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Comments (use back if needed):

The Wyoming contingent could speak only of how necessary coal mining is to feed their families, build more schools, support their lifestyle, keep their environment clean, provide more jobs, and yet they have no concern for those same issues we have in the Pacific Northwest.

The Wyoming contingent departed this meeting after they spoke - with 150 speakers still remaining to share their views on the topic.

In Psychology there is condition called "COGNITIVE DISSONANCE" - it's the inner conflict and frustration when a person holds two diametrically opposing beliefs. He usually takes his "fall-back" stronger position that allows him to live with himself and still keep his strongest belief.