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Summary Information

Repository:	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
Creator:	Pokrovskii, Viktor Leonidovich, 1889-1922 or 1923
Creator:	Pokrovskii, Boris Leonidovich
Creator:	Semenov, G. (Grigoriĭ), 1890-1946
Title:	Viktor Leonidovich and Boris Leonidovich Pokrovskii Papers
ID:	4077917
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Biographical sketch

General Viktor L. Pokrovskii was a White commander during the Civil War; his brother, Boris, was public prosecutor of the Tomsk circuit court.

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Scope and Content

The collection -- composed of correspondence, manuscripts, documents, photographs and printed materials -- sheds light on the anti-Bolshevik campaign in the Kuban' region, Siberia and the Far East. The correspondence is chiefly from the early 1920s and includes letters from Viktor Pokrovskii to his brother Boris. Among the manuscripts are biographical sketches of Viktor Pokrovskii, especially accounts of his assassination in Bulgaria in 1922; information circulars sent out by Ataman Grigoriĭ Semenov, "Commander in Chief of the Far Eastern Armies;" and reports written by Boris Pokrovskii on events in Europe, particularly Eastern

Europe, and the Far East. The documents are comprised primarily of decrees (prigovory) from local Kuban' Cossack groups and the photographs are chiefly portraits of Viktor Pokrovskii. Included among the printed materials are clippings from the Russian and emigre press, a large number of Civil War broadsides and political pamphlets published in Siberia in 1919. Several of the latter are by and about Ataman Semenov.

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

Papers: Method of acquisition--Purchase; Date of acquisition--1960.

Processing Information

Papers Accessioned 1960.

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Papers Processed 03/--/81.

Restrictions on Access

This collection is located on-site.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Soviet Union -- History -- Revolution, 1917-1921
- Siberia (Russia)
- Broad­sides (notices)
- Clippings (Information Artifacts)
- Decrees
- Pamphlets
- Photographic prints
- Semenov, G. (Grigoriĭ), 1890-1946

Collection Inventory

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Title/Description	Instances
Catalogued Document	box 1
Kolchak, Aleksandr Vasil'evich	box 1
Correspondence	
Boris Pokrovskii to various persons, 1923 & undated, 1923, undated	box 1
Viktor Pokrovskii to Boris Pokrovskii, 1914-19-21 & undated	box 1
Viktor Pokrovskii to Vladimir N. Kozlovskii, 1922	box 1
Viktor Pokrovskii to Ataman Grigorii M. Semenov, 1921	box 1
Viktor Pokrovskii to various persons, undated	box 1
Various persons to Viktor Pokrovskii, undated	

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Various military personnel to Viktor Pokrovskii (telegrams), undated	box 1
Various persons to Boris Pokrovskii, 1919-1926 1955, 1919-1926, 1955	box 1
Various persons to Elizaveta Dmitrieva Pokrovskaia, 1922	box 1
Other, 1922-1923	box 1
Manuscripts	
Biuro Russkoi Pechati v Konstantinopole, Releases, 1920-1921	box 1
Reports by Boris Pokrovskii, n.p., undated	box 1
Reports by Boris Pokrovskii, Constantinople & Vienna, 1920-1921	box 1
Reports by Boris Pokrovskii, Vienna, 1922	box 1
Semenov's information circulars (copies), 1921 & undated, 1921, undated	box 2
Semenov's information circulars (mimeo), 1921 & undated, 1921, undated	box 2
Viktor Pokrovskii, Biographical Materials	box 2
Miscellaneous, 1919-1920 & undated, 1919-1920, undated	box 2
Documents	
"Prigovory" honoring Viktor Pokrovskii, 1918	box 2
"Prigovory" honoring Viktor Pokrovskii, 1919	box 2
Miscellaneous decrees, merit certificates on behalf of V. Pokrovskii, 1918-191	box 2
Photographs	
Portraits of Viktor Pokrovskii (also one group photo), n.p., undated	box 2
Printed Materials	
Civil War broadsides: "Prikazy Semenova," Chita, December 1919-January 1920	box 3
Civil War broadsides, Miscellaneous, 1919-1920 & undated, 1919-1920, undated	box 3
Clippings, 1915-1924 & undated	box 3
Pamphlets by and about Ataman G.M. Semenov, 1919-1921	box 3

Pamphlets issued in Chita, 1919	box 3
Pamphlets issued in Ekaterinburg, 1919	box 3
Pamphlets issued in Novo-Nikolaevsk, 1919 & undated, 1919, undated	box 3
Pamphlets issued in Omsk, 1919 & undated, 1919, undated	box 3
Miscellaneous Pamphlets, 1919-1923 & undated, 1919-1923, undated	box 3
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