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Clay En Route To Washington

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The American Secretary of State is expected to leave for Washington today to meet with the British and French foreign ministers.

Sanitary Forces' Expansion Urged

Requests that improvements be made in both the City and County sanitary forces were on record today as an aftermath of the recent City-County clean-up campaign.

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Congress To Hear Truman In Person

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Welcome Sign Out

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Tito Replies To Soviet

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