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World War II

(1939-1945)

Student Research Guide

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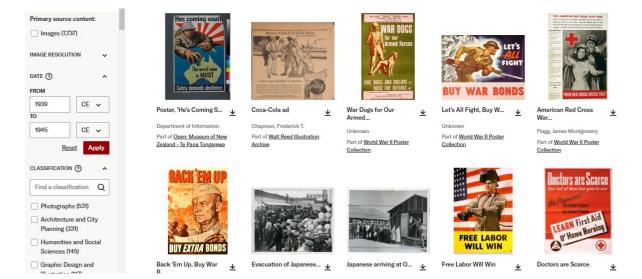








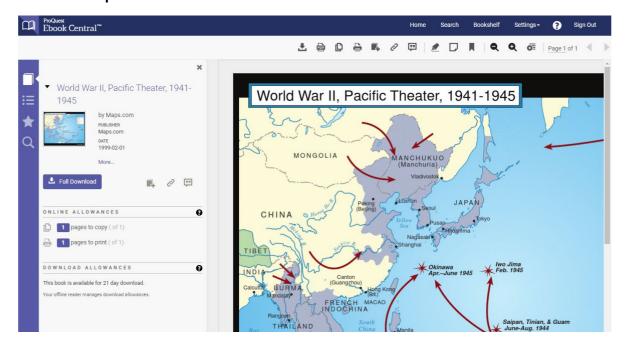
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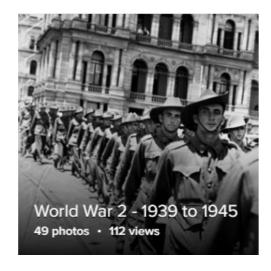


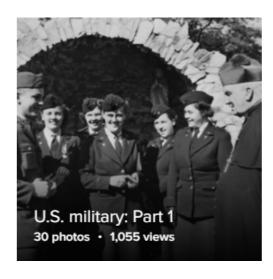


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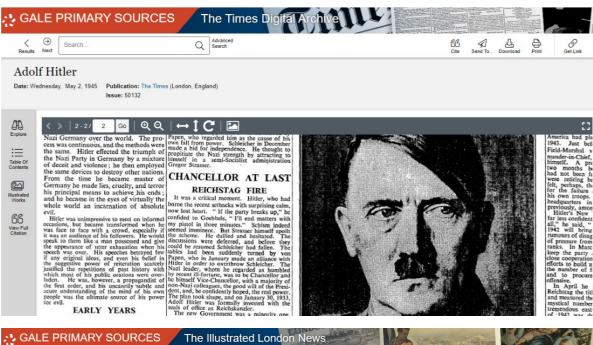






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