

1 DELEGATE CLAGETT: And by way of compromise
2 you will consider making this a provision by rule rather
3 than by Constitutional mandate?

4 DELEGATE GALLAGHER: Yes. As I said, we really
5 do not intend that there be a literal interpretation of
6 this. If somebody misses an "a" or "the", we really
7 don't want the legislature to fall on its face.

8 We don't mean literal compliance.

9 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Case.

10 DELEGATE CASE: Mr. Chairman, the vote on the
11 last amendment would indicate that this amendment would
12 also fail, and these votes disturb me, because I think
13 that the members of the Committee perhaps are viewing
14 this subject from the standpoint of theory, that theory
15 being the theory of visibility, whereas there is a very
16 practical aspect to it, which perhaps has been lost
17 sight of.

18 The practical aspect is that what we are doing
19 here, perhaps, is placing in the Constitution certainly
20 prerequisites which will have to be met before a bill can
21 become law.