

1 This really reaches the result that is often
2 reached. I think we all recognize that in Maryland there
3 is traditionally the formation of a ticket of a governor,
4 attorney general and the comptroller in the primary election
5 and then after the primaries, the formation of a ticket
6 again, of three candidates, who campaign together, who
7 campaign as a coordinate and cooperative team of people,
8 and it is at least my observation that in the past, when
9 the successful governor and the successful attorney general
10 had run on the same ticket then the attorney general was
11 in fact the governor for the lawyers, or was the lawyer
12 for the governor.

13 And I suppose when it wasn't successful it had
14 the other result, he was the governor for the lawyers.
15 But there were really sometimes two attorneys general, one
16 who was elected and known and one who wasn't elected but
17 known.

18 That certainly often happened when the governor
19 and the attorney general were of different political
20 parties. The attorney general's function then was primarily
21 one of answering inquiries from state departments which