ordered.

The Committee of the Whole will come to order.

(Whereupon, at 2:37 p.m., the Convention resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole.)

(The mace was removed by the Sergeant at Arms.)

THE CHAIRMAN: The Chair recognizes Delegate

Gallagher, Chairman of the Committee on the Legislative

Branch to resume his presentation of Committee Recommendation LB-1. Delegate Gallagher?

DELEGATE GALLAGHER: Mr. Chairman, ladies and gentlemen of the Committee, recognizing with Benjamin Franklin that a full belly maketh a dull brain, the presentation this afternoon will probably be more limited than that this morning.

I concluded my remarks on single member districts by saying that it is, of course, tied in with the bicameral recommendation in the earlier section and also with a relatively small-sized House and Senate. Any significant increase in the size of the House and Senate would do injury to the concept of the single member district, in view of the fact that it would considerably lower the number of people represented and make the districts much more