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RUSSIANS PAY \$30 POUND FOR PORK WHEN THEY GET IT

Country Practically Stripped of Manufactured Articles, Especially Clothing—Typhus is Spreading

Washington, March 5.—Additional light on the situation in the portions of Russia under Bolshevik control is given by a summary of reports secured recently from refugees who passed through Helsinki on their way from Moscow to Stockholm. The summary was made public by the state department because of the various conflicting accounts of conditions which have been received recently.

"The party at Helsinki," said the summary, "was composed of French, British, Belgian and Italian citizens, most of them Red Cross workers. The reports all agree as to the excessive cost of all necessities and the scarcity of food. Dog meat is quoted at four rubles (\$2) a pound, horse meat at fifteen rubles per pound, pork at sixty rubles, and bread at fifteen rubles. The country is practically stripped of all manufactured articles, especially wearing apparel, and all grain and supplies are requisitioned by the Soviet government from the peasants, who receive nothing in return.

"Typhus is reported to be spreading, 1,000 new cases being reported at Moscow weekly, and the hospitals are unable to take care of them. Lack of milk has resulted in many deaths of children from starvation.

"The food situation in Russia is very bad, and the food is distributed in three categories—a full portion to those doing heavy work, a half portion to employees of the Soviet government and private

houses and general office work, and one-fourth portion to people not engaged in any occupation. The portions depend on the supplies at hand, a full portion generally being one pound of bread daily. Soldiers get an army portion of two pounds of bread, half pound of meat daily, and an additional monthly allowance of two and a half pounds of sugar, and one and one-half pounds of fats.

"All clothes and other necessities can only be secured through permission of government by cards and at fixed prices."

GOOD DIGESTION

To be able to eat what you want and to digest it properly is a priceless blessing. Good digestion is not appreciated until you lose it. Then you cannot afford to experiment, for strong medicines are hard on weak stomachs. If you have indigestion do not be persuaded into believing you can cure yourself by the use of pre-digested foods or so called stomach tonics. There is no tonic for part of the body. It is through the blood that the stomach gets its power to assimilate and digest food, and as the blood goes to every part of the body any improvement in its condition not only results in strengthening the stomach, but every organ in the body. Rich, red blood is absolutely necessary to good digestion. If your stomach is weak and you are troubled with sour risings in the throat, a feeling of pressure about the heart, or nausea after eating, try the tonic treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. So many dyspeptics have been cured by this medicine that every sufferer from stomach trouble should try it. You will soon know the joy of good digestion and enjoy better health in other ways if you give this medicine a fair trial.

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BOLSHEVIKI LAWS WORKING OUT IN LUDICROUS WAYS

Bachelor Had to Marry and Divorce Cook in Order to Dismiss Her—Women Holding Aloof

Warsaw, March 4.—(By the Associated Press).—The Russian Soviet government is now carrying on a popular campaign to secure the support of women throughout Russia, according to refugees reaching here from Moscow. Mme. Radetz, wife of Karl Radetz, the chief Bolshevik agent in Germany, is taking a prominent part in this work, and with other women is trying to attract the attention of the large mass of women by having women take positions in the ministries and colleges. Premier Lenin is declared to have made this remark to Mme. Radetz: "If Bolshevism fails, it will be because we could not get the mass of women interested."

The Bolshevik leaders, it is said, were heartened by the invitation from the Supreme Council in Paris to attend the proposed conference on the Prince's Islands, the Bolsheviks believing that they were being given a chance to test their theories to the bitter end.

Many intelligent women are reported to be co-operating with Lenin and Trotsky, but so far they have pointed out vainly that it will be impossible to win the support of the women as long as religion is flouted and as long as divorce is made so easy. The Soviet propaganda bureau is putting out notices that with spring will come food and clothes. They also harp on the prospects of peace, as it is peace, above all, that the women and peasants want.

Women refugees who have arrived here rarely complain of the general treatment of women under Bolshevik rule in Petrograd and Moscow. There have been, however, some individual cases of mistreatment and of grief resulting from the murder of fathers, brothers or sons. According to the refugees and reports, there has been no general application of the much-advertised easy divorce and easy marriage regulations.

Women Mistreated. However, women have frequently been subjected to mistreatment, as illustrated in the town of Brinsk. Troops of the Red Guard army when they arrived

there requisitioned sixty unmarried women and sixty married women, and women of nobility. In the provinces of Saratov, Volga and Vladimir the Soviets declared that men and women had equal sex was not married, they were obliged to accept the first offer made publicly through selections made by consulting names posted at Soviet headquarters. The children of such marriages, it was decreed, were to become the property of the state.

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When you wash your hair, be careful what you use. Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else, that contains too much alkali, for this is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain undiluted coconut oil, this is pure and entirely creaseless. It's very cheap, and beats anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

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CHURCHILL EXHORTS NEW TROOPS GOING TO RHINE

London, March 5.—Winston Churchill, secretary of state for war, has sent a message to the new soldier battalions proceeding to the Rhine, saying: "You are about to proceed to Germany to form a part of the British army keeping a watch by the Rhine until the Germans agree to and carry out our just peace terms. Your period of training has been completed and you are in every respect fit to undertake the serious business of active service.

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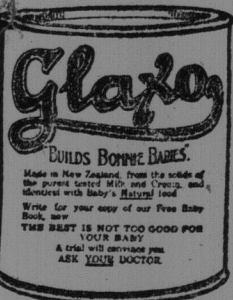
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