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FALL OF MANILA -
NAVY FLIERS PAVE WAY.

A carrier task force from the Pacific fleet prepares the ground for the American capture of Manila, capital of the Philippines.

Navy Hellcats and Helldivers smash at Japanese ships in Luzon waters near Manila, in the teeth of murderous anti-aircraft fire.

Airfields round Manila come in for the same treatment. Following the attacks, heavy American forces landed on Luzon island. The fall of Manila came soon afterwards.
