

# Red Guerrillas Under Attack Behind U. S. Lines

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Seoul, Korea, Nov. 21 (AP)—United Nations forces attacked two well-organized North Korean communist units totaling about 20,000 men today far below the northern front.

British, Turkish and Thai (Siamese) troops joined the U.S. 2nd division in an attack on the heavily-entrenched enemy in the Samin-Togyon area, about 35 miles east of the former red capital of Pyongyang.

At the same time the republic of Korea 9th and 11th divisions battled the second communist force in the Taejon area. "These can not be classed as mopping up operations," a U.S. 8th army spokesman said. "We believe the enemy is well organized in both sectors. The communists appear to have assembled enough remnants of their army in two separate groups to mount a major attack. We aim to destroy them as early as possible."

The tank-infantry team of the 2nd division clashed in scattered fights yesterday with the outpost protecting the red concentration at Samin-Togyon.

Many Killed  
One enemy battalion withdrew southeast under a heavy American artillery barrage and was believed to have suffered heavy casualties. In another brisk small arms duel 75 communists were killed and 75 more dispersed. Meantime, the South Korean 9th division killed 70 and captured 20 of an estimated 300 communists with whom they clashed at Sodae, 10 miles southeast of Taejon. Farther south, about 35 miles southwest of Namwon, a battalion of the South Korean 11th was ambushed. A third enemy force of undetermined strength—but believed to be not more than 3,000 men—attacked elements of the 2nd South Korean division at Kapyong and Hongchon, 35 and 45 miles northeast of Seoul. This communist group was believed to be trying to join the red

# Taft Better Vote Getter Than Dewey, Backers Claim

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Washington, Nov. 21 (AP)—The story that Sen. Robert A. Taft lacks political sex appeal is dying hard. The Ohio senator's supporters know that story must be scotched if their hero is to have a real chance at the republican presidential nomination in 1952.

So there are circulating in Washington and elsewhere some break-downs of the Nov. 7 general election returns from Ohio and New York. These break-downs are intended to show that Taft is a better vote-getter than Gov. Thomas E. Dewey and perhaps the best vote-getter in the republican party.

Taft's friends pin their argument on the percentage figures. There were 2,844,319 votes cast in Ohio. Taft was reelected with 57.5 per cent of that vote. His opponent, Joseph T. Ferguson, got 42.5 per cent. Comparison Made  
New Yorkers cast 5,257,184 for governor. Dewey was reelected with 53.5 per cent. Walter A. Lynch, democrat, got 42.7 and John T. McManus, American labor, 3.8 per cent. That comparison with Dewey makes Taft look good. It makes the story that he lacks vote appeal look bad.

The senator's friends so far haven't thought of another obvious comparison which would support their argument. That Taft is a big league campaigner. That comparison would be with the greatest vote-getter of them all—Franklin D. Roosevelt.

FDR was elected four times to the presidency. But only twice did he poll a larger percentage of the popular vote than Taft got in Ohio a fortnight ago. He had 59.1 per cent in 1932 against Herbert Hoover and 62.5 per cent in 1936 against Alf M. Landon. In 1940 he had 55 per cent against Wendell Willkie and in 1944 only 53.9 per cent against Dewey. Opponent Not Strong  
Taft's opponent this month in Ohio was not a strong candidate. But neither was Lynch a strong candidate against Dewey. And troops at Samin-Togyon. Other enemy forces were engaged by the U. S. 187th paratroop regiment at Singye and Suan, 55 and 35 miles southeast of Pyongyang.

# Grange to Study Farm Proposals

Minneapolis, Nov. 21 (AP)—A seven-point program to keep government aids and controls at a minimum and insure fair prices for farmers will go before the 8th National Grange convention this week.

The program, subject to possible revision on the floor by delegates was released by agriculture committee chairman Dorsey Kirk, Illinois grange master. The committee admitted that the international situation may require government control, allocation and rationing. It insisted also that there is no single measure to solve farm problems.

"The present programs constitute faulty methods of dealing with surpluses of both the so-called basic crops and perishables," the report stated. The report said there was great need for a "permanent solution to the farm problem" and said present farm laws were not a "well-rounded adequate program."

The committee proposed an emergency defense agriculture program which called for:  
1. Controlled farm prices pegged at or above parity price levels.  
2. Ceilings, if necessary for stepping up production of specific items, that would be set above parity.  
3. Regulating of any such ceilings to the control levels of non-agricultural prices and wages.  
4. Protection for farmers if defense requirements result in an eventual peace-time surplus for disposal.  
5. Careful consideration of draft provisions to prevent calling of irreplaceable highly-skilled farm labor.

For its long range program the committee recommended that the grange continue to try to get administration of farm problems removed from politics and put under a 12-man federal farm commission to assist the secretary of agriculture in administering farm measures it recommended.

Former Japanese Officials Freed By Gen. MacArthur  
Tokyo, Nov. 21 (AP)—Gen. Douglas MacArthur released former Japanese foreign minister Mamoru Shigemitsu from prison as a war criminal on parole today in defiance of Russia. He also announced that six more lesser war criminals will be paroled similarly Dec. 3. They will bring the number of Japanese given time off their war crimes sentences for good behavior to 148. Shigemitsu, who as foreign minister signed Japan's surrender aboard the battleship USS Missouri in 1945, had served two years of a seven-year sentence for high-level responsibility for atrocities to war prisoners. He is the first class A Japanese war criminal paroled. He was one of the co-defendants in the long drawn-out trial of war-time Premier Hideki (The Tiger) Tojo. All except one of the other defendants were executed or sentenced to life imprisonment. Russia sent Washington yesterday the third and sharpest soviet protest against MacArthur's parole system and specifically demanded that Shigemitsu be compelled to serve his entire prison sentence. MacArthur ignored the protest and the 75-year-old former diplomat hobbled out of Tokyo's Sugamo prison on his wooden right leg at 9:50 a.m. (7:50 p.m. Monday EST).

The sickle-billed hummingbird of South America has a curved beak that enables it to feed on flowers whose calyxes are upright.

# Real Estate

Mortgages Nov. 10  
Benjamin F. Donahue to United States National Bank S 50' lots 1-2-3-4 blk. 15 Kenwood.  
Fred C. Samples, et ux, to United States of America NW 1/4 NW 1/4 28 SE 1/4 NE 1/4 29 16 12, Irrigation system.  
Albert Campbell, et ux, to United States of America S 1/4 NW 1/4 27 17 14.  
Mortgage Releases Nov. 10  
Pacific First Federal Savings and Loan to Calbert W. Wilson, et ux, lots 7-8 blk. 19 Mt. View.  
Deschutes Federal Savings and Loan to Benjamin F. Donahue S 50' lots 1-2-3-4 blk. 15 Kenwood.  
Harry W. Gant to Charles Corckett, et ux.  
Federal Land Bank to J. O. Hansen, et ux, part release SE 1/4 SW 1/4 (pt) 8-14-13.  
United States National Bank to John H. Owens, et ux, S 1/4 NW 1/4 27-17-14.  
Mortgages Nov. 13  
Paget Mt'g Co. to First National Bank (ass'n mt'g.) lot 10 blk. 4 Mill.  
Paget Mt'g Co. to First National Bank (ass'n mt'g.) lots 3-4 blk. 15 Awbrey Heights.

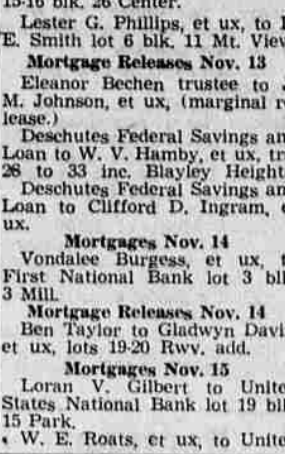
Lloyd W. Flory, et ux, to Pacific First Federal Savings and Loan E 1/2 lot 35 So. Moreland ac.  
William A. Lynch, et ux, to Pacific First Federal Savings and Loan lots 7-8 blk. 53 Redmond.  
W.E. Roats, et ux, to Deschutes Federal Savings and Loan trs. 28 to 33 inc. Blakley Heights.  
James D. Ellingboe, et ux, to First National Bank S 70' lots 15-16 blk. 26 Center.  
Lester G. Phillips, et ux, to L. E. Smith lot 6 blk. 11 Mt. View.  
Mortgage Releases Nov. 13  
Eleanor Bechen trustee to J. M. Johnson, et ux, (marginal release.)  
Deschutes Federal Savings and Loan to W. V. Hamby, et ux, trs. 28 to 33 inc. Blakley Heights.  
Deschutes Federal Savings and Loan to Clifford D. Ingram, et ux.  
Mortgages Nov. 14  
Vondalee Burgess, et ux, to First National Bank lot 3 blk. 3 Mill.  
Mortgage Releases Nov. 14  
Ben Taylor to Gladwyn Davis, et ux, lots 19-20 Rvw. add.  
Mortgages Nov. 15  
Loran V. Gilbert to United States National Bank lot 19 blk. 15 Park.  
W. E. Roats, et ux, to United States National Bank pt NENE NWNE 17-18-12.  
Berold H. Sheffield, et ux, to United States National Bank lots 5-6 blk. 20 NWTS 2nd add.  
Mortgages Nov. 16  
John E. Hansen, et ux, to Federal Land Bank W 1/2 SW 8-14-13.  
W. E. McCormick, et ux, to First National Bank tr. 218.59' x 230' in Collins addition.  
Raymond E. Dean, et ux, to Deschutes Federal Savings and Loan tr. in S 1/2 NW 17 SENE 18-18-12.  
James H. Wobbe, et ux, to First National Bank lot 13 blk. 25 NW. TS 2nd add.  
Arlie James Hudson, et ux, to First National Bank lot 14 blk. 9 Mill.

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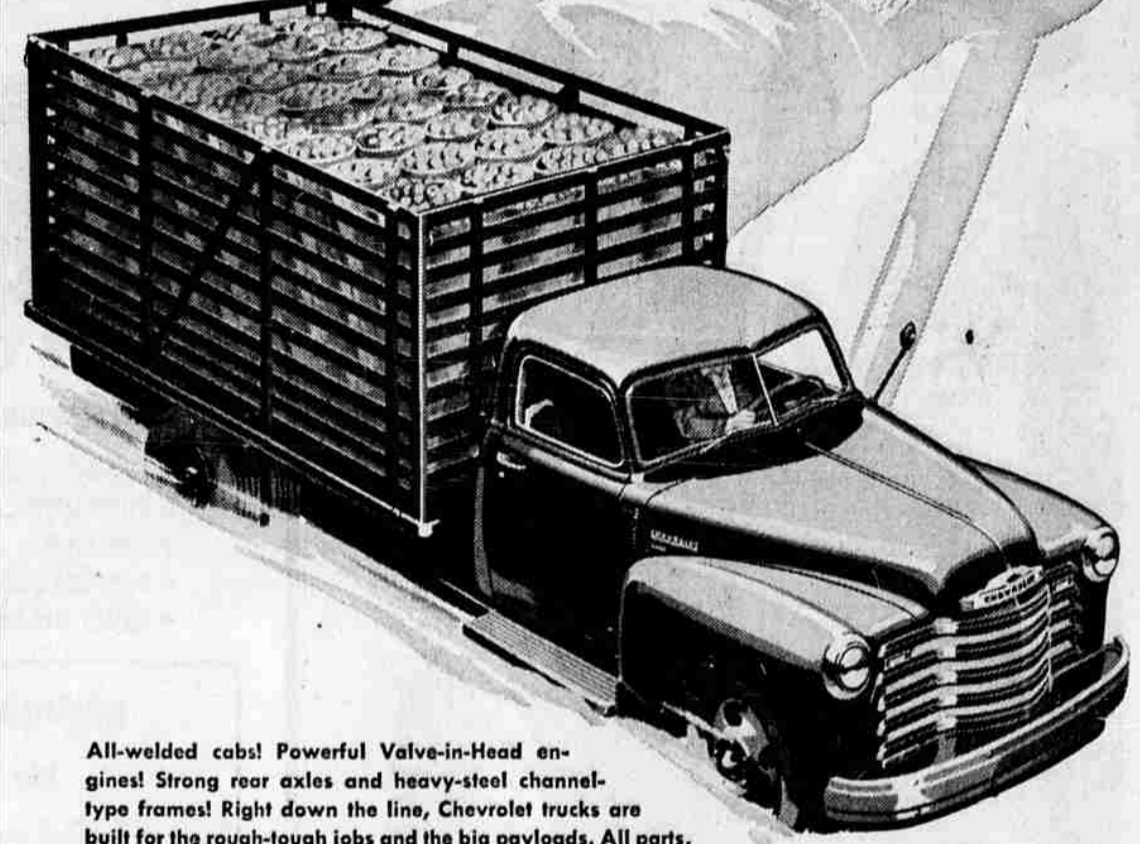
1. Seems like the prices of most things you buy have about doubled, in the last ten years. Among the standout exceptions is your telephone service. There have been rate increases, of course, to help meet increased costs of furnishing service...higher wages, higher prices for materials, higher costs generally. But telephone rates have gone up far less than most other things. And that's only part of the story.

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