



"Corsair," by Herbert Hahn, depicts Fighter Squadron 63 F4Us hitting enemy positions with rocket fire to clear the way for American tanks advancing on Seoul.

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Heavily armed Corsairs of Fighter Squadron 24 and Douglas AD Skyraiders of Attack Squadron 65 warm up prior to the launching of another ground support mission.

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98) had completed the long journey from the Mediterranean to deliver one of the 7th Marines' battalions.

As these reinforcements moved up to the front, the Communists struck back. On the 21st, NKPA troops crossed the Han and assaulted South Korean marine positions northwest of Kimpo airfield. Carrier aircraft and the naval gunfire of *Toledo* obliterated the Communist attacking force. In addition, Navy Skyraiders reduced enemy resistance in Suwon before the 7th Division's Reconnaissance Company occupied the city.