

1 it was too clubby. I wonder if we increase it to 35,
2 whether it gets just a little bit more clubby, or the
3 clubbiness has disappeared by increasing it by six members.

4 He mentioned the fact that we don't want to get
5 ourselves in the situation that they have in the House
6 of Representatives, where they have 535 members, and I think
7 the import of his remark was to the effect that it was a
8 very ineffective body. I am sure that conclusion
9 would come as a surprise to each and every member of the
10 House of Representatives, none of whom, I might say, have
11 ever been going out lobbying to have the size of that
12 chamber decreased.

13 I think he needs a little experience of what goes
14 on in the House of Representatives. He has been spending too
15 much time in Baltimore.

16 Reference has already been made by other members
17 on the floor to the favorable comment that has been given
18 in the nation's press about the legislative session that
19 has just completed itself this past year. The Washington
20 Post -- I am sure that appeals to some of our people here
21 in the group -- the Washington Post characterized it as