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OGDEN MEETING

NATIONAL IRRIGATION
CONGRESS DISCUSSED.

Second Meeting Held in Utah—State
Cession of Public Lands for Irriga-
tion Purposes—Private Reclamation
Not Successful in Large Tracts.

The approaching session of the Na-
tional Irrigation Congress which will
be held at Ogden, Utah, in September
is the second Utah congress, the
first being held at Salt Lake in 1891.
The intervening sessions have been
held at Los Angeles, Denver, Albu-
querque, N. M., Phoenix, Lincoln,
Neb., Cheyenne, Wyo., Missoula,
Mont., Colorado Springs, Col., and
Chicago. It is likely that the session
of 1904 will occur at St. Louis, dur-
ing the exposition.

The first irrigation congress was
attended by many distinguished men
from nearly all the Western states
and territories. The second, held at
Los Angeles in 1893, was interna-
tional in character and included special
representatives from Russia, France,
Great Britain, Canada, Mexico, Peru
and Australia. The subsequent ses-
sions varied considerably in interest
and attendance, but all have contrib-
uted something to the growth of the
movement.

The last dozen years have wrought
a great change in public sentiment on
the question.

In 1891 the problem of the public
domain was regarded as one peculiarly
belonging to the people of the
West. They had already assumed
charge of the water supply, making
laws under which it was appropriat-
ed for irrigation and in two in-
stances providing elaborate systems
of administration to distribute it
among a multitude of users. But the
public lands were still administered
from Washington. It was felt that
this dual control of land and water
was anomalous and that no harmoni-
ous and orderly scheme of develop-
ment could be planned until both ele-
ments of production were placed un-
der a single control.

Furthermore, it was generally
thought that the construction of irri-
gation works must be left wholly to
private, or at least to local enter-
prise. Such was the feeling at the
time of the first irrigation congress
and its conclusions were shaped in
accordance with this view.

State Cession of Public Lands.

The convention unanimously adopt-
ed a resolution in favor of the cession
of all public lands, except those valu-
able for mineral, to the several states
and territories in which they were lo-
cated. Little opposition to this policy
was anticipated. It was believed that
the West would be glad to get rid of
them. But contrary to expectations,
there was wide dissent from the propo-
sition, even in the West.

It speedily appeared that the peo-
ple lacked confidence in their legisla-
tures and were unwilling to trust
them with the disposal of areas
which, in most cases, constituted the
larger portion of the states. The vig-
orous expression of this sentiment de-
layed the presentation of the plan of
cession at Washington. In the mean-
time things happened which no one
had anticipated and the whole ques-
tion took on a totally different aspect
in consequence.

Private Enterprises Not Successful.

The fascinating speculation in wa-
ter, often aiming at a complete mon-
opoly of the supply, proved a failure
in many localities. Settlers were
afraid of it and would not locate on
lands valueless without water which
someone else owned. At least, they
would not come fast enough to sat-
isfy the demands for dividends. This
was a serious setback for those who
advocated private enterprise as a
means of reclaiming desert lands.

Congress in 1894, passed the Carey
law, tendering one million acres of
agricultural land to each of the arid
states. Most of them declined or ne-
glected to accept the grant, which was
another disappointment to the friends
of local development.

Then a new view of the whole sub-
ject arose in the public mind. It
soon found expression in the irri-
gation congress and in reports of gov-
ernment experts.

The new idea was that the whole
problem of the public domain is dis-
tinctly national—that these lands are
the heritage of the children of the
United States, and that it is the busi-
ness of the nation itself to see that
they are reclaimed, that water rights
are inalienably attached to them,
that they are religiously reserved for
actual home-builders, and that they
are made available at cost to those
who settle on them in good faith.

A vigorous propaganda was waged
throughout the length and breadth of
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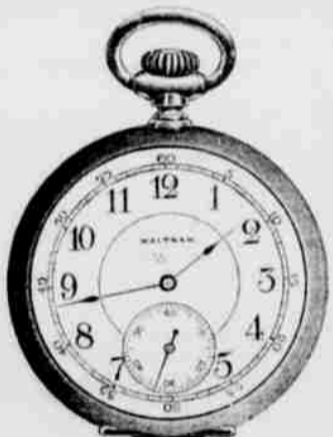
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