Today's Martyrs - February 1918

Thursday February 7, 1918



Ukraine: Kiev

Metropolitan Vladimir aka Vasily Nikiforovich Bogoyavlensky (aged 70, summarily executed in front of his monks by Red Army soldiers)

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Vladimir_(Bogoyavlensky)

Thursday February 21, 1918



Iran: Urima

Mar Denkha (bishop, seized by Ottoman invaders during the Assyrian Genocide along with 60 other Christian leaders who were sheltered by French missionaries, the French managed to buy the freedom of 20 of the 61)

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Assyrian_genocide

Friday February 22, 1918



Iran: Urima

Mar Denkha (bishop, beheaded by Ottoman invaders during the Assyrian Genocide along with 40 other Christian leaders)

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Assyrian_genocide



Russia

Fr Pavel Kusnikov (aged 38, arrested on charges of concealing weapons for the White Guard) http://orthochristian.com/109642.html

Saturday February 23, 1918



Russia

Fr Pavel Kusnikov (aged 38, arrested on February 22, 1918 on charges of concealing weapons for the White Guard; **UPDATE**: shot dead in a swamp)

http://orthochristian.com/109642.html

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