APPENDIX 2. INDIVIDUALS SENTENCED TO DEATH AND EXECUTED IN ESTONIA IN 1940–1941 BY DIFFERENT WAR TRIBUNALS. EXECUTIONS WITHOUT ANY JUDICIAL PROCEDURE

INDIVIDUALS SENTENCED TO DEATH AND EXECUTED IN ESTONIA IN 1940–1941 BY DIFFERENT WAR TRIBUNALS

Below are the details of those individuals sentenced to death by the various Soviet war tribunals operating in Estonia in 1940–1941. Most of them were executed in Estonia and there are documentary records regarding the death sentence imposed on them by the tribunal. Most of those sentenced to death were executed on the basis of section § 58 of the Russian SFSR penal code for political crimes. In the table, there is also a summary of the accusations made against the people sentenced to death. It must be remembered that these were not the court decisions of a state based on the rule of law, and on the whole the people before the tribunal did not have the right of defence. Also the accusations were often fabricated, especially those connected with secret cooperation with the Estonian political police, military intelligence and the secret services of other countries as well as alleged involvement in the killing of communists.

There were more death sentences and executions in Estonia, but not all documents have survived. For example, Jaan Teemant and Jaan Tõnisson, both having been heads of state, were imprisoned by the NKVD on 24 July and 12 December 1940 respectively, but nothing is known of their fate after that. Jaan Tõnisson's name was printed on 4 July 1941 in a list of prisoners (a total of 497 individuals with their surname, first name, father's name and year of birth) who were to be sent from Tallinn Central Prison to the Soviet Union (to prison camps), but his name, along with a few dozen others, was later crossed off. According to other sources, most of those whose names were removed from the list were executed in Estonia on 3 and 4 July 1941.

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NAME OF SENTENCED	TRIBUNAL / TRIBUNAL'S INDICTMENT	ARRESTED	EXECUTED
	11 Dec. 1940 War Tribunal of Baltic Special Military District		
Pilter, Aleksander (*1919), Vesiloo, Vello (*1919)	Conscripts. Deserted from the Red Army 22nd Territorial Rifle Corps and tried to escape to Finland.	1 Nov. 1940	6 Jan. 1941 in Tallinn
	5 Jan. 1941 War Tribunal of Baltic Special Military District		
Lebedev, Vladimir (*1890)	Served in General Denikin's army during Russian Civil War. In 1932–1940 secret co- worker of the Estonian Political Police in Petseri.	6 Nov. 1940	5 Jan. 1941
	6 Jan. 1941 War Tribunal of Baltic Special Military District		
Laane, Arved (*1916)	2nd Lieutenant of Estonian army, command- er of artillery battery of the 42nd Rifle Regiment of the 22nd Territorial Rifle Corps. Received 5,000 kroons on 27 November for purchasing forage. Never returned. Was arrested in Tallinn in a restaurant. Charged with deserting.	12 Dec. 1940	3 Feb. 1941 in Riga
Tarando, Peeter (*1885)	Former officer of the Russian imperial army, during Russian Civil War company leader of the Red Army 2nd Petrograd Regiment, defected to the Whites' side. Thereafter Captain in the Army of General Nikolai Yudenich. Co-operated with Estonian Political Police. During the Winter War was willing to go to the assistance of the Finns.	5 Sept. 1940	
	7 Jan. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Maakar (Makarov), Jaan 1893)	1919–1920 Sergeant Major in the Russian White Army, served in the commandatur of a division. Was involved in arrests and exe- cutions of communists.	9 Oct. 1940	5 April 1941 at Pirita-Kose
	17 Jan. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Madisson, Evald (*1906)	Secret co-worker of the NKVD, earlier secret agent of Estonian Political Police. Kept his past in secret and disinformed the NKVD authorities.	7 Aug. 1940	24 April 1941 at Pirita-Kose
	17 Jan. 1941 War Tribunal of the 8th Army		
Pedak, Hans (*1893), Cross of Liberty I/3	Was charged with having led a unit during the War of Independence in 1919 which ter- rorised the Reds and shot prisoners-of-war	1 Oct. 1940	5 April 1941 in Tallinn

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NAME OF SENTENCED	TRIBUNAL / TRIBUNAL'S INDICTMENT	ARRESTED	EXECUTED
	22 Jan. 1941 War Tribunal of the 8th Army		
Salnikov, Ivan (*1912)	In 1938–1940 secret co-worker of Estonian Political Police at Kohtla-Järve. As a member of the board of the trade unions provided information about the mood of the workers.	15 Oct. 1940	5 April 1941
Seiman, Aleksander (*1886), Cross of Liberty I/2, II/2 and II/3	25 Jan. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces Colonel, in 1924–1925 Commander of the Defence League. Later served as Assistant to the Commanders of Air, Coastal and Internal Defence.	29 Nov. 1940	5 April 1941 in Tallinn
	29 Jan. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Riit, Voldemar (*1905)	In 1936–1940 secret co-worker of Estonian Political Police at Tapa. Participated in the work of trade unions; with his assistance Oskar Abori was arrested in 1938 and sent out to Viljandi.	28 Sept. 1940	23 April 1941 in Tallinn
	1 Feb. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Talbak, Teodor (*1901)	In 1937–1940 secret co-worker of Estonian Political Police at Tapa. As a trade union sec- retary provided information about the mood of the workers.	29 Nov. 1940	14 May 1941
	3 Feb. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Mironov, Pavel (*1892)	Came in 1931 illegally from the Soviet Union to Estonia. From 1931 member of the Monarchist Union of the Russian White Guards in Estonia.	8 Oct. 1940	23 June 1941
	8 Feb. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Suuremaa (Sürjemaa)- Arkhipov, Mihhail (*1881)	1920 arrested in Petrograd for counterrevolu- tionary activities. Released in 1922, escaped to Estonia. 1936–1940 agent of the 2nd Department of the General Staff of Estonian Armed Forces. Went repeatedly illegally to the Soviet Union.	9 Aug. 1940	5 April 1941

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	10 Feb. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Belugin, Vasili (*1890), Strekopytov, Vladimir (*1890), Zhilin, Vasili, Utekhin, Vladimir (*1891)	At the outbreak of Russian Civil War served in the Red Army (Belugin was Commander of the 68th Regiment, Zhilin Intelligence Chief of the same regiment). Defected to the army of Simon Petlyura. Took part in the "counter- revolutionary" uprising in Gomel led by Strekopytov and were involved in killing local communists. Served later in the Army of Yudenich.	1 Nov. 1940, 17 Oct. 1940, 7 Dec. 1940, 12 Dec. 1940 respectively	5 April 1941 at Pirita-Kose
	11 Feb. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Lillimägi, Aleksander (*1896)	In 1922 photographer of Estonian Defence Police. Took part in hiding the body of Viktor Kingissepp. In 1930–1935 secret co-worker of Estonian Political Police, was involved in the War of Independence Veterans' League.	15 Oct. 1940	5 April 1941 at Pirita-Kose
Äro (Erro), August (*1900)	In 1925 was arrested with charges of espi- onage. Was sentenced to 8 years imprison- ment. In 1931 was recruited as an agent of political police and released from prison.	6 Oct. 1940	4 May 1941 at Pirita-Kose
	15 Feb. 1941 War Tribunal of the 8th Army		
Koha, Harald (*1919), Lumiste, Johannes (*1918), Rootalu, Hugo-Lembit (*1918)	Deserted from the Red Army 22nd Territorial Rifle Corps and tried to escape to Finland.	30 Dec. 1940, 30 Dec. 1940 and 27 Nov. 1940 respectively	24 April 1941 at Pirita-Kose
	18 Feb. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Samennikov, Sergei (*1896)		21 Dec. 1940	5 April 1941 at Pirita-Kose
	19 Feb. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Jaas, Ants (*1905)	Member of the Defence League. After sur- pressing of the revolt of 1 December 1924 handed three hiding communists over to Political Police.	4 Oct. 1940	23 April 1941

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	20 Feb. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Joonson, Mihkel (*1889)	During the War of Independence served in Viljandi Commandantur, took part in the exe- cutions of communists sentenced to death. Member of the War of Independence Veterans' League.	17 Sept. 1940	23 April 1941 in Tallinn
	22 Feb. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Meitsev, Ivan (*1885)	During Russian Civil War served in the Army of Yudenich.	15 Oct. 1940	24 April 1941
	25 Feb. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Yeremeyev, Ivan (*1872)	Contrabandist, in 1929 was recruited to Estonian Intelligence Service. In 1929–1931 was involved in intelligence operations in Pskov region.	16 Sept. 1940	24 April 1941 at Pirita-Kose
Rähk, Konstantin	Took part in surpressing the 1 Dec. 1924 revolt. Handed communist Promm over to the Political Police, who was then shot. Was involved in the War of Independence Veterans' League. After occupation of Estonia was a secret co-worker of the NKVD, kept his past a secret.	17 Oct. 1940	24 April 1941 in Tallinn
	26 Feb. 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Ristikivi, Evald (*1901)	Member of the ECP from 1923. From 1924 agent of the Political Police. Witness on court proceedings of 149 communists in 1924. Was locomotive mechanic, visited repeatedly the Soviet Union, was also charged with espi- onage.	11 Sept. 1940	24 April 1941 at Pirita-Kose
Pobol, Hugo (*1895)	In 1925–1931 Political Police assistant in Tartu, in 1931–1934 served in local constabu- lary.	23 Oct. 1940	24 April 1941
	5 March 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Bushuyev, Konstantin (*1886)	In 1919 was company leader in the Red Army defected to the Estonian side with his whole company. Later served in the Army of Yudenich, after the war served in Tallinn Central Prison.	, 7 Sept. 1940	24 April 1941 at Pirita-Kose
Maavere, Märt (*1901)	In 1939–1940 Assistant Commissar of Tartu Political Police, in 1940 Commissar of Narva.	12 July 1940	23 April 1941 at Pirita-Kose

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Nykänen, Sulho-Väinö (*1894)	Policeman, former officer of Finnish White Army. Fought in the beginning of the 1920s in Karelia against the Red Army, later with Russian Whites at Archangel front.	10 Dec. 1940	23 April 1941 at Pirita-Kose
	6 March 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Juurvee, Vello (*1908)	Political Police assistant in Narva.	19 Nov. 1940	14 May 1941 in Tallinn
	7 March 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Andreyev, Yegor (*1888)	Shoemaker. During Russian Civil War desert- ed from the Red Army and served thereafter in the unit of Bulak-Balakhovich. Took part in the executions of Communists and Red Army troops.	16 Oct. 1940	14 May 1941 at Pirita-Kose
	10 March 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Malgin, Aleksandr (*1894)	Goods inspector. In 1918–1919 served in Archangel in the French Legion, Lieutenant. In 1919 Battalion Commander in the Army of Yudenich, Captain. After the war was involved in the Russian White Guard organi- sations in Estonia.	13 Oct. 1940	14 May 1941
	11 March 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Läve (Gross), Aleksander (*1903), Koitorg-Kürenberg, Hans (*1894), Malsvel(l), Paul (*1901), Palm, Julius (*1886), Pipar, Ants (*1905), Savisild (varem Varfolomeyev), Paul (*1886), Siirma (Sirma), Heinrich (*1899), Tamar, Enno (*1902), Teppich, Voldemar (*1899), Veem, Helmut Cross of Liberty I/3 (*1896), Nõmmik-Linkhorst, Johan (*1895)	 Läve: as a Political Police official participated in 1922 in the arrest of Viktor Kingissepp, in 1939/1940 burnt the Political Police archives. Koitorg: Political Police assistant in Tallinn. In 1930 was involved in a skirmish in which communist Johannes Jürna, who had illegal- ly come to Estonia from Soviet Union, was killed. Malsvel: Political Police agent. Participated in the arrest of Viktor Kingissepp and in the surpression of the 1924 revolt, in the end of 1930s bodyguard of the President of the Republic of Estonia. Palm: in 1920–1923 served in Defence Police, in 1922–1923 Senior Assistant to the Chief of Tallinn Department. Participated in the arrest of Viktor Kingissepp and his execution. 	14 Nov. 1940, 21 Oct. 1940, 12 July 1940, 23 June 1940, 20 July 1940, 15 Aug. 1940, 3 Aug. 1940, 23 Sept. 1940, 17 Nov. 1940, 10 Sept. 1940, 5 Sept. 1940 respectively	23 April 1941 either at Pirita- Kose or in Tallinn

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	Pipar: Senior Assistant of Political Police in Tallinn. In 1930 was involved in a skirmish, in Johannes Jürna was killed (see Koitorg).		
	Savisild: Former trade union activist, during War of Independence secret co-worker of the 2nd Department of Estonian General Staff. In 1919 trade union activists were arrested based on his information and later shot. In 1920–1922 secret co-worker of Defence Police, later farmer.		
	Siirma: Senior Agent of Political Police in Tallinn. In 1923 killed communist Jaan Kreuks in a skirmish.		
	Tamar: Senior Agent of Political Police in Petseri. In 1930 was involved in a skirmish, in which Johannes Jürna was killed (see Koitorg).		
	Teppich: in 1917–1922 a communist, closely connected to Viktor Kingissepp, later Trotskist. In the beginning of the 1920s secret co-worker of Defence Police in Estonia.		
	Veem: In 1919 participated in the arrests of members of the Central Committee of the Trade Unions of 1919 as well as execution of those sentenced to death. 1920–1924 served in Main Administration of Defence Police and in the 2nd Department of the General Staff, in 1924–1940 assistant and senior assistant of criminal police in Paide and Rakvere.		
	Linkhorst: in 1922 informed Defence Police of the wherabouts of Viktor Kingissepp.		
	12 March 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Saarup, August (*1903), Cross of Liberty III/3 Teer, Artur (*1902)	At the time of arrest both served in the 22nd Territorial Rifle Corps. Saarup was platoon leader of the Signal Battalion of the 180th Rifle Division. On 30 Nov. 1924 participated in the meeting of underground communists, who were making praparations for the 1 December revolt, and were thus informed of	10 Jan. 1941 and 14 Feb. 1941 respec- tively	14 May 1941 at Pirita-Kose
	the tactics for the revolt. Prior to the break- out of the revolt managed to get to the Signal Battalion and organised resistance.		
Põld, Robert (*1911)	Stevedore. Secret co-worker of Political	13 Nov. 1940	14 May 1941 at

Police.

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	13 March 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Zausailov, Nikolai (*1891)	Former officer of Russian imperial army. During Russian Civil War served in the White Army and in Archangel in the French Legion.	22 Sept. 1940	25 May 1941
	14 March 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Pilli (Pille), Oskar (*1884)	During the War of Independence served in Viljandi Commandantur, participated in the executions of communists sentenced to death. Active member of the Defence League. Was involved in putting down the 1 Dec. 1924 revolt.	17 Sept. 1940	
	15 March 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Kaarma (Koorman), Hugo (*1910)	In 1930–1940 member of the communist organisations as a Political Police agent.	13 Nov. 1940	
Serpukhov, Aleksandr (*1897)	Mine surveyor, former officer in the Army of Yudenich.	11 Nov. 1940	14 May 1941 at Pirita-Kose
	27 March 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
An(t)sip, Bruno (*1917) Loit, Herbert (*1916)	Were charged with organising an anti-Soviet group in the Air Defence Artillery Group in summer/autumn 1940.	20 Sept. 1940	30 June 1941
Sepp, Aleksander (*1893)	Was involved in putting down the 1919 Saaremaa uprising. Chairman of court mar- tial.	2 Nov. 1940	29 June 1941
	29 March 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Nosov, Konstantin (*1897)	Civil servant. In Russian Civil War served in the Army of Yudenich, later participated in the work of Russian emigrant organisations.	29 Jan. 1941	14 May 1941
Uik (Huik), Albert (*1899)	Assistant of Criminal Police in Pärnu, former agent of Political Police. Participated in Tallinn in searches of the secret meeting places of communists and underground print shops.	27 July 1940	14 May 1941 at Pirita-Kose
	31 March 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Larka, Johannes (*1887), Cross of Liberty I/3	Brother of Major General Andres Larka. Officer. Was involved in putting down the 1919 Saaremaa revolt.	18 Nov. 1940	10 June 1941 in Tallinn

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	2 April 1941 War Tribunal of Baltic Special Military District		
Pruuli, Rudolf (*1919)	Officer of the 625th Artillery Regiment of the 22nd Territorial Rifle Corps. Charges brought against him included: "anti-Soviet agitation", "terrorist intentions against the political staff of the Red Army", "organising of a mass resistance", made preparations for escaping abroad.	30 Dec. 1940	10 June 1941
	3 April 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Kubbo, Eduard-Alfred (*1887), Cross of Liberty I/2, II/3	Colonel, during the War of Independence Deputy Commander of the 2nd Division, in 1921–1924 Deputy Commander of the 1st Division, in 1924–1927 Deputy Commander of the 2nd Division, in 1927–1929 acting Commander of the 2nd Division. Actively participated in the War of Independence Veterans' League.	6 Nov. 1940	10 June 1941 in Tallinn
	5 April 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Kalmeti-Velder (Kalmeti- Belyayev), Nikolai (*1906)	Secret agent of the 2nd Department of the General Staff. As a conductor of international railway wagons visited repeatedly the Soviet Union, was charged with espionage.	16 Dec. 1940	10 June 1941 in Tallinn
	7 April 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Helk, Nikolai (*1886)	Major General, Chairman of the Higher Military Court.	17 Sept. 1940	14 May 1941 at Pirita-Kose
Jurjev (Jürjev), Elmar (*1908)	Trade union activist, distributed leaflets, was arrested in 1928 and during inteerogations informed the Political Police on communists and trade union activists Later secret agent of the Political Police and provocateur.	29 Oct. 1940	10 June 1941
Kook, Paul (*1900)	Secret co-worker of Political Police, member of the Defence League.	17 Dec. 1940	
Nekrasov, Aleksandr (*1890)	Land surveyor. Former officer of Russian imperial army, served after the 1917 revolu- tion in the Red Army. Deserted and during Russian Civil War was in the White Army.	06 Jan. 1941	10 June 1941 in Tallinn
Vassil, Bernhard-Karl (*1916)	In 1931–1940 secret agent of the Political Police in the Communist Party. In 1934 was sent by the party with a task to Leningrad, informed Political Police of the task.	18 Dec. 1940	23 June 1941

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Vasilev-Murman (Muravev), Nikolai (*1890)	In 1918–1919 served in the counterintelli- gence of the Bulak-Balakhovich brigade. Arrested communists.	14 Dec. 1940	14 May 1941 in Tallinn
	10 April 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Sinelshikov, Aleksei (*1888)	Engineer. Former official of the People's Commissariat of Foreign Trade of the Soviet Union, in 1925 was sent to a mission to Estonia and never returned to the Soviet Union.	4 Sept. 1940	
	12 April 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Riives, Rudolf Cross of Liberty II/3 (*1890)	During the War of Independence organised the Defence League at Kambja, later served as a company leader in the Kuperjanov Battalion. Member of the Fatherland League. Was charged with shooting wounded Red Army troops and commissars in Tartu in 1919.	19 Oct. 1940	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
Soots, August (*1898)	In 1918 organised the Defence League, later served in the Kuperjanov Battalion. Was charged with shooting communists and Red Army troops in Tartu County in 1919.	13 Dec. 1940	
Okk, Viljo (Vassili) (*1905)	Member of the Defence League. His uncle Feodor Okk, who came in 1932 illegally from Soviet Union to Estonia to underground work, gave him a number of leaflets for dis- tributing. Viljo Okk informed the Political Police and Feodor Okk was arrested.	7 Aug. 1940	
	14 April 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Molonenkov, Pyotr (*1885)	During Russian Civil War served in the White Army in a unit commanded by Rittmeister Peremykin, participated in executions of communists, later served in the army of Yudenich	1 Dec. 1940	
	15 April 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Sein, Edgar (*1908)	Journalist. Arrested in 1924 and sentenced to three years imprisonment. Thereafter collab- orated for the Political Police. Communist Leiner, who was killed in a skirmish, was caught based on the information he provid- ed.	12 Dec. 1940	10 June 1941 in Tallinn

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Härms (Herms), Nikolai (*1910)	In autumn 1940 was Head of the Secretariat of the NKVD of the ESSR. Trade union activist, in 1938 was exiled to Viljandi, became secret agent of the Political Police. Gave information about the workers' organi- sations "Idea" and "Огонёк". From 1939 was interpreter in the Soviet Legation in Tallinn, gave information about members of Estonian Parliament Neeme Ruus and Maksim Unt, who were in contact with Legation. Joined the ECP in 1940	30 Oct. 1940	10 June 1941 in Tallinn
Taarma (Trankman), Heinrich (*1900), Cross of Liberty II/3	In 1922–1923 served in Defence Police, later in military intelligence. Was involved in the War of Independence Veterans' League.	3 Jan. 1941	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
	16 April 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Birnbaum, Karl (*1879)	Prior to the 14 and 15 July 1940 "elections" spread propaganda in Orava rural municipal- ity against Leonhard Illison and in favour of pastor Puusepp.	10 Oct. 1940	
	22 April 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Hallaste, Aarand (*1895)	Served in 1918 in the Red Fleet, was taken prisoner by the Royal Navy in Murmansk. Allegedly in 1918–1919 co-operated with British intelligence. In 1920–1923 secret co- worker of the Defence Police.	18 Sept. 1940	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
Kommusaar, August (*1885)	Member of the Defence League, was active member of War of Independence Veterans' League. During the War of Independence served in Tartu commandantur. Was charged with arresting and executing of communists.	25 Jan. 1941	
Paris, Hans (*1899)	In 1925–1926 judge in Rakvere and Tapa, in 1927–1934 Assistant to the Legal Adviser of the Defence Ministry. From 1934 a lawyer.	7 Jan. 1941	10 June 1941
	23 April 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Lõuga, Eduard (*1903), Kasemets, Gustav (*1892),	Lõuga: Estonian military intelligence officer. Kasemets: Lieutenant Colonel, Chief of Staff of Narva Military District. Earlier Commander of the Intelligence Department of the 1st Division. Was charged with collab- oration with British intelligence.	21 Aug. 1940, 2 Sept. 1940,	23 june 1941 in Tallinn

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Laurits, Karl (*1892), Cross of Liberty II/2, II/3, Normak, Artur-Bernhard (*1895), Orman-Elman, Joosep (*1908), Palm, Richard (*1883), Cross of Liberty I/3, Polman, Oskar (*1895),	Laurits: Colonel, in 1921–1924 Commander of the 2nd Department of the General Staff. In 1939–1940 Commander of the United Military Educational Establishments. Was charged with collaboration with British intel- ligence. Normak: Colonel, in Russian Civil War served in the Denikin and Wrangel Armies. In	20 Sept. 1940, 21 Sept. 1940, 22 Nov. 1940, 28 Sept. 1940, 11 Sept. 1940, 1 Oct. 1940, 20 Sept. 1940, 18 Sept. 1940 respectively	23 june 1941 in Tallinn
Triik, Paul-Villiam (*1896), Cross of Lieberty II/3, Uuk, Aleksander (*1897),	1927–1929 Commander of the 2nd Department of the General Staff, last posi- tion Inspector of Engineer Troops.		
Cross of Liberty II/3, Toomsaar, Johan (*1893), Cross of Liberty II/3	Orman-Elman: Estonian military intelligence agent. Visited repeatedly illegally the Soviet Union.		
	Palm: Estonian military intelligence officer. In 1920–1927 Commander of the 2nd Department of the General Staff. Was charged with collaboration with British and German intelligence.		
	Polman: Estonian military intelligence offi- cer, information officer of the 1st Division.		
	Triik: Colonel, Commander of the 1st Division in 1939–1940, in 1925–1934 Chief of Staff of the 1st Division.		
	Uuk: Captain, 3rd Company Leader of the 1st Infantry Regiment in Narva. In Sept. 1940 was echelon leader during relocation of the unit and did not prevent anti-Soviet singing and propaganda, attended also himself this forbidden activity.		
	Toomsaar: Lieutenant Colonel, Chief of Staff of Harju Military District. Earlier Chief of B- Division of 2nd Department of the General Staff		
Katugin, Nikolai (*1889)	Former Lieutenant (Poruchik) of the Army of Yudenich, belonged from 1931 to a monar- chist organisation of Russian White Guard in Estonia.	27 Jan. 1941	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
Puusepp, Henn (*1891) Velling, Rudolf (*1901)	Senior Assistant of Political Police at Irboska.	22 Aug. 1940 and 8 Aug.	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
	Estonian military intelligence officer, Captain.	1940 respec- tively	
	25 April 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Ester, Hans (*1887)	Former officer of Russian imperial army, then lawyer in Viljandi. Member of the Defence League.	17 Feb. 1941	23 June 1941

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	26 April 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Kraus, Aleksander (*1902)	Electrician. Secret co-worker of Political Police.	13 March 1941	29 June 1941 either in Tallinn or Rakvere
Sirk, Jaan (*1896)	Civil servant. In 1919 desrted from the Red Army, took part in the War of Independence, later an active member of the Defence League. Was charged with collaboration with Political Police.	27 Jan. 1941	Shot on 29 June 1941 in Tallinn
Tupits, Nikolai (*1885)	In 1923–1927 Political Police Assistant in Tallinn and Narva. After the War of Independence served in the intelligence of the 1st Division. In 1922–1926 visited repeat- edly illegally the Soviet Union.	26 Dec. 1940	29 June 1941 either in Tallinn or Rakvere
	28 April 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Uus, Julius (*1912)	Electrician. Worked in electric power station of Tallinn. Was charged with organising an anti-Soviet group in the Air Defence Artillery Group in summer/autumn 1940.	20 Sept. 1940	30 June 1941
Varlamov, Grigori (*1904), Varlamov, Afanasi (*1910)	In 1933 escaped from the Soviet Union to Estonia.	16 Nov. 1940 and 24 Oct. 1940 respec- tively	23 June 1941
	29 April 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Luiga, Oskar (*1894), Cross of Liberty I/2, II/2, II/3	Colonel, during War of Independence was Chairman of Tallinn Court Martial and Chief of Broad-Gauge Armoured Train No 3. Was an active member of the War of Independence Veterans' League.	27 Oct. 1940	29 June 1941 at Pirita-Kose
	4 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Kuum, Peeter (*1896)	Accountant, retired officer. Participated in War of Independence, 1925–1935 member of the Defence League, participated in War of Independence Veterans' League. Charged with membership in an anti-Soviet organisa- tion and hiding a rifle, revolver, grenades and ammunition in his home.	12 Dec. 1940	28 June 1941 in Tallinn

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NAME OF SENTENCED	TRIBUNAL / TRIBUNAL'S INDICTMENT	ARRESTED	EXECUTED
	5 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Kaju, Otto-Friedrich- Johannes (*1892)	Retired officer, in 1919 was involved in put- ting down the Saaremaa revolt.	28 Jan. 1941	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
Mägi, Artur (*1906)	Director of an insurance company; was imprisoned at an attempt to escape to Finland.	6 Jan. 1941	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
Punno, Harri (*1915)	Electrical engineer in Radio Factory Punane RET. In 1940 participated in the activities of Päästekomitee (Salvation Committee). After the disclosure of the organisation tried to escape to Finland.	4 Jan. 1941	23 June 1941
Pylnikov, Stepan (*1889)	Construction engineer; in 1919 defected from the Red Army to the Army of General Yudenich.	24 Sept. 1940	29 June 1941
Sternbeck, Otto Cross of Liberty I/2 (*1884)	Major General, in 1933–1937 Minister of Communications.	23 Feb. 1941	23 June 1941 at Pirita-Kose
Sulla (Sula), Johannes (*1902)	Ceramist. In 1932–1940 secret co-worker of Political Police in Valga. Was charged with being partly responsible for the arrest of about ten trade union activists in 1934.	19 Oct. 1941	20 June 1941
	6 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Koppel, Juhan (*1901)	In 1924–1940 assistant of Political Police in Tartu County.	9 Dec. 1940	
Kaasik, Ilmar-Boris (*1901)	Insurance agent; during the War of Independence served at an armoured train. Later secret co-worker of Estonian military intelligence.	19 Sept. 1940	26 June 1941
Kivinurm (Klemmer), Alfred (*1905), Cross of Liberty III/3	In 1924 conscript in auto-Tank Regiment. Was involved in the work of the under- ground organisation preparing the 1 Dec. 1924 revolt, was supposed to support the revolt with tanks. Instead he actively partici- pated in organising resistance to the revolt.	28 Dec. 1940	29 June 1941 in Tallinn
	9 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Kask, Peeter (*1892), Cross of Liberty II/2, III/3, Kesk, Adolf (*1891) Konga, Voldemar (*1894), Cross of Liberty I/3,	Kask: captain of a ship; in 1919 was involved in putting down the Saaremaa revolt.	20 Jan. 1941, 17 Jan. 1941, 21 Nov. 1940,	23 June 1941 either in Tallinn or at
	Kesk: ship's mechanic; in 1919 was member of a court martial.	21 INOV. 1740,	Pirita-Kose
	Konga: former officer; in 1919 was member of a court martial.		

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Kook, August (*1890), Cross of Liberty I/3, Nirk, Alfred (*1899),	Kook: doctor; in 1919 was doctor of a court martial, issuing declaration of death for the executed individuals.	07 Jan. 1941, 26 Jan. 1941, 17 Aug. 1940,	23 June 1941 either in Tallinn or at
Pavlinov, Nikolai (*1886), Valge, Alfred (*1894), Cross of Liberty II/3	Nirk: lawyer; in 1919 in the duties of military prosecutor.	6 Jan. 1941 respectively	Pirita-Kose
	Pavlinov: former Captain of the Baltic Fleet warship "Spartak"; was charged with volun- tary surrender of the warship to the British Fleet in 1918.		
	Valge: in 1919 Chairman of the court martial, which sentenced to death crew of the Baltic Fleet warships "Avtroil" and "Spartak"		
	10 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Kaljuraid, Aleksander (*1897)	Senior agent of Political Police in Rakvere	18 Oct. 1940	Between 26 June and 4 July 1941 in Tallinn
Kampus, Vladimir (*1896) Kõks, Ivan (Jaan) (*1893), Melter, Theodor (*1898)	During the War of Independence organised a Defence League unit at Võisiku, arrested and executed communists. Later served in the Viljandi Defence Battalion. Allegedly provid- ed assistance to the brigade of Bulak- Balakhovich	21 Nov. 1940, 14 Feb. 1941, 07 Dec. 1940 respectively	23 June 1941
	12 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Herms (Hermes), Johannes (*1918), Mettus, Hugo (*1906),	Hermes: paid co-worker of Division B of the 2nd Department of the General Staff.	23 Dec. 1940, 3 Jan. 1941, 6 Feb. 1941	Herms in June 1941 in Tallinn, Tamm on 23
Tamm, Karl (*1901)	Mettus: military intelligence officer.	respectively	June 1941 in Tallinn, Mettus
	Tamm: in 1939–1940 Chief of Division B of the 2nd Department of the General Staff.		unknown
Kane, Leonid	In 1923–1924 in the duties of Assistant to the Chief of Tallinn Police. After the attempted revolt of the 1 Dec. 1924 was confirmed as the Assistant to the Chief of Tallinn Police. In 1926–1927 was Assistant Prefect of Tallinn- Harju. In 1927–1933 Police Commissar of Elva, in 1933–1937 Prefect of Narva, in 1937–1939 Prefect of Saare and Lääne counties, in 1939–1940 Prefect of Lääne County.	29 Jan. 1941	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
Laidver (Lindström), Arvo (*1891)	Conductor of the Orchestra of Nõmme Territorial Unit of the Defence League; dur- ing the War of Independence conductor of the 2nd Regiment Orchestra, was assigned to be member of a court martial as well as exe- cutioner of court judgements.	10 Feb. 1941	23 June 1941 in Tallinn

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Lishayev, Ivan (*1892)	Former officer of Bulak-Balakhovich brigade.	21 Aug. 1940	19 June 1941 in Tallinn
Püss, Emil (*1909)	Waiter in restaurant "Europa" in Tallinn, agent of German intelligence, was also in the service of the NKVD.	5 Nov. 1940	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
Telg, Paul (*1900)	Advocate. Took part in the War of Independence. One of the leaders of the War of Independence Veterans' League. Arrested at an attempt to escape to Finland.	7 Jan. 1941	June or July 1941 in Tallinn
	13 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Belousov, Pavel (*1891)	After Russian revolution Militia Commissar in Schlüsselburg. Later in the Red Army, deserted and joined the brigade of Bulak- Balakhovich. Was involved in the executions of communists.	20 Jan. 1941	23 June 1941
Rätsepp, Herman (*1896)	Took part in the War of Independence and was involved in putting down the uprising in Tartu Reserve Battalion.	13 Jan. 1941	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
Tõrva, Juhan (*1877)	During Russian Civil War organised in neigh- bourhood of Gdov (town on the eastern bank of Lake Peipus) a "group of bandits" and ter- rorised "poor people". Later served in the Army of Yudenich.	24 Dec. 1940	23 June 1941
	14 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Konga, Leopold (*1900)	Shop steward. In 1918–1920 served in Tallinn Comandantur, took part in the arrests and executions of communists. In 1921–1929 secretly smuggled spirits to Finland. Later "government agent" in trade union move- ment.	2 April 1941	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
Must, Bernhard-Johannes (*1891)	Tin-smith; was charged with giving in female communists, who had fled from prison, to the Defence Police in 1922.	31 Jan. 1941	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
Puri, Andres (*1880)	During the War of Independence served in Tartu police and Kuperjanov Battalion head- quarters. In 1918 was Chief of Tartu Militia, in 1920–1925 served in the Main Administration of Defence Police, in 1920–1922 in the duties of the Assistant to the Chief of Defence Police; in 1925–1928 Criminal Commissar in Rakvere.	18 Sept. 1940	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
Ramla, Rudolf (*1903)	Was last Political Police Commissar of Haapsalu.	10 Jan. 1941	In June 1941 in Tallinn

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Turu, Hendrik (*1904)	Constable of Uuemõisa rural municipality on the island of Saaremaa. In 1933 killed in a shooting incident Aleksander Ellam after having caught him in his hiding place.	7 Jan. 1941	Between 29 June and 4 July 1941 in Tallinn
	15 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Mürk, Valter (*1892)	During the war of Independence was Commandant of Võru. Red Army troops taken prisoner were shot at his orders. Later one of the leaders of Petseri Defence League.	4 Jan. 1941	
	16 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Astanin, Bruno (*1917)		6 Dec. 1940	
Post, Leonid (*1898)	Was in the Red Army, deserted and came to Estonia. Secretary of trade union, secret co- worker of Political Police.	5 Feb. 1941	
Vilms, Adolf (*1909)	In autumn 1940 was instructor of political education in Viru County Militia Department. In 1934–1938 as a political pris- oner testified against his colleagues.	17 Dec. 1940	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
	17 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Gusev, Nikolai (*1896)	During the Russian Civil War served in the Army of Yudenich, later in the intelligence of Estonian 1st Division. In 1928–1929 visited repeatedly illegally the Soviet Union.	31 Jan. 1941	23 June 1941
Pallon, Leonhard (*1884), Cross of Liberty I/3, Remmert, Aleksander (*1875), Sallo, Eduard (*1897), Stein (Schtein), Ferdinand (*1894), Tiilen, Aleksander (*1890), Trestip, Ain (*1902), Trestip, Karl (*1888)	Active members of the Defence League. Were charged with participating in the executions of communists and Red Army troops sen- tenced to death during the War of Independence.	24 Aug. 1940, 10 Jan. 1941, 18 Feb. 1941, 3 Feb. 1941, 7 Feb. 1941, 3 Feb. 1941, 3 Feb. 1941 respectively	23 June 1941 either in Tallinn or at Pirita-Kose
	21 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Heinlaid-Muna, Jevgeni (*1902)	Worker, secret co-worker of Political Police	5 Feb. 1941	23 June 1941
(1902) Kuuseoks, Feliks (*1903)	Sailor, from 1933 co-worker of Political Police. Visited Leningrad five times as mem- ber of a merchant ship crew. Allegedly con- tacted local Estonians in Leningrad and col- lected materials about the military objects for Estonian military intelligence.	12 Dec. 1940	23 June 1941 in Tallinn

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Koemets, Aleksander (*1910)	Operative of NKVD Criminal Surveillance in Petseri County in 1940–1941. Kept his past a secret. From 1933 was secret co-worker of Political Police and from 1937 member of Fatherland League.	9 Feb. 1941	
Saik, Eduard (*1894)	Merchant; 1918–1921 Chief of Defence Police in Rakvere, was later chairman of the Viru County organisation of the War of Independence Veterans' League. Commander of a Defence League artillery battery.	06 Nov. 1940	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
	23 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Sakharov, Leonid, Bystryakov, Aleksandr (*1903), Chugunov, Aleksandr (*1887), Dobrovidov, Fyodor (*1871), Dorbek, Lev (*1898), Leontev, Andrei (*1872), Seletski, Ivan (*1897), Smirnov, Nikolai (*1887), Sokolov, Ivan (*1889), Svetlov, Ivan (*1894), Adrik (Mudrolyubov), Semyon (*1890)	Served in Russian White Guard Army, mem- bers of the monarchist organisation of Russian White Guard in Viru County.	In April 1941, 29 Jan. 1941, unknown, 16 Sept. 1940, 29 Dec. 1940, 29 Oct. 1940, unknown, 31 Oct. 1940, 30 Dec. 1940, 29 Jan. 1941, 11 Feb. 1941 respectively	Sakharov was shot on 13 July 1941, others on 23 June 1941
Barygin, Ivan (*1890)	Forester. During Russian Civil War served in the Army of Yudenich. Later co-worker of Political Police, provided information about the moods of communists and the general public.	22 May 1941	30 July 1941
	26 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Lõhmus, Theodor (*1878)	Tailor; secret co-worker of Estonian Political Police.	13 Jan. 1941	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
	27 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Tõnisson, Aleksander (*1899)	1918–1919 was in the Red Army, deserted, later served in Estonian Army. Was charged with prticipation in execution of commu- nists in Valga	30 Jan. 1941	23 June 1941
	28 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Padar, Karl (*1900)	In 1927–1940 senior agent of Political Police in Petseri, in 1940 in Võru. Was conducting surveillance of Karl Säre, who lived in Põlva and Antsla.	12 Feb. 1941	23 June 1941 in Tallinn

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Semenov, Vladimir (*1916)	Was connected to the Russian White Guard organisation in Lithuania "White Organisation". In 1939 arrested by Lithuanian Defence Police suspected of hav- ing contacts with Polish intelligence. On 28 June 1940 came secretly to Estonia.	20 July 1940	10 Dec. 1941
Semenov-Vasilev, Valentin (*1897)	Colonel, Commandant of Võru during the War of Independence and organiser of Võru Defence League. In 1934–1940 Chief of 2nd Division of the Headquarters of Võru-Petseri Military District.	4 Feb. 1941	23 June 1941 in Tallinn
	29 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Vaarend (Vaarent), Voldemar (Vladimir) (*1899)	Lived in Russia, in 1930 was sentenced to 10 years in prison camp as a <i>kulak</i> . Escaped in the same year from the camp near Archangel and in 1932 came secretly to Estonia.	19 Feb. 1941	
	30 May 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Tolmachov, Vladimir (*1893)	During Russian Civil War served in the Army of Yudenich. In 1920 allegedly joined the reconnaissance-sabotage group of Kromvel, who was connected with Polish intelligence.	28 Oct. 1940	
	2 June 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Sopp, Martin (*1902)	In 1924 escaped from Estonia to the Soviet Union, worked in Moscow as taxi-driver, thereafter in the garage of OGPU. Had con- tacts with Komintern personnel. 1930 escaped to Iran and later came back to Estonia. Provided information on situation in the Soviet Union to Estonian Political Police. Was also charged with collaboration with British intelligence.	27 Nov. 1940	26 June 1941
	4 June 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Jürgenstein, Gustav (*1908), Paal, Voldemar (*1901), Cross of Liberty II/3, Riives, Voldemar (*1901)	Were imprisoned at an attempt to escape to Finland.	18 Jan. 1941	23 June 1941 in Tallinn or at Pirita-Kose
	7 June 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Luude, Karl-Gustav (*1922), Noorkukk, Valdeko (*1921)	Members of Tartu underground pupils' organisation. Noorkukk wounded the NKVD officer, who came to arrest him.	4 Feb. 1941 and 10 Feb. 1941	23 June 1941

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	10 or 18 June 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Saarlaid, Vladimir (*1922), Birkenfeld, Elmar (*1922)	Attacked militiaman Voldemar Puun in Kuressaare with the aim of robbing his weapon, hitting his head with an axe, as a result of which Puun later died.	5 March 1941 and 22 Feb. 1941	30 June 1941 in Tallinn
	22 June 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Sepp, Konstantin (*1895)	During Russian Civil War served in the Army of Yudenich. Was charged with collaboration with German intelligence.	8 March 1941	Between May and Sept. 1941 in Kuressaare
	23 June 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Astanin, Vasili (*1888)	Served in Russian White Guard Army, Ensign (Praporchik). Worked for Estonian military intelligence, went repeatedly illegally to the Soviet Union.	11 Nov. 1940 (or on 10 Dec. 1941)	
Kolt, Mihhail (Mihkel) (*1894), Kuldvee, Georgi (*1906)	Paid co-workers of Political Police in Petseri County, members of the Defence League.	Arrested in Oct. 1940 and 04 March 1941	26 June 1941
Saarmann, Aleksander (*1895)	Worker in Krenholm manufacture. From 1929 agent of the 2nd Department of the General Staff. Went illegally to the Soviet Union to obtain military information.	10 March 1941	26 June 1941
	25 June 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Kamelkov, Vasili (*1916), Lokhov, Georgi (*1885), Reinlo, Voldemar (*1913), Manner, Johannes (*1900)	Co-workers of Political Police in Petseri County. Kamelkov went in 1933 illegally to the Soviet Union, Reinlo was dispatcher of Irboska railway station and Defence League platoon leader, Manner was in 1925–1940 assistant of Political Police in Petseri, who recruited agents to be sent to the Soviet Union.	4 Jan. 1941, 23 Nov. 1940, 7 Feb. 1941, 24 July 1940 respectively	30 June 1941 in Tallinn
Ploom, Heinar (*1889)	Agent of Political Police.	5 Feb. 1941	30 June 1941 at Pirita-Kose

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	28 June 1941 War Tribunal of the Baltic Fleet		
Väljamäe, Arnold (*1925), Helgis, Arnold (*1901), Kalda-Krims, Agu (*1912), Teiman-Rannit, Karl (*1883), Taimsaar, Johannes (*1889, Cross of Liberty II/3), Vederik, Bernhard (*1909), Vederik, Karl (*1902), Brido, Arnold (*1907)	Väljamäe and Taimsaar instigated sponta- neous resistance on 22 June 1941 after the outbreak of war between the Soviet Union and Germany. They attacked Red Army sol- diers, killed one and wounded five. Taimsaar was killed in the course of arrest. The others were friends and acquaintances of Taimsaar and Väljamäe, had connections with the Defence League. Had hidden weapons and ammunition of the Defence League at home. Were charged with counter-revolutionary activity and organisation of a terrorist gang.	23 June 1941	4 July 1941 in Tallinn or Paldiski or at Pirita-Kose
Grosholm, Marta (*1901)	Declared that Soviet power is Russian impe- rialism and real communism is built by Hitler. Made derogatory and offensive remarks about the Red Army, praised the German Army. Was charged with anti-Soviet propaganda.	26 June 1941	
	28 June 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Anderkopp, Ado (*1894)	Miniter of War in 1923–1924, Minister of Court and Justice in 1930–1933, member of the Defence League Council of Elders.	20 Aug. 1940	30 June 1941
Frolov, Aleksei (*1888)	During Russian Civil War deserted from the Red Army and served in the Army of Yudenich. Later lived in Estonia, was mem- ber of the monarchist organisation "Кирилловцы". Was charged with anti- Soviet propaganda.	23 April 1941	30 June 1941
Ivanov, Ivan (*1887)	Captain of imperial army, during Russian Civil War served in the Army of Yudenich. Later lived in Estonia, was member of Russian emigrant organisations "Общество бывших военнослужащих", "Общество русских скауто,", "Союз инвалидов"	26 March 1941	30 June 1941
Karamsin, Vasili (*1885)	During Russian Civil War Colonel of White Guard Army. In Estonia was member of Russian Monarchists' Union ("Союз Монархистов"). Was in contact with Estonian Political Police.	17 March 1941	Shot on 30 June 1941
Krasilnikov, Aleksandr (*1889)	During Russian Civil War served in the brigade of Bulak-Balakhovich and in the Army of Yudenich. In Estonian was a worker in Narva Krenholm manufacture. Was mem- ber of Russian monarchist organisations Union of the Faithful ("Союз Верных") and Russian Truth Brotherhood ("Братство Русской Правды")	12 April 1941	30 June 1941

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Mandre, Voldemar (*1903)	Was among officers' reserve. During the War of Independence served on the armoured train. Was involved in putting down the 1 Dec. 1924 revolt and shooting of the commu- nists. Was Defence League company leader.	26 June 1941	30 June 1941
Moistu, Eduard (*1898)	Road inspector; during the War of Independence was a non-commissioned offi- cer in Kuperjanov Battalion, active member of the Defence League. Was charged with anti-Soviet agitation.	28 April 1941	30 June 1941
Muraveiski, Boris (*1890)	During Russian Civil War officer of the Army of Yudenich. In May 1919 five Red Army sol- diers of the Sakovski Communist Regiment were shot at his orders. Was later an active member of the War of Independence Veterans' League.	21 March 1941	30 June 1941
Oja, Aleksei (*1908)	Mechanic's assistant. Member of the Defence League. Was a secret co-worker of Political Police in Valga.	26 April 1941	30 June 1941
Zhukov, Aleksandr (*1898)	After the Russian revolution in 1917 served in the Reda Army, deserted and later served in the White Guard armies of Generals Denikin and Wrangel. Thereafter came to Estonia, was one of the leaders of organisa- tion "Русский Национальный Союз" (Russian National Union).	11 April 1941	30 June 1941
Tikkar, Boris (*1890)	Worker. Arrested in 1927 in Leningrad and sentenced to 10 years imprisonment. Escaped from the camp in Solovetsk Islands on 18 Nov. 1929.	08 Feb. 1941	30 June 1941
Tõnisson, Aleksander (*1875), Cross of Lieberty I/1	Major General, last Supreme Mayor of Tallinn.	19 Dec. 1940	30 June 1941
	29 June 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Kiviselg, Boris (*1917), Kurvits, Alfred (*1919), Kuusik, Alksander (*1919), Palmiste, Oskar (*1919), Peetrik, Gustav (*1919), Pärtel, Elmar (*1907), Saar, Evald (*1919), Saks, Mihkel (*1919), Tobbi, Hans (*1918)	Troops, conscripts of the 42nd Rifle Regiment of the 22nd Territorial Rifle Corps. On 22 June 1941 wrecked the so-called Red Corner of their military unit: tore down posters and portraits, tore off insignia from their uni- forms. Were charged with counter-revolu- tionary activity.	23 June 1941	30 June 1941 in Tallinn

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Põder, Rudolf (*1905)	Was Inspector of Political Education of the ESSR Fishing Industry Administration. Former member of the Defence League. Had allegedly greeted a passing-by Red Army officer after the outbreak of war with words "Long live Hitler"; laughed at the directive put up on the fence. Was charged with anti- Soviet propaganda.	27 June 1941	30 June 1941
Smirnov, Arefi (*1895)	During Russian Civil War served in the brigade of Bulak-Balakhovich, charged also with participation in the executions of com- munists.	20 Jan. 1941	
	30 June 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Männik, Ulrich (*1914) Varbola, Edmund (*1914)	Printing office workers, were connected to the underground organisation Päästekomitee (Salvation Committee).	11 Jan. 1941 and 6 Nov. 1940 respec- tively	30 June 1941 in Tallinn
	1 July 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Mutvei, Alfred (*1893)	Distiller. Knew about Estonian Air Force members, who had escaped from the 22nd Territorial Rifle Corps after the outbreak of war, helped them and did not give in to the authorities.	30 June 1941	4 July 1941 in Tallinn
	2 July 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Akel, Friedrich Karl (*1871)	Riigivanem (Head of State) in 1924, in 1923–1938 repeatedly Minister for Foreign Affairs, Estonian envoy to Germany etc.	17 Oct. 1940	3 July 1941 in Tallinn
Bogdanov, Pavel (*1898), Pozdnyakov, Mikhail (*1886), Ramashevski, Mstislav (*1881)	Bogdanov deserted during Russian Civil War from the Red Army, was therafter in the Army of Yudenich. Took part in the execu- tions of Red Army troops. Pozdnyakov served in Russian White Guard Army, later was an officer of the Army of Yudenich, in Estonia was a member of the monarchist organisa- tion "Кирилловцы". Ramashevski was a for- mer Colonel of the Army of Yudenich, mem- ber of one monarchist union of Russian White Guards.	Arrested in April	3 July 1941
Ingre, Harald (*1909)	Former member of the Defence League, was connected to the underground organisation Päästekomitee (Salvation Committee).		

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Kask, Friedrich (*1908)	Former lawyer of state enterprise "Eesti Fosforiit" (Estonian Phosphorite), took part in the activities of the underground organisa- tion Päästekomitee (Salvation Committee).	18 April 1941	3 July 1941
Parek, Karl (*1903), Jaakson, Endel, Jaakson, Harald (*1922), Kuusik, Fred (*1914), Messimas, Artur (*1918), Paimre, Teodor (*1922), Tamro, Arnold (*1921), Rungi, Artur (*1916), Saar, Kristjan (*1921), Vilgats, Richard (*1912), Ümarik, Johannes (*1919)	Members of the Pärnu underground resist- ance organisation (led by former Estonian Army Captain, Head of Purchase and Curing Site of Pärnu Fish Factory Karl Parek)	Johannes Ümarik was arrested on 21 June 1941, Kristjan Saar and Richard Vilgats on 27 June 1941, the others on 24 June 1941	3 July 1941 in Tallinn or at Pirita-Kose
Mill, Rudolf (*1892)	Merchant. During Russian Civil War served in the Ingrian Regiment of the Army of Yudenich. Later secret co-worker of the 2nd Department of General Staff. Went to Russia to obtain intelligence information.	30 April 1941	3 July 1941
Ollmann (Olman), Dimitri	Construction worker.	26 June 1941	4 July 1941
Petik, Joann (*1909)	Farmer, former official of Political Police, member of party Fatherland League.	25 April 1941	3 July 1941
Vasilev, Ivan (*1882)	Intermittent employee, former Ensign (Praporchik) of Russian imperial army, was company leader in Kronstadt. Served in the brigade of Bulak-Balakhovich, later in the Army of Yudenich.	22 July 1941	
Raukas, Albert (*1902)	Former senior agent of Political Police in Kuressaare.	10 June 1941	3 July 1941
Trei, Robert (*1903)	Was accused of killing of a "revolutionary" worker Tomingas in 1937. Active member of Defence League.	10 April 1941	3 July 1941
Tuisk, Oskar (*1899)	Was in 1931–1939 Polish Honorary Consul in Narva. Was accused of having contacts with Polish intelligence.	29 April 1941	3 July 1941
Stepanov, Dmitri (*1892)	Served in the Army of Yudenich, in 1919 came to Estonia, then returned to Soviet Russia and served in the Red Army. Later escaped to Estonia again.	26 May 1941	3 July 1941
	2 July 1941 War Tribunal of the Baltic Fleet		
Pontak, Alfred (*1899)	Commander of Estonian Navy, Commander of Baltic Sea Fleet Flotilla, last position Commander of submarine "Kalev". Took part in the War of Independence. Was charged with working for British intelligence and Estonian military intelligence.	23 June 1941	4 July 1941 in Tallinn

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Sisask, Anton (*1887)	Heater. On 24 June 1941 said: "Soon the Germans will come and we shall start to live better, but if we have to fight, then against the Russians". Was charged with anti-Soviet agitation.	27 June 1941	
Terentev, Ivan (*1915)		21 June 1941	4 July 1941
	3 July 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Kapsta, Eduard (*1893)	Commissar of Petseri Political Police.	10 June 1940	4 July 1941 in Tallinn
Maramaa, Ülo (*1910), Kirsipuu, Richard (*1916), Krabu, Johannes (*1913), Kungs, Hella (*1913), Loo, Olev (*1914), Püssa, Erni (*1914), Sammet, Alfred (*1908), Tamera, Valdor (*1907), Tann, Heinrich (*1898), Tasur, Mihkel (*1913), Valdre, Hugo (*1917), Veetamm, Herbert (*1921), Visnapuu, Jakob (*1912)	Were members or connected to the under- ground organisation Päästekomitee (Salvation Committee) led by Ülo Maramaa.	30 Dec. 1940, unknown, 11 Dec. 1940, unknown, 13 Nov. 1940, 6 Feb. 1941, unknown, 5 Dec. 1940, unknown, 4 Dec. 1940, 4 March 1941, 26 Feb. 1941 respectively	4 July 1941 in Tallinn (for Püssa the recorded loca- tion of death is Jõhvi, for Sammet Pirita- Kose)
Bak(k)is, Nikolai (*1903)	So-called <i>kulak</i> (wealthy farmer), allegedly secret co-worker of Political Police. In 1928 gave in his neighbour Jakob Kiisa, who was sentenced to 8 years imprisonment. Had said: "In spring the Germans will come to Estonia and then we shall show them: all communists and communist youth will be shot like dogs". Was charged with anti-Soviet agitation.	30 April 1941	
Tarna Raimund (*1914), Ristmaa, Samo (*1897), Hindoala, Leonhard (*1916)	Members of a "counter-revolutionary organi- sation", leader of which was Raimund Tarna	19 Feb. 1941, 10 March 1941, 10 March 1941 respectively	4 July 1941
	4 July 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Kolle, Jüri (*1921)	As a pupil of Tallinn Secondary School No 12 organised in autumn 1940 an underground organisation. Was charged with fight against working class and revolutionary movement.	Arrested 6 June 1941	4 July 1941
Liidja, Georg (*1904)	Captain, offier of Estonian military intelli- gence, information officer of the 3rd Division.	29 May 1941	4 July 1941 in Tallinn

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Pototski, Vladimir (*1877)	Military engineer. During the Russian Civil War served in the White Guard, member of the Rada of the Ukrainian Emigrants	29 April 1941	4 July 1941
Novgorodski Konstantin (*1897)	Served in the Army of Yudenich, member of the Injured Russian Soldiers' Union	27 March 1941	4 July 1941
	6 July 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Hallimäe, Enn (*1921)	Militiaman in Tallinn. Praised Germany. Quoted "Mein Kampf", declared that he would not turn a gun at anybody and he would leave a gun unloaded. Was charged with anti-Soviet propaganda.	5 July 1941	
	7 July 1941 War Tribunal of the Railway		
Niinemets, Endel (*1921)	Eligible for drafting, evaded from the Red Army and joined the forest brothers.	5 July 1941	8 July 1941 in Tallinn
	8 July 1941 War Tribunal of the Railway		
Nuuter, Rudolf (*1885)	Railway worker. Threatened to direct the evacuation train to a deadlock or destroy its locomotive.		10 July 1941 at Pirita-Kose
	11 July 1941 War Tribunal of the Railway		
Paulner, Heinrich (*1921), Paulner, Johannes (*1883), Pärisoo, Karl (Kaarel) (*1872)	Karl Pärisoo was hiding railway worker Johannes Paulner, who was evading mobili- sation, and his son Heinrich.	Pärisoo was arrested on 6 July and the father and son Paulner on 8 July	14 July 1941 in Tallinn
	13 July 1941 War Tribunal of the NKVD Baltic District Forces		
Aug, Aleksander (*1919)		11 July 1941	14 July 1941
	13 July 1941 War Tribunal of the Baltic Fleet		
Kallit, Peeter (*1889)	On 4 July hoisted a blue-black-and-white flag in Rimmu rural municipality in Viljandi County and told local people that Estonian authority had been reinstalled.	12 July 1941	25 July 1941 in Tallinn
	15 July 1941 War Tribunal of the Baltic Fleet		
Pusse, Marit (*1887)	Janitor. Was hostile towards Soviet power and the Russians. Was charged with anti- Soviet propaganda.	11 July 1941	24 July 1941

NAME OF SENTENCED	TRIBUNAL / TRIBUNAL'S INDICTMENT	ARRESTED	EXECUTED
Kallaste, Manivald (*1922), Koseorg, Enno (*1922), Lindus, Eduard (*1919), Proment, Edmund (*1923), Roosvee, Ellar (*1919)	Forest brothers. Kallaste, Koseorg, Roosvee and Proment had evaded mobilisation into the Red Army, Lindus had fled from the 22nd Territorial Rifle Corps.	14 July 1941, 13 July 1941, unknown, 13 July 1941, 13 July 1941	25 July 1941
	21 July 1941 War Tribunal of the Railway		
Lutter, Paul (*1906)	Member of the Defence League. Railway dis- patcher, did not turn up at work. Was caught by the destruction battalion members near Kehra. Was charged in accordance with the directive of General Lyubovtsev from 5 July with banditism.	19 July 1941	23 July 1941
	24 July 1941 War Tribunal of the 22nd Territorial Rifle Corps		
Mars, Arved-Hans (*1903)	Photographer. Was aware of the defection of the Chief of Technical Equipment of the 614th Artillery Regiment of the 22th Territorial Rifle Corps Captain Villemson and 2nd Lieutenants Lepik and Kalda to the German side, but did not report the fact.	14 July 1941	24 July 1941 in Tallinn
	25 July 1941 War Tribunal of the Baltic Fleet		
Grinin, Aleksandr (*1915)	25 July 1941 War Tribunal of the Baltic Fleet Air Force Lieutenant of the Red Army, served in the 2nd Air Squdron of the 57th Regiment, candidate of the member of CPSU. Broke rules of filing and storing documents. Did not report the fact. Was allegedly planning to escape to Germany.	13 March 1941	
Grinin, Aleksandr (*1915)	Air Force Lieutenant of the Red Army, served in the 2nd Air Squdron of the 57th Regiment, candidate of the member of CPSU. Broke rules of filing and storing documents. Did not report the fact. Was allegedly planning to	13 March 1941	
Grinin, Aleksandr (*1915) Kasekänd, Arnold (*1902), Laiv, Herman (*1907), Leesalu, Herbert (*1914), Leetmaa, Mart (*1912), Must, Karl (*1917), Palts, Adolf (*1914), Pihl, Enn (*1908), Pikk, Albert (*1903), Sadam, Sulo (*1916), Tõniste, Ado (*1902), Vakerman, Juhan (*1914)	Air Force Lieutenant of the Red Army, served in the 2nd Air Squdron of the 57th Regiment, candidate of the member of CPSU. Broke rules of filing and storing documents. Did not report the fact. Was allegedly planning to escape to Germany.	13 March 1941 Mart Leetma was 27 July, the others on 26 July	6 Aug. 1941 in Tallinn

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	6 Aug. 1941 War Tribunal of unknown institution		
Meesak, Adolf (*1910)	In 1940–1941 NKVD prison guard. Deserter, helped prisoners.	16 July 1941	7 Aug. 1941
Oks, Evald (*1912)		26 July 1941	6 Aug. 1941 in Tallinn
Sillari, Ellar (*1908), Steinpek, August	Teacher, headmaster of primary school. Was member of the Defence League; Steinpek was a farmer.	15 and 13 July 1941 respectively	15 Aug. 1941
	12 Aug. 1941 War Tribunal of the Baltic Fleet		
Vane, Johannes (*1880)	Kehra railway station master, on 6 July went to the forest, was cought by members of destruction battalion. Was evading mobilisa- tion of railway personnel.	6 Aug. 1941	10 Aug. 1941 in Tallinn
Aamisepp Arnold (*1911), Gerulaitis, Broneslav (*1907), Hiibus, Jaan (*1911), Yanchevski, Georgi (*1913), Obst, Herbert (*1913), Olli, August (*1923), Riiel, Kornelius (*1907), Vaikla, Mihkel (*1922)		28 July 1941, 11 July 1941, unknown, 21 July 1941, 21 July 1941, unknown, unknown, 29 July 1941	
Kents, Ilmar (*1915), Radetski, Georg (*1913), Viibor, Hugo (*1914)	Kents and Radetski were charged with espi- onage in favour of Germany. Allegedly had been in contact with German intelligence officer Birk and sent on intelligence informa- tion about military objects. All were charged with being members of a counterrevolution- ary organisation.	Kents and Radetski on 25 July and Viibor on 13 Aug.	21 Aug. 1941 in Tallinn

EXECUTIONS IN PRISONS WITHOUT JUDICIAL PROCEDURE, KILLING OF CIVILIANS BY THE DIFFERENT SOVIET STATE SECURITY AND MILITARY UNITS

According to the order of NKVD People's Commissar Beria the people who had been imprisoned and could not be evacuated before the approaching front were executed. On 8 July 1941 the employees of the Viljandi County Divisions of the NKVD and the NKGB executed in the yard of Viljandi prison 11 prisoners. During the night of 8–9 July 1941 the employees of the Tartu County Departments of the NKVD and the NKGB executed in Tartu prison and in the NKVD/NKGB local department 199 prisoners, 193 of them in Tartu prison. Prisoners were shot also in other towns: 11 people in Troi forest near Haapsalu, 41 in Hiiumaa near Kärdla etc.

180 people were shot in September and October 1941 in Saaremaa, 90 of them in Kuressaare castle. The latter were mostly local people arrested after the outbreak of war and sentenced to death by the War Tribunal of the Coast Guard Baltic Region Headquarters.

Between June and November 1941 ca 2,000 persons have been identified who were killed by the retreating units of Red Army and Baltic Fleet, destruction battalions or NKVD and NKGB employees without any judicial procedure.

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