

1 sense a recommendation for politics in the School
2 System. It is simply an attempt to coordinate and
3 make it possible to coordinate the functions of the most
4 important single function of the state government
5 with the remaining elements of the state government
6 through the power of the chief executive to appoint the
7 head of the department. I am confident there will be
8 dissent from this position.

9 THE CHAIRMAN: Any discussion? Wait just
10 a second. I shouldn't have said discussion. Are there
11 any questions first?

12 DR. BARD: I do have a question.

13 THE CHAIRMAN: Mrs. Bothe.

14 MRS. BOTHE: Maybe we have the same
15 question. You mentioned the Superintendent of School
16 because that, I gather, is the hottest office that might
17 be affected but --

18 JUDGE ADKINS: I have some reason to think
19 that.

20 MRS. BOTHE: And I will speak to that perhaps
21 later but during the questioning, how many offices would