

OPERATION MO: THE MORESBY INVASION



*Taken from Pyramid Point near Port Moresby, this is Taurama beach where Japanese forces planned to come ashore during Operation MO.*



*Betty bombers overfly a crowded Simpson Harbour, Rabaul, in September 1943. The harbour presented a similar sight in early May 1942 when the ships of the Moresby Invasion Force assembled there. The fighter strip, Lakunai, can be seen on the right-hand side.*