

tanks. They possess greater gun range and fire power, are faster and have tougher armor. The same with American planes. There are no better light or medium bombers than America's; the Flying Fortresses, despite early criticism, have given a splendid account of themselves over Germany as well as on far Eastern and Pacific fronts. America's newest fighting plane, the P-47, is the equal of any.

It was never the American way to sit idly by, waiting for things to happen. Now, beyond a doubt, the waiting period is past. Things are happening, and America is right in the thick of these far-reaching events. When America really gets wrought up, and starts to move, something is bound to crack. And that is the story of the war at the present time.

The Solomons are, of course, only the beginning. With this move, however, there is vastly improved opportunity for American initiative against all Japan's outposts. Because of America's industrial power, the United Nations are waxing stronger and Japan is losing ground. Don't be surprised if Japan is bombed again - soon and often. Don't be surprised if Germany soon is subjected to punishment such as no country in history has ever suffered.

America is under way! And, as George Cohan so aptly expressed it in the stirring days of World War One, "We won't come back, 'til it's over over there"!!!!