

SOVIET IS KEEPING EYES ON PACIFIC, SAYS L. TROTSKY

Tremendous Antagonism Growing Up There, Russian Minister of War Informs Correspondent.

(Added interest attaches to this authentic interview with Leon Trotsky, the first in months, from the fact that Saturday's dispatches carry a report that he has been assassinated since it was secured.)

(Copyright, 1929, International News Service) Moscow, by Wireless to Berlin, Sept. 29.—(Delayed)—(L. N. S.)—The Soviet government of Russia is turning its attention to the Pacific in which sphere, according to War Minister Leon Trotsky, "a tremendous antagonism is growing up."

Trotsky's reference to "a tremendous antagonism" was made in response to a question as to what policy he expected the United States to adopt towards Russia in view of the American-Japanese rivalry in the Pacific.

Trotsky, who is one of the dominant powers in the Soviet government, today outlined his views on international issues and certain phases of the military and economic situation within Soviet Russia for the International News Service. He promised "many surprises by the Russian Red army."

CRITICIZES WILSON

Minister Trotsky, in referring to President Wilson, said: "I think the policies of President Wilson are not the cleverest in the history of the great trans-Atlantic republic."

As to the policy of the United States toward Bolshevism Minister Trotsky said: "I may venture a brief statement although Comrade Tchitcherin, the commissary for foreign affairs, could answer questions more fully, having greater knowledge of the subject."

"In our world policies we have avoided national prejudices, sympathies and antipathies. We have no prejudices against a yellow skin nor have we any blind sympathy with the white race. We keep an attentive eye upon the developments of all antagonisms throughout the world."

"We are aware that a tremendous antagonism is growing up around the Pacific. Our attitude regarding the antagonistic Pacific will be wholly determined by the policies of the United States and Japan towards Russia."

CAN TRADE WITH BOURGEOIS

"We have repeatedly demonstrated by our acts that we not only can deal with bourgeois governments but we are able to do business with them on a broad scale."

The war minister was asked to forecast the military result on the western (Polish) front. He replied: "Regarding the Red army and our present and potential strength I can say this: The army is bound to bring many surprises in the future as it has in the past."

"Superficial observers were astounded at our successes and were unable to explain them when we were advancing on the Polish front. Our retreat from Warsaw threw them to the other extreme."

EXPLAINS RED RETREATS

"Our army was built and is still being built at the front. In the midst of battles we are always studying our enemies and adjusting our movements to the needs of the moment; we are always improvising new formations and tempering them in the fire of battle."

"Conditions on the northeastern and southwestern fronts are fundamentally different. On both of these fronts we made serious retreats after initial success. This could be interpreted as evidence of insufficient persistence. Actually it is the result of the fact that we had to create armies in the process of the struggle while laboring with millions to convince them that there was no other solution except fighting."

REDUCES DECISIVE BLOWS

"While we threw forward divisions which reached Warsaw we worked incessantly in the rear on the formation of new forces far exceeding in numbers those that retreated from Warsaw."

"We were compelled to mobilize industry at a time when the need of industry for the country was a serious problem."

"Before the forces of Admiral Kolchak we retreated to the Volga river. Denikin's army forced us back to the Orel district. On the front where we opposed the army of General Yudenich we retreated almost to the walls of Petrograd."

"But with another wave our armies swept back or destroyed those armies. We did not study the moves of our enemies. We believe that our next blow in front where we have retreated will be more decisive than our first."

REGRETS NEED OF ARMY

Trotsky is immensely proud of the Red army. But he expressed keen disappointment because the Soviet had to interrupt its industrial and economic program to build up a fighting machine.

The war minister said: "In the struggle with Poland our only aim has been peace. On the eve of the Polish war we were giving our undivided attention to the defeat of Soviet Russia. Our aim was peace at any cost. We offered the greatest concessions to the Polish government in the field to compel the Poles to give us peace."

CALLS TERMS GENEROUS

"Our offensive did not bring us complete success. Now the all-Russian central executive committee again is offering uncommonly generous terms—I do not say extravagant concessions—to attain peace which would enable us to return to our constructive work. Our economic problems. Our terms were not only generous but very demonstrative. We wanted to grant a real peace that would be respected by the world, including the Polish people, that peace is our real aim even if we have to pay a high price for it. Our terms were an expression of the self-confidence of the Russian workers and peasants who want peace and are ready to make concessions to get it. If their peace proposals are again rejected they are fully able to gain peace by victory on the field. They are conscious of the unassailable righteousness of their cause."

SOVIET OVERTHROW IS FORESEEN IN PRESENT CRISIS

Russians Demand Peace as Result of Perilous Military and Economic Situation on All Sides.

London, Oct. 2.—(U. P.)—Complete overthrow of the Russian Soviet government as a result of its present perilous military and economic situation, was forecast in diplomatic circles here tonight.

Under pressure from the Poles from the west and General Wrangel on the south, the Bolshevik armies were reported to be crumbling and in danger of utter collapse.

The morale of the troops, according to dispatches from Helsingfors, has been shattered by repeated defeats and mass meetings are being held on the western front at which demands are made for immediate peace.

With the military situation growing more gloomy, civilians in the interior are becoming restless, Helsingfors reported. In Petrograd most of the workers were said to have gone on strike.

Their announced reason was the shortage of bread, but dispatches declared their real purpose was overthrow of the Soviet regime.

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Pilot Drowned in Seat When Plane Plunges Into Lake

Lake Bluff, Ill., Oct. 2.—(U. P.)—Failure of the engine to stop when the naval hydroplane N-9 went into a nose dive today, caused the plane to plunge into Lake Michigan near here. The plane sank a few minutes after it struck the water. Lieutenant Sydney Cedott, Chicago pilot, was drowned as he sat helplessly and strapped in his seat.

Henry Bachelor, Saginaw, Mich., his companion, was thrown from the plane, where he anticipated to release Cedott, but he sank before he could do anything. Bachelor was rescued by another hydroplane.

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Sleeping Sickness Caused Death of Ex-Senator Crane

Dalton, Mass., Oct. 2.—(U. P.)—Messages of condolence from prominent persons throughout the United States were arriving tonight at the home of former Senator W. Murray Crane, who died at the family home here today.

Arrangements were being made tonight for the funeral Monday. Burial will be made in the town cemetery. Crane passed away while asleep. He had been suffering from sleeping sickness, accompanied by inflammation of the brain.

Crane had been national committee man from Massachusetts for years. He announced at the Republican convention in Chicago last June that he would retire.

Mrs. Peete Leaving Denver for Scene Of Denton Mystery

Denver, Colo., Oct. 2.—(U. P.)—Mrs. R. C. Peete, former tenant of the home of Jacob C. Denton, Los Angeles capitalist, whose body was found in the basement of his home there last week, will leave for Los Angeles tonight, it was learned today. Mrs. Peete has been eluding newspapermen for the last several days and it was only today that it became known she was to leave for the coast city.

George Waterman, Denver chauffeur, whose badge was found in Denton's home, said he obtained it from Charles Brown, another Denver driver. Waterman said he threw his suit of clothes away and the badge had evidently been in the suit.

Waterman appeared at police headquarters last night and told his story.

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