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Twin & Cedar Creeks Distribution

A Committee from Mt. Pleasant called at the office of the State Engineer in reference to Twin & Cedar Creeks distribution, on April 6, 1929. The Committee consisted of C. W. Sorensen, Secy., Cedar Creek Highline; L. C. Rasmussen, Secy., Twin Creeks Irrigation Company; and Neils Rasmussen, Vice President, Cedar Creek Company.

The Committee explained that for some time past efforts had been made looking towards harmony between the various interests taking water from Twin & Cedar Creeks and that these efforts had been successful except for obtaining an agreement as to the Aiken right.

The basis of the agreement, roughly, was that after primarily decreed rights, amounting to about 35 second feet were taken care of, an additional allowance was to be made for secondary rights bringing the total up to about 43 second feet and thereafter up to a flow of some 90 second feet the additional water was to be prorated among all water users in accordance with acreage. Should there be surplus water over this last figure it would go to the application rights.

The Committee said that local arrangements for distribution had been effected in a wholly satisfactory manner and that there seemed to be no requirement whatever for appointment of an outside man by the State Engineer as had been done occasionally in the past.

The State Engineer expressed himself as having no desire whatever to take over the distribution and preferring to have it taken care of locally.

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