

1 may or should. I am not concerned about it in terms  
2 of creation, but in terms of changing, merging, et cetera.  
3 It seems to me that if they do nothing, well, I do be-  
4 lieve that some of the points that have been raised are  
5 true.

6 THE CHAIRMAN: The point is a County may  
7 desire to do nothing, as Baltimore County.

8 DR. BARD: I am not concerned about those  
9 Counties that now do not have municipal corporations, but  
10 I am concerned about those that do have municipal cor-  
11 porations. I don't think they would be fulfilling their  
12 obligations should they choose to do nothing, and under  
13 this they can choose to do nothing, even though they  
14 now embody the municipal corporations.

15 THE CHAIRMAN: Why wouldn't it be possible for  
16 them to choose to do nothing?

17 DR. BARD: It would. That is what concerns  
18 me.

19 THE CHAIRMAN: What is wrong with it? Philo-  
20 sophically, what is wrong with it?

21 DR. BARD: Philosophically, it would mean