

## Letter from Professor L.H. Pammel to the Bank President in Steamboat Rock, Iowa, December 27, 1916

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Dear Sir,

I am very much interested in the movement now on foot to establish certain state parks in Iowa. Can you give me an estimate of the amount of money it would take to buy about 20 or 30 acres on the Iowa river where the pines and birches occur.

Yours Truly,  
L.H. Pammel

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### **Handwritten Message on Bottom Half of Letter**

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We have in mind an ideal location for a park with high towering woods, natural springs and can be bought reasonably in our belief. Possibly \$100.00 an acre. If they should ask more, our Citizens would no doubt assist such a [illegible]. Will be glad to assist [illegible] or such as [illegible] wherever can.  
Yours, [illegible name]