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## The Dies Outfit Blocks a Real Investigation

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- There's not a true American who does not want to get to the bottom of un-American activities and pull them up root and branch. And the need is overwhelming. That is why the resolution of Rep. Keller of Illinois, opponent of the un-American Dies Committee, deserves the most immediate support of the country.

This resolution—now offered as a substitute for the subversive Dies bill calling for more funds—would create a Congressional Committee of 11 to really investigate the open and hidden enemies of American democracy. It has the support of many progressives in Congress, among them Rep. Marcantonio of N. Y., Rep. Voorhis of California and others.

The trouble—and what dangerous trouble—is that the Dies outfit has been cloaking itself in the guise of “investigating un-American activities,” while it in reality fostered and concealed them. It “carefully overlooked” the Nazis, even to the extent of hobnobbing with such Hitler agents as Fritz Kuhn; it went about the country smearing New Dealers, labor and progressives and anyone having a shred of liberal ideas.

Already the growing indignation of the people has blocked Dies from stampeding the present hearings to a quick close in his favor. Rep. Sabath, New Deal chairman of the House Rules Committee, estimates that “I have resolutions of protest (against the Dies Committee) from 85 per cent of American labor.” But many more protests are needed—and from every section of the American people.

Write your Congressman today. The quicker the Dies Committee is scrapped, the quicker can a real Congressional investigation get at the un-American enemies hidden by fuehrer Dies.