

Q. It is possible for you both to work at cross-purposes?

A. If they so desire.

BY MR. SLAGHT:

Q. What about Stewart Smith of Toronto; he was with the Communist party? A. That is correct.

Q. You knew him? A. Yes, sir.

Q. And here is what he said in a leaflet published by the Communist party in 1940 at Toronto on the occasion of the anniversary of the October revolution in Russia, entitled, "Anniversary Manifesto." Now, that was as late as October 1940. You were in bad then, I think? A. Yes.

Q. He says:

". . . The task of all genuine socialists, i.e.,

Communists, in an imperialist war is 'direct and immediate preaching of revolutionary action.'

The Canadian working class and our party face the task of transforming the war into civil war against the bourgeoisie, into a victorious Socialist revolution to build a peaceful, happy and Socialist Canada."

You were cooperating with Stewart Smith before you went in?

A. Yes, I was.

Q. Do you justify that language or do you disagree with him or did you disagree with him and have a fight about it?

MR. MacINNIS: He was away then.

MR. SLAGHT: Yes.

BY MR. SLAGHT:

Q. It was not quite fair to put it to you in that way.

A. I would say this. I made it quite clear we are opposed to