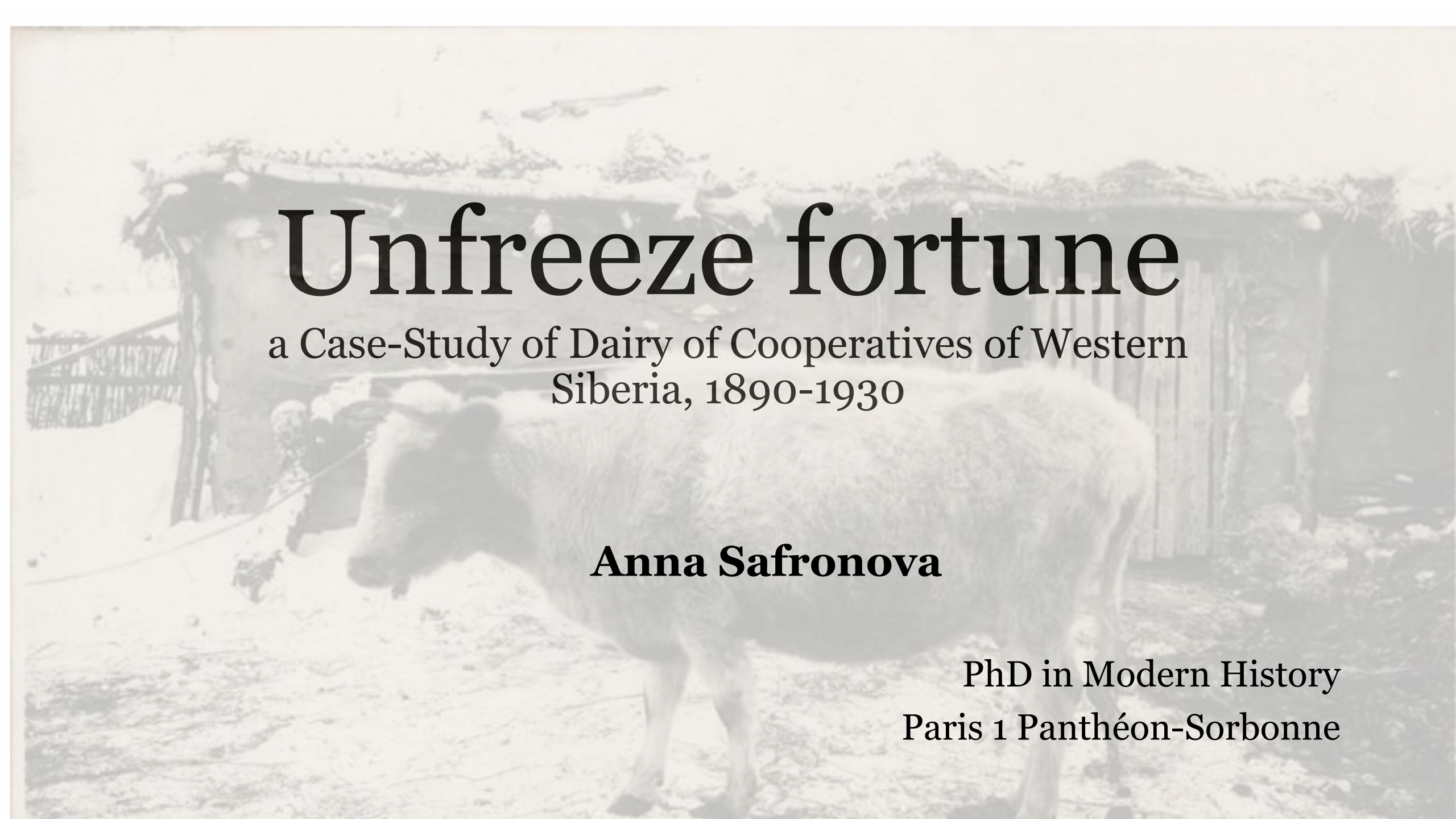




Unfreeze fortune

a Case-Study of Dairy of Cooperatives of Western
Siberia, 1890-1930

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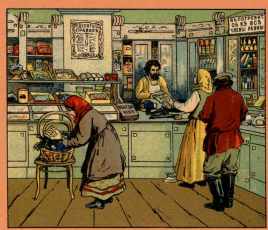
1. Сообща мы обсудили,
Какъ на свѣтъ лучше
жить. На собраньи пори-
шки Потребилкову отче-
крыть.



5. Дружно, братцы, безъ
заминки Мы для новой потре-
Накатаемъ новый биде-
грузъ. И да здравствуетъ
Союзу!



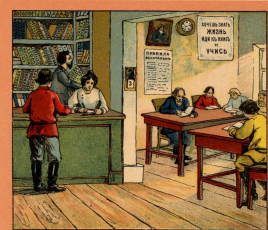
9. Обираювъ цѣны сбави-
вать, Дѣла-жъ этихъ не
Потребнику чтобъ. Знай, народъ-то да вы-
разбить. правлять.



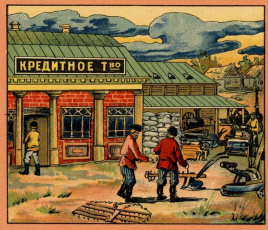
2. Въ потребилѣтъ нѣтъ
обиды, Неказна она съ ин-
Всѣ равны тутъ. Да первѣйшій въ ней
маздъ и старъ. товаръ.



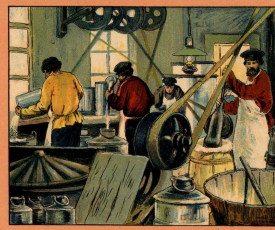
6. Потребилка, мать род-
ная, И журавль оны, играй,
Дѣткамъ елку убрали... Слово пеленъ шуръ
улы.



10. Библиотека-читальня
Для деревни ступи-
кладъ, Въ ней источникъ сви-
Да для большахъ и для. ты-знавъ



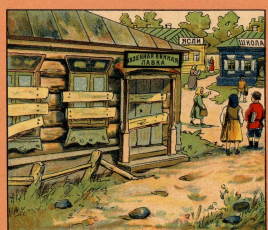
3. Обирали насъ не мало
Мироды пауки, Но другое, виднѣ,
Каждъ мы банимъ свой. стало...



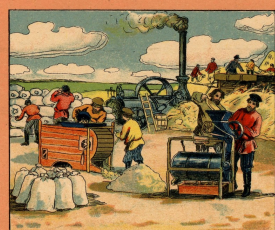
7. Трудъ и цѣны въ
нашей волѣ: Не урвутъ ужъ злы-
Всѣ въ артель спо- ной доли
тислись мы. Скупщики и кулаки.



11. Домъ народный... за-
глядывай, Въ немъ наука, раз-
Зеленѣетъ садикъ. вѣщение
тажъ. Въ часть досуга бдѣ-
нашамъ.



4. Школа, если для дѣ-
тишесъ... Много братья оны отъ
Плохо дѣло съ наба- «спини»
комъ, А теперь поимъ че-
ломъ.



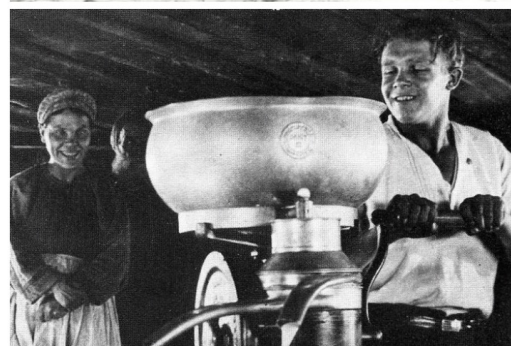
8. Сообща легка работа...
Глубже пауки — не. А послѣдняя забота:
плошай. Ждать обильнаго уро-
жай.



12. Яркій свѣтъ свой на-
дуютъ, И деревню приза-
Кооперацин надъ зем- вать
лей. Къ жизни связной,
трудоной!

Propaganda poster in 1917

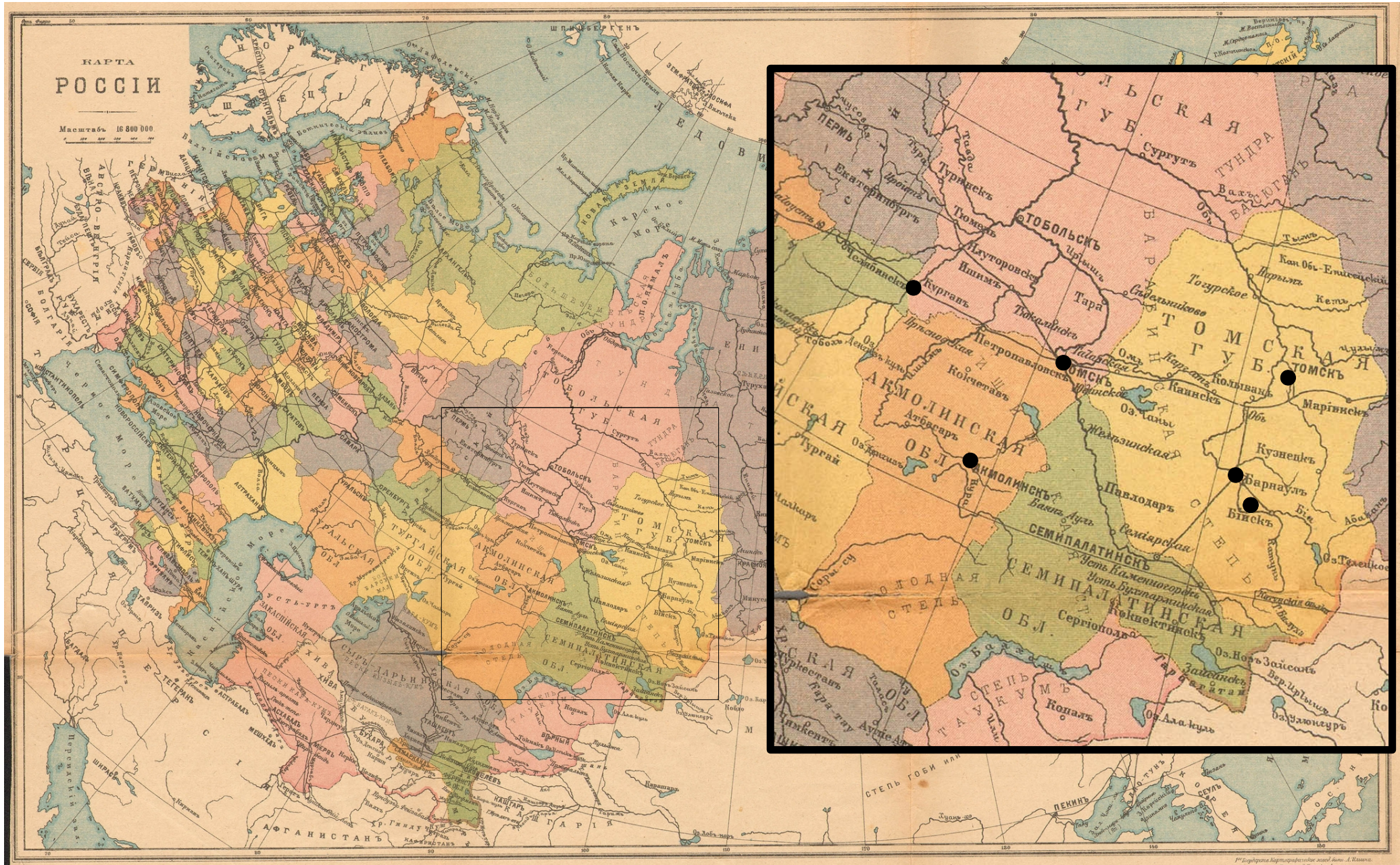
Sergei Eisenstein's film *The General line (The New and the Old)* 1929



Outline

- **I The social and political conditions of the success of the dairy cooperatives in Western Siberia in the Late Tsarist period, 1890s-1917**
- **II 1921-1928: a precarious reconstruction under the NEP period**

Russian Empire in 1914



Favourable conditions for dairy cooperatives

- 1896 - Railroad connecting the city of Kurgan, Siberia with the European part of the Empire
- Maturity of the dairy processing technology
- Environmental factors : rich and varied pastures, non corrupted by intensive agriculture
- Local factors : comparatively big peasant land allotments
- Governemental financial and administrative support
- Personal investment of socialial-reformers and agronomists

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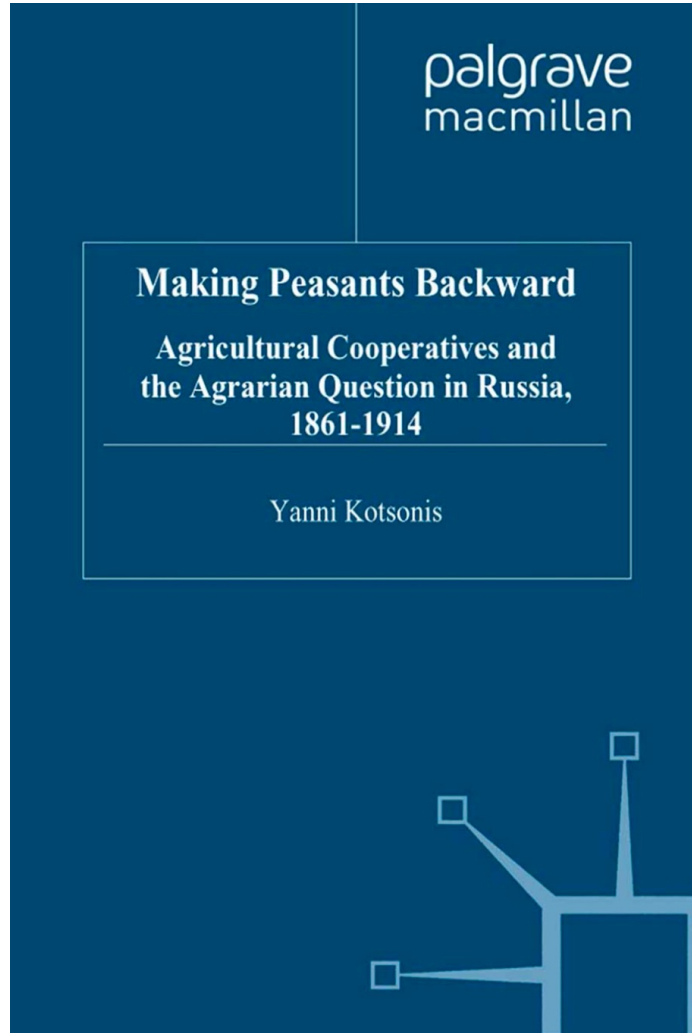
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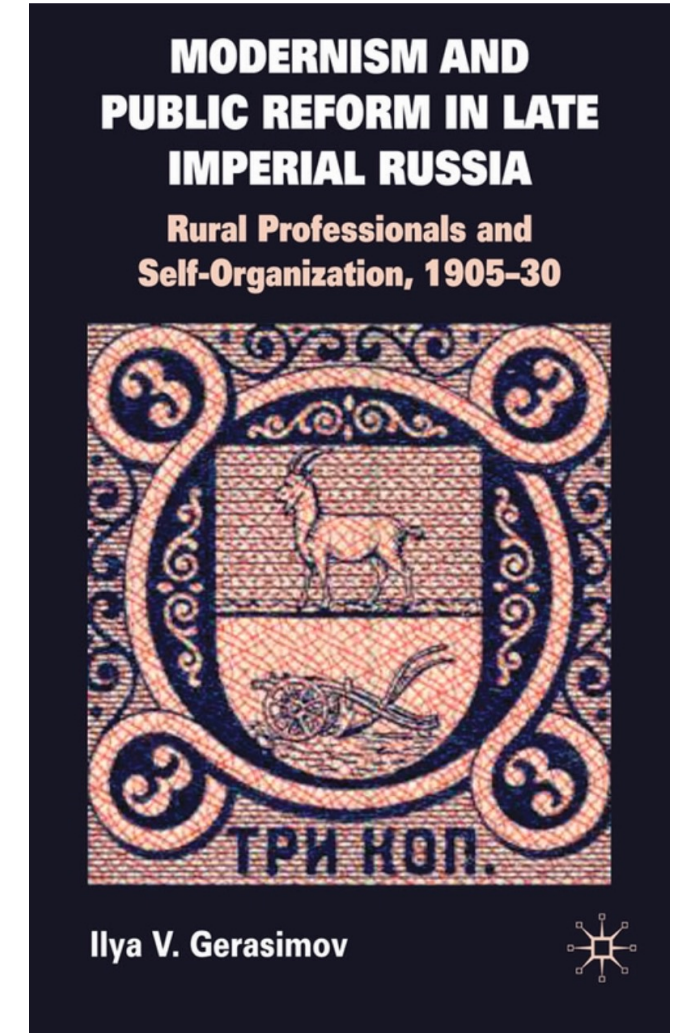
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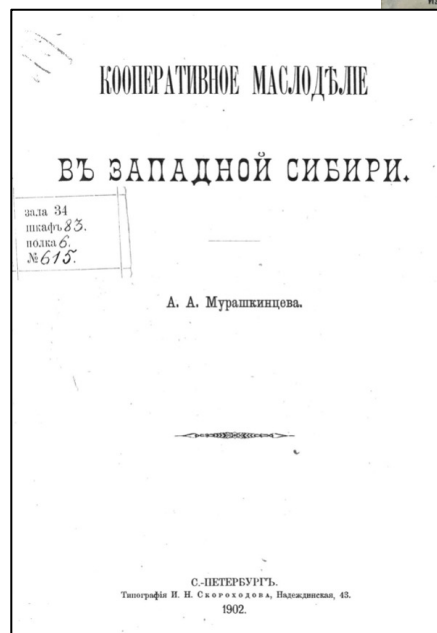
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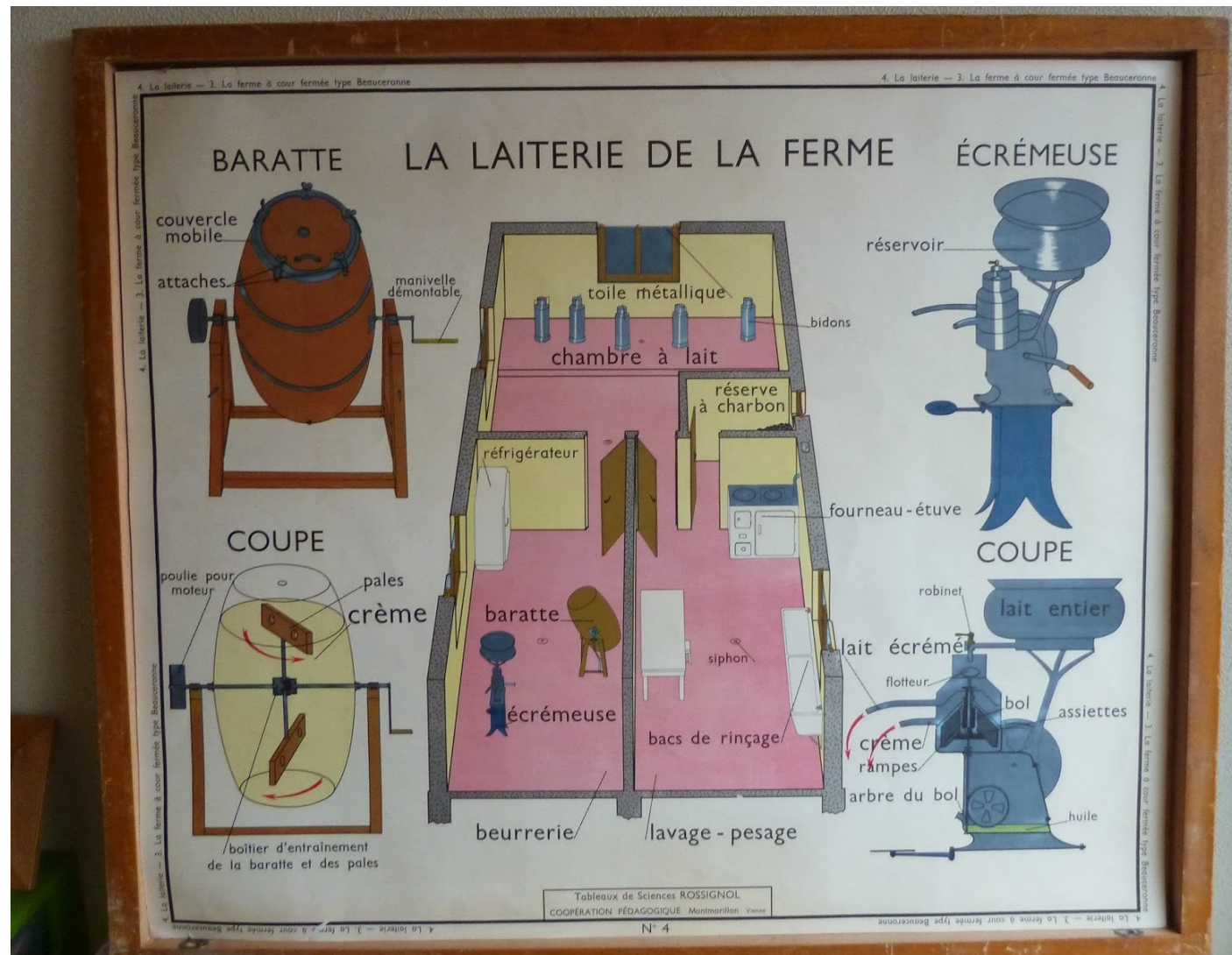
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What are the cooperatives ?



Inside a dairy cooperative



II 1921-1928: a precarious reconstruction after the Civil War (1917-1921) under the New Economic Policy (NEP) period, 1921-1930



October 1917 – Bolshevik revolution

20 of March 1919 – Consumer cooperatives are subject to the management of the soviets

20 of January 1920 – the remaining agricultural cooperatives are forbidden

1924 – the agricultural credit cooperatives are authorised again

Cooperatives destroyed after the civil war

Material loss :

1913 compared to 1923

- 85% decrease of volume of milk that producers bring to cooperatives to transform into butter.
- 94% decrease of volume of butter exported from Siberia abroad
- decrease in livestock : in 1913, a member of a cooperative owns 5 cows in average; in 1922 – 1,5.

Institutional loss:

- Radical change in the relationships between local producers and dairy cooperatives and regional cooperative unions
- Deterioration of relationships between local producers and agronomists

Omsk 1930

Moločnaâ kooperaciâ v Omskom okruge, Omsk, Omskij soûz moločnyh kooperativov, 1929.

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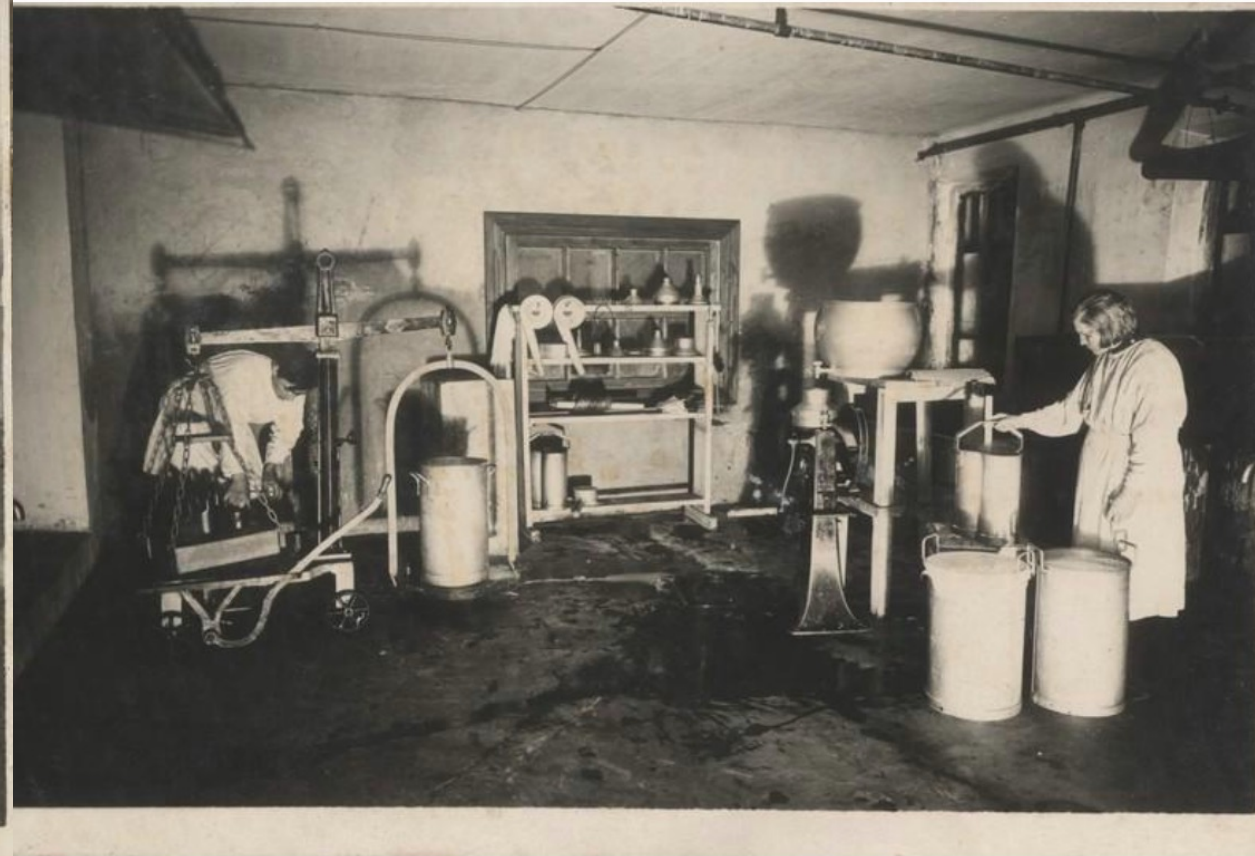
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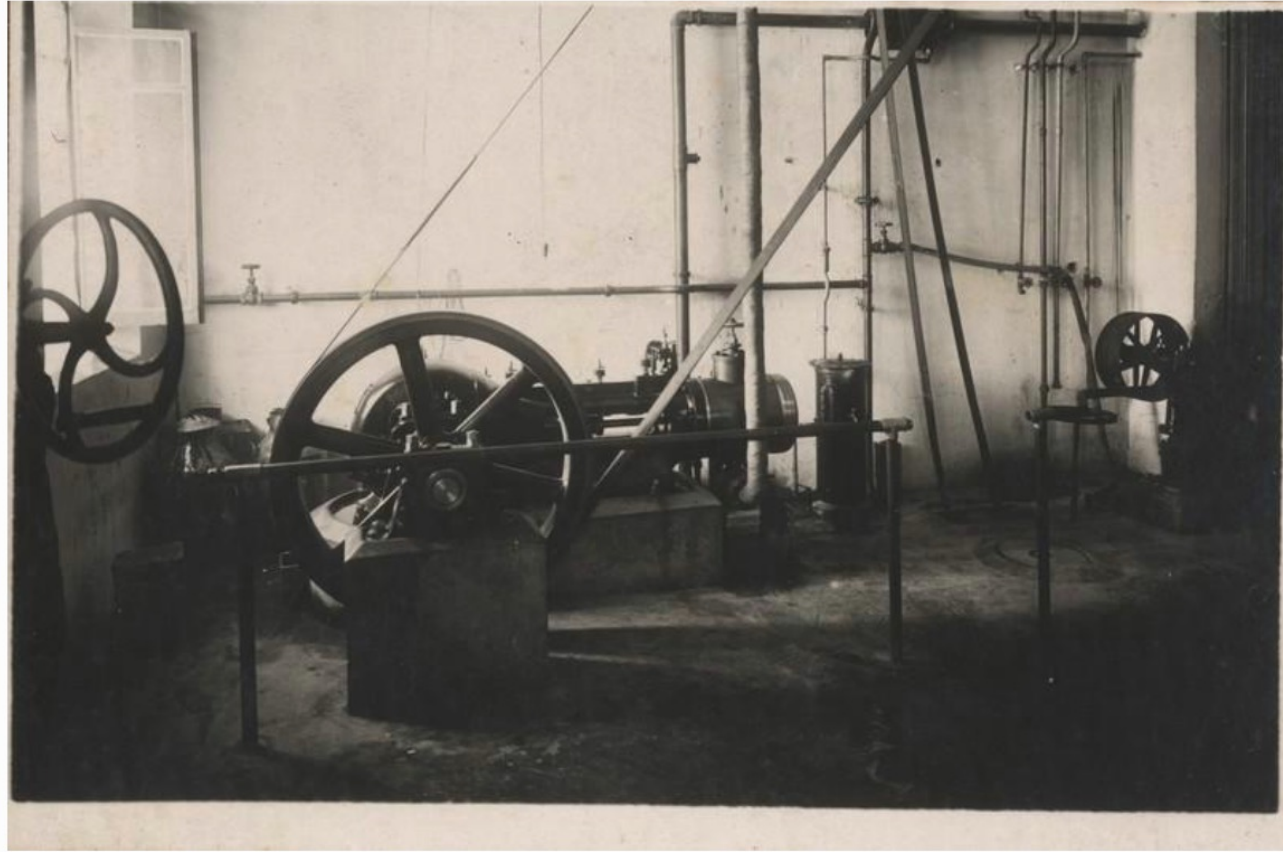
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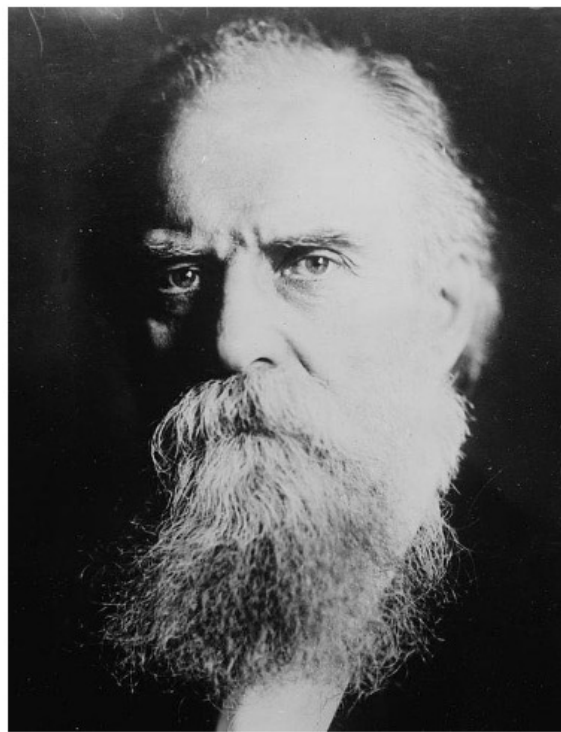


A black and white photograph of a cow standing in front of a rustic wooden building with a thatched roof. The cow is light-colored and is looking towards the left. The building has a thatched roof and a wooden fence in front of it. The text "Thank you !" is overlaid on the image.

Thank you !

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Čajkovskij Nikolaj Vasil'evič (1850-1926)



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