

1 that way, if your confidence is well-founded in the Legis-
2 tature, there is no reason now to have the restriction
3 upon it in the creation of new counties.

4 MR. MELVIN: I am not arguing for it. I am
5 thinking along with you as to why it was put in there in
6 the first place.

7 THE CHAIRMAN: Do I have a motion that we will
8 adopt this portion of our report as our Committee recom-
9 mendation and the present language that counties shall
10 contain not less than 400 square miles and 10,000 white
11 inhabitants be eliminated?

12 MRS. FREEDLANDER: I so move.

13 DR. BURDETTE: Second.

14 THE CHAIRMAN: All in favor, say Aye. Opposed,
15 No. The Ayes have it.

16 Also with respect to Article 13, Sections 2
17 through 6, defining the boundaries of Wicomico County as
18 it was created from parts of Worcester and Somerset Coun-
19 ties, that that also be eliminated from the constitution
20 and effectuated by statute by the Legislature.

21 MRS. FREEDLANDER: I so move.