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Marguerite Tjader Anton Wallich-Clifford Gordon C. Zahn Just a note to ask you to pray for the soul of Donald Day, Dorothy's brother in Finland, who was a correspondent for the Chicago Tribune. Dorothy looked very tired last Thursday when I saw her, but has picked up since, so they tell me.

It looks as if it's the real thing this Wednesday after many postpomments. Three of us will face Judge Murphy on burning the draft cards. The Appellate Court turned down Miller's appeal unanimously last week, which was a blow. The trial will take three days. Conviction certain. Then appeal to Supreme Court, if they will hear it, which, I understand, they need not. The unanimous decision on the Appellate level was a surprise. David's wife is expecting. He won't be going to prison on this, though, for he was given a suspended sentence by his trial judge. He will probably go for refusing induction, which he has done twice. The same goes for Jim Wilson, whose wife is also expecting.

I spoke to Jack English on the phone yeaterday. He is flying to Nassau today, accepted by the bishop of the Bahamas. He seems happy about it. We had a good long talk. We have never met face to face.

Thanks.

Later...

tom