

1 to speak in opposition to the amendment?

2 Delegate Stern.

3 DELEGATE STERN: Mr. President, I speak
4 against the amendment and for many reasons, but the basic
5 reason is tradition. We have learned a lot from it.
6 This past weekend, the weekend before, I was in New York
7 and saw a play in which tradition was personified. If
8 that is the case in these two chambers, I vote to keep
9 the fiddler on the roof in honor of tradition.

10 THE CHAIRMAN: Does any other delegate desire to
11 speak in favor of the amendment?

12 Delegate Harry Taylor.

13 DELEGATE H. TAYLOR: Mr. Chairman, fellow
14 delegates, I rise to speak in favor of unicameralism.
15 Bicameralism reminds me a little bit of a football game
16 where the quarterback snaps the ball to the halfback, he
17 runs and gives it to the other halfback, the fullback
18 finally gets it, and he ends up under a pile of players,
19 and none of the spectators know who has the ball.

20 I served in the legislature for four years
21 and even on the inside you have trouble knowing who has the