FRANCE:

Canadian forces have captured all of the German long range guns at Cape Griz Nez. For four years the big German guns had been shelling "Hellfire Corner" intermittently. The guns were able to shoot over 20 miles of the English Channel and wreaked terrific damage on the English coast. During recent weeks, the big guns had been throwing more shells than ever for the German gunners knew that they would eventually be captured and they tried to expend all of their ammunition on the English coast. Over 1300 prisoners were taken at Cape Griz Nez.

The British second Army has beaten off more German counterattacks against the British salient in Holland. There has been no big change in the salient in the past 24 hours but British troops have managed to extend it at several places. British and Belgian troops have not provoked the Rhine river in Holland on a wide front. British patrols have pushed out for 14 miles past the main corridor running from Eindhoven to Nijmegen. The Luftwaffe sent some 300 planes over Holland yesterday. British fighters shot down 43 of them and severely damaged many more. German shipping in the Schelde estuary was bombed by light R.F. planes last night.

Canadian and German troops fighting in the port of Calais called a 24 hour truce at noon yesterday so that civilians in the city could be evacuated. The truce ended at noon today but there has been no news from Allied sources as to what the outcome was. The German radio said that 2,000 civilians were evacuated from the city. It is believed that there are about 9,000 Germans holding out at Calais.

In the Moselle Valley, American third army corps broke up German counterattacks yesterday. Eighty-two (42) German tanks are reported to have been knocked out yesterday on this front. In more hard fighting on the same front today, 31 more Nazi tanks were destroyed. The Germans said today that American forces in the Moselle Valley had taken "some hill positions." There has been no news from the American first army front or from the Allied Seventh army front.

RUSSIA:

In the past ten days of fighting in Estonia, the Russians have killed more than 20,000 Germans and have taken over 15,000 prisoners. Except for two islands that the Nazis still hold, the whole of Estonia has been cleared of the enemy. Red troops battling at the gates of Riga have taken another 30 places. The Soviets have brought up big guns to blast the German defense positions in the city and at last report the Red forces had overrun the first Nazi defense line before the city. In southern Poland, the Russians have liberated 40 more places in the mountains. Russian and Polish troops have made more big gains in the Transylvania Alps. Russian troops are being ferried across the Danube south of the "Iron Gate" into Yugoslavia. The Germans say that fierce fighting is going on in this sector.

ITALY:

Over 750 heavy American bombers today blasted railway centers in Western Germany. Last night, R.F. Mosquitos hit Karlsruhe without loss. Last night and just before dawn today, the Germans sent 300 flying bombs over southern England.

PACIFIC:

American marines have gained control of two more islands in the Palau group. The principles of the "Atlantic Charter" are being followed in liberated islands in the Pacific.

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MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL SCORES:

AMERICAN

ST LOUIS: 4,1 --- NEW YORK: 1,0
DETROIT: 5,2 --- WASHINGTON: 2,9
CHICAGO: 4 --- BOSTON: 3
PHILADELPHIA: 4  --- CLEVELAND: 2

NATIONAL

NEW YORK: 3 --- ST LOUIS: 2
CINCINNATI: 10 --- BROOKLYN: 2
BOSTON: 5 --- CHICAGO: 1
PHILADELPHIA: 3  --- PITTSBURGH: 0

STANDING IN FIRST DIVISION OF AMERICAN LEAGUE:

ST LOUIS ..... (TIED FOR FIRST PLACE)
DETROIT ..... (TIED FOR FIRST PLACE)
NEW YORK ..... (THERE IS WEEPING AND GnASHING OF TEETH IN TOMORROW)
BOSTON ..... (OH MY!)

SPORTS NOTE:


GILBERT

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