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Gomulka, Ex-Chief, Expected to Attend Session Today on Rioting at Poznan

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WARSAW, July 17—The Cenal Committee of the Polish

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tral Committee of the Polish United Workers (Communist) party is scheduled to meet tomorrow to consider the recent rioting in Poznan and its bloody suppression by the Government. The meeting has been postponed from day to day in the

hope of achieving some measure of agreement between the various factions in the party's hierarchy. The session is likely to be a stormy one.

It is virtually certain that among those invited to it will be Wladyslaw Gomulka, former

secretary general of the party and later Vice Premier of Poland.

M. Gomulka was ousted from office in 1949 on charges of Titoist deviationism, and his party membership was suspended. He was released from detention last year and rehabilitated

as far as charges of Titoism were concerned, although it was still insisted his policies had been

If M. Gomulka is allowed to speak, it is believed likely that

he will attempt to justify his course. As a "national Communist," he is at the other end of the scale from Edward Ochab, present boss of the Polish party, who is regarded as a 100 per cent Moscow man.

A review today by Prosecutor General Marian Rybicki of the inquiry into the Poznan rioting raised the number of dead from the thirty-eight previously announced to fifty-three. Of these,

he said, one was a 13-year-old boy, and nine were soldiers or members of the security forces. M. Rybicki placed the number of wounded at more than 300, including twenty-one soldiers, thirteen security policemen and five regular policemen. 323 Under Investigation

sixty-four persons who used the disturbances for robbery, banditry, looting. The Prosecutor

Of the many hundreds arrest-

ed after the riots, 323 still are under investigation, M. Rybicki said. These, he asserted, include

General added that, of the sixtyfour, thirty-three were criminals
who had escaped from the Poznan prison.

M. Rybicki declared that a distinction was being made between
"workers influenced by dissatisfaction caused by nonfulfillment
of their rather justified demands" and "reckless criminal
and provocateur elements inspired by alien sources hostile
to Poland."

He said that the name of the
person who had fired the first

shot had not been established. But, he declared, there is no doubt that it was fired by one of those who attacked the prison after disarming the prison guards and stealing their weapons.

Tomorrow's Central Committee session, it is said, will be the

most important since the one at

which M. Gomulka was ousted.

Besides the Poznan affair, the downgrading of Stalin touched off at the Twentieth Congress of the Soviet Communist party will be discussed. Another topic will be Poland's critical economic situation in connection with her

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new five-year plan.