

Basic Detail Report



Operation Smack Reaches a Climax for One Man: Medical corpsmen carry a wounded combat man to an aid station on the Korean front after he was wounded in “Operation Smack”— Sunday’s unsuccessful assault on Spud Hill positions held by Chinese Reds.

Other medics stand by to give assistance when needed. The attack, watched by high army officers supplied with gay-colored programs, now is under fire in Washington and in London, January 29, 1953

Date

1953

Medium

Vintage Associated Press wirephoto

Dimensions

Overall: 5 7/8 x 9 1/4 in. (14.9 x 23.5 cm)

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