

1 representative to each county and get into the preserva-  
2 tion of a representative for each county.

3 THE CHAIRMAN: In the constitution?

4 MR. CLAGETT: In the constitution.

5 THE CHAIRMAN: I think that is a different  
6 point from that of Judge Adkins. Maybe we better save  
7 that as a separate point. Any further discussion of  
8 his point?

9 DR. BARD: I would like to say that there  
10 has been a good deal said about the fact that the states  
11 have the responsibility in respect to carrying out  
12 voter registration and in respect to voting. The  
13 constitution gave this to the states. For many years,  
14 the Supreme Court wouldn't touch it. Now we have said  
15 all along that this is a state responsibility. Here  
16 we have an opportunity to actually do something within  
17 the State of Maryland about this. I would not hold  
18 whether it be, I am with Mr. Sayre, 5 per cent or 7 or  
19 what have you. What I would hold is for taking our  
20 responsibility for clarifying what is not clear. All  
21 of us who have worked in this area of redistricting or