

Battalion Fights Behind Red Lines in Hot Battle

By DON WHITEHEAD

An Advanced U. S. Command Post, Korea, Aug. 3 (AP)—This is the amazing story of a U. S. battalion that fought its way 22 miles behind the enemy lines, battled again and saved a regimental command post from destruction in a savage struggle this morning.

There hasn't been anything quite like this daring adventure in all the Korean war. The officers called it "a reconnaissance in force" and it proved for the high command:

South Koreans Balk on Retreat

By HAL BOYLE

On the Nakdong River Line, Korea, Aug. 3 (AP)—The Americans had trouble getting one South Korean battalion to withdraw behind the natural barrier of the Nakdong river early today. The South Koreans wanted to stay on the west side and fight the Reds.

The South Korean battalion commander refused to move at all yesterday unless he and his men were permitted to attack the Reds for three hours. The U. S. colonel who was trying to move him finally had to agree.

The South Korean battalion then attacked in the hills east of Koshang.

About 11 p.m. Lt. Walter Beck of Syracuse, N. Y., brought trucks to take the South Koreans out. Their time was up.

Nearly an hour later, the trucks were still empty.

"Our men don't want to lose face by retreating," an interpreter explained.

After a long argument to the effect that it would be better to ride back and fight another day, the South Koreans finally boarded the trucks.

It was past midnight before we got them loaded," said Beck. "They still wanted to get out and start the battle all over."

Loyalty Checks Cause CIO Strike

Seattle, Aug. 3 (AP)—Refusal of CIO Marine Cooks and Stewards to have their sea papers checked by security officials was met by the Sailors' Union of the Pacific (AFL) today with a reply that its members will not sail with "unscreened donkeys."

The sailors adopted a no-sailing policy in a special meeting this forenoon. Maxie Weisbarth, Seattle S.U.P. port agent said the "Sailors' union is 100 percent anti-communist."

"Our members have nothing to hide," he said, "and are willing to have loyalty checks, but we insist that others do the same."

"We are not going to risk the danger of sabotage, however, by sailing with a few donkeys who refuse to be screened. There are plenty of loyal stewards available to man the ship."

The CIO stewards yesterday refused to sign aboard the Steamship Alaska unless assured their sea papers would not be turned over to a "third party."

Reports today said the Alaska Steamship company has demanded that the stewards either sign on the ship or be paid off. Company and union officials were in conference today.

The Pacific Marine Stewards' union has announced it will replace stewards considered a bad security risk if the CIO union refuses to replace the security risks.

The Pacific marine group broke with the CIO group over the left-wing issue.

Harriman Sent To See MacArthur

Washington, Aug. 3 (AP)—President Truman is sending W. Averell Harriman to Japan tomorrow to discuss the whole far eastern political situation with Gen. Douglas MacArthur.

The president announced this today at a news conference. He would not go into any detail.

But he said all the discussions would include political matters affecting the far east.

Mr. Truman made that reply when asked whether Harriman and MacArthur would discuss the Japanese peace treaty.

Harriman, new special assistant to the president on foreign affairs, will be accompanied by Gen. Lauris Norstad and Maj. Gen. Frank E. Lowe.

Korean Reds Claim 1,500 Yanks Killed

Tokyo, Aug. 3 (AP)—The North Korean communist radio at Pyongyang claimed today that Red forces killed 1,500 "enemy troops" and took 1,200 prisoners when they moved into Andong on the northern front Tuesday.

The Red broadcast, heard in Tokyo, said communist forces also captured Hamchang Tuesday.

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Enlarged Health Bill Defeated

Washington, Aug. 3 (AP)—The senate today voted down 48 to 36 a proposal to add \$64,000,000 to carry home front battles against cancer, heart disease, mental diseases.

The action climaxed nearly three hours of debate in which proponents of the increase argued that it would help national defense through the improvement of the health of citizens.

The amendment would have added the \$64,000,000 to a sum in the bill of \$15,750,000 for the national health institute.

Senator Chavez (D., N.M.), chairman of the appropriations labor and federal security subcommittee, opposed the increase, saying that there was no testimony to justify the larger amount.

The additional funds would have gone primarily for research. "I am convinced that more money for research now will save this nation millions of dollars in the years to come," declared Senator Magnuson (D., Wash.), one of the sponsors of the amendment.

The budget as requested and approved by the board included: Boy Scouts \$4,700; Campfire Girls \$2,451.59; Girl Scouts \$1,560.65; state agencies \$8,209.76; Associated Services \$485; Central Service \$2,000.

The budget for the past year totaled \$20,882. Broken down it showed: Boy Scouts \$4,631; Campfire Girls \$3,020; Girl Scouts \$1,500; state agencies \$8,231; Central Services \$1,500; postage, stenographer and travel \$600; public relations, campaign and administration \$1,400.

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Community Chest Quotas Are Allotted by Board

Board members of the Marion county Community Chest at their meeting held Wednesday night set September 19 as the date for their pre-campaign drive to start.

October 3 was the date set for the general campaign to start and October 13 the completion date.

During the meeting the goal for each community were set and the budget of the various agencies approved. Total quota for those communities outside of Salem came to \$19,407 which was also the amount of the total budget of the agencies.

County areas and their quotas are:

Ankeny Hill, \$100; Ankeny Bottom, \$100; Aumsville, \$300; Aurora-Hubbard, \$850; Central Howell, \$100; Detroit, \$300; Gervais, \$350; Idanha, \$550; Jefferson, \$350; Lake Labish, \$125; Lyons, \$350; Macleay, \$50; Marion, \$125; Mehama, \$335; Mill City and Gates, \$1,250; Mongold, \$200; Monitor, \$200; Mt. Angel, \$1,250.

North Santiam, \$125; Prospect \$60; Pratum, \$175; Rose-dale, \$100; Shaw, \$90; Scotts Mills, \$100; Silverton, \$4,800; Stayton, \$2,000; St. Paul, \$700; Sublimity, \$700; Sidney, \$300; Talbot, \$300; Turner, \$400; Woodburn, \$2,500; West Stayton, \$172.

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Truman Balks On Control Bill

Washington, Aug. 4 (AP)—President Truman said today he is completely opposed to automatic price-wage controls.

Mr. Truman told his news conference that house action calling for automatic curbs would be an invitation for a 5 percent rise in prices.

If we are going to have price controls, Mr. Truman said, let's have it.

He referred to an amendment adopted tentatively by the house to put controls into effect when the labor department's cost of living index goes 5 percent above the June 15 level.

The house action is not final and could be reversed later on a roll call vote.

When he was asked about the house vote, Mr. Truman said he didn't think much of it.

He said he has no objection to stand-by authority to roll back prices to what they were during a period between May 24 and June 24.

If you set an automatic price control, he added, you are going to have an automatic spiral in prices.

Mr. Truman said he prefers to have stand-by authority to act if the situation justifies it rather than a procedure in which industry would police itself.

Tire Prices Increased

Akron, O., Aug. 3 (AP)—Tires are going to cost more pretty soon.

General Tire & Rubber company yesterday raised the price of passenger and farm tractor tires five per cent and truck tires seven and a half per cent. Industry sources predicted to-

day other rubber firms will tack on similar increases.

This was the third price increase on tires since May. The reason, said General Tire, is the booming crude rubber market. Most tubes will remain the same price, because the popular types are made of synthetic rubber.

Maj. John W. Powell, first man to explore the Grand Canyon by boat, exploded the legend that the Colorado River disappeared under ground at various places.

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