

1 moment familiar with exactly what they did, but in
2 essence, they had to get --

3 MR. MARTINEAU: My understanding of the
4 arrangement was, in order to obtain the support of the
5 political parties to back these men, that the Governor
6 had appointed, he had to promise not to use this
7 advisory commission on future judicial appointments.
8 That is my understanding of it.

9 MR. WINTERS: I do not believe that back-
10 fired. He may have done it.

11 MR. MARTINEAU: Isn't it true he no longer
12 uses the advisory commission to make his judicial
13 appointments and the political party supported the ap-
14 pointees for election to office?

15 MR. WINTERS: They did support these appointees
16 and I do not believe he has used the commission again.
17 I am not aware that he has pledged himself to them.
18 That may not be.

19 MRS. BOTHE: What about the middle possibility
20 of having legislation which would accomplish the purpose,
21 but not have constitutional provision?