

1 definition of those words and the extent to which those
 2 concepts shall be implemented, is that completely ^{up to} for the
 3 discretion of the legislature?

4 DELEGATE BOYER: I think unless we wanted to
 5 make about a 12-page or a 200-page book trying to spell
 6 out an all-inclusive definition of what these words mean,
 7 I think that we would have to allow some latitude to
 8 the General Assembly to implement this by legislation.
 9 It was our intention that the word "education" ~~was to make~~
 10 clear that the state's duties ^{are} ~~is~~ not discharged solely
 11 by the restriction or punishing ^{ment} of unethical dealers after
 12 the fact, ~~but must~~ ^{The State's responsibility extends to} include substantial efforts to assist
 13 the public in recognizing an improper transaction before
 14 the fact.

15 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Hardwicke.

16 DELEGATE HARDWICKE: If this provision is in the
 17 new constitution, could the General Assembly decide that
 18 no protection for education was necessary at any given
 19 time? *Answer* "no consumer education was necessary"

20 DELEGATE BOYER: Yes, it could decide that and
 21 it could only be upset, I imagine, by challenge of the