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October 15, 1945

RECONNAISSANCE REPORT

Kit Carson Landing Strip (proposed)

Location:	Sec. 4, T. 27 N., R. 14 15 E., Idaho, on Deep Creek alongside the Deep Creek Salmon Mt. Road #468. Bitterroot Forest, Idaho (see aerial photo N. 1317 - 35
Description of site:	A Creek bottom
Location	A wide place in a creek canyon. Deep Creek would have to be rechanneled to go along the north side of the field between the field and road. A drainage ditch would also have to be build on The south side.
Landing strip:	Length:3000 to 3300 feet Width: 400 feet Direction: E-W Elevation: About 4500 feet Approaches: Fairly good in both directions.
Estimate of Cost:	Clearing strip and approach: 75 acres@$200 15,000 Excavation 110,000 cubic yards @ .40 44,000 Mics. & Contingent 7,000 $66,000

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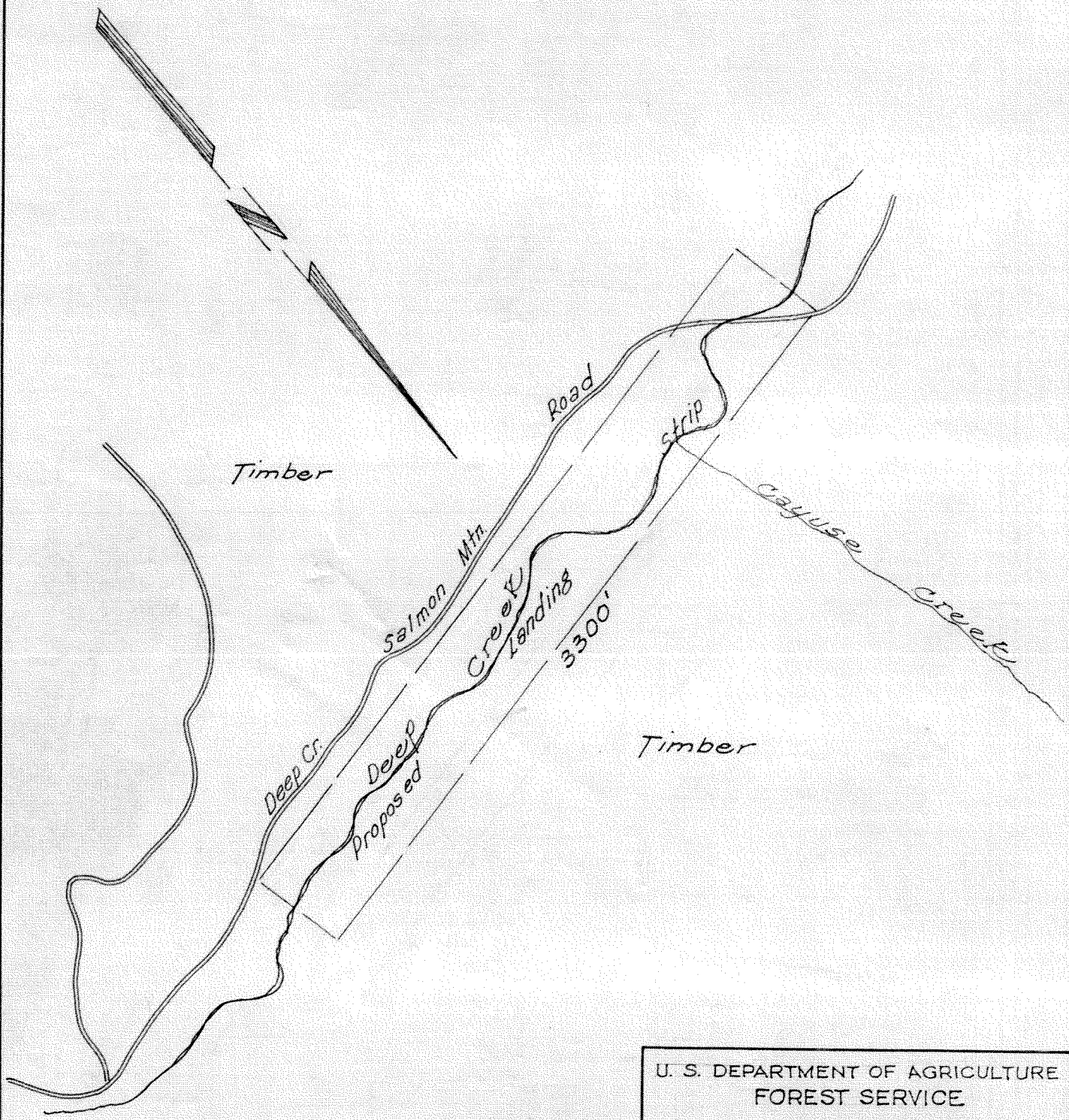

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Long. 114° 36' 30"

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KIT CARSON LANDING STRIP
SEC. 4 T 27 N - R 16 E
BITTERROOT NAT'L. FOREST - IDAHO

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SCALE 1 inch = 600 Ft. CHECKED ____
APPROVED ____ DATE ____

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