

ENGINEERS WHO HELPED SOVIET ARE EXPELLED

Greatest Purge Is Directed At Foreigners From Hostile Nations.

Here is the fourth of six dispatches by Webb Miller, European news manager of the United Press, on Russia as it is today.

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MOSCOW, VIA LONDON (uncensored), Sept. 2 (U.P.)—Never in the 20-year history of the Bolshevik regime has there been such a bitter and determined drive against foreigners living in the Soviet Union as during the present purge.

The campaign, ostensibly based on the spy mania, is directed primarily against citizens of countries which are even hostile to the Soviets, particularly Germans and Japanese, but appears generally to be aimed at clearing the country of all foreigners except legitimate tourists, diplomatic missions, newspaper correspondents, and a few specialists.

Of the hundreds of foreign engineers who aided in the industrialization of the country, only a few remain. Most of those who have worked here for years are being sent away as fast as their contracts expire. Only a handful of American specialists remain, mostly those who are installing aircraft factories and advertising on television and radio work, notably representatives of the Vultee and Consolidated aircraft companies and the Radia Corp. of America.

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feature of Russian life, now is frowned upon and practiced only by young people in the villages. The men wear trunks and the girls trunks and brassieres, usually homemade but attractively setting off handsome figures.

Though still far inferior to the average in Western Europe, the standard of dressing among women is noticeably improving each year. But in the provinces, waved hair, lipsticks, and painted fingernails are rare. More attention is given to fashion styles as portrayed in the new fashion magazines. Choice fabrics continue scarce, but many girls manage to make themselves attractive in gaily colored gingham.

Men, too, are showing an increasing consciousness about their clothes.

In a hotel at Stalingrad I saw the doorman bar a worker from the dining room where a jazz band played and the diners danced in their shirt sleeves. The worker had committed the social error of coming dressed in a bathing suit. He loudly protested against this restriction of his freedom.

Many Excellent Hotels

In the principal cities the tourist has built excellent modern hotels. Most of the rooms have baths. I stayed in a new 10-story Moscow hotel where every room had a bath, free telephone and radio equipment, full-length mirrors, divans and writing desks with stationery. The hotel has picture shows every night. The rates are 25 rubles a day or about \$7 at the present rate of exchange. That would be expensive for the taxi man who drove me. His salary was 350 rubles a month, and he paid 80 rubles rent for 40 square yards of living space.

In the provinces the people are less wary of contacts with foreigners than in Moscow. Tourists encounter everywhere a friendliness and good-natured curiosity, especially about one's salary and how much one paid for his suit and shoes. A surprisingly large number of young engineers and technicians have a knowledge of English, which they learned in their schools, and are eager to practice it. Their usual comment is:

"Things are better than they used

to be and are getting better all the time."

NEXT—Creeping paralysis hits Soviet industry.

LABOR DAY GROUP PLANS CELEBRATION

The Southern Indiana Labor Day Association is to sponsor its 13th annual Labor Day celebration Sunday and Monday at Vincennes. A parade, speakers' program and midway entertainment have been planned, according to association officials.

FIREMEN'S AUXILIARY TO MEET

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Indianapolis Firemen's Association is to meet at the Lincoln Hotel tonight at 7:30. Card games are scheduled to follow the business session.

THE INDIANAPOLIS TIMES

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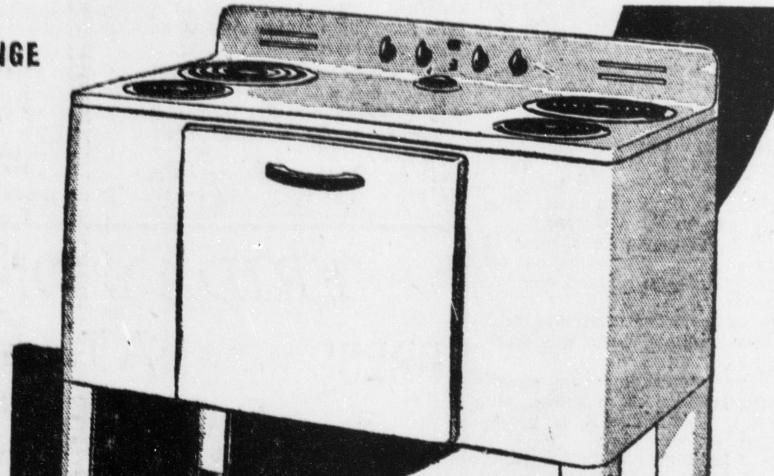
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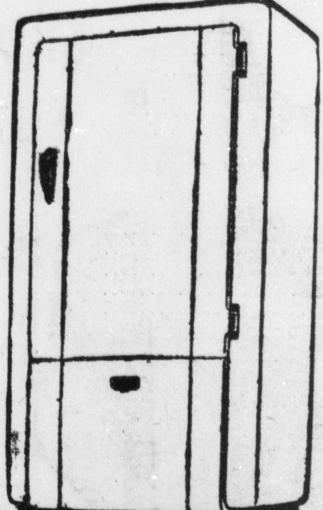
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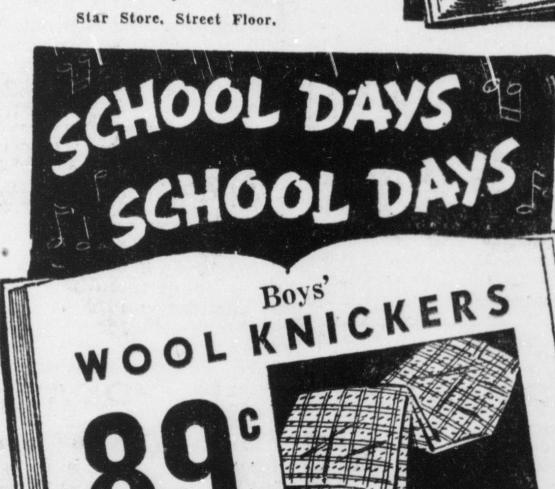


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