

1 DELEGATE D. MURRAY: Thank you. Let me reply
2 first to two remarks made by Delegate Schloeder. He says
3 he has taught for 15 years, I have taught for 23. He
4 said he had close contact with young people, and I say
5 I have even closer contact -- I live with four of them.

6 I have given this speech many times. Please
7 bear with me, as I haven't taken up more than my share
8 of the time at the Convention, although I was giving Dele-
9 gate Taylor a hard time about a young juror.

10 I haven't changed my mind of the subject of
11 lowering the voting age for lo these many years. I have
12 not changed my mind nor do I plan to do so. Why am I
13 so adamant? Let me tell you a few of the things and
14 hopefully perhaps these points might change your mind.

15 We have heard from many members of this assembly,
16 many of the farm group, we have heard many farmers
17 stories and tonight I am going to tell you a farmer's
18 daughter story for what it is worth.

19 I am a member of a nine-child family. There
20 are 7 of us still residing in the state of Maryland, and
21 some time ago I made a check on the potential voters,