Register of the Andrei Terent'evich Bel'chenko Papers, 1898-1962

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Biography
Russian consular official; consul general, Hankow, China, 1915-1920; subsequently Portuguese consul general, Hankow, and émigré in the United States.

Biographical Note
Andrew T. Bel'tchenko, 1873 - 1958

Andrew Bel'tchenko was born in the village of Kozlovka, Bobrovskii uezd, Voronezhskaiia guberniia, Russia, on 29 October 1873. He graduated from St. Petersburg University with a degree in Oriental philology in 1897. Entering the Foreign Ministry, he was assigned to the Imperial Russian Legation at Peking as a student interpreter in 1899, where he witnessed the Boxer Rebellion and participated in the defense of the diplomatic quarter against the Boxers. Steadily climbing the career ladder, he was commissioned Acting Consul at Foochow in 1901, Vice-Consul at Hankow in 1902, Assistant Secretary of the Russian Legation at Peking in 1903, Consul at Niuchuang (Manchuria) in 1906, Consul at Foochow in 1910, Consul at Canton in 1912, and finally, Consul-General at Hankow in 1915. Andrew T. Bel'tchenko

More than a ministerial functionary, he was an avid student of China throughout his life. In 1912 he translated (into English) I. S. Brunert's *The Present Day Political Organization of China* (Shanghai, 1912), and it was his intimate acquaintance with the politics and institutions of that land that saved him from the fate of other Russian diplomats when the Chinese government ceased to recognize their credentials. In 1920 he became advisor to the Chinese government in Hankow on Russian affairs (there was a small but influential Russian colony in Hankow with commercial enterprises), and from 1923 until his departure from China in 1947 he served as Portuguese Consul-General in Hankow, retaining his responsibilities for the Russian colony as well.

The primary value of the collection lies in Bel'tchenko's reports, diaries, scrapbooks, and collected materials on Chinese politics for this period, particularly for 1927, when Hankow became the Nationalist capital. The materials include clippings and issues of rare newspapers, such as the *Hankow Herald*, *North China Daily News*, *Central China Post*, and others, many of which may no longer be extant. In addition, there are significant materials on the Russian and other foreign concessions in Hankow, the Japanese occupation of that region, and Russian émigrés in Hankow and Shanghai, including correspondence, clippings, registration books, legal papers, photographs and other matter.

Following his departure from China, Bel'tchenko went briefly to Paris before settling in San Francisco, where he helped other Russian refugees from China as head of the Obshchestvo pomoshchi russkim na Tubabao and assisted in the work of the Museum of Russian Culture. He died in San Francisco on 1 February 1958.

1873
October 29 Born, Kozlovka village, Bobrovskii uezd, Voronezh guberniia, Russia (N.S.)

1897 Graduated from St. Petersburg University with degree in Oriental philology

1898 Entered Foreign Ministry

1899 Student interpreter, Imperial Russian Legation, Peking

1901 Acting Consul, Foochow

1902 Vice-Consul, Hankow

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1903 Assistant Secretary, Imperial Russian Legation in Peking
1906 Consul, Neuchuang (Manchuria)
1910 Consul, Foochow
1912 Translator, Present-Day Political Organization of China
1912 Consul, Canton
1915 Consul-General, Hankow
1920 Adviser to Chinese government on Russian affairs, Hankow
1923 Portuguese Consul-General, Hankow
1947 Left China for United States
1958 Died, San Francisco

February 1
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2. A. F. G.
3. Al'fa
4. Andru
5. A-Sh
6. Az-Buki [Azbuki]
7. Bat-ia
8. Bat'co
9. B-ch
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11. G-N
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13. Iu Chzhi U-tsai [Iu-chizhi u-tsai]
14. Khan'kovets
15. Kitaefil
16. Liubitel' puteshestvii
17. Obozrevatel'
18. Odin iz russkikh
19. Poltavskii Kazak [Poltavskii Kozak]
20. Starozhil
21. Tszyrev
22. Ukhanets

Scope and Content
This collection consists of the papers of the Russian and Portuguese Consul in Hankow, China. The main emphasis is on this city and its surroundings in the period 1918-1946, but there is information on more general developments in China, Russia (the Soviet Union) and the United States over the entire period from 1898 to 1962.

Where possible, the arrangement reflects the original order established by Bel'chenko and respects many of the categories defined by A. S. Loukashkin, who processed the collection upon its acquisition by the Museum of Russian Culture.

A Chinese politics series has been created to encompass materials not readily absorbed into the usual series. This series contains materials relating to Bel'chenko's service as Portuguese Consul in Hankow as well as his continued performance of consular and representative functions with respect to the Russian colony in Hankow and to the Russian émigré diplomatic corps. It includes his consular reports, correspondence, and Bel'chenko's published and unpublished summaries and reports on Chinese political developments, with supporting materials (mainly clippings from the Hankow Herald, Central China Post, China Courier, People's Tribune, Journal de Shanghai, North China Daily News and other newspapers).

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United States.

Biographical File, 1898-1962

General Physical Description note: Box 1
Scope and Contents note
Autobiographical notes and materials, identity papers, personal papers and other documents
reflecting Bel'chenko's diplomatic activities (including materials set aside for the compilation
of memoirs), arranged alphabetically by physical form

Box 1, Folder 1
Address ], presented to Bel'chenko by the Russian colony of Hankow on the occasion
of the 25th anniversary of his diplomatic service [1923 December 12

Folder 2
Articles and printed information about A. T. Bel'chenko. Includes issues of The
Pioneer, 1919 February and Pela Patria, (with photograph) 1940 July 1

Folder 3
Autobiographical note on service in China. Includes attached copy of service record
(1899-1946).

Folder 4
Biographical note and resume by A. S. Loukashkin

Folder 5
Carta Patente, certifying Bel'chenko as Portuguese Consul in Hankow, signed by
Manuel Gomes, President of the Portuguese Republic, and correspondence relating
to relinquishing of said post, 1948 1924 May 9,

Folder 6
Certificate of naturalization (U.S.), Correspondence 1954 November 11

Folder 7
Family. Letter to his children, 1928. For letter to son, V. A. Beltchenko, see
SPEECHES AND WRITINGS/"Zhatva mira," [1951] 1951 September 10,

Folder 8
Glavnaia kantseliariia russkikh emigrantov v g. Parizhe, 1947 September 29

Folder 9
United States. Embassy (France), 1947 October 14
Memoirs ("Zapiski konsula"). Materials set aside for the compilation of Bel'chenko's
memoirs. Folder titles reflect arrangement of material by A. S. Loukashkin

Folder 10
"A. T. Bel'chenko, kak vybornyi predstavitel' russkoi kolonii v Khan'kou." Consists
of minutes of meeting of General Council of Russian citizens of Hankow, and
related material 1927 February 15,

Folder 11
"A. T. Bel'chenko, Sovetnik Kitaiskogo Pravitel'stva v Khan'kou po russkim delam." 
Includes documents relating to the abolition of Russian Concession in Hankow and
its administration by Chinese officials (including photograph of Shen Tze Liang,
Chief of Provisional Administrative Bureau), correspondence, regulations, and
printed matter, 1922-1925

Folder 12
"Materialy k biografii A. T. Bel'chenko." Includes addresses, clippings and
 correspondence reflecting Bel'chenko's diplomatic career in China. Also includes
invitations and clippings relating to festivities in honor of the 30th anniversary of
Bel'chenko's consular service in China, 1928 1923-1928.
Folder 13
"Perеписка, бумаги и документы Андрея Терент'евича Бельченко." Includes diary entries, diplomatic and personal correspondence, materials on Chinese politics and materials on Russians and other foreigners in China, particularly Hankow, 1917-1943

Folder 14
"Русская колония в Ханкоу." Documents and photographs relating to the establishment and history of the Russian colony in Hankow. Includes correspondence and legal agreements relating to the Kuling and Luling estates near Hankow, 1896-1936

Folder 15
Passport and identity documents (Russian), Includes photograph 1898 December 12-1920 September 20.

Folder 16
Service records, [1917]-1920

Folder 17
Attack on Bel'chenko in the consulate by unknown assailants, Correspondence 1927 March - April.

Folder 18
Conflict between Bel'chenko and Japanese military authorities, Correspondence and clipping 1939 March.

Folder 19
Correspondence between V. A. Bel'chenko and A. S. Loukashkin relating to A. T. Bel'chenko's medals and decorations. Includes photograph and list of depicted decorations by A. S. Loukashkin, 1962 May 3 - July 15

Folder 20
Decrees, orders and official correspondence relating to decorations conferred on Bel'chenko by the Russian, Chinese, Italian and French governments, 1900 December 14-1927 June 28

Folder 21
Miscellaneous Chinese documents and identity papers, including notice of safe passage issued to Bel'chenko by Chinese Ministry of Foreign Affairs, 1917-1923


General Physical Description note: Boxes 1-9
Scope and Contents note
Include calling cards, clippings from Russian and English newspapers, correspondence, invitations, menus, photographs, programs and similar enclosures, pasted or freely inserted within text. Arranged chronologically by title. See also BIOGRAPHICAL FILE, SPEECHES AND WRITINGS, SCRAPBOOKS, REGISTRATION FILE, SUBJECT FILE

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See SPEECHES AND WRITINGS 1917 March-April.

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Box 4, Folder 1
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**Correspondence, 1916-1957.**

General Physical Description note: Box 9

Scope and Contents note

Arranged alphabetically by name of correspondent. See also BIOGRAPHICAL FILE, DIARIES, SCRAPBOOKS, REGISTRATION FILE, CHINESE POLITICS FILE, SUBJECT FILE

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**Speeches And Writings, 1912-1951.**

General Physical Description note: Boxes 9-10

Scope and Contents note

Articles, speeches and drafts of works, arranged chronologically by title. For Bel'chenko's published reports on Chinese political developments, see CHINESE POLITICS FILE/Reports/"Politicheskie sobytia v Kitae"

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<td>&quot;Ocherk politicheskoi zhizni Kitaia v 1918 godu, Harbin, Printed copy 1919.</td>
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Scrapbooks, 1890-1954.

General Physical Description note: Boxes 11-13
Scope and Contents note
Include clippings, calling cards, greeting cards and correspondence, event programs, menus, photographs and notes. In many cases the subjects covered go beyond the titles of the scrapbooks. Arranged chronologically. See also REGISTRATION FILE, SUBJECT FILE

Box 11, Folder 1
"Zhizn' v Ostrogorske, Peterburge, Pekine, Fuchzhou, Khan'kou, g.g." 1890-1902
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"Iuridicheskie formy i izveshchenii," [c. 1901]-1954
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"Zhizn' v Niuchzhuane i Peterburge " (1906-1909)
Box 13, Folder 1
"Pozdravleniia, priglasheniia i t.p. s 24-go dekabria g. po konets noiabria 1929 g."
1928
Folder 2
"Razlichnye programmy, priglasheniia i tomu podobnye zamekti i zapiski za vremia s
noiabria goda po fevral' 1930 goda vkluchitel'no" 1929
Folder 3
Untitled, 1938-1941
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Untitled, Consists mainly of bibliographic references, notes and opinions of books relating to Russia and the U.S.S.R. 1945-1952.
Folder 5
"Arkheipiskop Viktor i kharbintsy," 1946 July-1947 July

Registration File, 1922-1944.

General Physical Description note: Boxes 14-16
Scope and Contents note
Lists, forms and questionnaires, with photographs, biographical details, correspondence and other matter relating to their livelihoods and activities. Includes material of scrapbook nature and diary entries, arranged alphabetically by physical form

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"List of White Russians in Hankow," 1939 February 20
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Chinese Politics File, 1918-1949.

General Physical Description note: Boxes 16-22
Scope and Contents note
Correspondence, printed matter, notes and reports, arranged alphabetically by physical form. Includes Bel'chenko's reports to Senior Russian Diplomatic Representative Abroad on political developments in China, as well as published versions of those reports in Russian periodicals in China (under the author's pseudonyms, in Russkoe ekho, Slovo, Russkoe slovo, Armii i flot). Also includes background materials (mainly clippings used in the compilation of the reports). See also BIOGRAPHICAL FILE, SCRAPBOOKS, SUBJECT FILE
Consular reports - Portugal. Reports and drafts of reports to Portuguese Envoy Extraordinaire and Minister Plenipotentiary A. de Bianchi, Portuguese Ministers to China Armando Navarro and Joao de Lebre e Lima and charges d'affaires of the Portuguese Legation. Include clippings, calling cards, invitations and related material appended to reports

Box 16, Folder 2
Undated fragments

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Correspondence

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Kudashev, Nikolai A., Prince, 1918

Folder 7
Maklakov, Vasilii Alekseevich, 1938-1939

Folder 8
Notebook of citations from Chinese newspapers, Also includes notes, quotes, clippings, and bibliographic citations, 1916 and 1949 1900 July-August.

Notes

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Attached clippings 1927 January-July.

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Attached clippings on Hankow and the surrounding region 1927 October-1928 May.

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**Subject File, 1900-1947**

- General Physical Description note: Boxes 22-25
- Scope and Contents note: Correspondence, official documents and printed matter, arranged alphabetically by subject

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Fifteen photographs of Bel'chenko and others individually and in groups

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| Folder 1 | Eight group photographs, mainly of Bel'chenko with other Russians in Hankow, Includes photographs of Consul P. S. Popov, pupils of Russian school in Hankow, Russian World War I veterans and members of the Hankow Russian Club n.d. |
| Folder 2 | Seven photographs of Bel'chenko and unidentified figures in Hankow and San Francisco, 1938-1954 and undated |

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