

A Synthetic Morale. This Is The Real McCoy. It Takes Imagination To Translate An Old Rusty Crowbar Into The Casing Of A Shell For One Of Our Battleship Guns. It Must Be Brought Home Vividly To The People That Steel Is The Backbone Of Our Ships And Planes And Guns. And They Must Be Persuaded To Make That Backbone Strong."—Vice Admiral S. M. Robinson, USN, Chief Of The Bureau Of Procurement And Material

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Stalingrad
Once Again
Faced With
Grave Crisis

Germans Renew
Furious Assault

By HENRY C. CASSIDY
MOSCOW.—(AP)—The
defenders of Stalingrad
continued to new positions under
cover of early morning dark
now, today, as they moved with
their backs to the broad Volga were
reported making a most
stubborn stand against a des-
perate German effort to break
a path to the river and victory.

Two infantry divisions, backed by
100 tanks and supported by 500
planes, formed the spearhead with
the Germans aiming to capture the
city in time to aim at an
attack on Stalingrad's defenses.

DANGEROUS ADVANCE

The attackers already had
penetrated dangerously into the
Stalingrad defenses on a one-mile-wide
sector of the northern suburbs
in the rear of the offensive, in
days of stalemate and the army
newspaper, Red Star, said that
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GERMANS REACH
THE VOLGA

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Hundreds were slain and more
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WEATHER

Little
change
in
temperature.

Today's Temp.: H. 77; L. 56
Sunset today 6:47
Sunrise tomorrow 7:30
Additional U. S. Weather Bureau
data will be found on page 10.

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