

**Volgograd region
Kotluban secondary school**

Two Hundred Heroic Days

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**Panorama of front-line Stalingrad
June 1942**



The people of Stalingrad fortify their city



In the late summer of 1942 the front-line drew practically to Stalingrad. August, 23 was the hardest day for the people of Stalingrad.



Grandiose battle took place on the approaches to Stalingrad and its outskirts



Hardship has come. City residents, their children leave besieged burning city



**Fighting was going on for every bit of
Stalingrad soil**



**Fighting for a
house**



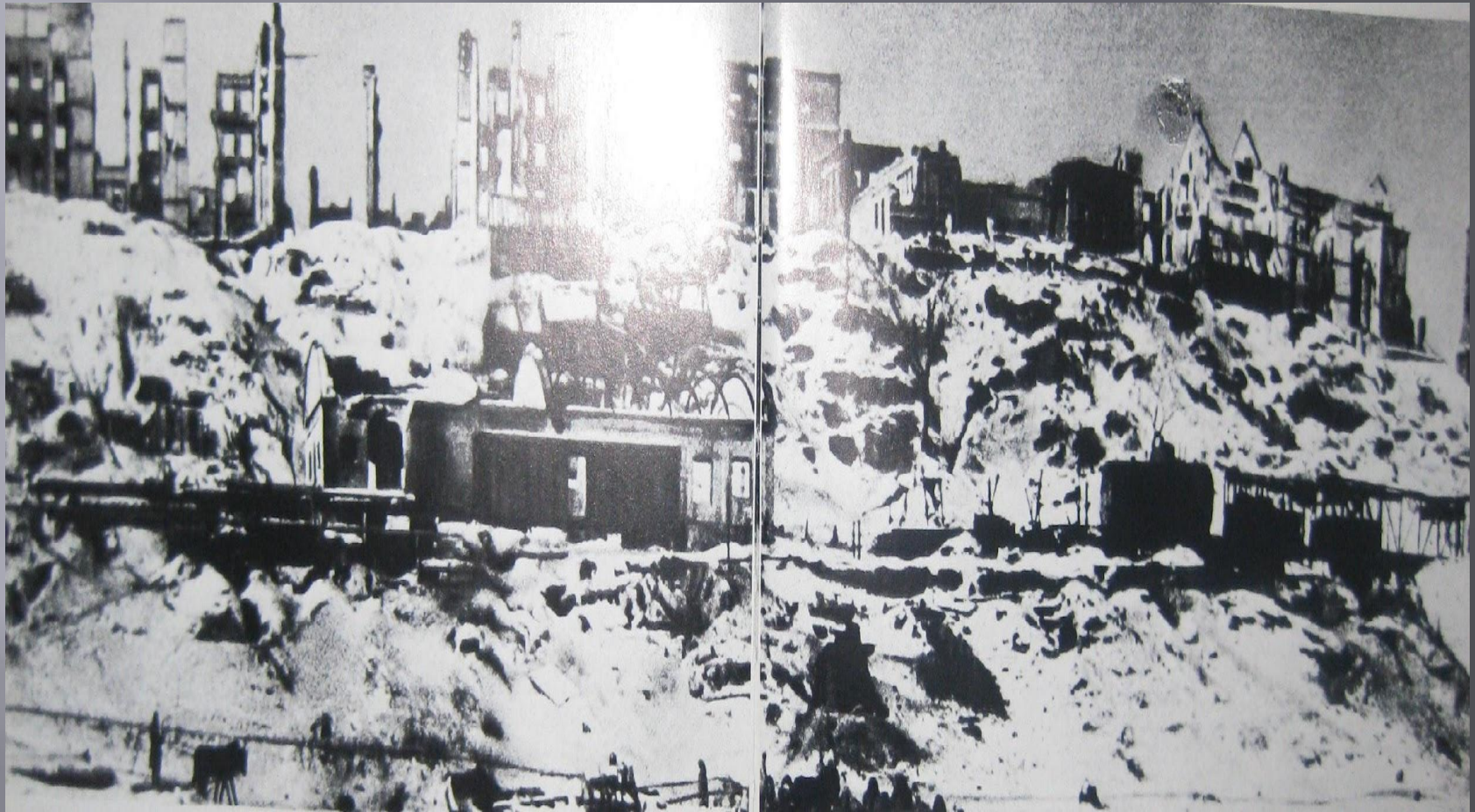
Street fighting



Victory! February 2, 1943



**This is how they
looked they have
reached the Volga**



War-time Stalingrad



Victory banner raised over Stalingrad



In recognition of fortitude and courage the title of the Hero of the Soviet Union was conferred on 112 non-commissioned and commissioned ranks; more than 763.000 of Stalingrad defenders were decorated with orders and medals