

They are not really over, I would guess, six or eight dissents. There are about an equal number of concurring statements. These are critical of the majority opinion in certain aspects of the majority's handling of the case, but concurring in the limited result reached.

Mr. SPRINGER. Since you have been on the Commission how many decisions have you participated in approximately?

Mr. MORGAN. I could only guess.

Mr. SPRINGER. Fifty?

Mr. MORGAN. Oh, no.

Mr. SPRINGER. Seventy-five? One hundred?

Mr. MORGAN. It would be in the hundreds, if not thousands.

Mr. SPRINGER. On how many of those have you dissented?

Mr. MORGAN. I think, not more than six or seven.

Mr. SPRINGER. On those six or seven did anybody dissent with you?

Mr. MORGAN. On two or three occasions, I believe.

Mr. SPRINGER. One other joined with you?

Mr. MORGAN. Yes; Commissioner Ross.

Mr. SPRINGER. On the other four the dissent was written by you alone?

Mr. MORGAN. Yes; I think that is about right. I am not actually sure of the figures, but the figures are of about that magnitude.

Mr. SPRINGER. Now, Mr. Morgan, these last days over at the Commission you haven't been very happy with the Commission, have you?

Mr. MORGAN. Well, "happiness" is a relative term, Mr. Springer—

Mr. SPRINGER. Let's—

Mr. MORGAN (continuing). Nobody is really very happy in regulatory work.

Mr. SPRINGER. But you were particularly unhappy, Mr. Morgan, because in your dissents no one agreed with you?

Mr. MORGAN. Well, everyone would like to have some support for his ideas, but I don't think "unhappy" is the term to apply to this situation.

I think—

Mr. SPRINGER. And largely—

Mr. MORGAN. I think "disappointed" would be a better term.

Mr. SPRINGER. Well, substitute the word "disappointed," Mr. Reporter.

You were though particularly disappointed because the other Commissioners did not see fit to agree with you in those opinions?

Mr. MORGAN. Yes.

Mr. SPRINGER. And yet those are the reasons particularly why you are leaving the Commission?

Mr. MORGAN. No; not entirely.

Mr. SPRINGER. Does that have anything to do with your leaving the Commission?

Mr. MORGAN. Well, obviously, it has something to do with my reasons for leaving.

If the Commissioners all agreed with me, more would have been done about the list of imperfections which I read to you, and it would have been done a long time ago.

Mr. SPRINGER. And, Mr. Morgan—