

4th Meeting

Present Bersins, Meierovics

Baltimore

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Bersins arrived with good news. All queried seem agreed the best possible solution would be recreation of the Latvian National Council (LCP). This council has been opposed by some Latvians, but would be a natural, having been organized in ~~1943~~ 1943 and served as the first organizer and supporter of the subversive Kurelis group. Based on the constitution of 1922 and represents all major parties. Although at present ~~un~~ unacceptable, to some, would be made acceptable to most all in the whole world, if it were broadened. Since basis, ie constitution does not permit this, it will be necessary to form a committee which would then include all members LCP and also add all newly formed organizations in the world. Lengthy discussions of all personalities was conducted. Some unacceptable mentioned, but obvious. Again unacceptability Col. James brought out by both Meierovics and Bersins.

Need for all this was again brought up by case officer. Couldn't we get along without this. Unfortunately this dampened Bersins spirits and caused him to clam up to a certain extent. However his good spirit was again aroused by mentioning the need for a budget as proposed by the aforementioned. He promised this would be sent by mail.

Hec then proceeded to draw up a list of all participants in this group. Odd that he is including political opponents - could he be as sincere as to shelve all or at least a major part of his ambitions for personal power? This will come out soon.

Since the LCP membership stands fast, the only political maneuvering that may come about would manifest itself in the committee to be formed - the Latvian Liberation Committee (LAK). Broke up very friendly.

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