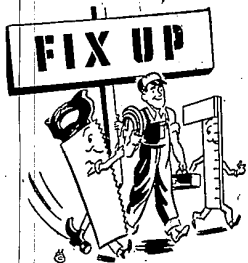


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## On Capitol Hill

News and Comments from Congressman George A. Dondero

### COMMUNISTS TRY TO LURE WAR VETERANS

Having successfully infiltrated in the labor movement and taken control of numerous unions, the Communists of this country have now inaugurated a program to win war veterans to their cause. This was revealed when Congressman George A. Dondero of the 17th Michigan District recently exposed the Communist background of the magazine "Salute" in a speech on the floor of the U.S. House of Representatives. He said:

"I take this occasion to sound a warning to veterans, their organizations, and the country as a whole, that the Communist Party of the United States is making strenuous efforts to infiltrate veterans' organizations and to incite veterans against our Government. It will be remembered that the Communists took an active part in the Bonus March of 1932. Speaking of this event, Earl Browder, then general secretary of the Communist Party, declared at its eighth convention in Cleveland on April 23, 1934:

"The tremendous revolutionary potentialities in this movement was clearly revealed by the great Bonus March in 1932. The veterans' movement is a most valuable ally to the revolutionary working class movement. It stands as one of the important tasks of the entire party in mobilizing the auxiliary forces for the working class movement in the United States."

"Today the Communist Party is even more ambitious. It has already organized posts of so-called Labor Legionnaires within the American Legion. It is steadily infiltrating into that organization, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the American Veterans' Committee, and other groups. It has established a special veterans' commission to supervise this work. Its first ambitious project shrewdly camouflaged, is a new monthly magazine called Salute, which I propose to analyze in detail."

"You will remember that Members of Congress repeatedly called attention to the suicidal policy of the War Department in permitting individuals with Communist records to take control of Army publications. Now the Communists are cleverly exploiting this mistake by announcing that Salute is produced by former editors of Yank and Stars and Stripes. In fact, they have even copied the format of Yank in order to befuddle the veteran."

"The first issue of Salute, dated April 1946, follows the Communist Party line to the letter."

"Throughout the publication there is a note of bitter criticism of the American Army fully in harmony with the propaganda issued by Communists in connection with recent demonstrations demanding demobilization."

"Richard Watts, Jr., in his article 'China Gropes for Freedom', espouses the cause of the Chinese Communists and denounces Gen. Patrick P. Hurley."

"DeWitt Gilpin, a former writer for the Daily Worker, seeks to enlist the support of the veterans for strikes in his article entitled 'Bread and Butter Front'. This is in full accord with the policy outlined above by Earl Browder."

"Walter Bernstein contributes his Balkan Adventure, eulogizing the Communist Marshal Tito."

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"Who are the men behind this insidious publication? Let me give a brief history of some of the outstanding figures."

"In advance publicity it was announced that the publisher of Salute is none other than Leverett Gleason, who is also known as Alexander Lev, former business manager of Soviet Russia Today. For some unexplained reason, Mr. Gleason's name is not mentioned in the first issue of Salute. Other contributors are:

"James Dugan, writer for the Young Communist Review in 1939 and 1940; writer for the Communist New Masses. He was a writer for the British edition of Yank."

"DeWitt Gilpin, correspondent for the Daily Worker; discharged as a social worker because of his Communist activities in Kansas City. He was a writer for Yank."

"Irwin Shaw, member, Citizens' Committee for Harry Bridges; author of the pro-Communist play, 'Bury the Dead'; signer of a statement defending the Moscow trials. He was a writer for Yank and Stars and Stripes."

"Walter Bernstein, writer for the Daily Worker; leading apologist for Marshal Tito. He was an editorial director for Yank."

"A further checkup by the FBI will disclose many more Communist connections than I have given here."

"It should be noted incidentally that Max Novack, a contributor to Salute, has just been appointed head of the reemployment unit of the veterans' affairs section of the Civilian Division of the Department of Justice. Mr. Novack should either renounce and explain his connection with Salute, or he should be dismissed."

"It is clearly the responsibility of the War Department, in justice to the veterans who may be mis-

### Lewis Sound Company Is Organized

Announcement is made this week of a new business in Farmington, the Lewis Sound Company. This is an organization of service men, all of whom are radio engineers, and is headed by Harry C. Lewis, who has recently returned to his home on Oakland Road, after four years of service in the Army. The company specializes in the rental of sound equipment for all meetings, both indoor and outdoor. They will set up the equipment for you and see that it is in perfect working condition when you wish to use it.

Disdain Mussel The mussel, long considered a delicacy in France and other parts of Europe, has never been utilized on a commercial scale in this country. Some use was developed during the recent war.

led by the announced connections of these individuals with official Army publications to inform all former members of the armed forces that it assumes no responsibility for this publication. The veterans of the United States should be forewarned of his insidious hoax."

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