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ARMY

On the 8th Army front further progress was made in the face of determined enemy resistance.

Our positions north of the Moro River were improved and widened. Strong enemy counter-attacks were thrown back.

On the 5th Army front positions were further consolidated and patrols were active.

AIR

Bad weather yesterday curtailed our operations, and there was no enemy activity. Fighters and fighter-bombers flew offensive patrols and bombed ground targets. They destroyed a number of motor vehicles near Chieti and attacked Itri. Terracina railway yards and airfield were attacked by medium bombers.

None of our aircraft is missing.

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