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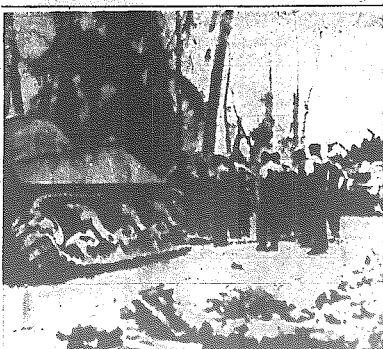
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AMERICANS FIGHT AVRANCHES

REDS DRAW UP BEFORE WARSAW



MARINES CLEAR ROAD ON GUAM—U. S. Marines clear a tank track on a road in Guam after one of their tanks was temporarily put out of action while pursuing the Japs. This is one of the first photos on the invasion of Guam. (U. S. Marine Corps photo via radiotelephone)

Yanks Use Secret Weapon On Tinian

U. S. PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Pearl Harbor (AP)—A secret weapon gave American forces a new advantage in their invasion of the Marianas today as they spearheaded a widening wedge across Guam and toward Tinian's largest town.

Turk Break May Come

LONDON—The German reports indicated today the Nazis had given up all hope of holding any strategic Turkish cities. They predicted the Turkish Government would announce Wednesday plans for breaking off economic and diplomatic relations with the Reich.

Gotham Subway Train Gets Lost

NEW YORK—A subway train got lost on the east side of Manhattan today, including seven hundred passengers.

Donald Nelson Says: Although waste paper receipts have been increased by nearly 100,000 tons a month, we are still short 79,000 tons a month.

WASTE PAPER

is the nation's number one critical war material.

CHARLOTTEANS CAN HELP ON SUNDAY AUGUST 20th

by saving waste paper until the truck stops at their homes

Nazis Hint Russians At Capital Now

Soviets Arrive In East Prussia

LONDON—The German radio reported tonight that Russian forces had opened a large scale attack against Warsaw's industrial suburb of Praga on the east bank of the Vistula River.

3,000 Yank Planes Hit

Americans Give Nazis Blood Bath

WITH THE U. S. FIRST ARMY IN FRANCE (AP)—Lt. Gen. Omar N. Bradley's combined armored and doughboy columns, racing sixteen miles in 24 hours through a broken German army, have carried the battle into the streets of Avranches and in effect have broken out of the Cherbourg Peninsula into France.

Cut Made In Sub Program

Little Resistance

WASHINGTON—The Navy announced a cutback in the submarine building program today and attributed the step to two factors: the loss of fewer submarines than was expected and the need for at least eight other types of ships or weapons.

Pisa Tower Still Intact

WITH THE FIFTH ARMY BEFORE PISA—The Leaning Tower of Pisa is neither destroyed nor damaged by an artillery shell, an observer in a nearby boat declared tonight.

Nazis Hold Anzacs At Bay Before Florence

By SOLAND NORGARD (AP)—Counter-attacking forces were attacking the famous bridge over the Arno River at Pisa on the night of the 29th.

Predicts Germany Will Quit Fighting On Aug. 4

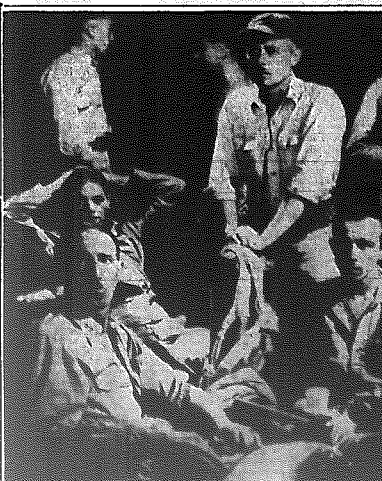
HONEY BROOK, Pa.—A Honey Brook business man who predicted that June 6 would be D-Day said today that Germany will cease fighting on Aug. 4.

Nazi Armored Column Destroyed By Planes

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Swift 16-Mile Drive Reaches Nazi Anchor

Control Of Springboard Would Give Chance For Push To Interior



ARMY RECHERCH ON EVERY FACE—Listen! Are they coming back? You can sense the nervous, bracing tension of the soldiers who have returned to their aircraft carrier after engaging Jap fighters over Saipan. Wait anxiously for their buddies to come back. Drawn, lined faces and nervously smoking cigarettes mark this scene of vigil as pilots and Capt. Stuart H. Ingersoll, left, expedition skipper, "scout out" a mission in the carrier's ready room.

British Tank Drive Made

ON THE BRITISH FRONT BEFORE CAUMONT—Lt. Gen. Miles C. Dempsey's tanks have knifed more than five miles into the center of the German defenses since the start of the American offensive last Tuesday.

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Mostly cloudy and moderately hot this afternoon, tonight and tomorrow, with scattered showers and thunderstorms in the afternoon or evening.



On the left flank the Americans also captured the obstacle city of Torigni-Sur-Vire, 27 miles inland, after threatening its isolation by taking the hamlets of La Reaiviere and La Frechtere to the southeast; front line dispatches reported.

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