

1 all of one County to all of another. It would be just  
2 as much a consolidation if you used the first example  
3 I suggested, that all of Baltimore County except the  
4 Fifth District be added to Baltimore City and the Fifth  
5 District would be added to Carroll County.

6 MR. CASE: Just to put this into focus,  
7 under the present Constitution, if two Counties are going  
8 to consolidate, then you need an act of the General  
9 Assembly consolidating and a majority vote in each of  
10 the Counties before the consolidation can take place. Is  
11 this not true?

12 MR. CLAGETT: That is correct.

13 MR. CASE: And this would change it to provide  
14 not for a majority vote in each of the areas to be con-  
15 solidated into one, but a majority of the entire area?

16 MR. CLAGETT: That is correct.

17 MR. SCANLAN: It looks to me like the Committee  
18 wants to protect against petty larceny but not grand  
19 larceny.

20 MR. CLAGETT: And that is entirely true.

21 MR. SAYRE: Mr. Chairman, I am aware of how