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00:00:07,590 --> 00:00:04,150  
when we talk about

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00:00:15,350 --> 00:00:11,190  
there's a plethora of avenues

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00:00:15,360 --> 00:00:18,230  
for instance

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00:00:23,509 --> 00:00:20,150  
does the air force even know what

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00:00:23,519 --> 00:00:27,109  
are there facts

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00:00:27,119 --> 00:00:32,549  
pieces of evidence crash craft

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00:00:37,190 --> 00:00:34,549  
beings that they're hiding from the

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00:00:41,350 --> 00:00:39,110  
does

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00:00:44,790 --> 00:00:41,360  
absolutely none of that exist in its

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00:00:49,910 --> 00:00:47,270  
either way

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00:00:51,110 --> 00:00:49,920  
respected individuals pilots scientists

12  
00:00:54,510 --> 00:00:51,120  
citizens

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00:00:57,990 --> 00:00:54,520

like myself have had

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00:01:00,389 --> 00:00:58,000

extraordinary sightings

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00:01:04,789 --> 00:01:00,399

that are not explained by prosaic

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00:01:11,429 --> 00:01:06,550

yet throughout the course of the last

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00:01:11,439 --> 00:01:14,230

we've been

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00:01:18,870 --> 00:01:16,710

having illusions

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00:01:21,910 --> 00:01:18,880

seeing mirages

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00:01:25,350 --> 00:01:21,920

identifying birds and planes

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00:01:30,390 --> 00:01:27,510

and although there are

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00:01:32,230 --> 00:01:30,400

grifters who take advantage

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00:01:35,109 --> 00:01:32,240

of something

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00:01:46,069 --> 00:01:38,390

there are sincere human beings with

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00:01:53,749 --> 00:01:48,389

now one of the people throughout

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00:01:59,590 --> 00:01:57,350  
was driven mad by the secrecy

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00:02:01,190 --> 00:01:59,600  
of the ufo topic

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00:02:03,140 --> 00:02:01,200  
was dr

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00:02:07,510 --> 00:02:03,150  
james mcdonald

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00:02:13,910 --> 00:02:10,469  
most people look up to him as one of the

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00:02:18,790 --> 00:02:13,920  
best scientific researchers in the uap

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00:02:23,430 --> 00:02:21,350  
you can make the argument that he cared

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00:02:25,910 --> 00:02:23,440  
so much

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00:02:28,070 --> 00:02:25,920  
that he was driven to suicide

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00:02:33,750 --> 00:02:28,080  
not only

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00:02:39,090 --> 00:02:35,990  
but he was again driven to suicide and

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00:02:46,070 --> 00:02:39,100  
succeeded after that

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00:02:46,080 --> 00:02:49,030

he was so

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00:02:52,949 --> 00:02:51,670

revered by the community that even nasa

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00:02:55,110 --> 00:02:52,959

to this day

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00:02:56,390 --> 00:02:55,120

looks at his

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00:02:59,770 --> 00:02:56,400

paperwork

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00:03:05,850 --> 00:03:02,229

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00:03:13,110 --> 00:03:05,860

as guidance into the uap phenomenon

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00:03:17,750 --> 00:03:13,120

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00:03:17,760 --> 00:03:22,229

on february 13 1969

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00:03:28,789 --> 00:03:25,740

to the institute of atmospheric physics

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00:03:30,700 --> 00:03:28,799

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00:03:33,190 --> 00:03:30,710

university of arizona

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00:03:41,030 --> 00:03:38,949  
a summary

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00:03:44,710 --> 00:03:41,040  
of the address

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00:03:50,470 --> 00:03:46,370  
in a symposium

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00:03:58,470 --> 00:03:53,030  
so when we talk about the uap secret i

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00:03:58,480 --> 00:04:02,070  
that were basically

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00:04:02,080 --> 00:04:04,789  
mocked

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00:04:04,799 --> 00:04:08,470  
in front of congress

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00:04:13,589 --> 00:04:11,030  
and muzzled

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00:04:15,750 --> 00:04:13,599  
another clip you'll see is him on an

60  
00:04:19,749 --> 00:04:15,760  
australian news broadcast

61  
00:04:22,390 --> 00:04:19,759  
where he speaks with so much conviction

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00:04:24,710 --> 00:04:22,400  
you would be a fool

63  
00:04:27,590 --> 00:04:24,720

to not believe

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00:04:28,430 --> 00:04:27,600

the faith he had in his work and in his

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00:04:30,310 --> 00:04:28,440

words

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00:04:32,950 --> 00:04:30,320

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00:04:35,030 --> 00:04:32,960

and at the end of the program

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00:04:38,230 --> 00:04:35,040

you'll see

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00:04:45,189 --> 00:04:38,240

what i think is a perfect example

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00:04:49,070 --> 00:04:47,830

throughout the course of ufo history as

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00:04:52,230 --> 00:04:49,080

far as we know it

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as much as it is a shame

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00:05:02,790 --> 00:04:59,759

we can still make a difference

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ufos a challenge to observation by james

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e mcdonald institute of atmospheric

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physics the university of arizona

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summary of address to participants in

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the symposium on

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meteorological observations and

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instrumentation sponsored by the

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american meteorological society and

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other studies washington d.c february 13

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1916. there have been times during the

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00:05:29,510 --> 00:05:26,880

past 20 years when reports of ufos in

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00:05:31,510 --> 00:05:29,520

our atmosphere have been so numerous as

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to suggest that perhaps we should turn

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the whole business over to our

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colleagues who specialize in air

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pollution cosmic fly ash that

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indefatigable student of scientific

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anomalies charles fort

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might have joked

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with one eye on that hypothesis of

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00:05:51,029 --> 00:05:48,000

extraterrestrial origin

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00:05:55,350 --> 00:05:51,039

whose seemingly absurdity provokes near

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00:05:57,430 --> 00:05:55,360

indignation among many scientists

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00:05:59,749 --> 00:05:57,440

although i do not really know that

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00:06:02,469 --> 00:05:59,759

anyone has yet cited the high density of

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00:06:04,230 --> 00:06:02,479

ufos as a threat to air quality

101  
00:06:06,469 --> 00:06:04,240  
it is indeed

102  
00:06:10,550 --> 00:06:06,479  
the case that our field of atmospheric

103  
00:06:12,150 --> 00:06:10,560  
sciences has repeatedly been invoked

104  
00:06:16,070 --> 00:06:12,160  
all too often

105  
00:06:18,150 --> 00:06:16,080  
with but slight attention to fact

106  
00:06:20,790 --> 00:06:18,160  
to explain away this persistently

107  
00:06:23,909 --> 00:06:20,800  
baffling phenomenon of the past two

108  
00:06:29,909 --> 00:06:26,629  
dr manziel former director of harvard

109  
00:06:32,870 --> 00:06:29,919  
observatory in a 1963 book bearing the

110  
00:06:35,590 --> 00:06:32,880  
subtitle a scientific examination of a

111  
00:06:37,430 --> 00:06:35,600  
major myth of the space age

112  
00:06:40,070 --> 00:06:37,440  
devotes many interesting pages to his

113  
00:06:42,469 --> 00:06:40,080

contention that ufo observations result

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00:06:47,350 --> 00:06:42,479

chiefly from a host of phenomena in the

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00:06:50,870 --> 00:06:47,360

general area of meteorological optics

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00:06:53,110 --> 00:06:50,880

philip j class an aviation week editor

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00:06:55,510 --> 00:06:53,120

writes a book developing his view that

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00:06:57,909 --> 00:06:55,520

the really interesting

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ufo reports are in fact some freak

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00:07:03,830 --> 00:07:00,240

atmospheric electrical phenomenon of

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00:07:07,189 --> 00:07:03,840

plasmoid nature

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00:07:08,790 --> 00:07:07,199

dr eu condon was quoted over a year

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00:07:11,189 --> 00:07:08,800

before the recent release of his

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00:07:13,909 --> 00:07:11,199

scientific study

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00:07:16,309 --> 00:07:13,919

of unidentifying flying objects as

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00:07:18,230 --> 00:07:16,319  
saying that

127  
00:07:20,390 --> 00:07:18,240  
it is my bet that all of this will be

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00:07:25,350 --> 00:07:20,400  
explained one day when we know more

129  
00:07:28,309 --> 00:07:27,270  
air force project blue book spokesman

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00:07:31,029 --> 00:07:28,319  
have

131  
00:07:33,990 --> 00:07:31,039  
over the past 15 years issued many

132  
00:07:35,589 --> 00:07:34,000  
official ufo explanations

133  
00:07:40,950 --> 00:07:35,599  
couched in terms of atmospheric

134  
00:07:45,029 --> 00:07:43,589  
my blunt advice to you is to examine

135  
00:07:47,029 --> 00:07:45,039  
carefully each

136  
00:07:49,430 --> 00:07:47,039  
of the above four-sided sources of

137  
00:07:52,869 --> 00:07:49,440  
viewpoints to the effect that ufos are

138  
00:07:57,749 --> 00:07:55,350

i believe you may come away

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00:08:01,189 --> 00:07:57,759

from the examination

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00:08:05,110 --> 00:08:03,110

but the exercise will make you aware

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00:08:08,070 --> 00:08:05,120

that so many claims that a substantial

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00:08:10,469 --> 00:08:08,080

portion of all this nonsense about ufos

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00:08:12,950 --> 00:08:10,479

stems from the still poorly understood

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00:08:15,270 --> 00:08:12,960

atmospheric phenomena do warrant

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00:08:21,589 --> 00:08:15,280

attention on our part to this enigma

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00:08:25,270 --> 00:08:23,670

i've given the ufo problem a great deal

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00:08:27,430 --> 00:08:25,280

of attention during the past two and a

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00:08:29,749 --> 00:08:27,440

half years

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00:08:31,830 --> 00:08:29,759

have learned a few new bits and pieces

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00:08:33,430 --> 00:08:31,840

of atmospheric physics in the course of

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00:08:35,990 --> 00:08:33,440  
the effort

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00:08:38,310 --> 00:08:36,000  
and one of the first to admit that there

153  
00:08:40,790 --> 00:08:38,320  
are plenty of reports that stem from

154  
00:08:43,649 --> 00:08:40,800  
misidentified meteorological

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00:08:45,829 --> 00:08:43,659  
astronomical and optical phenomena

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00:08:48,150 --> 00:08:45,839  
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00:08:50,389 --> 00:08:48,160  
but what i have found astonishing beyond

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00:08:51,829 --> 00:08:50,399  
all brief description is the magnitude

159  
00:08:54,710 --> 00:08:51,839  
of the residual

160  
00:08:56,389 --> 00:08:54,720  
unexplained reports from observers whose

161  
00:08:58,310 --> 00:08:56,399  
background argues

162  
00:09:00,389 --> 00:08:58,320  
a degree of credibility

163  
00:09:03,350 --> 00:09:00,399

and reliability

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00:09:05,150 --> 00:09:03,360

that simply must not any longer be

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ignored

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must say to you that i regard the total

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00:09:14,389 --> 00:09:12,160

stock of evidence arguing for the

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00:09:16,710 --> 00:09:14,399

existence of some entirely real and

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00:09:18,710 --> 00:09:16,720

scientifically fascinating phenomenon

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00:09:21,590 --> 00:09:18,720

within the core of the best ufo reports

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00:09:24,710 --> 00:09:21,600

to be so overwhelming in its dimensions

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00:09:27,350 --> 00:09:24,720

that i marvel over and over

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00:09:29,030 --> 00:09:27,360

that we have all managed to go along for

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00:09:31,190 --> 00:09:29,040

over 20 years

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00:09:32,870 --> 00:09:31,200

leaving this matter in the scientific

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00:09:40,150 --> 00:09:32,880

limbo

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00:09:44,710 --> 00:09:42,310

now let me speak bluntly in saying that

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00:09:48,389 --> 00:09:44,720

my study of the history of the ufo

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00:09:50,389 --> 00:09:48,399

problem leaves me extremely unhappy

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00:09:52,949 --> 00:09:50,399

with the official air force handling of

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00:09:57,910 --> 00:09:52,959

its assigned responsibility for keeping

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00:10:01,829 --> 00:09:59,430

it would not have been so serious a

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00:10:04,230 --> 00:10:01,839

matter ahead not the united states air

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00:10:06,630 --> 00:10:04,240

force public information offices

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00:10:10,550 --> 00:10:06,640

insisted over the years on promulgating

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00:10:12,870 --> 00:10:10,560

the almost wholly unbased notion that

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00:10:14,790 --> 00:10:12,880

the best scientific talents available to

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the united states air force

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00:10:19,829 --> 00:10:17,120

were being utilized in project blue book

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ufo studies

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00:10:28,949 --> 00:10:26,310

for that kept all of the scientific

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00:10:30,870 --> 00:10:28,959

community turned off lulled congressmen

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00:10:32,710 --> 00:10:30,880

and editors and members of the public at

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00:10:35,269 --> 00:10:32,720

large into believing that

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00:10:38,230 --> 00:10:35,279

despite a continual flow of reports from

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many sources there must not be anything

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00:10:48,389 --> 00:10:45,670

some have felt that the united states

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00:10:50,949 --> 00:10:48,399

air force and the cia know all about the

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00:10:53,190 --> 00:10:50,959

ufo problem are aware of their

201  
00:10:55,269 --> 00:10:53,200  
extraterrestrial nature but are keeping

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00:10:57,269 --> 00:10:55,279  
this information from the public and

203  
00:11:04,710 --> 00:10:57,279  
from the world at large

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00:11:10,389 --> 00:11:06,790  
such views come from very sober and

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00:11:13,110 --> 00:11:10,399  
serious ufo investigators

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00:11:15,509 --> 00:11:13,120  
innumerable stunning ufo cases are on

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00:11:17,829 --> 00:11:15,519  
record in which the main observations

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00:11:20,150 --> 00:11:17,839  
visual or radar

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00:11:23,430 --> 00:11:20,160  
have come from within military channels

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00:11:26,150 --> 00:11:23,440  
since 1947.

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00:11:28,069 --> 00:11:26,160  
it is particularly the failure of the

212  
00:11:30,949 --> 00:11:28,079  
united states air force to respond to

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00:11:32,710 --> 00:11:30,959

these intra-military reports that leads

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00:11:34,389 --> 00:11:32,720

well-informed ufo students to

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00:11:39,269 --> 00:11:34,399

hypothesize

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00:11:42,710 --> 00:11:41,110

after weighing that possibility just as

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00:11:44,710 --> 00:11:42,720

carefully as i could in the past couple

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00:11:46,150 --> 00:11:44,720

of years i'm growing steadily more

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00:11:47,990 --> 00:11:46,160

convinced that the basic reason for

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00:11:49,990 --> 00:11:48,000

failure of the air force to react to the

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00:11:54,710 --> 00:11:50,000

hundreds of cases on record at

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00:11:59,750 --> 00:11:57,509

lies not in any high-level cover-up but

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00:12:01,990 --> 00:11:59,760

in the fact that in virtually every

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00:12:04,389 --> 00:12:02,000

instance in which the air force has

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00:12:06,470 --> 00:12:04,399

sought outside scientific advice on its

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00:12:08,550 --> 00:12:06,480

ufo program

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00:12:11,910 --> 00:12:08,560

it has received basically negative

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00:12:17,829 --> 00:12:15,910

from dr irving langmoyer's forget it

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00:12:19,750 --> 00:12:17,839

through many panels composed of quite

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00:12:21,269 --> 00:12:19,760

well-known scientists

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00:12:23,269 --> 00:12:21,279

through years of direct consultant

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00:12:27,269 --> 00:12:23,279

advice down to last month's strongly

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00:12:29,190 --> 00:12:27,279

negative recommendations from dr condon

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with almost booming echoes from the

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00:12:35,590 --> 00:12:32,720

11-man national academy of sciences

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00:12:37,110 --> 00:12:35,600

ad hoc review panel

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00:12:38,870 --> 00:12:37,120

the united states air force has been

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00:12:40,470 --> 00:12:38,880

told that there's nothing of scientific

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significance

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00:12:50,470 --> 00:12:48,069

in an attempt to get some feel for where

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00:12:52,629 --> 00:12:50,480

this puts the air force i try to

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00:12:54,470 --> 00:12:52,639

visualize some general

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00:12:56,790 --> 00:12:54,480

who

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00:12:59,190 --> 00:12:56,800

studying a baffling airborne radar

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00:13:01,269 --> 00:12:59,200

visual sighting from some distant air

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00:13:03,829 --> 00:13:01,279

force base

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00:13:06,870 --> 00:13:03,839

and perhaps dimly aware that there have

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00:13:09,350 --> 00:13:06,880

been others like it before

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00:13:11,509 --> 00:13:09,360

has to make up his mind about whether

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00:13:12,960 --> 00:13:11,519

there really could be something in all

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00:13:15,750 --> 00:13:12,970

these ufo reports or not

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00:13:17,829 --> 00:13:15,760

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00:13:20,310 --> 00:13:17,839

to have to decide between what some

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00:13:23,750 --> 00:13:20,320

pilot reported over castle air force

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00:13:26,550 --> 00:13:23,760

base and what some noblest has just told

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00:13:29,030 --> 00:13:26,560

the air force about the ufo myth

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00:13:31,910 --> 00:13:29,040

might i believe pose a touchy choice for

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00:13:36,250 --> 00:13:34,150

save her to take the noblest word forget

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00:13:38,069 --> 00:13:36,260

this one wait and see

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00:13:39,990 --> 00:13:38,079

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00:13:42,230 --> 00:13:40,000

then the general is transferred in a

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00:13:44,389 --> 00:13:42,240

matter of months to a different command

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00:13:46,949 --> 00:13:44,399

and some new general

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00:13:51,910 --> 00:13:46,959

goes through a similar decision process

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00:13:57,750 --> 00:13:55,590

no one ever secures a

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00:13:59,750 --> 00:13:57,760

synoptic view

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00:14:01,990 --> 00:13:59,760

of the whole problem

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00:14:05,189 --> 00:14:02,000

no one ever studies any fraction of the

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00:14:08,550 --> 00:14:05,199

now 12 000 ufo reports

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00:14:14,170 --> 00:14:10,870

that picture has become my

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00:14:16,470 --> 00:14:14,180

inferential alternative

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00:14:21,990 --> 00:14:16,480

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i think that a long series of

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superficial scientific consultative

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advice

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based on almost no direct contact with

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00:14:34,389 --> 00:14:32,079

ufo witnesses

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00:14:37,750 --> 00:14:34,399

nor with any substantial portion of the

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00:14:40,949 --> 00:14:37,760

now enormous volume of report

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00:14:43,430 --> 00:14:40,959

material on ufos here and abroad has

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00:14:50,310 --> 00:14:43,440

been a prime factor in shaping air force

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unfortunately closed checking seems to

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me to argue

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cogently that it's the pilot not the

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typical big scientist who had better be

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00:15:08,310 --> 00:15:05,990

well science is not always the

287

00:15:10,069 --> 00:15:08,320

open-minded judgment suspending

288

00:15:11,750 --> 00:15:10,079

operation that all of us would like to

289

00:15:13,670 --> 00:15:11,760

think it is

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00:15:16,470 --> 00:15:13,680

important scientific problems have been

291

00:15:18,470 --> 00:15:16,480

grossly misjudged before with almost all

292

00:15:20,629 --> 00:15:18,480

of the scientific establishment arrayed

293

00:15:22,150 --> 00:15:20,639

against recognition of some new

294

00:15:24,550 --> 00:15:22,160

development

295

00:15:26,790 --> 00:15:24,560

some bother at least some puzzling body

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00:15:29,509 --> 00:15:26,800

of evidence that seems to conform so

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00:15:31,350 --> 00:15:29,519

poorly to accepted scientific views that

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00:15:33,910 --> 00:15:31,360

a majority of scientists feel quite

299

00:15:34,710 --> 00:15:33,920

comfortable about rejecting it as just

300

00:15:38,310 --> 00:15:34,720

too

301  
00:15:43,430 --> 00:15:40,629  
of course to cite such historical

302  
00:15:47,350 --> 00:15:43,440  
situations does not at all prove that we

303  
00:15:50,949 --> 00:15:47,360  
face one with respect to ufos

304  
00:15:53,430 --> 00:15:50,959  
but i personally believe we do

305  
00:15:54,790 --> 00:15:53,440  
and i don't speak as an armchair

306  
00:15:59,509 --> 00:15:54,800  
theorizer

307  
00:16:03,910 --> 00:16:01,350  
and now we have before us the condon

308  
00:16:08,150 --> 00:16:03,920  
report to weigh into the scales along

309  
00:16:10,629 --> 00:16:08,160  
with 20 years of related evidence

310  
00:16:12,310 --> 00:16:10,639  
a month of study and reading and

311  
00:16:14,949 --> 00:16:12,320  
checking of the condom report lies

312  
00:16:17,030 --> 00:16:14,959  
behind me as i speak to you

313  
00:16:19,670 --> 00:16:17,040

my assessment of the condom report and

314

00:16:22,550 --> 00:16:19,680

its strongly negative recommendations

315

00:16:26,550 --> 00:16:22,560

as to the slight scientific significance

316

00:16:35,509 --> 00:16:29,670

it appears to be a half million dollars

317

00:16:40,220 --> 00:16:37,509

the united states people has yet

318

00:16:43,990 --> 00:16:40,230

received on ufos

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00:16:46,470 --> 00:16:44,000

[Music]

320

00:16:47,910 --> 00:16:46,480

not that it does not have some useful

321

00:16:50,069 --> 00:16:47,920

sections

322

00:16:53,829 --> 00:16:50,079

not that i take issue with every case

323

00:16:57,990 --> 00:16:53,839

analysis in the small sample of about 90

324

00:17:02,389 --> 00:17:00,310

but taken in total and evaluated by

325

00:17:04,230 --> 00:17:02,399

rather ordinary criteria of what

326

00:17:06,549 --> 00:17:04,240

constitutes good scientific

327

00:17:09,350 --> 00:17:06,559

investigation

328

00:17:12,549 --> 00:17:09,360

i have to say that it is weak to the

329

00:17:15,350 --> 00:17:12,559

point of being only slightly superior to

330

00:17:17,590 --> 00:17:15,360

the years of superficial project blue

331

00:17:20,309 --> 00:17:17,600

book explanations

332

00:17:25,110 --> 00:17:20,319

that have so long drawn criticism from

333

00:17:29,270 --> 00:17:27,189

here however

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00:17:32,150 --> 00:17:29,280

the explanations come from a group that

335

00:17:37,110 --> 00:17:32,160

was supposed to deliver a definitive

336

00:17:41,190 --> 00:17:38,950

under the misimpression that the condon

337

00:17:43,909 --> 00:17:41,200

report brings the final answer editors

338

00:17:46,310 --> 00:17:43,919

by the column yard have nodded solemn

339

00:17:49,190 --> 00:17:46,320

approval then oh he can forget the whole

340

00:17:52,310 --> 00:17:49,200

ridiculous ufo business inasmuch as the

341

00:17:56,070 --> 00:17:52,320

condon project and the academy have

342

00:17:56,080 --> 00:17:59,110

my advice is

343

00:18:04,230 --> 00:18:01,750

take a good look at the third of that

344

00:18:06,789 --> 00:18:04,240

report which actually deals with ufo

345

00:18:13,190 --> 00:18:09,110

if you are at all aware of the nature of

346

00:18:15,029 --> 00:18:13,200

the ufo problem you will i believe

347

00:18:16,789 --> 00:18:15,039

join me in saying that we'd certainly

348

00:18:18,870 --> 00:18:16,799

better do all we can to make certain

349

00:18:20,789 --> 00:18:18,880

that this bulky report does not weigh

350

00:18:22,789 --> 00:18:20,799

very heavily in holding down and

351  
00:18:24,630 --> 00:18:22,799  
delaying further progress

352  
00:18:25,669 --> 00:18:24,640  
towards clarification of a problem

353  
00:18:27,110 --> 00:18:25,679  
crying

354  
00:18:29,430 --> 00:18:27,120  
for attention

355  
00:18:34,150 --> 00:18:29,440  
from our best scientific talent

356  
00:18:35,789 --> 00:18:34,160  
[Music]

357  
00:18:38,230 --> 00:18:35,799  
the report is so

358  
00:18:40,630 --> 00:18:38,240  
non-representative of what most of us

359  
00:18:43,430 --> 00:18:40,640  
would term a high caliber study that i

360  
00:18:45,750 --> 00:18:43,440  
would need four or five times

361  
00:18:51,830 --> 00:18:45,760  
my available time to spell out even

362  
00:18:58,070 --> 00:18:54,549  
its few bright spots

363  
00:18:59,590 --> 00:18:58,080

are lost in the mass tendentious

364

00:19:02,070 --> 00:18:59,600

argumentation

365

00:19:04,230 --> 00:19:02,080

in complete case reporting

366

00:19:06,310 --> 00:19:04,240

the laboring of trivial and obviously

367

00:19:08,789 --> 00:19:06,320

non-significant cases

368

00:19:11,029 --> 00:19:08,799

and in its failure to confront more than

369

00:19:15,669 --> 00:19:11,039

a trifling number of the classic ufo

370

00:19:19,990 --> 00:19:17,590

so i'm preparing a fairly detailed

371

00:19:21,590 --> 00:19:20,000

discussion of many specific objections

372

00:19:24,950 --> 00:19:21,600

and interested

373

00:19:28,789 --> 00:19:24,960

ams members can write to me for copies

374

00:19:30,950 --> 00:19:28,799

of the completed critique

375

00:19:32,710 --> 00:19:30,960

aside from the few examples that i shall

376

00:19:34,630 --> 00:19:32,720

present in my verbal remarks i think

377

00:19:36,789 --> 00:19:34,640

your best way of getting a taste of all

378

00:19:39,510 --> 00:19:36,799

this is to purchase the recently

379

00:19:41,750 --> 00:19:39,520

published paperback unabridged edition

380

00:19:43,669 --> 00:19:41,760

of the content of report and study it

381

00:19:47,350 --> 00:19:43,679

yourself

382

00:19:51,430 --> 00:19:47,360

examine the type of explanation

383

00:19:53,909 --> 00:19:51,440

use the trying account for the 520 1950

384

00:19:57,190 --> 00:19:53,919

sighting by dr seymour hess

385

00:20:00,150 --> 00:19:57,200

and ask why the april 24th 1949 sighting

386

00:20:05,590 --> 00:20:00,160

by another of our colleagues cb moore

387

00:20:09,990 --> 00:20:07,990

note the preposterous attempt to account

388

00:20:13,750 --> 00:20:10,000

for the continental divide new mexico

389

00:20:16,630 --> 00:20:13,760

radar visual case of january 26 1953 in

390

00:20:18,710 --> 00:20:16,640

terms of an hour late slow leaking pivot

391

00:20:22,630 --> 00:20:18,720

from winslow that gets caught up in the

392

00:20:24,630 --> 00:20:22,640

oddest mesoscale low in meteorological

393

00:20:26,870 --> 00:20:24,640

history

394

00:20:29,270 --> 00:20:26,880

ponder the atmospheric optics in terms

395

00:20:30,470 --> 00:20:29,280

of which the long famous

396

00:20:34,950 --> 00:20:30,480

june

397

00:20:37,110 --> 00:20:34,960

29 1954 boac strata cruiser case

398

00:20:40,470 --> 00:20:37,120

is purportedly explained and note the

399

00:20:42,470 --> 00:20:40,480

last desperate suggestion that

400

00:20:44,070 --> 00:20:42,480

this unusual sighting should therefore

401  
00:20:46,710 --> 00:20:44,080  
be assigned to the category of some

402  
00:20:48,789 --> 00:20:46,720  
almost certainly natural phenomenon

403  
00:20:55,990 --> 00:20:48,799  
which is so rare that it apparently has

404  
00:20:59,909 --> 00:20:57,669  
follow that one up

405  
00:21:01,909 --> 00:20:59,919  
if you have the patience

406  
00:21:04,070 --> 00:21:01,919  
with the next one in the report where a

407  
00:21:07,510 --> 00:21:04,080  
large round white object described by

408  
00:21:10,950 --> 00:21:07,520  
the f94 crew chasing it as

409  
00:21:13,830 --> 00:21:10,960  
larger than any known type of aircraft

410  
00:21:16,870 --> 00:21:13,840  
and reported as capable of being able to

411  
00:21:18,310 --> 00:21:16,880  
reverse direction almost instantly

412  
00:21:21,510 --> 00:21:18,320  
and displaying what the air crew

413  
00:21:24,630 --> 00:21:21,520

described as two windows

414

00:21:26,470 --> 00:21:24,640

from which emanated a dim reddish light

415

00:21:28,149 --> 00:21:26,480

is blandly described by the report

416

00:21:30,710 --> 00:21:28,159

analyst to be

417

00:21:32,710 --> 00:21:30,720

typical of the description of a

418

00:21:34,549 --> 00:21:32,720

pivotal balloon

419

00:21:39,669 --> 00:21:34,559

by those not familiar

420

00:21:46,070 --> 00:21:42,549

perhaps we should urge congress to cut

421

00:21:48,149 --> 00:21:46,080

down essays appropriations

422

00:21:50,950 --> 00:21:48,159

if it has been squandering funds on

423

00:21:53,190 --> 00:21:50,960

bibles decked out like that one

424

00:21:55,909 --> 00:21:53,200

and provided

425

00:21:59,430 --> 00:21:55,919

a power source that can outfly

426  
00:21:59,440 --> 00:22:05,270  
many more such examples can be cited

427  
00:22:11,270 --> 00:22:08,470  
and so can ridiculously trivial cases

428  
00:22:13,110 --> 00:22:11,280  
that do not belong in a study

429  
00:22:15,590 --> 00:22:13,120  
publicly

430  
00:22:20,149 --> 00:22:15,600  
aimed at accounting for the really

431  
00:22:25,110 --> 00:22:22,870  
and a long long list of omitted but

432  
00:22:29,029 --> 00:22:25,120  
important cases can be ticked off to

433  
00:22:35,110 --> 00:22:29,039  
show that straw men had no place in this

434  
00:22:39,590 --> 00:22:36,630  
and finally

435  
00:22:42,230 --> 00:22:39,600  
take a good long look at the substantial

436  
00:22:45,110 --> 00:22:42,240  
number of cases which despite all of the

437  
00:22:46,950 --> 00:22:45,120  
above are left as unexplained in the

438  
00:22:49,909 --> 00:22:46,960

final analysis

439

00:22:52,230 --> 00:22:49,919

the two best examples of this in the

440

00:22:55,669 --> 00:22:52,240

report are the lincoln heath england

441

00:23:01,510 --> 00:22:55,679

case of august 13 1956

442

00:23:03,909 --> 00:23:01,520

and the b-47 chase of september 19 1957

443

00:23:05,510 --> 00:23:03,919

but a dozen or so more are scattered

444

00:23:10,950 --> 00:23:05,520

through the sample

445

00:23:16,070 --> 00:23:13,669

one has to have independent information

446

00:23:18,070 --> 00:23:16,080

about the full report information on

447

00:23:20,830 --> 00:23:18,080

some of the cases to suspect the real

448

00:23:27,190 --> 00:23:23,510

inexplicability attached

449

00:23:32,710 --> 00:23:30,270

like beverly massachusetts april 22nd

450

00:23:34,070 --> 00:23:32,720

1966 for which i have interviewed 10

451  
00:23:35,750 --> 00:23:34,080  
witnesses

452  
00:23:37,750 --> 00:23:35,760  
but for which only a smattering of the

453  
00:23:42,149 --> 00:23:37,760  
most significant interview details are

454  
00:23:46,870 --> 00:23:44,789  
a case which is regarded as either weak

455  
00:23:48,870 --> 00:23:46,880  
to the point of suspicion

456  
00:23:52,470 --> 00:23:48,880  
falcon lake manitoba

457  
00:23:55,029 --> 00:23:52,480  
may 20th 1967

458  
00:23:57,830 --> 00:23:55,039  
runs down for seven pages

459  
00:24:01,190 --> 00:23:57,840  
and five pages are devoted to a hoax

460  
00:24:05,830 --> 00:24:01,200  
balloon case in boulder

461  
00:24:08,310 --> 00:24:05,840  
it was on april fool's day at 1967.

462  
00:24:11,830 --> 00:24:08,320  
or the most impressive portions of such

463  
00:24:17,190 --> 00:24:11,840

complex sightings as joplin missouri

464

00:24:23,590 --> 00:24:20,789

or milgaville georgia

465

00:24:27,260 --> 00:24:23,600

october 20th 1967

466

00:24:29,190 --> 00:24:27,270

are passed over in a mere page or less

467

00:24:31,669 --> 00:24:29,200

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468

00:24:32,390 --> 00:24:31,679

these aspects of the report will of

469

00:24:35,190 --> 00:24:32,400

course

470

00:24:37,269 --> 00:24:35,200

pass unnoticed by most scientists not

471

00:24:40,070 --> 00:24:37,279

already well aware

472

00:24:42,470 --> 00:24:40,080

of the individual cases

473

00:24:43,909 --> 00:24:42,480

omission of names dates and locales from

474

00:24:45,590 --> 00:24:43,919

the bulk of the cases will make it

475

00:24:48,390 --> 00:24:45,600

difficult for many to carry out

476

00:24:49,269 --> 00:24:48,400

independent checks

477

00:24:56,149 --> 00:24:49,279

very

478

00:25:01,269 --> 00:24:58,789

in my remarks i shall try to summarize

479

00:25:03,510 --> 00:25:01,279

these and other objections i have to the

480

00:25:05,669 --> 00:25:03,520

condon report

481

00:25:07,190 --> 00:25:05,679

i shall try to point out what seems to

482

00:25:08,870 --> 00:25:07,200

be needed

483

00:25:10,710 --> 00:25:08,880

the pressing need for instrumental

484

00:25:14,070 --> 00:25:10,720

observations

485

00:25:15,990 --> 00:25:14,080

for entirely new types of detectors

486

00:25:17,950 --> 00:25:16,000

possibly designed to exploit the

487

00:25:20,470 --> 00:25:17,960

evidence that a broad range of

488

00:25:25,590 --> 00:25:20,480

electromagnetic disturbances

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00:25:31,029 --> 00:25:28,230

i shall emphasize the way in which

490

00:25:33,590 --> 00:25:31,039

existing sky monitoring systems both

491

00:25:36,390 --> 00:25:33,600

optical and electromagnetic

492

00:25:38,870 --> 00:25:36,400

have filter factors built into them in

493

00:25:42,390 --> 00:25:38,880

such a manner as to reject much of what

494

00:25:46,070 --> 00:25:42,400

might otherwise stand as valuable ufo

495

00:25:50,549 --> 00:25:48,549

your interest in instrumentation in

496

00:25:52,950 --> 00:25:50,559

observation makes you a group perhaps

497

00:25:55,510 --> 00:25:52,960

ideally suited to convince still

498

00:25:57,430 --> 00:25:55,520

unrecognized means

499

00:25:59,430 --> 00:25:57,440

of substituting objective instrumental

500

00:26:01,430 --> 00:25:59,440

data

501  
00:26:06,070 --> 00:26:01,440  
for the present preponderance of

502  
00:26:11,269 --> 00:26:08,149  
but i know perhaps

503  
00:26:13,590 --> 00:26:11,279  
even better than you

504  
00:26:16,230 --> 00:26:13,600  
that none of the above developments has

505  
00:26:17,990 --> 00:26:16,240  
a chance of being brought about

506  
00:26:21,510 --> 00:26:18,000  
until the negative influence of the

507  
00:26:25,990 --> 00:26:24,310  
and that has now become the chief order

508  
00:26:27,909 --> 00:26:26,000  
of the day

509  
00:26:29,510 --> 00:26:27,919  
in pushing for progress

510  
00:26:33,029 --> 00:26:29,520  
on this intriguing

511  
00:26:34,870 --> 00:26:33,039  
and unprecedented problem

512  
00:26:39,780 --> 00:26:34,880  
of the unidentified

513  
00:27:28,950 --> 00:26:47,680

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514

00:27:32,310 --> 00:27:30,630

unidentified scientific objects have

515

00:27:34,630 --> 00:27:32,320

been one of the great scientific

516

00:27:36,470 --> 00:27:34,640

bugaboos of the last decade say you've

517

00:27:38,310 --> 00:27:36,480

seen one and you're ridiculed or at

518

00:27:40,070 --> 00:27:38,320

least that's the way it used to be

519

00:27:41,669 --> 00:27:40,080

nowadays while there are still plenty of

520

00:27:43,190 --> 00:27:41,679

scoffers and jurors

521

00:27:44,470 --> 00:27:43,200

you're more likely to be listened to and

522

00:27:46,870 --> 00:27:44,480

an increasing amount of scientific

523

00:27:48,389 --> 00:27:46,880

investigation is being conducted

524

00:27:50,630 --> 00:27:48,399

in australia at the moment is professor

525

00:27:52,870 --> 00:27:50,640

james mcdonald professor of meteorology

526

00:27:55,190 --> 00:27:52,880

at the university of arizona officially

527

00:27:56,549 --> 00:27:55,200

he was working for the us navy but in

528

00:27:58,870 --> 00:27:56,559

his spare time he's checking many

529

00:28:00,549 --> 00:27:58,880

australian reports of ufos and comparing

530

00:28:02,870 --> 00:28:00,559

them with american reports

531

00:28:05,190 --> 00:28:02,880

his aim is to see if the reports tally

532

00:28:07,909 --> 00:28:05,200

in short whether ufos constitute a

533

00:28:09,269 --> 00:28:07,919

global phenomenon phenomenon

534

00:28:10,549 --> 00:28:09,279

in melbourne he's talking with brian

535

00:28:12,230 --> 00:28:10,559

king

536

00:28:14,149 --> 00:28:12,240

donald what have you found here that's

537

00:28:17,510 --> 00:28:14,159

been of use to you

538

00:28:19,590 --> 00:28:17,520

i've investigated about 50 or 60 cases

539

00:28:22,149 --> 00:28:19,600

since i came down to new zealand and

540

00:28:24,710 --> 00:28:22,159

australia extremely interesting ufo

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00:28:26,549 --> 00:28:24,720

sightings a lot of help from local

542

00:28:27,990 --> 00:28:26,559

investigatory groups in sydney and

543

00:28:31,190 --> 00:28:28,000

melbourne

544

00:28:33,430 --> 00:28:31,200

and have found as i uh go through these

545

00:28:34,789 --> 00:28:33,440

that the type of sightings are

546

00:28:36,149 --> 00:28:34,799

essentially similar to those in the

547

00:28:39,510 --> 00:28:36,159

united states

548

00:28:43,830 --> 00:28:42,389

persons of really quite high credibility

549

00:28:45,830 --> 00:28:43,840

reporting

550

00:28:47,830 --> 00:28:45,840

unconventional objects

551  
00:28:49,909 --> 00:28:47,840  
discs cigar-shaped objects frequently at

552  
00:28:51,990 --> 00:28:49,919  
very low elevation

553  
00:28:55,350 --> 00:28:52,000  
hovering over sometimes urban areas

554  
00:28:56,789 --> 00:28:55,360  
sometimes over cars following cars

555  
00:28:59,590 --> 00:28:56,799  
same kind of

556  
00:29:02,230 --> 00:28:59,600  
public reaction quite a quite a strong

557  
00:29:04,070 --> 00:29:02,240  
similarity to the american reluctance to

558  
00:29:07,190 --> 00:29:04,080  
report them to official channels because

559  
00:29:09,990 --> 00:29:07,200  
of fear of ridicule but behind it all a

560  
00:29:13,669 --> 00:29:10,000  
very large number a very surprisingly

561  
00:29:15,110 --> 00:29:13,679  
large number of these sightings of quite

562  
00:29:17,830 --> 00:29:15,120  
unconventional

563  
00:29:19,750 --> 00:29:17,840

objects maneuvering in our airspace

564

00:29:22,470 --> 00:29:19,760

you have been highly critical of your

565

00:29:25,350 --> 00:29:22,480

own government's attitude towards

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00:29:26,789 --> 00:29:25,360

ufs indeed indeed i have yes the

567

00:29:29,110 --> 00:29:26,799

i've taken a very good look at the

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00:29:31,029 --> 00:29:29,120

american official investigation program

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00:29:32,950 --> 00:29:31,039

project blue book run by the air force

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00:29:34,710 --> 00:29:32,960

and i have

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00:29:36,230 --> 00:29:34,720

quite unequivocally described it to

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00:29:38,710 --> 00:29:36,240

scientific colleagues back in the states

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00:29:40,070 --> 00:29:38,720

as superficial and incompetent why has

574

00:29:41,430 --> 00:29:40,080

the government taken this attitude in

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00:29:43,909 --> 00:29:41,440

your opinion

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00:29:47,750 --> 00:29:43,919

it's uh not a brief story but it goes

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00:29:51,029 --> 00:29:47,760

back to 1953 when a cia

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00:29:52,870 --> 00:29:51,039

involved investigation was held

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00:29:54,950 --> 00:29:52,880

as a result of the extremely heavy wave

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00:29:57,190 --> 00:29:54,960

of sightings in 1952

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00:29:59,029 --> 00:29:57,200

the cia and air force became so

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00:30:01,269 --> 00:29:59,039

concerned over the

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00:30:03,430 --> 00:30:01,279

sheer number of

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00:30:04,950 --> 00:30:03,440

reports that were tying up american

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00:30:07,269 --> 00:30:04,960

intelligence channels that they wanted

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00:30:08,950 --> 00:30:07,279

to get this signal out of the system

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00:30:11,190 --> 00:30:08,960

asked the air force the cia asked the

588

00:30:13,350 --> 00:30:11,200

air force for a debunking policy the

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00:30:15,669 --> 00:30:13,360

literal wording was to debunk the flying

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00:30:17,269 --> 00:30:15,679

saucers to decrease public interest in

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00:30:19,190 --> 00:30:17,279

the ufos

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00:30:21,029 --> 00:30:19,200

regulations were promulgated very

593

00:30:22,549 --> 00:30:21,039

shortly that made it a crime

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00:30:24,149 --> 00:30:22,559

punishable with i think it's ten

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00:30:26,149 --> 00:30:24,159

thousand dollars fine

596

00:30:28,230 --> 00:30:26,159

and or ten years in prison to release

597

00:30:29,830 --> 00:30:28,240

any information at air base level on

598

00:30:33,510 --> 00:30:29,840

ufos and as a result of that in the

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00:30:35,590 --> 00:30:33,520

sequence of of steady downgrading uh the

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00:30:37,430 --> 00:30:35,600

whole problem has been essentially lost

601  
00:30:39,190 --> 00:30:37,440  
from scientific site in the us and

602  
00:30:41,190 --> 00:30:39,200  
nothing resembling any scientific

603  
00:30:43,430 --> 00:30:41,200  
investigation has been going on in the

604  
00:30:45,269 --> 00:30:43,440  
past 15 years has this been typical of

605  
00:30:47,350 --> 00:30:45,279  
the attitude of most world governments

606  
00:30:48,870 --> 00:30:47,360  
as nearly as i can

607  
00:30:50,789 --> 00:30:48,880  
tell yes

608  
00:30:53,430 --> 00:30:50,799  
there seems to be quite surprising

609  
00:30:56,950 --> 00:30:53,440  
similarity between the official russian

610  
00:30:58,070 --> 00:30:56,960  
british australian canadian american

611  
00:31:01,029 --> 00:30:58,080  
french

612  
00:31:03,190 --> 00:31:01,039  
italian pronouncements they all seem to

613  
00:31:05,190 --> 00:31:03,200

take the view that there's nothing to it

614

00:31:06,870 --> 00:31:05,200

there's a lot of nonsense that people

615

00:31:09,590 --> 00:31:06,880

see things

616

00:31:11,110 --> 00:31:09,600

and that it is not a real scientific

617

00:31:12,470 --> 00:31:11,120

problem at all and i most hardly

618

00:31:13,509 --> 00:31:12,480

disagree with that

619

00:31:16,310 --> 00:31:13,519

you have

620

00:31:18,789 --> 00:31:16,320

been as fair as the united nations with

621

00:31:20,470 --> 00:31:18,799

this problem yes uh about two three

622

00:31:23,590 --> 00:31:20,480

weeks ago on the seventh of this month

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00:31:25,669 --> 00:31:23,600

of june nearly a month ago now uh i

624

00:31:27,750 --> 00:31:25,679

spoke to the outer space affairs group

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00:31:31,029 --> 00:31:27,760

in the united nations urging

626

00:31:32,710 --> 00:31:31,039

uh immediate u.n action on this problem

627

00:31:34,710 --> 00:31:32,720

it seems to me that

628

00:31:37,669 --> 00:31:34,720

the un is one of the best places to

629

00:31:40,070 --> 00:31:37,679

tackle the uh international the global

630

00:31:42,230 --> 00:31:40,080

aspects of the ufo problem and all

631

00:31:43,830 --> 00:31:42,240

evidence now points to its being a truly

632

00:31:46,389 --> 00:31:43,840

global phenomenon

633

00:31:47,750 --> 00:31:46,399

uh utah made a statement at the time

634

00:31:50,149 --> 00:31:47,760

i didn't get to see you taught that was

635

00:31:51,430 --> 00:31:50,159

a busy day june 7th uh in fact i had a

636

00:31:52,870 --> 00:31:51,440

date to see him at four o'clock and if

637

00:31:54,389 --> 00:31:52,880

there was any one hour that was the peak

638

00:31:56,070 --> 00:31:54,399

of the middle east crisis four o'clock

639

00:31:58,789 --> 00:31:56,080

was it so i unfortunately didn't get to

640

00:32:00,950 --> 00:31:58,799

see utah uh but uh quite recently a few

641

00:32:02,470 --> 00:32:00,960

days ago i got a wire from a phone call

642

00:32:03,830 --> 00:32:02,480

from san francisco

643

00:32:05,590 --> 00:32:03,840

pointing out that he had made a

644

00:32:07,990 --> 00:32:05,600

statement

645

00:32:08,870 --> 00:32:08,000

to drew pearson an american columnist

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00:32:11,350 --> 00:32:08,880

that

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00:32:13,110 --> 00:32:11,360

aside from the vietnamese war the ufo

648

00:32:15,830 --> 00:32:13,120

problem is the greatest international

649

00:32:17,509 --> 00:32:15,840

problem and i sent him a wire

650

00:32:18,950 --> 00:32:17,519

strongly endorsing his position but

651  
00:32:20,789 --> 00:32:18,960  
disagreeing with him to the extent of

652  
00:32:25,269 --> 00:32:20,799  
saying that i believe it's the most

653  
00:32:33,909 --> 00:32:26,230  
we

654  
00:32:35,110 --> 00:32:33,919  
very strange situation here for 20 years

655  
00:32:37,509 --> 00:32:35,120  
plus

656  
00:32:39,909 --> 00:32:37,519  
uh essentially similar phenomena have

657  
00:32:41,509 --> 00:32:39,919  
been reported all over the world large

658  
00:32:43,590 --> 00:32:41,519  
numbers in the u.s

659  
00:32:45,750 --> 00:32:43,600  
officials ignoring them air forces

660  
00:32:47,909 --> 00:32:45,760  
ignoring them and yet apparently a

661  
00:32:49,750 --> 00:32:47,919  
steady increase in the numbers of

662  
00:32:51,110 --> 00:32:49,760  
reliable reports from people in all

663  
00:32:52,710 --> 00:32:51,120

walks of life

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00:32:54,310 --> 00:32:52,720

seeing these objects that are not

665

00:32:56,870 --> 00:32:54,320

products of our technology they're not

666

00:32:58,710 --> 00:32:56,880

meteorological astronomical phenomena

667

00:33:00,789 --> 00:32:58,720

hovering at low altitude increasing

668

00:33:02,549 --> 00:33:00,799

numbers in urban areas and collectively

669

00:33:05,509 --> 00:33:02,559

we don't know what's going on that's an

670

00:33:07,590 --> 00:33:05,519

extremely unwise situation no matter how

671

00:33:10,470 --> 00:33:07,600

you view it we do not know what is

672

00:33:12,389 --> 00:33:10,480

involved in this problem there are no

673

00:33:14,870 --> 00:33:12,399

strong indications of anything

674

00:33:17,350 --> 00:33:14,880

resembling hostility i see some faint

675

00:33:19,190 --> 00:33:17,360

indications of hazard and danger

676

00:33:21,830 --> 00:33:19,200

but in general to

677

00:33:23,669 --> 00:33:21,840

to have this possibility that the world

678

00:33:25,509 --> 00:33:23,679

is under something resembling

679

00:33:28,070 --> 00:33:25,519

reconnaissance possibly from some

680

00:33:30,710 --> 00:33:28,080

extraterrestrial source and to go on

681

00:33:32,070 --> 00:33:30,720

about our petty ways collectively

682

00:33:33,669 --> 00:33:32,080

doesn't seem to me to be a wise

683

00:33:35,990 --> 00:33:33,679

situation so i'm trying to get

684

00:33:37,830 --> 00:33:36,000

scientists and

685

00:33:40,710 --> 00:33:37,840

governmental uh

686

00:33:43,269 --> 00:33:40,720

agencies to take a look at this at a

687

00:33:45,990 --> 00:33:43,279

highly uh accelerated pace professor

688

00:33:47,669 --> 00:33:46,000

mcdonnell thank you very much

689

00:33:48,630 --> 00:33:47,679

professor mcdonald talking with brian

690

00:33:50,789 --> 00:33:48,640

king

691

00:33:52,470 --> 00:33:50,799

well i've seen a few mysterious objects

692

00:33:54,310 --> 00:33:52,480

in my time in fact i just happen to have

693

00:33:55,669 --> 00:33:54,320

one here with me now

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00:33:58,470 --> 00:33:55,679

i don't know

695

00:34:02,149 --> 00:33:58,480

whether this gadget qualifies as a a ufo

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00:34:06,149 --> 00:34:04,389

mainly because it doesn't fly still at