

the days that that office is supposed to be open. So it's not going to add any more cost. If anything, it will cost less to put one of these offices in a community of 5,000 or less. The amendment does not specify where this office is going to be. It could be any community in the state of 5,000 or less. So I would like to ask your support to adopt this amendment to have one of the offices be in a community of 5,000 or less. Thank you, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. The question is the adoption of the Haberman amendment to the Bernard Stevens amendment. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Record, Mr. Clerk, please.

CLERK: 27 ayes, 5 nays, Mr. President, on adoption of Senator Haberman's amendment.

PRESIDENT: The Haberman amendment is adopted. I'd like to draw your attention to the north balcony. Senator McFarland has a group there that we should have a look at. We have 50 junior high students from Lefler Junior High. They are the Select File...Select Choir (laughter), the Select Choir and their director is Joan Evans and they'll be performing at noon in the Rotunda so you may wish to remember that. Students, would you please stand and be recognized by your Legislature. If you sing as nice as you look it will be great, and we welcome you to the Legislative Chamber this morning, and thanks for performing at noon for us.

CLERK: Mr. President, Senator Scofield would move to amend Senator Bernard-Stevens' amendment. (Scofield amendment appears on page 2087 of the Legislative Journal.)

PRESIDENT: Senator Scofield, please.

SENATOR SCOFIELD: Thank you, Mr. President and members, now that you have adopted Senator Haberman's amendment, I think you have subscribed to at least the philosophy here, again, that if you want to do field offices, they should serve the smallest towns in the state. Senator Schellpeper in his remarks said 80 percent of the towns in the state are under 5,000 and then he went on to say how many, what percent are under 2,500. You're right, Senator Schellpeper. That's where the problem is. I have been concerned all along that if, to use Senator Haberman's words again, if you're going to send people out to do missionary work, you send them where the converts are most likely to be and