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The 'Taiho' aircraft carrier is an armored cruiser of the Japanese navy, with a standard displacement of nearly 30,000 tons, equipped with 36 Zero fighters, 24 Nine-Nine and 24 Nine-Seven Attackers. At the same time, it also has a very strong defense.

During the first wave of attacks, the "Taifeng" aircraft carrier took off 12 Zero fighters, 12 Nine-Nine Ships and 12 Nine-Seven Ship Attacks. In the subsequent second wave of attacks, the aircraft carrier "Taifeng" will also take off so many carrier-based aircraft. The remaining 12 Zero fighters will be used as air defense fighters to prevent the combined fleet from being attacked by the German navy.

Among the other three aircraft carriers in the No. 1 aircraft carrier formation, the two "Xianghe-class" aircraft carriers each launched 8 Zero fighters, 18 Nine-Nine Ship Explosions and 18 Nine-Seven Ship Attacks. The light aircraft carrier "Dragon Phoenix" took off 8 Zero fighters and 3 nine-seven attack ships.

In the first wave of attacks by the island navy's 1st aircraft carrier team, a total of 36 Zero fighters, 48 Nine-Nine Ship Explosions and 39 Nine-Seven Ship Attacks were invested. The second wave of attack will also take off so many carrier-based aircraft. Moreover, 36 Zero fighters were left as air defense fighters.

The four aircraft carriers equipped in the second aircraft carrier formation are all 'Yunlong class' aircraft carriers. In the first wave of attacks, each aircraft carrier can take off 8 Zero fighters, 12 Ninety-Nines and 12 Ninety-sevens. Therefore, the entire second aircraft carrier formation was able to take off 32 Zero fighters, 48 Nine-Nine Ship Explosions and 48 Nine-Seven Ship Attacks in the first and second waves of attacks. At the same time, the team can also have 32 remaining Zero fighters as air defense fighters.

The third aircraft carrier formation is equipped with two 'Unryong-class' aircraft carriers and two 'Zuifeng-class' light aircraft carriers. The 'Ruiho-class' light aircraft carrier can carry 24 Zero fighters and six 97 fighters. It can take off 8 zero fighters and 3 ninety-seven attack ships at one time. Therefore, the entire 3rd aircraft carrier formation can take off 32 Zero fighters, 24 Ninety-Nine Ship Explosions and 30 Ninety-Seven Ship Attacks in the first wave of attack. At the same time, the team was able to leave behind 32 Zero fighters as anti-aircraft fighters.

The 4th aircraft carrier formation is equipped with two 'Qianyu-class' aircraft carriers and two 'Flying Eagle-class' aircraft carriers. The "Thousand-year-class" aircraft carrier is an aircraft carrier converted from a seaplane carrier, and it carries a small number of aircraft. It is the same as the 'Zuifeng-class' light aircraft carrier. Although the "Flying Eagle" aircraft carrier is an aircraft carrier converted from a merchant ship, it carries a large number of carrier-based aircraft, each of which can carry 48 carrier-based aircraft, 18 fighter jets, 18 bomber aircraft, and 18 attack aircraft. In the first wave of attacks, it was possible to take off 6 Zero fighters, 9 Nine-Nine ships and nine Nine-Seven ships to attack. The entire 4th aircraft carrier formation was able to invest in 28 Zero fighters, 18 Ninety-Nine Ship Explosions and 24 Ninety-Seven Ship Attacks in the first wave of attacks. The fleet was also able to leave 28 Zero fighters behind as anti-aircraft fighters.

The 5th aircraft carrier formation is equipped with three "Daying-class" aircraft carriers, the "Shenying" aircraft carrier and the "Sea Eagle" aircraft carrier. Among them, the "Eagle-class" aircraft carrier can carry 12 Zero fighters and 16 ninety-seven attack ships. The "Condor" aircraft carrier can carry 12 Zero fighters and 20 nine-seven attack ships. The "Haiying" aircraft carrier can carry 18 Zero fighters and 6 ninety-seven attack ships. Therefore, the 5th aircraft carrier formation was able to invest in 22 Zero fighters and 37 ninety-seven ship attacks in the first wave of attacks. At the same time, the fleet can also leave 22 Zero fighters to **** the fleet.

In the first wave of the attack, the joint fleet of the island nation's navy invested a total of 150 Zero fighters, 138 Nine-Nine Ship Explosions and 178 Nine-Seven Ship Attacks. Moreover, in the second wave of attacks, a fleet of this size can also be invested. At the same time, the entire fleet can also leave 150 Zero fighters as air defense fighters.

General Yamamoto Fifty-Six was on the deck of the "Taiho" aircraft carrier, watching the huge fleet leave.

"May God Amaterasu bless us and defeat the Germans in one fell swoop!" General Yamamoto Fifty-Six secretly prayed.

In fact, the navy of the island country has a total of 21 aircraft carriers, and they only take off such a small number of carrier-based aircraft for combat at one time. Compared with the German Navy, the number of carrier-based aircraft taking off is undoubtedly relatively small. The 16 aircraft carriers of the German Navy are equipped with much more carrier-based aircraft than the 21 aircraft carriers of the island navy.

The air defense fighter jets of the German Navy shot down the seaplane of the island navy, which also attracted the attention of Marshal Rolf Karls.

Marshal Rolf Karls ordered his own seaplanes and reconnaissance planes to take off from the islands to increase the search area and determine the traces of the island fleet as soon as possible. At the same time, order your own aircraft carrier formation to prepare for air defense.

Make sure that your own air defense fighters can take off enough carrier fighters to meet the enemy immediately after discovering that the enemy's carrier-based aircraft group is attacking.

At 7:45 in the morning, the air search radar of the aircraft carrier formation of the German Navy's Pacific Fleet discovered the carrier-based aircraft group of the attacking island navy.

"Woo!"

The shrill air defense sirens immediately sounded over the fleet. Lieutenant General William Canaris, commander of the formation, immediately issued an order for the carrier-based fighter jets to take off.

The 'Aries' aircraft carrier, as well as the other three 'Constellation-class' aircraft carriers, all began to take off carrier-based aircraft.

Each "Constellation-class" aircraft carrier has 36 carrier-based fighters, 36 dive bombers and 24 torpedo attack aircraft. After receiving the order for air defense operations, all the fighters parked on the deck of the aircraft carrier are carrier-based fighters. Each "Constellation-class" aircraft carrier took off 18 carrier-based fighter jets to meet the enemy.

72 carrier-based FW-190 fighter jets quickly rushed into the sky.

At the same time, the four aircraft carriers of the Indian Ocean Fleet also began to take off fighter jets. The Indian Ocean Fleet had sunk two Kaiser Wilhelm-class aircraft carriers in previous battles. After the third batch of "Lord God-class" aircraft carriers entered service, two "Lord God-class" aircraft carriers were added, which greatly increased the strength of the Indian Ocean Fleet.

Two "Main God-class" aircraft carriers each launched 18 carrier-based fighters, and two "Wilhelm the Great-class" aircraft carriers each launched 9 carrier-based fighters. A total of 54 carrier-based fighters.

The eight aircraft carriers of the Atlantic Fleet took off 144 carrier-based FW-190 fighter jets at one time to meet the enemy.

The aircraft carrier formation of the three major fleets of the German Navy took off a total of 270 carrier-based fighter jets to meet the enemy. This already accounts for half of the carrier-based fighters carried by the three aircraft carrier formations. The other half is prepared for the second wave of the island navy's carrier-based aircraft fleet. After all, according to management, when the fleet launches a battle, it is divided into at least two waves.

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"Your Excellency, Marshal, the islanders are coming in menacingly! The island fleet detected by the air search radar has more than 400 carrier-based aircraft!" Lieutenant General George Friedberg said.

"More than four hundred? So what? After being intercepted by the carrier-based fighter jets of the Imperial Navy, how many can be left? Order the fleet and switch to air defense formation!" Marshal Rolf Kars ordered.

Lieutenant General George Friedberg nodded again and again. He also believed that after the interception by the German Navy's air defense fighter jets, there would not be many carrier-based aircraft left in the island navy's carrier-based aircraft fleet. The German Navy's fleet anti-aircraft firepower is enough to shoot down the carrier-based aircraft of the island navy. Moreover, the German Navy has made breakthroughs in air defense weapons. The shells of the 105mm and 88mm anti-aircraft guns have been replaced with proximity fuzes. This further enhanced the fleet's anti-aircraft firepower. 40mm anti-aircraft guns and 20mm anti-aircraft guns cannot be replaced with proximity fuzes because the shells are too small. However, with the continuous advancement of technology, the shells of these two anti-aircraft guns will soon be replaced with proximity fuzes. In this case, the anti-aircraft firepower of the German fleet can be further improved. It is even more impossible for the enemy's carrier-based aircraft to break through the air defense firepower of the German fleet and attack the German fleet.

"Our reconnaissance plane, haven't found the fleet of the islanders?" Marshal Rolf Karls asked.

Compared to the upcoming large-scale air battle between the two navies, he cares more about this. Only when the fleet of the island navy is discovered, can the German fleet be able to take off carrier-based aircraft to launch an attack.

"Your Excellency Marshal, I haven't found it yet."

"Then expand the scope of the search. No matter what, the island fleet must be found. Otherwise, once we get rid of their carrier-based aircraft, the island fleet will have to flee."

"Yes, Your Excellency the Marshal!"

Under the guidance of the air search radar, the carrier-based fighter jets of the German Navy killed the carrier-based aircraft group of the island navy.

Although the 270 carrier-based FW-190 fighters are much smaller than the scale of more than 450 carrier-based aircraft of the island navy. However, only one-third of the island navy's carrier-based aircraft fleet is fighter jets, and the rest are bomber and attack aircraft. In front of the German Navy's carrier-based FW-190 fighter jets, these bombers and attack planes can only be slaughtered. Even the Zero fighters of the island navy are no match for the German Navy's carrier-based FW-190 fighters.

"Attention all squadrons, we are not far from the German fleet, and focus on searching the east and southeast waters. After discovering the German fleet, launch an attack immediately!" the commander of the island navy ordered.

"Hi, sir!" The squadron leaders of each squadron replied.

Because they don't know the exact location of the German fleet, they need to search first, and then launch an attack after discovering the location of the German fleet.

It's just that the carrier-based aircraft fleet of the navy of the island country has no chance. Because, the carrier-based fighter group of the German Navy has already been killed.

"Discover the island navy's carrier-based aircraft group, attack, and kill them!" The commander of the German carrier-based fighter group issued an order.

"Yes, sir!"

Many German carrier-based FW-190 fighter jets dived down from high altitude on both sides, attacking the huge carrier-based aircraft group of the island navy.

"Boom boom boom!"

The machine guns began to howl, and one by one 20mm machine gun shells or 30mm machine gun shells flew towards the carrier-based fleet of the island navy.

The explosion sounded, and for a while, a large number of carrier-based aircraft of the navy of the island country were torn into pieces and fell to the ground.

"Bastard, the Germans are here, ready to fight. The fighter jets drag the German fighter jets, and the bombers and attack planes break through! The German fleet is not far away." The commander of the island navy's carrier air group shouted loudly road.

The sudden attack of the German army caused them to lose dozens of carrier-based aircraft. If they come a few more times, their seemingly huge carrier-based aircraft fleet will be lost soon.

A large-scale air battle was launched, and the German carrier-based aircraft group launched a fierce attack on the island navy's carrier-based aircraft group. Although the zero-type fighters

of the island navy had very good low-altitude combat performance, the German carrier-based fighters did not fight them at all. Instead, they used their own advantages to attack from a high altitude, then climbed up, returned to the high altitude, and prepared for a second attack. second attack. Under this kind of tactical attack by the German navy, the fighter planes of the Japanese navy were continuously shot down.

Especially those bombardment and attack aircraft carrying heavy aviation combat and heavy aviation torpedoes cannot avoid it.

In the air battle, a large number of fighters were shot down. However, most of the fighters shot down were carrier-based aircraft of the Japanese navy. The carrier-based aircraft of the German Navy were shot down relatively much less.

After the United Fleet took off the first wave of aircraft, the second wave of aircraft took off soon. General Yamamoto Fifty-Six hopes to defeat the German Navy in one fell swoop with two fleets with short intervals between the two waves.

It's just that he didn't know that their first wave of fleet had been intercepted by the German Navy, and the loss of the fleet was very large.

The air battle lasted for 20 minutes, and the island navy's huge fleet of more than 450 carrier-based aircraft suffered great losses. Eighty percent of the carrier-based aircraft were sunk, and among the remaining dozens of carrier-based aircraft, there were mainly Zero fighters, and the number of bombers and attack aircraft was very small. They launched an attack on the German Navy's fleet, but were torn to pieces by the German Navy's fleet anti-aircraft fire, causing little loss to the German Navy.

When the second wave of the island navy's fleet arrived, the German Navy also took off the remaining half of its carrier-based fighter jets to meet the enemy. The first batch of carrier-based aircraft to take off returned to the voyage one after another, and began to refuel the fighter planes and add ammunition.

At this time, a reconnaissance plane of the German Navy discovered the traces of the island navy combined fleet. Although it was finally shot down by the air defense fighter jets of the island navy. However, they successfully reported the location of the joint fleet to the flagship.

"Your Excellency, the Marshal, we have discovered the location of the island nation's combined fleet, about 450 kilometers away from us!" Lieutenant General George Friedberg reported.

"Very well, order the fleet to turn west. The carrier-based aircraft is ready to take off in 20 minutes!" Marshal Rolf Karls ordered.

At this moment, the battle between the island navy's second wave of carrier-based aircraft fleet and the German Navy's second batch of air defense fighters has begun. However, the battle is still showing a one-sided situation. The German Navy's carrier-based fighter jets slaughtered the island navy's carrier-based aircraft fleet.

Soon, 16 aircraft carriers of the German Navy began to take off carrier-based aircraft, and these carrier-based aircraft will go to attack the combined fleet of the island navy.

The German Navy's Atlantic Fleet, Pacific Fleet, and Indian Ocean Fleet began to release carrier-based aircraft one after another. In the battle to intercept the island navy's carrier-based aircraft group, the German Navy's carrier-based fighter jets lost some. But not many, and it didn't have much impact on the strength of the fleet.

In the first wave of attacks, the German Navy's six "Lord-class" aircraft carriers each launched 12 carrier-based FW-190 fighter jets, 18 dive bombers and 18 torpedo attack aircraft. Eight "Constellation-class" aircraft carriers each launched 12 carrier-based FW-190 fighter jets, 18 dive bombers and 12 torpedo attack aircraft. The two "Wilhelm the Great-class" aircraft carriers launched 6 carrier-based FW-190 fighter jets, 12 dive bombers and 12-class torpedo attack aircraft.

In the first wave of attacks launched by the German Navy, there were 170 carrier-based FW-190 fighter jets, 276 dive bombers and 192 attack aircraft. The number of the entire carrier fleet has reached 638 in total.

It can be seen that although the German Navy only invested 16 aircraft carriers in this battle, it is a full 5 fewer than the 21 aircraft carriers of the island navy's combined fleet. However, the number of carrier-based aircraft involved in the attack is 50% more than that of the island navy.

The huge fleet sailed westward, heading straight for the position of the United Fleet.

When the air search radar of the joint fleet of the island nation's navy discovered the huge fleet of the German Navy, Admiral Yamamoto Fifty-Six's face changed drastically, and he immediately ordered all his air defense fighters to take off to meet the enemy.

However, the remaining air defense fighters in the entire combined fleet are only 150 in total, and there are not as many **** fighters as the carrier-based fleet of the German Navy. It is almost impossible to intercept such a large carrier-based fleet of the German Navy.

At a place where the German Navy's carrier-based aircraft group was 120 kilometers away from the combined fleet, a battle broke out between the carrier-based aircraft of the two sides.

The Zero fighter pilots of the island navy, driving the Zero fighter, rushed towards the carrier-based aircraft group of the German Navy, trying to shoot down these carrier-based aircraft of the German Navy. But they were attacked by 170 carrier-based FW-190 fighter jets of the German Navy.

As soon as the two sides fought, the zero fighters of the island navy suffered huge losses. The weaknesses of the Zero fighter are fully exposed. The German Navy's carrier-based aircraft fleet was flying at high altitudes, which forced the island navy's Zero fighters to fly to high altitudes. Fighting at this altitude is originally a disadvantage of the Zero fighter. This caused the Japanese Navy's Zero fighters to suffer heavy losses under the attack of the German Navy's carrier-based FW-190 fighter jets, and it was impossible to cause much damage to the German Navy's carrier-based fleet.

Twenty minutes later, the German Navy's carrier-based aircraft group discovered the combined fleet. The huge carrier-based aircraft group immediately dispersed and launched an attack on the combined fleet of the island nation's navy.

"Destroy the islanders' aircraft carriers first, and then attack their battleships. Finally, kill all their battleships!" The commander of the German Navy's carrier fleet ordered.

"Yes, sir!"

The huge fleet of the German Navy launched an attack.

"Anti-aircraft fire! Shoot down the German carrier-based aircraft!"

The joint fleet of the island nation's navy launched a counterattack immediately, and the anti-aircraft guns began to fire crazily.

The 127mm anti-aircraft guns, 40mm anti-aircraft guns and 25mm anti-aircraft guns were all put into battle.

However, the densely packed carrier-based aircraft of the German Navy in the sky is enough to make the combined fleet of the island nation's navy desperate for it.

In fact, General Yamamoto knew that they had lost this battle when they found that their own air defense fighters failed to intercept and suffered heavy losses. Although every battleship in the United Fleet is equipped with powerful anti-aircraft firepower, it is almost impossible to resist the attacks of so many carrier-based aircraft of the German army.

"Boom! Boom!"

There was a violent explosion, and it was the bomb dropped by the German Navy's dive bomber that hit the battleship of the United Fleet.

One after another, the battleships burned in the explosion and sank.

The torpedo attack aircraft of the German Navy also joined in, and heavy aviation torpedoes scurry in the sea one after another. Battleships were hit one after another, and sea water poured into the battleships crazily.

"Boom boom boom!"

The anti-aircraft guns of the navy of the island country fired wildly, trying to shoot down the carrier-based aircraft of the German navy. However, it was suppressed by the carrier-based fighter jets of the German Navy. The dive bombers and torpedo attack planes of the German Navy seized this opportunity and sent the warships of the island navy into the bottom of the sea one by one.

The 1st and 2nd Carrier Squadrons of the United Fleet became the main targets of the German Navy's carrier-based aircraft fleet.

With the loss of the **** warships on the periphery was almost the same, the carrier-based aircraft of the German Navy directly attacked the aircraft carrier at the core of the formation.

Under a large number of aerial bombs and torpedo attacks, the loss of the island navy's combined fleet began to show.

Even though the aircraft carrier 'Taifeng' was an armored aircraft carrier, it sank in the sea after being hit by 18 aerial bombs and 9 aerial torpedoes.

The aircraft carrier 'Xianghe' and 'Zuihe' also followed suit five minutes after the sinking of the 'Taiho' aircraft carrier.

The last aircraft carrier "Dragon Phoenix" of the 1st Aircraft Carrier Squadron of the United Fleet was also sunk soon.

The four "Yunlong-class" aircraft carriers of the 2nd Aircraft Carrier Squadron of the United Fleet also did not last long. After the **** battleships on the periphery of the fleet sank, the four 'Yunlong-class' aircraft carriers were attacked.

A single aerial bomb and torpedo hit the aircraft carrier of the Japanese navy. Soon, these aircraft carriers sank into the sea amidst raging fire.

Next, it is the 3rd aircraft carrier battle group, the 4th aircraft carrier battle group, the 5th aircraft carrier battle group, the 1st battleship formation and the 2nd battleship formation.

Especially after the arrival of the second wave of the German Navy's carrier-based aircraft group, it dealt a devastating blow to the island navy. The fierce attack of hundreds of carrier-based aircraft directly made the navy of the island country no longer able to recover.

Even the "Yamato-class" battleship with strong defense was severely damaged and then sunk under the siege of the German Navy's carrier-based aircraft.

Although, the "Yamato-class" battleship has a displacement of more than 70,000 tons and thick armor. But under the overwhelming aerial bombs and torpedo attacks, even the 'Yamato-class' battleships couldn't support it.

These huge battleships, which are the symbols of the island nation's navy, did not escape in this naval battle, and all of them were sunk.

The joint fleet of the island nation's navy suffered a crushing defeat in this naval battle! Chapter 1774

Aboard a destroyer of the United Fleet of the Japanese Navy, Admiral Yamamoto Fifty-Six stared blankly at the smoky sea. The warships of the island navy that were hit were burning and sinking slowly.

None of the 21 aircraft carriers of the United Fleet survived, and all of them have been sunk. The eight capital ships also did not escape. Even the four most powerful "Yamato-class" battleships could not avoid the fate of being sunk after suffering a large number of bombs and aviation torpedoes.

"It's over, the empire is completely over this time!" General Yamamoto Fifty-Six wanted to cry but had no tears.

"Your Excellency, what should we do now? The German attack was too sharp, and all our main battleships were sunk in two rounds of attack." Major General Yano Shika said with a mournful face.

The first round of attacks by the German navy severely damaged the island navy, and most of the aircraft carriers were sunk. Subsequently, the second round of attacks by the German Navy

began again. This directly ruined the remaining aircraft carriers and capital ships of the combined fleet of the island nation's navy.

Although, the anti-aircraft firepower of the navy of the island country also shot down more than 200 carrier-based aircraft of the German Navy. However, for the German Navy, which has 1,500 carrier-based aircraft, the loss of 200 carrier-based aircraft is nothing at all.

"What else can we do? The combined fleet is finished, and the empire will be finished too!" General Yamamoto Fifty-Six said and returned to the cabin that originally belonged to the captain.

After locking the hatch, General Yamamoto Fifty-Six knelt on the ground and wiped the samurai sword he carried with him with silk.

"Long live His Majesty the Emperor! Long live the Empire!"

General Yamamoto Fifty-Six shouted, and then inserted the samurai sword into his stomach.

Blood gushed out of his mouth, and soon there was no sound.

After Major General Yano Shika heard the sound, he asked the guards to forcefully open the hatch from the outside, and what he saw was the body of General Yamamoto Fifty-six who was still warm.

"Your Excellency, Commander!" Major General Yano Shikasan exclaimed.

The news of General Yamamoto's fifty-six harakiri himself quickly spread throughout the entire United Fleet. As a result, a large number of generals of the island nation's navy followed the example of General Yamamoto and committed seppuku. For a time, there were very few remaining generals of the United Fleet.

In this battle, the joint fleet of the island nation's navy was completely defeated. There are only twenty or thirty light cruisers and destroyers left in the huge fleet. The rest of the warships were all sunk under the attack of the German Navy's carrier-based aircraft group.

The damage caused by the joint fleet of the island nation's navy to the German navy was very limited, and only a few warships were damaged. In addition, it caused more than 300 losses to the German Navy's carrier-based aircraft. More than two hundred of them were shot down by the anti-aircraft fire of the combined fleet. Another hundred or so were shot down in air battles.

It can be said that compared with the loss of the United Fleet, the loss of the German Navy is minimal. The seemingly powerful United Fleet was easily destroyed under the attack of the German Navy.

The joint fleet assembled most of the main force of the island nation's navy. After the combined fleet was destroyed, there were no warships left in the navy of the island nation. It can be said that the mainland of the island country has opened its arms to Germany. As long as Germany wants to, it can launch an attack on the mainland of the island country at any time.

"Your Excellency the Marshal, the islanders are finished. Their aircraft carriers, battleships and heavy cruisers have all been killed by us. At the same time, we have also killed a large number of light cruisers and destroyers of the islanders. Some of the remaining light cruisers and

destroyers are fleeing in all directions. String. Do we need a third round of attacks to kill them all?" Lieutenant General George Friedberg asked for instructions.

Marshal Rolf Kars thought for a while, but still shook his head: "The battlefield is getting closer and closer to the Philippine Islands, and the island country army still has an air force there. Our pilots are also very tired. Let's cancel the attack for now."

"Yes, Your Excellency the Marshal." Lieutenant General George Friedberg nodded.

The carrier-based aircraft pilots of the navy of the island country are already very tired after performing combat missions. This is especially true for those carrier-based fighter pilots. Each of them has executed at least two fights. They are the battle to intercept the carrier-based aircraft group of the navy of the island country and the battle to cover the dive bombers and torpedo attack aircraft of the own side to attack the combined fleet. If the attack continues, the pilots will not be able to hold on. Even though the war is coming to an end soon, these pilots are still the treasures of the German Empire!

"The Nanyang Combat Command reported that we have eliminated the main force of the island country's navy. We can launch an attack on the island country's mainland at any time. Next, it depends on the army." Marshal Rolf Karls said.

"Yes, Your Excellency the Marshal." Lieutenant General George Friedberg replied.

After the joint fleet is resolved, the island navy is considered finished. Next, the main task of the German Navy is to assist the army to defeat the island nation.

The news of the disastrous defeat of the United Fleet and the near-annihilation of the entire army was also sent back to the Ministry of the Navy of the island country as soon as possible.

Navy Minister Admiral Shimoda Shigetaro has also been waiting for news from the front line. He knew very well that the gap between the United Fleet and the German Navy was huge, and it would be very difficult for the United Fleet to win. Therefore, he has been praying for a miracle.

"Your Excellency, a telegram from the United Fleet." A rear admiral reported to Admiral Shigetaro Shimada.

"Did we win?" Admiral Shimoda Shigetaro asked impatiently.

Major General shook his head.

General Shigetaro Shimada's face suddenly became very ugly.

When Admiral Shimoda Shigetaro took the telegram and read it carefully, his face became paler and paler.

"Biga! How could this be? How could the combined fleet be defeated by the Germans so easily? And the whole army was wiped out?" Admiral Shimoda Shigetaro seemed unable to accept such a result.

But the major general told him that this was the result that had been confirmed repeatedly.

Suddenly, General Shigetaro Shimada fell down on the sofa as if all the bones in his body had been pulled out. It was as if his entire belief had been destroyed at this moment.

The Prime Minister's Office of the island country also soon learned of the fiasco of the United Fleet.

Prime Minister Hideki Tojo was completely stunned, and he did not expect such a result. Originally, he thought that no matter how bad the United Fleet was, it would be able to fight the German Navy to a loss-lose situation. However, in the end it was a disastrous defeat for the combined fleet. Prime Minister Hideki Tojo also knew that this time the island nation might not be able to prevent the German army from attacking their homeland.

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While the German navy was engaged in a decisive battle with the island nation's navy in the Pacific Ocean, the German army's attack on the Indonesian archipelago was also in full swing.

On the island of Sumatra, the German 11th Army captured Medan, and the 7th Front Army of the Island Army was completely annihilated under the siege of the German army. Commander Itagaki Seishiro and dozens of other generals all committed seppuku.

Subsequently, the German 11th Army, 3rd Army and 13th Army advanced southeast along the Strait of Malacca. Fight against the 14th Front Army, the 2nd Army and the 18th Army of the Japanese Army.

Although the 14th Front Army of the Japanese Army is strong, the 2nd Army and the 18th Army also have several divisions. However, under the attack of the main forces of the three German armies, the island army obviously couldn't hold on to Sumatra and was constantly defeated.

On Java Island, the German 12th Army, 4th Army and 16th Army defeated the 4th Army and the 38th Army of the Island Army after solving the 5th Front Army of the Island Army. All the remaining troops of the island army on Java Island were compressed to the front line of Batavia.

Although the 18th Front Army of the Japanese Army still has a certain strength, it is almost impossible to resist the fierce attack of the three German armies.

On the island of New Guinea, the 10th Front Army and the 31st Army of the Island Army also retreated steadily under the attacks of the German 22nd Army and 24th Army. Even after being dispersed, many island country soldiers hid in the dense virgin forest.

At this time, the development of Nanyang was not high. There are large tracts of virgin forest everywhere. Especially in New Guinea, except for the coastal areas that have been developed, the interior is all virgin forests occupied by savages. There are poisonous insects, snakes and ants everywhere, and it is even more impossible to survive inside.

It can be said that after the German army dispatched eight armies to attack under the full cover of the air force and navy, the southern army could no longer hold on. A large number of elite troops were routed and wiped out. The defense zone is also constantly falling. It can be said that the Southern Army has reached a very critical moment.

However, even so, Terauchi Toshiichi still stayed in Batavia and did not leave here.

Terauchi Toshiichi is still waiting for news from the Navy. If the United Fleet can defeat the German Navy, it will be able to regain the dominance of the South China Sea. At that time, even more reinforcements can be continuously dispatched from the country to reinforce Nanyang. In that case, the crisis of the Confederate Army would be resolved.

It's just that General Toshiichi Terauchi may never wait for the victory report.

On the afternoon of August 2, the Southern Army Command received a telegram from China.

"Your Excellency, an urgent telegram has been sent from the country." Lieutenant General Tsukada Gong reported.

"What news? Has the navy defeated the Germans?" Admiral Toshiichi Terauchi asked hastily.

"Your Excellency, the navy has failed. The combined fleet was almost wiped out and did not cause any losses to the Germans." Lieutenant General Tsukada said.

"What? How could this happen?" General Toshiichi Terauchi was completely stunned. He didn't seem to have imagined that it would end up like this. He was still waiting for the victory, but the result was the news of defeat.

"Your Excellency, the navy has failed. I am afraid it will be difficult for us to defeat the Germans." Lieutenant General Tsukada said.

Indeed, the Combined Fleet suffered a disastrous defeat, and the Southern Army will fall into a lonely battle. At the same time, with the loss of sea control, the mainland of the island country could no longer provide support to the Southern Army. If the Southern Army wants to continue to persist in Nanyang, it is almost impossible.

General Toshiichi Terauchi nodded: "Order the 18th Front Army, the 4th Army and the 38th Army to defend Batavia. Prepare the seaplane, leave here tonight and go to Manila!"

In the case of the navy's disastrous defeat, Admiral Terauchi Toshiichi knew very well that the war situation in Nanyang would further deteriorate. It is almost impossible for them to resist the attack of the three elite German armies in Batavia. Therefore, General Toshiichi Terauchi decisively made up his mind to leave here.

"Yes, Your Excellency, Commander." Lieutenant General Tsukada immediately went to make arrangements.

On the evening of August 2, General Hisashi Terauchi and others left Batavia by seaplane and headed for Manila.

It seems that with the escape of General Kotobuki, the situation in Nanyang has completely collapsed.

The 18th Front Army, 4th Army and 38th Army of the Island Army persisted in Batavia for five days. Under the heavy shelling and bombing of the German army, the entire city of Batavia was in ruins. But even so, the Japanese army is still fighting to the death.

In the end, under the exhaustion of ammunition and food, the remaining troops of the 18th Front Army, the 4th Army and the 38th Army of the Japanese Army, under the leadership of the generals, launched a suicide attack on the German army, which was defeated by the intensive firepower of the German army. up the sieve.

After Java Island fell into the hands of the German army, the German army launched an attack on Borneo without stopping.

At the same time, the battle of the German army on Sumatra Island also came to an end. The 14th Front Army, the 2nd Army and the 18th Army of the Island Army have almost been wiped out. The rest of the troops were just stubbornly resisting, and it was only a matter of time before they were all eliminated.

Under the cover of the navy, the 3rd Army and the 25th Army under the command of the German F Army Group crossed the South China Sea and landed on Luzon Island. The 34th Army launched an offensive.

The Southern Army did not have many troops in the Philippine Islands, and the Philippine Front Army only had one infantry division and two independent mixed brigades. The 34th Army also has only two infantry divisions and an independent mixed brigade. The total number of these two troops is only more than 80,000 people. With such a small force, it is almost impossible to counter the two German armies.

After the German 3rd Army landed, they marched all the way to Manila. The Philippine Front Army and the 34th Army of the Japanese Army couldn't resist it at all.

On August 14, most of Manila fell into the hands of the German army. General Toshiichi Terauchi, the commander of the Southern Army of the Japanese Army, is not going to escape this time. Because he knew that the southern army suffered a disastrous defeat and was about to be wiped out. Even after he fled back to the mainland, he would still be questioned. Instead of that, it's better to kill yourself. In this case, it can be regarded as safeguarding his honor.

So, on the afternoon of August 14th, General Toshiichi Terauchi committed seppuku at the Southern Army Headquarters. Subsequently, Lieutenant General Tsukada, the chief of staff, also performed seppuku.

In the evening of that day, all of Manila fell.

By August 20, the Lanyin Front Army and the 37th Army of the island country army that persisted in fighting in Borneo were all wiped out. The whole of Nanyang fell into the hands of the German army.

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With the collapse of the Southern Army, the entire Nanyang once again fell into the hands of the German army. This also means that all the benefits gained by the island army after participating in the war are lost. Moreover, it also paid a huge price.

Since the start of the war, the army of the island country has lost more than three million troops. At the same time, the navy of the island country has also been involved. The current island navy has lost all its capital ships and aircraft carriers. Although, there are still a large number of unfinished warships under construction in the shipyard of the island navy. But unfortunately, the island country no longer has enough resources to build these warships. Especially after losing the Indonesian and Philippine archipelagos, the island countries can no longer obtain resources from Southeast Asia.

Of course, the island government also stored some resources before. However, what is the point of investing those resources in the construction of warships now? Even if the navy of the island country has some capital ships and aircraft carriers again, it may not be able to compete with the German navy at all! Instead of this, it is better to invest all the remaining resources in

the construction of guns and ammunition that the Army urgently needs. In this case, the island country government can form more troops on the mainland, and maybe it can withstand the German attack and keep the island country.

In the Prime Minister's Office of the island country, Prime Minister Hideki Tojo once again summoned the important ministers of the island's cabinet to discuss the current situation. However, the current situation is undoubtedly very obvious. In this war, the island country has already lost a complete defeat. After the combined fleet and the southern army were destroyed one after another, the next step of the German army must be to launch an attack on the mainland of the island country.

"My lords, the empire is now at a critical moment of life and death. Our enemies are gathering, and they will undoubtedly launch an attack on our homeland in the next step. If we want to keep the empire, we must resist the Germans' attack. Otherwise, the empire will be completely over." Prime Minister Hideki Tojo said.

Other island cabinet ministers nodded one after another, and of course they are aware of the situation. However, they also know that it is undoubtedly very difficult to resist the German attack and allow the island country to continue to exist. The current posture of the German army is obviously going to destroy the island country in one fell swoop! Moreover, judging from the combat effectiveness displayed by the German army, the Germans can completely do this.

"Has the expansion of the army been completed?" Prime Minister Hideki Tojo asked.

"Your Excellency Prime Minister, the expansion of the army has been completed. We have once again recruited five million troops. However, we have not been able to equip these troops yet. Because of the lack of resources, we can't even do it with a single rifle!" Sugiyama General Yuan said with a bitter face.

"Shimada-kun, temporarily hand over the resources used by the navy to build warships to the army. What do you think? Wait until we resist the German attack and keep the empire, and then return these resources to the navy." Tojo Hideo The chief of the aircraft said to Admiral Shigetaro Shimada.

General Shimoda Shigetaro nodded, and he also knew that the most important thing now is undoubtedly to resist the German attack. As for the rest, you can put it off for a while. If the island countries can't keep it, the navy of the island countries will naturally have no future.

"Your Excellency, Prime Minister, let you arrange it!" General Shimoda Shigetaro said.

Prime Minister Hideki Tojo nodded: "Gentlemen, now we need to arm the army with all our strength and try to resist the German attack in the next battle. Only by resisting the German attack can our country continue to exist. !"

"Hi, Your Excellency Prime Minister!" The ministers of the island's cabinet said one after another.

After the cabinet meeting, Prime Minister Hideki Tojo left General Sugiyama Gendai on.

"How is our army preparing? Has the morale of the troops been affected?" Hideki Tojo asked.

"Your Excellency Prime Minister, the troops are almost ready. At least the personnel are already in place. We will try our best to equip more weapons and equipment. As for morale, because the navy and the southern army have been destroyed one after another, if we want to hide it, that is Impossible. Therefore, the morale of the troops will inevitably be affected. However, when the country is facing a life-and-death crisis, the warriors of the empire can still muster the courage to fight the enemy to the end! This, I can Guaranteed, please rest assured, Prime Minister. Once the Germans dare to attack our homeland, we will definitely let them see the courage of the imperial warriors." General Sugiyama Moto said.

Prime Minister Hideki Tojo's complexion improved a bit. Indeed, the island nation is completely at a disadvantage now. If they want to compete with the powerful Germany, they have almost no chance of winning. However, Hideki Tojo believes that once the German army faces the attack of millions of angry Japanese armies, even if it can win, it will inevitably pay a heavy price. In this case, the island country may be able to gain a chance to keep the island country by virtue of this.

"Where are the civilians? Have they mobilized yet?" Hideki Tojo asked.

"Your Excellency Prime Minister, we are already starting to mobilize the people. All the people are ready. Although they have no weapons and equipment, they can fight the Germans with bamboo knives and bamboo spears. Even the warriors among them can also embrace the Germans." We will die with the Germans with grenades and explosives. I believe that once the Germans attack our homeland, they will find that they have fallen into a quagmire of war. At that time, the Germans will definitely regret it. And our purpose, It can definitely be realized." General Sugiyama Moto seemed very confident.

Hideki Tojo nodded: "In this case, it would be great. We are ready for a decisive battle with the Germans on the mainland. And we believe that we will be able to withstand the German attack. The empire will not We were destroyed in this way. We will definitely be able to survive this crisis. This time we failed to defeat the Germans, but in the future, we may not have no chance!"

"Hi, Your Excellency Prime Minister!" General Sugiyama Moto replied.

In this war, the failure of the island country is inevitable. However, they won't give up on it. As long as they can keep the island country, they will wait for the next opportunity. The islanders also believe that they will not fail again next time.

When the island nation was at a critical moment of life and death, Emperor Hirohito of the island nation also made a speech on the radio, calling on all islanders to take up arms and prepare to resist the enemy's attack.

I have to admit that the emperor has huge influence in the island country. Even though the island nation is about to lose now, tens of millions of island nation people are in a frenzy after Hirohito came forward. They were ready to fend off the Germans.

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Manila, German Pacific Theater Command.

After the German army captured the entire Southeast Asia, the Pacific Theater Command moved here.

Reich Minister of War and Chief of General Staff Marshal Manstein served as the commander of the Pacific theater, responsible for commanding the German Army, Navy and Air Force in the Pacific to fight against the island country.

Now, the German Army has captured the Southeast Asia, and the German Navy has eaten the combined fleet of the island nation's navy. This also makes this war only an attack on the mainland of the island country.

In the meeting room of the Pacific Theater Command, the generals of the German Army, Navy and Air Force in the Pacific Theater have gathered here. There were smiles on everyone's faces. Because, everyone knows very well that this battle is about to end.

"Everyone, this battle has been fought so far, and all we have left is to attack the mainland of the island country. After we attack the mainland of the island country and destroy the island country, this battle will be over. I believe that everyone has long been looking forward to This is the day," Marshal Manstein said.

"Your Excellency, Marshal, when we defeat the islanders, we can go back to China for Christmas. I haven't been back to China for two years." A German general said.

The other generals also echoed.

Since the army of the island country attacked Nanyang, the troops deployed by the German army in Nanyang and Australia have never returned to China. Now, the island country can be defeated immediately, and they have been looking forward to it for a long time.

Marshal Manstein nodded: "It is already late August. There are still four months before Christmas. I think it should be possible to destroy the island country in four months!"

"Your Excellency Marshal, we will surely destroy the island nation within four months!" Marshal Lundstedt said.

The other generals also nodded. In their view, it would not even take four months for the island nation to perish.

"Everyone, I know that everyone is eager to return home. However, His Majesty the Emperor has told you that you must be very careful when fighting against the island country, especially the attack on the mainland of the island country. After fighting against the people of the island country, you must have already It is very clear that the islanders are a very crazy people. On the battlefield, they seem not afraid of death at all. Once we attack the island mainland, we will face tens of millions of islanders. In other words, tens of millions are crazy Islanders who are not afraid of death. This also means that we must be cautious. Otherwise, we are very likely to suffer a big loss in the island country and pay a heavy price. I think this is why everyone is unwilling See it!" Marshal Manstein said.

"Your Excellency, Marshal, will the civilians of the island nation be so crazy? They should know that if they get involved in the face of the heavily armed imperial soldiers, it is no different from courting death." Marshal Bok said.

"According to the information we have now, the islanders are already expanding their army crazily. Their local army has expanded to eight million people. Although, most of them are mobs. But even if there are more ants, the number is still large. Elephants can be killed. In

addition, the government of the island country has also begun to mobilize the people and distribute weapons to them, allowing them to attack the imperial army after the imperial army invaded the mainland of the island. Therefore, we have to be prepared. "Marshal Manstein said.

"God! The islanders are really a crazy nation!" Marshal Lundstedt sighed.

The other German generals almost all had the same expressions.

"Everyone, no matter how crazy the islanders are. Our task is to destroy them. Your Majesty has authorized it. After landing on the mainland of the island country, the soldiers of the empire have the right to attack any target they think will pose a threat to them! Large casualties, I hope every soldier in the empire can do this very well." Marshal Manstein said.

"Yes, Marshal!" All the generals replied.

Although, they know that this will cause very large killings on the island mainland. However, if the person who died was an islander, it would be much better than the death of one of his own people.

"Everyone, everyone, go back and prepare. Five days later, we will launch an attack on Okinawa. After conquering Okinawa, we will directly launch an attack on the mainland of the island country!" Marshal Manstein ordered.

"Yes, Your Excellency Marshal." The generals replied one after another.

On August 25, the Imperial Navy's Atlantic Fleet, Pacific Fleet and Indian Ocean Fleet launched an attack on Okinawa.

Hundreds of carrier-based aircraft bombed the airports and other military installations of the Army Air Force of the island country on the Okinawa Islands.

Despite the resistance of the Army Air Force of the island country, the carrier-based air fleet of the German Navy quickly completed its mission in the face of a huge gap in strength between the two sides.

Subsequently, the German Navy dispatched more than 20 capital ships to launch a fierce bombardment on the military installations of the Japanese army in Okinawa. Under the fierce shelling of large-caliber heavy artillery, those military facilities of the Japanese Army were severely destroyed. The troops stationed on the island also suffered heavy losses.

That afternoon, the German Marine Corps dispatched five divisions to land on the islands of Okinawa.

The army of the island country has only more than 50,000 people in Okinawa. Although the soldiers of these island countries are very brave. When they fight, they often fight to the death without retreating. Even after the position fell, they were able to launch a counterattack bravely under the leadership of the officers.

But even so, it still cannot save the defeat.

Before sunset, the German army captured the southern part of Ryukyu Island, and several other islands also fell into the hands of the German army. The Japanese army on the island pushed into the mountains to resist.

But the German army still did not let go of these island armies. With the support of their own naval guns and carrier-based aircraft, the German Marine Corps wiped out the island army in the mountains.

Three days later, almost all the island army's troops in Okinawa were wiped out by the German army, and only a very small number of the island army escaped. But they can only operate in the mountains and can no longer pose a threat to the German army.

After the German marines captured Okinawa, they took the time to repair the airport on the island. Next, the German Air Force will launch a large-scale bombing of the mainland of the island country. These airports in Okinawa will all park fighter jets of the Luftwaffe to provide **** for the bombers of the Luftwaffe. In this case, the heavy bombers of the German Air Force take off from the northern part of Luzon Island, and they can include the southern part of the island country in the bombing range. Even the Luftwaffe was able to use Russia to bomb the mainland of the island country from an airport in Russia. In this case, the entire island country will be under the bombing of the Luftwaffe.

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After the German army conquered Okinawa, they did not rush to attack the mainland of the island country.

The Luftwaffe has entered intense preparations. A large number of bombers were deployed on Luzon Island and transferred to airfields in eastern Russia.

The war between Germany and Russia is over, and Russia has been divided into two. One is Russia to the west of the Ural Mountains and the Ural River, and the other is the Russian Republic to the east.

Germany proposed to requisition the airport for bombing island countries. The Russian Republic did not dare to refuse at all. Even if they are a little dissatisfied with this, they can only admit it. Moreover, it is necessary to cooperate with the German army as much as possible so that the German army can move smoothly. Otherwise, once Germany gets angry, the consequences will be unimaginable.

After being defeated and divided into two, Russia no longer has the strength to compete with Germany. Especially the Russian Republic, its strength is very weak. Although they occupy most of Russia's territory, the vast Siberia is originally a place with a vast land and sparsely populated industries. And Germany has defeated powerful enemies one after another, and its position as the world's hegemon has become more and more stable. Therefore, it is undoubtedly very uneconomical to offend Germany at this time. On the contrary, it is most beneficial to befriend Germany.

The German Air Force has invested a lot of troops in order to deal with the island country this time. In terms of tactical aviation clusters, it includes the 1st, 2nd, 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th aviation clusters. In terms of strategic aviation clusters, it includes the 1st, 2nd and 3rd aviation clusters.

In view of the fact that Luzon Island is far away from the mainland of the island country, and the Far East of the Russian Republic is further away from the mainland of the island country. So, both the strategic 1st and 2nd aviation clusters were transferred to the Russian Republic. The

tactical 1st, 2nd, 5th and 6th aviation groups were also transferred to the Russian Republic. In this case, it is more convenient to bomb the island country.

On September 15, the Luftwaffe launched the first round of bombing on the island country. 480 H-31 heavy bombers and 240 H-11 medium bombers of the Strategic 1st and 2nd aviation groups, under the cover of 480 BF-110 long-range fighters, and 480 TA-152 fighters, flew from the Far East of the Russian Republic Departed, crossed the sea of whales, and bombed the mainland of the island country. The target of the bombing this time was Tokyo, the capital of the island nation.

As the largest and most populous city in the island country, once Germany can destroy the city with bombers, it will be a great blow to the island country. Especially for the morale of the islanders, it will undoubtedly be a serious blow.

At 10:00 in the morning, the huge fleet of the Luftwaffe passed through the Sea of Whales and entered the sky above the mainland of the island country. In fact, after the huge German fleet entered the whale sea, it was discovered by the island country's air search radar. The Army Air Force of the island country immediately took off a large number of P-47 fighter jets and P-51 fighter jets to meet the enemy.

It's just that, after many wars in the Army Air Force of the island country, there are not many fighters left. In particular, the loss of pilots was very serious. This time, hundreds of P-47 fighter jets and P-51 fighter jets barely took off to face the Luftwaffe.

The performance of the P-47 fighter jets and P-51 fighter jets is quite strong, barely able to withstand the BF-110 fighter jets of the Luftwaffe. But facing the TA-152 fighter jet of the German Air Force, it is not an opponent at all.

At the same time, a large number of carrier-based aircraft took off from the aircraft carriers of the three major fleets of the German Navy, and also participated in the bombing of Tokyo. This made the Japanese Army Air Force exhausted.

After some fighting, the Army Air Force of the island country suffered heavy losses, unable to withstand the attack of the German Air Force at all, and was completely driven away from the surrounding areas of Tokyo.

"Open fire! Shoot down the German plane!" The Tokyo Air Defense Commander issued an order.

The air defense force of the island country army deployed thousands of anti-aircraft guns, large and small, in Tokyo. It's just that, for bombers at high altitudes, only large-caliber anti-aircraft guns can threaten them.

Escort fighter jets of the Imperial Air Force and carrier-based dive bombers of the Navy launched attacks one after another, attacking the air defense positions of the island army, suppressing its air defense firepower, and creating conditions for the bombing of the air force bombers.

"Drop the altitude and prepare to drop the bomb!"

Although the anti-aircraft firepower on the ground has not been completely suppressed, the bomber fleet of the Luftwaffe has already begun to make preparations before dropping bombs.

A large number of bombers began to descend.

"Boom! Boom!"

Anti-aircraft artillery shells exploded around the fighter planes, and some unlucky bombers were hit by anti-aircraft guns, causing severe damage or crashing directly. But even this could not scare the pilots of the Luftwaffe.

After the magazine was opened, bombs fell like raindrops one after another.

"Amaterasu! Please bless us!"

Seeing that the German bombers started dropping bombs, many islanders shouted in horror.

A bomb hits the street and explodes. However, what is surprising is that the explosion was not violent, and at the same time, there were a lot of black jelly scattered everywhere. This surprised the islanders.

"Boom!"

A smaller bomb explodes, sending flames flying everywhere.

Afterwards, a violent fire burned fiercely. In particular, the black jelly that was scattered everywhere quickly became a source of fire.

"There's a fire, put it out!"

Some islanders rushed to put out the fire with water, but they found that these fires could not be extinguished at all.

Most of the bombs dropped by the Luftwaffe on Tokyo this time were specially developed incendiary bombs. Or napalm bombs.

Because of the frequent earthquakes in the island country, many buildings are made of wood. Therefore, the damage caused to the island country by incendiary bombs will be greater than that by ordinary bombs.

When the Luftwaffe dropped a large number of incendiary bombs, the whole of Tokyo seemed to be ignited. A large number of houses burned, and with the help of the wind, it spread to the entire urban area of Tokyo.

Countless islanders fled in all directions, but many were burned to ashes by the fire. Some people even jumped into the lake in the park to escape, but the intense heat made the lake boil. The islanders who jumped into the lake were cooked directly.

During the bombing of the German army, half of the city of Tokyo was burned down, and the loss of personnel was heavy.

And, this is just the beginning. After the Germans bombed Tokyo, they bombed Niigata, Sendai, Yokohama and other places the next day. Then it bombed Shizuoka, Hamamatsu, Nagoya, Kyoto, Osaka, Kobe, Okayama, Hiroshima, Kitakyushu, Fukuoka, Kumamoto and other places. Almost all these big cities in the entire island country were blown into ruins.

Even, even those small and medium-sized cities were not spared. This not only caused huge losses to the population of the island country, but also severely damaged the industry of the island country. The whole country was almost blown back to the Stone Age.

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Island country, Tokyo, the basement of the Prime Minister's Office.

Although, the Chiyoda district where the Prime Minister's Office and the Imperial Palace are located is the target of the Luftwaffe's key air strikes. Now the entire palace and prime minister's mansion have been turned into ruins. However, Hideki Tojo didn't shed a single hair, he was just a little frightened.

I have to admit that the underground fortifications built by the Japanese army are still very safe. At least, when the Prime Minister's Office was attacked by a 500-kilogram aerial bomb, the basement was still safe.

Perhaps it is precisely because of this that when the Luftwaffe launched a month-long large-scale bombing of the island country, Hideki Tojo remained calm and was not frightened.

In other words, he doesn't care about the life and death of ordinary islanders. As long as he himself is safe, then he will insist that this war continue.

"Your Excellency, the German bombing has almost destroyed the entire island country. Most of the cities were in ruins under the German bombing. The casualties exceeded two million people. And now we are seriously short of food, Medicines, etc. Many injured people cannot receive medical treatment. The current situation is very unfavorable to us." General Sugiyama Moto looked exhausted.

During the large-scale bombing by the Luftwaffe, the island nation suffered a devastating blow. Not to mention the destruction of a large number of cities, the casualties are also very large. Not only military facilities were bombed by the Luftwaffe, but many civilian facilities were also bombed. This left many cities in the island nation in ruins. It can be said that the entire island country has been hit hard by this.

Prime Minister Hideki Tojo nodded: "It is impossible for the Germans to try to scare us in this way. They must know that we have armed a large number of troops, and they are waiting for them to land on our homeland, and then give They hit us head-on. So, they want to bomb us to bring us down. This is impossible. The warriors of the empire will never give in to the Germans so easily. We will fight on and let the Germans know, We will not be defeated so easily."

At this moment, Hideki Tojo's eyes were red, as if he had fallen into madness.

General Sugiyama Yuan is very clear that once they are defeated, the senior commanders of the military and the government will have a very miserable final result. If it is not done well, it will be to apologize. Therefore, Hideki Tojo had to continue to persevere.

"Your Excellency Prime Minister, if the Germans continue to bomb like this, I am afraid that we will collapse before they launch an attack." Admiral Sugiyama Moto reminded.

"Don't worry, the Germans will launch a landing operation soon. The month-long bombing has certainly cost us a heavy price. But at the same time, the Germans also consumed a lot of bombs

and other materials. They can't This has continued. Moreover, as long as we do not surrender, the Germans must land on our homeland. At that time, we can seize this opportunity and severely damage the German landing forces in one fell swoop. As long as we can give the Germans Inflict unbearable casualties, and the Germans will retreat. And that is our chance. Only in this way, our country can survive this crisis and continue to exist. Otherwise, our country will be completely ruined .As long as this goal can be achieved, no matter how high the price is, it will be worth it!" Hideki Tojo insisted.

Hideki Tojo still believes that as long as they can cause huge casualties to the German troops who landed, they can force the German troops to withdraw from the mainland of the island country, and even reach a relatively favorable peace treaty for the island country, thus ending the war and keeping the island country.

All the current deployments of the island countries are based on this point. Originally, General Sugiyama Moto also believed that they would be able to achieve this goal. But now, General Sugiyama Moto's confidence has been shaken. The frantic bombing by the German army allowed General Sugiyama to see the determination and confidence of Germany to destroy the island country. This naturally greatly reduces the possibility of the island country surviving this crisis.

"Your Excellency, the Army will continue as much as possible!" General Sugiyama Gen said.

Prime Minister Hideki Tojo nodded: "Don't worry, I won't be wrong. As long as we hit the Germans hard, we will be able to take the opportunity to propose peace talks and end this war!"

General Sugiyama Moto nodded, but he was thinking in his heart: "I hope so!"

If Prime Minister Hideki Tojo's judgment is wrong, then the island country will be completely finished this time.

Manila, German Pacific Theater Command.

"Your Excellency Marshal, we are about to blow the entire island country back to the Stone Age. However, it is a pity that the islanders still have not surrendered. I have to admit that their will is very tenacious. At this point, they will continue to fight with us Confront it," said Air Force Chief of Staff General Hugo Speight.

Marshal Manstein nodded: "Of course, otherwise, His Majesty the Emperor wouldn't say that the islanders are a crazy nation."

"Marshal Rundstedt, Marshal Bock, Marshal Keitel, Marshal Loeb, since the islanders refuse to surrender, then it is up to you. Send the last fatal blow to the islanders and make them surrender Go!" Marshal Manstein said.

"Yes, Your Excellency Marshal." Several army group commanders replied.

"Marshal Karls, the landing of the army requires the full assistance of the navy." Marshal Manstein said.

"Your Excellency Marshal, the navy is ready to support the army landing. The Marine Corps is also ready. We can deploy 7 marine divisions on the coast of the island country at one time." Marshal Rolf Karls said.

"Very good, since this is the case, then prepare to land on the mainland of the island country! Three days later, that is, on October 18, land on Kyushu Island. Then, launch an attack on Honshu Island and Shikoku Island, and destroy the island country in the shortest possible time!" Field Marshal Manstein ordered.

"Yes, Your Excellency the Marshal!" Everyone replied.

On October 18, the German Air Force and Navy dispatched a large number of bombers and carrier-based aircraft to attack Fukuoka in Kitakyushu. At the same time, the German Navy also dispatched more than a dozen battleships to launch a fierce bombardment of Fukuoka's coastal positions.

The two-hour fire strike almost completely destroyed Fukuoka's coastal positions.

Subsequently, the 1st and 2nd Divisions of the German Marine Division landed in Fukuoka.

Immediately afterwards, the 13th Army, the 3rd Army of the German Army Group F, began to land in Fukuoka.

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"Your Excellency, the Germans have landed, and the troops deployed on the coast by the 146th Infantry Division and the 303rd Infantry Division have been defeated by the enemy." Major General Andaku, Chief of Staff of the 40th Army of the Island Army, reported.

"Baga! A bunch of idiots! The German attack has just begun, and the troops are defeated. Are they still warriors of the empire?" Lieutenant General Mitsuo Nakazawa, commander of the 40th Army, cursed.

The current army of the island country is no longer the elite force of the past. Although the island nation has formed a large number of troops, most of them are recruits who have just joined the army. Moreover, the proportion of young and middle-aged people is only half, and the other half is old and weak. Not even equipped with enough weapons and equipment, it is simply impossible for such an army to fight against the elite German army.

"Order the 4th Artillery Headquarters to fire with full force to stop the German army!" Lieutenant General Mitsuo Nakazawa ordered.

In addition to the 146th Infantry Division and the 303rd Infantry Division, the troops under the 40th Army also have the 125th Independent Mixed Brigade and the 4th Artillery Command, including the 9th Independent Field Artillery Corps. The 28th Field Heavy Artillery Battalion, the 20th Field Heavy Artillery Battalion, the 44th Independent Heavy Artillery Battalion, the 8th Self-Propelled Artillery Battalion, and the 21st, 24th and 25th Mortar Battalions.

I have to admit that the artillery strength of the 40th Army of the Japanese Army is still very strong. When the battleships of the German Navy were bombarded fiercely, these

artillerymen were hidden and did not show up. But now, if you don't open fire, the 40th Army of the Japanese Army will be defeated.

"Boom! Boom! Boom!"

The island army's 150mm howitzers, 105mm howitzers, 75mm field guns, 75mm mountain guns and mortars of various calibers fired one after another. A large number of shells fell from the sky, causing a lot of trouble to the German army.

However, when hundreds of dive bombers visited the artillery positions of the Japanese army, the entire artillery positions were bombed into a mess.

As the German army landed on a large scale, the main infantry unit of the 40th Army of the Japanese Army was continuously defeated. As a last resort, Lieutenant General Mitsuo Nakazawa had no choice but to request reinforcements from the higher headquarters.

The 16th Front Army under the jurisdiction of the 2nd General Army of the island country is stationed on Kyushu Island. The 40th Army was stationed in Fukuoka. Although the Luftwaffe had already bombed Fukuoka into ruins before. However, the ports here are still very useful to the German army. Therefore, the German army chose to land here.

After receiving the 40th Army's request for help, Lieutenant General Yokoyama Isamu, commander of the 16th Front Army of the Island Army, immediately ordered the 40th Army to fight to the end and not to retreat. At the same time promised to send reinforcements to reinforce them.

Lieutenant General Isamu Yokoyama ordered the 56th Army under the 16th Front Army to reinforce Fukuoka from Kitakyushu. In addition, the 25th, 57th, and 77th Divisions directly under the 16th Front Army, and the independent and mixed 64th, 107th, and 118th Brigades also rushed to Fukuoka from various parts of Kyushu Island.

It's just that, now that the German Air Force has gained air supremacy, the transfer of the island country's army cannot be hidden from the German army at all. Both the Luftwaffe and the Navy dispatched a large number of fighter planes to bomb these reinforcements of the island army. Not only made their marching speed slow, but also paid heavy losses.

On the afternoon of October 18, the German army completely drove the 40th Army of the Island Army out of Fukuoka and took control of the surrounding areas of Fukuoka.

Although when the army of the island country withdrew from Fukuoka, it detonated the explosives buried in the port, destroying most of the port. However, with the efforts of German engineers, it is still possible to load and unload materials through the port. This allowed the German Army's 3rd Army and 13th Army to disembark faster. A large number of heavy weapons were also quickly disembarked.

"Asshole, organize a counterattack immediately, and we must drive the Germans into the sea. Our reinforcements are already on the way and will arrive tomorrow!" Lieutenant General Mitsuo Nakazawa roared with red eyes.

With no alternative, the remaining units of the 40th Infantry Army of the Japanese Army had no choice but to muster up the courage to attack the German positions.

However, the attack of these troops is destined to be an act of death.

They not only have to face the bombing of the German Air Force and Navy carrier-based aircraft units, but also have to withstand the firepower of the German Navy warships and the powerful firepower of the German Army.

"Come on! His Majesty the Emperor is onboard! The Empire is onboard!"

"Kill all the Germans!"

Countless soldiers of the island nation, armed with bayonet-mounted rifles, chanted slogans and rushed towards the German positions.

Perhaps, the soldiers of these island armies are poorly equipped and undertrained. But I have to admit, they are very brave. Even in the face of the powerful firepower of the German army, they were not frightened, as if they didn't care about life and death at all.

"Boom! Boom!"

Constant shells and bombs fell, tearing countless island soldiers to pieces.

But more soldiers from the island nation continued to attack.

"Da da da!"

The TA-152 fighter jets and carrier-based FW-190 fighter jets in the sky were strafing with aviation machine guns, reaping the lives of soldiers from these island countries.

There are very few troops that can really rush to the front of the German defense line.

Facing the machine guns and mortars on the German defense line, they have only a dead end.

Under the order of the island army to fight to the end, the German army wiped out these island armies with little effort, but it just consumed more ammunition.

"God! Are those islanders not afraid of death? I bet I killed at least twenty islanders."

"The islanders are all lunatics, we must kill them. Otherwise, once they break through our defenses, we will pay a heavy price!"

A German soldier couldn't help but shuddered. He didn't want to engage in hand-to-hand combat with these crazy islanders.

So, these German soldiers accelerated their firing speed one after another.

Countless island soldiers were torn to pieces by the powerful firepower of the German army, and many people who survived by luck lay on the battlefield and wailed. Perhaps at this time, after the madness in their minds fades, they will feel fear.

The German army completely annihilated the 40th Army of the Japanese Army before sunset, with more than 60,000 soldiers, almost completely wiped out.

The casualties of the German army in this battle were very small. Of course, the brave attack method of the island army also shocked the German soldiers. If it weren't for their strong will to fight, they might have been frightened.

On October 19, the main forces of the German 3rd Army and the 13th Army faced the 56th Army of the Japanese Army and the troops directly under the 16th Front Army in the north and east of Fukuoka respectively.

The army of the island country is still very crazy and very brave. But it is a pity that in front of the German army armed to the teeth, no matter how brave the army of these island countries is, they still cannot cause much trouble to the German army.