

difficulties and to its desire to circumvent registering with the Attorney General of the United States as a communist front organization. The latter is a comparatively new group whose purpose is to organize the unorganized workers, concentrating strongly on the Negroes.

11. Communists in the United States have attempted to infiltrate and gain control of legitimate Negro-fraternal, protest-and-improvement organizations. To date, their efforts have been unsuccessful on a state or national level, although there have been some instances where the Communist Party has gained control of isolated chapters.
12. The Communist Party, USA, has been compelled throughout its history to wage a continuing fight against white chauvinism, i. e., the supremacy of the white race. Despite this struggle, white chauvinism has increased within the Party in recent years and is presently of grave concern to Party leaders.
13. Negro membership within the Communist Party, USA, as of June, 1956, was estimated to be seven per cent of the total national membership of the Party. The total national membership was estimated at slightly less than 20,000.

