

Poster Announcing a Meeting of Deputations from Black Sea Navy, Black Sea Merchant Fleet, and the city of Sevastopol on 6 May 1917 in Petrograd.

Single sheet 8 1/2" x 10", front only. The poster announces a historically important meeting when 200 representatives of the Black Sea Navy and Merchant Fleet, citizens and dock workers of Sevastopol, came to Petrograd shortly after the February Revolution to proclaim their support of unified free Russia, Russia's allies in WW1, and to make a strong statement for unity between various revolutionary parties, such as the Bolsheviks, Mensheviks, and Socialist Revolutionaries. The meeting was strongly against Bolshevikist propaganda of a separatist peace treaty and their militant opposition to all other parties.

In very good to excellent condition: the paper is very slightly wrinkled, mostly at bottom right, and showing a couple of tiny tears along the right edge, - easily repairable with tape on the verso.

As we know from history, the message of this meeting was waylaid by the Bolsheviks five months later.

Please note that the pen in our photo is for size reference.

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