## REDS BLOCK NAZIS NEAR STALIN U. S. BOMBERS BLAST FRANCE AGA

#### Fortresses. Raid Plane Factory In North

#### All Return to **Base Safely**

LONDON —(AP)—United states Flying Fortresses, triking over France in their ixth attack of the war, bombixth attack of the war, bomo-d the airplane factory at leaulte near Albert, North-rn France, today and all re-urned safely. Spitfires flown by members of be United States Army Air Force

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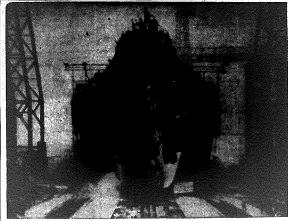
#### WEATHER

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Sunset today \_\_ . Sunrise tomorrow

Note To Readers



UNCLE SAM LAUNCHES ANOTHER BATTLESHIP—Down the ways at the Brooklyn Navy Yard goes the USS Iowa, battleship. She's the heaviest ever built for the United States.

#### State College Athlete Plays Daring Role In Makin Raid

# PEARL HARBOR, T. H.—(AP)—A force of 350 Japs—virtually every defender—was wiped out and all scaplane installations methodically wrecked by U. S. Marines during the recent Makin Island raid, now disclosed by eye-witnesses in have been a two-day job of slaughter and destruction. Contrasting with earlier reports of a hit-and-run raid, the participants, including Major James geoscreft, son of the Predicta, made it clear that the scrappy Marines even hunting to the prediction of the first participants of the participants of

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OVERNMENT ALLEGIATIONS

-Inside A Jap Prison Camp

Priests Endure Perils

War To Aid Dying

#### Driving Chinese Roll Into Vital Chuhsein

#### Jap Retreat In Solomons Not Victory, Cautions U.S. Two Phases, but

#### Neither Decisive

WASHINGTON. - (AP)-WASHINGTON.—(AP)—
An admonition against any descriptions of the current operations in the Solomon Islands as having brought a major victory for the United Nations came today from one of the highest Government authorities.

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### In Deadly Fight At City's Edge Enemy Bombers Giving Southern

Steel Center Terrific Beating

By EDDY GILMORE
AP War Correspondent
MOSCOW. — (AP) — Battle-grimed German forces
hich fought their way 400 miles from the Ukraine to the
olga Valley reached the distant approaches to Stalingrad
day, but Russian dispatches said they were blocked there
y swarms of Red Army infantry who closed in from all
idee

s. The situation at the great Volga city of Stalin admit The situation at the great voiga city of Sciams aus tedly was grave, with the fight raging to a climax, I Russian reports took the encouraging tone that shocktroof the Nazi assault had been forced to form the classround defense and fight for survival.

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Balking at WLB Ruling

PITTSBURGH -(A)- Unionized

Their action permits officers

appeal, officials of the CIO Alumi num Workers of America said.

#### British Join U.S. In Coastal Patrol

RAF Planes and Fliers Helping Battle Axis Subs in Atlantic

By ASSOCIATED PRESS
British planes and fliers have joined the fight against submarines in the Western Atlantic, the Navy announced doly disclosing, at the same time, the sinking last month of a Norwegian merchant vessel off the northern coast of

of a Norwegian merchant vessel off the northern coasts.

The Navy said the RAP Coast Command, co-operating with U. S. Navy and Army aircraft, had already "cagaged the enemy," Sinking of the Norwegian ship brought to 46 the Associated Press total of announced sinkings of

Survivors, who reached an East Coast port, said their skipper, Capiain Christian Evenson, was taken prisoner aboard a submarine "which

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Destroyer Ingraham, Christened At Charleston, Goes Down At Sea