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explained everything related to his involvement in the Rosenberg case. Due to David's honesty, he was only sentenced to prison for 15 years, and was released at 9. For Julius and Ethel's demise, they were sentenced to death by electric chair. The Rosenbergs were one of the only Communist spies who were found to be truly guilty, making McCarthyism a sane idea because there were at least some trials that ended up with people confessing being Communist. I used this article in my project to show an example of what a McCarthyism trial was like back then, and what the punishment could be.