

1 Southern Maryland, you're going to have Anne Arundel
 2 County with the bulk of the population. In Western
 3 Maryland you will have -- the theory is do we want all
 4 the power vested in Annapolis or do we want to retain --

5 MR. ENEY: What do you think?

6 SENATOR CURRAN: Personally, I feel, and I
 7 may be labeled whatever it might be labeled, I prefer it
 8 not be localized.

9 DELEGATE MANDEL: I want to be practical on
 10 some of these things. Do you want to adopt a new
 11 Constitution? By that I mean, if you're going to tear
 12 everything apart, you are not going to adopt anything.

13 MR. CLAGETT: It is very important to hear
 14 your comments, and we are and have been very carefully
 15 considering these points, both pro and con.

16 THE CHAIRMAN: Would you like to comment on
 17 that, Mr. Mandel? You have a key point here. Do you
 18 feel the nature of this question is such that it would
 19 impinge on whether or not a new Constitution could be
 20 adopted? Would you care to clarify that?

21 DELEGATE MANDEL: I say that because I think