

tion No. 19, calling for the extension of the sessions of this Convention until January 12. There is no alternative available to the Convention, other than to extend the session for the full time, because we have only one opportunity to extend.

There is very strong likelihood that we will not need the full time, but the chairman necessarily hopes that we can conclude consideration of all committee recommendations by the 12th of December, take a brief recess so that the committees, the staff, and particularly the Committee on Style can very thoroughly and quietly review everything that has been done, and then have the Convention come back again into session for a few days to correct any errors that may have been made, and to adopt the report, finally.

The Chair and your officers, and the Chairman of the Committee on Calendar and Agenda believe with the kind of work that we have been having in the recent weeks that it will be possible to follow this kind of schedule and still have a sine die adjournment before Christmas. The Chair therefore requests the Committee on Calendar and Agenda to arrange a meeting at such time as necessary to enable it to present a report on Resolution 19 to the Convention at its session on Monday afternoon.

The Chair recognizes Delegate Powers.

Before recognizing Delegate Powers, are there any announcements by committee chairmen that might be made?

DELEGATE BARD: Very hurriedly I would like to right the introduction to read that the Darlings are the Darlings of Baltimore County, not City.

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Dulany.

DELEGATE DULANY: Mr. President, there will be a meeting of the Committee on Public Information at 12:15 P.M. Monday.

THE PRESIDENT: Are there any further announcements by committee chairmen?

(There was no response.)

All delegates present now who were not present this morning may indicate their presence on the supplemental roll call.

The Chair recognizes Delegate Powers.

DELEGATE POWERS: Mr. Chairman, I move we recess until 2:00 P.M.

(Whereupon, the motion was duly seconded.)

THE PRESIDENT: All those in favor, signify by saying Aye; contrary, No. The Ayes have it. It is so ordered.

(Whereupon, at 12:40 P.M., the Convention was recessed to reconvene at 2:00 P.M., on the same day.)

PLENARY SESSION

DECEMBER 2, 1967—2:05 P.M.

PRESIDENT H. VERNON ENEY,
PRESIDING

THE PRESIDENT: The Sergeant-at-Arms will clear the aisles and close the doors.

The Convention will please come to order.
Roll call.

(Whereupon, the roll was called.)

THE PRESIDENT: Has every delegate answered roll call?

(There was no response.)

The Clerk will record the roll call.

There being a quorum present, the Convention is in session.

Motions and Resolutions.

THE PRESIDENT: Resolution No. 24. The Clerk will read the Resolution.

READING CLERK: Resolution No. 24, by the Committee on Local Government, M. Peter Moser, Chairman.

A RESOLUTION urging that the Governor promptly establish a commission on local affairs.

THE PRESIDENT: Resolution No. 24 is referred to the Committee on Local Government.

Are there any other motions or resolutions?

(There was no response.)

The Chair recognizes Delegate Powers.

DELEGATE CLAGETT: Mr. President.

THE PRESIDENT: Delegate Clagett.

DELEGATE CLAGETT: Mr. President, I would like to rise to a point of personal privilege.

THE PRESIDENT: State the privilege.

DELEGATE CLAGETT: To recognize presence in the gallery today a distin-