

1 Every change we have made in every constitutional --  
2 every phrase of the Constitution that we have adopted  
3 changes laws, and yet now I hear a great solicitude over  
4 one law, and I don't understand it.

5 MRS. BOTHE: I might make one comment there as  
6 to our particular committee's assignment. We have had  
7 a lot of matters come within our purview where legisla-  
8 tion was desirable but where constitutional law was not,  
9 and perhaps we fell into that habit when we made this  
10 recommendation with due concern for the existing legis-  
11 lation. We would obviously prefer not to have to get  
12 into the virtues of antisubversive legislation, such as  
13 the Ober Bill, and I think that the Commission, if  
14 possible, should seek to avoid that as well, despite my  
15 personal feelings. It is to be hoped that the Commission  
16 doesn't have to decide on the rights and wrongs of anti-  
17 subversive legislation, such as the Ober Bill. I think  
18 we all have our personal views pro and con, and perhaps  
19 largely con.

20 THE CHAIRMAN: Mr. Scanlan.

21 MR. SCANLAN: May I ask the distinguished chair-