

1 line, this would mean that you would have to chop up your
2 suburban counties into a goodly number of districts,
3 and at present this would mean Montgomery County would have
4 how many districts, Mr. Scanlan?

5 MR. SCANLAN: Sixteen for a single-member.

6 DR. BARD: Baltimore County would have twenty-
7 three.

8 MR. SAYRE: That is the point. If you make it
9 six, you are still going to be dividing Montgomery County
10 up, and therefore it isn't going to hurt to divide it
11 by one more district and have it spill over into another
12 county.

13 THE CHAIRMAN: The problem is not that simple.

14 MR. MINDEL: How will that shorten the ballot?
15 Suppose you have two men running, twenty candidates. You
16 can have six men running and seven candidates.

17 MR. SAYRE: As many men can run as want to.

18 MR. MINDEL: You said something about shorten-
19 ing the ballot.

20 MR. SAYRE: The way in which slates are about to
21 be formed would seem to me to make it so you are more