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[Delegates Oulahan and Eichhorn asked for a show of hands.]

PRESIDENT CASSELL: Let the Chair make a plea. It appeared rather clear that the "noes" had it. I remind you also that each time we extend this, it costs us more money for the transcript.

Is it really necessary?

All right, those who are in favor of that motion, please indicate by showing your hands.

[Show of hands.]

PRESIDENT CASSELL: For the number 24. This is the substitute motion by Delegate Eichhorn. That the number in the Legislature shall be 24.

Those in favor should be raising their hands.

SECRETARY COOPER: Ten.

PRESIDENT CASSELL: Opposed?

[Show of hands.]

SECRETARY COOPER: Twenty-two.

PRESIDENT CASSELL: Abstain?

SECRETARY COOPER: One.

PRESIDENT CASSELL: Okay. Mr. Terrell?

DELEGATE TERRELL: Mr. President?

PRESIDENT CASSELL: Yes. We are back to your amendment, sir.

DELEGATE TERRELL: I thought that the next number was 32 that was before us; 32, the Coates amendment.

PRESIDENT CASSELL: Okay. We're back to Delegate Coates' amendment, that is to change the 36 to 32. Delegate Coates rationale was that 36 is not divisible by the eight Wards and 32 is.

Delegate Coates' motion is on the floor now. Are we ready to vote? Those in favor --

A DELEGATE: No.

PRESIDENT CASSELL: Discussion on Delegate Coates' amendment? This is the second amendment. The amendment is to Delegate Terrell's 36.

Delegate Jackson.

DELEGATE JACKSON: I want to substitute for the number 32 the number 40.

A DELEGATE: Second.

DELEGATE JACKSON: I would like to speak to it.

PRESIDENT CASSELL: You want to substitute the number 40 for the number 32?

DELEGATE JACKSON: No, sir, I want to -- yes, 40 for 32.