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SECRETARIAL NOTES

We are in receipt of many telegrams and letters congratulating the editor on his arrest and release, and at the same time enclosing the much-needed monetary assistance.

A serious attempt is being made by the D.E.C. to place organizers in the field. The tone of all communications dealing with this question express the opinion that the time is opportune for a movement in this direction. The immediate difficulty lies in securing a suitable man who is prepared to undertake this important task.

The Ontario P.E.C. have guaranteed to maintain the services of such organizer for a period of six weeks, and pay all expenses.

A brief sent round to all Ontario locals requesting a provincial convention has resulted in letters of general approval being sent in. We have yet to hear from the Finnish locals upon this important matter, and we entertain some doubt as to whether they will support, as many of them are in favor of a Dominion convention. Taking into consideration the financial limitations of the treasury, it has been suggested that a limited Dominion convention be called.

The May Day celebration in Toronto was a great success, 1,500 people being present, and a collection of \$76.00 taken. An additional collection was taken up in support of the Bainbridge defence, which netted \$18.00.

The international picnic of all-Toronto Socialists will take place on July 14th, 1917. Grimsby Beach is the spot selected. All Ontario comrades are cordially invited.

The services of Comrade F. G. Tipping, of Winnipeg, Man., have been secured for organization work in Manitoba and Saskatchewan. The tour will commence about July 20th. All locals interested are requested to get in touch with Comrade Tipping at once. Address F. G. Tipping, 985 Corydon Ave., Winnipeg.

Judgment was delivered in the case of your Dominion secretary--(guilty)remanded. We have not yet been able to secure the verbatim report of trial, but will have it next issue for sure.

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JOHN NESS APPEAL REFUSED.

Judge Coatsworth concurred in the decision of Magistrate Denison, and sent Ness down for thirty days for a breach of "Defence of the Realm Act."

Witness for the prosecution gave evidence that Ness said he did not care who won the war, and in reply to Recruiter the Rev. Boal, as to what nationality he belonged to, he replied, "I am a dago."

Ness then took the box in his defence, and in reply to his counsel's questions gave the following replies:

Questioned by his counsel, J. G. O'Donoghue, Ness said his nationality was Scottish. "My brother is at the front," he said, "and my father is working at munitions."

He admitted that he did not hold up his hands when the request was made. "Then all the soldiers started to call me a yellow streak and sneered at me. Anything I said was said under provocation."

"At last I went forward, and Mr. Boal asked me why a man like Sullivan should leave his wife and children and fight for me, and I replied:

"I don't care; he doesn't care for me.

"Well, what then?"

"He asked me how old I was, and I told him it was none of his business. I then said that I wanted to get out of the crowd, as every one should have liberty in this country. Mr. Boal said I should have no liberty, and I had to stand right there and answer questions. He showed me a document, but I refused to read it.

"Then he asked: What do you work at?" and I told him it was none of his business, and he said, "What nationality are you?" and Mr. Boal thought I said negro.

"He said, why the negroes are fighting for their King and country and losing their blood, and that I was an insult to the negroes. He said, "You are dirty; in fact, you are filthy," and when he said you are filthy, I said, 'bull.'"

"Sullivan then took me and ran me up Yonge street, and I was kicked by fellows; kicked three times right on the back and punched in the jaw twice."

Judge Coatsworth, in refusing the appeal, said that if Ness used the language alleged it was a wonder he was not more severely handled. His Honor refused even to reduce the sentence.

A young fellow, forced against his will to enter into a conversation, brow-beaten and badgered into saying some thing which in calmer moments he would regret, is given thirty days in prison. A "statesman" in Canada says that France is bleeding herself white in order to benefit England, "and that Canada owes nothing to England." He goes scot free.

The words of Madam de Stael are as applicable to-day as when they were first uttered: "O Liberty, what crimes are committed in thy name!"

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