

MR. HANSELL: A man under those circumstances cannot think of everything, anyway.

MR. BENICE: No, of course. The thing he alleges before us is that he was preparing this material for a specific purpose. I should think, in view of that fact, that was the most legitimate reason he could have for having this material in his possession, and naturally one would suppose that he would tell the police why he had it. That is why I raise the point.

WITNESS: Before we go any further I first make this distinction there whether it carries any weight with you gentlemen or not, and that is this, I am not appearing here as an individual; I am appearing here in regard to the organization, and I believe the purpose of the hearing is to find out as much as possible about the organization, and the points that we wish to bring forward are not my own personal background or anything else.

BY MR. BENICE:

Q. I do not suggest that. You tried to suggest to us that you were not able to give us a full argument because of the fact the information was taken from you by the R.C.M.P.  
A. The whole documentary evidence.

BY MR. HANSELL:

Q. The principle involved is going down on the record and it may be misunderstood. It might be assumed that the police took it from you because it was to be presented to this committee. A. That is not the case.

BY MR. MacINNIS:

Q. As far as you know, that is not the case? A. No; I think I can --

BY THE CHAIRMAN:

Q. Will you just briefly tell us how your organization functions?