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This heavy responsibility has come to me at the voluntary request of my brother, who has transferred the imperial throne to me during a period of warfare which is accompanied with unprecedented popular disturbances.

Moved by the thought which is in the minds of the entire people, that the good of the country is paramount, I have adopted the firm resolution to accept the supreme power only if this be the will of our great people...

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"A wonderful reception awaits the venerable Mme. Brezhnevskaya, known as the grandmother of the Russian revolution, who has been released from the Siberian prison where she has spent most of her life, but with her spirit unquenched.

"The revolutionist Burtzeff appeared in the Duma yesterday with Deputy Flank, after ten years in the Solovassburg prison. Both were cheered by the soldiers in the lobby. The political prisoners have been confined but preserved as historical relics.

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Miliukoff, Friend of America, Russia's Great War Optimist Leading Figure in Revolution Told Tribune Writer in Third Month of War Conflict Would Build Up Vast Democratic Machine to Oppose Autocracy

By ERNESTINE EVANS I first met Professor Paul Miliukoff in the third month of the war at a dinner party in Petrograd. He had been a vivid tradition at the University of Chicago, where he had delivered a course of lectures on Russian history, in 1901, and had been quite as much quoted on his repertory of cookery recipes, strange tricks for Zakuska and for his penetrating appreciation of American institutions as on his course.

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Miliukoff an Admirer of American Institutions Dr. Samuel T. Dutton, formerly of Teachers College, Columbia, told yesterday his impressions of Paul M. Miliukoff, Minister of Foreign Affairs, during his recent visit to New York.

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