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An asterisk after a personal name indicates that information is contained under the name in the Personalities or Obituaries sections of this report. A bracketed rank or position, e.g. [Col Gen], indicates that the officer has previously been identified in that rank or position, but was not so identified in the sources of this report. When identification is not positive, a question mark follows the indicated rank or position.]

Formal Photographs of Soviet Officers

In honor of Victory Day, source carried half-length, portrait-type photographs of the following Soviet officers: Adm Flt SU N. G. KUZNETSOV, Mar SU I. S. KONEV, Mar SU A. M. VASILEVSKIY, Mar SU G. K. ZHUKOV, Mar SU V. D. SO-KOLOVSKIY, Chief Mar Avn P. F. ZHIGAREV, Mar SU S. S. BIRYUZOV, Mar SU I. Kh. BAGRAMYAN, Mar SU S. K. TIMOSHENKO, Mar SU R. Ya. MALINOVSKIY, Mar SU K. A. MERETSKOV, Mar SU S. M. BUDENNYI, Mar SU A. A. GRECHKO, Mar SU A. I. YEREMENKO, Mar SU K. S. MOSKALENKO, and Mar SU V. I. CHUYKOV. (Moscow, Illyustrirovannaya Gazeta, No 9, 1955)

[Comment: Photographs of these officers are available in Graphics Register, CIA.]

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Naval Pilot at the Red Banner Air Force Academy, Moscow

An article concerning Heroes of the Soviet Union studying at the Red Banner Air Force Academy in Moscow, identified one of them, DIDENKO, as a naval pilot who is outstanding in his studies.

Other Heroes of the Soviet Union identified were Maj KARELIN, a fighter pilot who shot down 13 enemy fighters and 6 bombers during World War II, and who is now in the 2d-year class; Maj FESENKO, who participated in the battles for Berlin; and Officer BALDIN, a ground-attack pilot who flew more than 200 sorties during the war. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 2 Jul 55)

Gunnery Training in a Helicopter

An article by S. VINOGRADOV concerned gunnery training of the helicopter crew commanded by Capt RYBOVALOV. The article described how the helicopter rose to a designated altitude, and then flew to the firing range, arriving at the specified time. Capt RYBOVALOV kept the ship on course and commanded the flight technician, Tech-Lt MISHCHENKO, to prepare to fire. The crew received "excellent" for the gunnery exercise. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 12 Jul 55)

Identification of Military and Naval Commands

The latest mention in the sources of this report of the military and naval commands listed below was made on the date indicated:

Baltic Fleet (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 21 Jul 55)  
 Baltic Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 4 Aug 55)  
 Belorussian Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 4 Aug 55)  
 Black Sea Fleet (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 28 Jul 55)  
 Carpathian Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 3 Aug 55)  
 Danube River Flotilla (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 23 Jul 55)  
 Far East Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 4 Aug 55)  
 Soviet Forces in Austria (Moscow, Pravda, 31 Jul 55)  
 Group of Soviet Forces, Germany (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 4 Aug 55)  
 Kiev Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 28 Jul 55)  
 Leningrad Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 4 Aug 55)  
 Moscow Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 4 Aug 55)  
 North Caucasus Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 28 Jul 55)  
 Northern Fleet (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 8 Jul 55)  
 Northern Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 4 Aug 55)  
 Odessa Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 31 Jul 55)  
 Pacific Fleet (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 2 Aug 55)  
 South Ural Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 31 Jul 55)  
 Tauric Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 21 Jul 55)  
 Transbaykal Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 4 Aug 55)  
 Transcaucasus Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 28 Jul 55)  
 Turkestan Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 3 Aug 55)  
 Ural Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 27 Jul 55)  
 Volga Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 15 Jul 55)  
 Voronezh Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 4 Aug 55)  
 West Siberian Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 28 Jul 55)  
 White Sea Military District (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 4 Aug 55)

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"The Designer of Military Equipment"

[Comment: The following is a detailed extract from an editorial published in source.]

After paying tribute to the work of tank designers Zh. Ya. KOTIN and A. A. MOROZOV; fighter-aircraft designers A. S. YAKOVLEV, S. A. LOVOCHKIN, and A. I. MIKOYAN; bomber-aircraft designers A. N. TUPOLEV and V. M. PETLYAKOV\*; ground-attack aircraft designer S. V. IL'YUSHIN; artillery and mortar designers V. G. GRABIN, F. F. PETROV, I. I. IVANOV, and B. I. SHAVYRIN; and ship designers Z. A. DERIBIN, F. F. POLUSHKIN, Ye. M. ZYUNOVIDOV, V. M. BURLAKOV, and A. I. MASLOV, the editorial discussed postwar problems in military weapons and equipment designing.

The editorial stated that Soviet scientists and designers, independently and in a very short time, worked out methods for the production and utilization of atomic energy, and created atomic weapons for the defense of the country. The successes achieved in the field of jet aviation were also remarkable, with aircraft of all types being perfected. In the struggle for technical progress in the military field, young cadres capable of independently solving the complex problems of creating various models of combat vehicles, armaments, and equipment have developed under the guidance of experienced designers, and many of them have received high decorations from the government.

However, the editorial stated that all is not well everywhere, as was brought out at the recent All-Union Conference of Industrial Workers, where considerable shortcomings in the work of design agencies (konstruktorskiye byuro), scientific-research institutions, and design institutions (proyektnyye instituty) were revealed. Some design and research organizations are developing new models of some equipment too slowly, are paying insufficient attention to improving machines already in existence, and sometimes design items which have already become obsolete. Some designers do not consider the needs and suggestions of those using the equipment. These shortcomings revealed at the conference also apply to those organizations doing similar work on military equipment.

Some designers continue to use old methods despite the need for a new outlook and approach to contemporary military equipment, and they do not make use of the latest scientific advancements. Another cause for some shortcomings in the creation of new military equipment is the lack of guidance over the practical work of designers; there are many defects in the planning of their work, and creative initiative is often hampered by the composition and approval of tasks, and by the inspection of machines at various stages of planning.

It is decidedly necessary to improve leadership in design agencies and scientific-research and development institutes in order to assure that workable models of weapons and combat equipment meet the requirements of military missions. Automatic devices, remote-control apparatus, electronic equipment, and the achievements of nuclear physics must all be used in creating new combat equipment. The appearance and utilization of electronic calculating machines opens enormous possibilities to the scientists and engineers in the field of military equipment. It is necessary to perfect the means of mechanizing engineering work and the readying of equipment for combat use, and to perfect the instruments which control the quality of combat machines and their equipment.

A strong point in Soviet science and engineering is the linking of theory and practice; this unity is necessary for technical progress in military matters. It is therefore necessary to continuously strengthen the bonds between scientists and designers and the troops in the field; scientists and designers

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must visit troop units more often and provide for technical conferences on the spot. This will permit the more rapid revelation of the good and bad points of new models, and will allow for more rapid implementation of the suggestions by unit personnel for improving new equipment.

Military testing organizations perform an important role. They are called upon to test thoroughly all new models, to make evaluations of this equipment for the government, and to expose weak and strong points in the light of modern military requirements. This means that inspectors must themselves be well informed on the latest developments of science and technology, and must display inflexible exactingness and principle.

We are not fully using the capabilities of higher technical military-educational institutions for developing new equipment. Highly qualified specialists, such as the teaching staffs of academies and institutions, are not drawn strongly enough into design work. Existing design agencies have still not become the foundation for training young cadres in design work. In many cases these agencies are not given sufficient attention, and are oftentimes not staffed with the proper specialists. Important work is often given to those who do not have sufficient training to handle it.

Since no piece of military equipment is developed in isolation, but in close contact with other pieces of equipment and with all of contemporary science, designers can work successfully only if they critically assimilate and further develop all that has been created by modern science and technology. There are, however, many shortcomings in this matter: there is an insufficient number of good technical reference and handbooks on designing machines, mechanisms, and devices; little literature is being published on the achievements of domestic and foreign science and technology; and the experiments of well-known scientists and designers are poorly publicized. These tasks are entrusted to Voenizdat (The Military Publishing House) of the Ministry of Defense USSR.

The great tasks of developing military equipment can be successfully solved only when the work of designers proceeds in the midst of courageous scientific criticism and self-criticism, and of free exchange of opinion on the problematic questions of theory and practice. Some designers strive to monopolize one entire field of specialty in order to protect themselves from criticism. This mouldy situation of reciprocal praise and ignoring mistakes, of aspiring to maintain the monopoly of certain designers, and of inevitably strangling this branch of technology, retards the growth of young cadres.

The editorial also discussed the role of party organizations in eliminating the shortcomings enumerated. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 7 Jul 55)

#### Personalities

ANDREYEV, V. [Vladimir Aleksandrovich], Adm

Author of article, "Great Naval Power," commemorating Soviet Navy Day, 24 July 1955. (Moscow, Sovetskaya Kul'tura, 23 Jul 55)

BANNIKOV, Maj Gen, City of Moscow

BANNIKOV, Vol KADKIN\*, Lt Col KORZAKOV\*, Engr-Lt Col NIKITIN\*, and Maj ILYENKO were singled out as "the best" by the examining commission of the evening university of Marxism-Leninism at the Central Club of the Soviet Army in Moscow. These officers were among the members of the second course who took the minimum examinations for the candidate's degree. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 16 Jul 55)

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BASISTYY, N. Ye. [Nikolay Yefromovich], Adm

Author of article, "Guarding the Socialist Motherland," commemorating Navy Day. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 24 Jul 55)

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

See also VASILEVSKIY, A. M.

BELOV, P. [Pavel Alekseyevich, Gds] Col Gen, HSU, Chairman of the Central Committee of Dosaaf USSR

Opened the All-Union Motorcycle Races in Moscow on 5 July 1955. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 6 Jul 55)

BESPAL'CHUK, V. S., HSU, [Officer with the Caspian Sea Flotilla]

See DMITRIYEV, A. P.

BIRYUZOV, S. S. [Sergey Semenovich], Mar SU

BIRYUZOV and [Maj Gen Avn] I. N. KOZHEDUB\*, who was identified only as "deputy to the Supreme Soviet USSR," were present at a reception in Moscow on 29 July 1955, given by the chairmen of the Council of the Union and the Council of Nationalities, Supreme Soviet USSR, for a visiting delegation from the Syrian Parliament. (Moscow, Pravda, 30 Jul 55)

BIRYUZOV, I. S. KONEV\*, N. S. SKRIPKO, V. V. KURASOV\*, G. K. MALANDIN\*, S. G. GORSHIKOV\*, H. I. VINOGRADOV\*, G. I. LEVCHENKO\*, V. A. FOKIN\*, A. S. ZHADOV\*, M. A. SHALIN\*, P. A. KUROCHKIN\*, I. P. GALITSKIY\*, G. F. ODINTSOV\*, N. I. GUSEV\*, S. S. SHATILOV\*, I. T. KOROVNIKOV\*, P. I. BRAYKO\*, V. I. VOLKOV\*, I. S. KOLESNIKOV\*, and other representatives of the "generalitet" (general officers) of the Soviet Army were present at a reception in Moscow on 1 August 1955, given by the Chinese Military Attache to the USSR in honor of the 28th anniversary of the Chinese Liberation Army. (Moscow, Pravda, 2 Aug 55)

BIRYUZOV, I. S. KONEV\*, and M. I. NEDELIN\* were present at a reception in Moscow on 6 August 1955, given by the chairmen of the Council of the Union and the Council of Nationalities, Supreme Soviet USSR, for a visiting delegation from the Yugoslav Parliament. (Moscow, Pravda, 7 Aug 55)

See also ZHUKOV, G. K.

BRAYKO, P. I., Lt Gen Avn, [Member of the Editorial Board of Vestnik Vozdushnogo Flota]

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.

BYSTRIKOV, G. F. [Georgiy Fedorovich], Lt Gen

Author of article, "The Navy of the Great Socialist Power," written in anticipation of Navy Day, 24 July 1955. (Tallin, Sovetskiy Estoniya, 16 Jul 55)

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CHERNYSHEV, P. I., Rear Adm

Author of article commemorating Navy Day. (Moscow Komsomol'skaya Pravda, 24 Jul 55)

CHUCHEV, G., Cds Lt Gen Avn

Author of article, "USSR Air Fleet Day," commemorating the 3 July 1955 celebration of this holiday. (Kishinev, Sovetskiy Moldaviya, 3 Jul 55)

DETH, I. [A.], Engr-Rear Adm

Author of article, "Practical Oceanography," a review of a book of the same title (Prakticheskaya okeanografiya) by V. A. SNEZHINSKIY. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 29 Jul 55)

DMITRIYEV, A. P. [Aleksandr Pavlovich], NSU

DMITRIYEV and V. S. BESPAL'CHUK\*, identified only as Heroes of the Soviet Union and representatives of the Soviet Army and Navy, participated in a USSR Air Fleet Day meeting in Baku. (Baku, Bakinskiy Rabochiy, 5 Jul 55)

[Comment: DMITRIYEV was elected to the Supreme Soviet Azerbaydzhan SSR on 6 March 1955.]

DROZDOV, N. N., Rear Adm

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

See also SHUTSKIY, P. A.

[Comment: An N. N. DROZDOV signed the obituary of Engr-Vice-Adm N. I. TSEVETKOV in Krasnaya Zvezda, 25 January 1955.]

DROZDOV, V. A., [Rear Adm]

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

FOKIN, V. A. [Vitaliy Aleksyevich], Adm

Reviewed the naval parade in Sevastopol' on Soviet Navy Day, 24 July 1955. (Moscow, Pravda, 25 Jul 55)

The commander of the Rumanian Navy, Rear Adm MIHAI paid a farewell visit to FOKIN and the "command (komandovaniye)" of the Black Sea Fleet, in Sevastopol' on 24 July 1955. (Moscow, Pravda, 26 Jul 55)

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

See also NERYUOV, S. S.

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PROLOV, S. P., Maj Gen Engr-Tech Serv, Docent

A copy of the book, Elektrichestvo na samolete (Electricity on Aircraft), Moscow, 1955, listed PROLOV as a consultant.

GALITSKIY, I. P. [Ivan Pavlovich], Col Gen [Engr Trps, Chief of the Military Engineering Academy imeni Kuybyshev]

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.

GOLOVKO, [Arseny Grigor'yevich], Adm

Received, and paid a return visit to, Rear Adm STUDZINSKI, Commander of the Polish Navy, who visited Baltiysk for Soviet Navy Day celebrations. (Moscow, Pravda, 25 Jul 55)

Reviewed the naval parade in Baltiysk on 24 July 1955. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 26 Jul 55)

GORSHKOV, S. G. [Sergey Georgiyevich], Adm, Cmdr of the Black Sea Fleet

Spoke at a conference of the party aktiv of the Staff and Political Administration of the fleet. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 2 Jun 55)

Opered a meeting in Moscow on 25 July 1955 of veterans of the mutiny aboard the battleship Potemkin. Col I. I. PONOMAREV\* introduced each of the veterans to the audience. (Moscow, Pravda, 26 Jul 55)

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

See also BIRYUZOV, S. S.; VASILEVSKIY, A. M.; and ZHUKOV, G. K.

GRECHKO, A. A. [Andrey Antonovich], Mar SU, Cmdr in Chief of GSFG (Group of Soviet Forces, Germany)

Present at the airfield in Berlin for the arrival from Geneva on 24 July 1955 of BULGANIN and KHRUSHCHEV. GRECHKO also attended a reception on the same day, given by GROTEWOHL for the Soviet visitors. (Moscow, Pravda, 25 Jul 55)

Present at a reception in Berlin on 25 July 1955, given by the Soviet Ambassador to the GDR in honor of the Soviet delegation visiting Berlin. (Moscow, Pravda, 26 Jul 55)

Present on the presidium of a 26 July 1955 meeting in Berlin honoring the visit of BULGANIN and KHRUSHCHEV. (Moscow, Pravda, 27 Jul 55)

Present at the airfield in Berlin on 27 July 1955 for the departure of BULGANIN and KHRUSHCHEV to Moscow. (Moscow, Pravda, 28 Jul 55)

Identified as a Candidate Member of the Central Committee of the CPSU. Gave the principal speech at a meeting of the party aktiv of the GSFG, at which the July Plenum of the Central Committee of the CPSU was discussed. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 4 Aug 55)

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GUSEV, N. I., Col Gen

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.

ISAKOV, Maj Gen

Identified in an article by Lt Gen V. SHMANEKKO\* concerning political and military study and training in an unidentified military district. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 2 Jul 55)

IVANOV, V. N. [Rear Adm]

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

KADKIN, Col, City of Moscow

See BANNIKOV, Maj Gen.

KALACHEV, B. T., Rear Adm, [Chief of the Political Administration of the Black Sea Fleet]

See PARKHOMENKO, V. A.

KASATONOV, V. A. [Vice-Adm, Cmdr of the Baltic Fleet]

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

KHEMELEVSKIY, N. [G.], Lt Gen Avn, [Member of the Editorial Board of Vestnik Vozdushnogo Flota]

Author of article, "Mighty Wings," commemorating USSR Air Fleet Day. (Moscow, Sovetskaya Kul'tura, 2 Jul 55)

KOLESHNIKOV, I. S. [Ivan Stepanovich], Maj Gen, Commandant of the City of Moscow

KOLESHNIKOV and Prof G. A. MITEREV\*, chairman of the Executive Committee of the Red Cross and Red Crescent, were present at a reception in Moscow on 1 August 1955, given by the Swiss Minister to the USSR in honor of a national holiday. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 2 Aug 55)

See also BIRYUZOV, S. S.

KONEV, I. S. [Ivan Stepanovich], Mar SU, [Cmdr in Chief of the Joint Armed Forces of the Warsaw Treaty Nations]

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.; and ZHUKOV, G. K.

KORENEV, K. Yu. [Rear Adm]

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

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KOROVNIKOV, I. T. Lt Gen

Present at a reception in Moscow on 1 August 1955. (Moscow, Pravda, 2 Aug 55)

See also BIRYUZOV, S. S.

[Comment: This is the first press mention of KOROVNIKOV noted by FDD since his name appeared in Krasnaya Zvezda, 21 February 1953.]

KORZAKOV, Lt Col, City of Moscow

See BANNIKOV, Maj Gen.

KOZHEDUB, I. N. [Ivan Nikitovich, Gds Maj Gen Avn, Thrice HSU]

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.

KRASOVSKIY, [S., "General" of Aviation, HSU]

Made a speech at a USSR Air Fleet Day meeting in Minsk on 2 July 1955. (Minsk, Vetskaya Belorussiya, 3 Jul 55)

KUCHEROV, S. G. [Stepan Grigor'yevich] [Adm?]

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

[Comment: Stepan Grigor'yevich KUCHEROV was nominated by personnel of a higher engineering-technical school, and elected to the Leninskaya Oblast Soviet in February 1955.]

KULAKOV, N. M. [Nikolay Mikhaylovich], Vice-Adm, [Member of the Military Council of the Black Sea Fleet]

See PARKHOMENKO, V. A.

KULEBAKIN, V. S., Maj Gen Engr-Tech Serv, Academician

A copy of the book, Elektrichestvo na samolete (Electricity on Aircraft), listed KULEBAKIN as editor.

KURASOV, V. V. [Vladimir Vasil'yevich], Gen Arm, [Chief of the Higher Military Academy imeni Voroshilov]

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.

KUROCHKIN, P. A. [Pavel Aleksandrovich], Col Gen, [Chief of the Military Academy imeni Frunze]

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.

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KUTSKIY, N. L.

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

KUZNETSOV, N. G. [Nikolay Gerasimovich, Adm Flt SU, Cmdr in Chief of the Naval Forces]

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

[Comment: KUZNETSOV's name was not listed among the participants in any of the Soviet Navy Day celebrations throughout the USSR, although in past years -- on Navy Day and on other important holidays -- he usually officiated at one important meeting. KUZNETSOV's name has not been noted in the Soviet press by FDD since he "signed" an obituary on 25 May 1955.]

LENEV, G., Maj Gen [Chief of the Moscow Military School imeni Verkhovnogo Soveta RSFSR?]

Author of article concerning the construction and equipping of rooms in which soldiers, and especially officer candidates, can store uniforms, sew, shave, and perform other housekeeping functions. LENEV centered his remarks on the needs of officer candidates, who have to store and maintain extra (paradè) uniforms, which do not easily fit into the space ordinarily allotted for such use. (Moscow, Voyenny Vestnik, No 6, 1955)

LEVCHENKO, G. I. [Gordey Ivanovich], Adm

See BIRYUZOV, S. S., and VASILEVSKIY, A. M.

LOSEV, A., Maj Gen, Kiev MD

Spoke in Kiev on 28 May 1955, at a meeting honoring the 50th birthday of A. Ye. KORNEYCHUK. (Kiev, Pravda Ukrainy, 29 May 55)

MALANDIN, G. K. [German Kapitonovich], Gen Arm, [Deputy Cmdr in Chief of Ground Forces]

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.

MALININ, M. S. [Mikhail Sergeevich], Gen Arm, [Deputy Chief of the General Staff]

See ZHUKOV, G. K.

MIKOYAN, Artem Ivanovich, HSL, Chief Aircraft Designer

Awarded the Order of Lenin by a ukase of the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet USSR, dated 4 August 1955, in honor of his 50th birthday, and for service in creating new aircraft equipment. MIKOYAN was identified as "chief aircraft designer" (glavnyy konstruktor samoletov). (Moscow, Pravda, 5 Aug 55)

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MITEREV, G. A., Professor, Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Union of the Societies of the Red Cross and Red Crescent

See KOLESNIKOV, I. S.

MOSKALENKO, K. S. [Kirill Semenovich], Mar SU, [Cmdr of the Moscow MD]

See VASILEVSKIY, A. M., and ZHUKOV, G. K.

NEDELIN, M. I. [Mitrofan Ivanovich], Mar Arty

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.

NEPUTIN, Lt Col, Lecturer for the Political Administration of the [Ural?] MD

See SHMANENKO, V.

NIKITIN, Engr-Lt Col, City of Moscow

See BANNIKOV, Maj Gen.

ODINTSOV, G. F., Col Gen [Arty]

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.

OREL, A. Ye. [Rear Adm]

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

OSIN, N. L. [Nikolay Lavrent'yevich], Lt Gen, Member of the Military Council of the Transcaucasus MD

Author of article, "The Love of the People for Their Soviet Army," concerning the affinity between the Soviet people and the Soviet Armed Forces. (Tbilisi, Molodoy Stalinets, 12 Jul 55)

PANTELEYEV, Yu. A. [Yuriy Aleksandrovich, Adm, Cmdr of the Pacific Fleet]

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

PARKHOMENKO, V. A., Vice-Adm, [Cmdr of the Black Sea Fleet?]

According to an article dated 26 July 1955, PARKHOMENKO, Vic-Adm N. M. KULAKOV\*, and Rear Adm B. T. KALACHEV\* attended a reception in Sevastopol' given by the Deputy Minister of National Defense of Bulgaria, who visited that city for Soviet Navy Day celebrations. (Moscow, Pravda, 27 Jul 55)

[Comment: Although not specifically identified in the position of Commander of the Black Sea Fleet, PARKHOMENKO has been carrying out many of the functions usually performed by the commander of the fleet. The (former?) commander of the fleet, Adm S. G. GORSHKOV, has been identified in a non-Soviet source as Deputy Commander in Chief of the Naval Forces, and has attended many high level functions in Moscow in recent weeks.]

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PAVLUSHKO, A., Maj Gen Tank Trps

Author of article, "Teach Soldiers to Battle Enemy Tanks." (Moscow, Voyenny Vestnik, No 6, 1955)

FIGURNOV, [Afanasiy Petrovich], Lt Gen, Member of the Military Council of the Leningrad MD

Gave the principal report at a meeting of the party aktiv of the Leningrad MD which discussed the July Plenum of the Central Committee of the CPSU. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 31 Jul 55)

PITERSKIY, N. [A.], Rear Adm

Author of article commemorating the 100th anniversary of the death of Adm P. S. NAKHIMOV. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda and Vechernyaya Moskva, 12 Jul 55)

Commander of the naval parade on Khimkinskiy Reservoir on 24 July 1955. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 26 Jul 55)

POLIKARPOV, I. A., [Northern Fleet]

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

PONOMAREV, I. I., Col

See CORSHKOV, S. G.

POZNYAKOV, N., Col

See ZAMEKHAYEV, I., Maj Gen

RUDEKNO, S. [Sergey Igant'yevich], Mar Avn, HSU, [Chief of Staff of the Air Forces]

Author of article commemorating USSR Air Fleet Day, 3 July 1955. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 3 Jul 55)

SELIVANOV, [I. P., Maj Gen, HSU]

Made a speech at the Minsk District Officers' Club imeni Voroshilov, at a meeting dedicated to the 50th anniversary of the mutiny on the battleship Potemkin. (Minsk, Sovetskaya Belorussiya, 30 Jun 55)

SEMENOV, I., Lt Gen Avn

Author of article commemorating USSR Air Fleet Day. (Moscow, Moskovskaya Pravda, 3 Jul 55)

SEROV, I. A. [Ivan Aleksandrovich], Col Gen, [Chairman of the KGB USSR]

See ZHUKOV, G. K.

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SHALIN, M. A., Col Gen

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.

SHATILOV, S. S., Lt Gen, [Deputy Chief of the MPA, Ministry of Defense USSR]

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.

SHMANENKO, V., Lt Gen [Ural MD?]

Author of article, "Persistently Master Combat and Political Training," concerning lectures, classes, and self-study by officers of an unidentified [Ural?] military district. Among the officers identified as speakers and lecturers in the district were Maj Gen ISAKOV\* and Lt Col NEPUTIN\*, a worker for the district's political administration. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 2 Jul 55)

[Comment: NEPUTIN (no first name or rank) was identified in Krasnaya Zvezda, 30 March 1955, as a lecturer in the Political Administration of the Ural MD.]

SHULAKOV, Ye. G.

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

SKRIPKO, N. S., Mar Avn

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.

SKUTSKIY, P. A. [Pavel Arsent'yevich], Rear Adm

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

SKUTSKIY, Rear Adm N. M. DROZDOV\*, and Maj Gen A. F. UST'YANTSEV\* were present at a Moscow airfield on 27 July 1955 for the departure to Rumania of the group of veterans of the mutiny on the Potemkin who attended celebrations in Moscow. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

SOKOLOVSKIY, V. D. [Vasilii Danilovich], Mar SU, [Chief of the General Staff]

Present at a reception in Moscow on 1 July 1955, given by the Canadian Ambassador to the USSR in honor of Federation Day. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 2 Jul 55)

SUDETS, V. [Vladimir Aleksandrovich], Mar Avn, HSU

Author of article, "The Air Fleet of the Soviet Power," commemorating USSR Air Fleet Day. (Moscow, Trud, 3 Jul 55)

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USHAKOV, S., Maj Gen Avn

Author of article, "Speed-of-Flight Antifighter Maneuver of Bombers," designated by the editors as representing the author's own ideas, some of which are debatable. (Moscow, Vestnik Vozdushnogo Flota, No 7, 1955)

UST'YANTSEV, A. F. [Andrey Fedorovich], Maj Gen [Chief of the Central Club of the Soviet Army, Moscow]

See SKUTSKIY, P. A.

VANIFAT'YEV, A. G. [Aleksandr Gerasimovich], Rear Adm, Senior Naval Chief of the City of Leningrad

Opened a Soviet Navy Day meeting at the Higher Naval School imeni Frunze in Leningrad on 23 July 1955. (Leningrad, Leningradskaya Pravda, 24 Jul 55)

Reviewed the naval parade on the Neva River at Leningrad on 24 July 1955. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 26 Jul 55)

VASHKAYALIS, Chairman of the Lithuanian Republic Dosaaf Committee

Identified in an article concerning automobile races in Viln'yus. (Viln'yus, Sovetskaya Litva, 12 Jul 55)

VASHURIN, P., Gds Maj Gen

Author of article concerning combat and close-order drill for troops. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 15 Jul 55)

VASILEVSKIY, A. M. [Aleksandr Mikhaylovich], Mar SU, [First Deputy Minister of Defense USSR]

VASILEVSKIY, K. S. MOSKALENKO\*, S. G. GORSHKOV\*, N. Ye. BASISTYY\*, N. I. VINOGRADOV\*, L. A. VLADIMIRSKIY\*, S. Ye. ZAKHAROV\*, G. I. LEVCHENKO\* and several civilian officials, were present at the Soviet Navy Day celebration at Khiminskiy Reservoir in Moscow on 24 July 1955. (Moscow, Pravda, 25 Jul 55)

See also ZHUKOV, G. K.

VASIL'YEV, Lt Gen, Carpathian MD

Greeted the participants in the Rifle Matches for the Championship of the Army and Nav., at L'vov on 11 July 1955. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 12 Jul 55)

VEDENIN, A. Ya. [Andrey Yakovlevich], Lt Gen, Commandant of the Moscow Kremlin

An article called, "A Day at the Kremlin," discussed VEDENIN's role as greeter of the many persons who visit the Kremlin daily. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 21 Jul 55)

Accompanied a delegation of Yugoslav officials on a visit to the Lenin-Stalin Mausoleum in Moscow on 3 August 1955. (Moscow, Pravda, 4 Aug 55)

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VINOGRADOV, N. I. [Nikolay], Adm

See BIRYUZOV, S. S., and VASILEVSKIY, A. M.

VINSKIY, A., Maj Gen Engr Trps

Author of article, "Engineer Training for Troops," concerning the importance under conditions of modern warfare of digging in, constructing dugouts and pillboxes, and other forms of engineering work. VINSKIY used the Battle of Koenigsberg as an example of the wide use of trenches and other engineering works, and he gave statistics on the length and numbers of trenches, communications trenches, dugouts, etc., dug by the Soviet forces. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 7 Jul 55)

VLADIMIRSKIY, L. A., Adm

Author of article, "New Equipment on Ships," commemorating Navy Day. (Moscow, Komsomol'skaya Pravda, 23 Jul 55)

Listed as author of article, "Mighty Navy of the Soviet Land," which appears in Sovetskiy Moryak, No 13, 1955. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 23 Jul 55)

Author of article, "Mighty Navy of the Soviet State," commemorating Navy Day. (Leningradskaya Pravda, 24 Jul 55)

See also VASILEVSKIY, A. M.

VODOP'YANOV, Mikhail Vasil'yevich, Maj Gen, HSU

Scheduled to give a lecture, "The Role of Soviet Aviation in Opening the Arctic," at the Leningrad State University, on 11 July 1955. (Leningradskaya Pravda, 9 Jul 55)

Present in Petrozavodsk as a guest of the Society for the Dissemination of Political and Scientific Knowledge of the Karelo-Finnish SSR where VODOP'YANOV [CIA Photo Accession No P-60679] spoke on the exploits of Polar Aviation. (Petrozavodsk, Leninskaya Pravda, 14 Jul 55)

VOLKOV, V. I. [Vladimir Ivanovich], Lt Gen Engr-Tech Serv, [Chief of the Air Force Engineering Academy imeni Zhukovskiy]

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.

YAKUSHIN, M., Maj Gen Avn

Author of article commemorating USSR Air Fleet Day. (Moscow, Vechernyaya Moskva, 2 Jul 55)

YEFIMENKO, L. N.

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

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YELISHEV, I. D., Vice-Adm

Reviewed the naval parade on Khimkinskiy Reservoir in Moscow on 24 July 1955. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 26 Jul 55)

YEMEL'YANOV, L. A.

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

ZAKHAROV, G. [Georgiy Fedorovich], Gen Arm

Author of article, "Higher Quality of Physical Training and Sports," concerning physical training and sports as factors of importance in building combat readiness. ZAKHAROV praised and criticized sports and physical training programs in various unidentified units, in the GSFG, and in the Odessa, West Siberian, Voronezh, Transcaucasus, Carpathian, and Kiev military districts. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 28 Jul 55)

[Comment: This is the first press mention of ZAKHAROV noted by FDD since he signed Lt Gen DEREVYANKO's obituary on 31 December 1954.]

ZAKHAROV, S. Ye. [Semen Yegorovich], Adm, [First Deputy Chief of MPA, Ministry of Defense USSR]

Author of article commemorating Navy Day. (Moscow, Izvestiya, 24 Jul 55)

Signed the obituary of Rear Adm V. I. GOLOVACHEV\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

See also VASILEVSKIY, A. M.

ZAKHVATAYEV, N. [Nikonor Dmitriyevich], Gds Col Gen, HSU

Author of article, "Educating Young Officers," concerning the reception and initial training (military, political and cultural) of young officers in their first units. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 9 Jul 55)

ZAMAKHAYEV, I., Maj Gen

Coauthor with Col N. POZNYAK\* of article concerning tactical drill training, taken from their experiences in training troops. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 16 Jul 55)

ZHADOV, A. S. [Aleksey Semenovich], Col Gen

See BIRYUZOV, S. S.

ZHAVORONKOV, S. F., [Mar Avn], Chief of the Main Administration of the Civil Air Fleet

Present at a reception in Moscow on 28 July 1955, given by the Syrian Minister to the USSR in honor of a visiting delegation from the Syrian Parliament. (Moscow, Pravda, 29 Jul 55)

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ZHIGAREV, P. F. [Pavel Fedorovich], Chief Mar Avn, [Cmdr in Chief of the Air Forces]

See ZHUKOV, G. K.

ZHUKOV, G. K. [Georgiy Konstantinovich], Mar SU, Minister of Defense USSR

The delegation to the Geneva Conference, of which ZHUKOV was a member, left Geneva on 24 July 1955. ZHUKOV, MOLOTOV, and GROMYKO arrived in Moscow and BULGANIN and KHRUSHCHEV landed in Berlin, on the same date. (Moscow, Pravda, 25 Jul 55)

ZHUKOV, I. S. KONEV\*, A. M. VASILEVSKIY\*, S. S. BIRYUZOV\*, K. S. MOSKALENKO\*, and P. F. ZHIGAREV\* were present at Tsentral'nyy Airfield in Moscow on 27 July 1955 for the arrival of BULGANIN and KRUSHCHEV from Berlin. (Moscow, Pravda, 28 Jul 55)

Signed Minister of Defense Order No 125, dated 31 July 1955, concerning the withdrawal of Soviet troops from Austria in accordance with the terms of the peace treaty.

The order stated that the Soviet government decided to reduce its Armed Forces by the number of troops withdrawn from Austria; therefore it was ordered that this be effected with men who had not yet completed their entire term of service. It was further ordered: that all Soviet troops be withdrawn by 31 October 1955; that military district commanders make arrangements with local soviet organs to absorb these "servicemen and employees" into civilian life; and that the Commander in Chief of the Soviet Forces in Austria, commend on his own authority the best soldiers, NCOs, officers, and generals, and recommend for awards those who have distinguished themselves. (Moscow, Pravda, 31 July 1955)

ZHUKOV and M. S. MALININ\* were present at a meeting in Moscow on 30 July 1955, honoring Railroadmen's Day. (Moscow, Pravda, 31 Jul 55)

ZHUKOV, S. S. BIRYUZOV\*, I. S. KONEV\*, I. A. SEROV\*, and S. G. GORSHKOV\* were present at a reception in Moscow on 7 August 1955, given by BULGANIN for the heads of diplomatic missions to the USSR. (Moscow, Pravda, 8 Aug 55)

ZHUKOV, I., Maj Gen

Author of article, "Manage Economically, and Strictly Observe, Finance Discipline," concerning shortcomings in production enterprises of the Navy, and criticizing various unidentified plants and enterprises.

ZHUKOV identified MIRONOV as head, and NECHITAYLYUK as chief bookkeeper, of a Navy enterprise engaged in producing commodities. He stated that the plant overproduced its plan and cut waste. However, the opposite is true at the plant where Officer ALFKSEYEV is chief and VOLKOV is chief bookkeeper.

ZHUKOV criticized the Main Engineering Administration [of the Naval Forces?] for accumulating supplies above normal requirements, and the construction enterprise headed by Officer POYGIN, where no concern is shown for financial expenditures by responsible persons. ZHUKOV also stated that chast' commander PROKO-PENKO and former finance chief AFANAS'YEV do not look after stocked materials, they raise the rate of pay for repairs, and spend funds illegally. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 29 Jul 55)

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Obituaries

GOLOVACHEV, Vladimir Ivanovich, Rear Adm

Died unexpectedly on 23 July 1955. GOLOVACHEV finished the Naval School in the city of Leningrad in 1936, and since then has held a series of posts from commander of a ship's department to commander of a soyedineniye of ships; in recent times GOLOVACHEV has been training cadres in one of the naval educational institutions.

His decorations included two Orders of the Red Banner, the Order of the Red Star, and medals. Signed: N. G. KUZNETSOV\*, S. F. GORSHKOV\*, N. Ye. BASTIYY\*, V. A. FOKIN\*, S. Ye. ZAKHAROV\*, Yu. A. PANTELEYEV\*, V. A. KASATONOV\*, P. A. SKUTSKIY\*, S. G. KUCHEROV\*, N. M. DROZDOV\*, A. Ye. OREL\*, L. A. YEMEL'YANOV\*, V. A. DROZDOV\*, Ye. G. SHULAKOV\*, I. A. POLIKARPOV\*, K. Yu. KORENEV\*, N. L. KUTSKIY\*, V. N. IVANOV\*, and L. N. YEFIMENKO\*. (Moscow, Sovetskiy Flot, 28 Jul 55)

KOLESNIKOV, Nikolay Gerasimovich, Maj Gen Avn

Mrs N. KOLESNIKOVA asked the editors of Krasnaya Zvezda to convey her thanks to all the comrades and friends who expressed their condolences on the occasion of her husband's death. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 7 Jul 55)

KOLOBUTIN, Anatoliy Ivanovich, Maj Gen (Res)

Died after a long illness. KOLOBUTIN entered the Soviet Army in 1922, where he rose from private to general; he entered the Communist Party in 1931; he occupied [unspecified] responsible posts during World War II, and since the end of the war has been engaged in pedagogical work; his decorations included the Order of Lenin, three Orders of the Red Banner, the Order of Kutuzov Second Class, two Orders of the Patriotic War First Class, and the Order of the Red Star. Signed: a group of comrades. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 29 Jul 55)

POLEV, Nikolay Pavlovich, Maj Gen (Ret), Docent, Candidate of Military Sciences

Died on 17 June 1955, after a long, serious illness. POLEV was a member of the CPSU since 1919; he entered the Soviet Army in 1918, and participated in the Civil War and in World War II; he spent more than 20 years training officer cadres and performing scientific work at the Military Academy imeni Frunze; his decorations included the Order of Lenin, two Orders of the Red Banner, the Order of the Patriotic War First Class, the Order of the Red Star, and medals. Signed: a group of comrades. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 20 Jul 55)

SAMOKHIN, Aleksandr Georgiyevich, Maj Gen

Died after a long, serious illness. SAMOKHIN volunteered for the Red Army in 1919, later rising from private to general; during World War II he commanded various soyedineniya, and since the end of the war has been training military cadres; his decorations included the Order of Lenin, the Order of the Red Banner, the Order of the Red Star, and medals. Signed: a group of comrades. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 27 Jul 55)

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SHEBANIN, Vasilii Ivanovich, Lt Gen Engr-Tech Serv

Died unexpectedly. SHEBANIN volunteered for the Soviet Army in 1921, where he rose from officer candidate taking technical courses to lieutenant general; in 1936 he finished the Artillery Academy; during World War II he occupied responsible posts in the Leningrad, Central, and First Belorussian fronts, where he showed himself to be a good organizer and chief; since the end of the war, he has devoted himself to the further development of the Soviet Army's artillery; he was a member of the Communist Party since 1930.

SHEBANIN's decorations included the Order of Lenin, three Orders of the Red Banner, the Order of Suvorov Second Class, the Order of Kutuzov Second Class, the Order of the Patriotic War First Class, and medals. Signed: a group of comrades. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 13 Jul 55)

VENTTSEL', Dmitriy Aleksandrovich, Maj Gen Engr-Tech Serv, Doctor of Technical Sciences, Professor, Head of a Chair at the Air Force Engineering Academy imeni Zhukovskiy

Died unexpectedly on 20 July 1955. VENTTSEL' is well known as an expert in the field of ballistics; his scientific works and textbooks enjoy wide popularity and play an important role in increasing the combat might of Soviet aviation and artillery; of his 36 years of military service, VENTTSEL' gave 27 years to training military engineers at the Artillery [Engineering] Academy imeni Dzerzhinskiy and at the Air Force Engineering Academy imeni Zhukovskiy.

His decorations included the Order of Lenin, two Orders of the Red Banner, the Order of the Patriotic War Second Class, and medals; VENTTSEL' was also a Stalin Prize winner. Signed: a group of comrades. (Moscow, Krasnaya Zvezda, 22 Jul 55)

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