

1 may consider any supplementary appropriation bill, not
2 a regular budget bill and to remove any doubt, wouldn't
3 it be better simply to say, instead of emergency appro-
4 priation, to say, any supplementary appropriation bill?
5 In other words, I take it that it is not the purpose to
6 infer that a special session could not consider a sup-
7 plementary appropriation bill that was not an emergency.

8 MR. CASE: Special session wouldn't have an
9 opportunity to have a supplementary appropriation bill
10 because it would never have a budget bill, and therefore
11 there could be no supplemental, nothing to supplement.
12 All this says is that it gives the General Assembly the
13 right to appropriate money for special sessions.

14 THE CHAIRMAN: This is just the point that
15 I am trying to make. Do you mean to say that the Legis-
16 lature would not have the power to have, or to introduce
17 a supplementary appropriation bill that would be indepen-
18 dent of a budget? In other words, in a special session?

19 MR. CASE: Special session is called to act
20 on one specific thing, and I think very definitely it
21 should not be allowed to go ahead and have the right to