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SENATOR SCHROCK: Oh that's possible, but not very likely, Senator Janssen.

SENATOR JANSSEN: All right. Then are they...is this water being used then in a ditch irrigation of some type?

SENATOR SCHROCK: Senator Janssen, the reality of the situation out there is that most people are going away from the ditch irrigation and converting to center pivots. And so I think most of the new wells that are drilled are for center pivots. I would be surprised if any of the wells, since 1993, that are drilled...

SENATOR JANSSEN: Well then...

SENATOR SCHROCK: ...are being used for (inaudible).

SENATOR JANSSEN: Then you're telling me then that the wells that are drilled within 50 feet of a river bank, in reality they aren't being used in a center pivot situation then. Is that correct?

SENATOR SCHROCK: Yes, but I suppose they could be, if they were windshield wiping the pivot, if you know what that term means, in other words the pivot isn't going a full circle.

SENATOR JANSSEN: I see. All right then another question. The wells that are drilled on a per se island, now where...are they actually farming that island then, and then there is a center...the island is large enough that they can put a center pivot on that and plant row crops in there then?

SENATOR SCHROCK: That is true, Senator Janssen. There are some big islands on the Platte River.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Oh, I know that. All right. Then that water that is pumped out of that island, which I would say is probably inflow water then, I mean it would be coming...actually coming from that stream or let's say the Platte River. Is that correct?

SENATOR SCHROCK: I'm no hydrologist, but I would think the