

1 them.

2 JUDGE ADKINS: In other words, you would re-
3 move the necessity there for consent of the Senate?

4 GOVERNOR TAWES: I think there are some excep-
5 tions, Judge, I think there are some exceptions that I
6 would be willing to go along with, but when you are appoint-
7 ing a head of a large department, a large agency of the
8 State, to subject him to the will of the Senate, I don't
9 think is right and proper in present day governmental
10 operation and administration.

11 JUDGE ADKINS: Let me then ask this next ques-
12 tion. Do you feel that the Chief Executive's office has
13 sufficient powers to function as the preparer of the bud-
14 get? Do you have all the authority --

15 GOVERNOR TAWES: Oh, yes.

16 JUDGE ADKINS: -- and functions that you need
17 now?

18 GOVERNOR TAWES: Oh, yes.

19 JUDGE ADKINS: To prepare the State budget?

20 GOVERNOR TAWES: Oh, yes, we do.

21 JUDGE ADKINS: You would have no suggestions