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smoke stack across the river one quarter of a mile that just continually pollutes in the southwest.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Now, who is that operated by?

SENATOR KEYES: Well that's operated by one of the members of the commission.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Well, that's really what I'm talking about.

SENATOR KEYES: Ashgrove Cement Plant. I don't know what the man's name is that runs it.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Well I think cement is necessary, but not to that extent, they should make an exception to the pollution of the air which is self evident.

SENATOR KEYES: Well, I understand that they are in the process of revamping their factory to some millions of dollars to eliminate the ash going over Sarpy County.

SENATOR CARPENTER: Well everybody is in the process, but many people don't get anything done about it.

SENATOR KEYES: Senator Schmit what, do you have any idea what this is going to do, I have had complaints from Lexington, Nebraska, probably because I have relatives there and they don't like the smell and the dust that comes from the dehydrating plant, what is going to happen to them.

SENATOR SCHMIT: Well Senator Keyes, one of the benefits of removing the Wyoming clause will allow the department of environmental control to go into an area such as that and work with and cooperate, I suppose you might say, require, that plant to install the equipment that was necessary to reduce the pollutants that come from those stacks, at the present time as you know, these insulations ought to be perhaps the only insulation in the entire city of Lexington that would cause a great deal of pollution, and when you mix that amount of pollution with all the air in the area, the pollutants are still such that they the department of environmental control has no regulation over them, but with this adoption of this bill 254, then the department of environmental control can require those factories, those plants to install equipment which will reduce those pollutants in the plants and should reduce the general overall pollution of the air in Nebraska.

PRESIDENT: Senator Duis, do you care to respond?

SENATOR DUIS: Well, I'm glad that Senator Keyes is getting out in my district on this matter, I watch it fairly closely myself and of course, you know this alfalfa smell, smells a little bit like a million dollars to most of us out there, that's the principle industry of Dawson County, is the raising of alfalfa, and of course this provides jobs for many, many people there, and I know some of it may smell, sometimes not too pleasant, but let me explain something to you Senator Keyes, maybe you don't know. These dehydrators are doing everything they can to suppress this, but as yet the Federal Government nor anyone else has approved the suppressers that they are to use and they cost an enormous amount of money, and for each one of those drums and until such a time as someone approves one of these as being right, it seems rather inconsistent that they would have to spend all that money without any approval of the device that goes on it, and I assure you that they do not wish to pollute the air any more than the person who has a feed lot that provides those beautiful steaks that go on there, but we do have, and let me say this Senator Keyes, some people get polluted pretty easily, and other people it doesn't take quite as much of it to pollute them, it depends on which side of the fence they are on and who is doing the polluting.