#### **World War II in the Pacific**





Escapees Mellnick, McCoy, Dyess and Smith with Chick Parsons at Wendell Fertig's camp

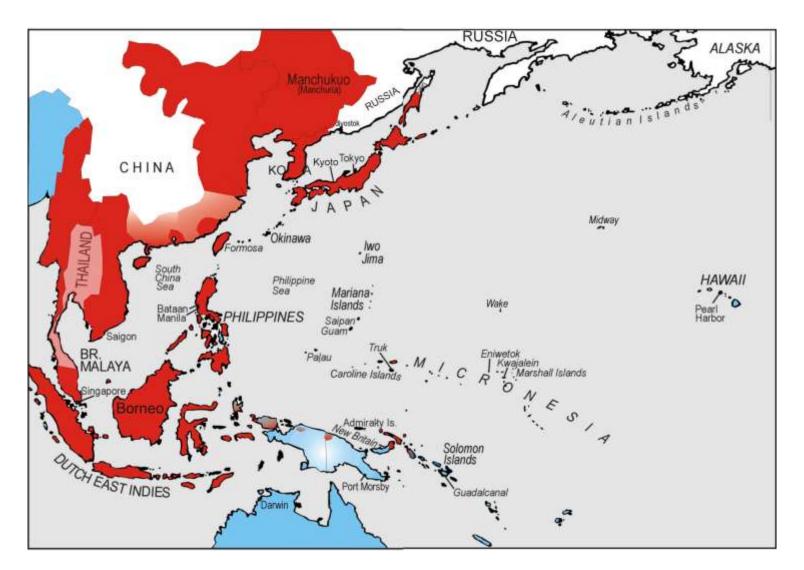


Davao escapees Dyess, McCoy and Mellnick with General MacArthur in Australia, June 1943



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U.S. industrial production poster, February 1944



The Pacific after Leyte, December 1944

# B-29 Bombing Campaign



B-29 in flight



B-29s release bomb loads



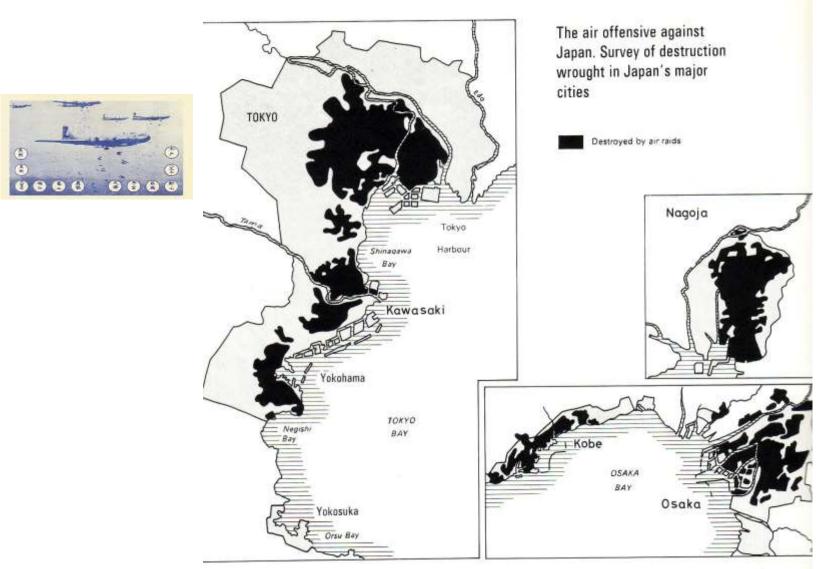
General Curtis LeMay



Firebombing Japanese cities



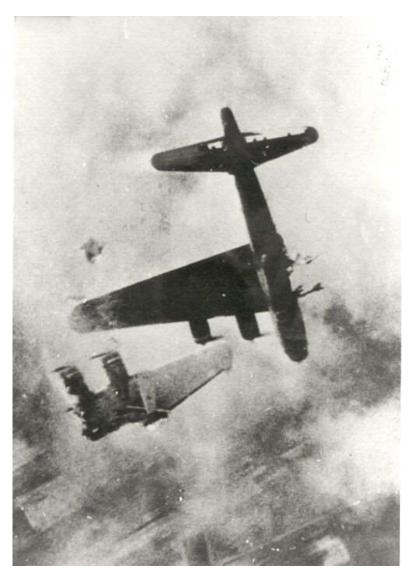
Firebombing Tokyo







Osaka firebombed

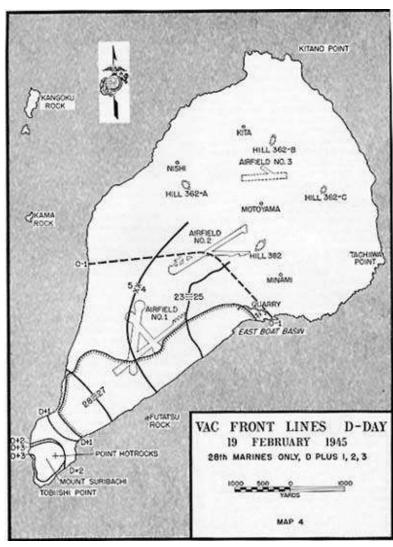


B-29 hit

## Iwo Jima



Pacific Defense Line after Leyte



Iwo Jima



Lieutenant General Kurabayashi



Iwo Jima preparations



Iwo Jima landings



Iwo Jima landings

#### Mount Suribachi







Flame throwers in use on Iwo Jima



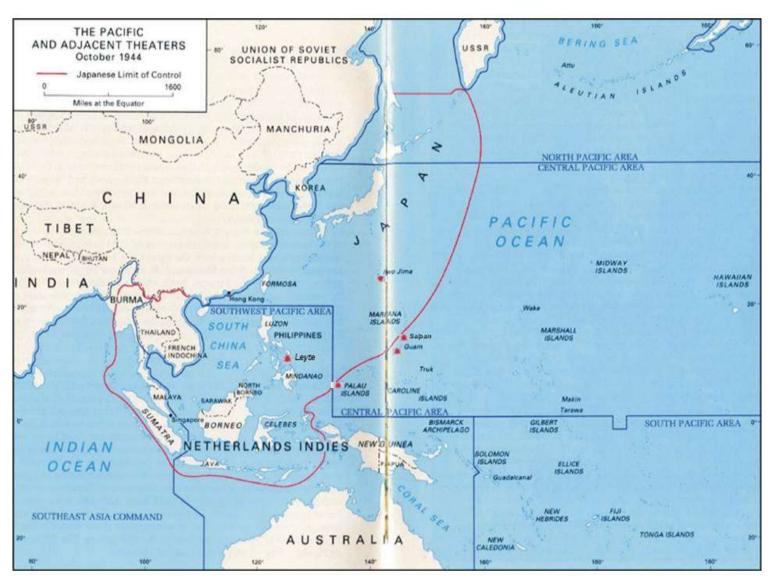
3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Marines graveyard, April 1945





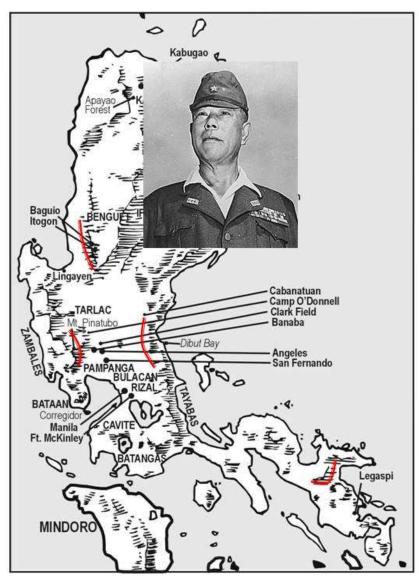


B-29 crash landing



Pacific after Iwo Jima

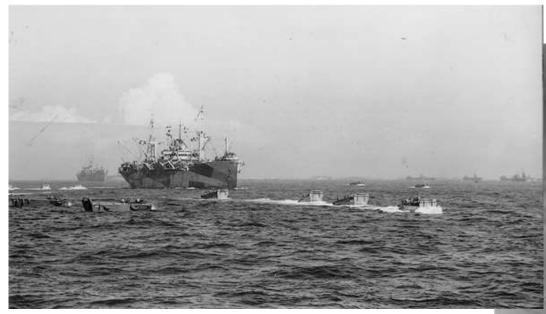
## Luzon



General Yamashita's Sho-Go1 Plan



U.S. warships entering Lingayen Gulf



Landing boats in Lingayen Gulf



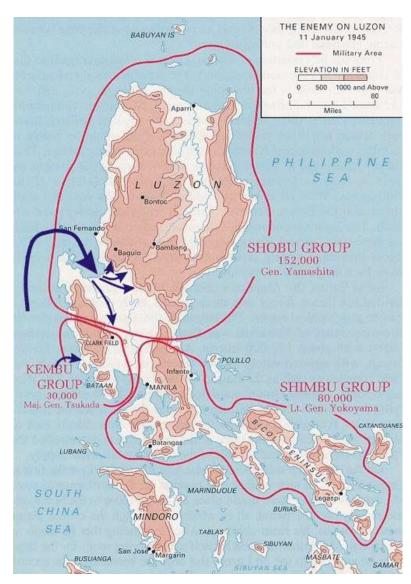
Lingayen landings



Guerrilla leader Colonel Russell Volckmann



MacArthur's Sixth Army commander Lieutenant General Walter Kreuger



Kreuger invades Luzon



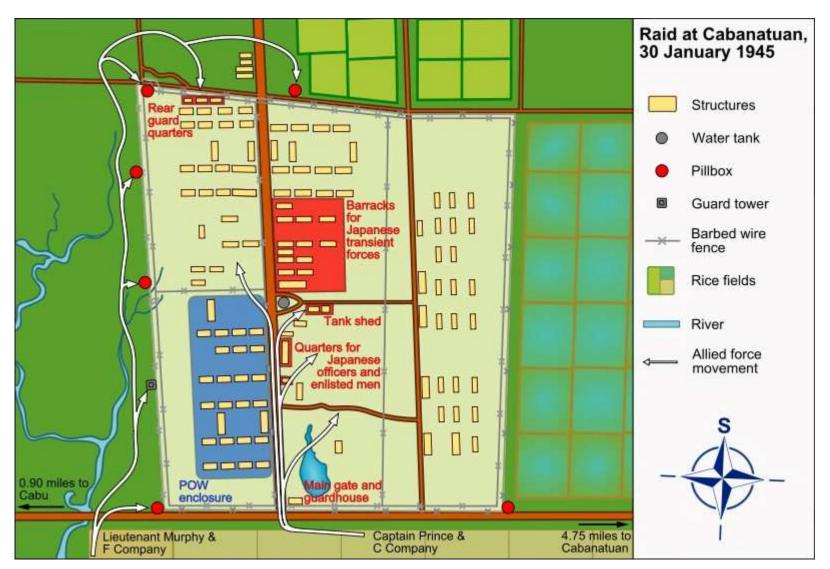
Luzon artillery fire



Woman guerrilla with Japanese POWs



Cabanatuan prisoner rescue "The Great Raid"



Cabanatuan prison camp





A typical scene of the barracks, and barracks life of a Prisoner of War in Cabanatuan.

(This pencil drawing was found under the cat-walk of one of the barracks at Cabanatuan, by one of the Rangers who went in to release the Prisoners of War there in early 1945. Artist Unknown.)

Inside Cabanatuan





1st Cavalry "Flying Column" to Manila



**Liberation of Santo Tomas** 





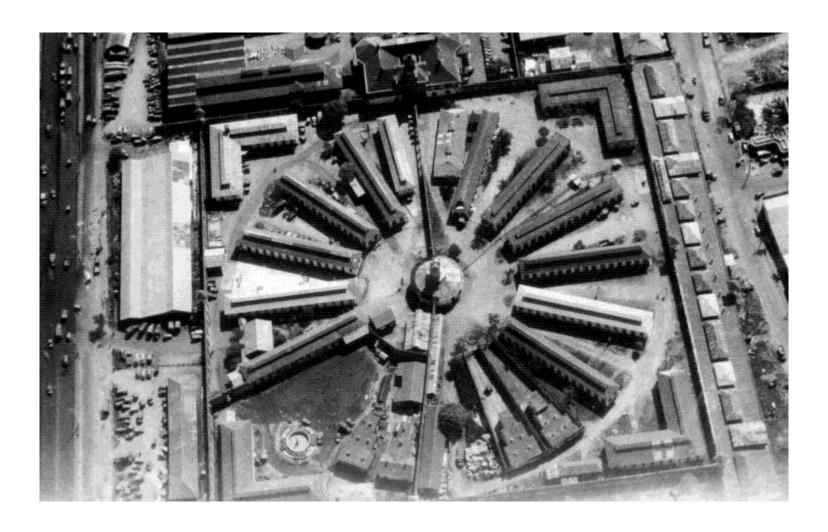
11<sup>th</sup> Airborne troops In Batangas



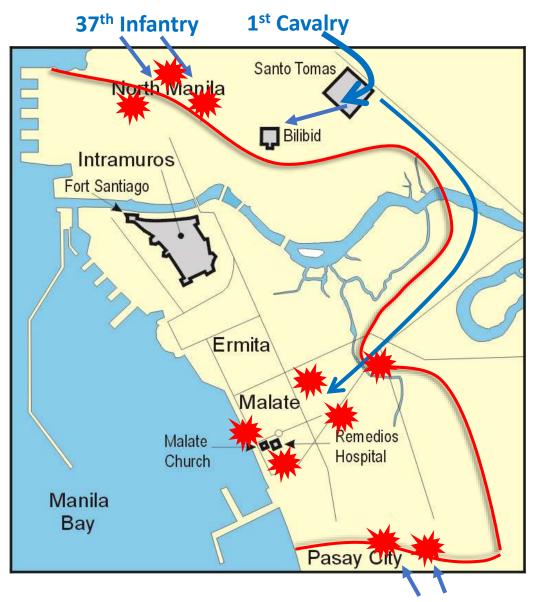
Initial attack on Manila



1<sup>st</sup> Cavalry troops in Manila, Feb 3, 1945

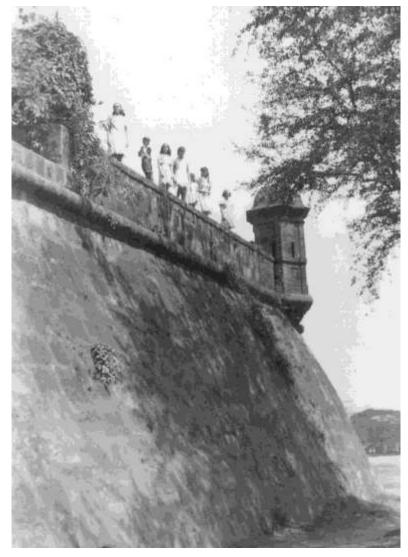


Bilibid Prison



Downtown Manila

11<sup>th</sup> Airborne



Intramuros

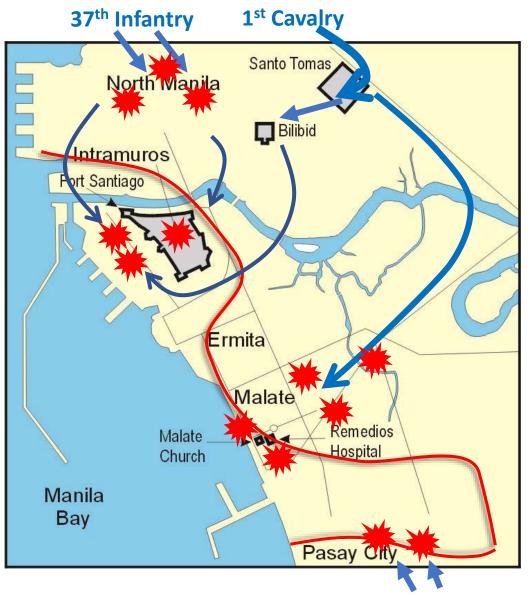
Fort Santiago



U.S. tank driving into Fort Santiago



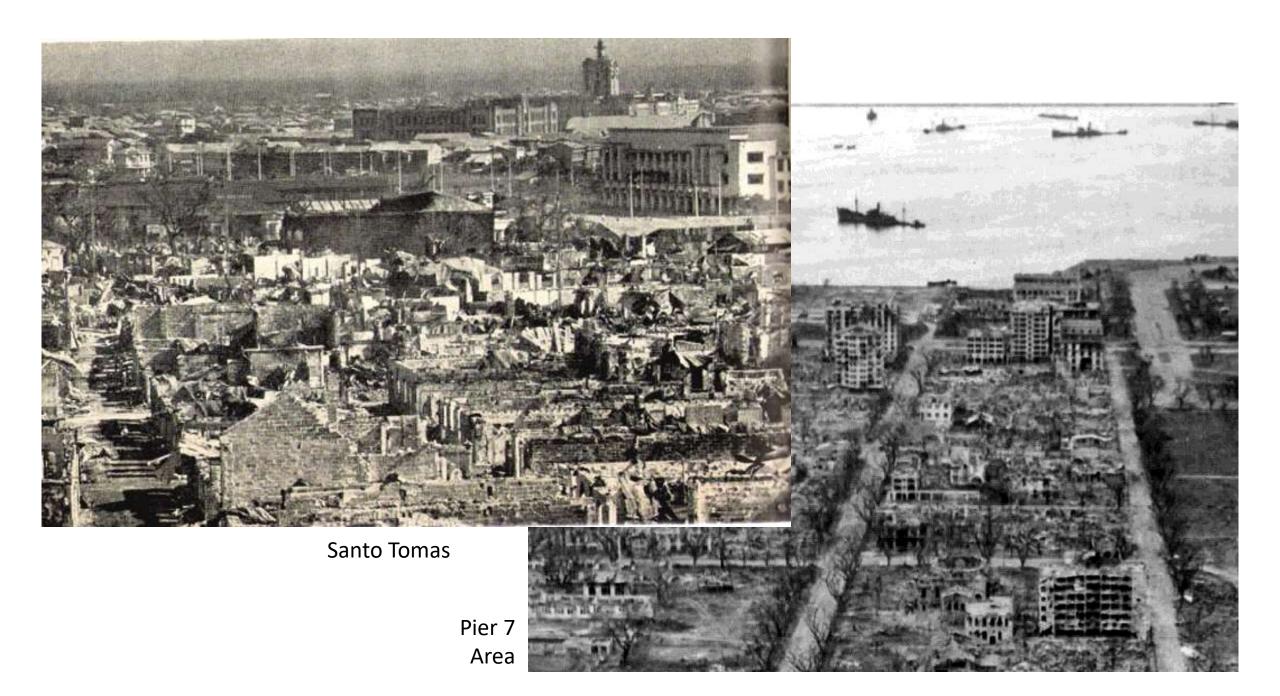
Filipinos escaping from the Japanese



Downtown Manila

11<sup>th</sup> Airborne







Manila Children





## MEMORARE - MANILA 1945

THIS MEMORIAL IS DEDICATED TO ALL THOSE INNOCENT VICTIMS OF WAR.

MANY OF WHOM WENT NAMELESS AND UNKNOWN TO A COMMON GRAVE OR NEVER EVEN

MNEW A GRAVE AT ALL THEIR BOOKS HAVING SEEN CONSUMED BY FINE ON CRUSHED

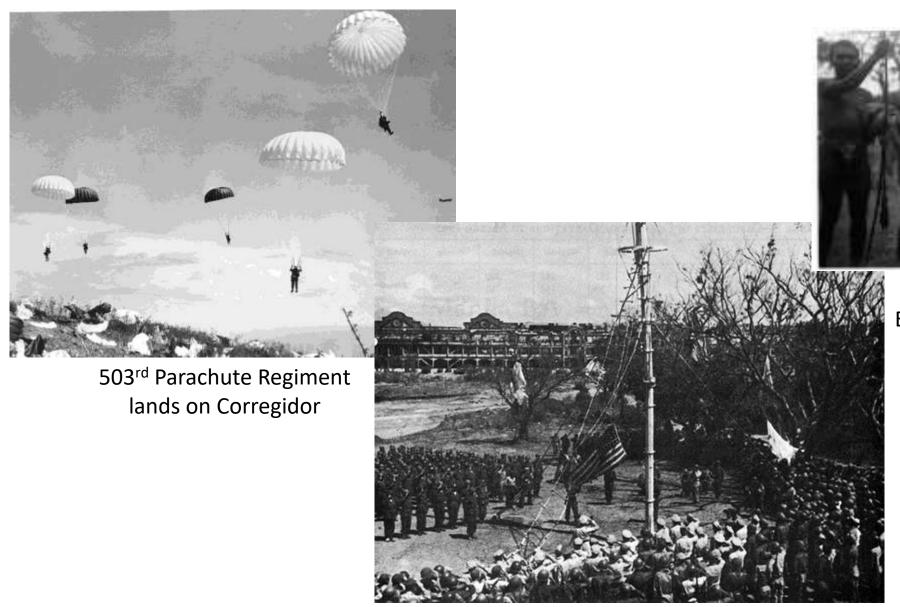
TO DUST SENEATH THE RUBBLE OF RUINS.

LET THIS MONUMENT BE THE GRAVESTONE FOR EACH AND EVERY ONE OF THE OVER 100,000 MEN, WOMEN, CHILDREN AND INFANTS KILLED IN MARKIE DURING ITS SATTLE OF USERATION, FEBRUARY 5 - MARCH S. 1945. WE HAVE NOT FORDOTTEN THEM, NOT SHALL WE EVER FORDET.

MAY THEY REST IN PEACE AS PART NOW OF THE SECRED DROUND OF THE CITY: THE MANUA OF OUR AFFECTIONS.

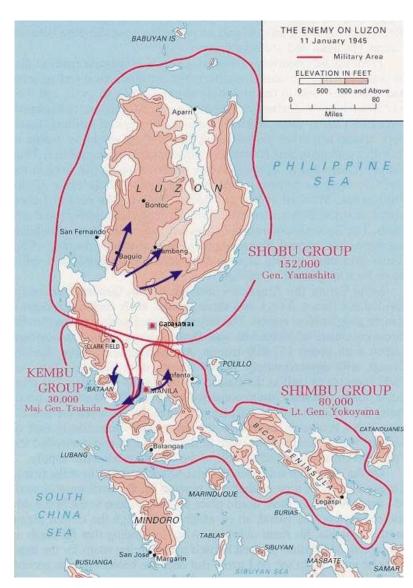
PERSONNY IN IRRE





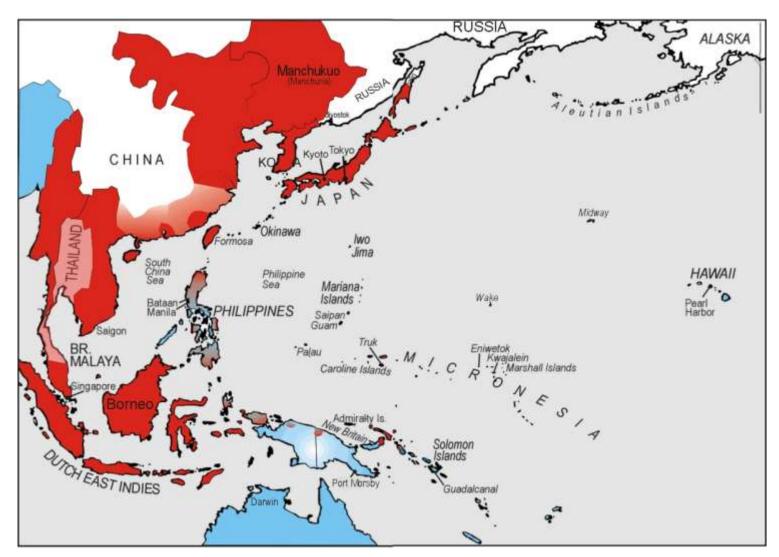
U.S. flag being raised again on Corregidor

American guerrilla leaders Eddie Wright and Tom Jones liberated on Bataan



Luzon after Manila

## Okinawa



Pacific after Manila



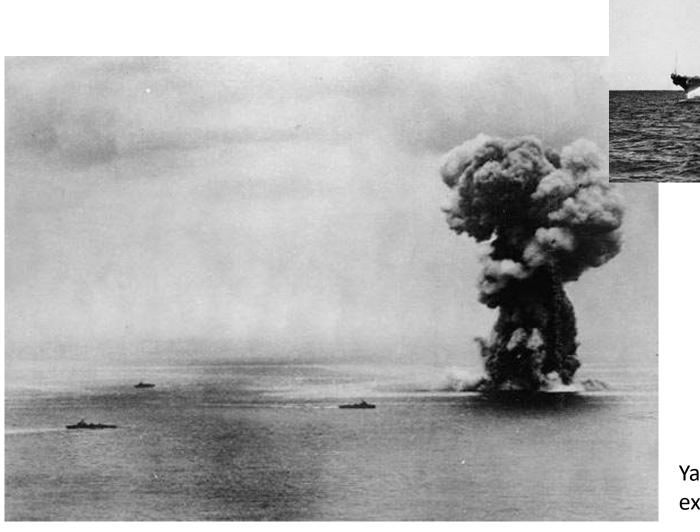
Okinawa invasion



USS Bunker Hill hit by two Kamikazes



Okinawa beachhead



Battleship Yamato

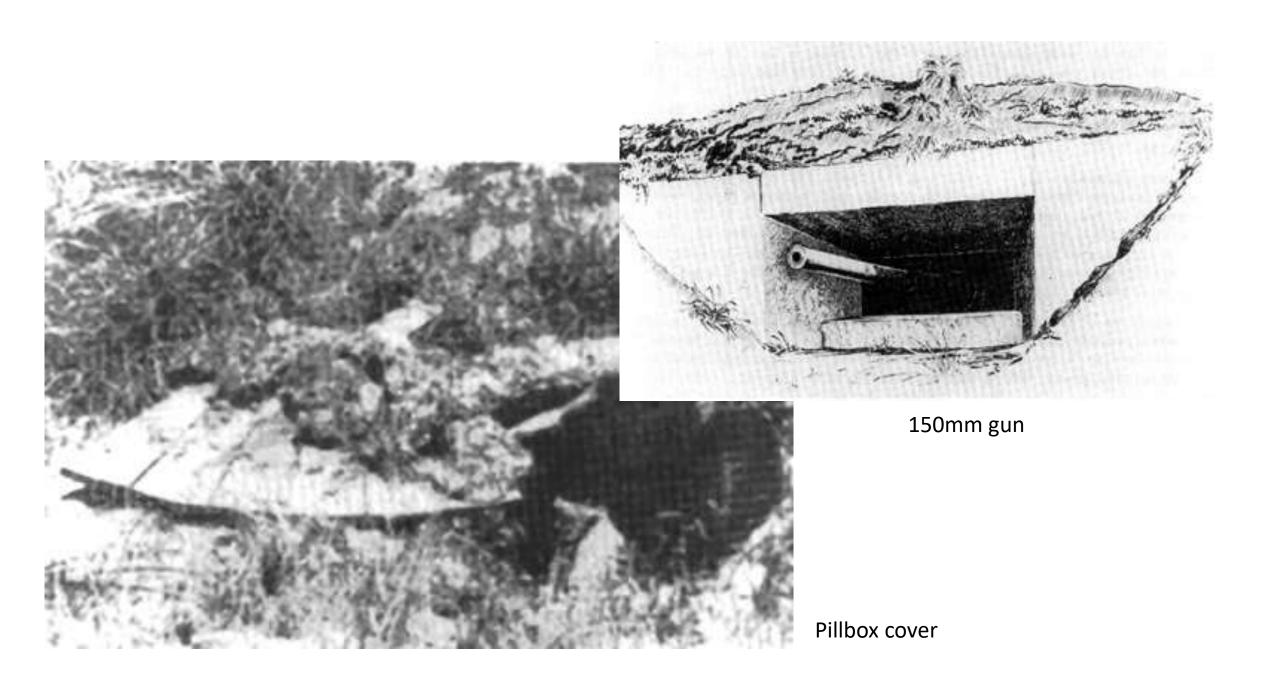
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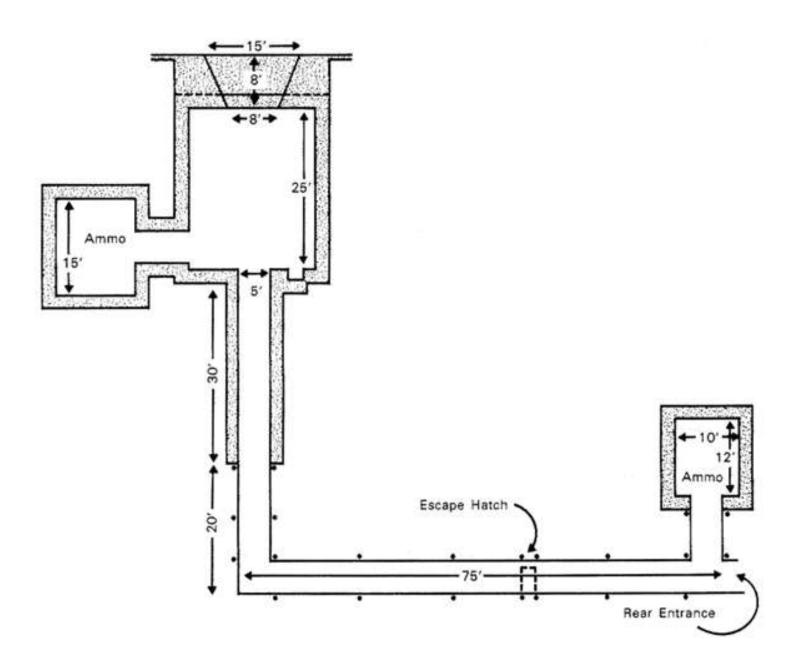


U.S. Marines and dead Japanese



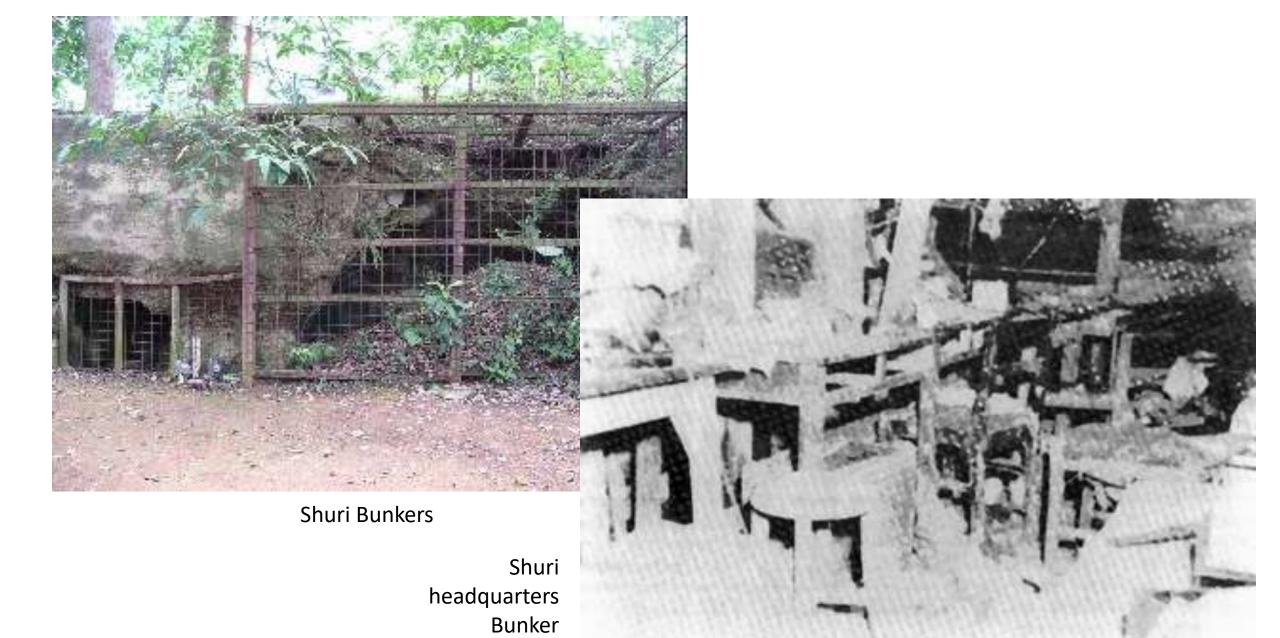
Okinawa—Shuri Line





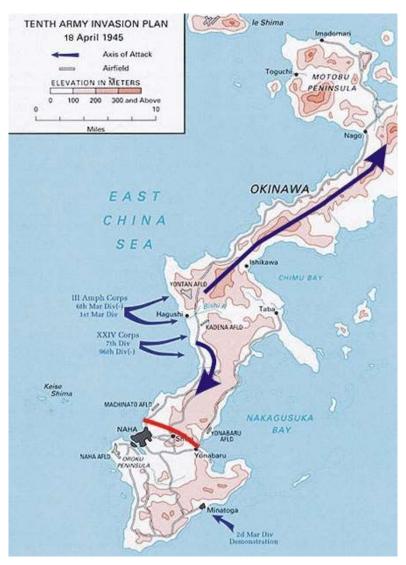


Okinawa communication trench





Okinawa: Attack on Bloody Ridge



Okinawa—Shuri Line



Shuri Castle





Smoked attack



Remains of Shuri Castle



Japanese prisoners on Okinawa



Soldiers on Okinawa hear of victory in Europe



Suzuki Kantaro

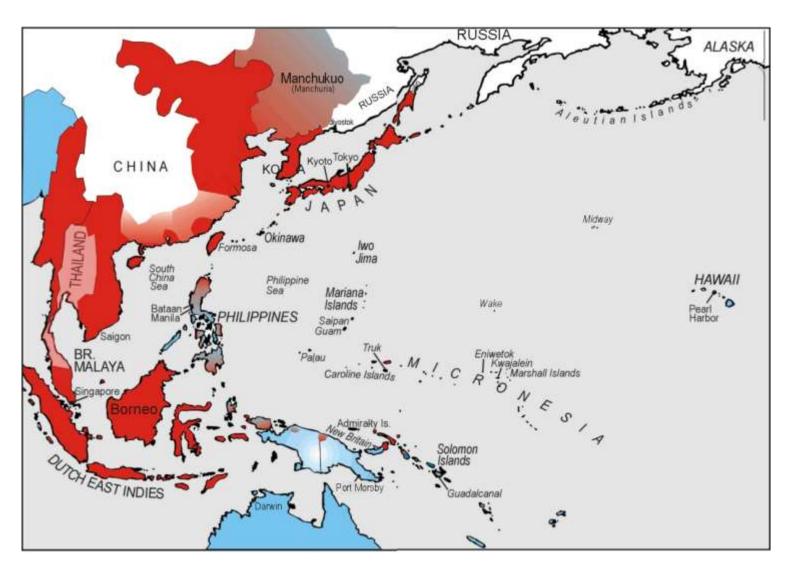


Churchill, Truman and Stalin in Potsdam

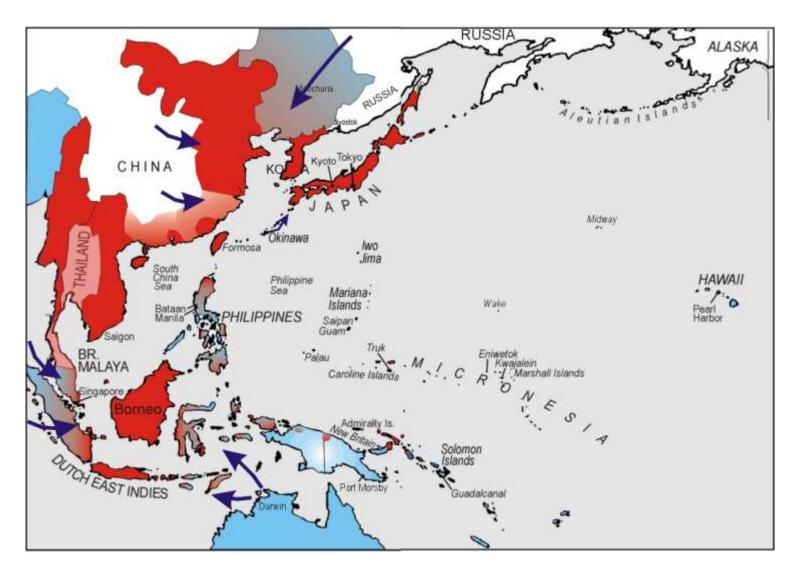


**USS Indianapolis** 

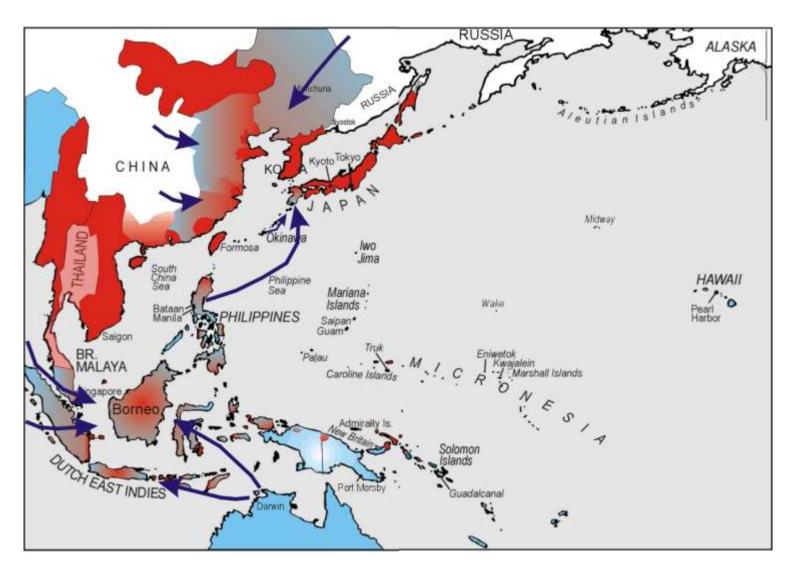
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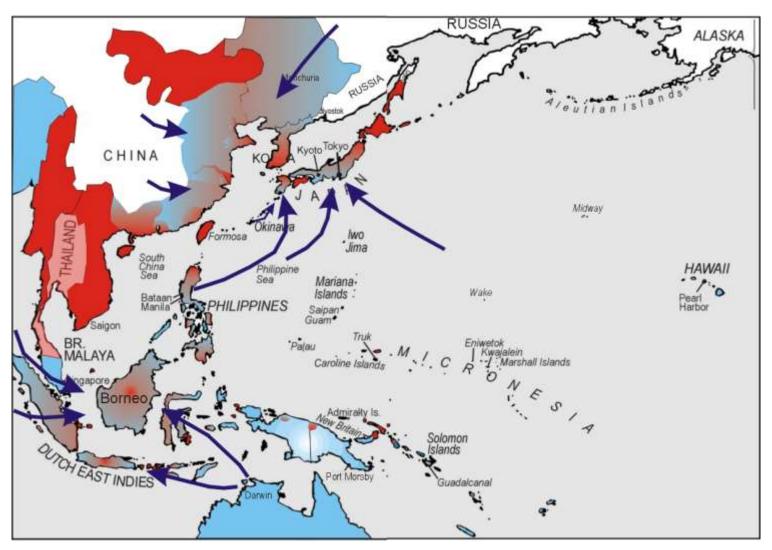
The Pacific after Okinawa



Downfall, Phase I: Operation "Olympic," 10/27/45



Downfall, Phase I: Operation "Olympic," 11/1/45

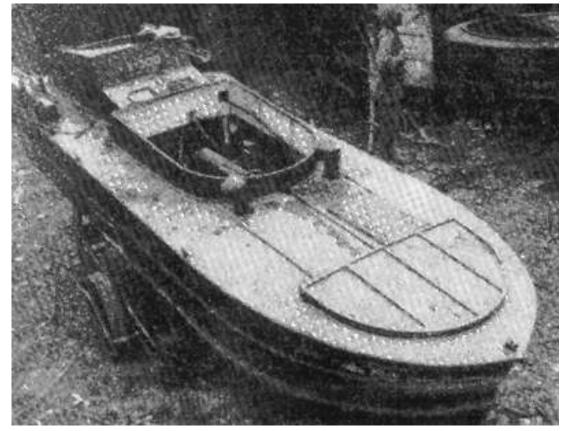


Downfall, Phase II: Operation "Coronet," 3/1/46



Ohka rocket-powered, human-guided Kamikaze flying bomb

Kamikaze motor boat





Civilian women being trained to defend Japan



Monks drill with rifles

# **Atomic Bombs**



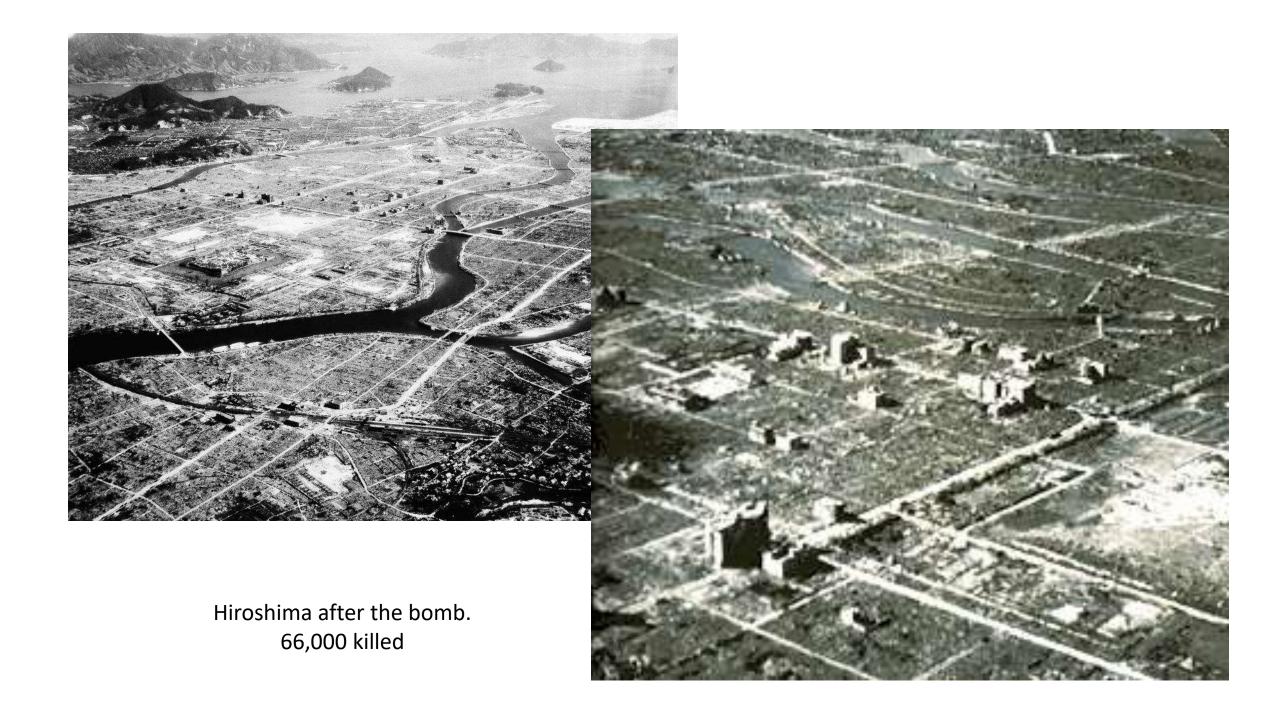
Paul Tibbits and the Enola Gay



Little Boy



Hiroshima, August 6, 1945





Hiroshima, 69,000 injured



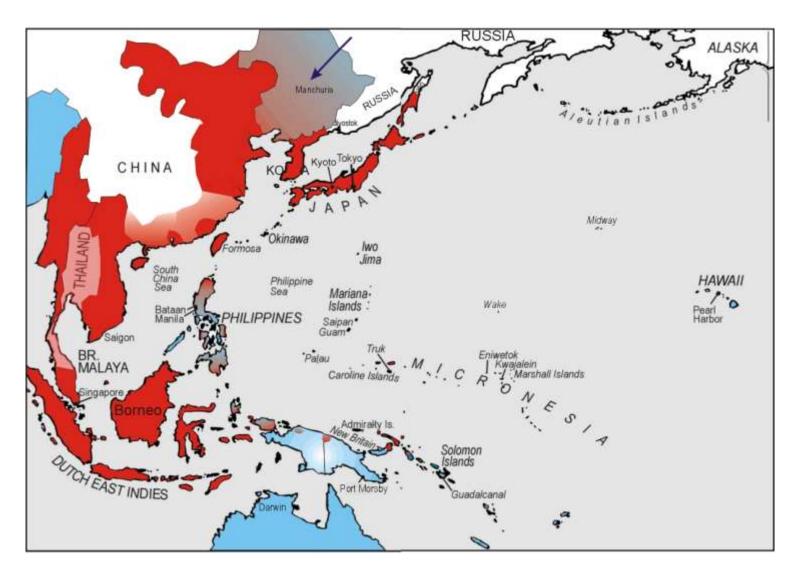




Burns (left), radiation poisoning (right)



Isley Field, Saipan—B-29s line up for takeoff



Downfall, Russia, August 1945



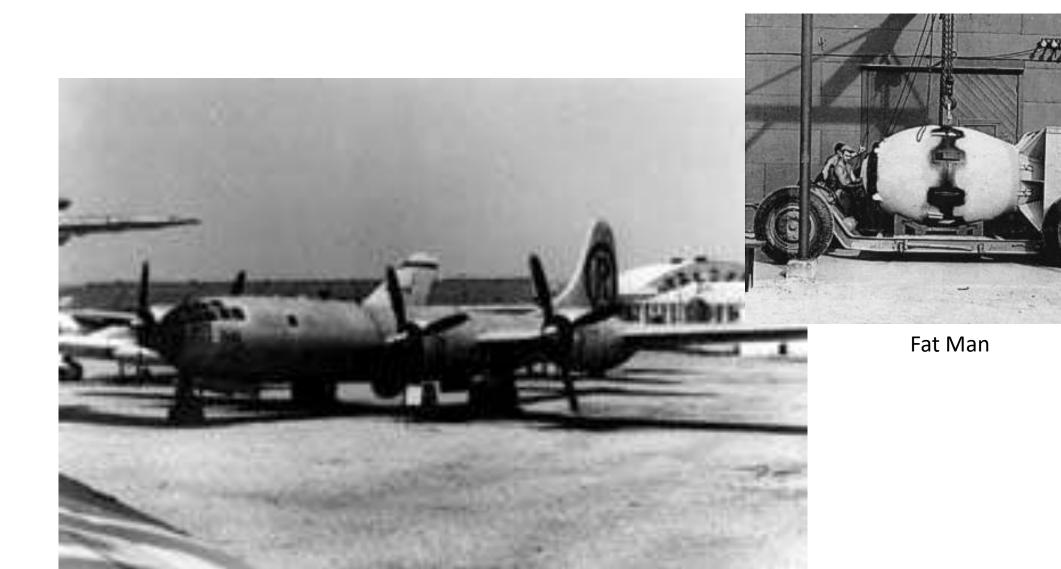
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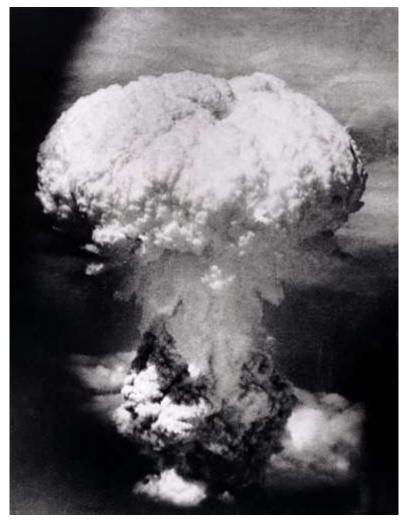
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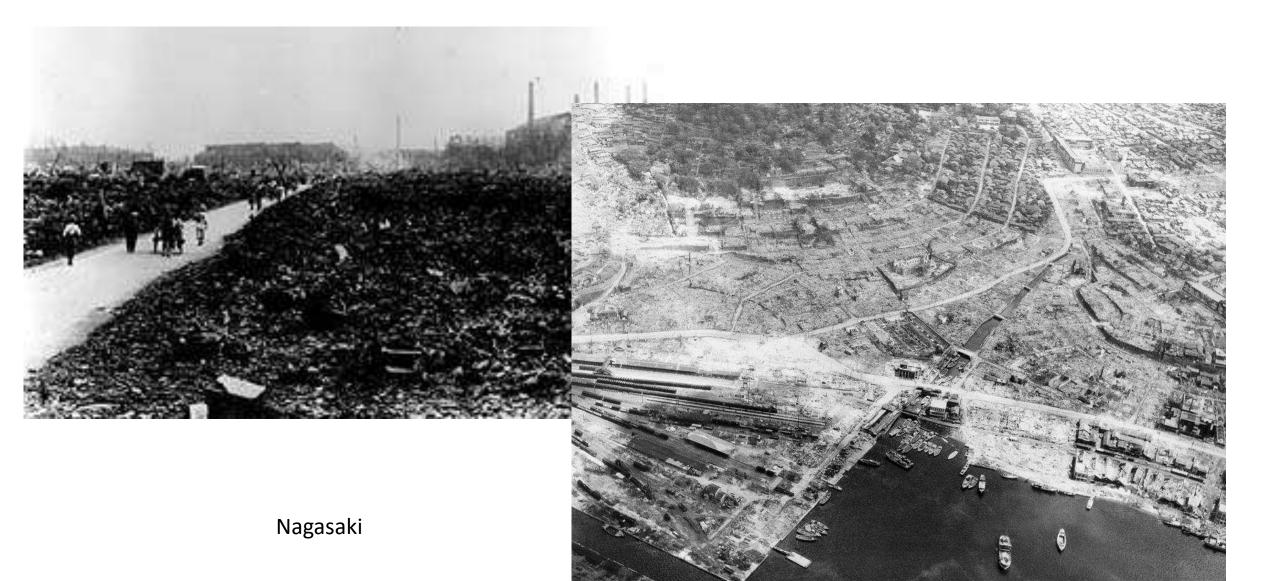
Admiral Suzuki Kantaro



Bockscar



Nagasaki, August 9, 1945





Nagasaki, Urakami Cathedral



Suzuki Kantaro



Emperor Hirohito



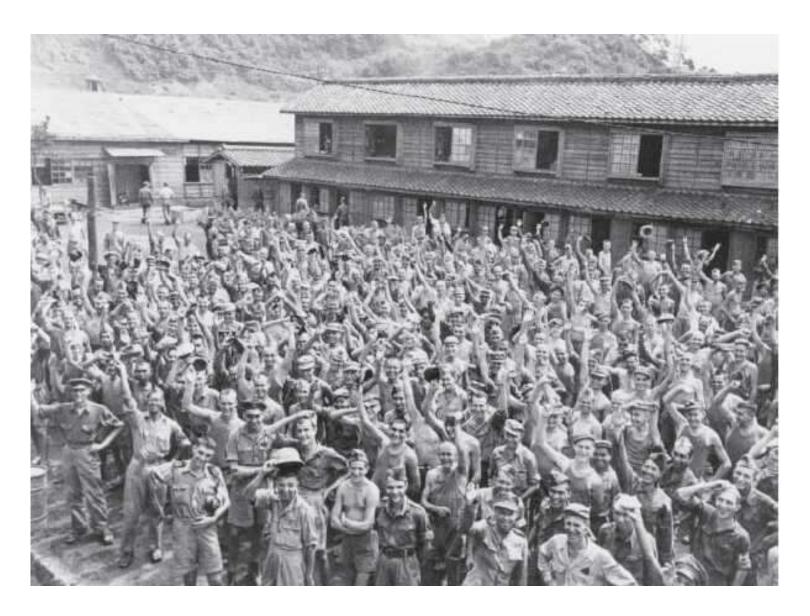
Soldiers from the 11<sup>th</sup> Airborne Division await airlift from Okinawa to Atsugi, Japan



General MacArthur and staff at Atsugi Airdrome, August 30, 1945



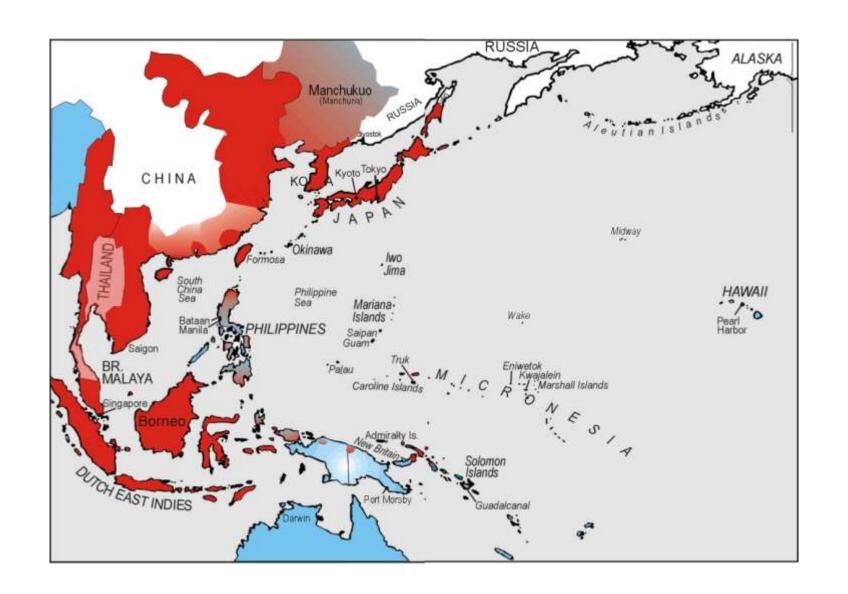
POW liberation



POWs set free by their Japanese guards at Fukuoka, Japan, 9/15/1945



Lieutenant General Jonathon Wainwright





Generals Percival, MacArthur and Wainwright



Japanese delegation arrives on the Missouri for the surrender ceremony.



Photo # USA C-2717 Gen. MacArthur speaking, 2 Sept. 1945

MacArthur delivers the remarks in today's handout.



MacArthur signs the surrender documents with Generals Wainwright and Percival standing behind him.



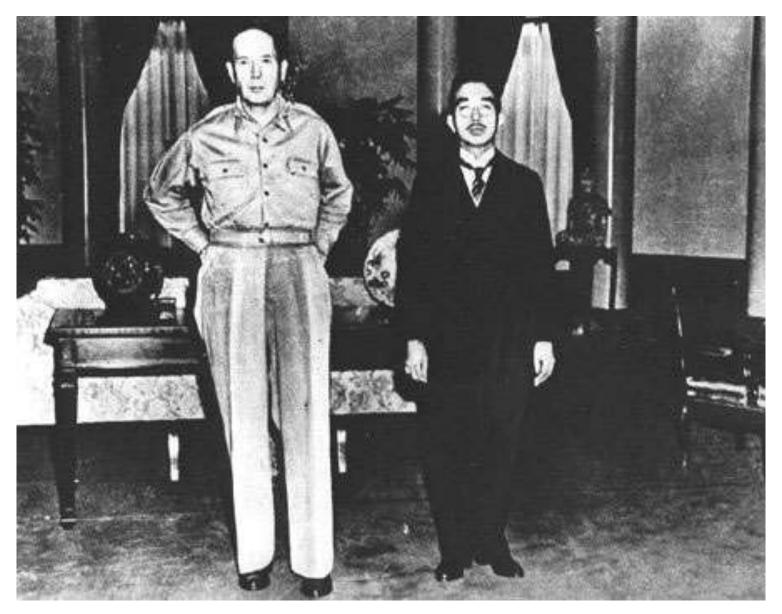
80-G-421130 Carrier planes over USS Missouri, 2 September 1945



American POWs who survived the Japanese prison camps.

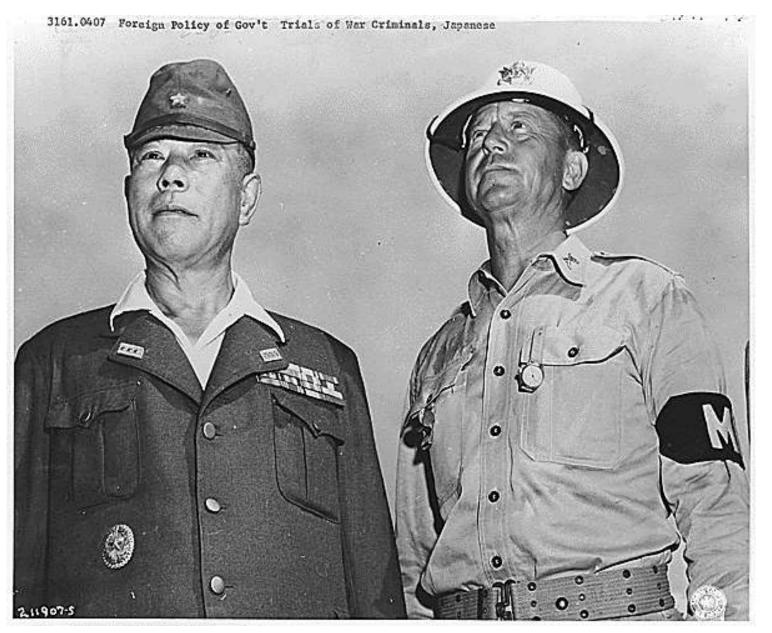


Margaret Utinsky and Claire Phillips



General Douglas MacArthur and Emperor Hirohito

# War Crimes Trials



General Yamashita surrendered in the Philippines.



Captain Yoshio Tsuneyoshi



Hideki Tojo on trial in Tokyo

# Aftermath



Aircraft factory worker in Tennessee



24<sup>th</sup> Infantry Regiment patrol on Bougainville



Home automation



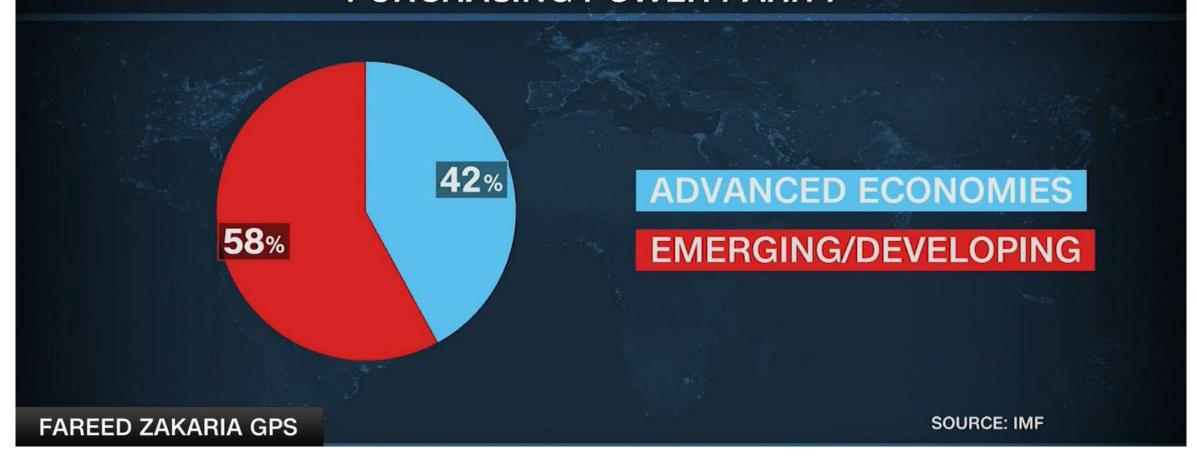
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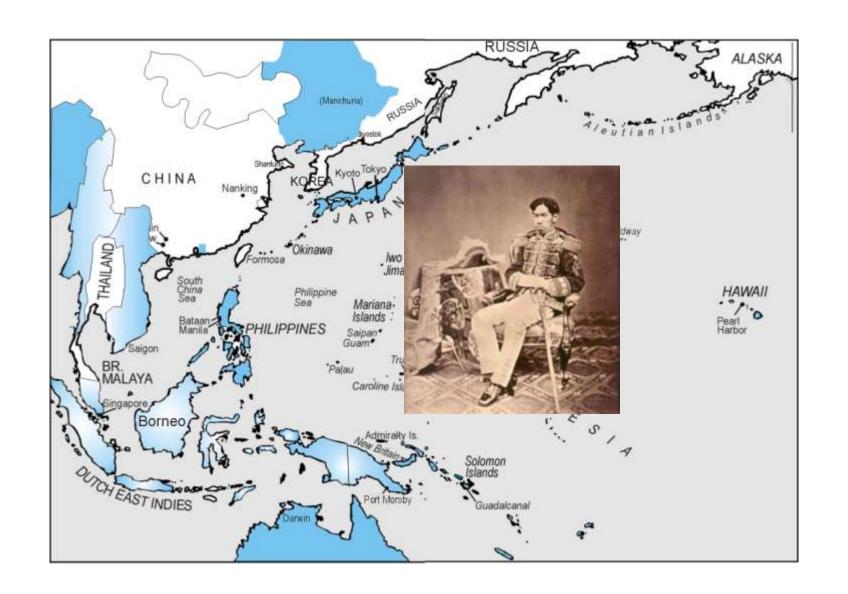


#### To prevent another World War:

- Peace-keeping organization—United Nations
- Don't penalize the vanquished—Marshall Plan
- Guarantee territorial Integrity
- Promote democracy
- Globalization:
  - Promote international trade—GATT and WTO
  - Reduce economic disparity—IMF and World Bank







### **World War II in the Pacific**

