

ALASKA CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION

JOURNAL OF THE FIFTY-SIXTH CONVENTION DAY, Tuesday, January 17, 1956

The Convention was called to order at 9 a.m. by President Egan.

The Invocation was given by the Rev. Orland R. Cary of the First Baptist Church.

Roll call showed all members present. The President declared a quorum to be present.

Mr. Nerland moved and asked unanimous consent that the Convention recess for one hour to allow the Committee on Finance to meet regarding amendments to Committee Proposal No. 9. Mr. Hellenthal objected. Mr. Coghill stated the Committee on Administration could use the time for a meeting.

Mr. Sundborg announced that the Committee on Style and Drafting would meet if the Convention recessed.

Mr. Smith stated the Committee on Resources would meet.

Mr. Rosswog stated the Committee on Local Government would meet.

Mr. McNealy announced that the Committee on Ordinances would meet.

There being no objection, the Convention recessed until 10:10 a.m.

AFTER RECESS

Mr. Doogan asked unanimous consent for the approval of the Journal of the 49th day with the following correction: Page 11, fourth paragraph from the bottom, second line after "Section 6", insert "presented the previous day". There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Committee Proposal No. 9 was considered again. Mr. Nerland moved and asked unanimous consent for the adoption of the following Committee amendment to Section 7: Page 2, strike lines 25 and 26, and insert in lieu thereof the following "section 7. The proceeds of any state tax or license or part thereof shall not be allocated to any special purpose," Mr. McNealy objected. Mr. Knight seconded. After discussion by Mr. McNealy and Mr. White, Mr. McNealy withdrew his objection.

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After discussion of the amendment by Mr. Hurley, Mr. White, Mr. Smith, Mr. Armstrong, Mr. Davis, Mr. Emberg, Mr. Barr, Mr. V. Rivers, Mr. King, Mr. Gray, Miss Awes, Mrs. Hermann, Mr. Peratrovich and Mr. Marston, Mr. McNealy moved the adoption of the following amendment to the amendment: Strike the words "or licenses" in the first line of the amendment. Mr. Johnson seconded. After discussion by Mr. McNealy, Mr. Johnson, Mr. Barr, Mr. Cooper, Miss Awes, Mr. R. Rivers, Mr. White, Mr. Nolan, Mr. Riley, Mr. V. Rivers, Mr. Hellenthal and Mr. Robertson the question was called. The question being, "Shall Mr. McNealy's amendment to the amendment be adopted?", the roll was called with the following result:

Yeas: 10 - Emberg, H. Fischer, Johnson, King, Laws, McNealy, R. Rivers, V. Rivers, Rosswog, Smith

Nays: 44 - Armstrong, Awes, Barr, Boswell, Buckalew, Coghill, Collins, Cooper, Cross, Davis, Doogan, V. Fischer, Gray, Harris, Hellenthal, Hermann, Hilscher, Hinckel, Hurley, Kilcher, Knight, Lee, Londborg, McCutcheon, McLaughlin, McNees, Marston, Metcalf, Nerland, Nolan, Nordale, Peratrovich, Poulsen, Reader, Riley, Robertson, Stewart, Sweeney, Taylor, VanderLeest, Walsh, White, Wien, Mr. President

Absent: 1 - Sundborg

And so the amendment to the amendment failed.

Mr. Armstrong requested a short recess before the main question was put to a vote. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

AFTER RECESS

The question being, "Shall the Committee amendment to Section 7 be adopted?", the roll was call with the following result:

Yeas: 47 - Armstrong, Awes, Barr, Boswell, Buckalew, Coghill, Collins, Cross, Doogan, H. Fischer, V. Fischer, Gray, Harris, Hellenthal, Hermann, Hilscher, Hinckel, Hurley, Johnson, Kilcher, Knight, Lee, Londborg, McCutcheon, McLaughlin, McNees, Marston, Metcalf, Nerland, Nolan, Nordale, Peratrovich, Reader, Riley, R. Rivers, V. Rivers, Robertson, Rosswog, Smith, Stewart, Taylor, VanderLeest, Walsh, White, Wien, Mr. President

Nays: 7 - Cooper, Davis, Emberg, King, Laws, McNealy, Sweeney

Absent: 1 - Sundborg

And so the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Johnson moved the adoption of the following amendment to Section 7: Page 3, lines 2 and 3, strike the words "prohibit the continuance of" and insert the words "apply to". Mr. Taylor seconded.

After discussion by Mr. R. Rivers, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Nolan, Mr. White, Mr. Johnson, Mrs. Nordale, Mr. V. Fischer, Mr. Davis, Mr. Boswell, Mr. Stewart and Mr. V. Rivers, Mr. Riley requested a short recess. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

AFTER RECESS

Mr. Johnson requested a roll call vote on his amendment. Before the roll was called Mr. Cooper, Mr. Marston, Mrs. Hermann and Mr. Nerland spoke on the amendment. The roll was called with the following result:

Yeas: 13 - Emberg, H. Fischer, Hinckel, Johnson, King, Laws, McNealy, Marston, Peratovich, V. Rivers, Smith, Taylor, Mr. President

Nays: 40 - Armstrong, Awes, Barr, Boswell, Buckalew, Coghill, Collins, Cooper, Cross, Davis, Doogan, V. Fischer, Gray, Harris, Hellenthal, Hermann, Hurley, Kilcher, Knight, Lee, Londborg, McCutcheon, McLaughlin, Mc Nees, Metcalf, Nerland, Nolan, Nordale, Poulsen, Reader, Riley, R. Rivers, Robertson, Rosswog, Stewart, Sweeney, VanderLeest, Walsh, White, Wien

Absent: 2 - Hilscher, Sundborg

And so the amendment failed.

Mr. Kilcher moved the adoption of the following amendment to Section 7: Page 3, line 5, change period to comma and add: "but discontinuance shall be approved by a two-thirds majority in both houses." Mr. Hellenthal seconded.

After discussion by Mr. V. Fischer and Mr. Kilcher, the question was called. Mr. Kilcher requested a roll call. The roll was called with the following result:

Yeas: 16 - Coghill, Emberg, H. Fischer, Johnson, Kilcher, King, Laws, Londborg, McNealy, Marston, Peratovich, Robertson, Rosswog, Smith, Taylor, Mr. President

Nays: 37 - Armstrong, Awes, Barr, Boswell, Buckalew, Collins, Cooper, Cross, Davis, Doogan, V. Fischer, Gray, Harris, Hellenthal, Hermann, Hinckel, Hurley, Knight, Lee, McCutcheon, McLaughlin, McNees, Metcalf, Nerland, Nolan, Nordale, Poulsen, Reader, Riley, R. Rivers, V. Rivers, Stewart, Sweeney, VanderLeest, Walsh, White, Wien

Absent: 2 - Hilscher, Sundborg

And so the amendment failed.

Mr. R. Rivers moved the adoption of the following amendment to Section 7: Page 3, line 3, delete the words "the continuance of". Mr. Coghill seconded.

After discussion by Mr. R. Rivers, Mr. Coghill and Mr. Gray, Mr. Riley asked unanimous consent that the Convention recess until 1:30 p.m.

The following committee announcements were made: Resources at 1 p.m.; Local Government at 12:40; Finance at 1 p.m.; Special Committee of subcommittees of Style and Drafting, Judiciary and Direct Legislation at 1 p.m.

There being no objection to the unanimous consent request, the Convention recessed until 1:30 p.m.

AFTER RECESS

Mr. Hurley asked unanimous consent that a communication he had received from Mr. Ben Hitchcock of Caribou Creek, Palmer, be filed with the Secretary for perusal by Committee Chairmen. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

An invitation from the YMCA Board of Directors inviting the delegates to attend the open house of the new Young Men's Christian Association on January 22 between 1 and 5 p.m. was read.

A telegram from William L. Paul, Grand President, of the Alaska Native Brotherhood, endorsing the proposal that fisheries, game and fur be controlled by separate commissions, was read and referred to the Committee on Resources.

In the absence of Mr. R. Rivers his amendment to Section 7 was held in abeyance.

Mr. Nerland asked unanimous consent for the adoption of the following committee amendment to Section 8: Page 3, line 10, before the word "a" insert the words "not less than"; line 12, after the word "question" delete the comma and insert a period. Add a new sentence which will read as follows: "Additional requirements and qualifications may be provided by law." line 12, strike the words "Provided that" and start a new sentence with the word "The"

Mr. Johnson rose to a point of order that a notice of reconsideration had been given on an amendment to Section 8 which would make this amendment out of order.

Mr. V. Rivers stated that he was holding in abeyance his reconsid-

eration until action was taken on an amendment to be proposed.

Mr. Riley spoke on a matter of personal privilege so that he could read a proposed amendment to Section 8.

Mr. Nerland moved the adoption of the Committee amendment. Mr. Metcalf seconded.

After discussion by Mr. Nerland, Mr. Coghill, Mr. V. Rivers, Mr. Davis, Mr. Hinckel, Mr. White, Mr. Gray, Mr. Londborg and Mr. Hellenthal, Mr. Nerland requested a two-minute recess. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

AFTER RECESS

The question being, "Shall the Committee amendment to Section 8 be adopted?", the roll was called with the following result:

Yeas: 30 - Awes, Barr, Boswell, Collins, Cross, Davis, Gray, Hellenthal, Hinckel, Johnson, Kilcher, Knight, McCutcheon, McLaughlin, McNealy, McNees, Marston, Metcalf, Nerland, Nolan, Peratrovich, Poulsen, Reader, Smith, Stewart, Taylor, Walsh, White, Wien, Robertson

Nays: 19 - Buckalew, Coghill, Cooper, Doogan, Emberg, H. Fischer, V. Fischer, Hermann, Hurley, King, Laws, Lee, Londborg, Nordale, Riley, V. Rivers, Rosswog, Sweeney, Mr. President

Absent: 6 - Armstrong, Harris, Hilscher, R. Rivers, Sundborg, VanderLeest

And so the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Cooper moved the adoption of the following amendment to Section 8 as amended: delete the words "not less than"; delete the words "qualified voters of the State or of the respective political subdivision voting" and insert in lieu thereof the following "votes cast by voters qualified to vote". Mr. Hinckel seconded.

After discussion by Mr. Cooper and Mr. Hellenthal, Mr. V. Rivers spoke under personal privilege. After Mrs. Hermann spoke on the amendment, Mr. Hellenthal requested a short recess. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

AFTER RECESS

The question being, "Shall Mr. Cooper's amendment to Section 8 as amended be adopted?" The roll was called with the following result:

Yeas: 30 - Barr, Boswell, Buckalew, Coghill, Cooper, Cross, Doogan, Emberg, H. Fischer, V. Fischer, Hermann, Hinckel, Hurley, Johnson, Kilcher, King, Lee, McNealy, Metcalf, Nerland, Nolan, Reader, V. Rivers, Rosswog, Stewart, Sweeney, Walsh, White, Wien, Mr. President

Nays: 19 - Awes, Collins, Davis, Gray, Hellenthal, Knight, Laws, Londborg, McCutcheon, McLaughlin, McNees, Marston, Nordale, Peratrovich, Poulsen, Riley, Robertson, Smith, Taylor

Absent: 6 - Armstrong, Harris, Hilscher, R. Rivers, Sundborg, VanderLeest

And so the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Emberg offered the following amendment to Section 7: Strike Section 7.

Mr. R. Rivers amendment to Section 7 having been held in abeyance, the President stated action would have to be taken on it before Mr. Emberg's amendment could be considered.

Mr. R. Rivers having returned, discussion on his amendment continued by Mr. Barr, Mr. Hurley, Mr. White, Mr. Taylor, Mr. McCutcheon, and Mr. R. Rivers. On voice vote the amendment failed of adoption.

Mr. Emberg moved the adoption of his amendment to strike Section 7. Mr. Knight seconded. After discussion by Mr. Emberg, Mr. Rosswog, Mrs. Nordale, Mr. Cooper, Mr. Coghill, Mr. Barr, Mr. Poulsen, Mr. McCutcheon, and Mrs. Hermann, the question was called. The question being, "Shall Mr. Emberg's motion to strike Section 7 be adopted?", the roll was called with the following result:

Yeas: 8 - Cooper, Emberg, H. Fischer, Kilcher, King, Rosswog, Sweeney, Taylor

Nays: 41 - Awes, Barr, Boswell, Buckalew, Coghill, Collins, Cross, Davis, V. Fischer, Gray, Hellenthal, Hermann, Hinckel, Hurley, Johnson, Knight, Laws, Lee, Londborg, McCutcheon, McLaughlin, McNealy, McNees, Marston, Metcalf, Nerland, Nolan, Nordale, Peratrovich, Poulsen, Reader, Riley, R. Rivers, V. Rivers, Robertson, Smith, Stewart, Walsh, White, Wien, Mr. President.

Absent: 6 - Armstrong, Doogan, Harris, Hilscher, Sundborg, VanderLeest

And so the amendment failed.

Mr. Kilcher offered the following amendment to Section 7: add to Section 7, after changing period to a comma, "but discontinuance shall not preclude reinstatement."

Mr. McLaughlin rose to a point of order that this matter had already been acted on.

Mr. Kilcher moved the adoption of the amendment.

The President declared a short recess.

AFTER RECESS

Mr. McLaughlin withdrew his point of order. Mr. V. Rivers seconded Mr. Kilcher's motion to adopt the amendment.

After discussion by Mr. Kilcher, Mr. White, Mr. R. Rivers, Mr. Barr and Mr. Marston, Mr. Kilcher requested a roll call vote on the adoption of his amendment. The roll was called with the following result:

Yeas: 20 - Coghill, Cooper, Cross, Emberg, H. Fischer, Hinckel, Johnson, Kilcher, King, Londborg, Marston, Metcalf, R. Rivers, V. Rivers, Rosswog, Smith, Stewart, Sweeney, Taylor, Mr. President.

Nays: 29 - Awes, Barr, Boswell, Buckalew, Collins, Davis, V. Fischer, Gray, Hellenthal, Hermann, Hurley, Knight, Laws, Lee, McCutcheon, McLaughlin, McNealy, McNees, Nerland, Nolan, Nordale, Peratrovich, Poulsen, Reader, Riley, Robertson, Walsh, White, Wien

Absent: 6 - Armstrong, Doogan, Harris, Hilscher, Sundborg, Vander-Leest

And so the amendment failed.

Mr. Buckalew moved the adoption of the following amendment to Section 7: page 3, line 2, delete the last sentence. Mr. White seconded. After discussion by Mr. Buckalew, Mr. Coghill, Mr. Peratrovich, Mr. Smith, Mr. Hinckel, Mr. Nerland and Mr. McNealy, the question was called. On voice vote the amendment failed.

Mr. Coghill moved and asked unanimous consent for the adoption of the following amendment to Section 8 as amended: After the word "question" on line 12, strike period and insert a comma, delete "Additional" and "may" and insert "to" in sentence inserted by Committee amendment. Mr. Buckalew objected. Mr. Knight seconded.

After discussion by Mr. Coghill and Mrs. Hermann, the question was called. The question being, "Shall Mr. Coghill's amendment to Section 8 as amended be adopted?", the roll was called with the following result:

Yeas: 23 - Boswell, Coghill, Cooper, Cross, Emberg, H. Fischer, Hurley, Johnson, Kilcher, King, Laws, Londborg, Mc Nealy, Marston, Metcalf, Peratrovich, R. Rivers, V. Rivers, Robertson, Rosswog, Smith, Stewart, Sweeney

Nays: 26 - Awes, Barr, Buckalew, Collins, Davis, V. Fischer, Gray, Hellenthal, Hermann, Hinckel, Knight, Lee, McCutcheon, McLaughlin, McNees, Nerland, Nolan, Nordale, Poulsen, Reader, Riley, Taylor, Walsh, White, Wien, Mr. President

Absent: 6 - Armstrong, Doogan, Harris, Hilscher, Sundborg, VanderLeest

And so the amendment failed.

Mr. Riley requested a five minute recess. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

AFTER RECESS

Mr. Robertson moved the adoption of the following amendment to Section 8 as amended: after "qualifications" insert the words "of voters". Mr. Taylor asked unanimous consent. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Mr. Cooper moved the adoption of the following amendment to Section 8 as amended: insert the words "not less than" before the words "a majority". Mr. Hellenthal seconded. Mr. Cooper asked unanimous consent. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The President declared the Convention at recess for twenty minutes.

AFTER RECESS

Mr. Riley stated he had an amendment, but would like to wait until more members were present.

Mr. Buckalew requested a two-minute recess. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

AFTER RECESS

Mr. Riley moved the adoption of the following amendment to Section 8: Strike Section 8 and substitute the following two sections and re-number the remaining sections:

"Section 8. No debt shall be contracted by or in behalf of the State unless the debt shall be authorized either by a two-thirds vote in each house of the legislature, or by a majority vote in each house with ratification by a majority

of the qualified voters of the state voting on the question, provided that the State may by law contract debt for the purpose of repelling invasion, suppressing insurrection, defending the State in war, meeting natural catastrophes, or redeeming outstanding indebtedness of the State at the time this Constitution becomes effective.

"Section 9. No debt shall be contracted by or in behalf of any political subdivision of the State, except for capital improvements, and then only upon approval of at least a majority of those voting on the question and qualified to vote as prescribed by law."

Mr. Buckalew seconded. After discussion by Mr. Riley, Mr. Hellenenthal, Mr. Robertson and Mr. Buckalew, Mr. Londborg moved the adoption of the following amendment to the amendment: on the last line of the new Section 9 after word "vote" insert "on the particular issue" and strike the words "at least" on next to last line of new Section 9 and insert "not less than". Mr. Knight seconded. After discussion by Mr. White, Mr. Londborg and Mr. Hellenenthal, the question was called. The question being, "Shall Mr. Londborg's amendment to the amendment be adopted?", the roll was called with the following result:

Yeas: 36 - Awes, Barr, Boswell, Buckalew, Coghill, Cooper, Cross, Davis, Emberg, H. Fischer, V. Fischer, Harris, Hermann, Hinckel, Hurley, Kilcher, King, Lee, Londborg, McNealy, McNees, Marston, Nordale, Reader, Riley, R. Rivers, V. Rivers, Rosswog, Smith, Stewart, Sundborg, Sweeney, Taylor, Walsh, Wien, Mr. President

Nays: 14 - Collins, Hellenenthal, Johnson, Knight, Laws, McCutcheon, McLaughlin, Metcalf, Nerland, Nolan, Peratrovich, Poulsen, Robertson, White

Absent: 5 - Armstrong, Doogan, Gray, Hilscher, VanderLeest

And so the amendment to the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Riley asked unanimous consent for the adoption of the following amendment to the amendment: In new Section 9 strike the comma after "State". There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Mr. V. Fischer asked unanimous consent for the adoption of the following amendment to the amendment: on line two of Section 8 insert "for capital improvements" after "authorized". There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Mr. V. Fischer requested a two-minute recess. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

AFTER RECESS

Mr. Riley asked unanimous consent for the adoption of the following amendment to the amendment: add to new section 9 the following sentence: "Additional requirements and qualifications of voters may be provided by law." There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Mr. Riley asked unanimous consent for the adoption of the following amendment to the amendment: in new section 9 insert the following after the word "question": "within the respective political subdivision". There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Mr. Riley asked unanimous consent for the adoption of the following amendment to the amendment: at the beginning of new section 9 before the word "no" insert the following phrase "Unless authorized by law" and change capital "N" to small "n". There being no objection, it was so ordered.

The President declared a short recess.

AFTER RECESS

Mr. Riley asked unanimous consent for the adoption of the following amendment to the amendment: in new section 9 strike "except" in line 2 and rearrange language so that the phrase "for capital improvements" is inserted after the word "law" in the first sentence. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

Mr. White moved the adoption of the following amendment to the amendment: strike "either by a two-thirds vote in each house of the legislature,". Mr. McNees seconded. After discussion by Mr. White, Mr. Nerland, Mr. V. Fischer, and Mr. Riley, Mr. Poulsen requested a roll call vote. The question being, "Shall Mr. White's amendment to the amendment be adopted?", the roll was called with the following result:

Yeas: 29 - Boswell, Coghill, Collins, Cooper, Cross, Davis, Emberg, Gray, Hellenthal, Hinckel, Hurley, Johnson, Kilcher, Knight, Laws, McLaughlin, Metcalf, Nerland, Nolan, Peratrovich, Poulsen, Reader, Robertson, Rosswog, Smith, Stewart, Sweeney, White, Wien

Nays: 19 - Awes, Barr, Buckalew, V. Fischer, Harris, Hermann, King, Lee, McCutcheon, McNealy, Marston, Nordale, Riley, R. Rivers, V. Rivers, Sundborg, Taylor, Walsh, Mr. President

Absent: 7 - Armstrong, Doogan, H. Fischer, Hilscher, Londborg, McNees, VanderLeest

And so the amendment to the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Metcalf moved and asked unanimous consent for the adoption of

the following amendment to the amendment: delete "a majority of the qualified voters of the state voting on the question" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "not less than the majority of the votes cast by the voters qualified by law to vote on the question". Mr. V. Fischer objected. Mr. Knight seconded. After discussion by Mr. Metcalf, Mrs. Nordale and Mr. Hellenthal, the question was called. The question being, "Shall Mr. Metcalf's amendment to the amendment be adopted?", the roll was called with the following result:

Yeas: 8 - Coghill, Kilcher, McNealy, Metcalf, Nerland, Nolan, Robertson, Wien

Nays: 41 - Awes, Barr, Boswell, Buckalew, Collins, Cooper, Cross, Davis, Emberg, V. Fischer, Gray, Harris, Hellenthal, Hermann, Hinckel, Hurley, Johnson, King, Knight, Laws, Lee, Londborg, McCutcheon, McLaughlin, Marston, Nordale, Peratrovich, Poulsen, Reader, Riley, R. Rivers, V. Rivers, Rosswog, Smith, Stewart, Sundborg, Sweeney, Taylor, Walsh, White, Mr. President

Absent: 5 - Armstrong, Doogan, H. Fischer, Hilscher, VanderLeest

Abstaining: McNees

And so the amendment to the amendment failed.

Mr. McCutcheon called for the question on the main issue. The question being, "Shall Mr. Riley's amendment to Section 8 as amended be adopted?", the roll was called with the following result:

Yeas: 28 - Awes, Boswell, Buckalew, Coghill, Collins, Cross, Emberg, V. Fischer, Harris, Hermann, Hinckel, Hurley, King, Lee, Londborg, Nordale, Peratrovich, Riley, R. Rivers, V. Rivers, Rosswog, Smith, Stewart, Sundborg, Sweeney, Walsh, White, Mr. President

Nays: 22 - Barr, Cooper, Davis, Gray, Hellenthal, Johnson, Kilcher, Knight, Laws, McCutcheon, McLaughlin, McNealy, McNees, Marston, Metcalf, Nerland, Nolan, Poulsen, Reader, Robertson, Taylor, Wien.

Absent: 5 - Armstrong, Doogan, H. Fischer, Hilscher, VanderLeest

And so the amendment as amended was adopted.

Mrs. Hermann brought up the question of having a break in the night sessions. Mr. Coghill called for a two-minute recess. There being no objection, it was so ordered.

AFTER RECESS

After discussion it was agreed that there would be no night session Thursday evening.

Mr. V. Fischer asked the Chairman of the Finance Committee whether the Committee had considered the drafting of a transitional measure to continue certain acts until such time as they may be revised by the legislature. Mr. Nerland replied that the Committee would be agreeable to that.

Mr. Metcalf served notice of reconsideration on Mr. White's amendment to the amendment to Section 8.

Mr. Harris moved that the rules be suspended and the matter of Mr. Metcalf's reconsideration be considered at this time. Mr. Nolan seconded. The question being, "Shall the rules be suspended?", the roll was called with the following result:

- Yeas: 39 - Awes, Boswell, Buckalew, Collins, Cooper, Cross, Davis, Emberg, V. Fischer, Gray, Harris, Hellenthal, Hinckel, Johnson, Kilcher, King, Knight, Lee, McCutcheon, McLaughlin, McNealy, McNees, Marston, Metcalf, Nerland, Nolan, Nordale, Peratrovich, Poulsen, Reader, R. Rivers, Smith, Stewart, Sundborg, Taylor, Walsh, White, Wien, Mr. President
- Nays: 10 - Barr, Coghill, Hermann, Hurley, Laws, Londborg, V. Rivers, Robertson, Rosswog, Sweeney
- Absent: 6 - Armstrong, Doogan, H. Fischer, Hilscher, Riley, VanderLeest

And so the rules were suspended.

After discussion of the amendment to the amendment by Mr. Metcalf and questions from Mr. Sundborg and Mrs. Nordale directed to Mr. Metcalf, Mr. Davis rose to the point of order that since the main amendment had been adopted, reconsideration of the amendment to the amendment could not be accomplished.

The President stated he was in error in allowing a reconsideration on the amendment to the amendment.

Mrs. Hermann moved that all action relating to the motion to reconsider be expunged from the record.

Mr. Hellenthal rose to a point of order that there was nothing in the rules which permitted expunging.

The President declared a short recess.

AFTER RECESS

The President stated he was in error in allowing the reconsideration and apologized to Mr. Metcalf. In regard to the motion to expunge he stated that a majority of the members could expunge anything from the record. He further stated that Mr. Metcalf could ask that the Convention rescind its action on adopting the amended amendment to Section 8.

Mr. Metcalf moved that the Convention rescind its action in adopting Mr. Riley's amended amendment to Section 8. Mr. Sundborg seconded. The roll was called with the following result:

Yeas: 14 - Barr, Cooper, Hellenthal, Johnson, Kilcher, Knight, Laws, McCutcheon, McNealy, McNees, Metcalf, Robertson, Wien, Mr. President

Nays: 37 - Awes, Boswell, Buckalew, Coghill, Collins, Cross, Davis, Doogan, Emberg, V. Fischer, Gray, Harris, Hermann, Hinckel, Hurley, King, Lee, Londborg, McLaughlin, Marston, Nerland, Nolan, Nordale, Peratrovich, Poulsen, Reader, Riley, R. Rivers, V. Rivers, Rosswog, Smith, Stewart, Sundborg, Sweeney, Taylor, Walsh, White

Absent: 4 - Armstrong, H. Fischer, Hilscher, VanderLeest

And so the motion failed.

Mr. Johnson asked unanimous consent that the Convention recess until 7 p.m.

Mr. Sundborg moved that Committee Proposal No. 9 be referred to the Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment. Mr. Hellenthal seconded.

The President stated that the motion was not necessary and referred Committee Proposal No. 9 to the Committee on Engrossment and Enrollment.

Mr. Sundborg withdrew his motion.

The following committee announcements were made: Local Government immediately on recess; Style and Drafting at 6:30 p.m.

There being no objection to the unanimous consent request, the Convention recessed until 7 p.m.

AFTER RECESS

Committee Proposal No. 8a was read the second time.

Mr. Smith asked Mr. Riley to give an explanation of the article.

Mr. Riley asked unanimous consent that the following committee amendments be accepted as a part of the original article submitted:

"Line 8 page 1 Correct transposition in spelling of "Alaska"
Line 21 page 3 Strike comma after "use" and insert "and"
Line 22 page 3 Place period after "conditions" and strike rest of sentence.
Line 26 page 3 Substitute colon for semi-colon
Line 16 page 4 After last word on line add "force during"
Line 18 page 4 Change first word on line to "in"
Line 21 page 4 After "permits", insert "and transferable"
Line 8 page 5 "sulfur" instead of "sulphur"
Line 5 page 5 Change "and" to "or"

Mr. Taylor objected. Mr. Riley so moved. Mr. Stewart seconded. Mr. Taylor questioned the spelling of "sulfur". Mr. McCutcheon rose to a point of order that the matter of spelling would be taken care of by Style and Drafting.

Mr. Taylor withdrew his objection, There being no further objection, the amendments were ordered adopted as a part of Committee Proposal No. 8a.

Mr. Riley gave an explanation of the article followed by a period of questions from the delegates. At 8:35 p.m. the Convention recessed for five minutes.

AFTER RECESS

After further discussion of the article, the President suggested that the Committee might want to meet with any delegates having amendments so the amendments could be discussed in committee meeting.

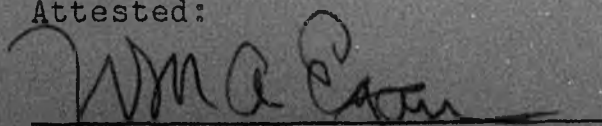
Mr. Boswell moved and asked unanimous consent that the Convention adjourn until 10 a.m. Wednesday morning.

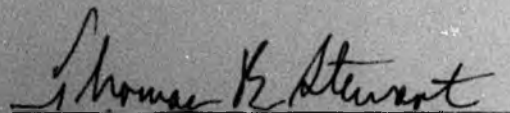
The following Committee announcements were made for Wednesday: Resources Committee at 9 a.m.; Style and Drafting at 9 a.m.; Engrossment and Enrollment at 9 a.m.

In the absence of the Chairman of the Committee on Local Government, Mr. V. Fischer announced a meeting of the Local Government Committee on adjournment at Apt. #19, Alaskan Inn.

There being no objection to the unanimous consent request, the Convention adjourned at 9:25 p.m. until 10 a.m. Wednesday.

Attested:


WILLIAM A. EGAN
President


THOMAS B. STEWART
Secretary