

either Governor Ritchie --and certainly by Governor Nice,
after January 9th.

It would seem to me that if Governor Ritchie could make the appointment now and bring out the importance to the State of having a proper Land Commissioner to move the records and arrange for the future growth of the Hall of Records, that it might be a useful step in preparing the way for the confirmation by the Senate of a proper Land Commissioner; and also in preparing the Legislature, as a whole, for passing a law creating a Commission to provide for an archivist and the other work to be carried on in the Hall of Records.