80 MILES, FROM S CAPTURE WEST WALL SECTION

78th Division Naval Operations **Troops Take** Three Miles Of Nazi Line

Gain Scored In 9-Hour Battle

By JAMES M. LONG
PARIS.— (AP) — The
78th Division captured three
miles of the Siegfried Line
today in a surprise attack
through waist deep snow
drifts in the Monschau forest.
three miles inside Germany.
The First Army outfit struck
just north of the eliminated Belgian bulge while other troops of
Li Gen. Courtner H Hoteless command and the Third Army moved
up to the West Wall defenses
along 40 miles of the Ardenne,
front.

Allies Hit Nazis On Dutch Isles

SUPREME HEADQUARTERS ALLIED EXPEDITION.
ARY FORCE, Paris—(AP)—An Allied Naval force is now engaged "in active though small scale operations against the enemy" among Dutch islands north of Walcheren, Adm. Sir Harold M. Burrough sfid Today.

The new Allied naval coprimate of future operational possibilities:

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Secondary Event

Nation Observes F. R.'s Birthday

By DOUGLAS B. CORNELL
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In Unheated Chicago Room

U.S. Troops Drive Down Manila Road

6th Army Takes San Fernando

By Richard C. Bercholz GENERAL MacARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS. Luzon-API — Armored Sixth Army mits, rolling past captured San Fernando along the nar-row, swamp-fringed home stretch to Manila, sped un-checked Monday to ward Calumnit, only 25 air miles from the commonwealth cap-ityl

Hopkins In Rome Visit

Baby Freezes



Roosevelt Stand

Says Nation Has Need Of Wallace

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NEW YORK—(AP)—Henry A. Wallace, his political re challenged by a Senate threat to deny him confirma-as Secretary of Commerce, carried an endorsement by ident Roosevelt today as a leader needed by the nation

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Pvt. Joshua M. Shields
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Soviet Forces In Sharp New. **Drive Forward**

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By ASSOCIATED PRESS

LONDON—Marshal Gregory Zhukov in a sharp new
derender of the Advise a shead 12 miles into Brandenburg province and about 80 miles from Berlin, the German radio reported tooright.

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said the Soviets man management of the prints of the merkin said counter-attacks in Lower Silesia had broken in Lower Silesia had broken forough to the Russian-surrounded sarrison in Steinau on the Oder's west bank 3 miles northwest of Breslau. The Russian surrounded sarrison in Steinau on the Oder's west bank 32 miles northwest of Breslau. The Russian pocket in the Russian surrounded sarrison in Steinau on the Oder's which was a surrounded sarrison in Steinau on the Oder's most bank and the Russian pocket in the Russian p

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