

1 whole only.

2 MR. MILLER: Does it say that?

3 MR. CLAGETT: Yes, more than three, meaning
4 four, would require a vote of the State as a whole.

5 MR. MILLER: But it also says up there that
6 anything that changes the County line without the con-
7 sent of the majority of the voters therein residing.
8 That is the only reason I brought up the point. It looks
9 to me like it would require two referendums unless you
10 change the wording.

11 MR. SAYRE: The word contiguous.

12 THE CHAIRMAN: Just a second, Mr. Sayre.

13 Mr. Clagett, can you answer the question?

14 MR. CLAGETT: I think the word, contiguous,
15 gives you the answer.

16 MR. MILLER: Unfortunately, you don't get four
17 contiguous Counties, but each one might be bordering on
18 the other, and the word, contiguous, has a lot of legal
19 implications.

20 MR. CLAGETT: I think, too, as you follow the
21 sequence of thought expressed in each of the sentences,