# CASE AGAINST GERMAN LEADERS

# CHIEF PROSECUTOR'S ADDRESS

# ALL PRISONERS PLEAD "NOT **GUILTY**"

The case against the leaders of Nazi Germany was opened yesterday by the chief American prosecutor, Justice Jackson, whose speech took up most of the day's sitting of the Nuremberg tribunal.

All 20 prisoners pleaded "Not Guilty." Göring, the first to plead, made an attempt to address the court but was promptly called to order.

## **GÖRING CALLED** TO ORDER

#### ATTEMPT TO MAKE A SPEECH

From Our Special Corre

NUREMBERG, Nov. 21 pleas of "Not Guilty" had beer After pleas of "Not Guity nau been could entered by all the 20, prisoners arraigned before the International Military Tribunal, the whole of to-day's sitting at the Nuremberg Palacejof Justice was taken up with the opening speech of Justice Robert Jacksoh, chief prosecuting counsel for the United States, who, condensing the crit of a decade into a statement of some 20,000 words, remorselessly developed the charges of conspiracy set out in count one of the

indictment.

Every one is agreed this evening that
he has achieved a tour de force. His
measured, dispassionate phrases were none
the less damning for their studied moderation, and as he gave reference after reference to the multitude of enemy documents in the hands of the prosecution the weight of the case against them was clearly borne

of the case against them was clearly borne in upon the accused. At several points Justice Jackson departed from the typed script of his address and in one of the most dramatic passages, referring to the complicity of the soldiers. Keitel and Jodl, he declared that the prosecution, possessed the text of an order initialited by both prisoners in which the passage occurred: "Although the British military position is so helpless they show not the slightest sign of giving in." A plan for an attack on Russia known as the Barbarosas contingency "had, he said, also been initialled by the two generals.

#### MOVES BY DEFENCE AUTHORITY OF TRIBUNAL CHALLENGED

y's proceedings were opened with remander of the management of the tribunal, and then sought that closer contact with the prisoners

German translation. "Reproached by thumiliation of those they have led almost as bitterly as by the denolation of those they have attacked, their personal capacity for evil is for ever past." Merely as individuals, their fats was of little consequence to the world.

represented sinister in the world long ter their passing. They were living symbol racial hatteds, terrorism and violence, and the arrogance and cruelty of power; and the arrogance and cruelty of power; instead of ferce and the arrogance and cruelty of power; and the arrogance and cruelty of power; and the arrogance and crue and the arrow arrows and the arrow and the arrow and the arrow arrows arrow arrows arrow and the arrow arrows arrow arrows arrow arrows arrow arrows arr

#### A MAD GAMBLE SLAVE LABOUR TO RUN WAR MACHINE

## AN EVIL ALLIANCE RECORD OF INHUMAN CONDUCT

## **CRUELTY TO JEWS** "RACE THAT HAS TO BE EXTERMINATED"

EXTERMINATED

he speaker dealt at great length with these

"battles" and the horror with which
were waged inside Germany, above all
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were against the Jews.

#### SUPPORTING JAPAN AIM TO CRUSH BRITAIN

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#### Coreto Auditors to the day and GREEK REGENT MORE FURING IN BATAVIA RESIGNS

## SEQUEL TO STAND BY RIGHT

## NEW CABINET SWORN/IN

backed by hints of coming disturbances. Another source of pressure on the Regent was the declaration of the King of the Hellenes on the plebiscite which, he considered, robbed him of his authority.

#### DEFERMENT OF **PLEBISCITE**

#### PROTEST BY THE KING

The British Government yesterday received a communication from the King of the Hellenes, which is now under consider ation. It presumably refers to the situa-tion created by the postponement of the Greek plebiscite until 1948, which was Tuesday. The King of the Hellenes has made the following statement to the Press

#### MISSING METEOR UNTRACED

#### SEARCH FOR SUSPENDED R.A.F. PILOT

TROM OUR ARRONAUTICAL CORRESPONDENT An intensive search for the Gloster and Mateor Jet-propelled fighter reported missing by the Air Ministry on Tuesday were night has yielded no results. An R.A.F.

# DUTCH TROOPS TO BE

#### TROUBLE SPREADS -

WITHDRAWN

From Our Special Corre BATAVIA, Nov. 21

From Our Correspondent

ATHENS, Nov. 21

Archbishop Damaskinos, the Regent of Greece, resigned to-day as a result of rightist reaction against the formation of a democratic Government, a reaction ex-prisoners of war, who were armed when backed by hipts of compine disturbances the allies first arrived here. Whereas the

#### "A SLAP IN THE EYE"

## STATE OF ANARCHY

#### FINANCIAL PACT IN SIGHT

#### A WASHINGTON FORECAST IN

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 21.—The completion and official publication of an AngloAmerican findincial agreement by the
middle of next week was forecast to-night
by a high authority here.
The authority refused to allow his name
to be mentiosed, and his forecast is
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London of the bew United States plan, which
was point by cable yesterday. He added that
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# FOUNTAIN PEN" FUSE

# SECRET OF "L-DELAY"

REVEALED Herbert Morrison disclosed