

1 foreseeable future, and it is also foreseeable that it
2 will be open to nursery school on the other end of the
3 spectrum. However, we wanted to leave the concept open
4 so that the secondary school system could be flexible.

5 MR. MILLER: You don't mention secondary schools.

6 MRS. BOTHE: Public schools are recognized
7 as being secondary schools in constitutional language.

8 MR. MILLER: I don't think they are frozen at
9 that, are they?

10 MRS. BOTHE: They are not frozen, but after
11 doing some research into the area particularly in the
12 old Constitution, the Committee felt that this Section
13 would pertain to the secondary school system of the State.

14 THE CHAIRMAN: You mean would include?

15 MRS. BOTHE: Yes, uniform, free Statewide
16 education to those coming within the laws.

17 MR. MILLER: Do you think it would cripple
18 your Section 2 if you left the word, children, out?

19 THE CHAIRMAN: And substitute what, person?

20 MR. MILLER: No, just all of school age.

21 MRS. BOTHE: I think we would have to refer to