

1 budget for its expenses.

2 In any event, the statute provides it shall  
3 not authorize total expenditures in excess of those  
4 provided in the budget for its expenses. Obviously the  
5 Legislature will have to appropriate funds for the  
6 Convention and these appropriations under this  
7 provision could not be exceeded by expenditures incurred  
8 under the authority of the Convention.

9 MR. BOND: I raise the question about  
10 appropriations. In the present Constitution there is  
11 provision for paying the Legislators. I am concerned  
12 about that. Take an extreme case. Suppose the  
13 Governor would not put in his budget moneys to carry on  
14 and provide for the Constitutional Convention and  
15 this law is passed as is. Is there any way or have you  
16 considered how it would be a self-starter or how do  
17 we get the money to provide not for election but the  
18 actual carrying on of the Convention?

19 MR. SCANLAN: Two ways. One, would be  
20 included in the budget or, two, it would be the subject  
21 matter of a supplemental appropriation bill.