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The air raid sirens ^{announce} a Jap raid aimed at our Allied bases near Kunming. 13 enemy bombers escorted by 40 Zero fighters took part in the raid - one enemy bomber and 4 fighter planes were downed.

As the air raid sounds, the civilian population and service troops station in the area are "off to the hills" - the customary hideout during air raids. The people abandon their homes in such haste when the signal sounds that a careless person sets fire to a home near one of the city gates. The native fire department tries to extinguish the blaze, but it burns furiously before coming under control. They try to save precious merchandise by throwing it out into the streets - a looter is apprehended, but he turns out to be one of the store owners and is released. The fire finally comes under control.

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