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1. UN forces make gains in two sectors--UN forces in Korea have achieved successes in the center and east sectors during the past 24 hours in heavy fighting against the North Korean forces. In the center sector, Task Force Hill and the 1st Provisional Marine Brigade are continuing their attack against the Changnyong bridgehead on the east bank of the Naktong River and are inflicting heavy enemy casualties as they near the River. Also in the center sector, UN forces have regained high ground previously lost north of Taegu. In the north sector, South Korean forces have lost contact with the enemy southeast of Kunwi, indicating a possible redeployment of enemy units in this area. On the east coast, ROK forces succeeded in recapturing the towns of Pohang and Kigye and have advanced to high ground to the north. A heavy B-29 attack against military targets in the North Korean city of Chongjin on the east coast has reportedly achieved excellent results.

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