

1 the power to determine who shall sit in that body should
2 be vested in the Convention if there is a vacancy.
3 We drew the distinction of a vacancy occurring before
4 the collective representatives of the people gathered
5 in Convention and vacancy afterwards.

6 DR. BURDETTE: I should like to suggest to
7 the Committee that at bottom of Page 7 where the
8 Convention fills the vacancy that the Convention fill
9 the vacancy from persons who possess the qualifications
10 to have been elected.

11 MR. SCANLAN: I would regard that as a
12 limitation on the power of the Convention.

13 DR. BURDETTE: My reason is I think they
14 should come from the counties where they were elected
15 rather than some other point of the state.

16 MR. SCANLAN: In point of fact it probably
17 would happen but on the other hand, I think that we
18 should be very careful in this act in restricting the
19 Convention's powers.

20 JUDGE ADKINS: It doesn't seem to be
21 unreasonable to restrict them to the point of requiring