

1 this is an amendment which will provide for a right of
2 removal in criminal cases where capital offenses or life
3 imprisonment are involved as a matter of right. It is
4 the practice now. It will also provide that in other
5 criminal cases there will be a removal only in accordance
6 with the rules of the Court or the General Assembly,
7 and I believe this is adequate and fair and proper. It
8 seems satisfactory to everybody.

9 THE CHAIRMAN: Any further discussion?

10 Delegate Marion.

11 DELEGATE MARION: A question of Delegate Kiefer.

12 THE CHAIRMAN: Do any delegates not have a copy
13 of the amendment?

14 Delegate Marion.

15 DELEGATE MARION: My question was directed to
16 Delegate Kiefer.

17 THE CHAIRMAN: State the question.

18 DELEGATE MARION: Is my understanding of this
19 ammendment correct: This gives the capital cases, either
20 the State or the Defendant the automatic right --

21 THE CHAIRMAN: Gives to who?