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SUBJECT VIOLENCE AND DISRUPTIVE EFFECTS OF THE CULTURAL  
REVOLUTION IN THE EASTERN PROVINCES OF  
CHEKIANG, FUKIEN, AND KIANGSU.

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1. (SUMMARY. IN CHEKIANG PROVINCE, JUIAN HAS BEEN THE SCENE OF SERIOUS FIGHTING WITH "COUNTLESS NUMBERS" OF DEATHS; YUNGCHIA AND SHAOSING HAVE WITNESSED FIGHTING, BUT APPARENTLY ON A MUCH SMALLER SCALE; AND NINGPO HAS SEEN FIGHTING, HUNGER STRIKES, AND DISRUPTION OF PRODUCTION AND COMMUNICATIONS. IN AMOY, AN UNEXPLAINED "TERRIFYING BLOODY TRAGEDY" OCCURED ON 2 JUNE. IN FUCHOU, FORCEFUL STRUGGLES OCCUR FREQUENTLY; IN NANKING, THE TWO FACTIONS CONTINUE TO FIGHT INCESSANTLY. AND IN SHANGHAI, A

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NUMBER OF VAGABONDS AND BEATNIKS HAVE RECENTLY APPEARED TO  
ADD TO THE CONFUSION THERE.)

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3. JUIAN (N 27-47, E 120-38), CHEKIANG PROVINCE,

COUNTLESS NUMBER HAVE DIED AS A RESULT OF THE  
FIGHTING GOING ON AMONG THE PEOPLE HERE IN JUIAN.

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4. YUNGCHIA (N 28-01, E 120-39), CHEKIANG PROVINCE,

THERE HAVE BEEN MANY FIGHTS HERE DURING THE PAST  
MONTH BETWEEN THE LOCAL REBEL FACTIONS AND THE FACTIONS  
OPPOSING THEM. IN THE SURROUNDING DISTRICTS, THE FIGHTS HAVE  
BEEN PRETTY SERIOUS. IN JUIAN, FOR INSTANCE, MANY PEOPLE HAVE  
BEEN KILLED AND MANY MORE INJURED. THE FIGHTING IN CHINHUA  
(N 29-07, E 119-39) AND HANGCHOU HAS BEEN EVEN MORE SERIOUS.

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5. YUNGCHIA, [REDACTED] AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION IS STILL NORMAL. HOWEVER, INDUSTRIAL, COMMUNICATIONS AND MINING UNITS HAVE BEEN TEMPORARILY AFFECTED BY THE CULTURAL REVOLUTION.

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6. NINGPO (N 29-53, E 121-33), CHEKIANG PROVINCE., [REDACTED] WHEN COMPARED TO THE FIERCE STRUGGLES TAKING PLACE IN HANGCHOU, THE SITUATION IN NINGPO IS QUITE ALL RIGHT. THERE HAVE ONLY BEEN SOME INDIVIDUAL CASES OF PEOPLE BEING SLIGHTLY INJURED. NONETHELESS THE SITUATION IS STILL QUITE CONFUSING, WITH PRODUCTION BEING SUSPENDED IN SOME PLACES, THE COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM BEING IMPAIRED AT TIMES, AND HUNGER STRIKES CONTINUING IN MANY PLACES. THE TWO OPPOSING FACTIONS CAN BE FOUND IN VARIOUS FACTORIES, PLANTS AND ENTERPRISES--IN FACT, IN NEARLY EVERY UNIT.

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7. SHAOHSING (N 30-00, E 120-35), CHEKIANG PROVINCE, [REDACTED] THE CONTRADICTIONS AMONG THE PEOPLE HAVE BECOME MUCH MORE SERIOUS, AND THE NUMBER OF FIGHTS HAS INCREASED. THE POLICY IS TO CARRY OUT CIVIL STRUGGLES, BUT SOME PEOPLE CONTINUE TO FIGHT.

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8. AMOY, FUKIEN PROVINCE, 30 [REDACTED] FORCEFUL STRUGGLES

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AND BLOODY INCIDENTS ARE GOING ON THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY. IN AMOY, A TERRIFYING BLOODY TRAGEDY OCCURED ON 2 JUNE. THE STRUGGLE BECOMES MORE ACUTE WITH EACH PASSING DAY AS THE TWO REBEL FACTIONS HAVE REFUSED TO COMPROMISE WITH EACH OTHER.

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8. FUCHOU, FUKIEN PROVINCE,

[REDACTED] WITHIN FUKIEN PROVINCE, THE CULTURAL REVOLUTION IS BEING CARRIED OUT VERY VIOLENTLY. FORCEFUL STRUGGLES OCCUR FREQUENTLY.

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10. NANKING, KIANGSU PROVINCE,

[REDACTED] ONCE THE 26 JANUAR SEIZURE OF POWER FAILED, THE CENTRAL DIRECTED THAT MILITARY CONTROL WOULD BE IN FORCE BEGINNING 5 MARCH. STILL, THE STRUGGLES BETWEEN THE TWO FACTIONS CONTINUE AS THEY FIGHT INCESSANTLY THE "CIVIL WAR." THESE STRUGGLES ARE BEING CARRIED OUT VERY VIOLENTLY.

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12. SHANGHAI, [REDACTED] THE FORCES OF THE CULTURAL  
REVOLUTION ARE VERY FIERCE INDEED. ADDITIONALLY, A NUMBER  
OF VAGABONDS AND BEATNIK [REDACTED] HAVE RECENTLY  
APPEARED IN SHANGHAI, AND THEY ARE CREATING CONFUSION  
IN THE SOCIAL ORDER. [REDACTED]

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