

MINUTES OF THE MEETING
STATE OF IDAHO
OUTFITTERS AND GUIDES LICENSE BOARD
November 4, 1962
Kooskia, Idaho

PRESENT: Taylor, McCurdy

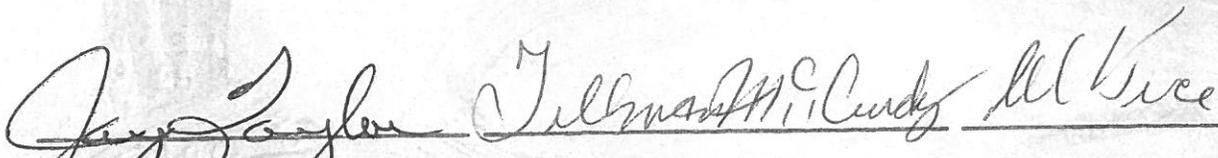
Taylor and McCurdy, who had this meeting at the termination of a three-day field visitation trip, were the two members present. Al Tice's business did not enable him to be away during this period. There were several outfitters visited and their operations "looked over". We concentrated on their base or headquarters camp. Without exception, members of this Board were cordially received by all outfitters contacted, which covered practically every operator on the Lochsa, Selway and main Clearwater drainages.

Prior to parting for Taylor's return to Mountain Home and McCurdy's to his headquarters camp on the Selway, various problems and items were discussed which had been previously discussed by Tice and Taylor during the fall. Among these was the questions that have come quite frequently in regards to Jess Taylor operating as an outfitter on a guide license; Ralph Smothers having left George Austin and allegedly is operating on his own; John Gillihan with nonlicensed guides, as well as infringement on other operators territories.

It was agreed by both that this, the initial field visitation trip of members of this Board, was a very prudent and worthwhile activity of the Board. It was felt that further trips were mandatory if the Board was going to have the cooperation and understanding of all license applicants.

The need for a trip into the Challis - Salmon areas was agreed between these two, subject to approval by Tice. If possible, Tice and/or Taylor were to make this trip in the very near future. This was to be discussed with Tice by Taylor.

The meeting was adjourned.


Jay Taylor, Chairman Tillman McCurdy, Member Al Tice, Member