

water pollution, the burden will come first of all on the State where it occurs and it may get some assistance from the Federal Government.

Mr. WALLICK. I was thinking of our present problems of pollution and the necessity for getting money to deal with that. That is what I really had in mind there.

Senator MOSS. Thank you. I appreciate your testimony.

The CHAIRMAN. Senator Jordan?

Senator JORDAN. No questions.

The CHAIRMAN. Senator Hansen?

Senator HANSEN. No questions.

The CHAIRMAN. Thank you very much, Mr. Wallick. We appreciate having your testimony. We hope you will follow the hearings from time to time.

Mr. Angus McDonald, director of research, Farmers' Union, was to be our next witness. We have been informed that he is out of town and apparently misunderstood the date, although he had been advised of the hearings yesterday and today. The Chair will leave the record open so that he may submit a statement for the record at a later date or if there are additional hearings, of course, he will be able to testify.

Our last witness is Mr. J. H. Smith, Jr., Wolf Ridge Minerals Corp., Glenwood Springs, Colo.

Mr. Smith?

The Chair is delighted to welcome you to the committee. I recall with interest your very fine service during the 1950's as Assistant Secretary of the Navy and later as director of the International Cooperation Administration, now known as AID, I believe. We are delighted to have you, and we appreciate your fine service to the Federal Government.

Mr. SMITH. Thank you, Mr. Chairman.

The CHAIRMAN. The Chair has read your statement. I regret that I have another commitment. I am going to ask Senator Moss to preside during my absence, and the Chair has previously indicated that when we complete this morning's hearings, we will adjourn subject to the call of the Chair and the record will remain open so that those who desire to comment on the testimony may submit statements or, in the judgment to be made later by the Chair, we may have additional hearings for those who want to be heard.

STATEMENT OF J. H. SMITH, JR.; ACCOMPANIED BY ARTHUR S. BOWES, JR., AND IRVIN NIELSEN, WOLF RIDGE MINERALS CORP., GLENWOOD SPRINGS, COLO.

Mr. SMITH. Mr. Chairman, my name is James H. Smith, Jr. I represent the Wolfe Ridge Minerals Corp. The views I am expressing are endorsed by our associated companies, Advance Ross Corp., the Utah Shale Land Co., and Colorado Minerals Corp.

Mr. Bowes and Mr. Nielsen, the two senior offices of Wolf Ridge, are with me because we felt that the matters that your committee are dealing with are extremely important. Both oil and aluminum are vital commodities.

I would like to have Mr. Bowes and Mr. Nielsen come up here if that is acceptable to the Chair.