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DUNKIRK DOCKS BOMBED

Squadrons of Spitfires took a force of Boston bombers to attack targets in the Dunkirk docks area this afternoon and once again the bombers were all brought safely back.

Fighters and bombers flew out low over the South-east coast climbing to bombing height as they approached France, while the Bostons, covered by Spitfires, bombed the docks and buildings, other squadrons of fighters swept the area looking for enemy fighters.

Bombers and their close escort were unmolested except for heavy flak going in, but as they came out, the covering squadrons of Spitfires went into action, successfully driving off enemy fighters which attempted to interfere.

One of our fighters is missing.

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