

All those in favor, signify by saying Aye; contrary, No. The Ayes have it. It is so ordered.

Are there any reports of other standing committees?

*(There was no response.)*

THE PRESIDENT: Committee Recommendation LG-1. The Clerk will read the recommendation.

READING CLERK: Committee Recommendation No. LG-1 by the Committee on Local Government, M. Peter Moser, Chairman.

A RECOMMENDATION that the constitution include an article on local government containing sections on definitions, establishment of counties, structure of county government, change in structure of county government, powers of county government, general application of laws, existing municipal corporations, new municipal corporations, civil units, additional powers of municipal corporations, credit limitations of local government, establishment of multi-county governmental units, financing of intergovernmental authorities and that the article on general provisions contain a section on intergovernmental cooperation and agreements.

THE PRESIDENT: Committee Recommendation No. LG-1 is referred to the Committee of the Whole.

You will also have during the course of the afternoon Committee Memorandum No. LG-1, in support of this recommendation.

I might suggest to you at that point that so far as the President knows or the Chairman of the Committee on Calendar, there is no minority report on the local government article. If there is any intention to file a minority report, I urge those preparing such report to do so promptly so that it may be circulated. As indicated by Delegate Powers, the article will be before the Committee of the Whole for discussion on Friday, and perhaps even Thursday afternoon, if other business permits.

There is in connection with Minority Report LB-1 (A) an addendum, copy of which has been presented to me. I do not know whether it has been printed yet. It will be circulated to you sometime during the course of the day.

Minority Report No. S & E-1(A) has been filed and is received. No further action is necessary.

Are there any other reports of standing committees?

*(There was no response.)*

There also has been filed Minority Report S & E-1(B). It will be received and filed, and Minority Report S & E-1(C) will be received and filed. I believe 1(C) has been circulated. The other two have not as yet been circulated. These will be. Make sure you get them because this will be on the Calendar for consideration tomorrow.

There are no other reports of standing committees. There are no new proposals.

Motions and resolutions: there is one resolution, Resolution No. 19. The Clerk will read the resolution.

READING CLERK: Resolution No. 19, by Delegate Chabot.

A RESOLUTION to extend the session of this Convention to January 12, 1968.

THE PRESIDENT: Resolution No. 19 is referred to the Committee on Calendar and Agenda.

The Chair recognizes Delegate Powers.

DELEGATE POWERS: Mr. President, I move the Convention resolve itself into the Committee of the Whole, subject to the provisions for control and limitation of debate as set forth in the Debate Schedule No. 1, distributed to the delegates.

THE PRESIDENT: Is there a second?

*(Whereupon, the motion was seconded.)*

For what purpose does Delegate Gleason arise?

DELEGATE GLEASON: Mr. President, I would like to get some clarification of the time limitations proposed here by the Chairman of the Committee.

THE PRESIDENT: Before you do that, may I interrupt the proceedings to perform a chore which I have been asked to perform? Since the adjournment yesterday, all of the microphones in the Chamber have been checked, and a great many of them have been replaced. Part of the difficulty we had been having is due to the microphones, and a part is due to the improper use of the microphones.

The amplifying equipment which has been installed in the Convention Chamber, and the microphones are extremely sensitive. Please exercise care in restoring them to the position between the desks because repeated banging or jarring will distort the sensitive mechanism.