

August 23, 1943.

Mr. L. C. Bishop
State Engineer
Cheyenne, Wyoming.

re: Burnt Fork Distribution.

Dear Mr. Bishop:

I have your letter of August 19, 1943, in which you state that Governor Hunt has appointed assistant compact commissioners to act with you with respect to a compact on Burnt Fork Creek, Beaver Creek and Henry's Fork Creek, tributaries of the Green River.

Under the provisions of Sec. 100-2-8, the State Engineer is authorized to negotiate interstate compacts. I shall expect to have the assistance of local water users as advisers but it will be unnecessary to have any formal committee appointed. I shall be pleased to meet with you on this matter at your convenience. In the meantime, Mr. L. C. Monson, an engineer of this office, will make some investigation of the facts. He is planning to be at the Burnt Fork school house on Friday, August 27th, at 11:00 a.m., and would be pleased to meet with Mr. Miller or anyone else whom you may wish to designate. I am writing to local water users, suggesting that they meet Mr. Monson at the time and place indicated.

With kindest personal regards,

Very truly yours,

Ed. H. Watson,
State Engineer.

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c.c. Mr. David P. Miller
Rock Springs, Wyoming.

c.c. Mr. Walter L. Russell
McKinnon, Wyoming.