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- 1. Adonis Samat, chief editor of the Borneo daily, Kalimantan Berdjuang, has been arrested by the police and his newspaper banned for an indefinite period of time. Also arrested were six members of the Serikat Kalimantan Indonesia as well as Hossein Razak, chairman of the Serikat Kerakjatan Indonesia congress.
- The independent weekly, Mimbar Indonesia, has been banned in Batavia for an indefinite period, reportedly on account of the "text to photographs in the recent edition"
- 3. Other weeklies and dailies must have their articles passed on and approved by the police before going to press. Photographs of Republican leaders are forbidden and newspapers must be careful in publishing news about guerrilla activities.

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