

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS, it is provided by section twenty-four of the Act of Congress, approved March third, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, entitled, "An act to repeal timber-culture laws, and for other purposes," "That the President of the United States may, from time to time, set apart and reserve, in any State or Territory having public land bearing forests, in any part of the public lands wholly, or in part covered with timber or undergrowth, whether of commercial value or not, as public reservations, and the President shall, by public proclamation, declare the establishment of such reservations and the limits thereof";

Vernon Forest Reserve, Utah.
Preamble.
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And whereas, the public lands, in the State of Utah, which are hereinafter indicated, are in part covered with timber, and it appears that the public good would be promoted by setting apart said lands as a public reservation;

Now, therefore, I, Theodore Roosevelt, President of the United States of America, by virtue of the power in me vested by section twenty-four of the aforesaid Act of Congress, do proclaim that there

Forest reserve, Utah.

~~THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA~~ do hereby set apart as a Public Reservation, in the State of Utah, the tracts of land in the Vernon Forest Reserve on

the following described lands, to-wit: All lands embraced in any legal title of record in the proper public land office within which to make any settlement has been made or may hereafter be made. *Provided*, that this proclamation shall not be construed to apply to any particular tract of land where no settlement, or any other settlement, was made.

Nothing herein contained shall be construed to give to any person not to make settlement on any lands reserved by this proclamation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington this 24th day of April, 1906, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and

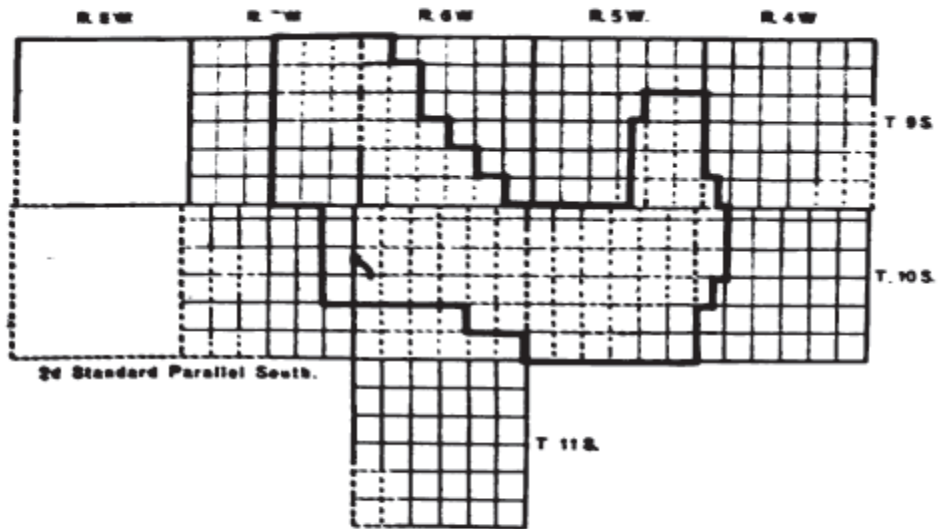
THEODORE ROOSEVELT

By the Secretary
[Signature]
Secretary of State

VERNON FOREST RESERVE,
UTAH.

FOREST SERVICE, U. S. DEPT. OF AGRICULTURE,
1906.

Compiled from E. L. C. Pass.
----- Forest Reserve Boundary.
--- Salt Lake Meridian and Base Line.



[DIAGRAM FORMING A PART OF PROCLAMATION
DATED APRIL 24, 1906.]

35° 30' West from Washington.