

Anti-Hindi Agitation

MR. SIMON RAMASWAMI

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Mr. Simon N. Ramaswami, of the Trichinopoly Tamil Brigade who has been arrested and sentenced to six months rigorous imprisonment along with two others for picketing before the Premier's house in connection with the Anti-Hindi agitation on Wednesday last (5-10-38) has issued the following statement to the press:—

For the sake of Tamil language, Tamil culture and Tamil Nad, and to condemn the autocracy of the Brahmins. I have courted imprisonment along with two other comrades of mine. My only request to the Tamilians is to carry on the agitation till success attends our efforts.

It has been stated by some of my friends, I have fallen a willing victim to the wiles of Congressmen. I wish to state at it is a travesty of truth. I will continue to serve the cause which is dear to me more than anything else till such time we get of the tyranny of the Brahmins.