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explanations previously given before the IERB. He was subjected to intense cross-examination, however, concerning reports that he had agreed with the views held by his ex-wife.

information here from an informant characterized as being one of known reliability, in which S—— L—— told this informant that shortly following her Western High School speech in 1947, she remarked to you that probably many people will learn things about Russia and she quoted you as replying, 'Well I hope they learn something good, at least.' Do you wish to say anything about that?

"Q. Information we have, Mr. Greene, indicates first of all, that you didn't meet these Russians in 1942 but you met them in early 1943.

"Q. Now, we have further information, Mr. Greene, indicating that the initiative of these contacts came from Col. Beresin.

"Q. We have information here indicating that as a matter of fact, sir, we do know that the meeting between you and Col. Beresin was arranged through Hess and Hochfeld as you indicated. We also have information from a source identified as being one of known reliability referring to a conversation that this source had with Hess in April 1943 in which Hess stated that he had been talking to one Harry, not further identified but presumed to be Hochfeld and that Harry said to Hess that he had a young engineer who is a good friend of ours and of our cause and Harry wanted Hess to set up a meeting between Beresin and yourself. Can you give us some reason why Harry might have referred to you as a good friend of our cause?

"Q. Of course, we can make certain assumptions as to why Col. Beresin might have wanted to meet you back in December 1942 when we look at a statement like this indicating that you were considered a good friend of their's and of their cause. Of course, some weight is lent to this assumption by the fact that your wife was strongly pro-Communist and after she left you she became very active in Communist affairs, in case you don't know that, I'll pass it on to you."

And the following questions were asked of various witnesses presented