

June 4, 1927.

Mr. Columbus R. Hall,
Hanksville, Utah.

Dear Sir;

RE: BOWL CREEK DIST.

I have your letter of June 1 and note carefully what you say.

It is my understanding that Mr. Ostberg was satisfactory and after communicating with him I now get a letter from you suggesting someone else.

This matter of commissioner in such of an out of the way place is quite difficult to handle because the mere appointment of a commissioner may not give the results you want. There is also the money question as this office has absolutely no money whatever to pay for the different things which you are suggesting and moreover you give no information as to how much it will cost so that under the provisions of the statute I can make an assessment on the water users.

I expected to appoint Mr. Ostberg but if you will let me know by return mail about this other man and how much he will charge for rendering the services which you think necessary I will give the matter careful consideration. In the meantime I will write to Mr. Pace ordering him to install the measuring device required by law and the Court order.

Yours very truly,

State Engineer.

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