

## **LEAFLET DİSTRİBUTED BY THE FOURTH INSPECTOR GENERAL DURING THE SECOND TUNCELİ PASİFİKATION OPERATION**

*(See: Kürdistan-İn The Shadow of History, Susan Meiselas, pp. 146, taken from the book Türkiye Cumhuriyeti 'nde Ayaklanmalar 1924-1938 – The Uprisings in the Republic of Turkey 1924-1938 by Reşat Hallı)*

“As you see you are surrounded by our soldiers.

Our planes are also flying over your heads and see what you are doing.

You were misled by a few fools.

You abandoned your homes and your fields, and in fear, distress, hardship and pain you carried your hangry, tired woman, children, animals into dark and stuffy caves.

Diseases will soon spread as a result of heat and hunger.

Our soldiers have conquered your mountains, penetrated everywhere and are about to enter into your final sanctuaries.

Yet the state does not hurt your children.

Even when she punishes those who disobey, her heart breaks for them.”