Why do you think a market in counterfeit antiques has broken out? Why do you think buyers don’t verify authenticity?

What do you think American antiques signify?

Do you think that Mr. W-M’s Roosevelt lighter is authentic, just because it has a certificate? Why or why not?

What does Mr. Tagomi see as the difference between the Japanese and the Germans?

Why do you think television in is Germany and Europe, but not in the United States?

Why do you believe the Germans have made such great strides in space travel, but not in television or other telecommunications?

Do you think that, in the book TV could be developed by Americans? Why or why not?

What sorts of accomplishments do you think the Nazis are focusing on? Give three examples to support your argument.

What sorts of accomplishments do you think the Japanese pursue instead? What difference between Nazi and Japanese culture do you think explains this?

What do you think the death of Chancellor Bormann means for the United States?

What do you think the death of Chancellor Bormann means for Japan?