Delegate Proposal No. 314. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 314, by Delegate Gill. Title,

A PROPOSAL that the State shall begin an orderly and progressive transition from the policy of incurring long-term indebtedness to financing all expenditures on an annual basis.

THE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT: Delegate Proposal No. 314 is referred to the Committee on State Finance and Taxation.

Delegate Proposal No. 315. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 315, by Delegate Gill. Title,

A PROPOSAL that the governor's budget shall be enacted by both houses of the General Assembly fourteen days before the conclusion of the regularly scheduled session.

THE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT: Delegate Proposal No. 315 is referred to the Committee on State Finance and Taxation.

Delegate Proposal No. 316. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 316, by Delegate Gill. Title,

A PROPOSAL that the appropriate standing committees of the Senate and House of Delegates shall meet jointly throughout the year to consider the governor's budget.

THE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT: Delegate Proposal No. 316 is referred to the Committee on State Finance and Taxation.

Delegate Proposal No. 317. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 317, by Delegate Gill. Title,

A PROPOSAL that no bill shall originate in either house during the last nine days of the regularly scheduled session.

THE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT: Delegate Proposal No. 317 is referred to the Committee on the Legislative Branch.

Delegate Proposal No. 318. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 318, by Delegate Finch. Title,

A PROPOSAL that the General Assembly shall provide for continuity of govern-

ment in the event of a major disaster or major enemy attack.

THE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT: Delegate Proposal No. 318 is referred to the Committee on the Legislative Branch.

Delegate Proposal No. 319. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 319, by Delegate Boyer. Title,

A PROPOSAL that the inhabitants of Maryland shall continue to have the benefit of the common law of England and such of the English statutes as existed on July 4, 1776, and also of all Acts of Assembly in force on June 1, 1867, except such as may be inconsistent with this Constitution or are lawfully changed, and that the inhabitants of Maryland are also entitled to all property derived to them under the Charter granted by Charles the First.

THE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT: Delegate Proposal No. 319 is referred to the Committee on General Provisions.

Delegate Proposal No. 320. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 320, by Delegate K. L. Robie. Title,

A PROPOSAL that the members of each board or commission which serves as the head of a principal department, except the governing board of an institution of higher education and the state public school system, shall be appointed by the governor and that their terms of office shall be prescribed by law.

THE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT: Delegate Proposal No. 320 is referred to the Committee on the Executive Branch.

Delegate Proposal No. 321. The Clerk will read the proposal.

READING CLERK: Delegate Proposal No. 321 by Delegate Finch. Title,

A PROPOSAL that amendments to the Constitution may be proposed either by the affirmative vote of three-fifths of all the members of each house of the General Assembly of two successively elected legislatures or by a majority of all the members of a constitutional convention, and that the proposed amendment shall be submitted to the voters of the State at a special or general election as determined by the General Assembly.

THE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT: Delegate Proposal No. 321 is referred to the Committee on General Provisions.