

HUNGARIANS HURL GIRLS INTO RIVER
Youth Sits in Judgment on Those Accused of Aiding Counter-Revolt

BLOOD ORGY IN BUDAPEST

By the Associated Press
Vienna, May 23.—Many persons accused of being counter-revolutionists are being executed in Budapest by the Hungarian communists, according to dispatches received here. The victims usually are shot in front of the Hungarian parliament house in the daytime or in the public school yard in the Markstrasse at night.

Among those who are said to have been executed are Hore Holan, manager of the Kaschau-Oderburg Railway; Bishop Balthasar, a hostage from Debrecen, and Colonel Dornay, of the general staff, who was taken from a hospital. Several girls, who were accused of making tricolor rosettes for the counter-revolutionists, also were executed.

The presiding judge of the revolutionary tribunal, which orders the executions it is said, is a former locksmith, twenty-two years of age. Many bodies of men and women and girls of the better classes have been found on the shores of islands in the Danube, below the city. It is reported that they were strangled in the residential quarter of Buda and were thrown into the Danube by guards who were taking them to prisons in Pest.

French colonial troops, the reports add, are expected to move on the city from the south. White guards and counter-revolutionists are preparing to cross the River Theiss, where they have taken the positions evacuated by the Rumanians who were withdrawn to the Bessarabian front.

The Bolsheviks' offensive against the Rumanians in Bessarabia is progressing according to reports received here from Ukrainian sources, because of inability of the Ukrainians under General Petlura to cut in behind the Bolsheviks in the direction of Kiev. General Petlura is said to be helpless because he has been deprived of the support of 50,000 West Ukrainian troops who are fighting unsuccessfully against the Poles under General Haller in the region south of Lemberg.

The advice says that the situation is considered serious for the Rumanians because they may also soon be attacked by the Hungarian communists.

The position of the Ukrainians, it is said, is still more serious. The troops of the Moscow government are approaching Petlura's base at Tarnopol.

Salford Carnival Tonight
The annual Salford street business men's carnival will be held tonight in the block between Vine and Callowhill streets. The funds raised will be spent for a safe and sane Fourth of July.

"ANGEL FACE" DIVORCED

Mrs. Elliott Wins Decree From Rich Mine Owner
New York, May 23.—Mrs. Violet B. Elliott, known by artists as "the girl with the angel face," yesterday secured a divorce from Charles B. Elliott, a wealthy mine owner, here. The decree gave to the mother the custody of their two beautiful children, Marilyn, eleven, and Marguerite, eight.
The first Mrs. Elliott, who won a decree of divorce from Elliott several years ago, now is living in Philadelphia.

TO RETURN KIAO-CHAU

Goto Declares Japan Will Carry Out Treaty With China
New York, May 23.—Japan has never altered her intention to return Kiao-Chau to China, according to Baron Shimpei Goto, former Japanese foreign minister, who spoke here last night at a dinner given in his honor by U. Yada, Japanese consul general. Baron Goto expressed surprise that presumably well-informed men are asking why the peace treaty does not include a provision for the restoration of Kiao-Chau to China. He said it was strange that the public did not yet clearly understand that the question was settled once and for all in the China-Japanese treaty of May, 1915.
"If Japan," said Baron Goto, "has some things to be justly proud of, her unwavering fidelity to foreign treaties is perhaps the foremost of such things. Our history of international dealings clearly shows that we never have entered into any treaty with any foreign nation without the sincerest intention of observing it to the letter."

FUNERAL OF BISHOP GREER

Ceremonies in New York Cathedral Marked by Extreme Simplicity
New York, May 23.—By A. P.—Funeral services for the Right Reverend David Hummel Greer, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of New York, were held this morning in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine. The services were marked by extreme simplicity, the occasion bringing together a large company of distinguished men and women. The master of ceremonies was the Rev. E. Briggs Nash, of the cathedral staff.
Six hundred persons were in the procession to the cathedral previous to the ceremonies and included a score of bishops and 400 clergy of Protestant denominations and the honorary pallbearers. The body was placed in the vault, which has been built in the crypt beneath the cathedral.

REDS SEEK PEACE AS DEFEATS GROW

Allied Troops in Northern Russia Turn Main Position of Bolsheviks

PETROGRAD IS MENACED

By the Associated Press
Paris, May 23.—A wireless message from Moscow to Bela Kun, the Hungarian Communist leader, probably from Teltchevich, the Russian Bolshevik foreign minister, asks that the Americans be told that the Bolsheviks did not refuse the Nansen food proposal, but they insist that the cessation of hostilities should be a subject for regular diplomatic negotiations.

Recurrent statements of the Bolsheviks appear to indicate that they desire negotiations looking to peace, especially in view of new defeats and the growing weakness of the Soviet government. Recognition of the Kolchak government by the Entente is expected almost any day by members of many of the delegations to the Peace Conference, who are of the opinion that General Denekine's army will join up with Kolchak's forces shortly, and regard the British navy's activities in the Baltic as a guarantee that the Bolsheviks may not be permitted to harass the Estonians and Finns, who are supporting the anti-Bolshevik forces which are gradually closing in on Petrograd.

London, May 23.—The allied troops on the north Russian front have carried out a successful turning movement against the main Bolshevik position, forcing the enemy to retreat southward, according to a north Russian official communication received here last night. Several towns were captured and many prisoners taken. The enemy also suffered heavy casualties. The communication says the turning movement was carried out May 20 north of Medvedjeyagora, six miles south of Lumbushki.

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on the railway; that the enemy was expelled from his position and is in full retreat.
The towns of Lumbushki, Ostreche and Kolodari were taken.
[This fighting was on the Murman railway front northeast of Petrograd just to the north of Lake Onega. Medvedjeyagora is a few miles west of Povlenez.]
Estonian forces are rapidly approaching Petrograd from the west, according to an official statement issued at Estonian army headquarters and received here. The text of the statement reads:
"The Estonians are advancing swiftly on Petrograd. Besides the town of Vanaburg, the railway stations at Weymann and Moloskowitz, on the Narva-Petrograd line, have been captured, and the town of Koorje and several villages near Kohganpa, on the Finnia Gulf, have been occupied. This brings

the Estonians within fifty miles of Petrograd."
Arelhangel, May 20 (delayed).—Russian troops co-operating with the Allied force on the Murman front captured the town of Povlenez, at the head of Lake Onega, on Saturday.
DIVIDE DISASTER BLAME
Responsibility for Halifax Blast, Costing 1600 Lives, Shared by Ships Halifax, N. S., May 23.—Responsibility for the Halifax explosion, which devastated the greater part of the city and exacted a toll of 1600 lives in December, 1917, rests equally upon the steamships Mont Blanc and Imo, according to a decision handed down by the Supreme Court at Ottawa. The explosion occurred when the two

steamers collided. The decision reverses one by Justice Drysdale, of Halifax in the spring of 1918, placing the blame on the Mont Blanc. Solicitors for the Imo said they would appeal their case to the privy council in England.
Responsibility for the explosion will involve liability for claims aggregating many millions, it is said.

Negro Shot in Fight
Leon Wright, of 1238 Webster street, is dying in the Howard Hospital from gunshot wounds in the abdomen and arm, inflicted, according to the police, by Hossie Pugh, twenty-two years old, of Christian street near Thirteenth, during a quarrel at Thirteenth and Webster streets early today. Both are negroes.

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