

1 right to say it won't be done.

2 In other words, I personally wouldn't want
3 to vote another restriction on our Legislature that
4 represents the whole state and I don't approve of
5 setting up a bit of machinery that would allow local
6 units to do something without the permission of the
7 Legislature or at least if the Legislature didn't want
8 to prevent it.

9 THE CHAIRMAN: I would have to say, Mr.
10 Miller, in the light of the last comment that that
11 probably is the next question and not the question
12 presently presented. I suppose what you want as the
13 question presently presented is the way Mr. Martineau
14 last phrased it, namely, whether the Constitution shall
15 merely authorize the Legislature to create regional
16 governments or whether the Constitution shall say that
17 the Legislature shall create regional governments.

18 Now this doesn't resolve very much in my
19 mind but maybe this is the way you prefer it.

20 DR. BURDETTE: Not create regional governments,
21 but create regions. Isn't that the distinction you make?