

1 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Gleason.

2 DELEGATE GLEASON: Would the delegate be sur-
3 prised if I told him it was one percent?

4 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate James.

5 DELEGATE JAMES: No, I wouldn't be surprised at
6 that. I would say this, that the legislative branch of
7 government is the least expensive branch of the govern-
8 ment. It costs the citizens of Maryland about 75 cents
9 apiece to support the legislature.

10 However, I would say that this does not justify
11 the wasteful expenditure of public funds. I suppose that
12 is my puritan ethics.

13 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Gleason.

14 DELEGATE GLEASON: I wonder if the delegate
15 would be at least liberal enough to let it cost the
16 citizens 76 cents?

17 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate James.

18 DELEGATE JAMES: I will not spend a cent which
19 is not justified. (Applause.)

20 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Weidemeyer.

21 DELEGATE WEIDEMEYER: A question directed to