

area of Allegany County, or in Cherry Hill, Baltimore City. I, therefore, oppose this amendment.

THE CHAIRMAN: The question now arises only on the Amendment No. 14, the substitution of the language in Amendment No. 14 for the language in the Committee Recommendation. Thereafter, you will have the opportunity to speak on the question of whether you favor or do not favor the recommendation at all. For what purpose does Delegate Miller rise?

DELEGATE B. MILLER: I would like to ask Chairman Kiefer what is the meaning of "continual" in line 12.

THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Kiefer, will you take the floor to yield to a question?

DELEGATE KIEFER: Yes.

THE CHAIRMAN: State the question.

DELEGATE B. MILLER: Would you tell us what is it that the General Assembly shall continue? To what do you refer?

THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Kiefer.

DELEGATE KIEFER: May I yield to Delegate Mitchell who has it more at her fingertips.

THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Mitchell.

DELEGATE MITCHELL: In our deliberations in the Committee, we reviewed the programs for workmen's compensation, the programs for vocational rehabilitation of the handicapped, and the other programs which the legislature has enacted as the need grew so serious. The problem was of such large proportion that they had to act, but we felt that while the legislature had —

THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Mitchell, all Delegate Miller wants to know is what programs you are speaking of. I think if you continue the list you started to give her, it would give her the answer to the question.

DELEGATE MITCHELL: But we felt that that was piecemeal, and that the General Assembly had just responded to crisis needs, whereas we feel that there must be a coordination of efforts between all three branches of government and private industry to see that calamities do not happen again.

THE CHAIRMAN: Very well. Any further questions?

Delegate Bamberger.

DELEGATE BAMBERGER: Mr. Chairman —

THE CHAIRMAN: I did not mean questions. I mean debate on Amendment No. 14.

DELEGATE BAMBERGER: I rise to suggest to the House that we vote Aye to this question and make it perfectly clear that all we are asked to do now is to bring before this House the recommendation of the Committee, not to vote for or against it.

You see, the Committee has said we are not so sure that the words in section 9 on the blue sheet are the words we want. The words we want to present to you are in Amendment No. 14. I should think we should all vote Aye on that so as a matter of procedure we will have before us the Committee report.

THE CHAIRMAN: Are you ready for the question?

*(Call for the question.)*

The Clerk will ring the quorum bell.

The question arises on the adoption of Amendment No. 14 to Committee Recommendation R&P-2.

A vote Aye is a vote in favor of Amendment No. 14. A vote No is a vote against. This is merely on the substitution of the language in 14 for the language in section 9 of the Committee Recommendation.

After your action on this amendment, the Chair will submit to you an amendment proposed by Delegate Scanlan to delete the entire section. Are you ready for the question?

*(Call for the question.)*

A vote Aye is a vote in favor. A vote Aye is a vote in substitution of the language in Amendment No. 14 for the language in the Committee Recommendation. It will then be subject to further amendment. A vote No is a vote against the substitution.

Cast your votes.

Has every delegate voted? Does any delegate desire to change his vote?

*(There was no response.)*

The Clerk will record the vote.

There being 97 votes in the affirmative and 13 in the negative, the motion carries. The amendment is adopted. The language of section 9 as it appears in Amendment No. 14 is substituted for the language of section 9 as it appears in Committee Recommendation R&P-2.

Delegate Scanlan, do you now desire to offer your amendment, Amendment "S"?