

1 which are pure gifts, but for a public purpose.

2 MR. SYKES: Mr. Chairman, I can see a distinc-
3 tion. Assets are like the creation of present indebted-
4 ness, in a sense. The same problems really don't concern
5 me there as concern me in the case of credit, and if it
6 is agreeable to the seconder of the motion, I would amend
7 the motion to make it provide only to an act of the
8 General Assembly extending the credit of the State.

9 THE CHAIRMAN: Giving or lending credit?

10 MR. SYKES: Giving or lending credit.

11 THE CHAIRMAN: Accepted, Mrs. Freedlander?

12 MRS. FREEDLANDER: Yes, seconded.

13 THE CHAIRMAN: Any further discussion?

14 MR. MARTINEAU: I think Mr. Sykes, when he made
15 his motion, said two-thirds because two-thirds is what is
16 required for a --

17 THE CHAIRMAN: I would suggest, in order to
18 avoid getting into a long discussion as to whether it should
19 be two-thirds or three-fifths, since it has already been
20 decided that after we have moved further along we will
21 reconsider all of these extraordinary votes, may we consider