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Intelligence Chief Warns Of 'Fronts'

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Washington, Jan. 30—(P)—Allen W. Dulles, director of "hush-hush" central intelligence, says neutrals and "soft thinkers" are a greater danger than avowed Communists.

He said Soviet Russia spends about \$2,000,000,000 a year on "front" organizations and allied activities which conceal the real purpose of the Communist conspiracy.

"They should not be allowed to get away with this hoax and deception any longer," he said.

Softening Process

Addressing a women's forum on national security Friday, Dulles stressed the amount of time and money the Russians are willing to put into "front" organizations is "a softening process" to prepare for the day they can take over.

"Today it is not the open Communist, the admitted follower of Marx and Lenin, who is likely to trip us up," he said. "It is the neutralist, the soft thinkers about agrarian reformers, those who merely decry the methods but are blind to the aim of international communism."

He said the danger is greater in other parts of the world than it is in the United States where, he added, communism "is no longer coddled or tolerated."

Spies In Country

Assistant Secretary of Defense Fred A. Seaton told the group they must accept the idea that there are spies in this country. Seaton is ill and his speech was read by a Defense Department information officer.

Speaking of the need for tight lips about security matters, Seaton said not only Russia but "all great powers" have observers in this country.

"There are spies in every great city in every industrial center, in places where we have naval bases, fortifications, air bases, proving grounds," he said.