

Agents Hold Man, Woman

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FBI Operatives Arrest Couple With Communist Papers

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Jersey City, July 1.—Police and Federal Bureau of Investigation agents today were poring over a suitcase full of papers found in the possession of a man and a woman arrested here today.

The papers had to do with many phases of communistic activity.

The man was Rand Stevens, 41, and the woman was Ruth Freeman, 28, both of New York.

In the coupe in which they were arrested, police found four boxes containing .22 caliber cartridges, a canvas sack of the Rondout National Bank of Kingston, N. Y., and a black overnight case containing the literature which was of primary interest to investigators.

In part this consisted of a loose-leaf scrap book of about 100 pages into which had been pasted photographs clipped from newspapers and magazines of dams such as the Coulee and one in the TVA development in Tennessee; pictures of oil developments, radium fields, bridges and many other such things. There were also some 200 green cards, described as application cards for membership in the Communist Party.

These carried names and addresses of the applicants, the jobs at which they worked and the names of the employers, their signatures, the names of persons proposing them and penciled notations to "check Socialist connections."