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Issues, Issues Everywhere Activity – Aldo Leopold – Response Sheet

Renee Askins, founder of The Wolf Fund, is working to bring the wolves back to Yellowstone. She believes that they have a right to be in the wilderness areas of the park and will help provide a balance to the ecosystem by keeping deer and antelope herds in check. She says the wolf has been stereotyped by hundreds of years of bad press. Also, she believes that the wolf is a symbol of the West.

Pete Story, a rancher near Yellowstone, believes that the wolf is a vicious killer. He says that once the wolves get used to Yellowstone, they will lose their fear of humans. The wolves might very likely be deadly to his herds.

These are just two opinions of this issue. What do you think? Explain why.

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