

1 the U. S. Commissioners, that is precisely what Senator  
2 Tidings of this state is seeking to accomplish through a  
3 new law he has introduced, which has had the approval of  
4 the Senate, that would permit the assignment of additional  
5 duties, and I have grave doubt that the legislature is  
6 going to frustrate the four tier court by allowing them  
7 to say what the commissioner can do.

8 I therefore hope that this amendment will be  
9 approved.

10 THE CHAIRMAN: Does any delegate desire to  
11 speak in opposition to the amendment?

12 Are you ready for the question?

13 Delegate Dukes.

14 DELEGATE DUKES: Will Delegate Hardwicke yield  
15 for a question?

16 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Hardwicke, do you yield  
17 to a question?

18 DELEGATE HARDWICKE: Yes, Mr. Chairman.

19 THE CHAIRMAN: Delegate Dukes.

20 DELEGATE DUKES: Delegate Hardwicke, as I  
21 read the provision as now amended, it would appear that