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It continued in a "new series" from 1929 - 1953 (none of which we have here). Publication of this "new series" of The Communist Review temporarily stopped in the 1930s (probably with vol.8, no.8 - August 1935), but was restarted in March 1946, in accordance with a resolution passed at the November 1945 CPGB congress. The journal finally ceased publication at the end of 1953.

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