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Gentleman I urge you to consider the following suggestion on the Keystone Pipe line. that the top of the pipe be required to be placed at least 6 feet deep on the route across South Dakota. At that depth the risk of deep-tillage damage to the pipe should be eliminated.

Secondly, at that depth any heat from the pipe may be defused enough for crops and grass to grow properly.

yours truly
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