

1 other office or appointment, I believe there already are
2 on the books prohibitions against certain people holding
3 office after a conviction for crime or other offenses.

4 THE CHAIRMAN: My only point is if it is deemed
5 necessary to have the prohibition that one convicted of
6 violating the oath of office could not thereafter hold any
7 other office of profit and it is deemed necessary to have
8 such a provision as to a constitutional office, isn't it
9 necessary to have it in the Constitution?

10 MRS. BOTHE: I would think yes, but, of course,
11 we're reducing the number of constitutional offices to the
12 point where it would hardly be of any practical effect,
13 and I think this has to be taken in conjunction with the
14 fact that in all the years of the existence of this
15 provision, it has never been operative.

16 THE CHAIRMAN: Then the Committee's recommenda-
17 tion is two-fold. One is to offices other than constitu-
18 tional offices, it could be required by statute, and as
19 to constitutional offices, you don't think it is necessary?

20 MRS. BOTHE: I think that way. Perhaps we
21 better correct it to the extent that there is some conflict