



DON'T FRATEKNIZE! DON'T TRUST A GERMAN
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GERMANY:

AN EARLY LINKUP OF THE AMERICAN THIRD ARMY AND THE RUSSIANS UNDER MARSHALL KONEV IS EXPECTED IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA. THERE IS STILL A FAIRLY WIDE CORRIDOR BETWEEN THE AMERICANS AND THE RUSSIANS. THE AMERICAN THIRD ARMY HAS TAKEN UP ITS FINAL LINE IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA AND IS WAITING FOR THE RUSSIANS TO LINK UP WITH THEM. AMERICAN PLANES IN SUPPORT OF THE THIRD ARMY ARE KEEPING UP OPERATIONAL PATROL OVER THE NO MANS LAND BETWEEN THE RUSSIANS AND THE AMERICANS. LARGE BODIES OF GERMAN TROOPS ARE TRYING TO INFILTRATE INTO THE AMERICAN LINES TO GIVE THEMSELVES UP BUT THEY HAVE BEEN TOLD TO STAY PUT AND WAIT TO BE PICKED UP BY THE RUSSIANS. AGAIN TODAY GERMAN PLANES IN DEFIANCE OF THE UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER TERMS BOMBED A CONCENTRATION CAMP NEAR PRAGUE. PRAGUE ITSELF HAS BEEN LIBERATED BY THE RUSSIANS. PRESIDENT BENEŠ OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA IS BACK IN PRAGUE WITH HIS GOVERNMENT.

THE SURRENDER OF THE GERMAN TROOPS IN NORWAY HAS BEEN ACCEPTED IN OSLO. OSLO AND PRAGUE ARE THE TWO LAST CAPITOLS IN EUROPE THAT WERE HELD BY THE GERMANS TO COME BACK INTO ALLIED HANDS. QUISLING AND 400 OF HIS HENCHMAN HAVE BEEN ARRESTED. COPENHAGEN IN DENMARK IS BACK UNDER DANISH CONTROL. THE CHANNEL ISLANDS HAVE BEEN LIBERATED ALSO. THEY SURRENDERED YESTERDAY AND A TASK FORCE OF BRITISH TROOPS LANDED THERE TODAY. THE GARRISON OF ABOUT 20,000 ARROGANT NAZIS HAD WAITED 7 HOURS AFTER THE DEADLINE FOR UNCONDITIONAL SURRENDER BEFORE GIVING IN. THE FRENCH ATLANTIC PORTS OF LORIENT, ST NAZAIRE AND LA ROCHELLE HAVE BEEN RE-OCCUPIED BY FRENCH TROOPS. NORTH OF HAMBURG THE BRITISH SECOND ARMY HAS ARMED GERMAN TROOPS TO TAKE CARE OF SOME 300 GERMAN SS TROOPS THAT INSIST ON HOLDING OUT. IN THE MEDITERRANEAN THE ISLAND OF CRETE HAS CAPITULATED. IN THE NETHERLANDS THE GREAT PORT OF ROTTERDAM IS BEING CLEARED SO THAT ALLIED SHIPS MAY DOCK THERE AND UNLOAD FOOD FOR THE PEOPLE OF HOLLAND. TODAY 500 RAF PLANES FLEW TO GERMANY AND BROUGHT BACK 10,000 BRITISH PRISONERS OF WAR.

IN A RADIO BROADCAST LAST NIGHT MARSHALL STALIN ANNOUNCED COMPLETE VICTORY OVER GERMANY. MOSCOW HAS CONTINUED ITS WILD CELEBRATIONS AND AMERICAN AND BRITISH SOLDIERS ARE BEING CARRIED AROUND ON THE SHOULDERS OF RUSSIAN PEOPLE. MOSCOW'S VICTORY GUNS FIRED 30 SALVOES FROM 2000 PIECES LAST NIGHT.

GENERAL WEYGAND WHO SUCCEEDED GENERAL GAMELIN AS COMMANDER IN CHIEF OF THE FRENCH ARMY IN 1940 HAS BEEN ARRESTED BY THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT. THE FAMOUS FRENCH PORT OF DUNKERQUE HAS SURRENDERED TO THE ALLIES. BETWEEN 10,000 AND 12,000 GERMANS HAD BEEN HOLDING OUT THERE.

MORE THAN 400 BRITISH CARGO AND TROOP SHIPS WILL BE USED TO CARRY AMERICAN TROOPS AND EQUIPMENT TO THE PACIFIC.

PACIFIC:

MORE THAN 400 AMERICAN SUPER FORTRESSES FROM THE MARIANAS TODAY DEALT JAPAN ITS BIGGEST AIR BLOW YET. THE MAIN FORCE OF GIANT BOMBERS CONCENTRATED ON NAVY AND ARMY FUEL SUPPLIES AND OTHER MILITARY TARGETS ALONG THE INLAND SEA. A SECONDARY FORCE OF SUPER FORTS ONCE MORE POUNDED AIRFIELDS ON KYUSHU ISLAND. BRITISH CARRIER BASED PLANES TODAY HAMMERED AIRFIELDS IN THE SOUTHERN KYUKYUS. AMERICAN TROOPS ON OKINAWA ISLAND HAVE CONTINUED TO GRIND FORWARD UNDER THE COVER OF A DEVASTATING AERIAL AND NAVAL BOMBARDMENT. NEAR MINDANAO IN THE PHILIPPINES, AMERICAN TROOPS HAVE LANDED ON SAMAL ISLAND IN THE DAVAO GULF.

BRITISH 14TH ARMY MEN IN BURMA HAVE LINKED UP WITH OTHER ALLIED TROOPS IN THE ARAKAN HILLS WEST OF THE IRAWADDY RIVER.

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PACIFIC CONTINUED:

BRITISH TROOPS ARE MEETING STIFF OPPOSITION FROM JAPANESE REAR GUARDS 50 MILES NORTHEAST OF RANGOON.

THE CHINESE HIGH COMMAND HAS ANNOUNCED THAT CHINESE FORCES IN A COUNTER-OFFENSIVE IN HUNAN PROVINCE IN SOUTHERN CHINA HAVE SMASHED THE ENTIRE JAP LINE.

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL SCORES:

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CLEVELAND: 2	... BOSTON: 1	PHILADELPHIA: 5	.. CHICAGO: 2
CHICAGO: 6	... PHILADELPHIA: 4	PITTSBURGH: 9	... BOSTON: 5
		NEW YORK: 6	... CINCINNATI: 1