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"OPINION SUBVERSION": COMMUNISM'S SECRET WEAPON

ANNOUNCER: AMERICA WAKE UP, in cooperation with the Daughters of the American Revolution, State of Illinois, presents Phyllis Schlafly:

MRS. SCHLAFLY: "Opinion subversion" inside the United States is the secret weapon the Communists have used to capture one billion people in 25 nations. FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover on July 20, 1962 for the first time publicized this major aspect of the internal Communist threat: the Red attempt "to influence American opinion". Mr. Hoover warned: "A primary concern of domestic Communists today is the infiltration of non-Communist ranks. With infinite subtlety and patience, they hope to influence American opinion to fit a collectivist mold."

Mr. Hoover then went on to say: "The process of opinion subversion is developed with such diabolical skill that even today a surprising number of victims are drawn into the active promotion of causes which advance Communist aims and ideas. Such persons often remain totally ignorant of the fact that they are themselves subject to Communist manipulation."

How is it possible that the Communists can achieve so much when Party membership is not numerically great? J. Edgar Hoover answered this question clearly by pointing out: "Domestic Communists, like other Communist conspirators, are absolute realists. They know they can never hope to gain power through the elective process. They concentrate, therefore, on efforts to (1) agitate and propagandize (2) infiltrate legitimate, non-Communist organizations (3) create and support Communist fronts. Through these tactics, Communist strength can be greatly enhanced. In addition, ideological cultivation in Marxism-Leninism makes members potential recruits for Soviet

espionage."

Let us look at the map and see the tragic results of this Communist technique called "opinion subversion".

1. RUSSIA went Red partly because the United States gave Trotsky and his co-conspirators funds and safe passage from New York through the British naval blockade to Russia, while the German High Command gave Lenin funds and transportation from Switzerland to Russia. They joined forces to highjack the Kerensky Republic. In the 1930's we recognized the conspirators in power and extended heavy-industry credits. In the 1940's we gave Stalin $11.2 billion and our approval of his seizure of 15 independent nations and territories.

2. In YUGOSLAVIA, the United States withdrew recognition from the legal anti-Communist King Peter-Mihailovich government and recognized instead the Communist Tito. Tito's tyranny was cemented by U.S. aid when he received the largest portion of UNRRA handouts. U.S.aid to Tito, who always votes against us in the UN, has now totalled more than $2 billion plus 130 jet fighter planes and a nuclear reactor.

3. In POLAND, the United States withdrew recognition from the legal anti-Communist government of Mikolajczyk and gave recognition to the Communist Lublin stooges. Poland's seat in the UN was kept empty until this betrayal was accomplished. Our Ambassador to Poland Arthur Bliss Lane said that, at a critical time, the U.S. gave a $90 million loan to Poland which was used to buy uniforms, boots and weapons for the Communist secret police to beat a desperately hungry people into submission. Since then the U.S. has given $500,000,000

in aid, including a modern steel plant, to the Red tyrants who enslave the Polish people.

4. In HUNGARY, the United States not only refused to send any aid to the Freedom Fighters who revolted in October 1956, but our State Department sent assurances to Khrushchev that the U.S. "does not want the frontiers of anti-Soviet Europe pushed to the USSR's own borders", thereby giving the Reds the go-ahead to send Soviet troops back into Hungary without fear of interference from us.

5. In CHINA, the Reds were given a tremendous beachhead when the United States, by secret agreement at Yalta, gave them Manchuria, Dairen and Port Arthur. The Chinese Reds were helped to power by men in our State Department who thought the Reds were just agrarian reformers; and by the cutting off of U.S. aid in order to force Chiang Kai-shek to form a coalition government with the Communists.

6. NORTH KOREA was given to the Communists by the United States at the Potsdam Conference, although the Reds had no legal or moral claim to it.

7. In LAOS, the United States withdrew recognition and aid from the legal anti-Communist government of Prince Boun Oum, and forced him to go into a Communist-coalition government which enabled the Communists to take control.

8. In INDONESIA, the United States forced the anti-Communist Dutch to turn that country over to a former Jap collaborator named Sukarno who turned Communist-collaborator. The U.S. has given Sukarno $700,000,000 including the weapons he used to smash an anti-Communist rebellion and to attack Dutch New Guinea.

9. In the CONGO, the United States pressured the anti-Communist

Belgians to evacuate, immediately bestowed diplomatic recognition on the Communist Lumumba, and invited him to Washington for a state visit. Since the anti-Communist Congolese overthrew Lumumba, U.S. policy has been to force the anti-Communists to go into a Communist-coalition government. Senator Thomas Dodd said that, if the Congo goes Communist, "it will not be because of Soviet intervention but because of intervention by a United Nations army, created by American policy and paid for by American money."

10. In ANGOLA, the United States supported the Communist-incited attempt to turn this part of Portugal over to the Congo-based terrorists who committed the March 1961 massacres. Our delegate in the UN voted for a resolution calling on the Portuguese immediately to give up Angola which has been a part of Portugal for 450 years.

11. In MOROCCO, the United States forced out the anti-Communist French and Spanish and spent $500,000,000 to build some of the world's greatest airbases. Now we have surrendered these bases and they are used by Soviet-built MIGs.

12. In ALGERIA, a million Christians and 130,000 persons of Jewish faith face persecution and death from the Communist-armed FLN. Although American arms drove the Nazis out of Algeria, "opinion subversion" in America and France has conditioned officials to think that colonialism is worse then Communism.

13. In EGYPT, the United States joined the Soviets in supporting pro-Communist Nasser's seizure of the Suez Canal and in opposing the efforts of England andFrance to regain their property.

14. In CUBA, the United States withdrew recognition from the legal anti-Communist government, whose representative had fought the Reds so hard in the UN, and bestowed it on the Communist Castro

even before he arrived in Havana. The U.S. helped Castro to power by refusing to allow shipments to the anti-Communists of arms they had already paid for, and by allowing military, financial and propaganda support to flow to Castro directly from the U.S. More recently, "opinion subversion" has persuaded America to trade the Monroe Doctrine, which operated successfully for a century and a half, for Khrushchev's promises to remove "offensive" weapons. In addition, the United States has promised to guarantee Castro's Communist government against any invasion or attack.

15. In BRITISH GUIANA, the United States helped finance the election of Communist Cheddi Jagan by arranging a loan through the World Bank. We granted him immediate diplomatic recognition, invited him to Washington to entertain him, and promised him $200-million in direct American aid.

16. In LATIN AMERICA, the United States has frequently opposed the anti-Communists and favored the pro-Communists, notably in Brazil, Venezuela, Bolivia and Peru.

"Opinion subversion" originates with the Communist apparatus and is spread by Communist collaborators. Georgi Dimitrov laid down the formula for using collaborators at the Lenin School of Political Warfare when he said: "We must always remember that one sympathizer is generally worth more than a dozen militant Communists. A university professor who, without being a Party member, lends himself to the interests of the Soviet Union is worth more than a hundred men with Party cards."

How many more countries will be captured by the Communists because of "opinion subversion" in America? J. Edgar Hoover has

asked the crucial question about our own nation: "Will we succumb to opinion subversion? Can we be changed from forthright, self-reliant, self-respecting American citizens into irresolute, half-hearted, irresponsible weaklings willing to compromise away the freedoms for which so many have fought and died? Therein lies the measure of our danger."

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