

Collins

Q Are you or have you ever been a member of the Communist Party, Mr. Collins? A No.

Q At the time you were in contact with Mr. Ware did you have any knowledge that he was a member of the Communist Party? A No. I heard, subsequently, that he was supposed to be a Party left-winger.

Q Now, at any time did you give any money to this individual now known to you as Whittaker Chambers whom you state visited your home? A No.

Q Did you ever give him any literature of any type?

A No.

Q Did Whittaker Chambers ever ask you to furnish him with any information concerning your activities or information coming to your attention in the government? A No.

Q Did you on any occasion ever furnish Whittaker Chambers with any information, either oral or written, of any type? A No. Oral: I might have said hello to him when he came into my --

Q Well, would you care to characterize that as "information"? A No.

Q Have you ever had any further conversations with Whittaker Chambers at any time other than saying hello?

A Well, I might have said something to him if I met him while he was in my house, if that's where he was, or at some other party I might have entered into casual conversation with him. But apart from that, the answer would be no.