

He was a peculiarly

person, and when visiting the local cattle show made himself unpopu-lar by his loudly expressed claims

to superior knowledge. He was especially insulting to old Sam Potts.
"Pah", he said, sneeringly, "you

know nothing about pigs, you don't. Why, my father raised the

biggest pig ever raised in these ere parts".

"Aye", retorted old Sam, quietly, "and the noisiest".

Innocent

clean an officer's inner sanctum. Quickly he went to work. Happily

humming a song, he wiped the desk, cleaned the chair, dusted the books. A half later the officer

walked in. Everything was tip-top

except the floor.
"Private," remarked the officer,

wasn't the floor washed?"
"No," replied the private"No WHAT?" exclaimed the Ir-

itated officer.
"No mop," said the private

If it Comes to That

A man was going round the country selling bacon-slicers. He

ame to a little town in Lancashir

and went into a grocer's where he could see they hadn't a bacon-slic-

er. He put his sample on the coun-ter and showed the grocer how i

"Don't you think that's marvel-

"Aye."
"Don't you think every up-to-

"Now, just take another look a

"You agree this is a time-saving

achine and a marvelous invest

"Aye, it's marvelous."
"You realize what a lot more business you'd do if you bought

one for your shop?"
"Aye, I do an' all."
"Well, why don't you buy it?"

this," he said, and sliced off a lot

"Isn't that lovely?"

A private stationed at the Army Air Force Basic Training Center, N.J., was ordered to wash and

an officer's inner sanctum.

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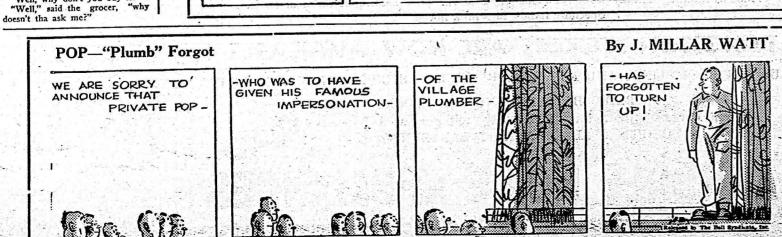
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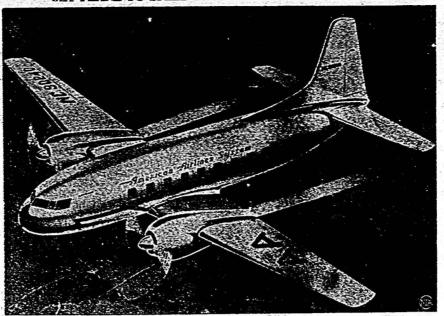








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Many Political Issues

by power politics?

Be Solved in 1946.

tered here and there about Europe while the Allies seek some way of

guaranteeing them freedom and

Spain is essentially this: How soon can Generalissimo Franco be oust-

cd from power and the country

restored to a democratic basis?
An early Anglo-American-French

parley on the wisdom of breaking diplomatic relations with the

Franco regime is a possibility.

Japan

In setting up a four-power con-trol council to administer. Japan, the Allies are facing the same chal-lenge that confronts them in Ger-many, to wit: Can differing nation-

alities, differing concepts, and often differing ideals be meshed

into a unified and efficient admin-istrative machine? It must be ad-

mitted that the effort thus far has

not been very successful in Ger-

Colonies

The trouble in Indonesia provides

a fair example of the colonial prob-

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-Ottawa Citizen.

Two Classes It is deplorable that so many public office-holders fall into one o: these classes; (1) Those who won't do anything, and (2) those who

-Kitchener Record.

Comparative Skills The man who pokes fun at woman trying to drive through 12-foot garage door usually sobers

-Montreal Star

And Soon Goering has reaffirmed his faith in Nazism and says he would fol-low Hitler again if he had the chance. From all indications, he -The New Yorker.

# New Alarm Network Helps Catch Crooks

A new kind of burglar alarmwartime invention—which auto-matically calls up Scotland Yard, the Criminal Investigation Department, is being fitted in many London banks, jewelers and business premises as a further step towards combating Britain's biggest crime wave in years.

Already the device—a gramo phone-telephone system, which automatically relays the name, address, and telephone number o the premises being burgled to the police—has resulted in some o London's smaller crooks being rounded up, it was stated today. Now American officials in Lon-don, it is understood, are consider-

ing having G-men sent from Washington to help in tracking down several hundred United States deserters. Many of London't robberies have been made by men in uniform armed with mili-Special precautions are being taken at embarkation ports to pre-

weapons into the country.

Volunteers are now coming forward to reinforce the Metropolitan Police as special constables and those specials who would nor-mally be released after completing

on.
Civilians are responding well to the police appeal to dial 999— Scotland Yard's emergency num-ber—to report suspicious actions, and has resulted in more crook than usual being arrested.

## Alberta Lemons Big as Grapefruit

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His wife, who shares in the achievement, displayed the fruit which resemble lemons in shape but are almost as large\_as grapefrui The largest is one pound three ounces and the smallest only two ounces less.

### World Problems France Faces Wheat Shortage Of the New Year

shortage before the end of the win-ter-a fact that may precipitate a governmental crisis, since bread i As the New Year opens, world the staple food of France, says Newsweek. Early estimates placed government and control of atomic power overshadow all problems.

Concisely the world-governme the wheat crip at 60 per cent of ssue is this: Is the United Nations the 1938, figure. Actually, the 1945 harvest reached only 42 per cent. Moreover, Argentina probably will Organization to be a genuine world organization or simply an other League of Nations dominated be unable to deliver wheat as contracted for by former Food Minis At the present moment the world is being run exclusively by the Big ter Christian Pineau. Desperate

Three—Great Britain, the United States and Russia. Displaced Persons wheat from the U.S. and Canada. The grave social problem of the displaced persons still stands sub-etantially unrelieved. Close to 1,-000,000 political refugees are scat-

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# Political and Private

Adolf Hitler's last political testa ment, apparenty prepared as Berlin tottered before the Russian on-slaught, was rerealed last week as a masterpiece of propaganda m which he built himself up as a martyr and bequeathed to the German people the Nazi creed of fierce loyalty to the State and hat-

Hitler's Last Wills:

red of the Jews.

His final admonition was: "Above all, I enjoin the govern ment of the nation and the people to uphoid the racial laws to the limit and resist mercilessly the poisoner of all nations, international Jewry. The testament, dated April 29,

1945, was discovered by British and American intellingence agents It disclosed that Hitler expelled Reichsmarshal Hermann Goring and Gestapo Chief Heinrich Himmler from the Nazi ranks for atmler from the Nazi ranks for at-tempting to seize control of the State, and "negotiating with the enemy without my knowledge." Urging Germans to keep alive the Nazi doctrine, Hiter said "the seed has been sown that will grow one day in the history of Germany to the glorious rebirth of the Na-tional Socialist Movement," the

Throughout the testament, Hit-ler built himself up as a martyr who wished to "join in death" the troops who had fallen on the battlefield. In his personal will, also dated

April 29, Hitler told of plans for suicide after marrying Miss Braun,

sions "in so far as they are worth" to the Nazi Party, and said that paintings he had collected should be placed in a gallery "in my home town of Linz on the Dan-

# Conscientious Cow

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