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GERMANY INVADED.

Here are the most eagerly-awaited pictures of the war, showing Allied troops crossing into Germany itself. At last the Reich feels the tread of conquesting armies.

Captured outposts of the vaunter Siegfried Line. A notice says falls "Adolf Hitler personally inspected this"; a fat lot of good that seems to have done.

The Americans press on into the town of EUPEN, on the Belgian border but with a mainly German population. The Nazis tried desperately to hold this point - with the usual result. Allied troops hold it firmly - Adelf Hitler street - food queues and all. Heavy damage inflicted on the Railway station by R.A.F. raids. We shall see more of this as we push deeper into Germany. And so, on into ROETGEN, the first wholly German town to fall to the Allies.

The Hail-Hitlerites, with obsequious smiles, try to make friends. But Europe's backward race will have more lessons to learn before we take those smiles on their face value. Lessons such as the people of WALLENDORF learned when Americabs set fire to the whole village because of persistent sniping after surrender.

Northwards to Holland. MAASTRICHT, grimly defended by the Nazis is swept into the Allied Bag. Its citizens are Dutch folk, and they give their liberators a very different welcome from the nervous smiles of the Herrenvolk. So, through anotherliberated town, the Allies sweep on to give the Germans a taste of war on their own soil.