

1 ~~that~~ the needed protection of the individual is furnished
2 by the federal constitution and need not be reaffirmed in
3 a state constitution. From this I dissent. It seems to
4 me that it is essential that the document which creates
5 and defines and provides the power of our state and local
6 governments should also define and state with clarity and
7 directness and emphasis those individual rights and
8 liberties which those governments cannot and shall not trans-
9 gress.

10 Now, how can we achieve these lofty objectives?
11 Certainly they cannot be realized merely by their enuncia-
12 tion. The inspired speech, the neatly turned phrase, the
13 eloquence of an earlier Webster or Clay or a modern-day
14 Churchill, the profundity of a Burke, or even the inspired
15 genius of a Madison, a Hamilton, or a Jefferson alone will
16 not achieve these objectives or ~~wite~~^{write} a constitution
17 for this Convention. The task can be performed, the de-
18 sired result can be achieved only by the unremitting,
19 grinding, grueling, exacting, time-consuming toil of each
20 and every one of the 142 Delegates to this Convention.

21 To aid in accomplishing this purpose, the