

flame thrower apparatus attached as an extra, and a large refuse van bringing up the rear."

What More Has Tyndal Said ?

"The day our followers lose their ability to hate will be the day they lose their ability to acheive anything."

"When we get to power,our opponents will be swept aside like flies."

"My first words in the cot were Sieg-Heil."

This is what he says. This is what happens.

Blacks are the first target. 13 died in the New Cross massacre through fascist fire bombing. Between 1980 and 1982, 30 murders occured at the hands of hate inspired fascists. Bradford 1978:an anti-fascist was stabbed through the heart and only miraculously survived. In 1981, a member of the British Movement murdered Bradford taxi-driver Mohammed Arif. In 1982, twenty-one Sieg Heiling fascists attacked black people in Sir Jaspars wine bar and a black woman had her breast chopped by an axe. There have been countless attacks in the country, in Bradford, by fascists and racists.

We have no choice but to oppose them each and every time they appear. Their 'freedom of speech' denies our freedom to live.

The So-called Public Meeting

Anti-fascists had queued for over 2 hours. Suddenly the police and the Council changed the first come, first served policy, and admitted between 30 and 40 fascists. Then they allowed a similar number of the public inside. The meeting started around 3pm. It became immediately clear inside the meeting who the police took orders from. Tyndall

said, "I want this man out." The police went to take him out. The police took their orders from Tyndall. Tyndall was not even Chairman of the meeting. Persistent heckling enraged him. He marched into the audience and pointed at those he wanted ejected.

Enraged, he threw a chair and a punch. The BNP all picked up their chairs and threw them. Anti-fascists protected themselves. Only one fascist is arrested. The meeting has been stopped.

Police arrested six Asian youths inside the meeting. All those Asians pointed out by Tyndall were arrested. Outside, the police indiscriminately arrested 6 protesters.

THE PEOPLE OF BRADFORD ENSURED NO PLATFORM WAS GIVEN TO FASCISTS.

DROP THE CHARGES

The following facts are established;

1.It was not a public meeting. No starting time was given to the public. It was not an election meeting. Fascists came from London, Norwich, Sunderland and Liverpool. It was a national fascist rally.

2. The police and Bradford Council broke the 'first come,first served' promise.

3. The British National Party started the violence. Only one fascist was arrested.

4. It is no surprise that inside the meeting, though black people constituted only less than 20% of the audience, the only arrests were of six black people. Victims of BNP and police racism.

5. Outside the meeting, the police indiscriminately arrested another six anti-fascists.

THE DEFENCE COMMITTEE DEMANDS THAT ALL CHARGES ARE DROPPED.

FINANCIAL APPEAL

The BNP is a fascist party. Its Chairman John Tyndall is a self-confessed Nazi and admirer of Hitler. If fascists ever come to power they would destroy democratic rights, smash trade unions, crush free speech and dissent. Socialist organisations, womens organisations and many others would be disbanded. Thousands, maybe millions would die. Remember Belsen! Remember Auschwitz. Remember the millions of Germans (especially Jewish people) who died under Nazism.

People who oppose fascism must oppose them every time they attempt to organise, every time they attempt to get a platform.

On Saturday April 13th Bradford people turned out to show their opposition to the BNP meeting held on that day. However the price that was paid was 12 arrests. The Bradford Anti-Fascist Defence Committee is appealing to individuals, organisations and Unions to send money to the Committee so that the 12 arrested can be defended. The probable legal costs will exceed £2,000. All the defendants are pleading Not Guilty to the various charges please send money urgently to the Campaign. This can be done in 3 ways: affiliate to the campaign, Organisations £25, individuals £5 (Unwaged £2.50); send a donation; make a personal standing order to the campaign (minimum £1) for 10 weeks.

AFFILIATION FORM

I/We wish to affiliate/send donation to the Bradford Anti-Fascist Defence Committee.

Name of individual/orgainisation

Address

Amount of Affiliation/Donation £.....

STANDING ORDER

(Your) Name

Address

Name of your Bank & Branch

Please debit £ (insert amount) from my account and forward to Bradford Anti-Fascist Defence Committee at Yorkshire Bank, North Parade, Bradford. A/C No 16426875 for a period of 10 weeks commencing from the date below.

Signed Date

Please complete the above forms and send them to the Secretary, Bradford Anti-Fascist Defence Committee C/O 2 Hallfield Road, Bradford 1. We will forward the Standing Order to your bank.

PICKET: BRADFORD MAGISTRATES COURT

10.00 am MONDAY 13TH MAY

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