

DON'T FRATEERNIZE! DON'T TRUST A GERMAN

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PACIFIC:

ADMIRAL SUZUKI, JAPANESE PREMIER, TOLD MORE THAN 100 OF JAPAN'S AIRCRAFT PLANT OWNERS YESTERDAY THAT THEY MUST PRODUCE MORE PLANES IN THIS THE CRITICAL PART OF THE WAR. THE JAP RADIO SAID THAT A SMALL FORCE OF SUPER FORTRESSES AND FIGHTER PLANES THIS MORNING ATTACKED TARGETS IN THE TOKIO AREA. THE NIPS ALSO CLAIM THAT OTHER SUPER FORTS TODAY MINED THE SEA OF JAPAN. AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHS TAKEN OF TOKIO FOLLOWING YESTERDAY'S SUPER SUPER FORTRESS BLITZ SHOW THAT CLOUDS OF BLACK SMOKE ARE STILL RISING FROM THE CITY.

JAPANESE RESISTANCE ON OKINAWA IS REPORTED TO BE CRUMBLING. AMERICAN INFANTRYMEN AT THE EASTERN END OF THE ISLAND ARE EXPLOITING THEIR BREAKTHROUGH ACHIEVED YESTERDAY AND ARE CHASING THE JAPS BACK INTO ROCKY GROUND. MARINES AT THE WESTERN END OF THE ISLAND HAVE SUCCEEDED IN ESTABLISHING 2 BRIDGES OVER A RIVER NEAR NAHA AND HAVE THROWN RESERVES ACROSS THE RIVER FOR THE BATTLE OF NAHA. YESTERDAY THE LEATHERNECKS BROKE INTO THE CENTER OF NAHA. THREE DIVISIONS OF THE AMERICAN EIGHTH ARMY HAVE LINKED UP ON MINDANAO AND HAVE SPLIT THE JAPANESE UP INTO THREE GROUPS. GENERAL MACARTHUR HAS ANNOUNCED THAT THE CAMPAIGN ON MINDANAO HAS REACHED ITS MOPPING UP STAGE. AMERICAN DIVE BOMBERS AND FIGHTERS HAVE BEEN GIVING CLOSE SUPPORT TO GROUND TROOPS ON MINDANAO. IN BURMA BRITISH 14TH ARMY TROOPS HAVE LANDED AT THE INLAND PORT OF BASSEIN 88 MILES WEST OF RANGOON. THE JAPS HAD PULLED OUT OF THE PORT AND THE BRITISH FORCES MET NO RESISTANCE. IN CHINA, CHINESE TROOPS HAVE ADVANCED 20 MILES FROM FOOCHOW AND HAVE TAKEN LIENKONG. IN NEW GUINEA AUSTRALIAN TROOPS HAVE TAKEN CAPE MOEM.

AMERICAN BOMBERS FROM THE PHILIPPINES HAVE KEPT UP THEIR HAMMERING OF AIRFIELDS AND COMMUNICATIONS ON THE ISLAND OF FORMOSA. OTHER BOMBERS HAVE ATTACKED JAP SHIPPING ALONG THE COAST OF CHINA AND UP THE YANGTZE RIVER WHILE STILL OTHERS HAVE RIPPED RAILROADS IN INDO CHINA. AMERICAN CARRIER PLANES HAVE KEPT UP THEIR ASSAULT AGAINST AIRFIELDS IN THE SAKISHIMA ISLANDS SOUTHWEST OF OKINAWA. AMERICAN FIGHTER PLANES TODAY MADE A BIG SWEEP OVER SOUTHERN JAPAN. THESE FIGHTERS PROBABLY WERE MUSTANGS FROM IWO JIMA AIRFIELDS.

EUROPE:

HEINRICH HIMMLER DREAD LEADER OF THE GERMAN GESTAPO IS DEAD. HIMMLER COMMITTED SUICIDE AT BRITISH SECOND ARMY HEADQUARTERS IN LUNEBURG ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT. BRITISH TROOPS HAD ARRESTED HIM LAST MONDAY BUT DID NOT ESTABLISH HIS IDENTITY UNTIL WEDNESDAY. WHILE BEING EXAMINED HIMMLER MANAGED TO SWALLOW CYANIDE. IT HAS BEEN ANNOUNCED THAT FIELD MARSHALL OBERG, HIMMLER'S RIGHT HAND MAN, HAS BEEN CAPTURED IN AUSTRIA.

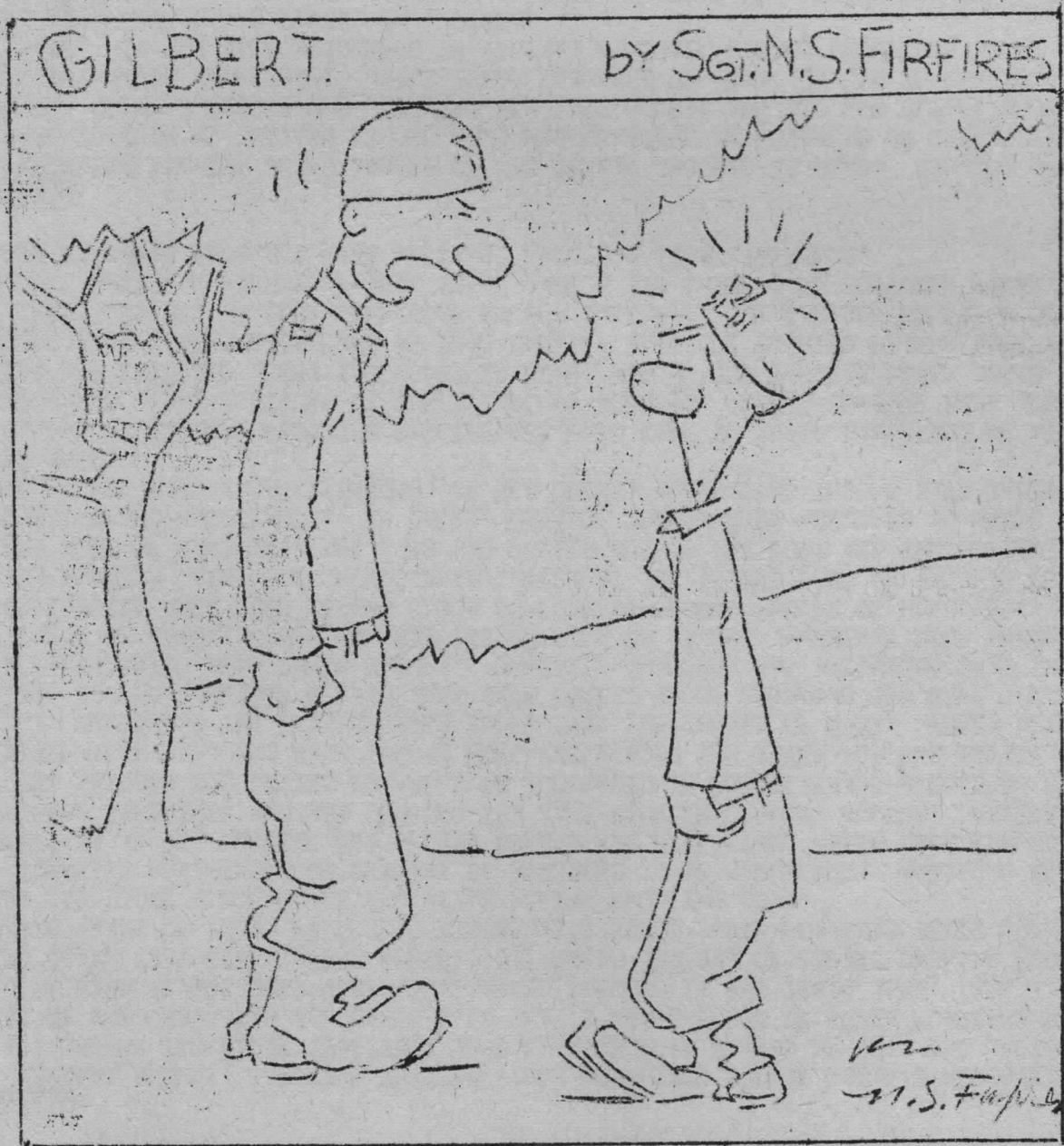
MARSHALL STALIN AND MR. MOLOTOFF LAST NIGHT SPOKE AT A RECEPTION IN HONOR OF THE COMMANDERS OF THE RED ARMY. IN A TOAST TO MR. MOLOTOFF, MARSHALL STALIN SAID "SOMETIMES A GOOD FOREIGN POLICY IS WORTH MORE THAN TWO OR THREE ARMIES AT THE FRONT."

AT THE LABOR CONFERENCE AT BLACKPOOL YESTERDAY IT WAS STATED THAT LABOR WOULD NOT MAKE A COALITION WITH CONSERVATIVES AFTER THE GENERAL ELECTION IN BRITAIN.

THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT IS TO TAKE OVER THE CONTROL OF COAL AND ELECTRICAL INDUSTRIES IN FRANCE. WAGES AND PRICES WILL BE PEGGED.

MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL SCORES:

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| | | PHILADELPHIA: 6 | ... CHICAGO: 3 |



YEAH, I KNOW YOUR SUPPOSE TO HAVE YOUR NAME,
AND INSIGNIA ON YOUR HELMET - BUT NOT IN NEON.