

1 DR. BARD: Yes. It would then read, Each
2 legislative district shall consist of compact and con-
3 tiguous territory.

4 THE CHAIRMAN: Any objection to the change?
5 All right, so made.

6 JUDGE ADKINS: Mr. Chairman, to move on to
7 another point, I would like to get on this question of the
8 ten per cent limitation.

9 THE CHAIRMAN: Before we discuss it, may I ask
10 a question that I wanted to ask before, Dr. Bard? Ratios
11 are sometimes very confusing to me. Is a variation of
12 ten per cent in the ratio exactly the same as a variation
13 of ten per cent in population, if you are thinking in
14 terms of a one-member district?

15 DR. BARD: I think what we are thinking of here
16 is variation of ten per cent in the spread. Wouldn't that
17 be true, Dr. Winslow? This is what we have in mind?

18 THE CHAIRMAN: Would a variation of ten per
19 cent in the spread of the ratio be exactly the same as a
20 variation of ten per cent in the spread of the population
21 in a one-man district?