

June 22, 1935

Mrs. Clara E. Frost,
Grouse Creek, Utah.

Baldwin
General
RE: ~~GROUSE CREEK~~

Dear Madam:

Your letter of June 18 with respects to your difficulties in obtaining your share of the water carried in the Grouse Creek Security pipeline, has been referred to me for answer.

In reply, I wish to advise it appears that regulation is necessary on this pipeline in which case the legislature has provided, as set forth in Sec. 100-5-9 Revised Statutes of Utah 1933, that when two or more persons, joint owners in an irrigation ditch or a reservoir, are unable to agree as to the division and distribution of water received through their ditch, 25% of such owners may apply in writing to the State Engineer, setting forth such facts and asking him to take charge of such ditch or reservoir for the purpose of making a just division or distribution of the water from same, to the parties entitled to the use thereof. The State Engineer shall thereupon take exclusive charge of such ditch for the purpose of dividing the water therefrom, in accordance with rights established by existing decrees or otherwise, and shall continue the work until the necessity therefor, shall cease to exist and in all cases where the State Engineer is called upon to divide the water of a ditch among appropriators, when the time of such service exceeds 3 consecutive days, he shall be paid for his services by the interested water users, in proportion to the established rights of each.

If you will send me the names and addresses of the parties whom you fear are interfering with the water, I will write them a letter, asking for an explanation as to why they are taking more water, than their rights call for, from the

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Mrs. Clara E. Frost
George Creek, Utah

Dear Madam:

Your letter of June 18 is in receipt to your
office. It is containing your list of names and
addresses of the Grouse Creek Security Pipeline
and is being forwarded to the Bureau for their
reference and for answer.

I am sorry I am unable to give you a
more definite answer at this time. The
Bureau is still in the process of
reviewing the information furnished and
will advise you as soon as possible.
I am sure you will understand the
necessity of this delay.

L.H.H.

also.

Note: Will you kindly give me the names and addresses of
the officials of the Grouse Creek Security Pipeline

L. H. Humphreys,
STATE ENGINEER.

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Yours very truly,

This I think, will be helpful and if not, a re-
presentative from this office will make an examination of
conditions and by so doing, attempt some kind of an adjust-
ment which will settle the matter amply.

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