

PROPOSED FORT PLYMOUTH NATIONAL MONUMENT.

4th RO  
File  
0-36  
Tallebaga

REVIEW:

this area in Mississippi was first brought to our attention by Mrs. G. C. Clark through Congressman J. M. Rankin.

In a letter of June 22, 1934, to Congressman Rankin from the Director, it was stated that this Service could not take steps toward restoration of the town, and suggested that it be undertaken locally. The attached report from the Fourth Regional Officer of the Branch of Planning and State Cooperation, supports this statement.

From the above statement, with the concurrence of Mr. Lee and Mr. Chatelain, it is assumed that the proposed monument project is subject to disapproval.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that this area be disapproved and removed from our active list.

*Conrad L. Wirth*

Conrad L. Wirth.  
Assistant Director.

*Recommendation*  
Approved: FEB -1 1938

*Ernest B. Hamman*  
Director.

*Hamman*

*Branch of Planning*

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE  
STATE PARK DIVISION

*File*

C  
O  
P  
Y

504 Old Merchants Bank Bldg.,  
Jackson, Mississippi.  
June 17, 1935

*0.36 Talladega*

Mr. J. H. Gadsby,  
309 Glenn Bldg.,  
Atlanta, Ga.

Subject: Ft. Plymount National  
Monument

Dear Mr. Gadsby:

On June 10 I stopped at West Point in Clay County to investigate this subject, and in Jackson later discussed the site with Director of State Archives, Mr. Dunbar Rowland. There is practically no trace of any of the original town remaining and no pictures extant, so a true restoration would be impossible.

I do not feel that we should undertake a project there, and I feel also that there are a number of restoration projects that could be undertaken in Mississippi which would be considerably more important historically, although they are not on the list sent out for investigation.

I will investigate the other sites listed at the first opportunity.

Very truly yours,

(SGD) J. W. Green

J. W. Green  
Regional Inspector.

JWG:Lb

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE  
STATE PARK DIVISION

July 5, 1935

~~Mr. Wirth~~ HPA  
Mr. Chastlain  
Ronald Lee RFL  
Miss ~~W. A. R. Turner~~  
HPA

The report is  
missing. File  
Kahney  
this is all they  
is to be report  
E

0-35  
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE  
JUL - 8 1935  
J. H. Gadsby

State Park ECW  
National Park Service  
Washington, D. C.

Subject: Ft. Plymouth National  
Monument - Mississippi

Gentlemen:

Attached hereto is a report from Inspector Green  
in regard to the proposed Ft. Plymouth National Monument.

In view of Mr. Green's report, it would not seem  
necessary or desirable to pursue this investigation further.  
If we are wrong in this opinion, we should be glad to be cor-  
rected.

Yours very truly,

*J. H. Gadsby*  
J. H. GADSBY,  
Regional Officer.

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE  
STATE PARK DIVISION

~~Ronald Lee R~~  
Thurs file  
HWA  
EJW

FOURTH REGIONAL OFFICE  
309 GLENN BUILDING  
ATLANTA, GEORGIA

Sept. 30, 1935

0-36  
Talladega

State Park ECW  
National Park Service  
Washington, D. C.

Subject: Duplicate Reports on Proposed Areas

Gentlemen:

In response to the letter signed by Mr. Wirth on September 10, duplicate copies of the following reports are attached:

- Talladega National Historical Park Alabama
- Coosa Historical Sites National Monument
- Polk Memorial National Monument, Mississippi
- Fort Plymouth National Monument, Mississippi

0-35  
misc  
misc

Yours very truly,  
J. H. GADSBY,  
Regional Officer.

By \_\_\_\_\_  
H. K. Roberts,  
Asst. Regional Officer.

HKR/w  
File: General  
Reading  
ECW-1

C O P Y.

UNITED STATES  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
NATIONAL PARK SERVICE  
WASHINGTON

9/9

Fourth Regional Officer,  
National Park Service,  
309 Glenn Bldg.,  
Atlanta, Ga.

Dear Sir:

Your attention is called to the Memorandum to Regional Officers, SP-5-84, dated May 31, requesting that the form reports on proposed areas be submitted in duplicate.

Up to the present date, the following reports have been submitted without a duplicate copy, and it is requested that another copy of just the form be submitted for each one of these:

Alabama: Coosa Historical Sites Nat. Mon.  
Talledago Nat. Hist. Park.

Mississippi: Fort Plymouth National Monument  
Polk Memorial       "       "

Sincerely yours,

Conrad L. Wirth.  
Assistant Director.

CC: Mr. Gadsby  
Mr. Ronald Lee  
Mr. Allen