

1: The Pacific War

In his presentation on the Hill. Ed Timperlake discussed the technology, training and tactics necessary to prevail in 21st century Pacific operations.

Missouri in Tokyo Bay on September 2, AP Photo December 7, This picture, taken by a Japanese photographer, shows how American ships are clustered together before the surprise Japanese aerial attack on Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, on Sunday morning, Dec. Minutes later the full impact of the assault was felt and Pearl Harbor became a flaming target. The ship sank with more than 80 percent of its 1,man crew. The attack, which left 2, Americans dead and missing, broke the backbone of the U. Pacific Fleet and forced America out of a policy of isolationism. Roosevelt announced that it was "a date which will live in infamy" and Congress declared war on Japan the morning after. Eight miles from Pearl Harbor, shrapnel from a Japanese bomb riddled this car and killed three civilians in the attack. Two of the victims can be seen in the front seat. The Navy reported there was no nearby military objective. Navy December 7, Heavy damage is seen on the destroyers, U. Cassin and the U. Downes, stationed at Pearl Harbor after the Japanese attack on the Hawaiian island. Navy Wreckage, identified by the U. Navy as a Japanese torpedo plane, was salvaged from the bottom of Pearl Harbor following the surprise attack Dec. AP Photo April 18, For a year the world knew no more than that. AP Photo June AP Photo June 4, AP Photo August 3, After hammering Port Moresby for two days, Japanese bombers finally sank this Australian transport which sends up a cloud of smoke. She drifted onto a reef and heeled over. Flaming oil can be seen at left. The men in a small boat, foreground, are looking for victims. Members of the crew of a U. Destroyer get a good look at a Japanese twin-motored bomber shot down by U. One third of the end of the fuselage was shot off. Barely discernible above the waves, one member of the crew of the plane clings to the starboard wing. After landing in force, U. Marines, with full battle kits, charge ashore on Guadalcanal Island from a landing barge during the early phase of the U. Crewmen picking their way along the sloping flight deck of the aircraft carrier Yorktown as the ship listed, head for damaged sections to see if they can patch up the crippled ship. AP Photo October 16, Navy scout planes are seen in flight above their carrier. AP Photo November 5, With the towering 20, feet peak of Mt. McKinley as a backdrop, a formation of U. The military tank was used against the Japanese in the battle of the Tenaru River during the early stages of fighting. AP Photo May After defending the island for nearly a month, American and Filipino soldiers surrender to Japanese invasion troops on Corregidor island, Philippines. AP Photo January While on a bombing run over Salamau, New Guinea, before its capture by Allied forces, photographer Sgt. Bomb bursts can be seen below in lower left and a ship at upper right along the beach. Army Force February 2, Two American soldiers of the 32nd Division cautiously fire into a Japanese dugout before entering it for inspection during a drive on Buna, which resulted in a defeat of Japanese forces in the Papaun peninsula of New Guinea during World War II. Army Signal Corps Jan. Native stretcher bearers rest in the shade of a coconut grove as they and the wounded American soldiers they are carrying from the front lines at Buna, New Guinea take the opportunity to relax. The wounded are on their way to makeshift hospitals in the rear. The smoke is from mortar fire during the fierce fighting in the final assault which took Buna, the Japanese stronghold. AP Photo March 22, Greenwood, a Marine, sits in the cockpit of a Grumman Wildcat fighter plane, based at Henderson Field, Guadalcanal, that is credited with shooting down 19 Japanese aircraft, as illustrated by the number of Japanese flags on his plane. Several different pilots have flown the ship during successful missions, but Sgt. Greenwood has remained plane captain. AP Photo May 11, American invasion troops of the 7th Infantry Division approach a landing area code-named Beach Red in the western arm of Holtz Bay, on Japanese-occupied Attu island in Alaska. AP Photo June 23, AP Photo July 6, Across this valley on Attu up above the fog line that obscures the tops of the mountains lie the passes that lead to Holtz Bay and Chichagof Bay. In the Valley at right center leading back into the mountains are strong Japanese positions shown. Marine is given a plasma transfusion by nurse Mae Olson aboard an aerial evacuation unit, over Guadalcanal, Solomon Islands. AP Photo August Wounded American soldiers are seen as they lie aboard a lighter onshore at Munda Point, New Georgia island. AP Photo November This platoon wiped out

30 Japanese pill boxes. Left to right are: Billups, Columbus Ohio; and Staff Sgt. Douglas Ayres, Los Angeles. AP Photo November 2, A B bomber of the U. Army 5th Air Force strikes against a Japanese ship in the harbor at Rabaul, New Britain during an air raid on the Japanese-held air and naval base. A supply ship, one of two that the Japanese were able to work through U. Air attacks, explodes in Rangoon Harbor center after a direct hit by a bomb from a Tenth U. Hits also were scored on port facilities, seen smoking top center. Note numerous small craft moored at docks and offshore, right. AP Photo November 20, Under attack from Japanese machine gun fire on the right flank, men of the th Infantry are seen as the wade through coral bottom water on Yellow Beach Two, Butaritari, during the assault on the Makin atoll, Gilbert Islands. Crewmen of a U. The boat is the Kinugawa Maru, beached by the Japanese after being riddled by American gunners. Coast guardsmen took part in the original invasion of the Solomons. Infantry, are seen on a beach in the Solomon Islands. They are in their traditional dress for a tribal ceremony at Christmastime. From left to right are, Pfc. Dale Winney, Gallup, N. Perry Toney, Holbrook, Ariz. Joe Gishi, Holbrook; and Pfc. Army Signal Corps December 26, Marines march ashore as they arrive in six landing crafts at Cape Gloucester on the northwestern coast of New Britain Island, New Guinea. The Allied forces made a second big invasion operation of the Japanese occupied island in an attempt to capture the big air base of Rabual, on the southwestern coast of the island. Coast Guard January Marines carry their weapons and ammunition overhead as they wade through a wetland area at Cape Gloucester, New Britain Island. Marine Raiders, with the reputation of being skillful jungle fighters, pose in front of a Japanese stronghold they conquered at Cape Totkina, Bougainville. AP Photo February 23, Captain Carter, upper center with map, briefs his men for amphibious assault operations at Arawe, New Britain aboard a troop transport ship. AP Photo February Marine Corps May The first wave of U. Army Signal Corps March AP Photo March

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1. *Meeting Challenges of 2nd Nuclear Age Technology, Training and Tactics; Fighting Back in the Pacific* Ed Timperlake Editor, Second.

Edit Leckie was born on December 18, After boot camp at Parris Island during which he failed miserably at the rifle test he was assigned to his company at New River. There he got promoted to the rank of Private First Class, which Leckie holds in high regard. At New River, he eventually finds friendship. He first meets Pfc. Bill "Hoosier" Smith , who was a runner for Captain "High-Hips", who Leckie did not like at first because of his surly nature which hid some apprehension and fear for what lay in store for him at Guadalcanal. He next meets Pfc. Wilbur "Bud" "Runner" Conley , who was a runner in prep school before the war. They all became good friends throughout the war, with Chuckler becoming the unofficial leader of the group. Guadalcanal Campaign On a navy ship with his friends talking about what is in store for them, Chuckler suggests that it is going to be a turkey shoot, while Leckie quotes the Greek poet Homer just before the regiment goes topside. Leckie after the Battle of the Tenaru He and the 1st Marine Regiment are then seen landing on the shores of Guadalcanal with the rest of the 1st Marine Division , strangely, with no resistance. He later participates in the Battle of the Tenaru with his unit, in what his friend Chuckler later describes as a turkey shoot, which he suspected from the beginning. At the end of the battle, while Leckie and his comrades look over the hundreds of dead Japanese lying on the beach and floating in the surf, two Japanese soldiers burst out of the jungle. One is shot dead immediately, the other thrashes around in the outlet of the creek, distraught and yelling. Disgusted by the torture, Leckie draws his own pistol and shoots the man dead. Leckie later watches his friend get promoted to Corporal by Lt. Hugh "Ivy League" Corrigan ; however, Leckie was virtually ignored, despite having done similar deeds, leading to Leckie developing a dislike of Corrigan. Leckie is later seen greeting the 1st Battalion, 7th Marine Regiment along with the rest of his unit. Leckie and Chuckler in the trenches of Guadalcanal Leckie is later seen reading one of his letters to Vera aloud to his friends. He is then seen eating peaches that he stole from an Army division that always had more food, water, and any other essentials than the 1st Marine Division. After drinking the syrup from the can too quickly, Leckie vomits. Leckie is given the nickname "Peaches" by Runner who was suffering from the runs at that time. Later that night, Leckie and the others endure a Japanese bombing. They make it, but they are severely shaken the next morning, including Leckie. They fight for another month, before they get on a navy ship destined for Melbourne where a crewman tells them that the Division is regarded as being heroes for their part in Guadalcanal. Melbourne Edit Leckie and his friends are later seen in Melbourne, where many of the marines have gone UA unauthorized absence , including Leckie and all of his friends save for Hoosier, who wanted to catch some extra sleep. Leckie later bumps into an Australian girl named Stella , whom he dates and stays with her family during his time in Melbourne. They bond and fall in love during this time. While visiting with Stella, she tells him that he must leave and never return. She states that her mother has also become very fond of him and she would hate to see how harshly this would effect her mother should he be killed and never return. Leckie becomes incredulous because Stella is basically telling him that he is going to die. After being dumped Leckie gets shitfaced and upon returning to camp meet Chuckler who begs him to stand guard for a few moments while he steps out to relieve himself. Reluctantly he agrees and while Chuckler is gone Lt Corrigan approaches an obviously drunken Leckie, an argument ensues, Chuckler returns and they both end up in the brig. Forced to wear uniforms with large "eight balls" painted on, to identify an escapee, they both return to camp to discover that Leckie has been transferred out of Corrigan's unit to an intelligence unit. Leckie and Chuckler after their one night incarceration Cape Gloucester Edit Leckie taking cover in Cape Gloucester Leckie is later part of the Battle of Cape Gloucester, where he experiences a harsh environment, as well as harsh new officer, Lt. During one patrol, Leckie is put in the rear position. However, he later hears a twig snapping and thought that the four men approaching were his until the helmet silhouettes were made more clear, revealing them to be Japanese soldiers. He hides behind a log for a while before he opens fire, killing all four of the soldiers before they could even shoot, earning praise from 2nd Lt. Stone , if only a small amount. He continues to write letters to

Vera. One night, a battle ensues, and Leckie is forced to stay in a tent and burn some intelligence papers if the camp is overrun. He watches as his friends defeat the Japanese. During a patrol through their camp, he finds a box that once belonged to a Japanese officer that contained a Japanese pistol among other things. This box and pistol are later confiscated by Larkin, whom he later steals his pistol back from, causing a confrontation between the two, ultimately ending with Larkin sending Leckie to mess hall duty. Larkin also points out that Leckie has accidentally urinated in his pants, and he goes to a medic to find out that he has nocturnal enuresis. There was nothing he could do about it in Cape Gloucester, however, and he kept urinating in his sleep. At some point, he finds Canadian transfer, Lt. Lebec shooting himself in the head in an act of suicide; the man strips himself naked and kills himself while Leckie watches completely stunned. Leckie and his friends participate in a "Stateside Lottery" which determined who among the Marines will go home. However, Leckie and his friends could not participate because of all the trouble they have caused throughout their time in the war prior, much to their anger and frustration. Leckie is later admitted to a Naval hospital in the neighboring island of Banika for treatment of his enuresis. While there, he finds Pfc. Ronnie Gibson, a fellow marine who was admitted to the psych ward for attempting suicide after being caught trying to steal a plane and flying home while on Pavuvu. After some time of comfort and boredom, even though he was still afflicted with nocturnal enuresis at the time, he later gets out of the hospital with the help of the head doctor, handing over his pistol as a bribe. While he is leaving, he talks with Gibson, who has clearly been traumatized and disturbed by his experiences. As Leckie walks out, Gibson tells him that he hopes that his death will be swift and painless, for to him, it is better than participating in the Pacific war. Leckie then leaves to find his friends playing a game outside. Leckie then gives his opinion on religion, basically that if God cared about them, why is he letting the war happen? Sledge replies that God does not need to. Leckie then tries to sell Sledge a bible, the latter whom already has a pocket-sized one. Peleliu Edit Leckie in Peleliu Leckie later participates in the Battle of Peleliu, where he witnesses many horrible incidents: Leckie could not find Chuckler during the assault. Fortunately, Runner catches up to Leckie unscathed and is told that Hoosier got hit. They are later seen in a foxhole alone, with Runner sleeping but Leckie lying awake. Leckie after Peleliu Leckie later participates in the Airfield assault, where he sees many marines get killed in the process. Runner gets shot, but not too seriously, and Leckie goes to get a corpsman and a radio operator to replace the one who just died of his wounds. During his fruitless search, he is knocked back by an explosion, collides with a tree and the impact wounds him badly. He survives and later finds Runner with his arm in a sling, who forgives him for not finding a corpsman during the battle. Leckie is then seen taking a last look at Peleliu before his boat leaves to take him home. Return Home Edit Offscreen, Leckie soon reunites with his friends once more, with Chuckler and Hoosier having survived their respective wounds. The next time we encounter Leckie is in a hospital, where he learns that the war is over and that the Japanese surrendered, much to his surprise. After returning from the hospital, he returns home and moves back into his house, all the while finding out to his dismay that Vera Keller was dating an army officer, Lt. He gets his old job back at the local newspaper and was typing on his typewriter, until he saw Vera come back home. His mother encourages him to go after Vera and wear his dress blues, which he has never worn. They continue to date and he and Vera eventually marry and have three children: David, Geoff, and Joan. According to Vera, in he was inspired to write a memoir after seeing *South Pacific*, a musical on Broadway and walking out halfway through. He said "I have to tell the story of how it really was. Leckie subsequently wrote more than 40 books on American war history, spanning from the French and Indian War to Desert Storm. This page uses Creative Commons Licensed content from [[Wikipedia:

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Within hours they pushed their way inland despite heavy transport losses at the hands of the few British aircraft that were in the area. Other attacks by Japanese forces across the Pacific followed in rapid succession, the largest of them aimed at the giant American naval base at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, where it was still December 7. The Japanese however, did not anticipate the angry backlash which came as a result of their use of force at Pearl Harbor. A negotiated settlement of the type envisioned by Japanese high command became impossible. In the end, a grimly determined Allied coalition fought its way back across the Pacific, island by island, until the twin spectres of nuclear bombardment and war with the Soviet Union forced Imperial intervention and the end of war. This military solution called for the complete occupation of Southeast Asia and the Dutch East Indies in order to secure much needed raw resources. The most famous part of this plan was executed with a dawn attack against the American Army and Navy bases located on the pacific island of Oahu, Hawaii. They did not however, catch any of the priceless American aircraft carriers in port, nor did the Japanese task force commander authorize a second round of sorties which were strongly recommended by his flight officers. This second sortie could have destroyed valuable American oil reserves which lay in vulnerable surface storage tanks immediately next to the harbor. The attack itself united American public opinion in ways that the U. S. news of the devastating raid against Pearl Harbor was telegraphed to Washington, orders were sent far and wide to American and Commonwealth forces in the Pacific " Unbeknownst to him the Japanese bomber fleet in Formosa had been delayed by weather, allowing an eight-hour gap to occur in the tight Japanese time table. MacArthur wasted this precious window of opportunity by failing to put extra fighters into the air. He did not even move the hundreds of aircraft under his command off of the open tarmacs where they were arrayed in neat rows. Virtually no action was taken despite the very recent knowledge that the German Luftwaffe had devastated grounded enemy air fleets in the opening minutes and hours of a campaign. When Japanese bombers finally arrived late over the Philippines, they were surprised to discover no extra resistance, no extra fighter opposition, and best of all the entire American bomber fleet lined up neatly in rows. The war was certainly off to a good start for them. Within two days Japanese infantry landed in Northern Luzon and by December 22 an entire army had successfully come ashore, triggering the allied evacuation of Manila and a fighting withdrawal to the Bataan Peninsula in southwestern Luzon. For the British and their commonwealth allies, December 8 was an equally bitter day. War sightings arrived furiously as a series of Japanese convoys landed troops along the coasts of Malaya and Siam Thailand. The first shots of the war were fired by the Japanese when they downed a British plane attempting to shadow their Malaya-bound troop convoy. Both vessels were originally sent by the British government as a warning to Japan of Royal Navy might. But as of the evening of December 8, even the pugnacious Winston Churchill admitted that he had become concerned about its safety. This concern came too late, as Japanese bombers caught the two battleships as they retired to Singapore and sank both of them within a few hours. Marine garrison on the central Pacific island of Wake. This last loss triggered another retreat south into Singapore. On January 10, Imperial forces began the second phase of conquest by landing in the northern areas of the Dutch East Indies. By the middle of the month Burma was invaded and in early February after a brief defense, British General A. Percival surrendered Singapore to the Japanese. A disjointed defense was prepared for the southern Dutch East Indies, but this was quickly overcome by meticulously orchestrated blows delivered at the hands of the Japanese Army and Navy. The local allied fleet was virtually wiped out during the Battle of the Java Sea and its aftermath. On April 8, the American Army in the Philippines surrendered to Japanese troops besieging them at Bataan, and on May 5, the harbor bastion at Corregidor also fell.

4: Teresia Teaiwa on refugee rights in the Pacific: "Mana whenua leads to mana tangata" Fight

In a garage in north Spokane that's been converted into a boxing gym, Jacob Szilasi gets ready to go to work. He gives each nostril a blast of nasal spray to help him breathe through a nose that's.

These places are sometimes called theaters of war. Japanese Battleships - Japan had a powerful navy Photo by Unknown Leading up to the War Japan wanted to become a strong country and a world leader. However, because Japan was a small island country, they had to import many natural resources. Some Japanese leaders felt they needed to gain more land by conquering other countries. In Japan invaded China. They wanted to dominate all of Southeast Asia. He had been a strong supporter of Japan joining the Axis Powers. They surprised the US and sunk many ships. However, this attack did not have the effect the Japanese had hoped. The attack at Pearl Harbor united the Americans with the goal of defeating the Axis powers, and especially Japan. The War The Japanese quickly took over much of Southeast Asia and were well on their way to dominance by Badly outnumbered, the US Navy sunk four Japanese aircraft carriers and forced the Japanese to retreat. Winning this battle gave the Americans cause for hope and was a turning point in the war in the Pacific. Marines rest in the field on Guadalcanal Photo by John L. They fought to take over strategic islands in the Pacific. One of the first major battles was over the island of Guadalcanal. After fierce fighting the US was able to take the island, but they learned that fighting the Japanese was not going to be easy. Iwo Jima took 36 days of fighting to take the island. However, the Japanese would not surrender. American leaders felt that the only way to get Japan to surrender would be to invade the main island of Japan. However, they feared this would cost the lives of up to 1 million US soldiers. Instead of invading, President Harry S. Truman decided to use a new weapon called the atomic bomb. The first atomic bomb was dropped on Hiroshima, Japan on August 6, It completely destroyed the city and killed thousands and thousands of people. Japan did not surrender. Another atomic bomb was dropped on Nagasaki, Japan. This time the Japanese decided to surrender. Doolittle demonstrated that large B bomber planes could take off from air craft carriers. Japanese fighter pilots would purposely crash their planes into US ships in what were called Kamikaze attacks. They agreed to attack Japanese forces in Manchuria on August 8, This also helped in forcing Japan to surrender. This includes the killing of up to 20 million Chinese people. They used biological weapons and tortured prisoners of war. Activities Take a ten question quiz about this page.

5: BBC launches fake news fight-back with global campaign - The Hindu

After the Battle of Midway the United States began to fight back against the Japanese. They fought to take over strategic islands in the Pacific.

Teresia Teaiwa on refugee rights in the Pacific: Fightback previously interviewed Teresia here. You have said that Australian refugee centres in Manus and Nauru are exploiting the desperation of those communities, alongside the widely-reported abuse of refugees. Who benefits from exploitation and abuse in Manus and Nauru? Well, no one truly benefits from exploitation and abuse ever. Oppressors lose their humanity in the process of dehumanizing others. The operation of detention centres in Manus and on Nauru is part of a wider industrial network that links the privatisation of prisons with defence and mining. Companies that have received contracts from the Australian state to manage the detention centres have made millions of dollars in profit by providing minimal and sub-standard living conditions. Of course, theoretically, the people of Manus and Nauru are supposed to benefit from the detention centres as well. I remember in the early s that the huge attraction of the detention centre for Nauruans was the promise of a regular fresh water and electricity supply. In both the Manus and Nauru cases, jobs and income are considered direct benefits of the detention centres for locals. But this is my concern: Nauru has already been environmentally decimated by phosphate mining, and to go from an extractive industry to a detention centre is nothing more than a downward spiral. No one can be uplifted by the detention indeed, the inhumane imprisonment of others. In an interview with E-Tangata, you recently warned of the danger of painting a people with just one brush stroke. Is this also the warning you are offering about portrayals of Nauru in recent media coverage? My problem with the media coverage of Manus and Nauru, especially by the New Zealand and Australian media, is that the interest has been solely driven by the detention centres. Of course, the media industry needs crisis in order to invest resources in investigating and reporting stories. Unfortunately, the well-meaning activism that has emerged in response to the horrific abuses of detainees has also fallen into the trap of painting Manus and Nauru as simply sites. I feel certain that if the welfare of Manusians and Nauruans was put first, there would either be no detention centres, or the detainees would actually be well cared for. How does your own whakapapa interact with your take on this story? The Nauruans have an oral tradition that Banaba was formed as the result of a traumatic event on Nauru. I have had relatives and friends who have lived, worked, and married on Nauru, and I was able to visit there twice in the s. I developed a great affection for the island and people from those two visits I fell in love with the geography, especially the pinnacle formations along the coast, and the Buada Lagoon inland. The Nauruan participants came from a range of ages and experiences, but what they had in common was an incredible wealth of both indigenous and worldly knowledge, a wicked sense of humour, and serious story-telling talent. I have not been to Manus, but I remember when I was on my way to Madang last year, that one of the ground staff at Brisbane airport assumed that I was going to Manus when I presented my paperwork at the check-in desk. I was a bit alarmed by that just wondering, how much traffic is there from Australia to Manus? So when the riot broke out at the detention centre there early last year and a local employee and PNG police were implicated in the events and the death of Reza Barati, she felt strongly that the detention centre was a deeply corrosive influence in the community. But ultimately, the indigenous peoples of the Pacific all do share the same ancestry. And the question becomes whether we care about these fellow human beings who are distant relatives of ours or not? Australia certainly has its own refugee rights movement, alongside a strong racist current even among the working majority. How much hope do you hold for anti-imperialist movements in countries like Australia and New Zealand? Unfortunately, human rights discourse these days often falls short of critiquing imperialism. And some of our socialist comrades are pretty quick to buy into one-dimensional representations of Papua New Guineans and Nauruans as primitivist brutes, without trying to nuance their analyses not trying to understand, for example, what complex social tensions might be at play in the indigenous societies of Manus and Nauru under the circumstances. Some are very clear about the kind of life that they are after: But most would much rather not have had to leave their homes in the first place. From what I understand the Prime Minister was actually incorrect in his categorization of the New

Zealanders being detained on Christmas Island. Some of the larger questions here are about who gets to have freedom of movement across national borders, and who gets to have human rights? Christmas Island also interests me as it is an island that attracted phosphate mining in the twentieth century like Banaba and Nauru. But it would be a radical improvement on the way decisions are made and actions are being taken or not taken now. Australia does not deserve to chair that council, and if human rights NGOs, indigenous rights and anti-imperialist movements can mobilize to get their bid defeated through lobbying among the G77 countries, especially, then I think we will empower Australians to hold their country more accountable for the appalling human rights abuses in the detention centres. If Australia wins their bid, there will be no incentive for the government to make any changes, because becoming chair of the UN Human Rights Council will essentially vindicate the current policy. This is because their encounters are being mediated by the Australian state and its contracted proxies. Readers of this article need to demonstrate their solidarity with and concern for BOTH the refugees and the people of Nauru and Manus. The readers of this article need to put pressure on their governments and elected officials to demand accountability—and more importantly, CHANGE—from the Australian government in relation to the abuses in its offshore detention centres. Some of the media point out that Nauru has an authoritarian government that is curbing international media access and also tampering with the judiciary and perverting the rule of law. The government of Papua New Guinea is also facing accusations of corruption and poor governance. If we take time to think about these things, I believe that right action will flow. But we are being connected in ways that are not of our own making. We need to reclaim our own sovereignty over these connections. Once we got to Fiji, and after we got over our disorientation, we realised that we could not depend on the British to safeguard our future—after all, they were gleefully mining our homeland. So we found out whose indigenous lands we had been moved to, and we paid tribute to them, acknowledging their customary stewardship. We cannot assume that the government that welcomes or rejects or detains refugees is representative of the indigenous people of the land. Europe has lost much of its sense of indigeneity and because of World War II keeps conflating indigeneity with ethno-nationalism. But Pacific people should not surrender our ethics of hosting to either our own governments or the governments of other countries.

6: Home - America Fighting Back PAC

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Just me and you, baby," says his coach, Jesse Mora, who enters the ring and sets a 3-minute timer. Six years ago, at age 50, he was training at a local gym for his comeback as a professional welterweight boxer. While training he met Szilasi, a kid out of Idaho eager to soak up any lessons from the older fighter. While training, Mora suffered an injury leaving him with a detached retina, a glass eye and dashed hopes of fighting professionally. He says it was hard to give up his fighting ambitions. Szilasi, 26, is 5 foot 7 and has a fighting weight of pounds. He has clipped red hair, a short red beard, and a chipped tooth from sparring with Mora. He had his first fight with a neighborhood kid in a trailer court in St. Maries, Idaho, the town where he spent most of his childhood. But after graduation, Szilasi stuck around St. He says he fell in with drug dealers and addicts. After a particularly bad bar brawl, he decided it was time for a change and moved to Spokane in , where he started training at Spokane Boxing and Martial Arts. There he met Mora, who taught him to jab and how to snap back a punch to make it sting. One Saturday in April , he felt a deep pain in his right testicle that turned out to be testicular cancer. He underwent chemotherapy, leaving him weakened and unable to train. He also underwent surgery. In August, his chemotherapy ended, leaving him weakened but with renewed focus on training. A year later, still weak from the cancer, Szilasi approached Mora. White as a ghost. But Szilasi looked him in the eye and asked once again. Szilasi wakes up at 5: He starts the day with a glass of two or three raw eggs underneath a layer of orange juice. He does lots of calisthenics and cardio. Even in the snow, he alternates between doing sprints and running 5 to 8 miles. No partying on Friday nights. Welliver says that when Szilasi had his first fight after his cancer treatment, "he was better than ever; he came back stronger. Szilasi underwent a physical and Mora filled out some forms. That July, Szilasi received his professional boxing license in the welterweight division, becoming one of a handful of boxers in Spokane to go pro. After getting management, Szilasi started well, winning his first four fights. But he suffered a setback in April, losing a match in St. George, Utah, to a fighter with a record. In the meantime, he and Mora continue to train.

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8: What strategy did the Allies use to defeat Japan in WWII? | eNotes

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9: Tapio: Trump Fighting Back in Chinese Trade War, "Already Lost" - Neal Tapio for U.S. House

The Pacific Ocean theater, during World War II, was a major theater of the war between the Allies and the Empire of Japan.

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