

[CHAPTER 467.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

To permit a compact or agreement between the States of Idaho and Wyoming respecting the disposition and apportionment of the waters of the Snake River and its tributaries, and for other purposes.

July 8, 1932.
[S. J. Res. 148.]
[Pub. Res., No. 36.]

Whereas the Snake River and its tributaries are interstate streams flowing through the States of Idaho and Wyoming; and

Snake River, etc.

Whereas the above-named States are vitally interested in the possible development of the Snake River and its tributaries for irrigation, power, domestic, and navigation uses; and

Preamble.

Whereas the plans for future reclamation development must take into consideration the needs of the States and the water-right problems of interstate streams, and an agreement must be reached by the States concerned regarding the economic apportionment of waters of said interstate streams; and

Whereas it is desirable that a compact for the economic apportionment of the waters of the Snake River and its tributaries for irrigation, power, domestic, and navigation purposes be entered into by and between the said States of Idaho and Wyoming, and that the interests of the United States be considered in the drawing of said compact, by authorized representatives of each of said States and of the United States: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That consent of Congress is hereby given to the States of Idaho and Wyoming to negotiate and enter into a compact or agreement not later than January 1, 1934, providing for an equitable division and apportionment between said States of the water supply of the Snake River and of the streams tributary thereto, upon conditions that a suitable person shall be appointed by the President of the United States, from the Department of the Interior, who shall participate in said negotiations as the representative of the United States and shall make report to Congress of the proceedings and of any compact or agreement entered into: *Provided,* That any such compact or agreement shall not be binding or obligatory upon any of the parties thereto unless and until the same shall have been approved by the legislature of each of said States and by the Congress of the United States: *And provided further,* That the rights of other nonparticipating interested States shall not be jeopardized by such compact.

Consent of Congress to compact of Idaho and Wyoming as to equitable division of water supply of.

Federal representative to participate.

Provides. Legislative and Congressional approval required.

Rights protected.

Amendment.

SEC. 2. The right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Approved, July 8, 1932.

[CHAPTER 470.]

AN ACT

To authorize the presentation of a distinguished flying cross to Russell N. Boardman and John L. Polando, and Wiley Post and Harold Gatty, and for other purposes.

July 11, 1932.
[H. R. 7939.]
[Public, No. 276.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President is authorized to present, in the name of the Congress, a distinguished flying cross to Russell N. Boardman, of Brookline, Massachusetts, and John L. Polando, of Lynn, Massachusetts, who achieved a five thousand and eleven and eight-tenths mile nonstop trans-Atlantic flight from the United States to Istanbul Turkey, and, also a distinguished flying cross to Wiley Post, pilot, and Harold Gatty, navigator, in recognition of their achievement in making an airplane

Russell N. Boardman, John L. Polando, Wiley Post, and Harold Gatty.

Distinguished flying crosses awarded to.