

# RESOLUTION OF RESPECT

## Lincoln Ellison

1908-1958

His many friends and associates were shocked by the sudden, tragic death of Dr. Lincoln Ellison, Chief of the Division of Range Management Research, Intermountain Forest and Range Experiment Station, Ogden, Utah. "Linc" was caught in an avalanche on March 9 while ski-touring on Mt. Ogden about one and a half miles from Snow Basin in the Wasatch Range.

Dr. Ellison's early years with the Forest Service were chiefly in Region One, Montana and Idaho, where he began his career in 1927. He directed research activities at the Great Basin Research Center, Ephraim, Utah, from 1938 until 1945, when he came to Ogden to take charge of range management research.

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High among the many honors awarded him scholastically and professionally was a Fulbright Research Fellowship to Australia where he was affiliated in 1951 and 1952 with the Commonwealth Scientific Industrial Research Organization. He was a delegate to the Seventh International Grassland Congress at Palmerston North, New Zealand, in 1956. He was a prominent member of the Society of the Sigma Xi.

In recognition of his leadership and professional attainment he served as chairman of the Intermountain Section of the Society of American Foresters, chairman of the Western Section of the Ecological Society of America, member of the editorial board of Ecological Monographs, president of the Utah Academy of Sciences, Arts, and Letters, and member of the Awards Committee of the Utah Section and member of the national Program Committee of the American Society of Range Management. Recently he was elected a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and currently was a member of the Council of the Ecological Society of America and chairman of the Junior Academy Division of the Utah Academy of Sciences, Arts, and Letters. His writings and speeches in the professional fields of plant ecology and related subjects have been widely published and acclaimed.

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