

1 Nevertheless, the Committee is of the opinion
2 that such a provision is not effective in accomplishing
3 its objective of preventing the passage of hasty or ill-
4 advised legislation, particularly in view of all the other
5 checks available in a bicameral system. The Committee
6 does recommend that the new Constitution require as a
7 minimum that bills must be printed before passage and
8 cannot be passed until at least three days after intro-
9 duction.

10 MRS. BOTHE: I was wondering if three days after
11 printing might be better, since this could be very hasty.
12 Under this language, a bill could be passed the first
13 day it is available for anyone to get a look at it in
14 black and white.

15 MR. MILLER: On the other hand, I think our
16 reasoning is that there may be emergencies where every-
17 body wants to get it out and the printers might be on
18 strike or something.

19 MRS. BOTHE: I really feel to have a bill
20 before anyone has a chance to look at it --

21 MR. MILLER: But if there are enough people