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00:00:15,540 --> 00:00:12,720
welcome back everybody to epic voyages

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00:00:18,839 --> 00:00:15,550
radio online here at inception radio

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00:00:21,510 --> 00:00:18,849
network comm I am your host this evening

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00:00:23,339 --> 00:00:21,520
Laurel Blythe tag I'm the vice president

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00:00:26,819 --> 00:00:23,349
and New York State Director for epic

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00:00:30,389 --> 00:00:26,829
voyagers and check out our website at

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00:00:32,690 --> 00:00:30,399
epic voyagers dot-com we have a youtube

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00:00:35,340 --> 00:00:32,700
channel with several hundred hours of

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00:00:39,120 --> 00:00:35,350
presentations there and some of our

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00:00:41,970 --> 00:00:39,130
archive shows going back for many years

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00:00:44,790 --> 00:00:41,980
and of course inception radio network

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00:00:48,330 --> 00:00:44,800
always keeps our archived webcast here I

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00:00:50,490 --> 00:00:48,340

think they go back to June of 2011 so

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all you have to do is go to inception

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radio network go to shows go to archives

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click on our icon there for epic voyages

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00:01:04,469 --> 00:01:01,600

radio and take your pick so we're

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00:01:08,310 --> 00:01:04,479

getting pretty close to the end of the

19

00:01:11,669 --> 00:01:08,320

year here and what we've got tonight for

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00:01:14,419 --> 00:01:11,679

a show back in April I interviewed Mike

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00:01:18,599 --> 00:01:14,429

Campbell the author of Amelia Earhart

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00:01:21,379 --> 00:01:18,609

the truth at last a book that compiles I

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00:01:24,719 --> 00:01:21,389

guess it's about 500 pages or so of

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00:01:27,660 --> 00:01:24,729

information compiling evidence and

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00:01:31,679 --> 00:01:27,670

eyewitness testimonies the work of many

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00:01:35,270 --> 00:01:31,689

people over 60 or 70 years all of it

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00:01:38,249 --> 00:01:35,280

pertaining to what actually happened to

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00:01:42,870 --> 00:01:38,259

Amelia Earhart Fred Noonan and her

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00:01:45,270 --> 00:01:42,880

Electra on July 2nd 1937 some people

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00:01:47,789 --> 00:01:45,280

think that it crashed in the ocean some

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00:01:49,859 --> 00:01:47,799

people think that whatever happened to

32

00:01:52,379 --> 00:01:49,869

the plane that she actually wound up

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00:01:56,699 --> 00:01:52,389

coming back to the US and living

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00:01:59,309 --> 00:01:56,709

incognito as someone and it's beginning

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00:02:02,870 --> 00:01:59,319

to look like the real oh I forgot to

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00:02:05,910 --> 00:02:02,880

mention the nickim Ororo hypothesis and

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00:02:08,809 --> 00:02:05,920

then it's beginning to look as I was

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00:02:11,670 --> 00:02:08,819

going to say that the real story is

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00:02:15,000 --> 00:02:11,680

likely to have been that she touched

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00:02:18,570 --> 00:02:15,010

down on an atoll in the marshall islands

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00:02:21,060 --> 00:02:18,580

and the plane was slightly damaged for

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00:02:26,700 --> 00:02:21,070

at noon and was injured there's

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00:02:29,310 --> 00:02:26,710

eyewitness testimony of a young Pacific

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00:02:32,880 --> 00:02:29,320

Islander who actually treated Noonan's

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00:02:35,580 --> 00:02:32,890

head injury on border ship

46

00:02:39,150 --> 00:02:35,590

Amelia Earhart and Fred were taken to

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00:02:41,580 --> 00:02:39,160

Saipan where they eventually died and

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00:02:43,800 --> 00:02:41,590

there's a lot of detail that supports

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00:02:48,660 --> 00:02:43,810

that eyewitness testimony some of it

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00:02:51,810 --> 00:02:48,670

from very highly decorated officers in

51
00:02:52,950 --> 00:02:51,820
the US military so that's what we're

52
00:02:56,699 --> 00:02:52,960
going to talk about tonight but

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00:02:59,790 --> 00:02:56,709
tonight's focus is going to be the newly

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00:03:03,810 --> 00:02:59,800
recovered evidence from a toll from

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00:03:06,660 --> 00:03:03,820
Milly a toll that may actually finally

56
00:03:09,210 --> 00:03:06,670
confirm the rest of the eyewitness

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00:03:12,199 --> 00:03:09,220
testimony and and reports from the

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00:03:15,740 --> 00:03:12,209
Islanders the the bottom line I've

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00:03:18,449 --> 00:03:15,750
explained that they went off course

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00:03:20,760 --> 00:03:18,459
landed off of Milly atoll and the

61
00:03:25,259 --> 00:03:20,770
marshals picked up by a Japanese fishing

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00:03:27,870 --> 00:03:25,269
vessel taken to I hope I'm saying this

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00:03:32,280 --> 00:03:27,880

right shall you eat and then quasi lean

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00:03:34,110 --> 00:03:32,290

and then finally to Saipan the Elector

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00:03:37,320 --> 00:03:34,120

the airplane itself was strapped to a

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00:03:40,440 --> 00:03:37,330

Japanese ship and also hauled to Saipan

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00:03:42,690 --> 00:03:40,450

where it was hidden in a remote hangar

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00:03:45,620 --> 00:03:42,700

there at the southwest end of the island

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00:03:50,040 --> 00:03:45,630

and was actually rediscovered in July of

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00:03:54,930 --> 00:03:50,050

1944 by the invading US Marines this is

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00:03:57,979 --> 00:03:54,940

more eyewitness testimony so tonight

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00:04:01,470 --> 00:03:57,989

we're talking to as I said Mike Campbell

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but we're also welcoming for the first

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00:04:09,810 --> 00:04:06,760

time on the show Dix pink Richards pink

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00:04:14,310 --> 00:04:09,820

he is a man of all seasons a teacher a

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00:04:16,830 --> 00:04:14,320

captain a diver a manufacturer of

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00:04:18,659 --> 00:04:16,840

premium quality aluminum boat kits for

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00:04:20,849 --> 00:04:18,669

do-it-yourselfers and commercial boat

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builders and he's also an Earhart

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00:04:26,370 --> 00:04:24,070

researcher on his own dime not asking

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00:04:29,010 --> 00:04:26,380

for financial support from anyone else

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00:04:31,500 --> 00:04:29,020

to pursue to pursue his research in the

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00:04:34,380 --> 00:04:31,510

same way that Mike Campbell does

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00:04:36,840 --> 00:04:34,390

so dick recently collaborated on a

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00:04:39,410 --> 00:04:36,850

documentary which revealed newly

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00:04:42,930 --> 00:04:39,420

discovered artifacts from Milly atoll

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00:04:46,010 --> 00:04:42,940

and confirming some of the eyewitness

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00:04:50,370 --> 00:04:46,020

testimony that appears in Mike's books

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he also let's see Tarte to at least two

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00:04:55,980 --> 00:04:53,350

experts in that documentary about the

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00:04:57,330 --> 00:04:55,990

metal parts that he recovered so tonight

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00:04:59,850 --> 00:04:57,340

that's pretty much what we're going to

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00:05:02,750 --> 00:04:59,860

talk about is those parts and the

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00:05:07,140 --> 00:05:02,760

process for confirming that they are

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00:05:10,440 --> 00:05:07,150

actually from the Electra and related to

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00:05:13,590 --> 00:05:10,450

Earhart's last trip so gentlemen Mike

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00:05:15,870 --> 00:05:13,600

dick welcome to epic voyages radio thank

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00:05:17,810 --> 00:05:15,880

you very much Laura good to be with you

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00:05:21,030 --> 00:05:17,820

Laurel thanks a lot for having us again

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00:05:25,070 --> 00:05:21,040

really good to be with you and thank you

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00:05:29,700 --> 00:05:25,080

for all of your support in all of your

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00:05:32,280 --> 00:05:29,710

concern about this Earhart thing it's so

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00:05:33,390 --> 00:05:32,290

it's such a misunderstood piece of

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00:05:36,720 --> 00:05:33,400

American history

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00:05:38,960 --> 00:05:36,730

you when you let off the show and you

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00:05:42,360 --> 00:05:38,970

talked about what happened basically

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00:05:44,280 --> 00:05:42,370

that they went down on 'add millie they

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00:05:48,350 --> 00:05:44,290

were picked up by the japanese taken to

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00:05:51,840 --> 00:05:48,360

jail a width into Khwaja lane then to

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00:05:54,450 --> 00:05:51,850

Saipan you talked about that as if that

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00:05:57,510 --> 00:05:54,460

was a affect in fact it is a fact but

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00:05:59,550 --> 00:05:57,520

you are one of the very few people in

113

00:06:03,390 --> 00:05:59,560

the world that that actually that

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00:06:06,060 --> 00:06:03,400

actually believes that as a fact you

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00:06:08,220 --> 00:06:06,070

know the vast majority of people in our

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00:06:10,080 --> 00:06:08,230

country especially since we're talking

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00:06:12,780 --> 00:06:10,090

about one of our greatest American

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00:06:16,500 --> 00:06:12,790

citizens of all time still believes that

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00:06:18,840 --> 00:06:16,510

the Earhart matter is a complete mystery

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00:06:22,050 --> 00:06:18,850

and that it will never be solved this is

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00:06:23,550 --> 00:06:22,060

the this is the typical belief of the

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00:06:24,690 --> 00:06:23,560

person on the street if they've ever

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00:06:27,570 --> 00:06:24,700

heard of her at all

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00:06:29,640 --> 00:06:27,580

secondarily too that if they if they've

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00:06:31,170 --> 00:06:29,650

ever really paid any attention at all to

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00:06:33,570 --> 00:06:31,180

the press and what the press is saying

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00:06:35,670 --> 00:06:33,580

they will think that she landed at

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00:06:41,310 --> 00:06:35,680

nickim Aurora which you mentioned this

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00:06:43,500 --> 00:06:41,320

is the overwhelming a belief that the

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00:06:45,480 --> 00:06:43,510

press and the media is trying to

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00:06:48,540 --> 00:06:45,490

convince people happen

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00:06:50,790 --> 00:06:48,550

since 1989 when Tiger made their first

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00:06:54,300 --> 00:06:50,800

trip over to Nick Amara we'll get into

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00:06:56,390 --> 00:06:54,310

all that later but again yeah thank you

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00:06:59,670 --> 00:06:56,400

so much for having us

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00:07:01,710 --> 00:06:59,680

absolutely dick say something about

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00:07:04,110 --> 00:07:01,720

yourself and how you got into this line

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00:07:06,750 --> 00:07:04,120

of research well you know it all started

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00:07:08,730 --> 00:07:06,760

for me on a trip to the Marshall Islands

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00:07:11,550 --> 00:07:08,740

when I was selling some aluminum boat

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00:07:14,130 --> 00:07:11,560

kits I was first approached by Ramsey

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00:07:17,790 --> 00:07:14,140

rhymers who has become my marshalese

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00:07:19,650 --> 00:07:17,800

brother and I was adopted basically into

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00:07:21,660 --> 00:07:19,660

the culture I went down there to teach

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00:07:23,910 --> 00:07:21,670

the youth how to build aluminum boats my

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00:07:26,820 --> 00:07:23,920

aluminum boat kits and one of the days

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00:07:28,440 --> 00:07:26,830

when I was sitting it with Ramsey and we

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00:07:30,510 --> 00:07:28,450

were at senator Toni two brooms house

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00:07:33,600 --> 00:07:30,520

whose minister to the president right

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00:07:37,740 --> 00:07:33,610

now and we were talking about all the

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00:07:39,510 --> 00:07:37,750

different war relics that are sunk in

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00:07:42,000 --> 00:07:39,520

the lagoons in the Marshall Islands and

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00:07:44,790 --> 00:07:42,010

we were talking about different aircraft

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00:07:47,160 --> 00:07:44,800

and ships and and I just happened to say

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00:07:49,320 --> 00:07:47,170

well didn't Amelia Earhart disappear in

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00:07:51,270 --> 00:07:49,330

this part of the world and at the end of

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00:07:53,970 --> 00:07:51,280

one of the tables were sitting at was an

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00:07:56,159 --> 00:07:53,980

erosion and owning king who said yeah

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00:07:58,290 --> 00:07:56,169

when I was a little boy she landed on

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00:08:00,900 --> 00:07:58,300

our Island and my uncle watched her for

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00:08:04,440 --> 00:08:00,910

two days and I you know you can imagine

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00:08:06,210 --> 00:08:04,450

I just said that's yeah right I did I

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00:08:08,010 --> 00:08:06,220

didn't believe him because I just

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00:08:09,360 --> 00:08:08,020

thought what everybody else thought she

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00:08:12,090 --> 00:08:09,370

crashed and sank in the ocean right

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00:08:15,420 --> 00:08:12,100

that's the story I was told well after I

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00:08:18,750 --> 00:08:15,430

got chewed out by Ramsey and Tony for

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00:08:20,670 --> 00:08:18,760

laughing at a king I well I'm sorry

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00:08:22,890 --> 00:08:20,680

you know please go on tell me the story

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00:08:25,650 --> 00:08:22,900

and that's basically where it started

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00:08:27,270 --> 00:08:25,660

for me I just heard these things from

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00:08:28,770 --> 00:08:27,280

the trips that I'd made down there this

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00:08:31,860 --> 00:08:28,780

first trip I made down there was about

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00:08:33,390 --> 00:08:31,870

five and a half years ago when I then

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00:08:35,760 --> 00:08:33,400

this it wasn't on the first trip this is

176
00:08:38,700 --> 00:08:35,770
probably the second trip when I heard

177
00:08:40,610 --> 00:08:38,710
that and so the next time I went down I

178
00:08:43,140 --> 00:08:40,620
took a video camera with me I started

179
00:08:45,990 --> 00:08:43,150
recording some of these conversations

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00:08:48,540 --> 00:08:46,000
and I mean that's how it all started for

181
00:08:50,700 --> 00:08:48,550
me all I'm trying to do is just tell the

182
00:08:52,829 --> 00:08:50,710
Marshall Islands story I mean it's this

183
00:08:55,530 --> 00:08:52,839
is just part of their history they are

184
00:08:57,090 --> 00:08:55,540
very good with their oral history of

185
00:08:59,290 --> 00:08:57,100
what has happened in the Marshall

186
00:09:01,880 --> 00:08:59,300
Islands they have postage stamps with

187
00:09:03,920 --> 00:09:01,890
Amelia Earhart's aircraft on them and

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00:09:07,160 --> 00:09:03,930

it's just part of their history they

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00:09:10,340 --> 00:09:07,170

know that it happened so that's

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00:09:12,230 --> 00:09:10,350

basically this was handed to me I didn't

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00:09:13,760 --> 00:09:12,240

go out searching familiar Earhart or

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00:09:15,290 --> 00:09:13,770

anything else I mean like I said five

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00:09:16,880 --> 00:09:15,300

years ago if you were to ask me about a

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00:09:19,070 --> 00:09:16,890

military heart I would just say

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00:09:20,960 --> 00:09:19,080

something like well wasn't she the one

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00:09:23,260 --> 00:09:20,970

that crashed and sank in the Pacific

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00:09:26,750 --> 00:09:23,270

Ocean trying to fly around the world and

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00:09:28,730 --> 00:09:26,760

now after hearing the Marshall Islands

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00:09:31,160 --> 00:09:28,740

story from all these different people

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and then starting to meet different

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00:09:38,000 --> 00:09:35,070
researchers like Mike and Carol Dow is

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00:09:41,180 --> 00:09:38,010
who I first talked to and just talking

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00:09:44,780 --> 00:09:41,190
to different people that have researched

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00:09:49,840 --> 00:09:44,790
this that have so much knowledge I just

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00:09:53,050 --> 00:09:49,850
you know I I started putting these

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00:09:56,810 --> 00:09:53,060
basically these interviews together and

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00:10:00,740 --> 00:09:56,820
next thing you know I organized my first

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00:10:04,190 --> 00:10:00,750
expedition on Martin Daly's vessel down

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00:10:05,870 --> 00:10:04,200
to Milly and ended up by the time it was

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00:10:10,340 --> 00:10:05,880
all done I've been down to Milly on four

211
00:10:13,070 --> 00:10:10,350
separate expeditions I can't even

212
00:10:15,320 --> 00:10:13,080
imagine what the odds are that guy from

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00:10:17,330 --> 00:10:15,330

wash you're in Washington State right

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00:10:19,040 --> 00:10:17,340

yeah I'm in Melbourne in Washington as I

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00:10:21,380 --> 00:10:19,050

teach it Mount Vernon High School I

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00:10:23,120 --> 00:10:21,390

can't imagine what the odds are that a

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00:10:25,130 --> 00:10:23,130

fellow from Washington State would

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00:10:27,890 --> 00:10:25,140

happen to be over the Marshall Islands

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00:10:33,200 --> 00:10:27,900

and this specific topic would come up

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and you'd have a background in aluminum

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parts on

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00:10:41,330 --> 00:10:39,630

Vettel's of different kinds and you'd

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00:10:46,760 --> 00:10:41,340

find yourself doing this I just think

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00:10:48,980 --> 00:10:46,770

that's remarkably serendipitous it was a

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00:10:51,110 --> 00:10:48,990

it was quite an adventure and it still

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00:10:53,930 --> 00:10:51,120

is quite an adventure I mean it goes on

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00:10:55,760 --> 00:10:53,940

it's it's it's just been an amazing

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00:10:59,990 --> 00:10:55,770

chapter in my life I have really enjoyed

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00:11:01,940 --> 00:11:00,000

this well what do you mind telling us

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00:11:04,820 --> 00:11:01,950

first of all I want to remind everybody

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00:11:08,360 --> 00:11:04,830

that were we're talking to Mike Campbell

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00:11:10,940 --> 00:11:08,370

and Richard or dick [h__h] about newly

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recovered evidence from mili atoll over

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in the Marshall Islands related to

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00:11:18,740 --> 00:11:15,870

the actual disposition of Amelia

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Earhart's final leg of her last flight

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00:11:24,080 --> 00:11:21,780

and I believe in a little while we'll be

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00:11:28,670 --> 00:11:24,090

joined by one of their colleagues who is

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00:11:32,630 --> 00:11:28,680

an expert involved in connecting these

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artifacts with X with other experts and

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forensic analysis labs that may actually

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be trying to vet these but dick what

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tell us exactly what it was that you

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recovered and when did you find them on

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00:11:51,710 --> 00:11:49,560

Mele atoll and I'm sorry interrupting

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00:11:54,170 --> 00:11:51,720

myself here something that I learned

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00:11:57,590 --> 00:11:54,180

today and getting ready for this that I

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00:11:59,990 --> 00:11:57,600

did not realize before and I'm totally

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not educated about the eight holes and

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the islands over in the in the Pacific

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but mili atoll is actually it looks like

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it's almost like a bracelet the the

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00:12:17,210 --> 00:12:13,410

beach itself is a bracelet and on the

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00:12:19,220 --> 00:12:17,220

outside of the bracelet is the ocean and

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00:12:21,650 --> 00:12:19,230

inside of the bracelet is a lagoon

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because there was a volcano there and

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when the volcano went off what was left

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00:12:29,630 --> 00:12:26,700

of the caldera filled up with water and

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00:12:31,820 --> 00:12:29,640

so it's really like a ring of beach

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00:12:34,670 --> 00:12:31,830

that's around a central a very large

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central Lagoon right basically you're

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correct what happened is the volcano

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became extinct it collapsed back into

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00:12:44,660 --> 00:12:42,450

the ocean and the coral rate grew at the

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same rate that the atoll was sinking

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back into the ocean and so what you've

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00:12:52,070 --> 00:12:48,720

got is you've got this coral atoll which

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00:12:54,080 --> 00:12:52,080

you're right Amelia toll is about fifty

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00:12:54,560 --> 00:12:54,090

to sixty miles across from north to

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00:12:57,290 --> 00:12:54,570

south

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so the lagoon is immense it and the

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00:13:03,380 --> 00:12:58,790

Marshall Islands is the largest Atoll

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00:13:05,120 --> 00:13:03,390

nation on the planet and the there's

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00:13:07,160 --> 00:13:05,130

thousands of miles in the Marshall

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00:13:09,230 --> 00:13:07,170

Islands the Marshall Islands compose is

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00:13:11,780 --> 00:13:09,240

composed of a million square miles of

277

00:13:15,140 --> 00:13:11,790

area yet the landmass is only about the

278

00:13:18,470 --> 00:13:15,150

size of Rhode Island so land is precious

279

00:13:20,290 --> 00:13:18,480

there and thousands of islands they're

280

00:13:23,330 --> 00:13:20,300

not that many of them that are really

281

00:13:27,500 --> 00:13:23,340

inhabited a lot of these still today are

282

00:13:29,120 --> 00:13:27,510

very uninhabited islands Wow those of

283

00:13:31,010 --> 00:13:29,130

you that are actually online with us in

284

00:13:34,970 --> 00:13:31,020

the chat room at inception radio network

285

00:13:39,380 --> 00:13:34,980

I am posting links and pictures images

286

00:13:40,670 --> 00:13:39,390

maps things that will help back up some

287

00:13:43,520 --> 00:13:40,680

of the things that we're talking about

288

00:13:45,500 --> 00:13:43,530

tonight so if you are handy to a browser

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00:13:48,230 --> 00:13:45,510

you might want to join us at inception

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00:13:50,350 --> 00:13:48,240

radio network comm go to the chat room

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00:13:53,360 --> 00:13:50,360

and take a look at some of the

292

00:13:56,930 --> 00:13:53,370

illustrations I'm putting up there so

293

00:13:59,330 --> 00:13:56,940

dick what did you find there what

294

00:14:01,130 --> 00:13:59,340

happened on the on the expedition when

295

00:14:03,650 --> 00:14:01,140

we came down we had like I mentioned

296

00:14:06,800 --> 00:14:03,660

earlier Martin Daly Indies trader is the

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00:14:09,890 --> 00:14:06,810

founder of Indies trader we were able to

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00:14:12,410 --> 00:14:09,900

take his vessel to windward from Majuro

299

00:14:14,870 --> 00:14:12,420

and from Majuro on Majuro at ultra

300

00:14:17,750 --> 00:14:14,880

million toll it's about 80 miles so we

301
00:14:21,230 --> 00:14:17,760
came down in two vessels the windward

302
00:14:24,650 --> 00:14:21,240
and the trader - and we had a crew of

303
00:14:28,310 --> 00:14:24,660
about 30 people in all with some local

304
00:14:31,130 --> 00:14:28,320
natives and I had several metal

305
00:14:33,830 --> 00:14:31,140
detectors and we went out in groups with

306
00:14:36,800 --> 00:14:33,840
picks shovels metal detectors and we

307
00:14:41,090 --> 00:14:36,810
combed the whole island at the location

308
00:14:43,940 --> 00:14:41,100
where I was told exactly where she came

309
00:14:46,700 --> 00:14:43,950
down from the story that jarrell and

310
00:14:49,640 --> 00:14:46,710
Lajja Juan told and we basically just

311
00:14:52,100 --> 00:14:49,650
started combing all Island over and on

312
00:14:53,600 --> 00:14:52,110
that island I mean any of the islands in

313
00:14:56,540 --> 00:14:53,610

the Pacific what you've got is you've

314

00:14:58,850 --> 00:14:56,550

just got a lot of debris that has

315

00:15:01,070 --> 00:14:58,860

floated up you know tons and tons of

316

00:15:03,200 --> 00:15:01,080

shoes and medicine bottles they're just

317

00:15:05,720 --> 00:15:03,210

everywhere and you can see those in in

318

00:15:07,580 --> 00:15:05,730

my documentary that all the things we

319

00:15:09,530 --> 00:15:07,590

got from the metal detectors were little

320

00:15:11,540 --> 00:15:09,540

metal bands on medicine bottles and and

321

00:15:15,170 --> 00:15:11,550

little things like that that would float

322

00:15:18,020 --> 00:15:15,180

in and occasionally we saw some some

323

00:15:20,900 --> 00:15:18,030

other pieces of metal that that may have

324

00:15:23,480 --> 00:15:20,910

been from some of the people on that

325

00:15:25,280 --> 00:15:23,490

island that harvested the copra nobody

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00:15:28,370 --> 00:15:25,290

on these small little islands that we

327

00:15:30,620 --> 00:15:28,380

set out to there wasn't anybody there

328

00:15:32,930 --> 00:15:30,630

that had lived on that Island outside of

329

00:15:34,370 --> 00:15:32,940

the people that would harvest the

330

00:15:35,840 --> 00:15:34,380

natives that would harvest the copra and

331

00:15:36,860 --> 00:15:35,850

that's the dried white meat in the

332

00:15:40,970 --> 00:15:36,870

coconut

333

00:15:43,700 --> 00:15:40,980

and so anyway we we just started every

334

00:15:45,710 --> 00:15:43,710

time we get a ping we'd dig it up and we

335

00:15:48,500 --> 00:15:45,720

went through and by the end of the day

336

00:15:50,570 --> 00:15:48,510

the different groups we came back in and

337

00:15:52,490 --> 00:15:50,580

we had one piece that was the most

338

00:15:57,920 --> 00:15:52,500

interesting piece that really set me off

339

00:16:00,680 --> 00:15:57,930

at first was this oval-shaped metal tag

340

00:16:03,170 --> 00:16:00,690

that you know I didn't think too much of

341

00:16:07,160 --> 00:16:03,180

it to begin with I'm not a hit by any

342

00:16:10,100 --> 00:16:07,170

means of forensic airplane person that

343

00:16:12,740 --> 00:16:10,110

can you know exactly tell you what it is

344

00:16:16,280 --> 00:16:12,750

I'm looking at I had to do that once I

345

00:16:18,170 --> 00:16:16,290

came back but I picked up this piece of

346

00:16:20,240 --> 00:16:18,180

metal actually Martin Daly was the one

347

00:16:21,440 --> 00:16:20,250

that got the ping on this one and dug it

348

00:16:23,390 --> 00:16:21,450

up and brought it back to where we were

349

00:16:28,190 --> 00:16:23,400

wrote down the spot where he found it

350

00:16:29,750 --> 00:16:28,200

and it was the same size as an APU cover

351

00:16:31,970 --> 00:16:29,760

and that's initially what we thought

352

00:16:35,810 --> 00:16:31,980

this piece of aluminum was is an APU

353

00:16:38,750 --> 00:16:35,820

cover plate and it is for those who are

354

00:16:41,690 --> 00:16:38,760

not Lockheed experts for an 8-year view

355

00:16:44,360 --> 00:16:41,700

is an auxiliary power unit explain what

356

00:16:46,280 --> 00:16:44,370

what is an auxiliary power unit on one

357

00:16:48,050 --> 00:16:46,290

wing one aircraft come back in and they

358

00:16:49,940 --> 00:16:48,060

they run a short power cord to and

359

00:16:51,860 --> 00:16:49,950

basically well I but I'm speaking marine

360

00:16:53,330 --> 00:16:51,870

here but an airplane you you bring a

361

00:16:54,860 --> 00:16:53,340

power cord over and you plug in you keep

362

00:16:56,900 --> 00:16:54,870

your batteries up to charge and

363

00:16:59,660 --> 00:16:56,910

everything that's inside an aircraft

364

00:17:01,340 --> 00:16:59,670

it's it's up to a full charge on this

365

00:17:02,810 --> 00:17:01,350

plug that plugs it's like plug in an

366

00:17:05,330 --> 00:17:02,820

extension cord into your airplane and

367

00:17:08,420 --> 00:17:05,340

this is called an auxiliary power unit

368

00:17:10,820 --> 00:17:08,430

plug in and it is an oval-shaped about

369

00:17:12,640 --> 00:17:10,830

the same size as this plate so you know

370

00:17:18,650 --> 00:17:12,650

initially that's what we thought it was

371

00:17:21,050 --> 00:17:18,660

but you know it it it it would tend more

372

00:17:23,750 --> 00:17:21,060

and we're right in the in the research

373

00:17:27,260 --> 00:17:23,760

of this it would tend more to possibly

374

00:17:28,790 --> 00:17:27,270

be a little inspection plate of some

375

00:17:32,630 --> 00:17:28,800

type the thing that makes this piece

376

00:17:35,270 --> 00:17:32,640

very unique is that it has the reddish

377

00:17:37,340 --> 00:17:35,280

orange paint and now this is after 77

378

00:17:40,880 --> 00:17:37,350

years of fading in the Sun and being on

379

00:17:45,980 --> 00:17:40,890

a beach and in underneath coconut trees

380

00:17:48,620 --> 00:17:45,990

but this paint appears to be very close

381

00:17:49,700 --> 00:17:48,630

if not the same color as Amelia

382

00:17:53,180 --> 00:17:49,710

Earhart's

383

00:17:55,580 --> 00:17:53,190

paint on her aircraft she had red on the

384

00:17:57,080 --> 00:17:55,590

leading edges of her wings and what

385

00:17:59,389 --> 00:17:57,090

we're going to what we're doing is in

386

00:18:01,669 --> 00:17:59,399

the forensic process of trying to

387

00:18:04,490 --> 00:18:01,679

diagnose all this trying to get some of

388

00:18:07,490 --> 00:18:04,500

the original paint and doing some

389

00:18:11,590 --> 00:18:07,500

analysis to make sure then we can try

390

00:18:14,899 --> 00:18:11,600

and see if this is the exact same paint

391

00:18:18,289 --> 00:18:14,909

the APU and I've put a picture up here

392

00:18:20,630 --> 00:18:18,299

on the taproom so everybody can see it

393

00:18:22,100 --> 00:18:20,640

it looks to me I'm sure it's not the

394

00:18:24,230 --> 00:18:22,110

same size but it looks to me a lot like

395

00:18:26,419 --> 00:18:24,240

a dog tag that that the military guys

396

00:18:28,130 --> 00:18:26,429

wear around their neck well it's a bit

397

00:18:30,320 --> 00:18:28,140

bigger than that yes it's kind of the

398

00:18:31,549 --> 00:18:30,330

same shape as that and you can see

399

00:18:33,769 --> 00:18:31,559

there's some pretty good wrinkles in it

400

00:18:35,180 --> 00:18:33,779

too it's had it's been it's got 45

401
00:18:36,860 --> 00:18:35,190
degree wrinkles across it which is

402
00:18:39,409 --> 00:18:36,870
pretty consistent what happens to

403
00:18:42,200 --> 00:18:39,419
airplane aluminum when it's been under

404
00:18:44,630 --> 00:18:42,210
under severe stress so it does have some

405
00:18:47,389 --> 00:18:44,640
severe wrinkles and cranks in it and the

406
00:18:49,820 --> 00:18:47,399
paint is only left it's not worn off on

407
00:18:51,649 --> 00:18:49,830
about half of one side of it is all the

408
00:18:54,830 --> 00:18:51,659
paint that's left on it but it's enough

409
00:18:56,960 --> 00:18:54,840
to tell that it is a red paint but that

410
00:19:01,100 --> 00:18:56,970
was the piece I brought back after the

411
00:19:02,870 --> 00:19:01,110
first exposition expedition and what

412
00:19:05,060 --> 00:19:02,880
became pretty interesting was there was

413
00:19:07,700 --> 00:19:05,070

a fairly small pile of pieces of

414

00:19:09,320 --> 00:19:07,710

aluminum and and I wasn't sure what was

415

00:19:11,120 --> 00:19:09,330

going to happen on this first trip I

416

00:19:12,440 --> 00:19:11,130

mean I was just kind of putting a bunch

417

00:19:13,669 --> 00:19:12,450

of things together and hey we're going

418

00:19:15,830 --> 00:19:13,679

to go out and look for a million Hart

419

00:19:17,510 --> 00:19:15,840

we're gonna you know you know I was

420

00:19:20,450 --> 00:19:17,520

listening to some of the old people's

421

00:19:23,299 --> 00:19:20,460

stories and I still wasn't absolutely

422

00:19:25,970 --> 00:19:23,309

100% convinced of this whole thing yet

423

00:19:28,669 --> 00:19:25,980

because it was pretty early on and by

424

00:19:31,010 --> 00:19:28,679

the time we ended up getting through

425

00:19:36,580 --> 00:19:31,020

this and then coming back and talking to

426

00:19:39,669 --> 00:19:36,590

Jim Hayden's is a an incredible airplane

427

00:19:44,120 --> 00:19:39,679

he's a walking encyclopedia of aircraft

428

00:19:46,310 --> 00:19:44,130

and he's on one of the photographs one

429

00:19:48,289 --> 00:19:46,320

of the pieces that I left behind which

430

00:19:50,299 --> 00:19:48,299

is this dust cover do you have another

431

00:19:52,789 --> 00:19:50,309

photograph of there I do and I'm getting

432

00:19:56,260 --> 00:19:52,799

ready to put it up there and now this

433

00:19:58,370 --> 00:19:56,270

this piece is both these pieces are very

434

00:20:02,540 --> 00:19:58,380

consistent with what would have been on

435

00:20:05,150 --> 00:20:02,550

a Lockheed Electra and this piece now

436

00:20:08,180 --> 00:20:05,160

is what we believe to be a dust cover

437

00:20:10,300 --> 00:20:08,190

off the Goodyear air wheel and that's

438

00:20:13,370 --> 00:20:10,310

what Amelia Earhart had on her aircraft

439

00:20:16,820 --> 00:20:13,380

was a Goodyear air wheel and this is one

440

00:20:19,270 --> 00:20:16,830

of the parts that had felt glued to the

441

00:20:24,050 --> 00:20:19,280

back side of it and it kept a lot of

442

00:20:26,120 --> 00:20:24,060

debris from unimproved runways because

443

00:20:29,180 --> 00:20:26,130

she had huge tires on that plane for

444

00:20:32,270 --> 00:20:29,190

unimproved runways and this kept dirt

445

00:20:34,520 --> 00:20:32,280

dirt and small rocks and pebbles out of

446

00:20:39,350 --> 00:20:34,530

the brake system that was on the brakes

447

00:20:41,810 --> 00:20:39,360

of that Goodyear air wheel so I of

448

00:20:46,850 --> 00:20:41,820

course went back on the next expedition

449

00:20:50,420 --> 00:20:46,860

and and retrieved that piece and brought

450

00:20:53,420 --> 00:20:50,430

it back and and that's when I all of a

451
00:20:55,700 --> 00:20:53,430
sudden realized hey this we are we're

452
00:20:57,290 --> 00:20:55,710
really onto something here and of course

453
00:20:58,580 --> 00:20:57,300
I had a few more interviews that I had

454
00:21:00,910 --> 00:20:58,590
to get that was when I went down and I

455
00:21:02,870 --> 00:21:00,920
got Reverend Elijah one the son of

456
00:21:04,370 --> 00:21:02,880
Olajuwon that witnessed the airplane

457
00:21:08,630 --> 00:21:04,380
come down when I actually got his

458
00:21:10,790 --> 00:21:08,640
testimony on videotape well now since

459
00:21:13,070 --> 00:21:10,800
we're talking about this I was able to

460
00:21:16,640 --> 00:21:13,080
take a look at that documentary that

461
00:21:19,910 --> 00:21:16,650
shows you doing all of this on Millie

462
00:21:22,370 --> 00:21:19,920
and talking with these natives and

463
00:21:24,640 --> 00:21:22,380

pointing to some of the other debris and

464

00:21:26,990 --> 00:21:24,650

photos that you took of this stuff

465

00:21:29,840 --> 00:21:27,000

Institute before you picked it up and

466

00:21:31,990 --> 00:21:29,850

collected it and I want you at some

467

00:21:35,300 --> 00:21:32,000

point to talk about what looks like

468

00:21:36,890 --> 00:21:35,310

bicycle tires inner tubes for bicycle

469

00:21:39,020 --> 00:21:36,900

tires I know that's not what it is but I

470

00:21:40,520 --> 00:21:39,030

want you to say something about that but

471

00:21:42,440 --> 00:21:40,530

first of all is there some sort of a

472

00:21:45,860 --> 00:21:42,450

link that people could use to take a

473

00:21:48,770 --> 00:21:45,870

look at that documentary amelia earhart

474

00:21:50,090 --> 00:21:48,780

movie.com is a link we've got and you

475

00:21:54,080 --> 00:21:50,100

can actually actually buy that

476
00:21:55,370 --> 00:21:54,090
documentary if you want to it but that

477
00:21:57,140 --> 00:21:55,380
sounds that's the link that that's going

478
00:22:01,520 --> 00:21:57,150
to be under is Amelia Earhart movie.com

479
00:22:03,290 --> 00:22:01,530
okay okay and yeah I mean there was just

480
00:22:05,270 --> 00:22:03,300
a lot of different things really that we

481
00:22:08,540 --> 00:22:05,280
looked at and saw throughout the course

482
00:22:11,450 --> 00:22:08,550
of this say this is still a whole unveil

483
00:22:13,460 --> 00:22:11,460
at this this story is unraveling as we

484
00:22:15,290 --> 00:22:13,470
go where we're just more stuff is coming

485
00:22:15,950 --> 00:22:15,300
up all the time that we're we're looking

486
00:22:18,739 --> 00:22:15,960
at

487
00:22:21,320 --> 00:22:18,749
and I'm probably going to be going down

488
00:22:24,970 --> 00:22:21,330

and doing another search I mean if we

489

00:22:28,700 --> 00:22:24,980

found some of these things with fairly

490

00:22:31,009 --> 00:22:28,710

inexpensive metal detectors and stuff

491

00:22:33,590 --> 00:22:31,019

who knows there we may be going down

492

00:22:37,580 --> 00:22:33,600

there with Mike's getting ready to go

493

00:22:39,889 --> 00:22:37,590

aren't you Mike yeah I'm getting ready

494

00:22:41,419 --> 00:22:39,899

to bring Mike in shift I think we're

495

00:22:43,789 --> 00:22:41,429

having a little bit of background noise

496

00:22:45,769 --> 00:22:43,799

from your connection so our producer is

497

00:22:46,789 --> 00:22:45,779

going to get offline with you and talk

498

00:22:50,450 --> 00:22:46,799

to you about that and in the meantime

499

00:22:53,359 --> 00:22:50,460

I'm going to talk to Mike there are so

500

00:22:54,889 --> 00:22:53,369

many conjectures I'm not even a column

501
00:22:58,669 --> 00:22:54,899
theories and I went through a little

502
00:23:00,680 --> 00:22:58,679
list of them when we started about what

503
00:23:03,440 --> 00:23:00,690
happened to her

504
00:23:06,049 --> 00:23:03,450
you know what Laurel I think that before

505
00:23:08,350 --> 00:23:06,059
we get to that okay I think it's

506
00:23:12,230 --> 00:23:08,360
important for the listener to understand

507
00:23:15,259 --> 00:23:12,240
okay that nobody here is making any

508
00:23:17,269 --> 00:23:15,269
absolute claim that this is that these

509
00:23:19,129 --> 00:23:17,279
pieces came from Amelia Earhart's

510
00:23:21,919 --> 00:23:19,139
airplane okay that's not what this

511
00:23:24,710 --> 00:23:21,929
that's not what's going on here there's

512
00:23:27,169 --> 00:23:24,720
a strong possibility I believe that it

513
00:23:29,359 --> 00:23:27,179

very well could be from her airplane

514

00:23:30,919 --> 00:23:29,369

that's because first of all there's no

515

00:23:34,070 --> 00:23:30,929

records at all there's been research

516

00:23:37,850 --> 00:23:34,080

done that shows that there hasn't been

517

00:23:40,909 --> 00:23:37,860

any recorded aircraft crashes in the

518

00:23:45,139 --> 00:23:40,919

area of berry Island or Bar Island B ARR

519

00:23:47,899 --> 00:23:45,149

ye near where of the Electra came down

520

00:23:50,779 --> 00:23:47,909

there is no indication that any aircraft

521

00:23:55,159 --> 00:23:50,789

was ever crashed in that area which is a

522

00:23:57,049 --> 00:23:55,169

very strong positive sign that if it

523

00:23:58,820 --> 00:23:57,059

wasn't any other aircraft then they

524

00:24:00,889 --> 00:23:58,830

could have been the Electra where these

525

00:24:05,690 --> 00:24:00,899

things came but we are not making any

526

00:24:08,119 --> 00:24:05,700

smoking gun claims here so much more has

527

00:24:12,139 --> 00:24:08,129

to be done with these artifacts to

528

00:24:14,659 --> 00:24:12,149

determine you know the exactly what what

529

00:24:18,259 --> 00:24:14,669

their status is what the chances are

530

00:24:21,109 --> 00:24:18,269

what the absolute you know the facts are

531

00:24:23,090 --> 00:24:21,119

about the odds about where they came

532

00:24:25,549 --> 00:24:23,100

from okay so that's what's going on and

533

00:24:29,420 --> 00:24:25,559

that's why our friend les Kinney he's

534

00:24:31,580 --> 00:24:29,430

been working on this trying to ascertain

535

00:24:34,250 --> 00:24:31,590

a little bit more about the

536

00:24:36,770 --> 00:24:34,260

possibilities of where or you know what

537

00:24:40,370 --> 00:24:36,780

other planes or what where else these

538

00:24:43,340 --> 00:24:40,380

artifacts may have come because as we

539

00:24:46,670 --> 00:24:43,350

know this story the truth in the Earhart

540

00:24:48,410 --> 00:24:46,680

story as I know so well it's absolutely

541

00:24:51,170 --> 00:24:48,420

hated by the mainstream media in this

542

00:24:54,950 --> 00:24:51,180

country the establishment despises this

543

00:24:57,620 --> 00:24:54,960

that's and so we have to have our ducks

544

00:24:59,270 --> 00:24:57,630

in a row before anybody is ever going to

545

00:25:02,720 --> 00:24:59,280

pay attention to this even if they do

546

00:25:04,940 --> 00:25:02,730

then do you understand so that's where

547

00:25:07,700 --> 00:25:04,950

les comes in and lessons but doing a lot

548

00:25:11,440 --> 00:25:07,710

of looking into some of these claims now

549

00:25:14,900 --> 00:25:11,450

when I did a story on my blog recently I

550

00:25:17,810 --> 00:25:14,910

was very excited when I saw that DVD as

551
00:25:22,820 --> 00:25:17,820
you were I thought that that DVD was

552
00:25:24,590 --> 00:25:22,830
really a you know a for once we have

553
00:25:27,140 --> 00:25:24,600
some artifacts we have what we could

554
00:25:29,270 --> 00:25:27,150
call concrete proof and then we have Jim

555
00:25:30,290 --> 00:25:29,280
Hayden saying that he thinks that this

556
00:25:34,010 --> 00:25:30,300
is the Holy Grail

557
00:25:36,620 --> 00:25:34,020
and that he's almost positive that these

558
00:25:39,530 --> 00:25:36,630
came from the plane and that the odds of

559
00:25:42,320 --> 00:25:39,540
them being from another elector are

560
00:25:45,080 --> 00:25:42,330
remote all those statements may well be

561
00:25:46,490 --> 00:25:45,090
true they may well be true but that that

562
00:25:48,800 --> 00:25:46,500
is yet to be determined

563
00:25:50,990 --> 00:25:48,810

you know we have to go to Lockheed they

564

00:25:53,090 --> 00:25:51,000

have to be these things have to go go

565

00:25:55,310 --> 00:25:53,100

through the whole process and that's

566

00:25:58,550 --> 00:25:55,320

where I think it would be helpful for

567

00:26:00,560 --> 00:25:58,560

less to explain to the listeners you

568

00:26:02,570 --> 00:26:00,570

know well this is online with us now

569

00:26:05,360 --> 00:26:02,580

Mike why don't you invite him to join in

570

00:26:09,230 --> 00:26:05,370

with us les come on in and tell us what

571

00:26:12,470 --> 00:26:09,240

you found lately okay good evening

572

00:26:14,120 --> 00:26:12,480

I I've been following this research for

573

00:26:16,820 --> 00:26:14,130

probably thirty years I'm a retired

574

00:26:19,150 --> 00:26:16,830

level religion and I got involved in

575

00:26:21,590 --> 00:26:19,160

this when I was mainly the

576

00:26:24,380 --> 00:26:21,600

specialization charge for u.s. customs

577

00:26:26,360 --> 00:26:24,390

investigations in Honolulu I had an

578

00:26:28,430 --> 00:26:26,370

opportunity to numerous trips himself

579

00:26:31,760 --> 00:26:28,440

Pacific on other missions and Menuhin

580

00:26:35,390 --> 00:26:31,770

Marcotte xmin but I've been interested

581

00:26:39,980 --> 00:26:35,400

in there are in as far as the evidence

582

00:26:42,300 --> 00:26:39,990

that mr. Spencer's of recovered I think

583

00:26:45,030 --> 00:26:42,310

in all likelihood it is in

584

00:26:48,060 --> 00:26:45,040

from Erath clink and by that I mean

585

00:26:49,920 --> 00:26:48,070

maybe 90% chance I just can't see

586

00:26:51,480 --> 00:26:49,930

another rationale or any other reason

587

00:26:54,390 --> 00:26:51,490

why it would be from something else

588

00:26:59,850 --> 00:26:54,400

there was 26 aircraft that were downed

589

00:27:02,400 --> 00:26:59,860

on in the millie islands by the japanese

590

00:27:05,220 --> 00:27:02,410

in other words 26 US aircraft were gone

591

00:27:08,400 --> 00:27:05,230

for a variety of reasons and none were

592

00:27:10,980 --> 00:27:08,410

near this island where unless your space

593

00:27:14,040 --> 00:27:10,990

recovered be the evidence that an email

594

00:27:15,990 --> 00:27:14,050

has and there's an 11 japanese aircraft

595

00:27:21,090 --> 00:27:16,000

they were down and again none of we're

596

00:27:24,060 --> 00:27:21,100

near bari bari island so that in keeping

597

00:27:26,360 --> 00:27:24,070

with what mr. Spence has discovered as

598

00:27:29,790 --> 00:27:26,370

far as the location on that island and

599

00:27:34,200 --> 00:27:29,800

the area where the barge might have came

600

00:27:37,050 --> 00:27:34,210

in more than likely it is from air arts

601
00:27:39,420 --> 00:27:37,060
plane and the reason I say that is as an

602
00:27:41,520 --> 00:27:39,430
investigator I'm looking back at the

603
00:27:44,040 --> 00:27:41,530
previous witnesses and the witnesses are

604
00:27:46,290 --> 00:27:44,050
all Marshall leaves from the 1970s and

605
00:27:49,230 --> 00:27:46,300
then team early 80s and they totally

606
00:27:52,470 --> 00:27:49,240
barely researchers about this plane that

607
00:27:56,490 --> 00:27:52,480
landed on this particular Island in

608
00:27:58,860 --> 00:27:56,500
Millia tour and this is exact location

609
00:28:01,350 --> 00:27:58,870
and it's really difficult for me to

610
00:28:04,260 --> 00:28:01,360
believe that these natives or these

611
00:28:06,180 --> 00:28:04,270
locals that I prefer to : that would

612
00:28:08,760 --> 00:28:06,190
have made these stories up when they had

613
00:28:10,890 --> 00:28:08,770

no relationship with one another and we

614

00:28:13,220 --> 00:28:10,900

all talked about that fact that a to

615

00:28:15,390 --> 00:28:13,230

white people coming out of a plane and

616

00:28:18,600 --> 00:28:15,400

rolling to the beach so to speak or

617

00:28:20,850 --> 00:28:18,610

paddling in a little boat and this is

618

00:28:23,670 --> 00:28:20,860

the exact location that they describe to

619

00:28:25,770 --> 00:28:23,680

these researchers back in the 1960s 70s

620

00:28:28,230 --> 00:28:25,780

and 80s and when you put that all

621

00:28:29,580 --> 00:28:28,240

together with mr. Spence is found I find

622

00:28:31,020 --> 00:28:29,590

a very difficult to believe that it

623

00:28:35,130 --> 00:28:31,030

could be possibly anything else other

624

00:28:39,270 --> 00:28:35,140

than your hair it's clean it's just it's

625

00:28:42,420 --> 00:28:39,280

amazing I've posted in our chat room a a

626
00:28:44,850 --> 00:28:42,430
map of the Marshall Islands here and you

627
00:28:48,270 --> 00:28:44,860
can clearly see down in the far right

628
00:28:50,700 --> 00:28:48,280
hand bottom corner where Milly atoll is

629
00:28:53,870 --> 00:28:50,710
and if you go straight across to the

630
00:28:55,980 --> 00:28:53,880
west you see shallow 8 and then you go

631
00:28:58,020 --> 00:28:55,990
up just a little bit

632
00:29:01,230 --> 00:28:58,030
qua Shaolin is in there somewhere I

633
00:29:03,900 --> 00:29:01,240
can't quite spot it and then Saipan is

634
00:29:08,850 --> 00:29:03,910
off the map over to the kind of to the

635
00:29:10,890 --> 00:29:08,860
northwest so it's just it's just amazing

636
00:29:13,380 --> 00:29:10,900
that it is taken it's amazing to me that

637
00:29:16,160 --> 00:29:13,390
it's taken 70 something years for this

638
00:29:18,780 --> 00:29:16,170

to come to this point

639

00:29:20,970 --> 00:29:18,790

daiquiri so with us oh yes I'm still

640

00:29:22,680 --> 00:29:20,980

here tell us about some of the other

641

00:29:25,830 --> 00:29:22,690

material that you found there in that

642

00:29:29,190 --> 00:29:25,840

same area where you found this apu cover

643

00:29:32,490 --> 00:29:29,200

and the what appears to be a dust cover

644

00:29:34,290 --> 00:29:32,500

for the wheel the tire you know there

645

00:29:35,520 --> 00:29:34,300

wasn't really a lot of other things some

646

00:29:39,690 --> 00:29:35,530

of the things that that didn't make

647

00:29:41,280 --> 00:29:39,700

sense was looked like some rigging for

648

00:29:43,440 --> 00:29:41,290

lifting an airplane there was some some

649

00:29:48,780 --> 00:29:43,450

heavy tires that were cut the were cut

650

00:29:51,060 --> 00:29:48,790

pretty uniquely that would have taken if

651
00:29:52,860 --> 00:29:51,070
they would have been cut some place in a

652
00:29:55,260 --> 00:29:52,870
in a machine shop or something and there

653
00:29:57,270 --> 00:29:55,270
are very old tires that looked like they

654
00:29:59,520 --> 00:29:57,280
were rigging something used to move

655
00:30:02,040 --> 00:29:59,530
something heavy and some of the other

656
00:30:06,420 --> 00:30:02,050
things that we came across right exactly

657
00:30:09,120 --> 00:30:06,430
where the airplane was loaded out were

658
00:30:11,940 --> 00:30:09,130
some old steel dollies that some of the

659
00:30:13,890 --> 00:30:11,950
old timers they're catchy an old

660
00:30:15,840 --> 00:30:13,900
Marshall lease guy whose grandmother was

661
00:30:18,270 --> 00:30:15,850
beheaded by the Japanese on Milly atoll

662
00:30:21,390 --> 00:30:18,280
he was telling us stories about how some

663
00:30:23,760 --> 00:30:21,400

of the coral was cleared away to move

664

00:30:25,950 --> 00:30:23,770

the shallow-draft barge in to move the

665

00:30:29,010 --> 00:30:25,960

airplane onto the barge and there are

666

00:30:31,530 --> 00:30:29,020

still some of the old dollies there that

667

00:30:33,840 --> 00:30:31,540

were used extensively in areas of the

668

00:30:37,890 --> 00:30:33,850

Marshall Marshall Islands to move bombs

669

00:30:42,120 --> 00:30:37,900

around on some of the some of the larger

670

00:30:43,590 --> 00:30:42,130

military installations and you know

671

00:30:45,780 --> 00:30:43,600

there's no reason for those to be out on

672

00:30:48,720 --> 00:30:45,790

this little island this is a very small

673

00:30:51,240 --> 00:30:48,730

little island and here these things are

674

00:30:53,880 --> 00:30:51,250

sitting right where the airplane was

675

00:30:56,900 --> 00:30:53,890

loaded out are what's left of them after

676

00:30:59,280 --> 00:30:56,910

77 years of rust they're big heavy iron

677

00:31:02,940 --> 00:30:59,290

wheels that run on small gauge railroad

678

00:31:05,100 --> 00:31:02,950

tracks and so those are some of the

679

00:31:06,870 --> 00:31:05,110

rigging supplies of course they're not

680

00:31:08,430 --> 00:31:06,880

anything to do with an aircraft but they

681

00:31:09,570 --> 00:31:08,440

would be something that would be used to

682

00:31:12,570 --> 00:31:09,580

move that aircraft

683

00:31:14,190 --> 00:31:12,580

from the reef on one side at the point

684

00:31:16,470 --> 00:31:14,200

where they landed to around where they

685

00:31:17,970 --> 00:31:16,480

could get the barge in on the inside of

686

00:31:19,859 --> 00:31:17,980

this island

687

00:31:21,720 --> 00:31:19,869

as she was closer to the outside but

688

00:31:24,479 --> 00:31:21,730

there's no way in the surf that you

689

00:31:26,279 --> 00:31:24,489

would be able to load anything out out

690

00:31:28,830 --> 00:31:26,289

on the outside of that coral reef you'd

691

00:31:30,330 --> 00:31:28,840

have to do it on the lagoon side and of

692

00:31:32,070 --> 00:31:30,340

course that's what the old

693

00:31:36,269 --> 00:31:32,080

Marshallese witnesses that helped do

694

00:31:38,039 --> 00:31:36,279

this had reported I want to ask Mike a

695

00:31:43,889 --> 00:31:38,049

question for clarification here I

696

00:31:47,090 --> 00:31:43,899

remember a story in your book where one

697

00:31:49,889 --> 00:31:47,100

or two witnesses reported seeing two men

698

00:31:53,609 --> 00:31:49,899

land in a plane or touchdown in a plane

699

00:31:56,460 --> 00:31:53,619

and they got in a boat that grew a

700

00:31:58,320 --> 00:31:56,470

yellow boat that grew and went through

701
00:32:00,599 --> 00:31:58,330
the water and came up on shore now

702
00:32:03,450 --> 00:32:00,609
exactly what was the location where they

703
00:32:05,669 --> 00:32:03,460
saw that do you remember basically that

704
00:32:08,539 --> 00:32:05,679
was that was where dick is talking about

705
00:32:11,700 --> 00:32:08,549
that is the location off of Bar Island

706
00:32:14,669 --> 00:32:11,710
they didn't call any of the islands by

707
00:32:19,409 --> 00:32:14,679
name and that at that time but when of

708
00:32:22,649 --> 00:32:19,419
Victor Vincent V Loomis went to you know

709
00:32:26,330 --> 00:32:22,659
went there in the mid-80s the early 80s

710
00:32:28,769 --> 00:32:26,340
to do his his research he talked to a

711
00:32:32,430 --> 00:32:28,779
witness named Gerardo that's what you're

712
00:32:35,549 --> 00:32:32,440
talking about Jo or ro ro ro and he was

713
00:32:40,279 --> 00:32:35,559

there with with a witness Ned spelled Li

714

00:32:42,869 --> 00:32:40,289

Jo on Oh Ann Lee ice I call it Leon and

715

00:32:44,909 --> 00:32:42,879

apparently it's called wise one over

716

00:32:46,619 --> 00:32:44,919

there and it's spelled a little bit

717

00:32:47,729 --> 00:32:46,629

different way I think we're talking

718

00:32:50,999 --> 00:32:47,739

about the same person

719

00:32:53,999 --> 00:32:51,009

yeah and the these people are the two

720

00:32:56,509 --> 00:32:54,009

guys that saw them get out of the plane

721

00:32:59,039 --> 00:32:56,519

they indicated that it was in the water

722

00:33:02,789 --> 00:32:59,049

because they got into a yellow boat

723

00:33:06,269 --> 00:33:02,799

which grew now you know to an

724

00:33:09,389 --> 00:33:06,279

unsophisticated marshalese a yellow boat

725

00:33:13,619 --> 00:33:09,399

which grew is a perfect description of

726

00:33:17,009 --> 00:33:13,629

an inflatable life raft Thanks I walk

727

00:33:19,080 --> 00:33:17,019

that entire place many times and I

728

00:33:23,909 --> 00:33:19,090

studied the tides at what they were and

729

00:33:25,649 --> 00:33:23,919

at high tide they would be in a few feet

730

00:33:27,989 --> 00:33:25,659

of water there and then at low tide you

731

00:33:30,539 --> 00:33:27,999

could walk out even beyond that the reef

732

00:33:32,190 --> 00:33:30,549

is just it's an awesome expanse

733

00:33:35,220 --> 00:33:32,200

especially when you look at it from the

734

00:33:37,379 --> 00:33:35,230

air and my DVD there's a I had a some

735

00:33:41,099 --> 00:33:37,389

aerial shots of the size of that reef

736

00:33:42,840 --> 00:33:41,109

and exactly where she lands and I've got

737

00:33:47,249 --> 00:33:42,850

some great photographs of it

738

00:33:49,379 --> 00:33:47,259

and the reef it it it is huge the the

739

00:33:50,999 --> 00:33:49,389

issue that's a problem there's some

740

00:33:54,480 --> 00:33:51,009

pretty good coral heads that are on that

741

00:33:56,609 --> 00:33:54,490

reef too that would make a landing

742

00:33:59,669 --> 00:33:56,619

pretty difficult when you could see that

743

00:34:02,129 --> 00:33:59,679

that would you know tear an airplane up

744

00:34:06,960 --> 00:34:02,139

pretty good coming in on that little how

745

00:34:09,450 --> 00:34:06,970

large in terms of I'm sitting here alone

746

00:34:11,190 --> 00:34:09,460

in my room with my hands in front of me

747

00:34:14,309 --> 00:34:11,200

trying to do like well it's like the

748

00:34:16,349 --> 00:34:14,319

size of a bread basket how big the coral

749

00:34:18,089 --> 00:34:16,359

there on the beach do all the coral

750

00:34:20,490 --> 00:34:18,099

heads that are on that beach range in

751

00:34:23,609 --> 00:34:20,500

size from grapefruit sized to a large

752

00:34:24,750 --> 00:34:23,619

majority of watermelon size to our coral

753

00:34:28,559 --> 00:34:24,760

heads that are three feet in diameter

754

00:34:30,299 --> 00:34:28,569

now now those 36 inch air air wheel

755

00:34:32,940 --> 00:34:30,309

tires that Amelia Earhart had for

756

00:34:35,549 --> 00:34:32,950

unimproved runways on her aircraft would

757

00:34:38,309 --> 00:34:35,559

would easily take grapefruit sized rocks

758

00:34:39,990 --> 00:34:38,319

up to you know a watermelon sized rock

759

00:34:42,000 --> 00:34:40,000

would throw her plane around pretty good

760

00:34:43,680 --> 00:34:42,010

she might still be able to recover from

761

00:34:45,659 --> 00:34:43,690

okay but when you start getting the ones

762

00:34:47,690 --> 00:34:45,669

bigger than that that's where she would

763

00:34:50,639 --> 00:34:47,700

have had the issue Wow

764

00:34:51,030 --> 00:34:50,649

unless you're still with us right yes I

765

00:34:53,549 --> 00:34:51,040

am

766

00:34:56,520 --> 00:34:53,559

what can you be a little bit more

767

00:34:59,609 --> 00:34:56,530

specific about what kinds if you wanted

768

00:35:01,620 --> 00:34:59,619

to know if you were the judge in charge

769

00:35:04,980 --> 00:35:01,630

of this evidence and you said here's

770

00:35:07,380 --> 00:35:04,990

what I need to know to agree that yep

771

00:35:09,450 --> 00:35:07,390

this looks like it's exactly that it

772

00:35:11,549 --> 00:35:09,460

belonged to at least an elector if not

773

00:35:13,140 --> 00:35:11,559

her very elector what what kind of

774

00:35:15,900 --> 00:35:13,150

testing would have to be done to these

775

00:35:19,530 --> 00:35:15,910

two artifacts at dick's found well

776

00:35:21,539 --> 00:35:19,540

that's a great question the initial

777

00:35:23,880 --> 00:35:21,549

testing obviously would have to be

778

00:35:26,819 --> 00:35:23,890

whether in fact that the pieces that

779

00:35:30,530 --> 00:35:26,829

dick has found would match those that

780

00:35:33,750 --> 00:35:30,540

came off of a Goodyear air wheel and

781

00:35:35,340 --> 00:35:33,760

originally we thought that that maybe

782

00:35:38,010 --> 00:35:35,350

only Milwaukee 10

783

00:35:40,410 --> 00:35:38,020

type of plane that Earhart flew was the

784

00:35:43,590 --> 00:35:40,420

was the only plane that had Lee Goodyear

785

00:35:44,940 --> 00:35:43,600

area but it's I sent it to determined

786

00:35:47,850 --> 00:35:44,950

that that's not the case there is a

787

00:35:51,510 --> 00:35:47,860

variety of the US aircraft that would

788

00:35:54,030 --> 00:35:51,520

have them capable of having we block the

789

00:35:55,650 --> 00:35:54,040

Lockheed Ariel and I got explain a

790

00:35:57,750 --> 00:35:55,660

little bit more the Lockheed care will

791

00:36:00,420 --> 00:35:57,760

means two things one it's the tire

792

00:36:02,940 --> 00:36:00,430

itself this was a big huge balloon tire

793

00:36:05,850 --> 00:36:02,950

but it's also the same generic name as

794

00:36:07,710 --> 00:36:05,860

the whole generic brake system that

795

00:36:09,270 --> 00:36:07,720

comes down where the wheel is attached

796

00:36:10,560 --> 00:36:09,280

to so that's important to understand

797

00:36:14,880 --> 00:36:10,570

that they're both called an air wheel

798

00:36:16,980 --> 00:36:14,890

and there's a lot of us planes that

799

00:36:19,050 --> 00:36:16,990

could have in fact were companies that

800

00:36:22,380 --> 00:36:19,060

could have purchased our hair wheel so

801
00:36:24,810 --> 00:36:22,390
we have to determine how many planes

802
00:36:27,150 --> 00:36:24,820
would have been built with that air

803
00:36:29,370 --> 00:36:27,160
wheel secondly we have to determine if

804
00:36:31,350 --> 00:36:29,380
in fact planes weird over that aerial

805
00:36:34,170 --> 00:36:31,360
how many would ended up in the Pacific

806
00:36:36,000 --> 00:36:34,180
Ocean in the Central Pacific and so far

807
00:36:37,950 --> 00:36:36,010
and the research that I've done it's

808
00:36:40,350 --> 00:36:37,960
been zero I have not been able to find

809
00:36:42,660 --> 00:36:40,360
any that does not matter I mean that

810
00:36:44,580 --> 00:36:42,670
that's the case but certainly I have not

811
00:36:46,410 --> 00:36:44,590
come across any aircraft and there is a

812
00:36:49,650 --> 00:36:46,420
variety of aircraft that could have used

813
00:36:54,690 --> 00:36:49,660

a real Milwaukee 10 the Lockheed 12a

814

00:36:57,000 --> 00:36:54,700

locking 14 uh and in fact the Beechcraft

815

00:36:59,940 --> 00:36:57,010

company called a beech 18 and they had a

816

00:37:02,340 --> 00:36:59,950

military version called at sea 45 in

817

00:37:04,770 --> 00:37:02,350

essence could have used that air wheel

818

00:37:06,510 --> 00:37:04,780

now what are the military had purchased

819

00:37:08,640 --> 00:37:06,520

those air wheels for those aircraft

820

00:37:09,870 --> 00:37:08,650

that's I don't know and we're trying to

821

00:37:12,660 --> 00:37:09,880

attempting the pilot out

822

00:37:14,640 --> 00:37:12,670

unfortunately Lockheed's records have

823

00:37:15,870 --> 00:37:14,650

been destroyed and most of the records

824

00:37:18,660 --> 00:37:15,880

that they had have been transferred to

825

00:37:20,040 --> 00:37:18,670

University of Akron in Ohio and we're

826

00:37:22,410 --> 00:37:20,050

I'm going through those records right

827

00:37:24,150 --> 00:37:22,420

now to determine in fact if that can

828

00:37:26,940 --> 00:37:24,160

take place but I want to mention

829

00:37:28,890 --> 00:37:26,950

something else that you brought up

830

00:37:31,890 --> 00:37:28,900

Alaura and that's regarding Kwajalein

831

00:37:34,890 --> 00:37:31,900

here's another issue that ties right in

832

00:37:37,170 --> 00:37:34,900

to this beyond a reasonable doubt the

833

00:37:39,750 --> 00:37:37,180

kind of it's a it's a kind of factor

834

00:37:43,050 --> 00:37:39,760

that we utilize in court and that is

835

00:37:46,230 --> 00:37:43,060

unroyal more in quarreling which is

836

00:37:48,849 --> 00:37:46,240

nearby and allegedly and I'm saying

837

00:37:51,880 --> 00:37:48,859

using that word loosely they're likely

838

00:37:53,469 --> 00:37:51,890

Earhart was transferred from jail you as

839

00:37:56,079 --> 00:37:53,479

you described and she was brought down

840

00:37:58,029 --> 00:37:56,089

to write more in quarreling and then

841

00:38:02,739 --> 00:37:58,039

hence transferred on de sipan by the

842

00:38:05,589 --> 00:38:02,749

Japanese there is evidence that and I

843

00:38:07,359 --> 00:38:05,599

have that evidence that a briefcase not

844

00:38:10,029 --> 00:38:07,369

speaking a briefcase with a suitcase was

845

00:38:12,370 --> 00:38:10,039

found on more in the more it contained

846

00:38:15,549 --> 00:38:12,380

the personal effects of New Year heart

847

00:38:17,709 --> 00:38:15,559

and that was denied by the US government

848

00:38:19,989 --> 00:38:17,719

was denied by the Marines and it was

849

00:38:23,349 --> 00:38:19,999

written up in the Fred Garner's first

850

00:38:26,319 --> 00:38:23,359

book 1966 he had read a marine who

851
00:38:28,779 --> 00:38:26,329
discovered this in a room that had not

852
00:38:30,640 --> 00:38:28,789
been destroyed by the marine bombing and

853
00:38:32,319 --> 00:38:30,650
they opened up the suitcase and it

854
00:38:35,859 --> 00:38:32,329
contained the personal effects including

855
00:38:37,120 --> 00:38:35,869
a diary of the Milly Earhart oh he

856
00:38:38,920 --> 00:38:37,130
turned that over to regimental

857
00:38:42,569 --> 00:38:38,930
intelligence and Marines have denied

858
00:38:45,190 --> 00:38:42,579
that I have found within last year

859
00:38:47,529 --> 00:38:45,200
records in the National Archives they

860
00:38:50,319 --> 00:38:47,539
clearly indicate that the Marines found

861
00:38:53,439 --> 00:38:50,329
a suitcase belonging to a confidential

862
00:38:56,529 --> 00:38:53,449
US citizen on Roy Moore at the exact

863
00:39:03,959 --> 00:38:56,539

time that this witness from the Lion

864

00:39:07,920 --> 00:39:03,969

City founded in 1944 Wow Wow now why

865

00:39:10,989 --> 00:39:07,930

course this is something I've pestered

866

00:39:14,319 --> 00:39:10,999

Mike Campbell to death in the last year

867

00:39:16,749 --> 00:39:14,329

asking this question why would why do

868

00:39:18,849 --> 00:39:16,759

you think that the Marines or anyone

869

00:39:21,099 --> 00:39:18,859

else in the government would be working

870

00:39:25,870 --> 00:39:21,109

so hard to keep this a secret for this

871

00:39:27,849 --> 00:39:25,880

length of time Mike Campbell it brings

872

00:39:30,699 --> 00:39:27,859

up well he thinks it's an answer that

873

00:39:31,630 --> 00:39:30,709

and I agree with in his book on the

874

00:39:35,469 --> 00:39:31,640

truth at last

875

00:39:38,589 --> 00:39:35,479

and that is simply in 1944 we were so

876

00:39:41,650 --> 00:39:38,599

engrossed in the war FDR was still alive

877

00:39:45,039 --> 00:39:41,660

and he was he would have known all of

878

00:39:46,209 --> 00:39:45,049

this going back from both 1938 and prime

879

00:39:48,219 --> 00:39:46,219

time would have been a burl

880

00:39:51,670 --> 00:39:48,229

embarrassment to the original

881

00:39:55,359 --> 00:39:51,680

administration if in fact it came out

882

00:39:57,219 --> 00:39:55,369

that Amelia Earhart was alized and that

883

00:39:58,959 --> 00:39:57,229

she was captured by the Japanese and we

884

00:40:00,699 --> 00:39:58,969

had known about that in other words

885

00:40:02,049 --> 00:40:00,709

they've done a secret that just could

886

00:40:07,420 --> 00:40:02,059

not have been exposed

887

00:40:10,329 --> 00:40:07,430

in 1944 that's all those facing a very

888

00:40:12,130 --> 00:40:10,339

very difficult election and this alone

889

00:40:13,930 --> 00:40:12,140

would have turned an election against

890

00:40:16,029 --> 00:40:13,940

and there's no question in my mind I

891

00:40:18,309 --> 00:40:16,039

mean the Erhard was one of the strongest

892

00:40:21,519 --> 00:40:18,319

individuals in the first half of the

893

00:40:22,509 --> 00:40:21,529

20th century and if the general public

894

00:40:25,150 --> 00:40:22,519

would have known that America's

895

00:40:27,579 --> 00:40:25,160

Sweetheart had been captured since 1938

896

00:40:29,739 --> 00:40:27,589

by the Japanese there's just no way that

897

00:40:33,749 --> 00:40:29,749

the administration at that time would

898

00:40:37,420 --> 00:40:33,759

allow that kind of information to escape

899

00:40:39,670 --> 00:40:37,430

that's exactly right less thank you it's

900

00:40:43,809 --> 00:40:39,680

nice here it's almost like listening

901
00:40:46,359 --> 00:40:43,819
to myself for a change it's been so hard

902
00:40:50,680 --> 00:40:46,369
to convince people of this apparently

903
00:40:55,839 --> 00:40:50,690
you're on board anyway good I want to

904
00:41:00,579 --> 00:40:55,849
give a plug Mike to your your blog it is

905
00:41:03,549 --> 00:41:00,589
one of the most engrossing and I've got

906
00:41:06,459 --> 00:41:03,559
to say it's very active it's a very

907
00:41:08,349 --> 00:41:06,469
active point/counterpoint almost every

908
00:41:10,120 --> 00:41:08,359
day there are several comments posted

909
00:41:13,239 --> 00:41:10,130
there and it's really heating up now

910
00:41:15,989 --> 00:41:13,249
that this this new evidence has come

911
00:41:19,719 --> 00:41:15,999
forth and especially in light of the

912
00:41:22,329 --> 00:41:19,729
tiger claims that and this is to me this

913
00:41:25,209 --> 00:41:22,339

is so funny that they're coming I mean

914

00:41:27,640 --> 00:41:25,219

that there's this aluminum scrap that's

915

00:41:30,390 --> 00:41:27,650

supposed to have been the cover to

916

00:41:33,479 --> 00:41:30,400

replace where a window used to be

917

00:41:35,920 --> 00:41:33,489

however it's stamped with an ink that

918

00:41:38,589 --> 00:41:35,930

shows that the aluminum was not even

919

00:41:42,549 --> 00:41:38,599

made until the 40s and she went down in

920

00:41:45,039 --> 00:41:42,559

37 and then on top of that they had

921

00:41:50,199 --> 00:41:45,049

brought this up in 1991 and it had been

922

00:41:54,579 --> 00:41:50,209

discredited but I was at Alcoa yes

923

00:41:56,859 --> 00:41:54,589

alcohol and and yet here we are in 2014

924

00:41:58,719 --> 00:41:56,869

he's brought it up again like oh look at

925

00:42:01,029 --> 00:41:58,729

what we found forget that we found it in

926
00:42:04,779 --> 00:42:01,039
1991 and that they already said this

927
00:42:08,789 --> 00:42:04,789
couldn't belong to that plane it's just

928
00:42:11,019 --> 00:42:08,799
remarkable Laurel this is less kin again

929
00:42:13,449 --> 00:42:11,029
I'd like to mention something that the

930
00:42:15,219 --> 00:42:13,459
general public and especially the tiger

931
00:42:15,650 --> 00:42:15,229
has gotten a tremendous amount of press

932
00:42:19,940 --> 00:42:15,660
and they

933
00:42:21,950 --> 00:42:19,950
their faxes and sorter but the thing

934
00:42:24,289 --> 00:42:21,960
that needs to be told the general public

935
00:42:26,200 --> 00:42:24,299
if they could visualize a flat island no

936
00:42:28,849 --> 00:42:26,210
more than six feet high meaningless

937
00:42:32,450 --> 00:42:28,859
Gardner Island look more as they call it

938
00:42:35,450 --> 00:42:32,460

today and it's three miles long and it's

939

00:42:37,609 --> 00:42:35,460

literally only maybe a hundred and fifty

940

00:42:39,680 --> 00:42:37,619

yards wide its widest point and then

941

00:42:41,359 --> 00:42:39,690

there's a can you visualize a lagoon and

942

00:42:45,260 --> 00:42:41,369

another hard 50 yards on the other side

943

00:42:48,620 --> 00:42:45,270

and three US aircraft and these were

944

00:42:51,079 --> 00:42:48,630

opened cockpit aircraft with two young

945

00:42:54,079 --> 00:42:51,089

each of them they pool that Island a few

946

00:42:57,020 --> 00:42:54,089

days after Earhart had disappeared from

947

00:42:59,359 --> 00:42:57,030

500 feet at 85 miles an hour it's very

948

00:43:01,760 --> 00:42:59,369

very slow and they cruise that island

949

00:43:04,640 --> 00:43:01,770

back and forth for a half hour and they

950

00:43:06,770 --> 00:43:04,650

saw nothing and it seems to me that a

951

00:43:08,720 --> 00:43:06,780

familiar art and Fred Noonan were out

952

00:43:11,450 --> 00:43:08,730

there they certainly would have come out

953

00:43:14,059 --> 00:43:11,460

somewhere and dancer on it and you would

954

00:43:16,069 --> 00:43:14,069

have seen they were seeing these planes

955

00:43:17,000 --> 00:43:16,079

and the planes that sing her that did

956

00:43:19,880 --> 00:43:17,010

not happen

957

00:43:22,640 --> 00:43:19,890

that alone is truth to me that's their

958

00:43:24,260 --> 00:43:22,650

never on that on come in just the

959

00:43:27,859 --> 00:43:24,270

beginning and that's just the beginning

960

00:43:30,140 --> 00:43:27,869

of reasons why the who to believe that

961

00:43:32,569 --> 00:43:30,150

they were never on that island I mean

962

00:43:35,180 --> 00:43:32,579

there's a there's a whole encyclopedia

963

00:43:39,140 --> 00:43:35,190

full of reasons why they were never on

964

00:43:42,549 --> 00:43:39,150

that island but you know this idea is

965

00:43:45,589 --> 00:43:42,559

constantly being repackaged and resold

966

00:43:47,930 --> 00:43:45,599

you know Barnum & Bailey style to the

967

00:43:50,660 --> 00:43:47,940

American public it's beyond ridiculous

968

00:43:53,269 --> 00:43:50,670

it's gotten to be just a farce and a

969

00:43:55,250 --> 00:43:53,279

travesty and what it proves what it

970

00:43:57,559 --> 00:43:55,260

really proves is how much the

971

00:44:00,859 --> 00:43:57,569

establishment is determined to keep the

972

00:44:03,260 --> 00:44:00,869

truth away from the public because if

973

00:44:05,029 --> 00:44:03,270

there was any merit to the fact there

974

00:44:08,930 --> 00:44:05,039

was there any merit to the idea that

975

00:44:10,849 --> 00:44:08,940

they were ever on Gardner Island they

976
00:44:12,410 --> 00:44:10,859
would have already they they were they

977
00:44:15,230 --> 00:44:12,420
would have already claimed the mystery

978
00:44:17,569 --> 00:44:15,240
is solved if they proved anything in 10

979
00:44:19,569 --> 00:44:17,579
trips it's that they were never there

980
00:44:22,099 --> 00:44:19,579
not that they were there if they

981
00:44:24,740 --> 00:44:22,109
Gillespie is constantly trying to dream

982
00:44:27,589 --> 00:44:24,750
up some other reason to go back you know

983
00:44:28,250 --> 00:44:27,599
and get his payday for another another

984
00:44:29,400 --> 00:44:28,260
year

985
00:44:32,790 --> 00:44:29,410
this isn't we won

986
00:44:35,190 --> 00:44:32,800
this cycle go or go on now for 29 years

987
00:44:37,530 --> 00:44:35,200
and it's it's just it's just a bit much

988
00:44:40,890 --> 00:44:37,540

you know and it's just it's way way too

989

00:44:42,180 --> 00:44:40,900

much and I get very yeah I do get very

990

00:44:44,280 --> 00:44:42,190

emotional about it

991

00:44:47,060 --> 00:44:44,290

because I saw what it did to Thomas

992

00:44:51,870 --> 00:44:47,070

Devine when I first met to the divine in

993

00:44:54,210 --> 00:44:51,880

1990 I said the the tigar thing was just

994

00:44:57,030 --> 00:44:54,220

beginning to explode across the nation

995

00:44:59,520 --> 00:44:57,040

and I saw how it just took everything

996

00:45:02,040 --> 00:44:59,530

away from divine who had just published

997

00:45:05,310 --> 00:45:02,050

his book in 1987 and was beginning to

998

00:45:09,300 --> 00:45:05,320

get attention a little bit of attention

999

00:45:11,460 --> 00:45:09,310

from some people but hardly anything and

1000

00:45:14,010 --> 00:45:11,470

then tigar just swept him away it's

1001
00:45:16,650 --> 00:45:14,020
almost like they were placed there to to

1002
00:45:19,380 --> 00:45:16,660
discredit divine and to just obscure

1003
00:45:21,780 --> 00:45:19,390
Divine's eyewitness account of what he

1004
00:45:24,480 --> 00:45:21,790
saw on Saipan you know during the

1005
00:45:26,010 --> 00:45:24,490
invasion in 1944 when he saw the Elector

1006
00:45:28,140 --> 00:45:26,020
three times and he wrote the book the

1007
00:45:30,180 --> 00:45:28,150
the reason that I even got involved with

1008
00:45:32,250 --> 00:45:30,190
this at all to begin with with was

1009
00:45:35,220 --> 00:45:32,260
Thomas Devine and I witnessed the Amelia

1010
00:45:37,590 --> 00:45:35,230
Earhart incident you know Mike why don't

1011
00:45:39,840 --> 00:45:37,600
you why don't you say a little bit

1012
00:45:41,640 --> 00:45:39,850
describe what Divine's eyewitness

1013
00:45:43,190 --> 00:45:41,650

testimony was because it's pretty

1014

00:45:47,840 --> 00:45:43,200

interesting

1015

00:45:51,450 --> 00:45:47,850

well when divine of reached Saipan in

1016

00:45:54,030 --> 00:45:51,460

1944 he was not one of the initial

1017

00:45:57,000 --> 00:45:54,040

people that stormed the island he was

1018

00:46:00,630 --> 00:45:57,010

not a Marine he was an army postal

1019

00:46:03,240 --> 00:46:00,640

sergeant and he was not required to go

1020

00:46:05,250 --> 00:46:03,250

ashore until after almost the island was

1021

00:46:10,680 --> 00:46:05,260

almost secured when he went ashore on

1022

00:46:12,990 --> 00:46:10,690

July 6 1944 but at that time he was

1023

00:46:16,730 --> 00:46:13,000

ordered to drive by his commanding

1024

00:46:20,760 --> 00:46:16,740

officer in the Army's 244th postal unit

1025

00:46:23,910 --> 00:46:20,770

he was ordered by his commanding officer

1026

00:46:25,530 --> 00:46:23,920

Fritz legally be a lieutenant but he was

1027

00:46:27,630 --> 00:46:25,540

only a lieutenant it was a small unit

1028

00:46:29,820 --> 00:46:27,640

and he took him to as lido airfield

1029

00:46:32,100 --> 00:46:29,830

that's the Japanese name for the airport

1030

00:46:35,370 --> 00:46:32,110

there for their airfield and when he did

1031

00:46:37,770 --> 00:46:35,380

they got to the airfield Devine heard a

1032

00:46:39,480 --> 00:46:37,780

bunch of marine officers in front of it

1033

00:46:42,030 --> 00:46:39,490

what he said was an administration

1034

00:46:42,900 --> 00:46:42,040

building arguing about the Earhart plane

1035

00:46:45,930 --> 00:46:42,910

and who would

1036

00:46:48,240 --> 00:46:45,940

get credit for finding it he was of

1037

00:46:51,260 --> 00:46:48,250

course baffled by what he was seeing and

1038

00:46:53,700 --> 00:46:51,270

he saw then a white man in khakis

1039

00:46:56,700 --> 00:46:53,710

officer khakis but without insignia

1040

00:47:00,059 --> 00:46:56,710

approached the group and - and tell them

1041

00:47:02,579 --> 00:47:00,069

to - shut up and then to any that he

1042

00:47:05,250 --> 00:47:02,589

ordered them to leave the area Devine

1043

00:47:08,400 --> 00:47:05,260

asked another marine he was sitting in a

1044

00:47:09,660 --> 00:47:08,410

jeep and he has to an enlisted marine if

1045

00:47:11,609 --> 00:47:09,670

it was true that they had found

1046

00:47:14,160 --> 00:47:11,619

Earhart's plane and the Marine told him

1047

00:47:17,520 --> 00:47:14,170

yes it's true but don't tell anybody I

1048

00:47:20,640 --> 00:47:17,530

told you later on the Marine said they

1049

00:47:22,859 --> 00:47:20,650

would take the plane up in other words

1050

00:47:25,740 --> 00:47:22,869

they would fly it and later on that day

1051
00:47:27,630 --> 00:47:25,750
Devine wrote that he saw the actual the

1052
00:47:29,250 --> 00:47:27,640
Elector in flight and then he saw it

1053
00:47:32,640 --> 00:47:29,260
land at as Ledo

1054
00:47:34,740 --> 00:47:32,650
he went to as Ledo again after returning

1055
00:47:37,589 --> 00:47:34,750
there from the administration building

1056
00:47:39,120 --> 00:47:37,599
at the airport with with his uh was his

1057
00:47:41,670 --> 00:47:39,130
commanding officer he went back to

1058
00:47:44,640 --> 00:47:41,680
Wesley doe because he was very curious

1059
00:47:46,829 --> 00:47:44,650
he was older than your average of army

1060
00:47:50,670 --> 00:47:46,839
enlisted personnel at the time he was 28

1061
00:47:52,470 --> 00:47:50,680
and he just couldn't be restrained he

1062
00:47:54,630 --> 00:47:52,480
wanted to know what was going on he

1063
00:47:58,769 --> 00:47:54,640

actually approached the airplane he

1064

00:48:00,769 --> 00:47:58,779

climbed on the wing of n ar160 20 he

1065

00:48:03,900 --> 00:48:00,779

looked inside he saw some glass

1066

00:48:06,599 --> 00:48:03,910

shattered glass on the interior and he

1067

00:48:09,240 --> 00:48:06,609

said this is uh this uh airplane was

1068

00:48:11,279 --> 00:48:09,250

absolutely Amelia Hart's airplane he

1069

00:48:15,599 --> 00:48:11,289

then saw the what the man that had

1070

00:48:19,230 --> 00:48:15,609

ordered the officers he saw him at a

1071

00:48:22,890 --> 00:48:19,240

distance again observing divine and this

1072

00:48:25,289 --> 00:48:22,900

guy bub private Anderson was with him he

1073

00:48:26,880 --> 00:48:25,299

observed he was observing him and divine

1074

00:48:29,220 --> 00:48:26,890

knew this guy was involved with this

1075

00:48:32,400 --> 00:48:29,230

somehow and so he left the area at that

1076

00:48:34,589 --> 00:48:32,410

point later on that night he heard

1077

00:48:37,200 --> 00:48:34,599

explosion he returned to the airfield

1078

00:48:40,529 --> 00:48:37,210

and he saw the same plane what he

1079

00:48:43,799 --> 00:48:40,539

believed was the same plane in flames so

1080

00:48:45,539 --> 00:48:43,809

we have other eyewitnesses we have other

1081

00:48:50,430 --> 00:48:45,549

witnesses to the destruction of the

1082

00:48:52,230 --> 00:48:50,440

Electra at his Lido field that I can't

1083

00:48:55,289 --> 00:48:52,240

even imagine what that must have felt

1084

00:48:56,880 --> 00:48:55,299

like to someone especially I had not

1085

00:48:58,950 --> 00:48:56,890

remembered reading that he

1086

00:49:00,480 --> 00:48:58,960

actually touch the plane and got up on

1087

00:49:02,850 --> 00:49:00,490

the wing and looked into the cockpit I

1088

00:49:05,070 --> 00:49:02,860

mean to know that's what it was and it

1089

00:49:07,760 --> 00:49:05,080

had been hiding there all this time and

1090

00:49:13,230 --> 00:49:07,770

then the next time you look it's on fire

1091

00:49:15,090 --> 00:49:13,240

mm-hmm yeah I mean and so divine when he

1092

00:49:17,490 --> 00:49:15,100

returned from the war figured that this

1093

00:49:20,040 --> 00:49:17,500

was all going to be explained you know

1094

00:49:22,830 --> 00:49:20,050

and he also had another experience

1095

00:49:28,230 --> 00:49:22,840

before returning to the States on Saipan

1096

00:49:32,400 --> 00:49:28,240

because he was he was retained on Saipan

1097

00:49:34,770 --> 00:49:32,410

after after all the you know the victory

1098

00:49:36,300 --> 00:49:34,780

was won and the island was secured there

1099

00:49:40,500 --> 00:49:36,310

was a there was a get what they call a

1100

00:49:43,170 --> 00:49:40,510

garrison force but stayed on Saipan that

1101

00:49:44,700 --> 00:49:43,180

also supported the of course the Bombers

1102

00:49:47,580 --> 00:49:44,710

that were attacking the Japanese

1103

00:49:52,620 --> 00:49:47,590

mainland from from Tinian and also from

1104

00:49:55,200 --> 00:49:52,630

Saipan at that time and Devine was when

1105

00:49:58,320 --> 00:49:55,210

it was before right before Devine was

1106

00:50:01,140 --> 00:49:58,330

supposed to leave Saipan for the States

1107

00:50:02,670 --> 00:50:01,150

in August of 1945 but first of all he

1108

00:50:05,040 --> 00:50:02,680

was shown what he believed was the grave

1109

00:50:06,930 --> 00:50:05,050

site of Amelia Earhart by an Okinawan

1110

00:50:08,430 --> 00:50:06,940

woman who said it was the gravesite of a

1111

00:50:11,550 --> 00:50:08,440

white man and a white woman who came

1112

00:50:14,160 --> 00:50:11,560

from the sky and then the day that

1113

00:50:18,420 --> 00:50:14,170

Devine was supposed to go back to the

1114

00:50:22,410 --> 00:50:18,430

States on a ship he was told by another

1115

00:50:24,480 --> 00:50:22,420

man in khaki in insignia and not officer

1116

00:50:26,640 --> 00:50:24,490

insignia but without insignia in other

1117

00:50:29,430 --> 00:50:26,650

words what Devine thought was an

1118

00:50:31,440 --> 00:50:29,440

intelligence type person on Saipan to

1119

00:50:33,450 --> 00:50:31,450

board an airplane he was told the board

1120

00:50:35,940 --> 00:50:33,460

an airplane forsook for Hawaii because

1121

00:50:39,990 --> 00:50:35,950

he knew about Amelia Earhart he was told

1122

00:50:42,270 --> 00:50:40,000

to do this and he was scared and he

1123

00:50:45,120 --> 00:50:42,280

refused to do it he would not go on that

1124

00:50:46,530 --> 00:50:45,130

airplane and he feels that if he would

1125

00:50:49,200 --> 00:50:46,540

have ever gone in that airplane that he

1126

00:50:53,850 --> 00:50:49,210

might not have ever landed safely

1127

00:50:56,070 --> 00:50:53,860

anywhere you know his glance is one of

1128

00:50:59,280 --> 00:50:56,080

this is one of the you know tangential

1129

00:51:01,200 --> 00:50:59,290

aspects the dot divine story that to me

1130

00:51:03,900 --> 00:51:01,210

makes it so realistic but to the

1131

00:51:05,730 --> 00:51:03,910

skeptics they just throw all this out

1132

00:51:07,680 --> 00:51:05,740

they think this is all ridiculous that

1133

00:51:09,870 --> 00:51:07,690

he dreamed all this up yeah that this is

1134

00:51:10,740 --> 00:51:09,880

all just part of a conspiracy plot you

1135

00:51:13,590 --> 00:51:10,750

know but sin

1136

00:51:15,690 --> 00:51:13,600

me knowing him as I did he didn't have

1137

00:51:18,390 --> 00:51:15,700

very much imagination at all I mean he

1138

00:51:20,010 --> 00:51:18,400

really had very little because he had

1139

00:51:22,560 --> 00:51:20,020

such a problem with the Marshall Islands

1140

00:51:25,290 --> 00:51:22,570

idea and everyday and other things he

1141

00:51:27,860 --> 00:51:25,300

really had no imagination there's no way

1142

00:51:31,590 --> 00:51:27,870

in the world he made any of this up and

1143

00:51:34,230 --> 00:51:31,600

the sad thing is that just because of

1144

00:51:37,470 --> 00:51:34,240

the passage of time so many of these

1145

00:51:40,020 --> 00:51:37,480

individuals that are quoted in your book

1146

00:51:43,050 --> 00:51:40,030

and Fred Garner's book they're they're

1147

00:51:45,000 --> 00:51:43,060

dead there's not many left of dollars

1148

00:51:47,190 --> 00:51:45,010

tanned eyewitnesses right that's right

1149

00:51:49,560 --> 00:51:47,200

right all the GIS are dead as far as I

1150

00:51:50,790 --> 00:51:49,570

know there might be one or two so if

1151

00:51:53,490 --> 00:51:50,800

they're not dead they're in their mid

1152

00:51:55,610 --> 00:51:53,500

90s and they're very you know they're

1153

00:51:58,950 --> 00:51:55,620

just on there they're that good shape

1154

00:52:00,090 --> 00:51:58,960

yeah Laurel it's like kind of fill in a

1155

00:52:04,830 --> 00:52:00,100

little bit here for the listeners

1156

00:52:07,020 --> 00:52:04,840

Strummer Mille atoll to Saipan because

1157

00:52:09,510 --> 00:52:07,030

you know that's quite a story in itself

1158

00:52:10,800 --> 00:52:09,520

in between now you mentioned that our

1159

00:52:12,780 --> 00:52:10,810

plane and they were picked up by a

1160

00:52:14,400 --> 00:52:12,790

Japanese fishing vessel well it wasn't a

1161

00:52:16,920 --> 00:52:14,410

Japanese fishing vessel the name of the

1162

00:52:20,520 --> 00:52:16,930

boat was the Koshu maru and it was

1163

00:52:23,940 --> 00:52:20,530

actually a u.s. built boat that ended up

1164

00:52:25,920 --> 00:52:23,950

in Japan being in the Japanese military

1165

00:52:30,960 --> 00:52:25,930

and it was a Japanese seaplane tender

1166

00:52:32,310 --> 00:52:30,970

now at the time when we do have evidence

1167

00:52:33,810 --> 00:52:32,320

that they were picked up there is

1168

00:52:36,450 --> 00:52:33,820

evidence that they were picked up by a

1169

00:52:38,280 --> 00:52:36,460

fishing boat first and then transferred

1170

00:52:40,490 --> 00:52:38,290

to the Koshu that's what she was

1171

00:52:44,850 --> 00:52:40,500

referring to okay

1172

00:52:48,030 --> 00:52:44,860

but when say bill Aman Imran who is the

1173

00:52:49,770 --> 00:52:48,040

the medic saw Fred Noonan treated the

1174

00:52:51,840 --> 00:52:49,780

wounds on his forehead in his leg that

1175

00:52:54,240 --> 00:52:51,850

was aboard the Koshu Maru which was the

1176

00:52:57,930 --> 00:52:54,250

vessel that took her the boat all the

1177

00:53:00,990 --> 00:52:57,940

way from basically Millie to JA loot up

1178

00:53:04,170 --> 00:53:01,000

the chain to quad and then eventually to

1179

00:53:06,570 --> 00:53:04,180

Saipan and do I remember reading that at

1180

00:53:11,370 --> 00:53:06,580

some point in that trip between Milly

1181

00:53:13,850 --> 00:53:11,380

and at least quarreling that the

1182

00:53:16,710 --> 00:53:13,860

Japanese were sort of treating this as a

1183

00:53:19,340 --> 00:53:16,720

march of Honor that look who we got we

1184

00:53:21,240 --> 00:53:19,350

found the we found the American female

1185

00:53:23,700 --> 00:53:21,250

pilot and

1186

00:53:25,650 --> 00:53:23,710

she's safe and we have her and we're

1187

00:53:28,440 --> 00:53:25,660

taking care of her but it seems like I

1188

00:53:31,260 --> 00:53:28,450

remembered reading Mike either in your

1189

00:53:34,380 --> 00:53:31,270

book or maybe seeing it in some blog

1190

00:53:36,060 --> 00:53:34,390

that in the very beginning they thought

1191

00:53:37,740 --> 00:53:36,070

well this is great they found her and

1192

00:53:42,270 --> 00:53:37,750

she's safe and then all of a sudden she

1193

00:53:44,550 --> 00:53:42,280

just fell down a rabbit hole let me

1194

00:53:46,140 --> 00:53:44,560

respond to that I can listen I had less

1195

00:53:48,030 --> 00:53:46,150

because that leaves me kind of cold I

1196

00:53:51,900 --> 00:53:48,040

don't really excessive ring a bell

1197

00:53:53,940 --> 00:53:51,910

you're right Laura and in in fact that's

1198

00:53:56,940 --> 00:53:53,950

it's a point that's intriguing to me and

1199

00:53:59,220 --> 00:53:56,950

it's I'm still intrigued by and actually

1200

00:54:03,180 --> 00:53:59,230

doing some research and investigation on

1201
00:54:06,060 --> 00:54:03,190
that my pothinus would be artists and it

1202
00:54:09,089 --> 00:54:06,070
strictly bureaucratic when she was lost

1203
00:54:10,920 --> 00:54:09,099
and then she was found by the Japanese

1204
00:54:14,180 --> 00:54:10,930
at that point in time the Japanese had

1205
00:54:17,570 --> 00:54:14,190
not formulated any sort of plan or idea

1206
00:54:21,210 --> 00:54:17,580
what would happen if in fact Earhart was

1207
00:54:24,810 --> 00:54:21,220
discovered in Marshall Islands so when

1208
00:54:26,849 --> 00:54:24,820
she did land on mili atoll and she was

1209
00:54:28,230 --> 00:54:26,859
picked up and it's alleged that she was

1210
00:54:30,150 --> 00:54:28,240
picked up by a fishing boat I don't

1211
00:54:32,400 --> 00:54:30,160
think anybody has any concrete or

1212
00:54:34,290 --> 00:54:32,410
positive information that she was really

1213
00:54:36,270 --> 00:54:34,300

picked up by fishing boat she certainly

1214

00:54:38,329 --> 00:54:36,280

was picked up by the Japanese and she

1215

00:54:41,160 --> 00:54:38,339

was transported as we know back to Joey

1216

00:54:44,040 --> 00:54:41,170

but if she was picked up by fishing boat

1217

00:54:46,109 --> 00:54:44,050

regardless at that point in time and you

1218

00:54:47,910 --> 00:54:46,119

can visualize kind of things that are

1219

00:54:50,099 --> 00:54:47,920

happening in Washington DC today there

1220

00:54:53,609 --> 00:54:50,109

was no plan formulated there was no PR

1221

00:54:56,040 --> 00:54:53,619

and nobody knew exactly what was going

1222

00:54:58,890 --> 00:54:56,050

to occur well obviously there was about

1223

00:55:00,480 --> 00:54:58,900

a radio message sent from petroleum to

1224

00:55:02,700 --> 00:55:00,490

Tokyo indicating we picked up this

1225

00:55:05,640 --> 00:55:02,710

American a Beatrix Amelia Earhart and

1226
00:55:07,650 --> 00:55:05,650
everybody was in Rahway you know and

1227
00:55:09,599 --> 00:55:07,660
cheering and so to speak and with that

1228
00:55:11,670 --> 00:55:09,609
said and this is the point that you were

1229
00:55:14,160 --> 00:55:11,680
trying to have right that's why we do

1230
00:55:16,020 --> 00:55:14,170
sorry this actually hit the Japanese

1231
00:55:18,300 --> 00:55:16,030
press and he's in a Japanese newspaper

1232
00:55:20,820 --> 00:55:18,310
one of the leading newspapers in Tokyo

1233
00:55:24,270 --> 00:55:20,830
that and really Erhard the famous

1234
00:55:28,079 --> 00:55:24,280
American Flyer was rescued by us meaning

1235
00:55:30,660 --> 00:55:28,089
the Japanese and this was sent out and

1236
00:55:35,250 --> 00:55:30,670
this was actually written in a news

1237
00:55:37,230 --> 00:55:35,260
article I believe on July 12 Oh 1930

1238
00:55:40,620 --> 00:55:37,240

the fact that they'd found million

1239

00:55:42,840 --> 00:55:40,630

hardened Marshall Islands within a day

1240

00:55:44,849 --> 00:55:42,850

and a half they retracted that article

1241

00:55:48,390 --> 00:55:44,859

and said that was a mistake it did not

1242

00:55:49,380 --> 00:55:48,400

occur and that's where the the point

1243

00:55:51,630 --> 00:55:49,390

that you were trying to make there

1244

00:55:53,609 --> 00:55:51,640

originally it was all Cheers and

1245

00:55:55,290 --> 00:55:53,619

supposedly people were sharing on the

1246

00:55:57,599 --> 00:55:55,300

streets of Tokyo the fact that they

1247

00:56:00,390 --> 00:55:57,609

found Amelia Earhart and then it was

1248

00:56:04,260 --> 00:56:00,400

quietly discarded and said that that did

1249

00:56:06,090 --> 00:56:04,270

occur that is something that I'm looking

1250

00:56:09,450 --> 00:56:06,100

at I'm trying to get old that particular

1251

00:56:11,700 --> 00:56:09,460

newspaper from try 12 1937 to see in

1252

00:56:15,109 --> 00:56:11,710

fact exactly what they wrote and that

1253

00:56:18,210 --> 00:56:15,119

message somehow was transmitted by wire

1254

00:56:21,930 --> 00:56:18,220

to the Japanese embassy in the London

1255

00:56:23,960 --> 00:56:21,940

and they in turn also apparently had

1256

00:56:27,930 --> 00:56:23,970

discussed this and it's a very confusing

1257

00:56:29,580 --> 00:56:27,940

but quietly Japanese diplomats decided

1258

00:56:31,470 --> 00:56:29,590

that there's no way that we're going to

1259

00:56:33,390 --> 00:56:31,480

tell the rest of the world that we had

1260

00:56:35,550 --> 00:56:33,400

got her meaning that they might if I

1261

00:56:37,349 --> 00:56:35,560

choose a spy or whatever I don't know

1262

00:56:39,090 --> 00:56:37,359

all right at that point of time they

1263

00:56:41,520 --> 00:56:39,100

discounted all this information and they

1264

00:56:44,130 --> 00:56:41,530

denied everything about it so see

1265

00:56:48,000 --> 00:56:44,140

there's still quite a bit of the story

1266

00:56:49,590 --> 00:56:48,010

that truly is a mystery and part of a

1267

00:56:51,540 --> 00:56:49,600

mystery that will probably never have

1268

00:56:53,270 --> 00:56:51,550

the whole answer to because there's no

1269

00:56:56,630 --> 00:56:53,280

one left to confirm it or disconfirm

1270

00:56:59,849 --> 00:56:56,640

whatever hypotheses we come up with

1271

00:57:02,550 --> 00:56:59,859

lesson and dick and Mike we've got to

1272

00:57:04,650 --> 00:57:02,560

take a break for about two three minutes

1273

00:57:06,240 --> 00:57:04,660

something like that I'm hoping you'll

1274

00:57:07,770 --> 00:57:06,250

stick around with me for the next hour

1275

00:57:11,010 --> 00:57:07,780

and we're going to open up the line for

1276
00:57:12,480 --> 00:57:11,020
questions I'll give that number out so I

1277
00:57:15,090 --> 00:57:12,490
hope you can stick around are you

1278
00:57:17,609 --> 00:57:15,100
willing to do that I'll be here too okay

1279
00:57:19,380 --> 00:57:17,619
wonderful wonderful so let's take a

1280
00:57:21,570 --> 00:57:19,390
break you're listening to epic voyages

1281
00:57:24,769 --> 00:57:21,580
radio here on inception radio network

1282
00:57:30,479 --> 00:57:28,140
well welcome back everyone to epic

1283
00:57:34,079 --> 00:57:30,489
voyages radio here on inception radio

1284
00:57:36,479 --> 00:57:34,089
network we are having a very lively

1285
00:57:39,390 --> 00:57:36,489
discussion between Mike Campbell the

1286
00:57:42,380 --> 00:57:39,400
author of Amelia Earhart the truth at

1287
00:57:46,380 --> 00:57:42,390
last and Richard Speck who has recently

1288
00:57:49,140 --> 00:57:46,390

brought back to the US for analysis some

1289

00:57:52,589 --> 00:57:49,150

new artifacts that have been recovered

1290

00:57:55,349 --> 00:57:52,599

in the part of mili atoll and Marshall

1291

00:57:57,089 --> 00:57:55,359

Islands where we believe I'm going to

1292

00:57:59,039 --> 00:57:57,099

include me in that group because I've

1293

00:58:01,289 --> 00:57:59,049

done some homework and reading and I

1294

00:58:03,900 --> 00:58:01,299

agree with these guys that Amelia

1295

00:58:08,209 --> 00:58:03,910

Earhart and Fred Noonan touched down for

1296

00:58:11,549 --> 00:58:08,219

the last time on July 2nd of 1937 and

1297

00:58:17,279 --> 00:58:11,559

eventually were taken by the Japanese to

1298

00:58:21,150 --> 00:58:17,289

Saipan where probably at least Fred was

1299

00:58:23,130 --> 00:58:21,160

beheaded executed by the Japanese and a

1300

00:58:26,370 --> 00:58:23,140

million may have been to or she may have

1301
00:58:29,459 --> 00:58:26,380
contracted dysentery and and died not

1302
00:58:30,870 --> 00:58:29,469
that long after after Fred was executed

1303
00:58:35,370 --> 00:58:30,880
so that's what we're talking about

1304
00:58:37,650 --> 00:58:35,380
tonight and in the time that we spent

1305
00:58:41,279 --> 00:58:37,660
off air here we were talking about some

1306
00:58:44,489 --> 00:58:41,289
of the other tantalizing details and the

1307
00:58:45,839 --> 00:58:44,499
story let me read the telephone number

1308
00:58:48,839 --> 00:58:45,849
for anyone out there who would like to

1309
00:58:51,660 --> 00:58:48,849
join the discussion you can dial up

1310
00:58:54,930 --> 00:58:51,670
eight eight eight nine one nine two

1311
00:58:56,640 --> 00:58:54,940
three five five or of course you can go

1312
00:58:59,910 --> 00:58:56,650
to the chat room at inception radio

1313
00:59:02,099 --> 00:58:59,920

network and type a question into the

1314

00:59:05,009 --> 00:59:02,109

chat room you can also go to Skype to

1315

00:59:09,150 --> 00:59:05,019

Inception Radio Network and type in a

1316

00:59:11,299 --> 00:59:09,160

question there to our producer Joe we're

1317

00:59:14,690 --> 00:59:11,309

going to be talking I think for the next

1318

00:59:18,269 --> 00:59:14,700

4050 minutes about what happened after

1319

00:59:21,809 --> 00:59:18,279

Amelia and Fred Noonan were taken to

1320

00:59:26,069 --> 00:59:21,819

Saipan one thing before we leave Milly

1321

00:59:28,799 --> 00:59:26,079

atoll though there's a tantalizing

1322

00:59:30,890 --> 00:59:28,809

detail about Ike and Mike you're going

1323

00:59:33,599 --> 00:59:30,900

to have to help me this one of the

1324

00:59:37,080 --> 00:59:33,609

native eyewitnesses said that he

1325

00:59:40,110 --> 00:59:37,090

witnessed the two people coming on

1326

00:59:41,790 --> 00:59:40,120

and from this downed aircraft and one of

1327

00:59:47,700 --> 00:59:41,800

them had something that looked like a

1328

00:59:50,550 --> 00:59:47,710

little a little release or a small case

1329

00:59:55,860 --> 00:59:50,560

of some sort and went over to a tree

1330

00:59:58,080 --> 00:59:55,870

and buried it well go ahead okay Laurel

1331

00:59:59,610 --> 00:59:58,090

its what let's be precise for anybody

1332

01:00:02,850 --> 00:59:59,620

that's actually got my book it's on page

1333

01:00:04,650 --> 01:00:02,860

144 ok so what's it said that it's in

1334

01:00:06,690 --> 01:00:04,660

there and I'm going to read a little bit

1335

01:00:09,240 --> 01:00:06,700

of and it says lorac was one of the two

1336

01:00:13,230 --> 01:00:09,250

witnesses that saw the Earhart plane

1337

01:00:15,180 --> 01:00:13,240

come down off of Bar Island law requests

1338

01:00:17,150 --> 01:00:15,190

it was 11 years old living on Millie

1339

01:00:20,250 --> 01:00:17,160

when he heard Lygia on tell his story

1340

01:00:23,490 --> 01:00:20,260

liza want is how he's how dicks pink

1341

01:00:25,560 --> 01:00:23,500

says it down so that's where it will be

1342

01:00:27,720 --> 01:00:25,570

he lies one was out fishing in the

1343

01:00:30,020 --> 01:00:27,730

lagoon they're building their bar when

1344

01:00:33,390 --> 01:00:30,030

he saw this big silver plane coming

1345

01:00:35,400 --> 01:00:33,400

lorac told nag so this is oliver nags a

1346

01:00:38,550 --> 01:00:35,410

south african investigator who was over

1347

01:00:41,010 --> 01:00:38,560

there at million in the very early 1980s

1348

01:00:42,630 --> 01:00:41,020

it was lowdown this is what law rock

1349

01:00:44,250 --> 01:00:42,640

said it was lowdown and he could tell

1350

01:00:46,320 --> 01:00:44,260

was in trouble because it made no noise

1351

01:00:48,030 --> 01:00:46,330

then it landed on the water next to the

1352

01:00:50,040 --> 01:00:48,040

small iron when he pulled in his fishing

1353

01:00:51,750 --> 01:00:50,050

line it went quickly to see if he could

1354

01:00:53,340 --> 01:00:51,760

help when he got there he he saw these

1355

01:00:57,960 --> 01:00:53,350

these are strange people and one is a

1356

01:01:00,000 --> 01:00:57,970

woman he he watched as they buried

1357

01:01:01,650 --> 01:01:00,010

something in the coral under a canal

1358

01:01:02,940 --> 01:01:01,660

tree he could tell the man was hurt

1359

01:01:04,410 --> 01:01:02,950

because he was limping and there was

1360

01:01:06,270 --> 01:01:04,420

blood on his face and the woman was

1361

01:01:07,980 --> 01:01:06,280

helping him he waited there in his

1362

01:01:09,420 --> 01:01:07,990

hiding place until they saw the Japanese

1363

01:01:11,280 --> 01:01:09,430

coming and then he left

1364

01:01:14,040 --> 01:01:11,290

later we were told the people who

1365

01:01:17,040 --> 01:01:14,050

crashed were Americans later on but

1366

01:01:21,420 --> 01:01:17,050

Barry goes back and searches that those

1367

01:01:23,070 --> 01:01:21,430

areas and finds a large rotting trunk of

1368

01:01:25,560 --> 01:01:23,080

a tree that could have been a canal tree

1369

01:01:28,380 --> 01:01:25,570

and there was also a small canal growing

1370

01:01:31,980 --> 01:01:28,390

nearby according to Nags the metal

1371

01:01:33,420 --> 01:01:31,990

detector found a hard not of soil that

1372

01:01:35,820 --> 01:01:33,430

appeared to be growing at the root of

1373

01:01:37,170 --> 01:01:35,830

the tree cutting into it we discovered a

1374

01:01:39,540 --> 01:01:37,180

massive rust and what looked like a

1375

01:01:41,010 --> 01:01:39,550

hinge of sorts not believing the shape

1376

01:01:43,470 --> 01:01:41,020

of some could have once been the metal

1377

01:01:45,510 --> 01:01:43,480

cannister buried by the American Flyers

1378

01:01:47,250 --> 01:01:45,520

Maggs chipped away in his fun but

1379

01:01:49,740 --> 01:01:47,260

uncovered nothing more but he took it

1380

01:01:50,700 --> 01:01:49,750

back to South Africa it was analyzed by

1381

01:01:52,800 --> 01:01:50,710

the metallurgical

1382

01:01:55,770 --> 01:01:52,810

apartment of the University of Capetown

1383

01:01:58,230 --> 01:01:55,780

and the results confirm that in section

1384

01:02:01,079 --> 01:01:58,240

the sample revealed what is described as

1385

01:02:03,180 --> 01:02:01,089

a pin cover rivet and body of the hinge

1386

01:02:05,280 --> 01:02:03,190

in general that micro structures are

1387

01:02:07,500 --> 01:02:05,290

consistent what they find clean low

1388

01:02:10,020 --> 01:02:07,510

carbon steel indicating that good

1389

01:02:12,270 --> 01:02:10,030

technology was used in this manufacturer

1390

01:02:14,099 --> 01:02:12,280

bags regretted not bringing the entire

1391

01:02:16,079 --> 01:02:14,109

mass back for analysis but the hinge

1392

01:02:18,150 --> 01:02:16,089

quote could have come from up something

1393

01:02:20,430 --> 01:02:18,160

akin to a cashbox and could therefore

1394

01:02:23,640 --> 01:02:20,440

quite easily be the canister to which

1395

01:02:26,190 --> 01:02:23,650

elijah one had referred and then in an

1396

01:02:30,390 --> 01:02:26,200

air hearts book last flight she actually

1397

01:02:33,270 --> 01:02:30,400

talks about the tin case that Fred had

1398

01:02:35,730 --> 01:02:33,280

purchased I believe it was us it was in

1399

01:02:37,890 --> 01:02:35,740

South Africa I'm not sure somewhere

1400

01:02:40,380 --> 01:02:37,900

along the way it purchased this this tin

1401

01:02:43,670 --> 01:02:40,390

case and she talked about it rattling so

1402

01:02:47,089 --> 01:02:43,680

that's what we think it was and I guess

1403

01:02:49,620 --> 01:02:47,099

they thought maybe he had money in it or

1404

01:02:51,420 --> 01:02:49,630

well she thought she might have had some

1405

01:02:55,380 --> 01:02:51,430

little bottle of booze in there she

1406

01:03:00,000 --> 01:02:55,390

sorted that playing personal stuff you

1407

01:03:02,760 --> 01:03:00,010

know so that's good what else could have

1408

01:03:03,900 --> 01:03:02,770

been I mean to me I did a whole blog on

1409

01:03:07,320 --> 01:03:03,910

this and there's a picture of it

1410

01:03:10,320 --> 01:03:07,330

actually I have a picture of the the of

1411

01:03:12,420 --> 01:03:10,330

the piece that was that nags put in his

1412

01:03:14,160 --> 01:03:12,430

book and that was analyzed it doesn't

1413

01:03:15,660 --> 01:03:14,170

look like anything you can't recognize

1414

01:03:17,849 --> 01:03:15,670

it as being a hinge

1415

01:03:20,640 --> 01:03:17,859

apparently the soil over there is really

1416

01:03:22,770 --> 01:03:20,650

a dick would know better really nasty to

1417

01:03:24,720 --> 01:03:22,780

anything that's buried under there yeah

1418

01:03:26,550 --> 01:03:24,730

it is it's and it's tough to dig through

1419

01:03:27,990 --> 01:03:26,560

to without tearing things apart really

1420

01:03:30,240 --> 01:03:28,000

easy I mean the way that the you know

1421

01:03:32,430 --> 01:03:30,250

coconut tree grows full growth in less

1422

01:03:34,980 --> 01:03:32,440

than twenty years and they just wrapped

1423

01:03:38,070 --> 01:03:34,990

their roots around everything so it is

1424

01:03:40,339 --> 01:03:38,080

pretty tough Wow

1425

01:03:42,990 --> 01:03:40,349

when we were talking during the break

1426

01:03:46,339 --> 01:03:43,000

Wes we were talking about the trail of

1427

01:03:50,670 --> 01:03:46,349

blood from the Marshalls to Saipan and

1428

01:03:52,950 --> 01:03:50,680

what actually may have become of Amelia

1429

01:03:54,660 --> 01:03:52,960

and Fred do you want to pick up where we

1430

01:03:57,750 --> 01:03:54,670

were talking and say a little bit about

1431

01:04:00,630 --> 01:03:57,760

that we're sure that this is one of the

1432

01:04:01,920 --> 01:04:00,640

the best parts of this mystery and it's

1433

01:04:03,360 --> 01:04:01,930

actually almost something out of a movie

1434

01:04:05,700 --> 01:04:03,370

script

1435

01:04:08,430 --> 01:04:05,710

and that verb is as mike indicates in

1436

01:04:10,650 --> 01:04:08,440

his book there are numerous witnesses in

1437

01:04:14,310 --> 01:04:10,660

the Marshal Service gives me in Saipan

1438

01:04:16,830 --> 01:04:14,320

that saw a white Caucasian woman and a

1439

01:04:18,390 --> 01:04:16,840

white man and they didn't initially

1440

01:04:20,760 --> 01:04:18,400

described in this Americans but they

1441

01:04:22,290 --> 01:04:20,770

said that they were white and they saw

1442

01:04:24,690 --> 01:04:22,300

them being in the custody of the

1443

01:04:28,290 --> 01:04:24,700

Japanese and the stories are a little

1444

01:04:29,820 --> 01:04:28,300

bit buried in compared in consensus in

1445

01:04:33,030 --> 01:04:29,830

the sense that they're in custody and

1446

01:04:34,680 --> 01:04:33,040

that they're near the jail the bear pen

1447

01:04:36,180 --> 01:04:34,690

in jail in Saipan and they might have

1448

01:04:38,760 --> 01:04:36,190

been there for a lengthy period of time

1449

01:04:41,100 --> 01:04:38,770

and as memories fade some of these

1450

01:04:42,840 --> 01:04:41,110

witnesses said that they might have been

1451

01:04:43,980 --> 01:04:42,850

there for a short time some said they

1452

01:04:46,020 --> 01:04:43,990

thought they might have been there for a

1453

01:04:47,370 --> 01:04:46,030

lengthy period of time but there's no

1454

01:04:51,300 --> 01:04:47,380

doubt they're talking about the same

1455

01:04:54,150 --> 01:04:51,310

individuals and what's and what's really

1456

01:04:56,330 --> 01:04:54,160

interesting about this is that they all

1457

01:05:00,630 --> 01:04:56,340

met there this month this mod buys

1458

01:05:03,780 --> 01:05:00,640

wooden allegedly was beheaded and

1459

01:05:05,610 --> 01:05:03,790

shortly after either Miller heart or

1460

01:05:10,170 --> 01:05:05,620

this white woman died of dysentery and

1461

01:05:12,360 --> 01:05:10,180

or she was beheaded as well and that's

1462

01:05:16,530 --> 01:05:12,370

it however the here's where the story

1463

01:05:21,360 --> 01:05:16,540

gets great in 1944 and I have this date

1464

01:05:24,120 --> 01:05:21,370

down in July 22nd 1944 three young

1465

01:05:26,910 --> 01:05:24,130

Marines from the 18th Marine Engineering

1466

01:05:29,400 --> 01:05:26,920

Battalion were ordered by a marine

1467

01:05:32,190 --> 01:05:29,410

captain who is an intelligence captain

1468

01:05:34,560 --> 01:05:32,200

his name was Tracy Griswold he said

1469

01:05:36,870 --> 01:05:34,570

accompany me I want you in to help me

1470

01:05:38,250 --> 01:05:36,880

with a little job and the next morning

1471

01:05:40,320 --> 01:05:38,260

they left with him and he drove around

1472

01:05:44,130 --> 01:05:40,330

and I should handed up on the outskirts

1473

01:05:47,040 --> 01:05:44,140

of a remote native cemetery and he had a

1474

01:05:48,510 --> 01:05:47,050

map and he told them you guys go this

1475

01:05:50,250 --> 01:05:48,520

way and I'll go this way and when you

1476

01:05:52,290 --> 01:05:50,260

see an area it looks like a fresh grave

1477

01:05:54,510 --> 01:05:52,300

of some sort let me know and one of them

1478

01:05:56,820 --> 01:05:54,520

found that grave or he thought it was

1479

01:05:58,920 --> 01:05:56,830

potentially great and he said what about

1480

01:06:02,400 --> 01:05:58,930

here captain captain said looks at his

1481

01:06:05,280 --> 01:06:02,410

map yeah this looks like it's it and you

1482

01:06:08,940 --> 01:06:05,290

have these guys start digging and as a

1483

01:06:11,310 --> 01:06:08,950

dug down to about their waist level one

1484

01:06:13,290 --> 01:06:11,320

of them calls up captain what are we

1485

01:06:14,850 --> 01:06:13,300

doing here and the capital was style

1486

01:06:16,180 --> 01:06:14,860

done and said and he ever heard about

1487

01:06:19,960 --> 01:06:16,190

any Earhart

1488

01:06:21,910 --> 01:06:19,970

and they sort of course keep diggin he

1489

01:06:25,210 --> 01:06:21,920

eventually came up with the remains of

1490

01:06:27,279 --> 01:06:25,220

two individual skeletons or skeletal

1491

01:06:29,289 --> 01:06:27,289

remains unfortunately they didn't

1492

01:06:31,240 --> 01:06:29,299

clearly identify how much of the

1493

01:06:33,130 --> 01:06:31,250

skeletal remains remain under the fact

1494

01:06:35,559 --> 01:06:33,140

that they there's old siding amount of

1495

01:06:38,140 --> 01:06:35,569

bones and in one one account even

1496

01:06:40,020 --> 01:06:38,150

indicated there was some possible tissue

1497

01:06:43,000 --> 01:06:40,030

or it was still attached to the bones

1498

01:06:45,010 --> 01:06:43,010

well the captain took that material put

1499

01:06:49,270 --> 01:06:45,020

it in some sort of a canister and they

1500

01:06:51,670 --> 01:06:49,280

left and as you read as you know law in

1501

01:06:54,039 --> 01:06:51,680

Saigon is book he clearly documents this

1502

01:06:55,630 --> 01:06:54,049

and you talk to this captain who was

1503

01:06:57,579 --> 01:06:55,640

involved in at the time and he had

1504

01:07:01,029 --> 01:06:57,589

denied this his name was Tracy Cruz were

1505

01:07:03,069 --> 01:07:01,039

all a lot of Uri Pennsylvania and he

1506

01:07:07,329 --> 01:07:03,079

became somewhat friends with regular and

1507

01:07:09,460 --> 01:07:07,339

they basically agreed that I'm not the

1508

01:07:11,200 --> 01:07:09,470

man and Garner was probably convinced

1509

01:07:13,059 --> 01:07:11,210

said Tracy robust because what was

1510

01:07:14,680 --> 01:07:13,069

telling the truth the two Marines told

1511

01:07:16,270 --> 01:07:14,690

an entirely different story they hadn't

1512

01:07:17,950 --> 01:07:16,280

seen each other in 20 some years and

1513

01:07:20,680 --> 01:07:17,960

you're interviewed separately by garner

1514

01:07:23,440 --> 01:07:20,690

and later by a group from Cleveland Ohio

1515

01:07:25,569 --> 01:07:23,450

and it was clear that Tracy Griswold was

1516

01:07:27,400 --> 01:07:25,579

the one they actually had photos of him

1517

01:07:30,039 --> 01:07:27,410

and you know please talk to photoline

1518

01:07:32,109 --> 01:07:30,049

and they said this is the man who told

1519

01:07:34,240 --> 01:07:32,119

us to dig up this particular grave and

1520

01:07:35,859 --> 01:07:34,250

these are the bones of you dug up and he

1521

01:07:38,349 --> 01:07:35,869

gave them to him and we never saw this

1522

01:07:41,559 --> 01:07:38,359

man again and that was the beginning of

1523

01:07:43,569 --> 01:07:41,569

that particular part of this miliary

1524

01:07:45,160 --> 01:07:43,579

hard saga and it goes on from there

1525

01:07:47,079 --> 01:07:45,170

because those are bones when they came

1526

01:07:49,870 --> 01:07:47,089

back nobody knows what happened to him

1527

01:07:52,180 --> 01:07:49,880

okay and the bones were actually read up

1528

01:07:54,370 --> 01:07:52,190

up again little remnants of the bone to

1529

01:07:57,849 --> 01:07:54,380

that same grave site by a group from

1530

01:07:59,230 --> 01:07:57,859

Cleveland Ohio in 1968 and when he

1531

01:08:01,750 --> 01:07:59,240

brought those bones back to the United

1532

01:08:04,359 --> 01:08:01,760

States anthropologist said there clearly

1533

01:08:06,460 --> 01:08:04,369

at least in his opinion anyway and it

1534

01:08:09,039 --> 01:08:06,470

was just his opinion that there from a

1535

01:08:11,950 --> 01:08:09,049

white man and a white woman and until

1536

01:08:12,880 --> 01:08:11,960

partially cremated with the advent of

1537

01:08:15,069 --> 01:08:12,890

DNA

1538

01:08:16,539 --> 01:08:15,079

about 9 years later these same guys from

1539

01:08:18,519 --> 01:08:16,549

Cleveland went back to the

1540

01:08:21,570 --> 01:08:18,529

anthropologist to retrieve those bones

1541

01:08:23,559 --> 01:08:21,580

can now have a tested for DNA

1542

01:08:26,439 --> 01:08:23,569

unfortunately the anthropologist had

1543

01:08:29,230 --> 01:08:26,449

died and the bones had disappeared from

1544

01:08:32,920 --> 01:08:29,240

the Ohio Historical Museum

1545

01:08:35,050 --> 01:08:32,930

it's it's a fascinating topic gosh it

1546

01:08:37,270 --> 01:08:35,060

you're reminding me of the the stories

1547

01:08:40,450 --> 01:08:37,280

that I'm familiar with about the remains

1548

01:08:42,850 --> 01:08:40,460

of giants that were excavated around

1549

01:08:45,580 --> 01:08:42,860

North America in the 1800s and either

1550

01:08:47,440 --> 01:08:45,590

Carnegie Mellon or the Smithsonian came

1551

01:08:49,090 --> 01:08:47,450

and said oh this is wonderful we're

1552

01:08:51,190 --> 01:08:49,100

going to take them back and analyze them

1553

01:08:52,570 --> 01:08:51,200

and we'll get back to you and now they

1554

01:08:55,230 --> 01:08:52,580

say we don't know what you're talking

1555

01:08:58,750 --> 01:08:55,240

about we never took any remains back

1556

01:09:00,790 --> 01:08:58,760

very similar yeah well what you're

1557

01:09:02,320 --> 01:09:00,800

describing this this reminds me I'm

1558

01:09:06,600 --> 01:09:02,330

telling you folks there's so many

1559

01:09:08,710 --> 01:09:06,610

tantalizing details in Mike's book and

1560

01:09:12,070 --> 01:09:08,720

gosh if I had time to go all the way

1561

01:09:14,440 --> 01:09:12,080

back to Fred Garner's book and start

1562

01:09:18,790 --> 01:09:14,450

from there it would probably be even

1563

01:09:22,740 --> 01:09:18,800

more instructional but Mike in your blog

1564

01:09:26,590 --> 01:09:22,750

recently you you published a story about

1565

01:09:30,040 --> 01:09:26,600

Amelia's mother and a letter she sent to

1566

01:09:32,710 --> 01:09:30,050

I think it was was at Netta snook the

1567

01:09:36,640 --> 01:09:32,720

woman who taught amelia had a fly and

1568

01:09:38,680 --> 01:09:36,650

and she's talking about how her tone and

1569

01:09:40,950 --> 01:09:38,690

yeah i encourage people to go to Mike's

1570

01:09:46,630 --> 01:09:40,960

blog and I put the links up here it's

1571

01:09:49,690 --> 01:09:46,640

WWF Heart Truth calm and look for the

1572

01:09:52,180 --> 01:09:49,700

letter from actually Laurel it's it's

1573

01:09:54,550 --> 01:09:52,190

Earhart truth wordpress.com

1574

01:09:56,680 --> 01:09:54,560

okay I thought the levels are the same

1575

01:09:58,360 --> 01:09:56,690

go ahead well you can get you can get

1576

01:10:02,070 --> 01:09:58,370

there from the website but the actual

1577

01:10:04,660 --> 01:10:02,080

blog site is HTTPS Earhart truth

1578

01:10:08,410 --> 01:10:04,670

wordpress.com or you can go to Earhart

1579

01:10:11,230 --> 01:10:08,420

truce comm and click on blog okay okay

1580

01:10:13,600 --> 01:10:11,240

well the and I'll finish the gist of the

1581

01:10:18,150 --> 01:10:13,610

story but Mike has details on it it

1582

01:10:21,550 --> 01:10:18,160

sounds as if Amelia Earhart's mother

1583

01:10:24,150 --> 01:10:21,560

really believed that she was picked up

1584

01:10:27,360 --> 01:10:24,160

by the Japanese taken to Saipan

1585

01:10:30,040 --> 01:10:27,370

initially they thought that she would be

1586

01:10:31,120 --> 01:10:30,050

sent home and she'd be okay and that

1587

01:10:33,640 --> 01:10:31,130

never happened

1588

01:10:36,430 --> 01:10:33,650

and I was left almost with the feeling

1589

01:10:39,130 --> 01:10:36,440

Mike that maybe someone made a deal with

1590

01:10:41,410 --> 01:10:39,140

her that if we give you her remains so

1591

01:10:42,560 --> 01:10:41,420

that you can put her to rest will you

1592

01:10:45,800 --> 01:10:42,570

please shut up about

1593

01:10:48,830 --> 01:10:45,810

and not bring it up anymore now react to

1594

01:10:52,160 --> 01:10:48,840

that anything is possible

1595

01:10:55,490 --> 01:10:52,170

real what else could not we you know

1596

01:11:00,620 --> 01:10:55,500

that this letter that Amy Earhart wrote

1597

01:11:04,430 --> 01:11:00,630

the neatest Nick snook is so full of not

1598

01:11:07,069 --> 01:11:04,440

only information that's likely accurate

1599

01:11:10,430 --> 01:11:07,079

it's also full of information that might

1600

01:11:16,010 --> 01:11:10,440

not be accurate at all and so it's it

1601
01:11:18,109 --> 01:11:16,020
really takes some real study and and the

1602
01:11:21,319 --> 01:11:18,119
letter can be deconstructed in so many

1603
01:11:23,569 --> 01:11:21,329
different ways and in fact you when you

1604
01:11:26,149 --> 01:11:23,579
said that that she said that

1605
01:11:30,709 --> 01:11:26,159
Amy Aaron Amy Otis Earhart was was

1606
01:11:33,319 --> 01:11:30,719
Amelia's mother and she never in her

1607
01:11:35,600 --> 01:11:33,329
Leonard Anita snook never wrote the word

1608
01:11:38,270 --> 01:11:35,610
Saipan she never said that amelia was

1609
01:11:41,600 --> 01:11:38,280
taken this IPAN she only said that she

1610
01:11:43,760 --> 01:11:41,610
knew that the Japs had her and tortured

1611
01:11:46,339 --> 01:11:43,770
and murdered our brave fliers I'm

1612
01:11:48,350 --> 01:11:46,349
quoting now you know Nita up to the time

1613
01:11:52,069 --> 01:11:48,360

the Japs tortured and murdered our brave

1614

01:11:54,229 --> 01:11:52,079

fliers I hope for a million's return you

1615

01:11:57,350 --> 01:11:54,239

know and no but she never says Saipan

1616

01:12:00,319 --> 01:11:57,360

and she also says that Amelia sent SOS

1617

01:12:05,089 --> 01:12:00,329

is an SOS after she went down in the

1618

01:12:07,790 --> 01:12:05,099

marshals uh you know this ties in with

1619

01:12:11,060 --> 01:12:07,800

less a strong belief in the post what

1620

01:12:14,470 --> 01:12:11,070

they call the post loss sicknesses host

1621

01:12:18,260 --> 01:12:14,480

loss air a lot of transmissions yes and

1622

01:12:19,970 --> 01:12:18,270

which is if she landed on dry land she

1623

01:12:22,459 --> 01:12:19,980

would have been able to send radio

1624

01:12:25,129 --> 01:12:22,469

signals now other people such as Paul

1625

01:12:28,430 --> 01:12:25,139

Radford a radio expert from Pan Am in

1626

01:12:30,649 --> 01:12:28,440

the early days who was a really smart

1627

01:12:33,109 --> 01:12:30,659

about radio and he wrote a book too

1628

01:12:34,790 --> 01:12:33,119

called Amelia Earhart's radio and

1629

01:12:37,100 --> 01:12:34,800

Radford doesn't believe she had enough

1630

01:12:40,160 --> 01:12:37,110

power in her radio to reach hardly

1631

01:12:42,890 --> 01:12:40,170

anywhere so there's different opinions

1632

01:12:45,290 --> 01:12:42,900

this is a very controversial table topic

1633

01:12:48,649 --> 01:12:45,300

of you know in this egg is the post-loss

1634

01:12:50,899 --> 01:12:48,659

radioed there was so many different ones

1635

01:12:53,419 --> 01:12:50,909

they could have all been true but they

1636

01:12:55,280 --> 01:12:53,429

it's very but it I don't know I don't

1637

01:12:56,210 --> 01:12:55,290

know what to say that some assailant

1638

01:12:58,130 --> 01:12:56,220

very interested

1639

01:13:00,560 --> 01:12:58,140

what I want to talk some about that

1640

01:13:01,910 --> 01:13:00,570

wasn't there a teenage girl in Florida

1641

01:13:04,790 --> 01:13:01,920

who claimed that she heard her

1642

01:13:07,670 --> 01:13:04,800

transmission saying oh yes that's that's

1643

01:13:10,970 --> 01:13:07,680

the tiger thing that comes from the the

1644

01:13:14,600 --> 01:13:10,980

other side and that's was a her that's

1645

01:13:16,130 --> 01:13:14,610

no crackpot stuff well I best doesn't

1646

01:13:17,660 --> 01:13:16,140

even deserve to be discussed I don't

1647

01:13:20,300 --> 01:13:17,670

know that hasn't really been documented

1648

01:13:22,760 --> 01:13:20,310

that's just a claim only by tiger that I

1649

01:13:24,710 --> 01:13:22,770

know of there's many other ones that are

1650

01:13:26,600 --> 01:13:24,720

much more credible much incredible in

1651

01:13:28,070 --> 01:13:26,610

that less you want to talk about that

1652

01:13:30,470 --> 01:13:28,080

yeah what do you have to say about the

1653

01:13:32,360 --> 01:13:30,480

radio transmissions well first of all in

1654

01:13:34,340 --> 01:13:32,370

a comment of what you mentioned were and

1655

01:13:37,700 --> 01:13:34,350

I think you're spot on and I've always

1656

01:13:40,070 --> 01:13:37,710

wondered about the aspect of of Amelia's

1657

01:13:42,440 --> 01:13:40,080

mother and throughout the late thirties

1658

01:13:44,000 --> 01:13:42,450

into the mid 40s until nineteen

1659

01:13:47,630 --> 01:13:44,010

forty-seven forty-eight forty-nine she

1660

01:13:49,430 --> 01:13:47,640

was adamant that Amelia good daughter

1661

01:13:53,210 --> 01:13:49,440

had been captured by the Japanese and

1662

01:13:55,100 --> 01:13:53,220

all the sudden she changed and I agree

1663

01:13:56,870 --> 01:13:55,110

with you in a half head course there's

1664

01:13:58,910 --> 01:13:56,880

nothing to back up what I'm saying but

1665

01:14:01,910 --> 01:13:58,920

more than likely this is my thought

1666

01:14:03,980 --> 01:14:01,920

because I'm retired for relations and I

1667

01:14:06,020 --> 01:14:03,990

was a high level management manager of

1668

01:14:07,130 --> 01:14:06,030

the government agency and that's the

1669

01:14:09,110 --> 01:14:07,140

sort of thing that would have occurred

1670

01:14:11,690 --> 01:14:09,120

somebody eventually would have said we

1671

01:14:14,750 --> 01:14:11,700

have to say something to her and the

1672

01:14:16,880 --> 01:14:14,760

idea of the government returning her

1673

01:14:19,220 --> 01:14:16,890

bones and allowing that to be a quite

1674

01:14:22,460 --> 01:14:19,230

burial somewhere in Massachusetts it

1675

01:14:24,850 --> 01:14:22,470

rings true to me so for what you just

1676

01:14:27,110 --> 01:14:24,860

mentioned I think that there is possibly

1677

01:14:29,240 --> 01:14:27,120

might be something to that we'll never

1678

01:14:31,940 --> 01:14:29,250

be able to prove it and therefore then

1679

01:14:34,190 --> 01:14:31,950

Amy would have been satisfied that our

1680

01:14:36,680 --> 01:14:34,200

daughter could rightfully come back to

1681

01:14:38,630 --> 01:14:36,690

United States and is not at peace so

1682

01:14:40,490 --> 01:14:38,640

it's good that in mind I believe I

1683

01:14:43,040 --> 01:14:40,500

really think that that's less plausible

1684

01:14:45,260 --> 01:14:43,050

answer this could also explain why

1685

01:14:49,700 --> 01:14:45,270

Muriel never made a whole lot of noise

1686

01:14:52,760 --> 01:14:49,710

about it either or your sister yeah no

1687

01:14:56,000 --> 01:14:52,770

that's correct and in fact in 1960 all

1688

01:14:58,730 --> 01:14:56,010

right so again what's in 1963 when

1689

01:15:00,890 --> 01:14:58,740

Amelia Earhart realized at on divine is

1690

01:15:04,070 --> 01:15:00,900

going to go over to Saipan and possibly

1691

01:15:05,390 --> 01:15:04,080

into Tokyo as well the research and

1692

01:15:08,459 --> 01:15:05,400

defined out what happened to Amelia

1693

01:15:12,779 --> 01:15:11,159

Amelia's sister wrote a letter to the US

1694

01:15:14,310 --> 01:15:12,789

ambassador in Tokyo said I'm going to

1695

01:15:16,469 --> 01:15:14,320

give you quote a heads up and that's

1696

01:15:18,089 --> 01:15:16,479

fine to another's there is going to be

1697

01:15:19,739 --> 01:15:18,099

people coming over here to investigating

1698

01:15:22,229 --> 01:15:19,749

me here I want to let you know that

1699

01:15:24,209 --> 01:15:22,239

they're coming and she writes and I have

1700

01:15:25,679 --> 01:15:24,219

a copy of this letter by the way and she

1701

01:15:27,569 --> 01:15:25,689

writes this letter in such a way that

1702

01:15:31,080 --> 01:15:27,579

you would think that she knew exactly

1703

01:15:33,750 --> 01:15:31,090

what happened to her sister and she was

1704

01:15:35,310 --> 01:15:33,760

now satisfied in at peace with it but

1705

01:15:36,600 --> 01:15:35,320

she was warning the US government

1706

01:15:39,779 --> 01:15:36,610

officials that there's going to be some

1707

01:15:42,029 --> 01:15:39,789

nosy researchers coming around and that

1708

01:15:44,310 --> 01:15:42,039

she had could have been talking about a

1709

01:15:46,679 --> 01:15:44,320

vine less she couldn't talk about the

1710

01:15:48,239 --> 01:15:46,689

vine he'd never went to Japan no he

1711

01:15:49,890 --> 01:15:48,249

didn't but he had written letters at

1712

01:15:53,819 --> 01:15:49,900

that one time and he was in the press

1713

01:15:57,479 --> 01:15:53,829

yeah and letters to Michiko's Ikeda in

1714

01:15:59,040 --> 01:15:57,489

the mid-70s she was in too young I'm

1715

01:16:00,779 --> 01:15:59,050

just telling you that from what the

1716

01:16:02,459 --> 01:16:00,789

stuff that I had Mike and I had this I

1717

01:16:03,989 --> 01:16:02,469

know what you you've been holding out on

1718

01:16:07,649 --> 01:16:03,999

me less I didn't know what he thought

1719

01:16:09,509 --> 01:16:07,659

was funny my queenly door surprise you

1720

01:16:13,040 --> 01:16:09,519

see yes this is business inside

1721

01:16:15,330 --> 01:16:13,050

researchers baseball with energy no yes

1722

01:16:17,580 --> 01:16:15,340

unless it's been hold man I didn't know

1723

01:16:20,009 --> 01:16:17,590

that I can't I just surmised that

1724

01:16:21,779 --> 01:16:20,019

somebody might have told muriel about

1725

01:16:23,489 --> 01:16:21,789

this the same way that that somebody

1726

01:16:25,409 --> 01:16:23,499

might have told Amy Earhart about it

1727

01:16:26,790 --> 01:16:25,419

because I just didn't want I grew that

1728

01:16:29,850 --> 01:16:26,800

she because she wrote this letter to the

1729

01:16:31,919 --> 01:16:29,860

US ambassador over there in 1963 giving

1730

01:16:33,469 --> 01:16:31,929

them a heads up and to the fact that

1731

01:16:37,100 --> 01:16:33,479

there was going to be people

1732

01:16:39,419 --> 01:16:37,110

investigating the her sister again and

1733

01:16:40,770 --> 01:16:39,429

he was written as I said in just a

1734

01:16:43,439 --> 01:16:40,780

manner that you'd kind of wonder why

1735

01:16:44,969 --> 01:16:43,449

would she be doing this and it's the

1736

01:16:47,640 --> 01:16:44,979

kind of a person who's in the know and

1737

01:16:49,830 --> 01:16:47,650

in now she's satisfied so Laura I think

1738

01:16:51,569 --> 01:16:49,840

your thoughts are right on and there's

1739

01:16:53,850 --> 01:16:51,579

probably some beloved you to it it's

1740

01:16:57,689 --> 01:16:53,860

just my little Scorpio hunch you know

1741

01:17:01,319 --> 01:16:57,699

I'm good so now Eleanor Roosevelt was a

1742

01:17:03,750 --> 01:17:01,329

very close friend of Amelia's right yes

1743

01:17:08,850 --> 01:17:03,760

could she don't late role in trying to

1744

01:17:10,830 --> 01:17:08,860

get information to Amelia's mother I'll

1745

01:17:12,810 --> 01:17:10,840

respond I'm not going sure she was as

1746

01:17:16,589 --> 01:17:12,820

close as what people have written about

1747

01:17:18,839 --> 01:17:16,599

her no Nana it was was a friend I got

1748

01:17:21,870 --> 01:17:18,849

maybe through the National Archives and

1749

01:17:23,610 --> 01:17:21,880

through the FDR library in Hyde Park

1750

01:17:26,250 --> 01:17:23,620

all twenty-five or thirty letters of

1751

01:17:29,430 --> 01:17:26,260

correspondence between a million and an

1752

01:17:31,919 --> 01:17:29,440

Eleanor Roosevelt and it was a congenial

1753

01:17:34,350 --> 01:17:31,929

personal relationship I don't know

1754

01:17:39,149 --> 01:17:34,360

whether they're that terrible closely

1755

01:17:41,310 --> 01:17:39,159

certainly close could you know Eleanor

1756

01:17:43,530 --> 01:17:41,320

Roosevelt having inside information and

1757

01:17:45,360 --> 01:17:43,540

pass it on or whispered it to other

1758

01:17:47,790 --> 01:17:45,370

people about what was happening or what

1759

01:17:49,830 --> 01:17:47,800

she knew that's possible but you don't

1760

01:17:52,590 --> 01:17:49,840

understand if you're at the historian of

1761

01:17:54,810 --> 01:17:52,600

that era but Eleanor Roosevelt did not

1762

01:17:57,120 --> 01:17:54,820

have that close of a personal

1763

01:17:58,860 --> 01:17:57,130

relationship what her husband was doing

1764

01:18:02,430 --> 01:17:58,870

when he was a president United States

1765

01:18:06,840 --> 01:18:02,440

right and and you have to take a look at

1766

01:18:08,669 --> 01:18:06,850

that because he he had only a very small

1767

01:18:10,290 --> 01:18:08,679

circle of friends and she was not one of

1768

01:18:12,629 --> 01:18:10,300

the people that he was intimate with as

1769

01:18:14,250 --> 01:18:12,639

far as his imparting personal knowledge

1770

01:18:16,080 --> 01:18:14,260

yeah she would have had it well don't

1771

01:18:18,780 --> 01:18:16,090

belong something if she had found it out

1772

01:18:20,070 --> 01:18:18,790

right yes and was no doubt that if she

1773

01:18:22,140 --> 01:18:20,080

thought it out something independently

1774

01:18:24,570 --> 01:18:22,150

or if there was some other aide or

1775

01:18:26,010 --> 01:18:24,580

associate of her husband's and whispered

1776

01:18:27,060 --> 01:18:26,020

something to her she would have come

1777

01:18:28,919 --> 01:18:27,070

running through the back door to

1778

01:18:30,750 --> 01:18:28,929

resident said what about this and then

1779

01:18:32,790 --> 01:18:30,760

he in turn was untruthful her there's no

1780

01:18:35,300 --> 01:18:32,800

question about that well he would not

1781

01:18:38,580 --> 01:18:35,310

had given her information of this type

1782

01:18:40,709 --> 01:18:38,590

knowing who she was and the fact that

1783

01:18:42,780 --> 01:18:40,719

she was a champion of women's rights

1784

01:18:46,080 --> 01:18:42,790

long before the women's rights was a

1785

01:18:48,360 --> 01:18:46,090

movement so I don't know whether Eleanor

1786

01:18:50,129 --> 01:18:48,370

Roosevelt unless somebody whispered in a

1787

01:18:52,350 --> 01:18:50,139

year and there's no question but that

1788

01:18:54,090 --> 01:18:52,360

could have happened and then she would

1789

01:18:56,310 --> 01:18:54,100

have pressured her husband and be having

1790

01:18:58,290 --> 01:18:56,320

some sort of a response that she would

1791

01:19:00,689 --> 01:18:58,300

have some knowledge yourself I'm not

1792

01:19:02,250 --> 01:19:00,699

sure that so for right now we're going

1793

01:19:08,160 --> 01:19:02,260

to let that stay in the category of

1794

01:19:15,030 --> 01:19:08,170

conjecture I think for what was that

1795

01:19:18,899 --> 01:19:15,040

going to ask you it was a really good

1796

01:19:21,510 --> 01:19:18,909

question too I'll think of it in a

1797

01:19:25,920 --> 01:19:21,520

minute that's why I like to take notes I

1798

01:19:32,130 --> 01:19:28,390

someone in the chatroom is talking about

1799

01:19:36,960 --> 01:19:32,140

how Emilia used to go by the nickname of

1800

01:19:40,480 --> 01:19:36,970

mealy and it reminds me of the Islanders

1801
01:19:43,960 --> 01:19:40,490
hearing or talking about Melia Melia

1802
01:19:46,030 --> 01:19:43,970
when when someone overheard it no it was

1803
01:19:49,030 --> 01:19:46,040
still a man Amram that overheard the

1804
01:19:52,210 --> 01:19:49,040
Japanese on board the Koshu referencing

1805
01:19:54,330 --> 01:19:52,220
her meeow meeow oh yeah when he was

1806
01:19:57,340 --> 01:19:54,340
treating the scar on fred Noonan's

1807
01:19:59,650 --> 01:19:57,350
forehead and his knee and that's where

1808
01:20:02,380 --> 01:19:59,660
that name came from okay now that's a

1809
01:20:04,150 --> 01:20:02,390
different I'm sorry - go ahead oh no I

1810
01:20:06,430 --> 01:20:04,160
was just going to bring a few point

1811
01:20:07,720 --> 01:20:06,440
about you know bilham on on and he was

1812
01:20:09,520 --> 01:20:07,730
probably one of the best eyewitnesses

1813
01:20:10,720 --> 01:20:09,530

the time that came out of the Marshalls

1814

01:20:14,050 --> 01:20:10,730

the best probably that came out of the

1815

01:20:19,890 --> 01:20:14,060

Marshalls and that was when the ship the

1816

01:20:22,780 --> 01:20:19,900

kosher Maru was it at Elliot and my DVD

1817

01:20:25,300 --> 01:20:22,790

with Charlie Dominic is his uncle Tamaki

1818

01:20:26,710 --> 01:20:25,310

was on the refueling crew of that boat

1819

01:20:30,550 --> 01:20:26,720

and he gives a pretty good description

1820

01:20:34,420 --> 01:20:30,560

of the story from bill Montaner Billman

1821

01:20:36,280 --> 01:20:34,430

was a very very reputable person in the

1822

01:20:40,990 --> 01:20:36,290

Marshall Islands up until his death in

1823

01:20:42,790 --> 01:20:41,000

the 90s he was a very prominent citizen

1824

01:20:46,840 --> 01:20:42,800

there did a lot of good things for the

1825

01:20:48,310 --> 01:20:46,850

community very well-respected and I you

1826
01:20:50,080 --> 01:20:48,320
know there's just no way this guy would

1827
01:20:53,740 --> 01:20:50,090
have made that story up I mean he just

1828
01:20:55,180 --> 01:20:53,750
it's great it's the way he tells us he

1829
01:20:58,990 --> 01:20:55,190
was interviewed by a lot of people

1830
01:21:00,580 --> 01:20:59,000
beginning with Gerner of in 1975 les

1831
01:21:03,220 --> 01:21:00,590
says that he has the tape of that

1832
01:21:05,290 --> 01:21:03,230
interview actually which is something I

1833
01:21:07,540 --> 01:21:05,300
was never able to get my hands so unless

1834
01:21:12,100 --> 01:21:07,550
like incredible researcher does all kind

1835
01:21:15,580 --> 01:21:12,110
of incredible work and bill Primack in

1836
01:21:18,340 --> 01:21:15,590
1989 was one of the last people to

1837
01:21:21,010 --> 01:21:18,350
interview bill Amman and Bill Amman said

1838
01:21:23,260 --> 01:21:21,020

that they called the Japanese crewmen on

1839

01:21:25,420 --> 01:21:23,270

board the Koshu actually bill maan

1840

01:21:27,370 --> 01:21:25,430

didn't say kosher but just ship Japanese

1841

01:21:32,980 --> 01:21:27,380

ship but he said they called the lady

1842

01:21:36,520 --> 01:21:32,990

Melia m ee I why a Melia that was what

1843

01:21:38,140 --> 01:21:36,530

the prior bill Amman told Primack I want

1844

01:21:39,470 --> 01:21:38,150

to make sure the listeners understand

1845

01:21:43,820 --> 01:21:39,480

that when these guys are talking

1846

01:21:46,160 --> 01:21:43,830

about Philemon he was a basically an EMT

1847

01:21:48,500 --> 01:21:46,170

he was a medic that was brought on board

1848

01:21:50,390 --> 01:21:48,510

to treat the injuries at Fred Noonan had

1849

01:21:53,060 --> 01:21:50,400

right that's right I have to have

1850

01:21:58,340 --> 01:21:53,070

Japanese have marshalese it was fluent

1851
01:22:01,340 --> 01:21:58,350
in marshalese and and Japanese and and

1852
01:22:02,540 --> 01:22:01,350
it was a corpsman in at that time yeah

1853
01:22:04,850 --> 01:22:02,550
you had to really have your stuff

1854
01:22:07,460 --> 01:22:04,860
together he was he was a very smart

1855
01:22:10,100 --> 01:22:07,470
young man Wow

1856
01:22:11,600 --> 01:22:10,110
I found my pin and I made my note guys

1857
01:22:14,500 --> 01:22:11,610
and I remember what I was going to ask

1858
01:22:16,820 --> 01:22:14,510
you about there's a lot of debate over

1859
01:22:19,490 --> 01:22:16,830
and this relates back to the radio

1860
01:22:21,440 --> 01:22:19,500
transmissions before the plane touched

1861
01:22:26,450 --> 01:22:21,450
down somewhere there's a lot of debate

1862
01:22:30,260 --> 01:22:26,460
over whether she Amelia was possibly not

1863
01:22:32,360 --> 01:22:30,270

really accidentally lost but kind of

1864

01:22:34,220 --> 01:22:32,370

cruising around and looking from a

1865

01:22:37,790 --> 01:22:34,230

bird's-eye view of what was going on as

1866

01:22:40,070 --> 01:22:37,800

if she was reconnoitering and I know

1867

01:22:44,330 --> 01:22:40,080

there's a look this is probably all

1868

01:22:47,300 --> 01:22:44,340

conjecture but it seems crazy to me that

1869

01:22:49,610 --> 01:22:47,310

she had a navigator on board with her

1870

01:22:51,680 --> 01:22:49,620

who knew Morse code even though she was

1871

01:22:54,740 --> 01:22:51,690

not what i would say fluent in Morse

1872

01:22:58,490 --> 01:22:54,750

code but I mean how could they have

1873

01:23:01,729 --> 01:22:58,500

possibly gotten lost and gone for hours

1874

01:23:04,340 --> 01:23:01,739

without making radio contact and they

1875

01:23:06,380 --> 01:23:04,350

only stayed online long enough to say a

1876

01:23:09,290 --> 01:23:06,390

few things but not long enough for the

1877

01:23:11,840 --> 01:23:09,300

attacker which was the US carrier that

1878

01:23:13,220 --> 01:23:11,850

was trying to track them they couldn't

1879

01:23:14,870 --> 01:23:13,230

even get a fix on them because they

1880

01:23:16,420 --> 01:23:14,880

didn't stay on the radio long enough do

1881

01:23:19,550 --> 01:23:16,430

you think it's possible that they were

1882

01:23:21,890 --> 01:23:19,560

that Amelia and Fred were actually kind

1883

01:23:24,380 --> 01:23:21,900

of flying around poking their nose in

1884

01:23:25,940 --> 01:23:24,390

something in the Japanese that's part of

1885

01:23:29,600 --> 01:23:25,950

why they thought maybe they were spying

1886

01:23:32,090 --> 01:23:29,610

on them this is a business this is the

1887

01:23:34,610 --> 01:23:32,100

huge mystery this is the real mystery of

1888

01:23:37,850 --> 01:23:34,620

the Earhart matter in the this is the

1889

01:23:40,910 --> 01:23:37,860

real mystery what was she doing and why

1890

01:23:43,190 --> 01:23:40,920

did she land at mili okay this end and

1891

01:23:45,050 --> 01:23:43,200

the other stuff is all just smoke and

1892

01:23:48,290 --> 01:23:45,060

mirrors about what happened to her and

1893

01:23:51,110 --> 01:23:48,300

the mystery is and we still don't know

1894

01:23:52,939 --> 01:23:51,120

so go ahead last I know les has a very

1895

01:23:56,870 --> 01:23:52,949

definite ideas on that

1896

01:23:59,380 --> 01:23:56,880

I don't know and Laura interior point

1897

01:24:03,050 --> 01:23:59,390

conjecture is probably the proper term

1898

01:24:04,790 --> 01:24:03,060

there's a strong evidence the fact that

1899

01:24:07,040 --> 01:24:04,800

she might have been potentially what you

1900

01:24:10,130 --> 01:24:07,050

call involving a gray intelligence

1901

01:24:11,840 --> 01:24:10,140

mission as issue is not and the

1902

01:24:14,570 --> 01:24:11,850

rationale behind of course is that

1903

01:24:17,780 --> 01:24:14,580

you're right how could Fred Noonan

1904

01:24:21,790 --> 01:24:17,790

become off-course by two three four five

1905

01:24:24,439 --> 01:24:21,800

six hundred miles it seems impossible

1906

01:24:26,959 --> 01:24:24,449

the only island that she could have

1907

01:24:29,689 --> 01:24:26,969

possibly wanted to take a look at would

1908

01:24:32,270 --> 01:24:29,699

have been truck and truck was considered

1909

01:24:33,709 --> 01:24:32,280

the Gibraltar of the Pacific and it was

1910

01:24:35,240 --> 01:24:33,719

an area that was an enigma for the

1911

01:24:37,250 --> 01:24:35,250

United States we knew nothing about it

1912

01:24:39,830 --> 01:24:37,260

we really flapped knew nothing about it

1913

01:24:41,000 --> 01:24:39,840

and I'd seen intelligence reports we

1914

01:24:43,550 --> 01:24:41,010

were desperately trying to find

1915

01:24:45,169 --> 01:24:43,560

information about truck ISM really is

1916

01:24:47,540 --> 01:24:45,179

nineteen twenty-seven twenty-eight

1917

01:24:49,550 --> 01:24:47,550

twenty-nine we knew very little but we

1918

01:24:51,380 --> 01:24:49,560

did know from radio transmissions that

1919

01:24:53,840 --> 01:24:51,390

it was a large Japanese naval

1920

01:24:55,580 --> 01:24:53,850

installation less I'm going to enter

1921

01:24:57,080 --> 01:24:55,590

less I want to interrupt you for just a

1922

01:24:59,000 --> 01:24:57,090

second and tell you that I've read

1923

01:25:02,660 --> 01:24:59,010

recently that truck was considered the

1924

01:25:07,250 --> 01:25:02,670

Pearl Harbor of the Japanese is that

1925

01:25:09,770 --> 01:25:07,260

right yes well not not well yes or no I

1926

01:25:12,860 --> 01:25:09,780

mean it was that big a destination for

1927

01:25:16,160 --> 01:25:12,870

them oh it was huger yeah the truck

1928

01:25:18,290 --> 01:25:16,170

Lagoon is huge and it's deep once before

1929

01:25:21,800 --> 01:25:18,300

it could actually accommodated as many

1930

01:25:25,370 --> 01:25:21,810

as fifty to sixty ocean-going naval

1931

01:25:27,830 --> 01:25:25,380

ships at a time we didn't know that we

1932

01:25:30,080 --> 01:25:27,840

had no idea we had we did not know what

1933

01:25:32,060 --> 01:25:30,090

was there and would we have wanted to

1934

01:25:34,100 --> 01:25:32,070

have known absolutely because we're

1935

01:25:37,340 --> 01:25:34,110

making attempts to know what was going

1936

01:25:39,820 --> 01:25:37,350

on in the mandated Islands as early as

1937

01:25:42,290 --> 01:25:39,830

you know in the late twenties but

1938

01:25:42,860 --> 01:25:42,300

getting back to the original story is

1939

01:25:45,919 --> 01:25:42,870

that

1940

01:25:47,689 --> 01:25:45,929

Earhart was going to take a look the

1941

01:25:48,650 --> 01:25:47,699

only way she could have done that was

1942

01:25:50,689 --> 01:25:48,660

before dark

1943

01:25:52,520 --> 01:25:50,699

and granted people will say that they

1944

01:25:54,380 --> 01:25:52,530

could have thrown out these what they

1945

01:25:56,120 --> 01:25:54,390

call these burst balloons were they

1946

01:25:58,970 --> 01:25:56,130

would have had these flashlights and

1947

01:26:01,040 --> 01:25:58,980

then it would then lighten up and it

1948

01:26:03,200 --> 01:26:01,050

then could have taken photographs I I

1949

01:26:05,450 --> 01:26:03,210

think that is highly implausible she

1950

01:26:05,870 --> 01:26:05,460

wasn't technically feasible and would

1951

01:26:07,970 --> 01:26:05,880

require

1952

01:26:10,280 --> 01:26:07,980

equipment that everybody would have seen

1953

01:26:11,720 --> 01:26:10,290

on border plane so the only thing she

1954

01:26:14,180 --> 01:26:11,730

could have done was try to reach

1955

01:26:17,450 --> 01:26:14,190

someplace before dark and snap some

1956

01:26:19,220 --> 01:26:17,460

photos just to satisfy the US Navy that

1957

01:26:22,399 --> 01:26:19,230

in fact that place might have been

1958

01:26:23,629 --> 01:26:22,409

fortified and truck will doin would have

1959

01:26:26,060 --> 01:26:23,639

been it and she would have gotten over

1960

01:26:28,760 --> 01:26:26,070

truck if in fact she was on some sort of

1961

01:26:30,860 --> 01:26:28,770

automation around 6:30 the 7:00 p.m.

1962

01:26:33,200 --> 01:26:30,870

that evening prior to who are being

1963

01:26:36,410 --> 01:26:33,210

bossed will that occur I don't know

1964

01:26:38,209 --> 01:26:36,420

nobody knows what she did operate a

1965

01:26:41,540 --> 01:26:38,219

radio in such a manner that makes you

1966

01:26:43,310 --> 01:26:41,550

wonder why she got lost and none of her

1967

01:26:46,669 --> 01:26:43,320

transmissions for more than ten seconds

1968

01:26:48,649 --> 01:26:46,679

for short bursts and it would be

1969

01:26:51,649 --> 01:26:48,659

impossible for anybody to take a clicks

1970

01:26:53,330 --> 01:26:51,659

on her including the Japanese so was she

1971

01:26:56,030 --> 01:26:53,340

forewarned that if she transmitted in

1972

01:26:57,500 --> 01:26:56,040

long lengthy defenses with the Japanese

1973

01:26:59,330 --> 01:26:57,510

would it not exactly where she was at

1974

01:27:02,840 --> 01:26:59,340

that's possible it would haven't you

1975

01:27:04,760 --> 01:27:02,850

haven't told them so um your incent

1976

01:27:07,910 --> 01:27:04,770

theory that she was on a spy mission and

1977

01:27:09,260 --> 01:27:07,920

you know it's it's a plausible theory hi

1978

01:27:12,229 --> 01:27:09,270

I don't have any information on that

1979

01:27:15,169 --> 01:27:12,239

someone in the chat room is asking was

1980

01:27:17,290 --> 01:27:15,179

her radio in her airplane unfamiliar or

1981

01:27:20,810 --> 01:27:17,300

new to her

1982

01:27:22,669 --> 01:27:20,820

no thank you for answering it I'm not a

1983

01:27:25,399 --> 01:27:22,679

radio expert but I know it but she was

1984

01:27:27,189 --> 01:27:25,409

never reputed to be very good with radio

1985

01:27:30,080 --> 01:27:27,199

but I wouldn't say that it was new or

1986

01:27:33,140 --> 01:27:30,090

unfamiliar to her she had been at least

1987

01:27:35,689 --> 01:27:33,150

using it for us since her first attempt

1988

01:27:39,500 --> 01:27:35,699

you know her since they first began in

1989

01:27:41,450 --> 01:27:39,510

March of 1937 if not earlier she was

1990

01:27:43,939 --> 01:27:41,460

used to the radio she didn't like using

1991

01:27:45,560 --> 01:27:43,949

the radio she had a reputation as not

1992

01:27:48,649 --> 01:27:45,570

being as being kind of loosey-goosey

1993

01:27:50,620 --> 01:27:48,659

with the radio but no I don't I wouldn't

1994

01:27:52,520 --> 01:27:50,630

say she was unfamiliar with it either I

1995

01:27:54,560 --> 01:27:52,530

agree with that I agree with Mike

1996

01:27:56,120 --> 01:27:54,570

statement she had been using this radio

1997

01:27:58,850 --> 01:27:56,130

for several months so there's no

1998

01:28:00,770 --> 01:27:58,860

question it's not just Hannah Doyle but

1999

01:28:02,479 --> 01:28:00,780

there's a lot of eyewitnesses said that

2000

01:28:04,910 --> 01:28:02,489

she only had a rudimentary knowledge of

2001

01:28:06,260 --> 01:28:04,920

Morse code and the general listener

2002

01:28:10,010 --> 01:28:06,270

today the people listening to your

2003

01:28:11,660 --> 01:28:10,020

broadcast tonight that's not the kind of

2004

01:28:12,979 --> 01:28:11,670

broadcasting that was occurred on that

2005

01:28:16,149 --> 01:28:12,989

airplane that people have to understand

2006

01:28:19,430 --> 01:28:16,159

but in that time in 1937 any sort of

2007

01:28:20,959 --> 01:28:19,440

logical reasonable transmission of

2008

01:28:22,490 --> 01:28:20,969

which would have done by Morris code

2009

01:28:25,370 --> 01:28:22,500

they would not have been done by boys

2010

01:28:28,370 --> 01:28:25,380

and she was almost unfamiliar with

2011

01:28:30,590 --> 01:28:28,380

Morris code supposedly she even had a

2012

01:28:33,320 --> 01:28:30,600

rudimentary knowledge and maybe maybe

2013

01:28:35,630 --> 01:28:33,330

she could transmit four or five six

2014

01:28:38,150 --> 01:28:35,640

eight words a minute but that it doesn't

2015

01:28:39,740 --> 01:28:38,160

seem even that it could been done she

2016

01:28:42,320 --> 01:28:39,750

just did not have any knowledge of that

2017

01:28:45,800 --> 01:28:42,330

and Noonan admitted that he was also

2018

01:28:47,720 --> 01:28:45,810

very unfamiliar with Morse code they

2019

01:28:49,729 --> 01:28:47,730

announced before they even started that

2020

01:28:52,310 --> 01:28:49,739

the all the radio communications would

2021

01:28:55,130 --> 01:28:52,320

be in voice that was who I got was the

2022

01:28:58,490 --> 01:28:55,140

plan you only had agreed upon frequency

2023

01:29:00,470 --> 01:28:58,500

so she kind of didn't follow along with

2024

01:29:02,560 --> 01:29:00,480

what the agreed-upon frequencies were

2025

01:29:05,780 --> 01:29:02,570

supposed to be modulus but the

2026

01:29:08,479 --> 01:29:05,790

communications was a disaster they were

2027

01:29:10,520 --> 01:29:08,489

never on the same pages some people say

2028

01:29:13,700 --> 01:29:10,530

that they had that they had different

2029

01:29:16,100 --> 01:29:13,710

understandings of the frequencies that

2030

01:29:20,060 --> 01:29:16,110

were to be used and the times were all

2031

01:29:21,680 --> 01:29:20,070

messed up golf end of William Dalton on

2032

01:29:24,320 --> 01:29:21,690

one of the radio men aboard the attacker

2033

01:29:27,709 --> 01:29:24,330

told Paul Radford that he sent Amelia at

2034

01:29:30,760 --> 01:29:27,719

least 50 messages on the tray on the

2035

01:29:34,070 --> 01:29:30,770

frequencies that which we were agreed to

2036

01:29:37,430 --> 01:29:34,080

3105 and 6210 not one of his messages

2037

01:29:38,180 --> 01:29:37,440

was was responded to I mean it was just

2038

01:29:40,370 --> 01:29:38,190

a disaster

2039

01:29:43,070 --> 01:29:40,380

she acted the whole time as if she

2040

01:29:45,920 --> 01:29:43,080

really didn't want to talk to anybody it

2041

01:29:48,110 --> 01:29:45,930

was so bizarre as to be be uh you know

2042

01:29:50,750 --> 01:29:48,120

just off the charts her behavior was

2043

01:29:52,939 --> 01:29:50,760

completely it it didn't make sense at

2044

01:29:54,500 --> 01:29:52,949

all for somebody trying to find a little

2045

01:29:56,150 --> 01:29:54,510

speck of land in the middle of Pacific

2046

01:29:58,360 --> 01:29:56,160

that had never been done before

2047

01:30:01,220 --> 01:29:58,370

that flight had never been made before

2048

01:30:03,320 --> 01:30:01,230

no something else was going on we just

2049

01:30:05,750 --> 01:30:03,330

don't know what we just don't know what

2050

01:30:09,800 --> 01:30:05,760

I don't remember who it is in your blog

2051
01:30:12,650 --> 01:30:09,810
Mike who made the comments about her

2052
01:30:15,709 --> 01:30:12,660
behavior on the radio but he pointed out

2053
01:30:17,660 --> 01:30:15,719
you know if you're a pilot and you're

2054
01:30:20,750 --> 01:30:17,670
out in the middle of nowhere Pacific

2055
01:30:22,610 --> 01:30:20,760
Ocean and you've only got so much fuel

2056
01:30:25,130 --> 01:30:22,620
and you're well aware of that and you

2057
01:30:27,439 --> 01:30:25,140
think you're off course the last thing

2058
01:30:29,450 --> 01:30:27,449
you're going to do is come on to the

2059
01:30:31,790 --> 01:30:29,460
radio for 10 seconds and then turn it

2060
01:30:33,240 --> 01:30:31,800
off for six hours you're going on saying

2061
01:30:35,370 --> 01:30:33,250
finally find me fine

2062
01:30:36,570 --> 01:30:35,380
Here I am can anybody hear my voice and

2063
01:30:39,210 --> 01:30:36,580

you're not going to put the radio down

2064

01:30:41,310 --> 01:30:39,220

until someone answers in that chapter

2065

01:30:44,970 --> 01:30:41,320

where we talk about the final flight in

2066

01:30:49,200 --> 01:30:44,980

the truth at last but I take a lot of

2067

01:30:52,200 --> 01:30:49,210

dill Primax first-person commentary it

2068

01:30:54,480 --> 01:30:52,210

was a great researcher he produced

2069

01:30:57,390 --> 01:30:54,490

incredible newsletters during his time

2070

01:30:59,130 --> 01:30:57,400

1989 to 2000 and Bill Primack was a

2071

01:31:02,340 --> 01:30:59,140

pilot he talked about the time and he

2072

01:31:05,460 --> 01:31:02,350

almost went down that he was lost and he

2073

01:31:08,850 --> 01:31:05,470

said he would know that he stayed glued

2074

01:31:11,040 --> 01:31:08,860

to that radio the whole time you know he

2075

01:31:13,620 --> 01:31:11,050

was afraid for his life and that's the

2076

01:31:16,350 --> 01:31:13,630

radio was his life you know and that and

2077

01:31:19,440 --> 01:31:16,360

so he made aid and whatever he needed to

2078

01:31:22,620 --> 01:31:19,450

do to let the Coast Guard whoever was

2079

01:31:23,730 --> 01:31:22,630

down there to know he did everything

2080

01:31:25,950 --> 01:31:23,740

that she didn't do

2081

01:31:27,840 --> 01:31:25,960

let me give out our phone number again

2082

01:31:30,120 --> 01:31:27,850

in case anybody would like to dial in

2083

01:31:32,340 --> 01:31:30,130

we've only got about 20 minutes left not

2084

01:31:35,520 --> 01:31:32,350

quite eight eight eight nine one nine

2085

01:31:37,440 --> 01:31:35,530

two three five five your chance to talk

2086

01:31:40,590 --> 01:31:37,450

one-on-one with Mike Campbell

2087

01:31:44,340 --> 01:31:40,600

Richard spank and les Kinney about the

2088

01:31:45,300 --> 01:31:44,350

the real story about Amelia Earhart and

2089

01:31:48,360 --> 01:31:45,310

Fred Noonan's

2090

01:31:51,870 --> 01:31:48,370

last flight here's a question for you

2091

01:31:53,970 --> 01:31:51,880

someone in the chat room is wondering if

2092

01:31:55,410 --> 01:31:53,980

she was really all that good a pilot did

2093

01:31:58,610 --> 01:31:55,420

she really know what she was doing

2094

01:32:04,190 --> 01:31:58,620

flying the Electra can any of you make a

2095

01:32:06,510 --> 01:32:04,200

reply to that I want mustard dip do this

2096

01:32:07,890 --> 01:32:06,520

you know there's no question that she

2097

01:32:10,650 --> 01:32:07,900

wasn't the greatest pilot in the world

2098

01:32:12,480 --> 01:32:10,660

at the same time Fred Noonan swore by

2099

01:32:13,650 --> 01:32:12,490

her 'i said anybody who could fly and

2100

01:32:16,170 --> 01:32:13,660

this is prior to the flight being

2101

01:32:18,360 --> 01:32:16,180

finished by the way the last flight but

2102

01:32:20,910 --> 01:32:18,370

anybody could fly the way she did and

2103

01:32:22,700 --> 01:32:20,920

her own personal trainer Paul Mann said

2104

01:32:24,960 --> 01:32:22,710

the same thing that she was a good pilot

2105

01:32:26,700 --> 01:32:24,970

Charles Lindbergh made his take in one

2106

01:32:29,910 --> 01:32:26,710

time and he said this quote he says

2107

01:32:32,550 --> 01:32:29,920

Amelia Earhart made a good landing once

2108

01:32:34,950 --> 01:32:32,560

in the course as a joke it was at an

2109

01:32:36,920 --> 01:32:34,960

embedded dinner in some sort but she had

2110

01:32:38,640 --> 01:32:36,930

to be a good pilot to be what she

2111

01:32:39,600 --> 01:32:38,650

attempted to accomplish she's no

2112

01:32:42,450 --> 01:32:39,610

question about that

2113

01:32:44,340 --> 01:32:42,460

was she the best pilot no of course not

2114

01:32:45,779 --> 01:32:44,350

and was she a little bit rough on the

2115

01:32:48,359 --> 01:32:45,789

controls and must must

2116

01:32:50,399 --> 01:32:48,369

because she had a very hard landing when

2117

01:32:51,750 --> 01:32:50,409

she landed in Miami just at the

2118

01:32:54,419 --> 01:32:51,760

beginning of her world flight would

2119

01:32:56,669 --> 01:32:54,429

correct up that back window that tiger

2120

01:32:59,339 --> 01:32:56,679

is now assuming that was a cover over by

2121

01:33:01,350 --> 01:32:59,349

Willem them but she was a good pilot and

2122

01:33:07,080 --> 01:33:01,360

she crashed on takeoff from Luke field

2123

01:33:08,129 --> 01:33:07,090

to reveal a secret anyway yeah the

2124

01:33:11,430 --> 01:33:08,139

reason she tell you that according to

2125

01:33:13,709 --> 01:33:11,440

Paul Mantz Jim hatin has a Guyler that

2126
01:33:14,910 --> 01:33:13,719
helped me out a lot here he knew Paul

2127
01:33:16,680 --> 01:33:14,920
Mantz and talked on the telephone

2128
01:33:19,859 --> 01:33:16,690
several times Paul Mantz and Paul Mantz

2129
01:33:23,879 --> 01:33:19,869
had told Jim Amelia was it was not a

2130
01:33:25,680 --> 01:33:23,889
very do not was during her takeoff she

2131
01:33:27,509 --> 01:33:25,690
had a rough time she would tend to chase

2132
01:33:30,000 --> 01:33:27,519
instead of using her rudder she would

2133
01:33:32,069 --> 01:33:30,010
tend to chase the airplane straight with

2134
01:33:33,330 --> 01:33:32,079
the throttles which ended up one of the

2135
01:33:35,939 --> 01:33:33,340
reasons she looped the plane on the

2136
01:33:37,140 --> 01:33:35,949
ground at Luke field when she was taking

2137
01:33:38,729 --> 01:33:37,150
off on her first attempt around the

2138
01:33:40,109 --> 01:33:38,739

world so and there's a lot of people to

2139

01:33:41,520 --> 01:33:40,119

say a lot of you know some people say

2140

01:33:43,979 --> 01:33:41,530

she was great a lot other people say oh

2141

01:33:44,520 --> 01:33:43,989

no she wasn't that good I mean she had

2142

01:33:48,720 --> 01:33:44,530

guts

2143

01:33:50,459 --> 01:33:48,730

thing she would i briefed there was no

2144

01:33:52,770 --> 01:33:50,469

one braver there's no question about

2145

01:33:54,299 --> 01:33:52,780

absolutely absolutely a she why she's

2146

01:33:56,100 --> 01:33:54,309

the greatest pilot no she wasn't the

2147

01:33:58,950 --> 01:33:56,110

greatest bout but she certainly wasn't

2148

01:34:02,040 --> 01:33:58,960

the worst that's for sure see solo

2149

01:34:04,080 --> 01:34:02,050

flight across the Atlantic in 1932 is an

2150

01:34:05,939 --> 01:34:04,090

amazing story she was she didn't have

2151
01:34:07,620 --> 01:34:05,949
Fred Noonan with her then she was all

2152
01:34:09,479 --> 01:34:07,630
alone as she went across the Atlantic

2153
01:34:11,819 --> 01:34:09,489
she was the second person in history to

2154
01:34:14,279 --> 01:34:11,829
do it you know that's that's all right

2155
01:34:14,850 --> 01:34:14,289
hey that's what made her star that's

2156
01:34:17,580 --> 01:34:14,860
right

2157
01:34:20,520 --> 01:34:17,590
if any happened to have any idea of how

2158
01:34:23,569 --> 01:34:20,530
many hours in flight she had logged by

2159
01:34:27,209 --> 01:34:23,579
the time she was on this final flight

2160
01:34:28,709 --> 01:34:27,219
not a clear I'll think that I read some

2161
01:34:31,109 --> 01:34:28,719
more there was not that much in

2162
01:34:32,850 --> 01:34:31,119
something like 2500 to 3000 dollars

2163
01:34:35,549 --> 01:34:32,860

something that nature now then she flew

2164

01:34:37,560 --> 01:34:35,559

she she flew for a purpose and she flew

2165

01:34:41,339 --> 01:34:37,570

for reason uh she didn't have an

2166

01:34:44,759 --> 01:34:41,349

overwhelming amount of pipeline I read

2167

01:34:46,770 --> 01:34:44,769

in another female aviators book that she

2168

01:34:49,379 --> 01:34:46,780

gets from like meaning behavior to rule

2169

01:34:51,870 --> 01:34:49,389

the book of \$11,000 and their card had

2170

01:34:55,229 --> 01:34:51,880

about half of it and she was a close

2171

01:34:57,029 --> 01:34:55,239

personal friend so she did not have an

2172

01:34:59,390 --> 01:34:57,039

overwhelming model he said one thing

2173

01:35:01,640 --> 01:34:59,400

that has to be brought out we got

2174

01:35:03,680 --> 01:35:01,650

finger flying ability and this has been

2175

01:35:06,110 --> 01:35:03,690

written out twice and I heard it twice

2176

01:35:07,820 --> 01:35:06,120

once from somebody or Paul Mantz wrote

2177

01:35:09,980 --> 01:35:07,830

and then somebody else read but she had

2178

01:35:12,560 --> 01:35:09,990

a tendency to drift left when she's

2179

01:35:15,050 --> 01:35:12,570

flying and if that's the case that she

2180

01:35:17,210 --> 01:35:15,060

was flying from Lane eginning to Holland

2181

01:35:20,480 --> 01:35:17,220

and she was drifting what well that

2182

01:35:23,330 --> 01:35:20,490

would make it she would be heading

2183

01:35:26,960 --> 01:35:23,340

towards an area that she would intersect

2184

01:35:28,490 --> 01:35:26,970

up in the Marshall Islands it's possible

2185

01:35:30,200 --> 01:35:28,500

and she wasn't greatest pallet but she

2186

01:35:33,860 --> 01:35:30,210

was a good pilot no question about that

2187

01:35:36,260 --> 01:35:33,870

okay this Dakar she on her cross the

2188

01:35:38,720 --> 01:35:36,270

Atlantic on that same flight she drifted

2189

01:35:40,700 --> 01:35:38,730

left a hundred and fifty miles she

2190

01:35:43,580 --> 01:35:40,710

missed a car by 150 miles to the north

2191

01:35:46,370 --> 01:35:43,590

on the satellite when we know that we

2192

01:35:48,770 --> 01:35:46,380

know from the from the weather patterns

2193

01:35:50,240 --> 01:35:48,780

of July 2nd nineteen thirty seconds she

2194

01:35:52,130 --> 01:35:50,250

quiet she called in on radio

2195

01:35:54,650 --> 01:35:52,140

transmissions I guess she was a thousand

2196

01:35:58,790 --> 01:35:54,660

feet she was underneath a cloud cover

2197

01:36:01,820 --> 01:35:58,800

and the Taska was sitting in clear blue

2198

01:36:04,400 --> 01:36:01,830

sky in the water at Howland Island

2199

01:36:07,790 --> 01:36:04,410

the weather was was worse to the

2200

01:36:10,070 --> 01:36:07,800

northwest hmm that gives us another hand

2201

01:36:13,970 --> 01:36:10,080

of where she probably how she was off

2202

01:36:16,520 --> 01:36:13,980

course less where in relation to the

2203

01:36:18,590 --> 01:36:16,530

Marshall Islands and where Helen is and

2204

01:36:22,180 --> 01:36:18,600

where she was coming from from New

2205

01:36:24,920 --> 01:36:22,190

Guinea where would truck be truck a tow

2206

01:36:27,020 --> 01:36:24,930

truck is definitely to the left and she

2207

01:36:29,720 --> 01:36:27,030

would have suited how to lead leymah

2208

01:36:33,590 --> 01:36:29,730

Guinea and can actually maybe go about

2209

01:36:34,760 --> 01:36:33,600

15 degrees left or west in order to hit

2210

01:36:38,210 --> 01:36:34,770

up the truck and then she would have

2211

01:36:40,940 --> 01:36:38,220

went on a line sort of diagonally from

2212

01:36:43,880 --> 01:36:40,950

truck heading back down towards Holland

2213

01:36:46,250 --> 01:36:43,890

Island Tripoli 200 miles

2214

01:36:49,550 --> 01:36:46,260

it would have been 3,200 miles if she

2215

01:36:51,500 --> 01:36:49,560

went to truck yeah anyway I've had

2216

01:36:54,050 --> 01:36:51,510

enough gas for that right well

2217

01:36:57,020 --> 01:36:54,060

theoretically she would theoretically it

2218

01:36:59,480 --> 01:36:57,030

was 4,000 miles max but that's only

2219

01:37:01,640 --> 01:36:59,490

theoretically probably not that's

2220

01:37:04,250 --> 01:37:01,650

another one of a lot of pilots pilots

2221

01:37:05,900 --> 01:37:04,260

will tell you that as you know if you're

2222

01:37:07,640 --> 01:37:05,910

a pilot I am NOT a pilot but if you're a

2223

01:37:10,100 --> 01:37:07,650

pilot and she's starting off with a full

2224

01:37:11,510 --> 01:37:10,110

load and if she's able to have any sort

2225

01:37:12,919 --> 01:37:11,520

of prevailing winds and if she went

2226

01:37:15,469 --> 01:37:12,929

towards truck she would have

2227

01:37:16,939 --> 01:37:15,479

prevailing winds and that point in time

2228

01:37:18,830 --> 01:37:16,949

I really helped her out but as of course

2229

01:37:21,379 --> 01:37:18,840

is the fuel is dispensed the plane

2230

01:37:23,120 --> 01:37:21,389

widens and all of a sudden she she was

2231

01:37:25,609 --> 01:37:23,130

if there's one thing she was excellent

2232

01:37:29,419 --> 01:37:25,619

and it was noted she was excellent at

2233

01:37:31,459 --> 01:37:29,429

conserving fuel and everybody knew that

2234

01:37:33,949 --> 01:37:31,469

and she was really really good at

2235

01:37:36,049 --> 01:37:33,959

manipulating the fuel and consequently

2236

01:37:37,609 --> 01:37:36,059

there is a possibility if shot up on

2237

01:37:39,109 --> 01:37:37,619

four thousand miles she certainly would

2238

01:37:42,229 --> 01:37:39,119

have been able to do exactly what you

2239

01:37:44,810 --> 01:37:42,239

want me to do and truck would have been

2240

01:37:47,089 --> 01:37:44,820

in line with her drifting to the left as

2241

01:37:48,859 --> 01:37:47,099

a matter of habit well it would have had

2242

01:37:50,839 --> 01:37:48,869

Olympic probably got under deliberately

2243

01:37:52,339 --> 01:37:50,849

yeah sure Mike's right should have

2244

01:37:54,529 --> 01:37:52,349

definitely deliberately bound the truck

2245

01:37:57,049 --> 01:37:54,539

and then and then swung around and

2246

01:37:59,179 --> 01:37:57,059

heading back towards definition point of

2247

01:38:01,029 --> 01:37:59,189

homeland interesting there's all

2248

01:38:03,979 --> 01:38:01,039

speculation

2249

01:38:06,229 --> 01:38:03,989

well we've got about I'm going to say

2250

01:38:08,000 --> 01:38:06,239

about ten or twelve minutes left before

2251

01:38:10,009 --> 01:38:08,010

we're going to have to close this up so

2252

01:38:13,459 --> 01:38:10,019

let me go to each one of you one at a

2253

01:38:16,879 --> 01:38:13,469

time and did you've been very quiet this

2254

01:38:18,890 --> 01:38:16,889

hour start with you and take a couple of

2255

01:38:20,810 --> 01:38:18,900

minutes and just kind of summarize your

2256

01:38:22,699 --> 01:38:20,820

viewpoint and where we are with this and

2257

01:38:26,060 --> 01:38:22,709

what needs to be done next to answer all

2258

01:38:27,949 --> 01:38:26,070

these questions well what I've got are

2259

01:38:30,890 --> 01:38:27,959

the pieces that I picked up through my

2260

01:38:34,040 --> 01:38:30,900

different expeditions and what I'm doing

2261

01:38:36,830 --> 01:38:34,050

right now is I am making I'm having

2262

01:38:39,949 --> 01:38:36,840

these pieces scan I'm in the process of

2263

01:38:43,729 --> 01:38:39,959

right now especially the one dust cover

2264

01:38:46,279 --> 01:38:43,739

because it's been very dysphoria and

2265

01:38:50,000 --> 01:38:46,289

what I'm doing is building an electronic

2266

01:38:51,609 --> 01:38:50,010

3d model of this part scanning it and

2267

01:38:54,229 --> 01:38:51,619

then it's going to be flattened and then

2268

01:38:56,739 --> 01:38:54,239

reshaped the electronic model not the

2269

01:39:01,189 --> 01:38:56,749

piece the electronic model so we can

2270

01:39:02,870 --> 01:39:01,199

exact duplicate of what that piece was

2271

01:39:05,629 --> 01:39:02,880

originally shaped at and matched that

2272

01:39:10,489 --> 01:39:05,639

with whatever records that we can find

2273

01:39:12,290 --> 01:39:10,499

from the Goodyear air wheel and and as

2274

01:39:14,239 --> 01:39:12,300

far as the other little plate that we

2275

01:39:17,870 --> 01:39:14,249

you know we thought that may have first

2276

01:39:19,790 --> 01:39:17,880

been an APU plate cover what we're doing

2277

01:39:22,669 --> 01:39:19,800

is we're looking at other L tens and

2278

01:39:24,799 --> 01:39:22,679

seeing what they have for inspection

2279

01:39:26,330 --> 01:39:24,809

plates most of the inspection places

2280

01:39:31,040 --> 01:39:26,340

we've seen have been a little

2281

01:39:34,790 --> 01:39:31,050

bigger not the same size as this one

2282

01:39:36,560 --> 01:39:34,800

however you know when her plane was in

2283

01:39:38,120 --> 01:39:36,570

Miami there was different work done with

2284

01:39:40,640 --> 01:39:38,130

the antennas and such and this could

2285

01:39:46,010 --> 01:39:40,650

have easily been a little cover to put

2286

01:39:47,540 --> 01:39:46,020

over an antenna plate or something and

2287

01:39:48,470 --> 01:39:47,550

just a little inspection port on the

2288

01:39:50,479 --> 01:39:48,480

wing

2289

01:39:52,939 --> 01:39:50,489

in the front or on the rear we don't you

2290

01:39:55,790 --> 01:39:52,949

know who knows so what we're trying to

2291

01:39:58,580 --> 01:39:55,800

do is just take care of that and we're

2292

01:40:01,879 --> 01:39:58,590

going to also analyze the paint that is

2293

01:40:04,430 --> 01:40:01,889

on that little cover so I've definitely

2294

01:40:06,140 --> 01:40:04,440

got my work cut out for me I would have

2295

01:40:10,700 --> 01:40:06,150

probably been on a little bit faster but

2296

01:40:12,560 --> 01:40:10,710

I kind of drained a lot of my fun so far

2297

01:40:14,540 --> 01:40:12,570

on these trips that I've made of the

2298

01:40:16,790 --> 01:40:14,550

Marshall Island plus you've got a

2299

01:40:18,770 --> 01:40:16,800

regular day job teaching school well I

2300

01:40:21,379 --> 01:40:18,780

got a couple different jobs that I do is

2301

01:40:24,890 --> 01:40:21,389

selling my boat kits all right around

2302

01:40:26,990 --> 01:40:24,900

the globe so it's it's it keeps me quite

2303

01:40:30,290 --> 01:40:27,000

busy but the story the way it was just

2304

01:40:31,700 --> 01:40:30,300

placed into my to my to my lap I you

2305

01:40:33,169 --> 01:40:31,710

know I didn't go out there as I

2306

01:40:37,040 --> 01:40:33,179

mentioned in the first day I didn't go

2307

01:40:40,129 --> 01:40:37,050

out looking for this story this for this

2308

01:40:42,379 --> 01:40:40,139

story found me and came to me and and

2309

01:40:45,320 --> 01:40:42,389

I'm telling it for the people of the

2310

01:40:47,540 --> 01:40:45,330

Marshall Islands and you know I know so

2311

01:40:50,510 --> 01:40:47,550

many so many people they're their family

2312

01:40:54,410 --> 01:40:50,520

now and they all tell me the stories of

2313

01:40:57,220 --> 01:40:54,420

Bill among and it was great getting to

2314

01:41:00,050 --> 01:40:57,230

know Reverend Lodge Awan this year whose

2315

01:41:02,689 --> 01:41:00,060

father was actually a witness to the

2316

01:41:04,669 --> 01:41:02,699

landing so it's really a fantastic

2317

01:41:06,530 --> 01:41:04,679

country and Martin Daley has done a ton

2318

01:41:10,100 --> 01:41:06,540

to help I mean it wasn't for Martin

2319

01:41:11,359 --> 01:41:10,110

Daley in the Indies trader to help us do

2320

01:41:14,209 --> 01:41:11,369

what we did down there we probably

2321

01:41:17,839 --> 01:41:14,219

wouldn't have what we have so that's

2322

01:41:18,649 --> 01:41:17,849

that's basically where I am with this

2323

01:41:20,720 --> 01:41:18,659

right now

2324

01:41:22,490 --> 01:41:20,730

with time and money I'm trying to put it

2325

01:41:25,399 --> 01:41:22,500

all together and you're going to be

2326

01:41:28,100 --> 01:41:25,409

updating all of us who are all of us

2327

01:41:30,140 --> 01:41:28,110

enquiring minds so to speak so you're

2328

01:41:32,689 --> 01:41:30,150

going to be updating us on the blog or

2329

01:41:35,450 --> 01:41:32,699

have we know when you've you flooded on

2330

01:41:37,850 --> 01:41:35,460

it I'm always in touch with Mike and

2331

01:41:39,920 --> 01:41:37,860

less less less just you know he's lives

2332

01:41:42,230 --> 01:41:39,930

in Olympia which is not too far for me

2333

01:41:44,780 --> 01:41:42,240

he's only hour-and-a-half drive away

2334

01:41:46,730 --> 01:41:44,790

from me here so I've actually been able

2335

01:41:48,140 --> 01:41:46,740

to meet less couple times so far and

2336

01:41:51,050 --> 01:41:48,150

that's been great and everybody's

2337

01:41:52,850 --> 01:41:51,060

involved in the whole line of thought of

2338

01:41:53,930 --> 01:41:52,860

Amelia Earhart like we are they've all

2339

01:41:56,990 --> 01:41:53,940

been in touch with me

2340

01:41:58,640 --> 01:41:57,000

and I just want to be someone who is who

2341

01:42:03,590 --> 01:41:58,650

is here trying to get everybody that's

2342

01:42:05,300 --> 01:42:03,600

on this same line together to pull

2343

01:42:06,800 --> 01:42:05,310

everything together and make this happen

2344

01:42:09,140 --> 01:42:06,810

I mean this is this is going to be a

2345

01:42:10,910 --> 01:42:09,150

team effort of everybody

2346

01:42:13,040 --> 01:42:10,920

that is following the truth to what

2347

01:42:15,380 --> 01:42:13,050

happened it's going to take us all yeah

2348

01:42:17,150 --> 01:42:15,390

I agree with you and I really applaud

2349

01:42:19,840 --> 01:42:17,160

that that attitude and I know that all

2350

01:42:23,420 --> 01:42:19,850

three of you have that attitude

2351

01:42:27,590 --> 01:42:23,430

well I and I want to make sure Amelia

2352

01:42:28,850 --> 01:42:27,600

Earhart's movie Earhart movie.com can

2353

01:42:30,740 --> 01:42:28,860

kind of follow a little bit of what I've

2354

01:42:33,260 --> 01:42:30,750

done merely Amelia Earhart movie comm

2355

01:42:36,110 --> 01:42:33,270

Carol Gao is one that helped me with

2356

01:42:37,760 --> 01:42:36,120

that she's the one that I was able to

2357

01:42:40,750 --> 01:42:37,770

first get a hold of one of the first

2358

01:42:43,300 --> 01:42:40,760

ones that okay I'm on the phone yet oh

2359

01:42:45,740 --> 01:42:43,310

okay oh okay

2360

01:42:47,690 --> 01:42:45,750

I don't know what that was I don't know

2361

01:42:48,740 --> 01:42:47,700

what that was either business yes that's

2362

01:42:51,980 --> 01:42:48,750

your cue

2363

01:42:54,080 --> 01:42:51,990

that's a key oh there you go well dick I

2364

01:42:56,480 --> 01:42:54,090

really appreciate so much for taking the

2365

01:42:59,630 --> 01:42:56,490

time to to be online with us tonight and

2366

01:43:01,550 --> 01:42:59,640

it's just an absolute fascinating story

2367

01:43:03,440 --> 01:43:01,560

every piece of it every piece that I

2368

01:43:05,750 --> 01:43:03,450

hear that's brand new my jaw drops a

2369

01:43:07,400 --> 01:43:05,760

little lower so it's been fascinating to

2370

01:43:08,690 --> 01:43:07,410

me you can't imagine when the old man at

2371

01:43:10,160 --> 01:43:08,700

the end of the table and I said didn't

2372

01:43:11,360 --> 01:43:10,170

Amelia Earhart land in this part of the

2373

01:43:13,760 --> 01:43:11,370

world he looked right at me says yeah

2374

01:43:16,250 --> 01:43:13,770

she landed on our island and my uncle

2375

01:43:19,370 --> 01:43:16,260

watched her for two days I looked right

2376

01:43:21,230 --> 01:43:19,380

at him like yeah right Wow

2377

01:43:23,120 --> 01:43:21,240

yeah I think there's a little bit of

2378

01:43:25,790 --> 01:43:23,130

serendipity going on there for you oh

2379

01:43:27,890 --> 01:43:25,800

that's where it started for me well Mike

2380

01:43:29,270 --> 01:43:27,900

and les who wants to go next I'll leave

2381

01:43:34,490 --> 01:43:29,280

it up to you who's going to toss the

2382

01:43:37,850 --> 01:43:34,500

coin I'll go first you like this whole

2383

01:43:40,640 --> 01:43:37,860

or Ella you have I commend you you have

2384

01:43:42,950 --> 01:43:40,650

a very very good working knowledge of

2385

01:43:45,020 --> 01:43:42,960

this Earhart mystery and I can then

2386

01:43:48,830 --> 01:43:45,030

utilize and it's spot on as I'm

2387

01:43:51,700 --> 01:43:48,840

concerned I'm a group of NASA yes as far

2388

01:43:52,910 --> 01:43:51,710

as what's going on Vicks evidence is

2389

01:43:54,950 --> 01:43:52,920

there's no

2390

01:43:56,990 --> 01:43:54,960

that's paramount to clobbering the

2391

01:43:59,390 --> 01:43:57,000

belief that Earhart was captured by the

2392

01:44:02,419 --> 01:43:59,400

Japanese there's no question to it and

2393

01:44:04,490 --> 01:44:02,429

Nick needs to determine whether in fact

2394

01:44:07,550 --> 01:44:04,500

the evidence that he has those two

2395

01:44:09,680 --> 01:44:07,560

pieces come on super plain and I think

2396

01:44:12,979 --> 01:44:09,690

we can do that I really believe that and

2397

01:44:14,810 --> 01:44:12,989

the thing that I'm so intrigued about is

2398

01:44:19,010 --> 01:44:14,820

the fact that the luggage that was found

2399

01:44:20,689 --> 01:44:19,020

on Ryan Moore 1944 you for long familiar

2400

01:44:22,580 --> 01:44:20,699

there's no question about that and I

2401
01:44:25,160 --> 01:44:22,590
have that documented in evidence that

2402
01:44:28,939 --> 01:44:25,170
was found in secret marine files and I

2403
01:44:30,950 --> 01:44:28,949
have it with me and lastly if we could

2404
01:44:33,530 --> 01:44:30,960
possibly take it from that point and

2405
01:44:36,430 --> 01:44:33,540
champa all this on pan and we unearthed

2406
01:44:39,650 --> 01:44:36,440
that gravesite and where she was buried

2407
01:44:42,410 --> 01:44:39,660
and that the bones were last removed in

2408
01:44:44,930 --> 01:44:42,420
1930 1968 that was the second time you

2409
01:44:46,880 --> 01:44:44,940
removed but there should be a few pieces

2410
01:44:48,590 --> 01:44:46,890
of small remnants of bone to the Miss

2411
01:44:53,000 --> 01:44:48,600
simply because it was a very very

2412
01:44:54,439 --> 01:44:53,010
amateur dig and maybe so loathing I got

2413
01:44:56,060 --> 01:44:54,449

it they would have possibly they got

2414

01:44:59,270 --> 01:44:56,070

that at the time there was no evidence

2415

01:45:01,610 --> 01:44:59,280

of clothing however in the original

2416

01:45:03,350 --> 01:45:01,620

digging in 1944 it was something that

2417

01:45:05,780 --> 01:45:03,360

was overlooked because of you know these

2418

01:45:08,689 --> 01:45:05,790

guys are talking from 30 years memory

2419

01:45:10,580 --> 01:45:08,699

but yes there's a chance that that could

2420

01:45:13,490 --> 01:45:10,590

occurred but if we know if it's time

2421

01:45:16,550 --> 01:45:13,500

just even a small couple pieces of bone

2422

01:45:17,930 --> 01:45:16,560

and they haven't analyzed my DNA and I'm

2423

01:45:19,250 --> 01:45:17,940

thinking about going back over there in

2424

01:45:21,680 --> 01:45:19,260

March to do just that

2425

01:45:24,260 --> 01:45:21,690

well and all of us one of us could be

2426

01:45:26,870 --> 01:45:24,270

done of course unless the publicity

2427

01:45:28,939 --> 01:45:26,880

generated by Mike's book and that's you

2428

01:45:32,330 --> 01:45:28,949

nice spot on his book is the Bible he's

2429

01:45:34,340 --> 01:45:32,340

he's a great credible job in telling

2430

01:45:36,770 --> 01:45:34,350

this story and telling it actually and

2431

01:45:39,650 --> 01:45:36,780

in an unbiased manner and I believe it

2432

01:45:42,950 --> 01:45:39,660

and with all that I think we're going to

2433

01:45:46,280 --> 01:45:42,960

solve this I really think I've just got

2434

01:45:48,229 --> 01:45:46,290

a question is is there a some kind of

2435

01:45:50,959 --> 01:45:48,239

funding organization or is there any

2436

01:45:52,820 --> 01:45:50,969

grant money even if it's small like a

2437

01:45:54,890 --> 01:45:52,830

couple of hundred thousand dollars that

2438

01:45:56,419 --> 01:45:54,900

would support some some kind of a

2439

01:46:00,560 --> 01:45:56,429

startup to go over there do what you're

2440

01:46:03,080 --> 01:46:00,570

describing I seriously thought the

2441

01:46:04,669 --> 01:46:03,090

island yes no not to my knowledge

2442

01:46:05,870 --> 01:46:04,679

anybody who's ever attempted to do

2443

01:46:06,770 --> 01:46:05,880

something so there's not a couple of

2444

01:46:09,680 --> 01:46:06,780

guys I know

2445

01:46:13,250 --> 01:46:09,690

would be a kickstart Internet side the

2446

01:46:15,560 --> 01:46:13,260

drain and the funding layoffs I thought

2447

01:46:17,300 --> 01:46:15,570

about that I thought about it all of

2448

01:46:19,460 --> 01:46:17,310

this I know the dick has spent his own

2449

01:46:21,260 --> 01:46:19,470

money on it right gone around the United

2450

01:46:23,570 --> 01:46:21,270

States interviewing a lot of old men and

2451

01:46:26,510 --> 01:46:23,580

trying to gather evidence and it's all

2452

01:46:27,740 --> 01:46:26,520

my money I've not asked tonight it's

2453

01:46:30,320 --> 01:46:27,750

something that probably we should

2454

01:46:33,170 --> 01:46:30,330

collaborate on I think Michael degree

2455

01:46:35,780 --> 01:46:33,180

event as well well in my follow-up email

2456

01:46:37,850 --> 01:46:35,790

tonight I'm on toss a couple ideas out

2457

01:46:40,760 --> 01:46:37,860

there to the three of you and we'll keep

2458

01:46:43,130 --> 01:46:40,770

in touch on that okay that sounds great

2459

01:46:45,980 --> 01:46:43,140

yeah I'm not saying I have any answers

2460

01:46:48,410 --> 01:46:45,990

but I've got all kinds of wild ideas so

2461

01:46:50,090 --> 01:46:48,420

we'll see where we wind up with it les

2462

01:46:53,570 --> 01:46:50,100

thank you so much for taking the time

2463

01:46:55,250 --> 01:46:53,580

tonight and joining us and I hope I get

2464

01:46:57,290 --> 01:46:55,260

to talk to you again before too much

2465

01:47:00,590 --> 01:46:57,300

longer and we have like a gala

2466

01:47:02,450 --> 01:47:00,600

celebration with the evidence turning

2467

01:47:06,020 --> 01:47:02,460

out to corroborate everything we've been

2468

01:47:08,720 --> 01:47:06,030

talking about thank you well oh I can I

2469

01:47:11,060 --> 01:47:08,730

can I just jump in for a second how was

2470

01:47:14,720 --> 01:47:11,070

your turn Mike it's our turn we have

2471

01:47:18,050 --> 01:47:14,730

like five minutes okay well I don't know

2472

01:47:20,210 --> 01:47:18,060

if I'm gonna hog all that but I would

2473

01:47:22,970 --> 01:47:20,220

you just ask the question about grant

2474

01:47:26,900 --> 01:47:22,980

money to find out the truth about what

2475

01:47:30,800 --> 01:47:26,910

this is anathema to the establishment

2476

01:47:34,220 --> 01:47:30,810

okay this story this is where this is

2477

01:47:37,340 --> 01:47:34,230

where my real expertise is I it's the

2478

01:47:40,250 --> 01:47:37,350

it's the way it's the cultural the

2479

01:47:43,300 --> 01:47:40,260

cultural attitude about the truth in the

2480

01:47:46,760 --> 01:47:43,310

Erhard case if the cultural attitude of

2481

01:47:49,640 --> 01:47:46,770

77 years of government propaganda was

2482

01:47:50,600 --> 01:47:49,650

not such as it is there wouldn't be a

2483

01:47:52,160 --> 01:47:50,610

story anymore

2484

01:47:54,350 --> 01:47:52,170

it would have been solved a long time

2485

01:47:57,140 --> 01:47:54,360

ago we wouldn't be sitting here talking

2486

01:47:59,660 --> 01:47:57,150

there wouldn't be people only people

2487

01:48:03,800 --> 01:47:59,670

like Fred green or Thomas Devine visit V

2488

01:48:07,550 --> 01:48:03,810

Loomis a handful of others myself doing

2489

01:48:10,400 --> 01:48:07,560

books about this subject the

2490

01:48:12,920 --> 01:48:10,410

establishment despises this story this

2491

01:48:16,160 --> 01:48:12,930

is the point of all of it okay

2492

01:48:19,700 --> 01:48:16,170

that's why les and I and dick are doing

2493

01:48:20,270 --> 01:48:19,710

what we're doing because they gored this

2494

01:48:25,640 --> 01:48:20,280

this is a

2495

01:48:28,490 --> 01:48:25,650

titled a chapter in my book the care and

2496

01:48:30,979 --> 01:48:28,500

nurture of a sacred cow the truth about

2497

01:48:34,069 --> 01:48:30,989

what happened to her remains a sacred

2498

01:48:36,859 --> 01:48:34,079

cow to this day that's the whole problem

2499

01:48:38,149 --> 01:48:36,869

I think it's get others to there's just

2500

01:48:40,609 --> 01:48:38,159

no doubt about that

2501

01:48:43,399 --> 01:48:40,619

if there was when I when I first met

2502

01:48:44,870 --> 01:48:43,409

Thomas Devine I in 1990 I said how come

2503

01:48:46,640 --> 01:48:44,880

in New York Times or Washington Post

2504

01:48:50,000 --> 01:48:46,650

everybody in the world isn't founded

2505

01:48:51,770 --> 01:48:50,010

down your door for your story I didn't

2506

01:48:53,149 --> 01:48:51,780

understand it at that time he just

2507

01:48:56,029 --> 01:48:53,159

looked at me and shook I said he didn't

2508

01:48:58,459 --> 01:48:56,039

know but I know now I learned soon

2509

01:49:01,580 --> 01:48:58,469

enough why they don't want the story

2510

01:49:03,470 --> 01:49:01,590

I've been rejected by thousands you are

2511

01:49:05,510 --> 01:49:03,480

one of the rare few people in this

2512

01:49:07,970 --> 01:49:05,520

country that will put the truth about

2513

01:49:10,819 --> 01:49:07,980

the Erhard matter on the air believe me

2514

01:49:12,260 --> 01:49:10,829

I know I have a list of them on my site

2515

01:49:14,810 --> 01:49:12,270

and there's not many and they're all

2516

01:49:17,240 --> 01:49:14,820

independent types that aren't bought and

2517

01:49:20,029 --> 01:49:17,250

sold by the networks that are owned by

2518

01:49:23,720 --> 01:49:20,039

special interests only the independent

2519

01:49:26,089 --> 01:49:23,730

people with with good courage will put

2520

01:49:28,310 --> 01:49:26,099

this story on the air I mean I could

2521

01:49:30,290 --> 01:49:28,320

tell you from now until tomorrow I could

2522

01:49:32,000 --> 01:49:30,300

tell you stories about how people have

2523

01:49:33,379 --> 01:49:32,010

told me they're interested in this oh

2524

01:49:35,569 --> 01:49:33,389

this is fascinating

2525

01:49:38,299 --> 01:49:35,579

once they thought they'd find out the

2526

01:49:41,089 --> 01:49:38,309

ugly details about what happened to her

2527

01:49:43,549 --> 01:49:41,099

on Saipan and how our government covered

2528

01:49:45,770 --> 01:49:43,559

it up and FDR's being protected to this

2529

01:49:47,810 --> 01:49:45,780

day they want nothing to do with it and

2530

01:49:49,399 --> 01:49:47,820

they're not even polite enough to tell

2531

01:49:52,040 --> 01:49:49,409

me that they just ignore me

2532

01:49:53,180 --> 01:49:52,050

they just blow me off I mean it's the

2533

01:49:55,640 --> 01:49:53,190

story of my life

2534

01:49:57,919 --> 01:49:55,650

unless it's less I don't know if I'm let

2535

01:50:01,160 --> 01:49:57,929

the secret out let's just writing a book

2536

01:50:03,709 --> 01:50:01,170

lesson it tends to have a book and when

2537

01:50:05,479 --> 01:50:03,719

his book comes out you'll find out the

2538

01:50:08,720 --> 01:50:05,489

same thing that I found out he'll

2539

01:50:10,010 --> 01:50:08,730

experience the same thing how about what

2540

01:50:13,490 --> 01:50:10,020

the office of Historical Preservation

2541

01:50:16,520 --> 01:50:13,500

did to me last week well that's a whole

2542

01:50:17,990 --> 01:50:16,530

other story - oh well the United States

2543

01:50:19,430 --> 01:50:18,000

government - the office of historical

2544

01:50:21,620 --> 01:50:19,440

preservation through the United States

2545

01:50:24,950 --> 01:50:21,630

consulate Majuro wanted to know what I'd

2546

01:50:27,319 --> 01:50:24,960

found well go ahead and tell them

2547

01:50:29,149 --> 01:50:27,329

they're a it's it's you know it's I

2548

01:50:30,979 --> 01:50:29,159

don't know that much about it yet all I

2549

01:50:33,140 --> 01:50:30,989

know is that as things started coming

2550

01:50:34,100 --> 01:50:33,150

out about my discoveries all of a sudden

2551

01:50:36,290 --> 01:50:34,110

the United States government

2552

01:50:37,970 --> 01:50:36,300

wants to find out what it is I've got I

2553

01:50:40,490 --> 01:50:37,980

didn't want to mention that unless you

2554

01:50:41,660 --> 01:50:40,500

did well you know it's just it's just

2555

01:50:43,310 --> 01:50:41,670

something that they're you know it's

2556

01:50:47,030 --> 01:50:43,320

going along the same line is what's

2557

01:50:48,950 --> 01:50:47,040

happened to you Mike yeah I mean is just

2558

01:50:51,410 --> 01:50:48,960

happening to me I am a newbie in this

2559

01:50:53,209 --> 01:50:51,420

I've said I'm just I'm just beginning to

2560

01:50:55,669 --> 01:50:53,219

figure it out but I know that it's it's

2561

01:50:58,550 --> 01:50:55,679

you know it's it's part of the story my

2562

01:51:01,550 --> 01:50:58,560

general rule is it's always better to

2563

01:51:03,560 --> 01:51:01,560

throw a bright light on things than to

2564

01:51:05,540 --> 01:51:03,570

let it sit in the shade because too many

2565

01:51:09,080 --> 01:51:05,550

times things that stay in the shadows

2566

01:51:10,459 --> 01:51:09,090

never come back out again so unless

2567

01:51:12,200 --> 01:51:10,469

you've got a real good reason to keep

2568

01:51:14,120 --> 01:51:12,210

something a secret I think it's probably

2569

01:51:16,580 --> 01:51:14,130

smart for you to bring it up indigenous

2570

01:51:18,350 --> 01:51:16,590

well the marshalese government is behind

2571

01:51:21,470 --> 01:51:18,360

me all the time they know that I'm doing

2572

01:51:25,580 --> 01:51:21,480

this for them and they are standing

2573

01:51:27,080 --> 01:51:25,590

behind me solidly well I can tell you a

2574

01:51:29,930 --> 01:51:27,090

lot of secret in the Marshall Islands

2575

01:51:33,169 --> 01:51:29,940

they don't answer it's not they have

2576

01:51:36,620 --> 01:51:33,179

dance commemorating it for good that's

2577

01:51:38,450 --> 01:51:36,630

right and as president uh Christopher

2578

01:51:39,740 --> 01:51:38,460

Lok who's the current president now I've

2579

01:51:42,020 --> 01:51:39,750

worked with him on it he knows what's

2580

01:51:44,060 --> 01:51:42,030

going on he's a great guy

2581

01:51:46,280 --> 01:51:44,070

I'm going to have to step in my

2582

01:51:50,240 --> 01:51:46,290

producers just told me we are flat out

2583

01:51:53,870 --> 01:51:50,250

of time so I hate it but I mean I think

2584

01:51:55,729 --> 01:51:53,880

that's probably a compliment considering

2585

01:51:57,430 --> 01:51:55,739

I don't think anybody stopped to take a

2586

01:52:01,459 --> 01:51:57,440

really deep breath since we started

2587

01:52:03,680 --> 01:52:01,469

everybody be sure to join us next week

2588

01:52:06,470 --> 01:52:03,690

dr. Erin Judkins is going to be here I'm

2589

01:52:08,810 --> 01:52:06,480

not sure who his guest is Jon Capello

2590

01:52:10,580 --> 01:52:08,820

will be here on the 29th with the vedic

2591

01:52:14,030 --> 01:52:10,590

astrologer talking about what's coming

2592

01:52:15,890 --> 01:52:14,040

up in 2015 and check our schedule on

2593

01:52:17,990 --> 01:52:15,900

epic voyageurs comm if you want to see

2594

01:52:21,470 --> 01:52:18,000

what else is coming up thank you again

2595

01:52:24,080 --> 01:52:21,480

less and dick and mike and be looking at

2596

01:52:26,149 --> 01:52:24,090

your hearing more from you and everybody

2597

01:52:27,620 --> 01:52:26,159

out there stick with us next week we'll