

Partial transcript from a lecture given by Frank Edwards to a Detroit, Michigan audience in 1956; making statements about Albert Einstein and President Harry Truman based upon his sources and his understanding of historical circumstances.

“...well actually what this booklet does, it discusses the great many of these sightings around Washington DC, particularly those of mid-July 1952, when about a dozen of the things came over. About a dozen of them came over one night and they were tracked by radar – they were seen visually – they followed the planes in – and according to the CIA's own booklet – the pilots had good looks at the things as they followed them in and out of the airport – some of them hovered – some of them went around the Capitol building – some of them went over the Monument and the White House – and over the Deep Freeze – and circled all around there – they were seen plainly – there was no question about them being there – and as a matter of fact the officials – the officials were so concerned about it – that on the following morning they issued a shoot-them-down-order. Why didn't they shoot them down the first night? They didn't shoot them down because the jets couldn't catch them and they've never been able to catch one yet. The jets couldn't catch them. The next night they showed up the jets didn't go up after them – they didn't go up with the shoot-them-down-order for the simple reason that Albert Einstein – and others – of comparable standing – heard about the shoot-them-down-order – because the story was on the front pages all over the world. They heard about the shoot-them-down-order and they personally got in touch with the little man in the White House – and I know what Mr Einstein told him. He said: ‘Mr President, anyone who can cross millions of miles of space will be able to take care of himself after he gets there. Don't start something you can't finish.’ That was one time that ‘Give 'em Hell Harry!’ decided it would be better not to give them any hell.”

The recording is given [here](#).