

1 effort to gain higher salaries as a result of this new
2 Constitution. And to circumvent any such possibility, we
3 have added a sentence to Section 30 -- on ~~Amendment 13~~ it is
4 listed as subparagraph (e) -- which says, "In establishing
5 a uniform scale of judicial salaries and pensions, including
6 those for the District Court, the General Assembly may
7 disregard any local supplementation or local salary or
8 pension authorized after January 1, 1968," so in establish-
9 ing the uniform system it will have to be done in accordance
10 with the salaries in existence on January 1.

11 This primarily is what we hope to do in substi-
12 tution for Section 21 in the Transitional Legislation, and
13 that is all that we would propose to do with Section 21, 22,
14 and 23.

15 Section 22 deals with judicial pensions and 23
16 deals with the pensions of spouses.

17 We took cognizance of the fact that Section 10.01
18 of the General Provisions Article which we have passed says
19 that all existing statutory law in existence when this new
20 Constitution is promulgated, that statutory law will re-
21 main in effect and therefore the judicial pension system in