Whitney Martin



NEW YORK, Jan. 29-(AP)-We're going to have to keep our eyes on the Cincinnati Reds this year, which won't be unusual. We've been keeping our eyes on the Reds for four or five years now. For a while it was easy, but the last couple of years we couldn't follow them very well. Just point to which way they went, which wasn't up.

Anyway, you can expect better things from the Reds

Rocky Mount Blackbirds in

this year. They have hired our little friend, Bill Miller, the tune of 42-32 in a rough and tum- tack and the launching of the atvoice of Tulsa, to synchronize the minds an muscles of ble fight which resulted in a total tack. They need, then, have no the athletes and make them\*

the picture of grace, and don't U. S. HITS SFAX ask us Grace who?

us on the Tulsa football team.

He did it by mail, and there is had us writing poison letters to the B-26 Marauders and escorted by P- This is the Wildows talked to us. He is very convinc-

sight. He forgot to tell us that all

The B-26's concentrated on har-however, that's water over the bor works and warehouses, setting on hand were twenty Tulsa had a pretty fair football machine, and after hearing about Glenn Dobbs throwing strikes with his passes the Rede probable for his passes, the Reds probably fig- mored forces to the north of that ured that if Little Bill could teach sector. football players to throw like that All these widespread operations in he should be able to teach athlettes Allied planes, An overnight enemy to throw a baseball, which isn't the Tunisia theater cost only two stuffed with air and consequently bombing attack in the Algiers area has a better sense of direction.

ketball teams dating back to the old Schnectady Eagles and running up through the National A.A. U. Champion Tulsa Oilers in 1933-34. Lately he has been experimenting with his theories in other sports including football, handball, ten- ers, attacked an enemy destroyer pulsed.

than a jigger, but he is as fast as said, and several near hits dam-

We have an idea that if the Reds ous in following Little Bill's exam and one was shot down. ple, they will benefit greatly.

And you've got to give him credit. too. He's taken on a big job. He's subbing for Florida sunshine.

PILOTS AWARDED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—(P)— Pilots of six planes from which parachute troops dropped into enemy in the recorder's courtroom of the plan. held territory in North Africa, have been awarded the Air Medal for next Monday. George B. Canady.

The recorder's courtroom of the plan. The real estate \$12,000,000. The effect of the decision will be next Monday. George B. Canady. The council has estimated that "excellent piloting, timing and secretary-treasurer of the club said handling of aircraft," the War Deland by Friday.

| North Africa, London observers | Sea, and the one running that Germany must surrender unbe made gradually." | Solution of the club said that Germany must surrender unbe made gradually." partment announced today. They included First Lt. William M. Tharpe,

RADIOS SPORTING GOODS



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Little Bill is the fellow who sold

no telling how far we would have gone out on the limb if he had

lie was guilty of just one over- shot from the sky.

and his aim is the development of cipated the major Allied blows which and his aim is the development of the relaxation of the muscles. It Eine Lombardi still was with the Reds he would be giving Little Bill lessons in relayation as Ernic al. lersons in relaxation, as Ernie al-ways is as relaxed as a pound of liver, and can remain motionless "There is no change in the ground for hours, even when running e

Like any pioneer, Little Bill has the day of the activities of the Am had his troubles in convincing erican ground forces which earlier skeptics that his ideas had merit, had been reported pointed toward as when a man builds a better the rear of the Mareth line in southeastern Tunisia, behind which However, his history is a history considerable of Rommel's forces of successes, and he'll practically have been deployed. guarantee results, so you can't

He's coached championship baslaugh off his theories.

nis and bowling.

Two or three years ago he gave us a hotel-room demonstration of ship and the tanker were discov-communique said. his muscle-control-and-relaxation ered next day about 14 miles northhis muscle-control-and-relaxation ideas, and we were duly impressed. A chief factor seems to be the art of putting forth effort at the exact moment it is needed, as a fellow picking an apple off a 'ree clossn't need to be picking it all the time he is reaching up for it, and the tanker suffered several considerable casualties were inflicted on enemy detachments between Kaisinek and Wandumi. The enemy now is withdrawing with our forces in pursuit."

This marked the first ground activity of note in New Guinea since it that the time he is reaching up for it, and the tanker suffered several the time he is reaching up for it, and the tanker suffered several but only when he gets his claws near hits; both these vessels were left dead in the water.

Four enemy Zeros attempted to lis'en carefully and are conscienti- intercept the assault on the ships

### Fishing Club Slates Annual Meet Monday

The annual meeting of the New Hanover Fishing club, largest fishbeen awarded the Air Medal for next Monday, George B. Canady,

> The meeting will be featured by also be discussed.

The members will elect new offi-

Present officers of the club are President E. A. Jones, Vice-President K. E. Johnson and Secretary-Treasurer Canady



## THE SPORTS TRAIL CATS DOWN BLACKBIRDS 42-32 Hanover Leads Mounters HUTSON DECLARES

For Entire Cage Battle

Locals Now Count Their ALLIES NOW ABLE Second Conference Victory

Wilmington Wildcats trounced

IN AIR ASSAULT ter was 10-9. The half found the pleted their plans for the offen-local lads ahead by 20-16, and by over had piled up a ten point lead mies, will not fail to note how further last fall, inspired Huston's much water has flowed over the retirement appointment vesterthe end of the third quarter, Han-

had us writing poison letters to the Tennessee Vols before the Sugar Bank Six Axis ference win in as many starts, bled, would decide which was the planes rising to the defense were while the Blackbirds count their planes rising to the defense were the sugar bled, would decide which was the last second count their planes rising to the defense were the sugar bled, would decide which was the last second count their planes rising to the defense were the sugar bled, would decide which was the last second count their planes rising to the defense were the sugar bled, would decide which was the last second count their planes rising to the defense were the sugar bled, would decide which was the last second count their planes rising to the defense were the sugar bled, would decide which was the last second count their planes rising to the defense were the sugar bled, would decide which was the last second count their planes rising to the defense were the sugar bled, which was the sugar bled, would decide which was the last second count their planes rising to the defense were the sugar bled, would decide which was the last second count their planes rising to the defense were the sugar bled, which was the s

sight. He forgot to tell us that all bets were off if Tulsa had to run with the ball, as the Hurricane was strictly 4-F on the ground and had to get up in the air where the traffic was lighter to do much traffic was l

On hand were twenty boys from

seltia valley and against Axis ar- mored forces to the north of that	The score: Wildcats
sector.	Pt
All these widespread operations in Allied planes, An overnight enemy the Tunisia theater cost only two bombing attack in the Algiers area cost him three bombers.  The Axis radios, nervously anticipated the major Allied blows which	Pridgen, f Watts, f Collie, f McKoy, c Auld, g Kelly, g
were believed in preparations, con- tinued to broadcast reports of this	Total Blackbirds
or that Allied offensive action, all of which were invalidated by the announcement of the Allied com-	Lambis, f Joe Allsbrook, f Johnson, c
mand: "There is no change in the ground There was no further word during situation."	Felton, g McDuffie, g Jack Allsbrook, g
the day of the activities of the American ground forces which earlier	Total

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The Australians and Americans to the Salamana area said the Japan will be crushed.

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The announcement that our war aim is the unconditional surrender of our enemies is a political described of Salamana, but were recision of the most far-reaching

light and he's constructed of steel aged the destroyer which was left our positions west of Mubo and General De Gaulle, and the intiwere engaged by our outposts," mations which have recently come as well as to ours."

· Considerable casualties were

phant conquest of the Papuan pen-

### **EXTENSION PLANS** ARE NOW CHANGED

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The real estate valuation enlarged city would necessitate an them who have resisted. increase of \$203,700.

zens in the areas involved, city of-

walk and street lighting facilities and no capacity for honor, must would be extended as quickly as depend upon our mercy and upon our honor. The all facilities can be extended within a reasonable time except street in a reasonable time except street obeyed their masters when they lighting, which is now on the criti-cal list.

## WEATHER

where:		41	
tion	High	Low	A'1a
heville	37	33	U.
antic City	36	30	0.
ston	26	20	0.
rlington	21	07	U.
icago	32	28	0.
veland	40	24	0.
troit	32	16	0.
Paso	60	35	0.
lveston	61	46	0.
nsas City	44	30	0.
tle Rock	44	31	0.
mphis	44	32	0.
ami	82	62	0.
bile	61	42	0.
w Orleans	54	40	0.
chmond	100	29	0.
n Antonio	72	32	0:
n Antonio	75	57	0.

### Injuries Named As Cause Of Star Packer's Plans

(Continued from Page One) Rocky Mount Friday night to the aration between the decision to atof 22 personal fouls.

The Cats led the Blackbirds is meant than the bare words doubt whatever that much more from the opening gun and the seem to say when the two leaders score at the end of the first quar- announce that they have "com-

The world, including our enemedium bombers, B-25 Mitchells and still held that lead when the final dam since the days when Hitler day, even though he knows the This is the Wildcats second conshot from the sky.

"The Fortresses," said the air defense work of Auld, Kelly, and Prime Minister of Great Britain

"Scored direct hits was polynomial fourth conference loss.

The game was featured by the defense work of Auld, Kelly, and Prime Minister of Great Britain

Thirty; take the offensive.

If the meeting itself was dramatic, the situation itself is far more dramatic. The initiative, which is the key to victory, has been wrested from the Axis. And no matter how we choose to interpret the gloom which the Axis radio and press have suddenly emitted, it is indisputable that they were not gloomy, or did not choose to be gloomy, or were not LEND-LEASE HEAD ordered by Goebbels to pretend to be gloomy, until the Axis military position had in fact deteriorated. If in addition we could know how much the German Army actually thinks its position has deteriorated, whether temporarily or irretiveably, we should know with reasonable certainty whether Germany can last through another winter after this one.

In any event, the United Nations now have taken the measure of the Germans sufficiently to be able to announce that their war aims is the unconditional surrender of all their enemies. They are able OF ALLIED PUSH to include Japan in this commitment because, having fought Jament because, having fought Ja-pan to a standstill with meager forces, there is no doubt that once the combined forces of the Allies

kind. All the profoundly disturband a cargo ship in Vella gulf, The outpost was the scene of a ing issues which have arisen since He isn't one of these gents who 13-mile-wide body of water between surprise raid by Allied forces in our landing in North Africa are stands around telling you how to Kolombangara and Vella Lavella which more than 100 Japanese were affected by it. The two old maschange a tire. He gets out and de- islands. Two direct hits were scor- killed and an enemy headquarters ters at Casablanca have now set in monstrates. He's not a kid any ed on the cargo vessel which was and a radio station destroyed durantees and a new perspective the Darlan ing a recent three-day action. "Strong hostile patrols attacked problem of General Giraud and undenied out of certain official quarters in Washington - namely, that we were so pleased with the er in executive session for reasons Bowling himself. Darlan affair that we might make in Europe.

A gale of fresh air has been blown into this miasma of doubletalk and super-duper realism. For reaching its destination. f our war aim were something the Allies wound up their trium- less than unconditional surrender, then at the end of hostilities we insula with the capture of San- should find ouselves dealing in Germany with some kind of improvised quasi-Nazi regime. Our support of that kind of regime in Germany would inevitably carry with it our support of Quisling regimes, Vichy regimes, quasi-Fas-cist regimes in all the occupied countries. But by fixing the unand Italy as our war aim, the Nazi and Fascist satellite regimes ing club in the nation, will be held increased by 32,000 by the proposed will have lost their support and they are unconditionally doomed. Charlotte, Winston-Salem, Greens- conditionally, then they will un-

The decision is of the first mag-Water, sewer, street and side-enemy, who has shown no mercy our honor. The innocent a mong 12 per cent less food than men them, and even those who merely of the same weight. committed their crimes, will, when cal regimes will plunge Europe inthey have pondered the matter, to a civil war. That civil war will

> equivocation. pride which makes men chivalrous ing for. Inevitably they will turn to the fallen and magnanimous to to Soviet Russia as the strong the vanquished. But if the con- champion, if not of freedom as they clusion of the struggle were so have known it, then at least of naval reserve. doubtful that the moral victory what they will believe are the basic Officers also are needed to anawas not clear, then the poison of interests of the common man.
> the Nazi scourge will infect all Thus our amateur Machiave men with suspicion and vengeance. in their sheltered bureaus, who manufactured under Navy con-

In the rest of occupied Europe fondly imagine they are both mil-the unconditional liquidation of the litary strategists and our guardi-Nazi and quasi-Nazi regimes is ans against Communism, have had the absolutely indispensable contheir little fling at statesmanship, dition for the restoration of law and in the decision to proceed to and order. For if they are not unconditional surrender, and not liquidated in the armistice, because through a series of tricky deals. the super-duper realists are allow- they have had their answer. o ed to mislead us, then the pop-cleansing and invigorating wind jula struggle against the tyranni-blows out of Casabianca.

# RETIREMENT SOON

TO DO WHAT LIKED

CHICAGO, Jan. 29- (A) -Don Huston, the artful end whose name is etched 17 time in the National Football League's record book, structor from New River. hopes the fans will understand why he plans to retire from pro football despite the fact that family men are needed by the Green Bay Packers and the rest of the league more than ever before.

Severe chest injuries, suffered two seasons ago and aggravated retirement announcement yesterand Mussolini used to meet in Packers already have lost 26 players to the armed forces since 1940. next innocent country that was to clubs into the services and faces a serious shortage of material

Thirty years old, Huston has been playing football for 14 years, the last eight with the Packers. He's already lasted beyond the nomal span of effective competition in the pro league and yet shows no signs of slowing up. He has just been named the circuit's most valuable player for the second straight year. "Some fellows make a ceremony

of announcing their retirement every year," Huston said. "I meant it last year but then decided to try one more season. This time I intend to make it stick."

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Stettinius reported that lend-lease aid had made the British isles "an impregnable base for offensive operations" and reviewed the shipments of war material and equipment to Britain, Russia, Africa, Egypt and China. He told also how lend-lease operates in reverse, bringing supplies to American troops in the field and in billets abroad.

But this point he stressed in particular: -"There has not been and there never will be developed a standard of values by which we can measure lives lost against the LOCK FEATURED cost of airplanes or guns."

"It is difficult," he said, "to estimate how much the peoples of Russia have helped us by holding back the Nazi forces and taking the offensive away from them, or to estimate the value to our national interests of the superb fight of the or your sister to come to Balboa Chinese against the Japanese.

and Great Britain have made lim. her twice.

There were some questions which of military secrecy, chief among it the model for all our dealings them inquiries into how much aid is being sent China, why the Chinese mission left this country, and how much of the lend-lease aid is

## FRENCH POLITICS

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ary custodian of French sovereign ty until the forty millions of Frenchmen at home can freely express tion at 4 p. m. tomorrow (11 a. m. conditional surrender of Germany their opinions," the statement con- Eastern War time.) tinued.

During the conference, the gen-

He said that so far as he was The meeting will be featured by reports on the club's activities for the past year and plans for the past year and

Police and fire protection would nitude, differing radically from completely against the policy of the Navy Needs Experienced immediately be extended to citiPresident Wilson's decision to French in regard to Jews." he said, negotiate an armistice on the basis adding that the time he spent in of the 14 points. This time the Nazi prisons in Germany made him hate Hitler's measures.

Women usually need about 10 to

realize that they have more to be waged by the common people hope for from an unconditional sur- who have seen that the western render than from ambiguity and democracies are unwilling or unable, or too confused and too

Thus our amateur Machiavellis check

### Baltimore's Lads Arrive Today For Slated Scraps

Joe Poodles, manager of the Bal- hold, another Marine from New Rivtimore boxers who are fighting in er. Wilmington, said that the boys left lightweight, runs into his first pro-Baltimore late Friday night and card when he meets Frankie Mar- lantic.

Johnny Finazzo, top ranking mid
square off with Lambertine Wiltion, however, was that the after noon Saturday. dleweight of Baltimore, is the out- liams. dleweight of Baltimore, is the outstanding attraction on the card

Doors to Thalian Hall will open ter of assuring the Americas

at 7:20 and the first bout is scheagainst aggression from the rich and the first bout is sche-

more area, takes on Jackie Beau- men. All tax is extra.

will arrive in Wilmington shortly tini. For the opening bout, Bill Johnson, Negro shipyard boxer, will tion of the reference to Dakar and

standing attraction on the card at 7:30 and the first bout is scheagainst aggression from the Africa duled to begin at 8:15 p.m. Prices Featured with Finazzo, Lee Ro- are \$1.00 for general admission and ever international instrumentality Featured with Finazzo, Lee Rolling \$1.50 for ringside seats. A special to maintain peace may be set up sen, who rates as the outstanding \$1.50 for ringside seats. A special to maintain peace may be set up to service after the war. It could be the price of \$55 is offered to service after the war. It could be the peace of \$55 is offered to service after the war. Jewish middlweight of the Balti- price of \$.55 is offered to service after the war. It could take the

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"according to incomplete data,"

the Russians said they captured

guns, 8,000 rifles 40 radio trans-

mitters, 1,217 trucks, 307 motor-

cycles, 24 trains with military

loads, and 36 ammunition, arms

fenses ever since last fall was ac-

army had "made some progress"

The Germar high command ear-

mountains far to the southeast.

miles of Maikop.

ducing country in the world.

and food depots.

ly triangular area.

In the same three-day period,

### Russian Troops Slash Gaps In Enemy Lines

### City Briefs

COURT OF HONOR The Boy court of honor will be held at 8 p. m. Monday, in the superior court room of the county courthouse.

COURT RECEIPTS January receipts for Recordcr's court, as reported Friday by Harry L. Dosher, clerk, amounted to \$5,798.20. The total represents an increase of approximately \$1,000 over Decemter figures, when receipts reached \$4,687.78.

RADIO MEETING

The radio camp meeting of the air, the ninth of a series, may be heard Sunday evening from 10:30 to 11 p. m. over station WMFD. Taylor Frazier, radio evangelist will be the speaker, and the Pentecostal quartette will render special

FRATERNITY MEETING The senior fraternity of the Boys Brigade will hold its regular meeting in the clubroom of the Brigade Monday, February 1 at 6:30 p. m. This is a regular supper meeting and all members are urged to be present or to notify the secretary if they cannot attend.

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for a visit." This was some time movements. "By the lives lost, the cities and before the yacht excursion to Cahomes destroyed and in the other talina on which, Peggy charges, said they killed or captured an armies. Vargas hinted at such actions with losses of war, Russia and China Flynn had intimate relations with

Lt. Robert W. Bowling had told points on this line. including the him, "if it was up to me I wouldn't Valuiki junction 35 miles below simple expedition of symbolic Stettinius left to be answered lat. prosecute you," was disputed by Novy-Oskol. What he actually said in sub-

stance, Bowling testified, was: "I think you are guilty as hell, but I don't blame you for denying it." The trial adjourned until Monday when, Deputy District Attorney Thomas W. Cochran said, he will to the upper Don, Stalingrad on the democratic nations."

Thomas W. Coenran said, he will to the upper Don, Stalingrad on the democratic nations."

# HITLER ENTERS

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The usual decks of flags in the city to the Caucasus, was accel-

streets and other Nazi theatrics erated with the Red army's aneral asserted he was willing to will be absent this year. Berlin an- nounced capture of Kropotkin. The give the Jews in North Africa back nounced. The lavish display of flags their property and allow Jewish would be out of keeping with the running west from the Kalmyck children in the schools. He added, melancholy news from Russia and

Reichsmarshal Goering will make of the state, could be accompany less not will those among creed were entitled to be treated at a cost of \$624,000. The anthem who have collaborated with exactly alike in North Africa as arrest to the Corman youth two new year. Fishing restrictions, ed at a cost of 5024,000. The miles of maintaining the brought about by the war, will brought about by the war, will expense of maintaining the Germany, but with those a mong long as they worked for the good speak to the German youth two miles of Maikon.

## Men For War Production

RALEIGH, Jan. 29. - (A) - The Navy has an urgent need for men experienced in expediting production in large manufacturing plants, with the view of breaking "bottlenecks," Lieut, Lodwick C. Hartley, head of the Naval Office of Officier Procurement at N. C. State College, reported today. He said mechanical and electri-

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29—(P)—Weather bureau report of temperature and raintal for the 24 hours ending 8 p. m., in the principal cotton growing areas and to the fallen and magnanimous to the f cal engineers who have specialized didates for commissions in the

lyze production methods and to the progress of products

> Recreational Gifts Sporting Goods SNEEDEN CYCLE CO. 114 Market Bt.

### DAKAR MUST NOT BE THREAT ANEW

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'Mus' Lockamy, Wilmingtonian Ingraham, commander-in-chief of

There was no official interpreta. tion, however, was that the matcan coast would be one for what form of a pledge from France of its complete and continuous de militarization.

The White House release fell in. to three parts. The first was the joint statement by the two presidents. It related that they met had lunch, inspected and reviewed army, navy and air forces of the two nations, then passed the eve. ning in discussion of the problems of the war as a whole and especially the joint Brazilian-Un States effort. 107 tanks. 40 guns, 254 machine-

President Roosevelt informed Vargas of "the very significant results" of the Casablanca conference. Summing up, the two presidents

were quoted: The Russian break - through in "This meeting has given us opthis area where the Axis has been portunity to survey the future safe. building its famed hedgehog dety of all the Americas. In our

opinion each of the republics complished by Soviet troops that interested and affected to an equal struck from the north, east, and degree. In unity there is strength It is the aim of Brazil and o Among the towns now in Rus the United States to make the Atsian hands in this area are: Lachi- lantic ocean safe for all. We are novo, 10 miles west of Kastornoye, deeply grateful for the almost which is the junction of the Voro- unanimous help that our neighbors railways; Naberezhnoye, 10 miles are giving to the great cause of north of Kastornoye; Gorshech- democracy throughout the world Since all the American republic noye, 22 miles south of Kastorexcept Argentina are at war with noye; Zemlyansk, 25 miles northwest of Voronezh; and innumer- the Axis or have broken diploable other places within this rough- matic relations, the references to

equal interests and strength

unity possibly were addressed par The location of the newly-won towns above Kastornoye and Voro-ticularly to that country.

nezh bears out a German radio Following the joint st Following the joint statement was a "memorandum for the commentator's announcement last night that the Russian Voronezh press' from Mr. Roosevelt, The explained that he believed his Affront now had overlapped with the rican conferences with Prime Minlower central front which extends ister Churchill were "so vital to northwestward to the Orel area. the war effort" that he should de-The same German radio comlay his return to the United States mentator, Capt. Ludwig Sertorius, to talk informally with Vargas. acknowledged tonight that the Red

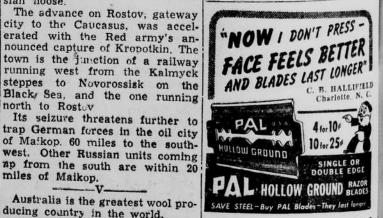
noted, to inspect vital operating in this drive above and below Vopoints of the ferry command which ronezh, but sought to ease this speeds supplies by air to all war bad news with a statement that fronts. they were not to an extent "to jus-Finally, the White House added: tify the enormous (Russian) sac-The presidents of the two nations -United States and Brazil - at

He had also had opportunity, he

The Germar high command ear-old friends and their talks are timely and profitable in even west of Vcron-zh there was heavy fighting full of vicissitude," and Reotherwise indicated that the Ger-mans were retreating in "planned as to whether Brazil might send Revelation of the scope of the Novy-Oskol, where the Russians the final crushing of the German about 75 miles south of Kastor- that time he said, in an address tion less than a month ag Flynn's own testimony that Police nove. The Russians hold many that time he said, in an address, that time he said, in an address, that Brazilian participation in the

> units.' Possession of this north - south Lieut. Gen. S. D. Embick, chairrailway will give the Russians a man of the inter-American Defense springboard for their next lunge Board, commented, "We can be toward the main Kurks-Kharkov confident that Brazil as an ally railway which was the starting will be even more important point for Germany's back-firing months to come, as she takes her 1942 offensive that reached east place in the new grand strategy of

NO TIME ZONE CHANGE At Stalingrad, 350 miles south-WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.-(A)-At east of Kastornoye, the Russians official of the Interstate Commerce said they were putting to death Commission said today that agency the last few ragged thousands of will refrain from considering char an Axis assault army that once ges in time zones in the absent had numbered 220,000 men. Mos- of an expression from Congress cow dispatches said 5 000 or 7,000 that status of states which change were all that remained in the Rus- their clocks.



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