

### ISSUANCE OF PAPER ANOTHER BIG PROBLEM

#### Usual Method of Calculation Fails in Russia.

### WORKMEN'S PAY LOWERED

#### Disappearance of Factory Workers Attributed to Inadequate Compensation by Employers.

Arno Dosch-Fleuret, who was in Russia during the war and sent the first news from Petrograd of the revolution that destroyed the czar has for the past several months been investigating conditions in central Europe and on the fringe of the great Russian empire. There is no one better qualified as an authority on conditions of the east than he, and the series of articles of which the following is the first, which he has forwarded from Petrograd, the best presentation of conditions in the unhappy country that has yet reached America.

BY ARNO DOSCH-FLEURET.

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MINSK, Lithuania, Sept. 23.—(Special Cable)—At the beginning of the war the Czarist government manufactured some paper money. In 1914 it was turning out 219,000,000 rubles a month, in 1915, 221,000,000. Gradually the ruble dropped until the revolution, when it was worth 22 cents instead of 54. The famous "Korenshys" were issued under the provisional government at the rate of \$23,000,000 a month, which brought the ruble down to about 13 cents. Then came the bolshevik and turned the printing presses loose. They have been issuing paper money at the rate of 120,000,000 a day—\$3,600,000,000 a month.

When money is issued at that rate there is no longer any relation to its value in any ordinary way. The Russian peasants have simplified the matter by weighing it. An amount of the money turned out by the bolshevik has been the 20 and 40 ruble "Korenshys," printed on light, thin paper. It takes an enormous quantity to make a kilo. I saw half a pound of "Korenshys," twenties and forties indiscriminately, in the cabin of a Ruthenian peasant in White Russia. It was too much to count, but it seemed to be about 25,000 rubles. The peasant happened to show it because I was with a Pole he had known many years, a neighbor returned now the Polish army occupied the territory. The peasant wanted to know what value it had under the changed government. Under the bolshevik he regarded it as worth practically nothing.

### Waste Covered Up.

With money worth nothing to speak of it is impossible to calculate in an ordinary way, which is very useful for bolshevik apologetics who cover up the entire waste of money by the grand phrase, "capital has been destroyed." But there are other methods of calculation. For instance, in the Don coal region, a factory of which furnished me the following figures: In 1914 the factory had 15,000 workmen, the average pay of whom was 1 rouble a day, which was also the price at that time of a pound (about 48 pounds) of flour. In 1917, at the outbreak of revolution, the factory had 20,000 workmen, getting 2 rubles a day. A pound of flour was at this time also worth 2 rubles.

### NEW COURSES PROMISED

#### GIRLS' POLYTECHNIC SCHOOL TO EXTEND WORK.

#### Class in Millinery to Be Formed Soon and Others That Will Appeal to Housewives.

Housewives will be interested in the announcement of a number of new courses for adults opening at the Girls' Polytechnic school within the next few days. Among them is the millinery course for persons who have been on the waiting list for some time. The regular classes have been so crowded that a new one was opened this week. This can still accommodate a few more women.

### LAUD AMERICAN PHONES

#### Gross Inefficiency of British System Criticized.

LONDON.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—A new newspaper is conducting a campaign to bring about the separations of England's telephone service from post-office control. The paper says that the highly efficient telephone systems of the United States are an example of what might be accomplished in this country. In one year, one large American telephone company installed more new phones than have been added to the British system in 10 years, one of these papers declares.

### State Pays Deficit.

The Kostroma factory, with 9,200,000 rubles' worth of merchandise in its warehouses, paid 15,000,000 in wages and 18,000,000 for raw materials. The bolshevik state had to make up the difference between the cost of the company's funds and its deficit, a matter of 10,000,000 rubles.

### THE SAVA MOROSOV COMPANY PAID 45,000,000 RUBLES IN WAGES, 55,000,000 FOR RAW MATERIALS AND PRODUCED 52,000,000 WORTH OF MERCHANDISE. THE STATE PAID THE 33,000,000 DEFICIT.

Both these companies have been for many years flourishing concerns. State control bankrupted them, and while they were thus going bankrupt, the workmen were being paid a maximum of 90 rubles a month, by order of the soviet, a wage on which they could not live. It is true the supreme council of national economy could report to the eight 'all-Russian' soviet that 513 enterprises had been nationalized—of which these are two!

### SEAMAN LOSES HIS SHIP

#### NEGRO IN LONDON APPEALS TO AMERICAN CONSUL.

#### Inability to Pronounce or Spell Ships Christened at Mrs. Wilson's Suggestion Worries Crews.

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LONDON, Oct. 6.—(Special Cable)—An American seaman, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson suggested that many vessels built by the American Shipping Board be christened with Indian names. In this the memory of the original Americans would be honored and the nationality of the ships established as easily as by Old Glory floating over them.

### OLSON CASE, IS AIRED

#### Thrilling Situations Abound; Portland Alleged Lothario Is Dismissed by Judge.

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Coming nearer to the present, the scenario writers would picture Olson the night of September 30 last returning to his home in Portland for a search-light with which to complete repairs to his motor truck which had broken down, and would show how, entering his parlor, he found the room dark but dimly discerned figures which proved to be, when he turned on the electric lights, his wife and a star boarder by the name of Frank Krummel. Much humor could be scattered in a scene wherein the surprised wife upbraided her husband for his intrusion and finally left him to make her bed in the basement of their home, which, Olson says, happened.

For a seven-reel feature film, a situation which might appeal to those who picture the "Naughty, Naughty," "The Faithless Wife" and similar thrillers, would be found in this court document under date of October 5, 1919. At 6 o'clock in the morning the husband, Sigurd Olson, would be depicted leaving his home on his faithful motor truck headed for Warren, Or., and for a load of milk.

Door Found Bolted.

The next scene would show an exasperated truck driver under his machine at the town of Linnton, and the final determination to give up the milk delivery and drive the truck back to Portland as best he could. The clock on the staircase would be registering 7 o'clock. The door to his wife's boudoir would be discovered bolted. A heavy knock, and slowly the bolts would give.

The husband would be seen, sitting down on a trunk near the bed where his wife had again drawn the covers up to his chin. His face would surely register intense surprise and, following his startled gaze, the movie fan would see a pair of large and expensive shoes protruding from under the bed of Mrs. Olson.

If tragedy were preferred, the husband could then draw a revolver, kill his better half and the intruder and bury his face in his hands, his shoulders shaking with sobs. If comedy, there could follow an extremely humorous chase of a barefooted, scantly clad man by an enraged husband whose revolver never needed reloading.

Intruder Is Arrested.

If it were preferred to stick to the unvarnished facts as depicted in the divorce complaint, which has not yet been deviated from, it would only be necessary to show the intruder pulling the intruder from under the bed by his large feet, the recognition of Frank Krummel, star boarder, his arrest, and the visit of the husband to a lawyer.

Police Judge Rossman dismissed a charge of disorderly conduct against Krummel Tuesday.

Krummel declared that he had been a boarder at the Olson home and was merely preparing to move away at the time Mrs. Olson declared that divorce proceedings were pending between herself and her husband and the arrest was made for the effect it would have on the case.

### SUGAR DUE SOON HERE

#### LABOR TROUBLES AT CALIFORNIA REFINERY ADJUSTED.

#### First Delivery to Come This Week and Others as Fast as Beet Mills Can Produce.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 2.—(Special.)—The end of the coast-wide sugar famine is in sight. The western Sugar refinery, which has been closed for the past week, yesterday effected an adjustment of its differences with the labor union, and the operation will work to its fullest capacity to meet the existing demands.

Ralph P. Merritt, western representative of the federal sugar equalization board, announced that the equalization board has borrowed 72,000 tons of beet sugar which is in process of manufacture by local refineries for eastern markets. This now will be turned over to western consumption.

The first consignment of this sugar, 40,000 sacks, will be ready for delivery this week, according to Merritt. Subsequent consignments will be placed on the market as rapidly as the beet sugar plants can produce it. At a conference between local sugar refinery representatives, Merritt was given complete supervision of their output and was promised their fullest co-operation in meeting the existing emergency.

Merritt said, however, it would be

### DIVORCE PLEAS HUNG LIKE THE DRAMA

#### Man Says Wife Has Pet Ranch Hand, Star Boarder.

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### OFFICER PEPPIN CREATES FACTS

#### Was So Rundown He Could Hardly Get About—Tanlac Ends Trouble.

### TWO DAYS MORE

#### LIBERTY

#### DIRECTION OF JENSEN-WON HERBERG

#### "LIBERTY CORNER"

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"During the ten years I suffered Tanlac is the only medicine that has done me any good at all, and that is saying no more than the truth. I tried everything I could hear of during that time," said S. E. Peppin, a well-known member of the special police force, and who lives at 225 Wilhelmette boulevard, Portland, the other day.

"Tanlac proved to be just the medicine for me," continued Mr. Peppin, "and since giving it a fair trial I am convinced that as a real medicine it stands head and shoulders above anything I have ever seen. I had a bad case of stomach trouble, and it just seemed that the more medicine and treatment I took the worse off I would be. Everything I ate disagreed with me, and I would suffer from cramping, upset stomach, gas, and would form so bad that it often got up into my chest and made my heart palpitate something awful. My kidneys gave me lots of trouble, and many nights I would have to get up six or eight times, and the pains in the small of my back were so bad at times I could hardly stand. I was very nervous and hardly ever got a good night's sleep. Why, I would sometimes get so nervous that I would break out in a cold sweat all over my body, and would shake like I was having a chill. I finally got so badly run down in every way that I was hardly able to get about at all.

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a matter of several days before the western outfit, together with the best sugar which has been made available, is likely to overcome the abnormal conditions which at present prevail. Both wholesale and retail stocks are said to be practically exhausted, and some time will be required before necessary reserves are restored.

With the promise of the sugar equalization board to have beet sugar sent into Oregon from two California mills, some relief in the present shortage of sugar is expected, however, has been set for its arrival.

A number of carloads for jobbers in Portland and the interior, sent out September 29 from the San Francisco cane refinery, can no longer be accounted upon, as the railroad company apparently has lost them. The sugar in this lot, however, will be available in due season.

Several cake and candy factories in the city had carloads in the missing shipments. These concerns, as a general rule, have sugar for from three to 10 days left, but can only stretch it over that period by running short-handed. Bakers have about a 10 days' supply on hand.

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#### Crowd Assembled to Hear Talk on "Class War Prisoners" Is Quietly Broken Up.

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After Landy had been arrested and taken to police headquarters the officers had no trouble in handling the demonstrators. Twenty uniformed police under direct command of Captain Innes and Sheriff Hurlburt's complete force of deputies under Chief Criminal Deputy Christofferson circled the speaker and quietly ordered them to move on. There was no outward demonstration, and except for a few muttered objections to police interference, the crowd of men offered no resistance.

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Those of us who love to wear delicate fabrics, like laces, ruchings, organdies and chiffons will be very glad to hear that the navy has discovered such stuff moisture-proof shall be successful. Some of us have had a heap of trouble with ruchings in our sport shirts. The navy has been retained fresh and nice more than four days when the tennis and golf have been good. If now they may be rendered moisture-proof, we shall be as happy as the man with the celluloid collar, and exertion will have no terrors for you.—Hartford Courant.

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#### Arguments to Be Submitted to Arbitration Board in Writing.

#### Argument of counsel in arbitration of the controversy over wage scale and hours between employing commercial printers and their employees is under way.

The hearing will be held in the city hall, and the arguments will be submitted in writing, within a definite time after conclusion of testimony submitted to the board of arbitration. There will be two more sessions of the board to hear testimony. Friday evening, and the hearing will end Monday evening next week. A division of time having been agreed upon last night before adjournment.

Chairman Griffith of the board of arbitration announced that he expects progress by eliminating lengthy discussions on matters that were foreign to the solution of the questions to be decided. Testimony of compositors, platen and cylinder pressmen occupied a greater part of the hearing last night, held in the dining room of the Oregon building.

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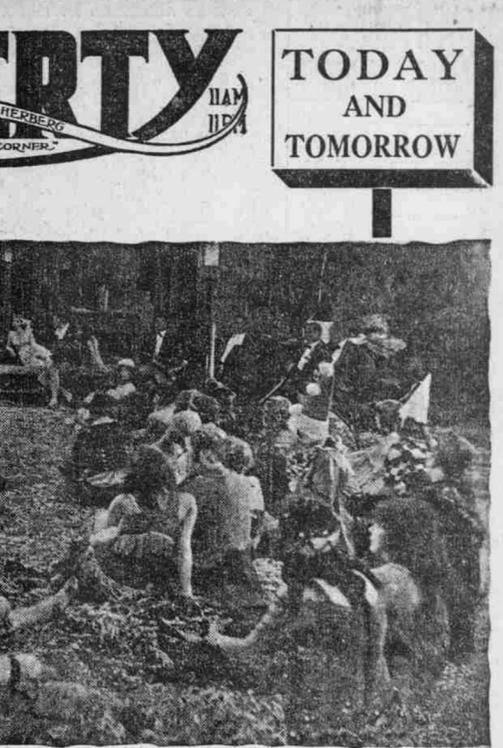
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