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The Convention was called to order by Mr. Dennis J. Roberts, Chairman, at 2:22 P.M.

The roll of delegates was called; there were 79 present and 20 absent.

Absentees were: Mr. Appolonia, Mrs. Barber, Messrs. Crandall, Cunningham, DeCiantis, Fanning of Cumberland, Dodge, Feeney, Fontaine, Gallagher, Giguere, Jordan, Mrs. Lacroix, Messrs. Martin, McCabe, Moon, Mulligan, Murphy of Coventry, Toolin and Vacca.

The names of the absentees were called.

On motion of Mr. Wexler, seconded by Mr. Cochran, the reading of the Journal of the previous day was dispensed, on a voice vote.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE

The Chairman announced that he would present the Report of the Committee of the Whole for July 17, 1967.

The Chairman, as Chairman of the Committee of the Whole, on July 17, 1967, read the Report of the Committee of the Whole to the Convention as follows:

"On July 17, at a meeting of the Committee of the Whole by a majority of those present and voting, the final document as proposed by the Committee on Style and Drafting and as amended in the Committee of the Whole was recommended for adoption by the Convention."
"On August 7, the next session of the Committee of the Whole, there being no motion to reconsider, the action of the Committee of the Whole stands."

The report and the document were accepted and placed on the order of the third reading.

**THIRD READING**

In order for third reading was the following:

**CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS**


( The Committee of the Whole recommends adoption as amended.)

Mr. Wexler, seconded by Mr. Cooney, offered the following written motion to amend:

"I move to amend as follows:

Article II, Section 2, line 5 - Delete comma after 'manner';
   line 6 - Delete comma after 'corruption';
Article III, lines 1-2: Change 'Departments' to 'branches';
Article IV, Section 5, line 8 - Insert comma after 'effective';
   Section 17, line 1 - Delete comma after 'resolution';
   Section 20, line 9 -Change 'streets' to 'street';
Article VI, Section 8, line 8 - Change 'powers' to 'power';
Article VIII, Section 6, line 10 -Change 'departments' to 'branches';
Article XI, Section 2, lines 9-10 -Change 'a city or town council' to 'legislative body of a city or town';
Article XII, Section 1 - Delete arabic numerals '(1)', '(2)' and '(3)';

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Article XIV, Section 2, Sentence 1 - to read:
All officers of the state, civil and military, legally
filling any office by election or appointment shall
continue to exercise the powers and duties thereof,
according to their respective commissions or appoint­
ments, until their successors shall have been selected
and qualified in accordance with this constitution or
the laws enacted pursuant thereto;

And delete last sentence of said Section 2."
Edmund Wexler

The motion was read.

The motion to amend prevailed on a roll call vote, 77 delegates vo­
ting in the affirmative, 0 delegates in the negative, and 22 dele­
gates absent or not voting as follows:

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Kevin K. Coleman-Woonsocket
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Thomas R. DiLuglio-Johnston
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Edward P. Manning-Cumberland
William I. Matzner-Providence

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The Convention considered the document by article.

The Chairman declared the consideration of the Preamble to be in order.

Mr. Cooney, seconded by Mr. Wexler, moved adoption of the Preamble.

The motion to adopt prevailed on a roll call vote, 77 delegates voting in the affirmative, 0 delegates voting in the negative and 22 delegates absent or not voting as follows:

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Claire Capuano - Woonsocket  Epifanio F. Macari - Cranston
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Elaine C. Colaneri - Providence  Vincent P. McKinnon - Pawtucket
David J. Colbert, Jr. - Cranston  Donald E. McKiernan - Providence
Kevin K. Coleman - Woonsocket  Arthur Merolla - Providence
John P. Cooney, Jr. - Providence  James E. Murphy - Warren
Edward B. Corcoran - Middletown  William F. Murphy - Tiverton
Osias Cote - Pawtucket  Paul F. Murray - Newport
Robert J. Delehanty - Newport  Charles Nathanson - Warwick
Thomas R. DiLuglio - Johnston  Francis P. O'Donnell - Providence
Domenic A. DiSandro, Jr. - Narr.  Robert S. Ortolova - Providence
Harry J. Dyl - Central Falls  John A. Parrillo - Providence
Edward M. Dolbashian - Portsmouth  Nuala O'D. Pell - Newport
John F. Doris - Woonsocket  Robert F. Pickard - E. Greenwich
Stephen A. Fanning, Jr. - Providence  Antonio Prince - Woonsocket
Ernest A. Foster - Pawtucket  Anthony F. Principe - Bristol
Millicent S. Foster - No. Kingstown  Thomas D. Pucci - Providence
Michael A. Cammino, Jr. - Providence  Theresa F. Pulner - Cranston
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Anthony Giangiancomo - Providence  Augusto W. SaoBeno - E. Providence
Bradford Gorham - Foster  Owen V. Sherry - No. Smithfield
John Gorham - Scituate  Howard R. Smart, Jr. - Lincoln
George D. Greenhalgh - Glocester  Alfred B. Stapleton - Little Compton
A. Marion Hager - Cranston  Bradley L. Steere - E. Providence
Samuel C. Kagan - Providence  Charles C. Viall - E. Providence
Samuel J. Kanakry - Pawtucket  David D. Warren - No. Providence
Bradford H. Kenakry - West Greenwich  Edmund Wexler - Providence
August F. LaFrance - Pawtucket  Crafton H. Willey, JTI - Barrington
John F. Lalo - Westerly  John J. Wrenn - Providence
Demetra Lambros - Providence

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING

Felix A. Appolonia - West Warwick  John C. Dodge - New Shoreham
Jane H. Barber - Westerly  Stephen A. Fanning - Cumberland
Lloyd F. Crandall - Hopkinton  William A. Feeney - E. Providence
Matthew Cunningham - Hopkinton  Paul A. Fontaine - Woonsocket
Michael DeCiantis - West Warwick  James A. Gallagher - Jamestown
The Chairman declared the consideration of Article I to be in order.

Mr. Dolbashian, seconded by Messrs. Lawrence and Gorham of Scituate, moved that Article I be adopted.

Mr. Pickard, seconded by Messrs. Roberts & Matzner, offered the following written motion to amend:

"I move to amend Sec. 6 of Article I by deleting the last sentence thereof."

The motion was read.

At 2:55 P.M. the Chairman yielded the rostrum to David D. Warren, First Vice Chairman.

The motion was debated.

The motion to amend did not prevail on a roll call vote, 34 delegates voting in the affirmative, 45 delegates voting in the negative and 20 delegates absent or not voting as follows:

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Arthur A. Belhumeur - Central Falls  Michael A. Gammino, Jr. - Providence
Adrien Bissonnette - Woonsocket  Robert B. Gates - So. Kingstown
Thomas H. Bride - West Warwick  William J. Gmelin - Charlestown
Jeremiah Cannon - Providence  Fulda E. Geoffroy - West Warwick
Eugene F. Cochran - Providence  A. Marion Hager - Cranston
Kevin K. Coleman - Woonsocket  Bradford H. Kenyon - West Greenwich
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Stephen A. Fanning, Jr. - Providence  Edward P. Manning - Cumberland
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The Chairman declared the consideration of Article II to be in order.

Mr. Kagan, seconded by Messrs. Foster, Cote, Bizier and Lawrence, moved that Article II be adopted.

The motion to adopt Article II prevailed on a roll call vote, 76 delegates voting in the affirmative, 0 delegates voting in the negative, and 23 delegates absent or not voting as follows:

**AYE S**

- Vincent J. Baccari - Providence
- Roger A. Beauchemin - Pawtucket
- Arthur A. Belhumeur - Central Falls
- Joseph A. Bevilacqua - Providence
- Norman E. Bizier - Central Falls
- Adrien Bissonnette - Woonsocket
- Thomas H. Bride - Warwick
- Domenic C. Canna - Bristol
- Jeremiah H. Cannon - Providence
- Claire Capuano - Woonsocket

**NOES**

- Robert F. Pickard - East Greenwich
- Dennis J. Roberts - Providence
- Howard R. Smart, Jr. - Lincoln
- Alfred B. Stapleton - Little Compton
- Grafton H. Willey, III - Barrington

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August P. LaFrance-Pawtucket
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John W. Laporte-Burrillville

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING

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Lloyd R. Crandall-Hopkinton
Matthew C. Cunningham-Pawtucket
Michael DeCianniti-West Warwick
John C. Dodge - New Shoreham
Stephen A. Fanning-Cumberland

August 7, 1967
Second Session
The Chairman declared the consideration of Article III to be in order.

Mr. Cochran, seconded by Mr. O'Donnell, moved that Article III be adopted.

The motion to adopt Article III prevailed on a roll call vote, 76 delegates voting in the affirmative, 0 delegates voting in the negative and 23 delegates absent or not voting as follows:

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**AYES**

Vincent J. Baccari - Providence
Roger A. Beauchemin - Pawtucket
Arthur A. Belhumeur - Central Falls
Joseph A. Bevilacqua - Providence
Norman E. Bizier - Central Falls
Adrien Bissonnette - Woonsocket
Thomas H. Bride - Warwick
Domenic C. Canna - Bristol
Jeremiah H. Cannon - Providence
Claire Capuano - Woonsocket
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Stephen A. Fanning, Jr. - Providence
Ernest A. Foster - Pawtucket

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Millicent S. Foster - No. Kingstown
Edward P. Gallogly - Providence
Michael A. Gammino, Jr. - Providence
William J. Gamelin - Charlestown
Fulda E. Geoffroy - West Warwick
Anthony Giangiacomo - Providence
Bradford Gorham - Foster
John Gorham - Scituate
George D. Greenhalgh - Glocester
A. Marion Hager - Cranston
Samuel C. Kagan - Providence
Samuel J. Kanakry - Pawtucket
Bradford H. Kenyon - West Greenwich
August P. LaFrance - Pawtucket
John F. Lallo - Westerly
Demetra Lambros - Providence
John W. Laporte - Burrillville
A. Norman Lasalle - Warwick
Frederick A. Lawrence - Providence
Epifanio F. Macari - Cranston
Edward P. Manning - Cumberland
William I. Matzner - Providence
Thomas F. McGrath - Providence
Donald E. McKiernan - Providence
Arthur Merolla - Providence
James E. Murphy - Warren
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William F. Murphy-Tiverton  Hugo L. Ricci-Providence
Paul F. Murray-Newport  Dennis J. Roberts-Providence
Charles Nathanson-Warwick  Augusto W. SaoBento-East Providence
Francis P. O'Donnell-Providence  Owen V. Sherry-North Smithfield
Robert S. Ortoleva-Providence  Howard R. Smart, Jr.-Lincoln
John A. Parrillo-Providence  Alfred B. Stapleton-Little Compton
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Anthony F. Principe-Bristol  Edmund Wexler-Providence
Thomas D. Pucci-Providence  Grafton H. Willey, III-Barrington
Theresa F. Pulner-Cranston  John J. Wrenn-Providence

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING

Felix A. Appolonia-West Warwick  Noel A. Giguerre-Woonsocket
Jane H. Barber-Westerly  Raymond E. Jordan-Pawtucket
Kevin K. Coleman-Woonsocket  Jeannette M. Lacroix-Lincoln
Lloyd R. Crandall-Hopkinton  Frank A. Martin, Jr.-Pawtucket
Matthew C. Cunningham-Pawtucket  Francis H. McCabe-Pawtucket
Michael DeCiantis-West Warwick  Vincent P. McKinnon-Pawtucket
John Dodge-New Shoreham  Edwin J. Moon-Exeter
Stephen A. Fanning-Cumberland  Edward J. Mulligan-Central Falls
William A. Feeney-East Providence  James F. Murphy-Coventry
Paul A. Fontaine-Woonsocket  John J. Toolin-Richmond
James A. Gallagher-Jamestown  Anthony Vacca-Smithfield
Robert B. Gates-South Kingstown

(During the roll call, Mr. LaSalle explained his vote.)

The Chairman declared the consideration of Article VII to be in order.

Mr. Kagan, seconded by Mr. Foster, moved that Article VII be adopted.

Mr. Corcoran, seconded by Mrs. Foster, Messrs. McKiernan and DiLuglio, offered the following written motion to amend:

"I move to amend Article VII Of Elections, Section 1 by striking out in line 1 'all members of the general assembly' and inserting the word 'senators'; and by adding to the section the following:

'Members of the house of representatives shall be elected at a general election on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November every
two years and shall severally hold their offices for two years from the first Tuesday of January next succeeding their election and until their successors are elected and qualified."

Edward B. Corcoran

The motion was read.
The motion was debated.
The motion to amend did not prevail on a roll call vote, 31 delegates voting in the affirmative, 42 delegates voting in the negative and 26 delegates absent or not voting as follows:

AYES

Thomas H. Bride - Warwick
Ayerus Castiglia - Cranston
David J. Colbert, Jr. - Cranston
John P. Cooney, Jr. - Providence
Edward B. Corcoran - Middletown
Thomas R. DiLuglio - Johnston
Domenic A. DiSandro, Jr. - Narragansett
Stephen A. Fanning, Jr. - Providence
Millicent S. Foster - No. Kingston
Edward P. Gallogly - Providence
William J. Gmelin - Providence
Bradford Gorham - Foster
John Gorham - Scituate
George D. Greenhalgh - Glocester
A. Marion Hager - Cranston
Bradford H. Kenyon - West Greenwich

NOES

Vincent J. Baccari - Providence
Roger A. Beauchemin - Pawtucket
Arthur A. Belhumeur - Central Falls
Joseph A. Bevilacqua - Providence
Norman E. Bizier - Central Falls
Adrien Bissonnette - Woonsocket
Domenic C. Canna - Bristol
Jeremiah H. Cannon - Providence
Claire Capuano - Woonsocket
Orist D. Chaharyn - Woonsocket
Eugene F. Cochran - Providence
Elaine C. Colaneri - Providence

Kevin K. Coleman - Woonsocket
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Robert J. Delehanty - Newport
Harry J. Dyl - Central Falls
Edward M. Dolbashian - Portsmouth
John F. Doris - Woonsocket
Ernest A. Foster - Pawtucket
Fulda E. Geoffroy - West Warwick
Anthony Giangiaco - Providence
Samuel C. Kagan - Providence
Samuel J. Kanakry - Pawtucket
August P. LaFrance - Pawtucket
The motion to adopt Article VII did not prevail, 48 delegates voting in the affirmative, 24 delegates voting in the negative and 27 delegates absent or not voting as follows:

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Vincent J. Baccari-Providence
Roger A. Beauchemin-Pawtucket
Arthur A. Belhumeur-Central Falls
Joseph A. Bevilacqua-Providence
Norman E. Bizier-Central Falls
Adrien Bissonnette-Woonsocket
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The Chairman declared the consideration of Article IV to be in order.

Mr. DiLuglio, seconded by Mr. Doris, moved that Article IV be adopted.

The motion to adopt Article IV prevailed on a roll call vote, 60 delegates voting in the affirmative, 15 delegates voting in the negative, and 24 delegates absent or not voting as follows:

AYES

Vincent J. Baccari - Providence
Roger A. Beauchemin - Pawtucket
Arthur A. Belhumeur - Central Falls
Joseph A. Bevilacqua - Providence
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William J. Gmelin - Charlestown
Fulda E. Geoffroy - West Warwick

George D. Greenhalgh - Glocester
Samuel C. Kagan - Providence
Samuel J. Kanakry - Pawtucket
August P. LaFrance - Pawtucket
John F. Lallo - Westerly
Demetra Lambros - Providence
John W. Laporte - Burrillville
Frederick A. Lawrence - Providence
Edward P. Manning - Cumberland
Thomas F. McGrath - Providence
Arthur Merolla - Providence
James E. Murphy - Warren
William F. Murphy - Tiverton
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Robert B. Gates - South Kingstown

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Jeannette M. Lacroix - Pawtucket
Frank A. Martin, Jr. - Pawtucket
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Edwin J. Moon - Exeter
Edward J. Mulligan - Central Falls
James F. Murphy - Coventry
Robert S. Ortoleva - Providence
John J. Toolin - Richmond
Anthony Vacca - Smithfield

(During the roll call, Mrs. Foster, Mr. LaSalle and Mr. Roberts explained their vote.)

The Chairman declared the consideration of Article V to be in order.

Mr. Gallogly, seconded by Messrs. Warren and Murphy of Warren, moved that Article V be adopted.

The motion to adopt Article V prevailed on a roll call vote, 69 delegates voting in the affirmative, 7 delegates voting in the negative and 23 delegates absent or not voting as follows:

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Vincent J. Baccari - Providence
Roger A. Beauchemin - Pawtucket
Arthur A. Belhumeur - Central Falls
Joseph A. Bevilacqua - Providence
Norman E. Bizier - Central Falls
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Jeannette M. Lacroix-Lincoln  
Frank A. Martin, Jr.-Pawtucket  
Francis H. McCabe- Pawtucket  
Vincent P. McKinnon- Pawtucket  
Edwin J. Moon - Exeter

(During the roll call, Mr. LaSalle explained his vote.)

The Chairman declared the consideration of Article VI to be in order.

Mr. Bride, seconded by Messrs. Cooney, Lawrence and O'Donnell, moved that Article VI be adopted.

The motion to adopt Article VI prevailed on a roll call vote, 69 delegates voting in the affirmative, 6 delegates voting in the negative and 24 delegates absent or not voting as follows:

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Vincent J. Baccari- Providence
Roger A. Beauchemin- Pawtucket
Arthur A. Belhumeur- Central Falls
Joseph A. Bevilacqua- Providence
Norman E. Bizier- Central Falls
Adrien Bissonnette- Woonsocket
Thomas H. Bride- Warwick
Domenic C. Canna- Bristol
Jeremiah H. Cannon- Providence
Claire Capuano- Woonsocket
Aurora Castiglia- Cranston
Orist D. Chahary- Woonsocket
Eugene F. Cochran- Providence
Elaine C. Colaneri- Providence
David J. Colbert, Jr- Cranston
Kevin K. Coleman- Woonsocket
John P. Cooney, Jr.- Providence
Edward B. Corcoran- Middletown
Osias Cote- Pawtucket
Robert J. Delehanty- Newport
Thomas R. DiLuglio- Johnston
Domenic A. DiSandro, Jr- Narragansett
Harry J. Dyl - Central Falls
Edward M. Dolbashian- Portsmouth
John F. Doris- Woonsocket

Stephen A. Fanning, Jr- Providence
Ernest A. Foster- Pawtucket
Millicent S. Foster- No. Kingstown
William J. Gmelin- Charlestown
Fulda E. Geoffroy- West Warwick
Anthony Giagiacomo- Providence
George D. Greenhalgh- Glocester
A. Marion Hager- Cranston
Samuel C. Kagan- Providence
Samuel J. Kanakry- Pawtucket
Bradford H. Kenyon- West Greenwich
August P. LaFrance- Pawtucket
Demetra Lambros- Providence
John W. Laporte- Burrillville
Frederick A. Lawrence- Providence
Epifanio F. Macari- Cranston
Edward P. Manning- Cumberland
William I. Matzner- Providence
Thomas P. McGrath- Providence
Donald E. McKiernan- Providence
Arthur Merolla- Providence
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Francis P. O'Donnell- Providence
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James F. Murphy-Coventry
John J. Toolin-Richmond
Anthony Vacca-Smithfield

ADJOURNMENT

At 4:26 p.m., on motion of Mr. Doris, seconded by Mr. Foster, the
Convention adjourned to meet on Monday, August 21, 1967, at 1:30 p.m.
in the Chamber of the House of Representatives at the State House,
on a voice vote.

August P. LaFrance, Secretary
Constitutional Convention