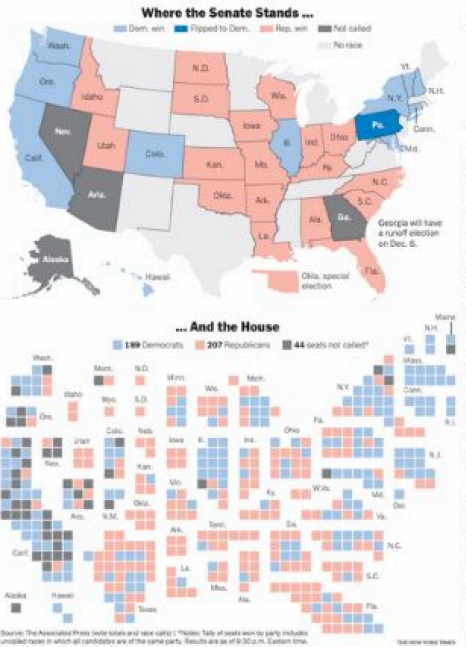


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Russia Says It Is Leaving Key Ukraine City

By IAN JAMES AND ANNE LOVETT MARRAS. Russia said it was withdrawing its troops from the southern city of Kherson and surrounding areas, the only regional capital Moscow had seized since its invasion in February. Defense Minister Sergei Shoigu said Russia ordered Russian forces to withdraw to the eastern bank of the Dnipro River at a meeting with the top Russian commander in Ukraine, Gen. Sergei Surovikin, on Wednesday...