

500 in raiding party, several hundred unarmed. Army troops pursuing after being tardily informed.

12. Regtl Commander from Cheju do reports during week 20-27 November 122 Rebels were captured and 576 killed; between 1 Oct and 20 Nov 1625 killed, 1383 captured. Much material captured but few weapons - mainly Jap rifles; total for 2 months equals 60 weapons.

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• 계엄법 문서 송부(1948. 12. 1)

MARTIAL LAW

Supreme C/S Chief, PMAG 1 December 1948 WLR:ee

Herewith is a paper on "Martial Law" which should be published to all your command, so that they may know what martial law is, when martial law may be declared, who declares it and its effect.

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• 제주도민 군경에 협력(1948. 12. 18)

OPERATIONS ON CHEJU DO

Lee Joon Suk Chief, PMAG 18 Dec 1948 WLR:ee

cc: Pres Kees
Supreme C/S
CD, KC
Adv, KC

An important occurrence has been noted in our operations in Cheju do which should be brought to your attention, as it points to a distinct swing in the thinking of your people. This swing in thinking is in the proper direction, too.

As you know, the inhabitants of Cheju do have been independent thinkers and they have been well-organized by SKLP. They formerly were hostile to the Constabulary and Police troops. Now, in general, they are friendly. They are assisting the Police and Constabulary by furnishing information freely, and lately, they are assisting the Army and Police in removing the Rebels.

I quote a report just received:

"The 8th Regiment led by Lt Col Song You Chan has obtained complete information and cooperation from the citizens of Cheju do. Recent operations conducted on the island have been participated in by spear-armed islanders led by small groups of Korean Army Officers and men. On one occasion, 2,000 men from the island moved against armed Raiders on the slopes of Halla San. These men were led by small groups of Korean Army personnel and inflicted over one hundred casualties on the enemy; some firearms and stores of food were captured. 11100 December, one company of 8th Regiment led 1000 villagers in the

vicinity of Topyong-ni (958-1152). 105 Raiders were killed, their weapons and equipment captured. These are only two of many reported instances of cooperation on Chaju do. It is interesting to note that the Korean Army distributes captured enemy clothing and food to needy villagers whose homes have been destroyed by Raiders. Lt Col Song You Chan is to be highly commended on his accomplishment of changing the islanders' initial attitude of belligerency to one of wholehearted trust and cooperation."

As a result of this action by peace-loving people when led and directed by capable and trustworthy Officers, I recommend that this be given great publicity by press, radio and by Presidential proclamation, that the people be told to trust the reorganized Army and Police and to look to them as their protectors and, in no case, to give food or shelter to rebels or raiders. The people should be told to make prompt report of any enemy in their midst and to resist intruders whenever possible.

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• 로버츠가 로알 장관에게 보낸 보고서(1949. 1. 7)

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The Honorable Kenneth C Royall
Secretary of the Army
Department of Defense
Washington 25, D C

7 January 1949

Dear Mr Royall:

This folio presents a picture of the history, organization, strength and composition of the Korean Security Forces.

A description of the present operations of the Korean Security Forces against subversive elements on the mainland and the island of Cheju do is also presented.

Logistical data reflect the present status of supply and the problems involved.

These may be considered as "extension of remarks" which, if desired, may serve as a refresher or as data which cannot be easily remembered.

Sincerely yours,



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Chief

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5 incl: Korean Army
1 incl: Korean Navy
1 incl: Korean Police