

Chinese Gain Ground**Nehru Asks World For Arms, Aid**

NEW DELHI (UPI) — Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru appealed to the world Saturday for arms as Chinese Communist invaders drove back Indian troops defending a key mountain pass.

A government spokesman said Indian forces broke off contact with Chinese troops at Jang, five miles east of the fallen monastery town of Tawang and retreated to high ground along the Tawang-Bomdila road.

Bomdila, some 50 miles east of Tawang, is the site of an Indian army headquarters, and a key Northeast Frontier Agency center controlling an invasion route to

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guards, to halt the further introduction of such weapons systems into Cuba.

"We, on our part, would agree upon the establishment of adequate arrangements through the United Nations to ensure the carrying out and continuation of these commitments — (A) to remove promptly the quarantine measures now in effect and (B)

To give assurances against an invasion of Cuba, I am confident that other nations of the western hemisphere would be prepared to do likewise."

The President said that if Khrushchev rendered the long-range missile bases in Cuba harmless under U.N. supervision promptly, American and Russian representatives could get to work this weekend, with U.N. Acting Secretary General U Thant, on an arrangement for a permanent solution to the Cuban problem along the lines suggested in your letter of Oct. 26."

This was the first letter and did not contain the proposal for the Turkey-Cuba swap contained in the second letter.

White House officials said regarding the question of Turkish bases, that any discussion on that would have to await a settlement of the Cuban problem.

Kennedy told Khrushchev that he had given American representatives in New York instructions to "permit them to work out this week end" arrangements for a permanent solution on the assumption that the weapons system in Cuba would be promptly "rendered inoperable under effective United Nations arrangements."

"Appropriate Measures"

The White House released the President's letter to Khrushchev after the Defense Department reported its military reconnaissance plane missing and presumed lost. Assistant Defense Secretary Arthur Sylvester added a warning that air surveillance of Cuba would continue that "appropriate measures" would be taken to protect U.S. aircraft.

Obituaries

MRS. HILARIA PECINA GARICA

Mrs. Hilaria Pecina Garcia died Friday at Mercy Hospital following a brief illness. She was 70.

Surviving Mrs. Garcia are her husband, Eduardo C. Garcia; one son, Raul Garcia; five daughters, Guadalupe, Trevino, Maria del Jesus Barron, Ernestina Alvarado, Lydia Robles and Elvia Barron; four brothers, Jose, Manuel, Jesus and a Guadalupe Pecina; three sisters, Faustina P. Gonzalez, Maria P. de Leon, and Juana P. Escamilla; 13 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren.

Rosary was said at 8 p.m. Saturday in Delta Chapel.

Requiem mass will be said at 7 p.m. Monday at Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church.

Funeral services are set at 4 p.m. Monday from Delta Chapel.

MRS. IGNACIA G. GARZA

Mrs. Ignacia Gonzalez Garza of 275 Dena St. died Saturday at her residence.

Mrs. Garza had been a long-time resident of Brownsville. She was 60.

Survivors include her husband Manuel D. Garza; two daughters, Juanita and Dolores; and three sons, Arnulfo, Manuel and Oscar.

Mrs. Garza had been a member of the Brownsville Art League for 15 years.

ANNUAL CONCERT TODAY

Brownsville High School A Capella and Sophomore choirs will present their annual homecoming fall concert at 3 p.m. today in the high school auditorium.

Religious and secular selections will be featured along with music from the "West Side Story." Admission will be 5 cents for adults and 35 cents for students. Tickets can be purchased at the door, according to choir director Bob Buchanan.

Joe A. Besteiro

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El Paso 75 51
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Hefner 66 37
Houston 83 60
Jacksonville 68 42
Kansas City 75 45
Laredo 86 67
Los Angeles 74 54
Memphis 72 48
Mexico City 73 54
Miami 76 68
Midland 72 59
Minneapolis-St. Paul 66 27
Montgomery 88 61
New Orleans 77 47
New York 50 34
Oklahoma City 73 51
Omaha 75 39
Phoenix 86 64
Pittsburgh 44 24
St. Louis 74 33
Salt Lake City 64 32
San Antonio 83 66
Saint Ste. Marie 45 25
Seattle 65 46
Washington 51 36

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Retail Sales Show Increase Over 1961

AUSTIN (UPI) — Retail trade in Texas during the first nine months of 1962 climbed 9 per cent over the same period last year, the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas said Saturday.

High personal income, a fall in unemployment and no consumer

buying slump from the stock market drop were credited for retail results for the period.

Forecasts for the remainder of the year remain good, the bureau said.

Sales of durable goods—including automotive stores, furniture stores, and lumber, building material and hardware stores—were reported 20 per cent ahead of last year for the first three quarters.

September sales were estimated at \$31.9 million, down 22 per cent from August but up 10 per cent at \$31.9 million, down 22 per cent from last September. Sales

sustained above last year. June

was the leading month when sales reached a level 35 per cent above the 1957-58 average.

Nondurable goods sales were 3 per cent ahead of last year in the nine-month comparison. September sales this year were estimated at \$63.8 million, down 4 per cent from August and equal to September of 1961. May was the leading 1962 month when sales were estimated at \$66.3 million.

Automobile sales in September were 13 per cent above the same month in 1961 and nine-month sales this year showed a 25 per cent gain.

Furniture and household appli-

ances sales during September of this year were 12 per cent over

last year and the nine-month com-

parison had this year up 6 per cent over last.

A 2 per cent decline in Septem-

ber sales this year was recorded by dealers of lumber, building im-

plements. But there was 6 per cent increase reported for the nine-month period. Repairs

caused by Hurricane Carla

spurred sales last year.

Hot weather hurt apparel store

sales in September which were

able to climb only 2 per cent over

last year. A 2 per cent gain was

for the nine-month comparison.

Following are comparisons re-

ported by cities, September of

1962 from September of 1961, then

January-September of 1962 from

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Houston—up 6 per cent and up

3 per cent.

Dallas—down 2 per cent and up

8 per cent.

San Antonio—up 4 per cent and up

7 per cent.

Fort Worth—up 1 per cent and up

2 per cent.

El Paso—down 2 per cent and up

7 per cent.

Austin—up 6 per cent and up

8 per cent.

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Zoning In Houston Due Vote

HOUSTON (UPI) — Voters will decide Nov. 6 whether Houston

should continue as the biggest city in the country without a zoning

code.

The vote will be sampling of

opinion only, with no legal ef-

fect. But the question has stirred

just about as much controversy

as the governor's race. Politicians

in both parties admit that the

general election ballot could in-

directly affect the outcome of

some of the races for office.

Candidates generally, how-

ever, have withheld the pressure

to take sides on zoning. Of the

city's elected officials, only Mayor

Lewis Cutrer is campaigning ac-

tively on the zoning question. He

is in favor of it. But he is not up

for re-election.

Advocates of zoning contend

that the absence of such a code

threatens the "residential char-

acter" of housing developments and

of residential property. Many

neighborhoods have already been

zoned for office.

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Chaired by Mrs. Ruby

Adams, the group has been work-

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County GOP Will Stage Rally Monday

Area Republicans are going to put on a county-wide pep rally Monday afternoon in San Benito Little League ball park to steam up interest in the campaign.

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