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Claims for \$40,000



A House Judiciary committee, meeting President Roosevelt's proposals to members are shown just before the night Representative U. S. Guyer, Democrat of New York, and several of the Judiciary committee members at the Senate Judiciary Committee hearing.

Senators Court Plan

Judiciary Committee; High Court
Opposition Takes Form.

—(AP)—President Roosevelt today to rally Democratic reorganization of the courts.

SPENDING BILL REACHES HOUSE

Provides For \$149,968,000
For Biennium; Subcommittee's
Figures Approved.

—ALEXANDRIA, Feb. 10.—(AP)—The House of Representatives received a favorable report tonight on a bill providing for the State spending of \$149,968,000 during the 1937-38 biennium.

The measure, sent to the floor by the joint appropriations committee, was placed on the calendar for special consideration tomorrow. Included in the total was an allotment of \$2,000,000 a year to finance social security legislation.

The spending group worked all afternoon to whip the measure into shape for floor presentation, finally drafting unanimously and without debate a subcommittee's recommendations for biennial appropriations of \$149,968,000 more than these suggested by the Advisory Budget commission, which drafted the original pending bill.

House Chairman D. L. Ward, of Iowa, however, pointed out that requested increases over advisory budget recommendations total \$3,354,432 for the two-year period.

HEART DISEASE

Heart Ailment Proves Fatal
to Famed Churchman.

STRICKEN WHILE TALKING

Blumps in Chair and Dies in
Few Minutes Funeral
This Afternoon.

Bishop Edwin DuBose Moulton of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, one of the most distinguished churchmen in America, died suddenly of a heart attack about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at his home here at 800 Mount Vernon avenue.

Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the First Methodist church, Rev. H. T. Bond, pastor of the Dilworth Methodist church, will conduct the services, and the body will lie in state at the church from 2 o'clock until time for the funeral.

The body will be sent to Dallas, Texas, tonight, about 8 o'clock by express.

Bishop Moulton survived by his only two sons, Olin T. Moulton, a graduate student at the University of North Carolina, and J. Carlisle Moulton, a member of the faculty at Duke University, and two daughters, Mrs. C. H. Thomas and Mrs. J. C. Puritney, both of whom live in Texas. Another daughter, Mrs. J. Richard Spahn, died in Texas more than a year ago.

PRATHECH SUNDAY.

Bishop Moulton, senior bishop of the Methodist church, returned to his home last Saturday from a strenuous mission into Florida, Alabama, and Mississippi as a member of one of the groups conducting the "bishops' cruise" in that section. Sunday morning he preached his last sermon, an original message he had just prepared and had never before used at the Myers Park Methodist church. He was planning to leave later this week for a trip in the interests of the church to Virginia and Washington, D. C. His Episcopal residence was in Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland and the District of Columbia conferences.

With him when he died were Mrs. Moulton and Dr. C. C. Weaver, pastor of the First Methodist church, and Mrs. Weaver. The Weavers had called a few minutes before, and the four were seated in the living room. Bishop Moulton was discussing his recent trip and was in excellent spirits and appeared to be in perfect health. Suddenly he stopped talking and leaned over to him, spoke to him and attempted to arouse him. He breathed but a moment or two however and never regained consciousness. Last night one of the ministers who visited the home said Bishop Moulton had revealed in him in Oklahoma in 1922 that his physician had told him he had a slight heart ailment and warned him not to overtax his strength.

67 YEARS OLD.

Bishop Moulton would have been 68 years old had he lived until next May 19. He was born at Spartanburg, S. C., the son of Samuel Cogswell Moulton and Harriet Penitroy Moulton, and was graduated from Wofford college at Spartanburg in 1889. He was honored with the degree of doctor of divinity by Southwestern university in 1905, the same institution conferred the degree of doctor of laws upon him in 1911, and Duke university gave him that degree in 1929 and Southern Methodist university in 1935. He was



BISHOP EDWIN D. MOULTON... One of his latest photographs.

Settle Asbestosis Claims For \$40,000

State Industrial Commission Effects Compromise With All
But Four of Claimants in All-Day Session.

Seventy-eight claimants in the celebrated asbestosis cases of Merkleburg county will receive approximately \$10,000 in a compromise effected yesterday by the North Carolina Industrial commission in a conference with claimants and defendants. The conference lasted all day and part of last night with all parties except four claimants agreeing to the settlement.

The commission will meet again this morning at 9:30 at the courthouse and attempt to make a settlement with the claimants still holding out.

The claimants contend that, while they were employed by the Carolina Asbestos company and the Southern Asbestos company, they breathed into their lungs tiny particles of asbestos. These tiny particles are said to have lodged the lungs of the claimants and caused them to contract an incurable disease known as asbestosis. The claimants contend that the asbestos companies and the insurance companies which covered the asbestos companies with compensation insurance are liable for damages done the claimants.

COMPENSATION RATIO

The compensation payments agreed upon yesterday by the claimants and the insurance companies are based on 150 weeks' unemployment as a maximum; the average weekly wage of the claimant, the degree of disability of the claimant, and other factors which affect particular cases.

Under the settlement made yesterday the largest amount to be received by any one person will be \$2,562. The lowest amount will be \$75. The insurance companies agreed to give this amount to those persons who were discharged by the asbestos companies but who were later found to have no asbestosis.

The sessions yesterday were presided over by Chairman T. A. Wilson of the Industrial commission, but indicated disapproval of the

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Terms of Settlement Will be
Announced Then.

BOTH SIDES ARE PRAISED

Governor Declares Everyone

Contributed All He Could
To Result.

DETROIT, Feb. 11.—(AP)—Governor Frank Murphy announced at 2:35 a. m. today that an agreement had been reached between the United Automobile Workers of America and the General Motors corporation, ending the 42-day old strike.

The Governor said, "An agreement has been reached under the terms of which the union agrees to end the strike. The agreement will be signed this morning at 11 o'clock."

"Terms of the agreement will be announced then," Governor Murphy said.

He added that General Motors officials and union representatives and all parties to the controversy contributed to the "happy ending."

"Asbestosis is a disease which is caused by breathing in tiny particles of asbestos. It is a disease which is incurable and which is fatal."

"It has been a difficult job, but reason has prevailed."

"We hope it will serve as a warning to all workers in the United States to be careful of their health."

GOVERNOR HAPPY.

The Governor, who maintained an optimistic attitude through the eight days of negotiations despite the heavy drain on his physical powers, had a broad smile as he gave out his statement. He obviously was overjoyed at the successful conclusion of the strike.

William S. Knudsen, executive vice president of General Motors, was in the room with the Governor and Dewey when newsmen were called in.

It was learned from a highly reliable source that the agreement would provide recognition of the union as a bargaining agency for its members only, with certain guarantees for security demanded by the union, the nature of which could not be learned.

The conference was called by Governor Murphy at the "wish" of President Roosevelt.

DEMAND MODIFIED.

Before the conference opened the union had demanded exclusive representation for all employees, but later modified its demand to sole representation for the 20 plants where it called strikes.

A reliable informant said the "sit-down" strikers occupying three General Motors plants would leave as soon as possible after the agreement has been signed, and that production would resume.

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JO JO SAYS

From the looks of things Pinkerton agents not only work under cover but they won't lift the covers enough for the senators to get even a peek.

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WISCONSIN
WASHINGTON, Feb. 10.—(AP)—A
inquiry into industrial espionage
ove to another climax today
Senator La Follette, Progress-
Wisconsin, angrily accused
Pinkerton Detective Agency of
ing" State and Federal law.
ollette, chairman of the Sen-
al liberties committee, said
Pinkerton agency had circum-
a Wisconsin statute requir-
istration of operatives en-
n labor under-cover investi-
He drew his conclusion
stimony introduced at the
ee's inquiry into alleged in-
ce with collective bargain-

he read from a Pinkerton
order a passage which he
ted as a "clear intent to
a Federal law prohibiting
the Federal government of
n detectives.
der described how the Fed-
ute, enacted in 1893 after
estead riots, had been "ov-
by "rendering" two bills,
plain paper bearing no ref-
the agency."

EVASION.
Pinkerton, president of
agreed with La Follette
order was a "clear intent
the law." He and other
officials added, however,
order had been written
ars ago and they knew,
ce of government officials
g the agency since enact-
the law.

lette directed Pinkerton to
he committee with all rec-
1893 to the present cover-
service his organization
ve performed for Federal

Wisconsin registration re-
t, La Follette said, was
y labeling informants in
plants "watchmen."

ette also accused the Pink-
ony of violating an agree-
rovide the committee with
reports submitted by op-
industrial plants after
y was subpoenaed.

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er, said an order had
rom New York headquar-
division managers to dis-
written reports on labor
soon as the subpoena was
t. La Follette introduced
which he said showed re-
been written since that
not turned over to the

ated read from a deposi-
Edward V. Burnett, who
time as a former Pink-
ative in San Francisco,
he had been ordered
two separate reports in
to his Pinkerton su-
the other to an official
company.

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ation by Brown, Knecht,
and an industrial chem-
ist, Francis, with in-
formation on organization
of the warehouse un-

investigation was
made by C. Davis,
chief of the bureau,
and the results were
sent to the Federal

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ADMITS CHARGE.—William H.
Martin, above, is shown, telling
shocked senators that he was de-
tailed to follow Edward L. Mc-
Grady, while the assistant secretary
of labor was trying to settle a
Chevrolet Motor company strike
in Toledo in 1935. Yesterday the
Senate civil liberties committee
continued to question Pinkerton
Detective agency officials and gained
an admission from the head of
the company that it consistently
violated State and Federal laws in
its labor espionage in industrial
plants.

SETTLE CLAIMS OF ASBESTOSIS

Compromise For \$40,000 Ef-
fected by Industrial Commis-
sion in County Suits.

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Buren Jurney, another member of
the commission, sat with Chairman
Wilson, Former Chairman J. Dewey
Dorsett was ill and could not be
present yesterday.

20 PER CENT TO LAWYERS.
Chairman Wilson announced that
the attorneys involved in the cases
will be paid on a basis of 20 per
cent of the awards. Those attorneys
representing claimants are J. I.
DeLaney, Joe W. Ervin, Brock
Barkley, Hiram Whitacre, Frank
A. McCleneghan, Howard M. Ar-
buckle, Elbert E. Foster, John James
and others.

Attorneys representing the insur-
ance companies are Ralph V. Kidd
for the United States Casualty, E.
T. Cansler, Sr., and Walter Hoyle
for the Lumber Mutual Casualty,
Frank Flowers and W. C. Ginier for
the Maryland Casualty.

It was decided yesterday that the
claimants who agreed to the settle-
ment shall receive checks for their
parts of the compromise payments
Monday.

E. AND H. WINS FORENSIC MEET

Virginia College Captured
Most Honors in Tourney

Act on School Bills

RALEIGH, Feb. 10.—(AP)—The
House committee on libraries re-
commended passage today of the
House bill proposing appropriation
of \$150,000 annually to extend li-
brary service in North Carolina.

The committee also approved a
measure to provide an assistant li-
brarian for the State Supreme Court
library.

Action of a Senate committee yes-
terday in killing a bill to abolish
Avery county and approving a
measure to add three Avery county
commissioners was rescinded,
and a committee of three legislators
will visit the county to investigate
conditions there.

The House education committee
members discussed the Moore bill
to make the State superintendent
of public instruction the executive
secretary of a new school commis-
sion and to unify school control but
did not act on the measure. Rep-
resentative Moore of Pitt said the
proposal was not aimed at Lloyd
Griffin, now secretary, but was in-
tended to "eliminate present con-
fusion in administration."

P. T. A. SPEAKER.
Some people say the State su-
perintendent of public instruction
is now just a lecturer for P. T. A.,
Moore said, "but I want to give
him power."

The group favorably reported a
measure to provide sick-leave with
pay for teachers but Sentelle of
Brunswick, a veteran teacher, said
he feared "it will result in easing
into the proposed 10 per cent pay
increase for teachers." The com-
mittee voted to suggest that the
measure be given the appropriate
committee group for study.

Approval was voted the follow-
ing bills: To give teachers the same
holidays with pay as are given other
State employees; to provide for
election of an Onslow county edu-
cation board and county commis-
sioners by townships; to permit
elections by districts in Buncombe
county for school supplements; to
permit Hemp school district in
Moore to pay a teacher from un-
appropriated funds; and the Senate
approved bill relating to investment
of funds by the Northampton board
of education.

House judiciary committee No. 2
recommended passage of the fol-
lowing house bills: to extend juris-
diction of the State Bar Inc. in
disbarment of attorneys; to regu-
late second-hand sales in Bun-
combe; to abolish the board of fi-
nancial control in Buncombe and
create a board of tax supervision;
to fix costs in criminal court ac-
tions in Northampton; to amend the
law on licensing of photographers
to permit divorce on grounds of
two years separation without ac-
tual consent of the parties; and to
repeal a law allowing 1-1/2 per cent
brokerage fee on certain real estate
mortgages in Buncombe, Madison,
Henderson, Yancey and McDowell
counties. A subcommittee was
named to redraft a bill to abolish
capital punishment in the State.

Favorable reports were voted by
the salaries and fees House group
to the Senate-passed measure to
allow additional deputy sheriffs in
Union county and to House bills
to: Allow expense money to War-
ren sheriff; allow clerk in office of
register of deeds in Caldwell; fix
fees of county officers in Catawba
and fix salary of register of deeds
of New Hanover at \$3,500 yearly.
The Senate committee on edu-
cation and town group favorably re-
ported a bill to provide a tax collector
in Bladen county.



VICTIM OF THE FLOOD.—He lost his mother
flood—no wonder he sobs. But he is merely one of
in relief camp at Memphis, Tenn.

To Build Power Line.
MOCKSVILLE, Feb. 10.—The
Duke Power company soon will es-
tablish an electric power line from
Advance to Fork to supply electric
current for the village and com-
munity it has been learned on good
authority.

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manding officer
the CCC, and
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AUTO STRIKE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT

State Senate Backs Security Bill

MEASURE GETS 2ND READING PASSAGE, 43-1

Senator Bell Only Member
to Oppose Bill.

BOTH HOUSES WORK HARD

Representatives Get Tax and
Appropriation Proposals;
Liquor Hearing Today.

RALEIGH, Feb. 10.—(AP)
The Senate, with but one

PONDER COURT CHANGES



BISHOP MOUZON DIES SUDDENLY AT HOME HERE

Heart Ailment Proves Fatal
to Famed Churchman.

STROKEN WHILE TALKING

Slumped Forward and Dies in
few Minutes; funeral
This Afternoon.

Bishop Edwin DuBose
Mouzon of the Methodist
Episcopal Church, South,

NOTED CHURCHMAN

