

1 that Lauber touched on, namely Section 1 of Article 3,
2 Section 52. I call these sections, but they are really not
3 sections.

4 THE CHAIRMAN: Section 1?

5 MR. DONAHO: Yes, concerning the definition of
6 the treasury. We have been very fortunate in Maryland, that
7 the treasury, largely because we are an old State and that
8 the State was here, well, the colony was here and the State
9 before there was a Federal Government, but if you could see
10 what happens in the Western States, you would just be
11 horrified, not only in terms of special funds, but in terms
12 of Federal funds.

13 Also, we do not have this constant Federal
14 interference in Maryland that you get in western legislatures
15 where every time you turn around, you're getting a telegram
16 from the Secretary of Labor or the Secretary of HEW, saying
17 you can't do this because they are much interested in
18 maintaining the special funds concept, including Federal
19 funds and, as you know, since 1952, Federal funds have been
20 taken into the State budget and are appropriated. They
21 have, however, in some places, which they have not been able