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CHAPTER 26: "Cold War Conflicts"

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Section 2: The Cold War Heats Up

**One American Story:** (no longer added)

**China Becomes a Communist Country**  
**Chiang Kai-shek:** leader of the Nationalist government (South) in China  
U.S. gives aid to Nationalists in China; Russia gives aid to Communists in China. He had weak leadership and poor morale  
**Mao Zedong:** leader of the Communist government (North) who worked to win peasant support through education and better farm production. He had a highly motivated leadership  
**Renewed Civil War**  
End WWII U clash between Nationalists and Communists over control of China  
Truman refused to send more to assist Nationalists but spent \$2 billion in aid  
Nationalists' weak military leadership and corrupt, abusive practices U less popularity U Nationalists fled to Taiwan  
**Taiwan:** island which Nationalists fled to and established the People's Republic of China  
**America Reneges to Communist Takeover**  
Public stunned & feared communism more than ever  
Conservatives angry at Truman for not supplying enough aid  
Gov responds that doing too much would start another war in Asia and that Chiang's leadership was poor

**The Korean War**  
Japan owned Korea South of the 38<sup>th</sup> parallel surrendered to the Soviets while those north of the 38<sup>th</sup> parallel surrendered to the Americans U North and South Korea  
38<sup>th</sup> parallel dividing line between North Korea and South Korea  
Seoul: capital of South Korea (the Republic of Korea)  
U.S. cut back some armed forces in S.K. U Soviets provided more equipment and machinery to N.K. as an attempt to take over the entire peninsula  
**North Korea Attacks South Korea**  
**Korean War:** North Korea attacked South Korea  
South Korea asked U.N. for assistance = vote passed  
Truman allocated soldiers from Japan to support South Koreans; U.S. + allies sent 526,000 troops to aid South Korea

**The United States Flights in Korea**  
South Korean troops marched south and captured Seoul and trapped S.K. troops  
MacArthur's Counterattack  
Tanks, heavy artillery, and fresh troops

Notes taken from, *The Americans*, by McDougal Littell