

STEELE VOTERS PETITION FOR A NEW DISTRICT

**CONTEND THAT AS CONDITIONS
EXIST NOW THEY ARE NOT
PROPERLY REPRESENTED IN
THE LEGISLATURE.**

Steele county would be withdrawn from the 16th legislative district, comprising Steele and Griggs counties, and made into a separate legislative district if the state legislature should act favorably on a petition now being circulated in Steele county, asking the change.

Proponents of the reapportionment say that Steele county is now virtually unrepresented in the state legislature, according to the expressed will of the voters of Steele county at the fall election, who gave all independent candidates a good majority. But as the result of the strong Nonpartisan vote in Griggs county, all Nonpartisan legislative candidates were elected.

The 16th legislative district is now represented by one senator, John L. Mikiethun, and three representatives, S. W. Johnson, William Bjerke and O. L. Anderson.