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REDS ATTACK FRONT MINERS WORK AGAIN

ATTACKS REPULSED OVER 155 MILE FRONT

TOKYO: Allied infantrymen and US Marines wiped out Communist threats to both sides and the center of the 155 mile Korean defense line Tuesday. Marines of the 1st Division, guarding the Western invasion route to Seoul, mopped up Chinese on "The Hook" and recaptured the last two outposts lost in the heavy Red attacks Sunday and Monday. Officers said some 2,000 Chinese were killed or wounded. Other Allied troops on the east and central fronts threw back North Korean and Chinese attacks. They tried to take the last 25 Reds off Sniper Ridge alive but the enemy troops refused to surrender.

In the air rain and heavy clouds restricted Allied activity over much of Korea.

LEWIS AND BOSSES NEAR AGREEMENT:

WASHINGTON: John L. Lewis and anthracite operators were reported near agreement on a \$1.90 a day increase for 65,000 hard coal miners, the same boost he negotiated for the nation's soft coal diggers. Informants said the operators indicated they would bow to the wage demands of the United Mine Worker's chief after Lewis "laid down the law" at the bargaining session. Meanwhile, most of the nation's 375,000 soft coal miners ended their one-week protest strike Tuesday.

WEATHER TODAY: Expected calm and a little warmer. We hope.

HANOI, INDO-CHINA: Vietman rebel Guerrillas blew up dikes along the flood swollen Red River to cut off French reinforcements rising to meet the second phase of the Communist winter offensive. French officials said they expected the third phase of the battle for Northwest Indo-China within 24 to 48 hours. Struggling against time, French Union reinforcements were on the march from the Red River Delta into the mountains to build a second line of defense below the Black River where a string of French positions were threatened by oncoming rebel divisions.

DETROIT: The government promised automobile manufacturers and producers of some other civilian goods an additional allocation of 1,480,000 tons of steel for the first three months of the next year.

Several auto makers were warned they might have to close down some plants in February unless their steel allowances were raised. While the increase will be helpful, it fell far short of their requests for enough steel to make almost one and a quarter million cars in the first three months of 1953.

BERLIN: Soviet border guards barred an American Army "Courtesy Patrol" from travelling on the 110 mile superhighway between Berlin and the Western zone.



SICK BAY

By Tom Oliver

Feeling a little seasick today, I decided to interview the Ship's Surgeon to find out what some of the facilities of the Sick Bay were. I was very much surprised to learn just how well equipped they are and will pass on the results of my tour.

In charge of the entire set-up are Dr's R Marquette and E Keller who handle the cutlery and provide the know-how. To aid them in their work they have seven Corps men. Both doctor's are permanent party on the Walker.

The Sick Bay has a total of ninety-two beds. There are twelve isolation wards, twenty-two psychopathic beds and four padded cells included in the total.

They have a fully equipped operating room with X-ray facilities, physical therapy facilities, plus complete Laboratory and Pharmaceutical equipment.

Sick Call hours are from 0800 'till 1000 for the troops, and from 1000 'till 1100 for the Officers and the crew. Of course emergency cases are taken at any time.

At present there are about eight cases of Seasickness in the Sick Bay.

By the way, when asked the best cure for seasickness Dr Marquette replied, "Shore duty."



Chaplain's Corner

By Chaplain Robb

Do not pray for easy lives. Pray to be stronger men! Do not pray for tasks equal to your powers. Pray for powers equal to your task.

Phillips Brooks

Daily Schedule of Religious Activities. To be held in Compartment 4-C:

1000 Morning Prayers and Devotions. (Note change of hour)

1500 Discussions on Religion with film.

The Chaplain's Office is located in #15

BLACK MARKETEERS INVADE THE WALKER:

By Mike O'Connor

Late yesterday morning an invasion of petty crooks and buddy-robbers moved on to the decks of the Gen Nelson Walker. Their methods were the same used in many places. They are to take advantage of crowded conditions by buying low and selling high.

These individuals will beyond a doubt go places in life. Such places as Alcatraz and San Quentin.

Post Exchange regulations prohibit the reselling of items purchased from any Government store.

Remember the faces of the men who are pulling these shady little deals. In the near future it will be necessary to depend on the man next to you. If these individuals take advantage of you here on this ship, will they hesitate to do the same on the line?

Look at them.....REMEMBER THEM!

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MOVIE SCHEDULE

Ships Officers	1730 & 2015
The Lady Says No	
Ships Crew	1730 & 2015
Just Across the Street	
Transient Officers	1900
Magic Face	
Compartment 4C (Troops)	1800 & 2000
Last Train From Bombay	
Topside	After dark
Death of a Salesman	

SHIP'S STORE'S HOURS

Navy Exchange Store No I	
For Officers	0815-0945
For top 3 pay grades and Ships Crew.	1430-1600
Store No II for Troops	0815-0945
	1000-1115

KURT'S CORNER

By Kurt Stell

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A SOLDIERS' GUIDE TO SEAMENSHIP

So, if by now you've studied yesterday's lesson you should be well on your way to becoming a Grade A Swab-Jockey. But on with our Nautical Nonsense.

Fan Tail: Nope, chances are that Sally Rand has never been here. That's the part of the ship you got your last glimpse of Ye-Olde San Francisco from.

Seasick: Need I say more?

Head: On a ship, that is the place where little boys go when they have to go or they will be sorry as hell they didn't go.

Wheel: An Ensign fresh out of the Naval Academy.

Brig: A place they put individuals who make money by re-selling articles purchased from Ship Store's.

As of four o'clock this afternoon, the Walker will have covered approximately 1,700 land miles. Our estimated speed is roughly 18 knots or about 21 MPH the way you'd measure it on land. At this rate we are putting between 440 and 450 miles behind us every 24 hours.

Editor

Southern California and Purdue made the biggest gains in the United Press Football ratings this week. Michigan State still holds the No. 1 spot for the sixth straight week. Although they have a fairly large margin over the challenging teams, they received only 305 votes from the 35 coaches making up the rating committee. Last week they received 326 votes.

Here's their present standing:

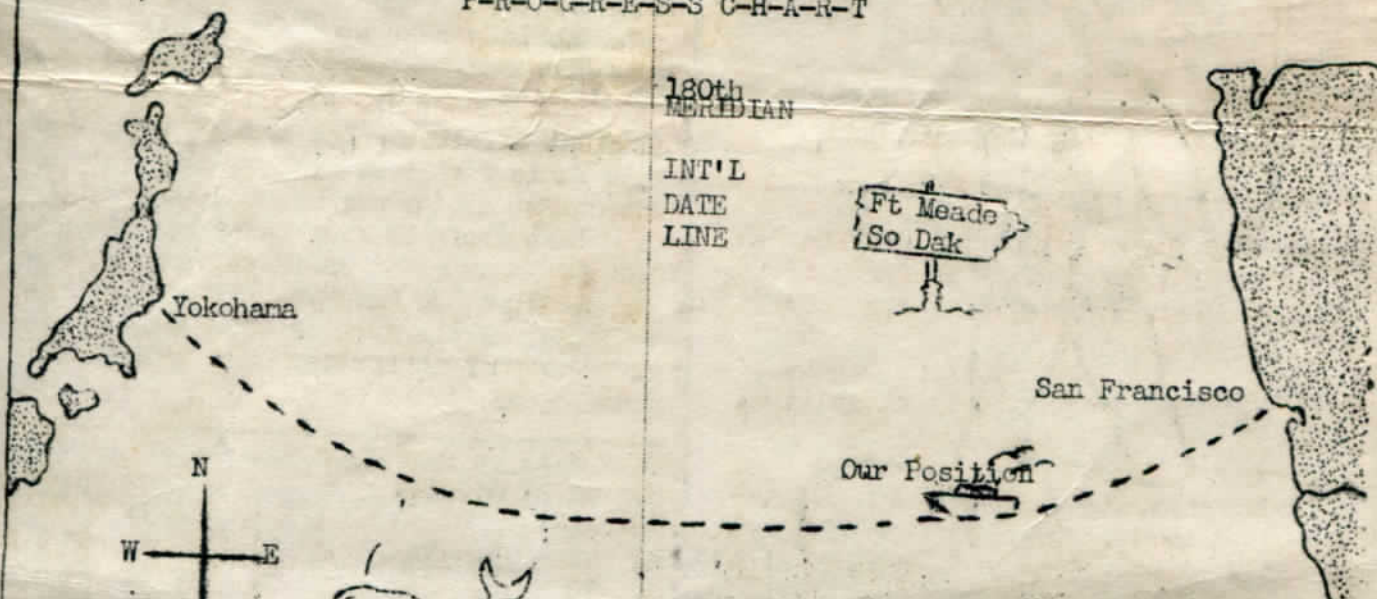
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|-------------------|---------------|
| 1. Michigan State | 6. USCL |
| 2. Maryland | 7. Duke |
| 3. Southern Cal | 8. Purdue |
| 4. Oklahoma | 9. California |
| 5. Georgia Tech | 10. Kansas |

My Mid Season predictions.....

Conference	Team
Big Ten	Purdue
Big Seven	Oklahoma
Mo. Vally	Oklahoma A&M
Mountain	Utah
Pacific Coast	So Cal
Border	Arizona
Southeastern	Georgia Tech
Southern	Suke
Ivy League	Penn

Michigan State will not be eligible for Big Ten competition until the 53 season.

P-R-O-G-R-E-S-S C-H-A-R-T



VARIETY

Show time

By TOM OLIVER

This afternoon on top of No 5 hatch, Special Services will present a Variety

THIS'LL

Show especially designed with you in mind.

BE

The boys down at Special Services have gone all out to give us some fine entertainment. Included on the menu will be Norman Brown, combination drummer and dance who stepped and beat his way to fame up and down the West Coast. There will be some pop music played in the

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"Roll and Sway" style of Jack Welch and his seasick aggregation. Also listed on the programme will be music "Western Style" plus a number of variety acts.

GOOD

Show time is from 1700 'till 1800. So, for a jam-packed hour of real entertainment, lets go to the Variety Show.

SHOW

I'll see you there.

WANTED: Attractive young blonde to work evenings in the Pacific Press staff room. Short hours, excellent wages. No references required. Apply to: KS



PERSONALITY OF THE DAY

-by-

JOHN DAWSON

(former Press staff member)

Lt Commander S C Sundahl is the Commanding Officer of the Military Department aboard the General Walker. As you know the Military Department is charged with the job of handling all personnel embarked as passengers. The Military Department is composed completely of US Navy personnel.

Commander Sundahl was born and raised in Minnesota and in 1941 he enlisted in the Navy. He was sent to San Diego, Calif. for boot training and then in February of '42 he entered the Officers' Training Course at Northwestern U.

Upon receiving his commission he went on regular duty as Port Director at Pearl Harbor and also at San Francisco. He continued with these duties until February of '46 when he was separated from the service.

In February of 1951, Commander Sundahl was recalled to active duty and until the following December he was in charge of the Transportation Office at San Diego Naval Training Station. In December he was transferred to San Francisco where he went aboard the Sergeant Charles E Mower as Commanding Officer. From there it was to Seattle and the command of the General Walker.

The most interesting experience that the Commander has had to date was the trip around the world with the Gen Walker.

Commander Sundahl and his wife make their home in Oakland, California.

HOLLYWOOD: Dixie Lee Crosby, wife of "Der Bingo" slipped into a coma and her condition was so serious that her family was summoned to her bedside. Larry, Bing's brother and business manager, reported that Mrs Crosby suffered a relapse Sunday while recuperation from a major abdominal operation she underwent a month ago.

Chow will be served in the following order on 28 Oct 52.

FORWARD:			AFT:		
1.	4C	5.	3A	1.	5A
2.	3C	6.	2A	2.	5C
3.	2C	7.	1B	3.	6A
				4.	6C