▪ 제주도 폭동 사망자 46명(워싱턴포스트 1948. 4. 24)

Korean Island Riot Deaths Reach 46

Seoul, Korea, April 23 (U.P.)—Communist rioting today on Cheju Island off Korea's southern coast has created a "serious situation," authorities reported.

A battalion of Korean constabulary has been rushed to Cheju to reinforce the hard-pressed garrison.

Reports from Cheju said communication lines onthe island have been cut. Communists reportedly were distributing handbills urging the constabulary and rightists to desert to the Communist cause.

A United States Army spokesman said at least 46 persons have been killed since the outbreaks began April 2.

A small American Army unit is stationed on Cheju. It reported Communist activity seemed to be increasing.

The official radio in Pyongyang, capital of Soviet-occupied north Korea, announced that the Russian-sponsored north Korean government would meet Wednesday to discuss a constitution for all Koera, including the American-occupied south.

▪ 한국경찰, 제주도 폭동에서 60명 체포(워싱턴포스트 1948. 4. 25)

Korean Police Arrest 60 in Chefu Rioting

Seoul, Korea, April 24 (U.P.)—Korean constabulary troops armed with American Garand rifles surrounded the riot-torn city of Cheju of Cheju Island early today while Korean police raided the homes of suspected agitators and arrested 60.

It was the first government counter-action against alleged leftist-inspired disturbances which resulted in 46 deaths on Cheju since April 2.

The constabulary men held the city paralyzed for 5½ hours while police carried out the arrests without violence. Thirty of the 60 arrested were released later. Sporadic sniper fire sounded throughout the hours of darkness, but the area was quiet by daylight.

Cheju is the largest city on the island of Cheju, 50 miles south of Korea and in the American occupation zone.

▪ 한국경찰, 소요가 난무한 도시를 공격(뉴욕타임즈 1948. 4. 25)

KOREA POLICE RAID STRIFE-TORN CITY

60 Suspected Agitators Taken in Cheju After Series of Fatal Disturbances

SEOUL, Korea, April 24 (UP)—Korean constabulary troops armed with American Garand rifles surrounded the strife-torn city of Cheju on Cheju Island early today while Korean police raided the homes of suspected agitators and arrested sixty.

It was the first Government counter-action against alleged Leftist-inspired disturbances that have resulted in forty-six deaths on the Island of Cheju since April 2.

The constabulary men held the city paralyzed for five and one-half hours while police carried out the arrests without violence. Thirty of the sixty arrested were released later. Sporadic sniper fire sounded throughout the hours of darkness, but the area was quiet by daylight.

Cheju is the largest city on the Island of Cheju, fifty miles south of Korea and in the American occupation zone. Americans are reported to be advising the police there, as they do elsewhere in Southern Korea, but otherwise are not involved in the Cheju troubles.

The United States Army announced that sabotaged telephone lines between Cheju and other parts of the island were now restored, despite sniper fire on repairmen.

The only other violence reported in Southern Korea was the assassination of Kim Yun Ku, candidate for the National Assembly in elections scheduled for May 10. Unknown persons shot him to death in his home, 100 miles south of Seoul.

The constabulary-police blow against alleged Leftists on Cheju may mark a stiffening attitude toward the disturbances which Communists and sympathizers hope will disrupt or discredit the elections.