

1 postponed just for that reason. I know this has been
2 done. I think this is dangerous and it could be done and
3 used by the lawyers for themselves as much as for the
4 litigants.

5 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Weidemeyer, the
6 Chair wants to ask a question for the purpose of
7 clarification. I don't see how the matter can be
8 cleared by a quick amendment but it may very well be a
9 matter that the Committee on Style can point out. The
10 Parliamentarian has called my attention to the fact that
11 the use of the word "jurisdictional" in this context is
12 quite inappropriate and the Chair agrees with him. You
13 do not mean jurisdictional amount, because that would
14 refer to the amount establishing the jurisdiction of the
15 court. Can we have you indicate, if such is your inten-
16 tion, that you do not mean jurisdictional amount in that
17 sense but rather you mean such amount as shall be
18 prescribed by law as determinative of whether or not the
19 right of removal does or does not exist? Is that the
20 intent?

21 DELEGATE WEIDEMEYER: I think it is because