

1                   There was some discussion downstairs about not  
2 recommending the unicameral system because of strategic  
3 problems; and this is where I am getting presumptuous.  
4 If I view your role correctly, you are in effect making  
5 recommendations to a prospective constitutional convention.  
6 It would seem to me that you could very well, if you de-  
7 cide that this is something you want to try, you could  
8 make this recommendation strongly or include it as a pos-  
9 sibility, leaving it up to the convention to do what you  
10 know they are going to do, anyway, but that you start this  
11 process of what Mr. Eney has called the process of educating  
12 the people in the long run, and if the Commission were to  
13 give its endorsement to something of this kind, it at  
14 least makes it legitimate; where now it is nothing more  
15 than the brainchild of obscure college professors and the  
16 League of Women Voters.

17                   One final thing, and this is an impression I  
18 have from studying the constitutional efforts in quite a  
19 number of states. Don't settle for less than you can get  
20 from the people. In Alaska, for example, I think I'm  
21 right on this, there was a good deal of sentiment, I