

SOVILT NEWSREEL "APPROACHES TO WARSAW".

FRONT REPORT NO. 7 - 1944.

Dawn. Soviet Armies approaching the district of Praga. Shots of the General Staff and Colonel-General Kazakov.

Artillery firing and Katoushas in action. Artillery goes into action.

A captured German Tank (with the Oakleaf and Acorn on its side) is seen. A special honour is attached to this Teutonic symbol.

Tanks go through the gap made by the artillery,

Together with the Soviet Forces, Polish detachments fight for their native land.

The outer defences of the Praga Fortress are breached. Strongpoints and concrete pillboxos are seen in ruins.

Marshal of the Soviet Union Rokosovsky (with long cigarette).

From H.Q., Praga can be seen through field glasses.

The East bank of the River Vistula.

Tanks and armour advancing through the outskirts of the town. Heavy street fighting.

The end of the six-day battle.

The enemy defends the last streets of Praga. The German Fortress, Praga, on the River Vistula, has fallen.

Polish Regiment marching through the streets - it has been given the special title of PRAGA REGIMENT.

The Polish population welcomes its liberators with enthusiasm. Polish women give food to the soldiers.

Shots of Colonel-General Bulganin, C.-in-C. of Soviet Forces, and Goneral Rola-Zymiorski, Head of the Polish Liberation Forces.

Aerial shots of WARSAW.