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2 MR. CLACETT: I would like to pick up at that
3 point and add this. I do comepletely agree with what
4 Mr. Bond has said, and what he has said is what I tried
5 to say a few moments ago. I want to add this thought.
6 I think the time has come when the conscience has been
7 stirred to the extent that we recognize that any abuses
8 by reason of discrimination on account of race, color
9 or ancestry or national origin, but to continuously hop
10 upon those factors now is creating an adverse reaction,
11 and I think that as we write this constitutional article
12 here, we have got to anticipate that by raising the flag
13 once again, we are continuing to wave a red flag in
14 front of the bull, and we might as well recognize that
15 we are hurting and retarding the advance of appreciation
16 of the actual impact of equal protection being extended
17 to everybody and avoid that, as well as by the use of
18 those words, delude ourselves that we are advancing.

19 THE CHAIRMAN: Any further discussion? Before
20 we take the vote, I would like to take a moment to state
21 my own position. I think there is a great deal of force