

POLITICAL SCENE, cont.

| <u>Code</u> | <u>Date</u> | <u>Activity</u> |
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| G | May 67 | Charlier expelled from Sov university |
| S | Aug 67 | Voznessenskiy's open letter to <u>Pravda</u> with protest of Writers Union methods. |

Code:

- S = Soviet intellectuals
- W = West's involvement
- G = Government's countermeasures

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| S | '59-'61 | Young poets read poetry at Mayakovskiy monument in protest of Party's limits on art. <u>Phoenix 61</u> compilor, Galanskov, participated. |
| G | Mar 62 | Naritsa (<u>Unsung Song</u>) in mental institution. |
| G | Feb 63 | Tarsis in mental institution. |
| S-G | 1964 | Mihajlov's Moscow Summer 1964, followed by arrest. |
| S | Early 65 | Believed to be birth of SMOG groups. |
| G | Feb 65 | Brooke trial, arrested for NTS involvement |
| S | 14 Apr 65 | Youth at Mayakovskiy Sq; ended with demonstration, march to Central Home of Writers in protest of confinement of writers and poets: Brodskiy (poet) Naritsa *Osip, Vlad. (ed. of <u>Boomerang</u> , pub. 1960) *Bokshtein *Kuznetsov *arrested, convicted under Art 70, Penal Code. <u>Note</u> : 14 Apr demonstration marked Sov citizen involvement on Sov intellectual's behalf. |
| G | Sep 65 | Sinyavskiy/Daniel arrest |
| S | Nov 65 | Disclosed in Leningrad - a group of 250 persons, responsible for <u>Kolokol</u> . |
| S | 5 Dec 65 | Demonstration at Pushkin Sq in Moscow; placards; protested writers' arrest; Yesenin-Volpin took part. |
| G | | Arrested after demonstration, sent to mental institutions: Bukovskiy, Gubanov, Vishnevskaya |
| S | Feb 66 | SMOG (Smelost, Mysl, Obraz, Glubina) became known actively through its "Appeal," asking for moral support for Sov intellectuals. |
| S | Early 66 | <u>Posev</u> published locally in USSR by "Sokol" group. (See <u>Bell</u> Jan 67) |
| G | Feb 66 | Sinyavskiy/Daniel trial, sentence |
| G | Feb 66 | Tarsis exit |
| W | Mar 66 | Tarsis' visit to Scandinavian countries results in the establishment of the organizations of Committee for SMOG Action in Norway, Denmark, and in Switzerland. Petitions, demonstrations followed in these countries by these Committees on behalf of Sov intellectuals. |

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| S | 5 Mar 66 | Attempted demonstration on Red Sq with slogan "Anti-restalinization." KGB surveillance and interrogations blocked demonstration. |
| G | Spring 66 | Ukrainians arrested - Dziuba, Svetlichny (See <u>Bell</u> Jan 67) |
| W | | PEN Club (N.Y.) refuses to recognize Sov Union as a member due to Sinyavskiy/Daniel trial. |
| S-G | Aug 66 | Mihajlov arrested over his attempt to establish an independent journal. |
| G | Sep 66 | Article 190 decree - demonstrations, strikes. |
| W-S | 19 Nov 66 | <u>White Book</u> surfaced - proof of intellectuals' opposition. Ginzburg (compilor), '59-'60 he put out underground <u>Sintaksis</u> ; '60 arrested (2-yr sentence). |
| S | 5 Dec 66 | Attempted demonstration as protest against Article 190 of Penal Code, which is viewed as radical attempt by the government to curb demonstrations. |
| G | 5 Jan 67 | Schaffhauser arrested in Leningrad (4 yr sentence) |
| G | 17-19 Jan 67 | Arrests of youths connected with <u>White Book</u> : Galanskov, Dobrovolskiy, Lashkova, Rodzievskiy |
| S | 22 Jan 67 | Protest demonstration against arrests, by Moscow students on Pushkin Sq. |
| G | 22 Jan 67 | Arrested in demonstration - Ginzburg, Golomshtok |
| G | 25 Jan 67 | Arrested several days after demonstration: Kushev, Delaune, Bukovskiy (SMOG members). |
| S-W | 25 Jan 67 | Surfaced underground <u>Phoenix 66</u> - Galanskov compiled (already arrested several days earlier). |
| S-W | Jan 67 | Clandestine magazines brought out: <u>Tetrads</u> Nos 6 & 7, <u>Russkoye Slovo</u> , <u>Ryleev Club</u> , <u>Kolokol</u> . |
| W | 10 Feb 67 | Belgium "League for Defense of Human Rights" initiated petitions which are sent out regularly in defense of S/D, along other Leagues for human rights in France, Spain and Italy; together with Bertrand Russel's Peace Fund. |
| S-W | Feb 67 | <u>Phoenix 67</u> , Ye. Ginzburg's manuscript on Stalinist camps - <u>Krutoy Marshrut</u> . |
| S | Mar 67 | Svetlana's defection to West. |
| G | May 67 | 4th Writers Congress: |
| G | " | Sholokhov = pro present status of writers |
| S | " | Solzhenitsyn = writes open letter to Union of Sov Writers, opposing censorship. |