

1 I think the reason we put the word extension there, it
2 was something like Judge Haile was talking about, there
3 may be some counties that may not grow very fast in popu-
4 lation, and where you have the legislative district now
5 within the county boundaries to a great degree, at least
6 where each county will be assured of one member of the
7 House, that by putting in the ten per cent ratio, it
8 could mean that a county might wind up at some future
9 time with no representation. This would give the exten-
10 sion of beyond the county lines, and this is why many of
11 us on the Committee felt that there should be an open
12 end to the members of the House of Delegates at the present
13 time to give an opportunity for the Legislature, if neces-
14 sary, to probably work into legislative districts instead
15 of county districts as such, and the word extension on
16 there was to make this sort of a proviso that you could
17 go beyond county lines to such degree in legislative
18 districts.

19 DR. BURDETTE: It says without extension.

20 DR. BARD: That is that limitation.

21 MR. DELLA: Without limitation.