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BY THE HEADQUARTERS OF THE UNITED NATIONS COMMAND

The representative of the United States of America to the United Nations presents his compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and has the honour to transmit herewith, for the information of the Security Council, United Nations Command communiques

No. 1,521, issued Tuesday, February 10, 1953

No. 1,522, issued Wednesday, February 11, 1953

No. 1,523, issued Thursday, February 12, 1953.

UNITED NATIONS COMMAND COMMUNIQUE NO. 1,521,
ISSUED IN TOKYO 10:00 A.M., TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1953
(KOREAN TIME)

Ground action in the Korean battlefront was limited to a brief probe in the western sector by an estimated enemy platoon. Friendly artillery was directed on the attackers, causing them to withdraw after a short time.

United Nations Command naval aircraft and surface vessels continued their bombardments against supply lines and military targets on both coasts of North Korea.

United Nations Command fighter-bombers blasted transportation facilities and supply buildings on the Haeju Peninsula and industrial targets near Kyomipo.

In daylight attacks during the period attack bombers hit a troop concentration near Yonan and last night blasted enemy vehicles along supply routes.

Medium bombers went deep into North Korean territory last night to bomb an important troop center at Charyon-Gwan, about twenty-five miles south of the Yalu in the Antung area.

UNITED NATIONS COMMAND COMMUNIQUE NO. 1,522,
ISSUED IN TOKYO 10:00 A.M., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1953
(KOREAN TIME)

United Nations Command ground forces yesterday repulsed two brief enemy probes on the central front and one platoon-sized probe in the extreme eastern sector of the battle line.

Carrier-based planes of the United Nations Command fleet blasted enemy supply buildings deep in North Korea and rail and power facilities north of Chongjin. Surface elements operated off the coastal cities of Kosong and Wonsan, bombarding enemy installations.

Bad weather limited land-based air activity to close support strikes along the battle line and pounding of two supply areas near Kaesong. Medium bombers last night blasted a supply center north of Sinanju and a rail marshaling yard near Huichon.

Transport lines completed another week of flying cargo and troops in support of the United Nations forces in Korea.

UNITED NATIONS COMMAND COMMUNIQUE NO. 1,523,
ISSUED IN TOKYO 10:00 A.M., THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1953
(KOREAN TIME)

United Nations Command ground forces repulsed a minor enemy probe north of Kumhwa yesterday after a brief engagement. Elsewhere across the battlefront minor contacts were made as patrolling activities continued.

Carrier-based planes destroyed numerous buildings and enemy barracks west of Haeju, while surface elements blasted a supply building near Kosong and Wonsan.

Fighter-bombers attacked enemy-occupied buildings northeast of Sariwon, made rail cuts in the Chaeryong area and hit enemy shore installations opposite Sokto Island. In daylight raids, United Nations Command light bombers destroyed a rail bridge span south of Wonsan and blasted supply-laden enemy vehicles at night. Medium bombers at night dropped high explosives on a troop area at Ihyon (near Pyongyang), a supply center at Sogap (south of Sariwon), and battle-line positions.
