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[The recording begins mid-sentence of Ylvisaker's speech.] Ylvisaker talks about legislature models that allow people being able to express their opinions without having to worry about votes. Ylvisaker wants the world to start thinking about how to make their economic enterprise socially more responsible. Ylvisaker gives examples on companies that have embraced social responsibility investments and benefited, and suggest that that might be a good place for Alaska's surplus to go.

3:12 Alaska has a volatile economy. Before construction is complete and the oil starts flowing, Alaska is facing tough times. They have a population that has a high turnover rate and the speaker isn't certain how they are going to keep up the continuity.

Their problem is the distance between parts of their community. Ylvisaker says that Newark and Alaska have the same population. Newark has no hope and no future and their unemployment rate is 40% or more, and continues that Alaska is a long way from Calcutta where 3,000 people sleep on the streets.

4:40 Mostly, it is hard to have stabilizing forethought in Alaska where conditions differ. Alaskans have strength that allows them to care and they have to struggle within their own soul. Ylvisaker concludes that people came to the Constitutional Review Commission Convention to revisit themselves. [Applause.]

5:43 Dr. Hiatt [?] thanks Ylvisaker and says that the room is full of distinguished people but there is no time to introduce everybody. He wants to introduce some members, however, who have greatly contributed to the success of their convention and the constitution. He continues on by introducing the publisher of Anchorage Times, who was the chairman of the Statehood Committee throughout its existence and who made many arrangements for their successful meeting in 1959. His name is Bob [Robert] Atwood. [Applause.] The other person is the publisher of Fairbanks Daily News Miner, Bill [Charles Willis] Snedden.

Dr. Hiatt gives the schedule for immediately following events.

[End of the recording.]