

Fair today and tonight. Thursday partly cloudy with scattered afternoon thundershowers. Little change in temperature today and Thursday warmer. Forecast for Friday...

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Vanguard Of 50,000 Foes

ONE DIES WHEN PROPELLOR CHEWS UP PLANE

One passenger died of a heart attack and seven others were injured when a propeller of this American Airlines DC-6 plane tore loose and smashed through the fuselage of the ship while it was in flight over the Rocky Mountains. The plane's pilot was successful in making an emergency landing at Denver shortly after the accident.

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Nationwide Rail Strike Is Delayed Unions Promise To Hold Off

By HAROLD W. WARD WASHINGTON—(AP)—Two striking rail unions promised "for the time being" today to keep their token walkouts from spreading into a tieup of nationwide proportions.

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Heavy Fire Pounded Into No-Man's Land

TOKYO—(AP)—Allied forces pounded back a wedge pushed into their central Korean battleline today by the vanguard of 50,000 Reds massed for attack on Taegu from the north. Troops fought over a 100-yard-wide no-man's land. Planes and artillery poured deadly fire into the narrow line.

N. Korean Colonel Gives Up To Yanks

By HAL BOYLE TABU FRONT, Korea.—(A)—The 27-year-old commander of a Red Korean artillery regiment walked up to the South Korean lines Tuesday with a white flag and surrendered. He had the highest ranked enemy in Allied hands.

Enemy died piled up before the counter-attacking American and South Korean troops. A crack in the Allied line would release five North Korean divisions on the Taegu supply center twelve miles to the south.

An American regimental commander said his troops expected to be the opening phase of an all-out North Korean drive on Taegu. The Reds attacked Allied artillery positions with hundreds of men on the American right flank.

U.S.-Soviet War Called Certain

WASHINGTON—(A)—A representative of the American Legion told Congress today that he regards war with Russia as inevitable.

Profits Tax Proposal Heated Senate Issue

By FRANCIS M. LE MAY WASHINGTON—(A)—A top Administration leader said today the Senate is likely to add a \$3,000,000,000-plus corporation excess profits tax to the \$5,000,000,000 tax boosting bill.

Congressmen Holding Seats

By ASSOCIATED PRESS In primary elections in three states yesterday, most of the "ins" stayed out with the vote still being counted, looked likely to win their races for re-nomination.

U.S. Must Stay Ready

Cocks said, too, that the present system of selective service—which he described as a necessary adjunct to UMT—will be with us as long as we have a democracy. I am convinced.

Leopold Stokowski Are Parents Of Son

NEW YORK—(A)—A boy was born last night to Gloria Vandergelder Stokowski, heiress wife of 68-year-old orchestra conductor Leopold Stokowski, at New York Hospital.

Red Fighters Attack Ships

By JACK MACBETH WITH ALLIED FORCES, Korea.—(A)—The Red Korean air force attacked the British destroyer HMS "Havock" and the American transport ship "USS 'Havock'." The attack was reported from the sea.

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A PRISONER, BUT HE'S STILL DANGEROUS

U. S. Marines cover wounded North Korean soldier as he hoists himself on stretcher in Naktong River sector of the Korean front. The prisoner was flushed out of nearby field, still clutching automatic weapons. Search of his clothing disclosed U. S. watch, lighter and other items apparently taken from a dead American soldier.—(AP Wirephoto).

British Troops Soon To Leave For Korea

HONG KONG—(A)—Departure within a week of 1,500 British troops for Korea will be no great secret. British troops from the 27th Infantry Brigade will be replaced by the 24th Infantry Brigade.

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Patton, Pershing Are Tough

By C. YATES MC DANIEL WASHINGTON, (A)—Tank for tank, the heavier American models were being tested in Korea today to be more than a match for the best the Communists have.

Yanks' New Tanks Spank Best Reds Have

Details of this new light tank, which so far has been given no nickname, are still secret. Officials say it has a turret, a machine gun, fire control, sighting equipment and engine than any used in the Korean war.

OL' SHAYER What a barber can't find out before a fellow the man's ears. You can't afford to be too friendly, the next fellow might be selling insurance.

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