Indian Custodian Force leaving for Korea
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a. Repatriation commission leaves for Korea – Delhi:
   In New Delhi, Lt. Gen. Thimayya, Chairman of the Neutral
   Nations Repatriation Commission, was given a hearty send-off
   when he left for Korea. Accompanying Lt. Gen. Thimayya, were
   his staff officers and the alternate Chairman, Mr. Chakravarty.

b. Indian troops leave for Korea – Madras:
   The last contingent of the Indian Custodian Force for Korea,
   sailed from Madras. About fourteen hundred strong, the men are
   drawn from various Army Units. Two hundred officers and men of
   the headquarters staff of the Chairman of the Neutral Nations
   Repatriation Commission, are included in the contingent. These
   soldiers are bound on a mission of friendship. The troops were
   in high spirits as the ship steamed out of the harbour.
Ambassadors of goodwill, they are charged with the responsible task of maintaining India's honour abroad.

c. Indian Party (several Indian officials) leaves for Korea.