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U. S. Sen. Gordon Allott (R) of Colorado said Wednesday he would urge that Bent's Fort near La Junta be made a national monument when he meets with Conrad Wirth, director of the National Park Service, in Denver early in December.

Allott said he would ask Wirth to include Bent's Fort in a survey of historic sites planned for the current fiscal year.

No legislation will be necessary to make the fort a national monument, Allott said, adding, "The Park Service already has the necessary power under the Historic Site Act."