

1 it now.

2 MR. BURGESS: So far as C is concerned, if you
3 want me to -- I don't know that I am prepared; I didn't
4 know how to answer or make a comment about that, exactly,
5 but under D, I would have these questions. Of course,
6 Article 11, as Annapolis being the place of the meeting
7 of the Legislature and that the Legislature ought not to
8 be convened, or held at any other place but from evident
9 necessity, I don't know that that is so necessary, but I
10 was just wondering why the suggestion was made to delete
11 Article 10, on freedom of speech and debate, or proceedings
12 in the Legislature, ought not to be impeached in any
13 court of judicature. Also, why you would want to elimi-
14 nate redress of grievances, Article 12, and for amending,
15 strengthening and preserving the law that the Legislature
16 ought to be frequently convened.

17 THE CHAIRMAN: Do those items belong in a Bill
18 of Rights? Maybe, if they are important, they should be
19 in some other section of the Constitution. This report
20 that you have was an interim report prepared by our
21 reporter, and I thought it was only for Committee use,