5. It is believed inadvisable to organize a mountain Police unit. The terrain on Cheju-Do is such that a horse unit would be almost as road bound as a motor unit and lack the speed and long range mobility of a motor unit. Horse cavalry has proved itself outmoded in such terrain. The same holds true for mountain Police.

6. Relative to recommendations embodied in paragraph 0:

a. Recommendation to elevate Cheju-Do Island from the status of Police Inspection Command to Police Division is not approved.

b. Recommendation that two District Police Stations should be newly set up on Cheju-Do is not approved.

c. Recommendation that the present authorized strength of 500 be permanently increased to 800 is not approved.

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Military Governor

▪ 박진경 대령 암살자 재판(1948. 8. 2)

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES OF DIS

CO, USAMGIK — ADIS — 2 August 1948

2. Money captured from Communists in mountains at Cheju do remains in hands of Civil Affairs Officer there; Major Noel awaiting disposition by MG.

5. Trial of murderers of Colonel Pak (Cheju do) gets under way this week.

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▪ 폭행과 고문사례(1948. 8. 3)

Beating and Torture Cases

Advisor to the Director — Uniform Bureau — 3 August 1948

1. The following is a record, by Divisions, of alleged beating and torture cases in the Korean National Police:

DIVISION "A"

15 June 1948 — Hunger strike at the Inchon Jail in protest against brutality and torture. (Information appeared in paper and investigation was referred to the Inspector General. No report todate.)

18 July 1948 — Kim Yong Mai died on 19 July 1948 while in the custody of the Kaesong Police. Autopsy disclosed the fact that the man had been beaten prior to his death, but indicates cause of death as heart failure. (Report from Kaesong Police Inspector.)

DIVISION "C"

Lieutenant Pigenot, American Advisor, has two beating and torture cases under investigation. Details are not available.