

1 adoption of the Constitution are entitled to assume that
2 ordinary words are used in their ordinary meaning and that
3 this cannot necessarily be controlled completely by state-
4 ments of intent of the delegates to the Convention as to
5 the meaning they intended.

6 I think, therefore, the question is easy to
7 answer to say that some effect will be given to the state-
8 ments on the floor. I think it is very difficult to formu-
9 late any statement as to how much effect and whether it
10 will be given overriding effect. I think it is almost
11 impossible for anyone to say. Let me say, also, and I
12 assume in addressing this question to the Chair you are
13 asking only for a personal opinion of the Chair. I have
14 no ability to give any kind of an official opinion to this
15 question and I am sure you understand.

16 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Sickles.

17 DELEGATE SICKLES: I think the Chair is respond-
18 ing and I am perfectly satisfied with your explanation.

19 THE CHAIRMAN: The Chair recognizes Delegate
20 Case to present Committee Recommendation SF-3.

21 Delegate Scanlan.