

## FORD EXTENDS RUSSIA CREDIT; WHY NOT U. S.?

Writer Says Soviet Nation Is Communist Now in Name Only.

This is the second of a series of six articles on Russia by William Phillips Simms, staff correspondent of the Indianapolis Times and other Scripps-Howard newspapers. Simms just completed a tour of the Soviet state.

By William Philip Simms

MOSCOW (By Mail)—Henry Ford has just sold 10,000 tractors to the Russians. Also a lot of spare parts. This single deal represents \$5,000,000. That's a lot of money. Yet Ford extended the Communists ten months' credit, the first credit. I was told, he ever extended to anybody.

Not only that, but he is preparing to establish service stations all over the country, which will mean more sales and more long-term credit.

If this does not mean the tide has turned for Russia, nothing does. Henry Ford has the reputation of being as hard-boiled a business man as there is in hard-boiled United States. Nobody has ever accused him of being in business for his health.

### Other Business

The American Tool Works, of Cincinnati, also does a big business with Russia, some of their more important orders being on a part credit basis. Their representatives say the business has been at all time satisfactory.

The same story is told by other American concerns, cotton merchants, makers of machinery, bankers and so on. Reeve Schley, vice-president of the Chase National Bank of New York, said they had been doing business with Russian organizations, both in America and in Russia, for the past two years and their experience throughout had been satisfactory.

Over 700 American firms are now doing business with Russia on an admittedly satisfactory basis. And the number is constantly growing. The story is also true of Germany, Britain, France, Holland, Sweden and other countries.

### Wild Days Passing

Which means that the era of a wild and woolly Russia, where irresponsible and rampant communism was rushing blindly into mistake after mistake, is over. Instead there is a Russia, still communist if you will, but becoming practical as the result of hard knocks.

I have talked this over with several Soviet officials. They every one admit Russia must meet her obligations religiously if she is to survive.

The Russia of today is as different from the Russia of three or four years ago as day is from night. The Russia of tomorrow will be different still.

### Communist in Name Only

It looks very much as though Communist Russia is here to stay, at least for some time to come. But Russia is already becoming Communist in name only.

The United States is a Christian country. But when the President and his Cabinet or the Congress sit down to work out American policy and American laws they do not first say: "Now what would Christ do? We're He doing this thing?" They do what they consider the practical thing.

Similarly Russia is a Communist country. Today, however, her rulers are consulting less and less what the pure Communist would do in the circumstances and instead are striving to find practical solutions of their difficulties.

This is something that Americans do not know. They are still being told raw-head-and-bloody-bones stories about the bolsheviks and how Russia is spending her time devising ways and means to plant the red flag on the White House. Which is sheer nonsense.

Theoretically Russia still would like to see a "dictatorship of the proletariat" established all over the world. But today she is waking from any such dream and is beginning to realize she has her hands very full indeed running her own affairs.

Tomorrow she will be fully awake.

### WOMAN TAKES POISON

Miss Marie Ross, 28, 412 E. Market St., April 6 was taken to the city hospital Monday night after she attempted suicide by taking poison. Doctors refused to comment on her chances of recovery.

James Fletcher, 44, of 1831 Hoyt Ave., had passed the danger point at the city hospital, where he was taken after he took poison, Monday afternoon.

### DEATH HELD ACCIDENTAL

ERIE, Pa., Aug. 24.—The death of Mr. H. R. Hilde of Madisonville, near Cincinnati, caused by a head-on collision near here Aug. 14, was held to be accidental by a coroner's jury. His husband, driving the car at the time, after the inquest was found guilty of reckless driving and fined \$10.

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## TWO PLANES WILL SEARCH FOR FLIER

Holder of Pulitzer Trophy Missing Since Monday.

By United Press  
MT. CLEMENS, Mich., Aug. 24.—Two Army pursuit planes were to leave Selfridge field here this afternoon in search of Lieut. Cyrus Bettis, holder of the coveted Pulitzer race trophy, who has been missing since he left Bellefonte, Pa., for Mt. Clemens in a P-1 pursuit biplane Monday.

Pilots leaving are Lieut. J. W. Williams and Lieut. L. S. Smith, who left Philadelphia with Bettis Monday after flying in connection with the Sesquicentennial Exposition. Williams said he and Smith lost sight of Bettis in a heavy fog over Bellefonte.

## SAID TO BE ON WAY TO HEARING

Bail Plea in Hall-Mills Case May Come Up.

By United Press  
NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., Aug. 24.—Charles W. Parker, justice of the New Jersey State Supreme Court, was reported on his way here today from Northeast Harbor, Maine, to hear the application for bail for Henry De La Bruere Carpenter and Willis Stevens, accused of complicity in the Hall-Mills murder case.

Chief Justice Gummere of the Supreme Court refused to hear the ball application, saying it was within the jurisdiction of Justice Parker.

While the ball hearing before Justice Parker will be the next step in the court proceedings, a bit of wearing apparel said to have been found at the Phillips farm, the scene of the murder four years ago of the Rev. E. W. Hall and Mrs. Florence Mills, was the chief item of interest.

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65 RESCUED FROM BOAT

Yacht Carrying Group on Sunday School Outing Sinks.

MIAMI, Fla., Aug. 24.—Sixty-five persons on a Sunday School outing were rescued from the sinking yacht Seascamp early today after it went aground at Virginia Key, off Miami harbor.

Coast guard cutters and a Miami beach police speedboat rescued the party after calls for help were received at the Miami beach government reservation.

The party was composed of members of the White Temple Sunday School.

MINE SCALE IS CUT

Ohio Operators Decide to Abandon Jacksonville Agreement.

By United Press  
COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 24.—Ohio coal operators meeting here today decided to abandon the Jacksonville wage agreement and attempt to open idle mines under a lower scale.

The new scale is expected to provide for \$5 a day pay, whereas the Jacksonville agreement called for \$7.50. About 30,000 idle miners in the State will be given an opportunity to return to work, it is said.

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## THE INDIANAPOLIS TIMES

### Yes, Wild Jungles Right in Indiana

By Times Special  
WALKERTON, Ind., Aug. 24.—There are still wild prairie wolves in northern Indiana.

The animals live in the idle swamp along the Kankakee River here. Residents are talking formation of some protective system since a wolf recently chased a dog into the town.

### PSYCHOLOGY IN PICTURE TAKING NOW

Photographers, in Convention, Say They Study Subjects.

By United Press  
CHICAGO, Aug. 24.—The photographer no longer is the mere artisan who forces you to produce a pained grin while a metal head clamp squeezes you behind the ears and you wait for the "birdie," 5,000 of the world's foremost cameramen agree.

He's a psychologist now. The photographers, gathered in Chicago for their forty-fourth annual convention, shook their heads in sorrow today as they viewed the faded daguerreotypes, calotypes and tintypes of fifty years ago. Alongside were exhibited the modern true-color portraits, the newest development in the photographic field.

"Psychology did it," Mrs. Leah B. Moore of Memphis, Tenn., recognized authority, said. "The old warning, 'Look pleasant.'

'please' has been proven the bunk. Now we study our subject, attempt to get what we think is his natural mood and take his mind away from the fact that he is going through

the painful ordeal of being photographed."

More women have entered the profession during the last year than in all previous years, Mrs. Moore said.

And the majority of them are specializing in men's portraits.

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