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Dear Mr. Toll:

Correspondence of Harry Slattery and Mr. Robert S. Cox, Dubois, Myoming, indicates that the proposed Gwl Creek on Wind River Elk Range is still very much of a live issue.

Though this erem is not affected by the jurisdiction of the National Park Service, Chief Barling of the Biological Survey discussed it with me last spring and likely will do so again when I return to Washington in September. If any member of your staff is already facultiar with this area or is likely to have some incidental opportunity to look it over, I would very much appreciate learning what view is held as to the desirability as an elk preserve. Mr. Cox seems to feel that its merits are greater than those of Jackson Hole. What do you think about this?

Sincerely yours,

George M. Wright Chief Wildlife Division

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Mr. George M. Wright,
Chief, Wildlife Division,
National Park Service,
328 Hilgard Hall,
Berkeley, California.

Dear Mr. Wright:

I have received your letter of August 3, with reference to the interest that has been expressed in the proposed Owl Creek or Wind River Elk Range in Wyoming.

None of our men have any definite information regarding this elk range. In case you wish information regarding it I would suggest that we first take the matter up with the Wyoming State Game and Fish Commission stating the information desired and the purposes for which it is desired. If an inspection on the ground is needed we should be glad to send someone from here but would not send anyone without requesting the State Game and Fish Commission to join in the inspection.

In case you do wish an inspection I would be glad to have you indicate the specific area under consideration. Owl Greek is a considerable distance from the Wind River Range. The State of Wyoming already has elk reserves in both localities.

Sincerely yours,

Roger W. Toll Superintendent

CC Director
Wildlife Division, Washington

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NATIONAL PARK SERVICE
WASHINGTON

September 3, 1935.

Mr. Roger W. Toll,
Superintendent,
Yellowstone National Park,
Yellowstone Park, Wyoming.

Dear Roger:

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I have your letter of August 7 relative to the proposed Owl Creek and Wind River Elk Range in Wyoming and am holding it for the opportunity to discuss with Mr. Darling.

Sincerely yours,

George M. Wright, Chief, Wildlife Division.

cc Wildlife Division, Washington Wildlife Division, Berkeley

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