

1 the Nation feel it important to say in the Constitution
2 what the language of a writ shall contain when issued by
3 the State.

4 We did not feel it necessary to put the language
5 of indictments in the Constitution. That seems not to be
6 done with any frequency. It can be the subject of statute,
7 and I believe in Article, somewhere in Article XXVII is.

8 We therefore propose to leave in a provision
9 dealing with the subject but to modernize it and clean
10 it up, and our proposal appears on Page 3 of the Report
11 and reads, All public commissions and grants shall be
12 signed by the Governor with the Seal of the State annexed.

13 THE CHAIRMAN: Any question? Any comment?

14 MR. GENTRY: Mr. Chairman.

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16 MR. GENTRY: I was on the Committee and objected
17 to the phrasing, commissions and grants. While I suspected
18 the word grant means deed, I am not completely sure in my
19 own mind that that is what it does mean, and commissions,
20 if commissions cover everything from notaries public forward,
21 I don't see any real purpose in cluttering up the Executive