

1 of the Counties be passed by the Legislature under the
2 label of a reapportionment, and thereby be exempted from
3 the referendum?

4 THE CHAIRMAN: You mean under this proposal?

5 MR. GENTRY: Yes, I am asking.

6 THE CHAIRMAN: I wouldn't think so.

7 MR. CLAGETT: I don't think you could, under
8 that.

9 MR. BOND: I would like to ask the Chairman
10 of the Committee. We all know these many problems that
11 are coming down as a result of our urbanization.
12 Couldn't most of these problems in the Committee's view-
13 point, what is the Committee's viewpoint as to using
14 regional government, intergovernmental authority to
15 solve these problems? Do you have any statement of the
16 Committee as to whether this couldn't solve the problems
17 and at the same time retain the old County governments?

18 MR. CLAGETT: Yes, that puts us into a new
19 and different phase of our consideration.

20 MR. BOND: I think it goes to Mr. Sayre's
21 motion to this extent, sir. He proposed that we, that