

Bogdanffy Eugene

H. financier of the shady
type, well known Nazi

In 1923 Tibor Eckhardt ^{contact}
with a Vienna Jew,
Feingold, in his
financial manipulations

In U.S. in 1941-1942

See: Deputy Proppers speech in
Hungarian Parliament

Postes Lloyd July 19-1923 (Pages 2-3)
and Deputy Bela Fabian's
speech P.L. Aug 4, 1923,
Pages 2-3

Lorenz, Gabriel: The two Hungarian movements
for freedom in the U.S. (Jan. 30, 1942.)

* *in Futura*
"Then there is Eugene Bogdanffy, closely
connected with Eckhardt, one of his closest
friends, and one of Budapest's most prominent
bankers and financial experts. B. is linked
with Nazi Germany through his currency
manipulations between the mark and the
pengo for which he obtained a monopoly
from the Hungarian Government. Also, in his
connections with Futura and Hangya - two
enterprises devoted to the export of food
and raw materials from Hungary to Germany.

B. arrived in the U.S. several days
after the arrival of Eckhardt, registered

at the Berkshire Hotel, 528 Madison Avenue, N.Y. An investigation of his itinerary will show that he came here by way of Lisbon, but not until he had spent some time in Germany for the ostensible purpose of liquidating his affairs there and "cutting his connections with the Nazis". Upon arriving he declared that his object in coming to the United States was to support his old friend Eckhardt.

There is Gustav Bauer, Nazi Controller in Budapest of exports to Germany. Because of his close link with the murder of Minister Erzberger, leader of the Catholic Centrum Party in 1922, Bauer fled to Budapest where he remained under the protection of Julius Gömbös (later Premier)

His appointment as Controller was in reward of this murder. In this position he accumulated considerable fortune, and through Bogdanffy, became a real influence on the Stock exchange. Also, Bauer's property abroad is administered through Bogdanffy. Details with regard to this have been published in "Az Ember" Oct. 18, 1941, - in the United States. Since this periodical was inclined to be friendly to Eckhardt's mission in the U.S.A. the expose is of added interest.

Bogdanffy's parallel presence in the U.S. with Eckhardt, and the B.-Bauer link by which E. hovers dangerously close to the Nazi orbit, should become a source of considerable speculation -- particularly to the F.B.I.

