

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02:57:14,880 --> 02:57:18,680

although to me it seemed the most ridiculous double talk.

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02:57:18,680 --> 02:57:22,000

How about you, Charles, as an objective individual,

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02:57:22,000 --> 02:57:24,720

what was your reaction to the Air Force presentation?

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02:57:24,720 --> 02:57:26,280

Unfortunately, I didn't see it, Jules.

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02:57:26,280 --> 02:57:28,280

Well, he's sick, but it ain't the number one.

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02:57:28,280 --> 02:57:31,240

I, in fact, wrote the script for the Air Force on that,

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02:57:31,240 --> 02:57:33,080

so I'm not qualified to judge.

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02:57:33,080 --> 02:57:35,920

One thing particularly, though, which I thought

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02:57:35,920 --> 02:57:40,400

was a little unfair, was a kind of Whedon who represented.

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02:57:40,400 --> 02:57:41,040

Whedon, that's right.

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02:57:41,040 --> 02:57:41,920

Yes.

2062

02:57:41,920 --> 02:57:44,320

He referred to one particular case,

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02:57:44,320 --> 02:57:46,560

now, Hopkinsville, Kentucky, which I'm sure

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02:57:46,560 --> 02:57:49,600

you are familiar with in his basic details.

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02:57:49,600 --> 02:57:53,880

And the presentation there was such as to directly invite

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02:57:53,880 --> 02:57:57,840

ridicule and augmented by the fact

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02:57:57,840 --> 02:58:01,000

that he claimed that this particular sighting,

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02:58:01,000 --> 02:58:03,720

and this was a little man case, so to speak,

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02:58:03,720 --> 02:58:09,240

in the broadest sense, happened after a spirited meeting,

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02:58:09,240 --> 02:58:11,760

which to me would indicate that it

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02:58:11,760 --> 02:58:15,400

was some type of religious meeting

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02:58:15,400 --> 02:58:18,840

that threw the people off completely out of tangent.

2073

02:58:18,840 --> 02:58:21,800

And as I understand it, there, I believe,

2074

02:58:21,800 --> 02:58:25,640

is somewhere 11 or 12 witnesses, professed witnesses,

2075

02:58:25,640 --> 02:58:28,000

at least, in this particular occurrence.

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02:58:28,000 --> 02:58:30,520

In your research, do you come across anything

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02:58:30,520 --> 02:58:35,400

that would indicate that this particular happening, the little

2078

02:58:35,400 --> 02:58:37,720

man happening in Hopkinsville, was induced

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02:58:37,720 --> 02:58:42,360

by any type of hysteria or induced by religious meetings?

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02:58:42,360 --> 02:58:43,440

I am sorry.

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02:58:43,440 --> 02:58:46,120

I'm going to have to admit that I'm not

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02:58:46,120 --> 02:58:49,080

prepared to answer that fully, because while we have some

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02:58:49,080 --> 02:58:51,560

information on it, I know that other people have more.

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02:58:51,560 --> 02:58:53,800

We're trying to collect more on that.

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02:58:53,800 --> 02:58:56,960

Because at first, I thought that it was probably

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02:58:56,960 --> 02:58:59,480

just another wild tale, and I found so many people

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02:58:59,480 --> 02:59:01,880

that were taking it seriously that we better

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02:59:01,880 --> 02:59:03,280

look into it a little bit more.

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02:59:03,280 --> 02:59:06,520

So my honest couldn't give you an honest answer on that.

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02:59:06,520 --> 02:59:09,480

I don't, that's the first time I ever heard of that, though,

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02:59:09,480 --> 02:59:10,960

when the Air Force was fighting it.

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02:59:10,960 --> 02:59:15,000

And even if it were true, the way it was said,

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02:59:15,000 --> 02:59:19,080

it was such a, to cast discredit on almost anybody

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02:59:19,080 --> 02:59:21,000

who might report such a thing.

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02:59:21,000 --> 02:59:22,000

That's right.

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02:59:22,000 --> 02:59:26,320

Yeah, they spent a lot of time on the contact stories,

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02:59:26,320 --> 02:59:31,400

in that particular case ridiculing, whereas they could have,

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02:59:31,400 --> 02:59:34,800

if they'd only held it down a little bit,

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02:59:34,800 --> 02:59:37,800

we'd have had more serious discussions.

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02:59:37,800 --> 02:59:41,240

They could have canned theirs, or condensed it,

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02:59:41,240 --> 02:59:43,520

into half of the time.

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02:59:43,520 --> 02:59:46,080

Well, in the Armstrong Circle Theater,

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02:59:46,080 --> 02:59:50,320

two major key hoes, you know, Ken Arnold had two pictures

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02:59:50,320 --> 02:59:52,840

by the Air Force, which had been given him

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02:59:52,840 --> 02:59:55,160

as official photographs, and they would not permit him

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02:59:55,160 --> 02:59:57,760

to show it, show them.

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02:59:57,760 --> 03:00:01,160

Whereas they did show ones of their own.

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03:00:01,160 --> 03:00:03,760

And he had statements too that he wanted to make,

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03:00:03,760 --> 03:00:06,040

and they would not permit it any more than they

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03:00:06,040 --> 03:00:08,000

had permitted you to make statements.

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03:00:08,000 --> 03:00:10,200

Well, I heard that, but I wasn't present during any

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03:00:10,200 --> 03:00:12,800

of the discussion, so I wouldn't know it at first hand knowledge.

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03:00:12,800 --> 03:00:14,080

Well, I talked to him personally.

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03:00:14,080 --> 03:00:17,360

Well, he told me that, but I mean, I didn't hear it.

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03:00:17,360 --> 03:00:18,480

Charles?

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03:00:18,480 --> 03:00:20,440

Major, there's been a lot of discussion,

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03:00:20,440 --> 03:00:24,040

particularly from you, about Air Force suppression

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03:00:24,040 --> 03:00:27,280

of facts on flying saucers.

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03:00:27,280 --> 03:00:29,760

And I call to mind when I hear you speak of this,

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03:00:29,760 --> 03:00:33,720

a case which was presented to us here several months ago,

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03:00:33,720 --> 03:00:35,560

which was outlined in a book called

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03:00:35,560 --> 03:00:38,160

They Knew Too Much About Flying Saucers,

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03:00:38,160 --> 03:00:43,040

in which there were supposedly three men in black.

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03:00:43,040 --> 03:00:44,640

I don't know why they should happen to be in black,

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03:00:44,640 --> 03:00:46,720

but if what you have to say is true,

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03:00:46,720 --> 03:00:49,640

they would, I should think, be from the Air Force,

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03:00:49,640 --> 03:00:53,640

who approached a gentleman who was an editor or a head

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03:00:53,640 --> 03:00:56,880

of a flying saucer organization who said that he knew

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03:00:56,880 --> 03:00:59,320

the secret behind the flying saucers.

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03:00:59,320 --> 03:01:03,720

They visited him and apparently put such a scare into him

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03:01:03,720 --> 03:01:06,440

that he has since that day refused, I think,

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03:01:06,440 --> 03:01:09,560

even to say the word flying or the word saucer.

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03:01:09,560 --> 03:01:12,520

And what I'm wondering is, seeing as this thing

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03:01:12,520 --> 03:01:16,160

so closely fits what appears to be the NICAP idea,

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03:01:16,160 --> 03:01:19,640

suppression, perhaps intimidation, censorship,

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03:01:19,640 --> 03:01:21,800

if you feel there's any connection between them.

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03:01:21,800 --> 03:01:23,720

I'm sorry, I have to interrupt it this time.

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03:01:23,720 --> 03:01:26,800

Before Major Kehoe answers that,

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03:01:26,800 --> 03:01:28,800

I know that you're referring to the book,

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03:01:28,800 --> 03:01:30,800

They Knew Too Much About Flying Saucers.

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03:01:30,800 --> 03:01:33,080

This fellow bended and they claimed that three men came

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03:01:33,080 --> 03:01:35,400

up in black and stopped and he doesn't talk anymore.

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03:01:35,440 --> 03:01:39,880

I think that I can personally recommend NICAP to you.

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03:01:40,880 --> 03:01:44,880

Now, NICAP offers memberships and publications

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03:01:44,880 --> 03:01:49,000

that give authentic UFO sightings and up-to-date developments

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03:01:49,000 --> 03:01:52,200

about unidentified flying objects.

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03:01:53,360 --> 03:01:56,520

NICAP is located in Washington, D.C.

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03:01:57,440 --> 03:02:01,520

And if you become a NICAP associate member,

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03:02:01,520 --> 03:02:04,640

you will be entitled to a year's subscription

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03:02:04,640 --> 03:02:09,640

to NICAP Magazine, that's the UFO investigator,

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03:02:10,760 --> 03:02:14,240

and to special in all confidential bulletins

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03:02:14,240 --> 03:02:16,440

as issued from time to time.

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03:02:17,320 --> 03:02:20,040

Now, this is not a magazine that has a lot of ads in it.

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03:02:20,040 --> 03:02:21,360

There are no ads to my knowledge,

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03:02:21,360 --> 03:02:23,360

at least I've never seen any.

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03:02:23,360 --> 03:02:26,440

This is a private, non-profit organization.

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03:02:27,680 --> 03:02:31,040

It was set up a few years ago and Major Donnelly Kehoe

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03:02:31,040 --> 03:02:32,600

was the director of NICAP.

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03:02:33,600 --> 03:02:37,240

And I happen to be a member of it.

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03:02:37,240 --> 03:02:38,680

To the courtesy I might add,

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03:02:38,680 --> 03:02:40,920

is one of our listeners who's kind enough

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03:02:40,920 --> 03:02:42,760

to make me a member.

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03:02:42,760 --> 03:02:45,800

And Court Hastings is a member and,

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03:02:45,800 --> 03:02:46,920

Jules, you're a member, aren't you?

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03:02:46,920 --> 03:02:47,960

Yeah, I'm an associate member.

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03:02:47,960 --> 03:02:49,760

Yeah, I'm an associate member.

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03:02:49,760 --> 03:02:53,200

So if you'd be interested in learning more about NICAP,

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03:02:54,720 --> 03:02:56,640

you might get a pencil and paper

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03:02:56,640 --> 03:02:59,280

and I'll give you that address in a moment.

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03:02:59,280 --> 03:03:01,920

I'll give you the address and tell you the detail.

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03:03:01,960 --> 03:03:04,840

Now, if you got your pencil and paper ready,

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03:03:04,840 --> 03:03:07,800

as I say, this is not a commercial,

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03:03:07,800 --> 03:03:10,760

but I have the pleasure of seeing

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03:03:10,760 --> 03:03:14,280

a number of Saucer publications every month.

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03:03:15,440 --> 03:03:17,760

And in my humble opinion,

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03:03:17,760 --> 03:03:20,360

I think that NICAP is really outstanding.

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03:03:20,360 --> 03:03:23,200

I'm not going to sit up here and say to you,

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03:03:23,200 --> 03:03:25,400

it's the best, I think there are many great ones,

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03:03:25,400 --> 03:03:29,200

but I think that this is an unbiased publication.

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03:03:30,200 --> 03:03:34,240

I think it's a publication that is worth reading.

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03:03:34,240 --> 03:03:36,320

It's certainly one that you're not going to read

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03:03:36,320 --> 03:03:38,720

and throw it away like you will possibly do

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03:03:38,720 --> 03:03:39,840

with some magazines.

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03:03:39,840 --> 03:03:42,240

It's something that you'll keep in your files for years

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03:03:42,240 --> 03:03:44,880

for reference to check back from time to time.

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03:03:45,880 --> 03:03:48,400

If you're interested in knowing more about NICAP,

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03:03:48,400 --> 03:03:52,320

and please bear in mind, it's a non-profit organization.

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03:03:52,320 --> 03:03:55,920

And if you feel that as an American citizen,

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03:03:55,920 --> 03:03:58,680

that you should be enlightened from time to time

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03:03:58,680 --> 03:04:00,160

as far as what's happening.

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03:04:01,640 --> 03:04:03,200

When we say what's happening,

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03:04:03,200 --> 03:04:06,600

I mean in reference to the possibility of flying Saucers,

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03:04:06,600 --> 03:04:10,080

then I think that you should, it is your duty

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03:04:10,080 --> 03:04:13,400

to become an associate member of NICAP,

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03:04:13,400 --> 03:04:16,600

because that's what this organization was set up for,

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03:04:16,600 --> 03:04:19,640

to investigate the UFOs.

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03:04:19,640 --> 03:04:21,720

Now the address, you have your pencil and paper ready?

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03:04:21,720 --> 03:04:22,840

I'll give it to you now.

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03:04:23,960 --> 03:04:28,120

NICAP, N-I-C-A-P, NICAP,

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03:04:28,280 --> 03:04:30,000

N-I-C-A-P.

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03:04:31,800 --> 03:04:36,800

The address, 1536 Connecticut Avenue.

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03:04:36,880 --> 03:04:41,080

That's one, five, three, six, Connecticut Avenue,

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03:04:41,080 --> 03:04:46,080

Washington, six, D.C., Washington Zone Six, D.C.

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03:04:47,960 --> 03:04:50,240

You send them a card or a letter,

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03:04:50,240 --> 03:04:51,800

and you can get the information that you want

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03:04:51,800 --> 03:04:54,720

about becoming an associate member of NICAP.

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03:04:54,720 --> 03:04:58,000

My guests this morning, Major Donnelly Kehoe,

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03:04:58,040 --> 03:05:01,200

director of NICAP, Charles Letham,

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03:05:01,200 --> 03:05:03,920

Cortland Hastings, and Jules B. St. Germain.

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03:05:05,040 --> 03:05:08,320

Major Kehoe, Charles brought up a rather interesting question,

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03:05:08,320 --> 03:05:09,680

and I'd like your answer to it.

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03:05:09,680 --> 03:05:12,760

Now the question again, Charles Letham was interested

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03:05:12,760 --> 03:05:17,440

in your opinion about the story that's related in the book

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03:05:17,440 --> 03:05:19,680

they knew too much about flying Saucers.

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03:05:19,680 --> 03:05:22,520

Gray Barker is the author of that book,

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03:05:22,520 --> 03:05:25,300

and in that book he relates a story about a man

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03:05:25,300 --> 03:05:29,220

by the name of Bender, who resides in Bridgeport, Connecticut.

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03:05:30,420 --> 03:05:35,420

Bender had a saucer club, and he used to exchange

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03:05:38,100 --> 03:05:41,860

brochures and ideas and letters with people

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03:05:41,860 --> 03:05:44,940

in all parts of the world who were interested in saucers,

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03:05:44,940 --> 03:05:49,940

and I think he published a little offset paper

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03:05:50,780 --> 03:05:54,020

once a month or a bimonthly publication.

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03:05:54,020 --> 03:05:56,180

He was very interested in saucers,

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03:05:57,140 --> 03:05:59,700

and all of a sudden he didn't talk anymore

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03:05:59,700 --> 03:06:00,900

about flying saucers.

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03:06:00,900 --> 03:06:03,020

He won't talk to anybody about them.

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03:06:03,020 --> 03:06:06,860

Now, it has been stated in the book

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03:06:06,860 --> 03:06:08,900

they knew too much about flying saucers

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03:06:08,900 --> 03:06:13,340

that three men in black visited Bender's home

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03:06:13,340 --> 03:06:16,620

in Bridgeport, Connecticut, said something to him,

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03:06:16,620 --> 03:06:20,200

what they said no one seems to know, except Mr. Bender,

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03:06:20,200 --> 03:06:22,740

but all we know is that Mr. Bender has nothing to do

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03:06:22,740 --> 03:06:24,860

with flying saucers anymore.

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03:06:24,860 --> 03:06:29,460

Do you think, Major Kehoe, that these three men,

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03:06:29,460 --> 03:06:34,140

if there were three men, that they were from the Air Force

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03:06:34,140 --> 03:06:35,740

or some branch of our government,

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03:06:35,740 --> 03:06:37,980

and that they silenced Bender?

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03:06:39,500 --> 03:06:40,940

No, I don't think so.

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03:06:40,940 --> 03:06:43,260

Of course, that's merely a personal opinion

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03:06:43,260 --> 03:06:44,900

without anything to back it up.

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03:06:44,900 --> 03:06:46,420

You're familiar with the story, aren't you?

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03:06:46,420 --> 03:06:47,780

Yes, perfectly familiar with it,

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03:06:47,780 --> 03:06:50,340

and I've heard all sorts of speculation

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03:06:50,340 --> 03:06:54,460

as to why he might have decided to stop publishing

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03:06:54,460 --> 03:06:56,780

if that were not the exact reason,

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03:06:56,780 --> 03:06:58,520

and I don't want to do him any injustice

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03:06:58,520 --> 03:07:01,220

because I have never talked with him personally.

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03:07:01,220 --> 03:07:05,180

I can only say this, that if any three men in black

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03:07:05,180 --> 03:07:10,180

come to see me, they're gonna have to have some sort of

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03:07:11,060 --> 03:07:13,900

threat that I can't visualize now,

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03:07:13,900 --> 03:07:16,100

or some awfully powerful credentials.

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03:07:16,100 --> 03:07:19,780

Now, I've advised our members and anyone else

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03:07:19,780 --> 03:07:24,780

who is threatened about talking to ask for credentials,

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03:07:26,220 --> 03:07:30,220

the name of the order under which they are operating,

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03:07:30,220 --> 03:07:32,020

and someone, a witness in there,

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03:07:32,020 --> 03:07:34,220

to take notice of the whole thing

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03:07:34,220 --> 03:07:35,460

so there'd be a matter of record.

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03:07:35,460 --> 03:07:37,780

And I personally don't know anything

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03:07:37,780 --> 03:07:39,380

that would give anyone authority

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03:07:39,380 --> 03:07:41,940

to tell you stop talking about flying saucers.

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03:07:41,940 --> 03:07:44,420

I have heard some stories, Major,

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03:07:44,420 --> 03:07:47,540

about the Air Force having been given,

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03:07:47,580 --> 03:07:50,420

I don't think the word seized would apply,

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03:07:50,420 --> 03:07:55,020

various films of alleged UFOs,

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03:07:55,020 --> 03:07:56,940

and that having been returned.

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03:07:56,940 --> 03:07:57,980

Oh yes, that's true.

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03:07:57,980 --> 03:07:59,620

It has that been substantiated?

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03:07:59,620 --> 03:08:03,900

Yes, that's true, and I know one case where that's happened,

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03:08:03,900 --> 03:08:07,740

and that's not the same thing.

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03:08:07,740 --> 03:08:11,180

Usually in those cases, the Air Force asks for the original,

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03:08:11,180 --> 03:08:13,500

and in one case that I know of,

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03:08:13,500 --> 03:08:14,780

because I was right in the middle,

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03:08:14,780 --> 03:08:15,620

I held hand with it,

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03:08:15,620 --> 03:08:19,620

they said they would give the man a copy or two.

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03:08:19,620 --> 03:08:21,820

When he got the copies, he swore up and down

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03:08:21,820 --> 03:08:23,940

they were useless and demanded the original back,

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03:08:23,940 --> 03:08:26,340

I don't know whatever happened.

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03:08:26,340 --> 03:08:28,220

In that particular case,

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03:08:28,220 --> 03:08:31,380

I'm not sure that these things were bonafide UFOs.

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03:08:31,380 --> 03:08:33,460

They looked at me like sun dogs,

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03:08:33,460 --> 03:08:35,900

but regardless, he didn't get his original back

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03:08:35,900 --> 03:08:37,500

the last time I heard from him.

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03:08:37,500 --> 03:08:38,580

But this other thing,

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03:08:39,980 --> 03:08:41,780

there's something supposed to be sinister

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03:08:41,780 --> 03:08:43,540

about three men dressed in black.

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03:08:44,380 --> 03:08:46,300

I personally don't find it sinister,

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03:08:46,300 --> 03:08:48,860

unless they're undertakers or something like that.

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03:08:48,860 --> 03:08:50,340

But that's not sinister.

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03:08:50,340 --> 03:08:51,180

Huh?

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03:08:51,180 --> 03:08:52,020

That's the end.

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03:08:52,020 --> 03:08:54,180

I don't know, but anyway,

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03:08:55,100 --> 03:08:57,740

no one has ever tried to silence me,

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03:08:57,740 --> 03:09:00,660

except in one case where they tried to argue me

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03:09:00,660 --> 03:09:02,100

and not writing it,

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03:09:02,100 --> 03:09:04,260

to not writing anymore about,

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03:09:04,260 --> 03:09:05,940

did I split an infinity there,

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03:09:05,940 --> 03:09:07,940

about flying saucers.

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03:09:07,940 --> 03:09:09,260

That was done in the open though,

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03:09:09,260 --> 03:09:11,340

it was done in the office of General Sory Smith,

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03:09:11,340 --> 03:09:13,100

who was then director of information there,

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03:09:13,140 --> 03:09:14,900

for say, one man press conference

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03:09:14,900 --> 03:09:18,900

with Major Jerry Boggs of Intelligence and two, three others.

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03:09:18,900 --> 03:09:20,180

And they tried to convince me

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03:09:20,180 --> 03:09:22,420

that everything that I had heard was wrong

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03:09:22,420 --> 03:09:24,420

and would I now stop talking?

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03:09:24,420 --> 03:09:25,260

And they got through,

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03:09:25,260 --> 03:09:27,340

I said, no, I'm more convinced than ever,

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03:09:27,340 --> 03:09:28,660

you people are sitting on something,

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03:09:28,660 --> 03:09:31,020

and they said, well, then we've wasted our time.

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03:09:31,020 --> 03:09:33,780

But nothing else, no threats.

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03:09:33,780 --> 03:09:36,660

Gentlemen, I'd like to make this suggestion

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03:09:36,660 --> 03:09:39,740

in talking with Major Kehoe a few days ago.

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03:09:39,740 --> 03:09:41,300

He was in Washington at the time

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03:09:41,300 --> 03:09:43,780

and I contacted him by phone.

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03:09:43,780 --> 03:09:46,780

And he said that he didn't think it would be possible for him

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03:09:46,780 --> 03:09:49,340

to appear on the program this morning,

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03:09:49,340 --> 03:09:51,260

and he felt that he would be too tired.

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03:09:51,260 --> 03:09:53,900

He's been working a number of hours every day

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03:09:53,900 --> 03:09:57,580

and had possibly an average of four or five hours sleep a day

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03:09:57,580 --> 03:09:59,740

for the last few months.

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03:09:59,740 --> 03:10:01,540

And after talking to him for a while,

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03:10:01,540 --> 03:10:05,140

he agreed to come on for about an hour to an hour and a half.

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03:10:05,140 --> 03:10:07,620

So he's been with us for three hours and 15 minutes,

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03:10:07,620 --> 03:10:08,980

and I appreciated very much.

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03:10:08,980 --> 03:10:10,940

And I have no doubt that everybody's sitting

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03:10:10,940 --> 03:10:14,100

around the table who'll share my enthusiasm

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03:10:14,100 --> 03:10:16,100

and agree with me that it's been very kind

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03:10:16,100 --> 03:10:18,980

and part of Major Kehoe to join us.

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03:10:18,980 --> 03:10:20,380

Now, I think in all fairness to him,

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03:10:20,380 --> 03:10:24,220

we should leave him get a little sleep,

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03:10:24,220 --> 03:10:26,580

but let's take a little more advantage of him

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03:10:26,580 --> 03:10:29,700

and keep me here for, say, about another 15 minutes,

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03:10:29,700 --> 03:10:32,220

and I'll give each one of you gentlemen an opportunity

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03:10:32,220 --> 03:10:35,580

to talk with Major Kehoe for about five minutes.

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03:10:35,580 --> 03:10:37,140

So if you'll give him short questions,

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03:10:37,140 --> 03:10:38,860

maybe we can get fairly short answers

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03:10:38,860 --> 03:10:40,060

and everybody will have a chance.

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03:10:40,100 --> 03:10:41,900

We'll start with you, Charles.

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03:10:41,900 --> 03:10:44,180

Major, there's one question I've been wanting to ask you.

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03:10:44,180 --> 03:10:49,180

I have an article from the Charleston Daily Mail

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03:10:49,300 --> 03:10:52,460

about a talk which you apparently gave in Charleston,

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03:10:52,460 --> 03:10:56,420

and I don't know if the gentleman is misquoting you or not,

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03:10:56,420 --> 03:10:59,180

but I'll read it and I would like to get your comments on this.

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03:10:59,180 --> 03:11:02,300

He said that you said that several projects

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03:11:02,300 --> 03:11:04,060

that would produce artificial gravity

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03:11:04,060 --> 03:11:06,020

permitting such flights, apparently referring

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03:11:06,020 --> 03:11:08,860

to the saucers, now are being conducted.

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03:11:08,900 --> 03:11:11,180

Some leading scientists dealing with the problem

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03:11:11,180 --> 03:11:14,340

have said that it is almost a reality now.

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03:11:14,340 --> 03:11:16,340

Was that pretty accurate?

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03:11:16,340 --> 03:11:18,500

That is not a verbatim quote.

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03:11:18,500 --> 03:11:23,100

What I said was, and I was talking a little fast, I guess,

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03:11:23,100 --> 03:11:26,460

it was a luncheon club, and how you talk,

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03:11:26,460 --> 03:11:28,420

try to get through in a half an hour

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03:11:28,420 --> 03:11:30,900

where everybody wants to run back to his business,

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03:11:30,900 --> 03:11:32,940

I said that in the United States now,

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03:11:32,940 --> 03:11:37,940

there were probably 20, at least a dozen projects

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03:11:38,780 --> 03:11:41,460

researching artificial gravity,

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03:11:41,460 --> 03:11:44,940

and that in one case, the Glenn Martin Project,

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03:11:44,940 --> 03:11:47,140

the Vice President in charge of advanced design,

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03:11:47,140 --> 03:11:49,700

Mr. G. S. Trimble, said some time ago

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03:11:49,700 --> 03:11:51,620

that we were on the threshold of a device

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03:11:51,620 --> 03:11:54,460

which would operate free of the Earth's gravity,

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03:11:54,460 --> 03:11:57,380

and it would operate at very high speeds,

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03:11:57,380 --> 03:11:59,280

up in the very high thousands.

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03:12:00,380 --> 03:12:03,820

I said that since then, no one has heard from Mr. Trimble,

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03:12:03,820 --> 03:12:06,540

and presumably he was shut up, he will not answer letters,

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03:12:06,540 --> 03:12:07,820

I know I've written him twice

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03:12:07,820 --> 03:12:10,620

to try to get further views on this,

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03:12:10,620 --> 03:12:13,300

and I did not say exactly what is there,

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03:12:13,300 --> 03:12:15,540

but I can see how he got that impression.

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03:12:15,540 --> 03:12:20,140

But it is a fact that apparently the Glenn Martin

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03:12:20,140 --> 03:12:23,220

aircraft company- Glenn Martin Convair has,

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03:12:23,220 --> 03:12:25,700

the impression you have is that they have,

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03:12:25,700 --> 03:12:27,380

probably in the testing stages right now,

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03:12:27,380 --> 03:12:28,980

an anti-gravity device.

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03:12:30,420 --> 03:12:33,380

I won't go that far because they won't admit it,

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03:12:33,380 --> 03:12:35,580

but they said that we are on the threshold.

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03:12:35,580 --> 03:12:39,900

I do know they're working hard on artificial gravity,

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03:12:39,900 --> 03:12:41,420

and they won't say a word about it.

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03:12:41,420 --> 03:12:43,700

It's a special project, and I think it's even

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03:12:43,700 --> 03:12:45,460

in a special building over there.

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03:12:45,460 --> 03:12:47,540

And several universities are on it.

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03:12:47,540 --> 03:12:50,740

They've gotten some European scientists over here

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03:12:50,740 --> 03:12:52,780

to work on the projects.

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03:12:52,780 --> 03:12:54,260

Just one last question on this,

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03:12:54,260 --> 03:12:57,620

and you may have no information on this at all.

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03:12:57,620 --> 03:13:00,220

In your conversations with these various people,

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03:13:00,220 --> 03:13:02,780

did they give you any indication of the line of attack

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03:13:02,780 --> 03:13:05,020

was an electrical field they were trying to produce,

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03:13:05,020 --> 03:13:08,020

or was it magnetic, or how were they going at it?

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03:13:08,020 --> 03:13:10,460

You can't get any details on that now.

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03:13:11,500 --> 03:13:13,300

Any really reliable ones.

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03:13:13,300 --> 03:13:15,900

The theory was, of course, it was based on Einstein's

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03:13:15,900 --> 03:13:19,460

unified field theory, that electricity,

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03:13:19,460 --> 03:13:22,340

magnetism, and gravity are all different manifestations

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03:13:22,340 --> 03:13:23,180

of the same thing.

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03:13:23,180 --> 03:13:26,180

And if you can control one or two,

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03:13:26,180 --> 03:13:27,980

then you can bury the other.

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03:13:27,980 --> 03:13:31,620

Or if you can bury one or two, you can control the other.

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03:13:31,620 --> 03:13:34,900

I tried to get something out of W.B. Smith, the Canadian.

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03:13:35,380 --> 03:13:37,220

Had the Canadian project.

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03:13:37,220 --> 03:13:39,620

He said, I'll be glad to write anything on any subject,

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03:13:39,620 --> 03:13:40,620

except that one.

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03:13:40,620 --> 03:13:42,660

You won't get any answers from anybody on this,

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03:13:42,660 --> 03:13:44,820

because it's under security everywhere.

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03:13:44,820 --> 03:13:49,420

Jules, referring to the investigators isn't a question,

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03:13:49,420 --> 03:13:53,100

but I certainly have been reading it myself,

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03:13:53,100 --> 03:13:54,660

and I certainly agree with John,

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03:13:54,660 --> 03:13:57,040

that it's an outstanding publication.

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03:13:58,300 --> 03:14:01,700

What do you think are the prospects for Niacaab major,

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03:14:01,700 --> 03:14:03,940

and what can be done to improve

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03:14:03,940 --> 03:14:05,740

and enlarge the organization?

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03:14:07,140 --> 03:14:08,340

Well, that's quite a question,

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03:14:08,340 --> 03:14:11,140

and I'm going to give a frank answer.

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03:14:12,260 --> 03:14:16,300

When I went in there a year ago, January,

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03:14:16,300 --> 03:14:19,860

I was told that within a very short time,

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03:14:19,860 --> 03:14:22,220

there would be substantial sums of money coming in

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03:14:22,220 --> 03:14:23,980

to allow us to build it up.

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03:14:23,980 --> 03:14:26,180

We have an editor and editorial assistant,

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03:14:26,180 --> 03:14:28,540

and a promotion man, and public relations,

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03:14:28,540 --> 03:14:31,660

and all of which were badly needed.

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03:14:31,700 --> 03:14:35,740

The sum was estimated at around \$50,000.

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03:14:35,740 --> 03:14:40,740

On the basis of this, I announced the Niacab magazine

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03:14:40,940 --> 03:14:43,460

and sent letters to all the people who'd read my books,

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03:14:43,460 --> 03:14:45,820

and we sent out quite a number of them,

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03:14:45,820 --> 03:14:50,340

and we had acceptances, and then after the acceptances,

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03:14:50,340 --> 03:14:52,860

the people who were going to donate the \$50,000

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03:14:52,860 --> 03:14:56,300

in amounts of 5,000 a piece, in most cases,

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03:14:56,300 --> 03:14:58,660

each one began waiting for the other.

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03:14:58,660 --> 03:15:01,460

So as a result, here was Niacab,

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03:15:01,460 --> 03:15:03,860

committed to publishing a magazine,

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03:15:03,860 --> 03:15:07,740

which we put out to borrow a Winston Churchill.

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03:15:07,740 --> 03:15:09,900

Very blood-sweat and teared, I think it was right.

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03:15:09,900 --> 03:15:13,340

It was just about that and a little bit more,

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03:15:13,340 --> 03:15:15,220

because sometimes we share desperation,

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03:15:15,220 --> 03:15:17,580

but we did get the magazine out,

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03:15:17,580 --> 03:15:21,060

and it was written to be as new

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03:15:21,060 --> 03:15:22,980

and have as much new material as possible.

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03:15:22,980 --> 03:15:25,180

We alternated with bulletins,

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03:15:25,180 --> 03:15:29,540

and we have done our best to keep going,

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03:15:29,540 --> 03:15:32,460

and by the fact, we had such a small staff down there.

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03:15:32,460 --> 03:15:35,700

I personally have donated my time since last year.

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03:15:35,700 --> 03:15:37,340

I don't know how long I keep on doing that,

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03:15:37,340 --> 03:15:42,340

but Niacab, overnight, could become a very terrific success

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03:15:42,580 --> 03:15:47,060

if it just had a larger membership.

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03:15:47,060 --> 03:15:50,380

If it's all it needs is a larger membership,

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03:15:50,380 --> 03:15:51,580

and a few people, of course,

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03:15:51,580 --> 03:15:54,660

who have been able to have actually sent in donations,

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03:15:55,500 --> 03:15:56,580

besides their memberships,

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03:15:56,580 --> 03:15:59,060

but I am a very poor money ranger.

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03:15:59,060 --> 03:16:02,060

You have any idea, Major, pardon me,

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03:16:02,060 --> 03:16:05,900

about how many members it would be necessary

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03:16:05,900 --> 03:16:10,140

to have in order to have a successful organization?

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03:16:11,180 --> 03:16:13,140

Well, of course, it would be very wonderful

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03:16:13,140 --> 03:16:14,620

if we had 10,000 members,

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03:16:14,620 --> 03:16:17,620

but we can do much less than that.

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03:16:17,620 --> 03:16:20,700

If we had, in addition, we have now,

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03:16:20,700 --> 03:16:25,700

if we had 2,500 more members, or 3,000 the most,

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03:16:26,420 --> 03:16:28,860

our problems would be taken care of

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03:16:28,860 --> 03:16:30,940

because I would immediately get a hold of an editor.

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03:16:30,940 --> 03:16:34,180

In fact, I put my eyes on my friend John Duberry over here.

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03:16:34,180 --> 03:16:36,540

He used to be on True Magazine.

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03:16:36,540 --> 03:16:38,060

Or someone who knows the subject,

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03:16:38,060 --> 03:16:39,420

it could really take over,

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03:16:39,420 --> 03:16:41,820

because I've been trying to be director, editor,

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03:16:41,820 --> 03:16:42,940

public corrections man,

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03:16:42,940 --> 03:16:45,820

and not doing a good job at any of it.

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03:16:45,820 --> 03:16:46,660

Well, I wouldn't say that.

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03:16:46,660 --> 03:16:49,300

I think certainly the investigator

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03:16:49,300 --> 03:16:50,900

has been very well put out.

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03:16:50,900 --> 03:16:54,540

And one thing I've noticed that I admired very much,

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03:16:54,540 --> 03:16:58,020

certainly the nightcap has not put itself up

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03:16:58,020 --> 03:17:01,580

as a rival to any organization as I understand it,

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03:17:01,580 --> 03:17:04,460

but has expressed every desire to cooperate

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03:17:04,460 --> 03:17:07,300

and even gone so far as to recall one issue,

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03:17:07,300 --> 03:17:10,300

to list practically many, if not all,

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03:17:10,300 --> 03:17:12,860

and the other organizations in existence,

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03:17:12,860 --> 03:17:14,940

not only in this country, but in others,

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03:17:14,940 --> 03:17:18,100

and the publications that are put out.

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03:17:18,100 --> 03:17:20,340

Would you classify an eyecap more or less

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03:17:20,340 --> 03:17:22,900

as a mother organization?

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03:17:23,860 --> 03:17:27,740

No, we were afraid that there would be some jealousy

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03:17:27,740 --> 03:17:31,140

on the part of the existing organizations.

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03:17:31,140 --> 03:17:35,620

And at first, I think they felt too

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03:17:35,620 --> 03:17:37,220

that we were trying to take them over.

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03:17:37,220 --> 03:17:39,180

And since then, we've gotten along very well

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03:17:39,180 --> 03:17:40,020

with most of them.

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03:17:40,020 --> 03:17:43,460

Now, some of them don't care too much for our policy,

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03:17:43,460 --> 03:17:45,060

middle of the world policy, for instance,

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03:17:45,060 --> 03:17:47,380

but we're not having much trouble.

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03:17:47,380 --> 03:17:49,500

And most of all, we get information from them

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03:17:49,500 --> 03:17:52,020

and we'd be glad to cooperate even more with them,

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03:17:52,020 --> 03:17:52,940

as far as that's concerned.

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03:17:52,940 --> 03:17:54,100

And now you mentioned one thing,

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03:17:54,100 --> 03:17:56,740

I'm gonna toss this in on a cooperation.

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03:17:56,740 --> 03:17:59,420

We offered the Air Force cooperation, too.

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03:17:59,420 --> 03:18:01,820

Back in July, we offered them an eight point,

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03:18:01,820 --> 03:18:03,460

I think it was an eight point plan.

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03:18:04,460 --> 03:18:07,820

And someone said, which one of you gentlemen was,

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03:18:07,820 --> 03:18:09,420

would we consider negative evidence

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03:18:09,420 --> 03:18:11,540

as well as positive evidence?

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03:18:11,540 --> 03:18:12,740

We said to the Air Force,

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03:18:12,740 --> 03:18:14,500

you claim that you have explained

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03:18:14,500 --> 03:18:17,980

all but 3% of the sightings.

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03:18:17,980 --> 03:18:21,940

If you will let us have the 97% of the cases,

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03:18:21,940 --> 03:18:23,580

since there's no security involved

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03:18:23,580 --> 03:18:24,540

and they're all explained,

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03:18:24,540 --> 03:18:26,460

there's no reason why you shouldn't let us have them.

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03:18:26,460 --> 03:18:29,100

We will turn them over to our advisors and board of governors.

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03:18:29,100 --> 03:18:31,700

If we agree, you will fully explain them,

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03:18:31,700 --> 03:18:34,220

we will then state, the Air Force certainly has done

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03:18:34,220 --> 03:18:36,260

everything they claim, they have explained it.

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03:18:36,260 --> 03:18:39,780

97%, we will wipe the nightcap out and say,

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03:18:39,780 --> 03:18:42,220

let's just visit, let's all go home.

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03:18:42,220 --> 03:18:44,700

The Air Force said, we don't want any part of you.

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03:18:45,940 --> 03:18:47,420

They would not release anything.

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03:18:47,420 --> 03:18:49,420

They sent an official letter saying

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03:18:49,420 --> 03:18:52,780

it was rejecting our offer.

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03:18:52,780 --> 03:18:54,980

I have one last question, Major.

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03:18:54,980 --> 03:18:57,940

On the Armstrong Circle Theater,

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03:18:57,940 --> 03:19:00,780

I recall that it's a statistical breakdown

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03:19:00,780 --> 03:19:05,340

as to the number of unexplained and insufficient information.

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03:19:05,340 --> 03:19:06,940

I don't recall the breakdown,

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03:19:06,940 --> 03:19:09,700

it was 1.9 or something on unexplained

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03:19:09,700 --> 03:19:11,620

and 12 point insufficient.

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03:19:11,620 --> 03:19:15,540

In your opinion, should the 12 point of insufficient,

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03:19:15,540 --> 03:19:18,100

if that is the number, be classified

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03:19:18,100 --> 03:19:21,940

as insufficient information or unexplained?

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03:19:21,940 --> 03:19:24,540

Well, I would have to see each case to answer that,

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03:19:24,540 --> 03:19:25,660

but I'll tell you one thing,

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03:19:25,660 --> 03:19:27,820

that 1.9 is very misleading

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03:19:27,820 --> 03:19:31,420

because that is what they call the current situation.

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03:19:31,420 --> 03:19:34,460

Now, up to November 15th last year,

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03:19:34,460 --> 03:19:37,980

they were advertising that they had explained all the 3%,

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03:19:37,980 --> 03:19:41,380

then they jumped it suddenly to 1.9.

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03:19:41,380 --> 03:19:44,460

But what they don't let the public realize

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03:19:44,460 --> 03:19:47,580

is that they have a big backlog of unexplained cases

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03:19:47,580 --> 03:19:49,980

that goes back into their special report 14.

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03:19:49,980 --> 03:19:51,420

And there's a table right in the back

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03:19:51,420 --> 03:19:54,820

that shows 19.5% of this group unexplained,

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03:19:54,820 --> 03:19:58,780

which is roughly 650,

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03:19:58,780 --> 03:20:01,180

and the total today is well over 700,

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03:20:01,180 --> 03:20:02,900

about 750 unexplained cases

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03:20:02,900 --> 03:20:04,820

or more than 12% of the total.

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03:20:05,740 --> 03:20:06,780

Carl and Haythin?

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03:20:06,780 --> 03:20:10,540

Honest Project 14 published Major Kehoe.

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03:20:10,580 --> 03:20:13,900

It was dated May 5th, 1955,

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03:20:13,900 --> 03:20:16,940

and a friend of mine, pretty high up in the Pentagon,

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03:20:16,940 --> 03:20:18,940

told me at that time, he said,

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03:20:18,940 --> 03:20:20,940

they're going to let that go just in time

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03:20:20,940 --> 03:20:24,140

to knock off your book that's coming out in May.

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03:20:24,140 --> 03:20:25,540

I said, that's very interesting,

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03:20:25,540 --> 03:20:27,380

and Henry Holt will appreciate that

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03:20:27,380 --> 03:20:30,500

because the book is only about one third written,

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03:20:30,500 --> 03:20:32,340

and it won't be out for months.

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03:20:32,340 --> 03:20:34,180

And he called me up later and he said,

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03:20:34,180 --> 03:20:36,300

they've just found out your book's not coming out,

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03:20:36,300 --> 03:20:38,820

and they slept this secret label on this,

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03:20:38,820 --> 03:20:39,940

and they're gonna hold it.

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03:20:39,980 --> 03:20:42,020

So they held it until October,

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03:20:42,020 --> 03:20:45,460

at which time Len Stringfield, who put out Cryfo,

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03:20:45,460 --> 03:20:46,860

made a mistake and said,

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03:20:46,860 --> 03:20:49,980

and his book that I was coming out in November,

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03:20:49,980 --> 03:20:52,340

with the Franks' House of Conspiracy,

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03:20:52,340 --> 03:20:53,740

and that afternoon at five o'clock,

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03:20:53,740 --> 03:20:56,180

Captain Robert White got orders from top side,

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03:20:56,180 --> 03:20:58,340

let it go, so they let it go,

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03:20:58,340 --> 03:21:02,620

and the press men around the Pentagon didn't have any time

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03:21:02,620 --> 03:21:03,860

to get the answers to it.

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03:21:03,860 --> 03:21:05,540

They said, what's it all about?

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03:21:05,540 --> 03:21:07,020

That's the time of the day.

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03:21:07,020 --> 03:21:09,140

Hey, he said, here it is,

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03:21:09,140 --> 03:21:10,860

explained all but this percent,

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03:21:10,860 --> 03:21:12,100

and they ran the story,

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03:21:12,100 --> 03:21:14,060

ran all over the United States,

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03:21:14,060 --> 03:21:15,820

and then I booked in, come out till December,

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03:21:15,820 --> 03:21:17,380

but that time things had sort of cooled up.

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03:21:17,380 --> 03:21:19,140

Also, Ruppel's book was coming out,

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03:21:19,140 --> 03:21:22,220

so they figured they'd knock us both off at the same time.

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03:21:22,220 --> 03:21:25,180

And that is the most misleading document,

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03:21:25,180 --> 03:21:26,500

I think, that's ever been put out.

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03:21:26,500 --> 03:21:28,220

Now, I don't say they're lying to the people,

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03:21:28,220 --> 03:21:31,900

but it's either the most complete blunder of misstatements

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03:21:31,900 --> 03:21:33,740

that has ever been published,

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03:21:33,740 --> 03:21:36,660

that I've ever seen, or else it's a deliberate deception.

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03:21:37,660 --> 03:21:40,580

It's interesting to hear your description,

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03:21:40,580 --> 03:21:42,100

you don't say it's completely lying,

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03:21:42,100 --> 03:21:43,700

but it certainly is far from the truth,

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03:21:43,700 --> 03:21:45,900

so I think the listening audience

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03:21:45,900 --> 03:21:49,060

will probably make up its mind as to just what it is.

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03:21:49,060 --> 03:21:52,180

Major Kehoe, why doesn't the Air Force want an ICAP?

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03:21:54,500 --> 03:21:57,340

Well, they know very well that our intention

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03:21:57,340 --> 03:21:59,300

is to get everything out in the open

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03:21:59,300 --> 03:22:03,340

and to try to get the answers made available to the press.

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03:22:03,340 --> 03:22:06,460

In fact, one suggestion we had was

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03:22:06,460 --> 03:22:09,020

that they hold a huge press conference

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03:22:09,020 --> 03:22:12,220

and bring out everything and we will be over there

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03:22:12,220 --> 03:22:14,460

giving our side and asking questions too,

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03:22:14,460 --> 03:22:15,580

let's get it out in the open,

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03:22:15,580 --> 03:22:18,300

and that's one thing they will never agree to.

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03:22:18,300 --> 03:22:22,860

So there are too many questions that they couldn't answer.

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03:22:22,860 --> 03:22:26,500

And that's also why we want this Senate investigation.

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03:22:26,500 --> 03:22:27,620

Couldn't answer?

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03:22:27,620 --> 03:22:28,740

Or they don't want to answer.

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03:22:28,740 --> 03:22:30,820

Well, they could answer, some of them, most of them,

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03:22:30,820 --> 03:22:32,100

but I do think there's some things

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03:22:32,100 --> 03:22:34,140

that they don't understand even yet about these.

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03:22:34,180 --> 03:22:37,140

I'm not even sure they know the motives.

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03:22:37,140 --> 03:22:41,140

But I'm sure they know that these things operate in cycles

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03:22:41,140 --> 03:22:43,620

and they probably know the method of propulsion.

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03:22:43,620 --> 03:22:45,300

I think they do have a good idea

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03:22:45,300 --> 03:22:48,220

of the type of beings involved, but I'm not sure of that.

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03:22:49,820 --> 03:22:51,580

And they know very well that they're real

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03:22:51,580 --> 03:22:54,900

and that they're from some other part of the universe.

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03:22:54,900 --> 03:22:56,300

Would you repeat that again and over?

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03:22:56,300 --> 03:22:57,140

They know they're real.

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03:22:57,140 --> 03:22:58,140

Now, who knows?

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03:22:58,140 --> 03:22:58,980

The Air Force knows.

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03:22:58,980 --> 03:23:00,500

The Air Force knows what?

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03:23:00,500 --> 03:23:02,660

That these objects are real

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03:23:02,660 --> 03:23:06,900

and they're objects under intelligent control of beings

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03:23:06,900 --> 03:23:08,540

from some other part of the universe,

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03:23:08,540 --> 03:23:11,140

either our solar system or outside.

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03:23:11,140 --> 03:23:13,820

Albert Choppe stated that, didn't he, in 1953,

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03:23:13,820 --> 03:23:17,500

when he was, after he was head of the information,

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03:23:17,500 --> 03:23:18,980

did he ever go on at the Pentagon?

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03:23:18,980 --> 03:23:21,460

He didn't, no, he didn't say it that way.

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03:23:21,460 --> 03:23:25,020

What he said was that there was a secret report

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03:23:25,020 --> 03:23:27,300

which had been held up.

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03:23:27,300 --> 03:23:28,620

And I found out which one it was.

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03:23:28,620 --> 03:23:31,740

Later on, that was the foreign aid report.

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03:23:31,740 --> 03:23:34,780

And then the, but the 1948 report was the big one.

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03:23:34,780 --> 03:23:38,340

That was the one where ATIC declared these things

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03:23:38,340 --> 03:23:39,980

were interplanetary spaceships.

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03:23:40,980 --> 03:23:43,340

And even though all the Air Force doesn't accept it,

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03:23:43,340 --> 03:23:46,820

that was the top brain at that time in intelligence.

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03:23:46,820 --> 03:23:50,220

What do you feel is, this is the last question, Major Kehoe.

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03:23:50,220 --> 03:23:54,900

What do you feel is the best way how the American public

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03:23:54,900 --> 03:23:57,740

counteracting the suppression of news by the Air Force,

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03:23:57,740 --> 03:23:59,420

in fact, this out and out censorship

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03:23:59,460 --> 03:24:01,860

against which we fought World Wars I and II?

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03:24:03,700 --> 03:24:06,860

Well, I think, I still think that the only way you can do,

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03:24:06,860 --> 03:24:11,020

can help now is to write to your congressman,

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03:24:11,020 --> 03:24:15,260

write to your senators, and ask that they pass the word on

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03:24:15,260 --> 03:24:18,660

to the Senate committee and have open hearings.

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03:24:18,660 --> 03:24:22,060

And not just call the Air Force and night cap

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03:24:22,060 --> 03:24:23,580

and a few scientists and so forth,

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03:24:23,580 --> 03:24:28,100

but call at least 100 selected witnesses,

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03:24:28,140 --> 03:24:29,540

the best airline captains.

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03:24:29,540 --> 03:24:31,060

I mean, the ones that the most experienced

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03:24:31,060 --> 03:24:34,620

who've seen these top ranking officers in the armed forces,

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03:24:34,620 --> 03:24:36,420

the civil aeronautics tower operators

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03:24:36,420 --> 03:24:38,060

and radar operators who've seen these things,

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03:24:38,060 --> 03:24:40,860

the guided missile trackers, the people who photographed them.

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03:24:40,860 --> 03:24:43,260

Get them in there, it may take a month.

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03:24:43,260 --> 03:24:45,420

But believe me, when they get through with it,

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03:24:45,420 --> 03:24:48,420

with a thing like that, it'll be out in the open

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03:24:48,420 --> 03:24:50,060

and they can't ever close it up again.

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03:24:50,060 --> 03:24:51,660

To whom should they write in Congress?

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03:24:51,660 --> 03:24:53,900

You say that sound investigative committee.

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03:24:53,940 --> 03:24:58,940

Each citizen write to his own congressman and senators.

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03:24:58,940 --> 03:25:00,460

And that's it.

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03:25:00,460 --> 03:25:03,340

Thank you very, very much, Major Kehoe.

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03:25:03,340 --> 03:25:04,620

I certainly appreciate it.

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03:25:04,620 --> 03:25:06,100

And I know our listeners do,

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03:25:07,420 --> 03:25:10,700

to have the opportunity of hearing your opinions

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03:25:10,700 --> 03:25:14,340

on this subject and I sincerely hope that when

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03:25:14,340 --> 03:25:16,300

and if you do come back to New York

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03:25:16,300 --> 03:25:19,060

and if you can spare the time that you'll join us again.

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03:25:19,060 --> 03:25:20,020

Well, thank you very much.

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03:25:20,020 --> 03:25:22,820

It's been a great pleasure and I appreciate your cooperation.

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03:25:22,860 --> 03:25:24,220

Thank you, sir.

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03:25:24,220 --> 03:25:27,740

Of Hartford, Connecticut, suggest discount fact

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03:25:27,740 --> 03:25:30,180

which Wallace gave undue prominence

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03:25:30,180 --> 03:25:32,780

that Kehoe never saw flying saucer.

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03:25:33,860 --> 03:25:36,060

Criticism of men's out.

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03:25:36,060 --> 03:25:38,940

Astronomers want whole show,

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03:25:38,940 --> 03:25:43,940

but refuse interest themselves in subject UFOs.

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03:25:46,340 --> 03:25:48,420

Comment from one of the listeners.

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03:25:48,420 --> 03:25:51,940

Sean, is that the same LeBlanc, the violin maker?

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03:25:52,860 --> 03:25:53,700

Is that Ray LeBlanc?

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03:25:53,700 --> 03:25:54,860

I think it was, wasn't it?

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03:25:54,860 --> 03:25:57,300

Ray LeBlanc was the man who was the violin maker.

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03:25:57,300 --> 03:25:59,260

Yeah, that's right.

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03:25:59,260 --> 03:26:03,760

Oh, that's right, the man who was with us, yeah.

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03:26:04,580 --> 03:26:07,300

I'm interested in his first comment there,

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03:26:07,300 --> 03:26:09,260

that Wallace gave undue prominence

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03:26:09,260 --> 03:26:11,620

that Kehoe never saw flying saucer.

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03:26:11,620 --> 03:26:13,540

I don't agree with Ray.

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03:26:13,540 --> 03:26:14,780

It wasn't an all that happened.

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03:26:14,780 --> 03:26:17,300

It was towards the end of the show, Wallace said,

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03:26:17,300 --> 03:26:20,900

Mr. Kehoe, or Major Kehoe, have you ever seen a flying saucer?

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03:26:20,900 --> 03:26:23,940

And Major Kehoe said no, an amplified little,

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03:26:23,940 --> 03:26:25,100

that was all there was to it.

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03:26:25,100 --> 03:26:27,820

No, I disagree with Ray on that.

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03:26:27,820 --> 03:26:31,180

In other words, the efficacy or veracity, rather,

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03:26:31,180 --> 03:26:33,500

the whole flying saucer field, didn't hinge on it.

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03:26:33,500 --> 03:26:36,140

No, it didn't hang on whether or not Kehoe had seen that.

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03:26:36,140 --> 03:26:40,020

Well, of course, another thing in doing a show

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03:26:40,020 --> 03:26:41,700

like Mike Wallace does,

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03:26:41,700 --> 03:26:45,820

and he does a magnificent job on that interview show,

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03:26:45,820 --> 03:26:48,300

he has, he's timed, in other words,

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03:26:48,300 --> 03:26:49,700

he's paced all the way through.

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03:26:49,700 --> 03:26:52,820

And that's a wonderful closing question.

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03:26:52,820 --> 03:26:55,060

Have you ever seen a flying saucer?

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03:26:55,060 --> 03:26:56,940

Well, we can't do that here,

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03:26:56,940 --> 03:26:58,500

because we don't know what time

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03:26:58,500 --> 03:27:00,500

we're gonna break that particular interview,

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03:27:00,500 --> 03:27:02,340

and we're on for five and a half hours,

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03:27:02,340 --> 03:27:05,100

and we don't produce anything, it's just an ad-lib thing.

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03:27:05,100 --> 03:27:07,980

I'm gonna hold that to about five, 28 and a half.

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03:27:07,980 --> 03:27:09,060

Now let you have it.

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03:27:10,580 --> 03:27:13,100

You know, if you need tires and wanna throw your money away,

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03:27:13,100 --> 03:27:16,020

just wait until spring when tire prices are highest.

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03:27:16,020 --> 03:27:18,020

But if you wanna save money and lots of it,

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03:27:18,060 --> 03:27:21,060

take advantage of the tremendous preseason clearance sale

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03:27:21,060 --> 03:27:23,380

now at your General Tire dealer.

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03:27:23,380 --> 03:27:26,020

Get the tires you need at drastic savings

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03:27:26,020 --> 03:27:28,500

way below original prices.

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03:27:28,500 --> 03:27:30,140

Now Ford Chevrolet and Plymouth owners

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03:27:30,140 --> 03:27:35,140

save as much as \$13.64 on 750 by 14 tires.

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03:27:36,140 --> 03:27:39,300

And you can save 40% on original equipment tires

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03:27:39,300 --> 03:27:43,220

that new car owners traded in for new general tires.

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03:27:43,220 --> 03:27:45,820

All famous brand names, all sizes,

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03:27:45,820 --> 03:27:49,420

and all yours at 40% off prices.

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03:27:49,420 --> 03:27:52,020

Easy terms, months to pay,

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03:27:52,020 --> 03:27:55,260

and tires installed now or held for you till later.

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03:27:55,260 --> 03:27:56,420

Now if you live in Manhattan,

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03:27:56,420 --> 03:27:59,060

see Ray Callahan or Pete McHugh

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03:27:59,060 --> 03:28:01,460

at the New York General Tire Company.

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03:28:03,340 --> 03:28:05,540

I'd like to take a moment to talk about

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03:28:05,540 --> 03:28:08,460

the Niagara Cyclone Massage Unit.

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03:28:08,460 --> 03:28:11,780

You know, that's the combination of heat and massage,

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03:28:11,780 --> 03:28:14,180

soothing control heat with gentle penetrating

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03:28:14,180 --> 03:28:16,260

cyclone massage action.

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03:28:16,260 --> 03:28:18,980

And this combination will certainly give you

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03:28:18,980 --> 03:28:22,100

a tremendous amount of relief if you suffer from pains

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03:28:22,100 --> 03:28:23,900

that are associated with arthritis,

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03:28:23,900 --> 03:28:25,620

birthsitis, and rheumatism.

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03:28:26,460 --> 03:28:29,260

It also stimulates blood circulation.

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03:28:29,260 --> 03:28:31,980

It's a passive form of exercise

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03:28:31,980 --> 03:28:34,260

for the person that has unwanted inches,

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03:28:34,260 --> 03:28:37,460

for the person that may be bedridden for a period of time.

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03:28:37,460 --> 03:28:40,140

If you need a passive form of exercise,

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03:28:40,140 --> 03:28:43,220

you can't get anything that'll compare

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03:28:43,220 --> 03:28:45,580

with the Niagara Cyclone Massage Unit.

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03:28:46,500 --> 03:28:49,220

And remember, it's not a vibrator.

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03:28:49,220 --> 03:28:52,780

See, a vibrator gives you hammer-like tissue-damaging strokes.

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03:28:52,780 --> 03:28:55,980

This unit is a cyclone massage action.

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03:28:55,980 --> 03:28:58,380

Now if you'll be kind enough to send me your name and address,

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03:28:58,380 --> 03:29:02,660

send it to Long John, station W-O-R, New York 18.

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03:29:02,660 --> 03:29:06,300

I'll send you a free brochure

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03:29:06,300 --> 03:29:08,340

that'll give you all of the facts

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03:29:08,340 --> 03:29:11,540

about the Niagara Cyclone Massage Pad.

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03:29:12,460 --> 03:29:15,020

And here's a message about Valentine's Ale.

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03:29:15,020 --> 03:29:17,420

Remember it's the best ale that your money can buy.

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03:29:17,420 --> 03:29:19,420

It's brewed with Brewer's Gold.

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03:29:21,820 --> 03:29:25,740

There's gold in California and in Alaska too,

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03:29:25,740 --> 03:29:27,700

but in the ale called Valentine's,

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03:29:27,700 --> 03:29:29,180

there's Brewer's Gold for you.

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03:29:29,180 --> 03:29:34,020

Enjoy that golden flavor, true ale flavor.

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03:29:34,020 --> 03:29:35,940

All that Valentine's.

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03:29:35,940 --> 03:29:40,940

It's the genuine Ale with Brewer's Gold.

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03:29:41,060 --> 03:29:43,940

Genuine friend, that is the key word.

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03:29:43,940 --> 03:29:47,060

It's the genuine golden flavor of Valentine's Ale

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03:29:47,060 --> 03:29:50,780

that goes right along with today's American taste.

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03:29:50,780 --> 03:29:52,660

All that Valentine's.

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03:29:52,660 --> 03:29:57,660

It's the genuine Ale with Brewer's Gold.

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03:29:57,860 --> 03:30:00,140

Brewer's Gold is a special strain of hops,

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03:30:00,140 --> 03:30:03,140

a rare strain with delicate, delicious flavor.

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03:30:03,140 --> 03:30:06,580

Only Valentine's special brewing methods can bring out.

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03:30:06,580 --> 03:30:09,300

Enjoy the genuine, it's the trend friend.

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03:30:09,340 --> 03:30:14,180

Enjoy Valentine's Ale, the ale with Brewer's Gold.

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03:30:14,180 --> 03:30:16,060

All that Valentine's.

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03:30:16,060 --> 03:30:21,060

It's the genuine Ale with Brewer's Gold.

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03:30:21,940 --> 03:30:25,580

We're talking now with the Cortland Hastings,

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03:30:25,580 --> 03:30:29,460

Bent Isquith, Charles Liedem and Dave Fields.

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03:30:29,460 --> 03:30:31,620

I think we'll take a couple of phone calls.

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03:30:31,620 --> 03:30:34,180

Now I would appreciate it very, very much

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03:30:35,020 --> 03:30:38,740

if you would be as brief as possible

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03:30:38,740 --> 03:30:40,780

because we'd like to get in a few phone calls

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03:30:40,780 --> 03:30:45,500

maybe for the next, oh, 15 or 17 minutes.

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03:30:45,500 --> 03:30:49,000

And if you're brief, we can get more calls in.

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03:30:49,000 --> 03:30:50,780

It's as simple as that.

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03:30:50,780 --> 03:30:53,020

Are you ready, Dr. Nielsen?

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03:30:53,980 --> 03:30:55,180

How are you, Dr. Bailey?

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03:30:55,180 --> 03:30:56,860

Everybody's a doctor.

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03:30:56,860 --> 03:30:58,580

No patience, all doctors.

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03:30:58,580 --> 03:31:01,420

Right, Dr. Nielsen.

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03:31:01,420 --> 03:31:02,460

Let's have it.

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03:31:02,460 --> 03:31:03,420

Hello.

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03:31:03,420 --> 03:31:04,420

Hello, Long John.

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03:31:04,420 --> 03:31:05,660

Yes, sir.

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03:31:05,660 --> 03:31:08,340

It's a pleasure to get you on the phone

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03:31:08,340 --> 03:31:12,660

because I called up several times tonight.

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03:31:13,940 --> 03:31:17,940

I called up before the broadcast.

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03:31:17,940 --> 03:31:19,860

Yes, well I never take calls before the broadcast.

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03:31:19,860 --> 03:31:24,220

No, I merely called your engineering department

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03:31:24,220 --> 03:31:29,220

to ask them to kindly monitor your voice,

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03:31:31,500 --> 03:31:34,700

monitor major keyhole's voice better than it was

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03:31:34,700 --> 03:31:36,980

on the television show.

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03:31:37,820 --> 03:31:39,940

Well, I heard it on television too.

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03:31:39,940 --> 03:31:42,420

I thought they did a good job on it.

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03:31:42,420 --> 03:31:44,060

Do you think it could be something

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03:31:44,060 --> 03:31:46,420

that you're set to, it was not adjusted properly?

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03:31:46,420 --> 03:31:47,820

Well, that's possible.

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03:31:47,820 --> 03:31:49,100

Yeah, because I heard it too.

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03:31:49,100 --> 03:31:51,940

I heard the telecast.

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03:31:51,940 --> 03:31:56,260

I didn't hear it very, I thought to,

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03:31:56,260 --> 03:31:58,140

like Wallace, folks are good,

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03:31:58,140 --> 03:32:02,020

but I didn't think to major keyhole's voice better.

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03:32:02,020 --> 03:32:05,220

However, there's one question I want to ask you.

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03:32:05,220 --> 03:32:06,260

Right.

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03:32:06,340 --> 03:32:09,540

This has nothing to do with tonight's broadcast.

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03:32:09,540 --> 03:32:10,380

Yes.

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03:32:11,740 --> 03:32:13,060

A few nights ago,

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03:32:14,460 --> 03:32:16,420

wait a minute, I better shut this radio.

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03:32:16,420 --> 03:32:18,260

Oh, you got your radio on, it's confusing.

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03:32:18,260 --> 03:32:20,340

Go ahead, turn it off, sir.

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03:32:20,340 --> 03:32:21,780

Let me remind all of our listeners,

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03:32:21,780 --> 03:32:22,900

if we talk to you on the phone,

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03:32:22,900 --> 03:32:25,100

automatically turn your radios off

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03:32:25,100 --> 03:32:26,900

because otherwise you'll be very confused

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03:32:26,900 --> 03:32:28,820

because you'll hear yourself talking eight seconds

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03:32:28,820 --> 03:32:29,660

after you've said something.

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03:32:29,660 --> 03:32:34,660

So that's an echo there and it sounds too much like

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03:32:34,700 --> 03:32:36,260

we're talking about important.

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03:32:39,380 --> 03:32:44,380

As I said, I merely called up fairly at your night

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03:32:46,020 --> 03:32:48,940

and the operator told me to call back

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03:32:48,940 --> 03:32:52,860

about 10 minutes before the show went on

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03:32:52,860 --> 03:32:57,860

and I talked to an engineer in your department.

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03:32:59,660 --> 03:33:01,780

Yes, I know you just mentioned that, yes.

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03:33:01,780 --> 03:33:06,780

I asked him if he would try to dip major keyhole's voice

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03:33:06,780 --> 03:33:09,660

much better than it was before the TV.

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03:33:09,660 --> 03:33:11,580

What was your point, sir, that you wanted to make?

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03:33:11,580 --> 03:33:13,100

You said you wanted to talk about something

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03:33:13,100 --> 03:33:14,460

about another show.

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03:33:14,460 --> 03:33:15,300

Yes.

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03:33:15,300 --> 03:33:17,100

I wanted to get a number of calls in, sir.

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03:33:17,100 --> 03:33:22,100

Did you at roughly cut off

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03:33:27,340 --> 03:33:29,340

your show the other night

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03:33:30,260 --> 03:33:33,460

when the hypnotists were on?

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03:33:33,460 --> 03:33:36,660

Did I abruptly cut off my show and the hypnotists were on?

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03:33:36,660 --> 03:33:37,500

Yes.

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03:33:39,380 --> 03:33:42,500

This is not last night of tonight.

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03:33:43,940 --> 03:33:46,820

Well, I frankly don't know, sir.

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03:33:46,820 --> 03:33:49,260

I don't remember anybody cutting anything off.

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03:33:49,260 --> 03:33:54,260

Well, your show went quite a long, quite a ways along.

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03:33:54,940 --> 03:33:55,780

Yes.

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03:33:56,660 --> 03:33:58,020

Well, I really, I...

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03:33:58,020 --> 03:34:03,020

You cut it off and you continue with music for quite a while.

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03:34:03,020 --> 03:34:04,580

Yes, well, that's quite possible.

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03:34:04,580 --> 03:34:05,420

We do that.

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03:34:05,420 --> 03:34:06,780

There was quite a hassle there,

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03:34:06,780 --> 03:34:10,660

which I enjoyed very much.

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03:34:10,660 --> 03:34:14,060

Well, there's sometimes, as they say in my work,

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03:34:14,060 --> 03:34:16,820

I put in about 75 to 80 hours a week here

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03:34:16,820 --> 03:34:19,780

and sometimes I forget what happened the night before

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03:34:19,780 --> 03:34:22,340

and I honestly don't remember the particular...

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03:34:23,340 --> 03:34:25,780

We'll take that thing that's current.

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03:34:25,780 --> 03:34:26,980

One gentleman,

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03:34:26,980 --> 03:34:31,980

and with questioning,

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03:34:31,980 --> 03:34:34,980

I think you wanted your favorite camera.

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03:34:34,980 --> 03:34:35,980

Yes.

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03:34:35,980 --> 03:34:37,580

Jewel to what she's made.

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03:34:37,580 --> 03:34:38,900

Jewel to be Saint Germain?

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03:34:38,900 --> 03:34:39,740

That's right.

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03:34:39,740 --> 03:34:41,580

Well, I really don't know, sir.

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03:34:41,580 --> 03:34:43,820

What I'm trying to do, I'm trying to get

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03:34:43,820 --> 03:34:45,700

some comments on this morning show.

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03:34:45,700 --> 03:34:48,500

Well, this morning show was excellent.

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03:34:48,500 --> 03:34:50,300

Fine, I'm glad you enjoyed it, sir.

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03:34:50,340 --> 03:34:58,340

I did question the fact that Major T. Hall

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03:34:58,340 --> 03:35:05,340

on his TV show didn't have,

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03:35:05,340 --> 03:35:13,340

according to the facts that were pitched at him,

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03:35:13,340 --> 03:35:15,340

let's put it that way,

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03:35:15,340 --> 03:35:17,340

and they were pitched at him.

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03:35:17,380 --> 03:35:19,380

Well, all right, sir.

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03:35:19,380 --> 03:35:21,380

Thank you very much for your comment

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03:35:21,380 --> 03:35:23,380

and thank you for calling me.

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03:35:23,380 --> 03:35:25,380

Good night, sir.

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03:35:25,380 --> 03:35:29,380

Well, that gentleman evidently listened to Major Kehoe

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03:35:29,380 --> 03:35:32,380

on that telecast and also heard the comments

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03:35:32,380 --> 03:35:34,380

that the major made here.

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03:35:34,380 --> 03:35:36,380

Let me see, is that...

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03:35:36,380 --> 03:35:38,380

Yes, here's another call coming through.

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03:35:38,380 --> 03:35:40,380

Hi there, this is Long John.

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03:35:40,380 --> 03:35:42,380

Hello, Long John.

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03:35:42,380 --> 03:35:44,380

Yes, sir.

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03:35:44,420 --> 03:35:46,420

I'm going to talk a little bit about

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03:35:46,420 --> 03:35:48,420

the Air Force and Major Kehoe.

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03:35:48,420 --> 03:35:50,420

All right, sir.

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A few years ago, about two and a half to three years ago,

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03:35:52,420 --> 03:35:56,420

a couple of scientists had a theory

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03:35:56,420 --> 03:36:02,420

about the generation of dwarf stars,

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03:36:02,420 --> 03:36:05,420

you know, how stars are formed.

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03:36:05,420 --> 03:36:07,420

Yes, go ahead.

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03:36:07,420 --> 03:36:12,420

And it was their theory that these high temperatures

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03:36:12,460 --> 03:36:15,460

helped to develop stars

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03:36:15,460 --> 03:36:20,460

by causing hydrogen to go into a reaction.

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03:36:20,460 --> 03:36:24,460

And I was thinking

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03:36:24,460 --> 03:36:28,460

that if the Air Force wanted to cover this up,

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03:36:28,460 --> 03:36:34,460

you know, the testing of the H&E bombs,

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03:36:34,460 --> 03:36:37,460

that it would be a good way

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03:36:37,460 --> 03:36:40,460

to throw people off the scent

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by denying Major Kehoe's ideas,

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03:36:49,500 --> 03:36:53,500

but giving the idea that there might be something to it.

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I see what you mean.

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In other words, use this as somewhat of a subterfuge.

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That's right.

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Well, that's an interesting comment,

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and unfortunately the major is not here,

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so he certainly can't comment on it,

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but we appreciate your interest in the program.

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03:37:07,500 --> 03:37:08,500

Did you enjoy it tonight, sir?

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03:37:08,500 --> 03:37:09,500

Yes, sir.

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03:37:09,540 --> 03:37:10,540

Thank you very much for calling.

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03:37:10,540 --> 03:37:11,540

I appreciate your interest.

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All right, call again.

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03:37:12,540 --> 03:37:13,540

Will you please?

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Thank you.

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Do you want to make a comment on that statement, Court?

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Yes, I did.

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A very nice gentleman mentioned

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the Air Force wanting to throw the American people off the scent.

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I think this has become a somewhat accepted attitude,

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a somewhat accepted situation

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on the part of the American people.

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We seem to forget, as American citizens,

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03:37:39,580 --> 03:37:42,580

that this is a democracy that the Air Force does not have

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03:37:42,580 --> 03:37:47,580

and should not have any control over our civilian life,

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and therefore there shouldn't be no case

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03:37:49,580 --> 03:37:52,580

of anybody wanting to throw anybody off the scent.

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The exact opposite should be the case.

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They should want information

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to be made the property of the American people

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and the American people to be able to make its own decision.

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Gordon Dean, who was former chairman

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of the Atomic Energy Commission, said,

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every time America decides to keep something secret,

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we're running the risk of showing our own progress

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by severely narrowing the range of skills

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and experience that can be brought to bear

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on the problem involved.

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During the war, there was an IFF,

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which was an instrument for identification of friend and foe.

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That's where the IFF came from.

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And it provided for passing an electronic password

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from a speeding plane to a radar set.

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Well, this was really a hot device,

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03:38:42,660 --> 03:38:45,660

and the security boys knew it was such a hot device

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03:38:45,660 --> 03:38:48,660

that they really took it under their wraps.

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Now, what happened was that the radar sets

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were made at an astounding rate,

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whereas the IFF equipment,

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which should have, of all things, been given preference,

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lagged very far behind,

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and finally, some IFF equipment was captured by the Germans,

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and then there was no further cause for secrecy.

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But simply showing that by holding something secret,

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it delays the production,

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or what I want to call a say, the emergence of the instrument.

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And democracy, although it's a sometimes inefficient,

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rather long drawn out, sometimes irritating process,

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is extremely necessary.

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It's the only wise system as we have found in this country.

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M. Stanley Livingston, who is an MIT physicist,

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says our true security lies in our ability to out-produce

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and out-develop any potential enemy.

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03:39:49,740 --> 03:39:53,740

And this can be measured in the number of trained minds.

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We need fewer controls and hampering safeguards,

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03:39:57,780 --> 03:40:01,780

and more freedom of discussion between experts in all fields.

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03:40:01,780 --> 03:40:05,780

Achievement is more important than secrecy.

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Mr. Quist.

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03:40:07,780 --> 03:40:12,780

I would like to say a hearty amen to what Court has said.

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Now, I would just like to briefly bring up the recent disclosure,

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I think, a few weeks ago,

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that a type of bow and arrow

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that the Army had been considering for use in combat

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had been classified as secret and vital to the national defense,

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and only recently had it been declassified.

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Now, I submit that this automatically put all the Indians

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03:40:37,820 --> 03:40:42,820

in North America under your threat of probably being jailed,

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03:40:42,820 --> 03:40:44,820

because they were going, I mean, for years,

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03:40:44,820 --> 03:40:48,820

they'd been going around with these highly classified secret war weapons.

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03:40:48,820 --> 03:40:53,820

I mean, security and classification can reach ridiculous aspects

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03:40:53,860 --> 03:40:57,860

on one point, and it also can be used as one of the most handy

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03:40:57,860 --> 03:41:01,860

bureaucratic methods of covering up mistakes.

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03:41:01,860 --> 03:41:04,860

Any further comments, gentlemen?

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03:41:04,860 --> 03:41:06,860

Did you want to say something, Dave?

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03:41:06,860 --> 03:41:08,860

No, I didn't.

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03:41:08,860 --> 03:41:11,860

Let's take another call. Hello.

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03:41:11,860 --> 03:41:14,860

Well, I want to say first, I think the program tonight was wonderful.

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03:41:14,860 --> 03:41:16,860

I'm glad you enjoyed it.

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And, uh, if you're listening to all of us talk about the sightings,

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03:41:21,900 --> 03:41:24,900

I think for the past year, I've been listening.

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Yes.

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Probably charged with them could describe this better than I can,

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03:41:29,900 --> 03:41:33,900

but we never really get down to any basic facts.

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03:41:33,900 --> 03:41:38,900

Nothing is ever presented that you can get your teeth into.

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03:41:38,900 --> 03:41:42,900

I mean, there's no, uh, nobody can say, well, here's this,

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03:41:42,900 --> 03:41:45,900

and that's the way it is.

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03:41:45,900 --> 03:41:48,900

We see a lot of things flying around and everybody's season,

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03:41:48,940 --> 03:41:50,940

but what's the result?

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03:41:50,940 --> 03:41:53,940

I mean, we could talk about it for 100 years,

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03:41:53,940 --> 03:41:56,940

and nothing would ever come of it.

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03:41:56,940 --> 03:41:58,940

You're sure of this?

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03:41:58,940 --> 03:42:00,940

Well, uh, I mean, you're making the statement.

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03:42:00,940 --> 03:42:02,940

I'm not. I'm merely asking you again.

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03:42:02,940 --> 03:42:04,940

Are you sure of the statement that you've just made?

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03:42:04,940 --> 03:42:07,940

Well, has anyone ever come out with any real facts?

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Well, may I repeat your statement again?

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03:42:09,940 --> 03:42:12,940

You just made a statement to me that we can talk about this

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03:42:12,940 --> 03:42:15,940

for the next 100 years, and nothing will come out of it.

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03:42:15,940 --> 03:42:17,940

At the present rate, yes.

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03:42:17,980 --> 03:42:19,980

I mean, if I see this and you see that

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03:42:19,980 --> 03:42:22,980

and the other guy sees the other thing,

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03:42:22,980 --> 03:42:25,980

at the end of 100 years, everybody has seen everything

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03:42:25,980 --> 03:42:29,980

and nobody has, uh, got anything to show for it.

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All these guys are seeing these things and talking about it.

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03:42:33,980 --> 03:42:37,980

I mean, what would you suggest for them to do?

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What would be your plan of operation?

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Supposing that somebody called you up and said,

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uh, Mr. Jones, we'd like to have you, uh, be director at nightcap.

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03:42:47,020 --> 03:42:49,020

What would you do, sir?

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03:42:49,020 --> 03:42:51,020

Well, it would be very interesting.

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03:42:51,020 --> 03:42:53,020

What do you mean would be interesting? The phone call?

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03:42:53,020 --> 03:42:57,020

No, to be, to be director at nightcap.

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All right, so, we both agree on that.

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It would be interesting. But what would you do?

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I do what they are doing.

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But in the end, what do we got?

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03:43:06,020 --> 03:43:08,020

That's what I'm getting at.

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03:43:08,020 --> 03:43:11,020

I mean, what is the end result of looking at all these things?

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03:43:11,020 --> 03:43:13,020

Well, if they can't prove anything.

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03:43:13,020 --> 03:43:16,020

How do you know that they can't prove anything in the future?

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I don't mean today.

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03:43:18,060 --> 03:43:20,060

For the past ten years, they haven't proven a thing.

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03:43:20,060 --> 03:43:24,060

In other words, you mean that if we investigate something...

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03:43:24,060 --> 03:43:26,060

No, no, it's true.

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03:43:26,060 --> 03:43:28,060

Go ahead.

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03:43:28,060 --> 03:43:30,060

If we look at these things flying in the air...

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03:43:30,060 --> 03:43:32,060

Right.

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For a hundred years...

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03:43:34,060 --> 03:43:36,060

No, let's not go a hundred years. Let's take ten years first.

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You just made the statement ten years.

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Ten years. What do we know?

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03:43:40,060 --> 03:43:42,060

What do we know?

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03:43:42,060 --> 03:43:44,060

Well, I don't know anything.

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03:43:44,100 --> 03:43:46,100

What do we know ten years ago?

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03:43:46,100 --> 03:43:48,100

No, no, no, wait a minute.

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03:43:48,100 --> 03:43:50,100

Wait a minute, my friend. Now, this is what you may know.

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03:43:50,100 --> 03:43:52,100

Only what you knew ten years ago.

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03:43:52,100 --> 03:43:56,100

But the government, according to the Air Force,

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03:43:56,100 --> 03:43:59,100

according to Major Kehoe this morning, knows a lot more.

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03:43:59,100 --> 03:44:01,100

They're not talking.

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03:44:01,100 --> 03:44:03,100

And let me ask you this.

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03:44:03,100 --> 03:44:05,100

In other words, if we experiment with something,

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03:44:05,100 --> 03:44:08,100

we'll say for two years, five or ten years.

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03:44:08,100 --> 03:44:11,100

And I don't know what to what extent you would say

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would be a limitation to the amount of years

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that we should conduct experimentation.

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But if we were guided by you,

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we would have never gotten a cure for our polio.

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03:44:21,140 --> 03:44:23,140

Well, that is different.

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Why is it different?

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Because you're investigating something

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and you have it in front of you.

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03:44:29,140 --> 03:44:31,140

What do you have in front of you?

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03:44:31,140 --> 03:44:33,140

The cure?

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03:44:33,140 --> 03:44:35,140

No, the germ.

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03:44:35,140 --> 03:44:37,140

You're investigating...

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03:44:37,140 --> 03:44:39,140

All right, now, I'm glad you made that point.

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But isn't it true, according to what Major Kehoe said

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03:44:42,180 --> 03:44:45,180

this morning, there are thousands,

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I don't know if it's thousands,

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03:44:47,180 --> 03:44:49,180

I'll just use the figure, thousands,

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03:44:49,180 --> 03:44:51,180

of people who have seen these things.

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03:44:51,180 --> 03:44:55,180

And now, we're getting all of these sightings together,

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03:44:55,180 --> 03:44:58,180

not we, but NICAP and the government.

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03:44:58,180 --> 03:45:02,180

And eventually, they hope to be able to determine

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03:45:02,180 --> 03:45:06,180

whether or not these UFOs are coming from other planets

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03:45:06,180 --> 03:45:08,180

or whether they're man-made,

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03:45:08,180 --> 03:45:11,180

that is, Earth-made UFOs,

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03:45:11,220 --> 03:45:14,220

or whether there's just nothing at all.

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03:45:14,220 --> 03:45:16,220

Well, that's true.

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03:45:16,220 --> 03:45:18,220

Let's say they are from another planet.

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03:45:18,220 --> 03:45:20,220

Go ahead.

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03:45:20,220 --> 03:45:22,220

So we look at it for another 10 years, so what?

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03:45:22,220 --> 03:45:24,220

Well, now, let me ask you this.

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03:45:24,220 --> 03:45:26,220

No, wait.

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03:45:26,220 --> 03:45:28,220

Wait, no, you're going too fast.

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03:45:28,220 --> 03:45:30,220

Let me ask you this.

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03:45:30,220 --> 03:45:32,220

Supposing that a group of strange-looking,

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03:45:32,220 --> 03:45:34,220

that's unusual, and strange-looking people

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03:45:34,220 --> 03:45:36,220

started to appear

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03:45:36,220 --> 03:45:38,220

in various parts of the United States.

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03:45:38,220 --> 03:45:40,220

Well, now we got some.

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03:45:40,260 --> 03:45:42,260

All right, would you just look at them?

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03:45:42,260 --> 03:45:44,260

No.

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You'd want to investigate, right?

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03:45:46,260 --> 03:45:48,260

Yes.

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03:45:48,260 --> 03:45:50,260

All right, well, then, by the same token,

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03:45:50,260 --> 03:45:52,260

because you can't reach up

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03:45:52,260 --> 03:45:54,260

and take one of these things out of the sky,

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03:45:54,260 --> 03:45:56,260

the only thing you can do

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03:45:56,260 --> 03:45:58,260

is to observe for a period of time.

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03:45:58,260 --> 03:46:00,260

Yeah, I say it's interesting to observe,

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03:46:00,260 --> 03:46:02,260

but I say we're not getting anywhere.

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03:46:02,260 --> 03:46:04,260

What, Earth,

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03:46:04,260 --> 03:46:06,260

some time ago in your program

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03:46:06,260 --> 03:46:08,260

you had a man and a woman there,

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03:46:08,300 --> 03:46:10,300

and they claimed that

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03:46:10,300 --> 03:46:12,300

some sources were captured.

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03:46:12,300 --> 03:46:14,300

Can you just do them?

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03:46:14,300 --> 03:46:16,300

Yes, I do, sir.

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03:46:16,300 --> 03:46:19,300

Well, I mean, what's the story behind that?

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03:46:19,300 --> 03:46:21,300

Well, and then you're not listening tonight?

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03:46:21,300 --> 03:46:24,300

Maybe Kehoe told us that there's a lot of things

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that we haven't been told.

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In other words, the government

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03:46:28,300 --> 03:46:30,300

really has something concrete.

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03:46:30,300 --> 03:46:32,300

This is what has been implied.

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03:46:32,300 --> 03:46:34,300

This is not my statement, sir.

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03:46:34,300 --> 03:46:36,300

I would not make that statement.

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03:46:36,340 --> 03:46:38,340

I'm not in a position to.

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03:46:38,340 --> 03:46:40,340

I don't know that much about the subject.

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That's why I was sorry that

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03:46:42,340 --> 03:46:44,340

your phone calls weren't available

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03:46:44,340 --> 03:46:46,340

when the major was there.

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03:46:46,340 --> 03:46:48,340

I wouldn't like to hear...

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03:46:48,340 --> 03:46:50,340

What would be your question, sir,

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03:46:50,340 --> 03:46:52,340

that you would like to ask the major?

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03:46:52,340 --> 03:46:54,340

To see if he has any definite proof

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03:46:54,340 --> 03:46:56,340

that government has

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03:46:56,340 --> 03:46:58,340

evidence of, you know,

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03:46:58,340 --> 03:47:00,340

these things in the next phase.

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03:47:00,340 --> 03:47:02,340

Were you listening to this program

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03:47:02,340 --> 03:47:04,340

or were you listening to Big Joe this morning?

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03:47:04,380 --> 03:47:06,380

No, he's a truth.

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03:47:06,380 --> 03:47:08,380

No, because he made that statement.

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03:47:08,380 --> 03:47:10,380

Well, he told me he mentioned

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03:47:10,380 --> 03:47:12,380

metal falling out of place.

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03:47:12,380 --> 03:47:14,380

No, and he also told you

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03:47:14,380 --> 03:47:16,380

he made this statement right on the air here.

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That the government has

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documents.

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They have proof that

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would lead them to believe

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03:47:24,380 --> 03:47:26,380

that these saucers are coming

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that are hovering around.

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03:47:28,380 --> 03:47:30,380

Some of them may be landing

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03:47:30,380 --> 03:47:32,380

and they're coming here from other planets.

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03:47:32,420 --> 03:47:34,420

What statement would you want the man to make?

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03:47:34,420 --> 03:47:36,420

What do you mean, uh...

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03:47:36,420 --> 03:47:38,420

What is the proof?

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That's the strongest statement I would go...

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Well, you couldn't get that from him.

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He hasn't got the proof to argue.

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03:47:44,420 --> 03:47:46,420

He has to make a statement like that.

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03:47:46,420 --> 03:47:48,420

Well, I can only say this.

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03:47:48,420 --> 03:47:50,420

I'm sorry he isn't here.

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03:47:50,420 --> 03:47:52,420

I'm sorry, too.

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03:47:52,420 --> 03:47:54,420

Okay, thanks very much for calling, though.

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03:47:54,420 --> 03:47:56,420

Oh, thank you very much.

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03:47:56,420 --> 03:47:58,420

We have a telegram here from

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03:47:58,420 --> 03:48:00,420

Don Griffin of Quartzville, New Jersey.

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03:48:00,460 --> 03:48:02,460

Let this wire be my applause

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03:48:02,460 --> 03:48:04,460

tonight's program extremely interesting.

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03:48:04,460 --> 03:48:06,460

Well, I'm sorry that Major Keyhoe

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03:48:06,460 --> 03:48:08,460

is not with us to

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03:48:08,460 --> 03:48:10,460

hear Don Griffin's

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03:48:10,460 --> 03:48:12,460

comments on the program,

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03:48:12,460 --> 03:48:14,460

and we appreciate your interest, Mr. Griffin.

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03:48:14,460 --> 03:48:16,460

Quartz?

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I wonder what this man

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03:48:18,460 --> 03:48:20,460

would require his proof.

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I guess probably the capture

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03:48:22,460 --> 03:48:24,460

of a flying saucer

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03:48:24,460 --> 03:48:26,460

and demonstration.

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03:48:26,460 --> 03:48:28,460

You know, it's the same type of thing

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until during the Middle Ages

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and later where the peasants

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were reporting meteors

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by the scores, by the hundreds,

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eventually by the thousands.

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But they couldn't prove it.

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And the

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non-believers and the lords and so on

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would frequently

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put these people to death

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or invest

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some kind of punishment

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upon their persons.

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However, it didn't change the fact.

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Now we come up to the day

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03:48:58,540 --> 03:49:00,540

where this man, along with

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03:49:00,540 --> 03:49:02,540

probably the vast majority

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03:49:02,540 --> 03:49:04,540

of American people,

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are deluded by these absolutely false

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03:49:06,540 --> 03:49:08,540

reports being issued

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03:49:08,540 --> 03:49:10,540

by the Air Force.

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03:49:10,540 --> 03:49:12,540

I say to the American people, wake up,

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it's high time we came

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03:49:14,540 --> 03:49:16,540

to the realization

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that there is another side

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03:49:18,540 --> 03:49:20,540

to this flying saucer story.

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03:49:20,540 --> 03:49:22,540

We can't deny the testimony

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03:49:22,540 --> 03:49:24,540

of individuals.

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03:49:24,580 --> 03:49:26,580

This which furnishes our evidence

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03:49:26,580 --> 03:49:28,580

in courts.

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And we can't deny then the testimony

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03:49:30,580 --> 03:49:32,580

of our very qualified pilots,

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some scientists,

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03:49:34,580 --> 03:49:36,580

many good, solid

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03:49:36,580 --> 03:49:38,580

American citizens,

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numbering in the thousands

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who have seen these.

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03:49:42,580 --> 03:49:44,580

And we've got to accept

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something as proof,

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otherwise there would be no proof.

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03:49:48,580 --> 03:49:50,580

I can recall here probably

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03:49:50,580 --> 03:49:52,580

a couple of hundred years ago,

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03:49:52,620 --> 03:49:54,620

we were not found at that time,

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03:49:54,620 --> 03:49:56,620

but reading history, if we can believe history,

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03:49:56,620 --> 03:49:58,620

now of course we haven't any proof,

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03:49:58,620 --> 03:50:00,620

because you can't reproduce it.

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03:50:00,620 --> 03:50:02,620

But nevertheless, we accept these things

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03:50:02,620 --> 03:50:04,620

as facts, and enough has been

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03:50:04,620 --> 03:50:06,620

written about them by

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03:50:06,620 --> 03:50:08,620

I don't know how to call it, historians.

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03:50:08,620 --> 03:50:10,620

The

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03:50:10,620 --> 03:50:12,620

theory

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03:50:12,620 --> 03:50:14,620

of Phlogiston,

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which I was

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considered for about two or three

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03:50:18,620 --> 03:50:20,620

centuries, to be absolutely accurate.

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But as science developed,

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03:50:22,660 --> 03:50:24,660

it was found to be very

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inaccurate by Lavoisier.

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And finally, Priestley, its greatest opponent,

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Priestley himself, a tremendous scientist,

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had to

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he never did admit it, actually,

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03:50:34,660 --> 03:50:36,660

he died before admitting it.

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03:50:36,660 --> 03:50:38,660

But that didn't change the fact any.

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Court, two points.

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03:50:42,660 --> 03:50:44,660

First of all, you say,

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and

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03:50:46,660 --> 03:50:48,660

in this tone I can see you

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03:50:48,700 --> 03:50:50,700

at the Battle of Valley Ford,

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03:50:50,700 --> 03:50:52,700

with your long rifle and your bare feet,

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03:50:52,700 --> 03:50:54,700

that you cannot deny the testimony

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03:50:54,700 --> 03:50:56,700

of individuals, because it's used

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03:50:56,700 --> 03:50:58,700

as in court,

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03:50:58,700 --> 03:51:00,700

COURT.

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03:51:00,700 --> 03:51:02,700

And I will,

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03:51:02,700 --> 03:51:04,700

I thought it was COURT, court.

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03:51:04,700 --> 03:51:06,700

I don't even get it.

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03:51:06,700 --> 03:51:08,700

No, it's actually COURT.

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03:51:08,700 --> 03:51:10,700

And I

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03:51:10,700 --> 03:51:12,700

must point out to you this,

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03:51:12,700 --> 03:51:14,700

that in court,

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03:51:14,700 --> 03:51:16,700

this is a little awkward here,

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03:51:16,740 --> 03:51:18,740

that in the illegal halls,

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03:51:18,740 --> 03:51:20,740

that

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03:51:20,740 --> 03:51:22,740

there are testimony on both sides of the case,

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03:51:22,740 --> 03:51:24,740

and half of it is generally denied

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03:51:24,740 --> 03:51:26,740

by the judge or the jury.

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So I wouldn't go around saying

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03:51:28,740 --> 03:51:30,740

you can't deny the testimony of individuals,

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03:51:30,740 --> 03:51:32,740

because it appears in the halls of justice

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03:51:32,740 --> 03:51:34,740

to avoid the confusing word.

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03:51:34,740 --> 03:51:36,740

Well, you can't deny it if enough people

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03:51:36,740 --> 03:51:38,740

come out with the same, same trial.

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03:51:38,740 --> 03:51:40,740

At least it's generally accepted as admissible.

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It's admissible, but not necessarily

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meaningful

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03:51:44,780 --> 03:51:46,780

if the testimony of half of the people

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turns out to be wrong, because the verdict goes

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03:51:48,780 --> 03:51:50,780

one way or the other, and the witnesses

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03:51:50,780 --> 03:51:52,780

on one side are sometimes

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pretty nearly as numerous as the witnesses

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03:51:54,780 --> 03:51:56,780

on the other side. Well, what you've done

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03:51:56,780 --> 03:51:58,780

is propose a hypothetical case where

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it's 50-50, of course you can't believe anything there.

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But when you get a whole

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03:52:02,780 --> 03:52:04,780

tremendous number of witnesses on one side,

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03:52:04,780 --> 03:52:06,780

they're not on the other, except by supposition.

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03:52:06,780 --> 03:52:08,780

Well, let me say that

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03:52:08,780 --> 03:52:10,780

I would suspect that the majority

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03:52:10,780 --> 03:52:12,780

of the witnesses whom we might call

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03:52:12,820 --> 03:52:14,820

on the existence of flying saucers

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03:52:14,820 --> 03:52:16,820

in a random sample

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of the population of this country right now,

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we would find the majority

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03:52:20,820 --> 03:52:22,820

on the non-saucer side.

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03:52:22,820 --> 03:52:24,820

So don't talk the majority

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03:52:24,820 --> 03:52:26,820

to me, Court, because

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03:52:26,820 --> 03:52:28,820

the majority is on this side.

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03:52:28,820 --> 03:52:30,820

And the second point, you can answer both of these,

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is that

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how, without any reference

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03:52:34,820 --> 03:52:36,820

to the truth or falsity

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03:52:36,820 --> 03:52:38,820

of flying saucers,

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03:52:38,820 --> 03:52:40,820

it happens, and I'm not

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03:52:40,860 --> 03:52:42,860

including flying saucers

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03:52:42,860 --> 03:52:44,860

as a crank or crack

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03:52:44,860 --> 03:52:46,860

science, pseudoscience or what have you.

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But every time

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somebody comes up with some

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03:52:50,860 --> 03:52:52,860

weird, wild and wonderful idea

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that maybe that the earth is hollow

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03:52:54,860 --> 03:52:56,860

or that the stars are painted

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03:52:56,860 --> 03:52:58,860

on a large blue-gauze thing

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instead of the sky or that...

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03:53:00,860 --> 03:53:02,860

Aren't they?

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03:53:02,860 --> 03:53:04,860

Well, I don't know, John, I'm not sure.

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03:53:04,860 --> 03:53:06,860

I just give this as a theory.

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That was Dr. Neville.

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03:53:08,900 --> 03:53:10,900

Or that you can stand in the box

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03:53:10,900 --> 03:53:12,900

and get strange things

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03:53:12,900 --> 03:53:14,900

coming out of the atmosphere

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03:53:14,900 --> 03:53:16,900

which will cure all your ills

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03:53:16,900 --> 03:53:18,900

or something if you don't catch cold.

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03:53:18,900 --> 03:53:20,900

Every one of these people

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03:53:20,900 --> 03:53:22,900

quotes...

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Well, generally it's Galileo.

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They quote or Copernicus or something.

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03:53:26,900 --> 03:53:28,900

They point to one or two mistakes

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or mis-imperhingions

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in the early days of science

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and says, look, they persecuted Galileo.

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They're persecuting me.

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So I must be right.

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And I just can't see this

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03:53:40,940 --> 03:53:42,940

as giving any possible support

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to the flying saucer theory

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just because of the fact that

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science, or the body of men

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03:53:48,940 --> 03:53:50,940

who compose what is generally thought of as science,

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have been mistaken in the past.

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And I'm sorry if I lump you

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03:53:54,940 --> 03:53:56,940

with organomy and hollow earths and so forth.

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Oh, I don't mind.

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Those things are purely suppositional.

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But when you have hundreds

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03:54:03,940 --> 03:54:05,940

and thousands of people

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who are not suppositional,

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which look like objects

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and appear

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03:54:11,980 --> 03:54:13,980

or they don't feel like it

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03:54:13,980 --> 03:54:15,980

because I don't believe anybody's actually felt them.

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03:54:15,980 --> 03:54:17,980

Some of the contact people, of course,

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who've been aboard,

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03:54:19,980 --> 03:54:21,980

have claimed to have felt them.

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But in general, the 99, 9, 10%

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03:54:23,980 --> 03:54:25,980

of the sightings are

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as if, well, if we were driving

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along a highway in an ordinate building

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and we saw another one, say a quarter of a mile away

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03:54:31,980 --> 03:54:33,980

or 300 feet away or a mile away,

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03:54:34,020 --> 03:54:36,020

we'd say that was a car.

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03:54:36,020 --> 03:54:38,020

We couldn't prove it, but we'd say that

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03:54:38,020 --> 03:54:40,020

and nobody would dispute it.

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03:54:40,020 --> 03:54:42,020

Matt, are you through with your point?

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03:54:42,020 --> 03:54:44,020

Sure. I'm sorry.

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03:54:44,020 --> 03:54:46,020

I don't want to go into a long story about this.

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03:54:46,020 --> 03:54:48,020

We hope that we're going to have

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03:54:48,020 --> 03:54:50,020

the pleasure of having

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03:54:50,020 --> 03:54:52,020

Mr. Schmidt

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03:54:52,020 --> 03:54:54,020

on the program.

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03:54:54,020 --> 03:54:56,020

Ryan Holt Schmidt,

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03:54:56,020 --> 03:54:58,020

the gentleman who was out in

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03:54:58,020 --> 03:55:00,020

Karni, Nebraska,

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03:55:00,020 --> 03:55:02,020

who claimed that he

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03:55:02,060 --> 03:55:04,060

was in a flying saucer

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03:55:04,060 --> 03:55:06,060

and we don't want any

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03:55:06,060 --> 03:55:08,060

stories behind or anything,

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03:55:08,060 --> 03:55:10,060

but he's going to be on the program.

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03:55:10,060 --> 03:55:12,060

But I'd just like to ask you this, Court.

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03:55:12,060 --> 03:55:14,060

I have in front of me, unfortunately,

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03:55:14,060 --> 03:55:16,060

the listeners cannot see this.

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03:55:16,060 --> 03:55:18,060

I have an artist's drawing

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03:55:18,060 --> 03:55:20,060

of the spaceship as seen

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03:55:20,060 --> 03:55:22,060

and described by Ryan Holt, O. Schmidt.

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03:55:22,060 --> 03:55:24,060

What I want to know is, Court,

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03:55:24,060 --> 03:55:26,060

in a period of some 15

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03:55:26,060 --> 03:55:28,060

or 20 minutes

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03:55:28,060 --> 03:55:30,060

that Mr. Schmidt claimed

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03:55:30,100 --> 03:55:32,100

that he was in the saucer

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03:55:32,100 --> 03:55:34,100

and spoke to the two gentlemen,

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03:55:34,100 --> 03:55:36,100

I think they spoke a high German,

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03:55:36,100 --> 03:55:38,100

if I'm not...

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03:55:38,100 --> 03:55:40,100

Hochdeutsch.

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03:55:40,100 --> 03:55:42,100

Hochdeutsch.

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03:55:42,100 --> 03:55:44,100

Your German is terrible, then.

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03:55:44,100 --> 03:55:46,100

I learned it in the public schools

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03:55:46,100 --> 03:55:48,100

and made it good.

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03:55:48,100 --> 03:55:50,100

That's why.

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03:55:50,100 --> 03:55:52,100

The most exciting thing that ever happened

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03:55:52,100 --> 03:55:54,100

to Mr. Schmidt, I think he'll agree with me.

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03:55:54,100 --> 03:55:56,100

And he has

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03:55:56,100 --> 03:55:58,100

such a detailed description,

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03:55:58,140 --> 03:56:00,140

in other words, a detailed description

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03:56:00,140 --> 03:56:02,140

that he was able to give to the artist,

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03:56:02,140 --> 03:56:04,140

such as

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03:56:04,140 --> 03:56:06,140

the saucer had retractable

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03:56:06,140 --> 03:56:08,140

landing pads

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03:56:08,140 --> 03:56:10,140

one foot in diameter.

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03:56:10,140 --> 03:56:12,140

The end of it

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03:56:12,140 --> 03:56:14,140

was 14

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03:56:14,140 --> 03:56:16,140

feet high.

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03:56:16,140 --> 03:56:18,140

They had a

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03:56:18,140 --> 03:56:20,140

10 bladed fan.

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03:56:20,140 --> 03:56:22,140

Now, I used to do

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03:56:22,140 --> 03:56:24,140

a show in Studio 8.

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03:56:24,140 --> 03:56:26,140

We had a

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03:56:26,180 --> 03:56:28,180

big fan in there.

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03:56:28,180 --> 03:56:30,180

And I must have watched that fan

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03:56:30,180 --> 03:56:32,180

for 400 hours.

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03:56:32,180 --> 03:56:34,180

And believe me,

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03:56:34,180 --> 03:56:36,180

I have no idea whether it was a

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two bladed fan,

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03:56:38,180 --> 03:56:40,180

four, six, or ten bladed fan.

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03:56:40,180 --> 03:56:42,180

Wait, John, that was

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03:56:42,180 --> 03:56:44,180

a three bladed fan, 30 inch in diameter.

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03:56:44,180 --> 03:56:46,180

31 inch.

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03:56:46,180 --> 03:56:48,180

Well, on my eyes, maybe off an inch.

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03:56:48,180 --> 03:56:50,180

In other words,

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03:56:50,180 --> 03:56:52,180

in a ship capable of growing

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03:56:52,180 --> 03:56:54,180

18,000 miles an hour and doing

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03:56:54,220 --> 03:56:56,220

eight-angle turns and fantastic

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03:56:56,220 --> 03:56:58,220

aerial acrobatics, why do they

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03:56:58,220 --> 03:57:00,220

need a 10 bladed fan,

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03:57:00,220 --> 03:57:02,220

presumably the cool air in there?

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03:57:02,220 --> 03:57:04,220

I don't understand. This is a very

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03:57:04,220 --> 03:57:06,220

propulsion method. This is very fun.

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03:57:06,220 --> 03:57:08,220

I have noticed what's amazing to me.

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I notice he also describes an

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03:57:10,220 --> 03:57:12,220

invisible escalator there, which is interesting.

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What would an invisible escalator do?

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Running the length of the ship.

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In other words, when you're on it,

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03:57:18,220 --> 03:57:20,220

you don't even know you're being escalated.

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03:57:20,220 --> 03:57:22,220

I don't know.

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03:57:22,260 --> 03:57:24,260

One of the most fascinating things about this diagram

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is he shows

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what's this interesting thing back here,

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operators, TV, and desk control

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03:57:30,260 --> 03:57:32,260

and instrument panels and columns

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03:57:32,260 --> 03:57:34,260

of liquid and sliding doors

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03:57:34,260 --> 03:57:36,260

and 10 bladed fans, but there ain't

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03:57:36,260 --> 03:57:38,260

no place for the people to live.

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03:57:38,260 --> 03:57:40,260

I don't know what they do when they're not working on the instrument panels.

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He wasn't allowed to miss the yellow,

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03:57:42,260 --> 03:57:44,260

the galleys, or nothing.

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03:57:44,260 --> 03:57:46,260

In the end, there's a question mark.

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He wasn't allowed to go there.

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03:57:48,260 --> 03:57:50,260

I see. He wasn't allowed to go

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03:57:50,300 --> 03:57:52,300

to the end of the ship.

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03:57:52,300 --> 03:57:54,300

Are you glad to Schmidt, sir?

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03:57:54,300 --> 03:57:56,300

John, with everything.

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03:57:56,300 --> 03:57:58,300

I will listen to everything.

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03:57:58,300 --> 03:58:00,300

That was a real loaded question.

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Let's go with a little.

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We're going to have Mr. Schmidt on.

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When is he going to be on?

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Do you know, John?

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03:58:08,300 --> 03:58:10,300

I'm not allowed to divulge that.

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But it is going to be quite a story.

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03:58:12,300 --> 03:58:14,300

And Mark Cobra is going to be on soon.

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Fun.

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The transmedium will be with us.

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And I know that Ferb Bailey,

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03:58:21,340 --> 03:58:24,340

the author who wrote that new book

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03:58:24,340 --> 03:58:26,340

being published by Putman

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03:58:26,340 --> 03:58:29,340

in Be Released in a Few Days,

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03:58:29,340 --> 03:58:31,340

what is the title of that again?

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03:58:33,340 --> 03:58:35,340

Is this the one on Carbazan, John?

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03:58:35,340 --> 03:58:37,340

Yeah, yeah, yeah.

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03:58:37,340 --> 03:58:39,340

Carbazan, there's one that's Carbazan.

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03:58:39,340 --> 03:58:42,340

One called Carbazan Miracle Cure or something like that.

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03:58:42,340 --> 03:58:44,340

No? Just Carbazan?

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03:58:44,340 --> 03:58:46,340

That's Carbazan, I mean.

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03:58:46,380 --> 03:58:47,380

And that's another...

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It has nothing to do with Schmidt or flying saucers,

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but we'll be talking about that.

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03:58:51,380 --> 03:58:54,380

And we've got so many things that I cannot give dates out

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03:58:54,380 --> 03:58:56,380

at the moment, because frankly, I don't know.

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All I do know is that according to Wayne Aho,

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03:58:59,380 --> 03:59:03,380

it is his statement on this little pamphlet,

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all roads lead to

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03:59:06,380 --> 03:59:09,380

Kearney, the center of the USA.

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And I think that's where Vantassel,

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03:59:11,380 --> 03:59:13,380

when he becomes president, will

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possibly make the...

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He's going to move the national capital to Kearney, Nebraska.

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He's going to do it to...

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03:59:19,420 --> 03:59:21,420

I mean, this sincerely, you know.

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03:59:21,420 --> 03:59:24,420

I was standing up there on that stand that he built,

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03:59:24,420 --> 03:59:26,420

you know, in front of the rock court.

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03:59:26,420 --> 03:59:28,420

I remember you.

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03:59:28,420 --> 03:59:30,420

And he said to me up there, he said,

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John, when I become president,

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I'm going to move the capital

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03:59:34,420 --> 03:59:37,420

to Giant Rock Airport, right in the middle of the desert,

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17 miles from Yucca Valley, California.

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Then I'll move to Toronto.

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03:59:41,420 --> 03:59:43,420

And let's say one thing, though,

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03:59:43,460 --> 03:59:45,460

this is a real nice guy.

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I mean, I may not buy his story,

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03:59:47,460 --> 03:59:49,460

but he's a nice guy.

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03:59:49,460 --> 03:59:51,460

I'll say one thing, the Air Force

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03:59:51,460 --> 03:59:53,460

wouldn't have any powers-essentorship left.

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03:59:53,460 --> 03:59:55,460

Well, I'm glad you brought up the Air Force,

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03:59:55,460 --> 03:59:58,460

because that little hassle you had with Charlie,

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I wouldn't...

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I don't know whether too many people know about it,

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I know quite a few people do.

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On the back of Major Kehoe's book

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04:00:07,460 --> 04:00:09,460

called Flying Sources from Outer Space,

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04:00:09,460 --> 04:00:11,460

there's reproducer letter he received

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04:00:11,500 --> 04:00:13,500

from the Department of Defense,

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the Office of Public Information,

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dated January 26, 1953,

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which has won an extremely amazing statement.

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I think more people should know about

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its address to the Henry Holt Company,

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which is the publishers of Major Kehoe's book.

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The concluding paragraph comes out of this statement.

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The Air Force and its investigating agency project,

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Blue Book, are aware of Major Kehoe's conclusion

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that the Flying Sources are from another planet.

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The Air Force has never denied that this possibility exists.

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Some of the personnel believe that there may be

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some strange natural phenomena

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completely unknown to us,

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04:00:49,540 --> 04:00:51,540

but that if the apparently controlled manoeuvre

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is reported by many competent observers are correct,

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then the only remaining explanation

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is the interplanetary answer,

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very true of yours, Albert M. Chopp,

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Air Force Prestes.

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04:01:03,540 --> 04:01:07,540

Also adding to this is what the Major said tonight,

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and I have no reason to doubt it,

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04:01:09,580 --> 04:01:12,580

because he strikes me as an extremely creditable person.

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What the Major said is correct about the fact

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04:01:15,580 --> 04:01:19,580

that some special Air Force reports were deliberately held off

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04:01:19,580 --> 04:01:23,580

to coincide with what they thought was the publication of his book.

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04:01:23,580 --> 04:01:26,580

Well, they gave a statement through Mike Wallace

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04:01:26,580 --> 04:01:30,580

that three of the four top secret reports

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04:01:30,580 --> 04:01:33,580

to which the Major referred did not exist,

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04:01:33,580 --> 04:01:36,580

and that the fourth didn't say what he said it.

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04:01:36,620 --> 04:01:38,620

Well, at the Air Force, I mean,

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04:01:38,620 --> 04:01:42,620

I'm sure that Ben Iskwifka and cited four secret documents

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04:01:42,620 --> 04:01:44,620

that the Air Force is supposed to have in their files,

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04:01:44,620 --> 04:01:47,620

I am quite convinced that no one in the Pentagon

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04:01:47,620 --> 04:01:49,620

is going to get very much upset

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04:01:49,620 --> 04:01:51,620

and no one is going to come out and publicly deny it.

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Now, the fact that the Air Force

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04:01:53,620 --> 04:01:56,620

insists on certain prerogatives when it's going to appear

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on the Armstrong family theater,

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04:01:58,620 --> 04:02:00,620

insists on certain prerogatives

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04:02:00,620 --> 04:02:04,620

and refuses to allow the Major to discuss these documents,

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saying that they will completely deny them

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04:02:06,660 --> 04:02:08,660

and get into a hassle with him.

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04:02:08,660 --> 04:02:10,660

Wait, wait, and they will, and they,

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04:02:10,660 --> 04:02:14,660

and they give a statement for the Mike Wallace program.

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04:02:14,660 --> 04:02:17,660

I mean, all these things lead up to the fact,

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I mean, and they have completely changed their statement

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04:02:20,660 --> 04:02:23,660

as quoted in this letter and signed by Albert M. Chopp.

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04:02:23,660 --> 04:02:26,660

They repudiated what Mr. Chopp apparently has said

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04:02:26,660 --> 04:02:29,660

in this letter, and this all seems to be that Major Kehoe

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04:02:29,660 --> 04:02:32,660

is somewhat of a frightening figure to the United States Air Force,

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and he seemed like a very pleasant gentleman here tonight,

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04:02:34,700 --> 04:02:36,700

and I would like to know, frankly,

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04:02:36,700 --> 04:02:39,700

as a private citizen, just what are they afraid of?

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Well, two things, Ben, before we try and find out

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04:02:41,700 --> 04:02:43,700

what the Air Force is afraid of.

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04:02:43,700 --> 04:02:45,700

They may be, for all I know.

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04:02:45,700 --> 04:02:48,700

But first, the Air Force,

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04:02:48,700 --> 04:02:50,700

in reference to the Mike Wallace show,

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04:02:50,700 --> 04:02:54,700

did not come out and make a denial all of themselves.

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04:02:54,700 --> 04:02:57,700

Wallace, the legman, having heard about these four documents,

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04:02:57,700 --> 04:02:59,700

which the Major mentions quite often,

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went to the Air Force and said,

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how about it?

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04:03:03,740 --> 04:03:05,740

What about these four documents?

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The Air Force then said whatever they said.

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04:03:07,740 --> 04:03:10,740

They did not, out of the goodness of their heart

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04:03:10,740 --> 04:03:12,740

or the fear of the Almighty or something,

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04:03:12,740 --> 04:03:14,740

run up and say, no, there ain't no document.

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04:03:14,740 --> 04:03:16,740

And the second, if I may say this,

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04:03:16,740 --> 04:03:19,740

is that on the Armstrong Circle Theater,

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04:03:19,740 --> 04:03:22,740

the Air Force did not refuse permission

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04:03:22,740 --> 04:03:24,740

to Major Kehoe to discuss these things

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04:03:24,740 --> 04:03:26,740

as they could hardly have done.

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04:03:26,740 --> 04:03:28,740

What they said simply was that

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04:03:28,780 --> 04:03:30,780

if he talks about them,

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we'll deny it, and the Armstrong Circle Theater

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04:03:33,780 --> 04:03:36,780

will do the permission for fear of a hassle.

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04:03:36,780 --> 04:03:38,780

So I don't think in either case the Air Force

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04:03:38,780 --> 04:03:40,780

was running around censoring people

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04:03:40,780 --> 04:03:42,780

or frantically denying any.

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04:03:42,780 --> 04:03:44,780

Well, Charlie, you're in TV,

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04:03:44,780 --> 04:03:46,780

and you know how these things work much better than I.

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04:03:46,780 --> 04:03:49,780

Now, if you had something to do

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04:03:49,780 --> 04:03:51,780

or a charge of producing a program

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04:03:51,780 --> 04:03:53,780

where you had two opposing sides,

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04:03:53,780 --> 04:03:55,780

and an Air Force officer told you

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that if this person comes out and says

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04:03:57,820 --> 04:03:59,820

there are such documents,

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we will flatly say that there aren't any.

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04:04:01,820 --> 04:04:03,820

I mean, you kind of react the same way

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04:04:03,820 --> 04:04:05,820

the Armstrong people.

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04:04:05,820 --> 04:04:07,820

You start thinking, perhaps this thing's a little bit too hot

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04:04:07,820 --> 04:04:09,820

to go out, maybe it's a little bit too hot to handle,

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I don't want to get involved in it.

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I think the Air Force, very effectively,

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04:04:13,820 --> 04:04:15,820

I mean, they have no right to tell the Armstrong people

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04:04:15,820 --> 04:04:17,820

how to run their program,

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but they very effectively sunk

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any discussion of those documents.

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Well, let me defend myself.

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Personally, if I had complete charge of the show,

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I would be more than happy to let everybody come up

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and kick each other's teeth in.

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I'm sure you would, Charlie.

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But you are quite right that in

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if the thing went the way we assume it did,

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and if there are some Machiavellian minds in the Pentagon,

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and I'm sure there are some,

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that they did exercise an indirect

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censorship on Major Kehoe.

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There doesn't seem to be any question of that.

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They exercised a censorship on Canaryl, too,

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because he had statements and pictures from the Air Force,

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and they wouldn't let him produce any of these.

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What I'm particularly concerned is,

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and I'm much more concerned, Charles,

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than apparently you are,

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I think we have come to a crux,

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a very critical position in American history.

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If the American people want democracy,

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this means we've got to have a government

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of the people, by the people,

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and for the people.

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Not of the Air Force, by the Air Force,

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and for the Air Force.

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It has always been notable that

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military men rule by dictation and command.

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That's probably all right in the military.

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Maybe it has to be that way.

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But it certainly is diametrically opposed

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to what we want in civilian life.

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We want here in this country

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the rule of the majority.

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We want the rule of law,

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the force of law.

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We don't want the law of force

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by the military.

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We want freedom of speech and liberty

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and information, freedom of the press,

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rights to assemble,

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as in our Fourth Amendment, I believe.

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We don't want censorship.

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We can't have censorship

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if we're going to have a democracy.

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Now, we finished fighting

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the Second World War against Nazis.

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The exact techniques that Nazis used

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is what our Air Force is using

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as far as flying saucers are concerned.

