

JEAN DEVANNY ARCHIVE

COMMUNIST MATERIAL

JD/COM/1. International Literature N.5. 1934. Section 'Letters from Writers' has letters from J. Devanny, Katherine Susannah Prichard and Vance Palmer p.128 - 131. Issue incomplete.

JD/COM/2. International Literature N.6. 1934. Articles by Lydia Filatova 'Fascism and Recent English Literature, p.118-132' and E. Troschenko (Marx on Literature, 138-148) annotated. Issue incomplete.

JD/COM/3. (International Literature) Issue not identifiable by index. Articles by A. Kirpotin (Trotsky on Literature, 81-87) and International Chronicle well annotated (120-122). Issue incomplete.

JD/COM/4. Tribune. Wednesday, June 21st, 1967. Pages 9-16. Includes articles on the 21st National Congress, C.P.A.

JD/COM/5. May Day 1935. Speech or article. 5p.

JD/COM/6. World Survey. Article. 2p. Could be incomplete.

JD/COM/7. Notes for speech in Domain, January 20th. 3p.

JD/COM/8. Treachery of Trotsky and Bukharin. 4p. Article or speech.

JD/COM/9. Revolution 1917: 17th Anniversary, 1934. (Article) - 12p. Pagination incorrect.

JD/COM/10. Notes for talk, lecture or article on fascism, war and Marxist-Leninism. 3p.

JD/COM/11. Yampi Sound. 1p. (Short article)

JD/COM/12. Position of workers in Cap. Countries and in Soviet Union. 2p.

JD/COM/13. Notes for article for Tribune, Friday, December 22nd, 19? . 2p.

JD/COM/14. Notes on 'United States Europe'. 4p.

JD/COM/15. Incomplete notes on a comparison of military discipline and government attitude to servicemen in Great Britain and Soviet Russia. 3p.

JD/COM/16. Release Thaelmann. Article. 4p.

JD/COM/17. Trotskyism. 1p.

JD/COM/18. The State. Article or lecture. 2p.

JD/COM/19. Women and War. 3p. Speech to Australian section (Congress).

JD/COM/20. Notes for speech at the Domain during the Second World War re Capitalist Democracy versus Socialist Republicism. 3p.

JD/COM/21. Notes for talk on Britain's default re war loan repayments to U.S.A. 2p.

JD/COM/22. Notes re Roosevelt's support of the United States of Europe proposal. 2p.

JD/COM/23. Notes for, or summary of, an article in Argus, March 18th, 19? 1p.

JD/COM/24/1. 'ACP Writer Returns to Sydney'. Article in Tribune. n.d. 1p. [12/10/45].

JD/COM/24/2. Duplicate of JD/COM/24/1

JD/COM/25. This is not time for tears. Notes. 3p. Last page handwritten.

JD/COM/26. Lecture or talk on national unity and a greater war effort. 10p.

JD/COM/27. 'All of Europe their aim' Newspaper article. n.d. No identification. 17/3 noted on cutting.

JD/COM/28. Lecture on Chamberlain and Munich. 10p. Pagination incorrect.

JD/COM/29. Moscow film. 13p.

JD/COM/30. People's front. Notes. 5p.

JD/COM/31. (?) Lecture or article. Papers pinned together but do not appear to be a sequence. First 5 pages not numbered, followed by pages 5-8. 11p. in all. Incomplete.

JD/COM/32. Your Question Answered. What is the position of the People's Front in France at the present time? Newspaper article. n.d. Not identified.

JD/COM/33. Soviet Constitution. Notes. 6p.

JD/COM/34. Lecture notes. Incomplete, topic: Women in the Soviet Union). Pages 2-20. 19 pages.

JD/COM/35. New Soviet Constitution. 12p.

JD/COM/36. Address given at the third annual conference of Communist workers in the sphere of the arts in Queensland. 15p.

JD/COM/37. Credential Report re JD/COM/36. 1p.

JD/COM/38. Report on JD/COM/36. 2p.

JD/COM/39. Circular re the International Labor Defence membership.

JD/COM/40. Pre-election speech comments. 2p.

JD/COM/41. Election speech. 5p.

JD/COM/42. Peace policies. 7p.

JD/COM/43. Lecture on (the Soviet Union and Agriculture postrevolution). 10p. Incomplete.

JD/COM/44. Lecture on (Soviet Union, democracy and Germany). Most likely given during W. W. 2. 5p.

JD/COM/45. Lecture: (Soviet Russia and the war). 5p.

JD/COM/46. Lecture notes. 3p.

JD/COM/47. Lecture: (On Soviet workers, drabness, and education to appreciation of beauty). 4p. On reverse of pages a masque entitled "The Quest Unending". Handwritten but handwriting not identified.

JD/COM/48/1. Jazz and beauty parlours in S.U. Rough notes. 1p.

JD/COM/48/2. Extended notes for JD/COM/48/1. 2p.

JD/COM/49. Weird Patron of Weird Art. Cutting from 'Sunday Sun' n.d. re the International sur-realist exhibition.

JD/COM/50. Miscellaneous pages from lectures etc. No sequence. 28p.

Lectures on Palestine

JD/COM/51. Palestine. 5 June, 1936. 4p.

JD/COM/52. Palestine. My mistake last time. Notes for lecture. 2p.

JD/COM/53. Pre-lecture comments. 2p.

JD/COM/54. Lecture: Palestine: My mistake last time. 5p.

JD/COM/55. May Day. Speech. 3p.

JD/COM/56. Russia Takes a New Line on Sex. Article in Readers Digest. n.d. 2p. Condensed article from U.S. News and World Report (July 22, 1949).

JD/COM/57. Letter dated 15th July, 1943 from Len McDonald, a member of the Communist Party. 1p.

JD/COM/58. Circular of thanks dated 22 December, 1948 from the Australian Communist Party signed by Phyllis Johnson and Vera Stobo. 1p.

JD/COM/59/1. Draft of letter to Lance Sharkey. 1p.

JD/COM/59/2. Corrected version of JD/COM/59/1. 2p.

- JD/COM/60. Letter from J .A. Brown for the C. C. Secretariat dated 28th November, 1957. 1p.
- JD/COM/61. Letter from J.A. Brown dated 20 January, 1958. 1p.
- JD/COM/62. Letter from Lance Sharkey dated 15 October, 1958. Includes reference to "Menzies". 1p.
- JD/COM/63. Letter from Lance Sharkey dated 22 April, 1959. Handwritten note at bottom of page (? Jean Devanny). 1p.
- JD/COM/64. Letter to Comrade Beasley dated 28 April, 1959 from Jean Devanny. 1p.
- JD/COM/65. Letter from Lance Sharkey dated 2nd July, 1959. 1p.
- JD/COM/66. Part of letter from an executive of the League of Left Writers of China and Japan, dated 7th June, 1935. Incomplete. 6p.
- JD/COM/67. Telegram from Boris Sutchkoff, Moscow, dated 5 January, 1943. 1p.
- JD/COM/68/1. 'Jean Devanny: Fighting evictions: fighting fascism'. Article in Tribune, 16 April, 1980.p. 11. 1p.
- JD/COM/68/2. Duplicate of JD/COM/68/1.
- JD/COM/69/1. 'Jean Devanny' Letter in Tribune, 30 April, 1980. p. 14.
- JD/COM/69/2. Duplicate of JD/COM/69/1.
- JD/COM/70. Communist Review, April 1954 - May 1965, 48 issues. Incomplete.
- JD/COM/71. Impact, November 1979, 1 issue.
- JD/COM/72. The Seamen's Journal, September 1967 - September 1972, 28 issues. Incomplete.
- Additional Communist Material**
- JD/COM/73. World Trade Union Movement, February 1959, 1 issue.
- JD/COM/74. Draft of (?manuscript) titled 'Some Notes on Philosophy' Author unknown. 18p.
- JD/COM/75. Draft of speech or article titled '1946 International Women's Day'. 3p.
- JD/COM/76. Notes for talk on radio 2BL 9.45pm... 6th November, 1942. 'In Moscow, on November 7th' by Jean Devanny. 5p. (notes on verso of last page)
- JD/COM/77. Critique of story by Frank Hardy. 'Death of a Unionist. From England. N.F.' 2p.

JD/COM/78. NOT USED

JD/COM/79. 'Mr. Menzies: defines liberty...'. Newspaper cutting [Sydney Morning Herald. 1st October, 1935].

JD/COM/80. Advertisement for times of political speeches. Newspaper cutting, source unknown.

JD/COM/81. Obituaries. Newspaper cutting, source unknown.

JD/COM/82. 'Economics: Letter to the Editor' by Greg (no surname). Newspaper cutting, source unknown (possibly Otago Daily Times).

JD/COM/83. 'Green Island Mines: causes of the unrest...' by H. (Hal Devanny), President, G. I. Miner's Union. Newspaper cutting, source unknown.

JD/COM/84. Draft for talk, lecture or article on inequality of women. 3p.

JD/COM/85. 'Anglo-Soviet Women's Conference, Resolution submitted in Sydney, Saturday, December 13th, 1941.' Flyer. 1p.

JD/COM/86. 'Women Degraded: how Fascism "cares" for the member of the female sex' by Sylvia Pankhurst. Magazine cutting. Advance, March, 1937. p. 7. 2p. (pagination incorrect, incomplete)

JD/COM/87. 'Nazi race and sex mania: right to rape'. Newspaper cutting, source unknown.

JD/COM/88. Article or speech titled 'Notable Women'. 6p.

JD/COM/89. Draft for talk, lecture or article on fascist art. 2p.

JD/COM/90. Draft for talk, lecture or article on Lenin. 2p. (Incomplete). (Blank membership application form for Friends of Soviet Union, Sydney District on verso).

JD/COM/91. Draft for talk, lecture or article titled 'Lenin the Man' by Jean Devanny. 5p.

JD/COM/92. Draft for talk, lecture or article titled 'Lenin'. 4p. (notes on verso of last page)

JD/COM/93. Draft for talk, lecture or article on peace. 4p. (Incomplete)

JD/COM/94. Draft for talk, lecture or article on Fascism and literature. 6p. (Incomplete)

JD/COM/95. Draft for talk, lecture or article titled 'Capitalist and Soviet Art'. 6p. (Damaged)

JD/COM/96. Draft for talk, lecture or article on antiwar. p. 3. 1p. (Incomplete). (Critique of movie 'Moscow Travelogue' on verso).

JD/COM/97. Draft for talk, lecture or article on fascism and literature 10p. (Incomplete)

- JD/COM/98. Draft for talk, lecture or article on Nationalism and the Soviet Union. 18p.
- JD/COM/99. Draft for talk, lecture or article Against War. 6p.
- JD/COM/100. Draft for talk, lecture or article titled 'Scrap book of Russian affairs'. 1p.
(Notice from Friends of the Soviet Union dated 3rd October, 1934 marking 17th anniversary of the Russian Revolution on verso).
- JD/COM/101. Draft for talk, lecture or article on the Writer and Socialism. 2p. (Incomplete)
- JD/COM/102. Draft of speech acclaiming British writer, Mr Wells. 1p. (Incomplete)
- JD/COM/103. Draft for talk, lecture or article on Lenin. 2p. (notes on verso)
- JD/COM/104. Draft for talk, lecture or article on Soviet Union. 1p. (Incomplete). (Part of minutes from the Writers League conference on verso).
- JD/COM/105. Draft for talk, lecture or article on Socialism and Finland. 2p. (Incomplete)
- JD/COM/106. Draft for talk, lecture or article on Intellectuals in Russia. 2p. (Incomplete)
- JD/COM/107. Draft for talk, lecture or article on Lenin. 1p.
- JD/COM/108. Notes for talk, lecture on Fascism. 1p.
- JD/COM/109. Draft for talk, lecture or article on Moscow. p. 6. 1p. (Incomplete). (Part of minutes on conference for the establishment of an Australian Section of the Writers International on verso).