

1 of the two publications by the Citizens Conference and by
2 the Council of State Legislatures and combine them you will
3 find that of those states which do not have a constitutional
4 provision requiring the majority of those elected, you will
5 find that all but two of them limit by rule the majority
6 which is required for the passage of the bills and that four
7 of those states which have no constitutional provision
8 respecting passage have a two-thirds quorum requirement
9 fixed in their constitutions, so that the number of states
10 which are using a provision in any way similar to that
11 which is being offered by the majority here, is very much
12 more limited than they would have you suggest.

13 I might also comment with respect to one thing.

14 THE CHAIRMAN: You have one-quarter minute.

15 DELEGATE GILCHRIST: If enough members of a
16 particular House do not wish to have a bill passed, per-
17 haps it should **not** be passed.

18 THE CHAIRMAN: Under the debate schedule there
19 is now available a maximum of ten minutes of limited but
20 uncontrolled time. Is there any further discussion?

21 Are you ready for the question.