

22. Aug. 1925

Dear Inamusa.

At last I have received one letter from you, I thought you had already forgotten me, and will never write, I can write you very little more than I have told you in my previous letters. I am still at Dobruška, and have not as yet taken any position, but will have to decide very soon what to do, because I am losing the opportunity to choose.

I am sorry you are having all the trouble, I know you would have your hands full, what with the care of the house, children, dog, and out at work I can quite understand how you feel.

I am sorry to say I can help you very little as yet & most probably for some time to come my own position will not be quite clear. You will have to arm yourself with plenty of patience, and courage to pull the best way you can. At present I feel very strange and lonely, and believe me, if it were not for the sake of the children's future, I would ask you to come over & leave every thing behind. But the thought of the change for the children holds me back. I know how hard it will be for you for some time, you must of course take some one in to live, and if possible 2. people, and that will give you an opportunity to engage a good housekeeper.

It is a great pity you have rain just when the children are on their holiday, every thing seems to work against us now. However don't worry we will pull through some how. We had some ups & downs in life, and come out of it we will be better off some day yet.

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I am writing you practically every other day and will continue to do so, unless time will not permit. Tell Vera that from now on she must begin to understand that we are very, very, poor, and for a time at least she must make up her mind to give you as little cause to worry as possible. I know she will understand and realize. One or two years very hard work on her part, and serious attention means a great deal for the whole of her future life.

Send me a few Sneps, I want to show them to some friends.

Today Saturday, I am going to Sorokin's, Tomorrow Sunday I shall go to Dikanskiy's. I sent you a long letter through a Comrade, but you will not receive it until a week

or so later.

Do not worry at present, a few months hence will decide whether you will remain there or not.

Love to you Vera, Olga, and Hilda.

Vera must understand the reason

I did not go to Batten's to say good bye, I felt it would have been more difficult for me.

Yours as ever Sam.

Moscow 22. Aug. 1925

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Fond love to you Vera, Olga and Hilda.

Vera must understand the reason I did not go to Battens to say goodbye, I felt it would have been more difficult for me.

Yours as ever Sam.

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