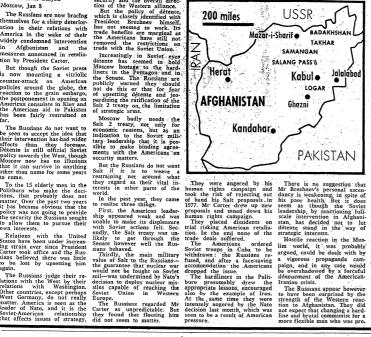
Kremlin hardliners calculate that détente is an easy price to pay for strategic advantage

Russians prepare for freeze in relations with West

Moscow, Jan 8

The Russians are now bracing themselves for a sharp deterioration in their relations with America in the wake of their widely condemned intervention in Afghanistan and the measures announced in retaliation by President Carter.

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Four killed in Iran during armed attack on gendarmes

Tehran, Jan 8.—Four Government security officers were killed in a confrontation with insurgents in the tense Kurdistan region of Western Iran to-

Gandhi triumph seen as popular recognition of true leadership

Greek forces chief asks to be replaced

Afghan headmen ask ex-king to come back

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Afghan soldiers man a checkpoint on the Jalalabad-Kabul road.

Angry Soviet reaction to Security Council debate

From Our Own Correspondent Moscow, Jan 8
Russis today reacted angrily and sharply to the Security and Sharply to the Security and Sharply to the Security and Western moves against the Swite Union, saying the West was trying to go back to the cold war and had been gripped by a war and had been gripped by a fact that the security Council resolution, vetoed yesterday the Swite diegate, constitute existing order in Affabrilation. The agency said the discussion of the so-called Afghan state. The sagency said the discussion of the so-called Afghan state. The sagency said the discussion of the so-called Afghan duestion had been imposed on the so-called Afghan of the Afghan Government. The clamour raised about it was being used as a pretext by the Western Switch and the Afghan Government. The Clamour raised about it was being used as a pretext by the Western Switch and the Afghan Government. The The Smear campaign un

and elsewhere.

Pravda today accused
America, Britain, China and
other countries of trying to
stifle the 1978 Afghan revolution at its birth.

War training in Egypt for guerrillas

Joy Adamson's

From Charles Harrison
Nairobi, Jan 8
Mrs Joy Adamson, the
naturalist, author and artist
who was murdered last week at
her remote safari camp in the
Shaba Game Reserve, was crematch here today.

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Lord Carrington on mission

to confirm British support

agenda.

Finally, Lord Carrington expects to pay a brief visit to Delhi, to hear the views of the

Labour Party will protest to Soviet ambassador

ashes to be strewn in Kenya

US to sell satellite ground