

that you are going to have to fill it up again and turn it back to pasture land, grazing land, or farmland as it was before.

Now, you say the pictures that Secretary Udall presented showing how they took some of these areas and made a series of lakes, used them for fish and wildlife development, or for swimming pools or things of that sort, and you know and I know that no one in America contemplates that we will fill up the Bingham pit or the Butte open pit or any of these rock quarries. Now let's just not talk about a ridiculous situation.

Senator ANDERSON. That is why I asked the question. I think I have had some experience in bonding company requirements. It is not a particularly difficult subject. You say you discussed the bonding matter. What firms have you talked to? Where is your home office?

Mr. FRAWLEY. Pennsylvania, sir, Harrisburg, Pa.

Senator ANDERSON. Well, have you talked to bonding companies up there?

Mr. FRAWLEY. Yes, sir.

Senator ANDERSON. And they said they couldn't possibly issue this type of bond?

Mr. FRAWLEY. In this particular case we were discussing a Pennsylvania State bill. We defined reclamation up there in more detail than is done by S. 3132, by defining the term to mean "to return the land to a useful purpose."

Senator ANDERSON. Do you see that in this bill?

Mr. FRAWLEY. Sir, the way I read the bill it strongly implies restoring to original condition and I was delighted to hear the chairman's remarks.

Senator ANDERSON. Why don't you read some of the sections in the bill you think do that? Do you find language in the bill that you think does that?

Mr. FRAWLEY. On the bottom of page 12, sir, in my statement.

Senator ANDERSON. Are you talking about the bill, or your statement?

Mr. FRAWLEY. I was talking about my statement, sir. I don't have a copy of the bill in front of me.

Senator ANDERSON. What part of the bill says that you should fill these holes?

Mr. CARTER. I don't have a copy in front of me. May I comment, Senator, on that please?

Senator ANDERSON. I will be glad to have you, but he introduced the statement. He knows it, doesn't he?

Mr. CARTER. Yes, he does.

Senator ANDERSON. You may reply.

Mr. FRAWLEY. I don't have a copy of the bill in front of me, sir.

Senator ANDERSON. We will give you a copy of the bill. Who prepared your statement for you?

Mr. FRAWLEY. My statement, sir?

Senator ANDERSON. Yes.

Mr. FRAWLEY. It was prepared by a committee of our members who are intimately familiar with both the day-to-day operations as well as the long-range planning and reclamation of quarries.

Senator ANDERSON. Point out the section in the bill that you think suggests that you must refill all open pits and quarries.