Served By Leased Wire Of The Wilmington Morning Star ASSOCIATED PRESS REMEMBER **NEWS AND FEATURES** PEARL HARBOR With Complete Coverage Of State And National News AND BATAAN VOL. 49-NO. 59 WILMINGTON, N. C., WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 27, 1943 ESTABLISHED 1867. ROOSEVELT MEETS CHURCHILL IN CASABLANCA; PLAN 'UNCONTIONAL SURRENDER' OF BRITISH 8TH ARMY 12,000 Nazi ALLIED CHIEFS SET SWEEPS CLOSER TO PRECEDENT IN MOST **Troops** Left MARETH LINE AREA **MOMENTOUS MEETING** At Stalingrad MET JANUARY 14 COMPLETE ACCORD ROMMEL BRACING U. S. PUSHES FOE Practically All Of Hitler's BACK IN PACIFIC Combined Staffs In Con- Leaders Map Strategy For Axis Declares Impending **Crack Forces Now** Multi-Bladed Assault Annihilated **Prosecution Of War** stant Session For Relentlessly Wiping Out **Over** Globe Sighted 10 Days **2 SMALL UNITS REMAIN** Japs On Guadalcanal STALIN WAS INVITED HIGH OFFICIALS THERE **ALLIES CAPTURE ZAUIA** Island **Russians Say Both Groups** Russian Premier Fully In- De Gaulle And Giraud WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.- (P-Re-Doomed; Question Of Fighting French Take Over lentlessly wiping out the Japanese Meet: Military Heads Few Days . formed Of All Trans-Mopping Up Job In and pushing survivors back toward **Discuss** Plans Tripoli their beachheads on the northern actions tip of Guadalcanal, American for-LONDON, Jan. 26.-Rusces have consolidated their posi-LONDON. Jan. 26.—The tions in Kokumbona and killed 293 tured all but 12,000 German sian troops have killed or cap-CASABLANCA, French CASABLANCA, French British Eighth Army swept closer today to Tunisia's Ma-reth line, where Field Marsh-al Erwin Rommel's retreat-Morocco, January 26. - Morocco, January 26. -Here is the text o fthe official President Roosevelt and communique on the confer- Prime Minister Churchill, in ence of President Roosevelt the most unprecdented and ing weary forces were report-ed bracing for what the Axand Prime Minister Chur- momentous meeting of the century, have reached "comchill: is itself said was an impend- mastery of that territory and the carried the Red army forward The President of the Unit- plete agreement" on war ing multi-bladed Allied as- beach to the eastward - toward 245 miles, Moscow announced States and the Prime Min- plans for 1943 designed to Henderson air field-by American ed tonight in a special comister of Great Britain have bring about the "uncondition-Churchill and Roosesault. munique recorded by the Sobeen in conference near Cas- al surrender" of Germany, Itvelt have met again, this The capture of Zauia by troops. Gen. Sir Bernard L. Mont-gomery's men brought them viet monitor here. time in Casablanca, where aly, and Japan, it was disclosablanca since January 14. "The history of wars has discussions of vast imed today. **Many Dignataries Present** gomery's men brought them ably made many of their landings. never known the encirclement They were accompanied by the portance have taken Defying every tradition, ara, a port on the coastal road leading to the Axis for-tifications in Tunisia. Zauia is about 30 miles west of Trihalf way from Tripoli to Zu- under cover of darkness, to keep place. combined chiefs-of-staff of the two the President of the United countries; namely, for the United States: States flew across 5,000 miles Gen. George C. Marshall, chief-of-staff of the U. S. Army, Ad-day meeting with Winston **Crises Mark Meetings CITY EXPANSION** is about 30 miles west of Tri- canal. Its capture was announced miral Ernest J. King, comman- Churchill which saw the leadmunique said. yesterday by the Navy. Troops which first moved into poli. **DISCUSSION HELD** Of Roosevelt - Churchill der-in-chief of the U. S. Navy; ers of the two nations bring Lieut. Gen. H. H. Arnold, com-General Charles de Gaulle 40,000 Germans Killed French Enter Tripoli Since last November, the Rus-Behind in Trip i, Brig. - Gen, the village took a large quantity manding the U. S. Army Air Forof enemy supplies and equipment sians said, they had killed more and Gen. Henri Honore GieClerc's Fighting French troops there. Today, the Navy said the original units had been joined by WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—(P)—Crises mark the meet-ings of President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill. raud together for the first than 40,000 Germans and captured Suburban Representatives entered the city after a 1,500-mile And for Great Britain: trek from the Lake Chad region another which moved in from an 28,000, leaving 12,000split there in Admiral of the Fleet Sir Dudley time in a little villa just out-Meet With Council Such momentous developments as the Atlantic Charter Pound, first sea lord; General Sir side this city. two pockets yet to be liquidated. opposite direction. and will aid in mopping-up oper-"The maneuver," the Navy said "We have not yet liquidated two **On Question** and the North African follow them. Alan Brooke, chief of the Imperial Virtually the entire war

ations there, treeing seasoned empire troops to continue the westward drive.

in a communique, "resulted in small enemy groups, separated and giving United States forces unre- isolated from each other, totalling than 12,000 men, or

But the "offensive campaigns of 1943" to be launch-ed as a result of their conference at Casablanca promise to the Air Staff.

From Axis radios came nervous stricted use of Kokumbona ar eports that the Allies were plan-beach base to the east." office with representative citizens of the town," the communique con-living to fall upor Rommel and Col-Gen. Jurgen von Arnim, com-into the Guadalaanal hattle was into the Guadalcanal battle was mander of the Axis Tunisian forfrustrated in one of the fights for ces, from different directions. control of the Solomons, which in The Berlin radio said the Amerans were organizing a thrust toward the coast, probably in the lanes to New Guinea, Australia, and the South Pacific. area between Sfax and Gabes.

Dive bombers, twin engined A Vichy broadcast told of other bombers and fighting planes all Allied preparations for an offensive move to the coast further were in an aerial task force speeding toward the island. But they above Bou Arada, about 65 miles west of the coastal town of Ham-mamet fighting planes and did not drop mamet.

Day and night Allied air attacks a single bomb on United States on the enemy base of Medenine positions. Four enemy "Zeros" indicated that this strong cover- were shot down. No American ing point for the Mareth line had planes were lost. This brings to become one of the centers of Axis 781 the Japanese planes shot down Errol Flynn's Friend, Fred in the Sclomons since American resistance

Dispatches from the Tunisian Marines recaptured Guadalcanal ront said Allied patrols in the last August.

central area made substantial ad-vances over the valley areas from the Navy said, also resulted in

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Findings In Navy

Bride Death

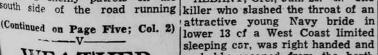
ALBANY, Ore., Jan. 26 .- (R)-The

which von Arnim now has appar- (Continued on Page Two; Col. 2) ntly withdrawn most of his forces. Activity still centered in a tri PULLMAN SLAYER

gl' formed by Pont du Fahs, Bou Arada and Ousseltia. Meanwhile, an Allied communiue declared "our forces continued to operate toward the north the Ousselfia valley," but a

nited all activity in Tunisia, by Investigators Report On did Flynn go to the upstairs bedokesman said heavy rains had ooth the Allies and Germans, to patrol operations in the battle area, 14 miles northeast of Oussel-

American and French forces ontacted enemy patrols on the



WEATHER probably escaped from the berth with little blood on his clothing, investigators reported today. District Attorney Harlow L Much colder today. Weinrick said examinations have (EASTTERN STANDARD TIME) disclosed that Mrs. Martha Virginia Brinson James, 21-year-old

(By U. S. Weather Bureau) Meteorological data for the 24 hours Inding 7:30 p. m., yesterday. 1:30 a. m., 60: 7:30 a. m., 57.9; 1:30 . m., 76.4; 7:30 p. m., 635; maximum; 76: minimum, 57.6; mean, 67.6; normal, E.

A right-handed man slashed the Humidity -: 7:30 a. m., 999; 1:30 p. m., 92. Precipitation Pic. 24 hours ending 7:

blood.

for the 24 hours ending 7:30 0.00 inches. Total since the nth, 3.37 inches.

Tides For ToTday 9:19p 5:26a 1:55p ----- 11:17a :47p 11:22a 5:31p 5:52p 5.36a 5:57p

sail Inlet _____ 11:27a times Eastern Standard) prise, 7:13 a. m.: sunset

7:30 p.

to the north of Stalingrad and the

Both these groups are doomed and their liquidation is only a of the proposed city extension proturn offord control of shipping question of two to three days." Twenty-two Nazis divisions of gram-from the cost of the project as national leaders on the decks of some 220,000 men had been re- to the ability of the city to secure ported encircled in the Don-Volga necessary materials to provide

the facilities promiesd. (Continued on Page Five; Col. 1)



With Him

that evening.

leged offense occurred.

one arising since establishment of **IS DISPUTED** the shipyard near Wilmington; but that the matter had been under

consideration for two years. "The present council," the mayor explained, " has reached the conclusion that extension must take McEvoy, Says Actor place in order that the city might nomally expand. We are interested in getting information that will assist us in finding a propre solu-

Meeting in the city manager's

tion to this whole problem. LOS ANGELES, Jan. 26.- (R)-City Attorney William B. Campbell declared that the council had fear. Fred McEvoy, host at the dinner party in the fashionable Bel Air taken into consideration, as it home where blond Betty Hansen studied the extension proposition, charges Erroy Flynn raped her, what could reasonably be considertestified today the actor was aled a feasible task, and what actual most constantly in his company cost of installation and operation of the new facilities in the added McEvoy said that at no time district would involve.

Mr. Campbell told the group that room where Betty says the althe extension program would cost the city \$624,025 and that the city Flynn is on trial charged with already has on hand, for possible

the statutory rape of Miss Han-sen, 17, and another 'teen age girl. The officials pointed out that The bedroom - the so-called bonds floated for the needed

quarters, McEvoy testified. And find a ready sale-that the credit whole world. when McEvoy retired for the of the City of Wilmington, and the night, he declared, there was no fact that the city population will rived on the new battleship Prince Allied war strategy.

be even more sensational and far-reaching than the devel opments which ensued from their Both men are confirmed breakers questions regarding every angle of precedent, and both departed

shouded Newfoundland coast Au the United Nations to be.

In opening the meeting, Mayor The stage was the whole world, Edgar L. Yow pointed out that the set by the terrifying events of that problem was not one of personalisummer as Germany assaulted Rus ties, and that the situation was not sia after devouring western Europe and Japan moved into French Indo-China to gain bases and materials for still further conquest.

had proposed four freedoms for the district.

their slum homes. Asia.

The declaration was the Atlantic Charter. It was signed in the At-France's largest Mediterranean U. H. Army. lantic and was thus named, but in port was interpreted in London repeated statements later Mr. Roos- circles as a sign of Nazi jitters "blue room"-is his own sleeping amount to cover the expense would evelt applied its outlines to the heightened by reports that an-

disarrangement of the bed on have increased appreciably will be of Wales, returned to England A Fighting French spokesman

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Latest Mass Murder **By Germans**

LONDON, Jan. 26.- (P -Two S. minister to French North Afri-One-the leaders of America and hundred and fifty French inhab- ca) and Mr. MacMillan (Harold Britain, both military and civil, We were not yet in the war, but itants of Marseille - including 80 MacMillan, British resident min- have agreed on a war plan for Mr. Roosevelt and countless others women-were reported tonight to ister for Allied Headquarters in 1943 designed to maintain the inhad repeatedly made plain their at- have been shot during the state North Africa); from Lieut. Gen. itiative in every theater of the titude toward the Axis. Against of siege ordered by the Nazis to Dwight D. Eisenhower, comman- war;

the promised "new orders" of Hit clear 40,000 persons from the laby- der-in-chief of the Allied Expediler and the Japanese Mr. Rocsevelt rinths of the city's historic port tionary Force in North Africa; agreed that peace can come only from Admiral of the Fleet Sir An- through "unconditional surrender"

human race - freedom of speech A dispatch to the Swiss Journal drew Cunningham, naval ccm- of Germany, Italy, and Japan; and religion, freedom from want and de Geneve, quoted by Reuters, im- mander of the Allied Expedition- Three-generals Giraud and de plied Nazi guns were turned on ary Force in North Africa; from Gaulle, meeting for the first time So it was that when Mr. Roose-violators of an order making the velt and Mr. Churchill met in the steep! dark, narrow streets of the mander of the Allied Expedition-and prime minister, are negotiatripe for a plan, and for a declara-tion. The plan was increased aid to Russia in her fight against the Na-zis (with whom there was to be no compromise) and concerted visi-death penalty would be imposed

lance against the Japanese in east their slum homes. Gen. Sir Harold Alexander, Air Chief Marshal Sir Arthur Tedder Russia was kept informed of the results of the conferences. fact, Churchill and Roosevelt offered to meet Stalin "very much The President was accompanied farther to the east,," but the Rusby Harry Hopkins (chairman of sian chief was unable to leave the British-American Munitions As- the U. S. S. R., due to the need nouncements soon would come of signment Board) and was joined by of his directing the present Red

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The president and prime minister also have been in communication with Generalissimo Chiang kai-Shek and "have apprised him Wrong Again After Fishing For News

of the measures which they are taking to assist him in China's magnificent and unrelaxing struggle for the common cause Five-maximum material aid to

Russia and China will be one of the prime aims of the U.S. and Britain. Six-Roosevelt visited American

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Congressional Investigation Is Ordered **On Military Relations To War Production** again.

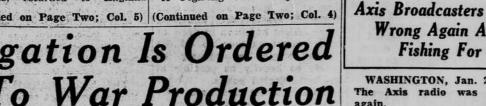
WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.— (P) — A Representatives Sasscer (D.-Md.), Baltimore yesterday. He said he armed services over what allot-Congressional investigation of Harris (D.-Va.), Fogarty (D.-R.I.), thought the "failure" to get "even ment of certain scarce items knife downward in four directions from the back of her left ear to the front of her neck, driving the blade in with such force that it reached a bone at the end of the

that "loafers" they sent to plants would name the others tomorrow. ficers." he added:

slash. The position of Mrs. James body in the berth, Weinrick said, prob-ably saved the killer from being (Ga) first approved the inquiry could organize. Whether it will are in charge of these plants run which would go into them could ably saved the killer from being Ga.), first approved the inquiry could organize. Whether it will are in charge of these plants run be used instead for high octane and then invited the Military Af-fairs committee to make it a joint cision of the committeemen, but what is first and mean what he and anti-submarine vessels.

Dregon state police, and Southern the latter group agreed Chairman Donald M. Nelson of

^{Sunrise, 7:13} a. m.; sunset, 5:37 a. ^{moonrise, 11:33; moonset, 10:47} ^{Continued} on Page Two; Col. 1) ^{Continued} on Page Two; Col. 1) ^{Continued} on Page Two; Col. 4) ^{Continued} Of Continued On Page Two; Col. 4)



WASHINGTON, Jan. 26 .- (AP) The Axis radio was wrong Only three hours before tonight's announcement of the **Roosevelt-Churchill conference**,

the radio station at Calais said:

"Churchill, who as is well known at present is staying in Washington, has been confronttion of some synthetic rubber ed by the Americans with new territorial demands in Trinicad and Jamaica-as a result of which Halifax has tendered his resignation as British ambassador. After the conslusion of his visit to Washington

Churchill will proceed to Mos-

cow."

The prime minister, who had ar- "momentous decisions" of grand

250 MARSEILLE RESIDENTS SHO

Louis Mountbatten, chief of comgust 9, 1941, to map the strategy of 80 Women Reported In Hastings Ismay, chief-of-staff to

cussions which ended Sunday They were assisted by: Lieut. General B. B. Sommer- afternoon with a press conve'l, commanding general of the ference before a group of Services of Supply, U. S. Army; war correspondents flown se-Field Marshal Sir John Dill, head cretly from Allied headquarof the British joint staff mission ters halfway across North in Washington; Vice-Admiral Lord

Africa. May Decide World's Fate

bined operations; Leut. Gen. Sir These are the high spots of the conference, which Roosevelt and the Office of Minister of Defense, together with a number of staff of- Churchill agreed was unprecedented in history and may decide the ficers of both countries. They have received visits from fatae of the world for generations Mr. Murphy (Robert Murphy, U. to come:

