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JAPAN

TOKYO was bombed for the third day in succession by Allied planes.Other areas in JAPAN were also attacked according to Japanese sources.

EASTERN FRONT

NT BUDAPEST has been evacuated by the enemy. Only a rear guard remains in the City who is surrounded by three sides.

No change reported on other sectors of this front.

PHILIPPINES ORMOC has fallen to the Americans.

WESTERN FRONT Limited gains are reported on the French Army sector near COLMAR.

Slight gains are announced on American Sectors this morning.

All seems quiet on the Canadian sector, with snow falling

TTALIAN FRONT The Germans have counter-attacked for the second day, on the EIGHTH Army sector, along the ADRIATIC, and have been repulsed with heavy losses.

ROYAL NAVY The Admirality has announced the formation of a New Fleet, which is called the "British Pacific Fleet". With the creation of this Fleet Great Britain now has two powerful fleets to engage the Japanese in the Pacific.

<u>GREECE</u> Greek rebels are still engaging British troops in Athens Artillery, mortars are being used against British and Greek loyal troops.

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