

1 they didn't act at all, or didn't seek an extension of
2 time from the Convention, the Convention would have
3 reached the point in the Committee of the Whole where
4 the Majority Report was being taken up but no Minority
5 Report. The Minority must be alert to protecting their
6 rights, but I think the flexibility that is permitted that
7 protection under these rules is probably greater than it
8 is in other legislative bodies, and from that point of
9 view, I don't think the Rules need apologize for their
10 position with respect to what is required of the Minority.

11 DELEGATE JOHNSON: No further questions.

12 Thank you.

13 THE PRESIDENT: I was going to state for the
14 information of Delegate Johnson and the Convention that
15 although this is by no means an answer to the problems
16 that he points out, it is hoped that the provisions of the
17 rule providing for the Committee on Calendar and Agenda
18 will go a long ways towards preventing the kind of problem
19 from arising that the delegate suggests, because it is
20 contemplated that any delegate could informally speak to the
21 Chairman of that Committee, and since that Committee