

1 convene to fill the vacancy and in the case of the
2 President of the Senate acting as Governor, there is
3 no vacancy. What you mean is that they select a
4 President pro tem.

5 JUDGE ADKINS: I am sorry, Mr. Chairman,
6 I don't agree with that. There will be a, there could
7 be a vacancy in the presidency of the Senate if the
8 President of the Senate, John Jones, died at a time when
9 the President of the Senate ex officio was to succeed
10 as acting Governor because of the disability of the
11 Governor, there would be a vacancy in the office of the
12 President of the Senate.

13 THE CHAIRMAN: Why?

14 JUDGE ADKINS: Because he is dead. There
15 is nobody there.

16 GOVERNOR LANE: All three in the same
17 automobile.

18 JUDGE ADKINS: Or an airplane.

19 DR. BURDETTE: At the time when the President
20 of the Senate succeeds to serve the Governor, the Senate
21 shall convene and so on.