

1 a person who absents himself from the floor during a vote,
2 although not being recorded so, is in effect a nay vote,
3 because he is one less vote towards the required Constitu-
4 tional majority. The minority report doesn't address it-
5 self to that. Would you care to comment on that argument?

6 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Gilchrist.

7 DELEGATE GILCHRIST: The minority feels that
8 they would like to have those people recorded and if they
9 in absenting themselves voluntarily turn up with a no
10 vote, they show. The way the majority proposal would
11 have it, it would be very much easier to be a no show.

12 THE CHAIRMAN: Any further questions?

13 Delegate Hanson.

14 DELEGATE HANSON: Delegate Gilchrist, do I
15 understand your response to Delegate Bamberger to mean
16 that you would force, or wish to force a delegate to
17 state publicly the manner in which he would vote if he did
18 not absent himself or did not abstain?

19 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Gilchrist.

20 DELEGATE GILCHRIST: I did not say that, Dele-
21 gate Hanson. This position got involved in the argument on