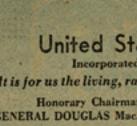
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YOUR AMERICA IS IN DANGER FROM ENEMIES WITHIN AS WELL AS WITHOUT!



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"It is for us the living, rather, to be dedicated to the unfinished . . ."

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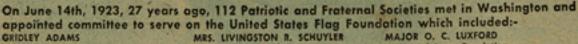
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SGT. YORK I CANNOT TELL YOU THE SENSE OF DIS-TINCTION I FEEL IN ACCEPTING THE POST YOU OFFER ME. THROUGHOUT THE HISTORY OF MANKIND, SYMBOLS HAVE EXERTED AN IM-PELLING INFLUENCE UPON THE LIVES OF MEN. THE CROSS, THE FLAG, ARE THE EMBODIMENT OF OUR IDEALS AND TEACH US NOT ONLY HOW TO LIVE, BUT HOW TO DIE.

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THE FOUNDATION—ITS MESSAGE

The United States Flag Foundation, Inc. is a patriotic non-profit Society organized under the laws of the State of New York. It believes that only "light can destroy darkness."

In bringing you the views of John Edgar Hoover, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation, United States Department of Justice, as expressed by him in addresses before the National Convention of the American Legion and other organizations, it feels that it is alerting our citizenry at a time of crisis wherein our entire way of living is threatened once again.

Please do not sign any petitions demanding that atomic weapons be outlawed as "Instruments of aggression." The ones to which the Foundation's attention has been called are headed "Keep America out of War." The Daily Worker, the Communist Party organ, told members in a public statement how to obtain signatures for this subversive material.

The Un-American Activities Committee of the United States Congress has just revealed what it officially terms a "virtual blueprint" for sabotage and espionage by the 75,000 Communist Party members in the United States.

Keep the Flag Flying!

Right truly yours, Gridley Adams Director General



"This Nation, carved from the virgin resources of a new continent, was founded as a Godrespecting land of justice and opportunity. The Founding fathers worked fervently, amid most signal dangers, to create a new world where hate and prejudice, born of intolerance and bigotry, would not blight the lives of men and women.

"They hoped, through the beneficent influences of love, tolerance and mutual respect, to weld the American people into an unshakable unity. These men, under the Divine Genius of the Supreme Architect of the Universe, did their work well. America today is a bastion of hope, giving courage, strength and guidance to millions of people around the world.

"The virtue of tolerance and the ability to respect different opinions, beliefs and ideas, have enriched the life of America. Tolerance is the eternal virtue through which good conquers evil and truth vanquishes untruth. In the glow of tolerance, the talents of all Americans—Protestant, Catholic and Jew, alien and citizen, flow harmoniously together in a common endeavor to erect, stone by stone, the magnificent temple of free government.

"Many individuals and groups, however, both within and without the Nation, hate tolerance—they consistently abuse and defile it. In fact, these elements, the criminal and the subversive, are utilizing America's tolerance as a cloak to plan to perpetrate crimes which, when successful, destroy the very tolerance which enabled them to gain victories. Tolerance for the lawless is a springboard for infamy, deceit and intolerance.

"These elements, which would destroy American liberty, are today at work in America. They desire, through impugning the rights of others, to establish the triumph of their own evil causes.

"The American Communist Party, despite its claims, is not truly a political party. The Communist Party in this country is working against our people. It is not interested in providing for the common defense. It has for its purpose the shackling of America and its conversion to the Godless Communist way of life. It is a system of intrigue, actuated by fanaticism. It knows no rule of decency. Its unprincipled converts would sell America short if it would help their cause of furthering an alien way of life conceived in darkness and motivated by greed for power whose ultimate aim is the destruction of our cherished freedom. Let us no longer be misled by their sly propaganda and false preachments on civil liberty. They want civil license to do as they please and, if they get control, liberty for Americans will be but a haunted memory. If the peoples of other countries want Communism, let them have it, but it has no place in America.

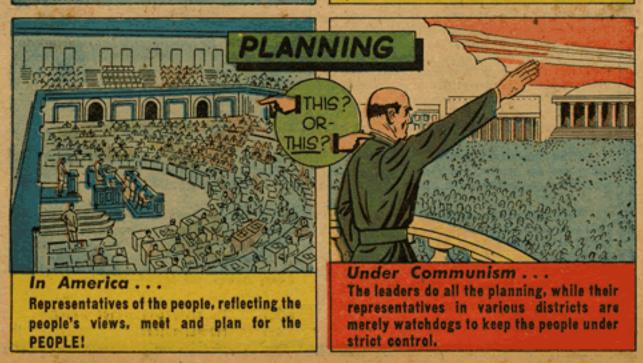
"The Communist influence has projected itself into some newspapers, magazines, books, radio and the screen. Some churches, schools, colleges and even fraternal orders have been penetrated, — not with the approval of the rank and file but in spite of them.

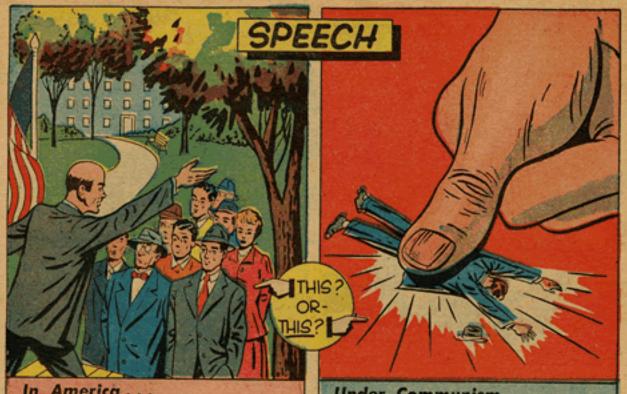
"We of the FBI need your help now even more than during the war years if the battle for a safe and secure America is to be won. I refer to growing menace of Communism in the United States; this foreign "ism" which has crept into our national life — an 'ism' built and supported by dishonor, deceit, tyranny and a deliberate policy of falsehood. To allow America to become infected with the malignant growth of Communism is a breach of our trust to those who gave their lives for American principles."

*From Mr. Hoover's address to The American Legion, San Francisco, California.







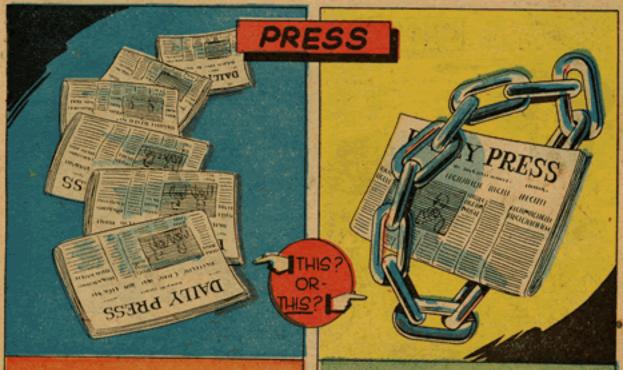


In America . . .

We may openly express our views, regardless of what they may be, without any fear of reprisal.

Under Communism . . .

Anyone having the courage to speak his own mind is hushed up, or "disappears" altogether.

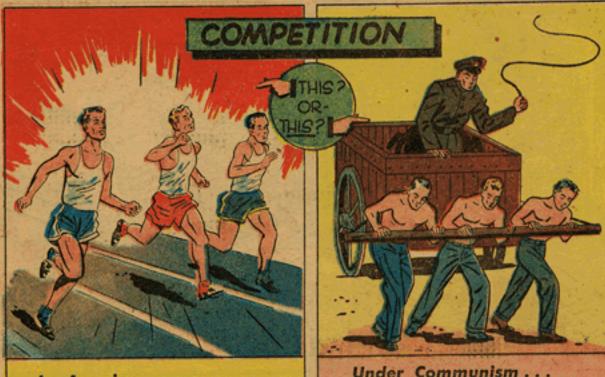


In America . . .

The newspaper is an agency for spreading undistorted news, opinions, and comments of the PEOPLE.

Under Communism . . .

Every newspaper is rigidly controlled by the Government; spreads propaganda, and prints twisted news to influence the masses along Communistic lines.

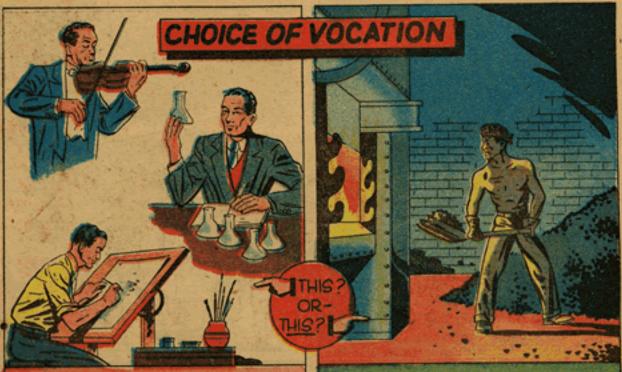


In America . . .

Personal advancement is based solely on the initiative, work, and thrift of the individual.

Under Communism . . .

There's no reward for individual skill or ability. Everybody is "leveled off" to the standard of the slowest, unskilled worker.

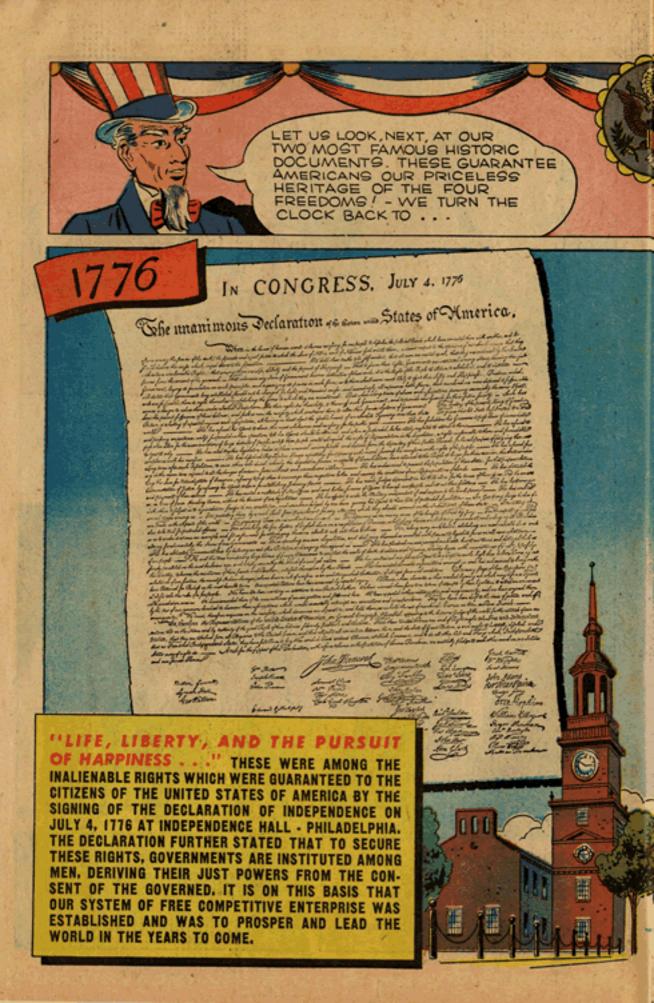


In America . . .

Everyone is free to select a trade, a vocation, or operate a business of his own choosing.

Under Communism . . .

You work where they order you to work, and do whatever they force you to do. Their Government controls you, body and soul!



THE BILL OF RIGHTS", THE FIRST TEN AMENDMENTS TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES, CONTAINS OUR MOST IMPORTANT GOD-GIVEN RIGHT TO PROCLAIM "LIBERTY AND UNION, NOW AND FOREVER, ONE AND INSEPARABLE!"

THE BILL OF RIGHTS

CONGRESS SHALL MAKE NO LAW RESPECTING AN ESTABLISHMENT OF RELIGION, OR PRO-HIBITING THE FREE EXERCISE THEREOF, OR ABRIDGING THE FREEDOM OF SPEECH, OR OF THE PRESS OR THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE PEACEABLY TO ASSEMBLE, AND TO PETITION THE GOV.

A WELL REGULATED MILITIA. BEING NECESSARY TO THE SECURITY OF A FREE STATE THE RIGHT OF THE PEOPLE TO KEEP AND BEAR ARMS. SHALL NOT BE INFRINCED.

NO SOLDIER SHALL IN TIME OF PEACE BE QUARTERED IN ANY HOUSE WITHOUT THE CONSENT OF THE OWNER, NOR IN TIME OF WAR. BUT IN A MANNER TO BE PRESCRIBED BY LAW.

IV THE RIGHT OF THE REOPLE TO BE SECURE IN THEIR PERSONS, HOUSES, PAPERS, AND EFFECTS. AGAINST UNREASONABLE SEARCHES AND SEIZURES, SHALL NOT BEVIOLATED AND NO WARRANTS SHALL ISSUE, BUT UPON PROBABLE CAUSE, SUPPORTED BY OATH OR AFFIRMATION, AND PARTICULARLY DESCRIBING THE PLACE TO BE SEARCHED, AND THE PERSONS OR THINGS TO BE SEIZED.

V NO PERSON SHALL BE HELD TO ANSWER, FOR A CAPITAL, OR OTHER INPAMOUS CRIME UNLESS ON A PRESENTAINT OR INDICTMENT OF A GRAND JURY, EXCEPT IN CASE ARISING IN THE LAND OR NAVAL FORCES. OR IN THE MILITIA, WHEN IN ACTUAL SERVICE IN TIME OF WAR OR PUBLIC DANGER NOR SHALL ANY PERSON BE SUBJECT FOR THE SAME OFFENSE TO BE TWICE PUT IN JEOPARDY OF LIFE OR LIMB. NOR SHALL BE COMPELLED IN ANY CRIMINAL CASE TO BE A WITNESS AGAINST HIMSELF, NOR BE DEPRIVED OF LIFE LIBERTY. OR PROPERTY. WITHOUT DUE PROCESS OF LAW. NOR SHALL PRIVATE PROPERTY BE TAKEN FOR PUBLIC USE, WITHOUT JUST COMPENSATION.

IN ALL CRIMINAL PROSECUTIONS. THE ACCUSED SHALL ENJOY THE RIGHT TO A SPEEDY AND PUBLIC TRIAL BY AN IMPARTIAL JURY OF THE STATE. AND DISTRICT WHEREIN THE CRIME SHALL HAVE BEEN COMMITTED. WHICH DISTRICTS SHALL HAVE BEEN PREVIOUSLY ASCERTAINED BY LAW AND TO BE INFORMED OF THE NATURE AND CAUSE OF THE ACCUSATION: TO BE CONFRONTED WITH THE WITNESSES AGAINST HIM: TO HAVE COMPULSORY PROCESS FOR OBTAINING WITNESSES IN HIS FAVOR AND TO HAVE THE ASSISTANCE OF COUNSEL FOR HIS DEFENSE.

IN SUITS AT COMMON LAW. WHERE THE VALUE IN CONTROVERSY SHALL EXCEED TWENTY DOLLARS. THE RIGHT OF TRIAD BY JURY SHALL BE PRESERVED. AND NO FACT TRIED BY A JURY. SHALL BE OTHERWISE REEXAMINED IN ANY COURT OF THE UNITED STATES. THAN ACCORDING TO THE RULES OF THE COMMON LAW.

VIII EXCESSIVE BAIL SHALL NOT BE RE OUIRED. NOR EXCESSIVE FINES IMPOSED. NOR CRUEL AND UNUSUAL PUNISHMENTS INFLICTED.

THE ENUMERATION IN THE CONSTITU-TION. OF CERTAIN RIGHTS SHALL NOT BE CONSTRUED TO DENY OR DISPARAGE OTHERS RETAINED BY THE PEOPLE.

X THE POWERS NOT DELEGATED TO THE UNITED STATES BY THE CONSTITUTION NOR PROHIBITED BY IT TO THE STATES, ARE RESERVED TO THE STATES RESPECTIVELY. OR TO THE PEOPLE.



In America . . .

We are free, Protestant, Catholics, Jews alike, to worship as we please without any interference by Government.

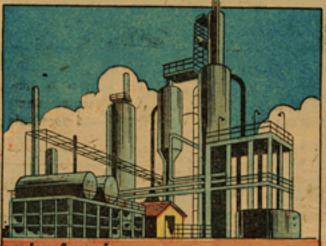
Communism . . .

is opposed to GOD! Any religion is considered the "opium of the people." Communists respect no church and persecute its ministers.

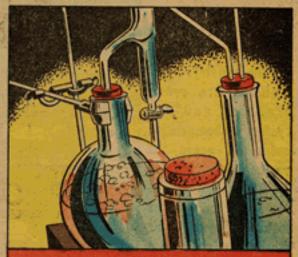




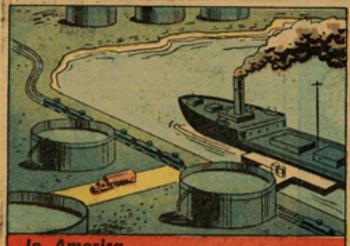




Millions of dollars are spent by big firms on huge refineries to transform crude oil into gasoline and other useful products.



Large Oil Companies retain scientific research staffs, resulting in better products at lower prices.



In America . . .

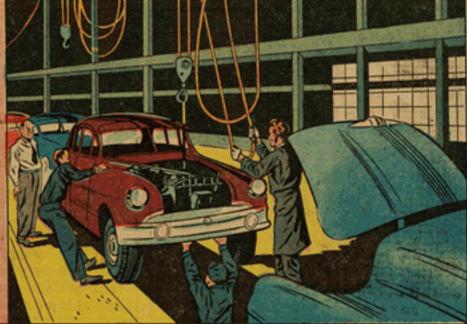
These concerns must also operate large fleets of trucks, ships and tank cars, as well as pipe lines to bring these raw products to market.

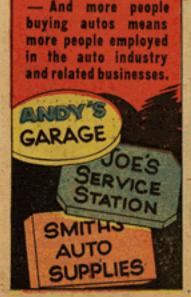


So, Joe, you see that before you can operate your gas station, big business must spend millions of dollars, which no one person could provide.



But, in our large automobile industry, automobiles are mass
produced and our
system of competitive
enterprise spurs the
various companies to
produce better cars at
lower prices, thus
making it possible for
more people to own
automobiles.









BIG BUSINESS SAVES WOMEN'S LIVES! THE PIONEER WOMAN ENJOYED NONE OF THE LABOR SAVING DEVICES IN COMMON USE ABOUT THE AMERICAN HOME TO-DAY, HARD WORK AND PRIVATION OFTEN DROVE MANY TO MADNESS OR AN EARLY GRAVE ON THE FRONTIER. WOMEN PER-FORMED ALL THE HOUSEHOLD CHORES, TENDED THE CHILDEN AND HELPED WITH THE CROPS ALL WITHOUT MODERN CONVENIENCES.





NOT ONLY DID THE PIONEER WOMAN MAKE ALL THE CLOTHES, BUT SHE ALSO SPUN THE YARN AND WOVE THE CLOTH.



BUT BY 1850, MEN FREE TO INVENT AND PRODUCE SUPPLY THE HOUSEWIFE WITH LABOR SAVING DEVICES.



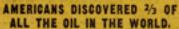


-BUT MAKE NO MISTAKE, JOE, COMMUNISM IS STRIVING TO STRETCH ITS TENTACLES ACROSS THE WORLD.



THE COMMUNIST METHODS ARE OFTEN OBSCURE AND UNDER DIS-GUISE, BUT WE CAN FIGHT THEM WITH EDUCATION AND TRUTH.







RUSSIAN FACTORY WORKERS RE-CEIVED SIO PER 81 HRS', WORK.



AMERICA HAS OVER 1/3 OF ALL THE WORLD'S HIGHWAYS.



RUSSIA HAS 28 DAILY NEWS-



77% OF AMERICA'S HOMES HAVE ELECTRICITY.



KEEP AMERICA FREE FROM FOREIGN SHADOWS.





ALL THESE FACTS
WE HAVE JUST
GONE OVER GIVE
ME A LOT OF FOOD
FOR THOUGHT. I
BELIEVE THAT EVERY
AMERICAN CITIZEN
GHOULD BE FAMILIAR
WITH THEM.

YOU BET THEY SHOULD JOE, - AND, NOW, BEFORE WE END OUR TALK, HERE IS SOME INFORMATION ON ANOTHER SUBJECT AMERICANS SHOULD KNOW ABOUT.



Wonder What the Flag Thinks About (a Lesson) : : : By BRIGGS

IN THE FIRST PLACE, I SHOULD NEVER BE DRAPED, BUT HUNG ELAT. THIS PICTURE OF ME IS WRONG BECAUSE MY STARG AND FIELD OF BLUE ARE IN THE WRONG POSITION. - PLEASE MISTER-REMEMBER TO HAND ME LIKE THIS - WITH THE BUS FIELD IN THE UPPER LEFT HAND CORNER - THE POSITION OF HONOR AUSO WHEN I AM HUND HORIZONTALLY AND WHEN YOU USE MY COLORG ON A SHIELD CONT HAVE A THING LIKE THIS BECAUSE IT IS WRONG! ALL WRONG! IT SHOULD HAVE NO STAKE AND THERE SHOULD NOT BE SEVEN RED STRIPES.

NOW THE IS CORRECT THE FIELD IS BLUE WITH NO STARS!! AND JUST THE REVERSE OF THE FLAG IT SHOULD HAVE SEVEN WHITE AND SIX RED STRIPES.









PLEASE DON'T DRAPE ME.
I AM NOT A DECORATION
IF YOU MUST USE MY
COLORS AS DRAPED
DECORATION, USE STRIPS
OF BLUE, WHITE, AND RED
WITH MY BLUE ON TOD.

DONOT USE ME AS A MERE BACKGROUND TO SET OFF THE PICTURE OR BUST OF ANYBODY-NOT EVEN WASHINGTON OR LINCOLN. IT IS AN INSULT TO BOTH OF US. DON'T LET STOREKEEPERS USE ME. IN AWINDOW DISPLAY.

AND DON'T APPLAUD WHEN THE NATIONAL ANTHEM IS SUNG. IT WOULD BE JUST AS CORRECT TO:
APPLAUD A MINISTER'S PRAYER. THE MAN WHO WROTE OF "THE REP WHITE AND BLUE" WAS MERELY EXERCISING HIS LICENSE AS A POET BLUE COMES FIRST. THERE ARE AS MANY FOLKS IGNORANT OF MY PROPER USE AS THERE ARE FOLKS WHO DON'T KNOW THE WORDS OF THE NATIONAL ANTHEM.







THE ABOVE BRIGGS CARTOON, MADE FROM SKETCHES BY GRIDLEY ADAMS, FOUNDER AND DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE UNITED STATES FLAG FOUNDATION, APPEARED IN SEVENTY NEWSPAPERS ON FLAG DAY, JUNE 14, 1922. AS THESE SKETCHES WERE NOT IN AGREEMENT WITH THE BOOKS ON FLAG ETIQUETTE THEN IN EXISTENCE, THEY MET WITH DISAGREEMENT, BUT WERE LATER TO BE PRONOUNCED CORRECT IN EVERY WAY BY THE WAR DEPARTMENT FLAG AUTHORITY, CAPTAIN CHANDLER. LATER ON, A FLAG CONFERENCE WAS HELD BY REPRESENTATIVES OF MANY PATRIOTIC AND FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS WHO DRAFTED A FLAG CODE, WHICH WAS OFFICIALLY ADOPTED. SINCE HE HAD INSTIGATED THE CHANGES IN THE FLAG CODE, GRIDLEY ADAMS WAS APPOINTED AS PERMANENT CHAIRMAN OF THE FLAG COMMITTEE. MR. ADAMS IS CO-AMENDER OF THE FEDERAL FLAG CODE (PUBLIC LAW 829) PASSED BY THE CONGRESS DECEMBER 1942.



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