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Now, when our land to ruin's brink is verging, In God's name, let us speak while there is time! Now, when the padlocks for our lips are forging, Silence is crime. —Whittier

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WORLD CONTROL OF FOOD EXPOSED

Deliberate Starvation of the British People!

The American Dollar Loan to Great Britain was a major part of the campaign against the British Empire. When Lease-Lend was suddenly ended by the United States Government immediately after the war, the argument was advanced that Great Britain's food position would worsen unless food supplies could still be obtained from U.S.A. But such supplies could not be obtained unless Great Britain had dollars with which to buy food there.

Having sacrificed most of her overseas assets during the dark days of the war when she was fighting the battle for civilisation practically unaided except for the help given by the Dominions, Great Britain emerged from the war deep in debt.

There is no doubt that the food supplies of the British Empire could have been mobi-lised so as to have eased the food crisis in Great Britain when the American Govern-ment ended Lease-Lend, but the Govern-ments of the Dominions, dominated by the Socialist London School of Economics ad-visers, did nothing to meet the crisis. The British Socialists accepted the Dollar Loan and the rigorous conditions attached to it. Anyone can now see all too clearly the real purpose of the Dollar Loan. The following report appeared in the Melbourne "Argus" of June 12: —

Food Imports Blocked

"The British Ministry for Food has re-fused import licences for eleven items of Australian manufactured foods, which the Treasury says are luxuries Australia has protested against the Ministry's de-cision, on the ground that it discriminates against her. The Ministry has replied that against her. The hinstry has replied that the ruling was given partly because Britain cannot afford such goods, and partly because the granting of Australian licences would amount to discrimination against U.S.A. Such discrimination is debarred by the terms of the American loan agreement."

Consider carefully the terrible implica-tions of this report. It appears that not only are Great Britain's food supplies controlled by the Emergency International Food Council, but by what can only be termed Dollar Diplomacy directed from the U.S.A., the headquarters of the Jewish International the headquarters of the Jewish International Financiers. No matter how much manu-factured food may be available in Australia, the conditions of the Dollar Loan Agreement preclude Great Britain from importing this food unless licences are granted for the im-porting of similar food from America. There-fore, if Great Britain has insufficient dollars with which to buy the food from America, she cannot obtain the food from Australia! The same "Argus" report also states that the British Treasury takes the view that the saving of Australian pounds is almost

the saving of Australian pounds is almost as important as the, saving of American dollars.

This report can only shock all loyal Aus-tralians to a realisation of the fact that they must press their Members of Parliament to insist that the Federal Government no longer

Insist that the Federal Government no longer be a party to the economic blockade being directed against Great Britain. What outrageous nonsense to have the British Government saying that they can-not "afford" to import urgently required food from Australia! If there are financial difficulties, such as the British sterling debt to Australia, then these difficulties must be swept aside. But even more than this is required. The

But even more than this is required. The But even more than this is required. The control of the food policies of the countries of the British Empire must be taken out of the hands of International Planners. We all know the menace of national bureaucratic planning, without extending it on an inter-national scale. And yet the threat of per-manent international planning of our domes-tic policies becomes more obvious every day. day.

Phases of the Plot

When the war finished it was the Combined Food Board, sitting in Washington, bined Food Board, sitting in Washington, which allocated large portions of the world's food supplies, mainly to the detriment of the British people. Coupled with the activities of international planners who used U.N.R.R.A to give British rations to Com-munist thugs in Europe, the Combined Food Board was able to assist in reducing the food rations of the British people at a time when there were record crons in America when there were record crops in America and Canada. When U.N.R.R.A. and the Combined Food Board concluded their major activities, they resulted in the Emergency International Food Council. In case some people should believe that this largely anonymous body will merely continue temporarily to ration an allowed

continue temporarily to ration an alleged world food shortage-always to the detriment of the British people, of course—we draw attention to an official statement in Great Britain which says that there are pro-posals to have a permanent World Food Council to supersede the Emergency Coun-

NOTES ON THE NEWS

Following the A.C.T.U. demand for abolition of price-fixing of labor —i.e., wage pegging—a demand for elimination of controls over wages and prices comes from the Australian Council of the Employers' Federation. The president of this body, Mr. Oberg, says: "We cannot expect industrial peace or an adequate flow of consumer-goods until these dead-ends in our economy are removed.'

These are but two more examples of the

SALARY SPIRAL

Commen Commenting on the increase of £1 claimed by the Amalgamated Engineering Union, Acting Chief Judge Drake-Brockman said to the union's chief advocate: "We know that what we do in this industry will affect the whole of the marginal rates throughout Australia. If we do this for you, you prob-ably won't receive much of it at all, there will be a spiral of prices going up and up." Spiral prices inevitably result from spiral wages; everybody, including the Judge, knows that, but surely these learned Judges should be able to understand that this dilemma can be overcome by introducing f1_claimed should be able to understand that this dilemma can be overcome by introducing supplementary payments (outside the wage system) which would be received direct through the banking system, without going through industry as costs. Under such a system the Arbitration Court could give satisfaction—not otherwise. Fancy proposing a permanent World Food Council at a time when the press (Mel-bourne "Argus," June 12), announces that the American Department of Agriculture forecasts that the U.S.A. wheat crop for this year will be 254 million bushels more than last year's record harvest! This increase will approximately equal the total Austra-lian wheat yield in a good year

lian wheat yield in a good year. Even in spite of the crippling effects of taxation and controls, Australian primary production has increased since the war ended

The effect of these increases is more severe food rationing for the British people! Surely the real issue is clear to anyone who will give the matter a little thought: International Food Control is a gigantic racket, which it is hoped to continue per-manently. manently.

Government Betrayal

No doubt many persons hearing these facts will ask in amazement: "Well, how and when did the British and Australian Governments commit the British and Australian peoples to the Emergency Interna-tional Food Council?" These persons will be still more amazed to learn that the control of our food supplies was granted to an international body without any Parliamentary discussion or authority. It is this delegation of enormous powers to international bodies, without even the formality of a parliamentary debate that is helping along the campaign of destruction against our way of life.

Once control over the people's food and

New Blockade Against Britain

Melbourne Citizens Suggest Action to Break Anti-British Food Control

The following resolution was carried by a public meeting convened by the Victorian League of Rights and held last Friday evening in the Aus-tralian Church Hall, Melbourne.

Copies of the resolution are being sent by airmail to London newspapers and Members of the British Parliament, as well as to all such appropriate quarters in this country. International Food Council, which meets in Washington, U.S.A. This Food Council is a continuation of the Combined Food Board, which, also met in Washington. "(2) The Prime Minister of Australia, Mr.

"Realising that Australia's liberty and security depend upon the preservation of a strong British Empire, and that Great Britan is the hub of that Empire, this meet-ing of Australian citizens desires the British people to know that it is gravely concerned about their continued regimentation through severe food rationing.

about their continued regimentation through severe food rationing. "However, while strongly in favor of all possible food being sent from Australia to Great Britain, this meeting feels that all peoples of the British Empire must face the fact that the present food crisis in Great Britain is the result of the Governments of the British Empire surrendering their sovereignty over their own food supplies to International Organisations which appear to be determined to maintain an economic blockade against Great Britain.

The World Food Board

"This meeting desires to bring to the attention of Members of the Australian Par-liament, Members of the British Parliament, the British people and the Australian people, the following facts concerning Food Control:—

"(1) The food rations of the 'British



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FOOD MINISTER STRACHEY. **Refused Australian Food Imports!**

other domestic policies is handed over to anonymous international planners, responsible Government has been destroyed. Responsible Government, which is absolutely essential if we are to have genuine de-mocracy, can only exist when electors take sufficient interest in their own affairs to insist that their political representatives are made personally responsible for their actions. Electors can start on the food issue and ask their Members some pertinent questions relating to the matter As a final questions relating to the matter. As a final piece of evidence showing what is planned for

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United States of America, while her repre-sentative on the Food Council has consistsentative on the Food Council has consist-ently pressed for severe food rationing for the British. "(4) U.N.R.R.A., to which the British Em-pire was the second largest contributor, was used to pour enormous quantities of food which the British peoples should have had, into Soviet-dominated Europe. This below the back the privile people's

⁽¹²⁾ The Prime Minister of Australia, Mr. Chifley, stated at Canberra on 18th April, 1947, that the International Food Council de-termines the allocation of food exports from Australia, which means that Australians are unable to guarantee that increased ex-ports from Australia will automatically bene-fit the British people.

U.S.A. and U.N.R.R.A.

"(3) If there is a genuine world food shortage, which this meeting doubts, it is alarming to note that the United States of America, one of the major members of the International Food Council, does nothing to implement genuine food rationing in the United States of America, while her repre-

rowing dissatisfaction arising from price-

growing dissatisfaction and fixing. The consumer knows from experience that price-fixing limits supplies, lowers quality and creates black-markets. (By the way, the only form of black-marketing to which unionists do not object is that wherein employers pay black-market wages.)

CRAFTY CHIFLEY At the recent A.L.P. Conference, Mr. Chif-ley told delegates "it is the duty of Labor Party members to meet criticisms on taxation imposed to finance Labor's policy."

As a result of this crafty chatter, A.L.P. delegates did not press any resolutions demanding taxation concessions: in other words, these delegates, who were sent to register disapproval against the crippling faxes being imposed on workers, failed to do their duty as delegates. It may be news to rank-and-file A.L.P. members to learn that the vicious taxation

on them is Labor policy; previously they probably thought that this was Menzies' special function. If Chifley had plainly told the workers at election time that Labor's policy meant crippling taxation for them, the results might have been very different.

EXPORT ERUPTION

Claiming that the export of galvanised iron to New Guinea was a scandal while sick people were being forced to live in leaky slum houses because iron was not available for roof repairs, a clergyman suc-cessfully appealed to N.S.W. wharfies to strike and refuse to load the iron. The (Continued on page 2.) people are determined by the Emergency



PRIME MINISTER CHIFLEY. Let the Cat Out of the Bag.

policy helped to reduce the British people's ration in favor of such countries as Jugoslavia, which reduce their own productive capacity by maintaining large standing armies.

Suggestion for Action

"In view of these facts, and many more which could be cited, it is obvious that the peoples of the British Empire can do nothing to help one another while they allow their Governments to commit them to policies "This meeting therefore suggests to the

"This meeting therefore suggests to the British people, and the Australian people, that they press their respective Govern-ments to refuse further to have their food supplies controlled by the International Food Council, and that emergency steps be taken to tap the food resources of all parts of the British Empire in order that the British people may be saved from further hardshins hardships.

"International co-operation is a very de-sirable thing, but no people should allow their food policies, a domestic matter, to be controlled by external authorities."

Wall Street Bankers Control The **World Bank**

The Sydney "Daily Mirror" of June 4 published an article on this subject from a special correspondent in New York, namely Virginia Young. Parts of the article are naive, and a loan to France has been granted since it was written. However, the following extracts are interesting and contain some relevant information:

In the 14 months since its formal inaug-uration, the non-banking World Bank has made as complete a change in protective coloring as a Central American chameleon.

Leadership of history's first attempt at global banking has moved from Washington to Wall Street Let us take a look at what happened to

this 44-nation £2500 millions attempt at global banking. That it has bogged down goes without saying, for the Bank has yet to make its first loan.

This is not caused by any lack of demand for its services.

Bight member countries—France, Poland, the Netherlands, Czechoslovakia, Iran, Denmark, Chile and Luxembourg—have made bids for a total of £721,857,000.

There is a report that France's request for $\pounds 156,250,000$ will be given the nod before long. That is, she will get half the amount for which she has applied. At that, France has been kept cooling her heels for more then a ware more than a year.

LOSS FOR FIRST YEAR

Further, the Bank recently issued a statement showing that for the nine months ended March 31, 1947, it had operated at a loss.

It reported a net operating loss of £212,555. It earned £186,867 in interest on U.S. securities, which it bought. Its expenses were £399,422.

The Bank said its high expense for thenine-month period was caused by organisa-tional rather than general operating expenses, and explained that the Bank has been preparing to issue debentures (now scheduled for June) and to make loans. One reason for the long delay in getting

the Bank on a working basis has been the difficulty in finding and keeping a president for the institution. Theoretically, this of-ficer is selected by the 12-man-board of executive directors; but, in practice, the United States, as the largest investor in the Bank is allowed to nominate the man for Bank, is allowed to nominate the man for the £9375 tax-free job.

Despite the fancy remuneration (all the salaries are fancy—the officers and directors whack up £144,504 a year, according to the statement) and prestige supposedly attached to the position, it proved hard from

the first to persuade any qualified person to accept it.

MEYER AND SUCCESSORS

Eventually, President Truman convinced Eugene Meyer, publisher-financier, to undertake the task.

Then, six mouths later, Mr. Meyer resign-d giving explanations that satisfied nobody. The frantic hunt was resumed.

For another three months the business of banking for the purpose of reconstructing and rehabilitating the world was held up while financial circles gossiped about in-ternal difficulties which led one candidate after another to refuse the plum.

Finally, John J.McCloy, a corporation law-yer with banking connections and a former Assistant Secretary for War, agreed to accept the nomination—on his own terms.

Mr. McCloy's terms completely changed the entire character of the World Bank. One condition of his acceptance was the re-



MR. MORGENTHAU A Sponsor of World Bank Plan

signation of the State Department's Emilio Collado as America's representative on the bank's executive board, and his replacement by Eugene R. Black, vice-chairman of the

Are Pigs Smarter Than Men?

Now that so many political ideas are being circulated through animal stories, maybe we can lift a paragraph from a letter, which Anthony Armstrong wrote to the London "Times," to wit:

"I was talking the other day to a pig of my acquaintance who seemed to be very proud of his pedigree, it was descended, it said, from a very old Gadarene family, its distant ancestor having been the sole survivor of a mysterious catastrophe when the whole herd charged violently down a steep place into the sea. This particular pig's progenitor, however, held different views from the rest and stopped halfway, being of the opinion that there was no future in it. The rest of the herd plunged onwards, shouting back contemptuously as they did so, 'Reactionary!' A pig on the extreme left even shouted. 'Fascist reac-tionary!'"

Mr. Armstrong's story of that crazy backto-the-sea movement raises some important points on public opinion as related to social progress. A Gallup Poll among the Gadarene swine would have shown 99.4 per cent, in favor of diving off the cliff into the ocean.

According to current interpretations of democracy, the majority should have pre-vailed and the .6 per cent, negative pigs compelled to jump along with the rest. For-tunately for porcine racial improvement no such sentiment prevailed 2000 years ago, and the lone dissenter was free to lag behind and be saved. The moral would seem to be: "Suicide is not necessarily the most constructive course, just because a majority favors it.'

Chase National Bank.

Simultaneously, Mr. McCloy appointed Robert L. Garner, a director of General Foods (manufacturer of "Wheaties" and hundreds of other food products) and for-merly connected with the Guaranty Trust Company as vice-president.

TIE-UP WITH WALL ST.

The mental attitude of the Bank changed with the personnel. Suddenly the New York financial community became the World Bank headquarters, and former Wall Street coldness to the institution user realeased by coldness to the institution was replaced by a more co-operative attitude.

Nothing could have been more indicative of the changed attitude than the meetingheld a couple of weeks ago in the heart of Wall Street to introduce the new officials to a group of top-notch bankers and financiers.

Within a few days' time, a Bill that had been kicking around Albany for months per-mitting New York insurance companies and banks to buy World Bank bonds was passed.

All these things are important because the Bank's dollar resources, which present-ly total about £499,062,500, are totally inadequate to meet the demand on it for dollar loans. Consequently, it must market its own securities in the United States-an operation that only can be carried out with the blessing of the big financial institutions.

Wall Street is not likely to look with approval on borrowing by countries that have failed to make what Wall Street considers a satisfactory settlement of private debts . .

LOAN DISCRIMINATION

For instance, I am told that Poland's re-quest for £187,500,000 to carry on a fouryear reconstruction programme, much of it earmarked for rehabilitation of the Polish coalfields, has been held up because one member of the Bank's examining board (yes, an American banker) insisted the Poles were "without integrity.

Without attempting to pass judgment on the gentleman's assertion, it might be pointed out that such a sweeping indictment of a people can serve only to deprive Europe of badly needed supplies of coal. It may be good banking, but it appears poor economics.

I have also been informed about the even more curious case of Chile, which wants £12,500,000 to develop power plants, railways and oil lands. The first two are "okay," according to the

examining board, but the third is no go, because . . . that would mean the encourage-ment of a socialised oil industry in competition with American oil interests in Latin America

And if the Bank should ignore this Wall Street brand of thinking, the market for its debentures probably would become very sticky.

THIS AMAZING AGE OF POWER

At a time when planners and politicians are thinking and talkingand acting-in terms of regimented scarcity, it is a refreshing change to read the words of a leading American industrial designer, Walter Dorwin Teague, even if he occasionally over-emphasises the importance of technology.

The following passages are taken from his address, "Builders and Doers," given at the annual meeting of the Ontario Association of Architects and published in the "Journal of the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada," January, 1947:

All modern civilisation is founded on All modern civilisation is founded on power and the exact control of power. There have been happy oases in human history, which got along without mechanical power. That is not possible today. Without abundant reserves of mechanical power under strict and delicate control, we find that the conditions of the people revert to that of great masses as in China and India and other backward areas of the world.

Seventy-fold Increase

Now, look at what has happened to power Now, look at what has happened to power and power production within the last gen-eration. I don't know the statistics for Canada, but they are probably very similar to those for the United States. In the United States in the year 1898, we had a potentiality of power production of one-quar-ter horsepower per percent. ter horsepower per person. Today we have a potentiality of power production of eighteen horsepower per man, woman and child of a very much larger population.

In other words, per capita power produc-tion has increased here seventy-two times in fifty years.

When you realise that even by the very early atom fission you could extract from one pound of uranium two hundred and thirty-five times as much energy as you could get from the burning of thirteen hundred and fifty tons of coal, you realise the fabulous increase in the ability to control network that will some from strain control nature that will come from atomic energy. There are frightful possibilities involved, too, but if we can concentrate on these con-structive potentialities we will be much less apt to use atomic energy for racial suicide. The department of atomic energy is pro-ceeding faster than we had anticipated. It is still in a crude form, but when you realise that aviation is only forty-three years old, you can look forward within the next ten or fifteen years to the application of atomic energy to work on a scale that is beyond our present conceptions. It will be possible to do practically anything that the human being wants to do. We can even control the weather with adequate reserves of power, and I am sure that some of us would find that a very gratifying change.

Use of Electronics

Notes on the News

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clergyman mentioned eight deaths at Redfern (N.S.W.) due to pneumonia contracted under leaky roofs.

This spotlighted a humane cause and drew attention in a spectacular way to the folly of exporting things that Australians badly need.

Another illustration of this folly is the vast quantities of made-up suits and lengths of cloth pouring in from England, while ap-peals are being made for woollen garments to be sent to English families, and this alongside francic appeals for blankets for needy Australian families. It doesn't make sense for clothes to be sent from England where they are badly needed.

COMMUNIST COUP

Seizure of power has taken place in Hungary and the Soviet agents have set up another puppet government for Moscow. Trumped-up charges had been made of another "Rightist" conspiracies under Premier Nagy, who had gone to Switzerland on holiday. Many members of his Party were arrested and others fled. So Hungarians enter into a new era of serfdom. Another report of Red activities informs

us "Russian authorities in Berlin have suspended for a week a Christian Democrat newspaper for alleging in an article that a Socialist newspaper had misled its readers in a review of the political tendencies of 45 newspapers published in the Russian zone

These are experiences of Communism in practice, as distinct from specious theories put forward by its advocates.

SEMITE'S STATEMENT

By contrast with the terrorism carried out by political Zionists, the following statement by Mr. Lessing J. Rosenwald, national president of the American Council for Judaism, is interesting:

"A Jewish State would be harmful to Jews throughout the world and would endanger the Holy Land's peace and security. Jews should seek their maximum integration in should seek their maximum integration in the countries in which they live. Identifying a State with a racial or religious segment of its population is contrary to democratic concepts." He also remarked: "The Zionist claim, that the Balfour declaration was a definite promise by Britain to create a Jewish State, has in effect sustained the 'anti-Semitic racialit lie' that Jews throughout the world

racialist lie' that Jews throughout the world are a separate national body."

Evidently Mr. Rosenwald prefers the strategy of infiltration.

RIVAL RELIGIONS

An overseas writer commenting on what he describes as the war between the Vatican and Communism likens the situation to a contest between two rival religions.

He asserts that the Vatican is considering three alternatives to meet the threat: (a) Go "underground" as it did in other dark ages; (b) continue fighting with the same weapons being used at present—i.e., counter propaganda, etc.; (c) convert the Church into a working-class movement, offering all the social and economic advantages (?) of Communism, plus God and an after-life.

This correspondent (Alexander Clifford, of the London "Daily Mail"), intentionally or otherwise, furthers the idea of the "inevit-able trend" towards Communism; he does not question the obvious lie about Communism giving social and economic advantages. And he could more accurately describe con-verts to Communism as victims.

EDUCATION ERROR

Professor of Education C. H. Hardie told the Tasmanian Teachers' Conference "the real work done in child psychology is microscopic compared with the amount of utter rubbish published about it... it is fortunate that child psychologists, who have evolved such interesting if fantastic theories, rarely attempt to put them into practice.

This overworked psychology business is being ridiculed from many quarters nowadays. The main objection to the "build-up" that has been given to it, is the impression conveyed that one has to undergo intense theoretical training and obtain a University degree to become a psychologist; whereas practical psychology is simply the applica-tion of experience-based common-sense—an attribute not confined to the Universities, udging by government day "loadeas" judging by some present-day "leaders" who graduated from them.

"BILL OF RIGHTS"

The highlight of the Saskatchewan Bill of Rights, according to the "Edmonton Bul-letin," Mar. 17, "... is provision for a maxi-mum penalty of a 500-dollar fine and six months in gaol for offences of discrimination against persons or classes because of class, race, creed, religion or national origin, in respect of certain defined fields of activity. Minimum fine would be 25 dollars.

Should the Bill come into effect, no doubt the C.C.F. expect to use the above section as a weapon to back up their smear and de-famation attitude towards their "Fascist" enemies, the Social Crediters.

"The Canadian Social Crediter.'

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That is an almost fantastic amount of that is an annost randout another of strength with which to subjugate this world that we must bring under our control. The problem of all builders and makers is to create in this world an environment in which reade in this world an environment in which people can live happily, comfortably, de-velop their potentials and realise the possi-bility of well being that may exist for them —and with that amount of power there is almost nothing that we can't do. How-ever, that is only the beginning.

New Developments

During the war, we developed new fuels that have vastly greater potentials than any we knew before and we have perfected new engines in which to use those fuels. We have developed new types of engines in the gas turbine, and the jet engine, which have vast potentials, and then we have gone far beyond that and unlocked the cores of all power and released the might within the atom. It is the power from which the sun draws the strength that it pours down on the earth and wastes throughout the rest of the universe. We can build little suns now. I don't mean the two-legged kind, at which we have always been reasonably adept but s-u-n, the little suns under our control, which we can put to work for us.

Out of this same scientific effort which

has produced atomic fission, we have one of the most extraordinary methods of controlling power, electronics, the parent of atomic energy, in its other phases it also is used now to control power in a manner no one had ever dreamed of before. The most sensitive and delicate expansion and interpretation of power is now possible, BO that by means of a pulsation fainter than a butterfly's pulse, you can swing a battleship in circles, you could magnify the gnaw-ing of a worm on a leaf to a roar that could be heard in Ottawa. You can do anything with the transformation and magnification of power that a man wants to do through the use of electronics.

In the field of materials, if nature does not provide us today with material we need for our purpose, we can make it. The chemist, the metallurgist and the electronic experts have learned how to re-combine the atoms in a molecule in order to create a new molecule, which will have the properties that are needed. You saw that during the war in the swift development of artificial rub-

It is not sufficient to merely produce goods, to produce wealth. We must be able to distribute it.

Garrison-Rich Palestine

"Even the Jewish extremists," writes a correspondent from Palestine to "The Economist" (London), "are aware of the financial benefits that Palestine is deriving from the British garrisoning of the Middle Ecot." East.'

According to the Chief Government Statistician, it is pointed out, British expenditure in Palestine rose from £2,841,000 in 1939 to £25,229,000 in 1944 and 1945, and will most probably reach the figure of $\pounds 30,000,000$ for 1946.

This represents about 20 per cent, of the total national income, which is estimated at about $\pounds123,000,000$.

at about £123,000,000. "It is obvious," adds the writer in "The Economist," "that as long as the military absorbs a fifth of the national output—and pays for it, not from current taxation, but from funds provided by Great Britain-Palestine will be prosperous."

Figures, which clearly show whatever may be the Jewish political attitude to Britain, how reluctant Palestine must be to lose the British money that is being ex-pended there. "Smith's Weekly " Sydney June 14.

TAX FACTS FROM "HANSARD"

How Australia Is Being Strangled

Mr. Fadden, 9/5/47: "In my speech on the financial statement, I indicated the extent to which the Treasurer had under-estimated revenue receipts for the first nine months of this financial year. At the end of March 1947, customs and excise duties were £19,500,000 higher than the previous year and at £75,000,000 were within £14,000,000 of the full yearly estimate.

"Sales tax, at £29,000,000, was within £2,000,000 of the total expected for the year. Income-tax collections from the 1st July 1945, to the 31st March 1946, were £124,000,000. Despite reductions already made, collections this financial year, to the end of March, are £122,300,000, only £2,000,000 below those for the same period last year.

'As the proposed new reductions will take effect from the 1st July, next, and will have no effect on 1946-47 revenue, it is clear that the Government, by the end of June, will have provided no overall relief, but will have extracted almost the same aggregate amount of tax from Australians as it received the previous year.

MR. HOLT, 8/5/47: "Quite obviously, what is happening is that, as the Treasurer reduces the rate of income tax, but retains heavy indirect taxes such as sales tax, ex-cise, customs and pay-roll tax, he is more than able to recover his 'losses.' The real test is: How much is the Commonwealth taxpayer paying today compared with what he had to pay during the war? The remark-able thing is that a Government which claims to have given substantial tax relief is collecting from taxes as much as, if not more than, it was during the war."

Small Business Hit

MR. HOLT, 8/5/47: "I shall comment **MR.** HOLT, 8/5/47: "I shall comment briefly upon the experience of a small business. First it has to pay on the pay roll of its employees. The employees themselves pay tax on the wages they draw from the business. If the business purchases capital goods in order to continue in production it pays sales tax on those goods. All petrol used in the conduct of the business vields additional revenue to the An perforused in the conduct of the business yields additional revenue to the Commonwealth. And when the goods themselves are manufactured and purchased by the general public, the sales tax paid on those goods further helps to swell the revenues of the Government. Finally, if after having contributed all this to the coffers of the Treacury come profit remains to those the Treasury, some profit remains to those who have invested their money and put their work into the business, the Government steps in again and levies further tax on those profits."

Initiative Is Cramped

MR. RYAN, 7/5/47: "I have spoken of the burden of taxes. Everybody knows that the initiative of the Australian people is cramped by heavy taxes. That applies not only to individuals, but also, and with even only to individuals, but also, and with even greater force, to companies. Anyone who has examined recent company balance sheets published in the press will appreciate that. I could give dozens of instances, but I shall refer to only two examples. The first con-cerns the very well known Australian firm. Moulded Products Limited. In 1945, that organisation made a profit of £23,417 of which £8878 was paid in company tax. In 1946, the company made a profit of £64,230 and paid £44,851 in taxes. In other words, all the additional profit of £41.813 was aball the additional profit of £41,813 was ab-sorbed by taxes, except £5000. Another interesting case is that of Repco Products Limited, which also is a well-known company. In the year ended September 1945 the tax levied on the profits of this organisation was £48,943. In the following year the profits had increased by £27,587. Extra taxes paid amounted to £26,500, which left only £1087 The Government took $19/2!_2$ of every £1 of extra profit. That treatment of companies by the Government is not confined to one or two companies, but applies to the whole range of companies, large and small, in this country

A Fantastic Burden

SIR EARLE PAGE, 7/5/47: "When I ok at the figures which the Treasurer (Mr. Chifley) has presented to the House in his financial statement, I am staggered by the terrific commitments that. Australia has to face. Those commitments are at least three or four times the actual volume of Australian governmental commitments before World War II. Yet we have only 500,000 more persons to bear those enormous comons to bea nose enormous commitments than we had before the commencement of the conflict. If we think back for a period of 33 years, we shall find that the Note: The foregoing extracts, taken in the sequence in which they appear in the article, come from the following pages of Federal "Hansard" - 2182, 2144. 2145-6, 2005, 2019, 2228, 2196, 2233. total governmental budget of Australia, with 7,500,000 people, is practically equal to the

total budget of Great Britain in 1914, when it had to bear the cost of Empire defence and had between 40,000,000 and 50,000,000 people.

The Tax Treadmill

MR. ANTHONY, 13/5/47: "According to the quarterly summary of Australian statis-tics issued by the Commonwealth Statistician, nett production per head for all indus-tries in 1939 was £56, while in 1945 it had increased to £87, an increase of £31 per head. As against this, taxation has increased over all industries by £33 per head. I emphasise, however, that those industries, which are not able to pass on taxes, have not increased their production in anything like the same proportion. For instance, in the pastoral in-dustry production amounted to £9 per head in 1939, and to only £13 per head in 1945. In the dairying industry production per head was ± 5 in 1939, and ± 6 in 1946. Those figures emphasise the bad state of the dairying industry in particular and point to the need for taxation relief."

A Taxation Reserve

MR. HARRISON, 9/5/47: "The Auditor-General in his last annual report drew at-tention to the fact that uncollected taxes amounted to something like $\pounds 45,000,000$. At a time like this, when we are imposing taxes far higher than those of any other country, it would seem that we really do not need the money when our administration can afford to allow a sum like £45,000,000 to go uncollected. We cannot expend the money that is budgeted for, and yet we are holding back, as a kind of reserve, assessments



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which make up this huge sum. I can in turn, the whole community. There is a number of industrial firms which have not received an assessment for over three years.

One For Mr. Ripley

Finally, we have a contribution from MR. DUTHIE on May 13, which, though it cannot be admitted as a fact, at least serves to indicate how far our "representatives" have drifted from fact into the realms of

Without taxes we have no security." Put more simply, that little gem of wisdom means that we must have the food taxed away from our mouths and the clothing taxed away from our mouths and the clothing taxed away from our bodies, in order to enjoy the blessings of "free" medicine; and this in a country physically capable of producing plenty of food and clothing as well as medicine.

MONEY PREVAILS OVER "BLOOD SWEAT AND TEARS"

(From "Vers Demain," Quebec.) The summarised budget provisions brought down in the [Canadian] House of Commons on March 5 by the Minister of Finance allot the largest item to interest on the public debt: \$464,944,000. It does not matter who are the holders of Government bonds, the final profit (and power also) always goes to the banks, since all money is the creation of banks and is

all money is the creation of banks and is put in circulation conditionally and on terms. The bondholders are only intermediaries. The \$464,944,000 is thus the annual cake

served by the Canadians to masters of money and credit. Before the war, the money and credit. Before the war, the annual tribute was already large enough at \$128,000,000. The increase of 337 millions represents the financiers' share of the spoils of war: according to the rules of the sys-tem, every year, from now till the end of time, without reducing its debt, Canada will turn over to the high-priests of the Golden Calf 337 millions more than before, this as a remuneration for having tightened their hold on the country in the fever of war.

In the same budget, the same Government allots to the repatriated members of the armed forces, including appropriations under the Veterans' Land Act, a total of \$64,054,000.

Compare: a \$337 million remuneration to money, \$64 millions worth of gratitude to the fighters.

One would think that the war was won by the bankers' pen and not by the efforts, the sufferings and the blood of soldiers.

Deporting a Britisher

(From "Smith's Weekly," 14/6 A woman correspondent encloses a clipping from a Perth paper which reports that a British seaman, after serving a seven-days' sentence for deserting a ship, is now being held in goal pending departation as a prohibited gaol pending deportation as a prohibited immigrant because he failed to pass an education test in Greek. "So," adds this writer to "Smith's," "the protifier or mount to this."

"This man—one of our own people, speak-ing our own language—is not permitted to remain in Australia because he can't speak and write Greek. Yet, during the past few weeks, we have had Greek and Hebrew migrants who can't speak English. They are welcomed by Mr. Calwell with open arms; but this particular man is not wanted here. Ye gods, what is the country coming

WHEN INCENTIVE CEASES

Somewhere there is a point at which the incentive ceases to incite. This is the fun-damental defect of all public services paid for out of taxes or by any form of compulsory levy . . . they diminish the amount of money which he would otherwise have available to spend on things he wants. And only that money is any incentive to him to work or to incur risk. Who ever did more work in order to be able to pay more taxes? How much of the national income can be withdrawn from the incentive function by taxation, and still leave the incentive suffi-cient to be effective? —"Times-Herald," Moose Jaw, Canada.

WHY NOT A LAW AGAINST INVENTIONS? Sacred Policy of Full Employment in Peril!

Just think how awful it would be if radio-controlled bulldozers entirely deprived us of the dignity, the majesty, of labor with picks and shovelsnot to mention the delicate question of pay-envelopes!

As yet, the Bulldozer Menace hasn't quite reached that stage: but there are other similar Menaces, and the situation is as serious as the comment of N. B. James in the following article from the "Canadian Social Crediter '

I got hold of a copy of a weekly, called "Life," the other day. In it was an article (illustrated), which described some of the machinery that is in use today. I illustrations of a machine that would bale hay on the field. The hay was left in windrows and the machine caught it up, baled it and dropped it—just as a binder drops wheat bundles. I saw another photo, which depicted three or four tractors and mould boards, careering down a large field and ploughing the land, without a single human being in sight. I read of other miracles, too, that would practically do away with human labor, and increase production almost beyond belief.

Blessing or Crime?

Now a lot of people would think this was a magnificent achievement, and be whooping-

a magnificent achievement, and be whooping-it-up over the marvels of civilisation. Personally, I think that kind of thing is nothing less than criminal, and an injunction (or something) should be got out by some-body-or-other to prevent these iniquitous machines coming on the market; and anybody who inverts a machine that and anybody who invents a machine that does away with human labor should be prosecuted with the utmost rigor of the law

Just think of what will happen if all the industries follow this horrible example, and use machines that could be run practically without manpower.

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"Federal Union Exposed." An outline of the steps toward the World Government. 2/7 posted. "The Answer To Tax Slavery." A way

out of the debt system. 1/1 posted.

"The Mysterious Protocols." The master plot related to present-day events. 2/7 posted.

Why, our power or production would so increase, that everybody could have what they wanted, and yet nobody could get any-thing they needed!

You see, if we did away with "employ-ment" we'd all starve to death, wouldn't

All the politicians acknowledge vocifer-ously that without "full employment" we can't eat, so if we keep on inventing these cursed machines to do our work for us you see where it will land us.

No Purchasing Power

You see, the only way possible to distribute purchasing power is through wages, and if there are no wages there'll be no purchasing power.

That is evidently as far as our thinking can go, no "expert economist" has yet thought up any other way, and if THEY can't, you couldn't expect anybody else to, could you—or could you? Some crazy loon once suggested that we

could pay the machine's wages to the humans through a national dividend, but that was laughed out of court by the politicians and "experts," so we just can't allow this machine and power craze to get the better of us. Just think what it would mean. Machines trebling our production and nobody with the power to use it!

ALBERTA'S OIL FIELDS

"It is forecast by the economics depart-ment of the Standard Oil Company that, within ten years, North America will be obtaining an estimated 500,000 barrels of gasoline and other petroleum products per through synthesis of natural gas. Readers who have been following this series will realise from this additional information that Alberta is destined to play an increasingly important part in the development of this phase of the great petroleum industry." —"The Oil Bulletin," Mar. 7, '47.

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SENSATIONAL STORY **BEHIND CANADIAN SPY TRIALS**

Hereunder we give further extracts from the account, based on statements of Canadian Government officials and the published report of the Royal Commission of Inquiry, in the book "The Soviet Spies" by Richard Hirsch, formerly Lieutenant-Colonel in the Military Intelligence Division of the U.S. War Department General Staff:

Shortly after daybreak on September 7, the Gouzenkos and their documents were moved to the headquarters of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. Commissioner S. T. Wood personally notified Prime Minister Mackenzie King of the events of the pre-ceding evening

Again the Prime Minister pointed out the need for proceeding cautiously. "Be certain that this man's motives are above suspicion

and that his documents are genuine." The first thing Commissioner Wood sought to establish was the reason for Gouzenko's decision to leave the Soviet Embassy. "I will be glad to explain that to you,"

was the reply. His statement is reproduced here because of the lesson, which it con-tains for every thinking person: —

GOUZENKO'S STATEMENT

I, Igor Gouzenko, wish to make the fol-

lowing statement of my own will: "Having arrived in Canada two years ago, I was surprised during the first days by the complete freedom of the individual

by the complete freedom of the individual which exists in Canada but does not exist in Russia. The false representations about the democratic countries, which are increasingly propagated in Russia, were dissipated daily, as no lying propaganda can stand up against facts. "Holding forth at international confer-ences with voluble statements about peace and security, the Soviet Government is simultaneously preparing secretly for a third world war. To meet this war, the Soviet Government is creating in democratic countries, including Canada, a democratic countries, including Canada, a fifth column; in the organisation of which even diplomatic representatives of the Soviet Government take part.

"During my residence in Canada I have seen how the Canadian people and their Government, sincerely wishing to their Government, sincerely wishing to help the Soviet people, sent supplies to the Soviet Union, collected money for the welfare of the Russian people, sacrificing the lives of their sons in the delivery of these supplies across the ocean, and instead of gratitude for the help rendered, the Soviet Government is developing espionage activity in Canada, preparing to deliver a stab in the back of Canada—all this without the knowledge of the Russian people.

"Convinced that such double-faced politics of the Soviet Government toward the democratic countries do not conform with the interests of the Russian people and endanger the security of civilisation, I decided to break away from the Soviet regime and to announce my decision openly." my decision openly.

MOVE AND COUNTER-MOVE

The next problem was to examine the documents, translate them, and establish their authenticity. A mass of papers, they were of all colors, shapes and sizes, and one glance at their varied nature told the officials that the task of sorting and check-ing use net going to be accurate.

It was decided to set up a special head-quarters for the operation in the Rockcliffe Barracks of the R.C.M.P. Here the Anti-Espionage Squad, headed by Inspector John Leopold, began to uncover a story of intrigue, conspiracy and treason without par-allel in the history of espionage in North

Meantime, the Soviet Embassy was not idle. To the Dominion Government, it addressed a note, which was received on September 8. It read, in part:

"A colleague of the Embassy, Igor Sergeievitch Gouzenko, failed to report for work on September 6. It was later established that I. Gouzenko robbed some money belonging to the Embassy and had hidden himself together with his family.

"The Embassy of the U.S.S.R. asks the Department of External Affairs to take urgent measures to seek and arrest I. Gou-zenko and to hand him over for deportation."

The Canadian Government requested particulars concerning the stolen funds.

The Embassy made no answer. Instead, on September 14, it sent a second note, pitched to a higher degree of urgency. This message read, in part:

"The Embassy, upon instructions from the Government of the U.S.S.R., repeats its request to the Government of Canada to apprehend Gouzenko and his wife and with-

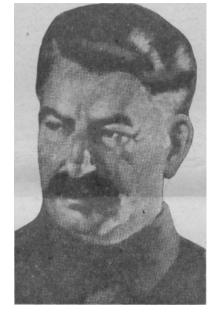
out trial to hand them over to the Embassy for deportation to the Soviet Union." By that time the Government of Canada had no intention of handing Gouzenko over to anyone. Subjected to the most rigid and searching tests to determine his sincerity and the authenticity of the documents, he had come through with flying colors.

DAMNING EVIDENCE

The documents were no forgeries. Dozens of them were handwritten in Russian. Gouor item were handwhiten in Russian. God-zenko said that they were the writings of Colonel Zabotin, Colonel Rogov and Colonel Motinov. Investigators checked at different houses where these officers had been en-tertained. At one, a hunting lodge, a guest book was obtained. In it were the signa-tures of many Government and diplomatic tures of many Government and diplomatic officials who had been guests there—including these three men. A handwriting expert was able to state flatly that Gouzenko had brought genuine writings of the Soviet officials.

There were other tests as well. Gouzenko brought four copies of secret telegrams sent from London to Ottawa. They were dated but a few weeks before—August 24, 25 and 31

A quick check on the official Government files revealed that they were exact copies



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of highly secret matters supposed to be known only to the British and Canadian Governments.

The problem no longer was one of estab-lishing the veracity of Gouzenko, but of rooting the cancerous intrusion of Soviet secret agents from the innermost channels of the Canadian Government. As quickly as a document was translated, it was filed according to category. The titles them according to category. The titles them-selves were ominous — Atomic Weapons -Radar — Secret Explosives — False Pass-- to mention but a few. ports -

Never before in the history of espionage had such a carefully documented plot been presented to the victim in one package. There was almost too much evidence. The list of cover names alone for secret agents of Russian, Canadian, British and United States citizenship ran to three printed pages. (To be continued.)

Where Do You Buy Your Books?

A GARDEN ENCLOSED

"Large or small, the garden should be well fenced from the outer world," said William Morris.

There is a tendency nowadays to remove walls and fences, either to beautify the street, or to exhibit the charms of a garden. Many gardeners have regretted doing so, finding, too late, how readily plants respond to protection from wind and dust, or animals.

A great landscape gardener, Edward Kent, writing in 1850 has a few telling words on the subject: "A place without snugness and seclusion might almost as well be public property. These make the garden peculiarly one's own, converting it into a kind of sanctum.

Writing more recently, Dr. Harry Roberts agrees with this: "One of the greatest gifts of the garden is solitude. You see I am English and like to ply my hobby in privacy. For I hold that a garden is a place whither one should be able to retire as to a study."

With only fifteen minutes for a little spade work the owner of a fenceless garden is bailed from the footpath by a passing neighbor, and ten precious minutes are lost in listening to a political tirade, the latest district scandal, or a review of last night's bridge party. For snugness and seclusion one looks longingly back to those gardens of antiquity, to that first garden planted eastward in the country of Eden.

-The Melbourne "Age."

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World Control of Food Exposed (Continued from page 1.)

(Continued from page 1.) the international control of food, let us recall legislation passed by the Federal Parliament, legislation which most Australians have forgotten. How many re-member the Bill enacted to commit Aus-tralia to the United Nations Food and Agricultural Organisation? This international organisation proposes to interfere with actual food production in every member country of the United Nations. Under the very appropriate heading,

Nations. Under the very appropriate heading, "International Planners out for World Control," the, Victorian "Countryman" of April 25, refers to a report on the Food and Agricultural Organisation meeting, which started at Rome on March 3. It is stated that, "In its report the Food and Agricultural Organisation Preparatory Commission noted that a free market in the old sense does not now exist for aericultural old sense does not now exist for agricultural products, because governments are generally committed to policies of price regulation and subsidy and controlled international trade."

Further extracts from the report leave no doubt that the primary producers of the countries of the world are marked down for international control operating through local Government bureaucracies.

AUSTRALIANS MUST ACT AUSTRALIANS MUST ACT When the very basis of life—food production—is controlled and planned on a world scale, the individual can be controlled from the cradle to the grave. International control of food can and is being used to break the spirit of the British people

people.

people. Australians with backbone should ask their Members of Parliament in very blunt terms what they are going to do to ease the economic blockade against, the British

economic blockade against, the BHUSH people. We don't want platitudes about further rationing in Australia, etc.—We want to know if Australia's food reserves, which are enormous, are to be tapped immediately in order to prevent the Communist revolution that may come in Great Britan if further that may come in Great Britain if further food rationing is imposed.

If Great Britain is lost to the democratic way of life, Australians may as well choose the type of tyranny they prefer while they -Radio talk by Eric D. Butler over 3CS, Colac.

ALBERTA S.C. BOARD REPORT

Last week we published a first instalment of the Alberta Social Credit Board's Report, recently presented to the Alberta Legislative Assembly. Here is a further instalment of this notable document:

While working with all their might to establish State Monopoly in every nation, the international schemers did not lose sight of their main objective. They were

sight of their main objective. They were aware of the danger that State Monopoly could become a serious obstacle to the achievement of world dictatorship. Power concentrated in the hands of a single group in each country could quite conceivably escape the control of the world planners. While they encouraged the growth of national dictatorships they took great care that these were always subservient to their dictates. They saw to it that their nomi-nees were placed in positions of power in State Monopolies, in National banks, or as heads of Governments. But these precau-tions were not enough. tions were not enough.

The unifying concepts of patriotism, loy-alty, and national consciousness had to be attacked and broken down. These were to be replaced by the doctrines of Inter-nationalism, loyalty to a world Government, and world institutions.

Ideals Attacked

The process of moulding public opinion to accept the totalitarian ideology without protest was carried into every sphere of human life. Democratic ideals had to be withlesely dottword. Since these time time ruthlessly destroyed. Since these time-tried principles are rooted deeply in the Western mind, the World Plotters composed new and misleading definitions of Democracy.

By means of vicious propaganda, economic pressure and party politics, democracy has been sabotaged and rendered inoperative. The pseudodemocracy that remains has been ridiculed, discredited, and condemned as the genuine ideal. As a result the word "democracy" has become associated, in the minds of many sincere people, with all that is undesirable in society. Freedom of the individual is the first principle of a genuine democracy. Consequently, the World Plotters launched a planned attack against this principle. The true meaning of freedom has been lost in the confusion caused by the flood of meaningless definitions. Thousands have been finitions. Thousands have been persuaded, by a deliberately planned propaganda, to regard freedom as undesirable and to be surrendered "for the common good" to irresponsible individuals or groups. Freedom is easily lost and most difficult to regain. In every country in the world the people have lost their individual freedom in varying degrees individual freedom in varying degrees and under regimes carrying many different labels. The World Plotters recognised that one of the gravest threats to their temporal power was inherent in the religious faith of the people. They, therefore, employed every known means to root out that faith in the hearts of people everywhere, and to substitute purely materialistic concepts of life in its place. It is not by accident that in

Russia and Germany, where Socialism has been most fully established, religious faith has been most vigorously suppressed, while the State, the Dictator, and their ideological props have been accorded the homage usually reserved for the Deity. A man cannot serve two masters. Man cannot be expected to serve God and at the same time be subservient to an evil totalitarian State.

The Great Barrier

The policy, which has governed the unique organisation known as the British Common-wealth of Nations, has been the progressive decentralisation of power until the member-vations, had achieved accurately the second and in the schemes of the World Plotters that this between the schemes of the World Plotters that this the schemes of the World Plotters that this the schemes of the World Plotters that this between the schemes of the World Plotters that this between the schemes of the World Plotters that this between the schemes of the World Plotters that this between the schemes of the World Plotters that this between the schemes of the World Plotters that this between the schemes of the World Plotters that this between the schemes of the World Plotters that this between the schemes of the World Plotters that this between the schemes of the World Plotters that this between the schemes of the World Plotters that the schemes of the World Plotters the schemes giant federation of free nations be weakened and rendered subservient to the over riding policy of Monopoly.

We have shown in past Reports how the Russian, German, and Italian dictators were heavily financed while building their warmachines. The money for the purpose has been traced to sources within the democracies. That is just another way of saying that the wealth of the so-called democracies was being diverted to build the military strength of nations with whom they would eventually and inevitably be at would eventually and inevitably be at war.

During the same period the members of the British Commonwealth, in common with other democracies, were suffering the worst banker-created depression in history. Governments were unable to secure enough money to relieve properly the despread destitution, which existed Much less were they able to secure money to prepare their defences against the military attack, which everyone knew was soon to come.

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"Soil and Civilisation," by Elyne Mit-chell, 4/81. "Pay Dirt," by Roydale, 21/5. "Ploughman's Folly," by Faulkner, 10/2. "Reconstruction by Way of the Soil," by Wrench, 19/11. Order from "New Times" Ltd., Box 1226L, G.P.O., Melbourne.

Weakened by years of depression and war the Commonwealth has since been subject to unrelenting pressure, every effort being made to force member nations to relinquish their sovereignty to international bodies, and submit to the economic dictatorship of an international bank.

Fortunately, the plans of the International Plotters do not always work out according to the blueprint. There is a steadily growing resistance movement in evidence. The natural resistance of every normal indivi-dual to tyranny and slavery added to recognition of the identity of the enemy is gradually uniting the forces that stand for a true Christian Democracy. We may conclude that eventually these forces will clash violently with those controlled by the World Plotters. When that time comes, the outcome will depend largely on the extent to which the electorate is enlightened and to which the electorate is enlightened and organised.

(To be continued.)

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