

1 Suburban Sanitary Commission.

2 PROFESSOR ASPER: There are a number of things
3 which were found in the present Bill of Rights which are
4 also repeated in this section of the Constitution. The
5 eminent domain provision was not in the Declaration of
6 Rights. As I remember, it is not presently in the
7 Declaration of Rights of the Maryland Constitution. We
8 thought it should be elevated. I don't think this whereas,
9 later on, the habeas corpus provision, we suggested
10 that be placed in the Declaration of Rights and not in
11 the Article on the Legislature. I don't think this
12 necessarily would have to be true here, if the Commission
13 feels that a more detailed statement of what the State
14 Roads Commission can do to acquire land. The mere fact
15 that we have included this here, I don't think would
16 necessarily preclude a more detailed statement in the
17 Article on the Legislature, if the Commission thought
18 that was necessary or advisable.

19 THE CHAIRMAN: Are you talking about the ques-
20 tion of eminent domain?

21 PROFESSOR ASPER: Yes.