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Now, first to the main talk this evening, it's going to be given by Mr Colin McCarthy,

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who met before on this platform. He comes from Australia, he's an electronics engineer,

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and has worked one time on the American space program with NASA. He was in at the start

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of UFO research in Australia in 1954, and so has considerable experience of

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Mr McCarthy.

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Thank you. I'd like to start by wishing everybody a happy new year, and forgive me if I sit

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Yes. Now, I'd like to start by telling you something about the early days of ufology

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in Australia, and when I say early days, it's not all that early, really, but it really

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begins in 1954, and a gentleman in Sydney called Mr Edgar Gerald was really the beginner

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of the story in Australia, and we have with us tonight Mr Andrew Tomas, who will after

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the coffee break be giving us a short little talk, and he was with Mr Tomas from the very

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beginning, and I have here a very historical document going slightly yellow with age.

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It's the original little newspaper put out in 1954, 55, by Mr Gerald and Mr Tomas. It

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was called the Australian Flying Salsa Magazine, and it did run for reasonable time and really

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was full of interesting news, but unfortunately Mr Gerald decided to give up ufology, and the

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magazine became defunct.

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I'd like to now switch to South Australia, where I carried out most of the research.

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At the time I'm speaking, 54, 55, Australia was being a large place, was sort of split

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in the UFO field. There was some activity going on, a lot of activity going on in Adelaide,

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South Australia, a little in Perth and just a trace in Melbourne. Now, for some reason,

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Adelaide became the centre for about five years of really concentrated ufology. And I just

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like to mention several things that happened in the early days, and one of them concerns

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a Mr Keith Cartwright. Now, there's been lots of talk lately about UFO detectors, and you

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may have noticed that I brought one along, an electronic one, a prototype a few weeks ago.

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Well, Mr Keith Cartwright in 1955, as far as we know, was the first person to build a

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magnetic compass type of detector, and he is resident in Adelaide, South Australia. He

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received a great deal of publicity throughout the world, and he had interviews on radio

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and in the papers, and as you can imagine in those days, especially in a backwater like

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Australia, it created quite a flap. But like lots of things in Australia, where there's

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a strong sun shining overhead and plenty of beer in the pubs, it sort of all died a natural

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life, and the society there sort of went underground, almost underground anyway, after the initial

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flap. Now, I'd like to tell you something about this detector and what happened. It's the most

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interesting story. Now, Mr Cartwright is a very hard headed businessman who runs a real

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estate agency, and as you possibly know, there's no one really more hard headed than a real

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estate agent. And he was interested in ufology for some time prior to the beginnings of the

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society, which was actually founded in South Australia by Mr Fred Stone, possibly some of you

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have heard of him. Now, Keith thought about the problem. He was in the Air Force as a

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navigator, and also he'd studied engineering. One night, he was sitting down quite quietly in his

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home after a hard day's work, and suddenly he said into his mind, as it were, and now he wasn't

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one to believe in mental telepathy or anything like this, a complete plan appeared of a simple

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UFO detector, consisted of a compass needle, and a contact, a buzzer, and later on a relay, which he

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added actually to improve the thing. Now, he wondered where this came from, and he said it just

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appeared in his brain, as it were, like a mental picture. So he thought, well, this is too good to be

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true. I'll build it, see what happens. So he did build it, and he tried a few prototypes, and eventually

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settled on a fairly advanced model of this type, where he actually silver-plated contacts and used a

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contact ring so that the compass needle fitted tightly in this ring, so no matter whether it had a

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vertical or a horizontal component change, it would touch a contact, operate a relay which would bring a

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bell. And at the same time, he was told that this device would work. If he was to set this up very

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quickly, as quickly as he could, within the next few weeks, he would have proof that it would work. Now, I must

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stress again that Mr. Cartwright is not one to go into fancies of mental telepathy and such things, so this makes

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the story even more interesting. So he set the detector up and got in touch with me, and myself and another

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early researcher, Mr. Peter Thomas, who was an electronics engineer as well, will go around very

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skeptically, of course, to see this great UFO detector. And I must say, when we first saw it, it looked

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slightly laughable. But never mind, I'm afraid we were the ones to be sneered at later on for our

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derision. Now, one evening, back in 1955, it was rainy. Now, a very significant thing this rain, it was

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unlike the rain here in England, in Australia when it rains, it really rains. You get subtropical downpours,

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you might get five inches in an hour. Well, this night it was just drizzling, which is fairly unusual, and it was in

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the middle of winter. And when I say winter, the temperature was about 65, as cold as it gets. And we were all

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sitting around the table discussing different aspects of ufology, discussing George Adams' skin, his

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claims and such, when suddenly the detector went off. The exact second the detector went off, the rain

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over the house suddenly teemed for about five seconds. It literally poured, and then suddenly it stopped and

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went back to drizzle again. Now, I thought, coincidence, fair enough. So, we let that one pass, because obviously you

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couldn't see anything outside because of the low cloud pace. The very next night, again it was raining, it was part of a rain

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pattern that lasted about a week. The same thing happened almost at the same time, it was about 9.30 in the

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evening. The detector went off again, and again the rain suddenly increased, terrifically, as if someone had suddenly

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hit a bucket over the house, and then it died away. And we noticed that as it died away, the detector stopped working.

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Now, we got in touch with some chaps who were in the UFO group at the time, Mr. Fred Stones' group, who

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collect information about UFOs in the sky, like newspaper cuttings and such like. And we learned that that evening in the

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country, a large disc shaped object had been seen by three separate people. And they're plotting, they're back plotting the

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course, it would have passed directly over, the suburb of Adelaide, where we were. Again, this is only

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circumstantial, but very interesting all the same, I think you'll agree. Now, we've got all sorts of wonderful theories as to how this

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could happen, how the rain could increase, why the rain increased. One theory is that if the UFO was travelling very close to the

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cloud layer, cloud base, in clear air above, and in fact it had a fairly large mass, and if the actual anti-gravity drive

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unit was producing a large force field as it would do, perhaps the downward thrust, the equally levitating upward thrust of the

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craft to make it hover and travel forward, might have been acting on the rain particles or the dust particles in the cloud and causing

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condensation to increase. Pure theory, we don't know, but it was too much of a coincidence for it to happen, two nights running.

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The next thing that happened is that about a week later, Mr Cartwright was sitting quietly again in his house and suddenly he got in his

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mind's eye again, a complete colour picture. He said it was as if someone had shown a slide on the wall, and it showed, he was looking

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actually slightly from a downward angle at a UFO that was hovering over the sea. It was in brilliant sunshine, and this was at night

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remember, but this UFO was in brilliant sunshine, and there was a chap standing on the outer rim, and he was feeding a long cable into the sea.

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And he looked up, and this is strange to say, but Keith Cartwright said he looked up and looked at me as if he was aware that I was looking at him.

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And mind you, Keith hadn't been drinking, and he wasn't asleep. He said this chap was dressed in a one-piece garment of the usual type, we've known about now for some time, and did have long blonde hair.

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So Keith immediately thought, hello, it's wishful thinking, I'm getting George Adamusky type people.

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And then he got a mental impression that this place was Papua New Guinea. Now this is very significant, remember this, because later on I'll tell you about the Father Gull case, which I think a lot of you know already,

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this place took place in this area about four years later. And this chap gave him the impression that he was taking a temperature reading of the ocean in the tropics.

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And then Keith suddenly became conscious of the fact that this very UFO would be passing over the Adelaide Hills. There's the hills at the back of the city of Adelaide, they rise to about two and a half thousand feet.

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And that there was a little gully called Kerry's gully situated sort of in the back of these hills. And he got the impression that if he was to go to this particular place three days from that date, this craft would be passing over.

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Now he was stressed to him in this sort of mental contact, if you like, that in no way were they doing this to oblige him.

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It just happened that they were doing research along a fault line that exists through the Adelaide Hills and that if he happened to be there at the right time he would see them.

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So we thought, oh, this is something, so we all trooped up and went into the Adelaide Hills. And we had a picnic at Kerry's gully.

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And as usual the Australian keg was present. Keg by the way, full of beer. But this didn't sort of make us see things in the sky.

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And about five o'clock we decided to give it away that obviously nothing was going to happen. So we left Kerry's gully, we came home.

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I'll never forget my, well I'll never forget the look on my face, I suppose, as someone else would see it. The next morning when I opened the paper and a farmer in Kerry's gully had reported that at five fifteen that very night an unidentified flying disc had flown low over his farm,

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hobbled for a few seconds over the outer paddock, the very paddock in which we were camping, and then it disappeared. So we missed it by fifteen minutes.

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Now that's possibly one of the most significant cases I know where an apparent mental contact has agreed with a physical sighting. But again, circumstantial.

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Now another very interesting case of UFOs magnetically affecting equipment took place in, again in South Australia, in 1955. And this took place between two telephone exchanges.

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Now at the time I was finishing off my diploma course with the Adelaide University and as part of our training in the communication section we were allocated to various telephone exchanges for a short period of time.

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And I was situated at that time at the Woodville Telephone Exchange. And this was in the evening at about 7.30pm suddenly all the equipment stopped functioning.

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Now for this to happen in a telephone exchange is most remarkable. The fluorescent lights dipped for a fraction of a second came back on again, but every single piece of equipment in the exchange dropped out.

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Now I might explain here that the switches that operate in telephone exchange are magnetically operated, electromagnetically operated.

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Every single switch of every call was being progressed through that exchange at that instant stopped.

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Now this only happened for about five seconds.

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Now when the switches drop out they stay dropped out until the subscriber calls again.

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Well of course everybody started to call it once and as they call dropped out they started to redial. I know they're going to meet all the calls progressed normally.

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But the fact was noted in the log of the exchange as being unexplained.

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Now it couldn't have been a power failure because the telephone exchange receives its power for all the switching from batteries, wet cell batteries.

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So it's completely independent of the mains.

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Now they receive notification about a half an hour later the North Adelaide telephone exchange which is junctioned with the Woodville exchange rang up the supervisor and said we've just had a very funny thing about a half an hour ago.

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He said all those switches dropped out.

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Have you any explanation? And he said well that's funny all those switches have dropped out too.

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And so they got their heads together and came up with a big fat zero of course and the whole matter was conveniently forgotten.

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But I took note of the time in the log and then as a thought hit me and I plotted on a map took a line between the two telephone exchanges.

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Now it's interesting to note that the time between the two dropouts was about 30 seconds extrapolating forward knowing the distance between the two telephone exchanges and the time between the dropouts plus or minus say 10% because they keep a fairly accurate log.

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By going back along that line I found it intersected the city of Melbourne from 500 miles to the east.

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The very next day a reporter appeared in the Melbourne press about a flying poached egg of all things that had been seen going over Melbourne that night.

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And it fitted perfectly.

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If you took the time that the object was seen over Melbourne on its course it was put on a course from different observers of the flying saucer group in Melbourne.

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The exact speed it was doing it would have agreed exactly with my fingers that going over those two telephone exchanges.

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So here again we have another example of the extremely strong magnetic field of the craft temporarily affecting the switches in the telephone exchange.

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Just how it caused the complete electromagnetic dropout I don't really know but it certainly did.

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Now we progressed from flying poached eggs to some early investigations of landings.

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This is mainly what I specialised in in Australia and as you know doubt know Australia's had a great deal of landings.

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I think for the simple reason that it's less populated than here.

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I don't know whether you are aware that the total population of Australia is now just equal to the population of Greater London.

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11 and a half million people since they extended the boundaries of London.

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And that 11 and a half million people are scattered over an island continent the size of the United States.

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So you can see that there are vast tracks of land where nobody lives and in some cases nothing lives.

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For instance in the Northern Territory of Australia you could fit the British Isles three times in the Northern Territory.

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It has a total population of 110,000 people.

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Half of it is tropical half of it is desert.

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Well the very first one of the two interesting cases of landings took place in a fruit growing area outside of Adelaide in 1958-59 around January.

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Two fruit growing farmers were on their way about four o'clock in the morning to Manon a small town where they would sell their produce to the market.

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And they topped the rise and they said suddenly in a field in front of them they saw a great, what they thought was a circus tent with rotating lights on it, red and green lights.

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And they thought what in the devil is a circus tent doing in the middle of a field at 4am in the morning.

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So as they sort of went to go towards it the engine of their truck stopped.

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This seems to be a very common thing as you probably know with UFO phenomena.

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And one of the chaps suddenly got scared and he said I had a funny feeling that something was watching me.

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I don't know why, so I hadn't at that time thought that anything was unusual but there was something alien he said later, watching him.

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Well they got out of the truck and they started to walk towards the object.

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Now we investigated the field with a theodolite, geiger counters and what have you.

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And the object was about 150 feet in diameter.

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It turned out and it did in fact leave a depression on the ground at one point around the centre as if it was resting on some centre pillar.

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As they approached they said they heard a very slight whirring sound and the red lights rotated one way and the green lights rotated another and the craft lifted into the air quite silently except for this very faint hum.

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Tipped to an angle of about 45 degrees and then swayed with a leaf type notion.

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This again is significant, lots of UFO reports report this fact of a swaying and suddenly shot into the sky disappearing over the nearby hills.

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They of course ran like hell for their car and took off being fairly simple folk and they blurted out their story.

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It appeared in the papers and then it was discovered that the people of Mannum had seen the object hovering over their town about an hour later.

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And that object appeared for the next fortnight, every night without fail over that town.

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At one stage it swooped quite low over the same field as the farmers, with the same field as the farmers already.

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Completely unexplained phenomenon.

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Now at the same time to get collaboration between stories to really make it interesting,

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a young cinematograph operator from Port Elliot which is a seaside town of South Australia about 50 miles from the city of Adelaide

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was coming home one night after the finishing of the cinema and he reported seeing an object on the ground that looked like a circus tent.

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And he gave exactly the same description, even to the same humming noise, even to the same falling leaf motion.

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Now I might tell you now that this chap's report came out before the big flap in the papers about the original one.

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So there could have been no collaboration between the two.

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And again there was flattened area of grass where the object had been resting.

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He thinks he saw a shadowy figure near the object, but this is purely circumstantial again and he doesn't really know.

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There were no footprints.

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Now we come to a very interesting case and this involves official silence from the security.

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At this time I was engaged at the weapons research establishment in Salisbury South Australia and at Wommerer.

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So I know a bit about security.

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In fact, at times it was so bad you almost had to have a security officer go with you when you went to the toilet.

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In some places.

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Now, three young lads were travelling back across the Nullar Bore Plains.

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Now it's possibly a bit of a Nullar Bore Plains.

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They extend for about a thousand miles and they're literally without trees.

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Nullar Bore.

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No trees from the Latin.

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And they were approaching the South Australian border across this flat desert type road.

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When an object appeared off their right-hand side of their car.

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And it swooped in low and it commenced to fly in ever decreasing circles.

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Reminds me of a story.

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Slowly coming closer to this particular motor car.

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They of course stopped in amazement.

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And luckily they had, they were great keen photographers.

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They had 35mm reflex cameras fitted with telephoto lenses.

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They had 8mm movie cameras and one chap even had a 16mm movie camera loaded with colour film.

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So they had a grand time.

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They filmed and they filmed and they filmed.

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And this object almost wanted to be filmed because it came closer and closer.

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Then it would hover while they took their shots.

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Then it would swing around the other side of the car.

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Do all sorts of manoeuvres for the movie film.

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And three hours.

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I know it sounds strange.

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But three hours has been on for.

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And they said they definitely saw figures.

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Looking through the short holes.

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It was a real Adamski type UFO.

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But they said they had the distinct impression these characters were playing a game with them.

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Because as they'd swooped in low, they'd see this chap lean out and smile at them.

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And a couple of times they waved.

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And they noticed too that as the crafts swooped in low, it kicked up a great deal of dust in a whirling motion.

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Below the craft.

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Almost if the anti-grab unit or drive, whatever drives them was causing the dust to whirl.

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Could have been a jet of course.

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Although they said they heard no sound.

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I'm sure they should have heard the chap laughing inside.

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There you are.

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I'm sure this was authentic because I know one of these chaps.

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I know that they wouldn't make up a story like this.

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But then they made a fatal mistake.

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After the craft had gone, they were so excited as you can imagine.

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That they all, when they got to the first town in South Australia, which is a little one horse town,

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one horse and a half in my bridgney,

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they rang the police.

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And the police, in a typical outbacked fashion, said,

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Well, perhaps you better put more water with it.

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Called up, you know.

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And they said, oh well, we don't handle this sort of phenomena.

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And they said, but I tell you who does, up there at Wommerer, they know all about it.

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This is probably one of theirs.

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So this policeman rang Wommerer.

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Ranged security at Wommerer.

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A very fatal mistake.

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Wommerer immediately dispatched by phone to the policeman

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to try and hold these characters in this town.

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But as it was, it was too late.

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They'd already left.

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They were determined to get back to one of the nearest processing department,

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have their films processed as soon as possible, I suppose.

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But they'd gone about, I suppose, another hundred miles

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when an army helicopter landed in front of their car.

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Security men got out, confiscated every single camera

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and every single piece of equipment they possessed,

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and told them that if they would dare say one word about the whole affair,

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the official secret, a secret act would be flung at them.

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Because they were near Wommerer.

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They were actually, the security men told them a slight lie.

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They said, you are in fact inside the boundary of the Wommerer rocket range

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before you are under the official secret act.

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It turned out later they weren't, actually.

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Now, about three months after this, after much connivoring on both sides

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and having a few inside contacts,

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they managed to get back one photograph.

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That's all.

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Out of all those hundreds they've taken, they got one photograph back

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which showed a rather blurred, it was one of the very first

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when the object was approaching at high speed

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and of course it was horribly blurred and wasn't very significant.

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As far as I know, all the rest of those photographs

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went into the UFO file that exists in Salisbury.

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This file covers about three big filing cabinets.

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You couldn't jump over.

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While I'm on this thing, Wommerer itself has had UFOs.

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A Kenny Theodolite, which is a high speed camera

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photographing the launching of a certain missile, which I can't name.

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The missile was climbing at full thrust, shall we say in excess of 1,500 miles per hour.

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When a disc shaped object came to the screen out of the sky,

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prescribed three beautiful circles around the wireless missile

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was climbing at 1,500 plus.

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It sort of dipped itself in solute and took off.

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The radar tracked it, the Kenny Theodolite tracked it.

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It was filmed on high speed 35mm film.

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I have seen the film and there's no doubt that a disc shaped,

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you can see a disc shaped object appearing,

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traveling around the object, the missile and heading off.

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But this film has never been released and will never, probably never will be.

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The one that was told about in the papers,

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a great cigar shaped object, sort of one evening conveniently hovered above Wommerer.

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Flashlights at the place and content stood on its end and took off straight up.

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Wommerer authorities announced to the press that the planet Jupiter had been doing gyrations that evening.

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The less said about that the better.

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Yes, I'm tongue-tied, I'm flabber-stounded as someone once said.

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Now, the next thing we come to in this sort of run around the UFOs in Australia is the visit of George Adamski to Australia in 1959.

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Well, George arrived and he really did arrive.

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I'll tell you one amusing incident which happened.

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At this time, Mr Fred Stone, unfortunately, had gone a little bit astray in his UFO research,

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had gone slightly leaning, or more than slightly this time, towards the religious side of matters

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and had actually found a religious society based on the ufology.

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It was very unfortunate.

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So a separate organisation was founded in South Australia which has now become the present organisations we know it.

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And this society, of course, couldn't literally get a look in with George

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because it happened that Mr Fred Stone had invited George over before the breakup occurred.

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So several of us in a group of people, mainly scientific eggheads, not me, although I'm going that way,

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decided to kidnap George.

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We decided we'd have to, we must have a talk with George at any cost.

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So we thought we'd kidnap him.

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We did.

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So we contacted him.

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Unfortunately, Keith Cartwright knew the manager of the hotel where George was staying

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and we smuggled somebody in there.

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That's somebody being me.

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And I managed to get him to see George and he thought it was a great idea

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because he had a wonderful sense of humor, you know.

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Contrary to what other people say about him, he did have a wonderful sense.

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He thought this was a wonderful idea.

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So we decided to kidnap him.

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So we made arrangements.

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7 o'clock one evening we're going to have a fast car, you know, the real works out the side entrance of the hotel.

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We're going to smuggle him out through the servant's entrance and away we'd go.

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When we approached the hotel, actually Fred Stone was present with a couple of his cronies.

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Pissed him George because he never got a moment's peace.

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So we thought, well, there's only one thing to do.

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We've heard stories about George Adamski being telepathic

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and he knew it was about the time we were due to come anyway.

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So we thought we'd concentrate.

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So we stood outside there like a lot of twits in the hall

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and said, come on George, it's time you were kidnapped or the thing mentally.

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We were joking.

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Anyway, the door opened up, came George.

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He said, yes, I realized you were here.

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He said, I told old Fred I was going, I had an urgent call.

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I wanted to go to the bathroom.

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And we said, right, this is it.

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So we took him one either side and down the stairs and off.

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And I think that must have been the longest visit George ever made to the bathroom

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because he never appeared that night again.

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And we had a wonderful evening

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for about seven or eight hours with him

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talking on all sorts of subjects.

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And he really did tell us some things.

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He really opened up.

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And while a lot of the things he said were obviously rubbish,

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I mean a lot of his scientific knowledge was zero, or less than zero,

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he did say certain things then that we thought were nonsense,

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which have later proved to be true.

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He did say, and this is most interesting,

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he said the moon has a soil.

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And he said, well, I don't know,

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I don't know, I don't know,

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I don't know, I don't know, I don't know.

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00:35:02,000 --> 00:35:03,000

I don't know, I don't know.

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00:35:03,000 --> 00:35:04,000

He said, well, there's a soil.

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00:35:05,000 --> 00:35:06,000

There's got soil on it.

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Now, I'm not not happy with taking,

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but I think this Russian probe was announced

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that there is a form of soil on the moon

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when it does its probing,

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and it's in fact full of microorganisms.

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So the moon is definitely alive and not dead.

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Secondly, of course, he said, as he did in Flying Source,

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not Flying Source, but Land,

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the second book,

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Fireflies in Space,

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Colonel Glenn saw fireflies in space.

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Several things like this, which are strange,

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but one thing he did tell us,

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and this is very significant,

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he told us that he'd received notification

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from his cosmic buddy buddies

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that there were a group of rather negative types

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of space visitors,

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and they were coming from an area around a rye,

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around the Orion Nebula as we understood,

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and I thought, God, God, show to George,

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show to Williamson.

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He said that they would be arriving

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in about a year,

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and to watch out for all sorts of

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monster stories,

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strange kidnappings,

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and all sorts of funny things happening.

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He said he stressed that these

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were not his friends at all.

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Well, that beard, that beard,

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he sort of accepted that and said,

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well, fair enough, we'll wait and see,

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but it's most significant that about a year later,

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in 1960, in Sydney,

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I don't know whether Mr. Thomas knows about this case,

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I don't think he would.

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Now, we have, by the way, with us this evening,

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Mr. Andrew Thomas,

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who's the ex-editor of the Flying Saucer Review,

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Australian Flying Saucer Review,

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a most excellent publication,

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and he will be saying a few words,

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we hope after the coffee break.

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This concern of Milkman, in 1960,

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in Sydney,

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I can never remember the,

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do you remember the name of the beach, then?

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Crenulla, yes, Crenulla Beach.

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He was delivering milk one morning,

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quite early,

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and suddenly he said he saw a pulsing light

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coming from behind the sand hill.

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He went round to investigate,

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and there was a disc-shaped object

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sitting on the ground.

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I mean, there was a chap

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digging in the sand nearby,

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I was taking samples or something,

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a chap got up,

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went over to the Milkman,

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00:37:47,000 --> 00:37:48,000

and greeted him in perfect English,

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but with a slight trace of an accent,

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said,

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we've been expecting you

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to come here.

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We've got something to tell you.

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Said,

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we are part of a scientific expedition

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visiting the planet Earth at this time

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from a region of space

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you know as the Eta Carina region,

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which is towards the Galactic Centre.

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Now this Milkman,

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as his northerly chap that had noticed,

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wrote him no scientific knowledge,

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and especially none of us from the

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astronomy, he just repeated this verbatim,

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what he'd been told.

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They said that

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they had taken them

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about three years of flight

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to reach the Earth.

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They had some form of hyperdrive

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that could go faster than light.

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And they said

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that they had to come through

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because the space lanes,

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now I'm using ordinary language,

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which everybody understands,

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they used a similar language

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that he would understand when he told,

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well, other people understand when he told the story.

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Said,

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they used space lanes that aren't straight.

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They said,

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contrary to what you might think,

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when you want to go from one point in the galaxy

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to another point in the galaxy,

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you don't go by a straight line.

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In fact, you go by a curved line

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because space is curved.

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And that these special lanes

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have to be adhered to.

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Otherwise, you get in some sort

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of a place which causes trouble

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and you can get lost very easily.

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They said,

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we had to come through an area

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near the nebulae you know

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as M42 Orionis,

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which is the Great Nebulae in Orion.

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They said,

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it is very dangerous coming through this area

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because there are a system of planets

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that have rather bad people on them.

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People that have advanced

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terrifically scientifically,

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the extent of being completely,

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were almost ruled by computers.

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They have, their worlds are computerised

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to the end of the Greek.

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But they have no sort of spiritual awareness

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and their whole purpose and plan

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is to further their empire and their aims

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because they're becoming overcrowded.

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Shades of our own planet.

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We're becoming overcrowded.

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Everything is becoming computerised.

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Spiritual being is being overcrowded.

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And the values are being lost.

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Very interesting parallel.

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And he said,

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they are on the lookout for new planets.

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And the planet Earth

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at this time is very similar

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to their own system

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and they have designs on it.

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He said,

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we have to return within a few weeks

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to our own home planet and report.

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We are also working in close conjunction

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with other space entities

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which have been visiting your planet

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from nearby star systems to your own,

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including your own system.

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We said, when we have to return

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the same way as we came

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and there is a chance that we may not return.

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We may get literally shot down

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by these characters

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if they find out we're travelling through their space lanes.

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So we will return in about,

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naturally about six years.

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Now that was 1960.

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They should have been back

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earlier if they had followed their pattern.

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He said, we will contact you when we return.

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Now I'm waiting on some information

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00:41:29,000 --> 00:41:30,000

from Sydney

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00:41:31,000 --> 00:41:32,000

as to whether this chap

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00:41:33,000 --> 00:41:34,000

has been contacted again.

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It would be most interesting to find out this information.

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Now this sounds like a science fiction story.

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I know

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you can't prove it.

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The chap has no proof.

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But he is an ordinary milkman.

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I did visit his home

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very carefully

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as all investigators should do

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when they visit homes

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of people who claim UFO sightings and landings.

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One should look at their bookcase.

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He had no,

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well he didn't even have a bookcase.

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No books.

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He just used to read the Sunday papers

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and the Sunday supplement, things like this.

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I mentioned George Adamusky

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and he said,

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he'd heard of him from the papers

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but wasn't sure what it was all about.

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And prior to the

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visit with his

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contact in the Sandhills

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he said that he hadn't even given

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flying saucers a thought.

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He thought they were all rubbish.

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He still wasn't sure whether they weren't all rubbish.

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You see, I might have been hoaxed.

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I think to this day he still doesn't know.

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Now from that story,

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I was just told to

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as an interest

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to follow up to George Adamusky's

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telling us

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that in about a year's time

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there would be some rather negative types around.

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Now while that milkman's landing

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00:43:00,000 --> 00:43:01,000

wasn't a negative one

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or apparently wasn't

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00:43:04,000 --> 00:43:06,000

they did report or give the same report to him

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as George gave to us.

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After this

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there was a slight gap

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not really much happened

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but we have several cases

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interesting cases

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including the Father Gill

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which I think is one of the most famous

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that Austerlage has ever had.

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I don't know where you can see this.

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That is an actual drawing

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of the craft that Father Gill saw

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the four landing legs.

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00:43:50,000 --> 00:43:51,000

And I have here

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an actual

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00:43:54,000 --> 00:43:55,000

verbatim report

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00:43:56,000 --> 00:43:57,000

from Father Gill.

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No quote.

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Personally Father Gill was still skeptical

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and his letter to the Reverend Dury he wrote,

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00:44:07,000 --> 00:44:08,000

my simple mind still requires

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00:44:09,000 --> 00:44:10,000

scientific evidence before I can accept

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00:44:11,000 --> 00:44:12,000

the From Outer Space Theory.

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This was before his sighting.

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He had been told by this Reverend Dury

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Reverend Dury had asked him about

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whether it was possible

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there was spacecraft in our skies.

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I am inclined to think that many

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unidentified flying objects

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are more likely to be some kind of electric phenomena.

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I prefer to wait for some bright boy

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to catch one and exhibit it in Martyn Place

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that's in the sitting.

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Very shortly however

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Father Gill was to change his tune.

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On Friday June 26

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he walked out to his dinner table

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00:44:44,000 --> 00:44:45,000

and walked out through the front door

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of the mission house

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00:44:48,000 --> 00:44:49,000

to a small patch of lawn

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00:44:50,000 --> 00:44:51,000

fringed by a few trees.

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50 feet below was the shingled beach.

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This was in New Guinea.

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Remember Keith Cartwright

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and his mental image of the craft in New Guinea.

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Glancing up at the sky

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00:45:02,000 --> 00:45:03,000

in search of the planet Venus

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00:45:04,000 --> 00:45:05,000

a bright light caught his attention.

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Later he wrote

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00:45:08,000 --> 00:45:09,000

I saw Venus but I also saw this

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00:45:10,000 --> 00:45:11,000

sparkling object which to me was peculiar

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00:45:12,000 --> 00:45:13,000

and very very bright.

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00:45:14,000 --> 00:45:15,000

It was above Venus

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00:45:16,000 --> 00:45:17,000

and so that caused me to watch it for a while.

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00:45:18,000 --> 00:45:19,000

Then I saw it descend towards us.

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00:45:21,000 --> 00:45:22,000

Shades of Wommer at telling people

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00:45:23,000 --> 00:45:24,000

about planet Jupiter and Venus moving around.

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Two of the mission teachers

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had joined Father Gill.

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He had a notebook and a pencil in his pocket

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and begun to make hurried notes.

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The three men watched the light

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00:45:35,000 --> 00:45:36,000

and appeared like a tilly lamp.

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00:45:37,000 --> 00:45:38,000

I don't know what a tilly lamp is

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00:45:39,000 --> 00:45:40,000

a camping lamp

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00:45:40,000 --> 00:45:41,000

but kept varying in brightness

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00:45:42,000 --> 00:45:43,000

as though it were approaching and receding.

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Then the object came closer

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00:45:46,000 --> 00:45:47,000

and seemed to hover at about 300 feet.

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00:45:49,000 --> 00:45:50,000

It was circular

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ran Father Gill's description.

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It had a wide base

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and narrower upper deck.

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Beneath it there well would appear

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to be a set of legs.

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At times it produced a shaft of blue light

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that shone up into the sky

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00:46:05,000 --> 00:46:06,000

at an angle of about 45 degrees.

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Then came the strangest sight of all

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00:46:10,000 --> 00:46:11,000

just before seven o'clock.

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Father Gill saw a man like figure

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00:46:14,000 --> 00:46:15,000

moving about the top of the object.

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00:46:16,000 --> 00:46:17,000

Then this figure was joined by three others.

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Father Gill subsequently wrote

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00:46:22,000 --> 00:46:23,000

as we watched it

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00:46:24,000 --> 00:46:25,000

men came out from this object

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00:46:26,000 --> 00:46:27,000

and appeared on what seemed to be a deck

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00:46:28,000 --> 00:46:29,000

on top of the huge disk.

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There were four men in awe

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00:46:32,000 --> 00:46:33,000

but only occasionally were all in view at once.

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The object remained in view until 7.20 p.m.

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00:46:36,000 --> 00:46:37,000

Then the men disappeared inside

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00:46:38,000 --> 00:46:39,000

and it moved off and was lost behind a cloud.

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Father Gill and his companions continued to watch

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00:46:44,000 --> 00:46:45,000

and at 8.29

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00:46:46,000 --> 00:46:47,000

another UFO much smaller was seen over the area.

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00:46:48,000 --> 00:46:49,000

At 8.35 another was sighted

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00:46:50,000 --> 00:46:51,000

over Wondabuna Village

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00:46:52,000 --> 00:46:53,000

and a third father to the east.

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00:46:55,000 --> 00:46:56,000

At 8.50 they saw a bigger craft

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00:46:57,000 --> 00:46:58,000

it was stationary over the sea

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00:46:59,000 --> 00:47:00,000

and they thought it could have been

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00:47:01,000 --> 00:47:02,000

the original.

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00:47:03,000 --> 00:47:04,000

But it was a very small

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00:47:04,000 --> 00:47:05,000

and they thought it could have been

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00:47:06,000 --> 00:47:07,000

the original one on which they had sighted the men.

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00:47:09,000 --> 00:47:10,000

The other UFOs kept coming

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00:47:11,000 --> 00:47:12,000

and going through the clouds.

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00:47:13,000 --> 00:47:14,000

As they descended light was reflected

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00:47:15,000 --> 00:47:16,000

from them like a huge large halo

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00:47:17,000 --> 00:47:18,000

onto cloud and all of them were seen very clearly.

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00:47:20,000 --> 00:47:21,000

By 9 o'clock all the smaller craft

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00:47:22,000 --> 00:47:23,000

had disappeared from sight

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00:47:24,000 --> 00:47:25,000

and 10 minutes later father Gill noted

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00:47:26,000 --> 00:47:27,000

in his diary mother ship gone too

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00:47:28,000 --> 00:47:29,000

giving red light.

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00:47:32,000 --> 00:47:33,000

Next day father Gill questioned

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00:47:34,000 --> 00:47:35,000

the mission staff and finally located

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00:47:36,000 --> 00:47:37,000

38 other persons beside himself

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00:47:38,000 --> 00:47:39,000

who were ready to sign a document

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00:47:40,000 --> 00:47:41,000

testifying that they had seen

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00:47:42,000 --> 00:47:43,000

what we assumed to be human activities

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00:47:44,000 --> 00:47:45,000

or being of some other sort

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or some sort on the object of self.

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00:47:49,000 --> 00:47:50,000

I think that's one of the most

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00:47:51,000 --> 00:47:52,000

startling cases ever to come out of Australasia.

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00:47:54,000 --> 00:47:55,000

Father Gill of course

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00:47:57,000 --> 00:47:58,000

definitely has no reason

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00:47:59,000 --> 00:48:00,000

to make up a story like that.

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00:48:01,000 --> 00:48:02,000

Of course being an Anglican priest

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00:48:02,000 --> 00:48:03,000

and a missionary as well

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00:48:05,000 --> 00:48:06,000

the objects were seen for quite some time

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00:48:08,000 --> 00:48:09,000

after this over the area in the beginning

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00:48:10,000 --> 00:48:11,000

and definitely seemed interested

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00:48:12,000 --> 00:48:13,000

in the place.

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00:48:16,000 --> 00:48:17,000

We have many many landings

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00:48:18,000 --> 00:48:19,000

that sort of started a spate from then on

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00:48:20,000 --> 00:48:21,000

after a short period of apparently nothing

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00:48:22,000 --> 00:48:23,000

lots of landings took place in Australia.

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00:48:24,000 --> 00:48:25,000

We have very good landing

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00:48:28,000 --> 00:48:29,000

report by Mr Dennis Crowe

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00:48:29,000 --> 00:48:31,000

this was in Van or Clues of our Clues Beach Sydney

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00:48:33,000 --> 00:48:34,000

at 5.30pm on July the 19th 1965

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00:48:37,000 --> 00:48:38,000

this is a more recent one

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00:48:39,000 --> 00:48:40,000

there is a sketch

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00:48:41,000 --> 00:48:42,000

you can see it's a bit small

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00:48:43,000 --> 00:48:44,000

there is a sketch he drew of the craft

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00:48:45,000 --> 00:48:46,000

and he is an engineer

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00:48:47,000 --> 00:48:48,000

many many reliable people

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00:48:49,000 --> 00:48:50,000

started to see the craft

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00:48:51,000 --> 00:48:52,000

seeing these craft coming down

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00:48:53,000 --> 00:48:54,000

and taking off

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00:48:55,000 --> 00:48:56,000

and we plotted

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00:48:57,000 --> 00:48:58,000

on a map

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00:49:00,000 --> 00:49:01,000

it was plotted on a map actually

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00:49:02,000 --> 00:49:03,000

of landings

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00:49:05,000 --> 00:49:06,000

and here was

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00:49:07,000 --> 00:49:08,000

the landing scene

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00:49:09,000 --> 00:49:10,000

or the Australian scene

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00:49:11,000 --> 00:49:12,000

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00:49:14,000 --> 00:49:15,000

I don't know where do you can see from back there

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00:49:17,000 --> 00:49:18,000

but here is Australia

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00:49:19,000 --> 00:49:20,000

these dots here represent

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00:49:21,000 --> 00:49:22,000

the concentration of landings

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00:49:23,000 --> 00:49:24,000

now I notice something very interesting

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00:49:25,000 --> 00:49:26,000

here is where I come from

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00:49:27,000 --> 00:49:28,000

South Australia look at the concentration

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00:49:29,000 --> 00:49:31,000

look Sydney

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00:49:32,000 --> 00:49:33,000

Melbourne

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00:49:34,000 --> 00:49:35,000

you see wherever there is a lot of people

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00:49:36,000 --> 00:49:37,000

that you are concentrated

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00:49:38,000 --> 00:49:39,000

you get sightings

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00:49:40,000 --> 00:49:41,000

no sightings up here

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00:49:42,000 --> 00:49:43,000

no people

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00:49:44,000 --> 00:49:45,000

a few over here

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00:49:47,000 --> 00:49:48,000

now

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00:49:49,000 --> 00:49:50,000

plotting these main reports

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00:49:51,000 --> 00:49:52,000

we came to the conclusion

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00:49:53,000 --> 00:49:54,000

that they were in fact investigating

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00:49:55,000 --> 00:49:56,000

fault lines

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00:49:57,000 --> 00:49:58,000

and areas of magnetic disturbance

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00:49:59,000 --> 00:50:02,000

note a terrific amount of sightings up here

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00:50:04,000 --> 00:50:05,000

warm raw rocket range

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00:50:09,000 --> 00:50:11,000

the sight of the atomic bomb explosions

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00:50:12,000 --> 00:50:13,000

at Merlinga

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00:50:15,000 --> 00:50:16,000

and so on and so on

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00:50:19,000 --> 00:50:20,000

and the latest

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00:50:21,000 --> 00:50:22,000

if I can find it

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00:50:23,000 --> 00:50:24,000

I think it is in this one

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00:50:26,000 --> 00:50:27,000

here

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00:50:27,000 --> 00:50:28,000

here we have the Australian scene

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00:50:29,000 --> 00:50:30,000

1965

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00:50:32,000 --> 00:50:33,000

1966

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again large concentrations of the capital cities

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Brisbane

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Sydney

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Melbourne, Adelaide and now Perth

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up here in North Queensland

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Cairns and Tully area

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I would like to just

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very briefly

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to tell you about the most important

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this is the famous case

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of the so-called flying saucer nests

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which appeared in the local press here

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but this story is much more

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sort of

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interesting as it has got a lot more detail in it

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took place in Tully

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in 1966

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last few months of 1965

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and there were these great

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these

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this George chat called George A. Pedley

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reported seeing

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an object

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in the Flat Mashie country

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it came down the Flat Mashie country

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around Tully

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it is a tropical area

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and when he went to investigate afterwards

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he found this area where

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a 30 foot circle

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of reefs

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and this was a marsh covered water

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in a very marsh

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and he discovered

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with witnesses

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that the actual reefs had been literally

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popped off the bottom

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of the bottom of the pond

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and flung in a perfect circle

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they tried all sorts of experiments up there people

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and they couldn't duplicate this effect

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how could these

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there is almost some great suction force

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had sucked the reefs up

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and then they had been spun

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into a coarse field

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I'll just read you a bit here

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the nest was a perfectly circular clearing

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of 30 foot diameter

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it consisted of a 9 inch layer of reefs

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torn out by the roots

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from the muddy bed of the lagoon

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it was floating on the top of 5 feet of water

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and all the reefs were swirled in a clockwise direction

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the flattened area was surrounded

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by healthy

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upright green reefs 2.5 feet tall

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the underwater examination showed

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that the lagoon floor

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was perfectly smooth

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with all roots cleanly removed

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as though pulled out by some great sucking force

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and they found later

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lots of others

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around the same area

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substantiated by

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reports of people seeing objects taking off

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scientists invest

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sort of descend on the place in great detail

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and of course came up with all sorts of

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usual conflicting theories

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which I won't bore you with at the moment

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now the final two cases I'm going to deal with

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I've already spoken about here before

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we have two interesting cases

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one of which I've spoken about

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or two of which I've spoken about before

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and this was the famous Clinton landing

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of two small boys

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who saw the

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object come down in Adelaide

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and I'll just very briefly read you

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this is a very short report

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in the flying saucer

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Australian flying saucer review

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called landing of a spaceship or fantasy

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a fantastic report comes from

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two South Australian boys

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David and Ken

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whose full names and addresses are known to the editor

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shortly after 2 o'clock in the afternoon

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on Saturday February 29

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in the morning of July 26

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David, walking through the front gate of his house

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heard a buzzing noise

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which emanated from the paddock across the street

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he went there and saw a metallic craft

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with glass domes

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and mounted by a light

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sitting on the ground

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as David watched in amazement

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recalling flying saucers he'd seen on television

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a sliding door went straight up

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and a very tall figure appeared in the opening

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a man wore tight black suit

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a blue cloak

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black gloves and some letters

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silver chains on his wrists

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a pointed hat or helmet flat at the bottom

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shiny black boots which appeared to be made of metal

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black thick beak built with a buckled

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the face of the pilot was coppery red

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and the nose large

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inside the craft was another man

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in a sitting position looking through the glass stone

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he seemed to be dressed in the same uniform

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as the figure at the inside

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and the door way

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the pilot stepped out of the ship

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and began to look around

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without revealing his presence

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David raced up to the home of his friend Ken

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in a minute or two both boys were on the site

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when the strange addressed man from the craft

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saw the children he ran back into it

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as if it alarmed

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the trapped door closed

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the craft took off gently

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gradually ascending straight up into the sky at high speed

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a dog nearby barked desperately during the incident

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the two boys pointed out later

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that the soft buzzing noise

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was heard from the staff

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they went home and told David's mother

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about the experience with the lady

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quite unimpressed told the boys to keep quiet

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and not scare the younger child in the room

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it must not be overlooked

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the boys are small

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six to eight years

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although reminiscent of science fiction

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David's story is quite coherent

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though shaken by the encounter

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with the strange craft in its pilot

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the two small boys were sufficiently observant

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and intelligent to remember its shape

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and its meaning

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the report is very journalistic

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and not quite accurate

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I'm happy to say

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myself and another chap

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he wouldn't investigate this story

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immediately it happened

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within a day actually

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on the Sunday

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this took place on a Saturday

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and basically that's correct

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except the boys didn't tell

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obviously the reporter of this report

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that the chap was playing

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was actually some stunts

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on his belt all the time

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he was walking forward

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and also that he had a tube

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that ran out of one glove

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and up under one nostril

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and that he was about seven

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we later estimate him to be about seven foot tall

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and he was making his way

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towards a small creek

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which runs by this paddock

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and we later discovered

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on the map at the end of those two

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there follows a fort line

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now what wasn't mentioned here

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was the fact that a chap

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had been digging his garden

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there's some houses that face on this field

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00:57:27,000 --> 00:57:29,000

and this chap had been digging his garden

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he said about ten minutes before

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this alleged landing took place

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he had an uncontrollable urge

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to go and make a cup of tea

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in the back room

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he did this

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and he said after he had dropped his team

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came out of course the whole thing was over

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and I thought that's very convenient

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and quite frankly at the time

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we were very skeptical about this

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because this character here

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looks a bit like Superman

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or Batman or somebody

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which Batman by the way

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was running at that time in Australia

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and he was running at that time

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and he was running at that time

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by the way was running at that time in Australia

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no, oh well no

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it was one of those strange characters

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and we thought well perhaps

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these boys are making things up

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but we couldn't write their story down

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and neither could the police

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the police kept that for some time

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and then to have satiated even further

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several, about 30 or 40 separate people

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living nearby reported

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that on that afternoon

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they had seen a strange

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saucer shaped craft

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in the sky

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so we thought maybe there's something in it

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then came the collaboration

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well another landing if you like

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that sort of pointed this

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the fact that this story could be quite true

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and this took place

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up in the north of South Australia

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in a small farm

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and the woman on the farm

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had been getting all sorts of strange experiences

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which I won't go into now

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because I mostly have a psychic nature

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which of course is unapproachable

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than any shape or form

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we just don't know about psychic phenomena

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but we certainly know about the object

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that landed in the front garden

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about two o'clock in the morning

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an object hovered in her front garden

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shone a beam of light

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in through the window

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which woke her and her husband

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and her husband is a very hard headed

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chappy, a real wheat farmer

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before this

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he thought that his wife was going bonkers

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even at the stage of sending her to the local

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to a psychiatrist not allowed

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and actually the psychiatrist turned out to be a euphor addict

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so that didn't prove anything

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but after this case

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after this time he became a firm believer himself

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in the whole subject

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and he was very much a believer

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and he was a very good believer

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and he was a very good believer

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and a believer himself in the whole subject

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this object hovered in the front garden

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and was a disc shaped object

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about 30 foot in diameter

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and it was lighting up the garden

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with a intense light

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and as she saw as her eyes

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01:00:16,000 --> 01:00:17,000

became accustomed to the light

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she noticed that there was a character

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standing in the garden

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holding a box like contraption

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in front of his face

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and apparently taking photographs

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or reading or something of all the plants

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he would point the object at the plants

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there would be a slight click

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and it would be that

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he then swung around

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and saw her

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01:00:41,000 --> 01:00:42,000

pointed the object at her

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01:00:43,000 --> 01:00:44,000

she thought her last day that suddenly come

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01:00:45,000 --> 01:00:46,000

and when first clicked

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01:00:47,000 --> 01:00:48,000

no effect

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01:00:49,000 --> 01:00:50,000

then he quite casually

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01:00:51,000 --> 01:00:52,000

turned around

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01:00:53,000 --> 01:00:54,000

and walked away

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01:00:55,000 --> 01:00:57,000

suddenly the bright light from the craft

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01:00:57,000 --> 01:00:58,000

overhead went out

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01:00:59,000 --> 01:01:00,000

now naturally

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01:01:01,000 --> 01:01:02,000

as you can imagine with this intense white light

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01:01:03,000 --> 01:01:04,000

and suddenly going out

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01:01:05,000 --> 01:01:06,000

of course the Mrs. that the woman concerned

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01:01:07,000 --> 01:01:08,000

was completely blinded for some time

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not to mention astoundant

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01:01:11,000 --> 01:01:12,000

and when she looked

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01:01:13,000 --> 01:01:14,000

this craft when she finally were going to site

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01:01:15,000 --> 01:01:16,000

the craft had gone

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01:01:17,000 --> 01:01:18,000

the occupant had gone

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01:01:19,000 --> 01:01:20,000

she did go out in the garden

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01:01:21,000 --> 01:01:22,000

she didn't fact find footprints

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01:01:23,000 --> 01:01:24,000

now she was very concerned

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01:01:24,000 --> 01:01:25,000

and she didn't fact find footprints

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01:01:26,000 --> 01:01:27,000

now her description

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01:01:28,000 --> 01:01:29,000

this is what I'm coming to

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01:01:30,000 --> 01:01:31,000

her description of the chappy

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01:01:32,000 --> 01:01:33,000

was almost identical

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01:01:34,000 --> 01:01:35,000

to the two young lads description

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01:01:37,000 --> 01:01:39,000

now the two people could not have collaborated with each other

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01:01:40,000 --> 01:01:41,000

in any way shape or form

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01:01:43,000 --> 01:01:44,000

because Mrs. Plyos

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01:01:45,000 --> 01:01:46,000

case took place

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01:01:47,000 --> 01:01:48,000

before

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01:01:49,000 --> 01:01:50,000

the landing at Clinton

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01:01:52,000 --> 01:01:53,000

about three weeks before

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01:01:54,000 --> 01:01:55,000

of course all

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01:01:56,000 --> 01:01:57,000

this was kept completely secret

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01:01:58,000 --> 01:01:59,000

was only known to about four people

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01:02:00,000 --> 01:02:01,000

myself included about Mrs. Plyos

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01:02:02,000 --> 01:02:03,000

that's the thumbs wire

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01:02:04,000 --> 01:02:06,000

so here we have an excellent case

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01:02:07,000 --> 01:02:08,000

of two landings

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01:02:09,000 --> 01:02:10,000

completely apparently unrelated

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01:02:11,000 --> 01:02:12,000

but with the same character

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01:02:13,000 --> 01:02:14,000

dressed identically

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01:02:15,000 --> 01:02:16,000

she said the thing that struck her

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01:02:17,000 --> 01:02:18,000

was the coppery red colour of his face

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01:02:19,000 --> 01:02:20,000

and his big nose

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01:02:21,000 --> 01:02:22,000

my quote

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01:02:24,000 --> 01:02:26,000

the face of the pilot was coppery red

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01:02:27,000 --> 01:02:28,000

and his nose large

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01:02:31,000 --> 01:02:32,000

so we had to think twice about

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01:02:33,000 --> 01:02:34,000

the two young boys

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01:02:35,000 --> 01:02:36,000

and they're citing a Batman

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01:02:38,000 --> 01:02:40,000

a very very interesting and intriguing case

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01:02:41,000 --> 01:02:42,000

the two of them

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01:02:43,000 --> 01:02:44,000

and especially the fact

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01:02:45,000 --> 01:02:46,000

about the young boys

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01:02:47,000 --> 01:02:48,000

about the fort line

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01:02:49,000 --> 01:02:50,000

and there was one other thing that happened

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01:02:50,000 --> 01:02:53,000

two young lads found

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01:02:54,000 --> 01:02:56,000

about two days later found a great hole

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01:02:57,000 --> 01:02:58,000

a completely square hole

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01:02:59,000 --> 01:03:00,000

had been cut

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01:03:01,000 --> 01:03:02,000

in the bank of this creek

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01:03:03,000 --> 01:03:04,000

now I went and saw this hole

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01:03:05,000 --> 01:03:06,000

and I assure you that it couldn't have been done

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01:03:07,000 --> 01:03:08,000

with a human shovel

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01:03:09,000 --> 01:03:10,000

it would have to have been done

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01:03:11,000 --> 01:03:12,000

by some form of square die

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01:03:13,000 --> 01:03:14,000

that would move into the bank

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01:03:15,000 --> 01:03:16,000

cut straight into it

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01:03:17,000 --> 01:03:18,000

and remove a great junk of

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01:03:18,000 --> 01:03:19,000

earth

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01:03:20,000 --> 01:03:22,000

now had in fact this craft been there before

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01:03:25,000 --> 01:03:26,000

early in the morning perhaps

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01:03:27,000 --> 01:03:28,000

and taking samples

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01:03:29,000 --> 01:03:30,000

who knows

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01:03:31,000 --> 01:03:32,000

well I was going to tell you about Arnhem Land

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01:03:33,000 --> 01:03:34,000

and all sorts of funny things that happened up there

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01:03:35,000 --> 01:03:36,000

but I see that time is running short

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01:03:37,000 --> 01:03:38,000

so I'll have to leave that to another time

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01:03:39,000 --> 01:03:40,000

but I will briefly tell you

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01:03:41,000 --> 01:03:42,000

about the case that took place

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01:03:43,000 --> 01:03:44,000

just before I left Australia

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01:03:45,000 --> 01:03:46,000

on the tracking station in Darwin

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01:03:47,000 --> 01:03:48,000

now I actually took part in this

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01:03:49,000 --> 01:03:50,000

as it was happening

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01:03:51,000 --> 01:03:53,000

and I can release this information now

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01:03:54,000 --> 01:03:56,000

because the security has been lifted on this case

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01:03:57,000 --> 01:03:59,000

that was classified as secret

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01:04:00,000 --> 01:04:01,000

but has now been released

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01:04:04,000 --> 01:04:06,000

we were engaged in Doppler tracking of satellites

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01:04:07,000 --> 01:04:08,000

I won't go into the technicalities of it

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01:04:09,000 --> 01:04:10,000

and we had a teleprinter link

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01:04:11,000 --> 01:04:12,000

with NASA headquarters in the states

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01:04:13,000 --> 01:04:14,000

in fact there's a NASA network

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01:04:14,000 --> 01:04:15,000

right throughout the world

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01:04:16,000 --> 01:04:17,000

and we were in contact

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01:04:18,000 --> 01:04:19,000

by the Adelaide Center

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01:04:20,000 --> 01:04:21,000

NASA Center

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01:04:22,000 --> 01:04:23,000

Communication Center

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01:04:24,000 --> 01:04:25,000

with both Womera

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01:04:26,000 --> 01:04:27,000

and the new tracking station at Canavern

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01:04:29,000 --> 01:04:30,000

in Western Australia

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01:04:31,000 --> 01:04:32,000

that's the station which is now tracking

1100

01:04:33,000 --> 01:04:34,000

the latest men in space

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01:04:35,000 --> 01:04:36,000

the project Gemini

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01:04:37,000 --> 01:04:38,000

and the next project Apollo

1103

01:04:40,000 --> 01:04:42,000

this was about 9 o'clock at night

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01:04:42,000 --> 01:04:44,000

we just finished tracking a satellite pass

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01:04:45,000 --> 01:04:46,000

and the teleprinter went crazy

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01:04:47,000 --> 01:04:49,000

there was an urgent message from Canavern to us

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01:04:51,000 --> 01:04:52,000

now they had just installed

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01:04:53,000 --> 01:04:54,000

their latest radar

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01:04:55,000 --> 01:04:57,000

their latest ground to space radar system

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01:04:58,000 --> 01:05:00,000

which has an 80 foot diameter dish

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01:05:02,000 --> 01:05:04,000

and runs 18 megawatts of peak power

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01:05:05,000 --> 01:05:07,000

and can literally pinpoint

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01:05:08,000 --> 01:05:10,000

an object the size of a basketball

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01:05:12,000 --> 01:05:14,000

in space at 10,000 kilometers range

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01:05:16,000 --> 01:05:17,000

there's a fantastic piece of equipment

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01:05:18,000 --> 01:05:19,000

and they were trying this out

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01:05:20,000 --> 01:05:21,000

and they said

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01:05:22,000 --> 01:05:23,000

we have an unidentified ploughie

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01:05:25,000 --> 01:05:26,000

approaching the earth

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01:05:28,000 --> 01:05:29,000

said don't laugh

1121

01:05:30,000 --> 01:05:32,000

at 50,000 kilometers per hour

1122

01:05:35,000 --> 01:05:36,000

so we think that they first thought

1123

01:05:37,000 --> 01:05:39,000

the radar wasn't working properly

1124

01:05:40,000 --> 01:05:41,000

they were picking up some scatter reflection

1125

01:05:42,000 --> 01:05:45,000

but it turned out the object was completely solid

1126

01:05:46,000 --> 01:05:47,000

they said

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01:05:48,000 --> 01:05:49,000

we have fed the cord that's into our computer

1128

01:05:50,000 --> 01:05:51,000

and we've computed that the track

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01:05:52,000 --> 01:05:53,000

will take it over Darwin

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01:05:54,000 --> 01:05:55,000

in approximately 5 minutes

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01:05:59,000 --> 01:06:00,000

so we rushed out

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01:06:01,000 --> 01:06:03,000

I immediately ran the RAF station at Darwin

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01:06:05,000 --> 01:06:06,000

they had their radar scanning

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01:06:07,000 --> 01:06:08,000

their close range radar

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01:06:09,000 --> 01:06:10,000

the long range radar scanning

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01:06:10,000 --> 01:06:11,000

I rushed outside

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01:06:12,000 --> 01:06:13,000

and unfortunately we missed it

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01:06:14,000 --> 01:06:15,000

but the RAF station at Darwin didn't

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01:06:16,000 --> 01:06:17,000

they guys thought

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01:06:18,000 --> 01:06:19,000

it went overhead at a fantastic speed

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01:06:20,000 --> 01:06:21,000

they said it was like a great fireball

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01:06:22,000 --> 01:06:23,000

trailing sparks

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01:06:24,000 --> 01:06:25,000

but definitely circular in shape

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01:06:26,000 --> 01:06:27,000

and a pilot officer

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01:06:28,000 --> 01:06:29,000

of some many hours flying time

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01:06:30,000 --> 01:06:31,000

said it was like nothing he'd seen before

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01:06:32,000 --> 01:06:34,000

he said as it went over the station

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01:06:35,000 --> 01:06:36,000

it changed course

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01:06:37,000 --> 01:06:38,000

it executed almost a 90 degree turn

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01:06:38,000 --> 01:06:40,000

now no meteorite does this

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01:06:42,000 --> 01:06:43,000

and they said

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01:06:44,000 --> 01:06:46,000

we got severe interference to our radar system

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01:06:47,000 --> 01:06:49,000

they picked up the object on the radar as it approached

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01:06:50,000 --> 01:06:51,000

but they said even before the radar

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01:06:52,000 --> 01:06:53,000

could sweep ground for its next sweep

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01:06:54,000 --> 01:06:55,000

and take the next reading on it

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01:06:56,000 --> 01:06:57,000

said the radar was just literally full snow

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01:06:58,000 --> 01:06:59,000

terrific interference

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01:07:00,000 --> 01:07:01,000

all communication systems stopped on the RAF station

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01:07:03,000 --> 01:07:04,000

terrific interference on the radio systems

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01:07:05,000 --> 01:07:06,000

I noticed our Doppler tracking receivers were going crazy

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01:07:08,000 --> 01:07:09,000

I then suddenly righted myself as the object went

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01:07:12,000 --> 01:07:13,000

evidently we were a fraction too late

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01:07:14,000 --> 01:07:15,000

we came out of our tracking station

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01:07:16,000 --> 01:07:17,000

just as the object was sort of going over the horizon

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01:07:18,000 --> 01:07:19,000

or we missed it

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01:07:20,000 --> 01:07:21,000

about half an hour later

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01:07:22,000 --> 01:07:23,000

some two, a courting couple

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01:07:24,000 --> 01:07:25,000

on the curtain

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01:07:26,000 --> 01:07:27,000

on the curtain

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01:07:28,000 --> 01:07:29,000

on the radio

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01:07:30,000 --> 01:07:31,000

on the radio

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01:07:31,000 --> 01:07:32,000

a courting couple

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01:07:33,000 --> 01:07:35,000

on the cliffs of nightcliffe in Darwin reported

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01:07:36,000 --> 01:07:38,000

that they were watching a B formation of coloured lights

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01:07:39,000 --> 01:07:40,000

executing manoeuvres over the sea

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01:07:41,000 --> 01:07:43,000

and they wanted if this was the Indonesian invasion

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01:07:44,000 --> 01:07:45,000

which at that time was imminent

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01:07:46,000 --> 01:07:47,000

so people thought

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01:07:48,000 --> 01:07:49,000

and they rang us

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01:07:50,000 --> 01:07:51,000

and in fact

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01:07:52,000 --> 01:07:53,000

objects were seen over the sea

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01:07:55,000 --> 01:07:56,000

and that started a whole series of UFO reports

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01:07:57,000 --> 01:07:58,000

in Darwin's sightings

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01:07:59,000 --> 01:08:00,000

which I won't go into

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01:08:01,000 --> 01:08:02,000

now including a submarine one which

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01:08:03,000 --> 01:08:04,000

which

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01:08:05,000 --> 01:08:06,000

and I think they came out of the sea

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01:08:07,000 --> 01:08:08,000

and heated up the sea

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01:08:09,000 --> 01:08:10,000

terrific great clear sighting

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01:08:11,000 --> 01:08:12,000

in fact so much so that the RAF up there got so worried

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01:08:13,000 --> 01:08:14,000

they sent out

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01:08:15,000 --> 01:08:16,000

Neptune bombers to search the ocean

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01:08:17,000 --> 01:08:18,000

to see what was going on

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01:08:19,000 --> 01:08:20,000

they thought they'd better defend the cliff

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01:08:22,000 --> 01:08:23,000

of our

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01:08:24,000 --> 01:08:25,000

defend our station so they brought up a

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01:08:26,000 --> 01:08:27,000

3.5 inch field gun

1199

01:08:28,000 --> 01:08:29,000

this was going to do it

1200

01:08:31,000 --> 01:08:32,000

well I haven't got time unfortunately to go into

1201

01:08:33,000 --> 01:08:34,000

all sorts of things about

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01:08:35,000 --> 01:08:36,000

old ancient cave paintings

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01:08:37,000 --> 01:08:38,000

and reports of UFOs by natives

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01:08:39,000 --> 01:08:40,000

up in the northern territory

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01:08:41,000 --> 01:08:42,000

in ancient places where they've been seen

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01:08:43,000 --> 01:08:44,000

for thousands of years

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01:08:45,000 --> 01:08:46,000

so I will close now

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01:08:47,000 --> 01:08:48,000

I hope that's been

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01:08:49,000 --> 01:08:50,000

an interesting run down

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01:08:51,000 --> 01:08:52,000

on what's happened up to date in Australia

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01:08:53,000 --> 01:08:54,000

as you can see they've

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01:08:55,000 --> 01:08:56,000

had quite a good deal of landings

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01:08:57,000 --> 01:08:58,000

and fairly spectacular sightings

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01:08:58,000 --> 01:08:59,000

and I'm sure these will go on

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01:09:00,000 --> 01:09:01,000

unfortunately for England

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01:09:02,000 --> 01:09:03,000

of course the population being so dense

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01:09:04,000 --> 01:09:05,000

I don't think that

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01:09:06,000 --> 01:09:07,000

England is going to have the

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01:09:08,000 --> 01:09:09,000

the quantity

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01:09:10,000 --> 01:09:11,000

of these landings

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01:09:12,000 --> 01:09:13,000

thank you very much