

American-Filipino artillery wrecked Japanese Gun Implacements on the south-eastern shores of Manila Bay. All quiet on Bataan peninsula. Japanese have landed reinforcements off 9 transports in the Phillipines. This reinforcement amounted to about 10 Thousand men. The Japanese were again demanding that MacArthur surrender, but the only response was terrific artillery fire by MacArthur's men. The surrender message was delivered from Manila.

American Volunteer Groups with R.A.F. Fighters broke up a chain of enemy raiders on Rangoon without losing a single plane. Ten Japanese planes were shot down and probably another Ten. The Victory came in the daylight hours. Official Rangoon Communique announced that the American Volunteer Group shot down Seven for Certain and Five probables. The R.A.F., Three for Certain, and Five probables. Some fires were started north of Rangoon, but were put out, causing no damage. Twenty-five miles north of Muulmein, a British patrol fought off the Jap invaders, man to man.

The Singapore defenders flung their steel at enemy concentrations across the strait. Singapore was raided four times since 9 o'clock this morning. One enemy plane was downed, while 3 others damaged. The British lost one plane. British Singapore detachments have surrounded Singapore island today against a possible parachute threat. Singapore was founded 123 years ago today by Sir Stamford Raffles. More than One Thousand Imperial troops have rejoined their men on Singapore when rescued by the British Navy off Malaya.

On yesterday's attack at Soerabaja the Japanese lost 2 Fighters and 2 Bombers. The Dutch lost 3 planes. Today the enemy was reconnoitering over Soerabaja, where an enemy invasion is being expected. A big allied naval base is situated at this city.

The Chinese are waging a bitter battle for Wuchow, located near Canton. Both sides are suffering heavy losses.

General Erwin Rommel, chief of the Nazi North African Corps, took Tmimi, which lies 40 miles west of Tobruk. Rommel's forces are 150 miles from the Egyptian border. The R.A.F. made successful air attacks on German communication lines in Libya, but land fighting remains unchanged.

Hitler's invading army is moving backwards. For the first time in many weeks, it is reported on many fronts that the Russians are outnumbered, but they were hacking their way westward. Ten Thousand German casualties were reported in a 3 day period ending Thursday night. 26 German planes were shot down in 3 days, trying to attack Moscow--no German plane reached the city. 30 Soviet civilians were used as shields on some counter-attacks made by the Germans.

Samarinda was captured by the Japanese. This city is located on the eastern coast of Borneo.

President Roosevelt disclosed in a press conference today that a Pacific War Consul was operating in Washington and London for the past month. Roosevelt announced that he will appoint United States Ambassadors to Bolivia and Paraguay. The president stated further that the Dutch government in exile is situated in London.

\$26½ Billion Naval appropriation was passed by the senate yesterday in 15 minutes--it is now ready for President Roosevelt's signature.

The Agricultural department in Washington announced that a early frost in Germany destroyed 200 Million bushels of Potatoes. This food will probably have to be rationed in Germany.

Four Million Two Hundred Thousand Men are unemployed in the United States of America at the present time.

Residents in Honolulu are not allowed out between the hours of 6 p.m. to 6 a.m.

Military and Naval experts in Washington state that the situation in the far east is very serious and further reverses might be expected until full reinforcements arrive, which takes considerable time.