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I'm calling from Medford, Oregon.

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And I talked to the tower here at the airport and they gave me your number.

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And this morning I had a pretty good sighting of the 1 UFO.

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Okay, I would put the time at about 7.20, between 7.20 and 7.30.

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And it was south of the town of Medford, between two smaller towns of teammates and talent.

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And this morning there's about a 200 foot cover of fog, I would say, in the valley.

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And I live about 300 feet above.

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So I had a pretty good view of the valley and the fog.

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And I could see both sides of the valley so I could estimate where this thing was.

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It emerged kind of like a fish swimming in milk.

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I mean it never really got out of the fog area completely.

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But it looked to me like a flattened football flying on its edge.

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And also seemed to have slight striations on the side, like a sunflower seed.

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And it was doing what I would consider, I used to be a pilot.

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And it was like doing procedure, lazy 8's, just kind of coming out and then rotating and going back into the fog.

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And pretty much at the top surface of the fog.

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And the sun had not come up yet.

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It was up and it was light, but it wasn't shining on the fog.

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We live in a valley here.

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And I called three of my children over and they all saw what I was looking at.

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At first it looked like a small, like the Grigior Blimp or something.

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But it seemed to be flatter, you know.

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And it was flying at what I would consider very leisurely speed, like 80 miles an hour or something like that.

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And of course it was actually flying just, I'd say, 100 or 150 feet above the ground at that time.

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And it was coming out of the fog approximately a mile and a half away from me, because it was coming out of the middle of the valley.

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And it was also then rotating around, you know, clockwise, as I recall, general clockwise kind of a rotation around in the fog.

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Around the perimeter of the valley, it never got up any closer to us.

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But it looked like it would be somewhere in the neighborhood of 40 to 60 feet long, I would guess, at that distance.

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It wasn't real large.

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And it wasn't illuminated at all.

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It was kind of like, kind of grayish in its tonality, mostly because it was still in some of the drifted fog.

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Right. Did this thing carry any colored lights?

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None at all.

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And it just reminded me of a fish or something swimming in milk.

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I mean, I could just kind of see it and then that and it would go along and then come out and emerge and be darker as it was more clearly visible.

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But it was generally gray. It had no bright colors at all.

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Okay. Has it made the tour of the valley? Did it all come fairly close to the ground?

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I would say it was darn close to the ground because the top of the fog must have been between 150 and 200 feet above the ground.

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Very close.

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So it was moving pretty much in an area of the old 99 highway which goes between Medford and Ashwood.

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Very, very good. But there's another highway, I-5, which goes through the valley also but is further away from our house.

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Okay. Do you have any estimate on the distance from you?

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Yeah, I'd say mile and a half.

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Okay. Did you observe this from out of doors at any time?

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No. I didn't. I was out of doors afterwards when I was on my way to work and I looked down there and it just wasn't visible at that time.

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But usually the sound carries, I mean if this had an engine on it or anything we wouldn't have heard it.

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But as far as I know this morning I worked in a fairly large company here and I-

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Well, just around a little bit and nobody and people who even lived down there didn't hear anything.

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Okay. How did this object disappear?

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Just in the haze.

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It just moved on.

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It didn't speed up and leave the scene or anything that I know of.

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Right. But how long did you watch that?

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I would say we were in contact with it for a good five minutes anyway.

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You feel that the object was definitely solid?

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I looked at first for things like the shadow of something else that would make that shape on the surface of the top of the cloud.

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But it didn't have that quality of being a shadow.

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It actually changed in its tonality from being very light to coming out of the fog and being relatively dark.

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And there was no sunshine falling directly on the cloud anyway so there couldn't have been a shadow.

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And how many witnesses on that?

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Including myself, four.

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And you got our number from mid for tower?

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Yeah, I checked here to find out.

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I know the fellow here who has a flying service and I thought there could have been a possibility of some kind of practicing instruments, but not at that level because that would have been really...

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Super dangerous.

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No, he said nothing was in the air.

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The tower, of course, the radar here is 6,000 feet.

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I don't think they can pick up anything down in the valley.

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Okay, we'll get on this and if we come up with any more information while we get back to you, I'll let you know.

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Yeah, I'd like to know if what I saw is a general description of what is reported as being seen.

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Is it?

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Yes, I would say that it is.

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Just from your description, I would kind of picture something all wool-shaped.

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Seeing that you would describe something like a football frightened.

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Or not on the lips.

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And proceeding rather leisurely, that's what the man means.

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It was like a, at first it was like a Goodyear blimp coming out of the fog and it was not that fast.

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But it was moving much more athletically than a blimp, what?

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A blimp would just, you know, kind of hover there and move very sluggishly.

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And something moved almost like a fish would move if it were swimming in a pool.

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You say that it was definitely under intelligent control?

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Well, I don't know, you know.

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I mean, yes, I would guess so.

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Sometimes control is actually staying within the boundary of the fog.

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You never seem to want to get out of it.

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All right, sooner or later we'll see what we can do about this.

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