



Riots break out throughout Taiwan; martial law declared.

FEBRUARY 28

FEBRUARY 27

Lin Chiang-mai beaten by Tobacco Monopoly Bureau agents, who kill a man after firing into a crowd.



MARCH 9

Kuomintang troops land in Taiwan from China, begin killing and suppressing people of Taiwan; martial law declared again.

MARCH 1

Committee to Settle the Monopoly Bureau Incident formed; Kuomintang troops massacre group of students in train station.

MARCH 2

Martial law lifted; uprisings spread throughout Taiwan.

MARCH 3

Chen Yi agrees to withdraw troops and not to bring more into northern Taiwan.



MARCH 4

Taiwanese take over administration of many local governments.

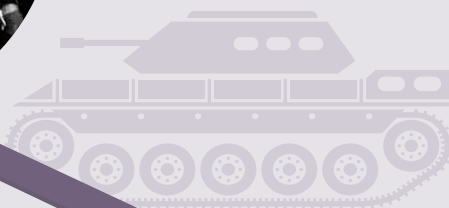


MARCH 6

General Peng Meng-chi launches massacre to restore order in Kaohsiung.

MARCH 7

Committee to Settle the Monopoly Bureau Incident issues its 32 demands.



MARCH 10

Chen Yi accuses Settlement Committee of rebelling against the government; Chiang Kai-shek defends Chen Yi's actions and rejects 32 Demands.

MARCH 21

Fighting ends throughout Taiwan.

MARCH 22

Kuomintang Central Committee censures Chen Yi and demands dismissal.



MARCH 28

Chen Yi submits resignation; accepted by Chiang Kai-shek on March 31.