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NEXT WEEK---April 17, 1971

Iowa State Senator Charles O. Laverty of Indianola with a progress report on the condition of the environment in Iowa. This is not billed as a political speech so assume the Senator will discuss the air, the water and the underfoot. The Senator appears well qualified to discuss pollution of the environment. He is a graduate of Iowa State University. He is Chairman of the State environmental Commission; is a member of the Joint House and Senate Environmental Study Committee and a member of the Appropriations Committee, the Committee on Higher Education and the Iowa Development Commission. Senator Laverty represents Marion, Monroe and Warren counties.

Laverty is President of Laverty Elevators, Inc. and Laverty Sprayers, Inc. and owns farms in the Indianola area. This is his second term in the Legislature.

No doubt to check the air pollution over Iowa, Senator Laverty will fly to CR on Wednesday in his own plane. The Senator does have one soft spot, however. He is a Rotarian.

LAST WEEK

Apparently the people "down under" have their problems too. Bob Nance, WMT Farm Editor advises that the extremes of weather in Australia has made it necessary to develop a special breed of heat-resistant cattle; Opera Houses get built without parking lots; severe rain storms appear without warning; tour bus air conditioners quit working with the outside temperature at 116 degrees and Melbourne has a Los Angeles-type freeway complex! Sounds like the good old U.S.A. But how about the Aussie merry-go-round dairy where the cows get fed, watered and milked by an automated dairyman? The cow thinks life is one big whirl. (Little does she know that she may soon be replaced by a bag of soybeans!)

Nance indicates that land is really in demand in Australia. Tracts of from 9,000 to 50,000 acres are made available to prospective purchasers by a lottery system.

Since his return from Australia, Bob Nance has presented his slide-illustrated talk sixteen times. But some are never satisfied. Saturday, Bob and the other three members of the Vigortones left for a USO tour of Southeast Asia to entertain the troops.

FOUL PLAY

Understand WMT Gourmet and Downtown KIWANIAN Jim Lloyd has gone international. His cookbook has now received recognition in Canada. Further, the CR Art Association plans to exhibit Jim and Barbara's still life---"Smoked Turkey" (You and WMT were doing well in Kirksville, Missouri last week, Jim.)



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