

THE BLIGHT OF THE WORLD Christianity or Communism?

"The blight of the world is Jesus . . ." So goes the Communist-inspired parody of the well known Gospel hymn . . . "Once I was blind but now I can see, the **blight** of the world is Jesus."

A press report clipped from a newspaper published hard against the Iron Curtain reveals, "the celebration of Christmas must be outlawed as the invention of the bourgeoisie system. The birthday of Joseph Stalin will be celebrated instead." Stalinites intend to polish off Jesus Christ as the "creature of the Christian imagination." The religion which bears His name must be dealt with for what it is, "an opiate of the people," and time must cease to be reckoned **anno domini**, (the year of our Lord) and the calendar changed to date from "the birth of Karl Marx" according to the catechetical instruction of the Russian boys and girls. The Red propaganda machine continues to grind out its poison for the minds of the youth of this generation. Steadily, stealthily the sadistic attack continues against Jesus Christ. This is the basis for the philosophy of one "ism" which in less than one generation has gobbled up over half this beleaguered earth . . . and Communists believe it to a point of fanaticism.