

1 you do provide for an election every two years. But do
2 we correctly understand that Paragraph 2, which provides
3 for the election of state officials, in the year 1970,
4 and each fourth year thereafter, would prohibit judges
5 from running for election except each four years?

6 DELEGATE CLARK: Delegate Schloeder.

7 DELEGATE SCHLOEDER: Chairman Mudd, actually
8 we discussed this and, as you know, the committee was not
9 aware in its deliberations and could not have been aware
10 of what the actual elective process was going to be for
11 the judicial officers. Consequently, we were not able
12 to take that into consideration.

13 But there is no intent here in any way to
14 subvert the language in your article. I think that we
15 will admit as we have admitted privately there is a
16 problem here. I think that we can get together and work
17 the problem out and I think the committee is certainly
18 amenable to your suggestion that it is easier to amend
19 our article because it is here before us than it would
20 be to go back to your article and attempt to change any
21 language there.