

1 will attempt to prescribe the number of departments.
2 There are two ways to do it, either prescribe the
3 number and put a maximum or leave it up to the Governor
4 in his reorganization plans. We have not yet completely
5 reconciled that question within our own ranks.

6 MR. MILLER: Would it be practical -- there
7 is bound to be a finance and there certainly ought
8 to be a legal department. Couldn't you mention some
9 of them at least and then it would insure there being
10 constitutional officers of some ilk in there even though
11 they weren't named in the Constitution.

12 JUDGE ADKINS: I think without having our
13 thinking completely clarified, I will on my own motion
14 say this: That it doesn't seem to me conceivable that
15 the State could, under any reorganization plan, the
16 Curlette Commission or any subsequent Commission serving
17 in a like capacity, could come up with, could possibly
18 act without first having a lawyer, this may be a little
19 prejudiced but I think it unfortunately true, first
20 without a lawyer and secondly without a finance officer.
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