

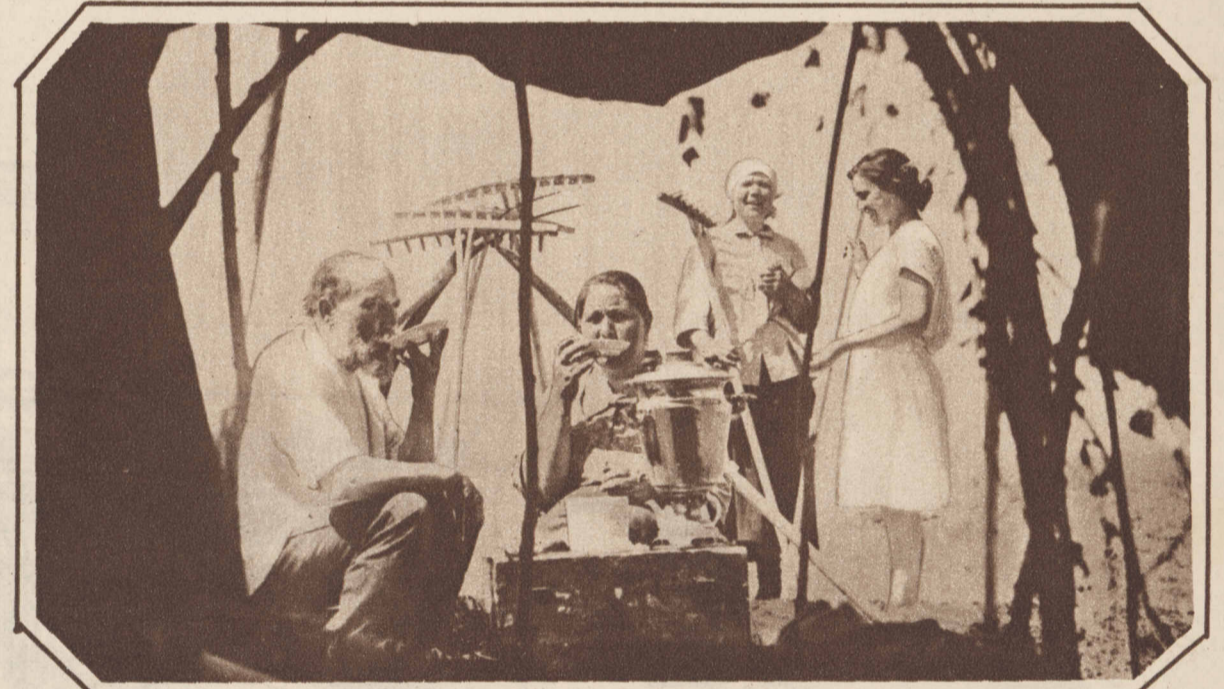
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THE RED ARMY prepares for eventualities. And "the bear which walks like a man," as Kipling once described him, wears a gas mask as he acquires a deadly aim in the open. The field maneuvers pictured here took place near Moscow.



SOUNDS OF WAR echoed throughout all Moscow during the army maneuvers. For the edification of the delegates to the sixth "Komintern" congress in that historic city, a sham battle was staged in the nearby countryside.



THE SAUCER THAT CHEERS—Bronnitski, governor of Moscow, sets an example for his comrades by toiling with the peasants—and showing them how to imbibe their liquids according to Muscovite etiquette—at harvest time.



THE PRESIDENT IN HIS OLD HOME TOWN—Michael Kalinin, head of the central executive committee of the Soviet union, knocks off work and for a few hours of respite joins the back-to-the-farm movement. The camera found him with his mother at his native village, Verkhaya Troiza.



A FIELD OF BOYS AND BAYONETS—More than 150,000 young Soviets stormed Red square, Moscow, recently to celebrate International Youth day. How a column of them, doing their "squads east" on the square, looked to the bystander is depicted here.

(All photographs from Wide World.)