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A file, received bound, of fifty-one documents in Russian and relating to Russian politics, particularly in Moscow, 1915-17. The papers were assembled by Sir Robert Hamilton Bruce Lockhart (1887-1970), then British Vice-Consul in Moscow, where he enjoyed a wide range of social and political contacts. This period of Bruce Lockhart's career is described in his *Memoirs of a British Agent*, London, 1932, pp.97-191.

The documents are arranged as described below:

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- 1. List of persons attending the meeting of delegates of the *Guberniia zemstva*, 9 Dec 1916.
- 2. All-Russian *Zemstvo* Union: meeting of delegates of the *Gubernaiia zemstva* in Moscow, 9 Dec 1916.
- 3. Another copy of 2.
- 4. All-Russian *Zemstvo* Union proceedings, 9 Dec 1916.
- 5. All-Russian *Zemstvo* Union: Appendix 1, agenda of meeting of delegates of the *Gubernaiia zemstva*, 9 Dec 1916.
- 6. All-Russian *Zemstvo* Union: Appendix 2, the list of those attending the meeting of delegates of the *Gubernaiia zemstva*, 9 Dec 1916.
- 7. Another copy of 4.
- 8. Another copy of 5.
- 9. Another copy of 6.
- 10. A copy of the speech of the Chief Delegate, Prince G E L'vov, to the *Gubernaiia* zemstvo of the Zemstvo Union.
- 11. Another copy of 10.
- 12. All-Russian *Zemstvo* Union: the resolution adopted by the *Gubernaiia zemstva*, 9 Dec 1916.
- 13. A request form for goods to be sent to prisoners of war addressed to Aid Department of the *Zemstvo* Union's Principal Committee, n.d..

- 14. A document of the *Zemstvo* Union's Department of Aid to Prisoners of War, Dec 1915 Dec 1916.
- 15. A memorandum setting out the opinion of Chief Procurator Volzhin on Court attitudes to Rasputin.
- 16. Conference on the reform of local government and self-government: review of the work of the Conference and its commissions, 26 March 1 August 1917; pp. 12-13 are bound out of order after p. 1.
- 17. Progress report of the Extraordinary Conference of Members of the Moscow City *Duma*, called on 28 May 1915, in view of the extraordinary events on the streets of Moscow, 27-28 May.
- 18. Copy of a memorandum presented by Prince L'vov to Lord Milner, being part of the attempt of the Liberal opposition to enlist Allied support for political reforms; presented at the Inter-Allied Conference in Petrograd [early 1917] *cf.* Lockhart, *Memoirs*, p.164.
- 19. Review of the political activity of public organisations, 1 March 16 April 1916: deals with the War Industry Committees and the All-Russian *Zemstvo* and Town Unions, and recommends that their activities be curbed.
- 20. Protest at the closure by police of the meeting of the Union of Towns set for 9-10 Dec 1916.
- 21. Document of the Congress of Representatives of Public Organisations, 11 Dec 1916.
- 22. Union of Towns, 9 Dec. 1916: call for reform, and support for the *Duma*.
- 23. Resolutions of support for the *Duma*, passed at the meeting of delegates of the provincial *Zemstva*, 9 Dec 1916.
- 24. Draft of no. 19, with manuscript corrections.
- 25. Satirical poem [?by Miatlev] attacking members of the imperial government: *cf.* Lockhart, *Memoirs*, p.158.
- 26. An English translation of no.25.
- 27. Another copy of 25.
- 28. Another copy of 26.

- 29. 'To the Government of Great Britain': a presentation of the views of a number of unspecified revolutionary organisations, possibly written for the Inter-Allied Conference, Petrograd, 1917 [English text].
- 30. All_Russian *Zemstvo* Union: meeting of delegates of the provincial *zemstva*, 9 Dec 1916 [a draft of no. 23].
- 31. Copy of 30.
- 32. Principal Committee of the All-Russian *Zemstvo* Union: report of members of the Union, 15 Nov 1916.
- 33. Meeting of the Workers of "*Zemgor*", 1 December 1916: Protocol [of support for resolution passed at the All-Russian *Zemstvo* Union, 15 Nov 1916].
- 34. Another copy of 32.
- 35. Another copy of 31.
- 36. Another copy of 30.
- 37. Copy of speech by V.N. L'vov [to the representatives of the Societies of Nobles].
- 38. [A memorandum of the All-Russian Union of Towns, demanding the recall of the *Duma*.]
- 39. Resolution of the 4th Congress of Representatives of the All-Russian Union of Towns, 12-14 March, 1916.
- 40. [Memorandum: proposals of Moscow Town *Duma* for amelioration of the situation and for reform.]
- 41. Copy of a letter of M.M. Rodzianko to I.L. Goremykin [before 20 Jan. 1916].
- 42. A manuscript letter of M Chelnokov, Mayor of Moscow to "Roman Romanovitch", *ie.* Bruce Lockhart.
- 43. Copy of resolution of the Moscow Town *Duma*, 18 August 1915.
- 44. Resolution of the Moscow Town *Duma*, 18 August 1915: on headed official paper with illuminated motif of St George slaying the dragon.
- 45. State *Duma*. Meeting of 1 November 1916. Declaration of the Progressive Bloc.
- 46. Decision taken at the 12th Congress of the United Societies of Nobles at the meeting of 30 November 1916.

- 47. Copy of no. 30.
- 47a. All-Russian Union of Towns. Decision taken at the meeting of members at the Congress of the All-Russian Union of Towns, 9 December 1916.
- 48. Decision taken by the Congress of Representatives of the *Oblast'* War Industry Committees, 14 December 1916.
- 49. Copy of 18.
- 49a. Draft of 49.
- 50. [Memorandum of the Novogorod Nobility on the Resolutions of the 12th Congress of United Societies of the Nobility]; 2 copies.
- 51. Report on the progress of elections for town *Dumas*, 4 August 1917.
- 52. Report on the announcement of elections for the *Volost' Zemstva*.

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53. [Championship medal of the Moscow Football League, won by Sir Robert Bruce Lockhart, when playing with the team Morozovtsi., 1912].