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Sommario/riassunto	The past ten years have seen a revival of interest in the recent history of the British labour movement, and particularly in the alleged 'lost opportunity' for a British revolution at some stage between 1900 and 1926. What is attempted here is a reassessment of the radical politics of the 1930's, a decade also mythologized in the recent past as one in which British intellectuals were either 'fellow-travelling' with Stalin or 'moving towards Marxism', depending on your point of view. My concern is not centrally with those poets, writers and scientists whose memoirs of the 'Red Thirties' are readily available.

