

Over 1,200 U. S. Bombers Stage Record Raid On Berlin

Soviet Armies Maneuver For Berlin Drive

MOSCOW — (AP) — Two great Russian armies maneuvered today for the approaching drive on Berlin, while other Soviet forces made important gains on either flank...

Still there was no immediate indication when Marshal Gregory Zhukov's First White Russian Army and Marshal Ivan S. Konev's First Ukrainian Army would lead the twin assault on Berlin...

Before attacking, the Russians must smash or turn at some point the heavily-fortified Oder-Spre River line.

Scouting operations widespread in this area today, suggesting that the zero hour may be near.

Not far into the German-held sectors provided valuable information when the regular army troops, police, storm troops and thousands of Volksturm...

Trenches are studded with machine guns and light artillery. Many square miles are heavily mined.

Reds Reach Point 51 Miles From Baltic Sea

By RICHARD KAHISCHKE

Constantin Rokossovsky's Second White Russian Army, scoring a deep new penetration into the Baltic...

At the western end of the corridor, the German thrust threatened to cut in two a 23-mile-long coastal corridor...

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Tokyo Area Rocked By U. S. Bombs

CARRIER PLANES STRIKE AT CITY

U. S. PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Guam — (AP) — Industrial targets in the Tokyo area and elsewhere on Japan's main island...

Damage was done to airfield, military installations and transportation facilities...

Bombs fell in an area adjacent to the guard house of the Empress Palace...

Enemy Thirst

Japs Short Of Water In Iwo Battle

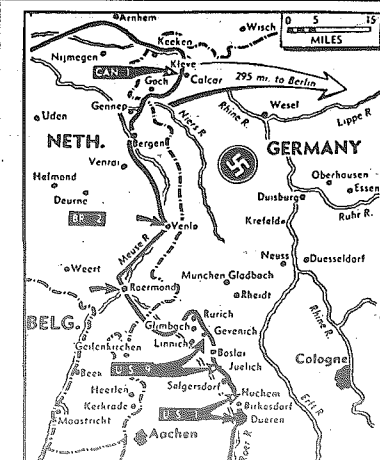
By PHILIP S. HEISLER

Water is a problem for the Marines here, who are being supplied by ship...

German Gostapov Whip Exhibited In House

WASHINGTON — A German Gostapov whip made from twisted twigs of ash...

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WESTERN FRONT DRIVE—Rhine-bound American First and Ninth Armies battled to within 12 miles of Cologne...

Yanks Attack Big Push Opened On Iwo Airfield

By ELMONT WAITE

U. S. PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Guam — (AP) — Capture of Iwo Jima's second airfield...

Coal Strike Threatened

WASHINGTON — (AP) — John L. Lewis and his United Mine Workers Policy Committee...

Mecklenburg Casualties

Battle Officially Over

U. S. Guns Blast Japs Holding Out In Two Buildings In Manila

Iwo Much Smaller Than Charlotte

Biggest Air Attack Ever To Hit City

3,000 Tons Drop On Nazi Capital

By HENRY B. JAMESON

LONDON — (AP) — In the biggest air attack ever made on Berlin...

Three giant waves, which Nazi news agencies said made a train 150 miles long...

RAF Mosquitoes attacked Berlin last night.

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U. S. 1st Army 12 Miles From Big Rhine City

German Defense System Defending River Threatened With Collapse

By JAMES M. LONG

PARIS — (AP) — U. S. First Army infantry and armor plunged to within 12 miles of Cologne...

There is a rapid deterioration of the enemy's situation...

At daybreak heavy armor roared into the attack and drove deeper across the flatlands of the Cologne plain.

Sweeping up 25 or more towns, the American Ninth and First Armies closed within three miles of the Ruhr...

Yanks In New Gain In Italy

By RICHARD KAHISCHKE

Advance Ninth Army elements approached Kaubhausen...

Both the First and Ninth armies were hurrying in their tanks in a bid for a breakthrough...

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