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Reds Hit at Mozhaisk – Hitler Goes To Front

Seeks To Stem German Retreat

By ASSOCIATED PRESS Russia's Red Armies were ported smashing today at erman-held Mozhaisk, the at of the great threats to occow, after Adolf Hitler ashed to the front in an tempt to halt the retreat his battered invasion

Bardia Taken By British

Libyan City Falls To Allied Forces



ALLIED CHIEF?—General Sir Archibald P. Wavell of Great Britain, who is reported as being considered for the post of

Might Name Gen. Wavell

Hinted as Allied Pacific Leader

Chinese Troops in Burma

Death Takes Coy Langford



Japanese Clutch At Singapore

Mussolini To Talk Tomorrow



FIVE FLYERS DIE IN CRASH OF ARMY BOMBER—Snoke pours from treckage of a twin-motored Army bomber after it crashed at Garden City Long Island, and killed five men. Witnesses said the plane struck a high in wire and exploded twice after hitting the ground.

U. S. Warships Aid Attack Jap In Indies Defense Territory

One of American Naval Craft Attacked by Japanese Planes

BATAVIA, N. E. I.—(AP)—The Dutch East Indi h. Command reported today that "one of the warship nging to the American fighting forces which are c rating with the Netherlands Navy" had been attack Lapanese planes in the northern part of the Indi

Enemy Raid Kills 1.000

40 Jap Planes Lost at Rangoon

Japanese Imperial Headquarters Claimed that to Brittin plants were standed own, right others were set after on the ground and a power plant was demolithed in the opening raid upon Rangoon Christinas HELSINIKI —4h— The trial upon Rangoon Christinas in the Community of the Commun

Australian Air Force

Old Recruiting

Dutch Must Carry Pacific War Burden Until Allies Send Help

Cavite Naval Base Also In Enemy Hands

American and Filipino Forces Still Fightisg for Islands, However

TOKYO—(Official Brandeast Reorded by AF)—
The Japanese declared officially tonight that General Douglas MacArthur's defense forces had fallen back to the (ortress island of Corregidor and the mountainous Batan Peninsula for a "last stand" after giving up Manila.

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WASHINGTON—(AP)—Manila and the nearby naval base of Cavite fell to the Japanese today.

Both places, the War and Navy Departments said, had been evacuated of military and naval supplies and equipment before advance units of the enemy arrived. "The loss of Manila, while serious, has not lessened the resistance to the Japanese attacks," the War Department said.

At Manila all military installa. The advanced units of the Japanese lessened and the property are removed of destroyed and the military installa.

American General In Bold Maneuver

MacArthur Chooses His Ground To Battle Onrushing Japanese

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The battle-grimed for neral Douglas MacArthur, united by a daring to neuver during a major battle, fought furiously, hold a 200-mile perimeter that arced about Manile he last stand in the light far

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