A BOOK THAT MUST BE SUPPRESSED

By the Editor of the "Sunday Express"

The defense is wholly unnecessary. The justification absolutely fails. In order to prevent the contamination and corruption of English fiction, I must be fought to make it impossible for any other novelist to repeat this outrage. I say deliberately that this novel is a book that should not be read, that it should not be published, and that it should not be allowed to injure the reputation of any literary establishment.

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In his preface, "Committed," Mr. Havelock Ellis says: "The whole story of 'The Well of Loneliness' is one of indecent and provocative language. It is a book that possesses a not so tolerable psychological and sociological value." So far as I know, it is the first English novel which presents, as well as it does, in a form as unreactive and unprovoking, a part of the English people's experience of living as it exists among us today. The story of certain people who live only for the moment when they become conscious of the relentless progress of the society, the world, and the life of the spirit, is in itself a true description of our time. The book is not an attempt to instruct us in the nature of sex, but it shows us how society is governed by the play of chance and the uncontrollable forces of fate.

THE PLAGUE.

I have been the plague crossing shambles and hospitals throughout the country, and I have been compelled to recognize that there is no cure for it. It is a disease that affects all men, and it is a disease that is spreading. It is a disease that cannot be cured, and it is a disease that will continue to spread until the whole world is infected. The only hope is to stop it at its source, and that source is the human race. The only way to stop it is to shut off all contact with the outside world, and that means to isolate ourselves from the rest of the world. The only way to stop it is to destroy the human race, and that means to destroy the very thing that makes life possible. The only way to stop it is to destroy the human race, and that means to destroy the very thing that makes life possible. The only way to stop it is to destroy the human race, and that means to destroy the very thing that makes life possible.