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Alabama's Economy

Angry Strikers Resuming Work On Railroads

One Of Longest, Costliest Strikes Appears Ending

(By The Associated Press) One of the longest and most costly rail strikes in history ended today, and all main service was restored.

CIO Denounces Absurd Price Control Law

Will Not Tolerate Exorbitant Profits And Frozen Wages

NEW YORK, Feb. 9.—A CIO news committee says it will not tolerate a wage freeze which condemns workers to perpetual economic inferiority.

Reynolds Engineers To Attend Meeting

At Staff Meeting

ST. LOUIS, Mo.—Approximately 2,000 members of the American Union of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers are expected to meet here today for the 11th general meeting of the institute.

March Of Dimes Program Set Sunday At Sterling High

Rev. Elvise Stewart Wright noted Birmingham evangelist, educator, and author will be at Sterling High school Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock to speak at a special benefit program for the March of Dimes.

At The Theatres

- SHOALS**—"Fair in the Streets," with Richard Widmark, Paul Douglas.
- PRINCESS**—"Rim of the Canyon," with Gene Autry.
- GOLDBERT**—"Breakthrough," with David Brian, John Hodiak, and Gene Autry.
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How Rich Take Advantage Of Relier Set-Ups Told

ATLANTA, Ga.—Georgia, in a move to force financially able children to support their parents, today turned up 31 cases of rich or near-rich children who were parents receiving public aid benefits.

Attlee Cabinet Riding Out Meat Storm; Price Issue

LONDON, Feb. 9.—By an eight-vote margin the Labor Government tonight defeated its another Conservative attempt to turn Prime Minister Attlee's cabinet out of office.

Senate Subcommittee Ready To Draft Boys For Warfare

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The Senate subcommittee today announced it will begin drafting boys for warfare in 21 years would be called by duty.

Mass Meeting Monday Will Discuss Civil Defense In Colbert

A mass meeting to discuss the organization of a civil defense unit for Tuscaloosa has been called for Monday night at 7:30 p. m. at the Colbert high school.

D'Salle Reported Ready To Let Farm Prices Continue To Mount; No Effort Planned To Hold Food Price In

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—The price of one and one-half million bushels of wheat has been set at \$2.00 a bushel, the highest price since 1946.

Prayer For World Day of Prayer Today

Evangel God in Whose hands are the destinies of nations and men, we pray for the world today.

McMahon Says Tatt's Plan 'Unworkable, Impracticable'

WASHINGTON, Feb. 9.—Senator McMahon (D-Conn.) called "unworkable and impracticable" today a plan proposed by the National Defense Education Act.

London's Wildcat Strike Blazing Into New Life

LONDON, Feb. 9.—A wildcat dock strike blazed into new life today after the arrest of seven men charged with inciting illegal work-out in British shipping.

Contract of For Decatur Plant Today

DECATUR, Ga.—A contract to build a new 100,000-gallon plant for production of a new antibiotic has been awarded to the Decatur Construction Co. by the U. S. Army.

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