

1 with reference to the section of the Committee Recommenda-
2 tion which you are concerned about --

3 DELEGATE SMITH: I am specifically concerned
4 with the setup of the General Assembly that would limit the
5 number of delegates to 105.

6 DELEGATE GALLAGHER: Yes. The Committee did
7 consider it. The Committee recognized the fact, however,
8 that representation is based upon population, not upon
9 trees, or acres. Consequently, we had to live within
10 the existing rule.

11 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Smith.

12 DELEGATE M. SMITH: May I ask one other
13 question?

14 In your consideration of other legislative
15 bodies, did you find that they might have given in to
16 monotony and have maybe four or five substantive committees,
17 and as a consequence they might have been able to operate
18 with a bit larger size?

19 DELEGATE GALLAGHER: Certainly that possibility
20 exists. However, we looked at what the senate had done in
21 recent times by creating the new Committee on Economic