

1 the reasons that made me think maybe if the charter home  
2 rule counties are happy enough with their express powers  
3 act and if the Legislature has tended to treat them as a  
4 group, which according to Miss Spencer in some conversa-  
5 tions I have had with local officials is true, rather than  
6 individually, we might do well just to stay with the  
7 present express powers act and the present constitution  
8 where the charter home rule counties are concerned and  
9 try to get an equally broad express powers act for code  
10 counties.

11 MR. MELVIN: Could I ask Dr. Loevy a question?  
12 Do you have in mind that you would retain the present  
13 situation whereby only charter counties would have these  
14 express powers?

15 DR. LOEVY: The way the constitution reads now  
16 is three different sets of express powers, one for municipal-  
17 ities, and one that will come into being with the code  
18 counties. I would recommend that as an alternative we  
19 might consider keeping this system.

20 MR. MELVIN: Which would mean there would still  
21 be counties whose powers would continue to be really