

60,000 BOLSHIEVIKI TOOK KRONSTADT

Communists Within Fortress Assisted in Overthrow of Revolutionary Forces

REFUGEES IN FINLAND

By the Associated Press.
Stockholm, March 18.—Reports that the Russian naval fortress of Kronstadt, the center of the revolution against the Soviet government, has been taken by the Bolsheviks appear to be confirmed in dispatches reaching here from Finland. Leon Trotsky, Russian Bolshevik minister of war, directed the assault on the fortress. It is said, and hurried upward of 60,000 men at its defenses.

Address would seem to indicate that Communists within the fortress and town of Kronstadt assisted the Bolshevik forces when the latter broke into the outer parts of the place. The garrison, numbering approximately 15,000, is declared to have been exhausted by the constant bombardment of the place, and were poorly equipped in some important points along the defense lines.

Many of the defenders of Kronstadt, together with the commander of the revolutionary forces, are reported to have escaped into Finland across the ice. The revolutionary committee when it reached Finland, was accompanied by several hundred fugitives, including the fall of Kronstadt. General Kosslovsk, leader of the revolution, also arrived in Finland.

Before retreating from Kronstadt the revolutionists blew up the warships *Petrovich* and *Selastopol*.
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M. Kuzmin participated in the final liquidation of the rising, the witness adds.

From the time the revolt began there was no such heavy cannonade as Kronstadt launched yesterday against Kronstadt. The Russian Soviet government, in confirming by wireless to the capture of Kronstadt by Bolshevik troops, says M. Kuzmin, Soviet Commissioner of the Baltic fleet, and M. Vasilev, chairman of the Kronstadt Soviet, who were arrested at the beginning of the rising, were released by the Bolsheviks on their entry into Kronstadt.

Kronstadt was taken by the Soviet forces at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, according to reports received here.

The engagement began Wednesday evening with artillery preparation, in which all the shore batteries joined. Great damage was done and many persons were injured by the falling buildings. The bombardment culminated in a most intense struggle, and at 3 o'clock Thursday morning, Trotsky launched his main attack from Oranienbaum.

For the assault here Trotsky had concentrated the whole of the new Soviet Army, consisting of 100,000 men from all the Russian cities and other troops. Favored by fog the attacking forces advanced, led by a white-clad detachment in open formation and followed by heavy columns.

Kronstadt fired its ten-inch guns, and when the attacking forces were near enough opened with a machine gun fire, causing severe losses.
Constantinople, March 17.—(By A. P.)—General Babas, War minister, former anti-Bolshevik leader, on the Russian front is opposing to the government of the United States and other countries to furnish money so that his army, which now numbers 200,000, the only trained anti-Bolshevik force remaining, need not be disbanded.

The French, according to continuing reports, has promised the participation of its army, asserting that with the exception of the officers, it was mistaken rumors which prevented the evacuation of General Wrangel's men from the Crimea.

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LAW'S RESIGNATION THREATENS CRISIS

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The governor characterized the league movement as one to teach class-biased doctrine. Former United States Senator J. R. Burton, who was escorted from Great Bend last Saturday night, was one of those refused permission to speak at the Marion meeting, according to reports reaching the governor's office. Governor Allen directed the attorney general to bring Marion officials here and question them concerning the affair.

SHIP TO BRING 1000 ALIENS
Immigrants Will Embark on Adriatic, Which Sails Next Week

Berlin, March 18.—(By A. P.)—One thousand persons emigrating from Europe to the United States will sail on board the steamship *Adriatic* on March 23, it is announced here. These emigrants have received a preliminary medical inspection.

The floodgate of European emigration will remain open until March 23, it is said at the American consulate here, officials having received instructions to defer until that time enforcement of the regulation requiring a period of quarantine prior to the departure of emigrants.

200,000 Face Strike in Denmark
Copenhagen, March 18.—(By A. P.)—A lockout of workers in the iron and metal industry, the textile, shoe and brick factories and in the sawmills has been declared by the employers' organization. In retaliation the cooperative trades unions have called a strike to commence March 20, which will involve 200,000 workers.

ACCUSE JAPANESE LEADER OF BRIBERY

Riot Follows Announcement of Charges Against Kato at Opposition Meeting

CRISIS BELIEVED IMPENDING

By the Associated Press.
Tokyo, March 18.—Riotous scenes were enacted at a meeting of the Kensei-Kai, or opposition party, which had gathered here yesterday to discuss a sensational open letter written by Secretary Hirooka, of the Seiyun-Kai party, charging Viscount Kato, president of the Kensei-Kai, with accepting a bribe. The meeting was attended by 10,000 persons, and seven representatives of the Seiyun-Kai attempted to speak a dozen men rushed forward and demolished the platform. This increased the excitement, and there were many fights in the crowd, and the police were forced to intervene, making many arrests.

Woman Sues After Odd Accident
Lancaster, Pa., March 18.—Injured in a peculiar manner, Mrs. George Carroll, of Lancaster, yesterday brought in court for \$20,000 damages against the Gooding Traction Co., White setting for a Lancaster and Coatesville trolley car near Leaman place, six weeks ago, an automobile that ran out of a public road was struck by the trolley car and buried against plaintiff, breaking her legs, her nose and jaw bone.

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9 Taupe or Brown Coney	160.00	79.50
11 Trimmed Pony	165.00	79.50
11 French Seal	160.00	79.50
9 Trimmed Marmot	185.00	89.50
9 Trimmed Leopard Cat	200.00	98.50
7 Trimmed Marmot	200.00	98.50
9 Trimmed French Seal	225.00	110.00
9 Natural Muskrat	250.00	125.00
12 French Seal Wraps	295.00	125.00
4 Natural Raccoon	290.00	115.00
5 French Seal Wraps	325.00	145.00
5 Jap Mink	335.00	165.00
8 Trimmed French Seal	225.00	175.00
5 Natural Raccoon	350.00	175.00
6 Trimmed Hudson Seal	350.00	175.00
1 Scotch MoleSkin	495.00	215.00
7 Hud. Seal, Skunk Trim'd	575.00	285.00
7 Hud. Seal, Beaver Trim'd	575.00	285.00
2 Australian Opossum	695.00	345.50
9 Hudson Seal Wraps	750.00	395.00
6 Natural Squirrel	795.00	395.00
5 MoleSkin Wraps	845.00	495.00
9 Hudson Seal Wraps	1000.00	495.00
1 Squirrel Wraps	1000.00	495.00
1 Natural Mink	2500.00	995.00
1 Natural Mink Wrap	3000.00	1650.00

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16 Australian Opossum Chokers	19.50	7.50
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9 Jap Mink Chokers	20.00	7.50
8 Brown Fox Chokers	30.00	14.50
9 Taupe Wolf Scarfs	30.00	14.50
12 Brown Fox Scarfs	30.00	14.50
12 Natural Mink Chokers	30.00	15.00
6 Korean Kolinsky Chokers	35.00	15.00
8 Fitch Chokers	39.00	15.00
7 Jap Kolinsky Chokers	39.00	15.00
9 Taupe Fox Scarfs	40.00	19.50
5 Black Wolf Scarfs	50.00	24.50
11 French Seal Stoles	65.00	29.50
15 Stone Marten Chokers	85.00	39.50
4 Hudson Bay Sable Chokers	100.00	49.50
6 Hudson Seal Stoles	100.00	49.50
4 Scotch MoleSkin Stoles	135.00	64.50
4 Blue Fox Chokers	160.00	79.50
5 Platinum Grey Fox Chokers	160.00	79.50
2 Australian Opossum Stoles	165.00	79.50
6 Squirrel Stoles	175.00	84.50
4 Jap Mink Stoles	165.00	89.50
3 Natural Fisher Chokers	225.00	110.00
1 Silver Fox Scarf	295.00	145.00
2 Hudson Seal Coatees	295.00	145.00
1 Scotch MoleSkin Coatee	450.00	210.00
1 Russian Kolinsky Coatee	450.00	245.00
1 Broadtail Coatee	495.00	295.00
1 Natural Squirrel Coatee	595.00	345.00
1 Natural Mink Coatee	795.00	495.00