

特報

マニラ陥落す

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ン 湾上陸後

五日目の二月三日米軍は遂にフィリピン
の首都マニラへ侵入し、上陸当時山下大
将が「旬日にして米軍を全滅させると、楽
觀的声明を發表せられた事も今は昔の夢
と化した。昭和十七年一月二日のマ

ニラ占領により
日本軍は全比島
及南方一帯の玄
関を^{オサ}押へたが、今
や此の要都を失
ひ、日本本土より
南方への交通路
は途中で完全切
断の危機に瀕す
るに至った。



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MANILA HAS FALLEN

American troops entered Manila, capital of the Philippines, on February 3, 1945.

This was 25 days after they landed in Lingayen Gulf and General Yamashita declared that the American forces would soon be annihilated and that he was not concerned about the outcome of the fighting in the Philippines.

When the Japanese captured Manila on January 2, 1942, they gained entrance to all the Philippines and the Southern regions. Now the key city is lost, and the way from Japan to the South is in imminent danger of being completely closed.

TARGET: Japanese troops—general.

LATEST DATE

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