Cuban Vet In Korea Raps Reds

To Corporal Frank A. Gomez Baza, a young Cubas who is fighting with United States forces in Korea, the communists are cowards "who have no respect or consideration for human life." Even though they are in uniform, he said, they are still slaves "since

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Sugar Talks Sidetracked By Price Controls Fight

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WASHINGTON, July 12, (AP)—

Hearings on sugar control legislation by the House Agriculture Committee were sidetracked today with the fight over price controls.

Committee chairman Harold D. Creeley was called to the White House for an early morning conference, several key committeemen were otherwise engaged, and the House met at 11 o'clock, leaving only one hour for discussion of the sugar bill before a few members of the committee.

Representatives of the American Molasses Company who were on hand to complete their plea for a more lenient definition of molasses were offered their choice and preferred to defer until a larger committee attendance could be obtained.

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had been carrying out in Regla.

In his letter, the Cuban soldier told his father he should "not pay attention to those dogs who think they can straighten out the world. If they want to know what communism is and how it works tell those traitors to their country to come to Korea and see how they (the communists) fight. They are dirty. They have no respect for the rules of war, they are cowards, they strike behind your back like the Japanese did in the last war."

"Another thing." Corporal Gomez continued, "the Chinese communists and those of North Korea are using arms and other implements of war which are Russian made. I have seen this equipment I have had it in my hands."

Corporal Gomez, who was born in Regla and attended the Instituto de la Habana between 1943 and 1965, married an American girl in the United States, where he had resided since 1945. They have a fifteen-month-old daughter. Both his wife and daughter are presently residing with Frank's family in Regla. Corporal Gomez entered the army last September. He landed at Pusan last January, and in his letter he mentioned that he was "about five miles from the 38th parallel."

WAGE HEARING SET

The National Minimum Wage Commission yesterday opened a public hearing for a period of 15 working days beginning July 16 and closing August 1, for workers and employers to argue their cases in regard to a proposed increase in the minimum wages fixed for city and rural workers, the secretary of the commission, Dr. Orlando Incera, reported yesterday.

In the foreign commerce market, early completion of the proposed TV network should create new markets for television receivers," it says in the Foreign Commerce Weekly.

Red Editor Protests Failure To Return Paper

Rep Anibal Escalante, editor of the Communist newspaper "Hoy," yesterday filed a writ at the Supreme Court of Havana to have the authorities of the newspaper returned to the publishing company, as ordered by the court on Wednesday.

It is believed the court will issue a resolution today ordering the Chief of Police to turn the newspaper, twice closed by the government, over to the Communists.

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which has treated nations of the United States, its commerce or trade unfairly. Others were of the opinion, however, that the bill will be approved by the committee, practically without amendment.

After testimony is completed next week the committee will discuss the measure in executive session and make its decisions. Considering probable time required for other steps in the legislative process, one well informed sugar man estimated today that it will probably be Sept. 15 before the measure is sent to the White House for approval.

While the molasses fight may cause some delay and make the going a little rougher, general opinion is that it will not endanger completion of sugar legislation this year.

There had been some earlier trade fears that in the face of any serious controversy the Senate might let the bill go over until next year. Several Senators are reported ready to fight for the molasses men.

CABINET ENDS...

Cigar Makers Controversy At Rotary