GUARD SHOT DOWN A FLEEING AUSTRIAN

Prisoner Slain at Montreal — Gen. Hughes Saw It and Says Duty Was Done.

Montreal, May 3.—"You did your duty, my boy," said Major-General Hughes, who on Saturday night at 9 o'clock saw a guard shoot and kill an Austrian, Jan Bauzek, at the Windsor station, who was trying to escape.

Bauzek was in a party of 106 Austrians who were being taken from the detention prison on St. Antoine street to the detention camp at Spirit Lake. Major W. E. Date, provost marshal, Captain Griffiths, and a guard had marched the prisoners to Windsor station, into which the Austrians were turning, when Bauzek made his break for liberty.

He had almost reached Stanley street, a short block away, when the guard called: "Halt! or I'll shoot." After vainly shouting his warning three times, with Bauzek thirty feet away, the guard fired.

The guard in question is a French-Canadian soldier. His name is being withheld until the military inquiry into the affair is held.