

1 because if there is any question legally as to the applica-
2 tion of this provision, and it goes into court and the court
3 may construe it then, and I think we would be just in the
4 same position as without this language or with this language.

5 THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Weidemeyer, the
6 suggestion you made was considered by the staff, and Mr.
7 Walter Lewis, suggested I think perhaps in desperation
8 finally that we revert to the original language of the
9 1867 Constitution, which would not be at all the language
10 of this section with these words stricken out, but a great
11 deal more besides, but then if we did that, we would have
12 to add another sentence, which would also perhaps be subject
13 to the criticism that it too stated the obvious, but
14 nevertheless would be essential.

15 The matter has been considered by the various
16 people who will have worked on it. I don't suppose they
17 will ever have absolute agreement on what is desired.

18 Any further discussion?

19 Delegate Gallagher, do you have any further
20 comment?

21 DELEGATE GALLAGHER: No, sir, except that this