

1 power to impose and collect revenues and to borrow money
2 and the power to collect taxes imposed by the General
3 Assembly. Are you ready for the question? All those in
4 favor signify by saying aye. Contrary, no. The ayes have
5 it.

6 Now, we come back to the other motion of Mr.
7 Sayre that, with the exception of that sentence, we delete
8 everything in this paragraph after the word authorities in
9 the third line. Mr. Sykes?

10 MR. SYKES: Mr. Chairman, I am for that motion.
11 First of all, I think that the first sentence in Section
12 (c), which permits setting up intergovernmental authorities
13 is necessary and is not covered by the first sentence of
14 Section (b). The first sentence of Section (b) says that
15 the General Assembly shall provide by law for the government
16 of counties and civil divisions, and I believe that by the
17 doctrine of Ejusdem Generis, this would mean the government
18 of basic subdivision. I don't think it provides for the
19 government of authorities.

20 It implies, Section (b) implies some sort of
21 territorial unit of government and the intergovernmental