## ALLIES BREAK TRHOUGH

It is now open warfaff in France. While the Germans in the desperately held on Caen Sector they were flung out of St. Lo and, as these pictures arrive, are in full retreat. The Americans are exploiting the tremendous opportunity created by their lightning drive into Brittany, and the country due south. The Mazi right flank is open, unprotected, split up - almost at the mercy of allied armoured divisions threatening to envelop

Through Marigny the offensive swept, on its way to Coutances.

Marigny was in ruins, for the enemy had clung to the town till sheer fire-power drove him out. The inhabitants had cause to be dispirited when they returned to the devastated scene, the ruins of that represented to some war of them a lifetime of toil. Modern that has scant respect for bricks and mortar, but the churches, houses and farms, demand the churches are paired.

On the road west towards Granville - a useful little

port - and the important Avranches our allies had first
on just
to occupy Coutances, to which the enemy held/long enough
to withdraw divisions from the closing jaws of the trap.

Like Marigny, Coutances was battle-scarred as Bradley's

men marched in, but we shall soon have pictures of open
country and undamaged towns, now that the war has swept
past the state of siege operations. On the right of the allegations of the right of the allegations.

On the British and Canadian front the enemy resisted with all the strength he could muster.

DEFINITELY IN MIND THE DESIRABILITY OF PERSUADING ENGINEER-

Broadly the British-Canadian position is the pivot of the German swing-back on the west. But the pivot is giving way. RAF heavies weigh in with strong support. The Lancaster is used as a day bomber with paralysing effect.

THE HOUR OF LIBERATION HAS STRUCK FOR POLAND AND HAVE

MENT SHOULD HAND BACK FACTORIES TO PRIVATE OCCUPACION.

Our progress on the left of the front spells disaster to the Nazis. Marshal Kluge himself admits the the situation is critical. Nazi commentators talk of the supreme crisis of the war. Passing through Caumount the British and Canadians have turned east and if the Germans make their familiar mistake of hanging on too long, they may find themselves with their backs to the Seinse, facing disaster on the scale of Stalingrad, and the Baltic. Already 100,000 prisoners have surgendered to the Allies.

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OF THE SOVIET UNION AND OF POLAND WILL CARRY ON THE WAR

A MERICAN LARGE SCALE ATTACK.

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