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about an hour ago at 1807 Zulo in the vicinity of Mount Shasta, he observed a large object

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about the size of a C5A, and he went south of Mount Shasta about 15-20 minutes, and then

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00:00:21,760 --> 00:00:26,480

he turned around and came back and he saw the same object on his northbound flight.

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00:00:27,440 --> 00:00:34,000

At about 1840 Zulo, or just about 24 minutes ago, and he says the second time it came out of a

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00:00:34,640 --> 00:00:42,240

vertical cloud that hangs over Mount Shasta, and it was quite noticeable, still quite large in size,

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00:00:42,960 --> 00:00:51,280

and green and gray in color. Okay, I have the gentleman's name and the number of the aircraft.

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00:00:51,840 --> 00:00:59,600

Okay. He's coming up to Portland from California. The number of his aircraft is November 55130,

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it's a Cherokee. The gentleman's name is Mr. and he can be contacted in Portland at phone number,

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00:01:07,680 --> 00:01:14,000

and he also notified us over the year that he's a Mormon and hasn't had a drink for 20 years.

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00:01:14,560 --> 00:01:20,400

Oh, beautiful. So he's been flying for quite a while and he says he's seen this object twice.

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Now, once southbound over Mount Shasta, and once again northbound, and the second time it came out

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of the cloud that caps Mount Shasta. Okay, we'll get in contact. He'll be in Portland in about an hour

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and 20 minutes from now, or just about while 130 he'll be at the Portland airport, and I don't know

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how long it'll take him to get home. Okay. Okay. Thank you very much. You're welcome. Good bye.

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I'm calling for the UFO reporting center in Seattle. Yes, sir. We understand you had a little

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experience today. Yeah, we had a little bit of one. Okay, I wonder if we could get a

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you know what you saw. You bet. There's about the size of a galaxy C5,

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00:01:59,360 --> 00:02:04,960

and it's across, you know, have you ever rid of the guppy? Yes. Okay, that type of the aircraft,

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the big, the big, but it looked like it had a similar shape to that, and was across between

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that and the blimp, and about the size of the C5. It's just, it was big, it was sort of a grayish

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green color, and from a long distance, about 55 miles away out by it last, the first time I

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sighted it, and I thought, well, it's a cloud or something, then it got closer, moved closer,

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and then it moved back again, and disappeared, and I was talking, I asked them if they had a radar

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blip, and they said, yeah, but it's disappeared now from behind last, and they just didn't have

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00:02:38,560 --> 00:02:46,560

anything there, you know, and then something appeared from behind, same thing, appeared from

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00:02:46,560 --> 00:02:52,240

behind Mount Shasta, and it disappeared into the clouds, into Shasta, the clouds around Mount

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00:02:52,240 --> 00:02:57,840

Shasta, and didn't come out again until I took a picture of a little rascal. It started to come

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out, and I snapped a shot of it as I was about 20 miles from the peak of Mount Shasta. I don't

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00:03:04,560 --> 00:03:09,760

know whether I got it or not, but I took a picture of it, and I'm going to have that film developed.

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00:03:10,720 --> 00:03:15,840

Okay. About what time did this happen? To start the first sighting?

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First sighting? Oh, bananas. I guess it was about 11 through 12 o'clock,

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11 through 12 o'clock thereabouts, somewhere around here.

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Okay. Now, you say that the Archeac approached you?

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00:03:30,480 --> 00:03:31,280

Yes, it did.

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00:03:31,280 --> 00:03:38,160

Okay. Did it get close enough to have, to see any openings, any lights, any appendages?

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00:03:38,800 --> 00:03:44,960

No, it did not. It was about 30 miles from me. It looked like it was about 50 or 60 miles away,

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00:03:45,600 --> 00:03:49,920

originally, and then it got within about 30 miles of me. It looked like it started to come

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00:03:49,920 --> 00:03:53,840

toward me, but the time that I took the picture and started to come out of the clouds,

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there at Shasta, I was about 15 miles from me. It was, you know, you could see Mount Shasta

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00:04:00,800 --> 00:04:06,400

in direct wind. Yes. And so, I didn't notice anything then at that time. I just was kind of

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00:04:06,400 --> 00:04:11,120

excited trying to snap the picture of the dog on it. Right. Okay. Do you feel that it was flying

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00:04:11,120 --> 00:04:19,040

at about the same altitude that you were at? Well, it was at about 10,000, 511,000 feet around that,

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00:04:19,040 --> 00:04:27,280

around that very 2000 feet or so. Okay. And what was the color? Sort of a gray-green color.

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Could you make out any metallic surface? No, I could. Was this gray-green? Did it appear to be a

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00:04:34,240 --> 00:04:41,440

solid color of a surface or a light effect? Solid color of a surface. It wasn't varying in

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00:04:41,440 --> 00:04:49,920

shade or anything else. It was a solid color. Okay. Now, wasn't that, I don't imagine that you could

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00:04:49,920 --> 00:04:54,480

see any heat waves or anything coming off of it? No, I wasn't noticing any heat waves or anything.

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00:04:54,560 --> 00:04:58,880

I thought first that, you know, I thought, you know, I was sort of joking around with

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00:04:58,880 --> 00:05:01,840

them up there and how I didn't see anything really at all. But when it approached me,

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00:05:02,480 --> 00:05:07,920

then I realized it wasn't a cloud because it came too fast. Yes. And it just had that big, you know,

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00:05:08,720 --> 00:05:16,240

that was just really hard to explain. It was strange. Very strange. That's about all I can say. It

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00:05:16,240 --> 00:05:22,240

strange. Did you report that? Was that to the Auburn Center that they were tracking?

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00:05:22,960 --> 00:05:27,520

Um, I don't know if it was the Auburn Center or what, I was reporting this first deciding when to

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00:05:28,400 --> 00:05:33,120

open control. Uh-huh. So I don't remember exactly what frequency I was on at that

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press of time. I think it was 120.4. I'm not positive of that. I see. And when was it that you

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00:05:39,840 --> 00:05:46,720

reported to Auburn? Well, immediately upon, after I was over there looking that way, and I just,

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00:05:46,720 --> 00:05:51,680

I had to, I'm saying, look at for about three, four minutes. And then I, well, not even that long,

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00:05:51,760 --> 00:05:58,080

I guess it was, seemed like that long. And he was flying over Shasta, this is my second

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00:05:58,640 --> 00:06:04,640

society. Uh-huh. So I don't really, he saw anything or not. I don't think he did. I see.

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00:06:05,520 --> 00:06:11,360

And you were on the west side of Shasta at the time? This is correct. Right. Uh-huh. Okay. That's

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00:06:11,360 --> 00:06:19,280

when I took the picture of the west side of Shasta. Uh-huh. Okay. How about your instruments?

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Do you have any effect on the, uh, your compass or your guidance system at all?

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00:06:24,160 --> 00:06:30,800

Or your radio? Well, my instruments was, everything was fine except for, um, when I, when I got close

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to, uh, Shasta, really close to Shasta Mountain, there seemed to be a variance in my, um, uh,

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00:06:38,720 --> 00:06:46,560

my Vortech reading for, um, Eugene. Uh-huh. It said that Eugene was, uh, 90 degrees to me,

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00:06:47,120 --> 00:06:52,560

uh, west. And I know darn well it wasn't, but that was all that there was. I see. I just,

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00:06:52,560 --> 00:06:56,240

I just readjusted everything, just made sure. But that's the only thing that, that was out of the

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00:06:56,240 --> 00:07:01,680

normal during that time. And you had no problems with instrumentation, uh, on the way back to

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Seattle? No, I didn't. I had no, no problems whatsoever. Okay. Here to Portland. The only

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00:07:09,280 --> 00:07:14,400

problem I had was weather. Oh. Are you going to have those pictures developed right away?

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00:07:14,400 --> 00:07:20,960

You bet. I'm anxious to see what I get. Well, if something does show up, uh, could we be notified?

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00:07:20,960 --> 00:07:26,160

You betcha. You betcha. Would you like our phone number? Yes, I would. Okay. And I'll let you

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00:07:26,160 --> 00:07:30,960

know when we're the other. Oh, that's beautiful. Okay. Okay. If you'd notified anyone else of this,

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00:07:30,960 --> 00:07:36,160

or has anyone else called you? No, this is the, this is the first thing that I've said to anybody.

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Okay. But they said, they, uh, they asked me to not say anything to anyone. And, uh, until

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00:07:41,280 --> 00:07:46,800

someone contacted me. Right. And you were the only one in the aircraft? Yes, sir, I was. Okay.

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00:07:48,320 --> 00:07:50,480

I was also interrogated and asked if I'd been drinking.

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00:07:54,320 --> 00:07:59,440

Standard procedure, I think, for UFOs. Well, I told them no, I hadn't had a drop in 25 years,

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00:07:59,440 --> 00:08:04,880

and then I, and I explained the reason why because I was warm and so. Okay. Is this your

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00:08:04,880 --> 00:08:10,960

first experience along this line? Uh, yes it is. How long have you been flying? Um, one year now.

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00:08:11,040 --> 00:08:14,960

Let's see. Pretty close to a year. And I've got almost 300 hours. Okay.

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00:08:16,800 --> 00:08:21,680

Well, sir, we sure appreciate, uh, your talking to us and taking your time. And, uh, if we get

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00:08:21,680 --> 00:08:25,760

any more information on this, we'll get back to you. And I hope that if anything shows on that

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00:08:25,760 --> 00:08:30,240

film, you'll let us know. You bet. You bet. I'll let you know when we're the other, if anything shows

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00:08:30,240 --> 00:08:34,640

up, whether it does or doesn't. Okay. Thank you very much for calling. You're talking to us. You bet.

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00:08:34,640 --> 00:08:36,320

Okay. Bye-bye.

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00:08:36,320 --> 00:08:40,320

She had to do it with her picture, because, uh, I'm good at it all, I'm much faster.

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00:08:42,000 --> 00:08:44,720

Here's some more pictures I took on the way back.

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00:08:48,880 --> 00:08:53,280

Except for I got into the engineering when I got cloudy and some sun and,

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00:08:55,120 --> 00:08:56,320

I was on the same trip.

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00:08:59,600 --> 00:09:04,400

And I'm not a professional photographer by any means. I, I, I just happened to

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00:09:04,400 --> 00:09:07,760

play around a little bit. We get lucky once in a while.

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00:09:08,320 --> 00:09:12,640

There's some more duplicates of each other. Different kinds of pictures.

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00:09:12,640 --> 00:09:13,440

Yeah, my son does.

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00:09:14,400 --> 00:09:15,760

That is what I'm thinking. I'm zero.

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00:09:20,960 --> 00:09:21,920

Do you have that half of a...

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00:09:22,720 --> 00:09:27,280

No, I do not. It's, um, it's running around someplace. I don't know where it is.

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00:09:28,400 --> 00:09:32,080

I don't know exactly where it is, but because I'll be happy with it,

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00:09:32,960 --> 00:09:36,160

because you get it developed. There isn't a photo man and you get a rebate, you know?

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00:09:36,800 --> 00:09:41,040

If you don't like the pictures you take, that's what I did.

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00:09:41,040 --> 00:09:42,240

Nothing goes on there.

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00:09:42,240 --> 00:09:44,560

No, nothing except for this, this portion here.

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00:09:45,440 --> 00:09:47,840

There wasn't anything, the other half of the frame, there wasn't anything there,

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00:09:47,840 --> 00:09:52,160

except for the numbers, um, what was left of, you know, the, they have it under the tape.

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00:09:53,120 --> 00:09:56,320

So there, there wasn't anything left of that.

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00:09:57,120 --> 00:09:59,120

That was that was taken the same day, right?

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00:09:59,120 --> 00:09:59,680

Right.

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00:09:59,680 --> 00:10:00,160

You bet.

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00:10:00,160 --> 00:10:01,600

I took that down the way down.

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00:10:02,160 --> 00:10:03,520

No, that's on the way back up.

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00:10:03,520 --> 00:10:04,000

I see.

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00:10:04,000 --> 00:10:11,680

That was just, I took the picture, I had one frame left and I rolled it and it hung up on

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00:10:11,680 --> 00:10:15,120

about the last, you know, part of it. Well, you know, that's it.

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00:10:15,120 --> 00:10:17,680

I didn't have time while I was flying to take everything out of my 3-frame memory.

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00:10:18,320 --> 00:10:24,640

This thing started to emerge from, from back from behind here.

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00:10:25,600 --> 00:10:29,360

And I, I popped up my camera and just snapped it.

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00:10:30,080 --> 00:10:35,600

And I was hoping that I got something, but I didn't get anything at all, unfortunately,

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00:10:35,600 --> 00:10:39,840

because there wasn't enough there to film to take anything to, to, to that actor.

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00:10:42,080 --> 00:10:43,040

The clear conditions.

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00:10:43,040 --> 00:10:44,320

It would have been nice.

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00:10:46,800 --> 00:10:48,240

Yeah, I was, I was a little upset.

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00:10:49,520 --> 00:10:53,040

I was really anxious to see what I had, and maybe just, maybe.

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00:10:53,120 --> 00:10:57,120

And, but I didn't have anything, unfortunately.

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00:10:59,360 --> 00:11:01,360

But these, these clouds are very deceiving.

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00:11:03,280 --> 00:11:04,480

They're always there, I guess.

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00:11:04,480 --> 00:11:08,400

Every time I've always drove down, I've always noticed that there's been a cloud

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00:11:08,400 --> 00:11:10,160

around my chest. I've never seen it clear.

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00:11:10,160 --> 00:11:11,920

There's only seen it about five, six times.

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00:11:11,920 --> 00:11:13,760

So I don't know if they were new clear way or what.

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00:11:13,760 --> 00:11:18,320

Now, when you were coming down heading south, were you to the right or east or west of the

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00:11:18,320 --> 00:11:18,640

mountain?

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00:11:19,520 --> 00:11:24,640

Okay, when I was going headed south, I was to the, to the west of the mountain.

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00:11:24,640 --> 00:11:28,560

This is the, this is the palm of the fall section here.

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00:11:29,760 --> 00:11:30,160

Oops.

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00:11:37,040 --> 00:11:38,640

I don't want to be doing much and I'm sorry.

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00:11:38,640 --> 00:11:39,680

I had a couple times fear.

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00:11:39,680 --> 00:11:41,440

No, I was just looking pretty fast.

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00:11:43,120 --> 00:11:43,440

Okay.

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00:11:43,520 --> 00:11:44,020

Okay.

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00:11:45,760 --> 00:11:50,320

Here we have Shasta here, Shasta.

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00:11:51,040 --> 00:11:56,800

And I was coming down this way through here, down this way, when I cut on across down here

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00:11:56,800 --> 00:11:59,280

on the same fiscal section, like this.

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00:11:59,280 --> 00:12:08,560

And it took the same route back up, flew into Red Bluff area, up this way, and came across

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00:12:08,560 --> 00:12:11,040

up this on the right hand side, now going north.

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00:12:11,040 --> 00:12:13,040

Going north was the time on Sunday.

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00:12:14,560 --> 00:12:24,800

October, I guess it was the fourth Sunday is when I made the, the sighting, the sighting.

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00:12:25,760 --> 00:12:30,080

I was approximately in here at the time, my first sighting.

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00:12:30,080 --> 00:12:33,040

I saw this, this huge object.

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00:12:33,040 --> 00:12:34,640

And it was just really strange.

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00:12:34,640 --> 00:12:38,640

It was across between a galaxy, it was the size magnitude of the galaxy C5.

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00:12:41,120 --> 00:12:44,720

And it had this big sort of a bubble type thing that like a guppy would have.

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00:12:45,760 --> 00:12:47,600

And sort of long an album like a blimp.

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00:12:47,600 --> 00:12:49,600

So it was sort of across between the three of them.

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00:12:50,640 --> 00:12:56,960

It had a, it was from that distance, it didn't have a metallic shape or whatever.

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00:12:56,960 --> 00:12:58,400

Looked to it at the present time.

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00:12:59,040 --> 00:13:00,880

It had a grayish green color.

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00:13:03,040 --> 00:13:04,800

I didn't see any lights or anything else.

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00:13:05,600 --> 00:13:06,640

And I, it just looked funny.

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00:13:06,960 --> 00:13:11,600

So I called Oakland Control Center and I asked them for confirmation.

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00:13:11,600 --> 00:13:12,800

Do you have anything out there?

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00:13:13,520 --> 00:13:16,800

And they said, yeah, we have something about six and one ounce out here by Lassen.

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00:13:16,800 --> 00:13:18,960

And that's a question of where I could see it.

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00:13:18,960 --> 00:13:20,240

It was just, you know, it was pretty good size.

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00:13:20,240 --> 00:13:24,880

It was like a very extraordinary sized object.

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00:13:24,880 --> 00:13:26,640

It wasn't an airplane, you know.

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00:13:26,640 --> 00:13:30,320

And they said, we have a blip, but we're not giving it a radar service.

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00:13:30,320 --> 00:13:32,800

And they checked to see if it was a C5 by chance.

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00:13:33,760 --> 00:13:37,600

And they ran, they didn't have any C5s on VFR or anything in that area.

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00:13:38,320 --> 00:13:40,320

And then the blip disappeared.

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00:13:42,240 --> 00:13:45,520

And I said, well now I've got, it's about half distance from me.

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00:13:45,520 --> 00:13:47,360

They said, yeah, we've got a blip there too now.

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00:13:48,400 --> 00:13:53,360

And she says, I don't know, you know, she checked again and there wasn't anything.

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00:13:55,760 --> 00:13:57,200

And at that time it had disappeared.

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00:13:57,200 --> 00:13:58,320

So that was the last of that.

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00:13:58,320 --> 00:14:03,200

It had moved the tween thing of an eye, you know, about half distance.

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00:14:03,200 --> 00:14:06,960

That made about a half distance between me and not Lassen.

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00:14:06,960 --> 00:14:07,920

So it'd been 60 miles.

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00:14:07,920 --> 00:14:08,960

It was about 30 miles.

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00:14:13,760 --> 00:14:18,320

The next site, I was right in here approximately.

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00:14:20,880 --> 00:14:25,920

And I, and I got it, this thing popped out from around in here.

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00:14:26,480 --> 00:14:28,480

And I called Oakland Center again.

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00:14:28,960 --> 00:14:30,160

That's Lassen, right?

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00:14:30,160 --> 00:14:31,920

No, this is Lassen down here.

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00:14:31,920 --> 00:14:32,800

Oh, I see, okay.

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00:14:32,800 --> 00:14:34,320

And this up here is Shasta.

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00:14:35,040 --> 00:14:35,840

This is Shasta.

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00:14:36,480 --> 00:14:40,800

And I called him and they said, Lassen, you know, you have, you know,

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00:14:40,800 --> 00:14:42,480

look there, I've got it again.

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00:14:42,480 --> 00:14:48,880

And at that time they had a Hughes Airwessers flying over pretty close there.

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00:14:48,880 --> 00:14:52,480

And he was looking, he didn't catch it, but it disappeared into his clouds.

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00:14:53,120 --> 00:14:53,840

But I showed you.

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00:14:54,800 --> 00:14:57,760

Um, they confirmed the fact that there was something there, but they didn't know what it was.

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00:14:57,760 --> 00:14:59,360

And it disappeared shortly afterwards.

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00:15:00,080 --> 00:15:03,920

I had no problems with my instruments down here in my airplane in this area.

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00:15:03,920 --> 00:15:04,960

It was a, what's wrong?

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00:15:04,960 --> 00:15:11,520

When I passed within right here, this distance of the mountain, just prior to me trying to

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00:15:11,520 --> 00:15:18,640

snap a picture of it, I was tuned in to, uh, Roseburg radio, which would be in front of

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00:15:18,640 --> 00:15:19,680

you, shortly in front of you.

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00:15:19,680 --> 00:15:23,280

But all of a sudden the needle pointed as if though it was at 90 degrees to me.

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00:15:24,800 --> 00:15:25,760

To the West.

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00:15:25,760 --> 00:15:30,560

And that was the only instrumentation, uh, disorders that I had.

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00:15:30,560 --> 00:15:33,280

That was in that area of Shasta.

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00:15:33,280 --> 00:15:34,080

Right.

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00:15:34,080 --> 00:15:34,400

Okay.

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00:15:34,400 --> 00:15:37,120

And now did Oakland confirm that they had picked something up there too?

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00:15:37,120 --> 00:15:40,160

They confirmed that there was something there, but they didn't have a radar following.

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00:15:40,160 --> 00:15:41,600

You had two confirmations.

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00:15:41,600 --> 00:15:44,640

That there was something there, but they didn't know what it was.

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00:15:44,640 --> 00:15:46,480

It could have been a life plane, you know, as far as they knew.

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00:15:47,040 --> 00:15:49,360

But it was not something that they were actually following.

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00:15:49,360 --> 00:15:52,800

Also Seattle Center confirmed the fact that there was something there.

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00:15:52,880 --> 00:15:58,080

And I was then on Seattle at about approximately this time they switched me to Seattle.

213

00:15:59,280 --> 00:16:04,560

And then they, when they contacted me, I got my info bank and everything else at that time.

214

00:16:08,320 --> 00:16:08,960

It was unique.

215

00:16:10,000 --> 00:16:11,040

That's about all I can say.

216

00:16:11,600 --> 00:16:14,480

They're green, gray color.

217

00:16:15,200 --> 00:16:19,600

And it wasn't like a cloud because it was really, you know, it was clear.

218

00:16:19,600 --> 00:16:21,920

You could see by my picture how clear everything was.

219

00:16:23,680 --> 00:16:27,440

It, it was just there for just a moment.

220

00:16:27,440 --> 00:16:28,800

Then he merged from the clouds.

221

00:16:29,440 --> 00:16:33,360

They try to take the picture, but in our actual after I snapped the shot,

222

00:16:34,400 --> 00:16:36,320

it reached and merged back into the cloud area.

223

00:16:36,960 --> 00:16:37,600

Cloud cover.

224

00:16:42,880 --> 00:16:45,680

Would you say that it was at an altitude higher?

225

00:16:45,680 --> 00:16:47,360

No, it was approximately even with me.

226

00:16:48,240 --> 00:16:50,480

It was like I was fine at 10, 5.

227

00:16:52,880 --> 00:16:57,920

So it was about the same altitude I was, you know, give or take a thousand feet.

228

00:16:59,600 --> 00:17:01,200

Fifty would be harder than I was, I'm sure.

229

00:17:03,680 --> 00:17:12,640

Did any time the FAA in Seattle ask you about that after you had reported your pin letter

230

00:17:12,640 --> 00:17:15,280

and every day you had tracked it, did they ask for any more data?

231

00:17:15,280 --> 00:17:17,440

When you were coming up, whether you'd seen it anymore?

232

00:17:18,240 --> 00:17:18,880

No, they didn't.

233

00:17:19,440 --> 00:17:21,120

They asked me if my was sober.

234

00:17:21,920 --> 00:17:24,400

I remember it was open or Seattle asked me if I was sober.

235

00:17:25,040 --> 00:17:28,320

And I explained to them I hadn't, I never drank my life when I was mourning.

236

00:17:28,320 --> 00:17:30,240

So I said, I guess you're sober.

237

00:17:31,840 --> 00:17:34,000

So I'm just sort of passing a question for over there.

238

00:17:36,640 --> 00:17:39,760

I guess they get a lot of guys and it was that sort of, you know, that type of,

239

00:17:39,760 --> 00:17:41,600

you know, Sunday flyers or whatever.

240

00:17:41,600 --> 00:17:44,320

I sort of joke around with me, you know, I know it's just my eyes.

241

00:17:44,320 --> 00:17:47,680

And I was just, you know, you guys are gonna find me on the screen and I said,

242

00:17:47,680 --> 00:17:50,000

now we got a blue pill there, but we don't, you know, we're not following.

243

00:17:51,200 --> 00:17:55,360

That's, that's about all I know.

244

00:17:55,360 --> 00:17:57,440

I mean, is there any other specific questions that you could?

245

00:17:57,760 --> 00:17:58,400

Yeah, I have a question.

246

00:18:00,400 --> 00:18:04,880

Because all of your, your flying was on the west side of both Lassen and Shepston.

247

00:18:04,880 --> 00:18:05,360

You bet.

248

00:18:05,360 --> 00:18:06,080

Okay.

249

00:18:06,080 --> 00:18:11,920

Approximately how far from Lassen were you when you sighted the outfit?

250

00:18:11,920 --> 00:18:13,360

I was about 60 miles.

251

00:18:13,360 --> 00:18:15,600

Okay. How far away from Lassen was the outfit?

252

00:18:16,320 --> 00:18:19,840

Very close to Lassen.

253

00:18:19,840 --> 00:18:23,120

I would, I would guess it was right within this area right here.

254

00:18:23,120 --> 00:18:25,760

So you were the western portion of the line.

255

00:18:25,760 --> 00:18:26,000

Right.

256

00:18:29,280 --> 00:18:32,560

Then you went up to, you were flying, there's Shepston.

257

00:18:32,560 --> 00:18:32,960

Right.

258

00:18:32,960 --> 00:18:34,880

And then you saw the outfit.

259

00:18:34,880 --> 00:18:37,040

Again, on this side, on the eastern side.

260

00:18:37,040 --> 00:18:37,280

Okay.

261

00:18:38,160 --> 00:18:40,480

And she disappeared into the clouds in here.

262

00:18:41,040 --> 00:18:44,480

Then as I was flying on the western side, she emerged.

263

00:18:45,280 --> 00:18:46,240

From this side of the mountain.

264

00:18:46,240 --> 00:18:48,640

It appeared as though it was emerging from the clouds.

265

00:18:49,280 --> 00:18:53,040

Okay. It may not have been because you know, you're, you're from here and you're,

266

00:18:53,040 --> 00:18:56,160

you're cloud, you're looking from this side here and something comes out.

267

00:18:56,160 --> 00:18:59,040

Like this, it looks like it's coming from out, but it may be just on the other side of the mountain.

268

00:18:59,680 --> 00:19:01,680

But it appeared as though it was emerging from the clouds.

269

00:19:01,680 --> 00:19:05,520

I was about, I was in about 10 miles from it.

270

00:19:05,520 --> 00:19:06,000

Okay.

271

00:19:06,000 --> 00:19:09,760

Now, how far away from Shepston were you when you sighted,

272

00:19:10,320 --> 00:19:12,320

sighted about the eastern portion?

273

00:19:12,960 --> 00:19:16,640

I was about 20, about 20 miles from Shepston.

274

00:19:17,360 --> 00:19:17,680

Okay.

275

00:19:18,320 --> 00:19:20,320

Then you saw it here in the eastern portion.

276

00:19:20,320 --> 00:19:20,800

Right.

277

00:19:20,800 --> 00:19:22,160

Right, right in here on the side.

278

00:19:22,880 --> 00:19:23,280

There.

279

00:19:23,280 --> 00:19:23,520

Okay.

280

00:19:25,040 --> 00:19:25,680

And then, uh,

281

00:19:26,400 --> 00:19:27,840

they helped disappeared into the clouds.

282

00:19:27,840 --> 00:19:28,400

Okay.

283

00:19:28,400 --> 00:19:32,320

At what point did your instrument,

284

00:19:34,160 --> 00:19:35,040

instrument had a,

285

00:19:35,040 --> 00:19:35,680

I don't know,

286

00:19:35,680 --> 00:19:36,800

a salmage consortium?

287

00:19:36,800 --> 00:19:37,600

Right about here.

288

00:19:38,560 --> 00:19:42,240

And how far would you estimate your position from Shepston at that point?

289

00:19:42,800 --> 00:19:45,600

Okay, I can give you a pretty accurate indication here.

290

00:19:49,040 --> 00:19:49,920

Or within, uh,

291

00:19:52,640 --> 00:19:53,760

within about, uh,

292

00:19:54,560 --> 00:19:57,200

10 miles of the peak of Shepston.

293

00:19:57,200 --> 00:19:57,680

Okay.

294

00:19:57,680 --> 00:19:59,520

And how long did that disorder last?

295

00:20:00,720 --> 00:20:03,040

Uh, lasted for three to about, uh,

296

00:20:03,760 --> 00:20:04,960

a minute and a half.

297

00:20:04,960 --> 00:20:06,000

I let it go back to normal.

298

00:20:06,000 --> 00:20:08,480

It only went normal as I passed,

299

00:20:08,480 --> 00:20:09,680

as I got out of,

300

00:20:09,680 --> 00:20:10,960

I left from Shepston.

301

00:20:10,960 --> 00:20:12,160

Okay. So as the object,

302

00:20:12,720 --> 00:20:14,400

look behind the clock,

303

00:20:14,400 --> 00:20:15,760

well behind the button,

304

00:20:15,760 --> 00:20:18,160

then you merged into the clouds and you merged out of it.

305

00:20:19,120 --> 00:20:20,000

All during that period,

306

00:20:21,200 --> 00:20:23,360

your panel was acting up.

307

00:20:23,920 --> 00:20:24,160

No.

308

00:20:25,440 --> 00:20:28,880

Only, only upon when I came out about 90 degrees,

309

00:20:28,880 --> 00:20:30,720

at the closest point of them to the mountain,

310

00:20:30,720 --> 00:20:31,760

because I could be down here,

311

00:20:32,400 --> 00:20:33,600

and I was passing along this way.

312

00:20:33,600 --> 00:20:35,680

So, okay, no problem here.

313

00:20:35,680 --> 00:20:37,520

No problem here until I got right here.

314

00:20:37,520 --> 00:20:40,320

So approximately 90 degrees from the object,

315

00:20:40,320 --> 00:20:42,800

if I was to be perpendicular to the object,

316

00:20:42,800 --> 00:20:43,920

you'd go along like this,

317

00:20:44,560 --> 00:20:45,840

be perpendicular to it.

318

00:20:45,840 --> 00:20:47,680

Yeah, parallel, perpendicular to it.

319

00:20:48,720 --> 00:20:51,440

Uh, if my instruments showed for about a minute and a half,

320

00:20:51,440 --> 00:20:53,920

that rosebud was to my left hand side.

321

00:20:53,920 --> 00:20:55,120

Another 90 degrees.

322

00:20:55,120 --> 00:20:55,840

Well, yeah, it would be,

323

00:20:55,840 --> 00:20:57,200

it would be to the left hand side.

324

00:20:57,200 --> 00:20:58,320

No, if you had it right here,

325

00:20:58,320 --> 00:20:59,440

so it'd be a 180.

326

00:20:59,440 --> 00:20:59,920

Right.

327

00:20:59,920 --> 00:21:00,320

Cross.

328

00:21:01,120 --> 00:21:01,360

Okay.

329

00:21:02,080 --> 00:21:05,200

And then, uh, about a minute and a half later.

330

00:21:05,200 --> 00:21:06,480

Everything went fine, no problems.

331

00:21:06,480 --> 00:21:08,960

I didn't have any instrument trouble prior to that,

332

00:21:08,960 --> 00:21:10,320

or after that, to estimate.

333

00:21:10,960 --> 00:21:11,680

Okay.

334

00:21:11,680 --> 00:21:12,880

Getting back to last repeat,

335

00:21:12,880 --> 00:21:15,120

you said the object, you initially saw the object,

336

00:21:15,840 --> 00:21:18,160

and then it disappeared, and then it reappeared.

337

00:21:18,160 --> 00:21:18,640

Right.

338

00:21:18,640 --> 00:21:19,600

So the best of your ability,

339

00:21:19,600 --> 00:21:21,920

could you describe how that, how it did that?

340

00:21:22,880 --> 00:21:24,880

Um, it was there, and then it was gone.

341

00:21:25,520 --> 00:21:28,240

That's about, that's about the best I can describe to you.

342

00:21:28,960 --> 00:21:30,480

It was just there, and I, I, you know,

343

00:21:30,480 --> 00:21:33,440

you try to concentrate on flying and everything else,

344

00:21:33,440 --> 00:21:35,840

while you're doing that, you know, watching the moon rolls,

345

00:21:35,840 --> 00:21:36,720

you know, what's going on.

346

00:21:37,440 --> 00:21:40,640

Um, it was there for just more than, you know,

347

00:21:41,360 --> 00:21:43,440

just sort of a blinking of an eye, it was gone.

348

00:21:43,440 --> 00:21:45,440

Just, I didn't see it, I didn't have any view.

349

00:21:46,000 --> 00:21:46,880

How did it appear?

350

00:21:46,880 --> 00:21:47,120

Real.

351

00:21:48,640 --> 00:21:50,400

Um, I just happened to notice it.

352

00:21:50,400 --> 00:21:51,920

I wasn't looking for anything else.

353

00:21:52,480 --> 00:21:54,240

It just, it just, as I was looking up,

354

00:21:54,960 --> 00:21:56,720

sticking around, you know, you keep your eyes open,

355

00:21:56,720 --> 00:21:58,800

so I caught eye of it again.

356

00:21:58,800 --> 00:22:00,320

Okay, so you never saw it appear.

357

00:22:00,880 --> 00:22:04,320

No, it was just, I just caught, caught eye of it, right.

358

00:22:04,640 --> 00:22:05,200

Okay.

359

00:22:05,200 --> 00:22:08,560

Now, when you got up to Shasta,

360

00:22:08,560 --> 00:22:11,440

how did the object move into the clouds?

361

00:22:13,920 --> 00:22:14,480

Slowly.

362

00:22:15,200 --> 00:22:17,680

It just sort of, into the clouds, and that was it.

363

00:22:17,680 --> 00:22:19,280

Was the object stable?

364

00:22:19,280 --> 00:22:22,000

Was there any type of, any kind of, uh,

365

00:22:23,680 --> 00:22:25,440

it seemed stable, seemed like it would be just like,

366

00:22:25,440 --> 00:22:27,760

you know, taking your hand and moving it into, uh,

367

00:22:28,880 --> 00:22:30,720

hooping cream, or suds in the bathroom,

368

00:22:30,720 --> 00:22:32,960

and you just sort of, and you know,

369

00:22:33,040 --> 00:22:34,560

some type of thing like that, wasn't it?

370

00:22:35,280 --> 00:22:37,440

It was at the same case with its emergence.

371

00:22:38,160 --> 00:22:38,480

Right.

372

00:22:39,680 --> 00:22:41,440

And it emerged only partially?

373

00:22:41,440 --> 00:22:42,320

Only partial.

374

00:22:43,840 --> 00:22:45,840

Did you get the impression, though, that, uh,

375

00:22:48,000 --> 00:22:50,320

Shasta, that it might be trying to hide from you?

376

00:22:52,320 --> 00:22:54,160

I don't know if I could, uh, use that as an,

377

00:22:54,160 --> 00:22:56,080

as an impression, it was trying to hide from you or something,

378

00:22:56,080 --> 00:22:59,680

but it was, it was, it was there within that area.

379

00:22:59,680 --> 00:23:02,560

I would assume that, I guess you could,

380

00:23:03,120 --> 00:23:06,080

trying to hide from me or using a,

381

00:23:06,080 --> 00:23:09,760

using a discreet, um, place for observance.

382

00:23:11,120 --> 00:23:11,440

You know?

383

00:23:12,560 --> 00:23:14,640

Well, when it, when it went back into the clouds,

384

00:23:14,640 --> 00:23:16,160

it didn't turn it all over to the back end,

385

00:23:16,160 --> 00:23:17,680

it just, it just, just back in.

386

00:23:17,680 --> 00:23:18,720

Just back in, you know?

387

00:23:19,840 --> 00:23:21,120

So like it had a reverse, you know?

388

00:23:21,120 --> 00:23:21,920

Good night.

389

00:23:22,640 --> 00:23:23,280

Good night, Ron.

390

00:23:23,280 --> 00:23:23,920

Good night, Gary.

391

00:23:23,920 --> 00:23:24,560

Have a good night.

392

00:23:24,560 --> 00:23:25,040

Okay.

393

00:23:25,040 --> 00:23:26,480

Okay, um,

394

00:23:27,040 --> 00:23:28,000

that is just, uh,

395

00:23:28,800 --> 00:23:30,320

feel like you're in the house, you know,

396

00:23:31,280 --> 00:23:32,720

the auto-wash TV or something.

397

00:23:36,160 --> 00:23:38,160

Okay, uh, the sun was out.

398

00:23:39,680 --> 00:23:42,480

Did the, was there any glint or rubble?

399

00:23:42,480 --> 00:23:43,840

No, I didn't notice it.

400

00:23:43,840 --> 00:23:46,080

If there would have been, um, no,

401

00:23:46,960 --> 00:23:47,840

in the position of the sun,

402

00:23:47,840 --> 00:23:49,280

there couldn't have been any glint on the object,

403

00:23:49,280 --> 00:23:52,080

because the sun would be to the back,

404

00:23:52,080 --> 00:23:55,760

so it would give a, sort of a, a shadow effect to it.

405

00:23:56,960 --> 00:23:58,480

There wasn't any sun shining on it.

406

00:23:59,360 --> 00:24:01,840

Do you remember what the time was

407

00:24:01,840 --> 00:24:02,880

when you were setting down here?

408

00:24:03,920 --> 00:24:06,240

Apparently, I think it was approximately,

409

00:24:07,280 --> 00:24:09,680

I don't think, if I left my flight plan,

410

00:24:09,680 --> 00:24:11,200

I'm shot at about 10.30,

411

00:24:11,200 --> 00:24:12,000

take me an hour.

412

00:24:12,000 --> 00:24:13,200

It was about 11.30.

413

00:24:14,080 --> 00:24:15,040

For the initial sighting?

414

00:24:15,040 --> 00:24:16,640

For the initial sighting approximate, I believe.

415

00:24:16,640 --> 00:24:17,440

For the plastic film?

416

00:24:18,640 --> 00:24:20,000

Well, the last one followed,

417

00:24:20,000 --> 00:24:22,240

probably for about, uh, four minutes.

418

00:24:24,880 --> 00:24:26,480

But your second sighting was there to, uh,

419

00:24:26,480 --> 00:24:27,520

what's the meaning?

420

00:24:28,000 --> 00:24:30,640

It took me about another, uh, 35 minutes.

421

00:24:30,640 --> 00:24:32,480

About 12, 12, 10, thereabouts.

422

00:24:33,440 --> 00:24:34,400

Right, I left some film.

423

00:24:36,480 --> 00:24:39,760

Uh, 30 seconds, the first time,

424

00:24:39,760 --> 00:24:41,040

then the second time again,

425

00:24:41,040 --> 00:24:46,320

as it emerged lasted for, uh, 15, 20 seconds.

426

00:24:47,680 --> 00:24:49,360

Was there any other chatter on the radio

427

00:24:49,360 --> 00:24:51,200

that you could hear while you were recording this?

428

00:24:53,120 --> 00:24:54,480

Anybody else talking about it?

429

00:24:55,360 --> 00:24:56,400

Um, no, I,

430

00:24:57,520 --> 00:24:58,640

I wasn't hearing anything.

431

00:24:58,640 --> 00:25:00,160

And it was just kind of silent,

432

00:25:00,160 --> 00:25:01,760

and all I was picking up was, uh,

433

00:25:01,760 --> 00:25:03,280

of course I was only tuned to one channel.

434

00:25:03,280 --> 00:25:04,720

And that was two channels,

435

00:25:04,720 --> 00:25:05,920

just tuned to Seattle,

436

00:25:05,920 --> 00:25:07,680

controlled Sierra and Oakland controlled Sierra both,

437

00:25:08,320 --> 00:25:09,440

as you're right in that area.

438

00:25:09,440 --> 00:25:10,800

I think you know where it transitioned.

439

00:25:10,800 --> 00:25:11,440

Right, I don't know why.

440

00:25:11,440 --> 00:25:12,640

And you want to listen to both.

441

00:25:13,280 --> 00:25:14,560

I do, you don't have to.

442

00:25:14,560 --> 00:25:15,920

And they say switch off to Seattle,

443

00:25:15,920 --> 00:25:17,840

I don't have to listen to the Oakland or something like that.

444

00:25:18,800 --> 00:25:20,320

Just in case they may want to raise me,

445

00:25:20,320 --> 00:25:21,280

and they can't raise me.

446

00:25:21,840 --> 00:25:23,120

And Seattle, I don't know what else I have.

447

00:25:23,840 --> 00:25:25,520

Did Oakland give you any instructions

448

00:25:25,520 --> 00:25:26,080

and what to do?

449

00:25:27,760 --> 00:25:29,120

About that, any recorded?

450

00:25:30,240 --> 00:25:31,200

No, they didn't.

451

00:25:32,080 --> 00:25:32,640

Not really.

452

00:25:36,640 --> 00:25:38,560

Seattle was one of the things that said,

453

00:25:38,560 --> 00:25:42,240

don't talk about this channel until you've had someone contact you.

454

00:25:43,760 --> 00:25:45,280

They really look at it, you know.

455

00:25:45,280 --> 00:25:46,560

And they say they want to know if I,

456

00:25:46,560 --> 00:25:48,080

this is my first sighting,

457

00:25:48,080 --> 00:25:50,320

first experience or approximately how many hours I had in the air.

458

00:25:51,680 --> 00:25:52,880

How many hours have you had?

459

00:25:52,880 --> 00:25:54,800

Well, I've got approximately 300 hours now.

460

00:25:54,800 --> 00:25:55,280

Yeah.

461

00:25:55,600 --> 00:25:58,160

Yeah, I've been flying for, yeah.

462

00:26:01,040 --> 00:26:02,640

My gosh, I've had my license a year today.

463

00:26:03,200 --> 00:26:04,480

What kind of plane were you on?

464

00:26:04,480 --> 00:26:07,840

I was flying a Cherokee arrow on 1970.

465

00:26:07,840 --> 00:26:08,800

So they thought about it.

466

00:26:10,080 --> 00:26:10,800

Is that your too?

467

00:26:11,840 --> 00:26:12,160

Right.

468

00:26:14,480 --> 00:26:17,440

Okay, I have a couple of questions.

469

00:26:18,320 --> 00:26:20,720

What went through your mind when you saw the output?

470

00:26:20,720 --> 00:26:21,360

The first time?

471

00:26:21,840 --> 00:26:22,720

Both times.

472

00:26:22,720 --> 00:26:23,600

Okay, the first time,

473

00:26:24,560 --> 00:26:28,960

I thought maybe it was some sort of a weather disorder cloud,

474

00:26:28,960 --> 00:26:32,720

but as it moved, what really bothered me is it moved from point A

475

00:26:33,760 --> 00:26:35,600

to point B to halfway mark.

476

00:26:35,600 --> 00:26:37,360

And that kind of concerned me a little bit.

477

00:26:37,360 --> 00:26:39,920

And that's when I, I'm not sure what that is.

478

00:26:39,920 --> 00:26:42,320

And that's when I got on Doe-Pun-Town and I asked them,

479

00:26:42,320 --> 00:26:44,400

and I said, hasn't made that move.

480

00:26:45,040 --> 00:26:47,520

I was about to, saw this thing out there and I asked my mission,

481

00:26:47,520 --> 00:26:48,320

I said, what is that out there?

482

00:26:48,320 --> 00:26:51,120

I'm just like, and they said, oh, I've got an obstacle.

483

00:26:51,120 --> 00:26:52,160

And then when I really moved,

484

00:26:52,240 --> 00:26:55,280

that's when I really started getting on the wall and watching things.

485

00:26:55,280 --> 00:26:57,120

And then when I disappeared, I didn't think much about it.

486

00:26:57,120 --> 00:26:58,320

I just kept looking back,

487

00:26:58,320 --> 00:27:00,160

caught a blast and seeing if I could see anything.

488

00:27:01,280 --> 00:27:04,160

And nothing happened until I got closer to Shaskett.

489

00:27:04,160 --> 00:27:06,880

And there was our friend in there.

490

00:27:06,880 --> 00:27:11,680

So you were within 10, 20 miles from up in Shaskett?

491

00:27:11,680 --> 00:27:13,680

Right, from here, 20, 25 miles here,

492

00:27:14,640 --> 00:27:15,920

10, 8, 10 miles right here.

493

00:27:15,920 --> 00:27:17,120

Therefore, you had a closer view.

494

00:27:18,000 --> 00:27:19,280

And you were in closer proximity,

495

00:27:19,280 --> 00:27:20,560

what went through your mind at that time?

496

00:27:22,720 --> 00:27:25,760

I really don't know.

497

00:27:25,760 --> 00:27:28,560

I didn't want to say, except for,

498

00:27:29,200 --> 00:27:30,800

I was extremely curious about it.

499

00:27:31,920 --> 00:27:33,680

And I was interested in it.

500

00:27:34,640 --> 00:27:36,480

And I was excited to get a picture.

501

00:27:36,480 --> 00:27:40,960

Do you have any feeling of fear on this spot or this thing,

502

00:27:40,960 --> 00:27:42,000

the other time?

503

00:27:42,000 --> 00:27:43,920

No, there was no, no, I,

504

00:27:43,920 --> 00:27:46,400

I don't think there was any reason to.

505

00:27:48,160 --> 00:27:51,840

The object up here in Lassen was at point A,

506

00:27:52,960 --> 00:27:55,920

and then it disappeared and you saw it, but feet.

507

00:27:55,920 --> 00:27:58,320

Well, how many seconds, how many seconds elapsed?

508

00:27:59,360 --> 00:28:00,720

From the time that you saw it?

509

00:28:00,720 --> 00:28:01,840

Two seconds at the most.

510

00:28:03,840 --> 00:28:06,480

I mean, it was, I mean, it was blink, blink,

511

00:28:06,480 --> 00:28:08,640

and there it was half distance again.

512

00:28:08,640 --> 00:28:11,040

Okay, so you have there, it was a problem.

513

00:28:11,040 --> 00:28:12,960

What did you say, 50, 60 miles?

514

00:28:12,960 --> 00:28:13,440

So let me try.

515

00:28:13,440 --> 00:28:16,320

Well, it made it within about 30 miles of me.

516

00:28:16,320 --> 00:28:17,600

Okay, so it went half that distance.

517

00:28:17,600 --> 00:28:19,920

Just to clean up and all that, yeah.

518

00:28:20,000 --> 00:28:23,040

We just, next thing I knew there was,

519

00:28:23,040 --> 00:28:24,480

bingo, it was half the way.

520

00:28:26,080 --> 00:28:26,720

That's interesting.

521

00:28:28,240 --> 00:28:32,640

On your flight down, how far south did you go from Lassen?

522

00:28:34,000 --> 00:28:35,200

Okay, I went far back down.

523

00:28:36,240 --> 00:28:38,240

You came south with Lassen?

524

00:28:38,240 --> 00:28:40,320

My original, my initial flight down?

525

00:28:42,160 --> 00:28:42,400

Yes.

526

00:28:44,480 --> 00:28:45,360

630, you guys.

527

00:28:46,480 --> 00:28:49,600

Well, I went down as far south as, well,

528

00:28:50,000 --> 00:28:54,240

right here, and then I picked up a vector and shoved off this way,

529

00:28:54,240 --> 00:28:55,520

went to NAF in California.

530

00:28:55,520 --> 00:28:56,080

Oh, I see.

531

00:28:56,080 --> 00:28:57,280

And visited my parents there.

532

00:28:58,640 --> 00:29:00,320

Well, it was our understanding, just went down,

533

00:29:00,320 --> 00:29:01,440

turned around, came back.

534

00:29:01,440 --> 00:29:01,920

Oh, no, no, no, no.

535

00:29:01,920 --> 00:29:05,840

You know, I went down, spent some time with my parents.

536

00:29:05,840 --> 00:29:08,160

I went down on Thursday, with Emi,

537

00:29:08,160 --> 00:29:11,440

and then came back up on Sunday, Lassen, and then.

538

00:29:15,600 --> 00:29:18,320

Oh, you have a big piece of paper here?

539

00:29:18,960 --> 00:29:20,000

I was thinking the same thing.

540

00:29:21,040 --> 00:29:22,080

Sketch?

541

00:29:22,080 --> 00:29:22,400

Yes.

542

00:29:23,440 --> 00:29:24,880

You're a good artist?

543

00:29:24,880 --> 00:29:26,880

Well, I'm an artist, but I can give you a rough idea.

544

00:29:27,520 --> 00:29:28,080

Very.

545

00:29:28,080 --> 00:29:29,760

Just as big as you can get it out of there.

546

00:29:31,440 --> 00:29:31,760

E.

547

00:29:32,400 --> 00:29:32,800

Okay.

548

00:29:34,000 --> 00:29:36,080

Yeah, the first one could be of Lassen.

549

00:29:37,120 --> 00:29:37,440

Okay.

550

00:29:37,440 --> 00:29:40,960

You could do a picture of the object as you saw at Lassen.

551

00:29:42,800 --> 00:29:43,040

Okay.

552

00:29:43,520 --> 00:29:46,480

Oh, Lassen.

553

00:29:46,480 --> 00:29:48,640

You want the mountain in the background or anything?

554

00:29:48,640 --> 00:29:50,240

Sure, to give us a little proxy.

555

00:29:52,160 --> 00:29:52,400

Okay.

556

00:29:55,120 --> 00:29:57,040

Oh, that's hard to do because I have no...

557

00:29:58,080 --> 00:29:59,600

In the object, be a depiction.

558

00:30:00,480 --> 00:30:01,120

Okay, I'll do it.

559

00:30:01,120 --> 00:30:01,920

Give me the objects.

560

00:30:01,920 --> 00:30:02,320

Okay.

561

00:30:03,440 --> 00:30:04,320

And, okay.

562

00:30:04,960 --> 00:30:05,280

Sort of.

563

00:30:05,280 --> 00:30:11,280

Yeah.

564

00:30:11,280 --> 00:30:12,560

It's more sort of bubbled.

565

00:30:13,280 --> 00:30:17,520

It was kind of strange, sort of like this.

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00:30:17,520 --> 00:30:22,160

It's like a whale type of thing, but that's about the way it was that appeared to me.

567

00:30:23,200 --> 00:30:26,320

And then, it was just sort of a grayish...

568

00:30:28,720 --> 00:30:30,000

Same color all over.

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00:30:30,000 --> 00:30:30,480

All over.

570

00:30:30,480 --> 00:30:32,160

It wasn't shaded in different ways.

571

00:30:32,160 --> 00:30:34,640

It just seemed like a solid color, solid sort of.

572

00:30:35,520 --> 00:30:43,520

Um, you know, sort of a grayish green.

573

00:30:44,720 --> 00:30:47,200

But it maintained the same shape with all kinds.

574

00:30:47,200 --> 00:30:47,760

Yes, it did.

575

00:30:48,800 --> 00:30:50,000

It didn't seem to be very...

576

00:30:52,720 --> 00:30:58,800

Okay, and let me say this is the object from Chester.

577

00:30:59,600 --> 00:30:59,920

Okay.

578

00:30:59,920 --> 00:31:05,920

Okay.

579

00:31:06,720 --> 00:31:08,640

Has it emerged or has I...

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00:31:08,640 --> 00:31:08,880

Sorry.

581

00:31:08,880 --> 00:31:09,600

Has it emerged?

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00:31:09,600 --> 00:31:10,720

Has it emerged, okay.

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00:31:10,720 --> 00:31:11,920

Because it was a different shape.

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00:31:12,800 --> 00:31:19,280

Well, in the sense because I was seeing it from sort of a different angle as I saw it from here.

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00:31:20,400 --> 00:31:21,040

I'm sure that...

586

00:31:21,040 --> 00:31:21,680

No.

587

00:31:21,680 --> 00:31:22,880

It hasn't emerged here.

588

00:31:23,760 --> 00:31:24,320

I'm having...

589

00:31:27,120 --> 00:31:27,520

Shoot.

590

00:31:30,160 --> 00:31:30,640

Shoot.

591

00:31:39,600 --> 00:31:43,840

Let's see, there's a cigar or just a big disc with your...

592

00:31:43,840 --> 00:31:45,520

If you're taking it off, I'm gonna...

593

00:31:46,320 --> 00:31:48,160

I'm probably gonna put this around here.

594

00:31:48,720 --> 00:31:52,080

See, five days, if there is a big crowd.

595

00:31:52,080 --> 00:31:52,800

Yeah, there is.

596

00:31:59,920 --> 00:32:09,920

Okay.

597

00:32:13,920 --> 00:32:15,920

Sort of the bulbs around this.

598

00:32:17,040 --> 00:32:17,520

Yeah.

599

00:32:18,720 --> 00:32:19,760

You got some...

600

00:32:19,760 --> 00:32:22,160

Cloud sort of over here.

601

00:32:23,600 --> 00:32:24,480

Here it is.

602

00:32:30,320 --> 00:32:33,920

Sort of like that, and then she moved back in.

603

00:32:33,920 --> 00:32:39,920

How many seconds before you'd snap the last picture was taken?

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00:32:41,920 --> 00:32:43,920

That was taken approximately...

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00:32:49,920 --> 00:32:51,920

Five seconds, six seconds.

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00:32:51,920 --> 00:32:53,120

Before this emerged?

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00:32:53,120 --> 00:32:53,920

That's right.

608

00:32:54,800 --> 00:32:56,800

It just looked behind the mirror.

609

00:32:58,800 --> 00:32:59,280

Sorry.

610

00:32:59,280 --> 00:33:03,280

I had air freight on it, but it didn't work.

611

00:33:06,080 --> 00:33:08,080

I'm just impressed by the size of that stuff.

612

00:33:08,080 --> 00:33:09,120

It's big.

613

00:33:09,120 --> 00:33:15,120

I know what a galaxy see fire is, and I've been up close to them.

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00:33:15,120 --> 00:33:16,640

And it's ever been that size.

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00:33:16,640 --> 00:33:17,680

There was a big...

616

00:33:18,960 --> 00:33:19,920

It was good size.

617

00:33:19,920 --> 00:33:21,920

There was a big...

618

00:33:21,920 --> 00:33:23,920

It was good size.

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00:33:31,920 --> 00:33:33,920

I blew that thing up.

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00:33:33,920 --> 00:33:34,320

I put it...

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00:33:34,320 --> 00:33:37,920

I made a super large, large, and like that.

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00:33:37,920 --> 00:33:39,920

I made a...

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00:33:39,920 --> 00:33:41,920

a 24-inch, large, and like that.

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00:33:41,920 --> 00:33:45,920

It was all green, nothing else, but there wasn't any years.

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00:33:45,920 --> 00:33:47,920

It wasn't worth...

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00:33:47,920 --> 00:33:49,920

It was made of proof that it was made of green.

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00:33:49,920 --> 00:33:51,920

How did you develop your own color?

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00:33:51,920 --> 00:33:53,920

Well, I just recently started getting into this,

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00:33:53,920 --> 00:33:57,920

on making my own prints, 8x10, and a side block color.

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00:33:59,920 --> 00:34:01,920

I developed my own black and white,

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00:34:01,920 --> 00:34:03,920

and I'm printing my own black and white.

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00:34:03,920 --> 00:34:05,920

You know, I started to keep doing it,

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00:34:05,920 --> 00:34:07,920

but I was doing black and white, and it never got me the color.

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00:34:07,920 --> 00:34:11,920

The color is very, very easy to do.

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00:34:11,920 --> 00:34:13,920

It's a little more...

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00:34:13,920 --> 00:34:15,920

It's harder to do it than black and white,

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00:34:15,920 --> 00:34:19,920

so it's a little easy, because I go down to a U-developed operation on here,

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00:34:19,920 --> 00:34:23,920

and they help you do it for a long time, cost you \$2.50 an hour,

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00:34:23,920 --> 00:34:25,920

to be able to get a closer look at the color,

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00:34:25,920 --> 00:34:27,920

and that's what you have to play around with for a while.

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00:34:29,920 --> 00:34:31,920

I'm curious.

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00:34:31,920 --> 00:34:33,920

Clouds are crispy, obviously.

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00:34:33,920 --> 00:34:35,920

When that thing moved out,

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00:34:35,920 --> 00:34:37,920

was there any clouds that trimmed?

645

00:34:37,920 --> 00:34:39,920

Yeah, sort of.

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00:34:39,920 --> 00:34:41,920

It's sort of like, you know, like the pulling effect,

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00:34:41,920 --> 00:34:43,920

like I said, the...

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00:34:43,920 --> 00:34:45,920

Yeah, something...

649

00:34:45,920 --> 00:34:47,920

Sort of like, you know, when you pull your hand out of a...

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00:34:47,920 --> 00:34:49,920

It's sort of like a...

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00:34:49,920 --> 00:34:51,920

left, left, left, right, like that.

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00:34:51,920 --> 00:34:53,920

Push one's back in.

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00:34:55,920 --> 00:34:57,920

Like you pull your hand out of...

654

00:34:57,920 --> 00:34:59,920

You know, when it went in, it was like going in,

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00:34:59,920 --> 00:35:01,920

you know, your hand would have a bubble bath.

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00:35:01,920 --> 00:35:03,920

And when it came out, like, starting to merge,

657

00:35:03,920 --> 00:35:05,920

it's like pulling out of a bubble bath.

658

00:35:14,920 --> 00:35:16,920

I can't think of anything, either,

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00:35:16,920 --> 00:35:18,920

because obviously there was

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00:35:18,920 --> 00:35:21,920

no lights, no cameras, no openings.

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00:35:23,920 --> 00:35:26,920

So FAA did verify a blip on their screen.

662

00:35:26,920 --> 00:35:28,920

I thought about the times that you've...

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00:35:28,920 --> 00:35:30,920

Right, but they didn't know, you know,

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00:35:30,920 --> 00:35:32,920

what altitude it was at, or, you know,

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00:35:32,920 --> 00:35:34,920

it was just, there was a blip there, and that was it.

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00:35:36,920 --> 00:35:38,920

They checked to see, from the military,

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00:35:38,920 --> 00:35:40,920

and see if they did have C5s in the area.

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00:35:40,920 --> 00:35:43,920

And they didn't have any that were VFR or IFR.

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00:35:56,920 --> 00:35:58,920

When you reported to Seattle Center

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00:35:58,920 --> 00:36:00,920

that you had spotted the altitude,

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00:36:00,920 --> 00:36:03,920

did you ask them at first if there was something else there,

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00:36:03,920 --> 00:36:06,920

or did they tell you that they could see something else?

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00:36:06,920 --> 00:36:07,920

I do.

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00:36:07,920 --> 00:36:09,920

When I asked them first if there was something else,

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00:36:09,920 --> 00:36:11,920

they said, well, there is.

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00:36:11,920 --> 00:36:13,920

Because it's a reference to...

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00:36:13,920 --> 00:36:15,920

So I've got him again,

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00:36:15,920 --> 00:36:17,920

something to that effect, and he said,

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00:36:17,920 --> 00:36:19,920

we do have a blip there,

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00:36:19,920 --> 00:36:21,920

but we don't know about altitude or anything else.

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00:36:21,920 --> 00:36:23,920

I asked him if they had a target, if you ask me.

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00:36:23,920 --> 00:36:26,920

I explained to him, I had to sight him again.

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00:36:31,920 --> 00:36:35,920

And no instrument or radio problems from there, northbound?

684

00:36:35,920 --> 00:36:37,920

No, no problem whatsoever.

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00:36:44,920 --> 00:36:46,920

Well, something that big, you know, people driving,

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00:36:46,920 --> 00:36:48,920

up and down,

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00:36:48,920 --> 00:36:50,920

the clear day, you know,

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00:36:50,920 --> 00:36:52,920

the sight of people report.

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00:36:54,920 --> 00:36:56,920

That's true.

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00:36:56,920 --> 00:36:58,920

Traffic was pretty light.

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00:36:58,920 --> 00:37:00,920

No matter if I didn't see anybody on the road.

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00:37:00,920 --> 00:37:02,920

You'd think of it.

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00:37:02,920 --> 00:37:04,920

Of course, you're up pretty high,

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00:37:04,920 --> 00:37:07,920

but a little car is at 10,500 feet.

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00:37:12,920 --> 00:37:14,920

You can see by my altitude here on the plane,

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00:37:14,920 --> 00:37:16,920

see the mountains 14,

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00:37:16,920 --> 00:37:18,920

and you can see about where the eye level was

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00:37:18,920 --> 00:37:20,920

was right about through here.

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00:37:20,920 --> 00:37:23,920

Did you ever get the urge to close in on this thing?

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00:37:23,920 --> 00:37:25,920

No.

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00:37:29,920 --> 00:37:31,920

Your curiosity stopped.

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00:37:31,920 --> 00:37:33,920

I stopped when I got that close and it emerged.

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00:37:33,920 --> 00:37:35,920

I said, oh, that's okay.

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00:37:35,920 --> 00:37:37,920

I wasn't curious.

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00:37:37,920 --> 00:37:40,920

About when it showed up close to you down near Lassen,

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00:37:40,920 --> 00:37:42,920

did that kind of startle you?

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00:37:42,920 --> 00:37:44,920

It startled me, but that was about it.

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00:37:44,920 --> 00:37:46,920

I didn't, didn't scare me or anything.

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00:37:46,920 --> 00:37:48,920

The thing that I was fighting was time,

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00:37:48,920 --> 00:37:50,920

because I didn't want to file IFR.

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00:37:50,920 --> 00:37:52,920

I had come into Portland,

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00:37:52,920 --> 00:37:54,920

and I almost wanted for him to do that anyway.

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00:38:00,920 --> 00:38:02,920

I was really fighting time,

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00:38:02,920 --> 00:38:04,920

and I got in all the way in,

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00:38:04,920 --> 00:38:06,920

and he had hard conditions,

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00:38:06,920 --> 00:38:08,920

but I wasn't down to about 10 minutes,

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00:38:08,920 --> 00:38:10,920

and I didn't have IFR.

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00:38:10,920 --> 00:38:12,920

You couldn't see two feet in front of you,

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00:38:12,920 --> 00:38:14,920

because they were so heavy.

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00:38:14,920 --> 00:38:16,920

So you've never had a full experience before?

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00:38:16,920 --> 00:38:18,920

No, I haven't.

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00:38:18,920 --> 00:38:20,920

Do you know any pilots or friends that are there?

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00:38:20,920 --> 00:38:22,920

No, I don't.

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00:38:22,920 --> 00:38:24,920

Have you talked about this to anyone on that?

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00:38:24,920 --> 00:38:26,920

Just a couple of friends I asked,

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00:38:26,920 --> 00:38:28,920

and they were worried about something,

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00:38:28,920 --> 00:38:30,920

you know, pain on just a couple of people.

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00:38:30,920 --> 00:38:33,920

That's your brother?