

Chinese Forces Escape US Trap North of Pangnim

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From the wires of the Associated Press

Troops of the U. S. Seventh Division knifed ahead Monday on the right flank of the 8th Army offensive in central Korea to a point six miles north of Pangnim.

A patrol of the Seventh Division met rifle and anti-tank fire, but air observers reported the Reds were withdrawing. The Communist pullback from a threatened U. N. trap was so rapid that Lt. Gen. Edward M. Almond, Tenth Corp commander, called it "a virtual rout."

An estimated 14,000 Korean Reds escaped as a giant Allied pincers bogged down in deep mud left by heavy rains and an early thaw. They continued to flee northward Monday—in groups of 100 to 1,000—pounded by U. S. fighter-bombers.

American tanks and infantrymen at the other extreme of the battleline, fought virtually to the outskirts of Seoul Monday but withdrew under heavy Red fire. New Red tanks were reported spotted around the city, concealed in houses and in the woods.

Prime Minister Clement Attlee...

...announced Monday it has been agreed that the Deputy Supreme Commander of Atlantic Pact naval forces in the Atlantic Ocean will be British.

In addition, it has been agreed that Britain will retain "operation control" of its home fleet even when an American becomes Supreme Commander of Atlantic naval forces.

Attlee told the House of Commons, he is "entirely satisfied" with the nomination of U. S. Admiral William N. Fichteler to be Supreme Commander for the area.

Italy's Communist Boss...

...ailing Palmiro Togliatti, who has been in the Soviet Union for treatment since before Christmas, returned home suddenly today, presumably to deal first-hand with a growing breach in the Red party ranks.

Togliatti's return is expected to signal a sharp increase in Communist party activities, with the annual National Party Congress as the first big event in March. It has been reported that his quick return was spurred by the recent resignation of two top Communists from the party, which was followed by a wave of resignations by other important local leaders who opposed the party's policy of putting Moscow's interests before those of Italy.

Senate Republican Policy Leader...

...Robert Taft said today that as many as 18 U. S. land divisions may be sent to Europe unless Congress limits the power of President Truman.

The Ohio Senator said in a statement prepared for the troops-to-Europe hearings that it would be "foolhardy" to commit even six divisions to Western Europe's defense until the United States gets defined commitments on contributions by European nations.

Taft testified before the Senate Foreign Relations and Armed Services Committees after John Sherman Cooper, Republican adviser to the State Department, said failure by this country to provide foot soldiers for the North Atlantic Defense Force might involve "the greatest surrender in history."

The United States Supreme Court...

...Monday struck down a Wisconsin law which banned strikes by public utility workers and required them to submit labor disputes to compulsory arbitration.

Chief Justice Vinson delivered the 6-3 decision for himself and Justices Black, Reed, Douglas, Jackson, and Clark. Justice Frankfurter wrote a dissent in which Justices Burton and Minton joined.

Vinson said the Wisconsin anti-strike law conflicts with the National Labor Relations Act, and therefore cannot stand.

Construction of a 60,000-Ton Aircraft Carrier...

...was authorized by legislation sent by Congress to the White House Monday. The new carrier would be capable of launching long-range planes carrying atomic bombs.

Senator Byrd (D-Va.) told the Senate the huge ship would cost \$212,000,000. He said the joint chiefs of staff unanimously favor the project.

Western Washington Lumber Workers...

...went on strike Monday, and union officials began a meeting with employers that will determine whether the strike will spread. Some 14,000 workers have left their jobs over wage disputes.

No general walkout of the AFL's 65,000 lumber and sawmill workers in the Pacific Northwest was in order. The Willamette Valley district of Oregon, involving about 5,500 men, and plywood mill operations in western Oregon and Washington, settled for a 7½-cent boost Saturday.

A Fist Fight Between...

...Portland City Commissioner J. E. Bennett and Carl W. Hogg, chairman of the Oregon Liquor Commission, occurred Monday at a Senate Alcoholic Traffic Committee hearing.

The fight, in which Bennett landed the only solid blow, came at the end of a hearing of Bennett's charges that the Liquor Commission has allowed too many beer taverns in Portland.

As the meeting closed, Hogg walked over to Bennett and grabbed him by the lapels. Bennett swung, they scuffled, and spectators separated them.

At the hearing, Bennett asked the legislature to give cities the right to veto any tavern licenses issued or renewed by the Liquor Commission.

A Hat for the Chief



MAJ. GEN. WILLIAM B. KEAN places a fireman's hat on Col. "Fire Chief Mike" Michaelis, famed commander of the 27th (Wolfhound) Regiment, near Suwon, Korea. The Wolfhounds have been named the firebrigade because it is "called upon to put the fires out." Col. Michaelis has been advanced to assistant commander of the 25th Division in Korea, while Gen. Keane, former commander of the division, is returning to the U. S. to command the Third Corps at Camp Roberts, Calif. (AP WIREPHOTO)

'Goodbye My Fancy' Tickets Selling Fast

By Don Smith

There will be a number of firsts for students who are quick enough to get tickets to "Goodbye, My Fancy," the University Theater production which opens this Friday in the Villard Arena theater.

First of all tickets go to those who buy first, according to theater business manager Virginia Hall, who points out that this Friday and Saturday nights are already sold out, and next Friday evening is near the "standing room only" stage. She urges students to call in or make their reservations today if they want to see the play. Admission is \$1 or a season ticket stub.

For the first time, eight regular performances of the comedy hit have been scheduled, instead of the customary five or six. And with closed period just around the corner from the closing date of the production, it's not likely any additional performances will be given.

The play will be presented this Friday and Saturday, and Monday through Saturday next week.

It will be the first time the new arena theater will be used for a major theater production, though veteran director Otilie Seybolt has directed "in-the-round" productions before.

Since the arena theater seats only 135 persons, and only that number are being sold for each performance; but there will be no reserved seats in the centrally-staged production. Whether you sit in the first row with your feet almost in the acting area, or whether you sit in the second or third row, depends on your preference.

The little box office in Villard Hall will be used for the first time, too. Ticket reservations may be made and picked up during the days at the main box office; but performance night, tickets will be moved to the Villard Hall box office an hour or so before "curtain time." Of course, in an in-the-round production there is no real curtain.

Also, because of the tree-chopping campaign of the physical plant, the theater's traditional ban-

ner across 13th Ave. between Oregon and Condon Halls has been moved. But not far—just down to the corner of Kincaid.

And—last but not least of the firsts—Gerry Hettinger, who plays the female lead, has had her brown hair bleached for her role, and is now a honey blonde for the first time.

Panhellenic Seeks Five Chairmen

Five positions on the Panhellenic executive council may be petitioned for until 5 p.m. Friday, according to Panhellenic President Joan White.

The positions are publicity, social, standards, scholarship and relations chairmen. The relations chairman must be a sophomore this year.

Petitions should be submitted to Miss White at Zeta Tau Alpha sorority.

Pictures Returned

Photographs turned in for the Dads' Day Hostess contest can be picked up at the ASUO office in the Student Union, according to Paul Lasker, special events chairman.

The pictures will be kept for only two weeks and then discarded, said Lasker.

PS Honorary In Petition Form

The petition for the organization of an Oregon chapter of Pi Sigma Alpha, national political science honorary, will be presented to C. P. Schleicher, professor of political science, by Wednesday for approval of the department.

Heading the drive for the forming of the honorary is Barry Mountain, senior in political science. More than a dozen undergraduates and graduates in political science have signed the petition, Mountain said Monday.

If approved, one of the first actions of the group would be setting up a branch of the Collegiate Council for the United Nations. This Council works in the interests of the U. N., promoting an understanding of its aims and methods of achieving them.

Sir Livingstone To Visit Campus

One of the world's outstanding scholars, Sir Richard Livingstone, will visit the Oregon campus the latter part of spring term for a series of lectures, seminars, and meetings with faculty groups, according to Eldon L. Johnson, dean of the College of Liberal Arts.

Livingstone, president of Corpus Christi college at Oxford University, is considered an outstanding British classical scholar. He is an honorary doctor of literature and an honorary doctor of law. Livingstone has written a number of essays and books on higher education and on the classical authors.

While on the Oregon campus, Livingstone will present four lectures on the topic, "Education and the Spirit of the Age." Livingstone will also meet with classes and give other guest lectures.

A conference of academic deans from the Pacific Northwest is planned for the Oregon campus to coincide with Livingstone's appearance, Johnson said.

HEILIG Dial 4-9311

"Mystery Submarine" and

"Undercover Girl" Alexis Smith - Scott Brady

MAYFLOWER Dial 5-1022

"Wyoming Mail" and

"Under The Gun"

LANE Dial 4-0431

"Copper Canyon" and

"No Way Out"

McKENZIE Dial 7-2201

"Dallas" and

"50 Years Before Your Eyes"

VARSITY Dial 7-3403

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"Guns Ablazing"

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