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## Allies May Hand Japan New Ultimatum

New Bomb May Hit Tokyo Next

Japanese Morale
Is Shaken, Radio
Broadcasts Show

Great Britain Tried To Save French Fleet


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Ace Of Aces, Dies In Jet Explosion

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A Disquieting Report
The information in the Mead War Investigating Com
mittee's annual report is neither pleasant nor new. But under present circumstances, it carries a particularly pain-
ful jolt. the civilian agencies; the
each other; there is lack
jurisdiction, responsibility inferentially the present administration ity. Directly and a model of
We have won one war and are winning another. But tivity, spirit and combat leadership than through exem
plary management in Washington. Once again the committee report tells of reconversion
plans that were started too late, interrupted by Army
pressure for fear the people would grow complacent, the resumed after Germany's defeat in a slow and stumbling power and supplies. It points out that freezing specia situation worse

## The report warns of what may happen if a sudden

 ndustry unprepared, and unable to withstand an aval The committee's urgent advice that the director var mobilization and reconversion become the supervis should have been takeems necessary.
hat the equally necessary, it seems to us, is another step rastic change of attitude in some of leur biggest industrie There have been grievous wartime sins by both sides -price cheating and inferior armament production by fe-saving materials by some unions.

But instead of
ther, both side
ituperative charges and counter-charges years in hurling nce tables, in print, an
ogether. But they have not yet made any rey must solv effort to find a foo
and face the task

Individuality And The Presidency
Some Washington New Dealers, a columnist reports
are disturbed by President Truman's failure to accent th
people's "mandate" and follow the late President Roose elt's program a
hey seem to New Dealers."
The broad Roosevelt program is the Truman progran
and the people's program: swift and total victory, lastin ment and prosperity an has the right to ch
espects for their ability, who are agreeable, sympathetic The people's "mandate" is not undeviating and
exorable, for Roosevelt had to alter his program to m circumstances from time to time, as any head of state takes. But he deserves the right to be criticized for th
as an individual acting on his own initiative, and not ar situation.
Trumian, pledged to was elected by a majority of the American people on
Roosevelt's ticket. But to ask that he be another Roose elt is asking the impossible.
Today Truman is President of the United States, a
riphtly and legally as if he had been elected. If he ha done a good job it is because he has attacked his grea An organization of vegetarians in Cleveland has dis
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