

# UZLOVAYA - MY NATIVE TOWN

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- April 26, 1872, Emperor Alexander 2 approved the Charter Ryazhskaya-Vyazma railway. In the summer of 1873 began the construction of the station Khrushchevka. In December 1874 the railroad was built, then - the depot for 12 locomotives, several residential homes, schools and hospitals. Railroad defined way of life and the fate of the inhabitants of the village, which grew due to the inflow from the surrounding villages of hungry people.
- So my native town has appeared on the map in 1873. Since that time our town has always been a very important railway station.

## HISTORICAL PAGE

The first railway workers



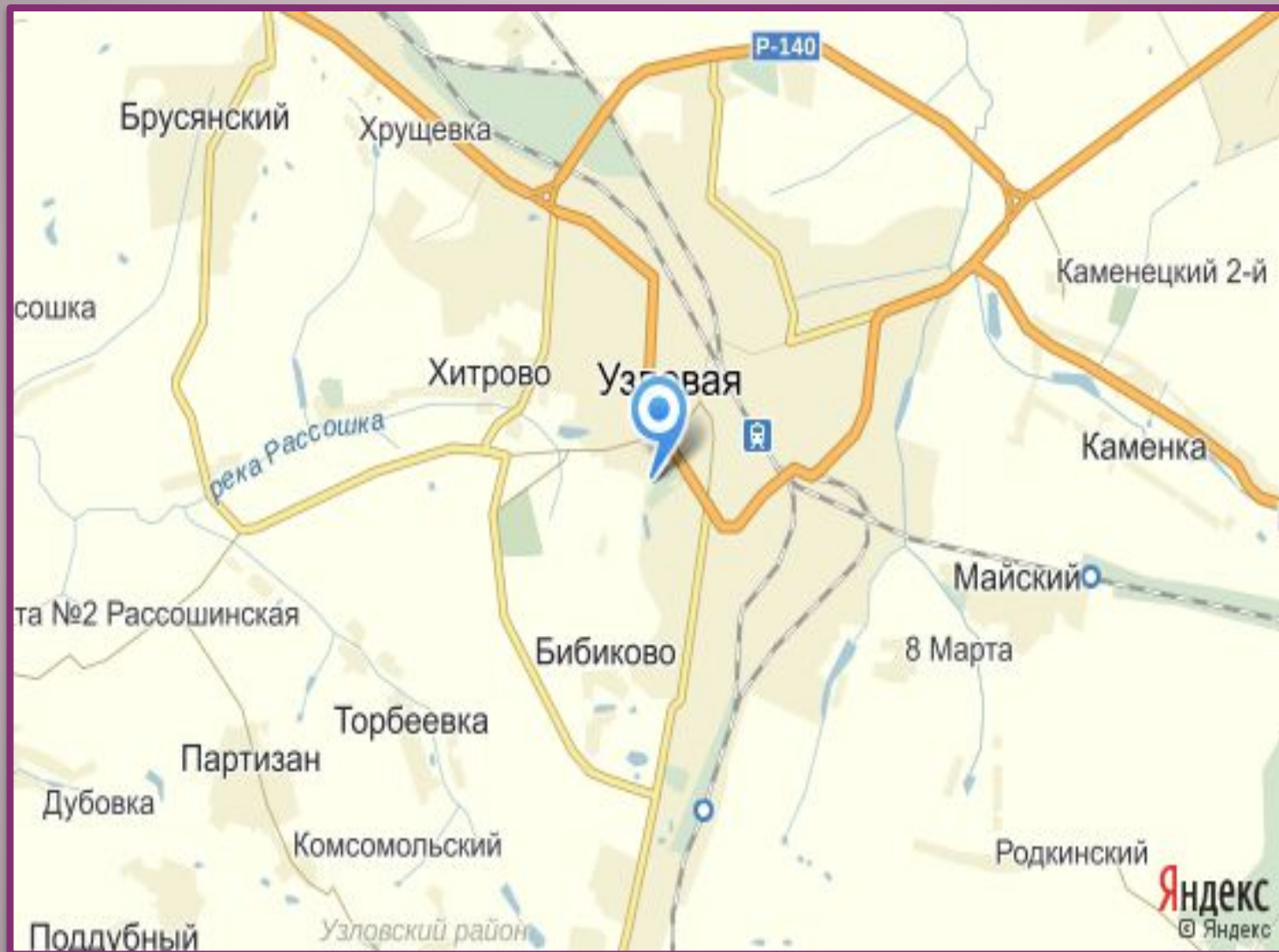
# ГЕРБ И ФЛАГ МУНИЦИПАЛЬНОГО ОБРАЗОВАНИЯ «ГОРОД УЗЛОВАЯ И УЗЛОВСКОГО РАЙОНА

- ◉ «Дорогами доброты по полям надежды колесо приводит к богатству и достатку».



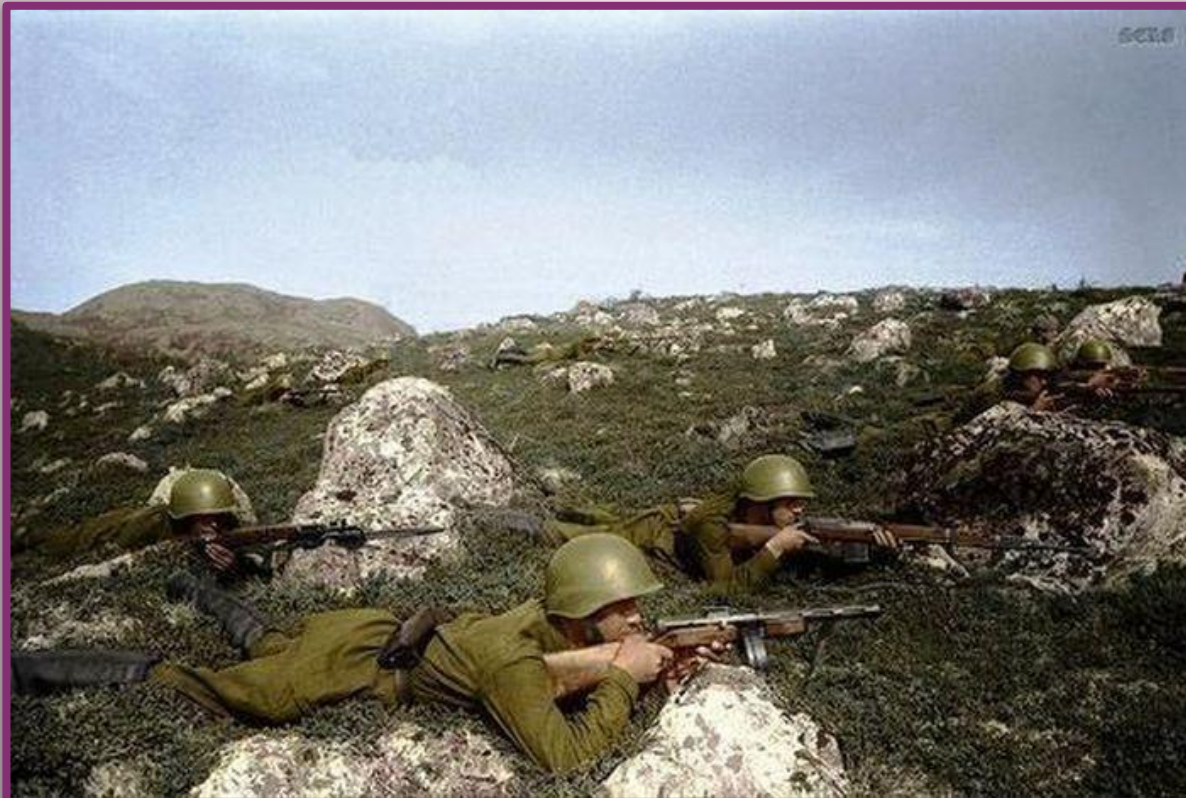


# UZLOVAYA ON THE MAP



# UZLOVAYA IN WAR YEARS

- Uzlovaya has always been a very important railway point. This strategic point was on the German maps. That's why during the Great Patriotic War Uzlovaya became the scene of cruel fighting.





For 21 days fascists occupied my town.



But Uzlovaya and Tula stood on the road of enemy to Moscow. Many inhabitants went to the front and gave their lives for our Motherland. The young and old rose to the defence of our capital. The fascists' army could not take Moscow. The fascists were defeated. The victory was won at a high price.



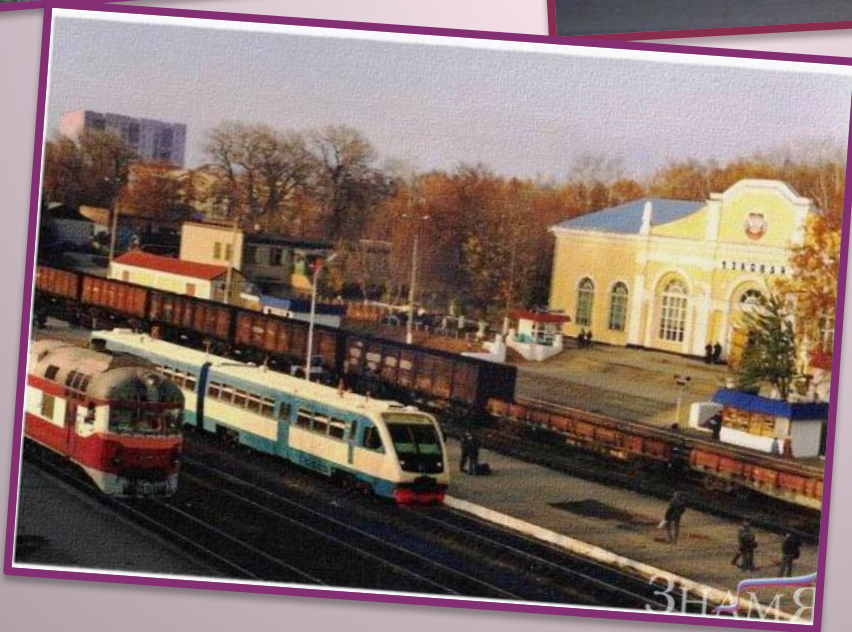


- Nowadays on the 9<sup>th</sup> of May people from all town parts come to Always Fire to honour the memory of heroes who defended their Motherland.





- Since the war Uzlovaya has risen from ruins and is finer than ever



# THERE ARE A LOT OF HISTORICAL PLACES IN OUR TOWN, CONNECTED WITH THE GREAT PATRIOTIC WAR

- Улица имени 14 декабря



Памятник зенитчицам-защитникам Узловой



# I am proud of my native town



- Есть края красивее, я знаю,  
Но душой нисколько не  
кривя, Я на них тебя не  
променяю, Узловая –  
родина моя. Пусть  
твое название не звучно -  
Мне на это незачем пенять, -  
Сердцу моему оно созвучно,  
Как созвучно сыну слово  
мать. Для меня роднее нету  
края: Здесь моя любовь,  
работа, дом. Жизнь моя с  
тобою, Узловая,  
Неразрывным связана  
узлом!

- Владимир Сапронов

