

the road to the north where you were going to put the parking area in the first plan?

Mr. BLACK. That is essentially it. From the standpoint of buildings constructed, the answer to your question is in the affirmative.

Senator Moss. I see.

And that, of course, reduces the estimated acquisition cost by nearly \$200,000?

Mr. BLACK. Yes, sir.

Senator Moss. It also reduces the development costs by something less than \$100,000?

Now, would it be the plan of the Department in its operation to charge an admission fee for viewing the premises here?

Mr. BLACK. I don't know that this has been determined yet, with respect to this particular site. But we have, I am told by Mr. Harrison, a general policy, particularly with respect to historic sites, to charge a nominal admission fee; so I suspect that in this case that policy would be followed.

Senator Moss. If that is done, then it would be expected that there would be some income against this amount of maintenance that you estimate at \$120,000?

Mr. BLACK. It would assist in recovering those maintenance costs.

Senator Moss. Since you don't know exactly what the fee would be, you don't have any estimate of what your income might be?

Mr. BLACK. We don't have any estimate, since we haven't established any fee as yet.

Senator Moss. This is a very beautiful volume here of photographs that you have supplied the committee, and it certainly indicates this is a lovely area and most appealing in that sense as well as its historic significance.

The Senator from Oregon, do you have any questions?

Senator HATFIELD. Yes, Mr. Chairman.

Mr. Black, I am an enthusiast of Mr. Sandburg's writings and I am very much in sympathy and enthusiastic about your proposal. I would like to get a little better understanding of what area you have now removed from your original proposal. I am looking at this publication and there is a map in the back part of it and I am not quite sure—

Mr. BLACK. We have a large map that would show that.

Mr. LEE. I am Fred Lee, National Park Service. You will note on this map, the general area for the facilities and park would be in the central north pasture.

Mr. BLACK. This is as the plan presently exists. We have a map which shows the property which was removed.

Senator Moss. I think we can tell from the map.

Senator HATFIELD. Is this land on the north side the part that was removed, Mr. Black?

Mr. BLACK. Yes, it is the quarry area, designated as No. 1 in the publication.