# 140 Known Dead In Earthquake 

House Passes President's Drastic Economy Measure

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Edwin Kelley
Tells Of 1906 'Frisco 'Quake Exact Hour Recalled By
One Who Had Studied One Who Had Studied
Cause Of Tremors

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Twenty Three Shoeks Feit Beninning At 5:55 P, M. Friday, Ending At 8:54 A. M. Saturday ng Beach Is Hit Worst

Unofficial death toll in the earthquake which shook increased to 140 early Saturday afternoon. About 2,000 were estimated to have been injured.
Relief agencies approximated the damage at $\$ 35,000$, 000.

LOS ANGELES (AP)-Twenty-three distinct earth shocks, the last severe, had been felt at $8: 54 \mathrm{a}$. m . Saturday,
Generally they were of diminishing intensity. At that hour deaths had increased to at least 132 .
Most of the death and destruction Most of the death and destruction was confined to the
violent initial shock which, accompanied by a pecullar roar rocked the section at $5: 55 \mathrm{p}$ p. m. Friday, shaking building walls down and starting fires.
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Some of Saturday morning's shocks jarred more debris loose from buildings in the virtualiy wrecked business sec-
tion of Long Beach, which seemed to be the epicenter of the quakes.
Dr. Charles Richter, of the Carnegie Institution Seismoogical laboratory at Pasadena, ex
orse shocks were over. Long Beach business buildings were practically uninss. dead to Long Beach.
Governor Jomes mento to take personal charge of relief work.
Three men were killed early Saturday when their airplane crashed while enroute from Los Angeles to Long Over Wide Area
The 'quake affected an area from the Mexican border
Santa Barbara and from the sea coast to the mountains. Motion picture plants merely were on the fringe of the disThousands wended their weary way through Long Beach parks where they sought refuge from falling debrin
Friday night, forming food lines established by social welfare organizationsing food lines established by social weiThe bereaved kept a steady march through -morguel
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00 and ten per cent of the population of 12,300 was uide care of the Red Cross. The death list ran to 17 and 20 perons were reported seriousiy injured.
San Bernardino Valley, where considerable damage wus indicated, later reported only one person injured. Mre. -
G. Scott of Colton fell to the floor and broke an arm, The historic old county court house at Los Angeles,
in which many departments were still located, was badly cracked and officials conderned it Saturday.
Most of the damage in LLos Angeles was contined to older buildings. Many plate glass windows were smashed
and bricks fell from parapets of older buildings. The strain of the shock caused cracks in many othe
City Hall Locked
Doors of Los Angeles' akyscraping city hall were lock-
ed by order of the mayor with the explanation it was to prevent large erowds from gaining access to the tower
Plaster on the walls of the big structure cracked in many places.
Architects sald the 27 story structures designed as
earthquake proof, apparently had passed the acid test. Santa Ana officials estimated damage there between
$\$ 500,000$ and $\$ 1,000,000$. Schools were ordered elosed pending examination of buildings.

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Los Angeles. Tobias went to California about two yearas. LONG BEACH (AP)-D, W. Pontius, member of the
governor's relief committee, announced Saturday after a governor's relief committee, announced Saturday after a
survey of the streets that damage would approximate be
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