

# **The Daily Worker Slights Soviet Troops' Activities**

The Daily Worker, New York Communist newspaper, yesterday and again today omitted any mention of the reports that Soviet troops killed Hungarians in Budapest in helping to quell the revolt there.

The Communist newspaper yesterday merely referred to the presence of Soviet troops in Hungary and cited travelers' reports that Soviet forces had surrounded Budapest with armored units.

Editorially, yesterday, the Worker characterized the revolt in these terms: "Counter-revolutionaries and outright supporters of the former Horthy dictatorship have taken advantage of the widespread popular demonstrations and pressure for democratization." [Admiral Nicholas Horthy ruled Hungary from 1920 to 1944.]

This morning's Worker said that, "essentially, it is the reactionary element so dear to 'official Washington' who provocatively introduced or inspired the anti-Soviet and anti-socialist cries and some of the criminal acts, like incendiarism and use of weapons."

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