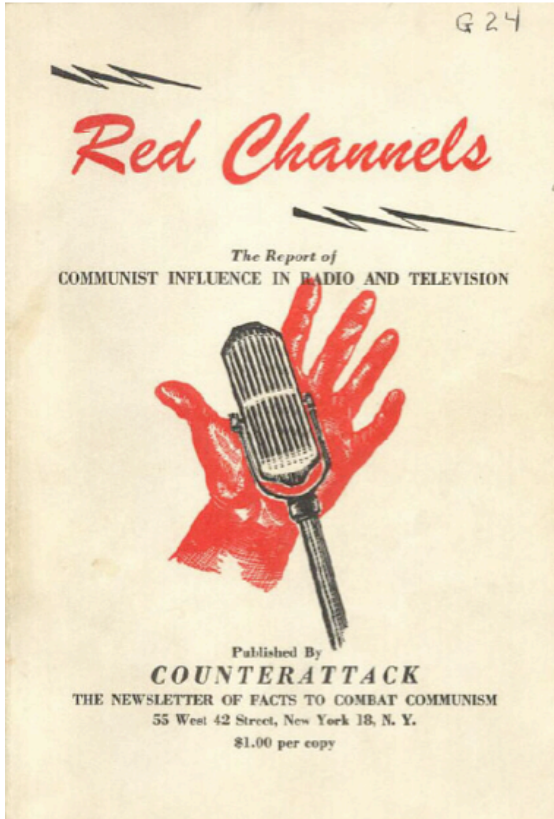


Red Channels: The Report of Communist Influence in Television and Radio (1950)



Front Cover

<p>PETE SEEGER <i>Folk Singer</i></p> <p>People's Songs</p> <p>Progressive Citizens of America</p> <p>Wallace for President Campaign</p> <p>Communist Party</p> <p>American Committee for Yugoslav Relief</p> <p>Jefferson School of Social Science</p> <p>Schools for Political Action Technique</p> <p>People's Artists, Inc.</p>	<p>Reported as:</p> <p>National Chairman. <i>Bulletin of People's Songs</i>, 11/47.</p> <p>Entertainer, "Show Time For Wallace." <i>Daily Worker</i>, 4/5/48, p. 12.</p> <p>Led singing at rallies. <i>Daily Worker</i>, 10/18/48, p. 7; <i>Daily Worker</i>, 9/13/48, p. 6.</p> <p>Entertainer. Peter V. Cacchione Supper for benefit of Community Club No. 2, Thomas Jefferson Section, Communist Party, 3/31/46. <i>Daily Worker</i>, 3/29/46, p. 10.</p> <p>Participant. Led singing at dinner, Hotel Pennsylvania, 10/24/46. <i>U. S. Senate Hearings on S 1832, Part 2</i>, p. 543.</p> <p>Instructor. <i>House Un-Am. Act. Com. Index II</i>, p. S 49.</p> <p>Instructor. Washington, D. C. school, 6/26-29/46. Official catalog.</p> <p>Participant. <i>House Un-Am. Act. Com. Index II</i>, p. S 106.</p>
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Descriptions of Organizations Included in Red Channels

People's Songs: An organization founded in 1945 by Pete Seeger, Alan Lomax, Lee Hays, and others to "create, promote, and distribute songs of labor and the American people." The organization published a quarterly newsletter from 1946-1950 that contained articles about folk music as well as lyrics and sheet music for traditional folk and union songs.

Progressive Citizens of America: An organization formed in 1946 that called for peaceful cooperation between the U.S. and the Soviet Union, rather than the escalation of aggressive Cold War policies. By mid-1947, the PCA had 25,000 members nationwide. The organization led to the formation of a new political party, the Progressive Party, which ran Henry Wallace as its presidential candidate in 1948.

Wallace for Presidential Campaign: The Progressive Party's presidential candidate in the U.S. presidential election of 1948. Wallace's platform advocated for universal government health insurance, negotiations with the Soviet Union to achieve peace, full voting rights for African Americans, and an end to segregation.