

One thing that I liked about Col Beatty's work was the way that he exonerated the German people as a whole from the accusation that they had conspired to conquer the world. Kaiser Wilhelm's exalted ideas of his own authority and purposes caused millions of German people to follow his orders blindly without themselves actually being implicated in his attitudes. Back in 1919 I myself was greatly shocked at the widespread feeling against all German people. When I studied in Germany for two and a half years between 1927 and 1931 I was surprised and pleased to see the fine attitude of the German people as a whole.

I was also pleased to see how Col Beatty defends the Russian people as a whole. Many of the Russians are very fine and kindly people. It is indeed sad that they are today enslaved by the comparatively small group that make up the communist conspiracy. The tyrannical one-party government of Russia holds the nation in complete subjection, and does not allow its people even to hear news, except what the officials desire. The Russian people as a whole should not be blamed for the attitude of their communist rulers.

I certainly did not intend to exonerate "any appreciable group of Jewish people from any attachment to communism, past or present." There have been many Jews, as there have been many Germans, many Englishmen, many Americans, and many from almost any country, who have been deceived by the clever propaganda of the communists. To blame the Jewish people as a whole for the fact that a sizeable number of their people were misled, is, in my opinion, just as foolish as it would be to blame the American nation, or the English, for the fact that many of their citizens have been similarly deceived.

Actually, communist ideology is simply a means of ensnarement and enslavement. Those who refuse to accept Christian teaching are often quite susceptible to anti-Christian teaching. Communism comes with a pretense of idealistic, philanthropic, humanistic attitudes, but soon brings those who accept it completely under the control of superiors whose names they may not even know. It is a very clever device, worked out by Lenin and his associates, for getting large numbers of people into a movement that can be used to try to achieve world domination. Every American needs to be awakened to this danger, and to be alerted to watching for and opposing its many activities. If we confuse