

1 form of government, can adequately administer the
2 affairs of the County with the broad grant of powers
3 during this period.

4 THE CHAIRMAN: Judge Adkins?

5 JUDGE ADKINS: May I propose an amendment
6 to Section (b), which will read as follows: Until and
7 unless changed by Section (a) hereof, County governments
8 existing at the date of this Constitution shall have
9 those powers provided in the Constitution.

10 DR. BURDETTE: Changed by or changed under the
11 provisions of (a)?

12 JUDGE ADKINS: Under the provisions of Sec-
13 tion (a) hereof. That seems to me to meet the Chair's
14 objections and also what I conceive to be the hiatus
15 here of the County which does not, in fact, change its
16 form of government, pursuant to Section (a). That is,
17 charter Counties preexisting the date of this Constitu-
18 tion.

19 THE CHAIRMAN: Is there a second to the motion?

20 MR. GENTRY: Second it.

21 THE CHAIRMAN: Are you seconding?