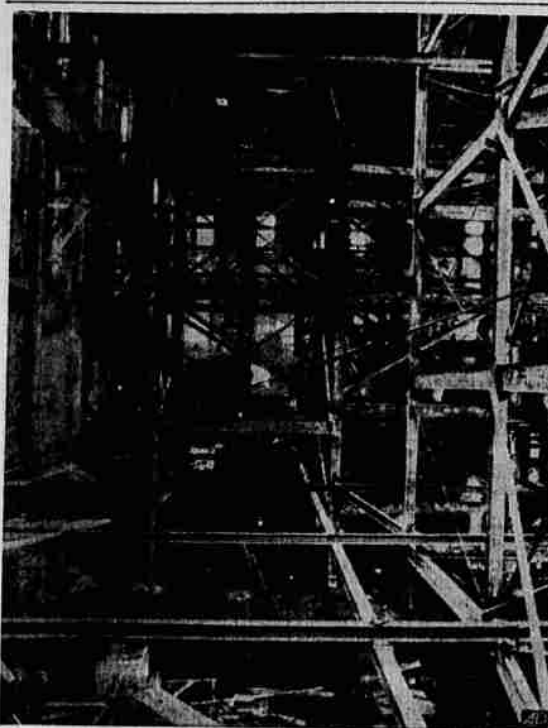




It's the White House—Only an unsightly cavern, lined with steel girders, remains of the historic White House interior at Washington, D. C. The \$4,500,000 remodeling job is about one-fourth finished. But the old rooms, taken apart and stored, will be put back together, just as they were. Looking east, the north front wall is at left. Below is the new basement, two stories deep. Previously, there was no basement at all. (AP Wirephoto)

Businessmen Fear Rationing

New York, July 13 (AP)—Many businessmen are gun-shy of the words "controls" and "rationing." All of them are keeping an anxious ear cocked toward Washington, as the Korean war piles up its uncertainties, its threats of shortages, its probabilities of increased military demands on industry.

Steelmen are discussing today the likelihood of allocations. Some say a new voluntary allocation is being prepared. Others are convinced President Truman is about to ask for a standby law giving him mandatory power to allocate iron and steel, and probably other scarce materials, such as copper, zinc, lumber and benzene.

Top labor leaders, worried about the direction wartime manpower controls might take, are conferring with the national security resources board. They demand a voice in planning the controls and want an active, not an advisory, part in their execution.

Foreign traders have the jitters every time they think of the chance of export controls and production quotas being slapped on again, just as their business was beginning to perk up a little, after two years of declining volume.

The oil industry is all set. Better than most industries, it knows just what is expected of it. Standby orders telling refineries what will be expected of them, including how much high-octane fuel for planes, are at hand in case of an emergency. Munitions board officials, how-

Warns FBI of Reign of Terror

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the communists "could very well destroy the effectiveness of our armed forces."

Nixon said the only catch is that the FBI may be able to thwart this "dastardly Kremlin plan."

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