

## VOLUME VIII NO. 18 DON'T FRATERNIZE: DON'T TRUST A GERMAN 14 MAY 1945

PACIFIC:

MORE THAN 500 AMERICAN SUPER FORTS FROM THE MARIANAS TODAY SATURATED 3500 TONS OF FIRE BOMBS ON THE GREAT INDUSTRIAL CITY OF NAGOYA. THE GIANT BOMBERS WITH A FIGHTER ESCORT SWEPT IN OVER THE THIRD CITY OF JAPAN IN DAYLIGHT TODAY AND IN 90 MINUTES THEY DROPPED 500,000 INCENDIARY BOMBS ON AN AREA 9 MILES SQUARE. BOTH TOKIO AND WASHINGTON REPORTED TODAY THAT A GREAT AMERICAN AIR ASSAULT HAS BEEN GOING ON AGAINST JAPAN FOR 2 DAYS. TOKIO SAYS THAT 900 ALLIED CARRIER PLANES TODAY HAMMERED KYSUHYU AND ANOTHER 80 CARRIER PLANES STRUCK AT SHIKOKU AT THE SAME TIME THAT THE SUPER FORTS ATTACKED NAGOYA. THE JAPS ALSO SAY THAT CARRIER PLANES WERE OVER JAPAN DURING THE NIGHT. THE NIPS CLAIM THAT TWO ALLIED TASK FORCES ARE OPERATING OFF JAPAN.

IN SOUTHERN OKINAWA AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN AND MARINES HAVE GAINED NEARLY MILE AGAINST BITTER RESISTANCE. THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION IN THE OUTSKIRTS OF NAHA, THE CAPITOL OF OKINAWA, IS MEETING HEAVY JAP MORTAR AND ARTILLERY FIRE. IN NORTHERN MINDANAO YANK TROOPS HAVE TAKEN THE AIRFIELD AT DEL MONTE. AMERICAN HEAVY BOMBERS HAVE AGAIN ATTACKED FORMOSA. AUSTRALIAN TROOPS IN NEW GUINEA HAVE TAKEN THE PENISULA AND TOWN OF WEWAK. AMERICAN PLANES HAVE SUNK 11 FREIGHTERS AND 5 COASTAL VESSELS IN THE CHINA SEA.

CHINESE TROOPS ARE FIGHTING IN THE STREETS OF THE SEAPORT TOWN OF FUCHOW AND HAVE CAPTURED AN AIRFIELD. IN BURMA BRITISH 14TH ARMY TROOPS PUSHING DOWN THE IRRAWADDY RIVER ARE 90 MILES FROM RANGOON. OTHER 14TH ARMY MEN HAVE TAKEN A VILLAGE ON THE JAP ESCAPE RAILROAD FROM THE RANGOON AREA 30 MILES NORTHEAST OF PEGU.

BRITISH NAVAL EXPERTS ARE BEING RUSHED TO THE PACIFIC TO SPEED THE BUILDING OF NEW BRITISH NAVAL BASES THERE. BRITISH ESCORT CARRIERS HAVE BEEN FERLYING NAVAL PLANES TO THE PACIFIC TO INCREASE THE STRIKENG POWER OF THE BRITISH PACIFIC FLEET.

## GEHMANY:

IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA SOME GERMANS AHEAD OF THE AMERICAN THIRD ARMY LINES ARE TRYING TO EVADE THE RUSSIANS AND INFILTRATE INTO THE AMERICAN LINES. THE GERMANS HAVE BEEN USING EVERY RUSE THEY KNOW TO GET INTO THE AMERICAN LINES. THE AMERICAN THIRD ARMY HAS ESTABLISHED 3 STRONGLY MANNED LINES AND IF ANY GERMANS ARE FOUND AMONG THEIR LINES THEY ARE MARCHED TO THE RUSSIAN LINES BY THE YANKS.

A MESSAGE FROM FIELD MARSHALL MONTGOMERY'S HEADQUARTERS SAYS THAT HIMMLER IS STILL AT LARGE. THE AMERICAN SEVENTH ARMY IN AUSTRIA HAS LINKED WITH THE RED ARMY AND HAS ALSO LINKED WITH THE BRITISH EIGHTH ARMY FROM ITALY. MOSCOW SAYS THAT MORE THAN 1,000,000 GERMANS, INCLUDING 91 GENERALS, HAVE BEEN TAKEN SINCE LAST WEDNESDAY.

IN A BROADCAST LAST NIGHT, MR. CHURCHILL SURVEYED THE ACHIEVEMENTS THAT HAD BROUGHT VICTORY IN EUROPE. THE PRIME MINISTER SAID THAT BRITAIN MUST PREPARE FOR FURTHUR SACKIFICES AND THAT SHE WOULD FIGHT JAPAN WITHOUT FLAGGING OR FADING

## MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL SCORES:

AMERICAN

## NATIONAL

NEW YORK: 1,2 ... CIEVELAND: 0,4 CHICAGO: 5,4 WASHINGTON: 1,2 EOSTON: 8,0 DETROIT: 2,3 PHILADEIPHIA: 4,2 ... ST LOUIS: 1,8

DOSTON: 4 ... CHICAGO: 2

NEW YORK: 4,5 ... ST LOUIS: 3,6

BROCKLYN: 10 ... CINCINATTI: 3

PITTS BURGH: 9,5 . PHILADELPHIA: 6,6

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