person from that district elected to represent the people of that district, and it certainly is to me, if you're going to not require him to be a resident of that district, then you might as well have countywide representation. You might as well let him represent the county at large. You don't need subdistricting. You don't need districting at all. The purpose of the districting was to have the people from that district represented by its own people.

MR. HARVEY: Suppose the people don't care?

SENATOR JAMES: It also makes the person more available to those he represents.

MR. HARVEY: Well, if the people elected him, this would follow the argument on the other side.

DELEGATE MANDEL: You can say that for any office we are elected to. If the people don't care, we can elect a Governor who resides in Alabama.

DELEGATE HARDWICKE: I think we have seen bad trend in national elections, where men who have national prominence and can, with continuous resident setups, run from one state to another. A resident of