

1 most recent census for the apportionment of the House of
2 Representatives under the United States Constitution.
3 Upon petition of any registered voter, the Court of Appeals
4 shall have original jurisdiction to review the district-
5 ing and grant appropriate relief if it finds the district-
6 ing to be unlawful."

7 THE CHAIRMAN: The amendment having been
8 seconded, the Chair recognizes Delegate Gallagher.

9 Do all delegates now have a copy of the
10 amendment? Amendment 23.

11 The Chair recognizes Delegate Gallagher.

12 DELEGATE GALLAGHER: Mr. Chairman, ladies and
13 gentlemen of the House, you will remember last evening that
14 we had before us an amendment which would have created
15 a Congressional redistricting procedure.

16 That amendment failed at that particular time.
17 You have now before you Amendment Number 23, which I think
18 is a more simplified approach to the problem, which does
19 provide that the legislature shall call for the redis-
20 tricting into Congressional districts under certain
21 stipulated circumstances and with certain tests, all of