

From the President to Marshal Stalin

The <sup>immediate</sup> appointment of General  
Eisenhower to command of  
Central operation has been  
decided upon.

Roosevelt

Cairo, Dec. 7. 43

Dear Eisenhower, I thought you  
might like to have this as a memento.  
It was written very hurriedly by me as the  
final meeting broke up yesterday, the  
President signing it immediately.  
G. C. W.