
IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

JANUARY 11, 1911.

MR. FLINT introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

A BILL

To set aside a portion of certain lands in the Territory of Arizona, now known as the Grand Canyon National Monument and Coconino National Forest, as a public park, to be known as the Grand Canyon National Park.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That all those certain tracts, pieces, or parcels of land lying
4 and being in the Territory of Arizona, and within the bound-
5 aries particularly described, as follows, to wit: Beginning at
6 the southwest corner of section twelve, township thirty-one
7 north, range one west, Gila and Salt River meridian, Ari-
8 zona; thence northerly to the northwest corner of said sec-
9 tion; thence westerly to the southwest corner of the south-
10 east quarter of section two, said township; thence northerly
11 to the northwest corner of the northeast quarter of said sec-
12 tion; thence westerly to the southwest corner of section

1 thirty-three, township thirty-two north, range one west;
 2 thence northerly to the northwest corner of said section;
 3 thence westerly to the southwest corner of section twenty-
 4 seven, township thirty-two north, range two west; thence
 5 northerly to the northwest corner of said section; thence
 6 westerly to the southwest corner of section twenty-one, said
 7 township; thence northerly to the northwest corner of said
 8 section; thence westerly to the southwest corner of section
 9 seventeen, said township; thence northerly to the southeast
 10 corner of section six, said township; thence westerly to the
 11 southwest corner of said section; thence northerly to the
 12 northwest corner of said township; thence westerly to the
 13 southwest corner of section thirty-five, township thirty-three
 14 north, range three west; thence northerly to the northwest
 15 corner of said section; thence westerly to the southwest cor-
 16 ner of section twenty-seven, said township; thence northerly
 17 to the northwest corner of said section; thence westerly to
 18 the southwest corner of section twenty-one, said township;
 19 thence northerly to the northwest corner of section twenty-
 20 eight, township thirty-four north, range three west; thence
 21 easterly to the northeast corner of said section; thence north-
 22 erly along the section lines to the point of intersection with
 23 the north or right bank of the Colorado River; thence in
 24 a general easterly direction along the north or right bank
 25 of the Colorado River to Tapeats Creek; thence continuing

1 in a general easterly direction along the north or right bank
 2 of Tapeats Creek to Spring Creek; thence continuing in a
 3 general easterly direction along the north or right bank of
 4 Spring Creek to the Gila and Salt River meridian; thence
 5 southerly along said meridian to the northwest corner of
 6 section eighteen, township thirty-four north, range one east;
 7 thence easterly to the northeast corner of section eighteen,
 8 township thirty-four north, range two east; thence southerly
 9 to the southeast corner of section thirty-one, said town-
 10 ship; thence easterly to the northeast corner of section three,
 11 township thirty-three north, range two east; thence south-
 12 erly to the southeast corner of said section; thence easterly
 13 to the northeast corner of section eleven, said township;
 14 thence southerly along the section line to the point of inter-
 15 section with the rim of the Grand Canyon; thence in a gen-
 16 eral southerly, easterly, and northeasterly direction along
 17 the rim of the Grand Canyon to the section line running
 18 north and south between sections twenty-seven and twenty-
 19 eight and sections thirty-three and thirty-four, township
 20 thirty-three north, range three east; thence northerly to the
 21 northwest corner of section twenty-seven, said township;
 22 thence easterly to the southwest corner of section twenty-
 23 four, said township; thence northerly to the northwest cor-
 24 ner of said section; thence easterly to the northeast corner of
 25 said section; thence northerly to the northwest corner of

1 section eighteen, township thirty-three north, range four
 2 east; thence easterly to the northeast corner of said section;
 3 thence northerly to the northwest corner of section twenty-
 4 nine, township thirty-four north, range four east; thence
 5 easterly to the northeast corner of section twenty-five, town-
 6 ship thirty-four north, range five east; thence southerly to
 7 the northwest corner of section seven, township thirty-three
 8 north, range six east; thence easterly to the northeast cor-
 9 ner of said section; thence southerly to the northwest corner
 10 of section twenty, said township; thence easterly to the
 11 northeast corner of said section; thence southerly to the
 12 southeast corner of section eight, township thirty-one north,
 13 range six east; thence westerly to the southwest corner of
 14 said section; thence southerly to the southeast corner of
 15 section thirty-one, said township; thence westerly to the
 16 southwest corner of said township; thence southerly to the
 17 southeast corner of section one, township thirty north, range
 18 five east; thence westerly to the northeast corner of section
 19 eight, said township; thence southerly to the southeast cor-
 20 ner of said section; thence westerly to the southwest corner
 21 of section twelve, township thirty north, range four east;
 22 thence southerly to the southeast corner of the northeast
 23 quarter of section twenty-three, said township; thence west-
 24 erly to the southwest corner of the northwest quarter of said
 25 section; thence northerly to the northwest corner of said

1 section; thence westerly to the northeast corner of the north-
 2 west quarter of section twenty-two, said township; thence
 3 southerly to the southeast corner of the northwest quarter
 4 of said section; thence westerly to the southwest corner of
 5 the northwest quarter of said section; thence southerly to
 6 the southeast corner of section twenty-one, said township;
 7 thence westerly to the southwest corner of section nineteen,
 8 said township; thence northerly to the southeast corner of
 9 the northeast quarter of section thirteen, township thirty
 10 north, range three east; thence westerly to the southwest
 11 corner of the northwest quarter of section fourteen, said
 12 township; thence northerly to the southeast corner of section
 13 ten, said township; thence westerly to the southwest corner
 14 of said section; thence northerly to the northwest corner of
 15 said section; thence westerly to the southwest corner of sec-
 16 tion four, said township; thence northerly to the northwest
 17 corner of section thirty-three, township thirty-one north,
 18 range three east; thence westerly to the southwest corner of
 19 section twenty-seven, township thirty-one north, range two
 20 east; thence northerly to the northwest corner of the south-
 21 west quarter of said section; thence westerly to the south-
 22 west corner of the northeast quarter of section twenty-eight,
 23 said township; thence southerly to the southeast corner
 24 of the southwest quarter of section thirty-three, said town-
 25 ship; thence westerly to the southwest corner of section

1 thirty-six, township thirty-one north, range one east; thence
 2 northerly to the northwest corner of said section; thence
 3 westerly to the southwest corner of section twenty-six, said
 4 township; thence northerly to the northwest corner of said
 5 section; thence westerly to the southwest corner of section
 6 twenty-two, said township; thence northerly to the north-
 7 west corner of said section; thence westerly to the south-
 8 west corner of section sixteen, said township; thence north-
 9 erly to the northwest corner of said section; thence westerly
 10 to the southwest corner of section twelve, township thirty-
 11 one north, range one west, the place of beginning.

12 Such of the above-named corners as have not been es-
 13 tablished by the official surveys being intended to be located
 14 at the points where such corners would fall in projecting the
 15 surveys in the directions indicated without allowing for any
 16 irregularities which may occur in actually extending the sur-
 17 veys are hereby reserved and withdrawn from settlement,
 18 occupancy, or sale under the laws of the United States and
 19 dedicated and set apart as a public park or pleasure ground
 20 for the benefit and enjoyment of the people, to be known
 21 and designated as the Grand Canyon National Park, and all
 22 persons who shall locate or settle upon or occupy the same,
 23 or any part thereof, except as hereinafter provided, shall be
 24 considered trespassers and be removed therefrom.

1 SEC. 2. That said public park shall be under the ex-
 2 clusive control of the Secretary of the Interior, whose duty
 3 it shall be to make and publish such rules and regulations as
 4 he may deem necessary or proper for the care and manage-
 5 ment of the same. Such regulations shall provide for the
 6 preservation of natural curiosities or wonders within said
 7 park, and their retention in their natural condition as far as
 8 practicable. He shall provide against the wanton destruc-
 9 tion of the fish and the game found within said park and
 10 against their capture or destruction for the purposes of mer-
 11 chandise or profit, and generally shall be authorized to take
 12 all such measures as shall be necessary to fully carry out the
 13 objects and purposes of this Act.

14 SEC. 3. That the Secretary of the Interior may, in his
 15 discretion, dispose of mature, diseased, or insect-infested
 16 timber, grant leases, transportation, and other privileges
 17 covering the occupation and use of lands and the transaction
 18 of business for the accommodation of tourists within the park.
 19 Such privileges may include the development and working
 20 of the mineral and other resources in said park, but shall not
 21 be granted for any purpose inconsistent with that for which
 22 the park is established or which would injure or destroy any
 23 of the forests, natural wonders, and other objects of interest
 24 or resort in the park, or prevent access to any of such objects
 25 or the enjoyment thereof by the people. Leases or privi-

1 leges granted shall run for a period of not to exceed twenty
2 years, but may be renewed or extended at the expiration
3 thereof; no exclusive privilege, however, shall be granted
4 within the park except upon the ground leased. The Sec-
5 retary of the Interior may exact such charges as he deems
6 proper for leases, privileges, and so forth, granted hereunder,
7 and all funds derived therefrom, or from any source whatso-
8 ever connected with the park, shall be covered into the
9 Treasury of the United States as a special fund, to be ex-
10 pended under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior
11 in the management, protection, and improvement of the park.

12 SEC. 4. That all persons who shall unlawfully intrude
13 upon said park or who shall, without permission, appropri-
14 ate any object therein, depredate on the game or fish, or com-
15 mit unauthorized injury or waste in any form whatever
16 upon the lands or other public property therein, or who
17 shall violate any of the rules and regulations prescribed
18 hereunder shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and
19 upon conviction be fined in a sum not more than five hun-
20 dred dollars or be imprisoned for a period not more than
21 twelve months, or shall suffer both fine and imprisonment in
22 the discretion of the court.

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3^D SESSION.

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