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Re: My telegram No. 808

The Four Peoples Preservation Committee, whose president is Kan Chao-Hsi, is an organization whose establishment as a complete religious and charitable organization to extend relief to the poor has been authorized by the municipal office. Lately, with the above Four Peoples Preservation Committee as the basis, YOSHII, Kiyoharu and others, in conspiracy with Kan Chao-Hsi and others, are planning the establishment of the new political regime and it is a fact that they are trying to negotiate with the army.

It is said that the military authorities recognized that this maneuver would not only effect a bad influence upon the Local Peace Preservation Committee supported by the army but would also be contrary to their fundamental policies, and on the fifth, Col. DOIHARA and gendarmerie detachment Commander Mitani admonished Lieut. General Ishimitsu, who came with Yoshii, that it was very unfortunate that he was being taken advantage of by such an adventurer as Yoshii and advised Yoshii to resign voluntarily.