

Senator HANSEN. Thank you very much, Mr. Davison, for your statement which you have made.

Mr. PECK, are you to testify next?

Mr. PECK. I have testified.

Senator HANSEN. I know you spoke earlier this morning. You have nothing further to add to the statement that you made this morning?

Mr. PECK. Mr. White does.

Senator HANSEN. All right. Fine.

Mr. WHITE. Mr. Chairman, that completes the testimony from Midvale Irrigation District and the Cottonwood Bench Association, but I would like at this time to make a statement if I may.

Senator HANSEN. Yes, indeed, you may.

Mr. WHITE. This morning in the testimony some statements were attributed to Senator Simpson, generally stating that he viewed all of the third division to be not worthwhile, and should be abandoned, and I think that, to correct the record, it would be proper and fair to state that in his statement to the subcommittee in a hearing on Senate bill 2035, held October 29 and 30 of 1963, he stated, and I quote:

The Third Division, 11,831 acres, in part has not been as successful. Mark that, I say in part.

I would like to say in fairness to Senator Simpson that his opinion as expressed this morning, this more clearly expresses, I think, what his opinion is rather than the general statement that the entire third division should be abandoned.

Senator HANSEN. Thank you very much, Mr. White.

Mr. ANGLIN. Mr. Chairman, may I make a further statement?

Senator HANSEN. Yes, indeed, you may.

Mr. ANGLIN. This is Fred Anglin speaking again. In my opinion, this morning Senator Anderson had some difficulty conceiving the concept of 160 acres of No. 1 land or the equivalent thereof. My original purchase in this area was 160 acres of land, and when they got around to classify it, it was a very poor classification on this land.

I stated in my statement that I have 320 acres of land, which I do have, but I still lack 160 acres of the equivalent No. 1 land at the present time.

The reason we need more land is that we have sons coming up, we have families who want to get started. They have been born and raised in this area. They understand all the problems that are here. Some of us are in a condition to help our sons get started with the equipment and financing.

An additional 160 acres of equivalent No. 1 soil would be quite an asset in my operation. We have to run our sheep the year around on our irrigated land. It should be producing feed for winter feed, and if we could get another 160 units equivalent No. 1 land, I think this will apply to many of the farms on Midvale Irrigation District where a lot of this land isn't fit for sustained production, it would enable us to get our livestock off of the land so we can produce a bunch of feed for winter operation, which would enlarge all of our operations in our area.

Thank you.

Senator HANSEN. Thank you, Mr. Anglin.