

1 Constitution and the original language it developed here
2 this morning of 5(b) in this Constitution was taken from,
3 as I understand it now, the language of the Federal
4 statute, or an improvisation of the words in that statute,
5 so the words are statutory. The arguments have all been
6 made, the minority report was supported by nine members
7 of the Committee and, therefore, represents the majority
8 of the Committee, and is really a majority report.

9 I urge the defeat of the amendment.

10 THE CHAIRMAN: Any other delegate desire to
11 speak in favor of the amendment?

12 Any other delegate desire to speak in opposi-
13 tion?

14 Are you ready for the question?

15 Delegate Dukes.

16 DELEGATE DUKES: I rise to speak against the
17 amendment, for not exactly reasons consistent with Judge
18 Child. A long time ago a gentleman by the name of Oscar
19 Wilde wrote a poem about lying in jail. Among other things
20 it says, we know not whether the laws are right or whether
21 the laws are wrong. All that we know lying in jail is that