
August 1920 Budget Request for the Communist Party of America made to the Comintern.

A document (originally untitled) in the Comintern Archive, f. 515, op. 1, d. 20, l. 40.

Prisoners — defense, support of dependents, etc. \$20,000

Agitation among the Negro 15,000

The problem of the Negro is a vital problem in the American movement. In addition to the general propaganda among the Negro workers in the North, there must be special agitation among the Negro masses in the South. The Negro in the South is deprived of all rights, and the work there is exceptionally difficult (and important).

Agitation among the soldiers and sailors 10,000

To start and support legal papers 15,000

The plan is to start three weekly papers, carrying on a legal propaganda. These papers are to be issued in the three most important industrial districts of the United States. †

Total \$60,000

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For the Communist Party
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August 21.

†- Implying New York, Chicago, and Boston, it would seem.

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