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NB. The author knew Berlin's wife, the daughter of a St Petersburg banker. When Lobanov turned eighteen, before his enrolment in Oxford University, he also met Isaiah Maksimovich [sii] himself. Lobanov listened to Berlin's description of Oxford and its students' lifestyle. Many years later he found out from Berlin why he [Lobanov] was awarded an Oxford scholarship (Berlin was a member of the grant awarding committee).