DTG 120830Z JOINT WEEKA 9 12 Aug 49

Period 5 August to 12 August 1949.

Subversive.

3. Trials of Communists and sympathizers on Cheju Do during period 3 June-12 July 1949 resulted in following:

A. Tried: 1,652 civilians, 47 military personnel. Sentenced: death 345, life imprisonment 238. 15 years 311, 7 years or less 705. Not guilty 54. Released 46

▪ 목포형무소 탈옥사건 발생(1949. 9. 16)

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DTG : 160800Z JOINT WEEKA 14 16 Sep 49

Period 9th to 16th September 1949.

Subversive.

2. 141700 September Mokpo (938-1308) estimated 438 prisoners escaped general prison armed with estimated 30 Japanese rifles. 152235 September reports received to effect that 264 escapees either killed in action, captured or surrendered. All but eight rifles recovered. Majority of prisoners reported political prisoners from Cheju Do. 5 prison wardens reported killed in action, 9 wounded in action. 2 Companies Korean Army, Local National Police and Korean Navy Detachment combining forces to recover prisoners.

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DTG : 230830Z JOINT WEEKA 15 23 Sep 49

Period 16 to 23 September 1949.

Army.

4. Recapitulation of Mokpo prison break (see Joint WEEKA 14). Total 388 prisoners escaped. 237 have been killed; 85 captured; 6 surrendered and 60 still at large.

▪ 제주도 게릴라 249명 사형집행(1949. 10. 7)

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DTG : 070800Z JOINT WEEKA 17 7 Oct 49

Period 30 September to 7 October 1949.

Army.

4. 249 guerrillas executed on Cheju-Do as result of general courts-martial of guerrillas captured since last April on island. Mass execution held 020900 October supervised by Korean army Provost Marshal of area. All sentences approved by President Rhee. Among group were 21 deserters from Ninth Infantry Regiment, formerly station on Cheju.

▪ 제주도 게릴라 식량보급차 마을 습격(1949. 12. 2)

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DTG : 020800Z JOINT WEEKA 25 2 Dec 49

Period 25th November to 2nd December 1949.

Psychological.

Comment: As expected with the advent of winter guerrillas raids on villages apparently primarily to secure food