

1 THE CHAIRLADY: I think we will come to order
2 now. Anyone who wants to sit closer, whether your name
3 appears in front of a chair or not, we would be glad to
4 have you draw up.

5 I would like to welcome you all and to thank
6 you for your presence here and to apologize for the
7 lateness, I assume it is merely the lateness of some
8 of the members of the Commission who are expected. We
9 will proceed and we have a reporter here, so that your
10 remarks will be transcribed and referred to by the
11 entire Commission at a later point. Those who do not
12 hear them today will make use of them, in any event.
13 So, the sparse attendance of Commission members here
14 should not affect the depth at which you may approach
15 the problem of the education articles of the Constitution.

16 I am Mrs. Bothe and I am chairman of the
17 Miscellaneous Provisions Committee which is one of the
18 committees and the committee that has primary concern
19 with the educational articles of the Constitution. Let
20 it not be thought because it was assigned to Miscellaneous
21 Provisions that it is an anomalous concern of the