

1 the Executive Department, with the request that they
2 consult with the Committee on State Finance and Taxation,
3 and report back at the next meeting of the Commission,
4 but any expression of views on that question at the
5 present time would, I think, be helpful to both
6 Committees.

7 MR. SCANLAN: I would like to say, Mr.
8 Chairman, that it would be a radical omission not to spell
9 out the offices of Comptroller, Attorney General, or
10 other heads of the department. I call attention to
11 the fact that there is not a mention of any specific
12 department in the Constitution of the United States
13 and as a consequence, we have had a fluidity and elasticity
14 that has permitted the cabinet system to develop as
15 the need arose. I gather they created a new cabinet
16 office just in the last few years, the urban, whatever
17 he is called, and I think a similar type of provision in
18 our State Constitution would have equal merit/^{of}that type
19 of elasticity.

20 DR. BURDETTE: I am inclined to agree with
21 Mr. Scanlan's position but I would like to expand it
a bit, if I am correct in recalling the Constitution