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2. MR. SCANLAN: I think the enabling act,
3. leaving aside whether the enabling act would provide
4. for the procedures that the convention should follow,
5. certainly I think it would be proper for the enabling
6. act to make it clear that on substantive matters a
7. majority of the delegates in attendance and voting would
8. carry the day. I think it would be wrong for a group
9. elected by the people to come down and say well, we are
10. not going to pass anything unless three-fifths or
11. two-thirds approves. In Connecticut they put a two-
12. thirds rule in the Statute.

13. THE CHAIRMAN: Had the previous Maryland
14. Statutes calling conventions ever fixed the vote, do
15. you know?

16. MR. SCANLAN: I don't believe they did. No,
17. they did not.

18. THE CHAIRMAN: Dr. Winslow.

19. DR. WINSLOW: Doesn't this raise a question
20. whether the Legislature by enabling act can really
21. control the convention?