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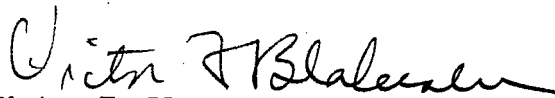
Dear Mr. Weisberg:

Enclosed are copies of the only Navy releases on the Makin Island raids.

There was, of course, much more written about these raids than is contained in the releases. I think you can find some excellent stories in the newspaper files covering the latter part of August.

Thank you for sending us the second issue of "Picture Scoop."

Sincerely yours,



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