

'Reds' 'Peaceful' Tactics Explained by Allen Dulles

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WASHINGTON, Sept. 1. — Allen W. Dulles, director of the Central Intelligence Agency, sees "serious" parliamentary situations posed in Italy, France and Indonesia by the Soviet Union in its new "peaceful" penetration tactics.

The House Committee on Un-American Activities tonight released a statement given earlier this week by Mr. Dulles in which he noted that the Kremlin, checkmated in the use of brute force by NATO and other free world alliances, is seeking again to use more peaceful means of gaining control in free countries.

Serious Penetrations

He said there is no cause for too great alarm, but warned that "in several countries these penetrations are serious." He continued:

"In the Italian Parliament of 590 members there are now 143 Communist members. To these must be added seventy-five Menni fellow-traveling Left-wing Socialists or a total of 218, who consistently vote and act with the Communists. Together in the last elections in 1953 their total popular vote was 9,500,000, or 35.5 per cent of the total.

The French Chamber of Deputies presents another situation which the Kremlin may be studying. There are today about 150 Communist members in the Chamber out of a total of about 600.

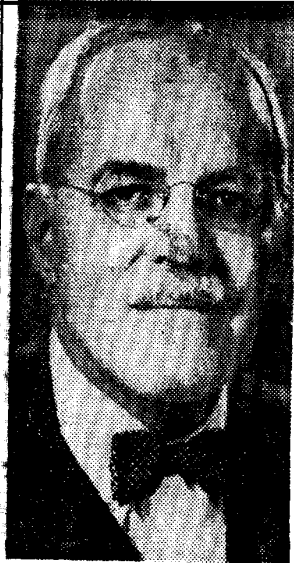
Indonesia Strength

"In Indonesia, the Communist party received 6,000,000 votes or 17 per cent of the total electorate in the elections of September 1955 and they have a representation of thirty-nine members or 16 per cent of the total in the Indonesian Assembly.

Mr. Dulles likened the blueprints released in speeches by the new rulers of the Kremlin to Hitler's statements in "Mein Kampf" and cautioned they should be studied as a clew to future moves by the Soviet Union. After quoting from some of the Communist party congress speeches, he said:

"... The Communists propose to infiltrate our parliamentary governments, and to use the freedom which our system of government gives to destroy all vestiges of that system... There is no instance where the Communists have taken over a country by free elections or have obtained a parliamentary majority by free elections. Unfortunately, it is also true that the Communists have moved in without having a majority status..."

Success of free world alliances in fencing in Communist military expansionist tactics has been hampered by their parliamentary and economic



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moves now being employed, Mr. Dulles said.

The C. I. A. director is one of 120 leading Americans who have submitted analyses of current Communist tactics to the committee. They include many educators, journalists, foreign relations and military experts and J. Edgar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.