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Meat Shortage Blamed On 'Collusion' Among Packers

House Rules Committee Head Calls For Inquiry

WASHINGTON (AP)—Charging that "collusion" among packers is depriving the people of meat, Chairman Sabath, Democrat, Illinois, of the House Rules Committee, today asked for an investigation of "an apparent conspiracy" to violate the anti-trust laws.

Leaders Assemble Democrats Talk About Wallace, Pepper and Meat

By D. HAROLD OLIVER WASHINGTON (AP)—Democratic leaders met today to issue a party statement on foreign and domestic policies but the meat shortage and Henry Wallace dominated informal conversation.

Greek King Awaited As Strife Grows

Fighting Called State Of War Athens (AP)—The Greek Government completed today its plans for welcoming King George II back to his throne despite fierce border fighting and civil strife in Northern Greece which Premier Constantinos Tsaldaris says has reached the magnitude of war.



PITTSBURGH UNION LEADER—George L. Mueller (center), president of the Power Workers Union of Pittsburgh, is led from court by Sheriff Walter Monaghan (left) after being sentenced to serve a year in jail for contempt of court in calling a strike of power workers while an injunction was in effect.

Thousands Left Without Transport In Steel City

Power Walkout Continues PITTSBURGH (AP)—A walkout by street car operators started today in this strike-harassed steel capital, already in the grip of a power strike now in its third day.

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POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.—(AP)—The late President Franklin D. Roosevelt left a net estate before taxes of \$1,085,486, according to a tax appraisal filed here today.

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New Threat Arises Ship Engineers Take Strike Vote

Pacific Coast ship operators have declined an invitation from Secretary of Labor Lewis B. Schwellenbach to attend a maritime labor peace conference tomorrow in Washington designed to head off a nationwide strike by ship engineers.

4 Thought Rail Victims

VICTORVILLE, Calif.—Four persons were believed to be dead and 50 to 75 injured when the locomotive and the first five cars of the Pacific passenger train No. 3, the westbound transcontinental limited from Chicago, went into the ditch two and a half miles east of here this morning.

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