

PERSIANS HANGED IN TABRIZ STREETS BY RUSSIAN EDICT

Bodies of Men Who Attacked Czar's Troops Left Dangling to Awe Public.

TABRIZ, Persia, Jan. 2.—Eight Persians were hanged yesterday by order of the Russian court-martial, and another eight were executed this afternoon in connection with the recent attack on the Russian troops.

The Russian court martial sitting here on the Persians captured during the recent fighting in the streets of this city is making a heavy toll for the casualties suffered by the Russian troops. The officers composing the court martial are trying the prisoners in batches, and in nearly every case they are condemned to be summarily hanged and their bodies displayed throughout the day in the public square.

Among those hanged was Shegret Uli Islam, the head of one of the religious sects and the chief member of the local assembly Salk Salem.

Shegret Uli Islam, brother of the assassin, arrived here this afternoon to assume the Governorship. He was escorted by a body of Russian Cossacks.

PRESIDENT SUN IN OFFICE, CHANGES CHINESE CALENDAR

His First Official Act Is to Make New Year Conform to That of Modern Nations.

HANKING, China, Jan. 2.—Dr. Sun Yat Sen has taken the oath of office as Provisional President of the Chinese Republic and been formally invested with the powers of Chief Executive. The ceremony was simple and was attended by all the prominent men of the revolutionary party.

The first official act of President Sun was to change the Chinese calendar. He made New Year's Day the first day of his Presidency, thus marking the commencement of a new era and making the Chinese year begin henceforth on the same day as the year begins in most other countries of the world.

After taking the oath of office, the new President delivered an address in which he promised to discontinue the Manchu trade and to devote his entire energy to the Chinese nation and aid the Chinese people to realize its aspirations. When the Manchus had finally abdicated and peace was restored to the nation, he would, he said, resign his provisional office.

President Sun Yat Sen next delivered a lengthy address in the form of a proclamation. In it he announced that a strong central government would be organized, the entire administrative system remodelled and modernized and a Parliament representative of the people be elected. "The provinces," he said, "will be autonomous as regards local affairs, and each would select its own Governor."

MIDSHIPMEN'S CLUB RAIDED BY NAVAL AUTHORITIES.

Big Stock of Drinkables Found in Annapolis Resort and Inquiry to Follow.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 2.—A board of officers was today appointed by the Naval Academy to investigate alleged drinking among the midshipmen. This action followed a raid yesterday by naval and civil authorities of a clubroom in Annapolis which, it is alleged, was maintained by midshipmen. It was found to be well stocked with all kinds of intoxicants. The midshipmen were in the room when the raiding party entered, but while an inventory of the drinkables was being made one came in. Seeing what was going on he beat a hasty retreat, but not before he was recognized.

DIES IN HER LONELY HOUSE.

Mrs. Adams, Expert Western Union Operator, Found Dead by Nephew.

Mrs. Marietta F. Adams, sixty-eight years old, a widow, was found dead today in the four-story granite house she occupied alone at No. 40 Fifth street, Brooklyn. She had been dead about five days.

Samuel J. Phillips, a nephew of the dead woman, found the body on a couch, fully dressed, when he came to visit her.

Mrs. Adams had been employed by the Western Union Company for thirty-five years as an expert operator. She was to have been retired on half pay yesterday. It is said she had accumulated about \$60,000.

BAD CHECK FOR GUARANTEE.

Contractor Says Real Estate Man Holds Up His \$500.

Julius H. Haas, a real estate broker of wide acquaintance in the Bronx, who has offices in the Arco Building, Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, was held in \$100,000 bond by Magistrate Corrigan in Morrisania Court today on complaint of Jacob Cohen, a contractor.

Cohen said that he had deposited \$50 with Haas as a guarantee for finishing a job on time. The job was completed as promised and for two months Cohen had not heard out of Haas.

NEW SUBWAY BID SOON FROM INTERBOROUGH

Question of Operation to Be Settled by End of the Month, Is Predicted.

New light came to-day on the negotiations for the operation of the new subways, and a promise of definite action. To inquirers at the offices of the Public Service Commission Chairman Wilcox said there was no official action in sight for the day. He refused to speculate upon the future, but showed an air of expectancy that repudiated stories that prospects of a new deal from the Interborough had vanished.

From the financial district, in which the subway deal is one of the greatest issues, came practical assurance that the Interborough and the public officials had reached a state of mind that meant an early proposition.

Up to the close of the year the fight was reported to have hung upon the amount of revenue the city would guarantee to the Interborough under a new contract. The Interborough originally demanded nine per cent. five for bond payments, one for sinking fund and three for operating profit. This had been turned down by the Public Service Commission and the Board of Estimate.

At the end of last week conference among the officials and the Pennsylvania Railroad's representative, Henry P. Davidson of J. P. Morgan & Co., was said to have reduced the difference as

to the guarantee in one-quarter of 1 per cent. It was understood that the officials were willing to let the Interborough have \$4 per cent. and that the company was willing to take \$3.

The chief concern of the Interborough, it is now said, is to prevent as far as possible competition that will interfere with the earnings of existing lines. One of the highest authorities said today that the end of the month would, in his judgment, find the Interborough in the field with a practical proposition that the city could accept.

Pennsylvania officials gave the assurance that that road had no intention of becoming interested in either traction system in New York.

The only official statement during the day about the negotiations was an arrangement made last summer, by which the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company was allowed the Broadway and Fifth Avenue street lines, will stand. The Interborough understands this, through the representatives of the Pennsylvania who have been at the



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2 x 2 1/2 yds., \$2.75, 3.00, 3.25, 3.75, 4.00, 4.75, 5.75, 6.25, 7.50, 8.50.
2 x 3 yds., \$3.75, 4.00, 4.50, 5.50, 6.25, 7.00, 8.50, 9.50, 10.00, 14.50.
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