

America was threatened in any way shape or form that we would be 100 per cent behind any defence effort.

BY MR. BENCE:

Q. What I want to find out now is when and how you came to the conclusion that we were now threatened and when did your organization come to the conclusion that we were now threatened so that Technocracy should support the war effort? A. Well, I would say that it was roughly a few weeks before the fall of France; in other words, it was when France failed we withstand the opposition to Nazi domination.

Q. You mean, when it became apparent that anti-Nazisism could not win without the support of the people in this continent?

A. Right.

BY MR. MacINNIS:

Q. Might I point out that the opposition to Canada's taking any part in war off this continent is obviously not a matter for action because of subversive activities. We know many people who take that position, and would only become subversive when the individual organization would take an overt action to give effect to it; possibly it would not even have to be an overt action, but it should at least have to be definitely shown that it was subversive.

A. May I answer Mr. MacInnis' question by referring to some material which I have here which was issued by the organization prior to and since the beginning of the war which definitely states that we could not on this continent have a change by force. Here I have a set of five postcards issued by the organization for the use of its members sending messages, but they were in use before we were banned.

BY MR. ROSS:

Q. Was that just by some local organization? A. This was issued by the headquarters in New York.