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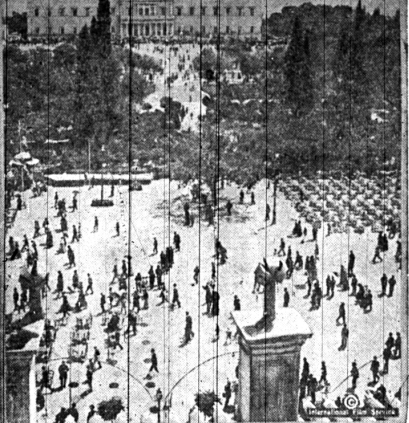
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Against a background of crumbling but magnificent marble temples, of massive aqueducts, of extensive amphitheatres, it is easy to forget the ties of sentiment which bind the life of the Greek of today to that of the classic worthies from whom he claims direct descent, according to a communication addressed to the National Geographic Society by George Higgins Moskos, formerly United States ambassador to Greece. Mr. Moskos in his magazine picture of the Athens of today and of the modern citizens of the city which reached the pinnacle of its greatness in the days of Pericles, says:

"I was with only a slight shock that I learned that the man who brought me my morning coffee at the station bore the tremendous name of Themistocles. And yet it is difficult to visualize the modern Athenian, with those who once walked his streets. "Thinking of Homer, of Pindarus, of Plato, and of the heroes of the Trojan War and of the Peloponnesian War, I felt that the man who brought me my morning coffee at the station bore the tremendous name of Themistocles. And yet it is difficult to visualize the modern Athenian, with those who once walked his streets."

"Athens Dines in the Open." "Everywhere about the town, on the roofs of clubs or hotels, in the gardens or on the terraces of restaurants, beneath the pepper trees of the parks, and even in the streets tables are spread, and I venture to say that more than 100,000 people dine in the open air each night of the Athenian summer. The cooking is more oriental than indigenous. Lamb or kid, with chicken—which has always seemed to me the national bird of the city—is the principal part of the menu. The food is served on the shores of Eleusis, some delicious wild duck, and other game birds are found near by, while plain, Turkish, and the more refined dishes of the Orient, and the Bulgarian ferment of talk, are standards in every Hellenic household.

"Personally, I found the Athenian climate agreeable, and I cannot recall a single day of my stay there when, even in the rainy season, the sun did not shine at least part of the time. Cool winds there were to be sure, in winter, blowing down from the snow-capped hills above the town or blowing up from the sea at Phaleron; but there were no frosts; the roses bloomed during every month of the year in the legion camps; oranges ripened in the open air; and we picked our breakfast fruit from the trees outside of the city walls. The rain, which flourishes there as I have seen it elsewhere, not even in the Riviera, the summer heat is easily endurable; although with constant temperature of nearly 80°.

"Blucher in the Hospital." "At the time of the seven years war there was very little knowledge of surgery, and the surgeons were often more than barbers, inexperienced and uneducated. They were commonly known as the 'Company of Pain,' a name that does not sound very complimentary. Lieutenant Blucher, afterward the famous field marshal, was wounded in the foot by a musket ball. At the hospital to which he was carried, the general surgeons began to probe the wound and cut promiscuously in its vicinity. Finally Blucher inquired, in spite of the pain, 'What sort of fellow is bringing you trying to do? The wound is large enough already. I should think "We're looking for the bullet," answered one of the officers sarcastically. "Oh! Oh!" cried Blucher angrily. "Why didn't you tell me that before? I have it in my pocket." And with that he drew it from his pocket, the bullet, which had been extracted from the wound himself.

"Amusement for Soldiers." "Soldiers at the front in France enjoyed performances such as traveling theater company, financed by the group of philanthropic French people. The entire paraphernalia necessary for these performances was packed in three big wagons which traveled from point to point along the lines in France.

**MARKET QUOTATIONS**

**Live Stock.**  
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Calves Receipts, 1,260. Best grade, \$11.50 to \$12.25; medium, \$8 to \$10; heavy, \$5.67.  
Sheep and Lambs Receipts, 2,519. Best lamb, \$10.10 to \$11; fair lambs, \$9 to \$9.50; mixed to common lambs, \$6.50 to \$8.50; culled and good sheep, \$3.50 to \$4.50.  
Hogs Receipts, 14,721. The run was large and the quality fair. Best grades, \$9.25 to \$9.60; pigs, \$8.75 to \$9.00.

**EAST BUFFALO—Cattle Receipts.** 235 cars; market steady; choice to prime native steers, \$9.50 to 10.25; good to choice, \$8.25 to 9.75; fair to good, \$7.25 to 7.75; plain to coarse, \$6.25 to 6.75; butchers, \$4.50 to 5.00; 10; best heavy butchers, \$2.25 to 2.75; light, \$1.65 to 2.00; best western steers and heifers, \$6.50 to 7; western heifers, \$6.25 to 6.50; best fat cow, \$4.50 to 5; butchers, \$4.50 to 5.00; cutters, \$4.50 to 4.75; canners, \$3.50 to 4; fancy bulls, \$6.75 to 7; butcher bulls, \$5.75 to 6.25; common, \$5.50 to 6; pigs, \$4.50 to 5.00; hogs—Receipts, 12,000. Cash market, \$10.00 to 10.25; yorkers, \$9.50 to 9.75; pigs, \$9. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 50 cars; market active; top lambs, \$10.50 to 10.75; Calves—Receipts, steady; top, \$12.50 to 13; fair to good, \$11.50 to 12.50; fed calves, \$6.50 to 7.

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