

1 least, if a witness refused to appear, whether the power
2 to move to punish him for contempt should be by extraor-
3 dinary vote.

4 There was no definitive action on any of those
5 matters. The question was referred back to the Committee
6 to report further and with a research memorandum. Now,
7 you each should have before you a two-page, I think, re-
8 search memorandum dealing with this question.

9 Now, Judge Adkins, you want to make a motion?

10 JUDGE ADKINS: Yes. I would like to propose
11 that the exercise of the power of subpoena by either House
12 of the General Assembly be done only after some extraor-
13 dinary vote.

14 MRS. BOTHE: I second it.

15 MR. MILLER: You mean even if the witness is
16 willing to come or are you talking now about people who --

17 JUDGE ADKINS: I'm talking about the power to
18 compel witnesses to appear and testify and produce records
19 and the power to punish for failure to do so, both. I'm
20 not talking about their willingness, no. I don't think,
21 if you are willing to go and testify, as most people are,