

Planes Enter Battle For Two Points

SEOUL (AP)—Waves of bomb-laden American war planes swarmed to the aid of Allied infantry and artillerymen Friday in the struggle for Porkchop Hill and Arrowhead Ridge in Western Korea.

Low-flying jet fighter-bombers flew more than 200 frontline missions by early afternoon, hurling tons of explosives and fiery jelled gasoline into Communist trenches which Allied shells and foot soldiers failed to knock out in four days of wild, see-saw fighting.

Broiling summer weather sent temperatures to 93 on the front Thursday.

The show of air power was the biggest so far for July.

Zooming low over the embattled hills, the Allied jets burned out or blew up more than 200 yards of trenches, 18 mortar positions and several Red bunkers.

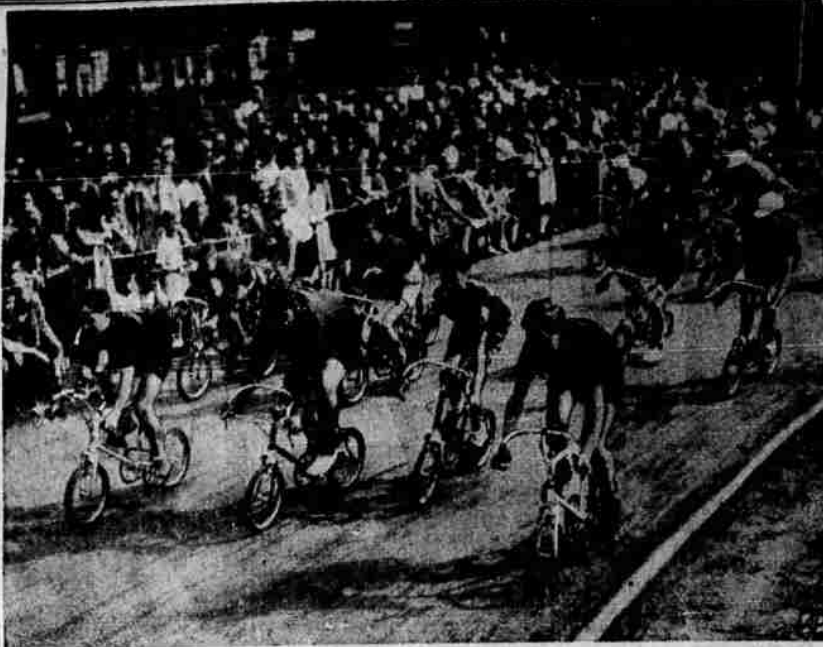
Before daybreak, troops of the U. S. Seventh Division broke up two Chinese attacks on Porkchop Hill, and South Koreans held off 400 attacking Reds at Arrowhead Ridge, six miles to the northeast.

An Allied observer said one shelling killed or wounded every one of 100 Chinese trying to leave a western finger of Porkchop Hill. Ground fighting slowed after the Air Force moved in.

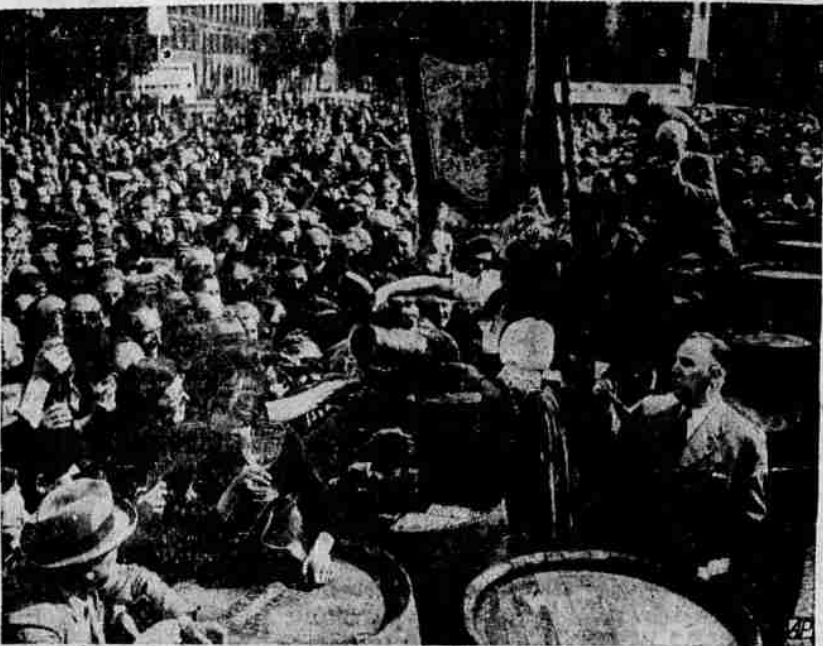
Chinese troops still held parts of the northern slope of Porkchop Hill, with small groups of Reds entrenched on the western finger and the southeastern edge.

On nearby Arrowhead Ridge, Chinese troops held the eastern outpost in front of the ridge. But ROK Second Division soldiers were still in position on the western outpost.

No fighting was reported on the main part of Arrowhead, which is held by the ROKs. But the roar of artillery kept up at a fairly steady pace. Since the battle began Monday night, about 150,000 rounds of Red mortar and artillery have fallen in the Allied sector.



JUNIOR CYCLISTS—Berlin school children take part in a bicycle race over a 656-foot course specially built for youngsters to keep them out of dangerous city traffic.



PUNCH PROMOTION—The Wine Queen pours free drinks for Berliners as German wine merchants promote sale of their vintages in the annual thirst-quenching Wine Week.



ARMISTICE FIRST—President Eisenhower and Press Secy. James Hagerly (right) leave the White House to attend a press conference. President told reporters that he assured Korean President Syngman Rhee that the United States is looking forward to peaceful reunification of Korea and intends to work for it after an armistice.



TANK TURNS TOW-TRUCK—A United Nations tank, crippled by Communist anti-tank fire, is towed along camouflaged road by another tank. The tank being towed out of the fighting zone is manned by a crew of ROK soldiers. Torrential rains in Korea have caused floods that have rendered the front-line a veritable quagmire.



FABLE OF FOX IS FOLLY—Some stories of foxes are exaggerated. Tiny would have you believe as it sits with its young master, Carl Cramer, four, at Chesterland, Ohio.

Base Figures Recommended

WASHINGTON (AP)—The House Appropriations Committee Friday recommended \$98,289,000 for air-base construction within the United States during the year started July 1. It stipulated the money must come from unspent balances on hand. No new money was proposed.

Former President Truman had recommended in his budget appropriation of \$233,499,000 and President Eisenhower's revised budget request was for \$198,746,000 for domestic projects.

The amounts allocated by the committee to installations in the Continental United States included: Air Defense Command—Larson Air Force Base, Moses Lake, Wash., \$100,000; Portland (Ore.) International Airport, \$776,000.

Strategic Air Command—Fairchild Air Force Base, Spokane, Wash., \$2,776,000; Mountain Home (Idaho) Air Force Base, \$1,081,000.



NEW WCTU HEAD—Mrs. Glenn G. Hays, of Ransom, Kas., president-elect of Woman's Christian Temperance Union, will succeed Mrs. D. Leigh Colvin of New York.



SANDMAN—Homer A. Davis, of Cambridge, Mass., 61-year-old janitor at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, shows some of 1,630 samples of sand collected from all parts of world.

Grains

PORTLAND GRAIN

PORTLAND (P)—Coarse grains unquoted.

Wheat (bid), to arrive market, basis No. 1 bulk, delivered coast: Soft white 2.24; soft white (excluding Rex) 2.24; white club 2.24.

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Friday's car receipts: Wheat 51; flour 2; corn 6; oats 3; mill feed 13.

Weather

Western Oregon—Variable high cloudiness through Saturday. Low overcast along the coast during night and morning hours. Scattered showers or thundershowers likely Saturday. Highs in interior 86 to 96 Friday dropping to 80 to 90 Saturday. Highs on the coast near 65. Lows Friday night 52 to 60. Winds off coast light and variable, becoming southerly to southeasterly 10 to 20 miles an hour Saturday.

Eastern Oregon—Fair through Saturday, except partly cloudy in eastern sections and scattered afternoon showers or thundershowers over the mountains. Highs both days 86 to 96. Lows Friday night 55 to 65.

Views Split On War Plants

WASHINGTON (AP)—A cutback in military truck and tank production Friday to light Friday a new conflict between the Pentagon and the administration's industrial mobilization office.

The issue was whether the "mobilization base" of plants producing war equipment should remain broad, as urged by Defense Mobilization Arthur S. Flemming, or be narrowed somewhat, as advocated by Secretary of Defense Wilson.

The Pentagon, through an order issued by Secretary of the Army Stevens, went ahead with its own policy. The order directs that the Army's 1954 spending for trucks and tanks be cut back by a half billion dollars.

In general, this will concentrate production of single types in one plant, eliminate production from other plants turning out tanks or trucks. In some instances, present producers will be pitted against each other in a bid for the single contract.

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RAIN IN ITALY

MILAN, Italy (AP)—A death toll of at least eight was reported Friday after a violent rainstorm across Northern Italy. Scores of villages and thousands of acres of farm land were flooded.

NOW IN WALES

CAERNARVON, Wales (AP)—Queen Elizabeth II and the Duke of Edinburgh, toured North Wales Friday, including a visit to historic Caernarvon Castle. Tens of thousands of Welshmen gave the royal couple a rousing welcome.

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