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great Legislature. I also wish to tell this body that I have talked to the committee about this change and I think that most of them have agreed to it because this is what we came to at a committee hearing and I just think that this plan is workable. It does look good. Buffalo County still has only two Senators. However, it does give another Senator to Hall County and I think you heard Senator Peterson say a little while ago that we did divide the county in such a way that it would be advantageous to this county to have these four Senators rather than a liability and, therefore, I would strongly urge you to vote for this amendment.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion now is the adoption of the committee amendments...amendments to the committee amendments, right? All those in favor of that motion vote aye, opposed vote no. Amendments to the committee amendments. Record.

CLERK: 31 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of the amendment to the committee amendments.

SPEAKER MARVEL: The motion is carried. We now vote on the committee amendments as amended. Senator Hefner.

SENATOR HEFNER: Mr. President and members of the body, I don't have too much other statements to make. I think this proposal is a fair one. I think that most of the Senators have agreed to it, and if you have any questions, why I certainly would be very happy to answer them. I would urge you again to look your district over, not on the map, but in the bill book, and if you see some errors, why be sure and call this to my attention. Our staff has been checking these figures and these statements and if you do see an error why be sure and let us know.

SPEAKER MARVEL: Senator Carsten.

SENATOR CARSTEN: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I have no problems generally with the Second district except that I guess maybe I qualify for some of that handicap money because my old age eyes don't read those maps very distinctly and when I look at the map that is in your office, Senator Hefner, the precincts that are included in the Second District out of Otoe County I fail to find two precincts and I certainly would hope that you would check to be sure that all of Otoe County except those six precincts on the south edge are included in the bill. I am not sure your staff, Ron, has told me that they were combined. I was not apprised of that fact but I would certainly urge you to recheck that