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MONTANA CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION

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JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Place of Meeting: Room 413, Capitol Building, Helena, Montana

Date Meeting Held: January 19, 1972

Hour Meeting Held: 10:15 A.M.

MINUTES OF THE THIRD MEETING OF JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Roll Call:

David L. Holland, Chairman	- Present
Mrs. Catherine Pemberton, Vice-Chairman	- Present
Cedor B. Aronow	- Present
Ben E. Berg, Jr.	- Present
Mrs. Jean M. Bowman	- Present
Leslie "Joe" Eskildsen	- Present
Rod Hanson	- Present
J. Mason Melvin	- Present
John M. Schiltz	- Present

DISCUSSION: This meeting was held for the purpose of setting up a schedule of matters which the Committee is to consider at the 2:00 p.m. meeting of this date. Chairman Holland proposed that the Montana constitution and the Montana Plan be discussed and considered as it presently is written today. It was agreed by the members that such would be considered in great detail.

The Committee agreed to cancel the hearing which was noticed for January 22 and 24, 1972 and reschedule the same for Tuesday. It was agreed that hearings would be set and noticed and the press would be notified. It was further agreed that public hearings would be set for afternoon hours if possible except for Saturday hearings which would be set for 10:00 a.m.

Chairman Holland also informed the members that the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court would testify before the committee on Wednesday, January 26, 1972.

It was decided that Tuesday would be set aside for discussion of sections dealing with clerks of court and Jean Bowman stated that the Clerk of District Court in Billings would be notified and Cedor B. Aronow requested that the Clerk of District Court in Choteau be notified of said hearing.

It was again discussed by the committee that a letter should go



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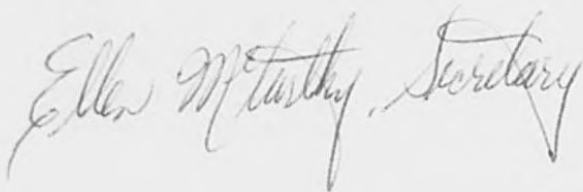
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to each member of the Montana Bar. A proposed letter was discussed and changes made. Chairman Holland advised the committee that this letter was not approved by the Administration Committee yet, but that arrangements would have to be made to finance the project. It was decided to discuss this matter at the 2:00 meeting of this date.

There being no further business, the Committee adjourned until 2:00.



DAVID HOLLAND, Chairman



Ellen McCarthy, Secretary