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COMMUNISM

ALMOND, GABRIEL A. The Appeals of Communism. Princeton, N.J., Princeton University Press, 1954. $6.00 (Case studies provide insight into the motivations, tensions, and loyalties of Party members, and offer a challenging critique of American policies toward the Communist problem.)

BOUSSACEN, ANTHONY T. Imperial Communism. Washington, D.C., Public Affairs Press, 1953. $2.75 (Attempts to show on the basis of the author’s ten years of knowledge of Soviet Russian affairs how Russia will advance international Communism.)

DEMOCRATIC RESEARCH SERVICE. Communist Conspiracy in India. Bombay, Popular Book Depot, 1954. 7/- (“An analysis of the private proceedings of the Third Congress of the CPI with full text of Secret Documents.”)


ELLIS, WALTER. Communism in Education in Asia, Africa and the Far Pacific. Washington, D.C., American Council on Education, 1954. $3.00 (Report by an American educator on his observations based on his studies during two years of travel in 39 countries, with suggestions as to how to combat Communism effectively in the battle of the minds.)

HALLSTRÖM, BJÖRN. I Believed in Moscow. London, Lutterworth, 1953. 10/6 (Autobiographical account by a Swedish correspondent of his experience with the communists, his disillusionment and conversion to Christianity.)

JAMES, DANIEL. Red Design for the Americas: Guatemalan Prelude. N.Y., John Day, 1954. $4.50 (The result of investigations in Guatemala is said to show the pattern of infiltration of the Americas.)

JOHNSTON, JOSEPH. God’s Secret Armies. Putnam, N.Y., 1954. $3.75 (A history of a movement originally organized by the Jesuits to establish anti-Communist cells behind the Iron Curtain.)

KOESTLER, ARTHUR. The Invisible Writing. N.Y., Macmillan, 1954. $5.00 (The second volume of “Arrow in the Blue,” an autobiography, starts with the author’s joining the Communist Party in 1931, and ends with his escape to England in 1949, with a concluding epilogue.)

KOUSOULAS, DIMITRIOS. The Price of Freedom: Greece in World Affairs, 1939–1953. Syracuse, N.Y., Syracuse University Press, 1954. $4.00 (Beyond offering an important chapter in the recent history of Greece by a man who had first-hand contact with political developments during that time, the book is a valuable guide to the understanding of totalitarian methods of conquest and infiltration.)

MACKINNON, D. M. Christian Faith and Communism; a Series of Studies by Members of the Anglican Communion. London, Macmillan, 1953. 21/- (Essays on the issues raised by Communism by priests and laymen based on discussions initiated by the Bishop of Chichester.)

MILLER, HARRY. The Communist Menace in Malaya. N.Y., Praeger, 1954. $3.50 (The book tells of the events leading up to the outbreak of Malaya’s “emergency” and of the country’s narrow escape from Communist insurgent domination.)

ROGERS, EDWARD. A Christian Commentary on Communism. N.Y., Praeger, 1952. $3.50 (This comprehensive commentary on the various forms of Communism – theoretical and practical – is written from a Christian point of view by a Methodist minister.)

STEWART-WATSON, HUGH. From Lenin to Malankov: The History of World Communism. N.Y., Praeger, 1953. $6.00 (The development of Communism as a world movement.)

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