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concerning Chiang Kai-shek.

By Miriam Seane.

Permit me to ask a few questions that have accrued to an average woman trying conscientiously to keep abreast of political events.

What has given us the right to press Chiang Kai-shek (under whose leadership China fought alone for four years) to submit to the terms of a Communist faction? Would we knuckle down to their kind in our own country by permitting them to have a separate army and a separate government?

True, the Chinese Communists (like our own brand) now preach anything but Communism. Their subversions lie not in ideology but in their complete allegiance to a foreign state.

In China, as everywhere, the Communists during the Hitler-Stalin pact changed their slogans from "stop Hitler" to "Stop the pluto-democracies." They entered the war against Hitler only after the Fuehrer betrayed Stalin. Throughout the world Communists have fought well—for Russia. It is nothing short of criminal to close our eyes to this lesson.

Why then, do we ask a loyal ally to submit to a group whose first love lies outside their own country? It is this group which has forced Chiang to divide his forces, and now we are asking

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him to reward them by submitting to their terms!

Let us take care lest the tactics of allowing the Communists to have their own way among our brave, although weaker allies, do not come home to plague us.

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