

1 in favor of these amendments with no thought at all of
2 inserting any language or even wanting to insert any
3 language that a person must believe in the existence
4 of some kind of God, but rather my motivation has been,
5 I thought it highly likely that in the course of another
6 100 years that there will be movements in the social order
7 which will attempt to use existing language in whatever
8 Constitution there is to provide that people must have
9 some kind of religious expression.

10 I think this language would make it clear
11 that they not necessarily have to have any one kind, but
12 I would like to prevent legislatures from attaching to
13 the statutes language which would seem to make the people
14 have some kind of a form of religion.

15 THE CHAIRMAN: Mr. Clagett?

16 MR. CLAGETT: Dr. Burdette has pretty well said
17 what I was going to say.

18 THE CHAIRMAN: Dr. Michener?

19 DR. MICHENER: Unless he shall disturb the peace
20 and good order of the State. As a Quaker, this type of
21 language is not the same as used in England to suppress the