

1 reflect those attitudes fifty years from now.

2 The calling of a convention at that period
3 in our history will not require an overhauling of our
4 constitution but will permit an outstanding deliberative
5 body such as this to consider the basic structure of our
6 government in toto with the ability to do something about
7 it.

8 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Boyer.

9 DELEGATE BOYER: Mr. Chairman, ladies and
10 gentlemen of the committee, I sincerely hope this
11 Convention will not adopt any amendment merely to increase
12 the batting average of an individual. I don't know who
13 said it, I am sure it wasn't Thomas Jefferson or Justice
14 Holmes or anybody, but over home we have a saying, even
15 a blind hog can root out an acorn once in a while. I
16 hope that acorn was Amendment No. 4.

17 Seriously I think this amendment is defeating
18 the wishes of the people. We just passed an amendment
19 saying that if by any other method the convention is not
20 called every twenty years now -- not twenty-five, but
21 every twenty years -- it will be submitted to the wishes