

2. WESTERN PRESS (BROTHERS VIENNA 16 NOV) REPORTED GRINDER IN WORKERS KRIVOI  
ROG. REASONS WERE BREAD SHORTAGE AND DEMAND FOR WAGE INCREASES MEET RISING FOOD  
COSTS. SINCE NO ANNOUNCEMENTS FOOD PRICE DECREASES TO DATE, ARE THEY BEING  
RAISED SECRETLY? WHAT ITEMS AFFECTED? BREAD PRICES BEING INCREASED? HOW MUCH?  
AS MUCH AS THIRTY PERCENT? FINE MEAT PRICES LAST YEAR? IF BREADS BEING RAISED, IS  
PAYING MORE FOR BREAD? BREAD COVERTNESS / FEELS MORE SUCH AS LAST YEAR

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**POSSIBILITIES WITH MEAT AND MILK BEING IMPORTED**

3. MEMORANDUM IN PLEASANT OFFICE SAID GRAIN CROP TWENTY PERCENT BELOW LAST YEAR BUT SOME SAVED UP. IS LATER BEING EXTENSIVE SLAUGHTERING LITEROCK IN VIEW OF THE POORER SITUATION. MEMORANDUM ALSO SAID MILK PRODUCTIONS DOWN THIS YEAR. DOES THIS IMPROVE WITH MILK COWS BEING SLAUGHTERED FOR FOODER SUFFICIENT?

4. IF FOODER IN SOME CASES SUPPLY WIDESPREAD SLAUGHTERING NECESSARY, WILL SOVIET GOVERNMENT FOLLOW HUMANITARIAN PRINCIPLE AND BUY FEED GRAINS ABROAD, IN ADDITION WHAT FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION?

5. MEMORANDUM SAID SOVIET CITIZENS STARVED 19-7 WHILE GRAIN YIELD DECLINED, ESPECIALLY TO BUY FOR IMPORTS MACHINERY AND OTHER CAPITAL GOODS. COULD SITUATION BECOME THAT SERIOUS THIS YEAR? HAS OR WILL SOVIET GOVERNMENT PUT MORATORIUM ON ALL FOOD IMPORTS ABROAD, OR WILL IT CONTINUE BUY FOOD EASTERN EUROPE AND CUBA AS IN PAST YEARS WHETHER HARVEST GOOD OR BAD?

6. WHETHER PAPER (REUTERS VIENNA 20 MAY) REFUSED SOVIET GOVERNMENT CUBA REFUSED LOAD BUTTER FOR CUBA. HAVE BEEN OFFERING WITH CUBAN? FOR WHAT? SAID CUBAN SUPPLIES DOWN THIS YEAR IS DOWN. SINCE CUBA NORMALLY BUYS CUBAN

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WILL THE U.S. BE CALLED TO CONTINUE FOOD ASSISTANCE CURA IN NEARLY 100 COUNTRIES  
 AND AT WHAT COST? UNTIL THE U.S. HAS SOME FOOD PRODUCING EQUIPMENT  
 AND ADEQUATE CURA. WILL THESE SUBSIDIES CONTINUE OR WILL GOODS BE IMPORTED  
 FROM THE NEW AGRICULTURAL EFFORTS?

THE NEW CHEMICAL PROGRAM WILL BE TREMENDOUS DRAIN ON SOVIET ECONOMY,  
 AND WILL NOT TRAIL IN REAR OF SOVIET MILITARY POWER OR SLACKING  
 ECONOMIC GROWTH. THEREFORE WILL NOT CONSUMPTION SECTOR BEAR BURST THIS INVEST-  
 MENT SINCE INVESTMENT PROGRAM (FERTILIZER, PESTICIDES, REFRIGERATORS) LARGELY  
 DRIVE FOOD AND FIBER PRODUCTION, AND EXTENSIVE TALKING OF INCREASING FOOD AND  
 CLOTHING PRODUCTION THROUGH CHEMICAL PROGRAM, WILL NOT MAKE OF RUSSIAN INVESTMENT  
 FALL ON SHOULD, ONLY L. & CONSUMPTION SECTOR REMAINING. WILL NOT EXHIBIT  
 CONSTRUCTION BE CUT SHARPLY OR ALMOST HALTED? RUSSIA WILL NOT EXHIBIT PROBLEM  
 BE INTENSIFIED BY IMPULSIVE EFFORTS TO MAKE NEW CHEMICAL FACTORIES, MANY OF WHICH  
 ARE IN AREAS WHERE LITTLE HOUSING NOW AVAILABLE

3. IS THERE NEW DEMAND FOR CREDIT FROM WEST TO FINANCE INVESTMENT PROGRAM  
 INCREASED SOVIET GOLD RESERVES AT MODERATE LEVELS? IS THERE EFFORT TO ACQUIRE FOREIGN  
 CURRENCY RESERVES OR FIND NEW GOLD DEPOSITS TO PAY FOR MASSIVE IMPORTS?

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9. IF JUNE RELATIVES LOSE THEIR CREDITS FROM WEST FOR CHEMICAL PROGRAM AND  
 "WOMAN" WIFE, WHAT REASONS BE TAKEN PAY BACK LOAN? WILL REVENUE BE COUPON,  
 A. IN MANY OTHER SOLUTION AT HAND?

10. PRIVATE FLODS OF FARM WORKERS MOST PRODUCTIVE POST SOVIET ADOPTIONS,  
 AND INDUSTRIAL INVESTMENT THEREIN WOULD BEHOLD LARGER GAIN FROM COUNTRY. WILL  
 THE FERTILIZER INCREASE BE SOLD PEASANTS FOR USE ON FIELDS?

11. SOVIET GOVERNMENT MUST REALIZE FROM THE FARM AND VARIOUS REASONS,  
 FROM EXAMPLE OF TRADING PRIVATE FLODS SINCE 1930s THAT COUNTRY LACK TO PEASANTS  
 WOULD BE MOST EFFECTIVE AND MANAGE TOUGH FOOD FOR SOVIET POPULATION. FARMERS  
 POLITICAL DISCONTENTMENT IS NOT ANOTHER REASON THIS NOT BEING DONE FEAR OF  
 "WOMAN" REVENUE. REASONS SUCH AS COUNTRY BEHOLD THE FARM, FROM REVENUE WOULD  
 RESULT FROM OVERPRODUCTION ON FARM, FOR WHICH NO CONSUMERS GOODS TO REVENUE IS  
 NOT SUFFICIENT ADJUSTMENT AND FROM PEASANTS ONE MAY BEHOLD SOME DEMAND FOR CONSUMERS  
 GOODS, WHICH WILL BE ONLY SOME COUNTRY, AND TO CONCENTRATE ON MILITARY AND  
 INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION WITHOUT EXCESSIVE INFLATIONARY INCREASE REVENUE  
 AND FROM REVENUE, WOULD SOVIET GOVERNMENT REALLY WANT REVENUE PEASANTS,  
 NOT BEHOLD REVENUE FARM, FARMER ADJUSTIONS, ECONOMIC GROWTH

REVENUE AND FROM FROM REVENUE REVENUE AND DOCTORS TOO LOW AND MUST

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1. MESSAGE: AGRICULTURAL WORKERS LOWEST PAID IN SOVIET UNION. DOES NOT GOVERNMENT ALSO BELIEVE THEIR WAGES TOO LOW AND MUST BE INCREASED?

2. TECHNICAL PROGRAM LATEST IN LONG SERIES

PLAN OF STOLMAN AND OTHERS, ALL OF WHICH FAILED. EACH PROMISED ASSURE ASSISTANCE IF POWER. WILL SOVIET PEOPLE BE WILLING WAIT AGAIN, THIS TIME TILL 1970, WHILE LATEST PARACASA TESTED, OR THEIR PATIENCE AND HOPE EXHAUSTED? DO THEY BELIEVE GOVERNMENT SERIOUS IN PUTTING FORTH PROGRAM, OR THEY THINK IT JUST ANOTHER ATTEMPT BY RUSSIAN GAIN TIME IN HOPE PROBLEM SOMEHOW DISAPPEAR?

3. MUCH OF SOVIET UNION TOO DRY FOR EFFECTIVE FERTILIZER UTILIZATION, ESPECIALLY GRAIN FIELDS. WILL GOVERNMENT INVESTMENT IRRIGATION BE MADE SO FERTILIZER, IF AND WHEN PRODUCED, BE EFFECTIVELY USED? WHERE WILL INVESTMENT FUNDS FOR THIS COME FROM?

4. IN FLORIAN SPENCER KIROUCHENOV ONCE MORE THOUGHT TO LISTED AS EXAMPLE SCIENTIFIC PRAGMATISM. DOES THIS MEAN EXISTING AND HIS THEORIES, CONSIDERED DEGRADATED BY AGRICULTURAL SCIENTISTS EVERYWHERE OUTSIDE RUSSIA, CONSIDERED HAVE

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GREAT INFLUENCE IN SOVIET AGRICULTURE EVEN IN TIME OF CRISIS?

RE. THAT IT IS SHOWN BY THE FACTS IN THE SPACE BETWEEN THE  
 LINE-STATE MACHINERY AT PLANTIN THE TYPE, FACILITATE TYPICALLY.

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