

Abstract:

Bachelor thesis discusses the possibilities of semi-underground work of the Communist Party of Czechoslovakia (KSČ) since the late 1920s through to the final period of the legality of the Communist Party during the "Second Republic". The paper is divided into three thematic blocks. The first section deals with the context in the form of development of the party system since the late 1920s to the end of the First Republic, and also the legal framework for the protection of the republic. The second part is devoted to the history of the KSČ during this period. The third part is devoted to the analysis already semi-underground work opportunities, which is the main theme of my thesis. The main objective is to show the possibilities of semi-underground work. In fact, it is the kind of analysis the official party press, in which the articles could describe the illegal activities of illegal foreign parties. These articles could eventually serve as role models for the domestic illegal work. This fact is examined in the second part of the analysis. The thesis is also partly concerns the question of the influence of the Comintern on organizing these activities and even general influence on the Comintern on the inner side management.

The analysis is based on analysis of articles official Communist press (*Rudé právo*, *Rudý prapor*, *Pochodeň* etc.). The second part of sources consists of archival footages which are used to validate of these illegal methods of work.

In the analysis itself, I managed to come to the conclusion that foreign models that people could be found in the official printed materials and can also be useful in the conditions of interwar Czechoslovakia. It is therefore confirmed that Communist Party members were able to use the same methods of illegal work in situations that are presented to them in the press as semi-underground. At the point of impact of the Comintern, it is clear that the influence was strong, particularly on issues related to organizational and ideological issues. However, certain influences can be found even in matters of organization semi - underground and illegal work.