Directions: The following two documents about the conservation movement were produced over fifty years apart. Read the documents and determine the order in which the documents were most likely written. Then explain your answers using evidence from the documents and your knowledge of history.

**Document A: A passage from an interview with a leader of the movement to protect the environment.**

The environmental crisis arises from a fundamental fault: our systems of production--in industry, agriculture, energy and transportation--essential as they are, make people sick and die. The modern assault on the environment . . . could be traced to such new technologies of production: new ways of producing electric power, transportation and food that, while they generated these valuable goods, now violently assaulted the environment as well.

**Document B: A passage from a Report from the United States House of Representatives.**

The U.S. Government has set apart [Yellowstone Park] as a pleasure ground for the people of the United States perpetually, and has directed the preservation of the wild beasts and birds in the park. But no laws to carry out the purpose of protecting the game and birds in the park are now in force, and wanton and cruel slaughter of the buffalo and other wild animals in the park have been reported, and the Secretary of the Interior has found himself powerless to prevent it.

Out of the vast herds of millions of buffaloes that a few years ago coursed the planes of America a few hundred only remain, and they are now all in the Yellowstone Park, and one of the purposes of setting aside the park has been to preserve this little herd.

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