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LUXEMBOURG:

THE BRITISH SECOND ARMY IS CONTINUING TO STRENGTHEN THE FLANKS OF ITS CORRIDOR BETWEEN EIN DHOVEN AND NIJMEGEN IN HOLLAND. BOTH THE EASTERN AND WESTERN FLANKS OF THE SALIENT HAVE BEEN BROADENED. AT THE TIP OF THE SALIENT, THE BRITISH ARE DRIVING IN A NORTHEAST DIRECTION FROM NIJLEGEN. THE GERMANS COUNTERATTACKED THREE TIMES ALONG THE FLANKS YESTERDAY BUT ALL ATTACKS WERE DRIVEN OFF. THE GERMANS TRIED TO GET ACROSS THE LOWER RHINE RIVER IN ASSAULT BOATS YESTERDAY. THEY SUCCEEDED IN GETTING SOME TROOPS TO THE FAR SIDE OF THE RIVER BUT THESE FORCES ARE BEING MOPPED UP BY THE BRITISH. THE NAZIS TRAPPED IN EASTERN HOLLAND AND BLIGIUM ARE BLING HARD-PRESSED BY UNITED KINGDOM TROOPS AND THEIR ONLY ESCAPE CORRIDOR IS NOW LESS THAN 20 MILES WIDE.

THE GERMAN COMMANDER OF THE GERMAN GARRISON AT CALAIS ASKED FOR AN ARMISTICE LAST NIGHT IN ORDER TO DISCUSS TERMS OF SURRENDER WITH CANADIAN FORCES' BESEIGING THE CITY. THE CANADIANS WANTED UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER AND GAVE THE NAZIS UNTIL 10 O'CLOCK THIS MOHNING TO MAKE UP THEIR MIND. AS YET, NO NEWS HAS COME IN OF THE GERMAN'S DECISION. THE CANADIANS CAPTURED THE CITADEL IN CALAIS YESTERDAY. CAN-ADIAN FORCES ALSO HAVE TAKEN THE HIGH GROUND AROUND CALAIS. LAST NIGHT, RAF HEAVY BOMBERS PLASTERED THE GERMAN POSITIONS AT CAPE GRIZ NEZ. HAF MOSQUITO BOMBERS LAST NIGHT MADE SWEEPS OVER WESTERN GERMANY AND HOLLAND SHOOTING UP AND BOMBING ENEMY TRANSPORT.

THERE HAS BEEN LITTLE NEWS FROM THE OTHER ALLIED FRONTS IN THE WEST. ALLIED THOOPS HAVE MADE SUBSTANTIAL GAINS IN THE BELFORT G.P. THE GERMANS ARE REPORTED TO BE COUNTERATTACKING EAST OF NANCY. THE HEINIES LOST 82 TANKS ON THE EASTERN FRONT OF FRANCE YESTERDAY.

MR. CHURCHILL IN HIS REPORT TO THE COMMONS YESTERDAY SAID THAT THERE WERE BE-TWEEN TWO AND THREE MILLION ALLIED TROOPS ACROSS THE CHANNEL AND THAT 40% OF THESE THOOPS WERE BRITISH. HE SAID THAT BRITISH LOSSES SO FAR ARE UPWARDS OF 90,000 AND THAT UNITED STATES LOSSES WERE OVER 145,000. MR CHURCHILI ALSO SAID THAT ABOUT HAIF OF THE DIVISIONS FIGHTING IN ITALY WERE MADE UP OF TROOPS FROM THE UNITED KING-DOM.

GENERAL EISENHOWER HAS ISSUED HIS FIRST PROCLAMATION TO THE GERMAN PEOPLE. HE HAS TOLD THEM THAT THE AILIED FORCES ARE COMING AS CONQUERORS AND NOT AS OPPRESSORS.

RUSSIA:

THE RUSSIANS HAVE CLEAKED THE WHOLE OF THE WESTERN COAST OF LSTONIA AND ARE LOCKED IN A SAVAGE BATTLE WITH THE GERMANS IN THE OUTSKIRTS OF RIGA. IN SOUTHERN POLAND, SOVIET TROOPS HAVE CAPTURED MORE PLACES IN THE MOUNTAINS AT THE CZECHOSLOV-OKI & BORDER. THE HUNGARIANS SAY THAT THEY HAVE BEEN FORCED TO GIVE MORE GROUND IN FURIOUS FIGHTING IN HUNGARY. THE MOSCOW RADIO HAS NOT YET ADMITTED THAT RED THOOPS ARE FIGHTING IN HUNGARY.

THE GERMANS SAID TODAY THAT THE RUSSIANS HAVE MADE A NEW CROSSING OF THE DANUBE RIVER AND HAVE ENTERED YUGOSLAVIA NEAR THE "IRON GATE."

ENGL.ND:

RAF HEAVY BOMBERS LAST NIGHT ATTACKED BRUNSWICK IN GERMANY. LAST NIGHT, A MOS-QUITO PILOT SHOT DOWN TWO PAKENT PLANES FOR FLYING BOMBS OVER THE ENGLISH CHANNEL. NO HE THAN 1000 HEAVY AMERICAN BOMBERS BOMBED WAR INDUSTRIES IN GERMANY YESTERDAY. THE AMERICANS SHOT DOWN 36 GERMAN PLANES. THE YANKS LOST 49 BOM BERS.

ITALY: THE BRITISH EIGHTH ARMY IS LOCKED IN A SAVAGE BATTLE NORTH OF THE RUBICON RIVER. THE GERMANS ARE COUNTERATTACKING IN STRENGTH HERE. THE AMERICAN FIFTH ARMY HAS TAKEN THREE MORE IMPORTANT HEIGHTS THAT DOMINATE THE MAIN HOAD TO BOLOGNE.

PACIFIC:

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AMERICAN CARRIER PLANES IN AN ATTACK ON THE CENTRAL PHILLIPINES DESTROYED ON DAMAGED 65 JAPANESE SHIPS AND DESTROYED 36 JAP PLANES. IN THE PAST MONTH, ADMIRAL HAISEY'S PLANES HAVE DESTROYED ON DAMAGED OVER 500 JAPANESE SHIPS AND DESTROYED OVER 1400 JAP PLANES.

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