

ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION

MEETING NO. 933

10:30 a.m., Wednesday, October 28, 1953

Present

Lewis L. Strauss
Henry D. Smyth
Thomas E. Murray
Eugene M. Zuckert

M. W. Boyer
Walter J. Williams
William Mitchell

Roy B. Snapp
John H. Stumpf

Also Present

Neil J. Carothers
Clarence C. Ohlke
Morse Salisbury
Col. Jack L. Armstrong
Don S. Burrows
Francis J. McCarthy
James G. Beckerley
John A. Waters
Thomas H. Johnson
Spofford G. English
Lawrence R. Hafstad
Dr. Charles L. Dunham
Dr. Paul B. Pearson
Philip Mullenbach
Comdr. James Dunford
John Mackenzie

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BY AUTHORITY OF L. M. Lohmeyer
BY R. A. L. DATE 4/14/89

Current Activities Reports

The General Manager and Division Directors reported on current developments at field installations and on the progress of matters under study by the staff. Questions by the Commissioners were discussed.

a. Alleged Radiation Injury to Animals

Dr. Pearson reviewed the results of investigations concerning alleged radiation injuries to animals in the Nevada Proving Grounds area. He said that settlement had already been made on claims that a number of horses and cattle had been injured by radiation resulting from fall-out. The problem of determining whether a large number of sheep had also suffered injury from fall-out was more difficult, and although it now appeared that their illness resulted from other causes, investigation of this matter will continue.

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Roy B. Snapp
Secretary

Approved by the Commission: December 16, 1953