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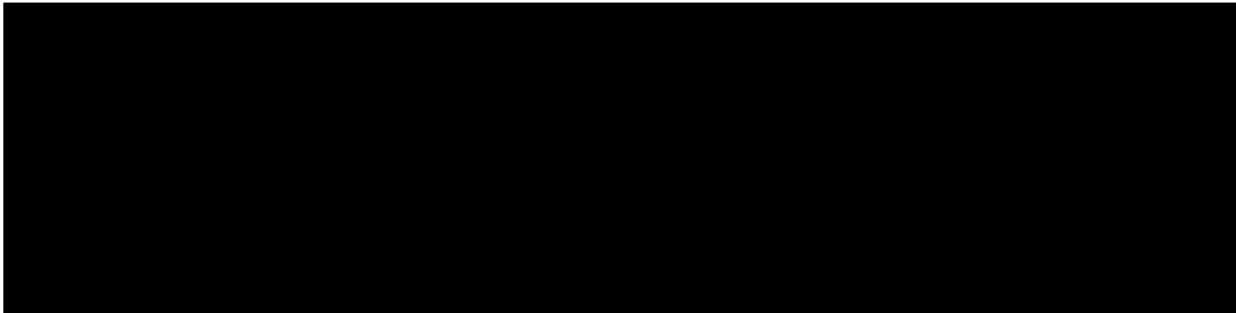
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1. The Sultan of Jogjakarta arrived in Batavia on 11 April for a two-day stay. The purpose of his trip is to discuss with Republican leaders the implementation of a plan for the reoccupation of Jogjakarta by the Republican Government.
2. The plan is to occupy the Residency of Jogjakarta in four steps over a period of three weeks. The first step will be the occupation of the city of Jogjakarta. The Sultan stressed the fact that much of the success of the entire operation will depend on the peaceful occupation of the city of Jogjakarta. To accomplish this it is most important that the Republican police be adequately equipped. This matter has been partially discussed with the Dutch.
3. The Sultan is afraid that the Dutch will try to sabotage the peaceful occupation of Jogjakarta by the Republic, which they could do by not providing the Republican police with sufficient equipment to handle the problem.
4. Mrs. Sukanto\* was approached by the Dutch military in Jogjakarta, who asked her to discuss the possibility of a truce with the Republican colonel in charge of the military police. Mrs. Sukanto discussed this matter with the Sultan, who advised her to tell the Dutch that such matters had to be decided by Sukarno and Hatta.
5. The Sultan feels that Tan Malaka's ability to reorganize his following has been overestimated. He feels that Tan Malaka and his groups can be eliminated as soon as the Republican Government has been installed in Jogjakarta.
6. He hopes that the United States will participate in a Pacific Pact. He feels that Indonesia will require definite material assistance if it is to wage a successful war against Communism, and that close cooperation with the United States in many fields will be necessary to achieve this end.

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7. Before the second "police action", Dr. Koets was banking on the Sultan of Jogjakarta aligning himself with the Dutch, and the fact that he did not has caused Dr. Koets and other advisers to the Cabinet in The Hague much embarrassment.

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Comment. Mrs. Sukanto's husband, head of the police force of the Indonesian Republic, is currently in the United States studying police force methods. In his absence, Sumarto has assumed his post.

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