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# SURFACE WATER SUPPLY OF THE NORTH ATLANTIC COAST, 1911.

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## AUTHORIZATION OF WORK.

This volume is Part I of a series of twelve reports presenting results of measurements of flow made on certain streams in the United States during the calendar year 1911. The reports are listed in the following table:

*Papers on surface water supply of the United States, 1911.*

Part. <sup>a</sup>	No.	Title.
I	301	North Atlantic coast.
II	302	South Atlantic coast and eastern Gulf of Mexico.
III	303	Ohio River basin.
IV	304	St. Lawrence River basin.
V	305	Upper Mississippi River and Hudson Bay basins.
VI	306	Missouri River basin.
VII	307	Lower Mississippi River basin.
VIII	308	Western Gulf of Mexico.
IX	309	Colorado River basin.
X	310	Great Basin.
XI	311	Pacific coast in California.
XII	312	North Pacific coast.

<sup>a</sup> For the purpose of uniformity in the presentation of reports, a general plan has been agreed upon by the United States Reclamation Service, the United States Forest Service, the United States Weather Bureau, and the United States Geological Survey, according to which the area of the United States has been divided into 12 parts, whose boundaries coincide with natural drainage lines indicated by the parts of the report.

The data presented in these reports were collected by the United States Geological Survey under authority implied in the organic law (20 Stat. L., p. 394) which contains the following paragraph:

*Provided*, That this officer [the Director] shall have the direction of the geological survey and the classification of public lands and examination of the geological structure, mineral resources, and products of the national domain.

The work was begun in 1888 in connection with special studies of water supply for irrigation.

Since the fiscal year ending June 30, 1895, successive sundry civil bills passed by Congress have carried the following item and appropriations:

For gaging the streams and determining the water supply of the United States, and for the investigation of underground currents and artesian wells, and for the preparation of reports upon the best methods of utilizing the water resources.

Annual appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30—

1895.....	\$12, 500
1896.....	20, 000
1897 to 1900, inclusive.....	50, 000
1901 to 1902, inclusive.....	100, 000
1903 to 1906, inclusive.....	200, 000
1907.....	150, 000
1908 to 1910, inclusive.....	100, 000
1911 to 1913, inclusive.....	150, 000

In the execution of the work various private and State organizations have cooperated. Acknowledgments for such cooperation is made on page 15, and also in connection with the description of each station affected by the cooperative work.

#### PUBLICATIONS.

Measurements of stream flow have been made at more than 2,000 points in the United States and also at many points in small areas in Seward Peninsula and the Yukon-Tanana region, Alaska, and in the Hawaiian Islands. During 1911 gaging stations were maintained by the Survey and the cooperating organizations at about 1,500 points in the United States and many discharge measurements were made at other points. In connection with this work data were also collected in regard to precipitation, evaporation, storage reservoirs, river profiles, and water power in many sections of the country, and will be made available in the regular surface water-supply papers from time to time. A complete list of the gaging stations maintained by the Survey to and including 1910 and a list of the papers relating to the water supply of the country has been published by the Survey as Water-Supply Paper 280. An index to the reports containing stream-flow measurements prior to 1904 has been published as Water-Supply Paper 119.

For each calendar year there has been prepared a report embodying the stream-flow data collected during that year, which has been published either as a part of the Annual Report of the Director, as a bulletin, or as a water-supply paper, as shown by the following table:

*Stream-flow data in reports of the United States Geological Survey.*

[A=Annual Report; B=Bulletin; WS=Water-Supply Paper.]

Report.	Character of data.	Year.
10th A, pt. 2.....	Descriptive information only.....	1884 to Sept., 1890.
11th A, pt. 2.....	Monthly discharge.....	1884 to June 30, 1891.
12th A, pt. 2.....	do.....	1884 to Dec. 31, 1892.
13th A, pt. 3.....	Mean discharge in second-feet.....	1888 to Dec. 31, 1893.
14th A, pt. 2.....	Monthly discharge (long-time records, 1871 to 1893).....	1893 and 1894.
B 131.....	Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings.....	1895.
16th A, pt. 2.....	Descriptive information only.....	
B 140.....	Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, ratings, and monthly discharge (also many data covering earlier years).....	1896.
WS 11.....	Gage heights (also gage heights for earlier years).....	1895 and 1896.
18th A, pt. 4.....	Descriptions, measurements, ratings, and monthly discharge (also similar data for some earlier years).....	1897.
WS 15.....	Descriptions, measurements, and gage heights, eastern United States, eastern Mississippi River, and Missouri River above junction with Kansas.....	1897.
WS 16.....	Descriptions, measurements, and gage heights, western Mississippi River below junction of Missouri and Platte, and western United States.....	1897.
19th A, pt. 4.....	Descriptions, measurements, ratings, and monthly discharge (also some long-time records).....	1898.
WS 27.....	Measurements, ratings, and gage heights, eastern United States, eastern Mississippi River, and Missouri River.....	1898.
WS 28.....	Measurements, ratings, and gage heights, Arkansas River and western United States.....	1898.
20th A, pt. 4.....	Monthly discharge (also for many earlier years).....	1898.
WS 35 to 39.....	Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings.....	1899.
21st A, pt. 4.....	Monthly discharge.....	1899.
WS 47 to 52.....	Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings.....	1900.
22d A, pt. 4.....	Monthly discharge.....	1900.
WS 65, 66.....	Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings.....	1901.
WS 75.....	Monthly discharge.....	1901.
WS 82 to 85.....	Complete data.....	1902.
WS 97 to 100.....	do.....	1903.
WS 124 to 135.....	do.....	1904.
WS 165 to 178.....	do.....	1905.
WS 201 to 214.....	Complete data, except descriptions.....	1906.
WS 241 to 252.....	Complete data.....	1907-8.
WS 261 to 272.....	do.....	1909.
WS 281 to 292.....	do.....	1910.
WS 301 to 312.....	do.....	1911.

NOTE.—No data regarding stream flow are given in the 15th and 17th annual reports.

The table which follows gives, by years and drainage basins, the numbers of the papers on surface-water supply published from 1899 to 1911. The data for any particular station will be found in the reports covering the years during which the station was maintained. For example, data for Machias River at Whitneyville, Me., 1903 to 1911, are published in Water-Supply Papers 97, 124, 165, 201, 241, 261, 281, and 301, which contain records for the New England streams from 1903 to 1911.

*Numbers of water-supply papers containing results of stream measurements, 1899-1911.*

	1899 <sup>a</sup>	1900 <sup>b</sup>	1901	1902	1903	1904
North Atlantic coast (St. John River to York River).....	35	47, <sup>c</sup> 48	65, 75	82	97	<sup>d</sup> 124, <sup>e</sup> 125, <sup>f</sup> 126
South Atlantic coast and eastern Gulf of Mexico (James River to the Mississippi).....	<sup>g</sup> 35, 36	48	65, 75	<sup>g</sup> 82, 83	<sup>g</sup> 97, 98	<sup>f</sup> 126, 127
Ohio River basin.....	36	48, <sup>h</sup> 49	65, 75	83	98	128
St. Lawrence River and Great Lakes.....	36	49	65, 75	<sup>i</sup> 82, 83	97	129
Hudson Bay and upper Mississippi River.....	36	49	<sup>j</sup> 65, 66, 75	<sup>j</sup> 83, 85	<sup>j</sup> 98, 99, 100	<sup>j</sup> 128, 130
Missouri River.....	<sup>k</sup> 36, 37	49, <sup>l</sup> 50	66, 75	84	99	130, <sup>m</sup> 131
Lower Mississippi River.....	37	50	<sup>j</sup> 65, 66, 75	<sup>j</sup> 83, 84	<sup>j</sup> 98, 99	<sup>j</sup> 128, 131
Western Gulf of Mexico.....	37	50	66, 75	84	99	132
Colorado River.....	<sup>n</sup> 37, 38	50	66, 75	85	100	133
Great Basin.....	38, <sup>p</sup> 39	51	66, 75	85	100	133, <sup>q</sup> 134
Pacific coast in California.....	38, <sup>r</sup> 39	51	66, 75	85	100	134
North Pacific coast.....	38	51	66, 75	85	100	135

	1905	1906	1907-8	1909	1910	1911
North Atlantic coast (St. John River to York River).....	<sup>d</sup> 165, <sup>e</sup> 166, <sup>f</sup> 167	<sup>d</sup> 201, <sup>e</sup> 202, <sup>f</sup> 203	241	261	281	301
South Atlantic coast and eastern Gulf of Mexico (James River to the Mississippi).....	<sup>f</sup> 167, 168	<sup>f</sup> 203, 204	242	262	282	302
Ohio River basin.....	169	205	243	263	283	303
St. Lawrence River and Great Lakes.....	170	206	244	264	284	304
Hudson Bay and upper Mississippi River.....	171	207	245	265	285	305
Missouri River.....	172	208	246	266	286	306
Lower Mississippi River.....	<sup>f</sup> 169, 173	<sup>f</sup> 205, 209	247	267	287	307
Western Gulf of Mexico.....	174	210	248	268	288	308
Colorado River.....	175, <sup>o</sup> 177	211	249	269	289	309
Great Basin.....	176, <sup>q</sup> 177	212, <sup>q</sup> 213	250, <sup>q</sup> 251	270, <sup>q</sup> 271	290	310
Pacific coast in California.....	177	213	251	271	291	311
North Pacific coast.....	<sup>s</sup> 177, 178	214	252	272	292	312

<sup>a</sup> Rating tables and index to Water-Supply Papers 35-39 contained in Water-Supply Paper 39.

<sup>b</sup> Rating tables and index to Water-Supply Papers 47-52 and data on precipitation, wells, and irrigation in California and Utah contained in Water-Supply Paper 52.

<sup>c</sup> Wissahickon and Schuylkill rivers to James River.

<sup>d</sup> New England rivers only.

<sup>e</sup> Hudson River to Delaware River, inclusive.

<sup>f</sup> Susquehanna River to Yadkin River, inclusive.

<sup>g</sup> James River only.

<sup>h</sup> Scioto River.

<sup>i</sup> Lake Ontario and tributaries to St. Lawrence River proper.

<sup>j</sup> Tributaries of Mississippi from east.

<sup>k</sup> Gallatin River.

<sup>l</sup> Loup and Platte rivers near Columbus, Nebr., and all tributaries below junction with Platte.

<sup>m</sup> Platte and Kansas rivers.

<sup>n</sup> Green and Gunnison rivers and Grand River above junction with Gunnison.

<sup>o</sup> Below junction with Gila.

<sup>p</sup> Mohave River only.

<sup>q</sup> Great Basin in California, excepting Truckee and Carson drainage basins.

<sup>r</sup> Kings and Kern rivers and south Pacific coast drainage basins.

<sup>s</sup> Rogue, Umpqua, and Siletz rivers only.

## DEFINITION OF TERMS.

The volume of water flowing in a stream—the “run-off” or “discharge”—is expressed in various terms, each of which has become associated with a certain class of work. These terms may be divided into two groups—(1) those which represent a rate of flow, as second-feet, gallons per minute, miner's inches, and discharge in second-feet per square mile, and (2) those which represent the actual quantity of water, as run-off in depth in inches, and acre-feet. The units used in this series of reports are second-feet, second-feet per square mile,

run-off in depth in inches, and acre-feet. They may be defined as follows:

"Second-foot" is an abbreviation for cubic foot per second and is the unit for the rate of discharge of water flowing in a stream 1 foot wide, 1 foot deep, at a rate of 1 foot a second. It is generally used as a fundamental unit from which others are computed by the use of the factors given in the following table of equivalents.

"Second-feet per square mile" is the average number of cubic feet of water flowing per second from each square mile of area drained, on the assumption that the run-off is distributed uniformly both as regards time and area.

"Run-off in depth in inches" is the depth to which the drainage area would be covered if all the water flowing from it in a given period were conserved and uniformly distributed on the surface. It is used for comparing run-off with rainfall, which is usually expressed in depth in inches.

An "acre-foot" is equivalent to 43,560 cubic feet, and is the quantity required to cover an acre to the depth of 1 foot. The term is commonly used in connection with storage for irrigation work.

### CONVENIENT EQUIVALENTS.

The following is a list of convenient equivalents for use in hydraulic computations:

*Table for converting discharge in second-feet per square mile into run-off in depth in inches over the area.*

Second-feet per square mile.	Run-off in inches.				
	1 day.	28 days.	29 days.	30 days.	31 days.
1.....	0.03719	1.041	1.079	1.116	1.153
2.....	.07438	2.083	2.157	2.231	2.306
3.....	.11157	3.124	3.236	3.347	3.459
4.....	.14876	4.165	4.314	4.463	4.612
5.....	.18595	5.207	5.393	5.578	5.764
6.....	.22314	6.248	6.471	6.694	6.917
7.....	.26033	7.289	7.550	7.810	8.070
8.....	.29752	8.331	8.628	8.926	9.223
9.....	.33471	9.372	9.707	10.041	10.376

NOTE.—For partial month multiply the values for one day by the number of days.

*Table for converting discharge in second-feet into run-off in acre-feet.*

Second-foot.	Run-off in acre-feet.				
	1 day.	28 days.	29 days.	30 days.	31 days.
1.....	1.983	55.54	57.52	59.50	61.49
2.....	3.967	111.1	115.0	119.0	123.0
3.....	5.950	166.6	172.6	178.5	184.5
4.....	7.934	222.1	230.1	238.0	246.0
5.....	9.917	277.7	287.6	297.5	307.4
6.....	11.90	333.2	345.1	357.0	368.9
7.....	13.88	388.8	402.6	416.5	430.4
8.....	15.87	444.3	460.2	476.0	491.9
9.....	17.85	499.8	517.7	535.5	553.4

NOTE.—For partial month multiply values for one day by the number of days.

- 1 second-foot equals 40 California miner's inches (law of March 23, 1901).
- 1 second-foot equals 38.4 Colorado miner's inches.
- 1 second-foot equals 40 Arizona miner's inches.
- 1 second-foot equals 7.48 United States gallons per second; equals 448.8 gallons per minute; equals 646,317 gallons for one day.
- 1 second-foot for one year covers 1 square mile 1.131 feet or 13.572 inches deep.
- 1 second-foot for one year equals 31,536,000 cubic feet.
- 1 second-foot equals about 1 acre-inch per hour.
- 1 second-foot for one day equals 86,400 cubic feet.
- 1,000,000,000 (1 United States billion) cubic feet equals 11,570 second-feet for 1 day.
- 1,000,000,000 cubic feet equals 414 second-feet for one 28-day month.
- 1,000,000,000 cubic feet equals 399 second-feet for one 29-day month.
- 1,000,000,000 cubic feet equals 386 second-feet for one 30-day month.
- 1,000,000,000 cubic feet equals 373 second-feet for one 31-day month.
- 100 California miner's inches equals 18.7 United States gallons per second.
- 100 California miner's inches for one day equals 4.96 acre-feet.
- 100 Colorado miner's inches equals 2.60 second-feet.
- 100 Colorado miner's inches equals 19.5 United States gallons per second.
- 100 Colorado miner's inches for one day equals 5.17 acre-feet.
- 100 United States gallons per minute equals 0.223 second-foot.
- 100 United States gallons per minute for one day equals 0.442 acre-foot.
- 1,000,000 United States gallons per day equals 1.55 second-feet.
- 1,000,000 United States gallons equals 3.07 acre-feet.
- 1,000,000 cubic feet equals 22.95 acre-feet.
- 1 acre-foot equals 325,850 gallons.
- 1 inch deep on 1 square mile equals 2,323,200 cubic feet.
- 1 inch deep on 1 square mile equals 0.0737 second-foot per year.
- 1 foot equals 0.3048 meter.
- 1 mile equals 1.60935 kilometers.
- 1 mile equals 5,280 feet.
- 1 acre equals 0.4047 hectare.
- 1 acre equals 43,560 square feet.
- 1 acre equals 209 feet square, nearly.
- 1 square mile equals 2.59 square kilometers.
- 1 cubic foot equals 0.0283 cubic meter.
- 1 cubic foot of water weighs 62.5 pounds.
- 1 cubic meter per minute equals 0.5886 second-foot.
- 1 horsepower equals 550 foot-pounds per second.
- 1 horsepower equals 76.0 kilogram-meters per second.
- 1 horsepower equals 746 watts.
- 1 horsepower equals 1 second-foot falling 8.80 feet.
- $1\frac{1}{3}$  horsepower equals about 1 kilowatt.

To calculate water power quickly: 
$$\frac{\text{Sec.-ft.} \times \text{fall in feet}}{11} = \text{net horsepower on water}$$
 wheel realizing 80 per cent of theoretical power.

### EXPLANATION OF DATA.

For each regular current-meter gaging station the following data, so far as available, are given: Description of the station, list of discharge measurements, table of daily gage heights, table of daily discharge, table of monthly and yearly discharges and run-off. For stations located at weirs or dams the gage-height table is omitted.

In addition to statements regarding the location and installation of current-meter stations, the descriptions give information in regard to any conditions which may affect the constancy of the relation of gage height to discharge, covering such points as ice, logging, shifting channels, and backwater; also information regarding diversions which decrease the total flow at the measuring section. Statements are also made regarding the accuracy and reliability of the data.

The table of daily gage heights records the daily fluctuations of the surface of the river as found from the mean of the gage readings taken each day, usually in the morning and in the evening. The gage height given in the table represents the elevation of the surface of the water above the zero of the gage. All gage heights affected by the presence of ice in the streams or by backwater from obstructions are published as recorded, with suitable footnotes. The rating table is not applicable for such periods unless the proper corrections to the gage heights are known and applied. Attention is called to the fact that the zero of the gage is placed at an arbitrary datum and has no relation to zero flow or the bottom of the river. In general the zero is located somewhat below the lowest known flow, so that negative readings shall not occur.

The discharge measurements and gage heights are the base data from which rating tables, daily discharge tables, and monthly discharge tables are computed.

The rating table gives, either directly or by interpolation, the discharge in second-feet corresponding to every stage of the river recorded during the period for which it is applicable. It is not published in this report, but can be determined from the tables of daily gage heights and daily discharge as follows:

First plot the discharge measurements for the current and earlier years on cross-section paper, with gage heights in feet as ordinates and discharge in second-feet as abscissas. Then tabulate a number of gage heights taken from the daily gage-height table for the complete range of stage given and the corresponding discharges for the days selected from the daily discharge table and plot the values on cross-section paper. The last points plotted will define the rating curve used and will lie among the plotted discharge measurements. After drawing the rating curve, a table can be developed by scaling off the discharge in second-feet for each tenth foot of gage height. These values should be so adjusted that the first differences shall always be increasing or constant, except for known backwater periods.

The table of daily discharge gives the discharge in second-feet corresponding to the observed gage heights as determined from the rating tables.

In the table of monthly discharge the column headed "Maximum" gives the mean flow, as determined from the rating table, for the day



when the mean gage height was highest. As the gage height is the mean for the day, it does not indicate correctly the stage when the water surface was at crest height, and the corresponding discharge was consequently larger than given in the maximum column. Likewise, in the column of "Minimum" the quantity given is the mean flow for the day when the mean gage height was lowest. The column headed "Mean" is the average flow in cubic feet for each second during the month. On this the computations for the remaining columns, which are defined on page 11, are based.

The field methods used in the collection of the data presented in this series of reports are described in the introductory sections of Water-Supply Papers 261 to 272, inclusive, "Surface water supply of the United States, 1909." Plates I and II show the average precipitation and run-off in the United States as determined from the measurements of stream flow made by the Geological Survey and records of rainfall collected by the Weather Bureau; Plate III shows typical gaging stations; Plate IV shows current meters<sup>1</sup> used in the work.

#### ACCURACY AND RELIABILITY OF FIELD DATA AND COMPARATIVE RESULTS.

The accuracy of stream-flow data depends primarily on the natural conditions at the gaging station and on the methods and care with which the data are collected. Errors of the first group depend on the degree of permanency of channel and of permanency of the relation between discharge and stage.

Errors of the second class are due, first, to errors in observation of stage; second, to errors in measurements of flow; and, third, to errors due to misinterpretation of stage and flow data.

In order to give engineers and others information regarding the probable accuracy of the computed results, footnotes are added to the daily discharge tables, stating the probable accuracy of the rating tables used, and an accuracy column is inserted in the monthly discharge table. For the rating tables "well defined" indicates, in general, that the rating is probably accurate within 5 per cent; "fairly well defined," within 10 per cent; "poorly defined" or "approximate" within 15 to 25 per cent. These notes are very general and are based on the plotting of the individual measurements with reference to the mean rating curve.

The accuracy column in the monthly discharge table does not apply to the maximum or minimum nor to any individual day, but to the monthly mean. It is based on the accuracy of the rating, the probable reliability of the observer, and knowledge of local condi-

<sup>1</sup> See Hoyt, J. C., and others, Use and care of the current meter as practiced by the United States Geological Survey: Trans. Am. Soc. Civil Eng., vol. 68, 1910, p. 70.





## MAP OF UNITED STATES, SHOWING MEAN ANNUAL PRECIPITATION

Blue lines and figures indicate average annual precipitation in depth in inches





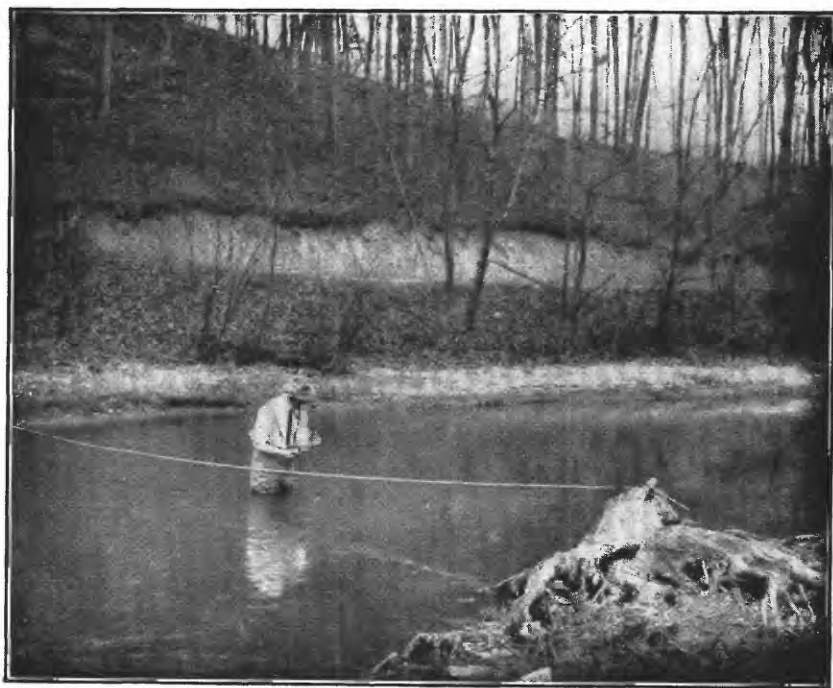
MAP OF UNITED STATES, SHOWING MEAN ANNUAL RUN-OFF

Blue lines and figures indicate average annual run-off in depth in inches



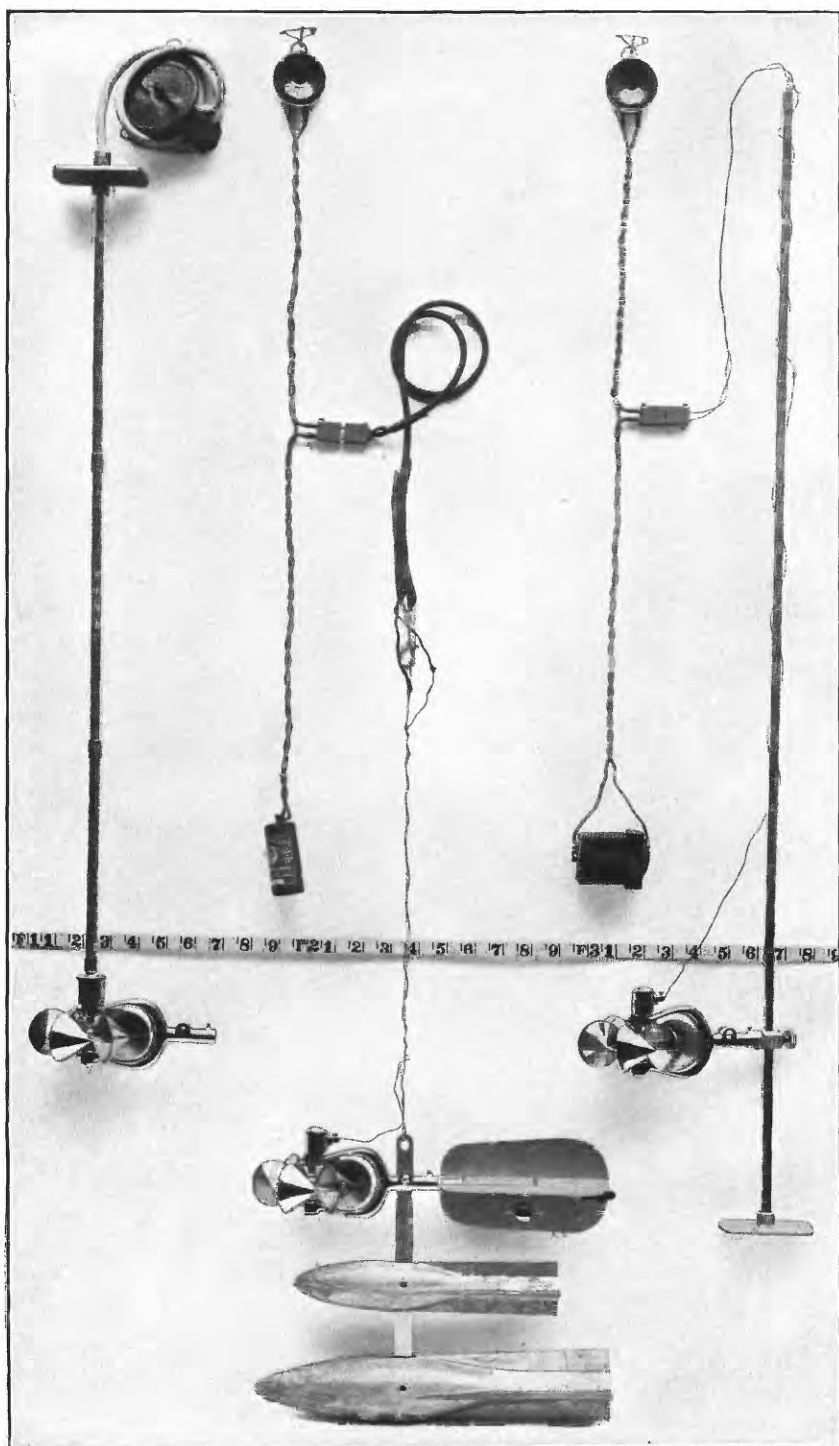


A. FOR BRIDGE MEASUREMENT.



B. FOR WADING MEASUREMENT.

TYPICAL GAGING STATIONS.



SMALL PRICE CURRENT METERS.

tions. In this column A indicates that the mean monthly flow is probably accurate within 5 per cent; B, within 10 per cent; C, within 15 per cent; D, within 25 per cent. Special conditions are covered by footnotes.

Even though the monthly means for any station may represent with a high degree of accuracy the quantity of water flowing past the gage, the figures showing discharge per square mile and depth of run-off in inches may be subject to gross errors which result from including in the measured drainage area large noncontributing districts or omitting estimates of water diverted for irrigation or other use, and they should therefore be considered as only approximate, particularly for periods of irrigation or of low water. For these errors it is as a rule not feasible to make adequate correction.

In general the base data collected each year by the Survey engineers are published not only to comply with the law but to afford any engineer the means of examining and adjusting to his own needs the results of the computations. The table of monthly discharge is so arranged as to give only a general idea of the flow at the station and should not be used for other than preliminary estimates. The determinations of daily discharge allow more detailed studies of the variation in flow by which the period of deficiency may be determined.

It should be borne in mind that the observations in each succeeding year may be expected to throw new light on data already collected and published, and the engineer who makes use of the figures presented in these papers should verify all ratings and make such adjustments for earlier years as may seem necessary.

## COOPERATION AND ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

### NEW ENGLAND.

#### MAINE.

Assistance has been rendered or records furnished in Maine by the following, to whom special acknowledgment is due:

Maine State Water Storage Commission, Frederick W. Plaisted, governor, chairman; M. H. Ranney, chief engineer for International Commission, River St. John; C. M. Tolman, engineer for Bar Harbor & Union River Power Co.; H. B. Moor; H. F. Lord, H. S. Ferguson, and Frank C. Bowler, engineers for Great Northern Paper Co.; Fred Cort; F. E. Boston, manager, and George H. Marr, engineer, for Hollingsworth & Whitney Co.; C. A. Mixer, engineer for Rumford Falls Power Co.; Walter H. Sawyer, agent for Union Water Power Co.; Joseph A. Warren, of S. D. Warren & Co.; J. A. Fleet, general manager for Portland Electric Co.

## NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Assistance has been rendered or records furnished in New Hampshire by the following, to whom special acknowledgment is due:

J. Brodie Smith, manager of Manchester Traction, Light & Power Co.; R. A. Hale, principal assistant engineer of Essex Co.; Arthur T. Safford, principal assistant engineer of Locks & Canals Co.; Walter H. Sawyer, agent for Union Water Power Co.; Hollis French; W. H. McElwain Co.; Frederick S. Leonard, of Fisk Paper Co.

## VERMONT.

The act providing for the cooperative investigation of the water resources of Vermont is as follows:

It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

SECTION 1. The Director of the United States Geological Survey being authorized to cooperate with the properly constituted authorities in the several States in making investigation of and reports upon the water resources of the States, the Governor is hereby empowered to enter into contract with the Director of the United States Geological Survey for the purpose of making such investigation and report for this State, provided that the Director shall agree to expend for this purpose sums equal to those hereinafter appropriated and from funds placed at his disposal by the Government of the United States if the appropriations for the general use of the water-resources branch of the department will permit.

SECTION 2. For the purposes set forth in the preceding section the sum of one thousand dollars for the year 1911, and a like sum for the year 1912, is hereby appropriated to be expended by the State, in accordance with the laws relating to and the regulations of the United States Geological Survey in such cases provided, payment to be made on vouchers audited and approved by the Director of said Survey, when presented to the auditor of accounts.

Assistance has been rendered or records furnished in Vermont by the following, to whom special acknowledgment is due: Hon. John A. Mead, governor; Charles Of, general superintendent, and H. M. Summer, engineer, Vermont Copper Co.

## MASSACHUSETTS.

Cooperation with the State of Massachusetts began July 1, 1909.

The State legislature of 1909 enacted the following:

[Chapter 359.]

An act to provide for an investigation of the water power of the Commonwealth and for determining the best methods of utilizing the same.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The sum of five thousand dollars may be expended for the determination of the amount of water power available on the streams of the Commonwealth and for investigating the best methods of utilizing the same, thereby providing for the people of the Commonwealth information that may serve to further industrial development.

SECTION 2. The Governor is hereby empowered to enter into a contract with the Director of the United States Geological Survey for the purpose of making the investigation aforesaid: *Provided*, That said Director shall agree to expend a like sum of

money within the Commonwealth for the same purposes: *And provided further*, That if said Director should find that by reason of the failure of the Congress of the United States to provide a general appropriation sufficient to enable him to make an allotment of five thousand dollars for such work in this Commonwealth, the Governor may execute a contract for any part of the amount hereby appropriated, which shall be equal to that allotted by the Director.

SECTION 3. The amount above specified shall be expended by the Commonwealth in accordance with the laws relating to the United States Geological Survey, payment to be made on vouchers audited and approved by said Director when presented to the auditor of the Commonwealth.

The funds provided for stream-gaging work by the Federal Government were insufficient to make it possible to utilize the total amount set forth in the above act, and in May, 1911, the following act was approved:

[Chapter 622.]

An act to provide for the completion of an investigation of the water power of the Commonwealth and for determining the best methods of utilizing the same.

Be it enacted by the senate and house of representatives in general court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

SECTION 1. The balance of the unexpended appropriation made in the year nineteen hundred and nine for the purposes specified in chapter three hundred and fifty-nine of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and nine may be expended for completing the determination of the amount of water power available on the streams of the Commonwealth and for investigating the best methods of utilizing the same.

SECTION 2. The provisions of said chapter three hundred and fifty-nine shall apply to the completion of said determination and investigation.

The work was again involved by lack of Federal funds to meet the State appropriation. Enough funds were provided, however, to maintain the gage readings at nearly all the stations which had been established and to make a few discharge measurements.

Assistance has been rendered or records furnished in Massachusetts by the following, to whom special acknowledgment is due: Hon. Eugene N. Foss, governor; R. A. Hale, principal assistant engineer of Essex Co.; Arthur T. Safford, principal assistant engineer of Locks & Canals Co.; Dexter Brackett, chief engineer of Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board; C. W. Hazelton, treasurer of Turners Falls Co.; H. I. Harriman, general manager of Connecticut River Power Co.; A. F. Sickman, hydraulic engineer Holyoke Water Power Co.; Greenfield Electric Light & Power Co.; Otis Co.; George H. Gilbert Manufacturing Co.; E. E. Lochridge, engineer Springfield Water Board; Athol Gas & Electric Co.; F. B. Saunders, engineer; Barrows & Breed, consulting engineers, Boston.

#### RHODE ISLAND.

Assistance has been rendered or records furnished in Rhode Island by the following, to whom special acknowledgment is due: Natural Resources Survey of Rhode Island, Prof. Charles W. Brown, superintendent; F. J. Pitts, of James Pitts & Sons.



**NEW YORK.**

The cooperative work in New York State during 1911 was continued as shown in the following funds statement:

Unexpended balance in the different allotments January 1, 1911:

United States Geological Survey fund.....	\$1,585.24
State Water Supply Commission fund.....	5,344.16
State Engineer fund.....	590.01
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	\$7,519.41

Appropriations during the year:

United States Geological Survey.....	\$2,500.00
State Water Supply Commission.....	10,000.00
State Engineer's Office.....	1,500.00
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	14,000.00

Grand total..... 21,519.41

Balance in the different allotments December 31, 1911:

United States Geological Survey fund.....	\$1,275.88
State Water Supply Commission fund.....	8,027.89
State Engineer fund.....	1,046.44
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	10,350.21

11,169.20

Contributed by outside parties for observers' pay..... 231.48

Money expended during the year 1911..... 11,400.68

Two hundred dollars of the Federal fund was reverted to the computing section of the Washington office. The total funds disbursed through the district office were \$11,200.68. With these funds 37 stream-gaging and 25 rainfall stations were maintained. One hundred and seventy-nine discharge measurements were made during the year.

Assistance has been rendered or records furnished in New York by the following, to whom special acknowledgment is due: Hon. John A. Bensel, State engineer and surveyor; Alexander E. Kastl, special deputy State engineer, representing New York State cooperation; State Water Supply Commission of New York, Hon. Henry H. Persons, president; State of New York Conservation Commission, Hon. George E. Van Kennan, chairman; New York Additional Water Supply Commission, J. Waldo Smith, chief engineer; United States Weather Bureau; R. P. Bloss, engineer, West Virginia Pulp & Paper Co.; Union Bag & Paper Co.; and International Paper Co.

**NEW JERSEY, PENNSYLVANIA, MARYLAND, AND VIRGINIA.**

Assistance has been rendered or records furnished in New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, and Virginia by the following, to whom special acknowledgment is due: United States Weather Bureau; Water Supply Commission of Pennsylvania, John Birkinbine, chairman, Farley Gannett, engineer; Philadelphia Bureau of Water, John E. Codman, in charge of hydrographic work; William C. Whitner, president, Fredericksburg Power Co.

## DIVISION OF WORK.

In accordance with a cooperative agreement between the Director of the United States Geological Survey and the governor of Maine, ex officio chairman of the State Water Storage Commission, a new district, known as the Maine district, with headquarters at Augusta, was established December 1, 1909. The work was placed in charge of C. C. Babb, district engineer, who has been aided by F. E. Pressey, assistant engineer.

The field data for New England, outside of Maine, and New York were collected under the direction of C. C. Covert, district engineer, assisted by W. G. Hoyt, C. S. De Golyer, G. H. Canfield, and Francis Weber, junior engineers.

The field data for the Middle Atlantic States were collected under the direction of R. H. Bolster, assistant engineer, assisted by G. C. Stevens and J. G. Mathers, junior engineers.

The ratings, computations, ice estimates, and special studies were made by C. C. Babb, assisted by F. E. Pressey; C. C. Covert, assisted by W. G. Hoyt, C. S. De Golyer, G. H. Canfield, and Francis Weber; and R. H. Bolster, assisted by J. G. Mathers, G. C. Stevens, M. I. Walters, H. D. Padgett, H. J. Dean, A. H. Tuttle, C. L. Batchelder, and W. R. King.

The manuscript for Maine was reviewed by C. C. Babb, and that for New England and New York by C. C. Covert. The complete manuscript was edited by Mrs. B. D. Wood.

## ST. JOHN RIVER BASIN.

## ST. JOHN RIVER NEAR DICKEY, MAINE.

**Location.**—Near Dickey post office, Maine, on the farm of L. B. Henderson, 2 miles above the confluence of Allagash and St. John rivers, and three-fourths of a mile below the mouth of Little Black River.

**Records available.**—July 5, 1910, to November 21, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—2,820 square miles.

**Gage.**—Rod, 32½ feet above the measuring section; zero at elevation 584.41 feet above sea level.

**Channel.**—Permanent; banks not subject to overflow.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made at low stages by wading and at high stages from a boat.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—A few log-driving dams above station but probably only slightly affecting the discharge.

**Accuracy.**—Results fairly good.

**Cooperation.**—Station established by the International Commission, River St. John, which furnishes the daily gage heights and discharge measurements to the Survey.

*Discharge measurements of St. John River near Dickey, Maine, in 1911.*

[By International Commission, River St. John.]

Date.	Gage height.	Dis-charge.	Date.	Gage height.	Dis-charge.
	<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
May 6.....	593.62	26,600	July 17.....	585.77	575
12.....	593.58	23,436	26.....	586.02	881
21.....	588.52	4,660	Aug. 2.....	589.70	8,970
29.....	588.07	4,048	3.....	589.21	7,209
June 6.....	588.32	4,199	8.....	587.30	2,721
15 <sup>a</sup> .....	587.31	2,670	Sept. 9.....	587.51	2,875
27.....	586.21	1,030	19.....	586.70	1,693
July 5.....	586.18	991	Nov. 9.....	587.51	3,194

<sup>a</sup> Measurement made 50 feet above regular section.*Daily gage height, in feet above sea level, of St. John River near Dickey, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
1.....		587.59	586.31		586.65	587.25	.....
2.....		588.59	586.31		586.35	587.15	.....
3.....			586.41	589.65	586.25	587.05	586.95
4.....			586.31	588.45	586.25	586.85	586.85
5.....		589.89	586.41	588.05	586.35	586.95	586.75
6.....	593.72	588.39	587.31	587.65	586.45	587.15	586.55
7.....	593.22	587.45	587.21	587.45	586.75	587.35	586.35
8.....	594.22	587.25	586.81	587.35	587.35	587.25	587.51
9.....		586.95	586.41	587.05	587.45	587.05	587.55
10.....		586.75	586.31	586.95	587.25	586.85	587.95
11.....		586.55	586.11	586.65	586.85	586.65	587.55
12.....	593.53	586.55	586.11	586.35	586.75	586.45	587.45
13.....	593.03	586.75	586.01	586.25	587.15	586.35	587.65
14.....	592.33	587.25	585.81	585.95	587.15	586.25	587.95
15.....	591.63	587.95	585.71	586.05	587.25	586.25	588.05
16.....		588.35	585.61	586.05	587.35	586.25	588.15
17.....		588.35	586.11	586.15	587.15	586.15	588.15
18.....		588.25	586.71	587.15	586.85	586.15	587.95
19.....		588.25	586.91	586.85	586.70	586.25	587.85
20.....	588.89	587.85	586.31	586.65	586.55	586.45	587.75
21.....	588.49	586.95	586.01	586.45	586.35	586.45	587.65
22.....	588.39	586.95	586.31	586.45	586.25	586.35	.....
23.....	588.09	586.85	586.31	586.35	586.15	586.45	.....
24.....	587.99	586.65	586.01	586.05	586.05	586.55	.....
25.....	588.29	586.55	585.91	586.05	586.05	586.95	.....
26.....	588.49	586.45	585.91	585.95	586.45	587.05	.....
27.....	588.49	586.25	586.01	585.85	586.95	586.95	.....
28.....	588.29	586.11	586.11	585.95	587.35	586.85	.....
29.....	588.09	586.11	586.31	586.35	587.85	586.65	.....
30.....	587.99	586.21	587.41	586.55	587.45	586.45	.....
31.....	587.49			586.65		586.45	.....

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of St. John River near Dickey, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
1.....		3,170	1,150	5,000	1,610	2,560	1,580
2.....		5,440	1,150	7,000	1,200	2,380	1,820
3.....		6,770	1,280	8,620	1,080	2,220	2,060
4.....		8,100	1,150	5,070	1,080	1,900	1,900
5.....		9,430	1,280	4,110	1,200	2,060	1,760
6.....	25,500	4,920	2,660	3,280	1,340	2,380	1,470
7.....	23,100	2,910	2,490	2,910	1,760	2,730	1,200
8.....	28,000	2,560	1,840	2,730	2,730	2,560	3,020
9.....	30,000	2,060	1,280	2,220	2,910	2,220	3,100
10.....	29,000	1,760	1,150	2,060	2,560	1,900	3,900

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of St. John River near Dickey, Maine, for 1911—Contd.*

Day.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
11.....	26,000	1,470	921	1,610	1,900	1,610	3,100
12.....	24,800	1,470	921	1,200	1,760	1,340	2,910
13.....	22,200	1,760	820	1,080	2,380	1,200	3,280
14.....	19,100	2,560	629	760	2,380	1,080	3,900
15.....	16,000	3,900	548	860	2,560	1,080	4,110
16.....	12,000	4,820	477	860	2,730	1,080	4,340
17.....	5,500	4,820	921	965	2,380	965	4,340
18.....	5,500	4,570	1,700	2,380	1,900	965	3,900
19.....	6,000	4,570	2,000	1,900	1,680	1,080	3,680
20.....	6,280	3,680	1,160	1,610	1,470	1,340	3,480
21.....	5,170	2,060	820	1,340	1,200	1,340	3,280
22.....	4,920	2,060	1,150	1,340	1,080	1,200	.....
23.....	4,200	1,900	1,150	1,200	965	1,340	.....
24.....	3,980	1,610	820	860	860	1,470	.....
25.....	4,670	1,470	720	860	860	2,060	.....
26.....	5,170	1,340	720	760	1,340	2,220	.....
27.....	5,170	1,080	820	665	2,060	2,060	.....
28.....	4,670	921	921	760	2,730	1,900	.....
29.....	4,200	921	1,150	1,200	3,680	1,610	.....
30.....	3,980	1,030	2,840	1,470	2,910	1,340	.....
31.....	2,980	.....	3,000	1,610	.....	1,340	.....

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a rating curve fairly well defined below 9,800 second-feet.

*Monthly discharge of St. John River near Dickey, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 2,820 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
May 6-31.....	30,000	2,980	12,600	4.47	4.32	A.
June.....	9,430	921	3,170	1.12	1.25	B.
July.....	3,000	477	1,280	.454	.52	B.
August.....	8,620	665	2,200	.780	.90	B.
September.....	3,680	860	1,880	.667	.74	B.
October.....	2,730	965	1,690	.599	.69	B.
November 1-21.....	4,340	1,200	2,960	1.05	.82	B.

### ST. JOHN RIVER AT FORT KENT, MAINE.

**Location.**—At the suspension footbridge in the town of Fort Kent, a short distance above the mouth of Fish River and about 15 miles below the mouth of St. Francis River.

**Records available.**—October 13, 1905, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—4,880 square miles.

**Gage.**—Inclined staff, 22 feet long, in two sections, attached to the new concrete pier nearest the New Brunswick shore of the river. The lower part of the gage is placed in a groove in the side of the pier; the upper part is fastened to the downstream end of the same pier. The gage datum has remained unchanged during the maintenance of the station.

**Channel.**—Permanent; both banks high, rocky, cleared, and not subject to overflow except in extreme freshets.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the footbridge.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—A few dams on the upper headwaters are used for log driving; the operation of these dams only slightly affects the flow past the gage.

**Accuracy.**—Relation between gage height and discharge is occasionally affected by backwater caused by logs jamming on the bridge piers and, during the winter, by ice; otherwise the conditions for accurate determination of discharge are fair. A fairly good discharge rating curve has been developed.

*Discharge measurements of St. John River at Fort Kent, Maine, in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
May 3 <sup>a</sup>	McLean and Kirkpatrick	19.90	90,100
10 <sup>b</sup>	do	13.50	44,800
18	A. M. Kirkpatrick	7.25	12,900
26	do	5.81	7,380
June 3	do	7.49	14,400
13	do	4.44	3,550
29	do	3.80	2,180
July 7	do	4.38	3,460
19	do	3.60	1,780
Aug. 11	do	4.10	2,640

<sup>a</sup> Float measurement.

<sup>b</sup> Velocity measured at the surface.

NOTE.—These measurements were made under the direction of International Commission, River St. John.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of St. John River at Fort Kent, Maine, for 1911.*

[A. V. Currie, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....				4.0	10.95	5.8	3.9	7.4	3.6	4.5	3.6	.....
2.....					14.75	6.5	3.9	6.85	3.5	4.2	3.5	7.0
3.....	4.3				17.55	7.45	3.9	6.4	3.4	4.1	3.5	.....
4.....		4.0	4.0		17.65	7.15	4.0	5.7	3.3	4.0	3.4	.....
5.....					15.75	6.65	4.0	5.2	3.2	3.9	3.4	.....
6.....					13.3	6.1	4.1		3.35	4.05	3.45	.....
7.....	4.1				12.9	5.6	4.25	4.5	3.55	4.35	3.65	.....
8.....				4.5	12.85	5.25	4.35	4.4	3.9	4.4	4.1	.....
9.....					13.25	5.05	4.4	4.55	4.15	4.25	4.65	6.0
10.....					13.5	4.85	4.35	4.4	4.35	4.05	4.85	.....
11.....		3.9	4.0		13.0		4.25	4.05	4.25	4.0	4.75	.....
12.....					11.35	4.4	4.05	3.85	4.05	3.9	4.6	.....
13.....					10.75	4.4	3.85	3.7	4.0	3.8	4.6	.....
14.....	4.4				4.75	10.2	4.45	3.6	3.55	4.15	4.7	.....
15.....					5.2	9.15	4.7	3.2	3.45	4.35	4.7	7.1
16.....					5.85	8.65	5.5	3.0	3.35	4.4	4.8	7.2
17.....					5.8	8.0	5.65	3.0	3.4	4.4	4.9	7.1
18.....		4.0	4.0		5.7	7.25	5.8	3.0	3.55	4.15	4.9	7.1
19.....					5.65	7.05	5.75	3.1	3.8	4.05	4.85	7.0
20.....					5.75	7.0	5.55	3.0	4.05	3.85	4.8	7.0
21.....	4.2				5.85		5.25	3.05	3.9	3.65	3.4	6.9
22.....					6.0	6.6	4.95	3.3	3.7	3.45	3.4	6.75
23.....					6.05	6.15	4.65	3.7	3.7	3.35	3.6	6.55
24.....					6.3	6.0	4.45	3.85	3.5	3.3	4.15	4.45
25.....		4.0	4.2		6.35	5.95	4.25	3.9	3.25	3.3	4.15	4.4
26.....					6.95	5.9	4.15	3.8	3.2	3.4	4.0	4.55
27.....					7.7	6.1	4.0	3.7	3.2	4.2	3.95	5.55
28.....	4.1				8.05		3.95	3.5	3.2	5.1	3.9	.....
29.....					8.3	6.5	3.9	3.5	3.25	5.15	3.8	.....
30.....					8.65	6.45	3.9	4.25	3.45	4.85	3.8	7.5
31.....						6.1		6.55	3.5		3.7	.....

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice from Jan. 1 to Apr. 13, Nov. 27 to Dec. 14, and Dec. 27 to 31. All gage readings during these periods were probably taken to the surface of the water.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of St. John River at Fort Kent, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
1		29,600	7,330	2,320	13,300	1,810	3,610	1,810
2		51,300	9,770	2,320	11,100	1,660	2,920	1,660
3		69,300	13,500	2,320	9,400	1,520	2,710	1,660
4		70,000	12,300	2,510	7,010	1,390	2,510	1,520
5		57,500	10,300	2,510	5,470	1,270	2,320	1,520
6		42,500	8,340	2,710	4,540	1,460	2,610	1,590
7		40,200	6,690	3,030	3,610	1,740	3,260	1,890
8		39,900	5,620	3,260	3,370	2,320	3,370	2,710
9		42,200	5,040	3,370	3,740	2,820	3,030	3,980
10		43,700	4,500	3,260	3,370	3,260	2,610	4,500
11		40,800	3,940	3,030	2,610	3,030	2,510	4,240
12		31,700	3,370	2,610	2,230	2,610	2,320	3,860
13		28,600	3,370	2,230	1,970	2,510	2,140	3,860
14	4,240	25,900	3,490	1,810	1,740	2,820	1,890	4,110
15	5,470	20,900	4,110	1,270	1,590	3,260	1,700	4,110
16	7,500	18,600	6,380	1,060	1,460	3,370	1,520	-----
17	7,330	15,800	6,850	1,060	1,520	3,370	1,520	-----
18	7,010	12,700	7,330	1,060	1,740	2,820	1,660	-----
19	6,850	11,900	7,170	1,160	2,140	2,610	1,660	-----
20	7,170	11,700	6,540	1,060	2,610	2,230	1,520	-----
21	7,500	10,900	5,620	1,110	2,320	1,890	1,520	-----
22	8,000	10,100	4,760	1,390	1,970	1,590	1,520	-----
23	8,170	8,520	3,980	1,970	1,970	1,460	1,810	-----
24	9,040	8,000	3,490	2,230	1,660	1,390	2,820	-----
25	9,220	7,830	3,030	2,320	1,330	1,390	2,820	-----
26	11,500	7,660	2,820	2,140	1,270	1,520	2,510	-----
27	14,500	8,340	2,510	1,970	1,270	2,920	2,420	-----
28	16,000	9,060	2,420	1,660	1,270	5,180	2,320	-----
29	17,100	9,770	2,320	1,660	1,330	5,320	2,140	-----
30	18,600	9,580	2,320	3,030	1,590	4,500	2,140	-----
31		8,340		9,960	1,660		1,970	-----

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined rating curve.

*Monthly discharge of St. John River at Fort Kent, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 4,880 square miles.<sup>a</sup>]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January			800	0.164	0.19	D.
February			600	.123	.13	D.
March			650	.133	.15	D.
April	18,600		6,050	1.24	1.38	B.
May	70,000	7,660	25,900	5.31	6.12	A.
June	13,500	2,320	5,640	1.16	1.29	A.
July	9,960	1,060	2,370	.486	.56	A.
August	13,300	1,270	3,300	.676	.78	A.
September	5,320	1,270	2,500	.512	.57	A.
October	3,610	1,520	2,300	.471	.54	A.
November			2,330	.477	.53	C.
December			1,650	.338	.39	D.
The year	70,000		4,540	.930	12.63	

<sup>a</sup> Does not include Chamberlain Lake drainage area of 270 square miles.

NOTE.—Discharge for the winter periods determined by means of climatologic records and comparison with the discharge at other points in northern Maine.

Mean discharge Apr. 1 to 13 estimated 2,130 second-feet.

Mean discharge Nov. 16 to 31 estimated 1,800 second-feet.

## ST. JOHN RIVER AT VAN BUREN, MAINE.

**Location.**—At new International Bridge at Van Buren, Maine, about 14 miles above Grand Falls, N. B.

**Records available.**—May 4, 1908, to December 15, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—8,270 square miles.

**Gage.**—Painted vertically on second pier from Van Buren side of bridge; zero of gage is 407.69 feet above sea level; daily gage heights for 1910 and 1911 were read on a vertical rod attached to the pier of the sawdust carrier of Hammonds mill, about 700 feet below the International Bridge.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the International Bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—The little storage above for log driving probably does not affect the discharge.

**Accuracy.**—Relation between gage heights and discharge is probably not materially affected by the control of the stream for log driving; for the winter months an ice rating curve has been developed. A good open-channel discharge rating curve has also been constructed.

**Cooperation.**—Station established by the International Commission, River St. John, which furnishes records of discharge measurements and daily gage heights.

*Discharge measurements of St. John River at Van Buren, Maine, in 1911.*

[By International Commission, River St. John.]

Date.	Gage height.	Discharge.	Date.	Gage height.	Discharge.
	<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Mar. 24 <sup>a</sup> .....	410.69	1,195	June 23.....	412.54	10,112
31 <sup>a</sup> .....	411.36	1,740	July 1.....	410.89	6,144
Apr. 11 <sup>a</sup> .....	411.74	2,343	15.....	409.89	3,611
15 <sup>a</sup> .....	412.94	4,386	Aug. 1.....	414.91	16,764
17 <sup>a</sup> .....	414.83	7,740	7.....	411.49	6,473
19 <sup>a</sup> .....	415.34	8,869	Sept. 7.....	409.40	2,737
22 <sup>a</sup> .....	416.49	11,553	18.....	410.28	4,630
May 9 <sup>b</sup> .....	426.6	72,000	Nov. 3.....	409.31	2,719
17 <sup>b</sup> .....	420.1	35,550	4.....	409.07	1,784
25 <sup>b</sup> .....	415.79	20,034	6.....	409.04	2,128
June 2 <sup>b</sup> .....	415.84	19,236	6.....	409.10	2,190
9.....	413.79	12,797	17.....	411.93	3,547

<sup>a</sup> Made under complete ice cover and affected by backwater from an ice jam which forms, in the fall of the year, about 1 mile below the bridge.

<sup>b</sup> Float measurement.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of St. John River at Van Buren, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	10.9	10.5	10.4	11.3	29.3	15.8	10.9	15.4	9.4	10.7	9.6	11.9
2.....	11.0	10.5	10.4	11.3	33.2	16.6	10.7	15.0	9.5	10.3	9.4	11.8
3.....	11.1	10.5	10.4	11.3	34.9	17.4	10.7	14.4	9.4	10.1	9.4	11.8
4.....	11.1	10.5	10.4	11.3	34.9	17.2	10.8	13.4	9.3	10.0	9.2	11.9
5.....	11.1	10.5	10.4	11.3	30.9	16.5	10.9	12.7	9.4	10.0	9.1	12.2
6.....	11.1	10.5	10.4	11.3	28.6	15.6	10.7	12.1	9.3	9.9	9.0	12.2
7.....	11.0	10.5	10.4	11.3	28.6	15.1	11.1	11.5	9.4	9.9	9.3	12.2
8.....	11.0	10.5	10.4	11.4	28.5	14.4	11.3	11.2	9.7	10.1	9.5	12.2
9.....	11.0	10.5	10.4	11.5	26.9	13.9	11.0	11.0	9.9	10.3	9.4	12.2
10.....	11.0	10.5	10.4	11.6	27.3	13.5	10.7	10.9	10.2	10.4	10.0	12.2
11.....	11.0	10.5	10.4	11.7	26.7	13.1	10.6	10.7	10.4	10.0	10.9	12.2
12.....	11.0	10.5	10.4	11.8	25.5	12.8	10.4	10.5	10.4	9.8	11.0	12.1
13.....	11.0	10.5	10.4	11.9	24.0	12.5	10.2	10.2	10.3	9.5	10.8	12.2
14.....	11.0	10.5	10.4	12.0	23.2	12.5	10.0	9.9	10.2	9.4	10.7	12.2
15.....	11.0	10.5	10.4	13.0	22.2	13.0	9.8	9.7	10.2	9.3	11.0	12.3

*Daily gage height, in feet, of St. John River at Van Buren, Maine, for 1911—Contd.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
16.....	10.9	10.5	10.4	14.2	20.9	13.4	9.7	9.6	10.9	9.1	10.8	-----
17.....	10.9	10.5	10.5	14.9	20.2	14.0	9.9	9.6	11.5	9.4	12.1	-----
18.....	10.8	10.5	10.5	15.3	19.5	14.1	10.2	9.6	10.2	9.3	12.1	-----
19.....	10.8	10.5	10.5	15.4	18.1	14.0	10.4	9.7	10.1	9.3	12.7	-----
20.....	10.7	10.5	10.6	15.6	17.8	13.7	10.5	9.9	10.0	9.3	12.5	-----
21.....	10.7	10.5	10.6	16.2	17.7	13.1	10.3	10.1	9.8	9.4	12.2	-----
22.....	10.7	10.5	10.6	16.5	17.6	13.0	10.3	10.0	9.6	9.3	12.3	-----
23.....	10.7	10.5	10.6	17.7	17.4	12.6	10.5	9.8	9.5	9.3	12.2	-----
24.....	10.6	10.5	10.7	18.2	16.7	12.2	10.8	9.7	9.3	9.7	12.1	-----
25.....	10.6	10.5	10.7	18.7	16.2	11.8	10.9	9.4	9.1	10.1	12.1	-----
26.....	10.6	10.5	10.7	20.1	15.7	11.4	11.0	9.3	9.4	10.0	11.9	-----
27.....	10.6	10.5	10.7	21.5	15.6	11.2	10.9	9.2	9.5	10.2	11.8	-----
28.....	10.6	10.5	10.8	20.5	15.7	10.9	10.8	9.1	9.8	10.0	11.8	-----
29.....	10.5	-----	10.9	23.4	15.9	10.9	10.8	9.4	10.9	9.9	11.7	-----
30.....	10.5	-----	11.1	26.7	15.6	10.9	10.9	9.4	11.1	9.7	11.9	-----
31.....	10.5	-----	11.3	-----	15.2	-----	11.7	9.4	-----	9.7	-----	-----

NOTE.—Gage heights referred to gage of International Bridge. To reduce readings to elevation above sea level add 400 feet. Readings affected by backwater from ice Jan. 1 to Apr. 25 and Nov. 17 to Dec. 15.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of St. John River at Van Buren, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	1,400	1,010	920	1,830	90,700	19,600	6,020	18,200	2,750	5,560	3,160	2,550
2.....	1,500	1,010	920	1,830	121,000	22,300	5,560	17,000	2,950	4,660	2,750	2,420
3.....	1,610	1,010	920	1,830	134,000	25,200	5,560	15,200	2,750	4,220	2,750	2,420
4.....	1,610	1,010	920	1,830	134,000	24,500	5,790	12,400	2,560	4,010	2,360	2,550
5.....	1,610	1,010	920	1,830	103,000	22,000	6,020	10,500	2,750	4,010	2,180	2,940
6.....	1,610	1,010	920	1,830	85,700	18,900	5,560	8,980	2,560	3,800	2,000	2,940
7.....	1,500	1,010	920	1,830	72,200	17,300	6,500	7,480	2,750	3,800	2,560	2,940
8.....	1,500	1,010	920	1,940	71,600	15,200	6,980	6,740	3,370	4,220	2,950	2,940
9.....	1,500	1,010	920	2,060	74,200	13,800	6,260	6,260	3,800	4,660	2,750	2,940
10.....	1,500	1,010	920	2,180	76,800	12,600	5,560	6,020	4,440	4,880	4,010	2,940
11.....	1,500	1,010	920	2,300	72,800	11,600	5,330	5,560	4,880	4,010	6,020	2,940
12.....	1,500	1,010	920	2,420	65,300	10,800	4,880	5,100	4,880	3,580	6,260	2,810
13.....	1,500	1,010	920	2,550	56,500	10,000	4,440	4,440	4,660	2,950	5,790	2,940
14.....	1,500	1,010	920	2,680	52,000	10,000	4,010	3,800	4,440	2,750	5,560	2,940
15.....	1,500	1,010	920	4,100	46,700	11,300	3,580	3,370	4,440	2,560	6,260	3,080
16.....	1,400	1,010	920	6,350	40,300	12,400	3,370	3,160	6,020	2,180	5,790	-----
17.....	1,400	1,010	1,010	7,900	36,900	14,000	3,800	3,160	7,480	2,750	4,000	-----
18.....	1,300	1,010	1,010	8,900	33,800	14,300	4,440	3,160	4,440	2,560	4,000	-----
19.....	1,300	1,010	1,010	9,030	27,900	14,000	4,880	3,370	4,220	2,560	3,650	-----
20.....	1,200	1,010	1,100	9,490	26,800	13,200	5,100	3,800	4,010	2,560	3,360	-----
21.....	1,200	1,010	1,100	10,900	26,400	11,600	4,660	4,220	3,580	2,750	2,940	-----
22.....	1,200	1,010	1,100	11,600	26,000	11,300	4,660	4,010	3,160	2,560	3,080	-----
23.....	1,200	1,010	1,100	14,400	25,200	10,300	5,100	3,580	2,950	2,560	2,940	-----
24.....	1,100	1,010	1,200	15,600	22,700	9,230	5,790	3,370	2,560	3,370	2,810	-----
25.....	1,100	1,010	1,200	16,800	20,900	8,220	6,020	2,750	2,180	4,220	2,180	-----
26.....	1,100	1,010	1,200	36,500	19,200	7,230	6,260	2,560	2,750	4,010	2,550	-----
27.....	1,100	1,010	1,200	43,200	18,900	6,740	6,020	2,360	2,950	4,440	2,420	-----
28.....	1,100	1,010	1,300	38,300	19,200	6,020	5,790	2,180	3,580	4,010	2,420	-----
29.....	1,010	-----	1,400	53,200	19,900	6,020	5,790	2,750	6,020	3,800	2,300	-----
30.....	1,010	-----	1,610	72,800	18,900	6,020	6,020	2,750	6,500	3,370	2,550	-----
31.....	1,010	-----	1,830	-----	17,600	-----	7,970	2,750	-----	3,370	-----	-----

NOTE.—Daily discharge Apr. 26 to Nov. 16 determined from a discharge rating curve well defined below 75,000 second-feet.

Discharge Jan. 1 to Apr. 25 and Nov. 19 to Dec. 15 determined from a well-defined ice rating curve.

Discharge Nov. 17 and 18 estimated.



*Monthly discharge of St. John River at Van Buren, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 8,270 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	1,610	1,010	1,340	0.162	0.19	B
February.....	1,010	1,010	1,010	.122	.13	B
March.....	1,830	920	1,070	.129	.15	B
April.....	72,800	1,830	12,900	1.56	1.74	A
May.....	134,000	17,600	53,500	6.47	7.46	A
Jun.....	25,200	6,020	13,200	1.60	1.78	A
July.....	7,970	3,370	5,410	.654	.75	A
August.....	18,200	2,180	5,840	.706	.81	A
September.....	7,480	2,180	3,880	.469	.52	A
October.....	5,560	2,180	3,570	.432	.50	A
November.....	6,260	2,300	3,500	.423	.47	A
December.....			2,700	.326	.38	B
The year.....	134,000	920	9,060	1.10	14.88	

NOTE.—Mean discharge Dec. 16-31 estimated 2,650 second-feet.

**ALLAGASH RIVER NEAR ALLAGASH, MAINE.****Location.**—105 feet below the ferry crossing Allagash River, 2 miles below Dickey post office, and 1,500 feet above the confluence of Allagash and St. John rivers.**Records available.**—July 1, 1910, to November 30, 1911, when station was discontinued. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.**Drainage area.**—1,240 square miles. Does not include Chamberlain Lake drainage area of 270 square miles.**Gage.**—Rod, 35 feet below the measuring section; elevation of zero being 580.53 feet above sea level.**Channel.**—Permanent; banks not subject to overflow.**Discharge measurements.**—Made at low stages by wading and at high stages from a boat.**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.**Artificial control.**—Log driving dams at Long, Ross, and Musquacook lakes may at times hold water back so that the gage heights may indicate lower flow than the natural minimum flow of the stream.**Accuracy.**—Results believed to be fairly good.**Cooperation.**—Station established by the International Commission, River St. John, which furnishes records of discharge measurements and daily gage heights.*Discharge measurements of Allagash River near Allagash, Maine, in 1911.*

[By International Commission, River St. John.]

Date.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.	Date.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.
	<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
May 5.....	586.8	8,100	July 5.....	582.00	441
May 11.....	585.87	6,459	July 17.....	581.60	231
May 20.....	584.02	3,746	July 26.....	582.14	595
May 29.....	584.37	4,213	Aug. 2 <sup>b</sup> .....	583.24	1,408
June 6.....	583.51	2,244	Aug. 8.....	581.83	349
June 15.....	583.05	1,512	Nov. 8.....	582.02	502
June 27.....	582.07	594			

<sup>a</sup>Heavy wind blowing downstream giving accelerated velocity.<sup>b</sup>St. John River at mouth of Allagash was 2.5 feet higher than it should be under normal conditions, thus backing up the Allagash. The rise was due to very heavy rains on the headwaters of the St. John.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Allagash River near Allagash, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
1.....	.....	584.07	581.94	581.24	581.54	582.14	581.84
2.....	.....	584.87	581.94	582.04	581.54	582.14	581.74
3.....	.....	584.77	581.94	582.64	581.54	582.04	581.74
4.....	586.57	584.57	582.04	582.24	581.54	582.04	582.04
5.....	586.47	584.27	581.94	582.14	581.54	581.94	582.04
6.....	586.07	583.47	581.94	582.04	581.74	581.94	581.94
7.....	585.87	583.87	581.84	581.94	581.94	581.94	581.94
8.....	586.07	583.47	581.74	581.84	582.24	581.84	582.04
9.....	586.27	583.17	581.74	581.84	582.14	581.84	582.04
10.....	586.07	582.87	581.74	581.74	582.14	581.84	582.14
11.....	585.87	582.77	581.64	581.74	581.94	581.84	582.14
12.....	585.77	582.57	581.64	581.64	582.14	581.94	582.04
13.....	585.37	582.87	581.54	581.64	582.24	581.94	581.84
14.....	584.87	583.07	581.54	581.54	582.14	581.94	581.94
15.....	584.67	583.37	581.54	581.64	582.04	581.94	582.04
16.....	584.37	583.07	581.54	581.64	582.04	581.84	582.04
17.....	583.87	582.87	581.54	581.64	582.04	581.84	582.04
18.....	583.87	582.77	581.44	581.64	581.94	581.84	582.14
19.....	583.97	582.77	581.44	581.64	581.94	581.84	582.24
20.....	584.07	582.67	581.54	581.54	581.94	581.84	582.24
21.....	584.07	582.57	581.54	581.54	581.84	581.84	582.24
22.....	583.87	582.47	581.74	581.54	581.84	581.84	582.24
23.....	583.77	582.47	581.94	581.64	581.74	581.94	582.24
24.....	583.67	582.37	581.94	581.64	581.74	581.94	582.24
25.....	583.27	582.27	581.84	581.64	581.74	581.94	582.24
26.....	583.47	582.17	581.84	581.64	581.74	581.84	582.24
27.....	583.77	582.14	581.84	581.64	582.04	581.84	582.24
28.....	583.97	582.14	581.74	581.54	582.34	581.84	582.24
29.....	583.77	582.04	581.64	581.54	582.24	581.84	582.24
30.....	583.97	581.94	582.84	581.54	582.14	581.84	582.24
31.....	583.37	.....	583.54	581.54	.....	581.84	.....

NOTE.—Gage heights July 3, 5 to 15, and 17 to 20 estimated from record at Michaud farm, about 15 miles above the station. Gage readings Aug. 2 to 6 may have been somewhat affected by backwater from St. John River.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Allagash River near Allagash, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
1.....	.....	3,180	448	147	218	599	381
2.....	.....	4,580	448	520	218	599	319
3.....	.....	4,400	448	1,090	218	520	319
4.....	7,780	4,040	520	778	218	520	520
5.....	7,590	3,520	448	599	218	448	520
6.....	6,810	2,210	448	580	319	448	448
7.....	6,430	2,850	381	448	448	448	448
8.....	6,810	2,210	319	381	686	381	520
9.....	7,200	1,760	319	381	599	381	520
10.....	6,810	1,360	319	319	599	381	599
11.....	6,430	1,240	265	319	448	381	599
12.....	6,240	1,010	265	265	599	448	520
13.....	5,490	1,360	218	265	686	448	381
14.....	4,580	1,620	218	218	599	448	448
15.....	4,220	2,060	218	265	520	448	520
16.....	3,690	1,620	218	265	520	381	520
17.....	2,850	1,360	218	265	520	381	520
18.....	2,850	1,240	179	265	448	381	599
19.....	3,010	1,240	179	265	448	381	686
20.....	3,180	1,120	218	218	448	381	686
21.....	3,180	1,010	218	218	381	381	686
22.....	2,850	905	319	218	381	381	686
23.....	2,680	905	448	265	319	448	686
24.....	2,520	806	448	265	319	448	686
25.....	1,910	713	381	265	319	448	686
26.....	2,210	624	381	265	319	381	686
27.....	2,680	599	381	265	520	381	686
28.....	3,010	599	319	218	778	381	686
29.....	2,680	520	265	218	686	381	686
30.....	3,010	448	1,320	218	599	381	686
31.....	2,060	.....	2,320	218	.....	381	.....

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a fairly well defined discharge rating curve. Discharge Aug. 2 to about Aug. 6 may be somewhat erroneous, as the relation between gage heights and discharge may have been affected by backwater from the St. John.

*Monthly discharge of Allagash River near Allagash, Maine, for 1911.*[Drainage area, 1,240 square miles. <sup>a</sup>]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
May 4-31.....	7,780	1,910	4,310	3.48	3.62	B.
June.....	4,580	448	1,700	1.37	1.53	A.
July.....	2,320	179	422	.340	.39	A.
August.....	1,090	147	336	.271	.31	B.
September.....	778	218	453	.365	.41	A.
October.....	599	381	426	.344	.40	A.
November.....	686	319	564	.455	.51	A.

<sup>a</sup> Does not include Chamberlain Lake drainage of 270 square miles.**ST. FRANCIS RIVER NEAR ST. FRANCIS, MAINE.**

**Location.**—One and one-half miles from St. Francis post office, Maine, 4 miles from Connors, N. B., 1 mile above the mouth of the river, and 3 miles below Glazier Lake.

**Records available.**—May 11 to November 30, 1910, at the gage at the outlet of Glazier Lake; May 4 to November 30, 1911, at the regular gage near the mouth of the river. Data also in annual reports of Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—560 square miles.

**Gage.**—Rod, 10 feet below the measuring section; elevation of zero of gage, 528.84 feet above sea level. During 1910 gage heights were read on the rod gage at Glazier Lake, as it was impossible to obtain an observer for the regular gage near the mouth; during 1911 the daily readings were taken at the regular or lower gage.

**Channel.**—Permanent; banks high and wooded and not liable to overflow.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made by wading or from a canoe 10 feet above the gage.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—Extensive lake areas above the station but not controlled by dams.

**Accuracy.**—A fairly good rating curve has been developed for this station and the discharge estimates for 1911 are considered fair. Gage-height record during 1910 on the gage at the outlet of Glazier Lake records the rise and fall of the lake, and the estimates of discharge are not considered as accurate.

**Cooperation.**—Station established by the International Commission, River St. John, which furnishes records of the discharge measurements and daily gage heights.

*Discharge measurements of St. Francis River near St. Francis, Maine, in 1911.*

[By International Commission, River St. John.]

Date.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.	Date.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.
	<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
May 4.....	538.3	9,200	June 28.....	530.19	467
13.....	535.07	4,760	July 18.....	529.89	314
19.....	532.77	2,212	27.....	530.03	374
27.....	531.41	1,090	Aug. 9.....	530.51	593
June 5.....	531.33	1,036	Sept. 11.....	529.74	275
14.....	530.53	578	Nov. 10.....	529.43	160

NOTE.—Discharge measurements are referred to the regular or lower gage.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of St. Francis River near St. Francis, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
1			529.33		529.63		529.33
2		531.13		530.93		529.53	529.33
3			530.33		529.53		
4	538.3	531.33		530.73		529.43	
5		531.3			529.53	529.48	529.33
6	539.1	531.03	530.03	530.43			
7				530.43	529.53	529.43	529.33
8		530.83	530.13				
9				530.53	529.43	529.43	529.33
10		530.33	530.13			529.33	
11				530.43	529.73	529.33	529.43
12			530.03				
13	535.1			530.13	529.53	529.38	529.33
14		530.53	529.83				
15				530.13	529.63	529.38	529.33
16		530.63	529.83				
17	535.9			530.13	529.73	529.33	529.43
18		530.63	529.73		529.63	529.33	
19	532.8			529.93		529.33	529.43
20			529.63		529.65		
21		530.73		529.83		529.33	529.43
22	534.6		529.93		529.53		
23		530.53		529.73		529.33	529.63
24	534.1		530.23		529.53		
25		530.43	530.23	529.73		529.33	529.63
26				529.63	529.58		
27	531.4	530.33	530.03			529.33	529.63
28		530.19		529.53	529.58		
29		530.13	530.03			529.33	529.53
30				529.73	529.63		
31	530.93		529.33				

NOTE.—Gage heights read on the regular or lower gage.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of St. Francis River near St. Francis, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
1		852	142	469	230	214	142
2		908	323	796	214	199	142
3		969	504	746	199	184	142
4	9,220	1,030	461	695	199	169	142
5	9,810	1,020	419	622	199	184	142
6	10,400	852	377	548	199	176	142
7	10,000	798	397	548	199	169	142
8	11,000	745	417	566	184	169	142
9	12,000	624	417	595	169	169	142
10	11,000	504	417	566	218	142	156
11	8,000	527	397	548	266	142	169
12	6,000	550	377	482	232	148	156
13	4,780	573	338	417	199	155	142
14	5,040	595	300	417	214	155	142
15	5,300	620	300	417	230	155	142
16	5,560	645	300	417	248	148	156
17	5,820	645	283	417	266	142	169
18	4,040	645	266	377	230	142	169
19	2,260	662	248	337	234	142	169
20	2,900	678	230	318	238	142	169
21	3,540	695	284	300	218	142	169
22	4,180	645	337	283	199	142	200
23	3,900	595	398	266	199	142	230
24	3,610	572	458	266	199	142	230
25	2,970	548	458	266	206	142	230
26	1,920	526	418	230	214	142	230
27	1,080	504	377	214	214	142	230
28	1,010	441	377	199	214	142	214
29	938	417	377	232	222	142	199
30	867	280	260	266	230	142	200
31	796		142	248		142	

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve. Discharge interpolated for days on which gage was not read.

*Monthly discharge of St. Francis River near St. Francis, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 560 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
May 4-31.....	12,000	796	5,280	9.43	9.82	B.
June.....	1,030	280	656	1.17	1.30	B.
July.....	504	142	348	.621	.72	B.
August.....	796	199	422	.754	.87	B.
September.....	266	169	216	.386	.43	B.
October.....	214	142	155	.277	.32	B.
November.....	230	142	172	.307	.34	B.

**MADAWASKA RIVER AT ST. ROSE DU DEGELE, QUEBEC.**

**Location.**—At the highway bridge crossing Madawaska River one-fifth mile from the Temiscouata railroad station; 2 miles below the mouth of Lake Temiscouata, and 21 miles above Edmundston, Canada, and the mouth of the river.

**Records available.**—May 12, 1910, to November 30, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—958 square miles.

**Gage.**—Rod, nailed to west abutment of highway bridge. Zero of gage is at 475.70 feet above sea level.

**Channel.**—Permanent; banks high and not liable to overflow.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the highway bridge. Some of the earlier measurements were taken at the St. Jacques Bridge, 6 miles above the mouth of the river, and referred to the St. Rose gage, as the Edmundston dam affects the St. Jacques gage at certain stages.

**Winter flow.**—Probably affected by ice but discharge not estimated for the period.

**Accuracy.**—Results considered to be fairly good considering the length of record of the station.

**Cooperation.**—Station established by the International Commission, River St. John, which furnishes records of discharge measurements and gage heights.

*Discharge measurements of Madawaska River at St. Rose du Degele, Quebec, in 1911.*

[By International Commission, River St. John.]

Date.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.	Date.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.
	<i>Fect.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>		<i>Fect.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
May 4.....	481.30	5,712	July 8.....	477.45	1,393
10.....	483.16	7,954	20.....	477.09	1,023
18.....	482.62	7,308	Aug. 12.....	476.77	690
26.....	480.79	4,986	25.....	476.22	409
June 3.....	479.73	3,695	Sept. 8 <sup>a</sup> .....	476.34	364
13.....	478.55	2,464	Nov. 7.....	476.01	197
30.....	477.63	1,467			

<sup>a</sup> Measurement uncertain on account of logs in river.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Madawaska River at St. Rose du Degele, Quebec, for 1911.*

Day.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
1.....	.....	79.71	77.51	77.01	76.21	76.41	76.21
2.....	.....	79.81	77.51	77.01	76.21	76.41	76.21
3.....	81.01	79.71	77.51	77.01	76.21	76.31	76.11
4.....	81.21	79.61	77.51	77.01	76.21	76.31	76.11
5.....	82.01	79.51	77.51	76.91	76.21	76.41	76.11
6.....	82.21	79.41	77.51	76.91	76.21	76.41	76.11
7.....	82.61	79.31	77.51	76.91	76.31	76.41	76.11
8.....	82.81	79.11	77.41	76.91	76.31	76.41	76.11
9.....	83.01	79.01	77.41	76.91	76.31	76.31	76.11
10.....	83.21	78.91	77.31	76.81	76.41	76.31	76.11
11.....	83.21	78.71	77.31	76.71	76.41	76.31	76.11
12.....	83.31	78.61	77.31	76.71	76.41	76.31	76.11
13.....	83.31	78.51	77.21	76.71	76.41	76.31	76.11
14.....	83.21	78.51	77.21	76.71	76.41	76.31	76.11
15.....	83.11	78.51	77.11	76.71	76.41	76.31	76.21
16.....	83.01	78.51	77.11	76.71	76.41	76.21	76.21
17.....	82.71	78.41	77.11	76.71	76.41	76.21	76.31
18.....	82.51	78.31	77.01	76.61	76.41	76.21	76.31
19.....	82.21	78.31	77.11	76.61	76.31	76.21	76.21
20.....	82.01	78.21	77.11	76.51	76.41	76.21	76.21
21.....	81.91	78.21	77.11	76.41	76.41	76.21	76.21
22.....	81.61	78.11	77.11	76.31	76.41	76.21	76.21
23.....	81.21	78.01	77.11	76.31	76.31	76.21	76.21
24.....	81.11	77.81	77.11	76.21	76.31	76.21	76.21
25.....	80.91	77.71	77.11	76.21	76.41	76.21	76.26
26.....	80.71	77.61	77.11	76.21	76.41	76.21	76.21
27.....	80.51	77.61	77.01	76.21	76.41	76.21	76.21
28.....	80.31	77.61	77.01	76.11	76.41	76.11	76.21
29.....	80.21	77.61	77.01	76.11	76.41	76.11	76.31
30.....	79.91	77.61	77.01	76.11	76.41	76.11	76.21
31.....	79.71	.....	77.01	76.11	.....	76.11	.....

NOTE.—To reduce gage heights to sea level, add 400 feet.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Madawaska River at St. Rose du Degele, Quebec, for 1911.*

	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
1.....	.....	3,680	1,340	898	341	462	341
2.....	.....	3,800	1,340	898	341	462	341
3.....	5,260	3,680	1,340	898	341	401	286
4.....	5,510	3,560	1,340	898	341	401	286
5.....	6,510	3,440	1,340	818	341	462	286
6.....	6,760	3,330	1,340	818	341	462	286
7.....	7,270	3,210	1,340	818	401	462	286
8.....	7,530	2,980	1,240	818	401	462	286
9.....	7,790	2,870	1,240	818	401	401	286
10.....	8,050	2,760	1,150	738	462	401	286
11.....	8,050	2,540	1,150	662	462	401	286
12.....	8,180	2,440	1,150	662	462	401	286
13.....	8,180	2,330	1,060	662	462	401	286
14.....	8,050	2,330	1,060	662	462	401	286
15.....	7,920	2,330	978	662	462	401	341
16.....	7,790	2,330	978	662	462	341	341
17.....	7,400	2,230	978	662	462	341	401
18.....	7,140	2,120	898	592	462	341	401
19.....	6,760	2,120	978	592	401	341	341
20.....	6,510	2,020	978	526	462	341	341
21.....	6,390	2,020	978	462	462	341	341
22.....	6,010	1,920	978	401	462	341	341
23.....	5,510	1,820	978	401	401	341	341
24.....	5,390	1,620	978	341	401	341	341
25.....	5,140	1,530	978	341	462	341	371
26.....	4,890	1,430	978	341	462	341	341
27.....	4,640	1,430	898	341	462	341	341
28.....	4,400	1,430	898	286	462	286	341
29.....	4,280	1,430	898	286	462	286	401
30.....	3,920	1,430	898	286	462	286	341
31.....	3,680	.....	898	286	.....	286	.....

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a discharge rating curve well-defined above 1,300 second-feet.

*Monthly discharge of Madawaska River at St. Rose du Degele, Quebec, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 958 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
May 3-31.....	8,180	2,680	6,380	6.66	7.18	A.
June.....	3,800	1,430	2,410	2.52	2.81	A.
July.....	1,340	898	1,080	1.13	1.30	B.
August.....	898	286	598	.624	.72	B.
September.....	462	341	426	.445	.50	B.
October.....	462	286	375	.391	.45	B.
November.....	401	286	326	.340	.38	B.

**FISH RIVER AT WALLAGRASS, MAINE.**

**Location.**—Just below the outlet of Wallagrass Stream, near Soldier Pond post office, about 7 miles south of Fort Kent, and 4 miles below Eagle Lake.

**Records available.**—July 29, 1903, to December 26, 1908, and May 7, 1911, to November 30, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—860 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain attached to trees on the bank; datum unchanged.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from car and cable 1,500 feet below the chain gage.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—There is a large lake area above the station, but the flow therefrom is not yet artificially controlled.

**Accuracy.**—A good rating curve has been developed for this station, and the results are considered good.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained during 1911 by the International Commission, River St. John, which furnished the records of discharge measurements and gage heights.

*Discharge measurements of Fish River at Wallagrass, Maine, in 1911.*

[By International Commission, River St. John.]

Date.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.	Date.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.
	<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
May 16.....	9.54	4,280	June 17.....	5.08	1,086
May 22.....	7.25	2,402	July 4.....	3.91	572
May 31.....	6.20	1,463	Aug. 10.....	3.64	407
June 7.....	5.82	1,354			

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Fish River at Wallagrass, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
1.....		6.45	3.84	3.94	2.84		2.14
2.....		6.55		3.94	2.74	2.94	2.14
3.....		6.55	3.64	3.84		2.94	2.14
4.....			3.91	3.84	2.94	2.94	2.14
5.....		6.15	3.74	3.94	2.94	2.74	
6.....		6.05	3.64		2.94	2.74	2.14
7.....	12.05	5.85	3.54	4.24	2.94	2.64	2.14
8.....	11.95	5.55	3.54	4.14	2.94		2.24
9.....	11.95	5.55		4.14	2.94	2.64	2.24
10.....	11.75	5.45	3.44	3.84		2.54	2.34
11.....	11.45		3.44	3.44	2.84	2.54	2.34
12.....	10.85	4.76	3.44	3.14	3.14	2.54	
13.....	10.45	4.65	3.34		3.14	2.54	2.44
14.....		4.85	3.34	3.04	3.04	2.44	2.44
15.....	9.65	4.85	3.24	3.04	2.94		2.54
16.....	9.54	4.75		3.04	3.04	2.44	2.54
17.....	8.45	5.08	3.14	3.04		2.34	2.64
18.....	8.15		3.14	3.04	2.94	2.34	2.64
19.....	7.85	5.24	3.14	3.04	2.94	2.34	
20.....	7.65	5.14	3.14		2.94	2.34	2.74
21.....		5.24	3.14	3.04	2.94	2.34	2.74
22.....	7.25	4.84	3.14	3.04	2.94		2.64
23.....	7.05	4.44		3.14	2.94	2.44	2.54
24.....	6.55	4.24	3.24	3.14		2.54	2.54
25.....	6.35		3.34	3.24	2.94	2.44	2.54
26.....	6.15	3.94	3.34	3.34	3.04	2.34	
27.....	6.05	3.84	3.24		3.14	2.34	2.44
28.....		3.74	3.14	3.44	3.14	2.34	2.54
29.....	5.85	3.74	3.44	3.24	3.14		2.64
30.....	5.45	3.84		3.14	3.14	2.24	2.64
31.....	6.20		3.44	3.04		2.24	

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Fish River at Wallagrass, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
1.....		1,850	582	619	263	319	109
2.....		1,920	546	619	237	290	109
3.....		1,920	510	582	263	290	109
4.....		1,800	608	582	290	290	109
5.....		1,680	545	619	290	237	109
6.....		1,620	510	678	290	237	109
7.....	6,600	1,510	476	737	290	213	109
8.....	6,500	1,350	476	697	290	213	128
9.....	6,500	1,350	459	697	290	213	128
10.....	6,280	1,290	442	582	276	189	147
11.....	5,940	1,120	442	442	263	189	147
12.....	5,340	959	442	348	348	189	157
13.....	4,940	910	410	335	348	189	167
14.....	4,580	1,000	410	319	319	167	167
15.....	4,210	1,000	378	319	290	167	189
16.....	4,110	954	363	319	319	167	189
17.....	3,210	1,110	348	319	304	147	213
18.....	2,990	1,150	348	319	290	147	213
19.....	2,770	1,190	348	319	290	147	225
20.....	2,630	1,140	348	319	290	147	237
21.....	2,500	1,190	348	319	290	147	287
22.....	2,360	995	348	319	290	157	213
23.....	2,230	820	363	348	290	167	189
24.....	1,920	737	378	348	290	189	189
25.....	1,790	678	410	378	290	167	189
26.....	1,680	619	410	410	319	147	178
27.....	1,620	582	378	426	348	147	167
28.....	1,560	545	348	442	348	147	189
29.....	1,510	545	442	378	348	138	213
30.....	1,290	582	442	348	348	128	213
31.....	1,700		442	319		128	

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a fairly well defined discharge rating curve. Discharge interpolated for days on which gage was not read.



*Monthly discharge of Fish River at Wallagrass, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 860 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
May 7-21.....	6,600	1,290	3,470	4.03	3.74	B.
June.....	1,920	545	1,140	1.33	1.48	B.
July.....	608	348	429	.499	.58	B.
August.....	737	319	445	.517	.60	B.
September.....	348	237	300	.349	.39	B.
October.....	319	128	187	.217	.25	B.
November.....	237	109	168	.195	.22	B.

**ST. CROIX RIVER BASIN.****ST. CROIX NEAR WOODLAND, MAINE.**

**Location.**—One and one-half miles below the dam of the St. Croix Paper Company, 10 miles below the junction of the West Branch with the East Branch and 5 miles above Baring, Maine.

**Records available.**—December 4, 1902, to December 31, 1911. Station discontinued. Data also in annual reports of the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—1,420 square miles.

**Gages.**—Vertical staff, 5½ feet long, attached to a large boulder on the left bank; a standard chain gage is used during high water. Prior to June 8, 1905, the gage was located at Spragues Falls about 1½ miles above the present site, to which it was removed because of the construction of the dam and mills of the St. Croix Paper Company at the upper site. The relation between the datum of the gage at the original site and that now in use has not been determined.

**Channel.**—Originally of gravel and rock; now gradually filling up with sawdust pulp from the mill above.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from a cable 400 feet below the gage.

**Winter flow.**—The operation of the mill above and the velocity of the current at the section tend to prevent the river from freezing over at the gage. In 1911 the channel at the gage was open throughout the winter.

**Artificial control.**—The lake system of the St. Croix above the station comprises in the aggregate 82 square miles. The system is to a large extent controlled by dams which are used both for log driving and for storage. The mill above the station is run continuously, Sundays and week days, and the occasional shut downs last only a few hours.

**Accuracy.**—The relation between gage heights and discharge is materially affected by backwater from log jams that form nearly every season on the head of an island a short distance below the section. Gage heights also show fluctuations caused by the operation of the mill gates. Results more or less unsatisfactory.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

*Discharge measurements of St. Croix River near Woodland, Maine, in 1911.*

Date:	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
July 25 <sup>a</sup>	F. E. Pressey	<i>Feet.</i> 8.29	<i>Sec.-ft.</i> 2,100
Oct. 10	do.	6.52	767

<sup>a</sup> Gage height affected by backwater from logs on rips below cable and gage.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of St. Croix River near Woodland, Maine, for 1911.*

[Simeon Phinney, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1			6.9		8.6	6.9	7.9	7.8	7.8		6.4	7.6
2	7.1	7.5	6.9		8.5	6.9		7.8	7.9	7.7	6.3	7.6
3			7.0	7.8	8.4	6.9	6.4	7.8		7.7	6.3	
4	7.1		7.1	7.8	8.4		6.3	7.7		7.6	6.3	7.5
5	7.1			7.9	8.3	6.8	6.3	7.7	7.6	7.6		7.3
6			7.1	7.9	8.3	6.8	7.6		7.6	7.6	6.3	7.1
7		7.5	7.1	7.9		6.8	7.9	7.8	7.6	7.6	6.3	7.0
8		7.4	7.1		8.2		7.9	7.8	7.7		6.4	7.0
9	7.0				8.2	6.9		7.7	7.7	7.3	6.4	7.0
10		7.4	7.1	7.9	8.1	6.9	7.8	7.7		7.2	6.5	
11	7.0			8.0	8.1		7.8	7.7		7.0	6.5	7.0
12	7.0			8.2	8.0	6.9	7.8	7.8	7.5	6.9		7.2
13				8.4	8.0	7.0	7.8		7.4	6.8	6.5	7.3
14			7.1	8.4		7.2	7.8	7.6	7.3	6.8	6.5	
15	7.0		7.2	8.5	7.9	7.3		7.6	7.2		6.6	7.4
16	7.0	7.3			7.8	7.4		7.7	7.2	6.9	6.7	
17	7.0	7.3	7.2	8.6	7.8	7.4	7.7	7.7		6.7	6.8	
18	7.0			8.7	7.8		7.7	7.7	7.1	6.6	6.8	
19				8.9	7.7	7.3	7.7	7.7	7.1	6.6		7.4
20				9.0	7.6	7.4	7.8		7.1	6.6	6.9	
21		7.3	7.2	9.0		7.4	7.8	7.6	7.1	6.6	7.1	
22			7.2	9.0	7.4	7.4	7.8	7.6	7.1		7.3	7.4
23		7.1			7.2	7.4		7.7	7.1	6.0	7.6	
24	7.4	6.8	7.2	8.9		7.4	7.9	7.7		6.4	8.0	
25	7.5		7.2	8.9	7.0			7.7	7.1	6.6	8.2	
26	7.5			8.8		7.4	7.9	7.7	7.2	6.6		9.0
27			7.2	8.7		7.5	7.9		7.4	6.6	8.0	
28			7.3	8.7		7.5	7.9	7.7	7.6	6.6	7.9	
29			7.3	8.7	7.2	7.7	8.0	7.7	7.7		7.9	8.4
30	7.5		7.3		7.0	7.9		7.7	7.7	6.4	7.7	
31	7.5				7.0		7.8	7.8		6.4		

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge probably not materially affected by ice during 1911. The gage heights during much of the year were affected by backwater from log jams, particularly during May, July, August, and September.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of St. Croix River near Woodland, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1	1,310	1,760	1,100	1,830	2,870	1,100	2,280	1,510	1,510	1,400	670	1,880
2	1,310	1,760	1,100	1,990	2,720	1,100	1,480	1,510	1,630	1,400	590	1,880
3	1,310	1,760	1,200	2,140	2,570	1,100	670	1,510	1,510	1,400	590	1,820
4	1,310	1,760	1,310	2,140	2,570	1,100	590	1,400	1,400	1,280	590	1,760
5	1,310	1,760	1,310	2,280	2,420	1,000	590	1,400	1,280	1,280	590	1,530
6	1,280	1,760	1,310	2,280	2,420	1,000	1,280	1,460	1,280	1,280	590	1,310
7	1,250	1,760	1,310	2,280	2,350	1,000	1,630	1,510	1,280	1,280	590	1,200
8	1,230	1,640	1,310	2,280	2,280	1,050	1,630	1,510	1,400	1,100	670	1,200
9	1,200	1,640	1,310	2,280	2,280	1,100	1,570	1,400	1,400	1,100	670	1,200
10	1,200	1,640	1,310	2,280	2,140	1,100	1,510	1,400	1,330	1,100	750	1,200

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of St. Croix River near Woodland, Maine, for 1911—Con.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
11.....	1,200	1,620	1,310	2,420	2,140	1,100	1,510	1,400	1,250	1,100	750	1,200
12.....	1,200	1,600	1,310	2,720	2,010	1,100	1,510	1,510	1,180	1,100	750	1,420
13.....	1,200	1,580	1,310	3,030	2,010	1,200	1,510	1,400	1,080	1,000	750	1,530
14.....	1,200	1,560	1,310	3,030	1,940	1,420	1,510	1,280	975	1,000	750	1,580
15.....	1,200	1,550	1,420	3,190	1,880	1,530	1,470	1,280	880	1,050	830	1,640
16.....	1,200	1,530	1,420	3,280	1,760	1,640	1,440	1,400	880	1,100	910	1,640
17.....	1,200	1,530	1,420	3,360	1,760	1,640	1,400	1,400	835	910	1,000	1,640
18.....	1,200	1,530	1,420	3,530	1,760	1,580	1,400	1,400	790	830	1,000	1,640
19.....	1,280	1,530	1,420	3,890	1,640	1,530	1,400	1,400	790	830	1,050	1,640
20.....	1,350	1,530	1,420	4,070	1,530	1,640	1,510	1,340	790	830	1,100	1,640
21.....	1,420	1,530	1,420	4,070	1,480	1,640	1,510	1,280	790	830	1,310	1,640
22.....	1,490	1,420	1,420	4,070	1,420	1,640	1,510	1,280	790	615	1,530	1,640
23.....	1,560	1,310	1,420	3,980	1,310	1,640	1,570	1,400	790	400	1,880	2,250
24.....	1,640	1,000	1,420	3,890	1,260	1,640	1,630	1,400	790	670	2,420	2,850
25.....	1,760	1,020	1,420	3,890	1,200	1,640	1,630	1,400	790	830	2,720	3,460
26.....	1,760	1,040	1,420	3,710	1,260	1,640	1,630	1,400	880	830	2,670	4,070
27.....	1,760	1,060	1,420	3,530	1,310	1,760	1,630	1,400	1,080	830	2,420	3,720
28.....	1,760	1,080	1,530	3,360	1,360	1,760	1,630	1,400	1,280	830	2,280	3,380
29.....	1,760	.....	1,530	3,190	1,420	2,010	1,750	1,400	1,400	750	2,280	3,030
30.....	1,760	.....	1,530	3,030	1,200	2,280	1,630	1,400	1,400	670	2,010	3,000
31.....	1,760	.....	1,680	.....	1,200	.....	1,510	1,510	.....	670	.....	3,000

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from three discharge rating curves: One applicable Jan. 1 to Apr. 27, May 25 to July 5, and Oct. 12 to Dec. 31; another applicable from May 1 to May 20; the third applicable from July 6 to Oct. 7. The discharge Apr. 28 to 30, May 21 to 24, and Oct. 8 to 11 has been estimated to merge from one curve to another. Discharge interpolated for all days, not included in these estimated periods, for which there was no gage reading.

The mills above ran continuously, Sundays and week days, no shut down lasting more than a few hours.

*Monthly discharge of St. Croix River near Woodland, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 1,420 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	1,760	1,200	1,400	0.986	1.14	B.
February.....	1,760	1,000	1,510	1.06	1.10	B.
March.....	1,680	1,100	1,370	.965	1.11	B.
April.....	4,070	1,830	3,030	2.13	2.38	B.
May.....	2,870	1,200	1,850	1.30	1.50	C.
June.....	2,280	1,000	1,420	1.00	1.12	B.
July.....	2,280	590	1,470	1.04	1.20	B.
August.....	1,510	1,280	1,410	.993	1.14	B.
September.....	1,630	790	1,120	.789	.88	C.
October.....	1,400	400	977	.688	.79	B.
November.....	2,720	590	1,220	.859	.96	B.
December.....	4,070	1,200	2,020	1.42	1.64	B.
The year.....	4,070	400	1,570	1.11	14.96	

**WEST BRANCH OF ST. CROIX RIVER NEAR BAILEYVILLE, MAINE.**

**Location.**—At highway bridge 1 mile from Baileyville railroad station, about 4 miles below Princeton, and about one-half mile above the mouth of Tomah Stream.

**Records available.**—May 10, 1910, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—509 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain, attached to the floor of the bridge on the easterly span.

**Channel.**—Permanent, but broken by four piers of the bridge; during extreme high stages water is liable to flow around abutments of the bridge.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the lower side of the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—River generally does not freeze completely over.

**Artificial control.**—The lake system on West Branch is extensive and is largely under artificial regulation. The dams are operated both for log driving and storage for powers below.

**Accuracy.**—Relation between gage height and discharge probably somewhat affected by ice during the winter and to some extent also by backwater from log jams. Sufficient measurements have not yet been made to fully develop a discharge rating curve.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

*Discharge measurements of West Branch of St. Croix River near Baileyville, Maine, in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
July 25	F. E. Pressey.....	Feet. 5.05	Sec.-ft. 694
Oct. 10	.....do.....	4.00	296
11	.....do.....	3.98	284

*Daily gage height, in feet, of West Branch of St. Croix River near Baileyville, Maine, for 1911.*

[Mrs. W. M. Woodard, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	4.5	4.5	4.1	4.4	5.9	4.0	4.00	5.05	4.55	4.35	3.75	4.70
2.....		4.5	4.1	4.5	5.9	4.1	4.00	5.08	4.55	4.28	3.70	3.50
3.....	4.7	4.5	4.1	4.5	5.6	4.1	4.00	5.28	4.48	4.05	3.70	4.10
4.....		4.5	4.0	4.6	5.8	4.1	4.00	5.00	4.45	4.08	3.70	4.90
5.....		4.2	4.0	4.9	5.9	4.1	5.40	4.95	4.45	4.28	3.60	4.12
6.....	4.6	4.4	4.0	5.0	5.9	4.1	5.50	4.25	4.45	4.20	3.60	4.60
7.....		4.5	3.7	5.5	5.9	4.1	5.50	4.75	4.45	4.20	3.70	4.30
8.....	4.9	4.7	3.7	5.5	5.9	4.2	5.40	4.75	4.40	4.00	3.75	4.00
9.....	4.9	4.0	4.2	5.5	6.2	4.2	5.30	4.70	4.40	4.10	3.80	4.10
10.....	4.9	4.0	4.0	5.5	6.2	4.1	5.10	4.62	4.40	4.10	3.78	4.05
11.....	4.8	4.2	4.0	5.6	5.7	4.1	5.00	4.40	4.35	4.00	3.75	4.20
12.....	4.7	4.2	4.0	5.6	5.5	4.2	5.20	4.50	4.35	4.08	3.70	4.40
13.....	4.7	4.4	4.0	5.7	4.7	4.2	5.20	4.48	4.25	4.15	3.80	4.40
14.....	4.6	4.4	4.0	5.7	4.0	4.4	5.50	4.35	4.15	3.90	3.80	4.55
15.....	4.6	4.5	4.0	5.8	4.2	4.5	5.30	4.45	4.15	3.92	4.00	4.50
16.....	4.5	4.5	4.0	5.8	4.4	4.7	5.30	4.58	4.15	3.90	4.10	4.60
17.....	4.3	4.5	4.2	5.9	4.5	4.9	5.20	4.50	4.00	3.85	4.10	4.65
18.....	4.3	4.6	4.2	5.9	5.5	5.0	5.10	4.45	4.00	3.90	4.40	4.48
19.....	4.0	4.6	4.0	6.0	5.5	5.3	5.10	4.35	4.35	3.80	4.40	4.55
20.....	4.0	4.5	4.0	6.0	5.5	5.3	5.40	4.10	4.25	3.80	4.40	4.38
21.....	4.5	4.5	4.0	5.9	5.3	5.0	5.40	4.35	4.15	3.85	4.25	4.28
22.....	4.5	4.4	4.0	5.9	5.0	5.8	5.20	4.62	4.10	3.78	3.85	4.40
23.....	4.5	4.4	4.0	5.7	4.8	5.8	5.00	4.58	4.25	3.85	4.70	4.60
24.....	4.5	4.4	4.0	5.7	4.3	5.0	5.10	4.55	4.20	3.88	4.00	5.70
25.....	4.6	4.3	4.0	5.8	4.3	4.9	5.40	4.45	4.20	3.80	4.20	5.80
26.....	4.6	4.3	4.1	5.8	4.2	5.8	5.00	4.50	4.40	3.80	4.28	5.78
27.....	4.5	4.2	4.2	5.7	4.2	5.6	5.00	4.55	4.40	3.80	4.00	5.30
28.....	4.5	4.2	4.3	5.7	4.0	5.8	5.02	4.55	4.40	3.80	3.90	5.10
29.....	4.5		4.3	5.8	4.5	6.0	5.15	4.55	4.35	3.80	4.30	5.80
30.....	4.2		4.4	5.8	3.9	6.0	5.20	4.50	4.30	3.70	4.30	6.00
31.....	4.2		4.5		4.0		5.35	4.50		3.72		6.00

NOTE.—No notes by observer regarding ice at this station. Probably more or less effect from backwater during the first three months, but backwater during December is doubtful.

## MACHIAS RIVER BASIN.

## MACHIAS RIVER AT WHITNEYVILLE, MAINE.

**Location.**—Wooden highway bridge in the town of Whitneyville; 4 miles above Machias; 200 feet below a storage dam.

**Records available.**—October 17, 1903, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—465 square miles.

**Gage.**—Prior to October 3, 1905, the gage was located on the Washington County railroad bridge three-quarters of a mile below the present location. Backwater was occasionally experienced here, however, from the dam at Machias and on the above-mentioned date the gage was transferred to the present location, but no connection between the datum of the two gages has ever been made. On October 10, 1911, a standard chain gage was placed on the wooden highway bridge and referred to the same datum as the other gage on this bridge.

**Channel.**—Permanent.

**Discharge measurements.**—Still made at the railroad bridge, as the section there is better than above. Low-water measurements may be made by wading at a point 200 feet above the railroad bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Full ice conditions do not ordinarily exist to the extent of the complete freezing over of the river at the gage, although the discharge is more or less affected.

**Log driving.**—There is a certain amount of log driving every year and jams of short duration occasionally occur.

**Artificial control.**—The gates in the storage dam immediately above the station are opened and closed each day during low stages of the river. As a result considerable fluctuation occurs at such times.

**Accuracy.**—A fair rating curve has been developed except at low stages, when quantities are somewhat uncertain. The operations of the gates of the storage dam render results somewhat uncertain.

**Cooperation.**—The work is done in cooperation with the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

*Discharge measurements of Machias River at Whitneyville, Maine, in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
July 26	F. E. Pressey.....	<i>Feet.</i> 3.37	<i>Sec.-ft.</i> 226
Oct. 12	.....do.....	3.99	506

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Machias River at Whitneyville, Maine, for 1911.*

[Ira S. Albee, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	4.3	3.2	3.7	7.4	5.9	5.7	5.0	3.3	3.2	3.5	3.3	5.0
2.....	4.6	3.2	3.7	6.5	5.9	5.7	4.8	3.2	3.2	3.5	3.3	4.7
3.....	4.9	3.2	3.65	6.0	5.8	5.6	4.5	3.15	3.2	3.5	3.3	4.3
4.....	5.4	3.2	3.6	5.5	5.7	5.7	4.3	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.2	4.3
5.....	5.2	3.7	3.6	5.0	5.6	5.8	4.1	3.1	3.4	3.4	3.2	4.3
6.....	4.8	3.8	3.6	5.5	5.5	5.9	4.0	3.1	3.5	3.35	3.2	4.4
7.....	4.4	3.9	3.55	6.0	5.5	6.0	3.8	3.1	3.5	3.3	3.2	4.5
8.....	4.2	4.0	3.4	6.0	5.6	6.3	3.6	3.1	3.5	3.3	3.3	4.5
9.....	4.2	4.0	3.4	6.0	5.7	6.5	3.5	3.05	3.4	3.3	3.4	4.6
10.....	4.2	4.0	3.35	5.9	5.7	6.6	3.4	3.0	3.4	4.1	3.5	4.7

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Machias River at Whitneyville, Maine, for 1911—Contd.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
11.....	4.2	4.0	3.3	5.8	5.7	6.4	3.4	3.0	3.4	3.9	3.6	4.5
12.....	4.1	4.0	3.2	5.7	5.6	6.2	3.4	3.0	3.4	4.0	3.6	4.4
13.....	4.0	3.9	3.2	5.6	5.5	6.0	3.4	3.0	3.4	3.9	3.5	4.3
14.....	4.0	3.9	3.2	5.4	5.4	6.0	3.4	2.9	3.4	3.6	3.4	4.1
15.....	3.9	3.8	3.2	6.5	5.3	6.0	3.35	3.0	3.4	3.4	4.0	4.0
16.....	4.0	3.7	3.2	7.0	5.2	5.9	3.3	3.1	3.4	3.2	4.6	3.9
17.....	4.0	3.7	3.6	6.8	5.1	5.8	3.2	3.2	3.4	3.1	4.9	3.8
18.....	4.0	3.7	3.9	6.6	5.0	5.6	3.1	3.3	3.4	3.1	4.9	3.7
19.....	4.0	3.7	4.0	6.2	4.7	5.4	3.0	3.6	3.5	3.1	4.8	3.7
20.....	3.9	3.7	4.0	5.9	4.5	5.3	3.0	3.6	3.7	3.1	4.7	3.7
21.....	3.8	3.7	4.0	5.6	4.4	5.2	3.0	3.6	3.7	3.1	4.4	3.7
22.....	3.7	3.7	4.0	5.5	4.5	5.1	3.0	3.55	3.7	3.2	4.2	3.7
23.....	3.6	3.7	3.9	5.5	4.6	5.0	3.0	3.5	3.7	3.2	4.0	3.8
24.....	3.5	3.7	3.8	5.3	4.7	4.9	3.0	3.5	3.7	3.3	3.8	5.4
25.....	3.4	3.7	3.7	5.2	4.8	4.7	3.4	3.5	3.6	3.3	3.8	7.9
26.....	3.3	3.7	3.6	5.1	4.9	4.4	3.4	3.4	3.5	3.3	3.8	6.4
27.....	3.2	3.7	3.6	5.2	5.0	4.2	3.4	3.3	3.4	3.3	3.8	5.5
28.....	3.2	3.7	4.6	5.4	5.1	4.0	3.4	3.2	3.4	3.3	3.8	4.9
29.....	3.2	.....	6.9	5.7	5.3	4.0	3.4	3.2	3.5	3.3	4.5	4.6
30.....	3.2	.....	9.0	5.8	5.5	6.9	3.4	3.2	3.5	3.3	5.3	7.5
31.....	3.2	.....	8.3	.....	5.6	.....	3.4	3.2	.....	3.3	.....	4.7

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge probably not materially affected by ice during the winter months. There are no notes regarding effect from log jams, but it is probable that for short intervals during April to June there may have been some backwater from this cause.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Machias River at Whitneyville, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	642	161	343	3,010	1,720	1,560	1,070	191	161	260	191	1,070
2.....	814	161	343	2,200	1,720	1,560	937	161	161	260	191	875
3.....	1,000	161	322	1,800	1,640	1,490	755	146	161	260	191	642
4.....	1,350	161	300	1,420	1,560	1,560	642	132	191	224	161	642
5.....	1,210	343	300	1,070	1,490	1,640	534	132	224	224	161	642
6.....	937	387	300	1,420	1,420	1,720	482	132	260	208	161	698
7.....	698	433	280	1,800	1,420	1,800	387	132	260	191	161	755
8.....	587	482	224	1,800	1,490	2,040	300	132	260	191	191	755
9.....	587	482	224	1,800	1,560	2,200	260	118	224	191	224	814
10.....	587	482	208	1,720	1,560	2,290	224	105	224	534	260	875
11.....	587	482	191	1,640	1,560	2,120	224	105	224	433	300	755
12.....	534	482	161	1,560	1,490	1,960	224	105	224	482	300	698
13.....	482	433	161	1,490	1,420	1,800	224	105	224	433	260	642
14.....	482	433	161	1,350	1,350	1,800	224	81	224	300	224	534
15.....	433	387	161	2,200	1,280	1,800	208	105	224	224	482	482
16.....	482	343	161	2,650	1,210	1,720	191	132	224	161	814	433
17.....	482	343	300	2,470	1,140	1,640	161	161	224	132	1,000	387
18.....	482	343	433	2,290	1,070	1,490	132	191	224	132	1,000	343
19.....	482	343	482	1,960	875	1,350	105	300	260	132	937	343
20.....	433	343	482	1,720	755	1,280	105	300	343	132	875	343
21.....	387	343	482	1,490	698	1,210	105	300	343	132	698	343
22.....	343	343	482	1,420	755	1,140	105	280	343	161	587	343
23.....	300	343	433	1,420	814	1,070	105	260	343	161	482	387
24.....	260	343	387	1,280	875	1,000	105	260	343	191	387	1,350
25.....	224	343	343	1,210	937	875	224	260	300	191	387	3,380
26.....	191	343	300	1,140	1,000	698	224	224	260	191	387	2,120
27.....	161	343	300	1,070	587	587	224	191	224	191	387	1,420
28.....	161	343	814	1,350	1,140	482	224	161	224	191	387	1,000
29.....	161	.....	2,560	1,280	482	224	161	260	191	755	814	814
30.....	161	.....	4,580	1,640	1,420	2,560	224	161	260	191	1,280	3,100
31.....	161	.....	3,880	.....	1,490	.....	224	161	.....	191	.....	875

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a discharge rating curve well defined between 200 and 4,000 second-feet.

*Monthly discharge of Machias River at Whitneyville, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 465 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mille.		
January.....	1,350	161	510	1.10	1.27	B.
February.....	482	161	355	.763	.79	B.
March.....	4,580	161	648	1.39	1.60	B.
April.....	3,010	1,140	1,700	3.66	4.08	B.
May.....	1,720	698	1,260	2.71	3.12	B.
June.....	2,560	482	1,500	3.23	3.60	B.
July.....	1,070	105	302	.649	.75	B.
August.....	300	81	174	.374	.43	C.
September.....	343	161	247	.531	.59	C.
October.....	534	132	229	.492	.57	C.
November.....	1,280	161	461	.991	1.11	B.
December.....	3,380	343	899	1.93	2.22	B.
The year.....	4,580	81	690	1.48	20.13	

## UNION RIVER BASIN.

## UNION RIVER AT AMHERST, MAINE.

**Location.**—At highway bridge three-fourths mile west of Amherst post office on road to Bangor, about a mile below the highway bridge at the old tannery dam.

**Records available.**—July 25, 1909, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—140 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain, established June 2, 1910, and placed at same datum as old vertical gage nailed to log abutment.

**Channel.**—Gravel, but not liable to change except in an unusual flood.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from downstream side of the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—A few log-driving dams above the station, but the regimen of stream is only slightly affected by them.

**Accuracy.**—Relation between gage height and discharge is affected by ice and to a certain extent, but for short periods, by backwater from log jams. A good rating curve can probably be developed for periods during which the channel is open.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

*Discharge measurements of Union River at Amherst, Maine, in 1911.*

[F. E. Pressey, hydrographer.]

Date.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.	Date.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.
	<i>Fect.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>		<i>Fect.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Aug. 15.....	5.48	42	Sept. 28.....	5.76	68
15.....	5.48	40	28.....	5.76	70
Sept. 27.....	5.79	69	28.....	5.76	69
27.....	5.79	68	28.....	5.77	75
27.....	5.79	68	28.....	5.77	73
27.....	5.79	67	28.....	5.77	74
27.....	5.79	66	28.....	5.77	72
27.....	5.79	69	28.....	5.77	73
27.....	5.79	64	Oct. 19.....	5.40	37
27.....	5.79	66	19.....	5.40	38
27.....	5.79	72	19.....	5.38	38
27.....	5.79	72	19.....	5.38	38
27.....	5.79	72	19.....	5.32	34
28.....	5.76	70	19.....	5.32	32
28.....	5.76	68	19.....	5.31	32
			19.....	5.31	32

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Union River at Amherst, Maine, for 1911.*

[Floyd Sumner, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....		6.70	6.98	10.30	9.42	6.48	6.00	6.05	5.56	5.78	5.40	7.03
2.....					9.30	6.65	5.85	6.20	5.58	5.73	5.35	7.22
3.....					9.10	6.60	5.80	6.30	5.56	5.72	5.32	7.90
4.....	8.45	6.70	6.98		8.75	6.50	5.75	6.32	5.55	5.72	5.30	8.20
5.....				9.60	8.50	6.48	5.70	6.22	5.46	5.90	5.28	8.50
6.....					8.30	6.45	5.65	6.10	5.40	5.85	5.25	9.21
7.....	8.30				8.00	6.30	5.80	6.00	5.50	5.75	5.30	9.60
8.....		7.35	6.98	11.40	7.90	6.20	5.70	5.90	5.50	5.72	5.90	9.24
9.....					7.68	6.10	5.67	5.80	5.50	5.62	5.73	8.50
10.....				9.50	7.45	6.00	5.63	5.75	5.52	5.32	5.62	6.68
11.....	7.80	7.20	6.95	9.89	7.40	5.90	5.58	5.75	5.50	5.32	5.60	6.66
12.....				9.82	7.35	5.90	5.53	5.70	5.48	5.37	5.60	6.72
13.....				9.80	7.26	6.10	5.50	5.65	5.70	5.35	5.85	6.74
14.....	7.50			9.37	7.20	6.40	5.48	5.60	5.70	5.30	5.90	6.76
15.....		7.10	6.95	10.90	7.10	6.50	5.40	5.48	5.60	5.30	5.98	6.76
16.....				10.48	7.03	6.90	5.40	5.55	5.75	5.32	6.52	6.76
17.....				10.30	6.90	7.50	5.35	5.48	5.72	5.37	6.45	6.75
18.....	7.00	7.10	7.50	10.40	6.80	7.30	5.35	5.45	5.70	5.58	6.35	6.75
19.....				10.30	6.70	7.20	5.40	5.50	5.62	5.42	6.70	7.15
20.....				10.20	6.63	7.10	5.38	5.50	5.65	5.30	6.70	7.70
21.....	7.00			10.15	6.55	7.00	5.35	5.52	5.70	5.18	6.62	8.93
22.....		7.00	7.90	9.80	6.50	6.90	5.35	5.55	5.70	5.20	6.60	8.35
23.....				9.50	6.70	6.70	5.40	5.58	5.75	5.60	6.75	10.00
24.....				9.35	6.80	6.50	5.40	5.55	5.75	5.50	6.50	9.22
25.....	6.80	6.98	7.95	9.20	6.88	6.30	5.45	5.50	5.75	5.42	6.70	8.50
26.....				9.20	6.90	6.20	5.45	5.45	5.77	5.35	6.75	8.38
27.....				9.20	6.85	6.10	5.60	5.40	5.79	5.32	6.68	8.24
28.....	6.78			9.30	6.80	6.00	5.58	5.38	5.76	5.32	6.60	8.48
29.....			10.60	9.30	6.70	6.05	5.80	5.45	5.76	5.31	7.00	8.90
30.....				9.60	6.65	6.05	5.95	5.50	5.80	5.30	7.27	10.80
31.....					6.50		5.90	5.56		5.30		11.48

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice from Jan. 1 to Apr. 10. Much backwater was caused by ice jams during December. All gage readings during this period were probably to the water surface.

### GREEN LAKE AT GREEN LAKE, MAINE.

**Location.**—At highway bridge at head of lake, 600 feet from Green Lake railroad station.

**Records available.**—July 1, 1909, to December 31, 1911.

**Area of lake surface.**—4.43 square miles.

**Gage.**—Staff, nailed to log abutment of highway bridge. Record shows the fluctuation of the lake level.

**Cooperation.**—The cooperative observer is Mr. H. F. Lord, of Green Lake, Maine.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Green Lake at Green Lake, Maine, for 1911.*

[H. F. Lord, observer.]

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....		6.6	7.4	7.3	6.6	4.9	2.8	1.4	2.6
2.....		6.6	7.4	7.3	6.6	4.8	2.7	1.4	2.6
3.....		6.7	7.4	7.3	6.6	4.7	2.7	1.4	2.6
4.....		6.8	7.4	7.3	6.5	4.6	2.7	1.4	2.7
5.....		6.8	7.4	7.3	6.5	4.5	2.7	1.4	2.7
6.....		6.8	7.4	7.3	6.5	4.4	2.7	1.5	2.8
7.....		6.8	7.4	7.3	6.4	4.3	2.6	1.6	2.8
8.....		6.8	7.4	7.3	6.4	4.2	2.6	1.6	2.8
9.....	4.0	6.8	7.4	7.3	6.4	4.1	2.5	1.7	2.9
10.....	4.1	6.8	7.4	7.3	6.4	4.0	2.4	1.7	2.9
11.....	4.2	6.9	7.4	7.2	6.3	3.9	2.3	1.7	3.0
12.....	4.3	6.9	7.4	7.2	6.3	3.8	2.1	1.8	3.0
13.....	4.4	7.0	7.5	7.2	6.3	3.7	2.1	1.8	3.0
14.....	4.6	7.0	7.5	7.2	6.3	3.6	2.0	1.8	3.1
15.....	4.8	7.0	7.5	7.2	6.3	3.6	1.9	1.9	3.1



*Daily gage height, in feet, of Green Lake at Green Lake, Maine, for 1911—Continued.*

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
16.....	5.0	7.0	7.6	7.1	6.2	3.5	1.8	1.9	3.1
17.....	5.2	7.0	7.6	7.1	6.2	3.5	1.8	1.9	3.2
18.....	5.4	7.0	7.6	7.1	6.1	3.4	1.8	2.0	3.2
19.....	5.6	7.0	7.6	7.0	6.1	3.3	1.8	2.0	3.3
20.....	5.7	7.0	7.6	7.0	6.0	3.2	1.8	2.1	3.3
21.....	5.7	7.0	7.6	7.0	5.9	3.2	1.7	2.1	3.4
22.....	5.9	7.1	7.6	7.0	5.8	3.1	1.7	2.2	3.4
23.....	5.9	7.1	7.5	6.9	5.7	3.1	1.6	2.2	3.6
24.....	6.0	7.2	7.5	6.9	5.6	3.0	1.6	2.2	3.9
25.....	6.1	7.2	7.5	6.9	5.4	3.0	1.6	2.3	4.1
26.....	6.2	7.3	7.4	6.8	5.3	3.0	1.6	2.3	4.2
27.....	6.3	7.3	7.4	6.8	5.2	2.9	1.6	2.3	4.3
28.....	6.3	7.3	7.4	6.8	5.2	2.8	1.5	2.4	4.4
29.....	6.4	7.3	7.3	6.8	5.1	2.8	1.5	2.4	4.5
30.....	6.5	7.4	7.3	6.7	5.1	2.8	1.5	2.5	4.5
31.....	.....	7.4	.....	6.7	5.0	.....	1.4	.....	4.6

### GREEN LAKE STREAM AT LAKEWOOD, MAINE.

**Location.**—At highway bridge one-half mile below dam at outlet of Green Lake, one-half mile from Lakewood post office, and 8 miles from Ellsworth.

**Records available.**—July 1, 1909, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—47 square miles.

**Gage.**—Seven-foot staff, nailed to right-hand abutment, upstream side of bridge.

**Channel.**—Permanent; banks not subject to overflow.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from lower side of bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Ice does not exist every year at this station.

**Artificial control.**—The dam one-half mile above the station at the outlet of the lake controls the storage of the lake, and computation does not show the natural flow.

**Accuracy.**—Results believed to be good for the length of record.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

The following discharge measurement was made by F. E. Pressey:

July 27, 1911: Gage height, 2.73 feet; discharge, 51 second-feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Green Lake Stream at Lakewood, Maine, for 1911.*

[Martin A. Garland, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	2.40	2.30	3.05	2.38	2.85	2.50	2.70	3.20	2.90	2.70	2.70	2.40
2.....	2.40	2.30	3.02	2.40	2.85	2.50	2.70	3.20	3.30	2.70	2.45	2.38
3.....	2.40	2.30	3.00	2.40	2.85	2.50	2.70	3.20	3.30	2.70	2.45	2.38
4.....	2.40	3.40	2.98	2.42	2.82	2.50	2.70	2.70	3.30	2.70	2.45	2.35
5.....	2.40	3.40	2.98	2.42	2.80	2.50	2.70	2.70	3.30	3.20	2.45	2.35
6.....	2.40	3.40	2.90	2.45	2.80	2.52	2.70	2.70	3.30	3.20	2.45	2.35
7.....	2.40	3.40	2.90	2.45	2.80	2.55	2.70	2.70	3.30	3.20	2.45	2.35
8.....	2.40	3.38	2.90	2.48	2.80	2.55	2.70	2.70	3.30	3.20	2.45	2.35
9.....	2.40	3.35	2.90	2.50	2.80	2.55	2.70	2.70	3.25	3.20	2.45	2.35
10.....	2.40	3.32	2.88	2.50	2.50	2.55	2.70	2.70	3.22	3.20	2.45	2.35
11.....	2.30	3.30	2.88	2.50	2.50	2.55	2.70	2.70	3.20	3.20	2.45	2.35
12.....	2.30	3.30	2.85	2.50	2.50	2.65	2.70	2.70	3.20	3.20	2.45	2.35
13.....	2.30	2.85	2.85	2.50	2.50	2.65	2.70	2.70	3.20	3.20	2.45	2.35
14.....	2.30	2.40	2.82	2.52	2.50	2.65	2.70	2.70	3.20	3.20	2.45	2.32
15.....	2.30	2.40	2.82	2.52	2.50	2.65	2.70	2.70	3.20	2.40	2.45	2.35
16.....	2.30	2.40	2.82	2.55	2.50	2.65	2.70	2.70	3.20	2.40	2.45	2.32
17.....	2.30	3.20	2.80	2.58	2.50	2.65	2.70	2.70	3.20	2.40	2.45	2.32
18.....	2.30	3.20	2.80	2.80	2.50	2.65	2.70	2.70	3.18	2.40	2.45	2.32
19.....	2.30	3.20	2.80	2.85	2.50	2.65	2.70	3.00	3.15	2.40	2.45	2.32
20.....	2.30	3.20	2.80	2.88	2.50	2.65	2.70	3.00	3.15	2.90	2.45	2.32

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Green Lake Stream at Lakewood, Maine, for 1911—Contd.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
21.....	2.30	3.20	2.30	2.88	2.50	2.65	2.70	3.00	3.15	2.90	2.45	2.32
22.....	2.30	3.18	2.30	2.88	2.50	2.65	2.70	3.00	3.15	2.90	2.45	2.32
23.....	2.30	3.18	2.30	2.85	2.50	2.65	2.70	3.60	2.70	2.70	2.45	3.00
24.....	2.30	3.15	2.30	2.85	2.50	2.65	2.70	3.60	2.70	2.70	2.45	3.00
25.....	2.30	3.15	2.30	2.82	2.50	2.65	2.70	3.60	2.70	2.70	2.45	2.32
26.....	2.30	3.12	2.30	2.80	2.50	2.65	2.70	3.60	2.70	2.70	2.45	2.32
27.....	2.30	3.10	2.35	2.80	2.50	2.65	2.70	3.60	2.70	2.70	2.45	.....
28.....	2.30	3.08	2.38	2.80	2.50	2.68	2.70	2.90	2.70	2.70	2.45	.....
29.....	2.30	.....	2.38	2.80	2.50	2.70	3.20	2.90	2.70	2.70	2.40	.....
30.....	2.30	.....	2.38	2.80	2.50	2.70	3.20	2.90	2.70	2.70	2.40	.....
31.....	2.30	.....	2.40	.....	2.50	.....	3.20	2.90	.....	2.70	.....	.....

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge probably not materially affected by ice during the winter months, the fluctuation in stage being due almost entirely to controlled flow.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Green Lake Stream at Lakewood, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	19	12	108	18	70	28	49	146	77	49	49	19
2.....	19	12	101	19	70	28	49	146	177	49	24	18
3.....	19	12	96	19	70	28	49	146	177	49	24	18
4.....	19	211	92	21	65	28	49	49	177	49	24	16
5.....	19	211	92	21	62	28	49	49	177	146	24	16
6.....	19	211	77	24	62	30	49	49	177	146	24	16
7.....	19	211	77	24	62	33	49	49	177	146	24	16
8.....	19	204	77	26	62	33	49	49	177	146	24	16
9.....	19	194	77	28	62	33	49	49	162	146	24	16
10.....	19	184	74	28	28	33	49	49	152	146	24	16
11.....	12	177	74	28	28	33	49	49	146	146	24	16
12.....	12	177	70	28	28	44	49	49	146	146	24	16
13.....	12	70	70	28	28	44	49	49	146	146	24	16
14.....	12	19	65	30	28	44	49	49	146	146	24	13
15.....	12	19	65	30	28	44	49	49	146	19	24	16
16.....	12	19	65	33	28	44	49	49	146	19	24	13
17.....	12	146	62	36	28	44	49	49	146	19	24	13
18.....	12	146	62	62	28	44	49	49	141	19	24	13
19.....	12	146	62	70	28	44	49	96	132	19	24	13
20.....	12	146	62	74	28	44	49	96	132	77	24	13
21.....	12	146	12	74	28	44	49	96	132	77	24	13
22.....	12	141	12	74	28	44	49	96	132	77	24	13
23.....	12	141	12	70	28	44	49	288	49	49	24	96
24.....	12	132	12	70	28	44	49	288	49	49	24	96
25.....	12	132	12	65	28	44	49	288	49	49	24	13
26.....	12	123	12	62	28	44	49	288	49	49	24	13
27.....	12	119	16	62	28	44	49	288	49	49	24	13
28.....	12	114	18	62	28	47	49	77	49	49	24	13
29.....	12	.....	18	62	28	49	146	77	49	49	19	13
30.....	12	.....	18	62	28	49	146	77	49	49	19	13
31.....	12	.....	19	.....	28	.....	146	77	.....	49	.....	13

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a rating curve fairly well defined above about 20 second-feet Discharge Dec. 27 to 31 estimated.

*Monthly discharge of Green Lake Stream at Lakewood, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 47 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area.)	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	19	12	14.3	0.304	0.35	C.
February.....	211	12	128	2.72	2.83	B.
March.....	108	12	54.5	1.16	1.34	B.
April.....	74	18	43.7	.930	1.04	B.
May.....	70	28	38.7	.823	.95	B.
June.....	49	28	39.5	.840	.94	B.
July.....	146	49	58.4	1.24	1.43	B.
August.....	288	49	107	2.28	2.63	B.
September.....	177	49	124	2.64	2.94	B.
October.....	146	19	78.2	1.66	1.91	B.
November.....	49	19	24.5	.521	.58	B.
December.....	96	13	19.9	.423	.49	B.
The year.....	288	12	60.3	1.28	17.43	

**BRANCH LAKE NEAR ELLSWORTH, MAINE.**

**Location.**—Near the intake to the wheels of the Branch Pond Lumber Co.'s Mill, at the lower end of Branch Lake, in Ellsworth, Maine.

**Records available.**—June 29, 1909, to October 20, 1911.

**Area of lake surface.**—4.33 square miles.

**Gage.**—Datum unchanged. Readings indicate height of lake.

**Altitude.**—Altitude as determined by Geological Survey, 236 feet above sea level, and this height was assumed as the height of the water surface at the time of the Union River surface reconnaissance.<sup>1</sup> In accordance with this assumption, the top of the mill-pond dam at the lower end of the lake is 240 feet above sea level.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the Maine State Survey Commission.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Branch Lake near Ellsworth, Maine, for 1911.*

[H. B. Moor and L. H. Cushman, observers.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.
1.....	2.25	3.25	3.75	4.6	6.45	5.95	5.3	4.45	3.3	2.6
2.....	2.3	3.25	3.75	4.7	6.45	5.95	5.3	4.4	3.25	2.55
3.....	2.35	3.25	3.7	4.75	6.5	5.9	5.3	4.35	3.25	2.5
4.....	2.6	3.25	3.65	4.75	6.5	5.9	5.3	4.3	3.2	2.5
5.....	2.75	3.3	3.6	4.8	6.5	5.9	5.3	4.3	3.15	2.45
6.....	2.8	3.4	3.6	4.85	6.55	5.85	5.25	4.3	3.1	2.45
7.....	2.8	3.45	3.55	4.9	6.55	5.8	5.25	4.3	3.1	2.45
8.....	2.8	3.5	3.5	4.95	6.55	5.75	5.2	4.25	3.05	2.45
9.....	2.9	3.5	3.5	5.25	6.55	5.7	5.2	4.2	3.05	2.4
10.....	3.0	3.55	3.45	5.4	6.5	5.7	5.2	4.2	3.05	2.4
11.....	3.05	3.6	3.4	5.45	6.5	5.7	5.15	4.15	3.0	2.4
12.....	3.1	3.6	3.4	5.45	6.45	5.6	5.1	4.1	3.0	2.35
13.....	3.1	3.6	3.4	5.5	6.4	5.65	5.05	4.1	3.0	2.35
14.....	3.15	3.6	3.35	5.55	6.4	5.7	5.0	4.05	2.95	2.35
15.....	3.15	3.6	3.35	5.6	6.4	5.7	4.95	4.0	2.9	2.3
16.....	3.2	3.65	3.35	5.7	6.4	5.75	4.9	3.95	2.85	2.25
17.....	3.2	3.65	3.35	6.0	6.35	5.75	4.85	3.9	2.85	2.2
18.....	3.2	3.65	3.35	6.1	6.3	5.75	4.8	3.85	2.85	2.2
19.....	3.2	3.65	3.4	6.2	6.25	5.75	4.75	3.8	2.8	2.2
20.....	3.15	3.7	3.45	6.25	6.2	5.75	4.7	3.8	2.8	2.2

<sup>1</sup> Water-Supply Paper U. S. Geol. Survey No. 281, 1912, p. 64.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Branch Lake near Ellsworth, Maine, for 1911—Continued.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.
21.....	3.15	3.7	3.5	6.25	6.2	5.7	4.7	3.8	2.75	.....
22.....	3.15	3.7	3.5	6.3	6.15	5.65	4.65	3.7	2.75	.....
23.....	3.15	3.7	3.55	6.3	6.1	5.65	4.65	3.65	2.75	.....
24.....	3.15	3.7	3.55	6.35	6.1	5.6	4.6	3.6	2.75	.....
25.....	3.15	3.7	3.55	6.35	6.1	5.6	4.6	3.55	2.7	.....
26.....	3.15	3.7	3.55	6.4	6.1	5.5	4.6	3.5	2.7	.....
27.....	3.15	3.75	3.55	6.4	6.1	5.45	4.55	3.5	2.65	.....
28.....	3.15	3.75	3.65	6.4	6.1	5.4	4.5	3.45	2.65	.....
29.....	3.15	.....	4.0	6.4	6.05	5.35	4.55	3.4	2.65	.....
30.....	3.2	.....	4.25	6.45	6.0	5.3	4.55	3.3	2.65	.....
31.....	3.2	.....	4.5	.....	5.95	.....	4.5	3.3	.....	.....

### BRANCH LAKE STREAM NEAR ELLSWORTH, MAINE.

**Location.**—At small highway bridge immediately below the sawmill at outlet of Branch Lake, 5 miles from Ellsworth.

**Records available.**—July 1, 1909, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—31 square miles.

**Gage.**—Seven-foot staff nailed to right abutment downstream side of bridge. Lake levels are taken on 8½-foot staff nailed to corner of mill near intake of wheel.

**Channel.**—Gravelly and permanent in natural condition; fills up from sawmill waste, but generally clears itself during spring freshets.

**Discharge.**—Measurements are made from highway bridge. Discharge can be made from the detailed readings of the time and amount of opening of the gates of the wheels, but the actual discharge through the wheels is not computed. The mill records are simply used to determine the lengths of time that the readings on the gage at the bridge apply. The fluctuations of the levels of the lake as recorded on the lake gage are also used in a general way in computing the discharge at the station.

**Winter flow.**—Relation between gage height and discharge as a rule affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—The flow from the lake is regulated in the interest of the sawmill and power plants at Ellsworth.

**Accuracy.**—Results are uncertain largely because of the filling of the channel by sawdust.

**Cooperation.**—The cooperative observer is Mr. H. B. Moor at Ellsworth, Maine.

*Discharge measurements of Branch Lake Stream near Ellsworth, Maine, in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
July 27	F. E. Pressey.....	<i>Feet.</i> 4.95	<i>Sec.-ft.</i> 129
Oct. 2	do.....	4.80	108
2	do.....	4.80	107
Dec. 28	do.....	4.30	44
28	do.....	3.93	14
28	do.....	4.20	36

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Branch Lake Stream near Ellsworth, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	35	10	5	66	65	72	91	57	69	35	21	23
2.....	35	10	5	5	65	72	5	57	69	60	21	26
3.....	35	10	29	73	68	68	5	57	5	60	20	30
4.....	40	10	56	69	65	12	5	57	69	60	20	48
5.....	35	10	56	69	65	72	61	57	69	60	10	30
6.....	35	10	56	66	65	99	61	5	69	60	23	26
7.....	35	10	48	73	12	72	61	54	69	35	23	26
8.....	35	10	48	73	46	72	61	54	90	29	23	26
9.....	35	8	48	5	46	95	5	54	54	29	23	27
10.....	35	8	51	76	46	68	61	5	5	29	10	22
11.....	30	8	51	80	95	12	61	54	54	29	23	22
12.....	30	8	5	80	95	68	61	54	54	29	11	22
13.....	19	8	54	80	46	68	61	5	54	29	26	22
14.....	12	8	54	80	12	68	61	54	51	29	26	22
15.....	12	8	54	80	72	68	61	54	54	18	26	24
16.....	12	8	54	5	72	68	5	54	54	30	26	25
17.....	10	8	54	80	72	72	61	54	5	30	26	26
18.....	8	8	54	80	72	12	61	66	51	30	26	26
19.....	18	8	5	80	72	95	61	66	51	30	12	25
20.....	18	10	54	80	72	95	61	23	51	30	34	25
21.....	18	10	54	80	12	95	61	91	51	29	26	24
22.....	18	10	54	80	72	95	61	94	51	29	26	24
23.....	18	10	54	12	95	72	5	94	51	28	47	40
24.....	18	10	54	72	95	72	61	69	5	27	47	56
25.....	15	8	54	72	95	12	61	69	51	26	23	53
26.....	15	8	5	72	68	72	61	54	51	26	11	50
27.....	15	5	54	65	68	65	57	20	51	25	26	45
28.....	10	5	57	65	12	65	57	69	48	24	26	40
29.....	10	.....	60	65	72	95	57	94	48	24	30	35
30.....	10	.....	64	65	72	68	5	69	56	23	26	35
31.....	10	.....	57	.....	95	.....	57	69	.....	22	.....	35

NOTE.—Daily discharge computed from gage heights and observer's additional notes of time to which gage heights apply depending on the operation of the two units at the lumber mill above. Discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve.

*Monthly discharge of Branch Lake Stream near Ellsworth, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 31 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	40	8	22.0	0.710	0.82	C.
February.....	10	5	8.7	.281	.29	C.
March.....	64	5	45.4	1.46	1.68	C.
April.....	80	5	64.9	2.09	2.33	C.
May.....	95	12	63.8	2.06	2.38	C.
June.....	99	12	68.0	2.19	2.44	C.
July.....	91	5	48.8	1.57	1.81	C.
August.....	94	5	55.9	1.80	2.08	C.
September.....	90	5	50.3	1.62	1.81	C.
October.....	60	18	33.0	1.06	1.22	C.
November.....	47	10	23.9	.771	.86	C.
December.....	56	22	31.0	1.00	1.15	C.
The year.....	99	5	43.2	1.39	18.87	

## PENOBSCOT RIVER BASIN.

## WEST BRANCH OF PENOBSCOT RIVER AT MILLINOCKET, MAINE.

**Location.**—Quakish Lake dam and the Millinocket mill of the Great Northern Paper Co. at Millinocket, Maine.

**Records available.**—January 11, 1901, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—1,880 square miles.

**Gage.**—Automatic recording gage of the Friez type at Quakish Lake dam and gages in the forebay and tail races at the mill.

**Channel.**—Crest of concrete dam.

**Determination of discharge.**—The flow is computed by considering the flow of the dam, the flow through the wheels, and the water used from time to time through the log sluices, filters, etc. The wheels were rated at Holyoke, Mass., before being placed in position. As the head under which they work, averaging about 110 feet, is much greater than the head under which they were tested, numerous tube-float measurements of flow in the channel leading to the mill have been made by engineers of the company, in order to determine just how much water the mill used under different conditions of gate opening. In addition to this, a series of current meter measurements were made by the United States Geological Survey to check the float measurements. It is believed that by means of the various checks on measurements, the estimates of discharge through the wheels are excellent. When the flow of the river is less than 2,500 second feet, all of the water generally flows through the wheels of the mill.

**Winter flow.**—No difficulty is experienced in the winter on account of ice affecting the estimates of discharge or the running of the wheels. Ferguson Pond, just above the entrance to the canal, eliminates effect from anchor ice.

**Artificial control.**—Storage dams at the outlet of North Twin Lake and at the outlet of Chesuncook Lake store water on a surface of about 65 square miles with a capacity of about 32,000,000,000 cubic feet. Except during the time (usually in August), that excess water has to be supplied for log driving on the river below Millinocket, and for a short time during the spring freshet, run-off is regulated by storage.

**Accuracy.**—Results believed to be very good for a station of this type.

**Cooperation.**—Results obtained and computations made by engineers of the Great Northern Paper Co., who furnish these data to the Survey.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Penobscot River at Millinocket, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	a2,230	2,360	690	620	260	2,670	2,160	2,310	2,670	a2,030	2,260	2,120
2.....	1,940	2,360	690	a 620	2,200	2,670	a2,080	2,300	2,670	2,260	2,260	2,120
3.....	2,250	2,360	690	320	2,580	2,670	1,780	2,270	a1,910	2,260	2,260	a2,060
4.....	2,220	2,360	690	560	2,600	a2,670	1,770	2,360	1,760	2,260	2,260	2,120
5.....	2,120	a2,300	a 690	920	2,670	1,270	1,760	2,290	2,170	2,260	a2,050	2,120
6.....	2,170	1,420	680	1,350	2,660	2,670	2,330	a1,840	2,210	2,260	2,260	2,120
7.....	2,260	2,360	740	1,380	a2,660	2,670	2,320	2,250	2,220	2,260	2,260	2,120
8.....	a2,260	2,360	740	1,140	1,340	2,670	2,330	2,250	2,240	a2,030	2,260	1,990
9.....	2,040	2,080	740	a 970	2,710	2,670	a2,360	2,250	2,230	2,260	2,260	1,990
10.....	2,260	1,950	740	940	2,680	2,670	2,250	2,320	a1,800	2,260	2,260	a2,050
11.....	2,240	1,950	740	970	2,750	a2,670	2,360	2,370	2,260	2,260	2,260	1,990
12.....	2,240	a1,950	a 740	960	2,670	1,270	2,280	2,350	2,260	2,260	a2,000	1,990
13.....	2,240	1,400	460	560	2,670	2,670	2,330	a2,030	2,260	2,260	2,260	1,990
14.....	2,260	1,680	740	560	a2,670	2,670	2,320	2,460	2,260	2,260	2,260	1,990
15.....	a2,260	1,180	740	560	1,270	2,670	2,350	2,620	2,260	a2,030	2,260	1,990

a Sunday.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Penobscot River at Millinocket, Maine, for 1911—Con.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
16.....	1,940	1,380	740	$\alpha$ 970	2,670	2,670	$\alpha$ 2,280	2,640	2,260	2,260	2,130	1,990
17.....	2,260	1,260	740	440	2,630	2,670	1,860	2,650	$\alpha$ 1,840	2,260	2,120	$\alpha$ 2,090
18.....	2,260	850	740	1,370	2,630	$\alpha$ 2,670	2,250	2,400	2,260	2,260	2,100	2,000
19.....	2,260	$\alpha$ 690	$\alpha$ 740	1,380	2,670	1,270	2,280	2,460	2,260	2,260	$\alpha$ 2,050	2,000
20.....	2,260	430	520	1,380	2,670	2,260	2,260	$\alpha$ 1,820	2,260	2,260	2,120	2,000
21.....	2,250	690	730	1,380	$\alpha$ 2,660	2,260	2,360	2,260	2,260	2,260	2,120	2,000
22.....	$\alpha$ 2,210	690	730	1,380	1,270	2,260	2,360	2,250	2,260	$\alpha$ 1,830	2,120	2,000
23.....	1,960	690	730	$\alpha$ 1,120	2,670	2,260	$\alpha$ 2,290	2,250	2,260	2,260	2,120	2,000
24.....	2,260	690	730	340	2,670	2,260	2,110	2,250	$\alpha$ 1,910	2,260	2,120	$\alpha$ 2,110
25.....	2,260	690	730	1,380	2,670	$\alpha$ 2,260	2,370	2,250	2,260	2,260	2,120	2,190
26.....	2,260	$\alpha$ 690	$\alpha$ 730	1,780	2,630	1,220	2,370	2,200	2,260	2,260	$\alpha$ 1,790	2,050
27.....	2,260	430	450	1,800	2,670	2,260	2,370	$\alpha$ 2,000	2,260	2,260	2,120	2,050
28.....	2,160	690	620	1,800	$\alpha$ 2,670	2,260	2,370	2,250	2,260	2,260	2,120	2,050
29.....	$\alpha$ 2,260	.....	620	1,860	1,270	2,260	2,350	2,670	2,260	$\alpha$ 2,030	2,120	1,470
30.....	1,920	.....	620	$\alpha$ 2,100	2,670	2,260	$\alpha$ 2,320	2,670	2,240	2,260	2,120	1,580
31.....	2,260	.....	620	.....	2,670	.....	1,760	2,670	.....	2,260	.....	$\alpha$ 1,850

$\alpha$  Sunday.

*Monthly discharge of Penobscot River at Millinocket, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 1,880 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	2,260	1,920	2,190	1.16	1.34
February.....	2,360	430	1,430	.761	.79
March.....	740	450	687	.365	.42
April.....	2,100	320	1,100	.585	.65
May.....	2,750	260	2,390	1.27	1.46
June.....	2,670	1,220	2,340	1.24	1.38
July.....	2,370	1,760	2,220	1.18	1.36
August.....	2,670	1,820	2,320	1.23	1.42
September.....	2,670	1,760	2,210	1.18	1.32
October.....	2,260	1,880	2,220	1.18	1.36
November.....	2,260	1,790	2,160	1.15	1.28
December.....	2,190	1,470	2,010	1.07	1.23
The year.....	2,750	260	1,940	1.03	14.01

### PENOBSCOT RIVER AT WEST ENFIELD, MAINE.

**Location.**—At the steel highway bridge 1 mile below the village of West Enfield, Maine, and 1,000 feet below the mouth of Piscataquis River.

**Records available.**—January 1, 1902, to December 31, 1911; data published also in Annual Reports of the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—6,600 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Permanent; broken by four bridge piers; banks high and rocky and not subject to overflow.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—Flow of the river since about 1900 largely controlled by storage, principally in the lakes tributary to the West Branch. About 1 mile above the station is the dam of the International Paper Co., and the Piscataquis is dammed near its entrance into the Penobscot. Considerable water is held above these two dams at night. At low stages daily fluctuations in gage heights are caused by variations in wheel gate openings.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions favor the accurate determination of discharge; a fairly good discharge-rating curve has been developed.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the Maine State Water Storage Commission. Many of the discharge measurements are made by the students of the University of Maine under the direction of Prof. H. S. Boardman.

*Discharge measurements of Penobscot River at West Enfield, Maine, in 1911.*

[Made by University of Maine students under direction of Prof. H. S. Boardman.]

Date.	Gage height.	Dis-charge.	Date.	Gage height.	Dis-charge.
	<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Sept. 30.....	3.82	7,550	Oct. 14.....	2.44	4,230
30.....	3.82	7,670	14.....	2.44	4,130
Oct. 7.....	3.22	6,190	18.....	2.41	4,150
7.....	3.22	5,780	18.....	2.41	4,270

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Penobscot River at West Enfield, Maine, for 1911.*

[A. H. Hanson, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	3.8				10.8	4.55	3.65		3.3	3.65	2.9	5.75
2.....	3.75				10.9	4.75	3.45		3.2	3.5	2.9	5.3
3.....	3.8	4.2	3.3	5.1	10.85	4.9	3.35	2.9	2.55	3.35	2.7	4.45
4.....	4.15				10.35	4.6	3.05	2.8	2.75	3.35	2.7	4.3
5.....	4.3				9.4	4.15	2.9	2.6	3.05	3.3	2.25	4.15
6.....	4.45			5.3	8.3	4.2	3.0	2.6	3.05	3.25	2.25	4.35
7.....	4.65		3.1	5.95	7.0	4.25	3.6	2.3	3.2	3.25	2.35	4.25
8.....	4.55	4.5		6.3	6.6	4.15	3.5	2.25	3.35	2.8	2.9	4.3
9.....	4.4			6.7	6.5	3.85	3.2	2.2	3.35	2.4	3.4	4.45
10.....	4.4	4.3	3.0	7.0	6.85	3.6	2.95	2.3	3.2	2.5	3.25	4.15
11.....	4.35			7.15	6.55	3.55	2.9	2.5	3.05	2.55	3.15	4.15
12.....	4.2			7.45	6.35	3.25	3.0	2.3	3.3	2.4	3.2	4.35
13.....	4.2			7.35	6.2	3.65	3.0	2.15	3.1	2.5	2.9	4.75
14.....	4.15	4.2	2.9	7.8	5.95	4.5	2.9	1.95	3.15	2.3	2.8	7.55
15.....	3.95			9.3	5.35	4.65	2.85	2.2	3.15	2.1	3.3	7.15
16.....	3.75			9.45	5.3	4.65	2.6	2.55	3.0	2.1	4.0	6.55
17.....		3.8	3.3	9.6	5.2	4.45	2.65	2.6	2.9	2.1	3.7	5.8
18.....				9.5	4.9	4.65	2.8	2.75	2.95	2.45	3.6	5.25
19.....				9.45	4.85	4.8	2.9	2.95	3.05	2.5	3.4	5.35
20.....	5.0			9.2	4.7	4.75	2.85	3.15	3.15	2.6	3.3	4.7
21.....		3.4	3.4	9.05	4.4	4.6	2.85	3.35	3.1	2.6	3.8	4.9
22.....				8.55	4.3	4.5	2.9	3.4	3.05	2.8	3.7	4.8
23.....				8.0	4.55	4.15	2.85	3.05	3.15	3.05	3.4	4.7
24.....	4.3	3.6	3.4	7.4	4.55	3.9	2.8	3.1	3.15	3.15	3.3	6.25
25.....				7.75	4.3	3.65	2.85	2.95	3.2	3.5	3.2	7.65
26.....				8.2	4.05	3.1	2.8	2.8	3.35	3.3	3.15	7.5
27.....	4.4			8.7	4.25	3.25		2.7	3.55	3.3	2.8	7.15
28.....		3.2	3.6	9.5	3.85	3.6		2.65	3.85	3.3	2.8	6.75
29.....				10.1	3.75	3.6		2.9	4.05	2.7	3.75	6.05
30.....				10.65	4.05	3.5		3.25	3.85	2.55	4.7	5.35
31.....	4.3		4.4		4.3			3.35		2.7		5.0

NOTE.—The relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice from Jan. 1 to Apr. 15. Probably not affected by backwater from ice during December. Gage heights were to water surface.



*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Penobscot River at West Enfield, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....		38,600	9,570	7,040	5,130	6,140	7,040	5,190	13,500
2.....		39,200	10,200	6,520	5,160	5,890	6,650	5,190	12,000
3.....		38,900	10,700	6,260	5,190	4,390	6,260	4,730	9,270
4.....		36,000	9,720	5,540	4,960	4,840	6,260	4,730	8,830
5.....		30,400	8,400	5,190	4,500	5,540	6,140	3,740	8,400
6.....		24,400	8,540	5,420	4,500	5,540	6,020	3,740	8,980
7.....		18,400	8,680	6,910	3,840	5,890	6,020	3,950	8,680
8.....		16,800	8,400	6,850	3,740	6,260	4,960	5,190	8,830
9.....		16,400	7,580	5,890	3,630	6,260	4,060	6,390	9,270
10.....		17,800	6,910	5,300	3,840	5,890	4,280	6,020	8,400
11.....		16,600	6,780	5,190	4,280	5,540	4,390	5,770	8,400
12.....		15,800	6,020	5,420	3,840	6,140	4,060	5,890	8,980
13.....		15,200	7,040	5,420	3,530	5,650	4,280	5,190	10,200
14.....		14,300	9,420	5,190	3,140	5,770	3,840	4,960	20,800
15.....		12,100	9,880	5,080	3,630	5,770	3,430	6,140	19,100
16.....	30,700	12,000	9,880	4,500	4,390	5,420	3,430	7,980	16,600
17.....	31,600	11,600	9,270	4,620	4,500	5,190	3,430	7,170	13,700
18.....	31,000	10,700	9,880	4,960	4,840	5,300	4,170	6,910	11,800
19.....	30,700	10,500	10,300	5,190	5,300	5,540	4,280	6,390	12,100
20.....	29,300	10,000	10,200	5,080	5,770	5,770	4,500	6,140	10,000
21.....	28,400	9,120	9,720	5,080	6,260	5,650	4,500	7,440	10,700
22.....	25,700	8,830	9,420	5,190	6,390	5,540	4,960	7,170	10,300
23.....	23,000	9,570	8,400	5,080	5,540	5,770	5,540	6,390	10,000
24.....	20,200	8,570	7,710	4,960	5,650	5,770	5,770	6,140	15,400
25.....	21,800	8,890	7,040	5,080	5,300	5,890	6,650	5,890	21,300
26.....	23,900	8,120	5,650	4,960	4,960	6,260	6,140	5,770	20,600
27.....	26,500	8,680	6,020	4,990	4,730	6,780	6,140	4,960	19,100
28.....	31,000	7,580	6,910	5,020	4,620	7,840	6,140	4,960	17,400
29.....	34,400	7,300	6,910	5,040	5,190	8,120	4,730	7,300	14,600
30.....	37,800	8,120	6,650	5,070	6,020	7,580	4,390	10,000	12,100
31.....		8,890		5,100	6,260		4,730		11,000

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve.

*Monthly discharge of Penobscot River at West Enfield, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 6,600 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			5,000	0.758	0.87	D.
February.....			3,500	.530	.55	D.
March.....			3,900	.591	.68	D.
April.....	37,800		20,100	3.05	3.40	B.
May.....	39,200	7,300	16,100	2.44	2.81	A.
June.....	10,700	5,650	8,390	1.27	1.42	A.
July.....	7,040	4,500	5,390	.817	.94	A.
August.....	6,390	3,140	4,790	.728	.84	A.
September.....	8,120	4,390	5,930	.898	1.00	A.
October.....	7,040	3,430	5,070	.768	.89	A.
November.....	10,000	3,740	5,910	.895	1.00	A.
December.....	21,300	8,400	12,600	1.91	2.20	A.
The year.....	39,200		8,110	1.23	16.60	

NOTE.—Discharge Jan. 1 to Apr. 15 estimated by means of climatologic records and consideration of the relative rate of run-off from other drainages in northern Maine.  
Mean discharge Apr. 1 to 15 estimated 11,900 second-feet, ranging from about 7,000 to about 27,000 second-feet.

**EAST BRANCH OF PENOBSCOT RIVER AT GRINDSTONE, MAINE.**

**Location.**—Bangor & Aroostook Railroad bridge one-half mile south of railroad station at Grindstone, one-eighth mile above Grindstone Falls, and about 8 miles above the mouth at Medway.

**Records available.**—October 23, 1902, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—1,100 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Permanent; stream confined by abutments of bridge and broken by one pier at ordinary stages; velocity of current medium at moderate and high stages but sluggish at low water.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the railroad bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—Several dams are maintained at the outlets of a number of lakes and ponds near the source of the river and regulated in the interests of log driving. During the summer and fall gates are generally left open. The basin of the East Branch since about 1840 includes about 270 square miles of additional territory draining into Chamberlain Lake that formerly drained into the St. John River basin. This diversion is made through what is known as the Telos Canal.

**Accuracy.**—The relation between gage height and discharge is materially affected by backwater from log jams that form at the station and at Grindstone Falls immediately below and during the winter months by ice. Results believed to be fair for moderate and high stages, but uncertain for low water.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

The following discharge measurement was made by F. E. Pressey:

July 19, 1911: Gage height, 5.00 feet; discharge, 622 second-feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of East Branch of Penobscot River at Grindstone, Maine, for 1911.*

[George H. Goddard, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....		4.70			9.38	6.30	6.52	5.25	4.88	5.90	4.72	.....
2.....			4.60		9.70	6.00	6.50	5.20	4.82	5.80	4.60	.....
3.....					9.82	5.75	6.45	5.08	5.00	5.70	4.60	.....
4.....	5.20				9.15	5.85	6.32	4.98	5.00	5.70	4.55	.....
5.....				5.80	8.05	6.65	6.20	4.90	4.92	5.70	4.50	.....
6.....					7.10	6.95	6.15	4.90	4.95	5.58	4.50	5.70
7.....					6.70	6.85	6.02	4.88	4.45	5.40	4.82	.....
8.....		4.70			6.70	6.12	5.90	4.85	5.15	5.25	5.08	.....
9.....			4.60		6.95	5.12	5.78	4.80	4.88	5.10	5.20	.....
10.....					6.80	5.10	5.65	4.78	4.72	4.75	5.20	.....
11.....	5.00				6.65	5.10	5.52	4.12	4.70	4.52	5.25	5.80
12.....				6.40	6.68	6.15	5.40	4.10	4.60	4.50	5.48	.....
13.....					6.80	6.55	5.30	4.10	4.70	4.50	5.72	.....
14.....			4.70		6.80	5.75	5.25	4.10	4.62	4.50	5.95	6.90
15.....					6.72	5.60	5.18	4.05	4.82	4.60	5.98	.....
16.....		4.70			6.52	5.60	5.10	4.65	4.90	4.50	5.90	.....
17.....					6.42	6.50	5.02	4.78	4.90	4.45	5.68	6.50
18.....	4.85				6.50	7.08	5.00	4.55	4.80	4.42	5.58	.....
19.....				7.75	6.45	7.05	5.00	4.80	4.62	4.48	5.50	.....
20.....				7.45	6.35	6.92	4.92	5.68	4.60	4.58	5.50	6.10

*Daily gage height, in feet, of East Branch of Penobscot River at Grindstone, Maine, for 1911—Continued.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
21.....				7.05	6.30	6.90	4.95	5.20	4.60	4.60	5.38	.....
22.....			4.80	6.80	7.25	6.80	4.95	4.90	4.60	4.68	5.18	.....
23.....				6.55	7.60	6.20	4.92	4.75	4.70	4.85	5.10	.....
24.....		4.70		6.42	6.90	5.35	4.90	4.58	4.70	5.00	5.10	.....
25.....				6.85	5.90	5.20	4.90	4.50	4.75	5.05	5.10	.....
26.....	4.75			7.32	5.80	5.55	4.88	4.85	5.30	5.00	5.05	6.70
27.....				7.60	5.70	6.78	4.80	5.00	5.90	4.98	.....	.....
28.....				8.20	5.70	6.45	4.72	5.00	6.00	4.90	.....	7.20
29.....				8.75	5.70	6.70	4.95	5.10	5.90	4.85	5.80	.....
30.....			6.30	9.10	6.45	6.62	5.15	5.05	5.90	4.80	.....	.....
31.....					6.80	.....	5.30	4.92	.....	4.80	.....	7.00

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice from Jan. 1 to Apr. 18 and from Nov. 26 to Dec. 31. Gage heights during these periods were probably to water surface. There is no record regarding log driving. Relation of gage height to discharge was probably not materially affected by logs during the year.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of East Branch of Penobscot River at Grindstone, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
1.....		8,480	2,120	2,480	790	549	1,520	465
2.....		9,250	1,660	2,450	750	516	1,380	405
3.....		9,550	1,320	2,360	668	620	1,250	405
4.....		7,930	1,450	2,150	608	620	1,250	382
5.....		5,440	2,700	1,960	560	572	1,250	360
6.....		3,510	3,230	1,880	560	590	1,110	360
7.....		2,790	3,050	1,690	549	338	920	516
8.....		2,790	1,840	1,520	532	715	790	668
9.....		3,230	694	1,350	505	549	680	750
10.....		2,960	680	1,190	495	465	480	750
11.....		2,700	680	1,040	216	455	369	790
12.....		2,760	1,880	920	210	405	360	1,000
13.....		2,960	2,540	830	210	455	360	1,280
14.....		2,960	1,320	790	210	415	360	1,590
15.....		2,820	1,130	736	198	516	360	1,630
16.....		2,480	1,130	680	430	560	360	1,520
17.....		2,310	2,450	632	495	560	338	1,230
18.....		2,450	3,470	620	382	505	324	1,110
19.....	4,800	2,360	3,420	620	505	415	351	1,020
20.....	4,190	2,200	3,180	572	1,230	405	396	1,020
21.....	3,410	2,120	3,140	590	750	405	405	902
22.....	2,960	3,800	2,960	590	560	405	445	736
23.....	2,540	4,490	1,960	572	480	455	532	680
24.....	2,310	3,140	875	560	396	455	620	680
25.....	3,050	1,520	750	560	360	480	650	680
26.....	3,930	1,380	1,080	549	532	830	620	680
27.....	4,490	1,250	2,930	505	620	1,520	608	600
28.....	5,770	1,250	2,360	465	620	1,660	560	550
29.....	7,000	1,250	2,790	590	680	1,520	532	1,380
30.....	7,810	2,360	2,650	715	650	1,520	505	1,200
31.....		2,960	.....	830	572	.....	505	.....

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a discharge rating curve fairly well defined between 400 and 10,000 second-feet. Discharge Nov. 27, 28, and 30 estimated.

*Monthly discharge of East Branch of Penobscot River at Grindstone, Maine, for 1911.*[Drainage area, <sup>a</sup> 1,100 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			450	0.409	0.47	D.
February.....			350	.318	.33	D.
March.....			500	.455	.52	D.
April.....	7,810		2,850	2.59	2.89	C.
May.....	9,550	1,250	3,470	3.15	3.63	A.
June.....	3,470	680	2,050	1.86	2.08	A.
July.....	2,480	465	1,060	.964	1.11	A.
August.....	1,230	198	527	.479	.55	A.
September.....	1,660	338	649	.590	.66	A.
October.....	1,520	324	651	.592	.68	A.
November.....	1,630	360	832	.756	.84	A.
December.....			1,230	1.12	1.29	D.
The year.....			1,220	1.11	15.05	

<sup>a</sup> Includes Chamberlain Lake drainage area of 270 square miles.

NOTE.—Discharge Jan. 1 to Apr. 18 and Nov. 27-28 and Nov. 30 to Dec. 31 estimated by means of climatologic records, comparison of the discharge at other stations in northern Maine, and consideration of the observer's notes regarding ice.

Mean discharge Apr. 1 to 18 estimated 1,840 second-feet.

**MATTAWAMKEAG RIVER AT MATTAWAMKEAG, MAINE.**

**Location.**—At Maine Central Railroad bridge at the village of Mattawamkeag, half a mile above the mouth of the river.

**Records available.**—August 26, 1902, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—1,500 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Permanent; broken by two bridge piers.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge, which is slightly oblique to the current; low-water measurements made by wading at a point about 1 mile above the station.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—Dams are maintained at the outlets of several of the large lakes and ponds, but the stored water is used only for log driving.

**Accuracy.**—Relation between gage height and discharge is at times affected by back-water from log jams that form during short periods in the log-driving season, and, during the winter months, by ice. A very good open-channel discharge rating curve has been developed.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

The following discharge measurement was made by F. E. Pressey:

October 3, 1911: Gage height, 4.48 feet; discharge, 1,170 second-feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Mattawamkeag River at Mattawamkeag, Maine, for 1911.*

[W. T. Mincher, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....				7.0	9.25	5.0	4.1	3.3	4.3	4.8	4.15	6.2
2.....					9.55	5.25	3.9	3.4	4.3	4.7	4.1	6.3
3.....					9.35	5.2	3.8	3.5	4.3	4.6	4.05	6.4
4.....			5.5	5.5	9.15	5.3	3.7	3.5	4.25	4.5	4.0	6.5
5.....					8.7	5.4	3.7	3.4	4.2	4.4	4.0	6.4
6.....					8.35	5.5	3.7	3.4	4.1	4.4	4.0	6.15
7.....	5.8				8.15	5.5	3.7	3.3	4.0	4.3	4.0	5.9
8.....				7.8	7.7	5.4	3.6	3.2	3.9	4.3	4.25	5.8
9.....					7.3	5.4	3.5	3.2	3.9	4.25	4.45	5.6
10.....					6.85	6.4	3.5	3.2	3.9	4.2	4.5	5.6
11.....			5.6	5.7	6.65	5.5	3.4	3.2	4.0	4.2	4.5	5.5
12.....					6.5	5.5	3.3	3.3	4.0	4.1	4.5	5.4
13.....					7.7	6.4	5.75	3.3	3.2	4.1	4.05	4.6
14.....	5.8				7.7	6.4	5.9	3.2	3.1	4.1	4.0	4.7
15.....					7.85	6.1	5.95	3.3	3.0	4.1	4.0	4.85
16.....					8.3	6.0	5.7	3.2	3.1	4.2	3.9	5.25
17.....					8.6	5.9	5.4	3.1	3.1	4.1	3.8	5.4
18.....			5.3	5.9	8.7	5.65	5.3	3.0	3.1	4.1	3.8	5.4
19.....					8.9	5.5	5.2	3.0	3.45	4.0	3.7	5.3
20.....					9.15	5.6	5.1	3.1	3.75	4.0	3.8	5.3
21.....	5.3				8.9	5.6	5.0	3.1	4.2	4.0	3.9	5.2
22.....					8.8	5.5	4.9	3.2	4.1	3.9	5.1	6.55
23.....					8.7	5.5	4.8	3.1	4.1	4.15	5.0	6.7
24.....					8.5	5.5	4.7	3.0	4.1	4.4	4.9	6.95
25.....			5.4	6.0	8.4	5.5	4.5	3.0	4.2	4.5	4.8	7.45
26.....					8.25	5.4	4.3	3.1	3.95	4.2	4.6	4.9
27.....					8.1	5.3	4.2	3.2	4.1	4.45	4.6	5.1
28.....					8.3	5.3	4.2	3.2	4.1	4.75	4.5	5.4
29.....	5.4				8.85	5.2	4.3	3.2	4.2	4.75	4.6	5.75
30.....					9.05	5.1	4.2	3.3	4.2	4.75	4.45	6.05
31.....					4.9	.....	.....	3.3	4.3	4.2	.....	7.0

NOTE.—The relation of gage height to discharge was affected by ice from Jan. 1 to Apr. 12. Probably not affected by backwater from ice during December. Gage heights to water surface.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Mattawamkeag River at Mattawamkeag, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....		10,400	1,690	736	295	906	1,440	777	3,520
2.....		11,200	2,020	590	334	906	1,320	736	3,710
3.....		10,700	1,950	525	375	906	1,210	698	3,900
4.....		10,100	2,080	470	375	862	1,100	660	4,090
5.....		8,980	2,220	470	334	818	1,000	660	3,900
6.....		8,110	2,360	470	334	736	1,000	660	3,430
7.....		7,630	2,360	470	295	660	906	660	2,980
8.....		6,580	2,220	420	258	590	906	862	2,820
9.....		5,700	2,220	375	258	590	862	1,050	2,500
10.....		4,780	2,220	375	258	590	818	1,100	2,500
11.....		4,380	2,360	334	286	660	818	1,160	2,360
12.....		4,090	2,360	295	295	660	736	1,100	2,220
13.....	6,580	3,900	2,740	295	258	736	698	1,210	2,740
14.....	6,580	3,900	2,980	258	223	736	660	1,320	3,520
15.....	6,920	3,340	3,070	286	190	736	660	1,500	5,180
16.....	7,990	3,160	2,660	258	223	818	590	2,020	5,490
17.....	8,730	2,980	2,220	223	223	736	525	2,220	5,180
18.....	8,980	2,580	2,080	190	223	736	525	2,220	4,580
19.....	9,490	2,360	1,950	190	334	660	470	2,080	4,980
20.....	10,100	2,500	1,820	223	498	660	525	2,080	3,900

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Mattawamkeag River at Mattawamkeag, Maine, for 1911—Continued.*

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
21.....	9,490	2,500	1,690	223	818	660	590	1,950	3,900
22.....	9,230	2,360	1,560	258	779	736	590	1,820	4,180
23.....	8,980	2,360	1,440	223	741	786	777	1,660	4,480
24.....	8,480	2,360	1,320	190	702	736	1,000	1,560	4,980
25.....	8,230	2,360	1,100	190	664	818	1,100	1,440	6,030
26.....	7,870	2,220	906	223	625	818	1,210	1,560	6,580
27.....	7,510	2,080	818	258	736	1,050	1,210	1,820	6,360
28.....	7,990	2,080	818	258	736	1,380	1,100	2,220	5,810
29.....	9,360	1,950	906	258	818	1,380	1,210	2,740	5,490
30.....	9,880	1,820	818	295	818	1,380	1,050	3,250	5,280
31.....		1,560		295	906		818		5,080

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve.

*Monthly discharge of Mattawamkeag River at Mattawamkeag, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 1,500 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			1,100	0.733	0.85	D.
February.....			800	.533	.56	D.
March.....			1,200	.800	.92	D.
April.....	10,100		6,530	4.35	4.85	C.
May.....	11,200	1,560	4,550	3.03	3.49	A.
June.....	3,070	818	1,900	1.27	1.42	A.
July.....	736	190	327	.218	.25	A.
August.....	906	190	458	.305	.35	A.
September.....	1,380	590	813	.542	.60	A.
October.....	1,440	470	885	.590	.68	A.
November.....	3,250	660	1,490	.993	1.11	A.
December.....	6,580	2,220	4,220	2.81	3.24	A.
The year.....	11,200	190	2,030	1.35	18.32	

NOTE.—Discharge Jan. 1 to Apr. 12 estimated by means of climatologic records and discharge from adjacent drainages. Mean discharge Apr. 1 to 12, estimated, 3,620 second-feet.

### PISCATAQUIS RIVER NEAR FOXCROFT, MAINE.

**Location.**—At Low's highway bridge about halfway between Guilford and Foxcroft, three-fourths mile above the mouth of Black Stream and 3 miles below Mill Stream.

**Records available.**—August 17, 1902, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—286 square miles.

**Gage.**—Staff, attached to left abutment of bridge; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Permanent; banks high and overflowed only during extreme floods.

**Discharge measurements.**—At medium and high stages made from the bridge; at low stages made by wading either above or below the bridge, where the bed is of fine gravel but the velocity greater than at the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice during some years.

**Artificial control.**—The stream is used to develop power at several manufacturing plants above the station.

**Accuracy.**—The relation between gage height and discharge at low stages is considerably affected by the irregular use of the water at the mills; during some winters it is also affected by ice; little if any affected by backwater from log jams, as little log driving is now done on the river. A very good rating curve has been developed for medium stages, but the curve for high and low stages is not yet accurately defined.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

The following discharge measurement was made by F. E. Pressey:  
August 3, 1911: Gage height, 2.67 feet; discharge, 275 second-feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Piscataquis River near Foxcroft, Maine, for 1911.*

[A. F. D. Harlow, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	2.4	3.25	2.75	5.25	6.2	2.3	2.3	2.55	1.95	1.9	2.6	3.3
2.....	2.2	3.25	2.75	5.2	6.05	3.05	1.5	2.2	2.0	1.95	2.45	3.2
3.....	2.5	3.35	2.75	5.0	5.65	2.95	1.5	2.2	2.0	1.95	2.45	3.15
4.....	2.75	3.3	2.75	4.95	5.1	2.75	1.5	2.05	1.95	2.25	2.35	3.25
5.....	2.75	3.0	2.75	4.65	4.6	2.55	1.65	1.95	1.95	2.2	1.95	3.45
6.....	2.85	3.1	2.75	4.5	4.4	2.45	1.75	1.9	1.95	2.2	2.35	3.35
7.....	3.1	3.05	2.85	4.3	4.4	2.0	1.75	1.85	1.95	2.15	3.1	3.1
8.....	3.25	3.35	2.85	5.55	4.35	2.0	1.75	1.85	1.95	1.95	3.6	3.0
9.....	3.25	3.1	2.95	5.4	4.05	1.95	1.75	1.85	1.95	1.95	3.4	2.9
10.....	3.2	3.1	2.75	5.05	3.9	1.85	1.75	1.9	1.8	1.95	3.25	2.9
11.....	3.15	3.1	2.75	5.1	3.9	1.85	1.75	1.9	1.9	1.95	3.25	2.95
12.....	2.75	3.0	2.65	5.15	3.85	1.85	1.65	1.9	1.9	1.95	2.7	4.45
13.....	2.75	3.1	2.65	5.15	3.5	2.25	1.65	1.85	1.9	2.05	3.6	4.8
14.....	2.95	3.1	2.75	5.75	3.4	2.4	1.65	1.85	1.9	2.05	3.7	5.45
15.....	2.9	3.25	2.75	7.25	2.95	3.05	1.65	1.9	1.9	1.9	3.25	5.1
16.....	2.95	3.25	2.75	7.6	2.95	2.8	1.65	1.9	1.9	1.95	3.25	4.45
17.....	2.85	3.25	2.75	6.7	2.8	2.65	1.5	1.75	2.0	1.95	3.6	3.7
18.....	2.75	3.25	2.75	6.7	2.8	2.65	1.5	1.7	2.05	1.95	3.2	3.7
19.....	2.8	2.65	2.0	5.65	2.75	2.55	1.5	1.7	2.05	2.0	3.1	3.7
20.....	3.0	2.8	2.6	5.5	2.65	2.3	1.5	1.7	2.1	2.35	3.15	3.55
21.....	2.95	2.8	2.6	5.0	2.6	2.3	1.5	1.8	2.1	2.7	3.2	3.45
22.....	2.8	2.85	2.6	4.3	2.6	2.25	1.5	1.8	2.0	2.7	3.1	3.6
23.....	2.75	2.95	2.6	4.05	2.5	2.25	1.5	1.95	1.9	3.15	3.05	4.25
24.....	2.75	2.95	2.6	4.25	2.35	2.25	2.0	1.95	1.8	2.95	3.05	4.85
25.....	3.05	2.95	2.6	4.35	2.35	2.65	1.9	1.95	1.75	2.8	3.05	4.55
26.....	3.05	1.95	2.5	4.35	2.3	2.65	1.75	1.75	1.75	2.2	3.05	4.15
27.....	3.25	2.95	3.1	6.0	2.3	2.65	1.8	1.5	2.0	2.2	3.05	3.8
28.....	3.15	2.75	3.55	6.2	1.9	2.65	2.15	2.15	2.1	2.25	3.05	3.85
29.....	2.8	.....	4.35	6.45	1.9	2.65	2.25	2.15	1.95	2.25	3.85	5.45
30.....	3.0	.....	4.7	6.45	1.9	2.65	2.45	2.15	1.95	2.25	4.0	6.05
31.....	2.85	.....	5.25	.....	1.9	.....	2.8	2.15	.....	2.25	.....	5.85

NOTE.—The relation of gage height to discharge was probably affected by ice from about Jan. 1 to Apr. 14 and from about Dec. 28 to 31. Gage readings are assumed to have been taken to water surface.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Piscataquis River near Foxcroft, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	.....	4,340	123	123	199	58	51	220	638
2.....	.....	4,060	470	19	100	64	58	163	569
3.....	.....	3,350	405	19	100	64	58	163	536
4.....	.....	2,490	292	19	72	58	111	135	604
5.....	.....	1,840	199	28	58	58	100	58	746
6.....	.....	1,620	163	36	51	58	100	135	674
7.....	.....	1,620	64	36	46	58	90	502	502
8.....	.....	1,560	64	36	46	58	58	858	437
9.....	.....	1,260	58	36	46	58	58	709	374
10.....	.....	1,110	46	36	51	40	58	604	374

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Piscataquis River near Foxcroft, Maine, for 1911—Con.*

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
11.		1,110	46	36	51	51	58	604	405
12.		1,070	46	28	51	51	58	267	1,670
13.		782	111	28	46	51	72	858	2,080
14.		709	148	28	46	51	72	938	3,020
15.	6,330	405	470	28	51	51	51	604	2,490
16.	7,010	405	318	28	51	51	58	604	1,670
17.	5,270	318	243	19	36	64	58	858	938
18.	5,270	318	243	19	31	72	58	569	938
19.	3,350	292	199	19	31	72	64	502	938
20.	3,100	243	123	19	31	81	135	536	820
21.	2,350	220	123	19	40	81	267	569	746
22.	1,510	220	111	19	40	64	267	502	858
23.	1,260	180	111	19	58	51	536	470	1,460
24.	1,460	135	111	64	58	40	405	470	2,150
25.	1,560	135	243	51	58	36	318	470	1,780
26.	1,560	123	243	36	36	36	100	470	1,350
27.	3,970	123	243	40	19	64	100	470	1,020
28.	4,340	51	243	90	90	81	111	470	800
29.	4,800	51	243	111	90	58	111	1,070	600
30.	4,800	51	243	163	90	58	111	1,210	500
31.		51		318	90		111		500

NOTE.—The daily discharge is determined from a rating curve well defined between about 20 and 4,000 second-feet. Discharge Dec. 28 to 31 estimated.

*Monthly discharge of Piscataquis River near Foxcroft, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 286 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			150	0.524	0.60	D.
February.....			120	.420	.44	D.
March.....			250	.874	1.01	D.
April.....	7,010		2,300	8.04	8.97	C.
May.....	4,340	51	976	3.41	3.93	A.
June.....	470	46	192	.671	.75	A.
July.....	318	19	50.6	.177	.20	B.
August.....	199	19	60.1	.210	.24	B.
September.....	81	36	57.9	.202	.23	B.
October.....	536	51	125	.437	.50	A.
November.....	1,210	58	535	1.87	2.09	A.
December.....	3,020	374	1,040	3.64	4.20	B.
The year.....	7,010	19	488	1.71	23.16	

NOTE.—Discharge Jan. 1 to Apr. 14 and Dec. 28 to 31 estimated by means of climatologic records and the discharge from adjacent drainage basins. Mean discharge Apr. 1 to 14 estimated 800 second-feet.

**KENDUSKEAG STREAM NEAR BANGOR, MAINE.**

**Location.**—At highway bridge at Sixmile Falls, about 6 miles northwest of Bangor.

**Records available.**—September 15, 1908, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—191 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Permanent; broken by one pier; banks high and not subject to overflow.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.



**Artificial control.**—A number of years ago an artificial cut was made for log driving through a low divide between Souadabscook Stream and Black Stream, the latter a tributary to the Kenduskeag, entering about 7 miles above the gaging station. During high stages of the Souadabscook a portion of its waters finds its way through the artificial cut into Kenduskeag; at low stages of the Souadabscook all the flow continues down its own channel. Black Stream probably sends its water only to the Kenduskeag.

**Accuracy.**—A good discharge rating curve has been developed, although more measurements are needed at high stages.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with Mr. Fred Cort, of Bangor, Maine.

*Discharge measurements of Kenduskeag Stream near Bangor, Maine, in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Dis-charge.
1911.		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
July 21	F. E. Prassey.....	1.52	18
Oct. 7	.....do.....	2.11	87
Nov. 6	.....do.....	1.88	60
6	.....do.....	1.88	62

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Kenduskeag Stream near Bangor, Maine, for 1911.*

[Fred Cort, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1	3.35			5.1	4.3	1.95	2.05	2.45	2.2	2.2	2.2	3.8
2	3.6			5.25	4.2	1.85	2.0	2.5	2.2	2.15	2.1	3.8
3	3.75			5.45	4.05	1.85	1.9	2.35	2.3	2.2	2.0	3.7
4	3.96	3.25		5.66	3.9	1.85	1.85	2.2	2.3	2.2	1.95	3.65
5	4.15		3.25	5.45	3.85	1.95	1.85	2.15	2.4	2.2	1.9	3.55
6	4.25			5.65	3.85	2.0	1.75	2.0	2.3	2.1	1.9	3.5
7	4.25			5.65	3.95	2.15	1.75	2.1	2.2	2.1	2.0	3.6
8	4.35			6.45	3.85	2.05	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	3.45
9	4.15			7.25	3.75	2.05	1.95	2.2	2.0	2.2	2.25	3.25
10	4.96			7.5	3.75	2.05	2.05	2.2	2.0	2.2	2.3	3.0
11	4.05			7.4	3.75	2.05	2.05	2.3	1.9	2.2	2.3	3.3
12	4.0	3.65	3.15	7.5	3.6	2.15	2.05	2.2	1.9	2.2	2.3	3.55
13	3.95			7.05	3.4	2.25	2.0	2.1	1.9	2.15	2.45	3.8
14	3.95			6.15	3.2	2.55	1.9	2.05	1.8	2.1	2.55	3.75
15	3.85			6.95	3.0	2.75	1.85	2.0	1.9	2.2	2.85	3.6
16				7.3	2.8	3.1	1.85	1.9	1.8	2.2	3.05	3.5
17				6.95	2.4	3.25	1.75	1.8	1.8	2.2	3.15	3.4
18				6.55	2.2	3.1	1.75	1.7	1.85	2.2	3.2	3.75
19		2.95	4.05	5.95	2.15	2.7	1.65	1.7	1.9	2.2	3.1	4.05
20				5.55	2.15	2.4	1.55	1.8	2.0	2.2	3.2	4.4
21				5.5	2.15	2.4	1.5	1.9	2.0	2.2	3.1	4.75
22				5.4	2.15	2.3	1.6	2.05	2.0	2.2	3.0	4.7
23				5.3	2.25	2.25	1.85	2.2	2.0	2.45	3.15	5.6
24				5.15	2.1	2.25	2.0	2.2	2.0	2.55	3.3	6.25
25				4.8	2.05	2.25	2.0	2.15	1.95	2.85	3.3	6.0
26		2.85	4.6	4.65	1.95	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.1	2.85	3.25	5.9
27			4.75	4.5	1.85	1.9	2.1	2.0	2.2	2.7	3.4	5.65
28			5.0	4.25	1.85	1.9	2.2	2.05	2.2	2.45	3.65	5.5
29			5.05	4.3	1.95	1.95	2.25	2.1	2.2	2.25	3.7	5.25
30			4.95	4.35	1.95	2.05	2.3	2.1	2.2	2.15	3.6	5.2
31			5.0		1.95		2.35	2.1		2.2		5.15

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice from about Jan. 16 to about Mar. 25. Probably not affected by backwater from ice at any other time during the year. The gage readings were taken to the water surface.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Kenduskeag Stream near Bangor, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	382			1,300	745	64	78	146	102	102	102	538
2.....	465			1,300	700	51	71	156	102	94	86	538
3.....	520			1,440	635	51	57	128	119	102	71	501
4.....	596			1,520	576	51	51	102	119	102	64	483
5.....	678			1,440	557	64	51	94	137	102	57	448
6.....	722			1,590	557	71	40	71	119	86	57	431
7.....	722			1,590	596	94	40	86	102	86	71	465
8.....	770			2,210	557	78	57	86	86	86		414
9.....	678			2,900	520	78	64	102	71	102	110	350
10.....	635			3,120	520	78	78	102	71	102	119	276
11.....	635			3,030	520	78	78	119	57	102	119	366
12.....	615			3,120	465	94	78	102	57	102	119	448
13.....	596			2,720	398	110	71	86	57	94	146	538
14.....	596			1,970	335	166	57	78	45	86	106	520
15.....	557			2,630	276	211	51	71	57	102	236	465
16.....				2,940	223	305	51	57	45	102	290	431
17.....				2,630	137	350	40	45	45	102	320	398
18.....				2,290	102	305	40	34	51	102	335	520
19.....				1,810	94	199	30	34	57	102	305	635
20.....				1,520	94	137	22	45	71	102	335	795
21.....				1,480	94	137	18	57	71	102	305	985
22.....				1,410	94	119	25	78	71	102	276	955
23.....				1,340	110	110	51	102	71	146	320	1,550
24.....				1,240	86	110	71	102	71	186	366	2,050
25.....				1,020	78	110	71	94	64	236	366	1,850
26.....			900	928	64	86	71	71	86	236	350	1,775
27.....			985	845	51	57	86	71	102	199	398	1,590
28.....			1,140	722	51	57	102	78	102	146	483	1,450
29.....			1,170	745	64	64	110	86	102	110	501	1,300
30.....			1,110	770	64	78	119	86	102	94	538	1,270
31.....			1,140		64		128	86		102		1,240

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a discharge rating curve well defined below 1,800 second-feet.

*Monthly discharge of Kenduskeag Stream near Bangor, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 191 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			457	2.39	2.76	D.
February.....			173	.906	.94	D.
March.....	1,170		485	2.54	2.93	D.
April.....	3,120	722	1,780	9.32	10.40	A.
May.....	745	51	304	1.59	1.83	A.
June.....	350	51	119	.623	.70	A.
July.....	128	18	63.1	.330	.38	A.
August.....	156	34	85.6	.448	.52	A.
September.....	137	45	80.4	.421	.47	A.
October.....	236	86	116	.607	.70	A.
November.....	538	57	237	1.24	1.38	A.
December.....	2,050	276	826	4.32	4.98	A.
The year.....	3,120	18	394	2.06	27.99	

NOTE.—Discharge for Jan. 16 to Mar. 25 estimated from climatologic records.

Mean discharge Jan. 16 to 31 estimated 313 second-feet, ranging from about 500 second-feet to about 150 second-feet.

Mean discharge Mar. 1 to 25 estimated 344 second-feet, ranging from about 150 to 800 second-feet.

The discharge during February ranged from about 460 second-feet to about 100 second-feet.

## KENNEBEC RIVER BASIN.

## MOOSE RIVER NEAR ROCKWOOD, MAINE.

**Location.**—At a deserted cabin one-fourth mile above the house of Edilbert Arsenault, 2 miles above the mouth of the river; reached by steamer or rowboat from Kineo.

**Records available.**—September 7, 1902, to December 31, 1908, and May 16, 1910, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—680 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Permanent.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from a car suspended from a steel cable or, at low stages, by wading a short distance down stream.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—Dams are maintained at the outlets of several of the lakes above the station, but all such stored water is used for log driving and the effect upon the regimen of flow is but temporary.

**Accuracy.**—The relation between gage height and discharge is at times affected by backwater from log jams, and during the winter by ice; otherwise conditions favor accurate determination of discharge and a good discharge rating curve has been developed except for extremely low stages.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Moose River near Rockwood, Maine, for 1911.*

[Edilbert Arsenault, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	2.4	2.8	2.0	1.8	7.05	3.95	3.25	2.35	2.65	3.4	3.1	3.0
2.....	2.4	3.0	2.0	1.8	7.95	3.9	3.3	2.4	2.55	3.4	3.1	3.0
3.....	2.4	3.3	1.9	1.8	8.1	3.8	3.3	2.35	2.55	3.4	3.2	3.0
4.....	2.5	3.0	1.9	1.8	8.15	3.75	3.4	2.3	2.55	3.45	3.2	3.0
5.....	2.5	2.8	.....	1.9	8.05	3.6	3.4	2.25	2.65	3.5	3.2	3.1
6.....	2.5	2.8	.....	2.0	7.85	3.6	3.35	2.2	2.8	3.5	3.1	3.2
7.....	2.6	2.8	.....	2.0	7.7	3.7	3.3	2.2	2.8	3.5	3.05	3.2
8.....	2.5	2.6	.....	1.9	7.9	3.5	3.3	2.2	2.95	3.5	3.0	3.2
9.....	2.5	2.6	1.8	1.9	8.05	3.45	3.3	2.2	3.0	3.4	3.0	3.2
10.....	2.4	2.5	1.8	1.9	7.85	3.4	3.25	2.2	3.0	3.3	3.05	3.1
11.....	2.4	2.4	1.8	2.0	7.65	3.4	3.2	2.25	3.0	3.25	3.1	3.1
12.....	2.4	2.4	1.9	2.1	7.15	3.3	3.2	2.45	3.0	3.2	3.1	3.1
13.....	2.4	2.3	1.9	2.2	6.8	3.35	3.3	2.6	3.0	3.15	3.0	3.1
14.....	2.4	2.3	1.9	2.2	6.55	3.4	3.4	2.7	3.0	3.1	3.0	3.3
15.....	2.5	2.2	1.9	2.4	6.45	3.45	3.45	2.75	3.0	3.0	3.15	4.0
16.....	2.5	2.2	2.0	2.5	6.2	3.3	3.35	2.75	3.0	3.0	3.3	4.2
17.....	2.5	2.2	2.2	2.7	5.6	3.4	3.1	2.85	2.9	3.0	3.35	4.2
18.....	2.5	2.2	2.2	2.7	5.25	3.45	3.05	2.9	2.9	3.0	3.4	4.2
19.....	2.5	2.2	2.0	2.9	4.95	3.5	3.0	3.0	2.9	3.0	3.3	4.3
20.....	2.5	2.2	2.0	3.2	4.85	3.6	2.9	3.0	2.85	3.05	3.25	4.4
21.....	2.5	2.1	1.8	3.5	4.65	3.6	2.9	2.95	2.8	3.1	3.2	4.3
22.....	2.5	2.1	1.9	3.5	4.5	3.6	2.8	2.85	2.8	3.1	3.1	4.3
23.....	2.4	2.1	1.9	3.65	4.35	3.4	2.7	2.8	2.8	3.1	3.1	4.3
24.....	2.3	2.0	1.9	3.85	4.1	3.3	2.6	2.75	2.8	3.3	3.1	4.3
25.....	2.2	2.0	1.9	4.05	4.0	3.3	2.5	2.7	2.85	3.3	3.0	4.3
26.....	2.2	2.0	1.8	4.25	3.9	3.25	2.4	2.7	2.9	3.4	2.9	4.3
27.....	2.2	2.0	1.8	4.55	3.9	3.15	2.3	2.65	3.0	3.4	2.9	4.2
28.....	2.2	2.0	1.8	5.35	4.0	3.2	2.1	2.6	3.0	3.3	2.9	4.1
29.....	2.2	.....	1.8	6.0	4.05	3.25	2.45	2.55	3.05	3.3	2.9	4.05
30.....	2.2	.....	1.8	6.6	4.15	3.35	2.45	2.5	3.1	3.2	3.0	4.0
31.....	2.2	.....	1.8	.....	4.05	.....	2.35	2.7	.....	3.2	.....	3.9

NOTE.—The relation of gage height to discharge was probably affected by ice from about Jan. 1 to about Mar. 31. Probably not affected by backwater from ice during December. It is not known whether the gage readings during the first three months were taken to water surface or to the top of the ice.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Moose River near Rockwood, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	177	4,170	1,200	760	356	475	846	681	631
2.....	177	5,220	1,170	788	375	434	846	681	631
3.....	177	5,400	1,100	788	356	434	846	733	631
4.....	177	5,460	1,060	846	338	434	876	733	631
5.....	207	5,340	968	846	320	475	906	733	681
6.....	238	5,100	968	817	303	539	906	681	733
7.....	238	4,920	1,030	788	303	539	906	656	733
8.....	207	5,160	906	788	303	608	906	631	733
9.....	207	5,340	876	788	303	631	846	631	733
10.....	207	5,100	846	760	303	631	788	656	681
11.....	238	4,860	846	733	320	631	760	681	681
12.....	270	4,280	788	733	394	631	733	681	681
13.....	303	3,890	817	788	454	631	707	631	681
14.....	303	3,620	846	846	496	631	681	631	788
15.....	375	3,510	876	876	518	631	631	707	1,240
16.....	414	3,240	788	817	518	631	631	788	1,380
17.....	496	2,630	846	681	562	584	631	817	1,380
18.....	496	2,290	876	656	584	584	631	846	1,380
19.....	584	2,010	906	631	631	584	631	788	1,460
20.....	733	1,920	968	584	631	562	656	760	1,540
21.....	906	1,750	968	584	608	539	681	733	1,460
22.....	906	1,620	968	539	562	539	681	681	1,460
23.....	1,000	1,500	846	496	539	539	681	681	1,460
24.....	1,130	1,310	788	454	518	539	788	681	1,460
25.....	1,270	1,240	788	414	496	562	788	631	1,460
26.....	1,420	1,170	760	375	496	584	846	584	1,460
27.....	1,660	1,170	707	338	475	631	846	584	1,380
28.....	2,380	1,240	733	270	454	631	788	584	1,310
29.....	3,040	1,270	760	394	434	656	788	584	1,270
30.....	3,670	1,340	817	394	414	681	733	631	1,240
31.....		1,270		356	496		733		1,170

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve. Discharge during the first part of April may have been slightly affected by ice.

*Monthly discharge of Moose River near Rockwood, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 680 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			180	0.265	0.31	D.
February.....			130	.191	.20	D.
March.....			140	.206	.24	D.
April.....	3,670	177	787	1.16	1.29	B.
May.....	5,460	1,170	3,170	4.66	5.37	A.
June.....	1,200	707	894	1.31	1.46	A.
July.....	876	270	643	.946	1.09	A.
August.....	631	303	447	.657	.76	A.
September.....	681	434	573	.843	.94	A.
October.....	906	631	765	1.12	1.29	A.
November.....	846	584	684	1.01	1.13	A.
December.....	1,540	631	1,070	1.57	1.81	B.
The year.....	5,460		796	1.17	15.89	

NOTE.—Discharge for Jan. 1 to Mar. 31 estimated from climatologic records.

**MOOSEHEAD LAKE AT EAST OUTLET, MAINE.**

**Location.**—At the wharf at the east outlet of the lake, about 8 miles from Kineo.

**Records available.**—April 1, 1895, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—1,240 square miles.

**Gage.**—Staff, at end of boat landing; two datums have been used at the east outlet; the original datum is at elevation 1,011.30 feet above mean sea level and approximately 10 feet below the sills of the outlet gates; the second, to which all gage readings have been referred, is 10 feet higher; that is, the zero is at the sill of the gates.

**Artificial control.**—The lake is regulated to a capacity of 23,735,000,000 cubic feet. The dam at the east outlet is controlled by 35 gates; 15 old gates are at gage height, 10 feet (original datum), and 20 gates at sill-gate height, 8 feet (original datum). At extreme low stages the flow from the lake is controlled not by the gates but by a bar above the dam at an approximate gage height of 9 feet (original datum). The records show only fluctuations in the level of the lake, and are used in the studies of regulation of the lake and in computing the natural flow of the Kennebec at The Forks station.

**Cooperation.**—Record kept and furnished for publication by the Hollingsworth & Whitney Co.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Moosehead Lake at east outlet, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.		0.65	0.2					2.25		1.75	2.2	
2.	1.15				1.8	5.25	3.4		1.6			
3.		.6	.15		2.5		4.5			1.8		
4.	1.05			0.1			3.25	2.15	1.55			2.3
5.				.1	3.0	5.3	4.5					
6.	1.0	.6	.15			5.25	4.4	3.1	2.1	1.5	1.8	2.4
7.		.55	.1	.2	3.7			2.1		1.75	2.5	
8.	.9					5.1	4.2	3.0		1.6		
9.		.5	.1	.2	4.1					1.8		
10.						5.1	4.1	2.85	2.05	1.6		2.6
11.	.9			.25	4.8				2.0	1.55	1.8	2.75
12.	.9	.45	.05			4.9	4.2	2.75				
13.				.3			4.1		1.95		1.9	2.8
14.		.45	.05		4.9							
15.						4.85		2.65		1.6		
16.	.8						4.0		2.6	1.9	1.9	
17.		.4	.05	.3	5.0			2.6	1.9	1.55		3.1
18.	.75			.35	5.1	4.9	3.95		1.8	1.6	2.2	3.2
19.	.75	.4	.0			4.85						
20.							3.8	2.5			2.2	3.3
21.		.35	.0	.4	5.1	4.85		1.8				
22.							3.7	2.5		1.7		3.35
23.	.75	.3	.0	.7	5.15				1.75	1.8	2.2	
24.							2.4					3.65
25.	.7											
26.				.8	5.2	4.7	3.55					
27.	.7	.3	.0					1.7	1.8	2.2	3.7	
28.				1.1		4.65	3.45	2.3				
29.			.0					1.65		2.2	3.8	
30.	.6					4.6		2.3		1.8		
31.			.1		5.2		3.45					

NOTE.—The storage capacity of Moosehead Lake is approximately equal to a discharge of 120 second-feet for one month for each tenth foot of depth over the lake surface.

**KENNEBEC RIVER AT THE FORKS, MAINE.**

**Location.**—At wooden highway bridge across river about 2,000 feet above the mouth of Dead River.

**Records available.**—September 28, 1901, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—1,576 square miles.

**Gages.**—Standard chain, attached to the bridge, and a staff gage attached to timber retaining wall on left bank 75 feet above the bridge; datum of gages unchanged. Automatic gage to be installed.

**Channel.**—Permanent; unbroken by piers.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—The flow of the Kennebec above The Forks is controlled through Moosehead Lake (q. v.); Indian Pond, about 12 miles above the station, is under regulation for log driving from about May 1 to July 31 of each year.

**Accuracy.**—The relation between gage height and discharge is affected by the regulation of the stream for log driving and for the extensive water power plants below and, during the winter, by ice. The operation of the gates at Indian Pond dam (from about May 1 to July 31 of each year) causes fluctuations in daily gage heights at The Forks ranging from 2 feet to more than 5 feet. A good rating curve has been developed for the station, as the variations in gage heights have been closely noted, record being kept of the maximum and minimum heights for each day during the log-driving season, the length of time that the driving head continues, and the hours at which the gates at Indian Pond are opened and closed each day.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Kennebec River at The Forks, Maine, for 1911.*

[W. S. Young, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.			2.5	1.0	4.9			2.0	1.65	1.2
2.				0.8	5.0			2.0	1.45	1.3
3.				.7	4.5			2.0	1.0	1.4
4.	2.0			.7	3.6			2.0	.85	1.5
5.	2.0			.7	3.1			2.0	.6	
6.	2.0		2.5	.6	2.6			2.0	.5	1.6
7.	2.1			.5	2.2			2.0	.55	1.5
8.	2.1	2.5		.5	2.15			2.0	.6	1.4
9.	2.25				2.0			2.0	.65	1.4
10.	2.05				1.95			1.2	.7	1.4
11.	2.05				1.8			1.2	.8	1.3
12.	2.1		2.4		1.65			1.25	.8	1.3
13.	2.05				1.15			1.4	.8	1.3
14.	2.0				1.2			1.55	.7	1.6
15.	2.0				1.25		2.5	1.7	.7	1.9
16.	2.05				1.35		2.35	1.6	.7	1.7
17.	2.2		2.4				2.2	1.6	.7	1.6
18.	2.3						2.15	1.65	.8	1.5
19.	2.3						2.1	1.9	.8	1.5
20.	2.3						2.05	1.8	.8	1.5
21.	2.4						2.0	1.65	.8	1.5
22.							2.0	1.65	.9	1.5
23.			2.4	1.6			2.0	1.15	.9	1.5
24.				1.6			2.0	1.4	.9	1.6
25.		2.0		1.6			2.0	.5	.9	1.6
26.				1.8			2.2	.4	.9	1.6
27.				2.3			2.15	.35	.9	1.6
28.	2.6			3.0			2.05	.9	.9	1.6
29.				3.8			2.0	1.45	1.0	1.6
30.			2.4	4.4			2.0	1.85	1.2	1.6
31.			1.5					1.7		1.6

**NOTE.**—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice from about Jan. 1 to about Apr. 8. The ice probably went out about Apr. 15. There was probably no material effect from ice during December. The observer states that there was ice clear across on Dec. 4, and that the ice went out Dec. 6. The gage readings for Jan. 21 to Apr. 8, and Dec. 4 are probably all to the top of the ice. Gage heights Jan. 4 to 20 are probably to water surface. Gage heights from May 17 to Sept. 14 are not true indices of the discharge, owing to the effect of regulation, for the purpose of log driving, and hence they are omitted.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Kennebec River at The Forks, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.		5,660	6,320	2,660	2,620	2,060	1,330	1,030	700
2.		5,870	6,680	2,550	2,570	2,060	1,330	878	770
3.		4,880	6,830	2,660	2,620	2,060	1,330	570	840
4.		3,320	3,070	2,600	2,620	2,060	1,330	480	915
5.		2,600	3,000	2,600	2,570	2,060	1,330	345	952
6.		1,960	3,000	2,600	2,570	2,060	1,330	300	990
7.		1,530	2,880	2,660	2,520	2,060	1,330	322	915
8.		1,480	2,940	2,600	2,520	2,010	1,330	345	840
9.		1,330	2,940	2,600	2,470	2,100	1,330	370	840
10.		1,280	2,880	2,550	2,470	2,060	700	395	840
11.		1,160	3,000	735	2,420	2,060	700	450	770
12.		1,030	2,940	700	2,420	2,010	735	450	770
13.		668	2,880	700	2,480	2,010	840	450	770
14.		700	2,940	940	2,530	2,010	952	395	990
15.		735	2,510	2,500	2,530	1,850	1,070	395	1,240
16.		805	2,510	2,500	2,580	1,680	990	395	1,070
17.		2,100	2,370	2,500	2,420	1,530	990	395	990
18.		2,800	2,370	2,500	2,320	1,480	1,030	450	915
19.		2,360	2,370	2,500	2,060	1,430	1,240	450	915
20.		2,240	2,370	2,500	2,060	1,380	1,160	450	915
21.		4,780	2,430	2,500	2,110	1,330	1,030	450	915
22.		5,420	2,370	2,500	2,000	1,330	1,030	510	915
23.	990	3,570	2,410	2,500	2,000	1,330	668	510	915
24.	990	3,140	2,370	2,500	1,950	1,330	840	510	990
25.	990	3,020	2,370	2,560	1,850	1,330	300	510	990
26.	1,160	2,850	2,370	2,560	1,850	1,530	255	510	990
27.	1,630	2,850	2,370	2,560	1,830	1,480	235	510	990
28.	2,460	3,080	2,410	2,610	1,850	1,380	510	510	990
29.	3,640	1,330	2,470	2,610	2,060	1,330	878	570	990
30.	4,690	2,940	2,500	2,620	2,060	1,330	1,200	700	990
31.		3,030		2,680	2,060		1,070		990

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve. The determinations for May 17 to Sept. 14 are approximate, however, as a result of possible errors in computed discharge caused by controlled flow for flushing logs down the river and backwater from log jams. The daily discharge for this period was computed by applying the rating table to the several gage readings taken during any given day, and weighting the values in accordance with the proportional part of the day to which each gage height is applicable. No correction was made for possible effect of backwater from ice during December.

*Monthly discharge of Kennebec River at The Forks, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 1,570 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January			1,280	0.815	0.94	D.
February			900	.573	.60	D.
March			760	.484	.56	D.
April	4,690		905	.576	.64	C.
May	5,870	668	2,600	1.66	1.91	B.
June	6,830	2,370	3,030	1.93	2.15	B.
July	2,680	700	2,330	1.48	1.71	B.
August	2,620	1,830	2,290	1.46	1.68	B.
September	2,100	1,330	1,720	1.09	1.22	B.
October	1,330	235	980	.624	.72	A.
November	1,030	300	487	.310	.35	A.
December	1,240	700	923	.588	.68	A.
The year	6,830	235	1,520	.968	13.16	

NOTE.—The relatively low accuracy for May to September is due to complications caused by controlled flow and log driving.

The discharge from Jan. 1 to Apr. 22 determined primarily from the discharge at Waterville, taking into consideration, however, the effect of storage at Mooshead Lake.

Discharge Apr. 1 to 22, estimated, 482 second-feet, ranging from about 300 second-feet to about 900 second-feet. The discharge from Jan. 1 to Mar. 31 probably followed a law of gradual decrease with no rises due to freshets.

**KENNEBEC RIVER AT WATERVILLE, MAINE.**

**Location.**—At the dam and mill of the Hollingsworth & Whitney Co. at Waterville, 2 miles above the mouth of Sebasticook River and about 3½ miles above the mouth of Messalonskee Stream.

**Records available.**—March 22, 1892, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—4,270 square miles.

**Gage.**—Rod gages in the pond above the dam and in the tailrace of the mill.

**Determination of discharge.**—The discharge is computed from the flow over the dam, through the logway, and through 18 wheels of the mill. Most of the wheels were rated at Holyoke, Mass., under practically the same head as that used at Waterville—about 23 feet. Methods and diagrams for estimating the flow have been developed by the company, and the amount lost by leakage and used for washing and various purposes in the mill is estimated. When the flow of the river is less than about 3,500 second-feet all the water is used through the wheels.

**Winter flow.**—As a rule, not affected by ice. During most years the winter flow passes through the wheels of the mill.

**Artificial control.**—Numerous power plants and storage above the station.

**Accuracy.**—Results are considered fair only, as many wheels are in operation and only one reading a day is made for each wheel, but the record is valuable because of its length and continuity.

**Cooperation.**—Records are obtained and furnished by the Hollingsworth & Whitney Co.; computations are made in the office of the district engineer.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Kennebec River at Waterville, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	a 624	906	1,400	4,330	23,700	3,320	3,420	4,020	3,420	a 408	3,000	5,150
2.....	2,500	1,700	1,470	a 4,020	23,800	3,740	a2,770	3,620	3,190	3,710	3,040	4,420
3.....	1,620	1,470	1,080	5,120	24,400	6,540	1,860	3,720	a1,100	3,360	2,780	a 2,770
4.....	2,860	1,430	1,690	3,860	20,200	a 5,620	1,350	3,680	3,640	2,890	2,540	3,380
5.....	3,000	a 995	a 285	3,790	14,700	6,000	3,980	3,480	2,670	2,880	a 248	2,960
6.....	3,000	1,500	1,330	2,740	a 9,220	5,120	3,080	a1,480	3,510	3,770	2,780	2,960
7.....	2,720	1,640	1,370	3,500	a 6,750	4,570	3,460	3,330	3,410	3,440	2,910	2,540
8.....	a1,500	1,740	1,310	6,300	5,440	3,380	3,220	3,140	3,000	a1,460	2,470	2,890
9.....	2,950	1,700	1,380	a 7,700	5,670	3,860	a1,150	3,260	3,310	2,440	4,540	4,310
10.....	2,470	1,680	1,380	7,170	7,780	3,790	3,780	3,530	a 737	2,980	3,610	a 1,540
11.....	2,120	1,660	1,260	7,550	4,610	a 1,910	3,530	3,460	3,390	2,930	3,060	2,910
12.....	2,390	a 237	a 363	11,100	5,880	4,180	3,180	3,330	2,690	2,570	a 635	3,290
13.....	2,480	1,530	1,500	11,700	4,100	4,190	2,940	a 667	2,780	2,250	3,000	3,640
14.....	2,460	1,700	623	15,000	a 4,120	4,190	1,490	3,450	3,440	1,660	3,520	5,280
15.....	a 369	1,800	1,470	17,900	4,680	5,020	901	3,190	3,440	a 621	4,230	9,820
16.....	2,010	1,810	1,310	a27,900	4,660	5,890	a 744	3,510	3,080	1,480	4,020	7,600
17.....	2,440	1,280	1,430	20,500	6,380	6,590	3,220	3,410	a 890	2,130	3,690	a 4,740
18.....	2,450	1,370	1,360	17,800	4,900	a 5,210	2,890	3,590	2,340	2,230	3,040	5,540
19.....	2,040	a 206	a 347	16,600	4,900	6,050	3,090	4,180	2,840	2,560	a1,050	6,420
20.....	2,190	1,470	648	14,100	5,930	4,160	3,170	a1,390	2,830	2,960	3,400	5,620
21.....	2,000	1,720	1,380	13,400	a 3,800	4,330	3,200	4,050	2,410	3,190	3,700	3,540
22.....	a 207	1,440	1,410	12,800	4,730	4,170	3,370	4,080	2,490	a1,570	2,850	3,260
23.....	2,400	1,730	1,440	a11,300	4,770	3,990	a 843	3,360	2,540	3,730	2,950	3,530
24.....	2,380	1,400	1,300	5,540	4,940	3,720	3,410	4,300	a 392	3,990	2,460	a 5,960
25.....	2,120	1,390	1,430	9,200	4,500	a 1,360	4,250	3,740	2,540	3,810	2,990	9,030
26.....	1,540	a 278	a1,190	12,100	5,370	3,960	3,240	3,530	3,520	3,620	a1,840	7,040
27.....	1,600	1,380	1,410	16,000	4,870	3,280	3,580	a1,400	3,610	2,780	3,140	6,390
28.....	1,280	1,360	2,280	19,700	a 3,240	3,360	3,660	3,560	4,290	2,910	2,950	5,900
29.....	a 555	2,360	25,500	4,820	3,390	4,360	a 360	2,450	3,770	2,410	3,730	3,970
30.....	2,230	3,190	a27,200	3,690	3,260	a1,890	3,390	2,610	2,800	3,640	3,670	3,670
31.....	2,080	3,270	4,810	.....	.....	.....	5,230	3,310	.....	2,920	.....	a 445

a Sunday.



*Monthly discharge of Kennebec River at Waterville, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 4,270 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	3,000	207	2,020	0.473	0.55
February.....	1,810	206	1,380	.323	.34
March.....	3,270	285	1,410	.330	.38
April.....	27,900	2,740	12,000	2.81	3.14
May.....	24,400	3,240	7,790	1.82	2.10
June.....	6,590	1,360	4,270	1.00	1.12
July.....	5,230	744	2,910	.681	.79
August.....	4,360	667	3,250	.761	.88
September.....	4,290	392	2,800	.656	.73
October.....	3,990	408	2,630	.616	.71
November.....	4,540	248	2,930	.686	.77
December.....	9,820	445	4,530	1.06	1.22
The year.....	27,900	206	4,000	.937	12.73

**DEAD RIVER NEAR THE FORKS, MAINE.**

**Location.**—One-eighth mile above farmhouse of Jeremiah Durgin,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles west of The Forks.

**Records available.**—September 29, 1901, to August 15, 1907, and from March 16, 1910, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—878 square miles.

**Gage.**—Inclined staff, bolted to large boulder on the left bank, a short distance from observer's house; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Permanent; banks medium high; overflowed only at extreme high water.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from a car suspended from a cable a short distance above the gage.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—A number of dams on the lakes above, used solely for log driving.

**Accuracy.**—Relation between gage height and discharge is affected by ice during the winter and by the control of the stream for log driving during May and June. Special note is made of the length and times of the drive and of the maximum and minimum head used.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

*Discharge measurements of Dead River near The Forks, Maine, in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec. ft.</i>
Aug. 1	F. E. Pressey.....	1.23	653
17	.....do.....	1.19	583
18	.....do.....	1.26	712
21	.....do.....	1.31	748
Oct. 25	.....do.....	1.53	1,000
26	.....do.....	1.47	981

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Dead River near The Forks, Maine, for 1911.*

[Jeremiah Durgin, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1	1.55	0.7			5.25	1.95	1.3	1.2	1.1	1.25	1.05	1.75
2	1.4	.7			5.4		1.2	1.2	1.1	1.35	1.35	1.8
3	1.35	.7			5.25	1.7	1.2	1.1	1.1	1.45	1.25	1.65
4	1.3	.8			4.95		1.1	1.1	1.1	1.7	1.2	1.4
5	1.3	.8			4.7	1.9	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.45	1.1	1.3
6	1.3	.8			4.75		1.0	0.95	1.1	1.4	1.1	1.3
7	1.3	.8			3.95	1.75	1.0	.9	1.2	1.35	1.1	1.3
8	1.2	.8			4.4		1.0	.85	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.2
9	1.1	.8			4.5	1.75	1.0	.8	1.2	1.25	1.3	1.2
10	1.1	.8					1.0	.8	1.1	1.2	1.3	1.2
11	1.1	.8			3.5		1.0	.8	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.2
12	1.1				3.25		.9	.8	1.1	1.1	1.3	1.3
13	1.0				2.6		.9	.8	1.1	1.15	1.25	2.05
14	1.0				2.35		.9	.8	1.0	1.2	1.2	3.05
15	1.0				1.85		.8	.8	1.0	1.3	1.2	2.85
16	1.1				2.15		.8	.9	1.0	1.2	1.5	2.5
17	1.1			1.8	2.0		.7	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.45	2.35
18	1.1			1.9	2.1	1.65	.7	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.4	2.05
19	1.0			1.9	2.15	1.65	.7	1.3	1.0	1.25	1.4	1.85
20	1.0			2.0		1.65	.7	1.4	1.0	1.5	1.35	1.65
21	1.0			2.1		1.7	.7	1.3	1.0	1.55	1.3	1.55
22	1.0			2.2	1.8	1.8	.7		1.0	1.65	1.3	1.5
23	0.9			2.2	1.85	1.65	.7	1.55	1.0	1.55	1.3	1.6
24	.9			2.35	1.85	1.65	.7	1.25	1.0	1.5	1.2	1.9
25	.9			2.5	1.85	1.5	1.0	1.1	1.0	1.5	1.2	2.25
26	.9			2.85		1.4	1.1	1.05	1.1	1.45	1.2	2.05
27	.8			3.2		1.3	1.2	1.0	1.1	1.4	1.2	2.0
28	.8			3.65	1.65	1.3	1.3	1.0	1.1	1.35	1.15	1.85
29	.8			4.1	1.95	1.15	1.3	1.0	1.2	1.3	1.2	1.65
30	.8			4.95	1.7	1.3	1.3	1.05	1.2	1.25	1.5	1.45
31	.75				1.7		1.2	1.1		1.15		1.4

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice from Jan. 1 to Apr. 16. Probably little or not at all affected by backwater from ice during December. It is not known whether the gage heights recorded for Jan. 1 to Feb. 11 were to water surface or to the top of the ice. The gage heights for May 10, 20, 21, 26 and 27, June 2, 4, 6, 8 and 10 to 17, and Aug. 22 are omitted because they are not true indices of the discharge. On these days water from the dam above was flushed down the stream to assist in driving logs.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Dead River near The Forks, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1		10,700	1,560	715	610	510	662	462	1,260
2		11,300	1,380	610	610	510	770	770	1,330
3		10,700	1,190	610	510	510	882	662	1,120
4		9,510	1,340	510	510	510	1,190	610	825
5		8,570	1,480	510	510	510	882	510	715
6		8,760	1,370	415	370	510	825	510	715
7		5,980	1,260	415	325	610	770	510	715
8		7,480	1,260	415	282	610	715	610	610
9		7,840	1,260	415	240	610	662	715	610
10		6,260	1,240	415	240	510	610	715	610
11		4,690	1,240	415	240	510	510	715	610
12		4,060	1,220	325	240	510	510	715	715
13		2,690	1,200	325	240	510	500	662	1,720
14		2,230	1,180	325	240	415	610	610	3,600
15		1,400	1,160	240	240	415	715	610	3,180
16		1,880	1,140	240	325	415	610	940	2,500
17	1,330	1,640	1,140	160	510	415	610	882	2,230
18	1,480	1,800	1,120	160	610	415	510	825	1,720
19	1,480	1,880	1,120	160	715	415	662	825	1,400
20	1,640	1,700	1,120	160	825	415	940	770	1,120

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Dead River near The Forks, Maine, for 1911—Contd.*

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
21.....	1,800	1,510	1,190	160	715	415	1,000	715	1,000
22.....	1,970	1,330	1,330	160	858	415	1,120	715	940
23.....	1,970	1,400	1,120	160	1,000	415	1,000	715	1,060
24.....	2,230	1,400	1,000	160	662	415	940	610	1,480
25.....	2,500	1,400	940	415	510	415	940	610	2,060
26.....	3,180	1,310	825	510	462	510	882	610	1,720
27.....	3,940	1,210	715	610	415	510	825	610	1,640
28.....	5,100	1,120	715	715	415	510	770	560	1,400
29.....	6,460	1,560	560	715	415	610	715	610	1,120
30.....	9,510	1,190	715	715	462	610	662	940	882
31.....		1,190		610	510		560		825

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve. During the periods of omitted gage heights—May, June, and August—the daily discharge was computed by applying the rating table to several gage readings taken during any given day and weighting these values in accordance with the proportional part of the day to which each gage height is applicable.

*Monthly discharge of Dead River near The Forks, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 878 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			220	0.251	0.29	D.
February.....			170	.194	.20	D.
March.....			180	.205	.24	D.
April.....	9,510		1,690	1.93	2.15	C.
May.....	11,300	1,120	4,050	4.62	5.33	A.
June.....	1,560	560	1,140	1.30	1.45	B.
July.....	715	160	402	.458	.53	A.
August.....	1,000	240	478	.545	.63	A.
September.....	610	415	489	.558	.62	A.
October.....	1,190	510	762	.869	1.00	A.
November.....	940	462	677	.772	.86	A.
December.....	3,600	610	1,340	1.53	1.76	B.
The year.....	11,300		972	1.11	15.06	

NOTE.—Discharge from Jan. 1 to Apr. 16 estimated from the discharge at Waterville and climatologic records. Mean discharge Apr. 1 to 16 estimated 375 second-feet, ranging from about 200 to about 800 second-feet. Discharge during each of the months January, February, and March was relatively constant.

**SANDY RIVER NEAR FARMINGTON, MAINE.**

**Location.**—At Fairbanks highway bridge, 3 miles above Farmington.

**Records available.**—July 11, 1910, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—270 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain.

**Channel.**—Permanent; left bank high; right bank subject to overflow in extreme freshets; current swift at high and medium stages but sluggish during low water.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—No storage basins above the station; the water power dam at Phillips may slightly affect the flow at the station.

**Accuracy.**—A discharge rating curve has not yet been developed.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

*Discharge measurements of Sandy River near Farmington, Maine, in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
Oct 23	F. E. Pressey	<i>Feet.</i> 4.00	<i>Sec.-ft.</i> 609
28	.....do.....	3.20	233

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Sandy River near Farmington, Maine, for 1911.*

[L. A. Daggett, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.				5.4	7.1	3.85		2.9	2.6	3.5	3.0	3.7
2.				4.9	6.5	3.9	2.3	2.6	2.5	3.1	3.0	3.5
3.		3.6		4.7	6.0	3.3	2.4	2.6	2.5	2.9	3.0	3.3
4.			3.5	4.5	4.9	3.1	2.2	2.4	2.6	3.3	2.9	3.1
5.				4.2	4.6	2.9	2.2	2.3	2.6	3.8	2.9	3.8
6.				4.2	4.4	2.7	2.3	2.2	2.5	3.6	2.9	4.2
7.				4.2	4.7	2.8	2.2	2.2	3.5	3.2	3.0	4.0
8.				4.7	4.6	2.5	2.2	2.3	2.9	3.0	4.2	3.9
9.				5.5	4.9	2.6	2.1	2.8	2.6	2.9	3.8	3.5
10.			3.4	5.0	4.6	2.6	2.2	2.6	2.7	2.6	3.4	3.3
11.		3.5		4.7	4.6	2.6	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.8	3.3	3.5
12.				4.6	3.9	3.4	2.1	2.3	2.5	2.6	3.3	3.7
13.				4.2	4.1	3.85	2.2	2.4	2.5	2.6	3.4	5.9
14.		3.3		5.2	3.9	3.9	2.0	2.2	2.5	2.7	3.9	5.0
15.				7.5	3.6	3.6	2.0	2.2	2.5	2.6	3.5	4.2
16.				6.6	3.4	3.3	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.5	3.7	3.9
17.		3.5		5.6	3.4	3.4	2.4	3.9	3.6	2.5	4.0	3.8
18.			3.4	5.6	3.2	3.2	2.3	3.3	2.9	2.5	4.3	3.6
19.				5.3	3.2	3.0	3.0	3.2	2.7	3.75	4.6	3.5
20.		3.1		5.1	3.1	3.0	2.6	3.6	2.7	4.9	3.9	3.3
21.				5.0	3.1	2.8	2.4	3.1	2.5	4.6	3.2	3.5
22.				4.8	2.9	2.7	2.3	2.8	2.5	3.3	3.3	3.8
23.				4.6	3.1	2.6	2.4	2.6	2.9	4.0	3.7	4.0
24.		3.5		4.4	2.9	2.6	2.2	2.4	2.6	4.0	3.5	5.2
25.			3.7	5.4	3.2	2.5	2.1	2.4	2.6	3.6	3.3	4.3
26.				6.0	3.2	2.4	2.2	2.4	3.9	3.7	3.5	4.0
27.				5.9	3.3	2.5	2.2	2.4	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.8
28.		3.2		6.6	2.9	2.4	2.1	2.4	3.0	3.4	3.3	3.6
29.				6.9	2.9	2.4	2.55	2.6	2.9	3.1	3.5	4.0
30.				6.6	2.7	2.5	3.7	3.6	3.0	3.0	4.2	4.1
31.			4.7		2.7		3.1	3.1		3.0		4.1

NOTE.—The relation of gage height to discharge was doubtless affected by ice from about Jan. 1 to about Apr. 15, but not materially affected during December. The gage readings are probably to the top of the ice.

**SEBASTICOOK RIVER AT PITTSFIELD, MAINE.**

**Location.**—At steel highway bridge just above the Maine Central Railroad bridge in the town of Pittsfield.

**Records available.**—July 27, 1908, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—320 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Permanent; banks high and rocky and not subject to overflow; stream confined between the abutments of the bridge.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the highway bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Not generally affected by ice, as the rapid fall and proximity of the power plant immediately above the station tend to keep the river open.

**Artificial control.**—About 800 feet upstream from the station is the dam of the Robert Dobson Co. and the Smith Woolen Co.; about one-half mile farther upstream is the dam of the Waverly Woolen Mill. About 5 miles below the station and 2 miles from Burnham is the dam of the Seabastcook Power Co., but the fall of the stream prevents backwater from the lower dam.

**Accuracy.**—The relation between gage height and discharge is more or less affected by fluctuations in stage caused by the operation of the dams above the station for night storage. Conditions favor the accurate determination of discharge and a fair rating curve has been developed; a few more measurements are needed to closely determine the flow at extreme high and extreme low stages.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with Maine State Water Storage Commission.

*Discharge measurements of Seabastcook River at Pittsfield, Maine, in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
July 17	F. E. Pressey.....	<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Oct. 4	do.....	3.23	321
		3.05	236

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Seabastcook River at Pittsfield, Maine, for 1911.*

[Easter B. Morrill, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	2.3	2.8	2.45	3.1	4.7	3.05	2.85	2.95	2.75	2.65	3.1	3.2
2.....	2.55	2.9	2.35	3.1	4.6	3.05	2.6	2.95	2.6	2.85	2.95	3.3
3.....	2.45	2.85	2.35	3.1	4.45	3.05	2.65	2.8	2.5	2.8	3.0	3.3
4.....	2.45	2.85	2.35	3.25	4.4	3.0	2.65	2.85	2.7	2.85	3.0	3.2
5.....	2.45	2.5	2.25	3.3	4.45	3.05	2.9	2.65	2.7	2.85	2.95	3.2
6.....	2.45	2.95	2.45	3.3	3.6	2.95	3.0	2.6	2.55	2.85	2.75	3.25
7.....	2.35	2.95	2.55	3.5	3.75	3.05	2.95	2.95	2.7	2.6	3.15	2.9
8.....	2.4	2.85	2.65	4.1	4.3	3.1	2.7	2.95	2.75	2.5	3.25	2.9
9.....	2.65	2.9	2.85	4.1	3.95	3.05	2.6	2.7	2.5	2.75	3.15	2.9
10.....	2.85	2.85	2.85	3.75	3.75	2.95	2.9	2.8	2.55	2.75	3.05	3.15
11.....	2.95	2.85	2.9	3.7	3.65	2.6	3.0	2.85	2.85	2.8	3.05	3.4
12.....	3.0	2.45	2.8	3.65	3.55	2.95	2.95	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.7	3.5
13.....	2.95	2.9	2.85	3.6	2.95	3.0	2.9	2.65	2.75	2.7	3.05	3.7
14.....	2.75	2.85	2.9	4.15	2.6	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.65	2.6	3.25	3.7
15.....	2.55	2.8	2.95	4.3	2.9	2.9	2.65	2.9	2.85	2.2	3.25	3.7
16.....	2.85	2.75	2.95	4.8	3.0	3.0	2.7	2.95	2.6	2.5	3.15	3.65
17.....	2.85	2.65	2.9	5.3	3.05	2.85	2.9	2.9	2.5	3.0	3.1	3.6
18.....	2.75	2.65	2.65	5.7	3.0	2.65	2.9	2.95	2.8	2.95	2.9	3.55
19.....	2.7	2.45	2.4	5.85	3.0	3.0	3.0	2.65	2.9	3.0	2.8	3.6
20.....	2.45	2.35	2.85	5.9	2.85	3.1	2.8	2.55	2.95	2.95	3.2	3.7
21.....	2.45	2.35	2.85	5.9	2.7	3.05	2.8	2.9	2.85	2.85	3.2	3.7
22.....	2.6	2.4	2.85	5.75	2.95	3.0	2.75	2.9	2.9	2.3	3.2	3.75
23.....	2.95	2.4	2.9	5.5	2.95	3.05	2.5	2.9	2.7	2.6	3.1	3.9
24.....	2.95	2.4	2.75	5.35	2.95	2.85	3.0	2.7	2.6	2.85	3.1	4.15
25.....	3.0	2.4	2.7	5.35	2.95	2.65	2.85	2.8	2.9	2.95	2.95	4.3
26.....	2.95	2.4	2.4	5.2	2.9	3.05	2.9	2.6	2.85	3.0	2.75	4.3
27.....	2.9	2.4	2.45	5.0	2.9	3.05	2.85	2.55	2.8	3.05	2.85	4.3
28.....	2.7	2.35	2.55	4.85	2.6	3.0	2.9	2.85	2.75	2.85	3.15	4.25
29.....	2.5	.....	2.9	4.75	3.0	3.0	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.3	3.35	4.0
30.....	2.9	.....	2.9	4.6	2.8	2.9	2.8	2.85	2.65	2.95	3.25	4.1
31.....	2.95	.....	3.0	.....	3.0	.....	2.95	2.8	.....	2.95	.....	4.0

NOTE.—The relation of gage height to discharge is probably not affected by ice at this station, owing to the rapid fall and proximity of the power plant above the gaging station.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Sebasticook River at Pittsfield, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	30	158	60	270	1,470	250	176	212	142	111	270	310
2.....	84	193	40	270	1,360	250	97	212	97	176	212	352
3.....	60	176	40	270	1,200	250	111	158	71	158	230	352
4.....	60	176	40	331	1,140	230	111	176	125	176	230	310
5.....	60	71	22	352	1,200	250	193	111	125	176	212	310
6.....	60	212	60	352	485	212	230	97	84	176	142	331
7.....	40	212	84	438	570	250	212	125	97	200	193	193
8.....	50	176	111	838	1,040	270	125	212	142	71	331	193
9.....	111	193	176	838	706	250	97	125	71	142	290	193
10.....	176	176	176	570	570	212	193	158	84	142	250	290
11.....	212	176	193	540	512	97	230	176	176	158	250	395
12.....	230	60	158	512	462	212	212	142	142	142	125	438
13.....	212	193	176	485	212	230	193	111	142	125	250	540
14.....	142	176	193	888	97	193	193	193	111	97	331	540
15.....	84	158	212	1,040	193	193	111	193	176	14	331	540
16.....	176	142	212	1,590	230	230	125	212	97	71	290	512
17.....	176	111	193	2,200	250	176	193	193	71	230	270	485
18.....	142	111	111	2,720	230	111	193	212	158	212	193	462
19.....	125	60	50	2,920	230	230	230	111	193	230	158	485
20.....	60	40	176	2,990	176	270	158	84	212	212	310	540
21.....	60	40	176	2,990	125	250	158	193	176	176	310	540
22.....	97	50	176	2,790	212	230	142	193	193	30	310	570
23.....	212	50	193	2,460	212	250	71	193	125	97	270	668
24.....	212	50	142	2,260	212	176	230	125	97	176	270	888
25.....	230	50	125	2,260	212	111	176	158	193	212	212	1,040
26.....	212	50	50	2,080	193	250	193	97	176	230	142	1,040
27.....	193	50	60	1,830	193	250	176	84	158	250	176	1,040
28.....	125	40	84	1,650	97	230	193	176	142	176	290	989
29.....	71	.....	193	1,530	230	230	158	158	158	30	374	745
30.....	193	.....	193	1,360	158	193	158	176	111	212	331	838
31.....	212	.....	230	.....	230	.....	212	158	.....	212	.....	745

NOTE.—Daily discharge is based on a fairly well-defined discharge rating curve above 70 second-feet. Discharges below 70 second-feet are not very accurate.

*Monthly discharge of Sebasticook River at Pittsfield, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 320 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	230	30	132	0.412	0.48	B.
February.....	212	40	120	.375	.39	B.
March.....	230	22	132	.412	.48	B.
April.....	2,990	270	1,390	4.34	4.84	B.
May.....	1,470	97	465	1.45	1.67	B.
June.....	270	97	218	.681	.76	B.
July.....	230	71	169	.528	.61	B.
August.....	212	84	162	.506	.58	B.
September.....	212	71	136	.425	.47	B.
October.....	250	14	152	.475	.55	B.
November.....	374	125	255	.797	.89	B.
December.....	1,040	193	544	1.70	1.96	B.
The year.....	2,990	14	322	1.01	13.68	

## COBBOSSEECONTEE STREAM AT GARDINER, MAINE.

**Location.**—At the dam of the Gardiner Water Power Co., in the city of Gardiner.

**Records available.**—June 16, 1890, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—240 square miles.

**Gages.**—One in pond above dam and one in tailrace of power house.

**Determination of flow.**—The discharge is determined by considering (1) the flow over the dam, usually nothing except for a short time in the spring; (2) the flow through two gates; and (3) the flow through a 39-inch Hercules wheel. The computations are made by the engineers of the S. D. Warren Co., from tables of discharge based on careful experiments.

**Winter flow.**—Not affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—The extensive lakes in the basin are controlled by storage dams and the stream affords a remarkable example of the regularity of flow that can be obtained with proper storage. Except for a short time in the spring no water is wasted.

**Accuracy.**—Results are considered good for a station of this type.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained by the S. D. Warren Co., which furnishes the records for publication.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Cobbosseecontee Stream at Gardiner, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	a 0	180	120	758	280	260	255	200	200	a 0	110	120
2.....	130	180	120	a 700	280	260	a 0	200	200	200	110	120
3.....	130	180	120	595	280	260	250	200	a 0	200	105	a 0
4.....	130	180	120	420	280	a 0	125	200	200	200	100	120
5.....	140	a 0	a 0	330	280	260	120	200	200	200	a 0	120
6.....	150	180	120	310	280	260	200	a 0	200	200	120	120
7.....	150	180	120	410	a 0	260	200	200	200	200	120	120
8.....	a 0	180	120	650	280	260	200	200	200	a 0	120	120
9.....	150	190	120	a 758	280	260	a 0	200	200	200	160	120
10.....	150	200	120	720	280	260	200	200	a 0	160	120	a 0
11.....	150	200	120	510	280	a 0	200	200	200	160	120	120
12.....	150	a 0	a 0	335	280	260	200	200	200	160	a 0	120
13.....	150	200	120	335	280	260	200	a 0	200	160	120	120
14.....	150	200	145	335	a 0	260	200	200	200	160	120	120
15.....	a 0	190	120	430	270	260	200	200	200	a 0	120	120
16.....	150	175	165	a 505	270	260	a 0	200	200	160	120	120
17.....	150	170	150	520	270	260	200	200	a 0	160	120	a 0
18.....	150	170	160	425	270	a 0	200	200	200	135	120	120
19.....	150	a 0	a 0	335	270	260	200	200	200	145	a 0	120
20.....	150	170	200	305	270	260	200	a 0	200	160	120	120
21.....	150	170	200	280	a 0	260	200	200	200	160	120	120
22.....	a 0	170	200	280	260	260	200	200	200	a 0	120	120
23.....	150	170	200	a 0	260	260	a 0	200	200	160	120	120
24.....	150	145	200	280	260	260	200	200	a 0	160	120	a 0
25.....	150	120	200	280	260	a 0	200	200	200	160	120	30
26.....	150	a 0	a 0	280	260	260	200	200	200	160	a 0	130
27.....	150	120	200	280	260	260	200	a 0	200	160	120	185
28.....	150	120	240	280	a 0	255	200	200	200	130	120	170
29.....	a 0	.....	280	280	260	255	200	200	200	a 0	120	170
30.....	180	.....	280	a 0	130	255	a 0	200	200	160	60	170
31.....	180	.....	520	.....	260	.....	200	200	.....	130	.....	a 0

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*Monthly discharge of Cobbosseecontee Stream at Gardiner, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 240 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	180	0	125	0.521	0.60
February.....	200	0	148	.617	.64
March.....	520	0	154	.642	.74
April.....	758	0	398	1.66	1.85
May.....	280	0	232	.967	1.11
June.....	260	0	225	.938	1.05
July.....	255	0	166	.692	.80
August.....	200	0	174	.725	.84
September.....	200	0	173	.721	.80
October.....	200	0	139	.579	.67
November.....	120	0	100	.417	.47
December.....	185	0	105	.438	.50
The year.....	758	0	178	.742	10.07

**ANDROSCOGGIN RIVER BASIN.****ANDROSCOGGIN RIVER AT ERROL DAM, N. H.**

**Location.**—Errol dam, 1 mile above the town of Errol, N. H.

**Records available.**—January 1, 1905, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—1,095 square miles.

**Gage.**—Movable rod gage; readings taken each day from the sill of deep gate No. 6; elevation of zero of gage or sill of gate is 1,231.3 feet above mean sea level.

**Discharge.**—Computed from discharge through fourteen gates in the dam by means of coefficients determined from a few discharge measurements.

The dam is a wooden structure completely housed over, about 175 feet between abutments. The entire flow passes through gates of different sizes, fourteen in all. There is no provision for overflow besides the gates. Beginning at the left end the gates are described as follows:

One gate 10 feet deep by 15 feet wide, seldom used; three gates 10½ feet deep by 15 feet wide, open most of the time; nine gates 15 feet deep by 7 feet wide in the clear (so-called deep gates), open a portion of the time only; one gate 15 feet deep by 5 feet wide, gristmill gate and used only occasionally. The cap of all the fourteen gates is one continuous beam and on the same level, thus making the bottom of the various gates at different levels.

A "dead head" of 2.66 feet exists a short distance above the present dam, this point at present controlling the low flow.

The depth on the deep gates does not indicate the true height of water in Umbagog Lake on account of this "dead head" formed by the old dam and by the bar at "Quick Water Point," the lowest point of which is about 4 feet above the sill of the present dam.

**Winter flow.**—Little affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—Errol dam controls the storage of Umbagog Lake, the lower of the Rangeley series of lakes comprising the principal storage of the Androscoggin River, and amounting to about 19 billion cubic feet, and also a recently developed storage site on Magalloway River created by the Azischohos dam, which amounts to about 8 billion cubic feet, thus making the total storage about 28 billion cubic feet. Errol dam is located about 5 miles below the outlet of Umbagog Lake and about 3.5 miles below the mouth of Magalloway River, thus making this latter stream one of the feeders of Umbagog Lake.



**Accuracy.**—The discharge is derived from coefficients applied to the various gate openings as determined from a number of current meter gagings. The ratings, however, are not as thorough as could be desired, and the results are considered very roughly approximate.

**Cooperation.**—Records are obtained and computations made under the direction of Mr. Walter H. Sawyer, agent for the Union Water Power Co., who furnishes data to the Survey.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Androscoggin River at Errol dam, N. H., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	1,080	791	659	742	2,340	266	1,170	1,200	969	1,270	988	892
2.....	936	780	659	752	3,550	842	998	348	1,040	771	1,120	826
3.....	681	756	659	752	4,370	1,190	1,050	1,180	1,020	749	1,230	892
4.....	801	733	659	764	4,240	1,280	1,100	2,040	1,000	749	1,180	890
5.....	968	702	669	764	4,040	919	1,190	468	981	414	1,150	1,140
6.....	968	702	659	780	3,810	903	1,070	1,100	716	476	1,080	1,240
7.....	973	711	659	780	3,430	881	1,030	1,020	562	936	1,070	1,190
8.....	973	727	649	792	2,960	856	1,030	220	743	891	1,070	1,160
9.....	907	713	626	804	2,980	766	1,070	1,330	894	915	1,160	1,100
10.....	792	713	783	804	2,750	749	1,030	1,290	885	882	1,110	971
11.....	788	696	846	816	2,660	733	1,030	1,120	872	839	560	771
12.....	780	696	834	842	2,660	685	1,030	827	865	904	704	344
13.....	870	687	778	866	2,620	700	1,330	2,440	938	918	820	467
14.....	867	687	752	900	2,610	700	1,310	1,310	970	914	832	471
15.....	863	666	752	938	2,380	677	1,220	979	944	688	843	481
16.....	863	641	742	1,010	1,930	685	1,200	205	847	1,180	781	677
17.....	852	725	742	1,090	1,620	707	1,250	826	935	1,090	742	758
18.....	874	815	732	1,160	1,310	822	1,220	1,030	916	1,090	745	918
19.....	892	787	720	1,230	1,160	733	1,410	741	960	1,120	742	1,000
20.....	877	774	720	1,270	1,150	731	1,370	509	952	1,210	738	1,010
21.....	802	743	720	1,290	1,140	728	1,250	833	902	1,270	731	1,000
22.....	770	728	720	1,370	1,140	717	1,120	1,000	844	1,250	725	1,000
23.....	856	708	720	1,390	1,130	658	1,110	1,080	800	1,270	794	1,580
24.....	901	694	720	1,390	1,120	652	1,190	1,070	858	1,340	775	2,070
25.....	873	694	708	1,420	1,100	648	1,050	1,040	783	1,150	747	2,060
26.....	855	687	708	1,470	1,090	635	721	982	653	1,010	881	2,060
27.....	810	677	708	1,750	1,090	618	428	938	727	1,000	1,030	2,030
28.....	790	669	708	2,330	1,100	613	986	849	941	1,100	1,010	2,020
29.....	838	.....	720	2,150	1,090	727	867	611	1,280	971	892	2,000
30.....	871	.....	720	2,080	996	1,080	775	677	1,270	883	829	1,970
31.....	824	.....	732	.....	907	.....	607	858	.....	909	.....	1,940

*Monthly discharge of Androscoggin River at Errol dam, N. H., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 1,095 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	1,080	681	864	0.789	0.91
February.....	815	641	718	.656	.68
March.....	846	626	716	.654	.75
April.....	2,330	742	1,150	1.05	1.17
May.....	4,370	907	2,140	1.95	2.25
June.....	1,280	266	763	.697	.78
July.....	1,410	428	1,070	.977	1.13
August.....	2,440	205	972	.888	1.02
September.....	1,280	562	902	.824	.92
October.....	1,340	414	973	.889	1.02
November.....	1,230	560	903	.825	.92
December.....	2,070	344	1,190	1.09	1.26
The year.....	4,370	205	1,030	.941	12.81

**ANDROSCOGGIN RIVER AT RUMFORD FALLS, MAINE.**

**Location.**—The dam of the Rumford Falls Power Co. at Rumford Falls.

**Records available.**—May 18, 1892, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—2,090 square miles.

**Gage.**—One located in pond above dam and one in tailrace of power house.

**Discharge.**—Computed from discharge over the dam, using the customary Francis weir formula with modified coefficient, and the quantities passing through the various wheels of the power house, which have been thoroughly rated.

**Winter flow.**—Little affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—The storage in the Rangeley system of lakes at the headwaters of Androscoggin River, aggregating 28 billion cubic feet, is largely under complete control. The stored water is regulated in the interests of the water-power users below and is under such excellent management that this is one of the best water-power streams in the country.

**Accuracy.**—Results are believed to be excellent.

**Cooperation.**—Records are obtained and computations made by Mr. Charles A. Mixer, engineer, Rumford Falls Power Co., who furnishes the data through the district office.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Androscoggin River at Rumford Falls, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	a 1,530	967	785	a 1,480	14,600	2,320	1,330	1,410	1,640	a 1,670	1,830	2,820
2.....	1,540	981	763	a 1,280	15,000	2,370	a 1,380	1,330	1,550	1,630	1,920	2,620
3.....	2,050	982	781	1,310	13,000	1,790	1,440	1,320	a 1,560	1,640	1,920	a2,400
4.....	2,770	1,030	737	1,230	9,150	a 1,980	1,410	1,350	1,560	1,650	1,770	1,620
5.....	2,000	a 989	a 712	1,210	7,550	1,860	1,390	1,340	1,570	2,310	a 1,720	1,550
6.....	1,900	978	693	1,190	6,480	2,170	1,520	a 1,240	1,710	2,400	1,820	1,820
7.....	1,880	974	724	2,060	a 6,300	1,910	1,380	1,140	1,730	1,930	2,230	2,180
8.....	a 1,850	956	736	4,470	6,980	1,880	1,320	1,300	1,570	a 1,900	2,650	2,070
9.....	1,690	900	744	a 3,590	6,580	1,860	a 1,360	1,270	1,450	1,860	2,350	2,140
10.....	1,750	931	628	2,810	6,130	1,550	1,390	1,200	a 1,430	1,790	2,220	a2,220
11.....	1,620	1,000	762	2,760	5,600	a 1,530	1,370	1,310	1,440	1,680	2,080	2,310
12.....	1,440	a 1,020	a 638	2,730	5,000	1,520	1,320	1,510	1,340	1,730	a 2,070	2,880
13.....	1,410	1,000	707	3,250	4,560	2,360	1,670	a 1,440	1,370	1,640	3,600	3,870
14.....	1,380	995	716	4,280	a 4,210	2,400	1,190	1,360	1,400	1,750	2,830	3,910
15.....	a 1,440	1,040	718	5,490	3,890	2,240	1,120	1,350	1,460	a 1,740	2,610	2,940
16.....	1,300	977	742	a 7,470	3,820	1,880	a 1,190	1,430	1,610	1,720	2,380	2,730
17.....	1,200	965	708	5,920	3,500	1,860	1,260	1,600	a 1,390	1,660	1,870	a2,650
18.....	1,110	947	695	5,430	3,270	a 1,790	1,620	1,430	1,570	1,650	2,300	2,610
19.....	1,150	a 912	a 668	5,000	3,010	1,730	1,590	1,620	1,570	2,620	a 2,420	2,140
20.....	1,180	987	658	5,750	2,820	1,700	1,410	a 1,550	1,460	2,820	2,550	1,690
21.....	1,220	926	666	5,280	a 1,890	1,550	1,360	1,480	1,440	2,580	2,340	2,110
22.....	a 1,170	912	655	4,690	2,430	1,620	b 430	1,450	1,390	a 2,590	1,890	2,270
23.....	1,140	882	627	a 4,020	2,590	1,600	a 1,380	1,280	1,560	2,600	1,780	3,070
24.....	1,160	900	657	4,060	2,110	1,600	1,340	1,310	a 1,550	2,630	2,090	a4,150
25.....	1,110	912	643	6,260	2,520	a 1,490	1,440	1,320	1,530	2,200	2,020	4,360
26.....	1,150	a 871	a 639	7,920	2,680	1,380	1,330	1,410	1,700	2,120	a 2,100	3,940
27.....	1,230	830	625	9,740	2,480	1,590	1,300	a 1,420	1,660	2,050	2,180	3,670
28.....	1,110	858	875	12,400	a 2,160	1,470	1,360	1,420	1,620	2,020	2,000	3,600
29.....	a 1,020	.....	1,430	14,500	1,850	1,450	1,380	2,290	1,550	a 1,960	2,710	1,960
30.....	925	.....	1,760	a14,800	1,780	1,390	a 1,430	2,200	1,720	1,910	2,950	2,170
31.....	1,070	.....	1,580	.....	1,710	.....	1,480	1,900	.....	1,920	.....	a2,420

a Sunday.

*Monthly discharge of Androscoggin River at Rumford Falls, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 2,090 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	2,770	925	1,440	0.689	0.79
February.....	1,040	830	951	.455	.47
March.....	1,760	625	789	.378	.44
April.....	14,800	1,190	5,080	2.43	2.71
May.....	15,000	1,710	5,020	2.40	2.77
June.....	2,400	1,380	1,790	.856	.96
July.....	1,670	1,120	1,380	.660	.76
August.....	2,290	1,140	1,450	.694	.80
September.....	1,730	1,340	1,540	.737	.82
October.....	2,820	1,630	2,020	.967	1.11
November.....	3,600	1,720	2,240	1.07	1.19
December.....	4,360	1,550	2,650	1.27	1.46
The year.....	15,000	625	2,200	1.05	14.28

**PRESUMPCOT RIVER BASIN.****PRESUMPCOT RIVER AT OUTLET OF SEBAGO LAKE, MAINE.**

**Location.**—Outlet dam at Sebago Lake and the hydro-electric plant at Eel Weir Falls, 1 mile below lake outlet.

**Records available.**—January 1, 1887, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports, Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—436 square miles.

**Gages.**—On the bulkhead of the gate house at the outlet dam and in the fore bay and tailrace of the power plant.

**Discharge.**—Prior to March, 1904, the discharge was deduced from the records of the opening of the gates in the dam, the discharge capacity of which under different conditions of head has been determined and tabulated by Mr. Hiram F. Mills, of Lowell.

In March, 1904, a hydro-electric plant was completed at Eel Weir Falls, the water being brought directly from the outlet dam to the plant by means of a canal about a mile long. This new plant has necessitated a different method of recording the flow from the lake. The water passes through three pairs of 30-inch Hercules wheels, the amount being recorded by three Allen meters, one on each pair. These meters were rated by the result of a test at Holyoke, Mass., of one pair of the wheels. Since the station was finished the performance of the wheels and of the recording meters has been checked by current-meter measurements, brake tests of the wheels, and electrical readings of the generator output. It is usually desired to keep a constant flow through the canal, and when demands for power are not sufficient to utilize the entire flow through the wheels, the excess of water is run off through a pair of regulating gates at the power station. A record of the opening of these gates is kept and the flow computed from a coefficient determined from current meter tests.

The flow at times from the lake may be greater than is safe to carry through the canal, though this has not yet happened. At such times it will be necessary to draw a part of the water through the old regulating gates in the main dam.

**Winter flow.**—No trouble from ice.

**Artificial control.**—Sebago Lake, with an area of 46 square miles, is under complete control for storage. It is a magnificent natural storage reservoir and its utilization for this purpose has made the regimen of flow of the Presumpscot extremely regular.

**Accuracy.**—Results are very good for a station of this type.

**Cooperation.**—Records obtained and computations made and furnished by the S. D. Warren Co.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Presumpscot River at outlet of Sebago Lake, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	a 250	335	420	243	335	340	293	172	163	a 122	545	452
2.....	335	330	417	a 130	342	342	a 73	175	143	337	542	457
3.....	333	333	422	337	340	208	170	175	a 67	330	543	a 190
4.....	338	323	417	308	342	a 115	133	170	173	337	540	438
5.....	333	a 242	a 185	325	338	338	338	142	248	337	a 345	422
6.....	335	410	342	308	335	345	338	a 58	267	342	540	420
7.....	338	412	338	198	a 118	337	342	172	277	330	540	420
8.....	a 253	430	340	163	340	337	322	175	278	a 122	542	422
9.....	338	423	338	a 103	347	337	a 42	172	273	332	540	417
10.....	335	413	375	278	345	337	267	183	a 113	337	537	a 207
11.....	335	422	338	277	343	a 280	273	168	277	337	533	420
12.....	342	a 237	a 162	277	340	343	275	152	277	337	a 192	423
13.....	338	428	337	278	345	347	275	a 112	275	337	537	423
14.....	333	427	340	277	a 73	332	267	177	277	332	542	420
15.....	a 123	420	335	277	343	343	243	175	277	a 130	538	423
16.....	338	420	338	a 275	343	333	a 102	175	273	335	540	418
17.....	332	420	337	340	343	342	233	207	a 198	335	542	a 197
18.....	335	420	342	343	347	a 295	237	203	277	337	538	417
19.....	338	a 150	a 180	350	343	338	395	160	278	338	a 187	417
20.....	337	423	343	343	335	333	247	a 58	277	332	542	417
21.....	330	418	328	340	a 122	338	242	177	277	335	540	420
22.....	a 125	422	335	342	345	338	225	173	277	a 122	540	417
23.....	338	420	342	a 277	337	345	a 52	173	285	340	542	343
24.....	343	422	342	345	342	307	180	180	a 143	340	537	a 137
25.....	333	410	328	338	347	a 107	173	172	422	347	535	420
26.....	333	a 143	a 167	343	335	342	170	140	413	342	a 255	417
27.....	333	427	345	342	330	335	168	a 58	418	335	448	423
28.....	343	422	295	340	a 112	362	168	172	425	333	455	422
29.....	a 150	.....	262	338	335	338	173	172	420	a 142	453	427
30.....	320	.....	198	a 153	333	303	a 62	170	417	547	457	420
31.....	305	.....	217	.....	338	.....	202	172	.....	545	.....	a 250

a Sunday.

*Monthly discharge of Presumpscot River at outlet of Sebago Lake, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 436 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	343	123	309	0.709	0.82
February.....	430	143	375	.860	.90
March.....	422	162	316	.725	.84
April.....	350	103	286	.656	.73
May.....	347	73	310	.711	.82
June.....	362	107	317	.727	.81
July.....	395	42	215	.493	.57
August.....	207	58	159	.365	.42
September.....	425	67	273	.626	.70
October.....	547	122	316	.725	.84
November.....	545	187	489	1.12	1.25
December.....	457	137	383	.878	1.01
The year.....	547	42	312	.716	0.71

## SACO RIVER BASIN.

## SACO RIVER NEAR CENTER CONWAY, N. H.

**Location.**—At the wooden highway bridge between Center Conway and Redstone, N. H., about 2 miles from each place, about 3 miles below the mouth of Swift River and 2 miles above the outlet of Conway Lake.

**Records available.**—August 26, 1903, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of the Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—385 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain attached to bridge; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Recent measurements indicate radical changes in conditions of flow; but insufficient measurements have been taken to define the new discharge rating curve. Channel broken by one pier.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge or by wading.

**Winter flow.**—So affected by ice that gage height observations are discontinued.

**Cooperation.**—Established in cooperation with the New Hampshire Forestry Commission; since 1904 maintained by the United States Geological Survey.

The following measurement was made by Adams and Coffin:

October 20, 1911: Gage height, 5.15 feet; discharge, 1,160 second-feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Saco River near Center Conway, N. H., for 1911.*

[Fred Masterton, Observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.*	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....					9.0	5.0	3.55	3.49	3.36	3.70	4.30	4.90
2.....				6.6	9.6	4.85	3.49	3.47	3.33	3.65	4.00	4.65
3.....				7.8	4.35	3.46	3.37	3.30	3.75	3.85	4.45	
4.....				6.6	4.10	3.44	3.29	3.24	3.70	3.80	4.25	
5.....		6.2	5.5	6.2	4.00	3.39	3.27	3.21	4.90	3.70	4.50	
6.....					6.1	3.95	3.34	3.21	3.30	4.75	3.70	4.65
7.....					6.1	3.95	3.31	3.18	3.95	4.20	4.35	.....
8.....	4.85				6.7	4.45	3.35	3.20	3.55	3.95	4.95	.....
9.....					7.0	4.20	3.27	3.16	3.46	3.80	4.40	4.15
10.....				5.4	6.5	4.00	3.27	3.14	3.50	3.75	4.20	4.12
11.....				5.2	6.3	3.90	3.23	3.17	3.47	3.65	4.15	4.15
12.....		6.2	5.5	5.2	6.2	4.55	3.21	3.44	3.38	3.60	4.10	4.70
13.....				5.3	6.2	5.3	3.23	3.34	3.40	3.55	4.25	5.3
14.....				5.9	5.6	5.0	3.25	3.22	3.36	3.50	4.55	5.2
15.....	7.2			7.1	5.3	4.90	3.15	3.18	3.32	3.49	4.40	4.65
16.....				6.9	5.3	4.55	3.15	3.24	3.80	3.47	4.25	4.50
17.....				6.4	5.1	4.60	3.17	3.38	3.80	3.46	3.68	4.45
18.....				6.1	4.9	4.35	3.37	3.38	3.60	3.48	4.30	4.30
19.....		6.1	5.6	6.0	4.8	4.15	3.80	3.26	3.46	5.5	4.40	4.15
20.....				6.3	4.75	4.20	3.45	3.60	3.40	5.2	4.20	4.30
21.....				6.0	4.70	4.10	3.43	3.44	3.34	4.70	4.15	4.65
22.....	6.8			5.8	5.0	3.95	3.36	3.26	3.34	4.50	3.95	.....
23.....				5.5	4.55	3.90	3.27	3.20	3.50	5.2	4.00	6.1
24.....				5.4	4.55	3.80	3.24	3.12	3.43	5.2	4.00	5.8
25.....				6.3	4.50	3.70	3.35	3.11	3.38	4.65	4.10	5.1
26.....		5.7	5.7	6.9	4.55	3.75	3.27	3.14	3.42	4.40	3.95	4.85
27.....				7.3	4.35	3.67	3.25	3.18	3.43	4.20	4.05	4.75
28.....				8.2	4.20	3.70	3.25	3.22	3.41	4.15	4.00	4.55
29.....	6.2			8.7	4.10	3.70	3.95	3.95	3.46	4.00	5.8	5.6
30.....				8.6	4.00	3.67	4.05	3.85	3.60	3.95	5.3	.....
31.....					3.95	.....	3.65	3.50		3.90		.....

NOTE.—The river was frozen Jan. 1 to Apr. 10. Gage heights are to water surface. Probably no ice effect in December.

**SACO RIVER AT WEST BUXTON, MAINE.**

**Location.**—Hydro-electric plant of the Portland Electric Co. at West Buxton, Maine.

**Records available.**—October 19, 1907, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports Maine State Water Storage Commission.

**Drainage area.**—1,550 square miles.

**Gages.**—One in pond above dam and one in tail race of power house.

**Channel.**—Crest of the concrete dam, about 300 feet long.

**Discharge.**—Discharge computed from flow over the dam and through the rated wheels of the power plant based upon gage readings taken every hour.

**Winter flow.**—No trouble from ice.

**Artificial control.**—There are dams on numerous although comparatively small lakes in the basin above the station. Regulation of storage probably has some effect on the regimen of the stream but not to the extent that obtains in the other basins in the State of Maine where natural storage facilities are better and more fully developed.

**Accuracy.**—Results believed to be good for a station of this type.

**Cooperation.**—Records obtained and computations made and furnished by the Portland Electric Co., James A. Fleet, general manager.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Saco River at West Buxton, Maine, for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	a 290	800	780	3,390	9,790	2,240	1,120	1,100	500	a 410	1,410	2,230
2.....	1,850	980	790	a2,600	10,310	2,250	a 960	930	490	750	1,500	2,270
3.....	1,260	1,040	780	2,860	10,900	2,070	1,240	970	a 350	720	1,420	a2,110
4.....	1,530	1,120	660	2,690	11,020	a1,350	600	950	330	250	1,370	2,540
5.....	1,490	a 650	a 560	2,740	10,760	1,920	1,380	780	690	690	a1,030	2,050
6.....	1,600	1,230	920	2,760	9,940	1,940	1,150	a 580	540	710	1,600	1,870
7.....	1,920	1,010	910	3,750	a8,560	1,750	1,000	880	570	680	1,580	1,860
8.....	a1,630	950	720	5,730	8,020	1,680	850	770	520	a 770	1,700	1,810
9.....	2,100	1,010	930	a5,860	7,100	1,810	a 450	780	440	970	1,660	1,760
10.....	1,870	980	770	6,070	6,710	1,640	1,030	580	a 260	1,880	1,850	a1,380
11.....	1,850	1,110	560	5,550	6,100	a1,020	740	530	630	1,600	1,830	1,950
12.....	1,800	a 520	a 510	5,620	5,820	1,720	790	640	790	1,360	a1,280	1,910
13.....	1,690	1,100	710	6,050	4,880	1,780	780	a 620	680	1,460	1,730	1,870
14.....	1,630	1,020	840	6,850	a5,510	1,860	760	579	670	970	1,650	1,870
15.....	a1,090	780	880	8,030	5,290	2,230	1,150	590	670	a 820	1,760	1,960
16.....	1,690	860	800	a8,850	4,630	2,540	a 310	600	440	1,290	1,810	2,120
17.....	1,500	970	840	10,140	4,220	2,700	820	660	a 360	1,410	1,910	a1,960
18.....	1,370	720	710	9,660	4,080	a2,390	840	690	640	1,520	1,950	2,490
19.....	1,360	a 540	a 630	9,350	3,410	2,700	730	710	850	1,230	a1,870	2,180
20.....	1,280	930	890	9,380	3,350	2,490	1,050	a 440	710	1,110	2,220	2,030
21.....	1,330	880	900	9,060	a2,700	2,120	1,030	540	790	1,030	1,990	1,800
22.....	a 790	730	980	8,770	2,950	1,980	940	490	830	a 530	1,830	1,780
23.....	1,630	800	1,000	a8,210	2,750	1,890	a 700	560	510	1,300	1,800	1,990
24.....	1,380	850	940	8,390	2,850	1,650	1,420	570	a 270	1,450	1,590	a2,840
25.....	1,100	670	700	7,500	2,890	a1,060	840	510	590	1,270	1,890	3,510
26.....	1,220	a 620	a 650	7,460	2,960	1,560	820	340	700	1,430	a1,400	3,360
27.....	1,330	970	1,100	7,530	2,690	1,750	1,010	a 190	620	1,680	1,850	3,450
28.....	1,150	790	1,520	7,810	a2,140	1,110	670	510	600	1,600	1,690	3,350
29.....	a 720	.....	1,760	8,000	2,580	1,530	870	490	710	a1,140	1,510	2,780
30.....	1,370	.....	2,700	a8,460	2,180	1,330	a 760	510	540	1,690	1,710	1,660
31.....	1,190	.....	3,410	.....	1,860	.....	910	560	.....	1,360	.....	a 960

a Sunday.

*Monthly discharge of Saco River at West Buxton, Maine, for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 1,550 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	2,100	290	1,420	0.916	1.06
February.....	1,230	520	880	.568	.59
March.....	3,410	510	995	.642	.74
April.....	10,140	2,600	6,640	4.28	4.78
May.....	11,020	1,860	5,450	3.52	4.06
June.....	2,700	1,020	1,870	1.21	1.35
July.....	1,420	310	894	.577	.67
August.....	1,100	190	634	.409	.47
September.....	850	260	576	.372	.42
October.....	1,880	250	1,130	.729	.84
November.....	2,220	1,030	1,680	1.08	1.20
December.....	3,510	960	2,160	1.39	1.60
The year.....	11,020	190	2,030	1.31	17.78

**MERRIMAC RIVER BASIN.****PEMIGEWASSET RIVER AT PLYMOUTH, N. H.**

**Location.**—In the town of Plymouth, about 40 feet above the covered wooden highway bridge three-fourths of a mile below the mouth of Bakers River.

**Records available.**—1886 to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—615 square miles.

**Gages.**—Two gages have been maintained at this station. From September 4, 1903, to June 30, 1907, readings were taken with the chain gage established by the United States Geological Survey on the upstream side of the bridge; the datum of this gage has remained the same during the maintenance of the station. Since June 30, 1907, gage heights have been furnished by the Locks & Canals Co., of Lowell, Mass., from readings taken on the staff gage, the low and medium stage sections of which are about 40 feet above the bridge and on the same side of the river as the chain gage. The high-stage section is bolted to the upstream side of the right abutment. The datum of this gage is 1.11 feet higher than that of the chain gage. All gage readings prior to 1910 were reduced to chain gage datum. At low stages the difference in readings between the two gages is 1.11 feet; at 8.1 feet on the staff gage the difference is 0.99 feet. Owing to the slight difference in the relation of stage to discharge at the locations of the two gages and to the fact that gage readings are now taken on the staff gage, it is considered advisable to publish all gage heights beginning with 1910 exactly as received from the Locks & Canals Co., namely as referred to the staff gage datum.

**Channel.**—Rocky and probably fairly permanent in the right channel; fine gravel, shifting occasionally at times of high floods, in the left channel.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge at ordinary and high stages. At low stages the right channel is measured from the bridge and the left channel by wading.

**Artificial control.**—The nearest dam upstream is at the pulp mills at Livermore Falls, 3 miles above. Downstream the nearest dam is at Franklin, 25 miles distant. The control of the flow at Livermore Falls and also at the dam at Woodstock, 17 miles upstream, affects the low-water discharge.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice, which forms on the control about 300 feet below the bridge. Discharge from sewer entering a short distance above the gage usually keeps the river open on right bank near the staff gage.

**Accuracy.**—Estimates of discharge covering the period from 1886–1903 were made and published in Water-Supply 124, pages 97–101. At the time these estimates were published it was believed that conditions of flow were stable, but two quite radical changes have since occurred, one in 1905 and one in 1910, the discharge at a stage of 1.2 feet (chain gage) having varied as follows: 1904, discharge 110 second-feet; 1905, discharge 158 second-feet; 1910, discharge 213 second-feet. Hence, these earlier estimates of discharge should be used with caution for low stages, although they are probably essentially correct for medium and high stages. For the period since 1903 good discharge rating curves have been developed. Conditions for obtaining accurate discharge data are good, except at low stages, when the control of the flow at Livermore Falls affects the accuracy of the computed values of daily discharge.

**Cooperation.**—Established in 1903 in cooperation with the New Hampshire Forestry Commission. Gage heights since June 30, 1907, furnished by the Locks & Canals Co., of Lowell, Mass.

*Discharge measurements of Pemigewasset River at Plymouth, N. H., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height. <sup>a</sup>	Discharge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Apr. 27	Covert and De Golyer	7.06	6,760
May 23	C. C. Covert	2.50	880
July 3	do	.68	94
Dec. 2	H. H. Halsey	2.82	1,350

<sup>a</sup> Gage heights refer to chain gage.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Pemigewasset River at Plymouth, N. H., for 1911.*

[Frank Morton, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1		2.0	2.0	4.7	8.0	2.8		0.5	0.28		1.6	2.1
2	2.6	2.0	2.0		8.9	2.1		.85	.33	1.35	1.55	1.7
3	2.8	2.0	2.1	3.6	6.1	1.4	0.24	.4		1.4	1.35	
4	6.2	2.1	2.2	3.2	4.4		-.04	.38	.35	1.75	1.25	1.15
5	3.2			3.1	3.5	1.0	-.17	.04	.30	3.7		1.0
6	3.6	2.1	1.9	2.0	2.8	.9	-.22		.38	2.6	1.1	1.4
7	3.5	1.9	2.0	3.8		.9	-.17	-.11	1.55	1.9	1.55	1.55
8		1.9	2.2	6.5	3.8	.85	-.20	.33	1.0		2.3	1.35
9	3.0	1.8	2.4		3.7	.85		.11	.8	1.45	1.8	1.2
10	2.8	1.8	2.1	5.4	3.6	.75	+.03	-.09		1.2	1.55	
11	2.6	1.7	1.8	4.7	3.2		-.14	.10	.95	1.2	1.5	1.55
12	2.4			5.5	3.2	.65	+.16	.5	.7	1.05		2.0
13	2.3	1.7	1.6	5.7	2.9	1.4	-.50		.75	.9	1.8	3.7
14	2.1	1.6	1.7	6.8		1.6	-.43	.27	.6	.8	1.9	3.0
15		2.2	1.7	9.1	2.3	1.8	-.41	-.21	.5		1.7	2.3
16	1.8	2.2	1.8		2.2	1.4		.17	2.0	.6	1.6	2.0
17	2.0	2.1	1.8	4.6	2.0	1.15	-.01	.4		.5	1.4	
18	1.8	2.0	1.8	3.5	1.8		1.0	.27	1.05	1.05	1.55	1.3
19	2.8			3.8	1.8	1.0	.9	.29	.7	4.8		1.35
20	1.9	1.8	2.2	4.7	1.6	.85	.4		.6	3.2	1.8	1.25
21	1.8	2.1	2.2	3.6		.85	.38	.55	.6	2.4	1.6	1.35
22		2.2	2.3	4.1	1.4	.75	.31	.38	.55		1.5	1.45
23	1.8	1.9	2.3		1.25	.75		.25	1.0	3.3	1.25	4.4
24	1.7	1.9	2.2	3.4	1.15	.75		.19	.23	1.6	3.1	5.0
25	1.5	1.8	2.1	5.5	1.35		-.06	.07	.65	2.2	1.2	3.1
26	1.5			6.4	1.6	.65	.19	-.09	.95	1.8		2.3
27	1.9	1.8	2.5	7.0	1.4	.6	-.36		.95	1.85	1.15	2.0
28	2.0	1.7	3.0	7.8		.6	-.26	-.07	.8	1.55	1.2	1.65
29			6.2	8.5	1.1	.5	.75	2.2	.8		3.2	1.4
30	2.0		6.0		1.0	.42		1.35	1.1	1.25	2.6	1.65
31	2.2		5.8		.9		1.0	.9		1.25		

NOTE.—Relation of gage heights to discharge affected by ice from Jan. 1 to about Mar. 26. Probably no effect during December.



*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Pemigewasset River at Plymouth, N. H., for 1911.*

Day.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.		4,610	10,400	2,230	315	375	280	819	1,100	1,530
2.		3,880	12,200	1,530	290	570	301	908	1,060	1,180
3.		3,140	6,830	945	265	330	305	945	908	972
4.		2,660	4,190	805	176	322	309	1,220	835	765
5.		2,560	3,020	665	144	198	288	3,260	782	665
6.		1,440	2,230	600	133	178	322	2,020	730	945
7.		3,380	2,300	600	144	158	1,060	1,350	1,060	1,060
8.		7,530	3,380	570	137	301	665	1,170	1,720	908
9.		6,600	3,260	570	163	219	540	982	1,260	800
10.		5,680	3,140	510	189	163	586	800	1,060	930
11.		4,610	2,660	481	151	216	632	800	1,020	1,060
12.		5,840	2,660	452	236	375	480	698	1,140	1,440
13.		6,160	2,340	945	80	326	510	600	1,260	3,260
14.		8,070	2,030	1,100	92	277	425	540	1,350	2,440
15.		12,600	1,720	1,260	95	135	375	482	1,180	1,720
16.		8,540	1,620	945	139	240	1,440	425	1,100	1,440
17.		4,470	1,440	765	183	330	1,070	330	945	1,160
18.		3,020	1,260	715	665	277	698	698	1,060	870
19.		3,380	1,260	665	600	284	480	4,760	1,160	908
20.		4,610	1,100	570	330	342	425	2,660	1,260	835
21.		3,140	1,020	570	322	400	425	1,820	1,100	908
22.		3,780	945	510	292	322	400	2,300	1,020	982
23.		3,340	835	510	270	269	665	2,780	835	4,190
24.		2,900	765	510	247	261	1,100	2,560	730	5,060
25.		5,840	908	481	170	207	452	1,620	800	2,560
26.		7,350	1,100	452	247	163	632	1,260	782	1,720
27.		1,920	8,450	425	105	166	632	1,310	765	1,440
28.		2,440	9,780	425	124	168	540	1,060	800	1,140
29.		7,000	11,400	730	375	510	1,620	540	945	2,660
30.		6,660	10,900	665	339	588	908	730	835	2,020
31.		6,320	600	.....	665	600	.....	835	.....	1,000

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a rating curve well defined between 200 and 15,000 second-feet.

Discharge interpolated for days when gage was not read.

*Monthly discharge of Pemigewasset River at Plymouth, N. H., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 615 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			525	0.854	0.98	D.
February.....			325	.528	.55	D.
March.....	7,000		1,100	1.79	2.06	D.
April.....	12,600	1,440	5,660	9.20	10.28	A.
May.....	12,200	600	2,540	4.13	4.76	A.
June.....	2,230	339	717	1.17	1.30	A.
July.....	665	80	260	.423	.49	A.
August.....	1,620	135	345	.561	.65	A.
September.....	1,440	280	577	.938	1.05	A.
October.....	4,760	330	1,380	2.24	2.58	A.
November.....	2,660	730	1,120	1.82	2.03	A.
December.....	5,060	665	1,480	2.41	2.78	B.
The year.....	12,600	80	1,340	2.18	29.49	

NOTE.—Discharge for the period during which ice was present estimated by means of climatologic records and the discharge at Garvins Falls. Mean discharge Mar. 1-26, estimated, 380 second-feet.

## MERRIMAC RIVER AT FRANKLIN JUNCTION, N. H.

**Location.**—At covered wooden bridge of the Boston & Maine Railroad near Franklin Junction, N. H., about 1 mile below the confluence of Pemigewasset and Winnepesaukee rivers.

**Records available.**—July 8, 1903, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—1,460 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain fastened to floor of bridge on upstream side over the right-hand channel. A gage painted on the downstream right-hand side of the center pier is used by the United States Weather Bureau for high-water readings.

**Channel.**—Coarse gravel and boulders; fairly permanent.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from upstream side of the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Ice usually affects the relation between gage height and discharge for short periods during the winter months.

**Artificial control.**—Several dams above the station on both Pemigewasset and Winnepesaukee rivers affect the discharge. The operation of the mills above the station causes more or less fluctuation in stage each working day. It is not known how much this affects the reliability of the records. Winnepesaukee, Squam, and New Found lakes also offer opportunities for storage and are under more or less regulation.

**Accuracy.**—During open-water periods the results are believed to be fairly good.

**Cooperation.**—All of the data published by the United States Geological Survey are based on readings from chain gage which have been furnished by the Locks & Canals Co., of Lowell, Mass., since June 30, 1907.

The following discharge measurement was made by C. S. De Golyer:

April 27, 1911: Gage height, 9.50 feet; discharge, 11,500 second-feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Merrimac River at Franklin Junction, N. H., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....		4.45	4.05	.....	10.2	4.12	4.02	4.22	4.38	.....	4.72	4.98
2.....	4.32	4.35	4.02	.....	11.05	5.2	.....	4.18	4.28	4.32	4.72	4.82
3.....	4.52	4.55	4.02	6.25	9.8	5.15	3.98	4.05	.....	4.35	4.85	.....
4.....	4.55	4.48	3.95	5.5	7.55	.....	3.85	4.05	4.18	4.7	4.88	4.82
5.....	4.45	.....	.....	5.22	6.42	4.88	3.92	4.02	4.05	6.1	.....	4.5
6.....	4.35	4.45	4.02	5.35	6.28	4.5	4.0	.....	4.1	6.08	4.78	4.52
7.....	4.85	4.9	4.02	6.05	.....	4.38	3.82	3.95	4.8	5.35	4.92	4.42
8.....	.....	5.32	3.95	6.75	6.22	4.22	3.8	3.98	4.58	.....	5.75	4.45
9.....	5.2	4.02	4.02	.....	6.4	4.02	.....	4.0	4.42	4.95	5.48	4.38
10.....	5.05	3.92	3.92	6.8	6.48	4.12	3.78	3.95	.....	4.82	5.28	.....
11.....	4.98	4.12	3.85	6.68	6.25	.....	3.75	4.0	4.38	4.72	5.32	4.68
12.....	4.92	.....	.....	6.58	6.18	.....	3.8	3.95	4.35	4.58	.....	5.0
13.....	4.85	4.35	3.95	6.95	5.92	4.65	3.78	.....	4.32	4.45	5.75	6.22
14.....	4.78	4.35	4.0	8.1	.....	.....	3.8	3.98	4.28	4.42	5.6	6.0
15.....	.....	4.22	3.92	10.25	5.78	.....	3.78	3.9	4.3	.....	5.4	6.05
16.....	4.72	4.25	3.9	.....	5.65	.....	.....	3.92	4.55	4.38	5.12	5.35
17.....	4.55	4.2	3.88	8.55	5.4	.....	3.8	3.98	.....	4.32	5.08	.....
18.....	4.5	4.2	3.98	7.65	5.18	.....	3.82	4.05	4.5	4.52	5.02	.....
19.....	4.52	.....	.....	7.15	4.95	.....	3.92	3.98	4.4	5.7	.....	5.1
20.....	4.45	4.2	4.05	7.7	4.92	.....	4.08	.....	4.38	6.78	5.2	4.92
21.....	4.42	4.2	3.98	7.42	.....	.....	4.0	4.02	4.32	6.3	5.08	4.92
22.....	.....	.....	4.0	7.28	4.82	.....	4.02	4.02	4.3	.....	4.95	5.05
23.....	4.32	.....	4.02	.....	4.78	4.18	.....	3.92	4.28	4.78	4.82	6.0
24.....	4.28	.....	4.02	6.92	4.62	4.15	3.98	3.95	.....	6.58	4.75	.....
25.....	4.2	.....	4.12	7.75	4.62	.....	3.88	3.92	4.25	6.35	4.82	.....
26.....	4.18	.....	.....	8.65	4.68	4.02	3.9	3.9	4.28	6.28	.....	6.08
27.....	4.28	4.22	4.3	9.18	4.7	4.0	3.9	.....	4.2	5.92	4.75	5.85
28.....	4.2	4.2	4.72	9.78	.....	4.1	3.9	3.88	4.18	5.38	4.75	5.75
29.....	.....	.....	6.25	10.35	4.62	4.02	4.05	3.98	4.22	.....	5.08	4.65
30.....	4.28	.....	6.88	.....	4.05	4.0	.....	4.78	4.28	4.95	5.02	4.48
31.....	4.45	.....	.....	.....	3.7	.....	4.15	4.4	.....	4.88	.....	.....

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice from about Jan. 5 to Feb. 28 and possibly during March.

It is not known whether readings were to water surface or to top of ice.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Merrimac River at Franklin Junction, N. H., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.	1,460	1,120	7,000	12,300	1,200	1,080	1,320	1,520	1,420	1,980	2,350
2.	1,450	1,080	5,000	14,100	2,680	1,060	1,280	1,400	1,450	1,980	2,120
3.	1,710	1,080	4,450	11,500	2,600	1,040	1,120	1,340	1,480	2,160	2,120
4.	1,740	1,000	3,160	6,900	2,400	900	1,120	1,280	1,950	2,200	2,120
5.		1,040	2,710	4,760	2,200	972	1,080	1,120	4,180	2,130	1,680
6.		1,080	2,920	4,500	1,680	1,060	1,040	1,180	4,140	2,060	1,710
7.		1,080	4,090	4,450	1,520	870	1,000	2,090	2,920	2,260	1,580
8.		1,000	5,360	4,400	1,320	850	1,040	1,780	2,960	3,580	1,620
9.		1,080	7,000	4,720	1,080	840	1,060	1,580	2,300	3,130	1,520
10.		972	5,460	4,860	1,200	830	1,000	1,550	2,120	2,810	1,720
11.		900	5,230	4,450	1,420	800	1,060	1,520	1,980	2,870	1,920
12.		950	5,040	4,320	1,650	850	1,000	1,480	1,780	3,220	2,380
13.		1,000	5,740	3,860	1,880	830	1,020	1,450	1,620	3,580	4,400
14.		1,060	8,000	3,740	1,900	850	1,040	1,400	1,580	3,320	4,000
15.		972	12,400	3,630	2,100	830	950	1,420	1,550	3,000	4,090
16.		950	12,000	3,400	2,300	840	972	1,740	1,520	2,560	2,920
17.		930	8,900	3,000	1,700	850	1,040	1,710	1,450	2,500	2,790
18.		1,040	7,100	2,650	1,400	870	1,120	1,680	1,710	2,410	2,660
19.		1,080	6,120	2,300	1,600	972	1,040	1,550	3,490	2,540	2,530
20.		1,120	7,200	2,260	1,700	1,160	1,060	1,520	5,420	2,680	2,260
21.		1,040	6,640	2,190	1,600	1,060	1,080	1,450	4,540	2,500	2,260
22.		1,060	6,370	2,120	1,500	1,080	1,080	1,420	3,300	2,300	2,460
23.		1,080	6,030	2,060	1,280	1,060	972	1,400	2,060	2,120	4,000
24.		1,080	5,690	1,840	1,240	1,040	1,000	1,380	5,040	2,020	4,150
25.		1,200	7,300	1,840	1,160	930	972	1,360	4,630	2,120	4,300
26.		1,310	9,100	1,920	1,080	950	950	1,400	4,500	2,070	4,140
27.		1,420	10,200	1,950	1,060	950	940	1,300	3,860	2,020	3,740
28.		1,980	11,400	1,900	1,180	950	930	1,280	2,970	2,020	3,580
29.		4,450	12,600	1,840	1,080	1,120	1,040	1,320	2,980	2,500	1,880
30.		5,610	13,000	1,120	1,060	1,180	2,060	1,400	2,300	2,410	1,650
31.		8,000		750		1,240	1,550		2,200		1,500

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a fairly well-defined discharge rating curve.

Discharge interpolated for days when gage was not read except Mar. 31, Apr. 1, 2, 9, 16, 30, June 14–22, Oct. 8, 29, and Dec. 24, 25, and 31, for which discharge was estimated by means of the discharge at Garvins Falls.

There may have been some ice present during March, but comparisons with the other stations in the Merrimac basin indicate that the discharge during March was not affected.

*Monthly discharge of Merrimac River at Franklin Junction, N. H., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 1,460 square miles.]

Month.	Drainage in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....				1,420	0.973	1.12
February.....				1,000	.685	.71
March.....	8,000	900	1,570	1.08	1.24	C.
April.....	13,000	2,710	7,110	4.87	5.43	B.
May.....	14,100	750	4,050	2.77	3.19	B.
June.....	2,680	1,060	1,590	1.09	1.22	B.
July.....	1,240	800	965	.661	.76	B.
August.....	2,060	930	1,090	.747	.86	B.
September.....	2,090	1,120	1,470	1.01	1.13	B.
October.....	5,420	1,420	2,750	1.88	2.17	B.
November.....	3,580	1,980	2,600	1.71	1.91	B.
December.....	4,400	1,500	2,650	1.82	2.10	B.
The year.....	14,100	750	2,350	1.61	21.84	

NOTE.—Discharge for the periods during which ice was present estimated from the discharge record at Garvins Falls and on climatologic records.

The accuracy is marked low because there is reason to believe that the daily gage readings by the observer from which the discharge was derived were not good.

**MERRIMAC RIVER AT GARVINS FALLS, N. H.**

**Location.**—At the dam of the Manchester Traction, Light & Power Co., 4 miles below Concord, N. H. The Garvins Falls plant is one of a system including three water-power plants and one steam-power plant operated by this company. The Garvins Falls site, one of the best on Merrimac River, has been utilized since 1815, first in connection with Old Bow Canal and later to furnish power for a pulp mill.

**Records available.**—1904 to 1911.

**Drainage area.**—2,340 square miles.

**Dam.**—During 1903-4 an overfall dam of the ogee type, somewhat similar in cross section to the dam at Holyoke, was completed. This dam is 550 feet long between abutments, and about 800 feet over all, including the head gates, and is of stone masonry, substantially built. The new dam and head gates are situated about 800 feet downstream from the old dam, which was destroyed on the completion of the new structure.

**Canal and wasteways.**—A canal has been completed which is about 500 feet long and 74 feet wide at the water line; in the sides of this canal wasteways are provided, one 90 feet long at elevation 102 feet (the main crest of the dam being taken as elevation 100) and another 45 feet long at elevation 103. A waste gate, 10 feet wide and capable of being lowered to elevation 93, is also provided for use in floating out any obstructions which lodge against the racks.

**Turbines.**—There are six triplex turbines, of somewhat more than 1,000 horsepower each, and one small duplex turbine of 75 horsepower used in running exciters; each large unit has three 39-inch runners mounted on a horizontal shaft which revolves at 180 revolutions a minute. Two of the wheels in each set discharge through a common T center and draft tube near the fore bay wall. The third wheel is set opposite a quarter turn at the downstream end of the casing and discharges through this quarter turn into a smaller draft tube. The top of the penstock opening is at elevation 95.5; the lower ends of the draft tubes are horizontal and are about 2 feet below the elevation of usual tail water. The gates for the runners are of the plain cylindrical pattern, without fingers, and are controlled by governors. The average head on the wheels is about 29 feet and there are six 650-kilowatt 3-phase generators directly connected with the turbines.

**Utilization of power.**—The power developed is transmitted at 12,000 volts tension to Manchester, about 14 miles away, where it enters a substation and is transformed to a lower voltage and utilized through a distributing switchboard for light and power.

**Computations of discharge.**—Careful records of the pond and tail race levels, wheel openings, etc., have been kept by the company since completion of the dam in 1904 and have been furnished for computations of flow by J. Brodie Smith, manager. The original records for 1911 have been furnished by Hollis French and Allen Hubbard, consulting engineers for the power company. By means of these records computations of daily discharge were made by engineers of the United States Geological Survey. A number of current-meter measurements have been made from time to time by engineers of the United States Geological Survey for the purpose of rating turbines and to assist in computing the flow over the dam.

**Winter flow.**—The flow over the dam is somewhat affected by ice during the winter.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions at this station favor accurate determinations of discharge.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Merrimac River at Garvins Falls, N. H., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.	1,860	1,420	1,290	8,740	13,300	1,600	1,280	2,010	1,970	929	2,760	5,600
2.	1,940	1,600	1,370	6,510	13,200	2,150	984	1,610	1,580	2,110	3,090	4,650
3.	2,200	1,390	1,450	5,170	14,900	2,690	865	1,270	1,160	2,140	2,970	4,080
4.	2,930	1,530	1,300	4,430	9,800	1,200	718	1,220	1,080	2,590	2,650	3,790
5.	5,100	1,620	1,200	3,980	7,250	1,700	903	962	1,120	3,450	2,220	4,300
6.	4,740	1,210	1,240	4,100	5,760	2,040	778	791	1,480	4,360	2,490	2,750
7.	3,600	1,360	1,220	7,250	5,210	2,060	891	1,160	1,500	3,470	2,470	2,740
8.	2,660	1,400	1,260	12,000	4,990	2,250	797	1,170	1,960	2,580	3,600	2,630
9.	2,590	1,500	1,180	14,400	5,400	2,340	618	1,190	1,650	2,640	4,380	2,260
10.	2,520	1,360	1,230	11,700	5,580	2,210	1,010	1,190	1,250	2,210	3,750	2,460
11.	2,300	1,390	1,090	9,710	5,100	1,800	972	1,240	1,930	2,340	3,130	2,410
12.	2,140	842	705	9,180	4,620	2,300	825	970	1,430	2,270	1,630	2,290
13.	1,980	1,520	1,330	8,810	4,670	2,230	1,070	715	1,470	1,920	3,000	2,520
14.	2,030	1,250	1,320	10,300	4,530	2,340	1,120	1,150	1,600	1,780	3,750	2,720
15.	1,890	1,220	1,650	13,500	3,830	2,590	895	1,240	1,640	1,170	3,770	2,390
16.	1,900	1,110	2,640	18,900	3,490	2,780	482	1,230	1,540	1,990	3,490	2,040
17.	1,620	1,220	2,020	15,500	3,130	2,170	1,070	1,580	1,620	1,900	3,340	1,370
18.	1,490	1,110	1,940	11,900	3,080	1,870	1,080	1,400	2,050	1,870	3,050	2,610
19.	1,550	961	1,870	9,910	2,850	2,000	1,200	1,240	1,980	2,770	2,770	2,840
20.	1,380	1,530	1,780	9,580	2,730	2,060	1,830	785	1,630	8,500	4,920	2,530
21.	1,440	1,230	1,790	10,100	2,500	2,000	1,240	1,040	1,520	6,610	4,420	1,890
22.	1,260	1,140	1,770	9,440	2,330	1,830	953	1,260	1,590	4,970	2,930	2,330
23.	1,490	1,310	1,800	8,790	2,280	1,800	822	1,150	1,460	4,930	3,510	2,280
24.	1,370	1,300	1,720	7,520	2,280	1,540	1,020	1,220	893	6,260	2,250	4,750
25.	1,360	996	1,730	8,130	2,140	915	1,190	1,110	1,730	5,200	3,510	3,860
26.	1,470	1,020	1,390	10,300	2,340	1,730	1,100	1,170	1,260	4,100	3,400	3,020
27.	1,410	1,260	2,160	11,200	2,520	1,650	1,340	454	1,600	3,330	3,390	2,590
28.	1,470	1,560	5,160	12,000	2,390	1,450	1,580	964	1,830	2,980	3,290	1,010
29.	1,810	.....	7,710	13,600	2,100	1,550	1,500	1,190	2,000	2,780	3,330	301
30.	1,910	.....	10,900	14,000	1,860	1,460	1,090	1,680	1,750	3,090	5,920	1,910
31.	1,560	.....	10,800	.....	1,920	.....	2,440	3,180	.....	2,890	.....	4,010

*Monthly discharge of Merrimac River at Garvins Falls, N. H., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 2,340 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	5,100	1,260	2,100	0.897	1.03
February.....	1,620	842	1,300	.556	.58
March.....	10,900	705	2,450	1.05	1.21
April.....	18,900	3,980	10,000	4.27	4.76
May.....	14,900	1,860	4,780	2.04	2.35
June.....	2,780	915	1,940	.829	.92
July.....	2,440	482	1,090	.466	.54
August.....	3,180	454	1,240	.530	.61
September.....	2,050	893	1,580	.675	.75
October.....	8,500	929	3,230	1.38	1.59
November.....	5,920	1,630	3,310	1.41	1.57
December.....	5,600	301	2,800	1.20	1.38
The year.....	18,900	301	2,990	1.28	17.29

### MERRIMAC RIVER AT LAWRENCE, MASS.

**Location.**—At the dam of the Essex Water Power Co. in Lawrence.

**Records available.**—Records of flow of the Merrimac at Lawrence have been kept for more than 50 years but have been published only since 1890.

**Diversions.**—Water is diverted from the drainage basins of Sudbury and Nashua rivers for use by the Metropolitan district in the vicinity of Boston, but during a portion of the year water is wasted into the Merrimac at these diversion dams; consequently the drainage area is somewhat variable.

**Drainage area.**—

	Square miles.
Total of Merrimac River drainage basin above Lawrence.....	4,663
Nashua River drainage basin above gaging station at Clinton, Mass.....	118
Sudbury River drainage basin, Framingham dam No. 1.....	75
Cochituate River drainage basin.....	18
Total of Nashua, Sudbury, and Cochituate river drainage basins..	211
Net drainage of Merrimac River, excluding Nashua, Sudbury, and Cochituate river basins.....	4,452

**Computations of discharge.**—Careful record is kept of the flow over the dam and through the various wheels and gates in connection with the sale of power, and the quantity measured at Lawrence includes the water wasted into the Merrimac from the Sudbury, Nashua, and Cochituate drainage basins. In getting the absolute yield of the river this fact should be considered in reference to the drainage areas, either by deducting it from the Merrimac flow and using the net area and the net flow of the Merrimac, or by getting the total yield of both Sudbury and Nashua rivers with the Merrimac and using the total area. The estimate of the quantity wasted from Sudbury and Nashua drainage basins into the Merrimac is based on data furnished by the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board of Boston.

**Accuracy.**—Such care is taken in procuring the base data used and in making computations that the records are regarded as excellent.

**Cooperation.**—Records furnished for publication by R. A. Hale, principal assistant engineer of the Essex Water Power Co.

*Average weekly discharge, in second-feet, of Merrimac River at Lawrence, Mass., for 1911.*

[Weeks arranged in order of dryness at Lawrence.]

Week ending Sunday.	Merrimac River at Lawrence (total drainage area=4,663 square miles).	Wasting into Merrimac River from diverted watersheds (211 square miles).	Net yield of Merrimac River from 4,452 square miles.	
			Per week.	Per square mile.
	Sec.-ft.	Sec.-ft.	Sec.-ft.	Sec.-ft.
July 23.....	854	6	848	0.190
July 9.....	985	6	979	.220
Aug. 20.....	1,211	6	1,205	.271
Aug. 27.....	1,268	6	1,262	.283
July 30.....	1,322	6	1,316	.296
Aug. 13.....	1,409	6	1,403	.315
July 16.....	1,558	7	1,551	.348
Oct. 1.....	1,731	4	1,727	.388
Sept. 10.....	1,811	3	1,808	.406
Sept. 3.....	1,859	6	1,853	.416
Feb. 19.....	1,869	8	1,861	.418
Aug. 6.....	1,881	6	1,875	.421
July 2.....	1,922	5	1,917	.431
Sept. 17.....	1,937	6	1,931	.434
Feb. 26.....	1,940	17	1,923	.432
Jan. 29.....	1,989	28	1,961	.440
Sept. 24.....	2,008	4	2,004	.450
June 25.....	2,097	5	2,092	.470
Jan. 22.....	2,217	19	2,198	.494
Mar. 12.....	2,227	9	2,218	.498
Feb. 12.....	2,411	18	2,393	.538
Feb. 5.....	2,572	28	2,544	.571
June 4.....	2,643	6	2,637	.592
June 11.....	2,655	10	2,645	.594
Oct. 15.....	2,701	4	2,697	.606
Mar. 5.....	2,707	14	2,693	.605
Oct. 8.....	2,835	4	2,831	.636
June 18.....	2,924	9	2,915	.655
Jan. 15.....	2,988	36	2,952	.663
May 28.....	3,250	9	3,241	.728
Nov. 5.....	3,683	6	3,677	.826
Dec. 10.....	3,966	15	3,951	.887

*Average weekly discharge, in second-feet, of Merrimac River at Lawrence, Mass., for 1911—Continued.*

Week ending Sunday.	Merrimac River at Lawrence (total drainage area=4,663 square miles).	Wasting into Merrimac River from diverted watersheds (211 square miles).	Net yield of Merrimac River from 4,452 square miles.	
			Per week.	Per square mile.
	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
May 21.....	4,124	7	4,117	0.925
Nov. 12.....	4,132	5	4,127	.927
Jan. 8.....	4,159	62	4,097	.920
Mar. 26.....	4,548	29	4,519	1.015
Dec. 17.....	4,643	20	4,623	1.038
Nov. 19.....	4,857	20	4,837	1.086
Oct. 22.....	4,869	6	4,863	1.092
Dec. 3.....	5,541	31	5,510	1.238
Nov. 26.....	5,770	32	5,738	1.289
Dec. 24.....	5,871	48	5,823	1.308
Mar. 19.....	6,049	73	5,976	1.342
May 14.....	6,162	9	6,153	1.382
Oct. 29.....	6,432	9	6,423	1.443
Dec. 31.....	8,378	57	8,321	1.869
May 7.....	11,904	9	11,895	2.672
Apr. 9.....	11,947	61	11,886	2.670
Apr. 30.....	12,363	23	12,340	2.772
Apr. 23.....	14,164	18	14,146	3.177
Apr. 2.....	14,205	22	14,183	3.186
Apr. 16.....	15,657	43	15,614	3.507
Total, 52 weeks.....	225,205	906	224,299	50.380
Weekly average.....	4,331	17	4,314	.969

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Merrimac River at Lawrence, Mass., for 1911.*

Day of month.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	<i>a</i> 560	3,178	3,445	16,615	15,424	3,231	1,414	2,268	2,798	<i>a</i> 116	4,008	7,756
2.....	3,460	2,952	3,442	<i>a</i> 12,196	14,811	2,860	<i>a</i> 497	<i>a</i> 460	1,792	2,420	3,836	5,789
3.....	3,210	2,552	3,192	10,369	<i>a</i> 15,431	1,717	894	2,458	<i>a</i> 1,361	2,685	3,703	<i>a</i> 4,769
4.....	4,127	1,453	1,982	8,330	13,484	<i>a</i> 782	117	2,282	1,376	2,747	2,829	5,886
5.....	4,817	<i>a</i> 670	<i>a</i> 658	7,647	10,063	3,312	1,401	1,559	<i>a</i> 3,299	2,695	<i>a</i> 2,462	4,860
6.....	<i>a</i> 819	3,461	3,314	7,673	7,667	3,105	1,891	<i>a</i> 186	2,328	3,611	4,466	3,853
7.....	4,356	3,311	2,809	12,968	<i>a</i> 6,445	2,922	1,456	1,642	2,170	3,374	3,662	4,005
8.....	<i>a</i> 3,321	2,967	2,520	17,999	7,238	2,880	925	1,611	2,103	<i>a</i> 2,314	3,843	4,046
9.....	4,881	2,705	2,513	<i>a</i> 18,741	6,306	2,863	<i>a</i> 208	1,746	1,289	4,529	4,844	<i>a</i> 5,613
10.....	3,829	2,642	2,483	18,171	6,553	1,907	<i>a</i> 2,627	1,749	<i>a</i> 116	3,259	5,344	<i>a</i> 2,596
11.....	3,312	1,614	1,531	15,788	6,605	<i>a</i> 1,593	2,222	1,908	1,876	3,080	3,650	4,944
12.....	3,107	<i>a</i> 177	<i>a</i> 416	14,138	6,220	3,581	1,921	1,156	2,356	1,349	<i>a</i> 3,118	4,236
13.....	3,196	2,447	2,536	13,179	4,965	3,132	1,740	<i>a</i> 61	2,478	4,304	5,282	3,953
14.....	2,014	2,233	2,696	13,513	<i>a</i> 5,247	2,983	1,354	1,285	2,651	2,130	4,060	4,773
15.....	<i>a</i> 629	2,237	5,704	<i>a</i> 5,624	6,507	4,087	931	1,156	2,568	<i>a</i> 259	4,603	5,832
16.....	3,625	2,310	12,451	<i>a</i> 19,189	5,325	4,551	<i>a</i> 114	1,552	1,449	2,964	5,352	4,402
17.....	2,955	2,276	8,511	<i>a</i> 20,369	4,565	1,763	1,345	1,543	<i>a</i> 182	2,761	5,121	<i>a</i> 4,368
18.....	2,500	1,402	5,403	16,707	3,702	<i>a</i> 369	928	1,598	2,595	2,540	4,486	6,637
19.....	2,437	<i>a</i> 181	<i>a</i> 5,041	13,561	3,864	2,519	851	1,138	2,887	2,813	<i>a</i> 5,092	5,999
20.....	2,274	2,437	6,414	12,687	2,367	2,722	964	<i>a</i> 206	2,618	6,325	7,476	5,325
21.....	1,558	2,419	4,626	12,610	<i>a</i> 2,539	2,615	987	1,577	2,330	<i>a</i> 9,256	6,889	4,664
22.....	<i>a</i> 173	2,385	4,858	12,132	4,713	2,510	804	1,729	2,187	<i>a</i> 7,407	6,181	4,298
23.....	1,977	2,342	4,883	<i>a</i> 11,085	3,323	2,346	<i>a</i> 98	1,687	1,274	8,308	5,539	3,971
24.....	2,319	2,306	5,023	10,978	3,144	1,622	1,296	1,316	<i>a</i> 164	8,166	5,085	<i>a</i> 10,202
25.....	2,264	1,539	2,973	9,992	3,036	<i>a</i> 343	1,441	1,423	1,831	8,256	4,377	<i>a</i> 13,931
26.....	2,283	<i>a</i> 165	<i>a</i> 3,058	11,277	3,261	2,437	1,700	976	2,108	6,747	<i>a</i> 4,840	11,878
27.....	2,195	2,606	5,637	12,340	<i>a</i> 2,160	2,555	1,413	<i>a</i> 168	2,219	5,085	6,285	9,583
28.....	1,807	<i>a</i> 3,622	10,695	13,568	<i>a</i> 3,110	2,296	1,897	1,538	2,262	4,461	5,388	6,275
29.....	<i>a</i> 1,081	.....	15,824	14,125	3,259	2,294	1,906	1,719	2,162	<i>a</i> 3,404	4,886	6,260
30.....	3,738	.....	17,649	<i>a</i> 14,262	2,297	1,961	<i>a</i> 200	1,850	1,421	5,057	3,902	4,608
31.....	3,460	.....	<i>a</i> 20,918	.....	4,354	.....	1,954	1,952	.....	3,895	.....	<i>a</i> 3,709

*a* Sunday.

NOTE.—Maximum and minimum appear in italics.

*Monthly discharge of Merrimac River at Lawrence, Mass., for 1911.*

Month.	Mean discharge of Merrimac River at Lawrence as measured (total drainage area, 4,663 square miles).	Wasting into Merrimac River from diverted watersheds (211 square miles).	Average yield of Merrimac River from watershed of 4,452 square miles.		Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
			Mean discharge.	Per square mile.	
	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>	
January.....	2,814	36	2,778	0.624	0.72
February.....	2,164	17	2,147	.482	.50
March.....	5,584	30	5,554	1.248	1.44
April.....	13,591	34	13,557	3.045	3.39
May.....	6,064	9	6,055	1.360	1.57
June.....	2,462	7	2,455	.551	.61
July.....	1,190	6	1,184	.266	.31
August.....	1,467	6	1,461	.328	.38
September.....	1,942	5	1,937	.435	.49
October.....	4,095	6	4,089	.918	1.06
November.....	4,687	19	4,668	1.049	1.17
December.....	5,752	34	5,718	1.284	1.48
The year.....	4,318	17	4,301	.966	13.12

**LAKE WINNEPESAUKEE AT LAKEPORT, N. H.**

The following table, taken from the lake company's gage books, shows the height of water in inches above low-water mark at Lakeport, N. H., on the first day of every month from the year 1860 to the present time, also the precipitation for each year. "0" denotes low water. "44" denotes full lake. "F" lake was full that year. "N" not full.

*Gage height, in inches, of Lake Winnepesaukee at Lakeport, N. H., from 1860 to 1911.*

[Compiled by Harry W. Daniell, agent for Winnepesaukee Lake Cotton & Woolen Co., and furnished through the courtesy of Mr. A. F. Safford.]

	Year.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Precipitation.
N	1860.....	14	11	12	24	29	28	29	26	24	21	20	20	36.40
N	1861.....	35	29	23	36	40	35	34	34	29	26	26	30	42.56
N	1862.....	29	25	24	23	40	40	42	39	34	31	26	32	43.51
N	1863.....	33	30	36	36	42	40	38	41	38	33	34	38	48.31
N	1864.....	37	34	29	36	40	36	32	23	20	13	11	17	36.49
N	1865.....	23	26	24	37	38	40	38	35	18	3	0	1	41.44
N	1866.....	3	2	14	23	31	34	38	34	26	26	22	23	39.70
F	1867.....	27	25	30	30	43	42	42	37	43	34	31	29	39.22
F	1868.....	28	23	14	25	36	44	41	36	32	40	37	40	41.54
N	1869.....	36	35	34	27	40	42	43	40	32	25	37	39	46.61
F	1870.....	4	38	37	36	44	42	39	30	20	1	0	1	38.98
N	1871.....	2	5	2	14	22	31	27	26	21	15	14	16	40.34
F	1872.....	21	21	15	12	32	38	42	37	38	43	41	40	48.19
F	1873.....	39	35	26	22	40	42	38	37	27	21	29	30	43.16
F	1874.....	35	37	36	34	39	44	43	43	36	31	23	16	43.65
N	1875.....	7	3	0	4	30	38	40	36	37	24	27	31	44.04
F	1876.....	33	38	37	36	43	44	42	38	22	17	6	6	44.92
N	1877.....	3	9	9	13	28	30	29	28	27	14	21	35	40.21
F	1878.....	39	40	34	39	44	43	43	38	34	24	19	22	45.42
F	1879.....	37	34	33	33	42	43	44	40	35	31	18	17	41.88
F	1880.....	22	28	34	39	44	44	40	33	19	11	7	6	38.31
N	1881.....	3	6	2	14	27	38	37	37	31	22	16	18	45.03
N	1882.....	29	33	36	36	43	44	43	36	18	19	8	2	36.96
N	1883.....	0	4	4	6	16	20	23	22	15	10	8	8	36.65
F	1884.....	11	14	22	38	44	44	44	36	29	14	7	5	41.19
N	1885.....	8	14	17	16	37	38	38	36	36	28	24	28	43.95
F	1886.....	31	37	41	40	41	43	41	37	29	24	18	22	45.30



*Gage height, in inches, of Lake Winnepesaukee at Lakeport, N. H., from 1860 to 1911—*  
Continued.

	Year.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Pre- cipi- tation.
F	1887.....	27	32	33	26	44	44	44	44	40	33	25	24	45.53
F	1888.....	29	30	30	37	44	43	43	36	31	34	40	44	55.60
N	1889.....	43	35	33	38	41	41	40	37	30	26	26	30	44.25
F	1890.....	41	41	41	43	41	44	43	40	36	40	41	38	53.12
F	1891.....	35	42	35	43	39	41	39	33	30	21	14	10	42.02
N	1892.....	12	22	22	21	24	34	38	34	37	32	24	29	41.99
F	1893.....	26	26	27	30	44	44	40	32	28	20	20	18	43.00
F	1894.....	22	22	21	33	7	39	42	43	38	29	24	17	31.46
N	1895.....	10	10	6	7	35	35	34	30	25	19	13	19	39.64
F	1896.....	24	25	39	35	44	44	42	36	29	26	26	31	43.25
F	1897.....	30	33	33	37	44	44	44	44	40	32	25	26	49.69
F	1898.....	34	30	36	43	44	44	44	39	31	25	23	27	46.47
F	1899.....	31	34	34	34	43	44	40	37	29	22	15	9	34.07
F	1900.....	5	6	25	32	44	44	42	36	30	23	18	18	50.95
F	1901.....	20	17	13	20	44	44	44	44	44	37	33	26	48.09
F	1902.....	35	37	37	43	44	44	44	44	43	41	42	40	51.77
F	1903.....	44	37	34	43	44	38	44	41	37	29	23	17	41.55
F	1904.....	15	14	10	18	43	44	44	40	35	32	26	21	39.02
N	1905.....	17	17	14	24	33	32	30	27	33	29	23	21	38.38
F	1906.....	24	29	29	31	44	44	44	44	34	25	20	14	37.61
N	1907.....	11	9	6	12	25	27	26	20	13	14	14	22	40.77
F	1908.....	27	29	32	39	44	44	42	37	29	20	10	3	32.09
N	1909.....	0	2	7	13	35	39	38	34	24	18	8	3	37.14
N	1910.....	0	0	2	12	22	23	20	11	5	3	—	9	33.73
N	1911.....	— 9½	— 11½	— 10	— 5½	13½	14½	13½	10½	6½	4½	4½	6	35.66

#### SOUHEGAN RIVER AT MERRIMAC, N. H.

**Location.**—Just above Atherton Falls, about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles above the dam of the W. H. McElwain Co., below the mouth of Stony Branch, and just above the junction of the Souhegan with the Merrimac.

**Records available.**—July 13, 1909, to Dec. 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—168 square miles.

**Gages.**—Vertical staff on the left bank 40 feet above the falls; chain gage attached to a tree about 300 feet upstream from the staff gage. All published records are referred to the staff gage.

**Channel.**—One at all stages. Not liable to shift.

**Discharge measurements.**—At high stages from bridges above and below the station; at low stages by wading at a section below the gage.

**Artificial control.**—Flow affected by the operation of mills at Milford, about 8 to 10 miles above, which causes a few hundredths of a foot difference between the morning and afternoon readings. In determining the daily discharge, it is assumed that the average of these readings gives essentially the true 24-hour mean. No information is available regarding night storage at Milford.

**Winter flow.**—The comparatively sharp-crested control at the head of the falls immediately below the gage remains relatively free from ice during the winter; hence the relation of gage height to discharge is not greatly affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—Discharge rating curve quite well developed.

**Cooperation.**—Established in cooperation with the W. H. McElwain Co.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Souhegan River at Merrimac, N. H., for 1911.*

[R. J. Sylvester, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	2.54	2.59	3.28	4.10	3.11	2.39	2.33	2.43	2.65	2.29	2.97	3.19
2.....	2.66	2.60	2.99	3.22	3.11	2.45	2.41	2.35	2.66	2.32	3.00	3.17
3.....	3.36	2.47	2.62	3.06	3.15	2.52	2.42	2.29	2.50	2.55	2.95	3.21
4.....	3.90	2.40	2.52	3.14	3.11	2.37	2.30	2.35	2.40	2.59	2.93	3.18
5.....	3.22	2.46	2.52	3.02	3.06	2.33	2.17	2.30	2.23	2.66	2.90	3.18
6.....	2.95	2.54	2.48	3.19	2.97	2.35	2.17	2.27	2.43	2.71	2.89	3.01
7.....	2.90	2.50	2.44	5.80	2.77	2.99	2.19	2.17	2.40	2.67	3.09	3.04
8.....	2.90	2.52	2.46	4.80	2.76	3.50	2.15	2.15	2.33	2.70	3.17	2.93
9.....	2.42	2.42	2.42	3.95	2.75	2.95	2.15	2.14	2.37	2.73	3.23	3.21
10.....	2.58	2.49	2.50	3.60	2.77	2.71	2.15	2.13	2.43	2.70	3.15	2.88
11.....	2.57	2.50	2.50	3.70	2.77	2.55	2.14	2.11	2.23	2.67	3.07	2.85
12.....	2.60	2.49	2.51	3.55	2.74	2.55	2.11	2.10	2.50	2.67	2.96	2.94
13.....	2.52	2.57	2.53	3.80	2.65	3.11	2.07	2.05	2.33	2.51	2.93	2.97
14.....	2.53	2.40	2.65	3.85	2.72	3.35	2.03	2.05	2.25	2.51	3.07	2.94
15.....	2.50	2.33	3.50	4.25	2.73	3.30	1.99	2.01	2.45	2.29	3.09	2.95
16.....	2.42	2.34	4.90	4.15	2.65	2.99	1.93	2.00	2.37	2.27	3.44	3.07
17.....	2.34	2.42	3.55	3.80	2.61	2.55	2.04	2.01	2.33	1.92	3.35	3.55
18.....	2.30	2.42	3.35	3.65	2.59	2.67	2.03	2.01	2.25	2.53	3.35	4.10
19.....	2.34	2.48	3.34	3.47	2.55	2.67	2.03	1.99	2.35	4.00	4.20	3.55
20.....	2.32	2.46	2.96	3.45	2.72	2.65	2.03	1.97	2.33	4.60	3.80	3.50
21.....	2.39	2.41	3.31	3.42	2.51	2.51	2.03	1.99	2.36	3.75	3.55	3.23
22.....	2.28	2.42	3.29	3.39	2.53	2.47	2.02	2.02	2.32	3.95	3.43	3.21
23.....	2.28	2.36	3.55	3.16	2.43	2.43	2.04	1.99	2.34	4.35	3.24	3.17
24.....	2.30	2.41	3.50	3.23	2.53	2.44	1.99	2.10	2.27	4.15	3.27	5.20
25.....	2.28	2.38	2.85	3.19	2.60	2.43	2.07	2.17	2.22	3.55	3.31	4.25
26.....	2.28	2.40	2.51	3.13	2.87	2.45	2.01	2.23	2.11	3.33	3.37	4.05
27.....	2.58	2.60	3.44	3.15	2.85	2.35	2.01	2.17	2.09	3.24	.....	3.95
28.....	3.42	3.31	6.50	3.05	2.61	2.26	2.09	2.27	2.16	3.13	3.35	3.80
29.....	3.32	.....	5.10	2.99	2.61	2.35	2.21	2.26	2.24	3.10	3.37	3.44
30.....	2.96	.....	5.40	3.03	2.49	2.34	2.47	2.50	2.28	3.05	3.29	3.65
31.....	2.66	.....	5.10	.....	2.46	.....	2.43	2.60	.....	2.99	.....	.....

NOTE.—Gage heights at this station may be somewhat in error as a result of mill control at Milford, about 8 or 10 miles upstream. Ice existed from Jan. 1 to about Mar. 15 and Dec. 30 and 31. It is not known whether gage heights were to water surface or to the top of the ice.

Readings were made on the staff gage from Jan. 1 to Apr. 11. From Apr. 12 to Dec. 31 they were made with the chain gage, which is located about 300 feet upstream from the staff gage. Gage readings for the latter period were reduced to the staff-gage datum by correction for difference in datum and slope between the two gages. Since both gages are located in a long deep pool, the slope is very slight, being only 0.03 foot at a gage height of about 3.5 feet, and probably remaining nearly constant at all stages.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Souhegan River at Merrimac, N. H., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	80	85	290	770	273	62	54	70	118	48	219	307
2.....	105	85	160	320	273	74	66	56	121	52	230	298
3.....	360	60	70	253	290	87	68	48	83	94	212	315
4.....	625	50	55	286	273	60	49	56	64	103	205	303
5.....	300	60	50	238	253	54	34	49	41	121	194	303
6.....	190	50	45	307	219	56	34	45	70	134	191	234
7.....	475	40	40	2,040	152	226	36	34	64	123	265	246
8.....	160	45	40	1,240	149	447	32	32	54	131	298	205
9.....	120	35	35	682	146	212	32	32	60	140	324	315
10.....	80	40	50	496	152	134	32	31	70	131	290	187
11.....	80	40	50	546	152	94	32	29	41	123	257	178
12.....	85	40	55	472	143	94	29	28	83	123	216	208
13.....	65	40	60	599	118	273	26	24	54	85	205	219
14.....	65	35	90	626	137	378	23	24	43	85	257	208
15.....	60	30	425	862	140	355	20	22	74	48	265	212
16.....	50	25	1,320	800	118	226	17	21	60	45	419	257
17.....	40	35	472	599	108	94	24	22	54	16	378	472
18.....	35	35	378	521	103	123	23	22	43	90	378	770
19.....	35	35	373	433	94	123	23	20	56	710	830	472
20.....	35	30	216	424	137	118	23	19	54	1,100	599	447

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Souhegan River at Merrimac, N. H., for 1911—Contd.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
21.....	45	30	360	409	85	85	23	20	58	572	472	324
22.....	35	25	351	396	90	77	22	22	52	682	414	315
23.....	30	25	472	294	70	70	24	20	55	928	329	298
24.....	30	25	447	324	90	72	20	36	45	800	342	1,550
25.....	35	25	178	307	105	70	26	34	39	472	360	862
26.....	35	25	85	282	184	74	22	41	29	368	386	740
27.....	85	75	419	290	178	56	22	34	27	329	382	682
28.....	370	300	2,670	250	108	44	27	45	33	282	378	599
29.....	330		1,470	226	108	56	38	58	42	269	386	419
30.....	180		1,710	242	81	55	77	83	47	250	351	350
31.....	100		1,470		75		70	105		226		300

NOTE.—Discharge during the open-water periods determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve. Discharge Jan. 1 to Mar. 15 has been corrected by discharges equivalent to a gage-height difference of from 0.05 to 0.3 foot. Use has also been made of climatologic records in making these corrections. Discharge Jan. 9 and Nov. 27 interpolated. Discharge Dec. 30 and 31 estimated.

*Monthly discharge of Souhegan River at Merrimac, N. H., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 168 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			130	0.774	0.89	C.
February.....			50.9	.303	.34	C.
March.....			449	2.67	3.08	B.
April.....	2,040	226	518	3.08	3.44	A.
May.....	290	70	149	.887	1.02	A.
June.....	447	44	132	.786	.88	A.
July.....	77	17	33.8	.201	.23	B.
August.....	105	19	38.1	.227	.26	B.
September.....	121	27	57.8	.344	.38	B.
October.....	1,100	16	280	1.67	1.92	A.
November.....	830	191	334	1.99	2.22	A.
December.....	1,550	178	406	2.42	2.79	A.
The year.....			216	1.29	17.45	

### SOUTH BRANCH OF NASHUA RIVER (WACHUSETT DRAINAGE AREA) AT CLINTON, MASS.

**Location.**—At Clinton, Mass.

**Records available.**—July, 1896, to December, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—118.19 square miles.

**Computations of discharge.**—A large reservoir, storing about 8,500,000,000 cubic feet, was constructed at Clinton, Mass., and has stored water since 1903. Beginning with 1897 the estimates of discharge have been corrected for gain and loss of storage in reservoirs and mill ponds, so that the results show the natural flow of the stream.

The yield reported per square mile is the yield of the drainage area, including the water surfaces. In the Wachusett basin this water surface from the years 1897 to 1902, inclusive, amounted to 2.2 per cent of the whole area; in 1903, 2.4 per cent; in 1904, 3.6 per cent; in 1905, 4.1 per cent; in 1906, 5.1 per cent; in 1907, 6.0 per cent; and in 1908 and subsequent years, 7.0 per cent.

The accompanying tables give data on discharge and precipitation for 1910, also the average for the years 1897–1910, inclusive, precipitation averages being based on records at several stations in the Nashua drainage basin.

**Cooperation.**—Measurements are made and results are furnished by the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board, Dexter Brackett, chief engineer.

*Yield and rainfall in South Branch of Nashua River basin (Wachusett drainage area) at Clinton, Mass., for 1911, and summaries for 1897-1911.*

[Drainage area, 118.19 square miles.]

Month.	Total yield, in million gallons.	Average yield per square mile.		Rainfall, in inches. <sup>a</sup>	Rainfall collected.	
		Million gallons per day.	Second- feet.		Inches. <sup>a</sup>	Per cent.
1911.						
January.....	2,832.6	0.773	1.196	2.91	1.379	47.5
February.....	2,067.6	.625	.967	2.43	1.007	41.4
March.....	4,907.6	1.339	2.072	3.79	2.389	63.0
April.....	4,938.2	1.393	2.155	2.22	2.404	108.5
May.....	1,687.7	.461	.713	1.59	.822	51.6
June.....	1,244.3	.351	.543	2.37	.606	25.5
July.....	207.0	.057	.087	2.53	.101	4.0
August.....	689.1	.188	.291	5.46	.335	6.1
September.....	643.2	.181	.281	3.04	.313	10.3
October.....	2,629.5	.718	1.111	5.24	1.280	24.4
November.....	3,668.3	1.035	1.601	4.14	1.786	43.1
December.....	3,908.0	1.067	1.650	3.01	1.903	63.2
The year.....	29,423.1	.682	1.055	38.73	14.325	37.0

## SUMMARY.

1897-1911.						
January.....	66,580.9	1.212	1.874	3.74	2.161	57.7
February.....	71,332.4	1.430	2.213	3.90	2.315	59.4
March.....	147,836.7	2.690	4.162	4.22	4.799	113.8
April.....	114,391.3	2.151	3.327	3.86	3.713	96.1
May.....	63,249.8	1.151	1.781	3.31	2.053	62.0
June.....	43,059.1	.810	1.253	4.04	1.398	34.6
July.....	22,546.5	.416	.643	4.11	.741	18.1
August.....	23,084.2	.420	.650	4.31	.749	17.4
September.....	20,559.8	.387	.598	3.87	.667	17.2
October.....	30,138.7	.548	.848	3.46	.978	28.2
November.....	44,301.0	.833	1.289	3.45	1.438	41.7
December.....	69,231.9	1.260	1.949	4.26	2.247	52.8
The year.....	716,612.3	1.107	1.713	46.53	23.259	50.0

<sup>a</sup> For 1911, total for month; 1897-1911, average of totals per calendar month.

### SUDBURY RIVER AT FRAMINGHAM AND LAKE COCHITUATE AT COCHITUATE, MASS.

**Location.**—On Sudbury River at Framingham and on Lake Cochituate at Cochituate.

**Records available.**—Sudbury River and Lake Cochituate have been studied by the engineers of the city of Boston, the State Board of Health of Massachusetts, and the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board; records of rainfall have been kept in the Sudbury basin since 1875, and in the Cochituate basin since 1852, but the latter are considered of doubtful accuracy previous to 1872.

**Storage reservoirs.**—Storage reservoirs have been constructed by the city of Boston and the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board controlling the greater part of the flow from these basins. Lake Cochituate, which drains into Sudbury River a short distance below Framingham, is controlled as a storage reservoir by the Metropolitan Waterworks. In the Sudbury River basin the water surfaces exposed by evaporation have been increased from time to time by the construction of additional storage reservoirs. From 1875 to 1878, inclusive, the water surface amounted to 1.9 per cent of the total area; from 1879 to 1884, to 3.0 per cent; 1885 to 1893, to 3.4 per cent; 1894 to 1897, to 3.9 per cent; 1898 and subsequent years, 6.5 per cent.

**Determinations of discharge.**—The recorded yields of both the Sudbury and Cochituate drainage areas are somewhat affected by the fact that the towns of Framingham, Natick, and Westboro draw public water supplies from within the basins and discharge the sewerage outside. Although the quantities diverted are taken into consideration in determining the run-off, the results are probably less accurate since the sewage diversion works were constructed.

The public water and sewerage works were installed in these towns as follows:

	Water supply.	Sewerage works.
Framingham.....	1885	1889
Natick.....	1874	1896
Westboro.....	1879	1892

All the water drawn from the Wachusett drainage area is passed through the reservoirs in the Sudbury basin, and as the measurement of these quantities must be used in determining the yield of the Sudbury basin, the unavoidable small percentages of error in the measurement of large quantities of water render less accurate the figures giving yields of the Sudbury water supply during months of low yield for years subsequent to 1897.

**Cooperation.**—Tables of discharge and precipitation are furnished by Dexter Brackett, chief engineer of the Metropolitan Waterworks.

*Yield and rainfall in Sudbury River basin at Framingham, Mass., for 1911, and summaries for 1875-1911.*

[Drainage area 75.2 square miles.]

Month.	Total yield, in million gallons.	Average yield per square mile.		Rainfall, in inches. <sup>a</sup>	Rainfall collected.	
		Million gallons per day.	Second- feet.		Inches. <sup>a</sup>	Per cent.
1911						
January.....	1,209.1	0.519	0.802	2.88	0.925	32.1
February.....	1,474.8	.700	1.084	2.77	1.128	40.7
March.....	2,667.9	1.144	1.771	3.59	2.042	56.9
April.....	3,216.3	1.426	2.206	2.81	2.462	87.4
May.....	740.9	.318	.492	1.01	.567	56.1
June.....	480.1	.213	.329	2.53	.367	14.5
July.....	—33.3	—0.014	—0.022	3.19	—0.025	—8.8
August.....	47.5	.020	.032	4.94	.036	.7
September.....	170.5	.076	.117	2.75	.130	4.8
October.....	690.1	.296	.458	3.69	.528	14.3
November.....	1,338.6	.593	.918	4.62	1.024	22.2
December.....	2,117.4	.908	1.405	3.60	1.620	45.0
The year.....	14,119.9	.514	.796	38.38	10.804	28.2

#### SUMMARY.

1875-1911.						
January.....	104,249.0	1.209	1.870	4.14	2.156	52.1
February.....	136,248.9	1.735	2.685	4.21	2.818	67.0
March.....	240,686.0	2.791	4.317	4.37	4.978	113.9
April.....	166,045.5	1.989	3.078	3.50	3.434	98.2
May.....	91,221.8	1.058	1.636	3.27	1.887	57.6
June.....	42,316.8	.507	.784	3.13	.875	27.9
July.....	14,287.7	.166	.256	3.55	.295	8.3
August.....	20,793.1	.241	.373	3.88	.430	11.1
September.....	20,525.5	.246	.380	3.50	.424	12.1
October.....	38,753.5	.449	.695	3.92	.801	20.4
November.....	67,085.6	.804	1.243	3.86	1.387	36.0
December.....	87,599.3	1.016	1.571	3.80	1.812	47.6
The year.....	1,029,812.7	1.013	1.568	45.13	21.297	47.2

<sup>a</sup> For 1911, total for month; 1875-1911, average of totals for calendar month.

*Yield and rainfall in Lake Cochituate basin at Cochituate, Mass., for 1911, and summaries for 1863-1911.*

[Drainage area, 17.67 square miles in January, 17.58 square miles after January.]

Month.	Total yield in million gallons.	Average yield per square mile.		Rainfall in inches. <sup>a</sup>	Rainfall collected.	
		Million gallons per day.	Second- feet.		Inches. <sup>a</sup>	Per cent.
1911.						
January.....	272.0	0.497	0.768	2.74	0.89	32.3
February.....	373.3	.758	1.173	3.20	1.22	38.2
March.....	611.6	1.122	1.736	3.31	2.00	60.5
April.....	662.4	1.256	1.943	2.73	2.17	79.4
May.....	88.3	.162	.251	.65	.29	44.5
June.....	39.7	.075	.116	2.53	.13	5.1
July.....	18.3	.034	.052	3.42	.06	1.8
August.....	171.4	.315	.487	4.82	.56	11.6
September.....	187.2	.355	.549	2.96	.61	20.7
October.....	276.8	.508	.786	3.53	.91	25.7
November.....	364.0	.690	1.068	4.28	1.19	27.8
December.....	548.5	1.006	1.557	3.74	1.79	46.4
The year.....	3,613.5	0.563	0.871	37.91	11.82	31.2

## SUMMARY.

1863-1911.						
January.....	29,655.9	1.105	1.709	3.92	1.97	50.2
February.....	37,359.4	1.537	2.377	3.97	2.50	62.9
March.....	57,269.1	2.144	3.317	4.29	3.83	89.2
April.....	42,981.2	1.663	2.573	3.59	2.87	79.9
May.....	25,134.4	.941	1.456	3.58	1.68	46.9
June.....	11,853.8	.459	.710	3.05	.79	26.0
July.....	7,411.9	.278	.429	3.93	.49	12.6
August.....	10,610.0	.397	.615	4.18	.71	17.0
September.....	10,814.0	.419	.647	3.58	.72	20.2
October.....	14,545.0	.545	.843	4.13	.97	23.5
November.....	20,165.0	.780	1.207	4.05	1.35	33.3
December.....	24,712.8	.925	1.432	3.56	1.65	48.0
The year.....	292,512.5	0.929	1.438	45.83	19.53	42.6

<sup>a</sup> For 1911, total for month; 1863-1911, average of totals per calendar month.

## BLACKSTONE RIVER BASIN.

## BRANCH RIVER AT BRANCH VILLAGE, R. I.

**Location.**—At Branch Village, just below the mill of James Pitts & Son, three-quarters of a mile from Forestdale and about 2 miles from Woonsocket.

**Records available.**—September 2 to December 31, 1909.

**Drainage area.**—93 square miles.

**Gages.**—Staff, bolted to a ledge about 500 feet below the dam and mill; also a chain gage attached to a tree on top of the ledge. Gage heights referred to the staff gage.

**Channel.**—Fairly favorable for accurate measurements.

**Discharge measurements.**—At low and medium stages made by wading; at high stages from the bridge above the dam or from a boat.

**Artificial control.**—Gage heights are affected by the mill control directly above the station and also by one farther up the river. The available storage above the Pitts Mill is small and water passes over the dam much of the time.

**Winter flow.**—Relation between the gage heights and discharge affected by ice only in severe weather.

**Accuracy.**—Accurate computation of the diurnal fluctuation of discharge caused by the operation of the mills above the station has been rendered impossible by insufficient funds. It is proposed to install an automatic gage to determine the relation between the daily gage heights heretofore recorded and the true mean gage heights, thus making possible the publication of accurate computations of daily discharge from the inception of the station to date. The gage heights for 1911 are withheld pending this investigation, as no gage heights recorded at this station are true indexes of the daily discharge.

**Cooperation.**—Established and maintained in cooperation with the Natural Resources Survey of the State of Rhode Island.

## WOONASQUATUCKET RIVER BASIN.

### WOONASQUATUCKET RIVER AT OLNEYVILLE, R. I.

**Location.**—At the dam at Olneyville near Providence, R. I., in the yards of the Atlantic Mills Co.

**Records available.**—March 16, 1910, to December 31, 1911.

**Gage.**—Staff, bolted to the right abutment of the dam; an auxiliary staff gage is nailed to a tree on the right bank in the rips about one-half mile above the dam.

**Discharge measurements.**—No measurements have been made at this station.

**Artificial control.**—The water is not used for power development at the Atlantic Mills, but more or less is diverted for use in engine boilers and for other industrial purposes. It is not known whether mills farther up on the river affect the accuracy of the daily gage heights.

**Accuracy.**—Accurate computation of the diurnal fluctuation of discharge caused by the operation of the mills above the station has been rendered impossible by insufficient funds. It is proposed to install an automatic gage to determine the relation between the daily gage heights heretofore recorded and the true mean gage heights, thus making possible the publication of accurate computations of daily discharge from the inception of the station to date. The gage heights for 1911 are withheld pending this investigation, as no gage heights recorded at this station are true indexes of the daily discharge.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the Atlantic Mills Co., by which the observations are taken.

## PAWTUXET RIVER BASIN.

### PAWTUXET RIVER AT HARRIS, R. I.

**Location.**—At the highway bridge near the Harris railroad station, 6 miles below the junction of Moswassecut and Ponaganaset rivers, and  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles above the mouth of the South Branch, which enters from the left.

**Records available.**—August 12, 1909, to December 31, 1909. Station discontinued June 30, 1911.

**Gage.**—Chain; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Gravel; has not shifted.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the highway bridge.

**Artificial control.**—The station is located between two mills, each about 2,000 feet distant. When the lower mill is running no backwater exists at the bridge; when it is shut down backwater is caused. When neither mill is running the flow past the gage is simply leakage from the upper dam unless water is flowing over the lower dam. The flow through the wheels at the mill above the stations does not vary materially through the day except at extreme low stages, when the amount of water is insufficient to run the mills the entire day.

**Accuracy.**—Accurate computation of the diurnal fluctuation of discharge caused by the operation of the mills above the station has been rendered impossible by insufficient funds. It is proposed to install an automatic gage to determine the relation between the daily gage heights heretofore recorded and the true mean gage heights, thus making possible the publication of accurate computations of daily discharge from the inception of the station to date. The gage heights for 1911 are withheld pending this investigation, as no gage heights recorded at this station are true indexes of the daily discharge.

**Cooperation.**—Established by the United States Geological Survey in cooperation with the Natural Resources Survey of the State of Rhode Island.

## CONNECTICUT RIVER BASIN.

### CONNECTICUT RIVER AT ORFORD, N. H.

**Location.**—At covered highway bridge between Orford, N. H. and Fairlee, Vt.

Approximately 10 miles downstream (by river) from the mouth of Waits River.

**Records available.**—August 6, 1900, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—3,300 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain attached to the bridge; read once daily; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Wide and deep; gravelly bottom; subject to change.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the downstream side of the bridge by working through the open space near roof.

**Artificial control.**—There are numerous power plants on the tributaries of the Connecticut River and also on the main stream above the station which have a slight effect on the variation of the daily discharge. The nearest dam downstream is at Wilder, 18 miles below the station. Backwater from this dam is believed to reach within a few miles of Orford.

**Winter flow.**—The relation of daily gage height to discharge is affected by ice during the winter months, usually from the first part of December to the last part of March and sometimes well into April.

**Accuracy.**—Discharge rating curve fairly well defined. Open-water estimates considered fairly good. The upper part of the rating curve is defined by measurements made by the vertical velocity curve method and is considered stable. Frequent changes in the lower part of the curve have been necessitated during recent years by changes in the relation of gage height to discharge. Numerous measurements made under ice cover have defined fairly good rating curves for use in the periods during which ice existed. Owing to the smooth ice cover which forms at this station each year and the freedom from ice jams or needle ice, curves developed in earlier years are considered fairly good indexes of discharge in later years.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with several New England power companies, which pay for daily gage readings.

*Discharge measurements of Connecticut River at Orford, N. H., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
Apr. 29	Covert and De Golyer .....	<i>Fect.</i> 18.75	<i>Sec.-ft.</i> 24,100
June 22	G. H. Canfield.....	4.82	2,280



*Daily gage height, in feet, of Connecticut River at Orford, N. H., for 1911.*

[F. H. Gardner, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.	6.8			10.7	21.9	5.3	3.7	4.5	6.5	5.9	6.4	10.6
2.				9.8	22.7	5.4	3.5	4.6	5.3	6.0	6.3	10.1
3.				9.5	23.6	5.6	3.2	3.9	4.5	6.1	6.6	8.9
4.				8.8	22.5	6.3	3.1	3.8	4.5	5.9	6.4	7.8
5.		5.7	5.2	8.7	22.2	5.8	3.4	3.5	4.3	6.4	6.0	7.9
6.				8.9	17.5	5.3	3.3	3.5	4.5	7.1	5.8	8.2
7.				11.4	14.5	5.2	3.0	3.4	4.5	8.3	5.9	8.3
8.	8.1			17.7	12.2	6.9	2.9	3.2	5.1	8.2	6.5	7.8
9.				16.6	12.7	5.4	2.9	3.0	5.4	7.5	6.7	8.0
10.				16.6	12.5	4.2	3.0	3.0	5.7	6.7	6.5	8.1
11.				15.7	11.5	4.1	3.1	2.5	5.4	6.2	6.4	8.2
12.			5.4	15.5	11.3	4.2	3.0	2.5	4.8	6.0	6.3	8.6
13.				15.8	11.0	4.4	2.6	2.7	4.8	6.2	6.6	9.9
14.				17.5	10.3	4.6	2.7	2.7	4.8	5.5	7.3	13.6
15.	6.9			18.5	9.6	4.9	2.3	2.8	4.4	5.1	7.4	15.6
16.				19.6	9.0	5.0	2.6	2.7	4.5	5.0	7.5	13.7
17.				19.0	8.6	5.9	2.8	2.8	5.0	4.9	6.9	11.0
18.				17.1	8.2	6.1	3.8	3.0	4.9	4.9	6.5	9.7
19.		4.7	5.3	15.7	7.7	5.7	3.8	3.5	4.5	6.6	7.6	8.8
20.				15.0	7.4	5.4	3.5	3.9	4.5	7.9	7.5	7.8
21.				14.6	6.6	5.1	3.0	4.3	4.5	8.5	8.0	7.1
22.	6.8			14.3	6.5	4.8	3.0	4.6	4.3	8.2	7.6	8.3
23.				13.7	6.4	4.7	3.0	4.8	4.1	8.5	6.8	9.7
24.				12.8	6.2	4.5	3.0	4.6	4.0	8.4	6.6	13.9
25.				12.7	6.0	4.3	2.6	4.3	4.4	8.7	6.6	14.8
26.		5.4	5.6	14.7	6.1	4.0	3.0	4.0	4.5	8.3	6.6	13.1
27.				16.6	6.4	3.9	3.8	3.1	4.5	7.5	6.6	9.9
28.				18.2	6.3	3.7	3.2	3.3	6.3	7.6	6.9	9.7
29.	5.7		11.4	19.6	6.2	3.8	3.5	4.9	6.0	6.7	9.0	8.5
30.			11.6	21.0	5.7	3.7	4.5	7.3	5.8	6.4	9.1	8.1
31.			11.3		5.5		5.1	7.2		6.4		8.6

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice from Jan. 1 to about Mar. 28 and Dec. 31; gage readings to water surface; the thickness of ice varied from about 1.1 to 1.7 feet.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Connecticut River at Orford, N. H., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.	2,400	1,600	1,400	9,320	30,800	2,710	1,450	2,020	3,900	3,280	3,800	9,180
2.	2,400	1,600	1,300	8,020	32,600	2,800	1,320	2,100	2,710	3,380	3,600	8,450
3.	3,000	1,600	1,300	7,600	34,500	3,000	1,140	1,580	2,020	3,480	4,000	6,780
4.	4,500	1,600	1,300	6,650	32,100	3,600	1,080	1,520	2,090	3,280	3,800	5,380
5.	4,000	1,600	1,300	6,520	31,500	3,180	1,260	1,320	1,860	3,800	3,380	5,500
6.	3,800	1,600	1,300	6,780	21,500	2,710	1,200	1,320	2,020	4,560	2,180	5,880
7.	3,700	1,600	1,300	10,400	15,700	2,620	1,030	1,260	2,020	6,000	3,280	6,000
8.	3,600	1,500	1,300	21,900	11,600	4,340	975	1,140	2,530	5,880	3,900	5,380
9.	3,300	1,500	1,200	19,700	12,500	2,800	975	1,030	2,800	5,020	4,120	5,630
10.	3,100	1,400	1,200	19,700	12,100	1,790	1,030	1,030	3,090	4,120	3,900	5,700
11.	2,900	1,400	1,200	18,000	10,500	1,720	1,080	770	2,860	3,580	3,800	5,880
12.	2,800	1,400	1,200	17,600	10,200	1,790	1,030	770	2,260	3,380	3,690	6,390
13.	2,700	1,300	1,200	18,200	9,770	1,940	820	870	2,260	3,580	4,060	8,160
14.	2,600	1,300	1,200	21,500	8,740	2,100	870	870	2,260	2,900	4,780	14,000
15.	2,500	1,200	1,200	23,600	7,740	2,350	680	920	1,940	2,530	4,900	17,800
16.	2,400	1,200	1,300	25,990	6,920	2,440	820	870	2,020	2,440	5,020	14,200
17.	2,300	1,100	1,300	24,600	6,390	3,280	920	920	2,440	2,350	4,340	9,770
18.	2,200	1,100	1,300	20,700	5,880	3,480	1,520	1,030	2,350	2,350	3,900	7,880
19.	2,100	1,060	1,300	18,690	5,260	3,090	1,520	1,320	2,020	4,000	4,440	6,650
20.	2,100	1,100	1,300	16,600	4,900	2,800	1,320	1,580	2,020	5,000	5,020	5,380
21.	2,000	1,100	1,300	15,900	4,000	2,530	1,030	1,860	2,020	6,260	5,630	4,560
22.	2,000	1,200	1,400	15,300	3,900	2,260	1,030	2,100	1,860	5,880	5,140	6,000
23.	1,900	1,200	1,400	14,200	3,800	2,180	1,030	2,260	1,720	6,260	4,320	7,880
24.	1,900	1,300	1,500	12,600	3,580	2,020	1,030	2,100	1,650	6,130	4,000	14,600
25.	1,800	1,300	1,500	12,500	3,380	1,860	820	1,860	1,940	6,520	4,000	16,300
26.	1,800	1,400	1,500	16,100	3,480	1,650	1,030	1,650	2,020	6,000	4,000	13,200
27.	1,700	1,400	3,500	19,700	3,800	1,580	1,520	1,080	2,020	5,020	4,000	8,160
28.	1,790	1,400	7,000	22,900	3,690	1,450	1,140	1,200	3,690	4,440	4,340	7,880
29.	1,630		10,400	25,900	3,530	1,520	1,320	2,350	3,380	4,120	6,320	6,260
30.	1,600		10,700	28,900	3,090	1,450	2,020	4,780	3,180	3,800	7,050	5,760
31.	1,600		10,200		2,900		2,530	4,670		3,800		5,000

NOTE.—Daily discharge for open channel determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve. Discharge Jan. 1 to Mar. 26 is only approximate, and is obtained from approximate ice discharge rating curves developed in earlier years and from climatologic records. Discharge Mar. 27 and 28 and Dec. 31 estimated.

*Monthly discharge of Connecticut River at Orford, N. H., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 3,300 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area.)	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	4,500	1,600	2,520	0.764	0.88	C.
February.....	1,600	1,000	1,360	.412	.43	C.
March.....	10,700	1,200	2,450	.742	.86	C.
April.....	28,900	6,520	16,800	5.09	5.68	A.
May.....	34,500	2,900	11,300	3.42	3.94	A.
June.....	4,340	1,450	2,440	.739	.82	A.
July.....	2,530	680	1,180	.358	.41	A.
August.....	4,780	770	1,620	.491	.57	A.
September.....	3,900	1,650	2,360	.715	.80	A.
October.....	6,520	2,350	4,310	1.31	1.51	A.
November.....	7,050	3,180	4,340	1.32	1.47	A.
December.....	17,800	4,560	8,250	2.50	2.88	A.
The year.....	34,500	680	4,930	1.49	20.25	

**CONNECTICUT RIVER AT SUNDERLAND, MASS.**

**Location.**—At the five-span steel highway bridge at Sunderland, Mass., on the road leading to South Deerfield, about 18 miles in a direct line and about 26 miles by river above the dam at Holyoke. Deerfield River enters the Connecticut from the west about 8 to 10 miles above the station.

**Records available.**—March 31, 1904, to December 31, 1911. From 1880 to 1899 a record of the discharge of this stream was maintained at Holyoke, Mass.

**Drainage area.**—7,700 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain gage attached to highway bridge; read twice daily.

**Channel.**—Deep; coarse gravel; subject to change.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from highway bridge.

**Artificial control.**—The first dam is about 12 miles above the station at Turners Falls, Mass.; the next about 29 miles above, near Hinsdale, N. H. There are others farther upstream and also on Deerfield, Millers, and other tributaries that operate to affect, more or less, the normal flow of the stream.

**Winter flow.**—During portions of December and up to early March relation of gage height to discharge is considerably affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—Discharge rating curve fairly well defined; open-water estimates considered good.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with several New England power companies, which pay for the gage readings.

*Discharge measurements of Connecticut River at Sunderland, Mass., for 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.
Apr. 13	W. G. Hoyt.....	<i>Feet.</i> 12.06	<i>Sec.-ft.</i> 33,000
29	C. S. De Golyer.....	15.80	48,700

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Connecticut River at Sunderland, Mass., for 1911.*

[V. Lower, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	5.8	7.6	6.4	9.5	15.8	4.1	3.4	3.5	5.1	3.6	6.2	8.5
2.....	6.1	-----	-----	7.6	16.9	4.2	2.4	3.5	4.7	4.8	6.4	8.6
3.....	7.5	-----	-----	6.6	17.5	4.2	1.7	3.4	4.6	5.6	6.2	8.6
4.....	15.8	6.9	6.6	6.6	16.6	3.7	1.4	3.4	3.2	5.4	5.8	6.8
5.....	15.5	-----	-----	6.1	15.2	4.1	1.8	3.1	2.6	6.8	5.3	6.6
6.....	13.8	-----	4.4	6.6	13.8	4.3	2.0	2.0	3.6	6.8	5.5	5.4
7.....	13.1	-----	-----	12.5	11.7	4.4	2.2	2.0	3.8	7.2	5.6	5.0
8.....	11.6	6.6	-----	16.4	9.5	5.0	2.1	2.5	3.4	6.9	6.8	5.4
9.....	12.1	-----	4.3	16.4	9.1	4.5	1.4	2.7	4.1	6.4	6.6	5.6
10.....	11.6	-----	-----	14.3	8.9	5.4	1.2	2.5	6.3	6.4	6.6	5.8
11.....	11.2	6.2	5.2	12.5	8.8	4.2	2.0	2.2	5.0	5.5	6.3	5.8
12.....	10.7	-----	-----	12.0	8.5	3.0	2.6	2.0	4.4	5.6	6.0	6.3
13.....	10.6	4.4	3.4	12.1	8.3	5.6	2.4	1.15	4.2	5.0	6.4	7.0
14.....	10.4	-----	-----	13.4	8.4	5.5	2.4	.98	3.9	4.6	6.6	7.8
15.....	9.7	-----	5.9	16.2	6.8	5.1	2.3	1.8	4.0	4.7	6.6	9.8
16.....	9.4	-----	6.1	18.8	6.7	4.8	1.2	1.8	3.8	3.9	6.7	10.8
17.....	-----	-----	6.1	17.4	6.4	4.3	1.15	2.0	3.1	4.1	6.6	10.5
18.....	-----	4.8	5.9	15.9	6.1	4.5	2.0	1.9	4.4	4.6	6.6	10.0
19.....	8.0	-----	5.2	14.2	6.6	4.6	2.1	1.8	4.1	14.4	8.6	8.8
20.....	-----	4.2	4.7	13.7	5.7	4.3	2.2	1.0	4.0	16.0	7.4	7.9
21.....	-----	-----	5.8	13.4	5.4	4.0	2.0	1.0	4.0	12.6	7.6	6.6
22.....	6.6	-----	6.0	13.3	5.4	4.1	2.0	1.7	3.9	12.6	7.9	5.5
23.....	-----	5.7	6.1	12.7	4.9	4.1	1.3	1.7	3.4	11.4	7.1	7.6
24.....	-----	-----	5.7	11.6	4.8	3.8	1.1	2.0	2.5	11.0	6.4	12.4
25.....	-----	6.1	5.3	12.3	4.4	2.8	1.9	2.0	2.45	9.8	6.5	12.4
26.....	7.2	5.1	6.0	12.8	4.3	2.2	2.2	2.8	2.8	8.8	6.6	12.1
27.....	-----	-----	4.5	13.6	4.6	3.5	2.4	2.2	3.7	8.2	6.3	11.4
28.....	8.2	-----	13.0	13.8	3.6	3.5	2.6	2.4	3.7	8.8	5.8	10.0
29.....	8.2	-----	11.6	15.8	2.65	3.4	2.3	3.1	3.5	8.6	6.6	8.6
30.....	-----	-----	11.7	16.4	3.4	3.6	1.8	4.0	3.9	4.6	8.7	7.4
31.....	-----	-----	10.8	-----	4.3	-----	2.6	5.0	-----	5.8	-----	7.0

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice from Jan. 1 to about Mar. 21. The observer notes that the ice broke up Jan. 4 and that the ice went out Mar. 22. The ice was also broken up near the shore two or three times during the winter. Although there may have been free flow on Jan. 4, it is believed that the relation of gage height to discharge was affected by backwater from ice jams during the remainder of the month. Gage readings were probably to water surface, except Jan. 16 to Mar. 13, which were to the top of the ice.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Connecticut River at Sunderland, Mass., for 1911.*

Day.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	-----	22,500	48,500	5,830	4,400	4,590	8,150	4,790	11,200	18,900
2.....	-----	15,800	53,400	6,050	2,720	4,590	7,180	7,480	11,900	19,200
3.....	-----	12,500	56,200	6,050	1,850	4,400	6,950	9,470	11,200	19,200
4.....	-----	12,500	52,100	4,990	1,530	4,400	4,030	8,920	10,000	13,100
5.....	-----	11,000	45,900	5,830	1,960	3,850	3,020	13,100	8,660	12,500
6.....	-----	12,500	39,800	6,270	2,200	2,200	4,790	13,100	9,190	8,920
7.....	-----	34,300	31,100	6,490	2,450	2,200	5,200	14,400	9,470	7,900
8.....	-----	51,600	22,500	7,900	2,320	2,870	4,400	13,500	13,100	8,920
9.....	-----	51,600	21,000	6,720	1,530	3,170	5,530	11,900	12,500	9,470
10.....	-----	41,900	20,300	8,920	1,330	2,870	11,600	11,900	12,500	10,000
11.....	-----	34,300	19,900	6,050	2,200	2,450	7,900	9,190	11,600	10,000
12.....	-----	32,300	18,900	3,670	3,020	2,200	6,490	9,470	10,600	11,600
13.....	-----	32,700	18,200	9,470	2,720	1,280	6,050	7,900	11,900	13,800
14.....	-----	38,100	18,500	9,190	2,720	1,110	5,410	6,950	12,500	16,400
15.....	-----	50,300	13,100	8,150	2,580	1,960	5,620	7,180	12,500	23,700
16.....	-----	62,100	12,800	7,420	1,330	1,960	5,200	5,410	12,800	27,600
17.....	-----	55,700	11,900	6,270	1,280	2,200	3,850	5,830	12,500	26,400
18.....	-----	49,000	11,000	6,720	2,200	2,080	6,490	6,950	12,500	24,400
19.....	-----	41,500	12,500	6,950	2,320	1,960	5,530	42,400	19,200	19,900
20.....	-----	39,400	9,760	6,270	2,450	1,130	5,620	49,400	15,100	16,800

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Connecticut River at Sunderland, Mass., for 1911—Con.*

Day.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
21.....		38,100	8,920	5,620	2,200	1,130	5,620	34,700	15,800	12,500
22.....	10,600	37,600	8,920	5,830	2,200	1,850	5,410	34,700	16,800	9,190
23.....	11,000	35,100	7,660	5,830	1,430	1,850	4,400	29,900	14,100	15,800
24.....	9,760	30,700	7,420	5,200	1,230	2,200	2,870	28,300	11,900	33,900
25.....	8,660	33,500	6,490	3,330	2,080	2,200	2,800	23,700	12,200	33,900
26.....	10,600	35,600	6,270	2,450	2,450	3,330	3,330	19,900	12,500	32,700
27.....	6,720	38,900	6,950	4,590	2,720	2,450	4,990	17,800	11,600	29,900
28.....	36,400	39,800	4,790	4,590	3,020	2,720	4,990	19,900	10,000	24,400
29.....	30,700	48,500	3,100	4,400	2,580	3,850	4,590	19,200	12,500	19,200
30.....	31,100	51,200	4,400	4,790	1,960	5,620	5,410	6,850	19,600	15,100
31.....	27,600		6,270		3,020	7,900		10,000		13,800

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve.

*Monthly discharge of Connecticut River at Sunderland, Mass., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 7,700 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			10,000	1.30	1.50	C.
February.....			4,200	.545	.57	C.
March.....	36,400		8,960	1.16	1.34	B.
April.....	62,100	11,000	36,400	4.73	5.28	A.
May.....	56,200	3,100	19,600	2.55	2.94	A.
June.....	9,470	2,450	6,060	.787	.88	A.
July.....	4,400	1,230	2,260	.294	.34	A.
August.....	7,900	1,110	2,860	.371	.43	A.
September.....	11,600	2,800	5,470	.710	.79	A.
October.....	49,400	4,790	16,300	2.12	2.44	A.
November.....	19,600	8,660	12,600	1.64	1.83	A.
December.....	33,900	7,900	18,000	2.34	2.70	A.
The year.....	62,100	1,110	11,900	1.55	21.04	

NOTE.—Discharge Jan. 1 to Mar. 21 estimated from the discharge of the Connecticut at Orford, White River at Sharon, Deerfield River at Shelburne Falls, and climatologic records. Mean discharge Mar. 1 to 21 estimated 4,500 second-feet.

### PASSUMPSIC RIVER NEAR ST. JOHNSBURY, VT.

**Location.**—At steel suspension bridge just below dam of Pierce's mills, about 5 miles above St. Johnsbury, 2 miles below the mouth of Sheldon Branch, 4 miles above the mouth of Moose River, and 5 miles above the mouth of Sleepers River.

**Records available.**—May 26, 1909, to December 31, 1911. A station was established June 29, 1903, on Passumpsic River at St. Johnsbury Center, but was discontinued November 30 of the same year because of backwater from the dam at St. Johnsbury.

**Drainage area.**—237 square miles.

**Gage.**—Staff, in two sections; low-water section a vertical staff bolted to ledge just above bridge; high-water section an inclined staff bolted to ledge just below bridge.

**Channel.**—Semipermanent; bed composed chiefly of gravel, but near right bank consists of a rock ledge.

**Discharge measurements.**—At high stages made from downstream side of bridge; at low stages, by wading 200 feet below.

**Winter flow.**—River freezes over under the bridge and at control point 300 feet below; relation of gage height to discharge is therefore affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—Discharge affected by the operation of Pierce's mills, just above station, and by other mills farther upstream. The storage at Pierce's mills is small and the use of water nearly uniform during the day and night, so that the daily gage readings are fairly accurate indices of the daily discharge.

**Accuracy.**—The discharge rating curve is fairly well defined.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the State of Vermont.

*Discharge measurements of Passumpsic River near St. Johnsbury, Vt., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
June 23 <sup>a</sup>	G. H. Canfield	1.60	164
Aug. 1 <sup>b</sup>	do	1.42	119

<sup>a</sup> Measurements made by wading.

<sup>b</sup> Wading below bridge 100 feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Passumpsic River near St. Johnsbury, Vt., for 1911.*

[Joseph Cox, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.	2.7	2.5		3.4	6.8	2.10	1.40	1.48	1.50	1.96	2.16	2.45
2.	2.6	2.45		2.95	7.3	2.15	1.40	1.45	1.45	1.90	1.98	2.20
3.	3.4	2.55		2.0	5.2	1.85	1.39	1.42	1.59	1.74	1.84	2.10
4.	3.2	2.55		2.8	4.0	1.74	1.32	1.38	1.55	2.10	1.80	1.98
5.	2.9	2.6	2.3	2.85	3.6	1.65	1.36	1.36	1.45	2.90	1.78	1.98
6.	2.7			3.1	3.5	1.62	1.35	1.25	2.05	2.45	1.72	2.00
7.	2.55			5.2	3.4	1.59	1.35	1.42	2.20	2.10	2.05	1.98
8.	2.5			5.8	3.4	1.56	1.40	1.32	1.69	1.89	2.30	1.98
9.	2.55			4.8	3.3	1.54	1.22	1.32	1.61	1.82	2.06	1.98
10.	2.45			4.1	3.1	1.50	1.38	1.31	1.76	1.74	1.91	2.20
11.	2.4			3.7	2.9	1.56	1.36	1.20	1.62	1.69	1.98	2.40
12.	2.4	2.55	2.6	4.4	2.8	1.91	1.26	1.30	1.58	1.68	1.94	3.30
13.	2.4			5.0	2.6	1.98	1.20	1.22	1.66	1.64	2.90	5.80
14.	2.45			6.0	2.5	1.81	1.24	1.31	1.48	1.50	2.25	3.90
15.	2.45			7.2	2.4	1.90	1.30	1.25	1.51	1.55	2.15	3.10
16.	2.3			6.4	2.5	2.25	1.61	1.54	2.20	1.57	2.10	2.80
17.	2.2			4.6	2.35	2.30	1.28	1.52	1.74	1.51	1.84	2.65
18.	2.4			3.9	2.25	1.91	1.50	1.44	1.64	1.64	2.25	2.60
19.	2.4	2.85	2.4	4.0	2.3	1.70	1.50	2.75	1.51	3.30	2.65	2.25
20.	2.25			4.7	2.2	1.68	1.40	1.85	1.49	2.45	2.25	2.90
21.	2.3			4.6	2.1	1.88	1.50	1.61	1.46	2.05	2.10	2.35
22.	2.4			4.6	2.0	1.68	1.46	1.48	1.80	2.00	2.10	2.25
23.	2.3			4.0	1.89	1.61	1.40	1.40	1.75	2.60	1.92	6.20
24.	2.3			4.4	1.91	1.55	1.32	1.39	1.55	2.70	2.10	4.50
25.	2.3			5.9	2.05	1.51	2.10	1.28	1.68	2.20	1.98	3.50
26.	2.35	2.65	2.4	6.3	2.30	1.45	1.55	1.34	2.45	2.05	1.90	2.85
27.	2.35		2.7	6.7	2.05	1.38	1.40	1.31	1.88	1.98	2.00	2.80
28.	2.6		3.7	7.1	1.90	1.46	1.39	1.41	1.88	1.98	1.98	2.70
29.	2.6		4.6	7.3	1.85	1.49	2.20	2.95	1.79	1.89	3.60	2.10
30.	2.7		4.5	7.0	1.70	1.46	2.15	1.80	2.20	1.88	2.80	2.70
31.	2.5		3.9		1.62		1.66	1.62		1.86		2.60

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice from Jan. 1 to about Apr. 6. The observer noted that the river was clear of ice at noon Apr. 15. There was some ice Dec. 20 to 22 and 29 to 31, but there was probably no material backwater effect. Gage heights were probably to water surface, except Feb. 12 to Mar. 26, which were to the top of the ice.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Passumpsic River near St. Johnsbury, Vt., for 1911.*

Day.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.		500	2,280	307	116	134	139	264	307	420
2.		400	2,500	322	116	128	128	246	270	338
3.		200	1,500	232	114	121	161	200	229	307
4.		300	1,040	200	99	112	151	307	217	255
5.		300	864	176	108	108	128	580	211	270
6.		550	822	168	106	85	292	420	195	276
7.		1,560	780	161	106	99	338	307	292	270
8.		1,820	780	153	116	99	186	243	370	270
9.		1,390	738	149	79	99	166	223	282	270
10.		1,080	657	139	112	97	206	290	249	338
11.		906	580	153	108	75	168	186	270	403
12.		1,210	543	249	87	95	158	184	258	738
13.		1,470	472	270	75	79	179	173	580	1,820
14.		1,920	437	220	83	97	134	161	354	992
15.		2,460	403	246	95	85	141	151	322	657
16.		2,100	437	354	166	149	338	156	307	543
17.		1,290	386	370	91	144	200	141	229	490
18.		992	354	249	139	125	173	173	354	472
19.		1,040	370	189	139	525	141	738	490	354
20.		1,340	338	184	116	232	137	420	354	276
21.		1,290	307	240	139	166	130	292	307	386
22.		1,290	276	184	130	184	217	276	307	354
23.		1,040	243	166	116	116	203	472	252	2,000
24.		1,210	240	151	99	114	151	507	307	1,250
25.		1,870	292	141	307	91	184	338	270	822
26.		2,050	370	128	151	103	420	292	246	562
27.	150	2,230	292	112	116	97	240	270	276	543
28.	600	2,410	246	130	114	118	240	270	270	507
29.	900	2,500	232	137	338	599	214	243	864	307
30.	900	2,360	189	130	322	217	338	240	543	507
31.	600		168		179	168		234		472

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve. Discharge estimated Mar. 27 to Apr. 6. No correction made during December.

*Monthly discharge of Passumpsic River near St. Johnsbury, Vt., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 237 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			190	0.802	0.92	C.
February.....			100	.422	.44	C.
March.....	900		135	.781	.90	C.
April.....	2,500	200	1,370	5.78	6.45	A.
May.....	2,500	168	820	2.62	3.02	A.
June.....	370	112	200	.844	.94	A.
July.....	338	75	135	.570	.66	A.
August.....	599	75	149	.629	.73	A.
September.....	420	128	200	.844	.94	A.
October.....	580	141	287	1.21	1.40	A.
November.....	864	195	326	1.38	1.54	A.
December.....	2,000	255	564	2.38	2.74	A.
The year.....	2,500	75	381	1.52	20.68	

NOTE.—Discharge Jan. 1 to Apr. 6 estimated from the discharge for Connecticut River at Orford, White River near Sharon, and climatologic records. Mean discharge Mar. 1 to 26 estimated 100 second-feet.

## WHITE RIVER NEAR SHARON, VT.

**Location.**—About 1,500 feet below the dam of the Vermont Copper Co., near Sharon, Vt., and about 800 feet above the Central Vermont Railway bridge.

**Records available.**—May 13, 1909, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—686 square miles.

**Gage.**—An inclined staff reading to 10 feet, attached to a large rock on the left bank. A chain gage for use at high stages is nailed to trees about 80 feet upstream from the staff gage.

**Channel.**—Divided by an island above the gages.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from two suspension foot bridges which connect the island with the banks.

**Artificial control.**—There are several power plants above the station, but it is assumed that fluctuations in daily stage caused by operation of these plants are sufficiently equalized at the dam of the Vermont Copper Co. A gage record of the height of water on the crest of this dam has been obtained, beginning January 29, 1910. The dam is not much used at present.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions favor obtaining reliable data. By means of an approximate curve of relation between the daily gage readings at the dam and daily discharge at the current-meter station, fair records of discharge have been computed for the winter months from the gage heights at the dam.

**Cooperation.**—Station established in cooperation with the State of Vermont.

The following discharge measurement was made by G. H. Canfield:

June 18, 1911: Gage height, 3.80 feet; discharge, 306 second-feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of White River near Sharon, Vt., for 1911.*

[Chas. Tucker, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	5.1	4.3	4.4	4.8	6.9	4.0	3.7	3.7	4.0	4.4	4.8	5.0
2.....	5.4	4.3	4.4	4.5	7.5	4.1	3.7	3.6	4.0	4.3	4.8	4.9
3.....	7.5	4.2	4.4	4.3	6.4	4.0	3.7	3.5	4.1	4.4	4.7	4.7
4.....	5.9	4.2	4.3	4.3	5.6	4.0	3.6	3.5	4.0	4.3	4.6	4.4
5.....	5.5	4.2	4.2	4.3	5.4	4.0	3.6	3.5	4.0	5.2	4.5	4.2
6.....	5.1	4.2	4.3	4.9	5.2	4.0	3.6	3.5	4.2	4.8	4.5	4.4
7.....	4.8	4.2	4.5	9.5	5.1	4.0	3.9	3.4	4.1	4.7	5.0	4.4
8.....	4.7	4.2	4.2	7.0	5.0	3.9	3.8	3.4	4.1	4.6	4.8	4.4
9.....	4.7	4.2	4.1	6.3	4.9	3.9	3.8	3.4	4.3	4.6	4.7	4.5
10.....	4.5	4.3	4.2	5.9	4.8	3.9	3.7	3.4	4.6	4.5	4.6	4.5
11.....	4.4	4.3	4.2	5.8	4.7	3.9	3.6	3.5	4.2	4.4	4.6	4.7
12.....	4.4	5.0	4.0	6.0	4.6	4.0	3.5	3.5	4.2	4.4	4.6	5.5
13.....	4.5	4.9	4.0	6.5	4.5	4.0	3.5	3.5	4.1	4.3	5.0	5.5
14.....	4.6	4.4	4.1	7.0	4.4	3.9	3.5	3.4	4.0	4.3	4.4	5.5
15.....	4.5	4.4	4.0	8.5	4.3	3.9	3.4	3.5	4.2	4.2	4.7	5.1
16.....	4.4	4.4	4.1	8.0	4.3	3.9	3.4	3.4	4.7	4.1	4.5	4.9
17.....	4.4	4.3	4.0	6.6	4.3	3.8	3.4	3.4	4.5	4.1	4.5	5.0
18.....	4.3	4.6	3.9	6.4	4.2	3.8	3.9	3.4	4.4	4.2	4.6	4.9
19.....	4.3	4.4	3.9	6.5	4.2	3.8	3.8	3.6	4.3	8.5	5.1	4.6
20.....	4.3	4.3	3.9	6.5	4.1	3.8	3.7	4.0	4.4	7.4	4.8	4.4
21.....	4.3	4.3	3.9	6.4	4.0	3.8	3.7	3.8	4.3	6.0	4.7	4.4
22.....	4.3	4.3	3.9	6.4	4.0	3.7	3.6	3.7	3.9	5.7	4.6	4.6
23.....	4.2	4.3	3.9	6.2	4.0	3.6	3.6	3.5	4.1	5.5	4.6	7.0
24.....	4.2	4.2	4.0	6.0	4.0	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.4	5.5	4.6	6.15
25.....	4.1	4.2	4.0	6.6	4.2	3.7	3.7	3.6	3.9	5.2	4.5	5.5
26.....	4.1	4.2	4.1	7.0	4.1	4.2	3.6	3.5	4.0	5.0	4.5	5.3
27.....	4.2	4.4	4.5	7.2	4.1	4.0	3.6	3.6	4.0	4.9	4.5	5.1
28.....	4.5	4.4	4.7	8.5	4.0	3.9	3.5	3.7	3.9	4.8	4.4	5.1
29.....	4.9	.....	6.5	7.0	4.2	4.0	4.0	6.2	4.1	4.7	5.5	4.7
30.....	4.7	.....	5.5	6.2	4.1	3.8	3.9	4.8	4.1	4.7	5.2	4.5
31.....	4.5	.....	5.3	.....	4.0	.....	3.8	4.3	.....	5.0	.....	4.4

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge was affected by ice Jan. 1 and 2, and Jan. 5 to Mar. 26. There was also a little ice Jan. 20 to 22, but probably no appreciable backwater. Gage readings were probably to water surface during the periods when ice was present.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of White River near Sharon, Vt., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	398	450	1,180	4,520	440	255	255	440	770	1,180	1,430
2.....	620	450	865	5,770	515	255	210	440	680	1,180	1,300
3.....	5,770	398	680	3,560	440	255	175	515	770	1,070	1,070
4.....	2,720	450	680	2,260	440	210	175	440	680	965	770
5.....	940	345	680	1,970	440	210	175	440	1,700	865	595
6.....	810	450	1,300	1,690	440	210	175	595	1,180	865	770
7.....	875	450	10,200	1,560	440	370	140	515	1,070	1,430	770
8.....	745	450	4,730	1,430	370	310	140	515	965	1,180	770
9.....	940	505	3,380	1,900	370	310	140	680	965	1,070	865
10.....	810	450	2,720	1,180	370	255	140	965	865	965	865
11.....	745	345	2,560	1,070	370	210	175	595	770	965	1,070
12.....	875	345	2,870	965	440	175	175	595	770	965	2,120
13.....	810	345	3,740	865	440	175	175	515	680	1,430	2,410
14.....	940	345	4,730	770	370	175	140	440	680	770	2,120
15.....	810	450	7,960	680	370	140	175	595	595	1,070	1,560
16.....	505	450	6,850	680	370	140	140	1,070	515	865	1,300
17.....	505	450	3,940	680	310	140	140	865	515	865	1,430
18.....	560	398	3,560	595	310	370	140	770	595	965	1,300
19.....	560	345	3,740	595	310	310	210	685	7,960	1,560	965
20.....	505	345	3,740	515	310	255	440	770	5,560	1,180	770
21.....	560	345	3,560	440	310	255	310	685	2,870	1,070	770
22.....	560	345	3,560	440	255	210	255	370	2,410	965	965
23.....	450	345	3,200	440	210	210	175	515	2,120	965	5,980
24.....	398	345	2,870	440	210	210	175	140	2,120	965	3,120
25.....	398	398	3,940	595	255	255	210	370	1,700	865	2,120
26.....	345	450	4,730	515	595	210	175	440	1,430	865	1,830
27.....	398	865	5,140	515	440	210	210	440	1,300	865	1,560
28.....	810	4,130	7,960	440	370	175	255	370	1,180	770	1,560
29.....	1,010	3,740	4,730	595	440	440	3,200	515	1,070	2,120	1,070
30.....	745	2,120	3,200	515	310	370	1,180	515	1,070	1,690	865
31.....	560	1,830	.....	440	.....	310	680	.....	1,430	.....	770

NOTE.—Daily discharge Jan. 3 and 4 and Mar. 27 to Dec. 31 determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve applicable to readings on the staff gage below the dam. Discharge Jan. 1 and 2, 5 to 31, and Mar. 1 to 26 determined from a fairly well-defined discharge rating curve applicable to readings referred to the gage on the dam.

Discharge during January, February, and March, determined from the gage heights on the crest of the dam, is subject to some slight error as the stream was obstructed by ice. During February this obstruction was probably over 25 per cent and estimates of daily discharges for this month are accordingly omitted.

The figures presented in this table do not agree well with those derived from the gage heights read on the crest of the dam at extreme high stages, the latter being but 50 to 75 per cent of the former. No explanation can be given this discrepancy.

*Monthly discharge of White River near Sharon, Vt., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 686 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area.)	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	5,770	345	893	1.30	1.50	B.
February.....	.....	.....	350	.510	.63	C.
March.....	4,130	345	746	1.09	1.26	B.
April.....	10,200	680	3,770	5.50	6.14	B.
May.....	5,770	440	1,230	1.79	2.06	A.
June.....	595	210	375	.647	.61	B.
July.....	440	140	245	.357	.41	B.
August.....	3,200	140	337	.491	.57	A.
September.....	1,070	140	560	.816	.91	A.
October.....	7,960	515	1,520	2.22	2.56	A.
November.....	2,120	770	1,080	1.57	1.75	A.
December.....	5,980	595	1,450	2.11	2.43	A.
The year.....	10,200	140	1,050	1.53	20.73	

NOTE.—Discharge for February estimated on the basis of the discharge of Deerfield River at Shelburne Falls, Mass., and Passumpsic River at St. Johnsbury, Vt. The monthly discharge for the gaging station is considered preferable to that determined from crest gage heights on the dam. There is considerable discrepancy between the two sets of records for some months, partly explained by storage effect and partly by lack of information regarding the use of sluiceways under the dam.



**ASHUELOT RIVER AT HINSDALE, N. H.**

**Location.**—At the lower highway bridge in the town of Hinsdale about a quarter of a mile below the dam used by the Fisk Paper Co. and the Haile & Frost Manufacturing Co. and about 2 miles above the mouth of the river.

**Records available.**—February 22, 1907, to December 31, 1909.

**Drainage area.**—440 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain attached to the bridge; read twice daily; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Somewhat rough and rocky; probably permanent.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge.

**Artificial control.**—The use of water at the dam at Hinsdale causes great fluctuations in daily stage during the low-water season.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions favor accurate discharge measurements and a good discharge rating curve has been developed. The relation between the gage height and discharge is not affected by backwater from the Connecticut except possibly at very high stages in that stream. Accurate computation of the diurnal fluctuation of discharge caused by the operation of the mills above the station has been rendered impossible by insufficient funds. It is proposed to install an automatic gage to determine the relation between the daily gage heights heretofore recorded and the true mean gage heights, thus making possible the publication of accurate computations of daily discharge from the inception of the station to date. The gage heights for 1911 are withheld pending this investigation, as no gage heights recorded at this station are true indices of the daily discharge.

**Cooperation.**—Records furnished by Frederick S. Leonard, of the Fisk Paper Co.

*Discharge measurements of Ashuelot River at Hinsdale, N. H., 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Mar. 22	F. J. Shuttlesworth.....	3.34	260
Apr. 25	C. C. Covert.....	4.40	1,079

*a* Very little ice along the shore.

**MILLERS RIVER AT WENDELL, MASS.**

**Location.**—At the railroad bridge just west of the Wendell railroad station.

**Records available.**—June 4, 1909, to December 31, 1909.

**Drainage area.**—354 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain attached to the railroad bridge; datum unchanged. The gage heights are observed under the direction of F. B. Saunders, superintendent of the Orange Electric Light Co.

**Channel.**—Bed rough; current swift.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the railroad bridge or by wading.

**Artificial control.**—Immediately above the station and 600 feet below an old dam which it replaces is a dam completed June 1, 1910, by the Orange Electric Light Co. Power was first delivered at this new plant June 8, 1910. The wheels at the old dam were run at irregular intervals prior to the completion of the new dam to furnish power and to divert water from the construction work. During low-water period the use of these wheels interfered seriously with the determination of the true daily flow of the river, but an attempt was made by means of a series of frequent readings through the day and night to ascertain the two most favorable times of day for reading the gage heights in order to show the true mean

height of the river for that day. During 1910 a new dam was also completed  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles below the gage. This dam causes backwater at the gage at medium and high stages, requiring a new discharge rating curve. To what extent this backwater effect is variable is not known.

**Winter flow.**—Ice forms in the still water below the bridge and causes backwater at the gaging section.

**Accuracy.**—Two good discharge rating curves have been developed from the 1910–11 discharge measurements. Accurate computation of the diurnal fluctuation of discharge caused by the operation of the mills above the station has been rendered impossible by insufficient funds. It is proposed to install an automatic gage to determine the diurnal fluctuation in the daily gage heights provided the changed conditions since the construction of the two new dams will warrant it, thus making possible the publication of accurate computations of daily discharge from the inception of the station to date. The gage heights for 1911 are withheld pending this investigation, as no gage heights recorded at this station are true indices of the daily discharge. How far it will be possible to reclaim the records of gage heights taken prior to the construction of the two new dams is impossible to say, but every reasonable effort will be made to determine the discharge as accurately as possible for this station for 1909 to 1911 by means of a thorough study of the conditions during those years.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the State of Massachusetts and the Orange Electric Light Co.

*Discharge measurements of Millers River near Wendell, Mass., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Jan. 12 <sup>a</sup>	F. J. Shuttleworth.....	1.45	204
24 <sup>b</sup>	F. B. Saunders.....	1.34	186
29 <sup>c</sup>	.....do.....	1.69	270
Feb. 11 <sup>d</sup>	.....do.....	1.25	124
20	.....do.....	1.42	208
27	.....do.....	1.82	332
28	.....do.....	2.15	499
Mar. 11	.....do.....	3.10	936
15	.....do.....	2.90	879
17	.....do.....	3.00	799
28	.....do.....	5.30	2,750
29	.....do.....	4.80	2,460
30	.....do.....	5.10	2,630
31	.....do.....	4.92	2,530
Apr. 2 <sup>e</sup>	.....do.....	2.95	1,090
4 <sup>f</sup>	.....do.....	2.48	1,030
4 <sup>g</sup>	.....do.....	2.40	805
6	.....do.....	3.25	1,130
7 <sup>h</sup>	.....do.....	4.38	2,200
8 <sup>i</sup>	.....do.....	4.55	2,220
8 <sup>j</sup>	.....do.....	4.23	2,150

<sup>a</sup> River clear of ice at gaging section. Complete ice cover at railroad bridge 400 feet below.

<sup>b</sup> Head at Stoneville, 72.6; small wheels, 0.64 gate.

<sup>c</sup> Head at Stoneville, 77.25; at Wendell, 98.5; gage No. 1 read .90.

<sup>d</sup> Head at Stoneville, 76.62.

<sup>e</sup> Head at Stoneville, 77.0; at Wendell, 99.1; 3 sluice gates, 3 by 4 feet open; elevation center, 82.0 feet; elevation crest of dam, 98.0; length of dam crest 190 feet.

<sup>f</sup> Head at Stoneville, 75.6; at Wendell, 99.1.

<sup>g</sup> Head at Stoneville, 77.5.

<sup>h</sup> Head at Stoneville, 78.7.

<sup>i</sup> Head at Stoneville, 78.8.

<sup>j</sup> Head at Stoneville, 78.7.

NOTE.—Normal tail water elevation at Wendell, 77.6.

**DEERFIELD RIVER AT HOOSAC TUNNEL, MASS.**

**Location.**—At wooden highway bridge near Hoosac Tunnel railroad station, about  $4\frac{1}{2}$  miles below the mouth of Dunbar Brook, 4 miles above Pelham Brook, and 4 miles above Cold Brook.

**Records available.**—August 8, 1909, to December 31, 1909. A measurement was made at the bridge October 29, 1906.

**Drainage area.**—257 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain, fastened to left-hand downstream side of bridge; read at 8 a. m. and 3.30 p. m. Datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Permanent. The bed is of coarse gravel and is very rough.

**Discharge measurements.**—At high stages made from upstream side of highway bridge; at low stages by wading.

**Winter flow.**—Relation of gage height to discharge is affected by ice, as the river freezes completely over.

**Artificial control.**—The operation of numerous mills on the main river and its tributaries above the station completely controls the flow of the river except at high stages and causes considerable fluctuations in gage heights during the day. The nearest mill is at Monroe Bridge about 7 miles upstream.

**Accuracy.**—Special readings have shown that the average of the gage heights at 8 a. m. and 3.30 p. m. represent fairly well on the average the mean gage height for each 24 hours. A fairly good discharge rating curve has been developed.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the State of Massachusetts. The gage heights for 1911 are withheld pending further investigation and improvement of computations of discharge from records obtained from an automatic gage.

*Discharge measurements of Deerfield River at Hoosac Tunnel, Mass., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Jan. 12 <sup>a</sup>	F. J. Shuttleworth.....	2.42	397
31 <sup>a</sup>	do.....	2.47	417
Mar. 6 <sup>a</sup>	do.....	1.92	169
21 <sup>a</sup>	do.....	2.03	218
31	C. C. Covert.....	3.32	1,080
Apr. 25	C. S. De Golyer.....	4.41	2,200
June 17	G. H. Canfield.....	2.79	700
July 13 <sup>b</sup>	W. G. Hoyt.....	1.11	44.7
13 <sup>b</sup>	do.....	.99	27.2
13 <sup>b</sup>	do.....	.98	25.4
Aug. 19 <sup>b</sup>	Frank Weber.....	1.86	157
20 <sup>b</sup>	do.....	1.64	130
21 <sup>b</sup>	do.....	1.14	50
Nov. 30 <sup>c</sup>	do.....	3.70	1,390

<sup>a</sup> Measurements made under partial ice cover.

<sup>b</sup> Measurements made by wading one-half mile below gage.

<sup>c</sup> High velocities may cause error in this measurement, as there was not enough lead to hold meter down.

**DEERFIELD RIVER AT SHELBURNE FALLS, MASS.**

**Location.**—At the plant of the Greenfield Electric Light & Power Co. at Shelburne Falls.

**Records available.**—June 1, 1907 to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—501 square miles.

**Dam and power plant.**—The dam is of concrete, of ogee section, and is similar in form to one that has been rated. The height of the dam was raised 3 feet in the fall of 1908. Two units are now installed. Ratings of one of these units have been made by the Survey for use in conjunction with the Holyoke ratings of the wheels. The total electrical output is measured twice a day.

**Computations of discharge.**—The flow through the wheels is computed from the gate openings and from power readings made at half-hour intervals. The height of water on the dam, in the fore bay, in the tailrace, and at the wasteways is read three times daily. The total electrical output is also measured twice a day.

**Accuracy.**—Owing to the extreme care with which the readings are made, winter and summer, the records at this station are considered valuable, particularly so since the dam was raised in 1908.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Deerfield River at Shelburne Falls, Mass., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	576	297	420	1,310	3,600	373	218	200	397	845	1,320	1,190
2.....	2,330	517	331	1,110	5,920	476	200	158	300	2,390	1,040	903
3.....	5,450	205	264	959	2,850	410	196	160	185	1,820	772	712
4.....	3,120	244	251	961	1,890	324	167	129	269	2,080	760	747
5.....	1,420	354	217	1,060	1,280	301	184	158	280	2,430	622	509
6.....	1,010	396	219	5,160	1,090	363	153	43	652	1,340	651	575
7.....	750	292	214	8,700	965	2,520	153	123	1,037	1,320	1,500	502
8.....	957	213	213	5,020	711	1,730	105	92	980	1,270	1,500	515
9.....	680	219	243	4,130	782	826	124	125	2,530	1,470	1,050	506
10.....	336	336	223	2,240	710	683	118	158	2,090	1,170	902	586
11.....	338	271	183	2,060	607	720	135	103	910	912	1,040	583
12.....	566	215	237	1,990	636	1,200	118	70	775	798	940	797
13.....	723	246	235	2,840	901	3,480	91	59	459	645	1,510	945
14.....	537	262	444	4,600	701	1,830	101	75	351	534	1,180	823
15.....	689	226	614	6,730	521	1,300	41	103	328	607	1,180	951
16.....	241	220	402	4,540	584	896	0	179	911	554	1,050	1,220
17.....	177	219	317	2,900	456	807	95	247	657	552	664	2,050
18.....	434	330	314	2,120	354	631	133	122	434	6,710	2,470	1,380
19.....	423	327	323	2,290	927	530	149	132	365	11,100	2,220	945
20.....	396	281	298	2,260	805	440	112	150	313	4,560	1,500	701
21.....	574	266	368	2,050	587	374	119	181	289	3,550	1,180	591
22.....	550	234	354	2,460	424	353	80	131	640	4,750	1,050	749
23.....	510	224	677	2,130	446	322	62	143	607	4,550	779	4,280
24.....	284	201	498	1,990	383	294	122	81	452	2,660	927	2,840
25.....	318	213	501	3,330	447	257	172	142	559	1,980	913	1,820
26.....	318	257	782	4,090	414	375	315	204	351	1,320	746	1,360
27.....	491	768	5,030	4,470	438	437	216	251	354	1,170	773	1,550
28.....	2,840	605	6,200	4,940	357	411	145	258	420	1,030	677	1,380
29.....	1,860	.....	3,510	4,710	302	308	242	1,730	648	947	3,120	794
30.....	1,510	.....	4,120	3,760	229	260	276	903	1,490	820	1,460	587
31.....	494	.....	1,360	.....	314	.....	253	639	.....	906	.....	912

*Monthly discharge of Deerfield River at Shelburne Falls, Mass., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 501 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	5,450	177	997	1.99	2.29
February.....	768	201	301	.601	.63
March.....	6,200	183	947	1.89	2.18
April.....	8,700	959	3,230	6.45	7.20
May.....	5,920	229	986	1.97	2.27
June.....	3,480	257	774	1.55	1.78
July.....	315	0	148	.295	.34
August.....	1,730	43	234	.467	.54
September.....	2,630	185	668	1.33	1.48
October.....	11,100	534	2,130	4.25	4.90
November.....	3,120	622	1,180	2.36	2.63
December.....	4,280	502	1,100	2.20	2.54
The year.....	11,100	0	1,060	2.12	28.73

## CHICOPEE RIVER TRIBUTARIES.

## WARE RIVER NEAR WARE, MASS.

**Location.**—At the steel highway bridge about 2 miles above the village of Ware.

**Records available.**—September 15, 1904, to December 31, 1909.

**Drainage area.**—162 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain, attached to the bridge; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Subject to changes as a result of the growth of grass and weeds during the summer.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge or by wading.

**Artificial control.**—The nearest dam downstream is that of the Otis Co. at Ware, about  $2\frac{1}{2}$  miles below the gage. This dam causes backwater at the gage. Upstream, the nearest dam is at Gilbertville, a little over a mile distant. Gage heights fluctuate with the operations of the power plant above.

**Winter flow.**—The river does not, as a rule, freeze at the gaging section, but the relation between gage heights and discharge is affected by backwater caused by anchor ice and by ice jams that lodge on the river bottom below the gage.

**Accuracy.**—Seriously affected by operation of mills above, backwater from the mill below, and growth of grass in the channel during the summer. Accurate computation of the diurnal fluctuation of discharge caused by the operation of the mills above the station has been rendered impossible by insufficient funds. It is proposed to install an automatic gage to determine the relation between the daily gage heights heretofore recorded and the true mean gage height, thus making possible the publication of computations of daily discharge from the inception of the station to date. The gage heights for 1911 are withheld pending this investigation, as no gage heights recorded at this station are true indices of the daily discharge.

**Cooperation.**—Established in cooperation with the Otis Co. and the George H. Gilbert Manufacturing Co. of Ware.

*Discharge measurements of Ware River, near Ware, Mass., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Mar. 8 <sup>a</sup>	F. J. Shuttleworth .....	2.56	140
Mar. 8 <sup>b</sup>	C. S. De Golyer .....	2.60	163

<sup>a</sup> Measurements made at wading section, 100 feet above bridge.

<sup>b</sup> Measurements made from steel highway bridge, 2 miles above Ware.

## SWIFT RIVER NEAR WEST WARE, MASS.

**Location.**—At the footbridge about 400 feet below a wooden dam near the West Ware station of the Athol branch of the Boston & Albany Railroad, about 6 miles by river downstream from Enfield.

**Records available.**—No records available; see below.

**Drainage area.**—Not measured.

**Gages.**—Standard chain, attached to the downstream side of the bridge; staff gage fastened to the crest of the dam.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge or by wading below the dam. By means of the measurements and comparison of the gage heights it is expected that the dam can be rated.

**Artificial control.**—Relation between gage heights and discharge affected by the operation of power plants above the station. A power house used in conjunction with the dam at which records were for a short time obtained has been burned down.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions fairly good for making accurate current meter measurements. Accurate computation of the diurnal fluctuation of discharge caused by the operation of the mills above the station has been rendered impossible by insufficient funds. It is proposed to install an automatic gage to determine the relation between the daily gage heights heretofore recorded and the true mean gage heights, thus making possible the publication of accurate computations of daily discharge from the inception of the station to date. The gage heights for 1911 are withheld pending this investigation, as no gage heights recorded at this station are true indexes of the daily discharge.

The following discharge measurement was made by C. S. De Golyer:  
March 9, 1911: Gage height, 3.21 feet; discharge 131 second-feet.

#### QUABOAG RIVER AT WEST BRIMFIELD, MASS.

**Location.**—At the highway bridge near the West Brimfield station on the Boston & Albany Railroad.

**Records available.**—August 23, 1909, to December 31, 1909.

**Drainage area.**—150 square miles.

**Gage.**—Staff attached to the bridge; read twice daily with and without the mills running; datum unchanged.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge or by wading.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Artificial control.**—Low-stage gage heights show marked fluctuations during the day from the operations of the mills at and above West Warren.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions for making accurate discharge measurements are good. Accurate computation of the diurnal fluctuation of discharge caused by the operation of the mills above the station has been rendered impossible by insufficient funds. It is proposed to install an automatic gage to determine the relation between the daily gage heights heretofore recorded and the true mean gage heights, thus making possible the publication of accurate computations of daily discharge from the inception of the station to date. The gage heights for 1911 are withheld pending this investigation, as no gage heights recorded at this station are true indexes of the daily discharge.

**Cooperation.**—Established in cooperation with the State of Massachusetts.

The following discharge measurement was made by C. S. De Golyer, by wading about 200 feet above the bridge:

March 7, 1911: Gage height, 2.45 feet; discharge, 191 second-feet.

#### WESTFIELD RIVER AT KNIGHTVILLE, MASS.

**Location.**—At the steel highway bridge (locally known as the Pitcher Bridge) at Knightville, about  $4\frac{1}{2}$  miles north of the town of Huntington, 1 mile north of the outlet of Norwich Lake and about 3 miles north of the junction with the middle branch of Westfield River.

**Records available.**—August 26, 1909, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—162 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain attached to the highway bridge; datum unchanged.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from highway bridge.

**Channel.**—Rough. Bed composed of large gravel and ledge rock.

**Artificial control.**—No artificial backwater, as the fall between this station and the dam at Huntington is great.

**Winter flow.**—Relation between the gage heights and discharge during winter months affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—Discharge rating curve fairly well defined by means of measurements in 1909-1911. It is stated, and a study of the daily gage height records tends to indicate that there is no mill control on this stream above the Knightville station; hence discharge data for open-water periods are considered reliable.

**Cooperation.**—Established in cooperation with the State of Massachusetts.

*Discharge measurements of Westfield River at Knightville, Mass., for 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Fet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Mar. 10 <sup>a</sup>	F. J. Shuttleworth.....	2.05	101
Apr. 14	W. G. Hoyt.....	3.32	873
14	W. G. Hoyt.....	3.29	848

<sup>a</sup> Measurements made under complete ice cover. Average thickness of ice 0.63 foot.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Westfield River at Knightville, Mass., for 1911.*

[Observer, G. A. Fisk.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	2.10	.....	2.60	2.60	2.55	1.46	1.24	1.08	1.62	1.90	2.55	2.35
2.....	2.25	.....	2.60	2.35	3.10	1.37	1.20	1.00	1.52	2.50	2.30	2.20
3.....	3.20	.....	2.10	2.85	2.75	1.36	1.16	.96	1.42	2.25	2.30	2.15
4.....	2.70	2.20	1.72	2.95	2.65	1.44	1.12	.94	1.40	2.35	2.25	2.05
5.....	2.25	.....	.....	3.10	2.60	1.64	1.00	.90	1.32	2.25	2.20	1.72
6.....	2.00	.....	.....	3.80	2.50	1.99	.96	.89	1.36	1.98	2.60	1.94
7.....	1.85	1.85	.....	4.90	2.05	3.30	1.04	.88	1.28	1.96	2.40	1.92
8.....	1.88	.....	.....	3.90	2.05	3.20	1.02	.87	1.39	2.00	2.30	1.90
9.....	1.86	.....	.....	3.20	1.95	2.60	1.00	.86	1.53	1.95	2.25	1.81
10.....	1.88	.....	2.05	2.95	2.10	1.88	1.00	.86	1.60	1.85	2.20	1.94
11.....	1.82	.....	.....	2.80	2.00	1.90	.99	.85	1.75	1.78	2.20	2.05
12.....	1.82	.....	.....	2.65	1.86	1.94	.99	.84	1.64	1.73	2.20	2.05
13.....	1.83	1.60	.....	2.80	1.99	4.50	.96	.83	1.52	1.64	3.00	2.05
14.....	1.80	.....	2.95	3.10	1.92	3.40	.94	.82	1.34	1.57	2.80	1.98
15.....	.....	.....	.....	3.50	1.82	2.50	.96	.81	1.27	1.56	2.70	2.25
16.....	.....	.....	3.20	3.00	1.80	2.20	.94	1.60	1.46	1.50	2.65	3.20
17.....	.....	.....	3.40	3.00	1.71	1.72	1.06	1.45	1.40	1.50	2.60	3.70
18.....	1.80	.....	3.00	2.85	1.58	1.60	1.28	1.32	1.36	2.70	2.60	2.90
19.....	.....	.....	2.70	2.85	1.52	1.55	1.26	1.28	1.33	6.00	2.60	2.25
20.....	.....	.....	2.85	2.95	2.00	1.50	1.24	1.23	1.29	3.90	2.60	2.00
21.....	.....	.....	2.75	2.85	1.85	1.47	1.22	1.14	1.24	3.20	2.55	1.98
22.....	.....	1.55	2.80	2.75	1.76	1.43	.98	.98	1.26	3.70	2.40	1.95
23.....	1.79	.....	3.00	2.65	1.69	1.41	.98	.92	1.22	3.90	2.00	4.00
24.....	.....	.....	2.90	2.45	1.58	1.36	1.13	.90	1.76	3.20	2.40	3.40
25.....	.....	.....	2.75	2.40	1.59	1.38	1.24	1.04	1.72	2.80	2.75	.....
26.....	.....	.....	2.85	2.25	1.66	1.46	1.28	1.24	1.76	2.65	2.70	2.35
27.....	3.30	3.00	2.45	2.70	1.66	1.49	1.23	1.42	1.24	2.50	2.60	2.85
28.....	2.65	2.80	3.40	2.80	1.60	1.48	1.26	1.63	1.34	2.40	3.20	2.40
29.....	2.10	.....	2.10	2.60	1.52	1.47	1.30	2.55	1.46	2.35	2.85	2.10
30.....	.....	.....	2.90	2.60	1.40	1.30	1.24	2.25	1.63	2.30	2.55	1.90
31.....	.....	.....	2.85	.....	1.35	.....	1.18	1.70	.....	2.25	.....	2.54

NOTE.—The extent of the ice periods is somewhat uncertain. It is probable, however, that the relation of gage height to discharge was affected by ice Jan. 1, 2, 9 to 26, 30, and 31, and Feb. 1 to about Mar. 27. Gage readings were probably to the water surface.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Westfield River at Knightville, Mass., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....			475	452	92	54	35	127	205	452	370
2.....			370	720	75	48	28	104	430	350	310
3.....	775		595	545	73	44	25	84	330	350	292
4.....	520		645	498	88	39	24	80	370	330	256
5.....	330		720	475	132	28	21	66	330	310	153
6.....	238		1,120	430	235	25	20	73	231	475	218
7.....	190		1,820	256	830	32	20	60	225	390	212
8.....	199		1,180	256	775	30	19	78	238	350	205
9.....			775	222	475	28	19	107	222	330	208
10.....			645	273	199	28	19	122	190	310	218
11.....			570	238	205	27	18	161	169	310	256
12.....			498	193	218	27	18	132	155	310	256
13.....			570	235	1,550	25	18	104	132	670	256
14.....			720	212	885	24	17	70	115	570	231
15.....			940	181	430	25	16	58	113	520	330
16.....			670	175	310	24	122	92	100	498	775
17.....			670	150	153	33	90	80	100	475	1,060
18.....			595	118	122	60	66	73	520	475	620
19.....			595	104	111	57	60	68	2,620	475	330
20.....			645	238	100	54	52	62	1,180	475	238
21.....			595	190	94	51	41	54	775	452	231
22.....			545	164	86	30	27	57	1,060	390	645
23.....			498	144	82	27	22	51	1,180	238	1,240
24.....			410	118	73	40	21	164	775	390	885
25.....			390	120	77	54	32	153	570	545	570
26.....			330	137	92	60	54	164	498	520	370
27.....	830		520	137	98	52	84	54	430	475	595
28.....	498	885	570	122	96	57	130	70	390	775	390
29.....	273	273	475	104	94	63	452	92	370	595	273
30.....		620	475	80	63	54	330	130	350	452	218
31.....		595		72		46	147		330		430

NOTE.—Discharge determined from a discharge rating curve is fairly well defined below about 1,500 second-feet. Daily discharge during periods of probable ice conditions omitted.

*Monthly discharge of Westfield River at Knightville, Mass., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 162 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per, square mile.		
January.....	830		207	1.28	1.48	C.
February.....			120	.747	.78	D.
March.....	885		259	1.60	1.84	C.
April.....	1,820	330	654	4.04	4.51	A.
May.....	720	72	237	1.46	1.68	B.
June.....	1,550	63	264	1.63	1.82	B.
July.....	63	24	40.2	.247	.28	C.
August.....	452	16	66.0	.407	.47	C.
September.....	164	51	93.0	.574	.64	B.
October.....	2,620	100	474	2.93	3.38	A.
November.....	775	238	442	2.73	3.05	A.
December.....	1,240	153	408	2.52	2.90	A.
The year.....	2,620	16	272	1.69	22.83	

NOTE.—Discharge during periods in which ice existed estimated from climatologic records and by comparison with records of discharge of Deerfield River at Shelburne Falls. Mean discharge Jan. 1 to 2, estimated, 175 second-feet; Jan. 9 to 26, 105 second-feet; Jan. 30 and 31, 175 second-feet; Mar. 1 to 27, 210 second-feet.



**MIDDLE BRANCH OF WESTFIELD RIVER AT GOSS HEIGHTS, MASS.**

**Location.**—At a single-span highway bridge in the hamlet of Goss Heights, about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles north of the village of Huntington, and half a mile above the confluence of the Middle Branch with the North Branch of Westfield River.

**Records available.**—July 14, 1910, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—53 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain attached to the upstream side of the bridge; read twice daily.

**Channel.**—Conditions fair for making discharge measurements except at unusually low stages.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge or by wading.

**Artificial control.**—The operation of the power plant 2 miles above the station probably has little effect on the relation between gage height and discharge at this point. It is therefore assumed that the average of the two daily readings gives the correct mean gage height for the day.

**Cooperation.**—Established in cooperation with the State of Massachusetts.

*Discharge measurements of Middle Branch of Westfield River at Goss Heights, Mass., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Dis-charge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Mar. 10 <sup>a</sup>	C. S. De Golyer.....	1.89	27.2
Apr. 14	W. G. Hoyt.....	2.10	265

<sup>a</sup> Measurements made under complete ice cover. Average thickness of ice 0.77 foot.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Middle Branch of Westfield River at Goss Heights, Mass., for 1911.*

[Monroe Rising, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....		2.70	2.50	1.74	1.69	1.44	1.12	1.09	1.32	1.38	1.64	1.59
2.....	3.95	2.30	2.25	1.68	1.90	1.36	1.10	1.10	1.38	1.86	1.61	1.56
3.....	3.15	1.75	1.85	1.61	1.79	1.25	1.08	1.11	1.24	1.82	1.56	1.58
4.....	2.75	1.84	1.85	1.56	1.70	1.21	1.05	1.09	1.21	1.71	1.41	1.51
5.....	2.55	1.92	1.72	1.61	1.62	1.18	1.04	1.08	1.14	1.69	1.39	1.51
6.....	2.60	1.78	1.62	3.50	1.58	1.44	1.11	1.06	1.21	1.64	1.35	1.54
7.....	2.55	1.62	1.88	3.20	1.51	2.20	1.10	1.05	1.15	1.78	2.05	1.59
8.....	2:05	1.61	1.32	2.60	1.42	1.85	1.09	1.08	1.11	1.80	1.86	1.59
9.....	1.76	1.51	1.92	2.10	1.46	1.54	1.05	1.06	1.14	1.61	1.80	1.61
10.....	1.82	1.42	2.15	2.00	1.46	1.61	1.04	1.05	1.52	1.51	1.72	1.56
11.....	1.70	1.36	2.00	1.96	1.45	1.48	1.02	1.02	1.54	1.46	1.61	1.51
12.....	1.69	1.29	2.10	1.86	1.41	1.56	1.00	1.00	1.49	1.41	1.51	1.50
13.....	1.65	1.48	1.85	1.92	1.44	2.40	1.09	0.96	1.48	1.36	1.74	1.49
14.....	1.65	1.60	2.20	2.10	1.42	1.95	1.05	0.91	1.40	1.29	1.70	1.49
15.....	1.68	1.58	2.70	2.70	1.41	1.69	1.11	0.92	1.34	1.24	1.81	1.58
16.....	1.62	1.66	2.25	2.15	1.44	1.46	1.06	1.35	1.41	1.21	1.81	1.75
17.....	1.69	1.65	1.78	1.92	1.32	1.44	1.08	1.14	1.35	1.21	1.81	2.20
18.....	1.68	1.78	2.00	1.81	1.31	1.35	1.25	1.11	1.22	1.41	1.76	1.88
19.....	1.62	2.20	1.88	1.81	1.54	1.31	1.12	1.09	1.19	4.55	2.10	1.71
20.....	1.62	1.95	1.98	1.91	1.66	1.31	1.14	1.02	1.16	2.65	1.91	1.56
21.....	1.68	1.74	2.10	1.84	1.58	1.29	1.10	1.04	1.14	2.50	1.75	1.62
22.....	1.76	1.56	2.25	1.92	1.44	1.21	1.16	1.09	1.11	3.40	1.71	1.60
23.....	1.69	1.54	2.65	1.90	1.39	1.25	1.14	1.11	1.21	3.60	1.61	2.65
24.....	1.71	1.50	2.05	1.79	1.38	1.21	1.20	1.10	1.19	3.30	1.66	2.15
25.....	1.69	1.68	2.20	1.71	1.38	1.21	1.18	1.10	1.12	2.90	1.89	1.86
26.....	1.61	1.89	2.50	1.71	1.45	1.24	1.16	1.22	1.25	1.84	1.72	1.71
27.....	1.61	2.50	3.90	1.68	1.36	1.32	1.14	1.34	1.25	1.72	1.70	1.90
28.....	2.75	2.70	3.80	1.71	1.31	1.31	1.11	1.42	1.28	1.48	1.62	1.89
29.....	3.70		2.70	1.81	1.32	1.29	1.18	1.52	1.25	1.51	1.58	1.81
30.....	2.25		2.85	1.79	1.28	1.19	1.15	1.55	1.34	1.48	1.56	1.74
31.....	2.90		2.00		1.25		1.11	1.48		1.51		1.71

NOTE.—There is some uncertainty regarding the extent of backwater from ice at this station. It is probable, however, that the relation of gage height to discharge was affected by ice Jan. 1 and Jan. 5 to Mar. 26. There was also slight backwater for a few days during December. Gage heights were probably read to water surface. Gage heights were probably not materially affected by control flow at the mills above the station.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Middle Branch of Westfield River at Goss Heights, Mass., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.				166	152	87	17	13	54	72	139	126
2.	848			150	210	67	14	14	72	199	132	119
3.	588			132	179	41	12	16	39	188	119	124
4.	462			119	155	32	8.5	13	32	158	80	106
5.				132	134	27	7.4	12	20	152	74	106
6.				700	124	87	16	10	32	139	64	113
7.				604	106	296	14	8.5	22	177	252	126
8.				416	82	196	13	12	16	182	199	126
9.				267	93	113	8.5	10	20	132	182	132
10.				238	93	132	7.4	8.5	108	106	160	119
11.				227	90	98	5.2	5.2	114	93	132	106
12.				199	80	119	3	3	100	80	106	103
13.				216	87	355	13	2.6	98	67	166	100
14.				267	82	224	8.5	2.1	77	50	155	100
15.				447	80	152	16	2.2	62	39	185	124
16.				282	87	93	10	64	80	32	185	168
17.				216	57	87	12	20	64	32	185	296
18.				185	54	64	41	16	34	80	171	204
19.				185	113	54	17	13	28	1,050	267	158
20.				213	145	54	20	5.2	24	432	213	119
21.				193	124	50	14	7.4	20	385	168	134
22.				216	87	32	24	13	16	668	158	129
23.				210	74	41	20	16	32	733	132	432
24.				179	72	32	30	14	28	636	145	282
25.				158	72	32	27	14	17	509	207	199
26.				158	90	39	24	34	41	193	160	158
27.			832	150	67	57	20	62	41	160	155	210
28.			799	158	54	54	16	82	48	98	134	207
29.			447	185	57	50	27	108	41	106	124	185
30.			494	179	48	28	22	116	62	98	119	166
31.			238		41		16	98		106		158

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a discharge rating curve fairly well defined below 300 second-feet. The discharge during periods when ice existed omitted, except during December, when the back-water was so slight as to be practically negligible.

*Monthly discharge of Middle Branch of Westfield River at Goss Heights, Mass., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 53 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	848		134	2.53	2.92	D.
February.....			35	.660	.69	D.
March.....	832		141	2.66	3.07	C.
April.....	700	119	238	4.49	5.01	B.
May.....	210	41	96.4	1.82	2.10	B.
June.....	355	27	93.1	1.76	1.96	A.
July.....	41	3	16.2	.306	.35	C.
August.....	116	2.1	26.3	.496	.57	B.
September.....	114	16	48.1	.908	1.01	B.
October.....	1,050	32	231	4.36	5.03	B.
November.....	267	64	156	2.94	3.28	A.
December.....	432	100	159	3.00	3.46	A.
The year.....	1,050	2.1	115	2.17	29.45	

NOTE.—Discharge Jan. 1 and Jan. 5 to Mar. 26 estimated from the discharge at Knightville and climatologic records. Discharge Jan. 1 estimated 100 second-feet. Mean discharge Jan. 5 to 31 estimated at 80 second-feet; mean discharge Mar. 1 to 26, estimated at 60 second-feet.

**WESTFIELD LITTLE RIVER NEAR BLANDFORD, MASS.**

**Location.**—A short distance below Borden Brook at Cobble Mountain, near Blandford, Mass.

**Records available.**—July 13, 1905, to December 31, 1909. Records not yet made available for 1910 and 1911.

**Drainage area.**—43 square miles.

**Gages.**—Staff gages and a chain gage have been used to obtain gage heights. All gages referred to the same datum which has remained unchanged since the station was established.

**Channel.**—Conditions for obtaining accurate discharge data are good.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from a car and cable or by wading.

**Weir.**—A sharp crested weir, about 30 feet long, capable of carrying a depth of flow of  $1\frac{1}{2}$  feet, was constructed a short distance below the current-meter station August 10, 1906, and was maintained with some interruptions until September, 1907, when it was destroyed by high water. The weir gage was read at approximately the same time as the current-meter gage, and comparative readings furnish considerable information as to the accuracy of the station records.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Utilization of water.**—Westfield Little River is used by the city of Springfield as a source of domestic water supply. A large storage reservoir has been built on the upper part of Borden Brook, and a concrete diversion dam near the corners of Russell, Westfield, and Granville. The water is then carried by a tunnel through the mountain, a distance of about a mile, to the filter plant at Mundale, whence it is taken through a steel pipe line to Springfield. A distributing reservoir about 5 miles from Springfield is provided at Provin Mountain, Westfield.

**Accuracy.**—An excellent discharge rating curve has been developed.

**Cooperation.**—Established and maintained in cooperation with the water board of the city of Springfield, through its engineer, E. E. Lochridge. Data for 1911 not yet available.

**HOUSATONIC RIVER BASIN.****HOUSATONIC RIVER AT GAYLORDSVILLE, CONN.**

**Location.**—At the covered wooden highway bridge at Gaylordsville, about 2 miles below the mouth of Tenmile River.

**Records available.**—October 24, 1900, to December 31, 1909.

**Drainage area.**—1,020 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain attached to the bridge, read once each day, datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Conditions for obtaining accurate discharge data are good.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from a cable  $1\frac{1}{4}$  miles below the gage, as the cross section at the bridge is unfavorable for accurate measurements.

**Artificial control.**—Upstream, the nearest dam is at Bulls Bridge. Downstream, the nearest dam is at New Milford, about 7 miles below the station. At high stages backwater from the dam below may slightly affect the relation between gage height and discharge. The operation of the power plants above the station greatly controls the low-stage flow; consequently, the daily gage heights do not correctly represent the averages for 24-hour periods.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice for short periods.

**Accuracy.**—A good discharge rating curve has been developed. Accurate computation of the diurnal fluctuation of discharge caused by the operation of the mills above the station has been rendered impossible by insufficient funds. It is proposed to install an automatic gage to determine the relation between the

daily gage heights heretofore recorded and the true mean gage heights, thus making possible the publication of accurate computations of daily discharge from the inception of the station to date. The gage heights for 1911 are withheld pending this investigation, as no gage heights recorded at this station are true indexes of the daily discharge.

**Cooperation.**—Observer paid by United States Weather Bureau from November to April.

### HUDSON RIVER BASIN.

#### COMPARISON OF DISCHARGE OF STREAMS IN THE HUDSON RIVER BASIN.

The following records of discharge in the Hudson River drainage basin are published for the purpose of comparison and of analytical study and reference. The records for Hudson River published in Water-Supply Papers 241, 261, 281, and 301, which are assumed to be essentially correct, are used in the tables below, but certain sources of minor errors in the monthly mean discharge should be noted.

*Hudson River at North Creek.*—Same rating curve used 1907–1911.

*Hudson River at Thurman.*—Same rating curve used 1907–1911; all determinations of discharge exceeding about 8,000 second-feet, published 1907–1911, are about 1 to 5 per cent too low.

*Hudson River at Corinth.*—Records used as published on pages 136–137.

*Hudson River at Mechanicville.*—No change in published record except that 190 second-feet has been added to discharge May to November on account of diversion to Lake Champlain Canal.

*Schroon River at Riverbank.*—Correct rating curves used 1907–1911, except for discharge exceeding about 5,000 second-feet, for which the published figures are about 1 to 5 per cent too low for 1907–1909.

*Sacandaga River at Wells.*—Revised determinations published in Water-Supply Paper 281 used.

*Sacandaga River at Northville.*—Same curve for high stages from 1907–1910; two different curves used for low and medium stages. It is probable that the extreme low discharge at Northville in 1910 is considerably too high.

*Sacandaga River at Hadley.*—Records at this station are unsatisfactory most of the time on account of frequent log jams at and below the gage section. No change made in published records of discharge, although they are at times subject to considerable error.

The comparisons are made by means of ratios. As a guide or index to the normal ratios of discharge, the ratios of the drainage areas are also given. All drainage area ratios are less than unity, that is, in their determination the area of the upstream station is used as the numerator. Natural or artificial causes entirely apart from errors involved in collecting and compiling stream-flow data may, of course, make the ratio of monthly mean discharge depart widely from the ratio of drainage area. The amount of probable departure depends primarily on the magnitude of the ratio of the drainage areas. If the drainage area ratio were unity, all departures of monthly mean ratios from the drainage area ratio would be due to errors in the records. If the drainage area ratio were very small, little significance could be attached to very wide departure of the monthly mean discharge ratio from the drainage area ratio. In general, unless the discharge is controlled by artificial storage, the monthly mean discharge ratio should be lower than the drainage area ratio during the period when the streams are frozen, higher during the spring run-off, lower during the late summer and fall, higher during periods of high water, and lower during periods of low water. At certain times of the year the departure is likely to be considerable, on account of unequal distribution of precipitation and run-off. These inequalities are more evenly

balanced over large areas than over small ones. Monthly mean discharge ratios greater than unity are of course due to error in the records. For long periods, such as a year or more, the discharge ratio, as a rule, should be very nearly the same as the drainage area ratio, although there are many notable exceptions to this rule, particularly for ratios less than about 0.60.

The preceding statements apply only to dependent streams, streams whose discharge in the numerator of the ratio is also included in the denominator. Natural variations in conditions affecting run-off in adjacent independent drainage areas are so great as usually to render ratio comparisons of discharge of little value.

In investigating apparent discrepancies in the monthly mean discharge ratios, consideration should be given to the relative amount of precipitation in the partial areas and also to natural and artificial conditions affecting the discharge.

In view of the small amount of money available and the difficulties of determining the discharge of the upper Hudson and its principal tributaries—the Schroon and the Sacandaga—it is believed that the records are very good. The flow of all these streams is affected by ice for nearly four months of the year, after which comes log driving with more or less flushing to drive the logs downstream. Logs are stranded or jam on the shoals and bars and in many places these log jams affect the relation of gage height to discharge for several months, necessitating very frequent measurements to determine the discharge accurately. Nearly all faulty determinations of monthly mean discharge are too high on account of backwater caused by ice or logs at or below stations.

The ratios show that many errors remain in the published records of discharge even after all possible care and attention have been given to their elimination. Some of the records are far from satisfactory even for preliminary studies, but under present conditions it is impossible to improve them.

The Survey's work in this region and also in other parts of the country emphasizes the need of larger funds for use in determining accurately the daily discharge of the Hudson and its tributaries at various points when the proposed storage reservoirs are completed, in order that water users on that river shall not be unjustly taxed for supposed benefits which they may not really receive.

For the purpose of properly regulating the discharge in future years, the records of discharge obtained at the dams on the Hudson would probably not be as satisfactory as records obtained at current-meter stations, first, on account of possible bias of the power users, and, second, because the involved character of the determinations of discharge at power plants and the many assumptions and hypothetical formulas used make many of them far from trustworthy. For discharge records already obtained at dams on the Hudson, the reader is referred to the report of the New York State engineer and surveyor for 1910, pages 617 to 641. The two sets of records obtained at the Mechanicville stations appear good when compared with each other, but the records at Crockers Reef dam and Fort Edward appear very poor.

*Comparisons, by monthly means, of discharge in the Hudson River drainage basin from 1904 to 1911.*

	Hudson, North Creek.	Schroon, River- bank.	North Creek + River- bank.	Hudson, Thur- man.	Sacandaga.			Thur- man + Had- ley.	Hudson.	
					Wells.	North- ville.	Had- ley.		Cor- inth.	Mechan- icville + Lake Cham- plain Canal. <sup>a</sup>
Drainage area, sq. miles.....	804	534	1,340	1,550	263	740	1,050	2,600	2,730	4,500
1904.										
June.....									5,520	6,950
July.....									2,460	
August.....									3,030	
September.....									2,890	6,850
October.....									7,830	
November.....									2,840	4,830
December.....									2,080	3,920
1905.										
January.....									2,600	6,100
February.....									1,860	3,540
March.....									5,030	9,390
April.....									18,200	22,700
May.....									6,970	8,360
June.....									9,900	9,740
July.....									6,580	7,130
August.....									3,570	5,820
September.....									9,350	12,200
October.....									4,340	6,280
November.....									4,730	
December.....									4,790	
The year.....									6,490	
1906.										
January.....									6,400	9,310
February.....									3,950	7,650
March.....									4,580	9,000
April.....									16,200	20,600
May.....									10,400	13,600
June.....									6,120	9,480
July.....									3,880	5,970
August.....									2,020	3,670
September.....									1,870	3,260
October.....									2,210	3,560
November.....									3,150	5,320
December.....									2,380	4,870
The year.....									5,250	8,020
1907.										
January.....									6,240	10,300
February.....									2,110	4,140
March.....									6,510	9,570
April.....									13,100	16,600
May.....									11,100	14,100
June.....									3,670	5,750
July.....									2,650	4,310
August.....									1,720	2,580
September.....		184		1,520	172	550			2,800	6,340
October.....	2,120	545	2,660	2,980	479	2,000	2,260	5,240	6,220	9,750
November.....	2,530	1,530	4,060	4,530	936	3,420	4,160	8,690	10,200	14,200
December.....	1,970	1,130	3,100	3,580	749	3,050	3,040	6,620	7,710	12,000
The year.....									6,190	9,140

<sup>a</sup> Canal assumed in operation May to November inclusive and to be carrying 190 second-feet.

*Comparisons, by monthly means, of discharge in the Hudson River drainage basin from 1904 to 1911—Continued.*

	Hudson, North Creek.	Schroon, River- bank.	North Creek + River- bank.	Hudson, Thur- man.	Sacandaga.			Thur- man + Had- ley.	Hudson.	
					Wells.	North- ville.	Had- ley.		Cor- inth.	Mechan- icville + Lake Cham- plain Canal.
1908.										
January.....	1,300	1,010	2,310	2,620	450	1,430	1,900	4,520	5,320	8,410
February.....	2,020	1,130	3,150	3,630	724	2,660	3,420	7,050	6,070	9,660
March.....	2,730	1,300	4,030	4,750	844	2,880	3,480	8,230	9,630	14,000
April.....	5,270	3,160	8,430	8,520	2,250	9,600	10,200	18,700	19,800	22,300
May.....	5,230	2,790	8,020	7,900	1,550	6,040	7,440	15,300	16,300	18,100
June.....	818	700	1,520	1,700	292	862	1,300	3,000	2,760	3,360
July.....	830	335	1,160	1,410	65.1	252	382	1,790	2,060	2,330
August.....	742	117	859	943	29.2	144	233	1,180	1,940	1,960
September.....	525	160	685	728	18.4	63.9	138	866	1,580	1,210
October.....	532	159	691	779	66.9	208	367	1,150	1,970	1,570
November.....	626	195	821	919	112	389	521	1,440	2,060	2,040
December.....	570	198	768	900	262	446	637	1,540	1,810	2,010
The year.....	1,770	938	2,710	2,900	554	2,080	2,500	5,400	5,930	7,300
1909.										
January.....	622	255	877	1,100	456	1,130	1,680	2,780	3,990	5,210
February.....	1,280	872	2,150	2,700	931	2,650	3,820	6,520	8,590	11,600
March.....	1,180	1,040	2,220	2,610	535	1,580	2,250	4,860	5,910	9,220
April.....	6,290	3,970	10,300	9,680	2,410	9,210	12,300	22,000	23,400	25,800
May.....	5,150	2,630	7,780	7,860	1,560	4,220	6,280	14,100	15,500	17,200
June.....	1,360	1,110	2,470	2,810	441	1,300	1,660	4,470	4,860	6,210
July.....	679	343	1,020	1,110	78.1	226	378	1,490	1,560	2,170
August.....	773	100	873	960	40.9	189	352	1,310	1,390	1,710
September.....	807	108	915	913	22.5	75.2	216	1,130	1,250	1,650
October.....	717	110	827	795	29.6	157	303	1,100	1,310	1,750
November.....	737	188	925	835	52.5	182	387	1,220	1,450	1,870
December.....	427	218	645	800	69.7	250	456	1,260	1,200	1,570
The year.....	1,670	912	2,580	2,680	546	1,760	2,510	5,190	5,820	7,160
1910.										
January.....	593	188	781	900	368	900	1,120	2,020	2,490	5,190
February.....	677	363	1,040	1,200	300	750	1,020	2,220	2,410	5,480
March.....	3,640	1,910	5,550	6,500	1,800	5,300	7,710	14,200	16,000	21,400
April.....	3,560	2,780	6,340	6,810	1,420	4,600	6,070	12,900	14,900	17,600
May.....	2,380	1,700	4,080	3,950	949	2,630	3,540	7,490	8,880	9,420
June.....	1,840	1,400	3,240	3,800	826	2,240	3,640	7,440	8,820	10,400
July.....	508	260	768	819	64.5	245	358	1,180	1,450	1,790
August.....	956	186	1,140	1,220	160	367	465	1,680	1,820	2,180
September.....	986	348	1,330	1,420	307	520	611	2,030	2,270	2,460
October.....	1,130	368	1,500	1,590	262	600	696	2,290	2,420	2,730
November.....	910	399	1,310	1,490	320	850	1,130	2,620	2,740	3,470
December.....	570	219	789	860	120	350	543	1,400	1,540	2,010
The year.....	1,480	843	2,320	2,550	575	1,620	2,240	4,790	5,490	7,010
1911.										
January.....	750	357	1,110	1,200	240	.....	1,030	2,230	2,640	5,270
February.....	685	250	935	1,000	170	.....	735	1,740	2,040	3,370
March.....	675	310	985	1,250	248	.....	1,250	2,500	2,790	5,780
April.....	3,570	2,130	5,700	7,000	1,550	.....	5,920	12,900	14,700	16,800
May.....	2,620	1,420	4,040	4,380	1,330	.....	2,930	7,310	8,770	9,480
June.....	1,230	625	1,860	1,880	594	.....	1,470	3,350	4,690	4,620
July.....	706	189	895	923	66.5	.....	296	1,220	1,490	1,550
August.....	791	99.2	890	862	33.1	.....	202	1,060	1,590	1,370
September.....	522	151	673	710	.....	.....	659	1,370	2,130	2,190
October.....	924	333	1,260	1,300	.....	.....	2,680	3,980	5,610	7,430
November.....	1,010	610	1,620	1,570	.....	.....	2,680	4,250	5,690	7,750
December.....	1,850	1,060	2,910	2,800	.....	.....	3,710	6,510	8,680	10,000
The year.....	1,280	628	1,910	2,070	.....	.....	1,970	4,040	5,060	6,300

<sup>a</sup> Canal assumed in operation May to November, inclusive, and to be carrying 190 second-feet.

*Comparisons, by monthly ratios, of discharge in the Hudson River drainage basin from 1904-1911.*

	North Creek + River bank. Thur- man.	Wells. North- ville.	North- ville. Hadley.	Thur- man + Hadley. Corinth.	Thur- man + Hadley. Mechan- icville.	Corinth. Mechan- icville.
Drainage area ratio.....	0.86	0.36	0.70	0.95	0.58	0.61
1904.						
June.....						.79
July.....						
August.....						
September.....						.42
October.....						
November.....						.59
December.....						
1905.						
January.....						.43
February.....						.53
March.....						.54
April.....						.80
May.....						.83
June.....						1.02
July.....						.92
August.....						.61
September.....						.77
October.....						.69
November.....						
December.....						
1906.						
January.....						.69
February.....						.52
March.....						.51
April.....						.79
May.....						.76
June.....						.65
July.....						.65
August.....						.55
September.....						.57
October.....						.62
November.....						.59
December.....						.49
The year.....						.65
1907.						
January.....						.61
February.....						.51
March.....						.68
April.....						.79
May.....						.79
June.....						.64
July.....						.61
August.....						.67
September.....		.31				.44
October.....	.89	.24	.88	.84	.54	.64
November.....	.90	.27	.82	.85	.61	.72
December.....	.87	.25	1.00	.86	.55	.64
The year.....						.68
1908.						
January.....	.88	.31	.75	.85	.54	.63
February.....	.87	.27	.78	1.16	.73	.63
March.....	.85	.29	.83	.85	.59	.69
April.....	.99	.23	.94	.94	.84	.89
May.....	1.02	.26	.81	.94	.85	.90
June.....	.89	.34	.66	1.09	.76	.70
July.....	.82	.26	.66	.87	.77	.88
August.....	.91	.20	.62	.61	.60	.99
September.....	.94	.29	.46	.55	.72	1.31
October.....	.89	.32	.57	.58	.73	1.25
November.....	.89	.29	.75	.70	.71	1.01
December.....	.85	.59	.70	.85	.77	.90
Year.....	.93	.27	.83	.91	.74	.81



*Comparisons, by monthly ratios, of discharge in the Hudson River drainage basin from 1904-1911—Continued.*

	North Creek+ River bank. Thur- man.	Wells, North- ville.	North- ville. Hadley.	Thur- man+ Hadley. Corinth.	Thur- man+ Hadley. Mechan- icville.	Corinth. Mechan- icville.
1909.						
January.....	0.80	0.40	0.67	0.70	0.53	0.77
February.....	.80	.35	.69	.76	.56	.74
March.....	.85	.34	.70	.82	.53	.64
April.....	1.06	.26	.75	.94	.85	.91
May.....	.99	.37	.67	.91	.82	.90
June.....	.88	.34	.78	.92	.72	.78
July.....	.92	.35	.60	.96	.69	.72
August.....	.91	.22	.54	.94	.77	.81
September.....	1.00	.30	.35	.90	.68	.76
October.....	1.04	.19	.52	.84	.63	.75
November.....	1.11	.29	.47	.84	.65	.78
December.....	.81	.28	.55	1.05	.80	.76
Year.....	.96	.31	.70	.89	.72	.81
1910.						
January.....	.87	.41	.80	.81	.39	.48
February.....	.87	.40	.73	.92	.40	.44
March.....	.85	.34	.69	.89	.66	.75
April.....	.93	.31	.76	.87	.73	.85
May.....	1.03	.36	.74	.84	.80	.94
June.....	.85	.37	.62	.84	.71	.85
July.....	.94	.26	.68	.81	.66	.81
August.....	.93	.44	.79	.92	.77	.83
September.....	.94	.59	.85	.89	.83	.92
October.....	.94	.44	.86	.95	.84	.89
November.....	.88	.38	.75	.96	.75	.79
December.....	.92	.34	.64	.91	.70	.77
Year.....	.91	.36	.72	.87	.68	.78
1911.						
January.....	.92			.84	.42	.50
February.....	.94			.85	.52	.61
March.....	.79			.90	.43	.48
April.....	.81			.88	.77	.88
May.....	.92			.83	.77	.93
June.....	.99			.71	.72	1.01
July.....	.97			.82	.79	.96
August.....	1.03			.67	.77	1.16
September.....	.95			.64	.63	.97
October.....	.97			.71	.54	.76
November.....	1.03			.75	.55	.73
December.....	1.04			.75	.65	.87
Year.....	.92			.80	.64	.80

#### HUDSON RIVER AT NORTH CREEK, N. Y.

**Location.**—At the highway bridge in the village of North Creek, immediately above the mouth of North Creek, which enters the Hudson from the right.

**Records available.**—September 21, 1907, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of the State Water Supply Commission and the State engineer and surveyor, and in the 1911 report of the State of New York Conservation Commission.

**Drainage area.**—804 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain, read twice daily; datum, unchanged.

**Channel.**—Heavy gravel; considered fairly permanent.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the two-span steel highway bridge.

**Artificial control.**—The numerous lakes and ponds in the basin of the upper Hudson have a decided effect on the low-water flow; especially is this true of Indian Lake.<sup>1</sup> The use of these storage reservoirs in the spring in connection with log driving tends to vitiate the daily records at all the gaging stations. Where possible, allowance is made for the effect of logging operations.

<sup>1</sup> See Indian Lake at Indian Lake, N. Y., p. 140.

**Winter flow.**—Winters are severe in the northern part of the State and determinations of flow for the winter months are approximate because of ice.

**Accuracy.**—Discharge rating curve very well defined. Determinations of discharge for open-water periods considered excellent.

**Cooperation.**—Station established and maintained by United States Geological Survey in cooperation with the State Water Supply Commission of New York.

*Discharge measurements of Hudson River at North Creek, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Jan. 19 <sup>a</sup>	F. J. Shuttleworth.....	4.46	728
Feb. 11 <sup>b</sup>	C. C. Covert.....	4.40	709
28 <sup>c</sup>	F. J. Shuttleworth.....	4.00	661
Apr. 7 <sup>d</sup>	C. S. De Golyer.....	4.26	1,700
19	W. G. Hoyt.....	4.85	3,770
June 9	C. S. De Golyer.....	3.37	1,360
July 13	G. H. Canfield.....	3.07	1,010
16	do.....	3.12	1,020
Nov. 18 <sup>e</sup>	F. Weber.....	3.04	902

<sup>a</sup> Partial ice cover; average thickness of ice, 1.2 feet.

<sup>b</sup> Partial ice cover; average thickness of ice, 1.4 feet.

<sup>c</sup> Complete ice cover; average thickness of ice, 1.3 feet.

<sup>d</sup> 95 per cent ice cover; average thickness of ice, 1.4 feet.

<sup>e</sup> Some floating ice and shore ice.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Hudson River at North Creek, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Gilbert Dean, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	3.3			4.2	6.8	2.65	2.39	3.0	2.65	2.7	2.8	3.1
2.....	3.4				7.8	3.2	2.38	2.97	2.15	2.75	2.9	3.1
3.....	3.3				7.6	3.15	2.25	2.96	2.02	2.8	2.8	3.0
4.....	3.03		3.5		6.1	3.1	2.18	2.94	1.98	2.95	2.75	2.85
5.....	3.05	4.2			5.2	3.0	2.11	2.94	1.95	3.2	2.7	2.7
6.....	3.35				3.8	3.2	2.06	2.94	2.28	3.4	2.7	2.8
7.....	3.4			4.26	4.6	3.2	2.7	2.94	2.7	3.3	2.75	2.7
8.....	3.7			4.4	3.75	3.3	2.8	2.94	3.0	3.3	3.3	2.7
9.....	3.75			4.3	3.95	3.4	2.8	2.92	3.1	3.2	3.6	2.69
10.....				4.2	4.5	3.6	2.9	2.9	2.8	3.05	3.75	2.8
11.....		4.4	3.9	4.2	3.9	3.6	3.1	2.91	2.6	3.0	3.65	3.15
12.....				4.2	4.3	4.0	3.1	2.9	2.65	2.8	3.45	3.65
13.....				4.3	4.2	4.2	3.05	2.89	2.46	2.7	3.55	5.1
14.....					3.3	4.4	3.05	2.88	2.44	2.6	3.65	5.8
15.....	3.5				3.35	4.2	3.05	2.87	2.41	2.5	3.6	5.4
16.....				5.5	2.38	4.3	3.1	2.86	2.55	2.48	3.3	4.8
17.....				5.3	2.85	3.8	3.05	2.87	2.6	2.43	3.1	4.5
18.....		4.2	3.8	4.9	4.4	3.6	2.95	2.86	2.7	2.55	3.05	4.1
19.....				4.9	3.1	3.3	2.8	2.85	2.48	3.1	3.15	3.75
20.....				4.9	2.65	3.05	2.75	2.85	2.4	3.4	3.15	3.5
21.....	4.2			5.2	3.45	2.9	2.75	2.84	2.3	3.35	3.05	3.3
22.....				4.8	2.38	2.8	2.7	2.82	2.75	3.3	3.0	3.25
23.....				4.7	3.4	2.7	2.7	2.8	2.75	3.25	3.0	3.85
24.....				4.8	2.8	2.6	2.7	2.78	2.7	3.5	2.9	4.4
25.....		4.0	3.6	5.3	3.4	2.5	2.7	2.78	2.75	3.55	2.75	4.3
26.....				6.0	2.4	2.46	2.8	2.8	2.7	3.3	2.7	4.1
27.....	3.7			6.5	3.7	2.44	3.0	2.78	2.7	3.15	2.7	3.9
28.....				6.6	3.5	2.7	3.0	2.8	2.65	3.0	2.6	3.65
29.....				6.7	2.9	2.8	3.05	2.98	2.65	2.9	2.75	3.2
30.....				6.3	2.8	2.42	3.0	3.3	2.65	2.85	3.1	3.15
31.....					2.6		3.0	2.92		2.75		3.15

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice from Jan. 1 to Apr. 7. Probably no backwater during December. Gage heights were probably to the surface of the water. No notes regarding backwater from logs given by the observer.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Hudson River at North Creek, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1		8,620	570	394	890	570	610	700	990
2		11,600	1,100	388	860	268	655	790	990
3		11,000	1,040	315	850	213	700	700	890
4		6,690	990	281	830	198	840	655	745
5		4,520	890	250	830	188	1,100	610	610
6		1,620	1,100	229	830	330	1,350	610	700
7	1,700	3,290	1,100	610	830	610	1,220	655	610
8	1,900	1,840	1,220	700	830	890	1,220	1,220	610
9	2,100	2,160	1,350	700	810	990	1,100	1,620	602
10	2,300	3,100	1,620	790	790	700	940	1,840	700
11	2,500	2,080	1,620	990	800	530	890	1,700	1,040
12	2,570	2,740	2,240	990	790	570	700	1,420	1,700
13	2,740	2,570	2,570	940	781	436	610	1,550	4,300
14	3,000	1,220	2,920	940	772	424	530	1,700	5,930
15	4,000	1,280	2,570	940	763	406	460	1,620	4,970
16	5,200	388	2,740	990	754	495	448	1,220	3,680
17	4,740	745	1,920	940	763	530	418	990	3,100
18	3,880	2,920	1,620	840	754	610	495	940	2,400
19	3,880	990	1,220	700	745	448	990	1,040	1,840
20	3,880	570	940	655	745	400	1,350	1,040	1,480
21	4,520	1,420	790	655	736	340	1,280	940	1,220
22	3,680	388	700	610	718	655	1,220	890	1,160
23	3,480	1,350	610	610	700	655	1,160	890	2,000
24	3,680	700	530	610	682	610	1,480	790	2,920
25	4,740	1,350	460	610	682	655	1,550	655	2,740
26	6,430	400	436	700	700	610	1,220	610	2,400
27	7,770	1,770	424	890	682	610	1,040	610	2,080
28	8,050	1,480	610	890	700	570	890	530	1,700
29	8,330	790	700	940	870	570	790	655	1,100
30	7,220	412	890	890	1,220	570	745	990	1,040
31		530		890	810		655		1,040

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve.

*Monthly discharge of Hudson River at North Creek, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, <sup>a</sup> 807 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January			750	0.930	1.07	C.
February			685	.849	.88	C.
March			675	.836	.96	C.
April	8,330		3,570	4.42	4.93	A.
May	11,600	388	2,620	3.25	3.75	A.
June	2,920	412	1,230	1.52	1.70	A.
July	990	229	706	.875	1.01	A.
August	1,220	682	791	.980	1.13	A.
September	990	188	522	.647	.72	B.
October	1,550	418	924	1.14	1.31	A.
November	1,840	530	1,010	1.25	1.40	A.
December	5,930	602	1,850	2.29	2.64	A.
The year	11,600	188	1,280	1.59	21.50	

NOTE.—Discharge Jan. 1 to Apr. 7 estimated by means of 4 discharge measurements made with ice present, the discharge at other stations in the upper Hudson River basin, and climatologic records. In determining discharge for February, due allowance was made for effect of draft on storage at Indian Lake, amounting to about 170 second-feet. No material effect from storage during January and March.

Mean discharge Apr. 1 to 6 estimated 817 second-feet.

<sup>a</sup> Incorrect drainage area, it should be 804 square miles.

## HUDSON RIVER AT THURMAN, N. Y.

**Location.**—At the Delaware & Hudson Railroad bridge leading from Thurman to Warrensburg, about 950 feet below the highway bridge to Warrensburg, about 2,000 feet below the mouth of Schroon River, and about 13 miles above the mouth of Sacandaga River, which enters from the right.

**Records available.**—September 1, 1907, to December 31, 1911; data also in annual reports of the New York State Water Supply Commission and the State engineer and surveyor, and the 1911 report of the State Conservation Commission of New York.

**Drainage area.**—1,550 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain; read three times daily; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Sand and gravel; liable to shift.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge.

**Artificial control.**—The influence of storage at Indian Lake and of mill control on Schroon River is observable at this station.

**Winter flow.**—Station discontinued during the winter months because of ice. Winter flow estimated from the determinations of combined flow at Riverbank and North Creek plus an estimated inflow between the two stations.

**Accuracy.**—Accuracy of the determinations to some extent impaired as the result of accumulations of logs at the control point below the section and also around the piers of the bridge. Discharge rating curve very well defined and determinations of flow during the open water season are considered fairly accurate.

**Cooperation.**—Station established by United States Geological Survey in cooperation with the State Water Supply Commission of New York. Gage heights, January to March and December 17 to 31, furnished by Albany office of United States Weather Bureau.

*Discharge measurements of Hudson River at Thurman, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
June 7 <sup>a</sup>	G. H. Canfield.....	3.27	1,880
July 28 <sup>a</sup>	do.....	2.88	984
28 <sup>a</sup>	do.....	2.88	979
Sept. 2 <sup>a</sup>	do.....	2.31	519
2 <sup>a</sup>	Frank Weber.....	2.22	474
27 <sup>a</sup>	G. H. Canfield.....	2.56	689
Nov. 13 <sup>a</sup>	Frank Weber.....	3.58	2,140

<sup>a</sup> Log jams in river below bridge produced backwater effect at gage.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Hudson River at Thurman, N. Y., for 1911.*

[S. H. Spencer, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	3.8	4.1	4.4	.....	6.40	2.85	2.55	2.88	2.75	2.90	3.05	5.30
2.....	4.2	4.2	4.4	.....	7.10	3.00	2.19	2.94	2.25	2.75	3.10	3.25
3.....	4.3	4.5	4.4	.....	6.90	2.85	2.26	2.82	1.95	2.70	2.90	3.20
4.....	4.2	4.4	4.3	.....	6.00	2.85	1.95	2.80	1.90	2.90	2.72	2.95
5.....	3.9	4.5	4.2	.....	5.70	2.85	2.37	2.85	2.00	3.10	2.95	3.00
6.....	3.8	4.5	4.4	.....	4.70	2.95	2.70	2.75	2.08	3.25	2.95	3.05
7.....	3.9	4.5	4.4	.....	5.20	3.25	2.75	2.77	3.05	3.25	3.05	2.95
8.....	3.8	4.5	4.3	.....	3.80	3.35	3.05	2.81	2.75	3.15	3.30	2.77
9.....	4.1	4.5	4.3	.....	4.50	3.45	2.80	2.75	3.25	3.25	3.65	2.90
10.....	4.0	4.5	4.3	.....	4.40	3.25	2.95	2.77	2.85	3.10	3.75	3.00

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Hudson River at Thurman, N. Y., for 1911—Continued.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
11.....	4.0	4.6	4.3		4.40	3.30	3.10	2.77	2.85	2.95	3.70	3.20
12.....	4.0	4.5	3.9		3.80	3.75	3.05	2.75	2.75	2.80	3.40	3.55
13.....	4.0	4.4	4.2		3.60	3.95	2.95	2.74	2.60	2.55	3.40	4.50
14.....	4.0	4.6	4.0		3.85	4.20	2.95	2.77	2.48	2.70	3.70	5.20
15.....	4.0	4.5	4.0		3.55	3.95	3.00	2.76	2.43	2.27	3.65	5.00
16.....	4.0	4.5	4.0		3.05	4.20	2.85	2.74	2.38	2.60	3.55	4.5
17.....	3.8	4.5	3.8		3.00	3.75	3.10	2.72	2.45	2.41	3.25	4.3
18.....	3.8	4.3	3.9		4.10	3.50	3.00	2.75	2.90		3.35	4.1
19.....	4.0	4.4	3.8		3.25	3.30	2.95	2.77	2.60	3.55	3.40	3.8
20.....	4.3	4.4	3.7		2.95	3.15	2.75	2.62	2.41	3.55	3.45	3.6
21.....	4.3	4.7	3.6		3.70	3.05	2.75	2.74	2.23	3.55	3.40	3.4
22.....	4.3	4.5	3.7		3.30	3.00	2.65	2.67	2.65	3.35	3.25	3.4
23.....	4.3	4.4	3.7		2.90	2.85	2.50	2.67	2.65	3.40	3.30	4.4
24.....	4.3	4.9	3.7		3.20	2.75	2.70	2.63	2.60	3.55	3.20	4.5
25.....	4.3	4.5	3.7		3.50	2.50	2.55	2.67	2.60	3.60	3.00	4.4
26.....	4.3	4.4	3.6		3.70	2.65	2.60	2.66	2.60	3.45	2.90	4.5
27.....	4.2	4.5	4.0		3.05	2.65	2.90	2.60	2.55	3.30	3.00	4.1
28.....	4.3	4.4	4.3		3.15	2.65	2.90	2.75	2.50	3.20	2.95	4.0
29.....	4.2		4.3		2.95	2.95	2.95	2.91	2.55	3.05	3.10	3.5
30.....	4.0		4.3		2.74	2.65	2.75	2.97	2.60	3.10	3.35	3.5
31.....	4.1		4.3		2.75		2.85	2.85		3.05		3.5

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice from January to March and probably during the first few days in April. There was no backwater from ice during December. It is not known whether readings during January to March were to water surface or to the top of the ice. Gage heights Jan. 1 to Mar. 31 and Dec. 17 to 31 were taken from the records of the United States Weather Bureau. During practically all the period from May to December backwater, caused by log jams below the gage, existed at this station. There may, however, have been no backwater during the first part of May and during December.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Hudson River at Thurman, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	11,100	1,380	788	978	845	1,000	1,190	6,780
2.....	13,200	1,660	509	1,050	485	845	1,260	1,500
3.....	12,600	1,380	554	912	358	800	1,000	1,410
4.....	9,920	1,380	375	890	340	1,000	818	1,060
5.....	9,020	1,380	632	945	375	1,260	1,060	1,120
6.....	6,020	1,560	945	845	407	1,500	1,060	1,190
7.....	7,520	1,840	1,010	863	1,190	1,500	1,190	1,060
8.....	3,480	2,040	1,460	901	845	1,340	1,580	863
9.....	5,440	2,260	1,070	845	1,500	1,500	2,300	1,000
10.....	5,150	1,840	1,060	863	945	1,260	2,510	1,120
11.....	5,150	1,940	1,260	863	945	1,060	2,400	1,410
12.....	3,480	2,960	1,190	845	845	890	1,770	2,080
13.....	2,990	3,460	1,060	836	715	678	1,770	4,430
14.....	3,610	4,140	1,060	863	626	800	2,400	6,480
15.....	2,870	3,460	1,120	854	591	495	2,300	5,880
16.....	1,760	4,140	945	836	558	715	2,080	4,430
17.....	1,660	2,960	1,260	818	605	577	1,500	3,870
18.....	4,290	2,370	1,120	845	1,000	600	1,680	3,340
19.....	2,180	1,940	1,060	863	715	2,080	1,770	2,620
20.....	1,560	1,640	845	732	577	2,080	1,880	2,190
21.....	3,230	1,460	845	836	475	2,080	1,770	1,770
22.....	2,290	1,380	758	775	758	1,680	1,500	1,770
23.....	1,470	1,140	640	775	758	1,770	1,580	4,150
24.....	2,070	1,010	800	740	715	2,080	1,410	4,430
25.....	2,750	740	678	775	715	2,190	1,120	4,150
26.....	3,230	890	715	766	715	1,880	1,000	4,430
27.....	1,760	890	1,000	715	678	1,580	1,120	3,340
28.....	1,960	890	1,000	845	640	1,410	1,060	3,090
29.....	1,560	1,300	1,060	1,010	678	1,190	1,260	1,980
30.....	1,200	890	845	1,080	715	1,260	1,680	1,980
31.....	1,220		945	945		1,190		1,980

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from three discharge-rating curves applied as follows: Curve 1, the 1910 curve, applied May 1 to June 6; curve 2, constructed from measurement made June 7, applied June 7 to July 9; curve 3, constructed from six discharge measurements made July to November, applied July 10 to Dec. 31. Discharge Oct. 18, estimated.

*Monthly discharge of Hudson River at Thurman, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 1,550 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			1,200	0.774	0.89	C.
February.....			1,000	.645	.67	C.
March.....			1,250	.806	.93	C.
April.....			7,000	4.52	5.04	C.
May.....	13,200	1,200	4,380	2.83	3.26	B.
June.....	4,140	740	1,880	1.21	1.35	C.
July.....	1,460	375	923	.595	.69	C.
August.....	1,080	715	862	.556	.64	C.
September.....	1,500	340	710	.458	.51	B.
October.....	2,190	495	1,300	.839	.97	B.
November.....	2,510	818	1,570	1.01	1.13	C.
December.....	6,780	863	2,800	1.81	2.09	C.
The year.....	13,200	340	2,070	1.34	18.17	

NOTE.—Monthly discharge January to April estimated from the combined flow at North Creek and Riverbank, plus an estimated inflow between Thurman and North Creek and Riverbank, effect of storage regulation at Indian Lake reservoir being given due consideration.

**HUDSON RIVER AT CORINTH, N. Y.**

**Location.**—One-half mile upstream from highway bridge crossing the Hudson at Corinth and one-half mile north of the Corinth post office, at the mouth of the second brook, upstream, tributary to the Hudson from the right; 5 miles by river below the village of Luzerne and  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles above the dam of the International Paper Co. at Palmer Falls.

**Records available.**—June 1, 1904, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—2,728 square miles.

**Gage.**—Vertical staff bolted to the left-hand abutment on the downstream side of the highway bridge over the brook. The gage is about 25 feet from low water line in Hudson River, but as there is practically no slope to the tributary stream low water readings can be considered fair. The zero of the gage, unchanged since established, is at the same elevation as the crest of the Palmer Falls dams, which is assumed as 100 feet.

**Channel.**—Permanent; composed of coarse gravel and bowlders; fairly straight for upward of 2 miles above the gage, and current sluggish. The river begins to bend to the left almost at the gage and in the next 1,000 feet turns nearly 90°, then flows straight for 200 or 300 feet to the head of a rocky reef, which is practically a control for the gage. In the 1,000 feet between the point of control and the three-span steel highway bridge that crosses the Hudson at this point the river falls 3 or 4 feet.

**Discharge measurements.**—At low and medium stages made from a boat or by wading just above the point of control and about 1,100 feet downstream from the gage; at high stages from the upstream side of the highway bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Ice forms in the river to a thickness of 2 or 3 feet in the vicinity of the gage and down to within 500 feet of the control. In a section at the control, however, the river is usually open and it is believed that there is no very marked effect from ice.

**Artificial control.**—The low-water flow is modified by release of stored water from Indian Lake and to some extent by release of water from other small ponds on the upper Hudson. The only dam on the main stream above the station is that which furnishes power to a paper mill at Luzerne, 5 miles above. Below the

bridge and on the left-hand side of the stream is a low dam built in November, 1905, by the Corinth Electric Power Co., to divert water to a small electric plant which furnishes light and power for the villages of Corinth and Palmer Falls. In September, 1909, a temporary brush dam was built at this point by the same company. The dam of the International Paper Co. is about one-half mile farther downstream. Neither dam affects the records at the gage.

**Point of zero flow.**—Soundings near the point of control indicate that there would be no flow past the gage if the water fell below 123 feet on the gage.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions are not entirely favorable for accurate determination of flow.

During the greater part of the time log jams rest against the two bridge piers and often extend upstream above the point of control, causing back water at the gage. Construction work on the temporary brush dam in the fall of 1909 may have produced a slight effect at the gage. The discharge curve has been developed from measurements made by engineers of the United States Geological Survey and probably represents the discharge at the station fairly well for conditions unaffected by log jams or ice.

**Cooperation.**—Gage installed and gage heights furnished by the International Paper Co.

*Discharge measurements of Hudson River at Corinth, N. Y., in 1905 to 1910.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Dis-charge.	Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Dis-charge.
1905.		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>	1910.		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Sept. 11	C. C. Covert.....	125.90	1,670	Mar. 2	C. C. Covert.....	130.04	a 19,100
12	do.....	125.82	1,730	3	do.....	130.66	a 21,900
Nov. 1	do.....	126.12	a 2,580	4	do.....	130.62	a 22,100
				7	do.....	129.93	a 15,900
1909.				9	F. G. Sargent.....	129.71	a 17,100
June 19	C. C. Covert.....	127.02	a 5,770	Apr. 22	W. G. Hoyt.....	128.90	a 13,800
July 20	do.....	125.50	1,250	June 20	J. J. Phelan.....	127.62	6,820
Aug. 25	W. G. Hoyt.....	125.35	1,100	Aug. 10	Phelan and Carman.....	125.54	1,540
				Oct. 28	J. J. Phelan.....	126.68	2,950

a Measurements made from highway bridge. All other measurements made at boat section above bridge.

*Daily gage heights, in feet, of Hudson River at Corinth, N. Y., for 1904-1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1904.												
1.						127.41	127.06	125.96	125.76	128.00	127.08	125.98
2.						126.96	126.51	125.96	125.84	127.88	126.82	125.82
3.						126.71	126.21	125.96	126.02	127.50	126.72	125.85
4.						126.51	126.11	125.96	126.22	127.26	126.68	125.70
5.						126.76	126.31	125.96	126.32	127.02	126.59	125.88
6.						126.96	126.46	126.96	126.22	126.78	126.40	125.92
7.						128.11	126.31	126.76	126.20	126.55	126.45	125.99
8.						127.01	126.16	126.26	126.10	126.35	126.39	125.84
9.						128.76	126.01	125.91	126.02	126.28	126.28	125.94
10.						128.76	125.86	125.81	126.02	126.35	126.20	125.84
11.						128.81	125.96	125.81	125.95	126.95	126.22	125.82
12.						128.56	125.91	125.76	125.98	127.36	126.35	125.75
13.						128.06	126.21	125.66	125.92	127.30	126.20	125.84
14.						127.66	126.36	125.66	125.88	127.28	126.21	125.82
15.						127.31	126.16	125.71	126.11	126.95	126.12	125.80
16.						127.11	126.11	125.66	126.15	126.74	126.15	125.78
17.						126.91	126.01	125.66	125.89	126.60	126.08	125.76
18.						126.61	126.01	125.66	126.08	126.55	126.05	125.78
19.						126.41	125.86	125.66	126.18	126.32	126.08	125.78
20.						126.21	125.86	125.46	126.08	126.30	125.92	125.76

Daily gage height, in feet, of Hudson River at Corinth, N. Y., for 1904-1911—Contd.

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1904.												
21						126.26	125.76	127.51	126.06	126.85	125.95	125.82
22						126.26	125.66	127.66	126.10	130.40	125.85	125.79
23						126.26	125.66	127.82	126.10	130.84	125.92	125.78
24						126.16	125.66	127.49	126.08	130.12	126.12	125.90
25						126.06	125.76	127.02	126.14	129.40	126.18	125.82
26						125.96	125.76	126.59	126.90	128.88	126.19	125.81
27						125.96	125.91	126.32	127.07	128.40	125.78	125.92
28						125.96	125.91	126.06	126.97	128.05	125.90	126.38
29						126.01	126.31	125.94	126.76	127.88	125.78	126.50
30						126.26	126.21	125.82	127.45	127.45	125.88	126.42
31							126.11	125.69		127.22		126.43
1905.												
1	126.45	125.90	125.77	133.60	128.51	126.49	128.02	127.92	126.14	126.60	126.62	127.05
2	126.52	125.94	125.80	132.90	128.80	126.42	128.52	127.63	126.10	126.58	127.09	126.87
3	126.50	125.91	125.78	131.82	128.11	126.27	129.72	127.26	126.94	126.56	127.17	127.44
4	126.41	125.85	125.79	130.98	128.49	126.19	129.94	126.95	128.50	126.54	127.16	127.95
5	126.18	125.79	125.77	131.00	128.18	126.05	129.40	126.70	130.02	126.46	127.16	127.83
6	125.92	125.83	125.77	131.58	128.02	126.16	129.11	126.40	130.03	126.36	127.20	127.74
7	126.10	125.82	125.74	131.50	127.82	126.58	128.50	126.38	129.73	126.27	127.41	127.72
8	126.28	125.84	125.74	130.80	127.76	127.18	128.08	126.63	129.16	126.28	127.70	127.50
9	126.39	125.84	125.76	130.05	127.88	128.20	127.61	126.57	128.65	126.28	127.54	127.38
10	126.36	125.82	125.76	129.55	127.74	129.07	127.42	126.46	128.14	126.21	127.56	127.14
11	126.32	125.82	125.76	129.50	127.73	127.98	127.06	126.30	127.72	126.01	127.22	126.74
12	126.28	125.82	125.74	129.98	127.52	127.65	127.05	126.22	127.61	126.50	126.96	126.52
13	126.27	125.88	125.74	130.08	127.56	127.78	126.84	126.14	127.78	127.68	126.95	126.64
14	126.26	125.81	125.74	130.08	127.42	127.96	126.69	126.13	127.46	127.40	126.96	126.56
15	126.19	125.80	125.74	129.88	127.06	127.67	126.56	126.17	127.15	127.10	126.88	126.22
16	126.18	125.80	125.72	129.65	127.66	127.27	126.52	126.58	126.96	126.89	126.82	126.08
17	126.10	125.80	125.70	129.20	127.32	126.98	126.42	127.28	126.90	126.78	126.78	126.06
18	126.16	125.80	125.72	128.70	127.35	128.70	126.54	127.06	127.56	126.62	126.68	126.06
19	126.12	125.78	125.74	128.28	127.18	128.88	126.66	126.82	128.63	126.60	126.54	126.16
20	126.12	125.82	126.35	127.92	127.10	129.48	126.65	126.44	128.83	126.96	126.38	126.40
21	126.08	125.80	126.52	128.05	127.03	129.88	126.48	126.36	129.42	127.30	126.20	126.46
22	126.08	125.84	126.63	129.52	127.18	130.18	126.32	126.15	128.99	127.22	126.20	126.63
23	125.96	125.80	126.58	129.72	126.83	129.72	126.14	126.06	128.52	127.12	126.22	126.94
24	125.91	125.80	126.56	129.60	126.76	129.11	126.10	125.98	128.08	126.95	126.26	126.80
25	125.89	125.78	126.72	129.32	126.53	128.52	126.24	125.90	127.66	126.82	126.27	126.54
26	125.92	125.78	127.20	128.78	126.72	128.48	126.17	125.84	127.34	126.70	126.29	126.50
27	125.86	125.80	128.02	128.78	126.72	129.16	126.06	125.72	127.10	126.57	126.29	126.44
28	125.84	125.78	128.88	128.28	126.74	129.29	126.04	125.72	126.95	126.48	126.26	126.37
29	125.84			128.10	126.76	128.96	125.99	125.66	126.82	126.73	126.28	126.43
30	125.92		130.70	128.22	126.48	128.43	127.22	125.71	126.72	126.68	127.22	126.94
31	125.91		132.50		126.46		127.56	126.00		126.57		127.12
1906.												
1	127.05	127.41	126.66	127.84	128.40	128.17	127.70	126.19	125.85	125.74	126.12	126.72
2	126.90	127.18	126.58	127.83	128.50	127.96	128.30	126.16	125.70	125.82	126.04	126.44
3	126.70	126.60	126.60	127.85	128.96	127.45	127.96	126.04	125.76	125.80	125.96	126.12
4	126.64	126.52	127.56	128.03	128.81	127.30	127.66	125.93	125.78	125.82	125.88	125.94
5	127.00	126.61	127.77	128.42	129.00	126.84	127.56	125.84	126.06	125.74	125.89	126.02
6	127.06	126.48	127.54	128.34	128.62	127.09	127.44	126.06	126.18	125.74	125.81	126.02
7	127.92	126.42	127.42	128.26	128.42	127.02	127.14	125.96	126.00	125.66	125.82	126.08
8	126.66	126.48	127.24	128.08	128.32	127.04	126.81	125.91	125.95	125.69	125.78	125.92
9	126.51	126.44	127.12	127.98	128.28	127.64	126.66	125.86	125.98	125.72	125.76	125.82
10	126.35	126.52	126.88	127.68	128.28	128.20	126.64	125.81	126.00	125.69	125.76	125.84
11	126.42	126.48	126.80	127.49	128.18	128.59	126.66	125.78	125.92	125.74	125.75	125.90
12	126.58	126.54	126.69	127.62	127.84	128.26	126.60	125.68	125.80	125.78	125.85	125.89
13	126.63	126.48	126.67	127.99	127.94	127.51	126.44	125.73	125.78	125.78	125.88	125.85
14	126.53	126.52	126.58	127.87	127.97	127.32	126.32	125.68	125.80	125.80	125.89	125.86
15	126.40	126.44	126.54	130.36	128.90	126.80	126.19	125.64	125.78	125.80	125.92	125.89
16	126.55	126.40	126.36	131.16	128.24	126.61	126.10	125.60	125.70	125.78	125.88	125.97
17	126.60	126.36	126.38	131.72	127.84	126.74	126.02	125.60	125.78	125.76	125.90	126.20
18	126.52	126.32	126.25	131.74	127.85	127.27	126.02	125.65	125.78	125.75	125.95	126.35
19	126.47	126.30	126.24	131.78	128.04	127.26	125.99	125.62	125.75	125.74	126.12	126.28
20	126.43	126.39	126.24	131.85	127.56	127.04	125.90	125.72	125.78	125.86	126.06	126.14
21	126.40	126.36	126.25	131.84	127.23	126.80	125.84	125.80	125.78	126.51	126.89	126.10
22	126.59	126.54	126.26	131.76	127.30	126.74	125.93	125.92	125.74	126.55	127.06	126.18
23	127.50	125.67	126.29	131.50	126.92	126.93	125.86	126.10	125.74	126.93	127.30	126.18
24	126.54	126.82	126.18	130.90	127.34	127.04	125.90	126.18	125.79	126.17	127.18	126.62
25	126.35	126.82	126.18	130.44	127.76	126.97	125.88	126.10	125.85	126.14	126.99	126.60



*Daily gage height, in feet, of Hudson River at Corinth, N. Y., for 1904-1911—Contd.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1906.												
26.....	129.28	126.93	126.12	129.95	127.62	126.84	125.84	126.00	125.78	126.30	126.82	125.98
27.....	129.08	127.02	126.20	129.28	128.04	126.68	125.80	126.08	125.78	126.36	126.76	125.95
28.....	128.69	126.86	126.90	128.88	129.20	126.48	125.90	125.98	125.74	126.33	126.96	125.95
29.....	128.20	.....	127.40	128.66	128.92	126.38	125.98	126.08	125.70	126.35	126.97	125.94
30.....	127.82	.....	127.56	128.42	128.96	126.44	126.09	126.05	125.70	126.28	126.79	125.90
31.....	127.62	.....	127.91	.....	128.54	.....	126.15	125.94	.....	126.18	.....	126.10
1907.												
1.....	127.63	125.94	125.71	132.38	130.53	127.76	126.16	125.90	125.56	127.11	128.02	126.41
2.....	128.18	125.93	125.70	131.35	130.47	127.06	126.40	125.89	125.58	127.60	127.66	126.42
3.....	128.00	126.00	125.68	130.43	130.20	126.62	126.58	125.87	125.64	126.83	128.78	126.28
4.....	128.18	125.98	125.68	129.74	130.30	126.50	126.61	125.76	126.06	126.56	129.30	126.22
5.....	128.60	126.08	125.72	129.45	130.04	126.44	127.00	125.80	126.82	126.78	129.20	125.96
6.....	128.76	126.12	125.70	129.39	130.15	126.71	127.39	125.82	126.98	126.84	128.88	126.06
7.....	128.68	126.10	125.67	129.02	130.02	127.18	127.28	125.78	126.57	126.75	130.71	126.22
8.....	128.68	126.10	125.64	128.80	129.42	127.10	126.16	125.74	126.30	127.00	131.25	126.16
9.....	128.38	126.04	125.62	128.50	129.40	127.00	126.08	125.74	126.07	128.53	131.14	126.18
10.....	128.19	126.01	125.60	128.24	129.08	127.72	125.97	125.74	126.04	128.60	130.50	126.93
11.....	127.60	126.20	125.64	127.94	128.68	126.57	125.88	125.66	126.01	128.63	129.88	127.80
12.....	127.71	126.10	125.59	127.80	128.40	126.44	125.96	125.66	126.40	128.04	129.30	129.24
13.....	127.40	125.95	125.60	127.74	128.18	126.41	125.94	125.67	127.24	127.72	128.78	128.82
14.....	127.22	125.94	125.63	127.76	127.88	126.34	125.92	125.69	127.06	127.50	128.32	128.44
15.....	127.06	125.94	125.80	127.82	127.88	126.33	125.89	125.59	126.62	127.23	127.92	128.06
16.....	126.75	125.96	126.00	127.72	127.58	126.52	125.84	125.62	126.38	126.96	127.57	127.94
17.....	126.36	125.94	126.25	127.58	127.88	126.28	125.82	125.62	126.07	126.76	127.28	127.81
18.....	126.30	125.91	126.45	127.46	128.10	126.10	125.82	125.59	125.88	126.60	127.12	127.58
19.....	126.35	125.92	126.54	127.32	127.46	126.00	125.80	125.64	125.73	126.45	127.00	127.36
20.....	126.62	125.88	126.50	127.24	127.40	126.09	125.76	125.90	125.66	126.35	126.83	127.28
21.....	126.49	125.85	126.49	127.07	127.36	126.40	125.68	125.92	125.60	126.38	126.73	127.32
22.....	126.42	125.79	126.60	126.98	127.10	126.44	125.63	125.88	125.55	126.40	126.81	127.04
23.....	126.40	125.79	127.36	127.00	127.26	126.24	125.67	125.84	125.72	126.31	126.84	127.02
24.....	126.30	125.78	128.30	128.11	127.26	125.97	125.94	125.86	125.96	126.21	126.80	128.53
25.....	126.18	125.81	128.10	128.98	127.00	126.01	126.16	125.78	126.14	126.17	126.75	128.66
26.....	126.22	125.78	128.36	129.48	126.73	126.02	126.24	125.75	126.20	126.14	126.70	128.64
27.....	126.22	125.72	128.48	130.42	126.90	126.02	126.16	125.82	126.16	126.08	126.60	128.44
28.....	126.16	125.73	129.72	130.36	127.40	126.03	126.01	125.76	126.12	127.25	126.60	128.40
29.....	126.10	.....	130.92	130.44	127.35	126.00	125.99	125.74	126.22	128.92	126.56	128.44
30.....	126.08	.....	132.28	130.40	127.63	126.04	125.98	125.62	126.68	128.79	126.50	128.50
31.....	126.48	.....	132.94	.....	127.10	.....	125.96	125.57	.....	128.48	.....	128.85
1908.												
1.....	128.88	126.10	126.89	130.98	132.32	127.12	125.78	126.02	125.74	126.09	125.92	126.26
2.....	128.68	126.04	126.80	130.58	132.34	127.13	125.75	125.89	125.68	126.08	125.90	126.14
3.....	128.46	126.16	126.88	129.70	132.40	126.99	125.72	125.83	125.68	126.00	125.81	125.79
4.....	128.25	126.08	126.96	129.50	131.49	126.79	125.84	125.90	125.65	125.86	125.73	125.68
5.....	127.90	126.10	126.90	128.98	131.62	126.63	125.97	125.90	125.62	125.86	125.72	125.66
6.....	127.25	126.28	126.84	128.81	130.46	126.55	125.87	125.88	125.61	125.84	125.70	125.50
7.....	127.10	126.31	126.92	129.00	129.92	126.40	125.96	125.84	125.66	125.78	125.66	125.58
8.....	126.96	126.26	126.96	129.66	130.40	126.20	125.89	125.94	125.72	125.78	125.48	125.72
9.....	127.05	126.17	126.93	130.76	130.56	126.10	125.95	125.88	125.70	125.72	125.63	126.14
10.....	127.16	126.25	126.90	131.06	130.58	126.20	125.91	125.94	125.66	125.74	125.66	126.16
11.....	126.78	126.24	126.88	131.26	130.04	126.08	125.84	125.93	125.64	125.75	125.68	125.90
12.....	126.75	126.27	126.98	131.32	130.70	125.94	125.77	125.90	125.64	125.77	125.72	125.90
13.....	126.82	126.25	127.08	131.04	129.85	126.00	125.78	125.92	125.62	125.88	125.90	125.82
14.....	126.94	126.28	127.36	130.54	129.96	126.08	125.81	125.90	125.60	125.89	125.93	125.97
15.....	126.88	126.28	127.67	130.08	129.72	126.16	125.80	125.86	125.66	125.84	126.25	125.95
16.....	126.65	126.73	128.14	129.88	129.62	126.08	125.78	125.75	125.72	125.78	126.24	125.94
17.....	126.78	129.16	128.24	129.66	129.24	126.08	125.80	125.83	125.70	125.77	126.00	125.94
18.....	126.60	129.12	128.22	129.46	128.72	125.98	125.90	125.94	125.70	125.65	125.88	125.86
19.....	126.58	129.10	128.13	129.54	128.56	125.89	125.94	125.98	125.70	125.64	125.85	125.76
20.....	126.50	128.82	128.02	129.51	128.61	125.96	126.28	126.00	125.58	125.68	125.76	125.62
21.....	126.42	128.61	127.86	129.28	128.18	126.04	126.18	125.98	125.57	125.70	125.79	125.78
22.....	126.48	128.42	127.79	129.03	128.27	126.10	126.08	125.95	125.65	125.68	125.68	125.76
23.....	126.78	128.06	127.82	128.85	128.45	126.02	125.94	125.90	125.68	125.64	125.73	125.62
24.....	126.40	127.75	128.10	129.24	128.41	125.92	125.86	125.78	125.66	125.66	125.86	125.56
25.....	126.32	127.60	128.56	129.84	127.90	125.88	125.80	125.80	125.64	125.56	125.90	125.49
26.....	126.25	127.45	128.48	129.46	127.68	125.91	125.75	125.78	125.66	125.60	126.04	125.60
27.....	126.36	127.24	129.15	131.80	127.40	125.81	125.92	125.76	125.56	126.30	126.36	125.64
28.....	126.59	127.20	129.75	132.15	127.40	125.71	126.13	125.72	125.54	126.26	126.50	125.66
29.....	126.26	127.04	131.10	132.46	127.13	125.58	126.14	125.71	125.96	126.30	126.38	125.68
30.....	126.38	.....	131.50	131.87	127.02	125.64	126.12	125.62	125.98	126.35	126.31	125.62
31.....	126.10	.....	131.46	.....	127.14	.....	126.16	125.65	.....	126.26	.....	125.60

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Hudson River at Corinth, N. Y., for 1904-1911—Contd.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1909.												
1.	125.60	126.96	128.86	127.50	129.71	127.08	125.78	125.54	125.54	125.63	125.42	125.68
2.	125.56	126.70	128.53	127.72	130.16	126.85	125.74	125.49	125.52	125.64	125.48	125.68
3.	125.50	126.56	128.18	128.03	130.34	126.75	125.76	125.47	125.49	125.49	125.50	125.72
4.	125.56	126.42	127.94	128.38	130.13	126.78	125.72	125.46	125.50	125.55	125.52	125.70
5.	125.75	126.35	127.66	128.75	130.18	126.92	125.74	125.44	125.38	125.56	125.58	125.56
6.	126.60	126.42	127.42	129.40	129.94	127.49	125.69	125.45	125.46	125.46	125.55	125.56
7.	127.37	126.96	127.23	130.84	129.52	127.66	125.60	125.44	125.52	125.44	125.41	125.54
8.	127.25	127.42	127.10	132.17	130.36	127.54	125.58	125.44	125.44	125.45	125.55	125.51
9.	127.11	127.43	126.96	132.28	130.08	127.30	125.54	125.59	125.46	125.47	125.58	125.40
10.	126.92	127.33	126.84	131.82	129.81	127.05	125.51	125.60	125.45	125.49	125.69	125.40
11.	126.99	127.30	126.95	130.83	130.03	127.57	125.44	125.54	125.49	125.52	125.73	125.40
12.	126.82	127.38	126.92	130.18	131.84	127.39	125.52	125.54	125.48	125.50	125.72	125.38
13.	126.48	127.33	126.92	129.99	131.12	127.28	125.69	125.55	125.50	125.48	125.66	125.36
14.	126.25	127.02	126.87	131.92	130.40	127.10	125.61	125.54	125.50	125.40	125.43	125.34
15.	126.24	126.97	126.83	133.44	129.92	127.15	125.63	125.44	125.50	125.40	125.52	125.31
16.	126.14	127.16	126.75	134.30	129.36	126.92	125.68	125.62	125.49	125.48	125.45	125.40
17.	125.87	127.40	126.68	133.68	129.46	126.66	125.65	125.62	125.49	125.40	125.48	125.45
18.	125.96	127.42	126.57	133.12	129.50	126.85	125.62	126.12	125.48	125.46	125.53	125.49
19.	125.82	127.28	126.51	132.54	129.44	127.08	125.56	126.02	125.40	125.47	125.77	125.46
20.	125.88	128.25	126.50	132.72	129.08	127.30	125.64	125.78	125.48	125.49	125.60	125.39
21.	125.89	129.16	126.42	132.57	128.86	126.82	125.82	125.52	125.46	125.48	125.42	125.42
22.	125.90	129.24	126.48	132.06	128.70	126.68	125.84	125.40	125.42	125.54	125.56	125.40
23.	125.90	129.15	126.54	131.57	128.52	126.40	125.84	125.40	125.44	125.60	125.56	125.41
24.	126.06	129.10	126.58	131.10	128.22	126.30	125.87	125.38	125.50	125.53	125.64	125.38
25.	126.98	129.72	126.88	130.43	127.96	126.22	125.91	125.41	125.50	125.70	125.58	125.38
26.	127.75	129.62	127.30	130.08	127.76	126.11	125.78	125.58	125.41	125.69	125.72	125.38
27.	127.76	129.52	127.32	130.04	127.42	126.00	125.67	125.64	125.50	125.64	125.89	125.37
28.	127.76	129.26	127.30	129.62	127.24	125.92	125.62	125.56	125.62	125.61	125.74	125.38
29.	127.57	129.32	127.32	129.57	127.33	125.90	125.54	125.48	125.64	125.58	125.90	125.37
30.	127.43	127.24	129.35	127.94	125.84	125.52	125.54	125.61	125.54	125.83	125.95	125.35
31.	127.20	127.26	127.19	127.19	125.58	125.55	125.55	125.44	125.44	125.44	125.34	125.34
1910.												
1.	125.35	126.31	128.89	132.68	128.28	128.82	125.98	125.64	125.54	126.58	126.42	125.92
2.	125.34	126.16	130.08	132.60	128.19	128.72	125.85	125.66	125.74	126.23	126.32	125.86
3.	125.36	126.14	130.64	131.96	128.08	128.30	125.64	125.59	125.84	126.10	126.32	125.74
4.	125.36	126.10	130.67	131.28	128.82	127.92	125.62	125.77	125.87	125.96	126.37	125.70
5.	125.34	126.01	130.40	130.48	128.86	127.64	125.66	126.14	125.96	125.88	126.60	125.65
6.	125.34	126.00	129.88	130.06	128.69	128.37	125.74	126.32	126.00	125.81	126.84	125.60
7.	125.34	125.95	129.94	130.23	128.32	129.28	125.64	125.99	126.20	125.94	126.98	125.59
8.	125.34	125.84	129.92	130.02	128.22	129.53	125.63	125.82	126.28	126.10	126.77	125.58
9.	125.34	125.88	129.74	129.72	128.10	129.42	125.60	125.68	126.26	126.00	126.55	125.63
10.	125.36	125.90	129.44	128.91	128.35	129.10	125.54	125.54	126.14	126.02	126.40	125.62
11.	125.35	126.03	129.13	128.51	127.77	128.81	125.56	125.78	125.98	126.06	126.34	125.56
12.	125.35	126.00	128.87	128.54	127.54	128.76	125.54	126.30	125.93	126.00	126.36	125.58
13.	125.35	125.88	128.58	128.24	127.20	128.69	125.59	126.38	125.85	126.01	126.28	125.52
14.	125.35	125.94	128.45	127.70	127.07	128.40	125.58	126.00	125.92	125.96	126.21	125.54
15.	125.35	125.94	128.15	127.65	127.07	128.15	125.56	125.88	125.84	125.90	126.15	125.57
16.	125.34	125.92	127.89	127.28	126.88	127.84	125.56	125.74	125.76	125.81	126.10	125.56
17.	125.36	125.92	127.65	127.15	126.72	127.68	125.55	125.92	125.70	125.84	126.02	125.50
18.	125.38	125.94	127.36	126.90	126.63	127.78	125.56	125.89	125.64	125.82	125.94	125.52
19.	125.41	125.88	127.26	126.70	126.68	127.83	125.58	125.87	125.66	125.84	125.85	125.57
20.	125.48	125.88	127.31	129.23	126.74	127.58	125.56	125.84	125.62	125.90	125.72	125.58
21.	125.60	125.92	127.46	129.20	126.81	127.28	125.54	125.77	125.62	125.89	125.66	125.60
22.	126.16	126.03	127.74	128.75	127.12	127.05	125.54	125.62	125.60	125.89	125.74	125.54
23.	127.28	126.12	128.16	128.64	127.09	126.80	125.55	125.70	125.60	125.90	125.94	125.52
24.	127.60	126.20	128.59	128.21	127.04	126.56	125.55	125.64	125.58	126.00	125.94	125.61
25.	127.58	126.17	129.56	127.94	127.64	126.39	125.54	125.62	125.58	126.07	125.92	125.72
26.	127.42	126.12	131.01	128.35	129.06	126.26	125.54	125.58	125.79	126.06	125.97	125.68
27.	127.18	126.12	131.16	129.08	129.28	126.20	125.52	125.57	126.11	126.18	125.86	125.68
28.	127.03	127.25	131.06	128.95	129.10	126.16	125.54	125.54	126.76	126.40	125.86	125.78
29.	126.85	131.28	128.65	128.70	128.12	125.57	125.54	127.36	126.65	125.88	125.88	125.80
30.	126.58	131.82	128.89	128.30	126.04	125.68	125.54	126.98	126.61	125.90	125.88	125.88
31.	126.46	132.40	128.56	128.56	125.62	125.62	125.54	125.54	126.53	126.53	125.95	125.95
1911.												
1.	125.98	125.90	125.94	127.47	130.58	126.40	125.90	125.73	125.92	125.95	126.70	127.28
2.	126.10	125.90	125.91	127.28	131.10	126.62	125.64	125.70	125.73	126.15	126.74	127.14
3.	126.58	125.98	125.90	127.10	131.36	126.59	125.58	125.66	125.60	126.40	126.70	127.96
4.	126.88	126.04	125.86	126.98	131.30	126.43	125.54	125.68	125.50	126.46	126.60	126.64
5.	126.73	125.97	125.82	126.90	129.70	126.35	125.45	125.63	125.53	126.82	126.46	126.27

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Hudson River at Corinth, N. Y., for 1904-1911—Contd.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1911.												
6.....	126.56	125.98	125.84	127.14	129.56	126.46	125.50	125.61	125.60	127.02	126.38	126.30
7.....	126.51	125.97	125.84	128.26	128.62	126.82	125.48	125.62	125.96	127.01	126.58	126.45
8.....	126.41	125.96	125.82	128.88	128.10	127.28	125.63	125.67	126.22	127.06	127.04	126.38
9.....	126.38	125.95	125.80	128.80	127.90	127.38	125.66	125.66	126.42	127.08	127.56	126.38
10.....	126.34	125.96	125.80	128.83	127.52	127.08	125.61	125.61	126.76	126.95	127.52	126.42
11.....	126.20	125.94	125.79	129.00	127.95	127.00	125.70	125.62	126.60	126.74	127.54	126.66
12.....	126.20	125.88	125.76	128.98	127.46	127.08	125.72	125.65	126.42	126.58	127.36	127.14
13.....	126.16	125.90	125.79	129.14	127.42	127.38	125.70	125.62	126.24	126.40	127.56	128.09
14.....	126.14	125.90	125.86	129.54	127.48	128.10	125.69	125.59	126.08	126.26	127.68	129.25
15.....	126.12	125.87	125.92	129.96	126.54	128.10	125.68	125.59	125.94	126.14	127.60	129.25
16.....	126.08	125.84	126.00	130.52	126.89	127.98	125.67	125.58	125.88	126.00	127.42	128.85
17.....	125.94	125.82	126.02	130.52	126.49	127.65	125.72	125.57	125.97	125.98	127.10	128.73
18.....	125.84	125.83	126.00	130.17	126.86	127.28	125.74	125.58	125.93	126.18	127.06	128.61
19.....	125.83	125.86	125.95	129.84	127.10	126.99	125.64	125.66	125.91	128.02	127.66	128.25
20.....	125.91	125.93	125.95	129.68	126.54	126.70	125.63	125.59	125.78	128.34	127.66	127.86
21.....	126.02	125.94	125.94	129.68	126.52	126.50	125.54	125.62	125.67	128.24	127.52	127.52
22.....	126.02	125.91	125.93	129.63	126.70	126.36	125.61	125.66	125.68	128.02	127.30	127.32
23.....	125.97	125.89	126.02	129.34	126.30	126.20	125.44	125.62	125.84	128.10	127.04	128.13
24.....	125.91	125.88	126.07	129.15	127.00	126.12	125.48	125.61	125.83	128.16	126.92	129.04
25.....	125.92	125.89	126.06	129.20	126.56	125.98	125.52	125.63	125.79	128.18	126.83	129.23
26.....	125.92	125.81	126.08	129.66	126.98	125.93	125.46	125.64	125.82	127.88	126.62	129.09
27.....	125.92	125.88	126.50	130.04	126.42	125.94	125.52	125.60	125.78	127.58	126.62	128.76
28.....	126.02	125.94	127.40	130.33	127.34	126.06	125.68	125.70	125.73	127.26	126.59	128.62
29.....	126.04	.....	127.55	130.55	126.58	126.18	125.76	125.99	125.74	126.95	126.97	128.10
30.....	125.96	.....	127.64	130.60	126.46	126.05	125.76	126.26	125.82	126.76	127.21	127.68
31.....	126.00	.....	127.60	.....	126.33	.....	125.73	126.08	.....	126.61	.....	127.38

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Hudson River at Corinth, N. Y., for 1904-1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1904.												
1.....						6,900	5,540	2,140	1,730	9,410	5,620	2,190
2.....						5,170	3,610	2,140	1,820	8,880	4,660	1,850
3.....						4,280	2,740	2,140	2,280	7,270	4,310	1,910
4.....						3,610	2,480	2,140	2,760	6,300	4,170	1,620
5.....						4,450	3,010	2,140	3,040	5,390	3,870	1,970
6.....						5,170	3,460	5,170	2,760	4,520	3,270	2,050
7.....						9,900	3,010	4,450	2,710	3,740	3,420	2,210
8.....						5,360	2,610	2,870	2,460	3,120	3,240	2,100
9.....						12,900	2,250	2,030	2,280	2,930	2,930	2,100
10.....						12,900	1,970	1,830	2,280	3,120	2,710	1,800
11.....						13,100	2,140	1,830	2,120	5,140	2,760	1,850
12.....						11,900	2,030	1,730	2,190	6,700	3,120	1,720
13.....						9,670	2,740	1,550	2,050	6,460	2,710	1,890
14.....						7,930	3,150	1,550	1,970	6,380	2,740	1,800
15.....						6,500	2,610	1,640	2,480	5,140	2,510	1,810
16.....						5,730	2,480	1,550	2,580	4,380	2,580	1,770
17.....						4,990	2,250	1,550	1,990	3,900	2,410	1,780
18.....						3,930	2,250	1,550	2,410	3,740	2,340	1,770
19.....						3,300	1,930	1,550	2,660	3,040	2,410	1,770
20.....						2,740	1,930	1,210	2,410	2,980	2,050	1,730
21.....						2,870	1,730	7,310	2,370	4,770	2,120	1,850
22.....						2,870	1,550	7,930	2,460	20,800	1,910	1,790
23.....						2,870	1,550	8,620	2,460	23,000	2,050	1,770
24.....						2,610	1,550	7,230	2,410	19,400	2,510	2,010
25.....						2,370	1,730	5,390	2,560	15,900	2,660	1,850
26.....						2,140	1,730	3,870	4,950	13,400	2,690	1,830
27.....						2,140	2,030	3,040	5,580	11,200	1,770	2,050
28.....						2,140	2,030	2,370	5,210	9,630	2,010	3,210
29.....						2,250	3,010	2,100	4,450	8,880	1,770	3,580
30.....						2,870	2,740	1,850	7,060	7,060	1,976	3,330
31.....						.....	2,480	1,600	.....	6,150	.....	3,360

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Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1905.												
1	3,420	2,010	1,750	37,500	11,700	3,550	9,500	9,060	2,560	3,900	3,970	5,500
2	3,640	2,100	1,810	33,800	13,000	3,430	11,800	7,810	2,460	3,840	5,650	4,840
3	3,580	2,030	1,770	28,100	9,990	2,900	17,400	6,300	5,100	3,770	5,960	7,020
4	3,300	1,910	1,790	23,700	11,600	2,680	18,500	5,140	11,700	3,710	5,920	9,190
5	2,660	1,790	1,750	23,800	10,200	2,340	15,900	4,240	18,900	3,460	5,920	8,660
6	2,050	1,870	1,750	26,800	9,500	2,610	14,500	3,270	18,900	3,150	6,070	8,270
7	2,400	1,850	1,700	26,400	8,620	3,840	11,700	3,310	17,500	2,900	6,900	8,190
8	2,930	1,890	1,700	22,800	8,360	5,990	9,760	4,000	14,700	2,930	8,100	7,270
9	3,240	1,890	1,730	19,000	8,880	10,300	7,720	3,800	12,400	2,930	7,430	6,780
10	3,150	1,850	1,730	16,600	8,270	14,300	6,940	3,460	10,000	2,740	7,520	5,840
11	3,040	1,850	1,730	16,400	8,230	9,320	5,540	2,980	8,190	2,250	6,150	4,380
12	2,930	1,850	1,700	18,700	7,350	7,890	5,500	2,760	7,720	3,580	5,170	3,640
13	2,900	1,970	1,700	19,200	7,520	8,440	4,730	2,560	8,440	8,020	5,140	4,040
14	2,870	1,830	1,700	19,200	6,940	9,230	4,210	2,540	7,110	6,860	5,170	3,770
15	2,680	1,810	1,700	18,200	5,540	7,970	3,770	2,640	5,880	5,690	4,880	2,760
16	2,660	1,810	1,660	17,100	7,930	6,340	3,640	3,840	5,170	4,910	4,660	2,410
17	2,680	1,810	1,620	14,900	6,540	5,250	3,330	6,380	4,950	4,520	4,520	2,370
18	2,610	1,810	1,660	12,600	6,660	12,600	3,710	5,540	7,520	3,970	4,170	2,670
19	2,510	1,770	1,700	10,700	5,990	13,400	4,100	4,660	12,300	3,900	3,710	2,310
20	2,510	1,850	3,120	9,060	5,690	16,300	4,070	3,390	13,200	5,170	3,210	3,270
21	2,410	1,810	3,640	9,630	5,430	18,200	3,520	3,150	16,000	6,460	2,710	3,460
22	2,410	1,890	4,000	16,500	5,990	19,700	3,040	2,580	13,900	6,150	2,710	4,000
23	2,140	1,810	3,840	17,400	4,700	17,400	2,560	2,370	11,800	5,770	2,760	5,190
24	2,030	1,810	3,770	16,800	4,450	14,500	2,460	2,190	9,760	5,140	2,870	4,590
25	1,990	1,770	4,310	15,500	3,680	11,800	2,820	2,010	7,930	4,660	2,900	3,710
26	2,050	1,770	6,070	12,900	4,310	11,600	2,640	1,890	6,620	4,240	2,950	3,580
27	1,930	1,810	9,500	12,900	4,310	14,700	2,370	1,660	5,690	3,800	2,950	3,390
28	1,890	1,770	13,400	10,700	4,380	15,400	2,320	1,660	5,140	3,520	2,870	3,180
29	1,890	-----	17,800	9,850	4,450	13,800	2,210	1,550	4,660	4,480	2,930	3,360
30	2,050	-----	22,300	10,400	3,520	11,360	6,150	1,640	4,310	4,170	6,150	5,100
31	2,030	-----	31,600	-----	3,460	-----	7,520	2,230	-----	3,800	-----	5,770
1906.												
1	5,500	6,900	4,100	8,710	11,200	10,200	8,100	2,680	1,910	1,700	2,510	4,310
2	4,950	5,990	3,840	8,660	11,700	9,230	10,800	2,610	1,620	1,850	2,320	3,390
3	4,240	3,900	3,900	8,750	13,700	7,060	9,230	2,320	1,730	1,810	2,140	2,510
4	4,040	3,640	7,520	9,540	13,100	6,460	7,930	2,080	1,770	1,850	1,970	2,100
5	5,320	3,930	8,400	11,300	14,000	4,730	7,520	1,890	2,370	1,700	1,990	2,280
6	5,540	3,520	7,430	10,900	12,200	5,650	7,020	2,410	2,660	1,700	1,830	2,280
7	5,020	3,390	6,640	10,600	11,300	5,390	5,840	2,190	2,230	1,550	1,850	2,410
8	4,100	3,520	6,220	9,760	10,800	5,470	4,630	2,030	2,123	1,600	1,770	2,050
9	3,610	3,390	5,730	9,320	10,700	7,850	4,100	1,930	2,190	1,660	1,730	1,850
10	3,120	3,640	4,880	8,020	10,700	10,300	4,040	1,830	2,230	1,600	1,730	1,890
11	3,330	3,520	4,590	7,230	10,200	12,100	4,100	1,770	2,050	1,700	1,720	2,010
12	3,840	3,710	4,210	7,760	8,710	10,600	3,900	1,580	1,810	1,770	1,910	1,990
13	4,000	3,520	4,140	9,370	9,150	7,310	3,390	1,680	1,770	1,770	1,970	1,910
14	3,680	3,640	3,840	12,000	11,200	6,540	3,040	1,580	1,810	1,810	1,990	1,930
15	3,270	3,390	3,710	20,600	13,500	4,590	2,680	1,510	1,770	1,810	2,050	1,990
16	3,740	3,270	3,150	24,600	10,500	3,930	2,460	1,440	1,620	1,770	1,970	2,160
17	3,900	3,150	3,210	27,500	8,710	4,380	2,280	1,440	1,720	1,730	2,010	2,710
18	3,640	3,040	2,840	27,600	8,750	6,340	2,280	1,530	1,770	1,720	2,120	3,120
19	3,490	2,980	2,820	27,800	9,590	6,300	2,210	1,480	1,720	1,700	2,510	2,930
20	3,360	3,070	2,820	28,200	7,520	5,470	2,010	1,660	1,770	2,120	4,100	2,560
21	3,270	3,150	2,840	28,200	6,190	4,590	1,890	1,810	1,770	3,610	4,910	2,480
22	3,870	3,710	2,870	27,700	6,460	4,380	2,080	2,050	1,700	3,740	5,540	2,660
23	6,530	4,140	2,950	26,700	5,020	5,060	1,930	2,460	1,700	3,070	6,660	2,660
24	16,600	4,660	2,660	23,600	6,620	5,470	2,010	2,540	1,790	2,640	5,990	2,280
25	15,600	4,660	2,660	21,000	8,360	5,210	1,970	2,460	1,910	2,560	5,280	2,290
26	15,300	5,060	2,510	18,600	7,760	4,730	1,890	2,230	1,770	2,980	4,660	2,190
27	14,400	5,390	2,710	15,300	9,590	4,170	1,810	2,470	1,770	3,150	4,450	2,120
28	12,500	4,810	4,950	13,400	14,900	3,520	2,010	2,190	1,700	3,070	5,170	2,120
29	10,300	-----	6,860	12,400	13,600	3,210	2,190	2,410	1,620	3,120	5,510	2,100
30	8,620	-----	7,520	11,300	13,800	3,390	2,440	1,620	2,390	4,560	2,010	2,100
31	7,760	-----	9,010	-----	11,800	-----	2,580	2,100	-----	2,660	-----	2,460
1907.												
1	7,810	2,100	1,640	31,000	21,400	8,360	2,610	2,010	1,370	5,730	9,500	3,300
2	10,200	2,080	1,620	25,600	21,100	5,550	3,270	1,990	1,410	7,680	7,930	3,530
3	9,410	2,250	1,580	20,900	19,800	3,970	3,840	1,950	1,510	4,700	12,900	2,980
4	10,200	2,190	1,580	17,500	20,300	3,580	3,930	1,790	2,370	3,770	15,400	2,760
5	12,100	2,410	1,660	16,100	19,000	3,390	5,320	1,810	4,660	4,520	14,900	2,140

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Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1907.												
6.....	12,900	2,510	1,620	15,800	19,500	4,280	6,820	1,850	5,250	4,730	13,400	2,370
7.....	12,500	2,460	1,570	14,100	18,900	5,990	6,380	1,770	3,800	4,420	22,300	2,760
8.....	12,500	2,460	1,510	13,000	16,000	5,690	2,610	1,700	2,980	5,320	25,100	2,610
9.....	11,100	2,320	1,480	11,700	15,900	5,320	2,410	1,700	2,390	11,800	24,500	2,660
10.....	10,300	2,250	1,440	10,500	14,400	8,190	2,160	1,700	2,320	12,100	21,300	5,060
11.....	7,680	2,710	1,510	9,150	12,500	3,800	1,970	1,550	2,250	12,300	18,200	8,530
12.....	8,140	2,460	1,420	8,530	11,200	3,390	2,140	1,550	3,270	9,590	15,400	15,100
13.....	6,860	2,120	1,440	8,270	10,200	3,300	2,100	1,570	6,230	8,190	12,900	13,100
14.....	6,150	2,100	1,490	8,360	8,880	3,100	2,050	1,600	5,540	7,270	10,800	11,400
15.....	5,540	2,100	1,810	8,620	8,880	3,070	1,990	1,420	3,970	6,190	9,060	9,670
16.....	4,420	2,140	2,230	8,190	7,600	3,640	1,890	1,480	3,210	5,170	7,560	9,150
17.....	3,150	2,100	2,840	7,600	8,880	2,930	1,850	1,480	2,390	4,450	6,380	8,570
18.....	2,980	2,030	3,420	7,110	9,850	2,460	1,850	1,420	1,970	3,900	5,770	7,600
19.....	3,120	2,050	3,710	6,540	7,110	2,230	1,810	1,510	1,680	3,420	5,320	6,700
20.....	3,970	1,970	3,580	6,230	6,860	2,440	1,730	2,010	1,550	3,120	4,700	6,380
21.....	3,550	1,910	3,550	5,580	6,700	3,270	1,580	2,050	1,440	3,210	4,340	6,540
22.....	3,330	1,790	3,900	5,250	5,690	3,390	1,490	1,970	1,360	3,270	4,630	5,470
23.....	3,270	1,790	6,700	5,320	6,300	2,820	1,570	1,890	1,660	3,010	4,730	5,390
24.....	2,980	1,770	10,800	9,900	6,300	2,160	2,100	1,930	2,140	2,740	4,590	11,800
25.....	2,660	1,830	9,850	13,900	5,320	2,250	2,610	1,770	2,560	2,640	4,420	12,400
26.....	2,760	1,770	11,000	16,300	4,340	2,280	2,820	1,720	2,710	2,560	4,240	12,300
27.....	2,760	1,660	11,000	20,900	4,950	2,280	2,610	1,850	2,610	2,410	3,900	11,400
28.....	2,610	1,680	17,400	20,600	6,860	2,300	2,250	1,730	2,510	6,260	3,900	11,200
29.....	2,460	.....	23,400	21,000	6,660	2,230	2,210	1,700	2,760	13,600	3,770	11,400
30.....	2,410	.....	30,500	20,800	7,810	2,320	2,190	1,480	4,170	13,000	3,580	11,700
31.....	3,520	.....	34,000	.....	5,690	.....	2,140	1,390	.....	11,600	.....	13,300
1908.												
1.....	13,400	2,460	4,910	23,700	30,700	5,760	1,770	2,280	1,700	2,440	2,050	2,870
2.....	12,500	2,320	4,590	21,700	30,800	5,800	1,720	1,990	1,580	2,410	2,010	2,560
3.....	11,500	2,610	4,880	17,300	31,100	5,280	1,660	1,870	1,580	2,230	1,830	1,790
4.....	10,500	2,410	5,170	16,400	26,300	4,560	1,890	2,010	1,530	1,930	1,680	1,580
5.....	8,970	2,460	4,950	13,900	27,000	4,000	2,160	2,010	1,480	1,930	1,660	1,550
6.....	6,260	2,930	4,730	13,100	21,100	3,740	1,950	1,970	1,460	1,890	1,620	1,270
7.....	5,690	3,010	5,020	14,000	18,400	3,270	2,140	1,890	1,550	1,770	1,550	1,410
8.....	5,170	2,870	5,170	17,100	20,800	2,710	1,990	2,100	1,660	1,770	1,240	1,660
9.....	5,500	2,640	5,060	22,600	21,600	2,460	2,120	1,970	1,620	1,660	1,490	2,560
10.....	5,920	2,840	4,950	24,100	21,700	2,710	2,030	2,100	1,550	1,700	1,550	2,610
11.....	4,520	2,820	4,880	25,100	19,000	2,410	1,890	2,080	1,510	1,720	1,580	2,010
12.....	4,420	2,900	5,250	25,500	22,300	2,100	1,750	2,010	1,510	1,750	1,660	2,010
13.....	4,660	2,840	5,620	24,000	18,100	2,230	1,770	2,050	1,480	1,970	2,010	1,850
14.....	5,100	2,930	6,700	21,500	18,600	2,410	1,830	2,010	1,440	1,990	2,080	2,160
15.....	4,880	2,930	7,970	19,200	17,400	2,610	1,810	1,930	1,550	1,890	2,840	2,120
16.....	4,070	4,340	10,000	18,200	16,900	2,410	1,770	1,720	1,660	1,770	2,820	2,100
17.....	4,520	14,700	10,500	17,100	15,100	2,410	1,810	1,870	1,620	1,750	2,230	2,100
18.....	3,900	14,500	10,400	16,200	12,700	2,190	2,010	2,100	1,620	1,530	1,970	1,930
19.....	3,840	14,400	9,980	16,600	11,900	1,990	2,100	2,190	1,620	1,510	1,910	1,730
20.....	3,580	13,100	9,500	16,400	12,200	2,140	2,930	2,230	1,410	1,580	1,730	1,480
21.....	3,330	12,200	8,790	15,300	10,200	2,320	2,660	2,190	1,390	1,620	1,790	1,770
22.....	3,520	11,300	8,490	14,100	10,600	2,460	2,410	2,120	1,530	1,580	1,580	1,480
23.....	4,520	9,670	8,620	13,300	11,400	2,280	2,100	2,010	1,580	1,510	1,680	1,730
24.....	3,270	8,320	9,850	15,100	11,200	2,050	1,930	1,770	1,550	1,550	1,920	1,370
25.....	3,040	7,680	11,900	18,000	8,970	1,970	1,810	1,810	1,510	1,370	2,010	1,250
26.....	2,840	7,060	11,600	16,200	8,020	2,030	1,720	1,770	1,550	1,440	2,320	1,440
27.....	3,150	6,230	14,700	28,000	6,860	1,830	2,050	1,730	1,370	2,980	3,150	1,510
28.....	3,870	6,070	17,600	29,800	6,860	1,640	2,540	1,560	1,340	2,870	3,580	1,550
29.....	2,870	5,470	24,300	31,400	5,800	1,410	2,560	1,640	2,140	2,980	3,210	1,580
30.....	3,210	.....	26,400	28,300	5,390	1,510	2,510	1,480	2,190	3,120	3,010	1,480
31.....	2,460	.....	26,200	.....	5,840	.....	2,610	1,530	.....	2,870	.....	1,440
1909.												
1.....	1,440	5,170	13,300	7,270	17,400	5,620	1,770	1,340	1,340	1,490	1,140	1,580
2.....	1,370	4,240	11,800	8,190	19,600	4,770	1,700	1,250	1,300	1,510	1,240	1,580
3.....	1,270	3,740	10,200	9,540	20,500	4,420	1,730	1,220	1,250	1,250	1,270	1,690
4.....	1,370	3,330	9,150	11,100	19,400	4,520	1,660	1,210	1,270	1,360	1,300	1,620
5.....	1,720	3,120	7,930	12,800	19,700	5,020	1,700	1,170	1,080	1,370	1,410	1,370
6.....	3,900	3,330	6,940	15,900	18,500	7,330	1,600	1,190	1,210	1,210	1,360	1,370
7.....	6,740	5,170	6,190	23,000	16,500	7,930	1,440	1,170	1,300	1,170	1,130	1,340
8.....	6,260	6,940	5,690	29,900	20,600	7,430	1,410	1,170	1,170	1,190	1,360	1,290
9.....	5,730	6,980	5,170	30,500	19,200	6,460	1,340	1,420	1,210	1,220	1,410	1,110
10.....	5,020	6,580	4,730	28,100	17,900	5,500	1,290	1,440	1,190	1,250	1,600	1,110

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Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1909.												
11.....	5,280	6,460	5,140	22,900	19,000	7,560	1,170	1,340	1,250	1,300	1,680	1,110
12.....	4,660	6,780	5,020	19,700	28,200	6,820	1,300	1,340	1,240	1,270	1,660	1,080
13.....	3,520	6,580	5,020	18,800	24,400	6,380	1,420	1,360	1,270	1,240	1,550	1,050
14.....	2,840	5,390	4,840	28,600	20,800	5,690	1,460	1,340	1,270	1,110	1,160	1,030
15.....	2,820	5,210	4,700	36,700	18,400	5,880	1,490	1,170	1,270	1,110	1,300	984
16.....	2,560	5,920	4,420	41,400	15,700	5,020	1,580	1,480	1,250	1,240	1,190	1,110
17.....	1,950	6,860	4,170	38,000	16,200	4,100	1,530	1,850	1,250	1,110	1,240	1,190
18.....	2,140	6,940	3,800	34,900	16,400	4,770	1,480	2,510	1,240	1,210	1,320	1,250
19.....	1,850	6,380	3,610	31,800	16,100	5,620	1,370	2,280	1,110	1,220	1,750	1,210
20.....	1,970	10,500	3,580	32,800	14,400	6,460	1,510	1,770	1,240	1,250	1,440	1,100
21.....	1,990	14,700	3,330	32,000	13,300	4,660	1,850	1,300	1,210	1,240	1,140	1,140
22.....	2,010	15,100	3,520	29,300	12,600	4,170	1,890	1,110	1,140	1,340	1,370	1,110
23.....	2,010	14,700	3,710	26,700	11,800	3,270	1,890	1,110	1,170	1,440	1,370	1,130
24.....	2,370	14,400	3,840	24,300	10,400	2,980	1,950	1,080	1,270	1,320	1,510	1,080
25.....	5,250	17,400	4,880	20,900	9,230	2,760	2,030	1,130	1,270	1,620	1,410	1,080
26.....	8,320	16,900	6,460	19,200	8,360	2,480	1,770	1,410	1,130	1,600	1,660	1,080
27.....	8,360	16,500	6,540	19,000	6,940	2,230	1,570	1,510	1,270	1,510	1,980	1,070
28.....	8,360	15,200	6,460	16,900	6,230	2,050	1,480	1,370	1,480	1,460	1,700	1,080
29.....	7,560	.....	6,540	16,700	6,580	2,010	1,340	1,240	1,510	1,410	2,010	1,070
30.....	6,980	.....	6,230	15,600	9,150	1,890	1,300	1,340	1,460	1,340	1,870	1,040
31.....	6,070	.....	6,300	.....	6,030	.....	1,410	1,360	.....	1,170	.....	1,030
1910.												
1.....	1,040	3,010	13,500	32,600	10,700	13,100	2,190	1,510	1,340	3,840	3,330	2,050
2.....	1,030	2,610	19,200	32,200	10,300	12,700	1,910	1,550	1,700	2,790	3,040	1,930
3.....	1,050	2,560	22,000	28,800	9,760	10,800	1,510	1,420	1,890	2,460	3,040	1,700
4.....	1,050	2,460	22,100	25,200	13,100	9,060	1,480	1,750	1,950	2,140	3,180	1,620
5.....	1,030	2,250	20,800	21,200	13,300	7,850	1,550	2,560	2,140	1,970	3,900	1,530
6.....	1,030	2,230	18,200	19,000	12,500	11,100	1,700	3,040	2,230	1,830	4,730	1,440
7.....	1,030	2,120	18,500	19,900	10,800	15,300	1,510	2,210	2,710	2,100	5,250	1,420
8.....	1,030	1,890	18,400	18,900	10,400	16,500	1,490	1,850	2,930	2,460	4,280	1,410
9.....	1,030	1,970	17,500	17,400	9,850	16,000	1,440	1,580	2,870	2,230	3,740	1,490
10.....	1,050	2,010	16,100	13,600	11,000	14,400	1,340	1,340	2,560	2,280	3,270	1,480
11.....	1,040	2,300	14,600	11,700	8,400	13,100	1,370	1,770	2,190	2,370	3,100	1,370
12.....	1,040	2,230	13,400	11,800	7,430	12,900	1,340	2,980	2,080	2,230	3,150	1,410
13.....	1,040	1,970	12,000	10,500	6,070	12,500	1,420	3,210	1,910	2,250	2,930	1,300
14.....	1,040	2,100	11,400	8,100	5,580	11,200	1,410	2,230	2,050	2,140	2,740	1,340
15.....	1,040	2,100	10,100	7,890	5,580	10,100	1,370	1,970	1,890	2,010	2,580	1,390
16.....	1,030	2,050	8,930	6,380	4,880	8,710	1,370	1,700	1,740	1,830	2,460	1,370
17.....	1,050	2,050	7,890	5,880	4,310	8,020	1,360	2,050	1,620	1,890	2,280	1,270
18.....	1,080	2,000	6,700	4,950	4,000	8,440	1,370	1,990	1,510	1,850	2,100	1,300
19.....	1,130	1,970	6,300	12,600	4,170	8,660	1,410	1,950	1,550	1,890	1,910	1,390
20.....	1,240	1,970	6,500	15,100	4,380	7,600	1,370	1,890	1,480	2,010	1,660	1,410
21.....	1,440	2,050	7,110	14,900	4,630	6,380	1,340	1,750	1,480	1,990	1,550	1,440
22.....	2,610	2,300	8,270	12,800	5,770	5,500	1,340	1,480	1,440	1,990	1,700	1,340
23.....	6,380	2,510	10,100	12,300	5,650	4,590	1,360	1,620	1,440	2,010	2,100	1,300
24.....	7,680	2,710	12,100	10,300	5,470	3,770	1,360	1,510	1,410	2,230	2,100	1,460
25.....	7,600	2,640	16,700	9,150	7,850	3,240	1,340	1,480	1,410	2,390	2,050	1,660
26.....	6,940	2,510	23,900	11,000	14,300	2,870	1,340	1,410	1,790	2,370	2,050	1,580
27.....	5,990	2,510	24,600	14,400	15,300	2,710	1,300	1,390	2,480	2,660	1,930	1,580
28.....	5,430	6,260	24,100	13,700	14,400	2,610	1,340	1,340	4,450	3,270	1,930	1,770
29.....	4,770	.....	25,200	12,400	12,600	2,510	1,390	1,340	6,700	4,070	1,970	1,810
30.....	3,840	.....	28,100	13,500	10,800	2,320	1,580	1,340	5,250	3,930	2,010	1,970
31.....	3,460	.....	31,100	.....	11,900	.....	1,480	1,340	.....	3,680	.....	2,120
1911.												
1.....	2,190	2,010	2,100	7,150	21,700	3,270	2,010	1,680	2,050	2,120	4,240	6,380
2.....	2,460	2,010	2,030	6,380	24,300	3,970	1,510	1,620	1,680	2,580	4,380	5,840
3.....	3,840	2,190	2,010	5,690	25,700	3,870	1,410	1,550	1,440	3,270	4,240	9,230
4.....	4,880	2,320	1,930	5,250	25,400	3,360	1,340	1,410	1,270	3,460	3,900	4,040
5.....	4,340	2,160	1,850	4,950	17,300	3,120	1,190	1,490	1,320	4,660	3,460	2,900
6.....	3,770	2,190	1,890	5,840	16,700	3,460	1,270	1,460	1,440	5,390	3,210	2,980
7.....	3,610	2,160	1,890	10,600	12,200	4,660	1,240	1,480	2,140	5,360	3,840	3,420
8.....	3,300	2,140	1,850	13,400	9,850	6,380	1,490	1,570	2,760	5,540	5,470	3,210
9.....	3,210	2,120	1,810	13,000	8,970	6,780	1,550	1,550	3,330	5,620	7,520	3,210
10.....	3,100	2,140	1,810	13,200	7,350	5,610	1,460	1,460	4,450	5,140	7,350	3,330
11.....	2,710	2,100	1,790	14,000	9,190	5,320	1,620	1,480	3,900	4,380	7,430	4,100
12.....	2,710	1,970	1,730	13,900	7,110	5,610	1,630	1,530	3,330	3,840	6,700	5,840
13.....	2,610	2,010	1,790	14,600	6,940	6,780	1,620	1,480	2,820	3,270	7,520	9,810
14.....	2,560	2,010	1,930	16,600	7,190	9,850	1,600	1,420	2,410	2,870	8,020	15,200
15.....	2,510	1,950	2,050	18,600	3,710	9,850	1,580	1,420	2,100	2,560	7,680	15,200

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Hudson River at Corinth, N. Y., for 1904-1911—Contd.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1911.												
16.....	2,410	1,890	2,230	21,400	4,910	9,320	1,570	1,410	1,970	2,230	6,940	13,300
17.....	2,100	1,850	2,280	21,400	3,550	7,890	1,660	1,390	2,160	2,190	5,690	12,700
18.....	1,890	1,870	2,230	19,600	4,810	6,380	1,700	1,410	2,080	2,660	5,540	12,200
19.....	1,870	1,930	2,120	18,000	5,690	5,280	1,510	1,550	2,030	9,500	7,930	10,900
20.....	2,030	2,080	2,120	17,200	3,710	4,240	1,490	1,420	1,770	10,900	7,930	8,790
21.....	2,280	2,100	2,100	17,200	3,640	3,580	1,340	1,480	1,570	10,500	7,350	7,350
22.....	2,280	2,030	2,080	17,000	4,240	3,150	1,290	1,550	1,580	9,500	6,460	6,540
23.....	2,160	1,990	2,280	15,600	2,980	2,710	1,170	1,480	1,890	9,850	5,470	9,980
24.....	2,030	1,970	2,390	14,700	5,320	2,510	1,240	1,460	1,870	10,100	5,020	14,200
25.....	2,050	1,990	2,370	14,900	3,770	2,190	1,300	1,490	1,790	10,200	4,700	15,100
26.....	2,050	1,830	2,410	17,100	5,250	2,080	1,210	1,510	1,850	8,880	3,970	14,100
27.....	2,050	1,970	3,580	19,000	3,330	2,100	1,300	1,440	1,770	7,600	3,970	12,900
28.....	2,280	2,100	6,860	20,400	6,620	2,370	1,580	1,620	1,680	6,300	3,870	12,200
29.....	2,320	.....	7,480	21,600	3,840	2,660	1,730	2,210	1,700	5,140	4,840	9,850
30.....	2,140	.....	7,850	21,800	3,460	2,340	1,730	2,870	1,850	4,450	6,110	7,600
31.....	2,230	.....	7,680	.....	3,070	.....	1,680	2,410	.....	3,930	.....	6,780

*Monthly discharge of Hudson River at Corinth, N. Y., for 1904-1911.*

[Drainage area, 2,730 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum	Mean.	Per square mile.		
1904.						
June.....	13,100	2,140	5,520	2.02	2.25	B.
July.....	5,540	1,550	2,460	.901	1.04	B.
August.....	8,620	1,210	3,030	1.11	1.28	B.
September.....	7,060	1,730	2,890	1.06	1.18	B.
October.....	23,000	2,930	7,830	2.87	3.31	C.
November.....	5,620	1,770	2,840	1.04	1.16	C.
December.....	3,580	1,620	2,080	.762	.88	C.
1905.						
January.....	3,640	1,890	2,600	.952	1.10	B.
February.....	2,100	1,770	1,860	.681	.71	B.
March.....	31,600	1,620	5,030	1.84	2.12	B.
April.....	37,500	9,060	18,200	6.67	7.44	B.
May.....	13,000	3,460	6,970	2.55	2.94	B.
June.....	19,700	2,340	9,900	3.63	4.05	D.
July.....	18,500	2,210	6,580	2.41	2.78	D.
August.....	9,060	1,550	3,570	1.31	1.51	C.
September.....	18,900	2,460	9,350	3.42	3.82	B.
October.....	8,020	2,250	4,340	1.59	1.83	A.
November.....	8,100	2,710	4,730	1.73	1.93	A.
December.....	9,190	2,370	4,790	1.75	2.02	C.
The year.....	37,500	1,550	6,490	2.38	32.25	
1906.						
January.....	16,600	3,120	6,400	2.34	2.70	B.
February.....	6,900	2,980	3,950	1.45	1.51	B.
March.....	9,010	2,510	4,580	1.68	1.94	B.
April.....	28,200	7,230	16,200	5.93	6.62	B.
May.....	14,900	5,020	10,400	3.81	4.39	B.
June.....	12,100	3,210	6,120	2.24	2.50	B.
July.....	10,800	1,810	3,880	1.42	1.64	B.
August.....	2,680	1,440	2,020	.740	.85	B.
September.....	2,660	1,620	1,870	.685	.76	B.
October.....	3,740	1,550	2,210	.810	.93	B.
November.....	6,460	1,720	3,150	1.15	1.28	B.
December.....	4,310	1,850	2,380	.872	1.01	B.
The year.....	28,200	1,440	5,250	1.92	26.13	

Monthly discharge of Hudson River at Corinth, N. Y., for 1904-1911—Continued.

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mle.		
1907.						
January.....	12,900	2,410	6,240	2.29	2.64	B.
February.....	2,710	1,660	2,110	.773	.80	B.
March.....	34,000	1,420	6,510	2.38	2.74	B.
April.....	31,000	5,250	13,100	4.80	5.36	B.
May.....	21,400	4,340	11,100	4.07	4.69	B.
June.....	8,360	2,160	3,670	1.34	1.50	B.
July.....	6,820	1,490	2,650	.971	1.12	B.
August.....	2,050	1,390	1,720	.630	.73	B.
September.....	6,230	1,360	2,800	1.03	1.15	B.
October.....	13,600	2,410	6,220	2.28	2.63	B.
November.....	25,100	3,580	10,200	3.74	4.17	B.
December.....	15,100	2,140	7,710	2.82	3.25	B.
The year.....	34,000	1,360	6,190	2.27	30.78	
1908.						
January.....	13,400	2,460	5,320	1.95	2.25	B.
February.....	14,700	2,320	6,070	2.22	2.39	B.
March.....	26,400	4,590	9,630	3.53	4.07	B.
April.....	31,400	13,100	19,800	7.25	8.09	B.
May.....	31,100	5,390	16,300	5.97	6.88	B.
June.....	5,800	1,410	2,760	1.01	1.13	C.
July.....	2,930	1,660	2,066	.755	.87	C.
August.....	2,280	1,480	1,949	.711	.82	D.
September.....	2,190	1,340	1,580	.579	.65	D.
October.....	3,120	1,370	1,970	.722	.83	D.
November.....	3,580	1,240	2,060	.755	.84	D.
December.....	2,870	1,250	1,810	.663	.76	D.
The year.....	31,400	1,240	5,930	2.17	29.58	
1909.						
January.....	8,360	1,270	3,990	1.46	1.68	B.
February.....	17,400	3,120	8,590	3.15	3.28	B.
March.....	13,300	3,330	5,910	2.16	2.49	B.
April.....	41,400	7,270	23,400	8.57	9.56	A.
May.....	28,200	6,030	15,500	5.68	6.55	A.
June.....	7,930	1,890	4,860	1.78	1.99	A.
July.....	2,030	1,170	1,560	.571	.66	A.
August.....	2,510	1,080	1,390	.509	.59	A.
September.....	1,510	1,080	1,250	.458	.51	B.
October.....	1,620	1,110	1,310	.480	.55	B.
November.....	2,010	1,130	1,450	.531	.59	B.
December.....	1,660	984	1,200	.440	.51	B.
The year.....	41,400	984	5,820	2.13	28.74	
1910.						
January.....	7,660	1,030	2,490	0.912	1.05	B.
February.....	6,260	1,890	2,410	.883	.92	B.
March.....	31,100	6,300	16,000	5.86	6.76	A.
April.....	32,600	4,950	14,900	5.46	6.09	A.
May.....	15,300	4,000	8,880	3.25	3.75	B.
June.....	16,500	2,320	8,820	3.23	3.60	B.
July.....	2,190	1,300	1,450	.531	.61	C.
August.....	3,210	1,340	1,820	.667	.77	A.
September.....	6,700	1,340	2,270	.832	.93	B.
October.....	4,070	1,830	2,420	.886	1.02	C.
November.....	5,250	1,550	2,740	1.00	1.12	A.
December.....	2,120	1,270	1,540	.564	.65	A.
The year.....	32,600	1,030	5,490	2.01	27.27	
1911.						
January.....	4,880	1,870	2,640	0.967	1.11	B.
February.....	2,320	1,830	2,040	.747	.78	B.
March.....	7,850	1,730	2,790	1.02	1.18	B.
April.....	21,900	4,950	14,700	5.38	6.00	B.
May.....	25,700	2,980	8,770	3.21	3.70	B.
June.....	9,850	2,080	4,690	1.72	1.92	D.
July.....	2,010	1,170	1,490	.546	.63	D.
August.....	2,870	1,390	1,590	.582	.67	D.
September.....	4,450	1,270	2,130	.780	.87	D.
October.....	10,900	2,120	5,610	2.05	2.36	D.
November.....	8,020	3,210	5,690	2.08	2.31	D.
December.....	15,200	2,900	8,680	3.18	3.67	D.
The year.....	25,700	1,170	5,060	1.85	25.20	



## HUDSON RIVER AT MECHANICVILLE, N. Y.

**Location.**—At the Duncan dam of the West Virginia Pulp & Paper Co., in the village of Mechanicville, about 3,700 feet above the mouth of Anthony Kill (coming in from the right),  $1\frac{1}{4}$  miles below the mouth of Hoosic River (coming in from the left), and about 19 miles above the mouth of Mohawk River, which enters from the right at Cohoes.

**Records available.**—1896 to 1911. Data also in annual reports of the State engineer and surveyor of New York, of the State Water Supply Commission of New York, and (for 1911) the first annual report of the State of New York Conservation Commission.

**Drainage area.**—4,500 square miles.

**Gage.**—Recording gage installed at the dam in the summer of 1910 for the purpose of obtaining a more accurate register of the daily flow over the crest of the dam; previous to 1910 two gage readings daily on the crest of the dam.

**Discharge measurements.**—Determinations of discharge for periods previous to the summer of 1910 computed by using two daily gage readings on the crest of the dam and continuous record of the run of the wheels in the adjoining paper mill. In 1904 the dam was raised and a concrete crest and apron were added, so that it now has a rounded or ogee section. A discharge curve has been calculated by means of coefficients derived from the United States Geological Survey experiments on dams of ogee section.

**Accuracy.**—Records at this station are very carefully made and may be considered good for this type of station.

**Cooperation.**—Records are computed and furnished by Mr. R. P. Bloss, engineer of the West Virginia Pulp & Paper Co.

The records which have been kept at this station since 1888 are among the longest in the State. They have been used as basic data in all studies of storage problems on the upper Hudson. In using these records it should be remembered that water is diverted past this station in the Champlain Canal.

*Daily discharge in second-feet of Hudson River at Mechanicville, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	a2,989	3,648	4,711	10,097	23,150	3,313	1,798	2,038	2,687	a 489	6,386	8,867
2.....	4,340	2,761	3,794	a 8,047	22,894	2,939	a2,389	1,770	1,251	1,991	6,172	7,539
3.....	13,137	4,522	3,922	8,720	26,241	3,507	2,359	1,368	a1,439	3,230	5,908	a 5,756
4.....	14,021	2,474	3,761	7,481	24,834	a2,436	1,972	1,472	2,028	3,034	5,629	7,459
5.....	9,415	a4,302	a1,695	7,061	20,943	4,113	1,493	1,317	1,027	3,823	a 3,917	4,985
6.....	7,554	3,279	2,158	13,543	15,808	3,478	1,492	a 391	1,746	4,838	6,644	4,633
7.....	6,587	4,123	3,737	16,775	a11,293	3,072	1,650	994	1,446	4,906	5,029	4,344
8.....	a5,571	3,276	2,796	19,541	14,434	4,349	1,284	1,706	1,688	a 4,305	6,503	4,434
9.....	7,394	3,291	1,882	a16,937	9,258	5,229	a 670	1,444	2,035	5,566	7,448	5,055
10.....	5,920	3,401	2,592	17,207	9,643	5,654	924	1,143	a3,080	5,283	8,447	a 3,495
11.....	5,461	3,870	3,110	17,119	7,632	a3,274	1,154	1,088	6,507	4,797	7,864	5,896
12.....	5,125	a3,356	a1,633	16,027	7,916	5,498	1,393	1,337	4,148	4,488	a 5,759	5,924
13.....	4,292	2,763	1,892	15,877	7,186	5,241	1,548	a 368	3,626	4,045	12,149	7,420
14.....	5,894	2,785	4,142	16,812	a 4,898	6,822	1,133	1,070	3,772	4,367	9,506	11,575
15.....	a3,759	2,779	4,051	22,063	7,821	9,402	1,587	1,581	3,641	a 1,854	9,642	14,133
16.....	5,318	2,683	8,500	a23,628	5,279	9,007	a 600	1,137	3,163	2,988	7,769	13,273
17.....	3,414	2,203	5,162	24,638	5,469	8,946	1,460	1,709	a 718	2,984	7,370	a13,709
18.....	2,960	2,903	4,279	22,892	4,589	a6,026	1,983	1,167	1,179	6,176	6,643	14,978
19.....	3,442	a3,217	a3,002	20,404	4,768	8,506	1,426	1,230	2,310	16,047	a10,961	12,718
20.....	2,302	3,338	5,456	18,774	5,760	5,203	1,354	a 995	1,105	16,528	11,761	11,006
21.....	1,894	4,140	5,183	18,332	a 3,346	4,670	1,425	1,004	1,025	13,781	10,086	8,941
22.....	a3,254	3,292	4,636	17,671	5,512	3,780	1,402	865	1,590	a14,123	9,053	8,096
23.....	1,963	3,579	7,926	a15,246	5,097	3,483	a1,282	1,046	943	16,171	7,977	13,181
24.....	3,846	2,873	7,255	16,890	3,380	2,379	1,185	1,040	a 718	14,143	7,141	a18,220
25.....	3,383	1,974	5,835	15,574	4,831	a1,745	1,182	1,140	1,165	13,045	7,730	18,623
26.....	2,243	a2,257	a4,412	15,431	3,989	2,057	1,368	1,178	1,123	11,244	a 5,175	17,475
27.....	3,150	6,035	12,921	17,420	4,554	3,042	967	a 333	1,050	10,111	7,664	15,878
28.....	8,504	5,125	19,893	19,291	a 2,835	2,920	1,148	629	1,004	8,612	5,797	15,174
29.....	a6,338	.....	13,788	22,014	6,180	1,644	1,205	888	1,030	a 5,770	6,469	11,593
30.....	6,912	.....	13,446	a21,554	3,851	1,025	a 369	1,550	1,680	8,761	8,283	8,686
31.....	5,013	.....	11,457	.....	3,747	.....	1,048	-1,577	.....	6,786	.....	a 8,615

a Sunday.

*Monthly discharge of Hudson River at Mechanicville, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 4,500 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	14,000	1,890	5,270	1.17	1.35
February.....	6,040	1,970	3,370	.749	.78
March.....	19,900	1,630	5,780	1.28	1.48
April.....	24,600	7,060	16,800	3.73	4.16
May.....	26,200	2,840	9,260	2.06	2.38
June.....	9,400	1,020	4,430	.985	1.10
July.....	2,390	369	1,360	.302	.35
August.....	2,040	368	1,180	.262	.30
September.....	6,510	718	2,000	.444	.50
October.....	16,500	489	7,240	1.61	1.86
November.....	12,100	3,920	7,560	1.68	1.87
December.....	18,600	3,500	10,000	2.22	2.54
The year.....	26,200	368	6,190	1.38	18.67

NOTE.—Computations by engineers of United States Geological Survey.

**CEDAR RIVER NEAR INDIAN LAKE, N. Y.**

**Location.**—At the steel highway bridge about 2 miles west of Indian Lake village, on the road leading to Blue Mountain Lake, about 12 miles by river above its confluence with the Hudson, 8 miles by river above the mouth of Rock River (tributary from the left) and 10 miles by river below Cedar River Flow (Wakely dam).

**Records available.**—July 15, 1911, to December 31, 1911. Published also in first annual report of State of New York Conservation Commission.

**Drainage area.**—85 square miles.<sup>a</sup>

**Gage.**—Standard chain and weight.

**Channel.**—Coarse gravel and small bowlders, fairly permanent. Low-water control is gravel rift about 200 feet below the bridge.

**Storage.**—The basin contains many lakes and swamps affording favorable sites for storage reservoirs which would be influential in regulating the discharge of Hudson River. Those that are important are Cedar Lakes and Cedar River Flow. Cedar River Flow is controlled by a lumberman's dam and is used principally during the logging season.

**Accuracy.**—Discharge rating curve not yet determined.

**Cooperation.**—Established and maintained in cooperation with the State of New York Conservation Commission.

*Discharge measurements of Cedar River near Indian Lake, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
July 15 <sup>b</sup>	G. H. Canfield.....	2.52	31.0
Nov. 16 <sup>c</sup>	Frank Weber.....	3.05	75.1

<sup>a</sup> Measured from topographic maps by engineers of Conservation Commission of New York.

<sup>b</sup> Discharge measurement made under upstream side of bridge by wading.

<sup>c</sup> Some ice near gage and shore.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Cedar River near Indian Lake, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Day.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....		2.52	2.45	2.60	3.58	4.00	16.....	2.50	2.45	3.10	2.80	3.05	4.92
2.....		2.50	2.45	2.80	3.78	4.00	17.....	2.50	2.50	4.05	2.82	3.68	4.65
3.....		2.50	2.58	2.75	3.95	3.45	18.....	2.71	2.50	3.12	2.80	3.90	4.52
4.....		2.50	2.50	3.30	3.20	3.40	19.....	2.55	2.55	3.00	2.85	4.22	3.70
5.....		2.45	2.50	3.40	3.22	3.45	20.....	2.50	2.55	2.80	3.00	4.06	3.50
6.....		2.45	2.50	3.90	3.25	3.68	21.....	2.58	2.50	2.78	3.00	3.50	3.40
7.....		2.45	2.85	4.00	3.50	3.75	22.....	2.55	2.50	2.78	3.00	3.45	3.30
8.....		2.45	2.85	4.00	3.65	3.75	23.....	2.50	2.50	2.80	3.70	3.55	5.90
9.....		2.45	3.25	3.90	.....	3.55	24.....	2.52	2.50	2.80	4.00	3.30	5.70
10.....		2.45	3.45	2.85	.....	4.35	25.....	2.50	2.48	2.50	4.00	3.30	5.05
11.....		2.50	3.48	2.85	.....	4.65	26.....	2.45	2.55	2.50	3.25	3.30	4.50
12.....		2.50	3.32	2.90	.....	6.30	27.....	2.45	2.50	2.50	3.25	3.28	4.60
13.....		2.50	3.25	2.90	.....	5.85	28.....	2.50	2.68	2.45	3.60	3.32	6.20
14.....		2.48	2.92	2.82	.....	5.90	29.....	2.55	2.82	2.55	3.30	4.42	.....
15.....	2.52	2.45	2.88	2.80	.....	5.02	30.....	2.52	2.70	2.60	3.22	4.32	.....
							31.....	2.52	2.58	.....	3.30	.....	.....

NOTE.—Extent of backwater from ice not definitely known. The observer stated that the river was "frozen nearly all over" Nov. 20, "nearly all open" Dec. 7, that the ice was "all out of the river" Dec. 14, and that the river was "all frozen up" on Dec. 29.

### INDIAN LAKE RESERVOIR AT INDIAN LAKE, N. Y.

**Location.**—At the masonry storage dam at the outlet of Indian Lake, about 7½ miles above the confluence of Indian River with the Hudson and about 23½ miles above the village of North Creek.

**Records available.**—July 22, 1900, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of the State engineer and surveyor, State Water Supply Commission, and State Conservation Commission.

**Drainage area.**—131 square miles, including about 9.3 square miles of water surface of Indian Lake at the elevation of the spillway of the dam.

**Gage.**—Staff; read once daily. November 17, 1911, a chain gage was installed on the crest of the dam to replace the staff gage. Datum of both gages the same and unchanged since the establishment of the station.

**Discharge measurements.**—The record of this station includes elevation of water surface in the reservoir, depth of water flowing over the spillway or flashboards, depth of opening, and the effective head on each of the 5-foot sluice gates. A meteorologic station has also been established at the dam by the United States Weather Bureau and records are kept of the rainfall, temperature, etc. The crest of the dam is 106.05 feet in the clear. To facilitate the calculation of discharge over the spillway, experiments were made at Cornell University in 1899 on a full-size model of the spillway section, 6.58 feet long, from which the coefficient of discharge has been determined. No computations of discharge have been made pending current meter measurements to rate discharge through gates. At present, record of reservoir level alone is obtainable. The elevation of the crest of the spillway above mean tide is 1,650 feet.

**Artificial control.**—The flow of the upper Hudson has been controlled to a considerable extent during the dry season by the use of Indian Lake Reservoir since its completion in 1899. Total storage provided, about 4,700,000,000 cubic feet, affording a discharge of nearly 600 second-feet for a period of 90 to 130 days each year.

**Maximum and minimum gage heights.**—Maximum gage height at Indian Lake Reservoir since the establishment of the station recorded April 27, 1908, 37.00 feet; minimum gage height, recorded March 9 to 18, 1907, and January 3 to 17, 1910, 2.00 feet.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with State engineer and surveyor and State Conservation Commission.

*Discharge measurement of Indian River near Indian Lake, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Dis-charge.
July 15	G. H. Canfield.....	Feet. 7.00	Sec.-ft. 856

α Distance from reference point to water surface; reference point is top of eyebar of second span from right abutment downstream side of bridge. Measurement made at first highway bridge below dam; about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles downstream.

Gage at Indian Lake dam read 29.3 feet. One 5-foot sluice gate open 5 feet; the other open  $2\frac{1}{2}$  feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Indian Lake reservoir at Indian Lake, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	11.20	11.45	7.95	6.70	22.10	29.25	32.35	24.40	14.75	13.65	18.05	22.35
2.....	11.15	11.35	7.85	7.00	23.75	29.30	32.35	24.00	14.80	13.55	18.10	22.50
3.....	11.20	11.20	7.70	7.25	24.75	29.35	32.35	23.80	14.85	13.50	18.20	22.60
4.....	11.40	11.10	7.60	7.40	25.15	29.40	32.35	23.40	14.85	13.60	18.30	22.70
5.....	11.46	10.95	7.45	7.55	25.50	29.40	32.35	23.00	14.85	13.90	18.40	22.80
6.....	11.55	10.85	7.25	7.85	25.85	29.60	32.30	22.70	14.80	14.05	18.45	22.85
7.....	11.70	10.70	7.05	8.15	26.10	29.85	32.05	22.20	14.70	14.20	18.70	22.90
8.....	11.80	10.60	6.85	8.55	26.35	30.10	31.80	21.90	14.60	14.40	18.90	23.00
9.....	11.90	10.45	6.65	8.90	26.65	30.15	31.60	21.50	14.60	14.50	19.10	23.10
10.....	12.00	10.35	6.40	9.25	26.85	30.25	31.25	21.10	14.75	14.60	19.30	23.20
11.....	12.10	10.20	6.20	9.55	27.05	30.40	30.90	20.90	14.85	14.70	19.50	23.40
12.....	12.15	10.10	6.05	9.80	27.15	30.65	30.35	20.50	14.85	14.80	19.70	23.70
13.....	12.25	9.95	5.90	10.05	27.30	31.10	30.00	20.10	14.85	14.90	19.90	24.40
14.....	12.35	9.85	5.70	10.45	27.40	31.40	29.60	19.90	14.90	14.90	20.00	25.00
15.....	12.40	9.70	5.65	11.10	27.55	31.70	29.25	19.45	15.05	14.95	20.10	25.45
16.....	12.50	9.60	5.45	11.60	27.65	31.80	28.90	19.00	15.15	15.00	20.25	25.70
17.....	12.55	9.45	5.30	12.15	27.70	31.95	28.60	18.80	15.20	15.05	20.35	25.90
18.....	12.45	9.35	5.15	12.60	27.85	32.10	28.30	18.40	15.25	15.20	20.85	26.20
19.....	12.35	9.20	4.95	13.00	27.95	32.25	28.10	18.00	15.30	15.55	20.90	26.40
20.....	12.20	9.10	4.80	13.40	28.15	32.30	27.80	17.80	15.35	15.90	21.00	26.50
21.....	12.10	8.96	4.65	13.90	28.30	32.35	27.70	17.40	15.20	16.10	21.10	26.60
22.....	11.90	8.85	4.45	14.35	28.40	32.40	27.55	17.00	15.10	16.35	21.15	26.70
23.....	11.85	8.70	4.30	14.75	28.45	32.40	27.25	16.80	14.90	16.60	21.20	27.30
24.....	11.70	8.60	4.15	15.15	28.70	32.45	27.00	16.55	14.75	16.85	21.25	27.70
25.....	11.60	8.45	3.95	15.75	28.85	32.50	26.90	16.10	14.60	17.10	21.45	28.00
26.....	11.45	8.35	3.79	16.50	28.90	32.50	26.60	15.90	14.40	17.30	21.60	28.30
27.....	11.35	8.20	4.00	17.45	29.00	32.35	26.15	15.65	14.25	17.40	21.80	28.60
28.....	11.35	8.10	5.15	18.70	29.10	32.35	25.80	15.40	14.10	17.55	21.85	28.75
29.....	11.40	.....	5.60	19.80	29.15	32.35	25.40	15.15	13.90	17.65	22.00	28.90
30.....	11.50	.....	6.00	21.10	29.15	32.35	25.00	14.90	13.75	17.80	22.20	29.00
31.....	11.60	.....	6.40	.....	29.20	.....	24.80	14.70	.....	17.95	.....	29.20

*Gate openings, in feet, of Indian Lake reservoir at Indian Lake, N. Y., for 1911.*

Date.	Sluice gate A open.	Sluice gate B open.	Date.	Sluice gate A open.	Sluice gate B open.	Date.	Sluice gate A open.	Sluice gate B open.
	Feet.	Feet.		Feet.	Feet.		Feet.	Feet.
Jan. 1 and 2.....	.....	5.0	July 6.....	.....	5.0	Sept. 8.....	.....	5.0
Jan. 18 and 19.....	.....	5.0	July 9.....	2.0	.....	Sept. 20.....	.....	5.0
Jan. 31.....	.....	5.0	July 26.....	2.5	.....	Sept. 30.....	.....	5.0
Feb. 1 and 2.....	.....	5.0	July 31.....	2.5	5.0	Oct. 1.....	.....	5.0
Mar. 1.....	.....	5.0	Aug. 1.....	2.0	5.0	Oct. 3.....	.....	5.0
Mar. 5.....	5.0	.....	Aug. 31.....	2.0	5.0			
Mar. 27.....	5.0	5.0	Sept. 5.....	.....	5.0			

**SCHROON LAKE AT POTTERSVILLE, N. Y.**

**Location.**—At the outlet of Schroon Lake, 1 mile from Pottersville post office, 9 miles upstream from the gaging station at Riverbank, N. Y.

**Records available.**—July 8, 1903 (station established), to December 5, 1908; July 1, 1909 (date of ice breaking not known), to December 4, 1909; April 17, 1910, to December 3, 1910; April 2, 1911, to December 31, 1911. Published also in annual reports of State Water Supply Commission and the State Conservation Commission.

**Gage.**—Staff fastened to steamboat wharf; read once daily. The gage datum was established at an elevation of 803.75 feet above sea level. Datum unchanged.

**Winter records.**—Observations are discontinued each year when the lake freezes and reestablished in the spring as soon as the ice breaks. See records available.

**Cooperation.**—Established and maintained by United States Geological Survey in cooperation with the State Water Supply Commission of New York.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Schroon Lake at Pottersville, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Hannah Nichols, observer.]

Day.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....		6.6	3.6	2.1	0.8	0.4	0.5	.....	2.7
2.....	1.5	6.65	3.5	1.9	.8	.4	.6	.....	2.7
3.....	1.6	6.7	3.4	1.9	.7	.4	.6	.....	2.7
4.....	1.7	6.6	3.4	1.8	.7	.4	.6	.....	2.7
5.....	1.7	6.45	3.4	1.8	.7	.4	.7	.....	2.7
6.....	1.7	6.1	3.4	1.8	.7	.4	.7	.....	2.7
7.....	1.9	5.9	3.4	1.7	.7	.4	.7	.....	2.7
8.....	1.1	5.7	3.4	1.7	.6	.4	.7	.....	2.7
9.....	2.0	5.5	3.4	1.6	.6	.5	.7	.....	2.7
10.....	2.6	5.2	3.4	1.5	.6	.4	.7	.....	2.7
11.....	3.0	4.9	3.4	1.3	.5	.4	.7	.....	2.9
12.....	3.8	4.8	3.5	1.3	.5	.5	(a)	b 2.6	2.9
13.....	4.85	4.75	3.5	1.1	.5	.5	.....	2.6	3.4
14.....	5.3	4.7	3.5	1.1	.5	.5	.....	2.7	3.6
15.....	5.8	4.5	3.6	1.1	.5	.6	.....	2.9	4.0
16.....	6.3	4.3	3.6	1.1	.5	.6	.....	3.0	4.5
17.....	6.5	4.2	3.6	1.1	.5	.6	.....	3.0	4.7
18.....	6.5	4.0	3.45	1.1	.5	.7	.....	3.0	4.8
19.....	6.4	4.0	3.2	1.1	.5	.5	.....	3.0	4.9
20.....	6.4	4.0	3.1	1.1	.5	.5	.....	3.0	4.9
21.....	6.3	4.0	3.0	1.0	.5	.4	.....	2.9	5.0
22.....	6.3	4.0	2.9	1.0	.5	.4	.....	2.9	5.1
23.....	6.2	4.0	2.8	1.0	.5	.4	.....	2.9	5.2
24.....	6.1	4.0	2.8	.9	.4	.4	.....	2.8	5.3
25.....	6.2	4.0	2.7	.9	.4	.4	.....	2.8	5.3
26.....	6.3	4.0	2.6	.9	.4	.4	.....	3.0	5.4
27.....	6.3	4.0	2.5	.8	.4	.35	.....	2.8	5.45
28.....	6.4	4.0	2.4	.8	.4	.35	.....	2.7	5.0
29.....	6.5	3.9	2.2	.8	.4	.3	.....	2.7	5.7
30.....	6.5	3.8	2.1	.8	.4	.3	.....	2.7	5.75
31.....	.....	3.7	.....	.8	.4	.....	.....	.....	5.8

<sup>a</sup> Gage removed, making repairs to dock.

<sup>b</sup> Gage installed by local parties, datum uncertain; indicates rate lake was filling to end of December.

**SCHROON RIVER AT RIVERBANK, N. Y.**

**Location.**—At the highway bridge 12 miles above the confluence of Schroon River with the Hudson, 9 miles below the mouth of Schroon Lake, about  $3\frac{1}{2}$  miles below the outlet of Brant Lake (coming in from the left), and 1 mile below Tumblehead Falls which extend upstream about a mile farther. The station is about 9 miles north of Warrensburg, where there are several dams used for power development.

**Records available.**—September 2, 1907, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of New York State Water Supply Commission, State engineer and surveyor, and State Conservation Commission.

**Drainage area.**—534 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain; read once daily; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Gravel; smooth and permanent.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge.

**Artificial control.**—Since 1907 the regimen of flow of Schroon River, from the low-water period to the high, has been somewhat affected by storage in Schroon Lake. In September, 1907, a timber crib dam was constructed at Starbuckville about 6 miles above the station. This dam affords a head of about 8 feet and ponds water to Schroon Lake.

**Winterflow.**—Affected by ice. Measurements made through the ice have developed a fairly good ice discharge curve.

**Accuracy.**—Open-water curve well developed. Gage heights are affected by log jams during May and June and for this period the daily discharge is obtained from a special rating curve.

**Cooperation.**—Established and maintained by United States Geological Survey in cooperation with the State Water Supply Commission of New York.

*Discharge measurements of Schroon River at Riverbank, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Jan. 20 <sup>a</sup>	F. J. Shuttleworth.....	2.33	370
Feb. 26 <sup>b</sup>	.....do.....	2.04	250
June 8 <sup>c</sup>	C. S. De Golyer.....	3.00	698
Sept. 1 <sup>d</sup>	Frank Weber.....	1.22	111
1 <sup>d</sup>	G. H. Canfield.....	1.18	99.9
1 <sup>d</sup>	.....do.....	1.16	94.1

<sup>a</sup> Measurement made under complete ice cover. Average thickness of ice 1.21 feet. Gage height to top of ice 2.40 feet.

<sup>b</sup> Measurement made under complete ice cover. Average thickness of ice 1.29 feet. Gage height to top of ice 2.20 feet.

<sup>c</sup> Logs in river caused backwater at gage.

<sup>d</sup> Measurement made by wading below the gage.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Schroon River at Riverbank, N. Y., for 1911.*

[J. H. Roberts, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	1.85	2.25	2.1	2.5	5.2	2.6	1.7	1.3	1.2	1.4	2.35	2.65
2.....	1.85	2.3	2.05	2.35	5.2	2.4	1.65	1.3	1.2	1.4	2.4	2.6
3.....	2.0	2.3	2.0	2.6	5.5	2.35	1.6	1.25	1.2	1.4	2.4	2.6
4.....	2.05	2.4	1.95	2.55	5.4	2.3	2.15	1.25	1.12	1.45	2.4	2.65
5.....	2.1	2.25	1.9	2.6	5.0	2.9	2.15	1.25	1.15	1.45	2.35	2.55
6.....	2.1	2.35	1.95	2.85	4.8	3.2	2.15	1.2	1.15	1.5	2.4	2.5
7.....	2.05	2.4	1.85	3.1	4.4	3.2	2.1	1.25	1.12	1.6	2.4	2.5
8.....	2.1	2.3	1.9	3.2	4.2	3.3	1.7	1.25	1.12	1.8	2.3	2.5
9.....	2.4	2.15	1.95	3.2	4.2	3.2	1.4	1.25	1.3	1.8	2.32	2.5
10.....	2.3	2.2	1.95	3.6	4.1	3.1	1.6	1.25	1.55	1.75	2.5	2.45
11.....	2.3	2.2	1.8	3.8	3.9	2.0	1.45	1.25	1.45	1.8	2.45	2.5
12.....	2.3	2.2	1.65	4.1	3.8	3.2	1.35	1.15	1.5	1.75	2.45	2.5
13.....	2.25	2.4	1.75	4.3	3.7	3.2	1.3	1.2	1.6	1.7	2.55	2.7
14.....	2.3	2.35	1.8	4.4	3.4	3.2	1.3	1.15	1.48	1.7	2.65	3.1
15.....	2.3	2.3	1.95	5.1	3.4	3.2	1.35	1.15	1.5	1.6	2.7	3.2
16.....	2.4	2.2	2.0	5.4	3.4	3.2	1.2	1.15	1.5	1.6	2.8	3.3
17.....	2.4	2.25	2.05	5.5	3.3	3.3	1.25	1.15	1.48	1.65	2.7	3.5
18.....	2.35	2.25	1.9	5.4	3.3	2.9	1.3	1.2	1.48	1.8	2.8	3.6
19.....	2.3	2.15	1.75	5.4	3.4	3.0	1.4	1.2	1.5	2.2	2.75	3.6
20.....	2.3	2.25	1.9	5.3	3.4	2.75	1.4	1.15	1.45	2.2	2.8	3.6

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Schroon River at Riverbank, N. Y., for 1911—Continued.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
21.....	2.25	2.25	1.95	5.3	2.85	2.65	1.4	1.15	1.45	2.2	2.8	3.5
22.....	2.2	2.3	1.9	5.2	2.9	2.65	1.35	1.15	1.48	2.2	2.7	3.6
23.....	2.3	2.25	1.9	5.1	2.95	2.55	1.3	1.1	1.45	2.42	2.75	3.8
24.....	2.45	2.3	1.95	5.0	3.2	2.25	1.45	1.1	1.35	2.35	2.7	3.9
25.....	2.4	2.25	2.0	5.0	3.6	2.3	1.35	1.05	1.38	2.4	2.7	4.1
26.....	2.4	2.35	1.8	5.0	2.95	2.35	1.3	1.05	1.45	2.4	2.65	4.1
27.....	2.4	2.2	2.15	5.0	3.4	2.4	1.35	1.05	1.45	2.4	2.65	4.1
28.....	2.45	2.15	2.35	5.2	2.3	2.3	1.35	1.1	1.4	2.35	2.65	4.1
29.....	2.15	.....	2.35	5.2	2.35	2.25	1.4	1.15	1.42	2.35	2.65	4.0
30.....	2.35	.....	2.45	5.2	2.3	2.2	1.25	1.1	1.4	2.4	2.65	4.0
31.....	2.3	.....	2.5	.....	3.2	.....	1.3	1.1	.....	2.4	.....	3.6

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge doubtless affected by ice from Jan. 1 to about Mar. 18. Backwater from ice during December improbable. Gage readings were probably taken to the surface of the water. Backwater from log jams may have existed during the greater part of the open-water period. The plotting of the measurement made June 8 indicates that there was backwater during May and June.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Schroon River at Riverbank, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	.....	.....	.....	568	3,040	495	242	130	105	156	499	643
2.....	.....	.....	.....	499	3,040	395	226	130	105	156	522	618
3.....	.....	.....	.....	618	3,400	372	212	118	105	156	522	618
4.....	.....	.....	.....	593	3,280	350	411	118	86	170	522	643
5.....	.....	.....	.....	618	2,800	645	411	118	93	170	499	593
6.....	.....	.....	.....	749	2,560	815	411	105	93	184	522	568
7.....	.....	.....	.....	900	2,100	815	390	118	86	212	522	568
8.....	.....	.....	.....	966	1,890	875	242	118	86	276	485	568
9.....	.....	.....	.....	966	1,890	815	156	118	130	276	485	568
10.....	.....	.....	.....	1,290	1,780	755	212	118	198	259	568	545
11.....	.....	.....	.....	1,470	1,570	235	170	118	170	276	545	568
12.....	.....	.....	.....	1,780	1,470	815	143	93	184	259	545	568
13.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000	1,380	815	130	105	212	242	593	668
14.....	.....	.....	.....	2,100	935	815	130	93	178	242	643	900
15.....	.....	.....	.....	2,920	935	815	143	93	184	212	668	966
16.....	.....	.....	.....	3,280	935	815	105	93	184	212	721	1,040
17.....	.....	.....	.....	3,400	875	875	118	93	178	226	668	1,200
18.....	.....	.....	.....	3,280	875	645	130	105	178	276	721	1,290
19.....	.....	.....	259	3,280	935	700	156	105	184	432	694	1,290
20.....	.....	.....	312	3,160	935	694	156	93	170	432	721	1,290
21.....	.....	.....	331	3,160	620	643	156	93	170	432	721	1,200
22.....	.....	.....	312	3,040	645	643	143	93	178	432	668	1,290
23.....	.....	.....	312	2,920	673	593	130	81	170	531	694	1,470
24.....	.....	.....	331	2,800	815	454	170	81	143	499	668	1,570
25.....	.....	.....	350	2,800	1,060	476	143	70	151	522	668	1,780
26.....	.....	.....	276	2,800	673	499	130	70	170	522	643	1,780
27.....	.....	.....	411	2,800	935	522	143	70	170	522	643	1,780
28.....	.....	.....	499	3,040	350	476	143	81	156	499	643	1,780
29.....	.....	.....	499	3,040	372	454	156	93	162	499	643	1,670
30.....	.....	.....	545	3,040	350	432	118	81	156	522	643	1,670
31.....	.....	.....	568	.....	815	.....	130	81	.....	522	.....	1,290

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from two discharge rating curves; the 1910 curve, applied Mar. 19 to May 13 and June 20 to Dec. 31, and a curve based on measurement made June 8, applied May 14 to June 19. It is not known to what extent other determinations of daily discharge may be in error, as a result of backwater from log jams not reported by the observer.

*Monthly discharge of Schroon River at Riverbank, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 534 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			357	0.669	0.77	D.
February.....			250	.468	.49	D.
March.....	568		310	.581	.67	C.
April.....	3,400	499	2,130	3.99	4.45	A.
May.....	3,400	350	1,420	2.66	3.07	B.
June.....	875	235	625	1.17	1.30	B.
July.....	411	105	189	.354	.41	B.
August.....	130	70	99.2	.186	.21	B.
September.....	212	86	151	.283	.32	B.
October.....	531	156	333	.624	.72	B.
November.....	721	485	610	1.14	1.27	B.
December.....	1,780	545	1,060	1.99	2.29	B.
The year.....	3,400	70	628	1.18	15.97	

NOTE.—Discharge Jan. 1 to Mar. 18 estimated by means of records of discharge at other stations in the upper Hudson River basin, climatologic records, and two discharge measurements made during the period. Mean discharge Mar. 1 to 18 estimated 260 second-feet.

**SACANDAGA RIVER AT WELLS, N. Y.**

**Location.**—At the lower highway bridge in the village of Wells, 1 mile below the mouth of Elbow Creek and  $2\frac{1}{2}$  miles above the mouth of West Branch of Sacandaga River, both streams entering from the right.

**Records available.**—August 25, 1907, to September 30, 1911. Data also in annual reports of the State Water Supply Commission of New York, State engineer and surveyor of New York, and State of New York Conservation Commission. This station was discontinued October 1, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—263 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain; read twice daily. Datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Rough and permanent.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge and by wading.

**Artificial control.**—There are no mills of any importance above the station. There are, however, several small storage reservoirs which hold back water for short periods to be used for logging. The release of this water has little effect on the daily gage readings. During the summer of 1911 a timber dam about 10 feet high was constructed about half a mile below the station on the site of an old dam formerly used for milling. The new dam, which furnishes power for a hardwood-veneer mill, was put in operation August 28, 1911, and caused backwater at the gaging station.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—The low water and middle stage parts of the discharge rating curve are very well developed; but owing to the velocity of the water and the roughness of the channel, it is difficult to get accurate measurements at high stages, and determinations based on gage heights above 7 feet may be somewhat in error. Gage readings subsequent to August 28, 1911, of no value except as they show the effect of backwater from the new dam.

**Cooperation.**—Established and maintained by United States Geological Survey in cooperation with the State Water Supply Commission of New York.



*Discharge measurements of Sacandaga River at Wells, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Jan. 26 <sup>a</sup>	F. J. Shuttleworth.....	4.95	194
Mar. 13 <sup>b</sup>	C. S. De Golyer.....	4.37	166
Apr. 19 <sup>c</sup>	E. S. Cullings.....	6.95	1,660
20 <sup>c</sup>	do.....	7.00	1,740
25 <sup>c</sup>	W. G. Hoyt.....	6.83	1,700
July 23 <sup>d</sup>	C. S. De Golyer.....	3.96	47

<sup>a</sup> Discharge measurement made under partial ice cover.<sup>b</sup> River practically free of ice above gage and for 300 feet below gage.<sup>c</sup> Discharge measurement made by subsurface method using a coefficient of 0.72 to reduce surface velocities to mean velocity.<sup>d</sup> Discharge measurement made by wading one-half mile upstream.*Daily gage height, in feet, of Sacandaga River at Wells, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Frank Stanyon, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.
1.....	6.8	5.2	4.7	5.3	7.8	5.45	4.40	3.82	6.4
2.....	6.7	5.2	4.7	5.2	8.4	5.35	4.36	3.82	7.2
3.....	7.2	5.25	4.6	5.1	7.6	5.3	4.32	3.86	7.0
4.....	7.2	5.2	4.6	5.1	7.5	5.3	4.32	3.78	8.1
5.....	7.2	5.3	4.5	5.1	7.6	5.3	4.28	3.75	9.9
6.....	7.2	5.3	4.5	5.3	7.2	5.4	4.22	3.74	10.2
7.....	7.0	5.2	4.48	6.15	6.4	5.75	4.15	3.71	10.2
8.....	6.7	5.2	4.48	6.6	7.2	5.9	4.08	3.70	10.3
9.....	6.6	5.2	4.45	6.3	7.0	5.6	4.00	3.69	10.5
10.....	6.5	5.1	4.42	6.3	6.4	5.35	4.00	3.68	10.2
11.....	6.25	5.1	4.4	6.3	6.4	5.2	3.92	3.64	10.1
12.....	6.1	5.1	4.42	6.5	6.4	5.65	3.90	3.60	10.1
13.....	5.85	5.1	4.45	6.7	6.4	6.6	3.95	3.60	10.1
14.....	5.9	5.0	4.65	7.1	6.4	6.9	3.90	3.62	10.1
15.....	5.8	5.0	4.45	7.6	6.4	6.4	3.85	3.62	10.2
16.....	5.7	5.05	4.55	7.1	6.4	5.95	3.88	3.60	10.4
17.....	5.6	5.0	4.6	6.8	6.4	5.65	3.88	3.64	10.2
18.....	5.45	5.0	4.6	6.8	6.35	5.5	3.88	3.60	10.1
19.....	5.3	4.9	4.6	6.9	6.3	5.25	3.92	3.60	10.0
20.....	5.2	4.9	4.5	7.0	6.4	5.1	3.90	3.62	10.0
21.....	5.2	4.9	4.5	7.0	6.3	4.9	3.92	3.60	10.0
22.....	5.15	4.8	4.6	6.7	6.45	4.9	3.90	3.62	10.0
23.....	5.1	4.8	4.6	6.5	6.4	4.8	3.80	3.64	10.0
24.....	5.0	4.75	4.6	6.35	6.4	4.8	3.98	3.60	10.0
25.....	5.0	4.75	4.6	6.9	6.35	4.7	4.00	3.59	10.0
26.....	4.98	4.7	4.65	7.5	6.4	4.6	3.94	3.58	10.0
27.....	4.98	4.7	4.85	7.9	6.35	4.5	3.88	3.59	10.1
28.....	5.1	4.68	4.5	8.1	6.0	4.5	3.88	3.95	10.1
29.....	5.25	-----	5.85	8.8	5.75	4.46	3.92	8.2	10.1
30.....	5.2	-----	5.6	8.0	5.7	4.42	3.94	6.2	10.1
31.....	5.2	-----	5.4	-----	5.48	-----	3.94	6.1	-----

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge doubtless affected by ice from Jan. 1 to about Mar. 10. The gage readings were probably to water surface. The gage heights were probably more or less affected by backwater from log jams during April, May, and June. Beginning Aug. 29, the gage heights do not correctly indicate the discharge, as the station was flooded out by backwater from the newly constructed dam below.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Sacandaga River at Wells, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.
1.				530	2,540	620	161	33
2.				475	2,330	560	149	33
3.				425	1,700	530	138	38
4.				425	1,620	530	138	29
5.				425	1,700	530	127	27
6.				530	1,410	590	110	26
7.				1,100	905	815	93	24
8.				1,460	1,410	920	77	23
9.				1,220	1,280	715	60	22
10.				1,220	1,300	560	60	22
11.			161	1,220	1,300	475	46	19
12.			167	1,380	1,300	748	43	17
13.			176	1,540	1,300	1,460	52	17
14.			242	1,890	1,300	1,710	43	18
15.			176	2,350	1,300	1,300	37	18
16.			208	1,890	1,300	955	41	17
17.			225	1,620	1,300	748	41	19
18.			225	1,620	1,260	660	41	17
19.			225	1,710	1,220	502	46	17
20.			192	1,800	1,300	425	43	18
21.			192	1,800	1,220	337	46	17
22.			225	1,540	1,340	337	43	18
23.			225	1,380	1,300	297	31	19
24.			225	1,260	1,300	297	57	17
25.			225	1,710	1,260	260	60	16
26.			242	2,260	1,300	225	50	16
27.			317	2,640	1,260	192	41	16
28.			192	2,840	990	192	41	52
29.			885	3,560	815	180	46	(100)
30.			715	2,740	780	167	50	(160)
31.			590		648		50	(140)

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve. The discharge is determined from the same rating curve used to compute revised estimates for this station published in Water-Supply Paper 281. Daily discharge Aug. 29, 30, and 31 estimated from the discharge at Hadley. Daily discharge May 2 to 9 reduced on account of the backwater from log jam.

*Monthly discharge of Sacandaga River at Wells, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 263 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			240	0.913	1.05	D.
February.....			170	.646	.67	C.
March.....	885		248	.943	1.09	A.
April.....	3,560	425	1,550	5.89	6.57	A.
May.....	2,540	648	1,330	5.06	5.83	A.
June.....	1,710	167	594	2.26	2.52	B.
July.....	161	31	66.5	.253	.29	B.
August.....		16	33.1	.126	.15	B.

NOTE.—Discharge during January, February, and Mar. 1 to 10 has been estimated from the discharge at Hadley. Mean discharge, Mar. 1 to 10, 166 second-feet.

### SACANDAGA RIVER NEAR HOPE, N. Y.

**Location.**—About  $3\frac{1}{2}$  miles above the post office at Hope, 4 miles below the village of Wells, 12 miles above Northville (the nearest railroad station), and  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles below the junction of the East and West branches of the Sacandaga.

**Records available.**—September 15 to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—494 square miles.

**Gage.**—Staff in two sections: A sloping staff reading from 1.00 foot to 4.30 feet, on a slope of 2.5 to 1; a vertical staff (for high water records) attached to a rocky cliff in line with the sloping gage.

**Channel.**—Regular and permanent. Banks are fairly free from timber; high and rocky.

**Discharge measurements.**—The channel was cleared of bowlders and a cable with a span of 214 feet was erected for making discharge measurements.

**Cooperation.**—Established and maintained by United States Geological Survey in cooperation with the New York State Conservation Commission.

*Discharge measurements of Sacandaga River near Hope, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-feet.</i>
Sept. 19	C. S. De Golyer.....	2.04	243
26	do.....	1.87	197
30	do.....	2.33	385
30	do.....	2.34	378

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Sacandaga River near Hope, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Edgar Coulombe, observer.]

Day.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Day.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....		2.28	3.22	3.51	16.....	2.43	2.44	3.52	4.12
2.....		2.80	3.09	3.65	17.....	2.29	2.41	3.21	4.45
3.....		2.70	3.00	3.34	18.....	2.16	3.28	4.28	4.11
4.....		3.97	2.92	3.01	19.....	2.05	4.46	3.95	3.87
5.....		3.44	2.83	2.90	20.....	1.98	4.08	3.74	3.46
6.....		3.12	2.79	3.02	21.....	1.92	3.92	3.60	3.50
7.....		3.14	3.24	2.88	22.....	1.96	3.81	3.43	3.48
8.....		3.26	4.08	2.80	23.....	1.96	4.47	3.20	5.62
9.....		3.18	3.85	2.85	24.....	1.92	4.23	3.31	4.92
10.....		3.05	3.70	3.06	25.....	1.89	3.88	3.20	4.44
11.....		2.93	3.69	3.44	26.....	1.84	3.64	3.12	4.26
12.....		2.81	3.60	4.30	27.....	1.83	3.46	3.06	4.24
13.....		2.72	4.05	5.25	28.....	1.83	3.35	2.96	4.02
14.....		2.62	3.82	4.85	29.....	2.00	3.27	3.78	3.52
15.....	2.24	2.51	3.65	4.35	30.....	2.32	3.10	3.71	3.58
					31.....		3.09		

## SACANDAGA RIVER AT HADLEY, N. Y.

### CABLE STATION.

**Location.**—About half a mile west of the railroad station at Hadley, 1 mile above the confluence of Sacandaga River with the Hudson, and  $4\frac{1}{2}$  miles below the site of the proposed storage dam at Conklingsville. No tributaries between this station and the mouth of the river. Location selected to avoid inaccuracies in the records caused by backwater from log jams.

**Records available.**—September 13, 1907, to December 31, 1910, upper bridge station; September 24, 1909, to midsummer 1911, lower bridge station; January 1 to December 31, 1911, cable station. The cable station replaces the upper and lower bridge stations. Data also in annual reports of the New York State Water Supply Commission, State Conservation Commission, and State engineer and surveyor.

**Drainage area.**—1,050 square miles.

**Gage.**—Recording hydrograph (Barrett-Lawrence type) 30 feet downstream from the cable, in a concrete well 3 feet square, inside dimensions. The bottom of the well is about 2 feet below low water and 12 feet below ground surface. It is connected with the river by a 4-inch cast-iron water pipe 48 feet long, its intake end pointing downstream and protected by a fine wire screen. Inside the well and securely bolted to the side is a staff gage, its zero at elevation 573.36 and referred to a United States Geological Survey aluminum tablet set in the foundation wall

of the Union Bag & Paper Co.'s mill at Hadley. The top of the wall is a concrete shelter 6 feet high and 3 feet square, inside dimensions, for protecting the recording gage. The staff gage is used only as a reference gage.

**Channel.**—Very rough but permanent. The channel at the cable was cleared of bowlders as far as feasible, so that fairly accurate discharge measurements can be made at medium and high stages. Low-water measurements are made at a section about three-fourths of a mile above the cable, where the bottom is smooth and gravelly. Measurements at this point are made from a boat or by wading.

**Winter flow.**—The water in the well and in the intake pipe never freezes over because its level is below the frost line. The relation of gage height to discharge is, however, considerably affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—The discharge rating curve which has been developed for this station is fairly well defined.

**Cooperation.**—Station maintained in cooperation with the New York State Conservation Commission.

#### LOWER BRIDGE.

**Location.**—On the highway bridge a few hundred feet above the mouth of Sacandaga River.

**Records available.**—September 24, 1909, to midsummer, 1911, when the station was discontinued. Data also in annual reports of the New York State Water Supply Commission and the State Conservation Commission.

**Gage.**—Chain; read twice daily; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Rough but permanent.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—Gage heights at times affected by backwater from Hudson River. Conditions fairly good for making discharge measurements. See reports for 1910 for further information regarding this station. Gage heights after about July 7 are valueless, as the relation of gage height to discharge was disturbed by construction work at the bridge.

**Cooperation.**—Established in cooperation with State Water Supply Commission of New York. Gage heights furnished through the courtesy of the Union Bag & Paper Co.

*Discharge measurements of Sacandaga River at cable station at Hadley, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		Feet.	Sec.-ft.
Jan. 18 <sup>a</sup>	F. J. Shuttleworth.....	6.45	886
Apr. 8	W. G. Hoyt.....	5.87	4,300
15	C. C. Covert.....	7.13	7,510
16	Cullings & Clark.....	7.55	8,890
17	Cullings.....	7.61	9,490
20	W. G. Hoyt.....	6.84	6,820
June 6	C. S. De Golyer.....	3.75	1,020
10	G. H. Canfield.....	4.60	2,000
July 11 <sup>b</sup>	.....do.....	2.82	330
11 <sup>b</sup>	.....do.....	2.82	315
12 <sup>b</sup>	.....do.....	2.80	302
12 <sup>b</sup>	.....do.....	2.79	311
29	.....do.....	2.69	258
Sept. 3 <sup>b</sup>	.....do.....	2.97	389
28 <sup>c</sup>	W. G. Hoyt.....	2.94	323
28 <sup>c</sup>	G. H. Canfield.....	2.94	321
28 <sup>c</sup>	W. G. Hoyt.....	2.94	350
29	.....do.....	2.95	356
Oct. 10 <sup>a</sup>	F. Weber.....	4.57	1,800
11	G. H. Canfield.....	4.43	1,640
12 <sup>a</sup>	F. Weber.....	4.29	1,450

<sup>a</sup> Measurement made at cable section; 140 feet ice cover, 92 feet open water.

<sup>b</sup> Measurements made by wading at cable section.

<sup>c</sup> Measurements made from boat  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile above cable.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Sacandaga River at cable station at Hadley, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	4.9	5.3	4.5	5.6	7.2	3.9	3.3	2.68	3.1	3.45	4.7	5.3
2.....	5.0	5.1	4.25	5.5	7.2	4.2	3.2	2.63	2.94	3.65	4.8	5.1
3.....	5.4	5.4	4.3	5.2	7.2	4.05	3.2	2.57	3.0	4.05	4.7	4.9
4.....	6.6	4.9	4.15	5.1	7.1	3.85	3.15	2.52	3.1	4.15	4.6	4.6
5.....	7.3	4.7	4.15	4.9	6.8	3.7	3.05	2.49	3.1	4.5	4.45	4.15
6.....	7.2	5.3	4.0	5.1	6.4	3.9	3.0	2.49	3.05	4.7	4.3	4.15
7.....	7.2	5.4	4.1	5.7	6.1	4.35	2.96	2.46	3.75	4.6	4.5	4.3
8.....	7.0	5.1	4.0	6.0	5.6	4.8	2.92	2.51	3.9	4.7	5.1	4.2
9.....	6.5	4.6	3.95	6.4	5.4	4.9	2.88	2.6	3.95	4.8	5.5	4.15
10.....	6.4	4.7	3.8	6.8	5.0	4.6	2.87	2.56	4.35	4.7	5.5	4.2
11.....	6.1	4.35	3.85	6.8	4.8	4.35	2.82	2.58	4.45	4.45	5.4	4.45
12.....	5.7	4.5	3.8	6.7	4.7	4.2	2.8	2.67	4.15	4.3	5.3	5.0
13.....	5.6	4.2	3.8	6.6	4.6	4.6	2.76	2.52	3.95	4.1	5.5	5.8
14.....	5.5	4.2	3.95	6.8	4.5	5.4	2.72	2.48	3.8	3.95	5.6	6.2
15.....	5.1	4.35	4.1	7.1	4.15	5.5	2.7	2.44	3.55	3.85	5.5	6.3
16.....	5.4	4.45	4.4	7.5	4.4	5.3	2.68	2.4	3.45	3.7	5.3	6.2
17.....	6.0	4.2	4.6	7.6	4.3	5.0	2.71	2.41	3.45	3.65	5.0	6.3
18.....	6.4	4.0	4.35	7.4	4.3	4.7	2.71	2.4	3.4	4.3	5.0	6.3
19.....	6.6	4.2	4.35	7.0	4.3	4.35	2.72	2.4	3.25	6.2	5.6	6.2
20.....	5.0	5.0	4.2	6.8	4.45	4.1	2.74	2.41	3.15	6.4	5.7	5.8
21.....	5.5	4.9	4.15	6.8	4.3	3.9	2.71	2.41	3.05	6.5	5.6	5.4
22.....	5.1	4.6	4.1	6.7	4.0	3.7	2.67	2.4	3.05	6.4	5.4	5.2
23.....	4.6	4.6	4.25	6.6	4.3	3.6	2.62	2.39	3.0	6.3	5.0	5.9
24.....	4.7	4.3	4.5	6.5	4.35	3.5	2.6	2.38	3.0	6.4	4.8	6.6
25.....	4.6	4.25	4.5	6.4	4.5	3.4	2.61	2.39	3.0	6.4	4.8	6.9
26.....	4.4	4.2	4.45	6.5	4.5	3.4	2.67	2.4	3.0	6.1	4.6	6.8
27.....	4.3	4.2	5.1	6.7	4.45	3.35	2.7	2.4	2.97	5.8	4.6	6.6
28.....	4.6	4.6	6.1	6.9	4.4	3.6	2.68	2.6	2.95	5.3	4.5	6.4
29.....	5.2	.....	6.2	7.1	3.95	3.6	2.69	3.1	2.98	5.0	4.8	5.9
30.....	.....	.....	6.2	7.2	4.15	3.45	2.69	3.6	3.15	4.8	5.3	5.5
31.....	5.6	.....	5.8	.....	3.95	.....	2.69	3.3	.....	4.6	.....	5.4

NOTE.—Daily gage heights for 1911 have been determined by a continuous recording automatic gage. The relation of gage height to discharge was probably affected by ice from Jan. 1 to about Mar. 30.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Sacandaga River at cable station at Hadley, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	.....	3,680	7,880	1,060	557	232	435	662	2,050	3,080
2.....	.....	3,470	7,880	1,380	494	212	351	821	2,210	2,710
3.....	.....	2,890	7,880	1,220	494	189	381	1,220	2,050	2,370
4.....	.....	2,710	7,580	1,010	464	171	435	1,350	1,900	1,900
5.....	.....	2,370	6,690	864	408	161	435	1,760	1,700	1,330
6.....	.....	2,710	5,590	1,060	381	161	408	2,050	1,500	1,330
7.....	.....	3,900	4,840	1,570	361	151	910	1,900	1,760	1,500
8.....	.....	4,600	3,680	2,210	341	168	1,060	2,050	2,710	1,380
9.....	.....	5,590	3,270	2,370	322	200	1,110	2,210	3,470	1,330
10.....	700	6,690	2,540	1,900	317	186	1,570	2,050	3,470	1,380
11.....	650	6,690	2,210	1,570	293	193	1,700	1,700	3,270	1,700
12.....	650	6,400	2,050	1,380	284	228	1,330	1,500	3,080	2,540
13.....	650	6,120	1,900	1,900	266	171	1,110	1,270	3,470	4,180
14.....	750	6,690	1,760	3,270	249	157	956	1,110	3,680	5,080
15.....	750	7,580	1,330	3,470	240	144	738	1,010	3,470	5,330
16.....	800	8,780	1,630	3,080	232	131	662	864	3,080	5,080
17.....	850	9,080	1,500	2,540	244	134	662	821	2,540	5,330
18.....	878	8,480	1,500	2,050	244	131	625	1,500	2,540	5,330
19.....	850	7,280	1,500	1,570	249	131	526	5,080	3,680	5,080
20.....	900	6,690	1,700	1,270	258	134	464	5,590	3,900	4,130
21.....	1,000	6,690	1,500	1,060	244	134	408	5,850	3,680	3,270
22.....	930	6,400	1,160	864	228	131	408	5,590	3,270	2,890
23.....	1,000	6,120	1,500	778	208	125	381	5,330	2,540	4,360
24.....	1,080	5,850	1,570	698	200	125	381	5,590	2,210	6,120
25.....	1,080	5,590	1,760	625	204	128	381	5,590	2,210	6,980
26.....	1,360	5,850	1,760	625	228	131	381	4,840	1,900	6,690
27.....	1,650	6,400	1,700	591	240	131	366	4,130	1,900	6,120
28.....	3,310	6,980	1,500	778	232	200	356	3,080	1,760	5,590
29.....	3,830	7,580	1,110	778	236	435	371	2,540	2,210	4,360
30.....	4,210	7,880	1,330	662	236	778	464	2,210	3,080	3,470
31.....	4,130	.....	1,110	.....	236	557	.....	1,900	.....	3,270

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a fairly well-defined discharge rating curve. The discharge Mar. 10 to 14, 18, and 21 to 30 taken from the record at the lower station, where there was probably no back-water from ice. Discharge Mar. 15-17, 19, and 20 estimated on account of ice.

*Monthly discharge of Sacandaga River at cable station at Hadley, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area 1,050 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			1,030	0.981	1.13	C.
February.....			735	.700	.73	B.
March.....			1,250	1.19	1.37	B.
April.....	9,080	2,370	5,920	5.64	6.29	A.
May.....	8,030	1,110	2,930	2.79	3.22	A.
June.....	3,510	591	1,470	1.40	1.56	B.
July.....	598	200	296	.282	.33	B.
August.....	855	125	202	.192	.22	B.
September.....	1,790	351	659	.628	.70	B.
October.....	5,850	662	2,680	2.55	2.94	A.
November.....	3,970	1,500	2,680	2.55	2.84	A.
December.....	7,010	1,330	3,710	3.54	4.08	A.
The year.....	9,080		1,970	1.88	25.41	

NOTE.—Discharge Jan. 1 to Mar. 9 estimated by means of 4 discharge measurements made at the cable and lower bridge stations with ice present, the discharge at Corinth, and climatologic records. Mean discharge Mar. 1 to 9, 733 second-feet.

*Discharge measurements of Sacandaga River at lower bridge at Hadley, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.
Jan. 31 <sup>a</sup>	C. C. Covert.....	<i>Feet.</i> 7.82	<i>Sec.ft.</i> 761
Feb. 10 <sup>b</sup>	.....do.....	7.48	736
27 <sup>c</sup>	.....do.....	5.96	773
Mar. 18 <sup>d</sup>	C. S. Debolyer.....	5.93	878

<sup>a</sup> Ice below bridge causing backwater.

<sup>b</sup> Ice below bridge causing back water and some slush ice for about 40 feet along left-hand abutment.

<sup>c</sup> 55 feet of ice out from left-hand abutment, rest of channel open; thickness of ice 1.0 feet.

<sup>d</sup> River free from ice at bridge; about 200 feet below bridge it extends nearly across the river.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Sacandaga River at lower bridge at Hadley, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Union Bag &amp; Paper Co.'s mills.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.
1.....		8.0	6.3	8.2	10.8	6.0	5.0	4.5
2.....		7.9	6.0	7.7	11.0	6.4		4.45
3.....		8.6	6.0	7.5	11.1	6.2	4.95	4.4
4.....		8.0	5.9		10.8			4.35
5.....	10.1			7.4	10.2	5.6	4.75	4.3
6.....	9.8	8.2		7.5	9.6	5.8	4.7	
7.....	9.2	8.2	5.6	8.2		6.4	4.6	4.25
8.....		8.0	5.7	8.7	8.4	7.3	4.6	4.25
9.....	8.2	7.2	5.6		8.1	7.6		
10.....	8.1	7.4	5.4	8.7	7.7	7.1	4.6	
11.....	7.6	6.9	5.3	9.9	7.4		4.5	
12.....	7.4			9.8	7.2	6.4	4.5	
13.....	7.4	6.4	5.3	10.0	7.2	6.9	4.5	
14.....	7.3	6.4	5.5	10.2		7.8	4.45	4.25
15.....		6.6		10.6	6.4	8.0	4.4	4.15
16.....	7.9	6.9			6.8	7.8		4.15
17.....	8.6	6.8		11.2	6.6	7.6	4.4	4.15
18.....	9.4	6.1		11.2	6.6		4.35	4.15
19.....	9.7			10.7	6.2	6.7	4.4	4.15
20.....	9.5	6.9		10.4	6.8	6.4	4.5	

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Sacandaga River at lower bridge at Hadley, N. Y., for 1911—Continued.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July	Aug.
21.....	8.3	7.2	5.9	10.1	.....	6.0	4.5	4.1
22.....	.....	6.6	5.8	10.1	6.1	5.7	4.45	4.1
23.....	7.7	6.3	5.9	.....	6.6	5.5	.....	4.0
24.....	6.8	6.1	6.0	10.0	6.65	5.3	4.4	.....
25.....	6.6	5.8	6.0	9.8	6.9	.....	4.4	4.0
26.....	6.2	.....	.....	10.1	6.9	5.3	4.5	4.1
27.....	6.2	5.9	6.6	10.2	6.6	5.1	4.5	.....
28.....	6.1	6.3	7.8	10.6	.....	5.5	4.45	4.2
29.....	.....	.....	8.1	10.7	6.0	5.6	4.45	4.9
30.....	6.5	.....	8.3	.....	.....	5.4	.....	5.9
31.....	7.8	.....	8.5	.....	6.0	.....	4.5	5.4

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge probably affected by backwater from ice and log jams from about Jan. 1 to about Mar. 9, and by backwater from the Hudson from about Apr. 11 to about May 14; known to be affected July 8 to Aug. 31 by construction work on the bridge which necessitated the movement of the chain gage.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Sacandaga River at lower bridge at Hadley, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Union Bag & Paper Co.'s mills.]

Day.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Day.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.
1.....	.....	4,020	.....	1,080	520	16.....	810	.....	1,880	3,310	.....
2.....	.....	3,150	.....	1,440	510	17.....	840	.....	1,650	2,990	.....
3.....	.....	2,840	.....	1,250	500	18.....	880	.....	1,650	2,380	.....
4.....	.....	2,780	.....	1,030	464	19.....	920	.....	1,250	1,700	.....
5.....	.....	2,690	.....	805	428	20.....	960	.....	1,880	1,440	.....
6.....	.....	2,840	.....	930	410	21.....	1,000	.....	1,520	1,080	.....
7.....	.....	4,020	.....	1,440	380	22.....	930	.....	1,160	865	.....
8.....	.....	5,030	.....	2,540	.....	23.....	1,000	.....	1,650	750	.....
9.....	.....	5,030	.....	2,990	.....	24.....	1,080	.....	1,700	650	.....
10.....	700	5,030	.....	2,260	.....	25.....	1,080	.....	2,000	650	.....
11.....	650	.....	.....	1,850	.....	26.....	1,360	.....	2,000	650	.....
12.....	650	.....	.....	1,440	.....	27.....	1,650	.....	1,650	560	.....
13.....	650	.....	.....	2,000	.....	28.....	3,310	.....	1,360	750	.....
14.....	750	.....	.....	3,310	.....	29.....	3,830	.....	1,080	805	.....
15.....	780	.....	1,440	3,650	.....	30.....	4,210	.....	1,080	700	.....
						31.....	4,610	.....	1,080	.....	.....

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a discharge rating curve not very well defined. Discharge for days omitted from the record during periods Jan. 1 to Mar. 9, and Apr. 11 to May 14 affected by backwater from ice, log jams, or high stages in the Hudson. The record omitted July 8 to Aug. 31 was affected by change in the gage necessitated by construction work at the bridge. Mean discharge for June, when there was probably no backwater was 1,580 second-feet. Discharge interpolated for days on which the gage was not read.

#### **WEST BRANCH OF SACANDAGA RIVER AT BLACKBRIDGE, NEAR WELLS, N. Y.**

**Location.**—On the highway bridge known as Blackbridge, about 3 miles west of Wells and 2 miles above the junction of the East and West branches of Sacandaga River.

Replaces station formerly located at Whitehouse.

**Records available.**—March 14 to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—211 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain, attached to upstream side of the highway bridge; read twice daily; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Rocky and permanent; two channels at extreme high water.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge and by wading. Section beneath the bridge was cleared of bowlders in September, 1911.

**Artificial control.**—Gage heights slightly affected by storage dams used for logging in the spring.

**Winter flow.**—Probably little affected by ice. Stream open during greater part of the winter.

**Cooperation.**—Established in cooperation with the State of New York Conservation Commission.

*Discharge measurements of West Branch of Sacandaga River at Blackbridge, near Wells, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
July 23	C. S. De Golyer	<i>Fect.</i> 3.10	<i>Sec.-ft.</i> 75
Sept. 29	do	3.65	185
29	do	3.65	176
30	do	3.80	218

<sup>a</sup> Gage heights uncertain, as gage was slightly disturbed and had not been reset by level.

NOTE.—Measurements made by wading under upstream side of bridge.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of West Branch of Sacandaga River at Blackbridge, near Wells, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.		4.85	6.62	4.40	3.72	2.94	3.53	3.70	4.35	4.76
2.		4.68	7.51	4.08	3.70	2.90	3.26	3.80	4.45	4.66
3.		4.56	6.26	4.04	3.66	2.85	3.47	3.90	4.40	4.45
4.		4.58	6.19	3.80	3.58	2.89	3.32	4.40	4.25	4.35
5.		4.62	6.14	4.32	3.55	2.84	3.20	4.65	4.35	4.35
6.		4.84	5.57	4.06	3.51	3.75	3.88	4.50	4.15	4.25
7.		5.68	5.06	4.52	3.50	3.42	3.96	4.30	4.55	4.10
8.		5.07	5.25	4.34	3.51	3.06	4.15	3.11	5.20	4.10
9.		5.33	4.47	4.06	3.48	3.31	4.31	4.51	5.15	4.20
10.		5.23	1.55	4.10	3.44	3.16	4.32	4.55	5.15	4.51
11.		5.12	4.15	3.99	3.40	2.99	4.24	4.45	5.05	4.75
12.		5.28	4.20	3.86	3.38	2.96	4.02	4.25	5.10	5.80
13.		5.52	4.55	4.70	3.36	3.83	3.92	4.10	5.25	6.45
14.	3.84	5.98	4.85	5.46	3.32	3.76	3.84	3.15	5.15	5.55
15.	4.92	6.10	4.40	4.86	3.27	3.64	3.91	4.46	6.50	5.80
16.	5.30	6.14	4.40	4.86	3.42	3.48	3.78	3.80	4.55	5.56
17.	5.40	6.04	5.65	4.54	3.46	3.35	3.66	3.75	6.20	5.60
18.	4.67	5.90	4.65	4.42	3.40	2.95	3.50	4.50	5.10	5.65
19.	4.53	5.90	4.80	4.24	3.23	2.86	(a)	4.25	5.40	5.25
20.	4.46	5.85	5.20	4.03	3.18	2.99	(a)	5.20	5.15	5.20
21.	4.14	6.00	4.76	3.84	3.08	2.94	(a)	5.20	5.05	4.95
22.	3.97	5.90	4.80	3.82	2.95	2.88	(a)	1.35	4.55	4.76
23.	4.24	5.85	5.20	3.74	3.08	2.82	3.14	5.70	4.35	6.80
24.	4.13	5.82	5.02	3.64	3.26	2.78	3.08	5.40	4.70	5.60
25.	4.08	5.74	5.05	3.62	3.40	2.74	3.10	4.35	4.55	5.45
26.	3.96	6.41	5.00	3.57	3.22	2.82	3.10	5.10	4.25	5.51
27.	4.76	6.68	4.28	3.61	3.14	2.90	3.10	5.05	4.25	5.65
28.	5.74	7.45	4.12	3.73	3.08	3.14	3.10	4.65	4.25	6.65
29.	5.42	7.40	4.12	3.60	3.02	4.15	3.53	4.50	4.65	4.95
30.	4.90	7.10	4.08	3.68	2.96	3.88	3.80	4.30	4.81	4.76
31.	5.04	4.15	4.15	2.98	3.66	3.66	3.90	3.90	4.96	4.96

<sup>a</sup> Record missing, gage injured by blasting in river channel; readings for remainder of year may be slightly in error.

### HOOSIC RIVER NEAR EAGLE BRIDGE, N. Y.

**Location.**—1½ miles above the village of Eagle Bridge and ½ mile below the mouth of Walloomsac River coming in from the right. Owlkill Creek enters from the right at Eagle Bridge. Replaces station formerly maintained at Buskirk. The Buskirk station was abandoned because the relation between gage height and discharge was affected by backwater caused by the construction of a dam at Johnsonville.



**Records available.**—August 13, 1910, to December 31, 1911. For the station formerly maintained at Buskirk, 4 miles below, records are available from September 25, 1903, to December 31, 1908. Data published also in annual reports of New York State engineer and surveyor.

**Drainage area.**—512 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain, supported by cantilever arm on a tree on the left bank about 400 feet above the residence of James Russell. Datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Bed of river composed of gravel; liable to shift. Control point about 400 feet below the gage.

**Discharge measurements.**—At low stages made by wading; at high stages made from the highway bridge in the village of Eagle Bridge,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles below. To determine the flow of the river past the gage by measurements made at the highway bridge it is necessary to measure the flow of Owlkill Creek, which enters just above the bridge, and subtract the amount from the measured flow at the bridge. A cable is to be erected at this station.

**Artificial control.**—The dam of Walter A. Wood & Co. is located at Hoosic Falls, about 2 miles above the gage. Walloomsac River is also partly controlled, and the effect of the operation of the mills is observable at the gage. On this account the gage heights should be used with caution.

**Accuracy.**—Discharge rating not sufficiently developed to warrant the publication of determinations of discharge.

**Cooperation.**—Established and maintained by the United States Geological Survey in cooperation with the State engineer and surveyor of New York.

*Discharge measurements of Hoosic River near Eagle Bridge, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Jan. 30 <sup>a</sup>	F. J. Shutteworth.....	9.26	b 1,460
Mar. 15	Hoyt, Cullings, Preston.....	8.82	b 852
June 16	W. G. Hoyt.....	8.54	b 972
Aug. 23 <sup>c</sup>	F. Weber.....	7.20	197
23 <sup>c</sup>	do.....	6.95	120
Sept. 26 <sup>c</sup>	G. H. Canfield.....	7.59	348
26 <sup>c</sup>	W. G. Hoyt.....	7.38	263

<sup>a</sup> River free of ice.

<sup>b</sup> Discharge measurements made at highway bridge, 2 miles below gage; discharge corrected for flow in Owlkill Creek.

<sup>c</sup> Discharge measurements made by wading near gage.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Hoosic River near Eagle Bridge, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	9.30	8.35	8.15	9.22	9.30	7.60	7.13	7.18	7.35	8.08	8.98	9.10
2.....	10.90	8.15	7.75	8.65	10.55	7.55	7.25	7.10	7.35	8.52	8.65	8.88
3.....	12.45	7.95	7.80	8.60	9.65	7.55	7.20	7.02	7.13	8.40	8.55	8.62
4.....	11.15	8.30	7.75	8.55	9.15	7.20	7.10	7.05	7.20	8.48	8.42	8.62
5.....	9.45	8.40	7.70	9.35	8.85	7.55	7.08	6.77	7.10	9.48	8.28	8.30
6.....	9.15	7.95	7.75	11.10	8.70	7.65	7.05	6.80	7.40	8.70	8.40	8.35
7.....	9.20	7.95	7.70	12.20	8.40	7.85	7.12	7.15	7.87	9.05	8.68	8.35
8.....	8.78	8.10	7.65	10.80	8.40	7.80	7.15	7.18	8.08	8.88	8.75	8.35
9.....	9.30	7.95	7.70	10.45	8.50	7.60	6.85	7.15	7.53	8.68	8.48	8.35
10.....	8.55	8.00	7.65	10.00	8.15	7.40	7.08	6.90	9.78	8.50	8.45	8.25
11.....	8.40	7.90	7.70	9.65	8.05	7.25	7.25	7.08	8.57	8.32	8.38	8.32
12.....		7.95	7.60	9.60	8.00	7.72	6.90	6.77	8.28	8.20	8.20	8.50
13.....		7.90	7.70	9.65	8.10	9.72	7.08	6.78	7.90	8.18	9.48	8.55
14.....			8.00	10.38	8.05	9.70	6.98	6.65	7.78	7.92	8.80	8.40
15.....			10.40	12.20	8.15	8.80	6.70	6.77	7.67	7.85	8.75	8.40

Daily gage height, in feet, of Hoosic River near Eagle Bridge, N. Y., for 1911—Contd.

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
16.....	8.00	.....	8.80	11.05	7.95	8.50	6.72	6.90	7.97	7.95	8.75	8.90
17.....	7.85	.....	8.15	10.15	7.85	8.35	7.15	7.05	7.95	7.90	8.52	9.30
18.....	7.95	8.75	8.15	9.65	7.80	8.00	7.12	7.02	7.82	7.95	9.48	9.28
19.....	8.00	8.60	8.00	9.60	7.90	7.95	7.03	7.18	7.83	12.45	9.02	8.95
20.....	8.00	8.20	8.20	9.45	8.55	7.98	7.08	6.95	7.68	10.85	9.32	8.60
21.....	8.05	8.25	8.00	9.30	8.05	7.73	6.95	7.00	7.67	9.90	9.22	8.50
22.....	8.00	7.78	8.30	9.40	7.90	7.75	7.00	6.75	7.50	10.88	8.98	8.58
23.....	7.95	7.70	9.60	9.25	7.80	7.60	6.80	6.80	7.63	11.62	8.72	11.60
24.....	7.95	7.75	8.50	9.05	7.65	7.55	7.08	6.95	7.62	10.58	8.92	10.40
25.....	7.80	7.75	8.15	9.30	7.70	7.28	7.58	6.73	7.63	9.75	9.10	9.75
26.....	7.80	8.00	8.40	9.60	7.75	7.57	7.20	6.85	7.47	9.45	8.60	9.55
27.....	8.10	8.80	11.45	9.65	7.55	7.58	7.12	7.05	7.52	9.20	8.75	9.75
28.....	12.65	8.50	13.00	9.80	7.52	7.62	7.00	7.30	7.55	8.98	8.72	9.50
29.....	9.25	.....	10.00	9.65	7.50	7.52	7.30	8.97	7.62	8.78	10.18	8.85
30.....	9.22	.....	11.52	9.45	7.25	7.48	7.12	8.30	8.10	8.68	9.42	8.70
31.....	8.05	.....	9.85	.....	7.40	.....	7.20	7.75	.....	8.60	.....	8.55

NOTE.—Information regarding ice at this station is incomplete. The observer states that the ice passed out of the river during the night of Jan. 2 and on Mar. 18. Relation of gage height to discharge probably more or less affected by backwater from ice during the greater part of January, February, and March.

### SCHOHARIE CREEK AT PRATTSVILLE, N. Y.

**Location.**—At the single-span steel highway bridge at Prattsville.

**Records available.**—November 7, 1902, to December 31, 1911. Data also in reports of State engineer and surveyor, State of New York.

**Drainage area.**—240 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard Board of Water Supply chain gage attached to the floor of the bridge on the upstream side near the left bank; established May 7, 1907, to replace the old gage, which was dilapidated and unwieldy. The old datum, 1,130.03 feet (United States Geological Survey bench mark), was preserved. Gage was read morning and evening by Miss Edna M. Snyder, of Prattsville, N. Y., until September 30, 1910, and by her brother, Charles Snyder, after that date.

**Channel.**—All the water passes between the abutments of the bridge except at the very highest stages.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge at high stages; at low stages measurements may be made by wading at a point about 500 feet below the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—The winter record is obtained from a temporary gage established at a point about 500 feet below the bridge, where there is a sufficient velocity to prevent the channel from freezing over.

**Artificial control.**—Flow probably practically unaffected by fluctuations of stage from storage above Prattsville.

**Cooperation.**—Station assumed May 7, 1907, by the Board of Water Supply of the City of New York, by which discharge tables were furnished.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Schoharie Creek at Prattsville, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	530	231	452	512	721	98	98	21	106	59	285	335
2.....	1,600	182	476	440	1,170	90	98	25	98	59	173	325
3.....	3,250	158	416	416	621	80	98	24	106	57	85	285
4.....	1,725	206	452	551	512	73	85	21	85	57	35	300
5.....	990	170	392	3,925	488	90	80	18	98	73	15	275
6.....	753	152	325	2,600	428	153	80	18	122	112	61	275
7.....	713	142	325	2,138	368	205	73	20	335	205	205	265
8.....	649	205	275	2,175	300	1,260	57	21	340	240	374	235
9.....	551	170	285	2,200	285	476	40	25	368	217	265	245
10.....	452	135	285	1,888	250	300	25	25	340	205	255	235
11.....	551	114	380	1,107	217	285	29	24	315	201	235	245
12.....	621	128	368	801	225	1,680	25	25	275	177	250	245
13.....	537	128	410	1,197	235	2,262	21	18	177	185	670	225
14.....	745	100	410	1,125	250	1,680	21	18	145	177	551	250
15.....	721	114	410	963	250	1,197	41	18	125	165	452	488
16.....	565	122	825	963	235	865	30	16	122	157	410	500
17.....	530	100	905	1,400	193	825	30	18	104	138	374	452
18.....	500	348	721	621	193	476	25	21	95	250	1,017	428
19.....	402	520	705	583	193	392	30	21	95	2,738	721	392
20.....	317	360	691	698	201	325	29	18	80	2,200	512	368
21.....	276	278	621	649	185	250	25	21	106	1,530	428	350
22.....	256	260	649	635	177	217	21	21	90	1,017	404	368
23.....	220	128	579	621	165	185	29	21	78	2,388	392	1,053
24.....	184	122	350	500	153	177	30	20	73	1,650	434	881
25.....	168	128	392	476	145	153	21	20	66	1,242	440	392
26.....	194	490	300	452	125	138	21	30	57	990	368	428
27.....	264	260	1,888	500	125	138	18	29	59	656	325	452
28.....	626	260	1,520	579	118	131	21	35	59	586	325	452
29.....	504	.....	801	600	112	118	21	193	61	551	488	2,200
30.....	426	.....	769	565	106	98	29	138	68	392	392	2,725
31.....	315	.....	551	.....	106	.....	21	112	.....	368	.....	3,070

NOTE.—Ice conditions from Jan. 1 to Mar. 24.

*Monthly discharge of Schoharie Creek at Prattsville, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 240 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	3,250	168	649	2.70	3.121
February.....	520	100	204	.85	.887
March.....	1,888	275	578	2.41	2.779
April.....	3,925	416	1,063	4.43	4.938
May.....	1,170	106	286	1.19	1.369
June.....	2,262	73	481	2.00	2.232
July.....	98	18	41	.17	.193
August.....	193	16	34	.14	.161
September.....	368	57	142	.59	.655
October.....	2,738	57	614	2.56	2.950
November.....	1,017	15	365	1.52	1.694
December.....	3,070	225	600	2.50	2.904
The year.....	3,925	15	422	1.76	23.883

### KINDERHOOK CREEK AT ROSSMAN, N. Y.

**Location.**—On highway bridge at Rossman, N. Y.,  $3\frac{1}{4}$  miles above the confluence of the creek, through Stockport Creek, with Hudson River, 1 mile above the mouth of Claversack Creek, which it joins to form Stockport Creek, and 9 miles by road above the village of Hudson.

**Records available.**—March 17, 1906, to December 31, 1909. Data published also in annual reports of State engineer and surveyor, State of New York.

**Drainage area.**—331 square miles.

**Gage.**—Tape and weight type attached to highway bridge; read twice daily; datum unchanged since established.

**Channel.**—Rock with some soil on sides.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from single-span steel highway bridge.

**Artificial control.**—Low-water flow practically controlled by several power plants and paper mills above the station. Several small lakes also tend to affect low-water flow for short periods.

**Winter flow.**—Considerably affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—Open-channel discharge rating curve very well defined. Determinations of discharge during winter months and extreme low stages liable to large errors. Accurate computation of the diurnal fluctuation of discharge caused by the operation of the mills above the station has been rendered impossible by insufficient funds. It is proposed to install an automatic gage to determine the relation between the daily gage heights heretofore recorded and the true mean gage heights, thus making possible the publication of accurate computations of daily discharge from the inception of the station to date. The gage heights for 1911 are withheld pending this investigation, as no gage heights recorded at this station are true indices of the daily discharge. No measurements were made during 1911.

**Cooperation.**—Station established by United States Geological Survey in cooperation with State engineer and surveyor of New York.

### ESOPUS CREEK NEAR OLIVE BRIDGE, N. Y.

**Location.**—About 1 mile below Olive Bridge post office, at a weir constructed for the purpose of determining the flow of the creek.

**Records available.**—October 17, 1906, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of the New York State engineer and surveyor.

**Drainage area.**—239 square miles.

**Gage.**—Friez automatic water-stage register geared 1 to 1 and running 24 hours, in a well 24 inches in diameter, situated 53 feet upstream from the crest of the weir. Water is admitted to this well through a three-fourths-inch pipe extending 16 feet out into the stream in which, spaced 6 inches apart, are one-eighth-inch holes bored vertically through the pipe. The center of this pipe is 18 inches above the bed of the stream. The automatic gage was installed December 5, 1906. From October 17, 1906, to December 5, 1906, head of water on the weir was read three times daily and reduced in the usual manner.

**Discharge measurement.**—Computations of discharge over the weir are made from a formula deduced from the results of experiments made by the United States Geological Survey in the hydraulic laboratory at Cornell University in series 30, described in Water-Supply Papers 150 and 200. The weir is of concrete 193.90 feet between abutments and 7.54 feet (average height for entire length) above the rock in which it is founded. To form a channel of approach the abutments have been extended upstream at right angles with the axis of the weir for a distance of 16 feet; area of channel of approach below crest of weir, 1,462 square feet. Abutments extend 14 feet above the level of the crest; it is estimated that a flow of 40,000 cubic feet per second can be taken care of.

**Winter flow.**—The ice which forms between the wing walls which define the channel of approach is kept cut away during the winter so that there may be no change in conditions of flow caused by ice.

**Artificial control.**—The effect of such slight fluctuations in daily stage as may result from power control above Olive Bridge is practically eliminated from the records by the use of the automatic gage.

**Cooperation.**—Weir constructed by the Board of Water Supply of the city of New York, by which the discharge data are furnished.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Esopus Creek (weir station) near Olive Bridge, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	542	308	264	872	683	172	152	92	150	139	512	493
2.....	1,191	301	256	705	818	128	130	78	86	399	437	475
3.....	2,350	286	235	598	757	113	120	78	58	277	392	456
4.....	1,707	525	235	556	662	108	119	78	44	256	375	428
5.....	1,191	630	286	862	580	127	208	75	38	277	336	358
6.....	874	358	294	2,082	527	228	256	72	194	235	346	354
7.....	785	448	144	2,727	475	304	194	81	228	475	708	326
8.....	620	448	169	1,923	443	646	146	80	201	437	512	345
9.....	560	410	278	1,564	398	387	130	70	297	375	448	366
10.....	392	437	333	1,255	375	292	144	62	306	326	446	366
11.....	375	340	215	1,118	345	292	119	64	294	301	502	350
12.....	437	278	228	989	322	974	105	67	267	271	636	340
13.....	475	319	228	901	322	2,482	100	67	216	255	666	333
14.....	550	264	256	990	304	1,906	100	60	173	228	590	312
15.....	600	242	312	1,471	282	1,449	110	60	162	217	630	340
16.....	420	294	358	1,250	271	1,052	122	53	173	206	590	483
17.....	340	358	264	1,020	256	736	122	64	158	200	542	658
18.....	350	410	271	856	256	566	127	62	150	2,150	1,054	550
19.....	358	326	222	748	264	472	106	66	155	3,810	1,030	502
20.....	375	256	294	856	235	412	105	66	137	2,570	868	452
21.....	366	228	333	792	218	345	105	53	108	2,005	776	437
22.....	312	235	467	750	198	313	110	53	136	2,134	694	525
23.....	264	242	785	690	185	292	102	53	143	2,593	610	1,191
24.....	235	258	420	620	187	252	187	53	134	1,930	600	967
25.....	249	286	366	563	185	222	160	53	124	1,427	585	850
26.....	256	437	375	554	166	202	122	72	133	1,141	491	785
27.....	271	542	1,930	598	153	188	113	78	124	967	448	840
28.....	467	308	2,680	674	144	175	105	97	124	798	410	743
29.....	366	.....	1,454	720	130	150	105	351	124	658	566	600
30.....	375	.....	1,870	696	128	139	105	272	127	580	525	512
31.....	294	.....	1,178	.....	113	.....	102	202	.....	532	.....	600

*Monthly discharge of Esopus Creek (weir station) near Olive Bridge, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 239 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile	
January.....	2,350	235	579	2.42	2.802
February.....	630	228	349	1.46	1.527
March.....	2,680	144	548	2.29	2.655
April.....	2,727	554	1,000	4.18	4.671
May.....	818	113	336	1.41	1.616
June.....	2,482	108	504	2.11	2.355
July.....	256	100	130	.54	.629
August.....	351	53	88	.37	.421
September.....	306	38	159	.67	.740
October.....	3,810	139	909	3.80	4.392
November.....	1,054	336	578	2.42	2.701
December.....	1,191	312	527	2.21	2.552
The year.....	3,810	38	476	1.99	27.061

### ESOPUS CREEK AT MOUNT MARION, N. Y.

**Location.**—At the single-span steel highway bridge at Pleasant Valley, on the Saugerties road, 1 mile east of Mount Marion station on the West Shore Railroad.

**Records available.**—April 4, 1907, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of State engineer and surveyor, State of New York.

**Drainage area.**—378 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard Board of Water Supply chain gage fastened to the downstream side of the bridge, read twice daily. In May, 1908, the floor of the bridge was renewed, but provision was made for accurate gage readings during that period.

**Channel.**—Straight for about 1,000 feet above the station and 600 feet below, one at all stages. Bed, ledge rock with strata steeply inclined, giving jagged corners and irregular but permanent cross section. Banks rocky and steep; right bank about 40 feet above water level; left bank at least 100 feet high.

**Discharge measurements.**—At high stages made from the bridge; at low stages at a wading section three-fourths of a mile above the bridge and about three-fourths of a mile below Glenerie Falls; 200 feet from the Kingston-Saugerties road which parallels the creek on the right bank. At the wading section, which is used only when the water is less than 3 feet deep, the bed is gravelly and liable to some change, but the current is swift and good measurements are obtained. The banks at the wading section are of the same character as those at the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice. Measurements through the ice; gage readings to ice and water.

**Accuracy.**—Such slight fluctuation in daily stage as may result from the operation of the power plants above Mount Marion probably causes no material error in the estimates of daily discharge.

**Cooperation.**—Station established and records furnished by Board of Water Supply, city of New York. Gage read morning and afternoon by John Sauer, of Saugerties.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Esopus Creek at Mount Marion, N. Y., for 1911.*

Date.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	575	480	575	1,590	900	182	173	155	550	151	810	810
2.....	1,390	469	475	1,259	1,021	169	164	146	335	443	700	780
3.....	2,500	446	335	1,070	951	164	155	138	178	565	615	735
4.....	2,676	818	247	930	810	155	146	130	135	427	565	715
5.....	1,550	980	234	1,000	715	169	234	130	120	387	525	575
6.....	1,231	559	210	2,480	635	200	222	130	288	355	475	575
7.....	1,000	706	200	3,060	565	312	210	151	355	325	1,231	585
8.....	810	700	132	2,580	515	1,000	200	146	335	828	930	515
9.....	965	639	173	2,280	455	810	200	138	455	650	780	500
10.....	725	680	191	2,200	435	675	200	130	550	550	725	475
11.....	600	530	260	1,950	415	575	237	122	550	485	685	475
12.....	525	433	355	1,707	395	585	222	115	550	265	665	455
13.....	615	496	355	1,406	375	4,225	206	108	447	387	1,049	455
14.....	900	412	403	1,566	347	3,618	200	97	387	335	912	415
15.....	979	376	700	1,833	318	2,700	191	94	355	312	930	443
16.....	750	458	1,070	1,797	303	2,013	187	94	229	288	930	700
17.....	585	558	870	1,510	303	1,454	173	94	210	288	852	1,231
18.....	475	639	585	1,301	288	1,105	191	101	196	1,091	1,430	1,000
19.....	409	508	475	1,105	288	792	182	101	182	7,500	1,995	870
20.....	391	399	443	1,390	273	600	173	101	173	4,932	1,617	750
21.....	391	356	725	1,315	260	515	173	94	164	3,346	1,350	685
22.....	373	366	888	1,245	247	443	164	94	164	4,375	1,189	700
23.....	338	378	840	1,119	234	387	164	94	155	4,932	965	1,815
24.....	301	402	768	1,021	234	318	260	101	146	3,562	965	1,743
25.....	273	445	725	912	222	282	239	105	138	2,430	1,035	1,430
26.....	259	680	685	951	206	255	215	111	135	1,887	840	1,259
27.....	259	843	2,844	1,021	200	234	195	111	130	1,510	768	1,350
28.....	665	480	5,220	1,000	182	215	177	155	127	1,290	715	1,210
29.....	550	.....	2,724	965	173	200	164	147	135	1,105	979	780
30.....	475	.....	3,660	951	164	187	164	525	155	930	852	768
31.....	375	.....	2,085	.....	164	.....	164	550	.....	780	.....	750

**NOTE.**—Ice conditions from Jan. 19 to Jan. 26 and from Feb. 7 to Mar. 11.

*Monthly discharge of Esopus Creek at Mount Marion, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 378 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	2,676	259	784	2.07	2.356
February.....	980	356	544	1.44	1.501
March.....	5,220	173	952	2.52	2.906
April.....	3,660	912	1,504	3.98	4.438
May.....	1,021	164	406	1.07	1.240
June.....	4,225	155	818	2.17	2.417
July.....	260	146	192	.51	.586
August.....	550	94	152	.40	.464
September.....	550	120	268	.71	.790
October.....	7,500	151	1,506	3.99	4.595
November.....	1,995	475	936	2.48	2.762
December.....	1,815	415	824	2.18	2.518
The year.....	7,500	94	739	1.97	26.573

**RONDOUT CREEK AT ROSENDALE, N. Y.**

**Location.**—At single-span steel highway bridge at Rosendale.

**Records available.**—July 6, 1901, to December 31, 1911, except from November 7, 1903, to December, 1905. Data also in annual reports of the State engineer and surveyor, State of New York.

**Drainage area.**—380 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard Board of Water Supply chain gage fastened to the middle panel on the downstream side of the bridge. This gage was established June 1, 1907, to replace the original gage.

**Channel.**—One at all stages.

**Discharge measurements.**—At high and medium stages made from the bridge; at low stages by wading at a point about 1,000 feet below the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—The winter flow is obtained by actual measurements at selected stations on the creek through the ice and by wading, and by comparison with gage readings to water and ice at the bridge.

**Diversions.**—A portion of the water of the creek is diverted by a dam below High Falls and sent through the Delaware & Hudson Canal, and is returned to the creek below the gaging station. At Rock Locks, about 1½ miles below Rosendale, there is an overflow weir from which the discharge of the canal may be approximately determined. The weir, the crest of which is 3.8 feet in length, is at the left end of the lock and is equipped with a standard Board of Water Supply staff gage.

**Artificial control.**—Slight daily fluctuations in stage are caused by storage at Honk Falls, Napanoch, and to some extent at High Falls. Proper allowance is made in the daily discharge records for the water diverted to the Delaware & Hudson Canal.

**Cooperation.**—Tables of discharge furnished by the Board of Water Supply of the City of New York, by which the station was assumed on June 1, 1907.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Rondout Creek at Rosendale, N. Y., for 1911.

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	1,056	391	501	2,072	773	213	370	100	559	454	821	220
2.....	2,755	364	421	1,310	741	248	208	147	486	1,118	757	232
3.....	3,882	358	370	1,073	685	260	208	94	335	877	709	304
4.....	2,234	340	352	1,136	629	236	232	82	184	717	629	405
5.....	1,403	316	328	1,765	581	181	208	97	275	645	581	733
6.....	840	391	316	3,022	533	228	256	100	393	477	669	741
7.....	823	364	340	2,840	509	371	268	104	359	1,734	765	701
8.....	674	377	358	2,840	469	934	196	94	305	1,218	741	725
9.....	625	364	421	2,448	533	662	178	82	398	805	725	693
10.....	570	352	377	2,060	501	510	170	116	550	669	725	677
11.....	524	316	358	1,699	473	985	147	88	790	597	725	661
12.....	598	304	391	1,424	457	2,269	129	97	527	565	853	629
13.....	668	304	429	1,271	457	3,749	108	66	335	533	1,019	605
14.....	1,208	322	437	1,320	456	3,403	88	68	305	501	917	645
15.....	1,102	279	405	2,714	441	2,025	82	73	341	391	837	965
16.....	577	268	413	2,192	408	1,236	66	54	347	316	853	1,787
17.....	573	268	1,127	1,523	401	917	70	39	293	298	853	1,820
18.....	688	398	1,091	1,330	498	805	138	25	215	4,051	2,240	1,391
19.....	715	525	693	1,310	770	709	135	36	179	7,702	2,370	1,091
20.....	584	469	661	2,168	426	669	170	46	158	4,102	1,809	861
21.....	493	364	853	2,024	357	581	147	36	146	3,476	1,413	983
22.....	444	322	1,181	1,699	296	469	116	39	182	5,700	1,217	1,928
23.....	427	252	1,710	1,523	271	437	79	39	178	5,800	1,100	2,120
24.....	382	310	1,320	1,340	246	391	129	45	154	3,260	1,091	1,699
25.....	372	370	1,163	1,271	236	352	274	58	141	2,060	1,840	1,369
26.....	351	469	1,127	1,235	212	316	186	98	162	1,567	1,199	1,163
27.....	444	565	4,050	1,163	200	316	170	136	154	1,300	1,091	1,350
28.....	1,098	533	4,900	1,091	199	304	147	133	170	1,136	1,019	1,310
29.....	570	.....	5,200	917	210	377	135	327	268	957	1,037	1,190
30.....	497	.....	4,400	821	210	429	123	356	422	837	1,001	1,073
31.....	396	.....	3,064	.....	234	.....	150	369	.....	805	.....	965

NOTE.—These discharges include the flow of the Delaware & Hudson Canal, which was open from Apr. 17 to Nov. 2. Discharge affected by ice Jan. 1 to Feb. 25.

Monthly discharge of Rondout Creek at Rosendale, N. Y., for 1911.

[Drainage area, 380 square miles.]

Month,	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	3,882	351	870	2.29	2.639
February.....	565	252	366	.96	1.004
March.....	5,200	316	1,250	3.29	3.792
April.....	3,022	821	1,687	4.44	4.951
May.....	773	199	433	1.14	1.316
June.....	3,749	181	818	2.16	2.399
July.....	370	66	164	.43	.496
August.....	369	25	105	.27	.315
September.....	790	141	310	.83	.912
October.....	7,702	298	1,763	4.65	5.351
November.....	2,370	581	1,037	2.73	3.040
December.....	2,120	220	1,001	2.64	3.039
The year.....	7,702	25	819	2.16	29.254



## PASSAIC RIVER BASIN.

## PASSAIC RIVER NEAR CHATHAM, N. J.

**Location.**—At the second bridge, about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles upstream from Chatham and about 3 miles above the mouth of Canoe Brook, which enters from the east. There are no important tributaries in the immediate vicinity of the station.

**Records available.**—February 10, 1903, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—101 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain attached to bridge. Datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Rocky and fairly permanent; poor distribution of velocity at low stages.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from bridge or by wading. No measurements have been made since 1909.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—Good. (See also Water-Supply Paper 281.)

**Cooperation.**—Station established and maintained by the United States Weather Bureau.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Passaic River near Chatham, N. J., for 1911.*

[M. A. Butler, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	2.3	2.5	3.1	3.4	2.2	2.5	2.3	2.1	3.6	2.1	2.3	2.4
2.....	2.8	2.4	2.8	3.2	2.2	2.6	2.3	2.1	3.4	2.8	2.2	2.3
3.....	3.5	2.4	2.5	3.0	2.2	2.5	2.2	2.1	3.2	2.8	2.2	2.3
4.....	5.5	3.4	2.3	2.8	2.2	2.4	2.2	2.1	3.0	2.6	2.2	2.3
5.....	.....	3.2	2.2	3.5	2.2	2.3	2.2	2.1	2.8	2.5	2.2	2.3
6.....	.....	3.0	2.2	3.8	2.2	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.4	2.4	2.2	2.2
7.....	.....	3.0	2.2	3.6	2.1	2.5	2.2	2.1	2.2	2.7	2.8	2.2
8.....	.....	3.5	2.2	3.4	2.1	2.5	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.5	2.6	2.2
9.....	.....	3.5	2.1	3.3	2.1	2.4	2.2	2.1	2.0	2.4	2.5	2.2
10.....	.....	3.3	2.3	3.2	2.1	2.4	2.2	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.4	2.3
11.....	.....	3.2	2.3	3.0	2.1	2.6	2.1	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.4	2.5
12.....	.....	3.0	2.2	2.8	2.1	2.9	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.3	2.3	2.5
13.....	.....	2.9	2.2	2.6	2.1	3.0	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.4
14.....	.....	.....	2.2	2.4	2.1	3.3	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.2	2.3
15.....	3.5	.....	2.8	2.7	2.1	3.3	2.1	2.0	2.0	2.2	2.6	2.7
16.....	3.3	.....	3.0	2.5	2.1	3.2	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.6	3.3
17.....	3.2	.....	2.8	2.4	2.1	3.1	2.1	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.4	3.5
18.....	3.2	.....	2.7	2.3	2.1	2.9	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.6	3.0	3.3
19.....	3.1	.....	2.6	2.3	2.1	2.7	2.2	2.1	2.0	3.0	3.4	3.0
20.....	3.0	.....	2.6	3.0	2.1	2.6	2.1	2.1	2.0	3.3	3.2	2.8
21.....	3.0	.....	2.5	3.0	2.1	2.5	2.2	2.0	2.0	3.3	3.0	2.6
22.....	2.9	.....	2.4	2.8	2.1	2.4	2.4	2.0	2.0	3.5	2.8	2.4
23.....	2.9	.....	2.4	2.8	2.0	2.4	2.3	2.0	2.0	3.8	2.6	3.0
24.....	2.7	.....	2.3	2.6	2.0	2.4	2.3	2.0	2.0	3.6	2.8	2.8
25.....	2.6	.....	2.3	2.5	2.0	2.3	2.3	2.1	2.0	3.4	3.0	2.6
26.....	2.5	.....	2.2	2.4	2.0	2.5	2.3	2.2	2.0	3.1	2.8	2.5
27.....	2.5	3.5	2.8	2.4	2.0	2.6	2.2	2.3	2.0	2.9	2.7	2.6
28.....	2.7	3.3	3.3	2.3	2.0	2.5	2.2	2.4	2.0	2.7	2.6	2.4
29.....	2.6	.....	3.2	2.3	2.0	2.4	2.2	2.4	2.0	2.5	2.8	2.4
30.....	2.5	.....	3.7	2.2	2.0	2.4	2.2	2.6	2.1	2.4	2.6	2.3
31.....	2.5	.....	3.5	.....	2.0	.....	2.2	2.8	.....	2.3	.....	2.3

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge was affected by ice from about Jan. 1 to 27, Jan. 30 to Feb. 3, and Feb. 7 to 28. Gage readings were probably to water surface.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Passaic River near Chatham, N. J., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....			202	310	20	60	31	12	390	12	31	45
2.....			119	235	20	77	31	12	310	119	20	31
3.....			60	172	20	60	20	12	235	119	20	31
4.....			310	31	119	20	45	20	12	172	77	20
5.....			235	20	350	20	31	20	12	119	60	20
6.....												
7.....		172	20	480	20	45	20	12	45	45	20	20
8.....			20	390	12	60	20	12	20	97	119	20
9.....			20	310	12	60	20	12	12	60	77	20
10.....			12	271	12	45	20	12	8	45	60	20
11.....			31	235	12	45	20	8	12	31	45	31
12.....												
13.....			31	172	12	77	12	8	20	31	45	60
14.....			20	119	12	144	12	8	12	31	31	60
15.....			20	77	12	172	12	8	8	20	31	45
16.....			20	45	12	271	12	8	8	20	20	31
17.....			119	97	12	271	12	8	8	20	77	97
18.....												
19.....			172	60	12	235	12	12	12	20	77	271
20.....			119	45	12	202	12	12	12	20	45	350
21.....			97	31	12	144	20	12	12	77	172	271
22.....			77	31	12	97	20	12	8	172	310	172
23.....			77	172	12	77	12	12	8	271	235	119
24.....												
25.....			60	172	12	60	20	8	8	271	172	77
26.....			45	119	12	45	45	8	8	350	119	45
27.....			45	119	8	45	31	8	8	480	77	172
28.....			31	77	8	45	31	8	8	390	119	119
29.....			31	60	8	31	31	12	8	310	172	77
30.....												
31.....			20	45	8	60	31	20	8	202	119	60
32.....			119	45	8	77	20	31	8	144	97	77
33.....			271	31	8	60	20	45	8	97	77	45
34.....			235	31	8	45	20	45	8	60	119	45
35.....			435	20	8	45	20	77	12	45	77	31
36.....			350		8		20	119		31		31

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a discharge rating curve which is well defined below 600 second-feet.

*Monthly discharge of Passaic River near Chatham, N. J., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 101 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	1,000	20	153	1.51	1.74	C.
February.....	310	20	96.7	.957	1.00	C.
March.....	435	12	94.5	.936	1.08	A.
April.....	480	20	148	1.47	1.64	A.
May.....	20	8	12.4	.123	.14	B.
June.....	271	31	91.0	.901	1.01	A.
July.....	45	12	20.9	.207	.24	A.
August.....	119	8	19.3	.191	.22	A.
September.....	390	8	50.5	.500	.56	A.
October.....	480	12	120	1.19	1.37	A.
November.....	310	20	87.4	.865	.97	A.
December.....	350	20	81.8	.810	.93	A.
The year.....	1,000	8	81.0	.802	10.90	

NOTE.—Discharge during periods when ice existed estimated on the basis of observer's notes regarding ice and climatologic records.

Mean discharge (estimated), Jan. 1-27, 165 second-feet; Jan. 30-31, 55 second-feet; Feb. 1-3, 35 second-feet; Feb. 7-23, 85 second-feet.

## DELAWARE RIVER BASIN.

## EAST BRANCH OF DELAWARE RIVER AT HANCOCK, N. Y.

**Location.**—At the highway bridge half a mile southeast of the Erie Railroad station at Hancock, N. Y., about 1 mile above the junction of East and West branches of Delaware River and 10 miles below the mouth of Beaver Kill, the nearest tributary, which enters from the left.

**Records available.**—October 14, 1902, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of New York State engineer and surveyor.

**Drainage area.**—920 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain, fastened to upstream left-hand end of bridge; read once daily; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Both banks of medium height, not liable to overflow. Bed composed of rocks and gravel.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge or by wading.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by needle and cake ice which forms on the control point and produces backwater at the gage.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions fairly good for accurate determinations of discharge. High-water stage probably affected at times by backwater caused by gorging at junction with the West Branch. Low-water discharge controlled by riffles just below Erie Railroad bridge which sometimes shift and require many measurements and possibly a new discharge rating curve each year. Conditions, however, have been quite permanent during the last two or three years.

**Cooperation.**—Established and maintained in cooperation with the State engineer and surveyor and, since January 1, 1908, with the United States Weather Bureau.

The following measurement was made by C. S. De Golyer:

July 19, 1911: Gage height, 425 feet; discharge, 2,130 second-feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of East Branch of Delaware River at Hancock, N. Y., for 1911.*

[D. B. Van Etten, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	4.1	4.1	4.9	4.9	4.1	3.0	3.1	2.6	3.1	3.2	4.3	4.3
2.....	4.5	4.0	4.8	4.5	4.3	3.1	3.0	2.6	3.0	3.9	4.1	4.2
3.....	7.5	3.7	4.9	4.3	4.3	3.0	3.0	2.6	2.9	4.1	3.9	4.1
4.....	7.1	5.1	5.0	4.2	4.1	2.9	3.0	2.6	2.8	3.9	3.8	4.0
5.....	5.6	5.3	5.1	4.2	4.0	2.9	2.9	2.5	2.7	3.9	3.8	3.9
6.....	4.9	5.2	5.2	6.4	3.8	3.1	2.9	2.5	3.0	3.8	3.8	3.9
7.....	4.7	5.3	5.0	8.0	3.8	3.3	3.2	2.7	4.0	4.0	4.1	3.8
8.....	4.5	5.2	4.8	7.3	3.7	3.2	3.1	2.7	3.5	4.4	4.0	3.8
9.....	4.3	5.1	4.7	6.5	3.6	3.1	3.0	2.6	3.5	4.3	3.9	3.7
10.....	4.0	5.1	4.8	5.7	3.6	3.0	2.9	2.6	4.1	4.0	3.8	3.7
11.....	4.2	5.0	4.6	5.5	3.5	3.2	2.9	2.5	3.8	3.9	3.8	3.8
12.....	4.0	4.8	4.7	5.3	3.5	6.7	2.8	2.5	3.7	3.8	3.7	3.7
13.....	4.2	4.9	4.6	5.2	3.5	7.8	2.7	2.5	3.5	3.7	4.6	3.8
14.....	4.4	5.2	4.8	5.3	3.5	6.9	2.7	2.5	3.4	3.6	4.3	3.8
15.....	5.0	5.3	5.1	7.2	3.4	5.6	2.7	2.5	3.3	3.5	4.2	3.8
16.....	4.6	5.2	4.8	6.4	3.3	5.1	2.7	2.5	3.2	3.5	4.2	4.0
17.....	3.9	5.3	4.1	5.7	3.3	5.0	2.7	2.5	3.2	3.4	4.1	4.5
18.....	4.4	5.4	4.2	5.2	3.3	4.5	2.8	2.4	3.1	3.4	4.1	4.3
19.....	4.6	5.5	4.1	4.9	3.4	4.3	2.7	2.5	3.1	5.4	5.3	4.2
20.....	4.6	5.4	4.1	5.1	3.3	4.0	2.3	2.5	3.0	4.9	4.7	4.0
21.....	4.4	5.3	4.3	5.2	3.2	3.9	2.7	2.5	3.0	4.5	4.6	4.0
22.....	4.5	5.2	4.1	5.1	3.2	3.7	2.7	2.5	3.0	4.3	4.4	4.0
23.....	4.3	5.1	5.2	5.0	3.2	3.7	2.6	2.5	3.0	5.3	4.2	4.6
24.....	4.2	4.9	5.3	4.8	3.2	3.5	2.7	2.4	3.0	5.5	4.2	5.6
25.....	4.1	4.9	5.2	4.6	3.3	3.4	2.6	2.4	3.0	5.0	4.3	4.9
26.....	4.2	4.7	5.2	4.5	3.2	3.3	2.7	2.6	2.9	4.6	4.1	4.6
27.....	4.3	4.9	5.9	4.4	3.1	3.3	2.6	2.7	2.9	4.3	4.0	4.6
28.....	6.0	5.0	9.2	4.3	3.0	3.3	2.6	2.7	2.9	4.2	3.9	4.7
29.....	5.4	.....	6.3	4.3	3.0	3.4	2.6	3.1	2.9	4.1	4.4	4.2
30.....	4.6	.....	6.2	4.2	2.9	3.3	2.6	3.9	3.2	4.0	4.5	4.1
31.....	4.4	.....	5.4	.....	2.9	.....	2.6	3.4	.....	3.9	.....	4.2

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice Jan. 7 to 13, 18 to 27, and Feb. 4 to Mar. 26. The observer stated that the river was frozen Mar. 25. It is probable that gage heights were slightly affected by backwater from ice during other periods in January.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of East Branch of Delaware River at Hancock, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	1,930	1,930	600	3,570	1,930	440	525	198	525	620	2,300	2,300
2.....	2,690	1,750	600	2,690	2,300	525	440	198	440	1,570	1,930	2,110
3.....	11,300	1,240	600	2,300	2,300	440	440	198	367	1,930	1,570	1,930
4.....	9,950		500	2,110	1,930	367	440	198	304	1,570	1,400	1,750
5.....	5,310		400	2,110	1,750	367	367	153	248	1,570	1,400	1,570
6.....	3,570		350	7,680	1,400	525	367	153	440	1,400	1,400	1,570
7.....	2,400		350	13,000	1,400	725	620	248	1,750	1,750	1,930	1,400
8.....	1,800		300	10,600	1,240	620	525	248	965	2,490	1,750	1,400
9.....	1,400		300	8,000	1,100	525	440	198	965	2,300	1,570	1,240
10.....	1,000		450	5,580	1,100	440	367	198	1,930	1,750	1,400	1,240
11.....	900		600	5,050	965	620	367	153	1,400	1,570	1,400	1,400
12.....	1,200		900	4,540	965	8,640	304	153	1,240	1,400	1,240	1,400
13.....	1,200		1,000	4,290	965	12,300	248	153	965	1,240	2,900	1,400
14.....	2,490		1,200	4,540	965	9,290	248	153	840	1,100	2,300	1,400
15.....	3,800		1,500	10,300	840	5,310	248	153	725	965	2,110	1,400
16.....	2,900		1,400	7,680	725	4,040	248	153	620	965	2,110	1,750
17.....	1,570		1,200	5,580	725	3,800	248	153	620	840	1,930	2,690
18.....	1,200		1,100	4,290	725	2,690	304	113	525	840	1,930	2,300
19.....	1,000		900	3,570	840	2,300	248	153	525	4,790	4,540	2,110
20.....	900		900	4,040	725	1,750	80	153	440	3,570	3,120	1,750
21.....	900		900	4,290	620	1,570	248	153	440	2,690	2,900	1,750
22.....	800		1,600	4,040	620	1,240	248	153	440	3,340	2,490	1,750
23.....	800		3,000	3,800	620	1,240	198	153	440	4,540	2,110	2,900
24.....	700		3,000	3,340	620	965	248	113	440	5,050	2,110	5,310
25.....	600		2,000	2,900	725	840	198	113	440	3,800	2,300	3,570
26.....	600		2,000	2,690	620	725	248	198	367	2,900	1,930	2,900
27.....	600		6,140	2,490	525	725	198	248	367	2,300	1,750	2,900
28.....	6,430		17,300	2,300	440	725	198	248	367	2,110	1,570	3,120
29.....	4,790		7,360	2,300	440	840	198	525	367	1,930	2,490	2,110
30.....	2,900		7,040	2,110	367	725	198	1,570	620	1,750	2,690	1,930
31.....	2,490		4,790		367		198	840		1,570		2,110

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve. Discharge Jan. 7 to 13, 18 to 27, and Mar. 1 to 26 estimated from climatologic records and the discharge at Port Jervis.

*Monthly discharge of East Branch of Delaware River at Hancock, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 920 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	11,300		2,580	2.81	3.24	B.
February.....			650	.707	.74	C.
March.....	17,300		2,270	2.47	2.85	C.
April.....	13,000	2,110	4,730	5.14	5.74	A.
May.....	2,300	367	995	1.08	1.24	A.
June.....	12,300	367	2,180	2.37	2.64	A.
July.....	620	80	305	.332	.38	A.
August.....	1,570	113	251	.273	.31	A.
September.....	1,930	248	671	.729	.81	A.
October.....	5,050	620	2,140	2.33	2.69	A.
November.....	4,540	1,240	2,090	2.27	2.53	A.
December.....	5,310	1,240	2,070	2.25	2.59	A.
The year.....	17,300	80	1,750	1.90	25.76	

NOTE.—Discharge for February estimated from climatologic records and the discharge at Port Jervis.

### DELAWARE RIVER AT PORT JERVIS, N. Y.

**Location.**—At the toll bridge at Port Jervis, 6 miles below the mouth of Mongaup River and 1 mile above the mouth of Neversink River, both entering from the north.

**Records available.**—October 12, 1904, to December 31, 1911. Data published also in the annual reports of the New York State engineer and surveyor.

**Drainage area.**—3,250 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain, fastened to downstream side of bridge; read once daily. Considerable difficulty has been experienced in maintaining the datum of the gage constant. On September 4, 1908, in order to avoid negative readings, a change of about 2 feet was made in the original datum, as nearly as could be determined. The elevation of the datum of the gage is 414.89 feet above mean sea level. A correction varying from +1.7 to +2.0 has been applied to gage heights previous to September 4, 1908, so that all gage heights published by the Survey are referred to the same datum.

**Channel.**—Bed composed of gravel. Banks high; seldom overflowed.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the highway bridge, except at low stages, when the left channel is sometimes measured by wading.

**Winter flow.**—Relation of gage height to discharge is usually not greatly affected by ice, except during severe winters. Ice jams sometimes occur at this station and the left channel is particularly subject to effect from ice.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions of flow at this point are constant and a good discharge rating curve has been developed for all stages. Careful comparison of records at this station with those obtained at Riegelsville and the two Hancock stations indicate that all the discharge data are reliable.

**Cooperation.**—Station established for the United States Weather Bureau by Irving Righter, city engineer of Port Jervis. Gage heights supplied to the Geological Survey by the Weather Bureau.

The following discharge measurement was made by C. S. De Golyer:

June 21, 1911: Gage height, 3.74 feet; discharge, 4,910 second-feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Delaware River at Port Jervis, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Jacob Miller, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	4.0	3.7	3.2	6.6	4.2	2.2	2.6	1.4	3.4	2.6	3.6	4.5
2.....	3.5	2.7	3.2	5.0	4.2	2.2	2.4	1.4	3.2	3.1	4.1	3.8
3.....	5.7	2.5	2.7	4.6	4.1	2.4	2.3	1.4	2.3	4.2	3.8	3.7
4.....	8.0	2.4	2.7	4.4	3.9	2.3	2.1	1.4	2.4	3.8	3.5	3.5
5.....	6.0	3.1	2.6	4.5	3.8	2.2	2.1	1.3	2.2	3.4	3.5	3.5
6.....	5.4	3.5	2.5	5.5	3.6	2.4	2.0	1.4	2.1	3.2	3.3	3.4
7.....	4.8	3.0	2.2	8.2	3.4	2.8	2.0	1.5	2.2	3.4	3.6	3.4
8.....	4.4	2.8	2.2	8.5	3.1	3.0	2.0	1.5	3.2	4.2	3.8	3.3
9.....	4.1	2.8	2.0	7.2	3.0	3.0	2.2	1.5	3.0	3.9	3.7	3.3
10.....	3.8	3.0	2.2	6.5	2.8	2.8	2.0	1.7	2.9	3.8	3.5	3.2
11.....	3.4	3.0	2.7	6.2	2.7	2.9	1.9	1.6	3.7	3.5	3.4	3.2
12.....	3.3	2.8	2.7	5.9	2.6	4.4	1.8	1.4	3.4	3.3	3.2	3.3
13.....	3.7	2.6	3.2	5.5	2.6	8.1	1.8	1.3	3.0	3.4	3.2	3.3
14.....	3.7	2.5	3.7	5.3	2.5	8.4	1.7	1.2	3.0	3.2	4.2	3.3
15.....	5.4	2.3	4.3	6.8	2.4	7.1	1.6	1.2	2.8	3.0	3.9	3.3
16.....	5.4	2.3	4.3	6.9	2.8	5.9	1.5	1.2	2.5	2.9	3.7	3.8
17.....	5.2	2.3	4.2	6.3	2.8	5.5	1.5	1.2	2.5	3.1	3.7	4.8
18.....	3.8	2.7	3.9	5.6	2.6	5.2	1.6	1.3	2.4	3.1	3.7	4.8
19.....	3.5	2.7	3.7	5.4	2.9	4.6	1.6	1.3	2.1	6.0	5.2	4.4
20.....	3.5	2.6	3.7	5.3	2.9	4.1	1.6	1.2	2.2	5.8	5.2	4.1
21.....	3.5	2.8	3.5	6.5	2.8	3.7	1.7	1.3	2.1	5.0	4.7	3.9
22.....	3.4	2.8	3.9	5.8	2.7	3.4	1.9	1.3	1.9	5.6	4.5	3.8
23.....	3.4	2.6	4.4	6.2	2.7	3.4	1.9	1.2	2.0	5.6	4.2	4.3
24.....	3.2	2.5	4.2	5.7	2.6	3.2	2.0	1.08	2.0	6.4	4.0	6.3
25.....	3.0	2.5	4.2	5.2	2.7	3.1	1.9	1.2	1.87	5.8	4.2	5.9
26.....	2.6	2.4	4.2	4.5	2.5	3.4	1.7	1.5	1.87	5.2	4.1	5.0
27.....	2.9	2.5	5.0	4.5	2.5	2.8	1.7	1.7	1.87	4.8	3.8	4.9
28.....	3.0	2.5	10.7	4.3	2.4	2.6	1.6	1.7	1.87	4.5	3.7	5.2
29.....	6.5	.....	8.1	4.2	2.2	3.1	1.6	2.2	2.0	4.2	3.7	4.6
30.....	5.2	.....	6.9	4.0	2.0	2.9	1.5	3.3	2.3	4.0	4.3	4.1
31.....	4.9	.....	6.8	.....	2.0	.....	1.5	3.5	.....	3.6	.....	4.0

NOTE.—No direct information regarding the effect of ice at this station, but comparison with climatic records and the records at Riegelsville indicates that the relation of gage height to discharge was probably affected by ice Jan. 1, Jan. 16, and 17, and Mar. 1 to 2; and doubtless also for short intervals at other times during January, February, and March.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Delaware River at Port Jervis, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	3,800	4,970	2,200	13,000	6,620	1,570	2,260	665	4,100	2,260	4,670	7,730
2.....	4,380	2,450	2,300	9,780	6,620	1,570	1,900	665	3,570	3,320	6,270	5,280
3.....	13,000	2,080	2,450	8,120	6,270	1,900	1,730	665	1,730	6,620	5,280	4,970
4.....	27,500	1,900	2,450	7,350	5,600	1,730	1,420	665	1,900	5,280	4,380	4,380
5.....	14,600	3,320	2,260	7,730	5,280	1,570	1,420	590	1,570	4,100	4,380	4,380
6.....	11,600	4,380	2,080	12,100	4,670	1,900	1,280	665	1,420	3,570	3,380	4,100
7.....	8,930	3,080	1,570	29,000	4,100	2,650	1,280	740	1,570	4,100	4,670	4,100
8.....	7,350	2,650	1,570	31,200	3,320	3,080	1,280	740	3,570	6,620	5,280	3,830
9.....	6,270	2,650	1,280	21,800	3,080	3,080	1,570	740	3,080	5,600	4,970	3,830
10.....	5,280	3,080	1,570	17,400	2,650	2,650	1,280	920	2,860	5,280	4,380	3,570
11.....	4,100	3,080	2,450	15,700	2,450	2,860	1,150	825	4,970	4,380	4,100	3,570
12.....	3,830	2,650	2,450	14,100	2,260	7,350	1,030	665	4,100	3,830	3,570	3,830
13.....	4,970	2,260	3,570	12,100	2,260	28,200	1,030	590	3,080	4,100	3,570	3,830
14.....	4,970	2,080	4,970	11,100	2,080	30,500	920	520	3,080	3,570	6,620	3,830
15.....	11,600	1,730	6,980	19,200	1,900	21,200	825	520	2,650	3,080	5,600	3,830
16.....	9,000	1,730	6,980	19,800	2,650	14,100	740	520	2,080	2,860	4,970	5,280
17.....	7,000	1,730	6,620	16,200	2,650	12,100	740	520	2,080	3,320	4,970	8,930
18.....	5,280	2,450	5,600	12,500	2,260	10,700	825	590	1,900	3,320	4,970	8,930
19.....	4,380	2,450	4,970	11,600	2,860	8,120	825	590	1,420	14,600	10,700	7,350
20.....	4,380	2,260	4,970	11,100	2,860	6,270	825	520	1,570	13,500	10,700	6,270
21.....	4,380	2,650	4,380	17,400	2,650	4,970	920	590	1,420	9,780	8,520	5,600
22.....	4,100	2,650	5,600	13,500	2,450	4,100	1,150	590	1,110	12,500	7,730	5,280
23.....	4,100	2,260	7,350	15,700	2,450	4,100	1,150	520	1,280	12,500	6,620	6,980
24.....	3,570	2,080	6,620	13,000	2,260	3,570	1,280	438	1,280	16,800	5,930	16,200
25.....	3,080	2,080	6,620	10,700	2,450	3,320	1,150	520	1,110	13,500	6,620	14,100
26.....	2,260	1,900	6,620	7,730	2,080	4,100	920	740	1,110	10,700	6,270	9,780
27.....	2,860	2,080	9,780	7,730	2,080	2,650	920	920	1,110	8,930	5,280	9,350
28.....	3,080	2,080	48,400	6,980	1,900	2,260	825	920	1,110	7,730	4,970	10,700
29.....	17,400	.....	28,200	6,620	1,570	3,320	825	1,570	1,280	6,620	4,970	8,120
30.....	10,700	.....	19,800	5,930	1,280	2,860	740	3,830	1,730	5,930	6,980	6,270
31.....	9,350	.....	19,200	.....	1,280	.....	740	4,380	.....	4,670	.....	5,930

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve. Discharge Jan. 1, 16, and 17 and Mar. 1 and 2 determined from discharge at Riegelsville and climatologic records. Probably no material backwater from ice during the remainder of January, February, and March.

*Monthly discharge of Delaware River at Port Jervis, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 3,250 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	27,500	2,260	7,330	2.26	2.61	A.
February.....	4,970	1,730	2,530	.778	.81	A.
March.....	48,400	1,280	7,480	2.30	2.65	A.
April.....	31,200	5,930	13,700	4.22	4.71	A.
May.....	6,620	1,280	3,060	.942	1.09	A.
June.....	30,500	1,570	6,610	2.03	2.26	A.
July.....	2,260	740	1,130	.348	.40	A.
August.....	4,380	438	901	.277	.32	A.
September.....	4,970	1,110	2,160	.665	.74	A.
October.....	16,800	2,260	6,870	2.11	2.43	A.
November.....	10,700	3,570	5,730	1.76	1.96	A.
December.....	16,200	3,570	6,460	1.99	2.29	A.
The year.....	48,400	438	5,330	1.64	22.27	

NOTE.—Comparison of the discharge at Port Jervis with the discharge at Riegelsville and at Hancock indicates that these records are exceptionally good.

**DELAWARE RIVER AT RIEGELSVILLE, N. J.**

**Location.**—At the toll suspension bridge between Riegelsville, N. J., and Riegelsville, Pa., 9 miles below the mouth of Lehigh River (entering from the west) and 600 feet above the mouth of the Musconetcong (entering from the east).

**Records available.**—July 3, 1906, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—6,430 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain, attached to the bridge. Datum unchanged. This gage has not been checked with a level since 1909, and may therefore be somewhat in error as a result of stretch of chain and changes in suspension bridge.

**Channel.**—The station is in a deep hole which extends about half a mile downstream to a permanent control composed of bowlders averaging 2 to 3 feet in diameter; immediately below the control are heavy rapids. Both banks are high and not subject to overflow.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge. No measurements in 1911.

**Winter flow.**—Relation between gage height and discharge affected by ice only during severe winters.

**Diversions.**—The Delaware division of the Pennsylvania Canal, running from Easton, Pa., to Bristol, Pa., diverts water from the Lehigh at its mouth and at low stages takes practically the entire discharge of this tributary. The water is turned out of this canal during the winter period, or from about the middle of December to the last of March, but throughout the remainder of the year the average discharge is 250 to 300 second-feet.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions for obtaining accurate discharge data are very good, and an excellent discharge rating curve has been developed. The relation between gage height and discharge is affected by backwater from the Musconetcong only at rare intervals. Comparison of the records of flow with those at Port Jervis, N. Y., and Hancock, N. Y., show that full reliance can be placed on the estimates of monthly discharge at Riegelsville.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Delaware River at Riegelsville, N. J., for 1911.*

[John H. Deemer, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	4.7	4.6	4.2	8.6	5.6	3.7	3.4	2.6	9.0	3.6	5.5	5.9
2.....	5.2	4.4	4.4	7.4	5.9	3.8	3.3	2.5	7.0	5.9	5.3	5.5
3.....	6.6	4.1	4.4	6.6	5.7	3.7	3.2	2.45	5.8	6.3	5.4	5.3
4.....	12.2	4.5	4.0	6.1	5.5	3.4	3.2	2.7	5.0	5.9	5.0	5.2
5.....	9.8	5.2	3.7	6.8	5.3	3.4	3.1	2.6	4.5	5.2	4.8	5.0
6.....	7.3	4.3	3.7	7.3	4.9	3.4	2.95	2.6	4.2	4.8	4.7	4.8
7.....	6.3	3.9	3.6	10.7	4.7	3.5	3.0	2.5	4.5	4.7	5.4	4.8
8.....	6.0	3.9	3.4	11.8	4.5	3.8	2.95	2.65	4.4	5.0	5.4	4.7
9.....	5.9	3.8	3.4	10.5	4.3	3.8	3.1	2.65	4.7	5.5	5.2	4.7
10.....	5.3	3.6	3.5	9.6	4.3	3.6	2.95	2.6	4.7	5.1	5.0	4.6
11.....	5.0	3.7	4.1	8.8	4.2	3.3	2.95	2.5	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.7
12.....	4.7	3.8	3.9	8.3	4.1	5.4	2.9	2.5	5.5	4.8	4.7	4.7
13.....	4.8	4.1	4.3	7.8	3.9	12.0	2.9	2.35	4.7	4.6	4.9	4.7
14.....	5.6	4.0	4.4	7.5	3.8	13.5	2.85	2.3	4.4	4.4	5.4	4.6
15.....	6.8	3.8	5.2	8.3	3.8	12.2	3.1	2.25	4.1	4.2	5.6	4.7
16.....	7.6	3.4	6.4	9.9	3.7	9.5	2.9	2.3	4.1	4.1	5.4	5.3
17.....	6.1	3.5	5.7	8.9	3.6	8.1	2.85	2.25	3.9	4.1	5.2	6.6
18.....	5.2	3.7	5.6	8.0	3.7	7.6	3.7	2.2	3.7	5.4	5.8	7.0
19.....	4.8	4.4	5.2	7.2	3.8	6.7	3.2	2.25	3.6	8.9	7.4	6.5
20.....	4.6	4.0	5.0	7.7	3.9	6.0	3.1	2.05	3.5	9.6	8.2	6.1
21.....	4.8	3.6	4.9	9.3	3.8	5.3	2.9	2.05	3.3	8.5	7.3	5.5
22.....	4.9	3.6	4.8	8.7	3.7	4.9	3.2	2.15	3.3	8.7	6.6	5.4
23.....	4.7	3.6	5.4	9.0	3.6	4.7	2.95	2.0	3.2	9.9	6.2	6.4
24.....	4.2	3.5	6.3	8.5	3.5	4.6	3.0	2.05	3.2	10.7	6.2	7.7
25.....	4.0	3.5	6.2	7.8	3.4	4.5	3.6	2.2	3.1	9.7	6.2	8.2
26.....	4.0	4.2	5.5	7.1	3.4	4.4	3.4	2.55	3.1	8.5	6.1	7.3
27.....	3.9	4.5	5.9	6.6	3.3	4.3	3.1	2.7	2.95	7.6	5.8	7.2
28.....	4.3	4.7	12.9	6.3	3.2	4.2	2.9	2.85	2.95	7.0	5.5	7.3
29.....	4.7	.....	13.0	6.0	3.2	4.0	2.85	3.0	3.1	6.5	5.7	6.6
30.....	7.2	.....	9.6	5.8	3.1	3.9	2.65	6.1	3.6	6.1	5.7	5.8
31.....	5.8	.....	10.1	.....	3.2	.....	2.7	7.2	.....	5.7	.....	5.7

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge not affected by ice during 1911. Water turned into the canal Mar. 10 and withdrawn Dec. 8.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Delaware River at Riegelsville, N. J., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	8,490	8,160	6,870	24,500	11,600	5,360	4,530	2,600	26,600	5,080	11,200	12,700
2.....	10,200	7,510	7,510	18,800	12,700	5,650	4,260	2,400	17,100	12,700	10,500	11,200
3.....	15,400	6,560	7,510	15,400	12,000	5,360	4,000	2,300	12,400	14,200	10,900	10,500
4.....	45,700	7,830	6,250	13,500	11,200	4,530	4,000	2,810	9,500	12,700	9,500	10,200
5.....	31,000	10,200	5,360	16,300	10,500	4,530	3,750	2,600	7,830	10,200	8,820	9,500
6.....	18,400	7,190	5,360	18,400	9,160	4,530	3,380	2,600	6,870	8,820	8,490	8,820
7.....	14,200	5,950	5,080	36,300	8,490	4,800	3,500	2,400	7,830	8,490	10,900	8,820
8.....	13,100	5,950	4,530	43,100	7,830	5,650	3,380	2,700	7,510	9,500	10,900	8,490
9.....	12,700	5,650	4,530	35,100	7,190	5,650	3,750	2,700	8,490	11,200	10,200	8,490
10.....	10,500	5,080	4,800	29,900	7,190	5,080	3,380	2,600	8,490	9,840	9,500	8,160
11.....	9,500	5,360	6,560	25,600	6,870	4,260	3,380	2,400	8,490	8,820	8,820	8,490
12.....	8,490	5,650	5,950	23,000	6,560	10,900	3,260	2,400	11,200	8,820	8,490	8,490
13.....	8,820	6,560	7,190	20,700	5,950	44,400	3,260	2,100	8,490	8,160	9,160	8,490
14.....	11,600	6,250	7,510	19,300	5,650	54,600	3,140	2,010	7,510	7,510	10,900	8,160
15.....	16,300	5,650	10,200	23,000	5,650	45,700	3,750	1,920	6,560	6,870	11,600	8,490
16.....	19,700	4,530	14,600	31,600	5,360	29,300	3,260	2,010	6,560	6,560	10,900	10,500
17.....	13,500	4,800	12,000	26,100	5,080	22,100	3,140	1,920	5,950	6,560	10,200	15,400
18.....	10,200	5,360	11,600	21,600	5,360	19,700	5,360	1,830	5,360	10,900	12,400	17,100
19.....	8,820	7,510	10,200	18,000	5,650	15,800	4,000	1,920	5,080	26,100	18,800	15,000
20.....	8,160	6,250	9,500	20,200	5,950	13,100	3,750	1,580	4,800	29,900	22,600	13,500
21.....	8,820	5,080	9,160	28,200	5,650	10,500	3,260	1,580	4,260	24,000	18,400	11,200
22.....	9,160	5,080	8,820	25,000	5,360	9,160	4,000	1,740	4,260	25,000	15,400	10,900
23.....	8,490	5,080	10,900	26,600	5,080	8,490	3,380	1,500	4,000	31,600	13,900	14,600
24.....	6,870	4,800	14,200	24,000	4,800	8,160	3,500	1,580	4,000	36,300	13,900	20,200
25.....	6,250	4,800	13,900	20,700	4,530	7,830	5,080	1,830	3,750	30,400	13,900	22,600
26.....	6,250	6,870	11,200	17,500	4,530	7,510	4,530	2,500	3,750	24,000	13,500	18,400
27.....	5,950	7,830	12,700	15,400	4,260	7,190	4,750	2,810	3,380	19,700	12,400	18,000
28.....	7,190	8,490	50,400	14,200	4,000	6,870	3,260	3,140	3,380	17,100	11,200	18,400
29.....	8,490	.....	51,100	13,100	4,000	6,250	3,140	3,500	3,750	15,000	12,000	15,400
30.....	18,000	.....	29,900	12,400	3,750	5,950	2,700	13,500	5,080	13,500	12,000	12,400
31.....	12,400	.....	32,700	.....	4,000	.....	2,810	18,000	.....	12,000	.....	12,000

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve.

*Monthly discharge of Delaware River at Riegelsville, N. J., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 6,430 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	45,700	5,950	12,700	1.98	2.28	A.
February.....	10,200	4,530	6,290	.978	1.02	A.
March.....	51,100	4,530	12,800	2.02	2.33	A.
April.....	43,100	12,400	22,600	3.56	3.97	A.
May.....	12,700	3,750	6,640	1.07	1.23	A.
June.....	54,600	4,260	13,000	2.05	2.29	A.
July.....	5,360	2,700	3,670	.613	.71	A.
August.....	18,000	1,500	3,140	.530	.61	A.
September.....	26,600	3,380	7,410	1.19	1.33	A.
October.....	36,300	5,080	15,200	2.41	2.78	A.
November.....	22,600	8,490	12,000	1.91	2.13	A.
December.....	22,600	8,160	12,400	1.94	2.24	A.
The year.....	54,600	1,500	10,700	1.70	22.92	

NOTE.—In order to determine the discharge per square mile and the run-off depth in inches, 270 second-feet were added Mar. 10 to Dec. 7, 1910, before computing the discharge per square mile. Hence the first three columns indicate the actual quantity of water available in the river, and the two remaining columns represent the actual run-off from the drainage area above Riegelsville, including the discharge of the canal.

## WEST BRANCH OF DELAWARE RIVER AT HANCOCK, N. Y.

**Location.**—At the toll suspension bridge over Delaware River, one-half mile west of the Erie Railroad station at Hancock, N. Y., about 1 mile above the junction of the East and West branches of the Delaware, and about 10 miles below the mouth of Oquaga Creek, the nearest tributary, which enters from the right.



**Records available.**—October 15, 1902, to December 31, 1911. Data published also in annual reports of the New York State engineer and surveyor.

**Drainage area.**—680 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain, fastened to the upstream side of the bridge; read once daily; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Bed of river composed of gravel. One channel at all stages.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge or by wading.

**Winter flow.**—Affected considerably by ice below the control point.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions for determination of discharge not good. High-water stage affected by backwater from East Branch; low-water stage controlled by riffles about 800 feet below the bridge; frequent changes in the channel require many measurements and frequent new discharge rating curves.

**Cooperation.**—Established and maintained in cooperation with the State engineer and surveyor of New York, and since January 1, 1908, with the United States Weather Bureau.

*Discharge measurements of West Branch of Delaware River at Hancock, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Fect.</i>	<i>Sec. ft.</i>
June 17	C. S. De Golyer.....	5.21	2,360
19	do.....	4.44	1,360

*Daily gage height, in feet, of West Branch of Delaware River at Hancock, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	4.3	3.8	4.8	4.8	3.9	2.9	3.3	2.7	3.1	2.8	4.5	4.0
2.....	5.1	4.1	3.9	4.4	3.8	3.0	3.2	2.6	2.9	3.7	4.2	4.0
3.....	8.0	3.8	4.1	4.2	4.0	2.8	3.1	2.5	2.9	3.6	4.0	3.9
4.....	6.8	3.5	3.8	4.2	3.8	2.8	2.9	2.5	2.9	3.3	3.8	3.7
5.....	5.4	4.4	3.8	4.3	3.7	3.0	3.0	2.5	2.8	3.4	3.7	3.7
6.....	5.0	5.8	3.5	6.9	3.6	3.2	2.9	3.0	3.5	3.2	4.0	3.5
7.....	4.8	4.1	3.4	7.6	3.5	3.3	3.3	3.3	3.6	3.9	3.9	3.5
8.....	4.5	4.5	3.1	6.8	3.4	3.2	3.1	3.8	3.3	3.8	3.9	3.5
9.....	4.5	5.1	3.1	6.2	3.4	3.0	2.8	2.7	3.0	3.8	3.8	3.7
10.....	4.0	5.1	3.2	5.6	3.3	3.0	2.9	2.6	4.5	3.6	3.7	3.6
11.....	3.9	4.4	3.3	5.5	3.3	2.9	2.9	2.7	4.1	3.5	3.8	3.8
12.....	4.2	3.9	3.7	5.3	3.3	5.3	2.7	2.6	3.9	3.6	4.0	3.8
13.....	4.8	4.0	3.9	5.0	3.4	6.3	2.7	2.5	3.7	3.5	4.0	3.8
14.....	5.0	4.3	4.4	5.1	3.3	6.2	2.6	2.6	3.4	3.3	3.9	4.0
15.....	5.8	4.0	5.8	6.2	3.2	5.4	2.6	2.5	3.3	3.3	3.9	4.0
16.....	4.8	3.8	4.5	5.7	3.1	5.1	2.5	2.6	3.2	3.2	3.7	4.4
17.....	4.1	3.8	4.1	5.3	3.1	4.9	2.7	2.5	3.0	3.0	4.1	4.9
18.....	3.9	4.1	4.1	5.0	3.1	4.7	2.8	2.5	3.1	3.7	5.4	4.7
19.....	3.6	4.5	3.8	4.7	3.2	4.4	2.7	2.7	3.0	4.9	4.6	4.5
20.....	4.0	4.1	3.6	4.9	3.1	4.1	2.6	2.5	3.0	4.7	4.3	4.1
21.....	4.2	4.1	3.6	4.8	3.1	3.9	2.7	2.5	2.9	4.3	4.4	4.0
22.....	3.9	4.3	4.0	4.9	3.1	3.9	2.5	2.5	2.9	4.3	4.0	4.0
23.....	3.7	4.3	4.6	4.9	3.0	3.4	2.5	2.5	2.9	5.5	4.1	5.5
24.....	3.5	4.0	4.6	4.6	3.0	3.3	2.7	2.5	2.8	5.3	4.2	5.6
25.....	3.6	4.1	3.9	4.4	3.4	3.3	2.9	2.5	2.9	4.8	4.0	5.0
26.....	3.4	3.8	4.3	4.3	3.2	3.2	2.7	2.7	2.8	4.5	3.8	4.8
27.....	3.4	3.9	6.8	4.1	3.1	3.0	2.7	2.7	2.7	4.3	4.2	4.9
28.....	6.9	4.6	8.8	4.1	3.1	3.6	2.7	2.9	2.7	4.2	4.1	4.7
29.....	5.8	.....	6.2	4.0	3.0	3.4	2.4	3.0	2.7	4.0	4.0	4.0
30.....	5.2	.....	5.1	3.9	3.0	3.2	2.6	3.3	2.9	3.8	4.0	3.8
31.....	4.0	.....	5.4	.....	2.9	.....	2.6	3.2	.....	3.8	.....	3.8

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice Jan. 7 to 13, 20 to 27, and about Feb. 1 to Mar. 19. The gage height may also have been slightly affected by ice at other times during January and March.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of West Branch of Delaware River at Hancock, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	1,240	400	1,850	845	210	400	140	295	175	1,470	935
2.....	2,280	400	1,350	755	250	345	110	210	670	1,130	935
3.....	9,700	400	1,130	935	175	295	83	210	595	935	845
4.....	5,930	350	1,130	755	175	210	83	210	400	755	670
5.....	2,780	350	1,240	670	250	250	83	175	460	670	670
6.....	2,130	300	6,210	595	345	210	250	525	345	935	525
7.....	1,600	250	8,360	525	400	400	400	595	845	845	525
8.....	1,200	200	5,930	460	345	295	755	400	755	845	525
9.....	900	200	4,450	460	250	175	140	250	755	755	670
10.....	700	300	3,150	400	250	210	110	1,470	595	670	595
11.....	600	400	2,960	400	210	210	140	1,030	525	755	755
12.....	800	600	2,610	400	2,610	140	110	845	595	935	755
13.....	800	700	2,130	460	4,680	140	83	670	525	935	755
14.....	2,130	800	2,280	400	4,450	110	110	460	400	845	935
15.....	3,560	1,000	4,450	345	2,780	110	83	400	400	845	935
16.....	1,850	900	3,350	295	2,280	83	110	345	345	670	1,350
17.....	1,030	800	2,960	295	1,990	140	83	250	250	1,030	1,990
18.....	845	700	2,130	295	1,720	175	83	295	670	2,780	1,720
19.....	595	600	1,720	345	1,350	140	140	250	1,990	1,590	1,470
20.....	600	595	1,990	295	1,030	110	83	250	1,720	1,240	1,030
21.....	600	595	1,850	295	845	140	83	210	1,240	1,350	935
22.....	500	935	1,990	295	845	83	83	210	1,240	935	935
23.....	500	1,590	1,990	250	460	83	83	210	2,960	1,030	2,960
24.....	400	1,590	1,590	250	400	140	83	175	2,610	1,130	3,150
25.....	400	845	1,350	460	400	210	83	210	1,850	935	2,130
26.....	350	1,240	1,240	345	345	140	140	175	1,470	755	1,850
27.....	400	5,930	1,030	295	250	140	140	140	1,240	1,130	1,990
28.....	6,210	12,600	1,030	295	595	140	210	140	1,130	1,030	1,720
29.....	3,560	4,450	935	250	460	60	250	140	935	935	935
30.....	2,440	2,280	845	250	345	110	400	210	755	935	755
31.....	935	2,780	.....	210	.....	110	345	.....	755	.....	755

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a fairly well defined discharge rating curve. Discharge Jan. 7 to 13, 20 to 27, and Mar. 1 to 19 estimated from climatologic records and the discharge at Port Jervis.

*Monthly discharge of West Branch of Delaware River at Hancock, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 680 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	9,700	350	1,860	2.74	3.16	C.
February.....	.....	.....	450	.662	.69	D.
March.....	12,600	200	1,450	2.13	2.46	C.
April.....	8,360	845	2,500	3.68	4.11	A.
May.....	935	210	423	.622	.72	B.
June.....	4,680	175	1,020	1.50	1.67	A.
July.....	400	60	178	.262	.30	B.
August.....	755	83	164	.241	.28	B.
September.....	1,470	140	365	.537	.60	B.
October.....	2,960	175	942	1.39	1.60	A.
November.....	2,780	670	1,030	1.51	1.68	A.
December.....	3,150	525	1,180	1.74	2.01	A.
The year.....	12,600	60	965	1.42	19.28	

NOTE.—Discharge for February estimated from climatologic records and the discharge at Port Jervis.

## MONGAUP RIVER AT RIO, N. Y.

**Location.**—At the steel highway bridge on Partridge ranch, near Rio, 6 miles above Mongaup village and some 7 miles above the mouth of the stream.

**Records available.**—August 8, 1909, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual report of New York State engineer and surveyor.

**Drainage area.**—189 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain, attached to the downstream side of the bridge; read twice daily; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—At low and medium stages divided into two parts by an island just below the bridge. Banks high and overflow only during high stages.

**Discharge measurements.**—At high stages made from the bridge; at low stages by wading.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions fairly good except at low-water stages, when the current becomes rather sluggish. A good discharge rating curve has been developed for stages below 3 feet.

**Cooperation.**—Established December 8, 1906, by Chas. H. Cooke, civil engineer, New York City, in cooperation with the United States Geological Survey and the New York State engineer and surveyor. Observations prior to 1909 unreliable and hence not published.

The following discharge measurement was made by C. C. Covert:

October 11, 1911: Gage height, 1.32 feet; discharge, 202 second-feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Mongaup River at Rio, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Mrs. C. S. Rolles, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....		1.46	.....	2.7	1.5	1.19	1.18	.79	1.46	1.19	1.5	1.55
2.....		1.40	.....	2.6	1.7	1.12	1.08	.73	1.23	2.05	1.48	1.6
3.....		1.20	.....	1.8	1.75	1.08	1.00	.77	1.03	1.65	1.39	1.42
4.....		1.41	.....	1.75	1.7	.98	1.02	.79	.90	1.5	1.34	1.38
5.....		.....	.....	1.9	1.6	.98	.99	.79	1.12	1.39	1.32	1.49
6.....		.....	.....	2.8	1.5	1.14	.96	.78	1.09	1.35	1.32	1.45
7.....		.....	.....	2.6	1.44	1.29	1.19	.84	1.00	1.7	1.6	1.5
8.....		.....	.....	2.45	1.40	1.25	1.08	.83	1.02	1.6	1.45	1.65
9.....		.....	.....	2.25	1.40	1.15	.95	.81	1.04	1.55	1.44	1.5
10.....		.....	.....	2.4	1.38	1.05	.95	.75	1.27	1.49	1.35	1.5
11.....		.....	.....	2.4	1.34	2.4	.94	.73	1.06	1.34	1.31	1.45
12.....		.....	1.25	2.2	1.30	3.8	.90	.71	1.00	1.28	1.31	1.5
13.....		.....	1.5	2.1	1.28	4.2	.88	.67	.86	1.18	1.9	1.48
14.....		.....	1.8	3.2	1.26	3.6	.89	.71	.85	1.14	1.6	1.48
15.....		.....	2.15	3.5	1.24	2.8	.89	.67	.79	1.11	1.55	1.7
16.....		.....	2.3	2.7	1.22	2.4	.85	.70	.87	1.10	1.55	2.1
17.....		.....	1.9	2.35	1.20	2.2	.90	.64	.86	1.08	1.49	2.3
18.....		.....	1.8	2.15	1.26	1.95	.95	.66	.85	1.48	2.2	2.0
19.....		.....	1.65	2.0	1.28	1.6	.89	.66	.83	2.5	2.45	1.75
20.....		.....	1.6	2.7	1.19	1.6	.82	.66	.79	2.2	2.15	1.55
21.....		.....	1.7	2.5	1.11	1.5	.85	.68	.77	2.15	1.9	1.6
22.....		.....	2.6	2.3	1.08	1.45	.84	.62	.78	2.6	1.8	1.9
23.....		.....	2.05	3.0	1.06	1.45	.77	.70	.82	3.0	1.75	2.25
24.....		.....	2.1	2.4	1.04	1.38	1.17	.60	.79	2.5	1.65	2.5
25.....		.....	2.15	2.2	1.05	1.28	1.25	.80	.82	2.2	1.95	2.4
26.....		.....	2.4	1.95	1.02	1.22	1.08	.99	.83	2.0	1.8	2.7
27.....		.....	3.1	1.8	1.00	1.26	.94	.78	.81	1.85	1.7	2.6
28.....		.....	3.8	1.7	.94	1.36	.91	.86	.85	1.7	1.6	2.5
29.....	1.9	.....	2.8	1.55	.91	1.25	.87	1.48	.85	1.65	1.75	1.95
30.....	1.65	.....	3.0	1.6	.95	1.20	.79	1.75	1.37	1.6	1.7	1.6
31.....	1.5	.....	2.6	.....	.98	.....	.79	1.7	.....	1.5	.....	1.6

NOTE.—No information available regarding backwater from ice. River probably open and unaffected by ice Jan. 29 to Feb. 4.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Mongaup River at Rio, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....		284		1,020	300	182	178	61	251	160	300	322
2.....		260		950	395	157	143	50	173	590	292	345
3.....		185		445	420	143	115	57	116	370	256	268
4.....		264		420	395	109	122	61	84	265	236	252
5.....				500	345	109	112	61	140	226	228	296
6.....				1,100	300	164	103	59	131	212	228	280
7.....				950	276	216	182	72	108	395	345	300
8.....				845	260	202	143	70	113	345	280	370
9.....				710	260	168	100	65	118	322	276	300
10.....				810	252	132	100	54	185	261	240	300
11.....				810	236	810	98	50	124	209	224	280
12.....			202	680	220	2,010	86	46	108	159	224	300
13.....			300	620	213	2,440	81	39	76	157	500	292
14.....			445	1,440	206	1,810	84	46	74	146	345	292
15.....			650	1,710	199	1,100	84	39	61	137	322	395
16.....			740	1,020	192	810	74	44	78	134	322	620
17.....			500	775	185	680	86	34	76	143	296	740
18.....			445	650	206	530	100	38	74	292	680	560
19.....			370	560	213	345	84	38	69	880	845	420
20.....			345	1,020	182	345	68	38	61	680	650	322
21.....			395	880	154	300	74	41	57	650	500	345
22.....			950	740	143	280	72	31	59	950	445	500
23.....			590	1,260	136	280	57	44	67	1,260	420	710
24.....			620	810	129	252	174	28	61	880	370	880
25.....			650	680	132	213	202	63	67	680	530	810
26.....			810	530	122	192	143	112	69	560	445	1,020
27.....			1,350	445	115	206	98	59	65	472	395	950
28.....			2,010	395	98	244	89	77	74	395	345	880
29.....	500		1,100	322	89	202	79	292	74	370	420	530
30.....	370		1,260	345	100	185	61	420	219	345	395	345
31.....	300		950		109		61	395		300		345

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a discharge rating curve well defined below 1,000 second-feet.

*Monthly discharge of Mongaup River at Rio, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 189 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....			490	2.12	2.44	D.
February.....			150	.794	.83	D.
March.....	2,010		516	2.73	3.15	B.
April.....	1,710		781	4.13	4.61	A.
May.....	420	322	212	1.12	1.29	A.
June.....	2,440	109	494	2.61	2.91	A.
July.....	202	57	105	.556	.64	A.
August.....	420	28	83.4	.441	.51	A.
September.....	251	57	101	.534	.60	A.
October.....	1,260	134	419	2.22	2.56	A.
November.....	845	224	378	2.00	2.23	A.
December.....	1,020	252	470	2.49	2.87	A.
The year.....	2,440	28	343	1.81	24.64	

NOTE.—Discharge Jan. 1 to Mar. 11, with the exception of Jan. 29 to Feb. 4, estimated from climatologic records and the discharge at Port Jervis.  
Mean discharge Mar. 1-11 estimated 120 second-feet.

### NEVERSINK RIVER AT GODEFFROY, N. Y.

**Location.**—At the suspension bridge half a mile east of the post office at Godeffroy, half a mile below the mouth of Brasher Kill (entering from the left), and 8 miles above the confluence of Neversink and Delaware rivers.

**Records available.**—August 4 to October 9, 1903; August 21 to December 25, 1909.

Data also in the annual reports of the State engineer and surveyor of New York.

**Drainage area.**—314 square miles.

**Gage.**—Original, washed out by flood October 9, 1903. Second gage, an enameled staff, bolted to the downstream end of left-hand abutment; destroyed by flood, January 21, 1910. Present gage, established August 1, 1910, standard chain, supported by a cantilever arm fastened to the left-hand downstream cable tower; datum of present gage unchanged. Datum of new gage 0.98 foot lower than that of 1903 and the same as the one which it replaced.

**Channel.**—Bed of sand and gravel; liable to shift.

**Artificial control.**—There are several reservoirs in the upper part of the drainage area, two of which are now in use. The principal power plant is at Roses Point, near Cuddebackville, in the vicinity of the old Delaware & Hudson Canal. About half a mile above this point a concrete dam diverts water through the old feeder ditch to the plant. This power plant supplies Port Jervis, Middletown, and other small places in the vicinity, with electric light and power.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions are good for making measurements, but the channel is liable to shift from time to time, thus impairing the accuracy of the discharge rating curve. As the low-water flow is controlled absolutely by the power plant, determination of low-stage discharge is uncertain. Accurate computation of the diurnal fluctuation of discharge caused by the operation of the mills above the station has been rendered impossible by insufficient funds. It is proposed to install an automatic gage to determine the relation between the daily gage heights heretofore recorded and the true mean gage heights, thus making possible the publication of accurate computations of daily discharge from the inception of the station to date. The gage heights for 1911 are withheld pending this investigation, as no gage heights recorded at this station are true indices of the daily discharge.

**Cooperation.**—Maintained in cooperation with the New York State engineer and surveyor.

*Discharge measurements of Neversink River at Godeffroy, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Fect.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
June 20	G. S. De Golyer.....	3.74	486
July 21 <sup>a</sup>	.....do.....	2.76	49.2
21 <sup>a</sup>	.....do.....	2.90	70.2
Oct. 11	C. C. Covert.....	3.77	507

<sup>a</sup> Measurement made by wading  $\frac{1}{2}$  mile above bridge.

**LEHIGH RIVER AT SOUTH BETHLEHEM, PA.**

**Location.**—On the New Street Bridge connecting Bethlehem and South Bethlehem, Pa.

**Records available.**—September 22, 1902, to February 13, 1905; April 26, 1909, to December 31, 1911. Complete data 1902 to 1909 are published in Water Supply Paper 261.

**Drainage area.**—1,235 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain and weight, similar to that employed when the station was first established; datum of the present gage 0.09 foot higher than that of the old one used prior to 1909. Elevation of the zero of the present gage 210.64 feet above sea level.

**Channel.**—Straight for one-third mile above and several hundred feet below the station. A low rubble dam crosses a portion of the channel a few hundred feet below the bridge. The construction of this dam caused an alteration in the 1902 rating curve and certain changes in the dam caused a further slight change in the rating curve between 1905 and 1909. The river bed consists of sand, gravel, and boulders, and seems to be fairly permanent. Velocity good at low stages.

Left bank low and overflows at high stages, right bank high and does not overflow.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Relation between gage height and discharge at this station is little affected by ice.

**Canal.**—Lehigh Canal follows the left bank and passes over Monocacy Creek and under the left span of the bridge. The creek also passes under the bridge and enters the river a short distance below. An ice plant and gristmill take water from the canal and return it to the river above the bridge. The canal is measured at Main Street Bridge, one-third mile above the station, and the discharge, reduced by the amount of tailrace flow of ice plant and gristmill, is added to the river discharge. At high stages the river overflows into the canal and creek.

**Accuracy.**—Good.

**Cooperation.**—Since its reestablishment this station has been maintained by the Water Supply Commission of Pennsylvania, and many of the measurements have been made by students of Lehigh University, under the direction of the civil-engineering department.

The following discharge measurement was made by C. E. Ryder:

November 25, 1911: Gage height, 3.85 feet; discharge, 3,080 second-feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Lehigh River at South Bethlehem, Pa., for 1911.*

[John E. Santee, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.	3.11	2.88	3.07	3.73	3.42	3.55	2.53	2.17	6.88	2.78	3.40	3.52
2.	3.62	2.92	3.04	3.61	3.85	3.32	2.46	2.17	5.29	5.87	3.26	3.41
3.	5.59	2.60	2.96	3.43	3.31	3.03	2.46	2.16	4.39	4.66	3.13	3.27
4.	6.21	2.91	2.84	3.39	3.22	2.84	2.42	2.75	3.94	4.01	3.06	3.39
5.	4.84	3.62	2.64	4.02	3.15	2.71	2.45	2.49	3.51	3.71	3.03	3.21
6.	4.31	2.85	2.70	4.27	3.00	2.76	2.37	2.42	3.72	3.40	2.98	3.23
7.	4.07	2.63	2.64	4.21	2.93	2.97	2.29	2.30	3.78	3.69	3.81	3.19
8.	3.78	2.88	2.46	4.11	2.89	2.78	2.54	2.71	3.53	3.36	3.37	3.14
9.	3.72	3.80	2.63	4.05	2.82	2.63	2.27	2.45	3.37	3.27	3.18	3.07
10.	3.34	2.73	2.79	4.11	2.80	2.53	2.32	2.27	3.67	3.16	3.13	2.97
11.	3.26	2.61	2.21	3.98	2.78	2.44	2.33	2.15	3.43	3.22	3.02	3.08
12.	3.34	2.52	2.90	3.92	2.74	4.11	3.28	2.10	3.88	3.29	2.88	3.05
13.	3.52	3.09	3.07	3.78	2.67	5.88	2.16	2.02	3.46	3.14	3.42	3.01
14.	4.17	2.95	2.97	3.84	2.61	6.65	2.17	2.18	3.27	2.98	3.37	2.98
15.	4.83	2.71	3.19	4.37	2.62	5.42	2.50	2.05	3.19	2.90	3.29	3.05
16.	4.35	2.53	3.51	3.99	2.56	4.68	2.22	2.10	3.20	2.99	3.24	3.52
17.	3.74	2.71	2.81	3.96	2.55	4.49	3.06	2.05	3.06	2.89	3.16	4.27
18.	3.57	3.11	3.31	3.82	2.56	3.97	3.24	2.15	2.97	4.12	3.87	3.85
19.	3.42	3.40	3.07	3.69	2.53	3.52	2.62	2.00	2.87	4.98	4.58	3.67
20.	3.40	2.90	3.12	4.75	2.71	3.36	2.42	1.92	2.78	4.48	4.33	3.49
21.	3.36	2.63	3.25	4.89	2.52	3.16	2.49	2.03	2.70	4.29	4.04	3.39
22.	3.26	2.54	3.14	4.80	2.49	3.04	2.59	1.85	2.82	4.84	3.77	3.51
23.	3.13	2.62	3.21	4.77	2.43	3.28	2.44	1.90	2.65	5.57	3.61	3.99
24.	2.96	2.53	3.29	4.48	2.42	3.07	2.66	1.90	2.64	5.40	3.72	4.16
25.	2.74	2.61	3.07	4.17	2.32	3.03	2.91	2.22	2.56	4.85	3.82	4.02
26.	2.92	3.23	3.14	3.94	2.36	3.03	2.62	2.45	2.45	4.40	3.50	3.94
27.	2.88	3.33	3.60	3.80	2.41	3.02	2.49	2.39	2.49	4.18	3.50	4.11
28.	3.09	3.48	4.92	3.65	2.22	2.88	2.39	2.43	2.40	3.98	3.44	3.95
29.	3.36	.....	4.48	3.53	2.32	2.79	2.27	2.42	2.59	3.70	3.68	3.53
30.	3.25	.....	4.31	3.44	2.32	2.67	2.19	5.74	3.11	3.62	3.56	3.51
31.	3.04	.....	4.02	.....	2.50	.....	2.28	6.14	.....	3.47	.....	3.72

NOTE.—Gage heights probably not materially affected by ice.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Lehigh River at South Bethlehem, Pa., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	1,790	1,470	1,730	2,840	2,310	2,530	1,090	723	10,200	1,390	2,280	2,480
2.....	2,600	1,530	1,690	2,630	3,060	2,150	1,010	723	6,170	7,600	2,060	2,300
3.....	6,860	1,120	1,580	2,330	2,140	1,720	1,010	714	4,110	4,700	1,860	2,030
4.....	8,410	1,510	1,420	2,260	2,000	1,470	967	1,350	3,220	3,350	1,760	2,220
5.....	5,060	2,600	1,170	3,370	1,890	1,300	1,000	1,040	2,460	2,810	1,720	1,940
6.....	3,900	1,440	1,240	3,860	1,680	1,360	915	967	2,830	2,280	1,650	1,970
7.....	3,220	1,160	1,170	3,740	1,590	1,640	836	845	2,960	2,770	2,990	1,910
8.....	2,890	1,470	966	3,540	1,530	1,390	1,100	1,300	2,500	2,220	2,230	1,830
9.....	2,780	2,920	1,160	3,430	1,440	1,210	816	1,000	2,230	2,070	1,940	1,730
10.....	2,140	1,280	1,360	3,540	1,420	1,090	865	816	2,740	1,910	1,860	1,590
11.....	2,010	1,140	714	3,300	1,390	989	875	705	2,330	2,000	1,710	1,750
12.....	2,140	1,030	1,500	3,190	1,340	3,540	2,090	660	3,110	2,100	1,520	1,700
13.....	2,430	1,760	1,730	2,930	1,250	7,620	714	592	2,390	1,880	2,310	1,650
14.....	3,620	1,570	1,590	3,040	1,180	9,600	723	732	2,070	1,650	2,230	1,610
15.....	5,040	1,260	1,950	4,070	1,190	6,480	1,060	618	1,950	1,540	2,100	1,700
16.....	3,980	1,040	2,460	3,320	1,120	4,740	769	660	1,960	1,670	2,030	2,430
17.....	2,820	1,260	1,430	3,260	1,110	4,320	769	618	1,760	1,530	1,910	3,820
18.....	2,520	1,790	2,140	3,010	1,120	3,280	2,030	705	1,640	3,560	3,100	3,020
19.....	2,270	2,240	1,780	2,770	1,090	2,480	1,190	575	1,510	5,430	4,520	2,690
20.....	2,240	1,500	1,850	4,900	1,300	2,220	967	515	1,390	4,300	3,990	2,380
21.....	2,170	1,160	2,040	5,220	1,080	1,910	1,040	600	1,290	3,900	3,410	2,220
22.....	2,010	1,060	1,880	5,020	1,040	1,740	1,160	465	1,440	5,110	2,920	2,420
23.....	1,820	1,150	1,980	4,950	978	2,090	989	500	1,230	6,850	2,630	3,270
24.....	1,580	1,040	2,100	4,300	967	1,780	1,240	500	1,220	6,440	2,830	3,600
25.....	1,800	1,140	1,780	3,660	865	1,720	1,660	769	1,120	5,130	3,010	3,330
26.....	1,530	1,970	1,880	3,220	905	1,720	1,190	1,000	1,000	4,140	2,440	3,180
27.....	1,470	2,120	2,620	2,970	956	1,710	1,040	935	1,040	3,680	2,440	3,500
28.....	1,760	2,370	5,290	2,700	769	1,520	935	978	945	3,300	2,350	3,200
29.....	2,170	.....	4,300	2,500	865	1,400	816	967	1,160	2,790	2,760	2,450
30.....	2,000	.....	3,950	2,350	875	1,250	741	7,280	1,830	2,650	2,550	2,420
31.....	1,690	.....	3,370	.....	1,060	.....	826	8,280	.....	2,400	.....	2,780

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a fairly well defined discharge rating curve. Forty-five second-feet added to the daily discharge Mar. 15 to Dec. 2, when the canal was in operation.

*Monthly discharge of Lehigh River at South Bethlehem, Pa., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 1,235 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area.)	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Persquare mile.		
January.....	8,410	1,300	2,850	2.31	2.66	A.
February.....	2,920	1,030	1,540	1.25	1.30	A.
March.....	5,290	714	1,990	1.61	1.86	A.
April.....	5,220	2,260	3,410	2.76	3.08	A.
May.....	3,060	769	1,340	1.09	1.26	A.
June.....	9,600	989	2,600	2.11	2.35	A.
July.....	2,090	714	1,070	.866	1.00	A.
August.....	8,280	465	1,230	.996	1.15	A.
September.....	10,200	945	2,390	1.94	2.16	A.
October.....	7,600	1,390	3,330	2.70	3.11	A.
November.....	4,520	1,520	2,440	1.98	2.21	A.
December.....	3,820	1,590	2,420	1.96	2.26	A.
The year.....	10,200	465	2,220	1.80	24.40	

### TOHICKON CREEK AT POINT PLEASANT, PA.

**Location.**—About one-eighth mile above the mouth of the creek.

**Records available.**—1883 to 1911, except 1900.

**Drainage area.**—102 square miles.

**Gage.**—Automatic register.

**Discharge measurements.**—High stage determined from a curve developed from current meter measurements. The lower part of the rating curve has been developed from the computed discharge over a weir.

**Accuracy.**—Discharge rating curve well defined.

**Cooperation.**—Records obtained and furnished by the Philadelphia Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, under the personal supervision of John E. Codman.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Tohickon Creek at Point Pleasant, Pa., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	163.0	104.0	118.0	87.5	37.2	37.7	8.2	22.5	1,823.0	33.7	41.0	89.0
2.....	873.5	74.0	90.3	68.4	63.4	46.3	7.4	14.5	317.5	1,592.0	38.1	64.5
3.....	2,036.5	61.8	69.9	49.9	66.8	39.3	8.7	16.6	109.5	508.5	30.8	59.3
4.....	1,149.8	691.4	61.2	87.0	53.3	28.1	10.6	21.6	58.0	131.0	30.8	65.8
5.....	300.5	544.6	56.4	716.0	48.7	26.0	6.6	18.4	40.6	73.8	33.8	78.5
6.....	153.0	115.4	55.6	564.0	39.6	53.7	6.6	8.7	40.6	55.5	44.7	75.6
7.....	119.0	113.3	52.3	247.5	30.6	70.5	11.0	6.8	32.4	177.5	999.5	75.6
8.....	98.0	97.5	61.8	127.0	30.6	49.0	10.5	8.2	24.8	115.0	338.5	79.0
9.....	78.5	72.5	104.6	242.0	32.3	41.5	6.0	7.6	26.8	76.0	133.5	114.5
10.....	135.5	67.6	355.0	300.5	32.3	28.8	6.9	7.3	18.8	50.8	83.0	114.5
11.....	91.5	75.6	398.5	163.5	26.8	18.7	8.6	6.7	186.9	55.0	68.9	99.0
12.....	65.2	102.5	214.5	100.0	26.8	35.9	6.7	5.1	108.0	64.3	76.9	82.7
13.....	114.2	151.0	187.5	79.7	25.2	483.5	5.7	5.1	36.9	55.6	131.5	78.5
14.....	310.0	157.5	164.0	84.7	15.5	483.5	6.7	7.3	30.7	41.6	138.0	70.1
15.....	485.5	109.0	1,847.5	137.7	20.9	166.0	47.3	11.0	39.8	35.8	367.5	783.7
16.....	274.5	87.0	979.0	144.5	28.7	81.9	23.4	19.7	51.5	33.8	485.5	1,218.0
17.....	173.5	87.5	356.5	89.5	25.0	49.4	170.1	80.9	52.9	32.2	241.5	792.5
18.....	209.0	78.5	160.5	66.1	22.3	37.1	641.0	72.7	39.2	1,127.9	2,479.5	302.5
19.....	114.2	104.7	154.5	69.0	18.1	27.6	101.3	7.7	32.6	1,270.0	1,339.2	169.0
20.....	61.5	109.0	271.0	1,624.0	14.5	20.3	35.9	4.9	28.8	535.5	264.5	109.0
21.....	67.7	109.0	280.0	680.5	9.7	19.7	87.5	4.1	22.3	1,009.0	159.0	87.0
22.....	65.5	114.0	152.5	242.5	11.3	17.7	321.0	6.3	23.4	775.0	117.0	200.0
23.....	64.3	92.0	101.0	266.0	17.2	15.2	80.0	5.6	21.1	1,079.5	84.0	1,201.0
24.....	83.8	82.7	75.0	196.0	13.4	18.3	365.5	8.2	10.3	518.0	821.0	515.0
25.....	94.3	104.5	54.0	113.0	8.3	53.4	127.5	39.8	15.6	194.0	720.0	206.0
26.....	60.3	131.0	52.1	77.9	10.7	55.1	50.8	19.8	22.3	122.0	250.0	148.5
27.....	163.5	131.0	449.5	62.4	9.3	21.7	31.4	16.6	18.8	95.0	145.0	658.5
28.....	407.5	131.0	704.0	54.7	3.9	16.3	24.5	25.8	13.3	73.4	137.5	371.5
29.....	224.0	.....	506.0	37.2	6.4	12.2	16.9	33.8	21.0	63.1	183.5	145.0
30.....	277.2	.....	404.0	23.1	33.6	9.5	11.8	57.7	31.0	56.2	183.5	138.0
31.....	200.5	.....	109.5	.....	47.4	.....	18.7	2,524.3	.....	47.6	.....	104.0

*Monthly discharge of Tohickon Creek at Point Pleasant, Pa., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 102 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	2,040	60.3	281	2.75	3.17
February.....	691	61.8	139	1.36	1.42
March.....	1,850	52.1	279	2.74	3.16
April.....	1,620	23.1	227	2.23	2.49
May.....	66.8	3.9	26.8	.263	.30
June.....	484	9.5	68.8	.675	.75
July.....	641	5.7	73.1	.717	.83
August.....	2,520	4.1	99.8	.978	1.13
September.....	1,820	10.3	110	1.08	1.20
October.....	1,590	32.2	326	3.20	3.69
November.....	2,480	30.8	338	3.31	3.69
December.....	1,220	59.3	268	2.63	3.03
The year.....	2,520	3.9	187	1.83	24.86



## NESHAMINY CREEK BELOW FORKS, PA.

**Location.**—A short distance below the junction of Big and Little Neshaminy creeks.

**Records available.**—1884 to 1911.

**Drainage area.**—139 square miles.

**Gage.**—Automatic register.

**Discharge measurements.**—Discharge at high stages determined from a curve developed from current meter measurements; lower part of rating curve developed from the computed discharge over a weir.

**Accuracy.**—Discharge rating curve well defined.

**Cooperation.**—Records obtained and furnished by Philadelphia Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, under the personal supervision of John E. Codman.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Neshaminy Creek below Forks, Pa., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	461.0	174.0	194.0	103.5	150.0	91.5	14.2	12.2	1,469.8	122.5	121.0	213.0
2.....	996.0	120.0	158.5	95.0	422.0	64.5	12.5	11.7	349.5	1,493.8	100.0	189.5
3.....	2,153.0	135.0	129.5	87.5	140.0	37.5	14.2	11.7	201.0	332.0	89.5	183.0
4.....	1,731.0	1,157.0	117.0	113.5	100.5	33.5	14.0	41.7	151.5	173.0	94.5	175.5
5.....	436.0	462.0	117.0	517.0	92.0	33.5	12.0	48.0	116.5	131.5	92.5	166.0
6.....	436.0	181.7	158.5	601.5	83.5	69.5	11.7	20.0	101.0	113.0	371.5	163.0
7.....	264.0	313.6	173.0	239.0	75.0	85.5	10.7	15.0	94.5	132.5	1,027.5	160.0
8.....	188.0	246.0	133.5	166.5	71.5	52.0	10.3	13.5	84.0	132.5	255.5	158.0
9.....	168.0	156.9	132.5	238.0	68.0	34.0	10.7	12.2	76.5	106.5	161.0	156.0
10.....	165.5	134.5	130.5	364.5	64.0	30.0	10.5	11.2	76.5	91.0	139.5	141.0
11.....	191.0	144.5	140.5	186.5	59.0	33.0	8.4	11.5	297.0	109.0	131.5	128.5
12.....	165.5	233.5	164.0	146.5	51.5	43.0	8.4	12.7	253.0	121.5	173.5	130.0
13.....	295.0	303.0	165.0	126.0	49.0	61.0	11.7	12.7	104.5	101.5	351.5	126.0
14.....	314.0	272.5	167.0	141.5	45.0	68.0	11.2	12.0	77.0	80.0	173.5	116.5
15.....	381.5	201.0	1,662.4	229.8	40.0	48.0	9.0	248.0	146.0	73.5	693.5	450.0
16.....	313.5	186.5	601.5	175.5	42.5	31.0	9.7	286.0	212.0	81.0	563.0	1,017.5
17.....	135.0	139.5	285.0	135.5	41.5	29.0	16.5	58.5	166.5	79.5	242.0	634.0
18.....	135.0	253.0	279.5	111.5	35.0	30.0	93.3	21.2	111.5	617.0	2,981.3	319.5
19.....	135.0	279.5	237.5	126.0	33.5	30.0	42.5	15.2	87.0	431.8	566.5	235.5
20.....	134.0	185.5	254.0	1,537.0	32.5	25.0	22.0	15.5	80.5	342.0	325.0	182.0
21.....	124.0	182.5	225.0	536.5	31.0	20.5	22.7	14.7	64.0	873.3	298.0	166.0
22.....	115.0	192.5	170.0	392.5	29.0	20.5	17.0	14.7	47.0	602.7	207.0	241.5
23.....	105.5	152.5	151.0	364.0	28.0	22.5	11.7	11.2	51.0	987.2	176.0	970.5
24.....	96.0	129.0	144.0	280.0	24.8	22.5	13.7	8.7	51.0	419.5	1,087.0	361.5
25.....	96.0	246.5	142.0	215.0	23.2	19.0	15.7	71.0	49.0	276.0	666.5	240.5
26.....	96.0	471.0	129.5	169.0	26.5	19.0	16.5	91.5	49.0	225.0	328.0	224.5
27.....	220.7	438.5	163.0	141.5	25.8	22.0	15.5	88.5	43.0	193.0	248.5	779.6
28.....	438.5	258.0	345.0	129.0	20.3	22.0	13.5	107.0	37.5	168.5	312.7	307.5
29.....	281.0	.....	168.5	120.0	19.5	23.5	12.5	69.5	96.0	151.0	523.5	348.5
30.....	572.3	.....	154.0	111.0	17.0	20.5	12.0	111.0	181.0	139.5	276.0	293.2
31.....	238.7	.....	131.5	.....	59.0	.....	12.5	5,334.0	.....	130.0	.....	268.0

*Monthly discharge of Neshaminy Creek below Forks, Pa., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 139 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	2,150	96.0	374	2.69	3.10
February.....	1,160	120	262	1.89	1.97
March.....	1,660	117	236	1.70	1.96
April.....	1,540	87.0	263	1.89	2.11
May.....	422	17.0	64.5	.464	.53
June.....	91.5	19.0	38.0	.273	.30
July.....	93.3	8.4	16.7	.120	.14
August.....	5,330	8.7	220	1.58	1.82
September.....	1,470	37.5	164	1.18	1.32
October.....	1,490	73.5	291	2.09	2.41
November.....	2,980	89.5	426	3.06	3.41
December.....	1,020	116	298	2.14	2.47
The year.....	5,330	8.4	221	1.59	21.54

## SCHUYLKILL RIVER NEAR PHILADELPHIA, PA.

**Location.**—At Fairmount dam, near Philadelphia.

**Records available.**—1898 to 1911.

**Drainage area.**—1,920 square miles.

**Discharge measurements.**—Computed daily discharge represents the total flow of the river as determined from the amount wasted over the flashboards at Fairmount Dam, the pumpage from the river, the leakage, and the quantity used for power at Fairmount.

**Diversions.**—Except for a small amount of water drawn from the Delaware, the entire water supply for the city of Philadelphia is taken from the Schuylkill.

**Cooperation.**—Records obtained and furnished by the Philadelphia Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, under the personal supervision of John E. Codman.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Schuylkill River near Philadelphia, Pa., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	1,630	1,069	1,181	2,419	1,685	1,617	556	290	23,238	1,547	1,761	2,885
2.....	3,437	764	953	2,255	1,955	1,507	284	290	8,200	6,787	2,046	2,622
3.....	8,679	617	864	1,610	2,242	1,189	228	290	4,342	9,660	2,115	2,425
4.....	11,157	1,651	769	1,610	1,617	760	417	721	2,726	6,378	1,761	2,592
5.....	5,062	2,462	831	3,860	1,301	772	592	823	2,143	4,303	1,528	2,592
6.....	3,259	1,530	891	4,189	1,358	1,038	390	832	2,201	3,954	2,274	2,105
7.....	2,636	967	891	1,971	1,005	1,382	526	714	1,394	2,163	4,242	2,105
8.....	2,404	779	891	1,875	976	1,044	1,899	651	1,319	2,028	3,470	2,105
9.....	2,404	900	769	1,947	976	867	2,044	566	1,188	1,870	2,392	2,105
10.....	1,803	845	665	2,222	976	347	858	566	1,188	1,547	1,753	1,901
11.....	1,558	687	1,221	2,222	857	347	727	454	1,924	1,403	1,670	1,818
12.....	1,344	687	1,353	1,791	758	1,190	601	454	2,000	1,547	1,670	1,666
13.....	1,140	920	1,154	1,628	674	4,447	601	197	1,653	1,547	1,930	1,504
14.....	1,636	1,170	1,020	1,235	773	5,507	221	373	1,123	1,274	2,270	1,512
15.....	2,810	1,737	4,435	1,963	773	3,997	399	401	1,191	1,148	2,637	2,457
16.....	3,138	1,185	2,985	2,520	462	2,709	876	887	1,656	1,148	3,606	4,263
17.....	1,970	1,088	1,613	2,030	486	2,007	2,239	457	1,726	1,149	2,642	6,663
18.....	1,327	1,700	1,154	1,411	486	1,540	6,702	567	1,256	4,750	9,212	3,852
19.....	913	2,126	1,154	1,362	486	1,320	2,735	432	1,113	8,470	8,602	3,537
20.....	1,039	2,751	1,154	4,515	486	1,023	1,323	738	1,014	4,538	6,162	3,032
21.....	1,039	2,329	1,154	6,421	770	1,023	1,088	738	558	4,327	4,457	3,032
22.....	1,039	1,527	1,154	4,678	468	636	1,018	373	782	4,580	4,260	3,888
23.....	903	1,127	901	4,678	397	636	796	198	782	6,642	3,051	5,148
24.....	903	901	610	3,785	365	636	861	373	558	8,337	5,502	4,751
25.....	671	901	665	2,820	365	310	1,515	373	558	6,087	6,553	4,023
26.....	537	1,540	665	2,490	365	636	824	346	558	4,538	3,822	3,748
27.....	625	1,809	908	2,025	365	636	648	1,046	558	5,079	3,266	4,158
28.....	1,336	1,680	2,775	1,812	365	984	291	1,765	550	2,971	3,147	4,906
29.....	1,384	.....	3,521	1,600	365	769	370	1,468	558	2,458	3,385	4,095
30.....	1,792	.....	3,026	1,533	294	769	291	3,865	1,394	2,509	3,385	3,252
31.....	1,407	.....	2,250	.....	486	.....	370	20,971	.....	2,094	.....	3,341

*Monthly discharge of Schuylkill River near Philadelphia, Pa., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 1,920 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	11,200	537	2,290	1.19	1.37
February.....	2,750	617	1,340	.698	.73
March.....	4,440	610	1,410	.734	.85
April.....	6,420	1,240	2,550	1.33	1.48
May.....	2,240	294	804	.419	.48
June.....	5,510	310	1,390	.724	.81
July.....	6,700	221	1,040	.542	.62
August.....	21,000	197	1,360	.708	.82
September.....	23,200	550	2,320	.21	1.35
October.....	9,660	1,150	3,770	1.96	2.26
November.....	9,210	1,530	3,490	1.82	2.03
December.....	6,660	1,500	3,160	1.65	1.90
The year.....	23,200	197	2,080	1.08	14.70

**PERKIOMEN CREEK NEAR FREDERICK, PA.****Location.**—About 12 miles above the mouth of the creek and above the East Branch.**Records available.**—1884 to 1911.**Drainage area.**—152 square miles.**Gage.**—Automatic register.**Discharge measurements.**—Discharge at high stages determined from a curve developed from current-meter measurements; lower part of rating curve developed from the computed discharge over a weir.**Accuracy.**—Discharge rating curve well defined.**Cooperation.**—Records obtained and furnished by Philadelphia Bureau of Water, Department of Public Works, under the personal supervision of John E. Codman.*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Perkiomen Creek near Frederick, Pa., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	209.0	164.0	171.0	128.0	126.0	305.5	47.8	49.0	1,066.0	121.0	120.0	179.0
2.....	1,105.0	120.0	142.0	112.5	240.0	159.5	40.1	53.7	213.0	1,075.6	109.5	156.0
3.....	1,743.5	107.5	133.0	111.5	163.0	111.0	41.8	46.6	175.0	224.5	99.5	159.0
4.....	882.0	587.2	125.0	131.0	121.0	93.0	35.3	49.6	122.5	185.0	90.0	185.0
5.....	302.0	473.2	126.0	763.5	107.0	75.0	37.2	53.2	96.5	143.0	78.0	154.5
6.....	209.0	176.3	132.0	501.0	93.0	518.5	39.6	46.7	90.0	111.0	106.0	139.5
7.....	173.0	173.0	131.0	281.0	87.0	263.0	38.6	43.2	83.5	133.0	848.5	139.0
8.....	148.0	157.0	127.0	209.0	84.5	155.0	149.0	41.2	76.0	142.0	273.5	146.0
9.....	161.5	141.5	135.0	202.5	82.0	101.5	52.3	42.2	71.0	106.0	163.0	141.0
10.....	132.0	141.5	376.0	365.5	79.5	76.5	39.2	43.7	75.5	90.0	139.0	135.0
11.....	119.5	141.5	425.5	225.0	81.0	55.9	35.1	42.7	150.2	106.0	134.0	140.0
12.....	109.0	167.5	232.0	167.0	80.5	344.1	35.1	39.6	114.7	128.0	144.0	132.0
13.....	269.0	209.0	217.5	139.0	71.5	1,071.7	29.3	35.5	83.5	168.5	318.5	116.0
14.....	393.0	230.0	202.0	202.5	58.5	633.0	24.6	39.1	64.0	83.0	176.0	107.5
15.....	476.0	200.0	1,294.3	473.5	58.5	255.0	42.6	38.6	100.0	72.0	418.5	465.7
16.....	259.0	160.0	695.2	259.0	65.0	160.0	49.8	36.6	147.0	79.5	497.0	936.2
17.....	178.0	148.5	262.0	187.0	60.8	115.0	1,168.8	37.5	127.0	82.0	258.5	626.7
18.....	139.5	382.2	254.5	152.0	53.7	98.0	447.5	46.1	98.5	2,050.8	1,026.3	323.5
19.....	111.0	373.6	219.0	172.0	51.3	99.0	139.0	71.3	78.5	771.3	646.7	233.5
20.....	102.5	202.0	358.0	1,552.2	48.3	88.5	99.5	64.3	64.5	404.5	354.0	135.0
21.....	93.0	167.0	310.5	702.5	45.8	67.5	112.5	40.6	49.2	490.5	270.0	165.0
22.....	101.5	148.5	206.0	335.0	46.4	59.0	128.0	40.1	49.2	586.5	230.0	236.5
23.....	111.0	145.0	164.5	354.5	46.4	55.3	79.9	39.2	78.5	1,195.0	196.5	1,026.3
24.....	106.0	129.5	136.5	307.5	43.7	56.4	86.9	35.6	51.7	467.0	781.5	435.5
25.....	95.0	180.0	113.0	227.5	43.7	49.5	118.0	54.3	38.5	300.0	757.9	278.0
26.....	89.0	346.5	105.0	186.0	45.8	51.3	92.0	75.0	40.6	236.0	296.5	241.5
27.....	104.5	414.0	317.0	164.0	45.8	54.9	60.3	84.5	38.0	189.0	238.0	730.7
28.....	314.0	265.0	495.7	149.0	42.2	55.5	48.9	98.5	33.6	166.0	230.0	358.5
29.....	220.0	.....	254.5	134.0	37.1	54.9	43.9	87.5	79.9	152.0	337.0	204.0
30.....	358.0	.....	201.0	122.0	36.0	52.5	40.2	136.0	124.0	139.0	235.5	204.0
31.....	186.5	.....	165.0	.....	93.3	.....	40.1	2,087.0	.....	128.0	.....	208.5

*Monthly discharge of Perkiomen Creek near Frederick, Pa., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 152 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.	
January.....	1,740	89.0	290	1.91	2.20
February.....	587	108	223	1.47	1.53
March.....	1,290	105	265	1.74	2.01
April.....	1,550	112	301	1.98	2.21
May.....	240	36.0	75.4	.496	.57
June.....	1,070	49.5	178	1.17	1.30
July.....	1,170	24.6	111	.730	.84
August.....	2,090	35.5	119	.783	.90
September.....	1,070	33.6	126	.829	.92
October.....	2,050	72.0	331	2.18	2.51
November.....	2,130	78.0	356	2.34	2.61
December.....	1,030	108	285	1.88	2.17
The year.....	2,130	24.6	222	1.46	19.77

**SUSQUEHANNA RIVER BASIN.****SUSQUEHANNA RIVER AT BINGHAMTON, N. Y.**

**Location.**—At the Washington Street Bridge in Binghamton, about 800 feet above the mouth of Chenango River. No important tributaries between the station and the mouth of Unadilla Creek, about 50 miles upstream.

**Records available.**—July 31, 1901, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of State engineer and surveyor, State of New York.

**Drainage area.**—2,400 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain fastened to upstream side of bridge, read twice daily: datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Bed composed of rocks and gravel. Current swift but somewhat irregular. Channel at times clogged with grass and bars.

**Discharge measurements.**—Usually made at the Exchange Street Bridge, 1,900 feet above the Washington Street Bridge.

**Artificial control.**—2,800 feet upstream from the bridge is a timber crib dam affording 6 feet head; used for power development. There is no material control of the water by this dam.

**Winter flow.**—As a rule not greatly affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—Discharge rating curve for low and medium stages is not well developed. The measurements plot erratically due to changes in conditions of flow. High-stage gage heights liable to considerable error because of backwater from ice jams which form near Willow Bend and also by backwater from Chenango River. Published data not very satisfactory.

**Cooperation.**—Established and maintained in cooperation with the State engineer and surveyor of New York.

*Discharge measurements of Susquehanna River at Binghamton, N. Y., for 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Dis-charge.
		<i>Fect.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Mar. 28	C. A. Cockroff.....	14.24	29,600
Apr. 21	C. S. De Golyer.....	4.59	6,870
June 14	.....do.....	6.14	10,700
16	.....do.....	4.33	5,920
Oct. 6 <sup>a</sup>	.....do.....	2.33	1,074
7	.....do.....	2.49	1,580

<sup>a</sup> Measurements made by wading at Washington Street Bridge.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Susquehanna River at Binghamton, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Hugh L. Smith and L. B. Farnsworth, observers.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	4.4	3.5	3.15	5.4	2.9	2.26	2.34	1.92	2.16	2.24	3.1	3.5
2.....	5.1	3.15	2.8	4.7	3.15	2.38	2.26	1.94	2.16	2.6	3.35	3.4
3.....	8.6	3.35	2.65	4.3	3.6	2.28	2.24	1.92	2.09	2.5	3.25	3.2
4.....	8.3	2.9	2.6	4.1	3.35	2.28	2.18	1.90	2.05	2.43	3.0	2.95
5.....	6.3	3.0	2.85	4.8	3.15	2.19	2.19	1.92	2.01	2.43	2.8	2.7
6.....	4.6	2.8	2.35	8.8	2.95	2.30	2.25	1.92	2.00	2.37	2.75	2.6
7.....	4.6	2.8	2.35	11.6	2.8	2.55	2.22	1.95	2.12	2.6	3.0	2.5
8.....	4.1	2.6	2.4	11.1	2.75	2.65	2.17	1.96	2.12	2.65	3.05	2.5
9.....	4.1	2.85	2.4	8.6	2.65	2.55	2.11	1.89	2.24	2.65	3.15	2.48
10.....	3.7	2.95	2.5	7.4	2.6	2.46	2.08	1.90	2.9	2.65	3.0	2.8
11.....	3.5	2.7	2.6	6.5	2.5	2.42	2.16	1.82	3.1	2.65	2.9	3.0
12.....	3.8	2.75	2.8	6.0	2.5	3.1	2.12	1.84	2.8	2.6	2.8	3.1
13.....	4.5	2.65	3.1	5.6	2.5	5.2	2.08	1.88	2.6	2.5	3.05	3.3
14.....	6.0	2.5	3.45	5.5	2.38	6.2	2.06	1.86	2.48	2.44	3.3	3.8
15.....	6.9	2.5	4.2	7.2	2.37	5.2	2.04	1.83	2.44	2.42	3.2	3.9
16.....	5.5	2.5	4.3	6.7	2.32	4.35	1.99	1.82	2.34	2.37	3.05	4.8
17.....	4.1	2.5	3.85	5.8	2.30	.....	2.06	1.80	2.28	2.32	3.05	5.3
18.....	3.6	2.5	3.45	5.0	2.31	.....	2.08	1.82	2.22	2.6	3.7	5.0
19.....	3.5	2.8	3.25	4.5	2.29	.....	2.05	1.83	2.22	3.45	4.8	4.6
20.....	3.4	3.0	3.0	4.6	2.24	.....	2.06	1.84	2.18	3.5	4.8	4.5
21.....	3.35	2.8	3.05	4.6	2.21	2.8	2.10	1.85	2.13	3.4	4.2	4.6
22.....	3.2	2.6	3.35	4.8	2.25	2.7	2.09	1.82	2.12	3.35	3.9	4.6
23.....	3.0	2.6	4.6	5.0	2.22	2.65	2.02	1.85	2.11	4.4	3.7	6.3
24.....	3.0	2.55	4.9	4.5	2.36	2.6	2.06	1.88	2.10	4.9	3.6	6.0
25.....	2.95	2.5	4.0	4.0	2.38	2.55	2.04	1.86	2.11	4.9	3.7	5.0
26.....	2.85	2.4	4.0	3.7	2.9	2.46	2.00	1.92	2.12	4.4	3.6	5.0
27.....	2.85	2.85	9.0	3.45	2.6	2.36	1.98	1.86	2.12	3.6	3.5	5.0
28.....	7.4	2.75	14.3	3.25	2.42	2.38	2.08	1.88	2.08	3.4	3.5	4.7
29.....	6.85	.....	11.7	3.1	2.34	2.40	1.96	1.97	2.10	3.05	3.8	4.0
30.....	5.5	.....	8.6	3.02	2.28	2.37	1.94	2.08	2.20	3.0	3.6	3.8
31.....	3.8	.....	7.0	.....	2.18	.....	1.91	2.09	.....	2.9	.....	3.8

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by backwater from anchor ice about Feb. 3 to Mar. 10. There was also doubtless some backwater during the remainder of January, February, and March. Gage heights were read to the water surface.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Susquehanna River at Binghamton, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	6,120	3,790	1,400	8,880	2,330	974	1,130	436	792	936	2,810	3,790
2.....	8,040	2,930	1,200	6,930	2,930	1,200	974	462	792	1,650	3,420	3,540
3.....	18,500	2,400	1,100	5,850	4,040	1,010	936	436	675	1,440	3,170	3,050
4.....	17,600	2,000	1,000	5,320	3,420	1,010	826	410	615	1,300	2,570	2,450
5.....	11,500	2,200	1,000	7,200	2,930	843	843	436	555	1,300	2,100	1,870
6.....	6,660	1,800	900	19,200	2,450	1,050	955	436	540	1,180	1,980	1,650
7.....	6,660	1,500	900	28,400	2,100	1,540	898	475	724	1,650	2,670	1,440
8.....	5,320	1,400	800	26,700	1,980	1,760	809	458	724	1,760	2,690	1,440
9.....	5,320	1,200	800	18,500	1,760	1,540	707	399	936	1,760	2,930	1,400
10.....	4,290	1,100	1,100	14,800	1,650	1,360	660	410	2,330	1,760	2,570	2,100
11.....	3,790	1,000	1,650	12,000	1,440	1,280	792	322	2,810	1,760	2,330	2,570
12.....	4,540	1,000	2,100	10,600	1,440	2,810	724	344	2,100	1,650	2,100	2,810
13.....	6,390	1,000	2,810	9,440	1,440	8,320	660	388	1,650	1,440	2,690	3,290
14.....	10,600	900	3,660	9,160	1,200	11,200	630	366	1,400	1,320	3,290	4,540
15.....	13,200	900	5,580	14,200	1,180	8,320	600	333	1,320	1,280	3,050	4,800
16.....	9,160	800	5,850	12,600	1,090	5,980	527	322	1,130	1,180	2,690	7,200
17.....	5,320	800	4,670	10,000	1,050	5,200	630	300	1,010	1,090	2,690	8,600
18.....	4,040	1,000	3,660	7,760	1,070	4,430	660	322	898	1,650	4,290	7,660
19.....	3,790	1,800	3,170	6,390	1,030	3,650	615	333	898	3,660	7,200	6,760
20.....	3,540	1,500	2,570	6,660	936	2,880	630	344	826	3,790	7,200	6,390
21.....	3,420	1,200	2,690	6,660	879	2,100	690	355	741	3,540	5,580	6,660
22.....	3,050	1,000	3,420	7,200	955	1,870	675	322	724	3,420	4,800	6,660
23.....	2,570	900	6,660	7,760	898	1,760	570	355	707	6,120	4,290	11,500
24.....	2,570	900	7,480	6,390	1,160	1,650	540	388	690	7,480	4,040	10,600
25.....	2,450	900	5,060	5,060	1,200	1,540	600	366	707	7,480	4,290	7,760
26.....	2,220	1,000	5,060	4,290	2,330	1,360	540	436	724	6,120	4,040	7,760
27.....	2,220	1,800	19,800	3,660	1,650	1,160	514	366	724	4,040	3,790	7,760
28.....	14,800	1,600	33,100	3,170	1,280	1,200	660	388	660	3,540	3,790	6,930
29.....	13,100	.....	28,800	2,810	1,130	1,240	488	501	690	2,690	4,540	5,060
30.....	9,160	.....	18,500	2,620	1,010	1,180	462	660	860	2,570	4,040	5,540
31.....	4,540	.....	13,600	.....	826	.....	423	675	.....	2,330	.....	4,540

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a fairly well defined discharged rating curve. Daily discharge Feb. 3 to Mar. 10 estimated from climatologic records and the discharge from adjacent drainage areas. Discharge June 17 to 20 interpolated.

*Monthly discharge of Susquehanna River at Binghamton, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 2,400 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	18,500	2,220	6,920	2.88	3.32	C.
February.....	3,790	800	1,440	.600	.62	C.
March.....	38,100	800	6,290	2.62	3.02	C.
April.....	28,400	2,620	9,670	4.03	4.50	B.
May.....	4,040	826	1,640	.683	.79	C.
June.....	11,200	.843	2,710	1.13	1.26	C.
July.....	1,130	423	689	.287	.33	C.
August.....	675	300	406	.169	.19	C.
September.....	2,810	540	998	.416	.46	C.
October.....	7,480	936	2,670	1.11	1.28	C.
November.....	7,200	1,980	3,580	1.49	1.66	B.
December.....	11,500	1,400	5,070	2.11	2.43	B.
The year.....	38,100	300	3,520	1.47	19.86	

**SUSQUEHANNA RIVER AT WILKES-BARRE, PA.****Location.**—At the Market Street Bridge, Wilkes-Barre.**Records available.**—March 30, 1899, to December 31, 1911, United States Geological Survey; 1888 to 1911, by the United States Weather Bureau (gage heights only).**Drainage area.**—9,810 square miles.**Gage.**—The Weather Bureau gage, on which readings were begun in 1888, was on the left pier of the bridge. The chain gage established by the United States Geological Survey in 1899 was fastened to the bridge and its datum was made 4 feet lower than the datum of the Weather Bureau gage to avoid negative readings. This datum was soon after adopted by the Weather Bureau. On July 20, 1910, the Weather Bureau installed a Mott type gage in the same position and at the same datum as the chain gage. The datum adopted by the United States Geological Survey gage has remained constant. Records obtained by the Weather Bureau prior to the adoption of the Geological Survey gage datum should have 4 feet added to reduce them to the present datum.**Channel.**—The station is situated in a deep pool with steep high banks which seldom overflow.**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge.**Winter flow.**—Relation between gage height and discharge at this station affected by ice during the winter. Water is often backed up many feet by ice gorges.**Accuracy.**—Conditions of flow subject to change at irregular intervals. A fairly good discharge rating curve has been developed.**Cooperation.**—Discharge measurements at this station are made by the Water Supply Commission of Pennsylvania.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Susquehanna River at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., for 1911.*

[Obadiah Hemstreet, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.	7.4	8.0	8.5	11.8	5.65	3.45	3.25	2.45	4.15	3.45	4.94	6.14
2.	10.8	6.4	6.9	9.9	5.70	3.20	3.15	2.45	3.75	4.05	4.84	6.14
3.	9.0	5.9	6.2	8.6	5.75	3.15	3.15	2.45	3.45	5.35	4.84	5.64
4.	14.0	6.4	5.5	7.8	6.60	3.50	3.05	2.35	3.15	5.25	4.94	5.24
5.	12.0	6.2	4.9	7.6	6.25	3.45	2.90	2.30	2.95	5.05	4.94	5.04
6.	10.0	8.0	4.8	9.5	5.75	3.35	2.75	2.25	2.95	4.55	4.74	4.84
7.	8.1	8.9	4.5	13.6	5.30	3.30	2.75	2.35	3.55	4.55	4.74	4.54
8.	6.8	7.7	4.2	16.4	5.05	3.25	2.85	2.25	3.35	4.55	4.94	4.44
9.	7.0	7.5	4.3	16.1	4.80	4.40	2.85	2.25	3.05	4.95	5.14	4.44
10.	6.8	7.3	4.2	13.9	4.55	4.15	2.80	2.30	5.35	5.15	5.14	4.34
11.	6.1	6.8	4.9	12.9	4.45	3.95	2.75	2.25	4.65	4.85	5.04	4.54
12.	5.8	6.3	6.9	11.3	4.40	5.00	2.75	2.15	5.35	4.85	4.84	5.04
13.	6.3	5.7	7.6	10.2	4.15	4.75	2.65	2.15	5.05	4.95	4.94	5.24
14.	8.5	4.8	8.7	9.5	4.00	8.10	2.65	2.15	4.55	4.85	4.94	5.34
15.	12.0	4.2	9.2	10.0	3.85	9.35	2.70	2.20	4.15	4.55	5.34	7.84
16.	13.2	3.6	10.1	11.1	3.75	8.45	2.65	2.15	4.05	4.35	5.34	7.44
17.	10.5	3.9	8.7	10.9	3.70	7.30	2.65	2.05	3.75	4.05	5.14	9.04
18.	8.8	4.2	7.5	9.7	3.65	6.25	2.55	2.05	3.45	4.15	5.24	9.34
19.	6.8	4.6	7.0	8.7	3.60	5.90	2.65	2.05	3.45	6.35	5.54	9.04
20.	6.2	7.5	6.4	8.3	3.55	5.35	2.80	2.30	3.25	6.35	6.04	8.04
21.	6.0	10.0	6.1	9.9	3.55	4.85	2.85	2.25	3.15	6.95	7.44	7.14
22.	5.8	10.4	6.3	10.2	3.90	4.50	2.85	2.25	3.05	6.85	6.84	6.44
23.	5.1	9.9	7.3	10.3	3.65	4.15	2.75	2.25	3.05	6.95	6.24	6.34
24.	5.1	9.0	8.9	10.4	3.50	4.10	2.75	2.15	2.95	7.85	5.84	8.24
25.	5.2	8.6	8.3	9.3	3.55	3.95	2.70	2.20	2.75	7.95	5.64	10.04
26.	5.4	8.8	7.6	8.3	3.45	3.65	2.45	2.45	2.75	6.75	5.54	9.44
27.	5.0	8.8	7.8	7.6	4.90	3.60	2.45	2.45	2.75	5.95	5.54	8.84
28.	5.0	10.7	13.7	6.0	4.55	3.55	2.55	2.45	2.75	5.55	5.44	8.04
29.	9.9	.....	19.2	6.0	4.10	3.50	2.55	3.15	2.95	5.45	5.54	7.64
30.	10.9	.....	17.2	5.4	3.75	3.35	2.50	3.90	3.45	5.35	5.54	6.44
31.	9.0	.....	14.2	.....	3.50	.....	2.45	3.55	.....	5.15	.....	6.14

NOTE—Gage heights probably not materially affected by backwater from ice Jan. 1 to Feb. 3; ice was moving freely Jan. 1. Backwater from ice occurred Feb. 4-13, and Feb. 20-28. There may have been slight backwater from ice the first part of March. No ice in December.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Susquehanna River at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.	16,900	19,600	21,900	39,000	9,900	3,160	2,710	1,290	4,930	3,160	7,400	11,700
2.	33,500	12,800	14,800	28,800	10,100	2,600	2,500	1,290	3,860	4,660	7,060	11,700
3.	24,400	10,800	12,000	22,400	10,300	2,500	2,500	1,290	3,160	8,820	7,060	9,870
4.	52,200	9,010	9,360	18,700	13,600	3,270	2,290	1,160	2,500	8,480	7,400	8,440
5.	40,000	7,650	7,260	17,800	12,200	3,160	2,000	1,090	2,100	7,780	7,400	7,740
6.	29,400	7,260	6,930	26,800	10,300	2,930	1,740	1,030	2,100	6,120	6,730	7,060
7.	20,100	6,700	5,970	49,700	8,650	2,820	1,740	1,160	3,380	6,120	6,730	6,090
8.	14,400	6,140	5,070	68,400	7,780	2,710	2,100	1,030	2,930	6,120	7,400	5,780
9.	15,200	4,500	5,360	66,200	6,930	5,660	1,910	1,030	2,290	7,430	8,090	5,780
10.	14,400	5,260	5,070	51,600	6,120	4,930	1,820	1,090	8,820	8,120	8,090	5,480
11.	11,600	5,600	7,260	45,500	5,820	4,380	1,740	1,030	6,440	7,100	7,740	6,090
12.	10,500	5,780	14,800	36,200	5,660	7,600	1,740	915	8,820	7,100	7,060	7,740
13.	12,400	6,210	17,800	30,400	4,930	6,780	1,580	915	7,780	7,430	7,400	8,440
14.	21,900	6,930	22,900	26,800	4,520	20,100	1,580	915	6,120	7,100	7,400	8,790
15.	40,200	5,070	25,300	29,400	4,120	26,100	1,660	970	4,930	6,120	8,790	18,900
16.	47,200	3,500	29,900	35,100	3,860	21,700	1,580	915	4,660	5,510	8,790	17,100
17.	31,900	4,250	22,900	34,100	3,740	16,500	1,580	810	3,860	4,660	8,090	24,500
18.	23,400	5,070	17,400	27,800	3,620	12,200	1,440	810	3,160	4,930	8,440	26,000
19.	14,400	6,280	15,200	22,900	3,500	10,800	1,580	810	3,160	12,600	9,500	24,500
20.	12,000	7,960	12,800	21,000	3,380	8,820	1,820	1,090	2,710	12,600	11,400	19,800

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Susquehanna River at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., for 1911—Con.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
21.....	11,200	9,430	11,600	28,800	3,380	7,100	1,910	1,030	2,500	15,000	17,100	15,800
22.....	10,500	8,430	12,400	30,400	4,250	5,970	1,910	1,030	2,290	14,600	14,500	12,900
23.....	7,950	7,070	16,500	30,900	3,620	4,930	1,740	1,030	2,290	15,000	12,100	12,500
24.....	7,950	6,960	23,900	31,400	3,270	4,790	1,740	915	2,100	18,900	10,600	20,700
25.....	8,300	6,430	21,000	25,800	3,380	4,380	1,660	970	1,740	19,400	9,870	29,600
26.....	9,000	6,700	17,800	21,000	3,160	3,620	1,290	1,290	1,740	14,200	9,500	26,500
27.....	7,600	7,960	18,700	17,800	7,260	3,500	1,290	1,290	1,740	11,000	9,500	21,600
28.....	7,600	13,000	50,300	11,200	6,120	3,380	1,440	1,290	1,740	9,540	9,140	19,800
29.....	28,800	.....	90,300	11,200	4,790	3,270	1,440	2,500	2,100	9,180	9,500	13,000
30.....	34,100	.....	74,300	9,000	3,860	2,430	1,360	4,250	3,160	8,820	9,500	12,900
31.....	24,400	.....	53,500	.....	3,270	.....	1,290	3,380	.....	8,120	.....	11,700

NOTE.—Discharge determined from a well-defined curve. No correction made in the discharge for January or March for possible effect of ice. Discharge Feb. 4-13 and 20-28 taken as 85 per cent of the discharge at Danville. Discharge for remainder of February considered unaffected by ice.

*Monthly discharge of North Branch of Susquehanna River at Wilkes-Barre, Pa., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 9,810 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	52,200	7,600	20,800	2.12	2.44	A.
February.....	19,600	3,500	7,580	.773	.80	C.
March.....	90,300	5,070	21,600	2.20	2.54	A.
April.....	68,400	9,000	30,500	3.11	3.47	A.
May.....	13,600	3,160	5,980	.610	.70	A.
June.....	26,100	2,500	7,090	.723	.81	A.
July.....	2,710	1,290	1,760	.179	.21	A.
August.....	4,250	810	1,280	.130	.15	A.
September.....	8,820	1,740	3,640	.371	.41	A.
October.....	19,400	3,160	9,220	.940	1.08	A.
November.....	17,100	6,730	8,980	.915	1.02	A.
December.....	29,600	5,480	14,300	1.46	1.68	A.
The year.....	90,300	810	11,100	1.13	15.31	

### SUSQUEHANNA RIVER AT DANVILLE, PA.

**Location.**—At the Mill Street Bridge in Danville, 52 miles below Wilkes-Barre and 11 miles above the mouth of the West Branch of the Susquehanna. No important tributaries enter the Susquehanna within several miles of the station.

**Records available.**—March 25, 1899, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—11,100 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain attached to the bridge March 24, 1905. On March 9, 1904, the bridge to which the gage was attached was carried away by an ice freshet and from that date until the spring of 1905, when the new steel bridge was completed, observations were made from temporary gages and were constantly liable to error for stages less than 5 feet. Except during this period, the datum of the chain gage has remained constant.

**Channel.**—Permanent.

**Canal.**—The Susquehanna at this point is paralleled on the north side by the Pennsylvania Canal.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge. No measurement made since 1909.



**Winter flow.**—Considerably affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—An excellent discharge rating curve has been developed.

**Cooperation.**—Established by United States Geological Survey; now maintained by Water Supply Commission of Pennsylvania, which furnishes the table of daily gage heights.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Susquehanna River at Danville, Pa., for 1911.*

[E. F. Bell, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	8.12	6.95	6.80	9.95	5.35	3.22	2.92	2.26	4.65	3.00	4.49	4.72
2.....	6.22	5.80	6.15	8.20	4.98	3.15	2.87	2.20	4.20	3.98	4.27	5.25
3.....	7.90	5.00	5.30	7.10	4.78	3.12	2.82	2.46	3.75	4.82	4.35	5.00
4.....	12.38	4.55	4.92	6.50	5.15	3.00	2.78	2.32	3.28	4.60	4.51	4.68
5.....	11.45	4.20	4.40	6.44	5.34	3.05	2.72	2.18	3.12	4.70	4.46	4.40
6.....	9.75	4.10	4.32	6.95	5.00	3.15	2.63	2.13	3.16	4.30	4.24	4.28
7.....	7.75	3.95	4.12	9.70	4.72	3.08	2.59	2.12	3.40	4.05	4.18	4.10
8.....	7.10	3.80	3.88	12.48	4.45	3.01	2.52	2.12	3.40	4.08	4.30	4.02
9.....	6.65	3.32	3.60	13.40	4.18	3.25	2.51	2.10	3.30	4.05	4.38	3.88
10.....	6.15	3.55	3.50	11.55	4.04	3.69	2.54	2.08	3.88	4.52	4.46	3.88
11.....	5.62	3.65	4.08	10.35	3.94	3.45	2.52	2.01	4.78	4.38	4.48	3.90
12.....	5.42	3.70	4.50	9.35	3.80	3.85	2.46	1.94	4.52	4.26	4.40	3.98
13.....	5.50	3.82	5.90	8.45	3.65	4.50	2.46	2.00	4.72	4.22	4.42	4.38
14.....	6.75	3.85	6.65	7.88	3.53	5.72	2.42	2.02	4.30	4.22	4.44	4.55
15.....	9.65	3.55	7.45	8.10	3.45	7.52	2.48	2.00	3.98	4.18	4.45	5.10
16.....	10.80	3.42	8.10	8.60	3.44	7.32	2.40	2.02	3.78	3.92	4.60	6.47
17.....	9.65	3.33	7.70	9.05	3.30	6.35	2.42	1.97	3.37	3.80	4.61	7.31
18.....	7.50	3.68	6.70	8.22	3.26	5.70	2.48	1.93	3.22	4.07	4.60	7.83
19.....	6.60	4.10	6.00	7.53	3.25	5.02	2.41	1.88	3.12	5.28	4.80	7.75
20.....	5.65	4.28	5.60	7.62	3.29	4.67	2.40	1.90	3.05	5.68	5.40	6.65
21.....	5.32	4.65	5.27	8.35	3.30	4.28	2.44	1.92	2.98	6.00	6.00	6.10
22.....	5.15	4.40	5.20	8.74	3.25	4.00	2.51	2.00	2.82	6.14	6.25	6.35
23.....	4.90	4.05	5.65	8.70	3.32	3.74	2.55	2.00	2.86	6.62	5.60	6.70
24.....	4.48	4.02	6.55	8.74	3.18	3.56	2.50	1.94	2.75	7.23	5.30	6.75
25.....	4.24	3.88	7.00	8.32	3.10	3.50	2.47	1.94	2.70	7.02	5.15	8.10
26.....	4.14	3.95	6.50	7.30	3.08	3.41	2.40	2.25	2.68	6.85	4.95	8.05
27.....	4.02	4.28	6.48	6.64	3.46	3.28	2.32	2.42	2.64	6.26	4.62	7.65
28.....	4.43	5.50	9.55	6.00	4.00	3.14	2.28	2.35	2.64	5.63	4.75	7.10
29.....	5.64	.....	14.75	5.60	3.60	3.11	2.25	3.70	2.72	5.17	4.60	6.55
30.....	9.20	.....	14.20	5.30	3.42	2.99	2.24	4.62	2.95	4.88	4.62	6.17
31.....	8.15	.....	12.25	.....	3.22	.....	2.25	4.34	.....	4.66	.....	5.40

NOTE.—Probably considerable backwater from ice from about Jan. 1 to 9, but none for remainder of January. Slight backwater at times during February and the first part of March. No ice during December.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Susquehanna River at Danville, Pa., for 1911.*

[E. F. Bell, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	18,000	23,400	22,500	45,500	14,600	4,920	3,850	1,970	11,100	4,120	10,300	11,400
2.....	19,200	16,900	18,800	31,500	12,700	4,660	3,680	1,830	9,000	8,010	9,320	14,100
3.....	29,400	12,800	14,300	24,300	11,700	4,550	3,520	2,460	7,010	11,900	9,690	12,800
4.....	60,000	10,600	12,400	20,800	13,600	4,120	3,400	2,110	5,140	10,900	10,400	11,200
5.....	45,000	9,000	9,920	20,400	14,500	4,300	3,200	1,790	4,550	11,300	10,200	9,920
6.....	35,000	8,550	9,550	23,400	12,800	4,660	2,930	1,680	4,700	9,460	9,180	9,370
7.....	25,000	7,880	8,640	43,300	11,400	4,410	2,810	1,660	5,600	8,320	8,910	8,550
8.....	15,000	7,220	7,570	69,100	10,200	4,160	2,620	1,660	5,460	8,460	8,460	8,190
9.....	18,000	5,300	6,400	78,600	8,910	5,030	2,590	1,620	5,220	8,320	9,830	7,570
10.....	18,800	6,200	6,000	60,000	8,280	6,760	2,670	1,580	7,570	10,500	10,200	7,570
11.....	16,000	6,600	8,460	49,000	7,840	5,800	2,620	1,440	11,700	9,830	10,300	7,660
12.....	14,900	6,800	10,400	40,400	7,220	7,440	2,460	1,310	10,500	9,280	9,920	8,010
13.....	15,300	7,310	17,500	33,300	6,600	10,400	2,400	1,420	11,400	9,060	10,000	9,830
14.....	22,200	7,440	21,600	29,300	6,120	16,500	2,350	1,460	9,460	9,090	10,100	10,600
15.....	42,900	6,200	26,500	30,800	5,800	26,900	2,510	1,420	8,010	8,910	10,200	13,300

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Susquehanna River at Danville, Pa., for 1911—Contd.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
16. ....	53,000	5,680	30,800	34,400	5,760	25,700	2,300	1,460	7,140	7,750	10,900	20,600
17. ....	42,900	5,330	28,100	37,900	5,220	19,900	2,350	1,370	5,490	7,220	10,900	25,600
18. ....	26,800	6,720	21,900	31,600	5,070	16,400	2,510	1,290	4,920	8,420	10,900	29,000
19. ....	21,300	8,550	18,000	27,000	5,030	12,900	2,330	1,210	4,550	14,200	11,800	28,400
20. ....	16,100	9,370	15,900	27,600	5,180	11,200	2,300	1,240	4,300	16,300	14,800	21,600
21. ....	14,400	11,100	14,200	32,500	5,220	9,370	2,400	1,280	4,050	18,000	18,000	18,500
22. ....	13,600	9,920	13,800	35,400	5,030	8,100	2,590	1,420	3,520	18,800	19,400	19,900
23. ....	12,300	8,320	16,100	35,100	5,300	6,970	2,700	1,420	3,650	21,500	15,900	21,900
24. ....	10,300	8,190	21,100	35,400	4,770	6,240	2,560	1,310	3,300	25,100	14,300	22,200
25. ....	9,180	7,570	23,700	32,300	4,480	6,000	2,480	1,310	3,140	23,800	13,600	30,800
26. ....	8,730	7,880	20,800	25,600	4,410	5,640	2,300	1,940	3,080	22,800	12,600	30,400
27. ....	8,190	9,370	20,700	21,600	5,840	5,140	2,110	2,350	2,960	19,400	11,900	27,800
28. ....	10,100	15,300	42,000	18,000	8,100	4,620	2,010	2,180	2,960	16,000	11,600	24,300
29. ....	16,100	.....	93,500	15,900	6,400	4,520	1,940	6,800	3,200	13,600	10,900	21,100
30. ....	39,100	.....	87,300	14,300	5,680	4,090	1,920	11,000	3,950	12,200	11,000	18,900
31. ....	31,100	.....	66,800	.....	4,920	.....	1,940	9,640	.....	11,100	.....	14,800

NOTE.—Discharge determined from a well-defined rating curve. Discharge reduced account of probable backwater from ice Jan. 1 and 4 to 9. The remainder of January, February, and March not corrected for possible effect of ice.

*Monthly discharge of Susquehanna River at Danville, Pa., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 11,100 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January. ....	60,000	8,190	23,600	2.13	2.46	B.
February. ....	23,400	5,300	9,120	.822	.86	B.
March. ....	93,500	6,000	23,700	2.14	2.47	A.
April. ....	78,600	14,300	34,100	3.07	3.42	A.
May. ....	14,600	4,410	7,700	.694	.80	B.
June. ....	26,900	4,090	8,710	.785	.88	B.
July. ....	3,850	1,920	2,590	.233	.27	B.
August. ....	11,000	1,210	2,340	.211	.24	B.
September. ....	11,700	2,960	5,890	.531	.59	B.
October. ....	25,100	4,120	12,700	1.14	1.31	A.
November. ....	19,400	8,910	11,600	1.05	1.17	A.
December. ....	30,800	7,570	17,000	1.53	1.76	A.
The year. ....	93,500	1,210	13,300	1.20	16.23	

<sup>a</sup> Estimated on account of ice.

### SUSQUEHANNA RIVER AT HARRISBURG, PA.

**Location.**—At the Walnut Street Bridge at Harrisburg, 2 miles below the mouth of Conodoguinet Creek and  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles above the mouth of Paxton Creek.

**Records available.**—1890 to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—24,000 square miles.

**Gage.**—The original gage established in 1890 by E. Mather, president of the Harrisburg water board, is located in the pump well at the pump house of the city waterworks, the well being connected with the river by two large mains. On July 18, 1904, a chain gage was installed on the Walnut Street Bridge. The datums of both gages have remained constant since their establishment.<sup>1</sup>

**Channel.**—Fairly permanent. The river is divided into two channels by Foster Island which is overflowed at flood stages.

<sup>1</sup> For full information regarding the two gages and changes in conditions of flow, see Water-Supply Papers U. S. Geol. Survey Nos. 109 and 167.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge. No measurement has been made since 1908.

**Winter flow.**—Relation between gage height and discharge affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions of flow relatively permanent; a good discharge rating curve has been developed.

**Cooperation.**—Since July 15, 1906, gage readings have been furnished by the United States Weather Bureau.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Susquehanna River at Harrisburg, Pa., for 1911.*

[E. R. Denman, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	3.18	5.45	4.13	7.12	4.02	1.87	1.65	0.62	5.66	2.58	3.23	3.18
2.....	3.94	4.93	4.47	6.02	3.82	1.80	1.55	.61	4.88	4.28	3.06	3.15
3.....	4.58	4.10	3.82	5.26	3.78	1.79	1.40	.88	3.93	6.68	2.97	3.33
4.....	6.64	3.80	3.69	4.72	3.66	1.77	1.32	1.42	3.12	7.68	2.87	3.24
5.....	8.29	3.38	3.35	4.61	3.65	1.78	1.22	1.38	2.62	5.71	2.86	3.08
6.....	6.64	3.21	3.09	5.02	3.57	1.76	1.13	1.05	2.32	4.91	2.80	2.94
7.....	5.52	2.70	2.86	5.87	3.34	1.81	1.09	.99	2.33	4.38	2.90	2.78
8.....	4.84	2.68	2.69	7.97	3.09	1.82	1.09	1.10	2.64	4.14	3.08	2.65
9.....	4.02	2.60	2.55	8.96	2.92	1.78	1.03	1.00	2.79	4.50	3.29	2.56
10.....	3.73	2.51	2.44	8.35	2.76	1.87	.94	.90	3.81	4.41	3.27	2.51
11.....	3.80	2.38	2.61	7.33	2.64	2.04	.93	.78	6.25	4.21	3.30	2.54
12.....	3.47	2.40	2.93	6.75	2.58	2.00	.91	.69	5.39	3.89	3.22	2.58
13.....	3.38	2.51	3.44	6.07	2.46	2.04	.89	.61	4.41	3.62	3.10	2.68
14.....	4.32	2.59	4.06	5.62	2.37	2.59	.87	.57	3.88	3.41	3.28	2.84
15.....	7.08	2.91	4.41	5.47	2.24	3.83	.82	.57	3.58	3.26	3.34	3.19
16.....	11.27	3.05	4.64	6.05	2.14	4.38	.93	.52	4.32	3.09	3.26	4.18
17.....	8.98	3.05	4.89	6.43	2.10	4.01	1.03	.60	4.90	2.88	3.39	5.74
18.....	6.86	3.29	4.61	6.21	2.04	3.52	.99	.61	5.34	3.30	3.38	6.85
19.....	5.49	3.88	4.20	5.59	1.99	3.04	1.07	.59	4.33	3.42	3.59	6.72
20.....	4.79	4.33	3.88	5.37	1.99	2.71	1.02	.49	3.58	4.75	4.20	6.09
21.....	4.31	4.30	3.76	6.48	1.94	2.46	.94	.45	3.15	4.75	4.41	5.38
22.....	3.93	4.06	3.69	7.27	2.04	2.26	.87	.52	2.87	4.58	4.62	4.84
23.....	3.60	3.61	3.62	7.52	1.97	2.09	.88	.52	2.58	4.65	4.44	4.65
24.....	3.42	3.37	3.78	7.39	2.11	1.97	.95	.52	2.42	5.38	4.07	5.04
25.....	3.09	3.15	4.29	7.11	2.05	1.89	.93	.67	2.26	5.35	3.81	5.40
26.....	2.88	3.14	4.41	6.40	1.92	1.79	.90	.88	2.13	4.90	3.70	5.69
27.....	2.72	3.23	4.24	5.68	1.90	1.74	.85	1.14	2.06	4.62	3.52	5.60
28.....	2.62	3.44	5.27	5.11	1.94	1.76	.82	1.22	1.91	4.22	3.41	5.52
29.....	3.04	.....	9.35	4.64	2.16	1.66	.72	1.93	1.94	3.86	3.31	5.32
30.....	5.16	.....	9.76	4.32	2.02	1.72	.71	3.88	2.27	3.58	3.22	5.02
31.....	5.99	.....	8.40	.....	1.97	.....	.69	5.30	.....	3.33	.....	4.78

NOTE.—River frozen Jan. 1 and Jan. 2 until 6 p. m., when the ice broke, there probably being no further material backwater from ice during the remainder of the winter. No ice in December.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Susquehanna River at Harrisburg, Pa., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	15,000	59,200	38,200	88,900	36,700	12,100	10,400	4,470	62,700	18,600	26,000	25,400
2.....	32,000	50,700	43,300	68,800	33,900	11,600	9,740	4,420	49,900	40,400	24,000	25,000
3.....	45,100	37,800	33,900	56,100	33,300	11,500	8,740	5,720	35,400	80,700	22,900	27,300
4.....	79,900	33,600	32,100	47,300	31,600	11,300	8,230	8,870	24,700	99,500	21,800	26,100
5.....	111,000	27,900	27,500	45,600	31,500	11,400	7,610	8,610	19,000	63,500	21,700	24,200
6.....	79,900	25,800	24,300	52,100	30,400	11,300	7,080	6,640	16,000	50,400	21,000	22,600
7.....	60,400	19,900	21,700	66,200	27,400	11,600	6,860	6,310	16,100	41,900	22,100	20,800
8.....	49,200	19,700	19,800	105,000	24,300	11,700	6,860	6,910	19,200	38,400	24,200	19,300
9.....	36,700	18,800	18,300	124,000	22,400	11,400	6,520	6,360	20,900	43,800	26,800	18,400
10.....	32,600	17,900	17,200	112,000	20,500	12,100	6,040	5,820	33,700	42,400	26,500	17,900
11.....	33,600	16,600	18,900	92,900	19,200	13,500	5,980	5,210	72,800	39,400	26,900	18,200
12.....	29,000	16,800	22,500	82,000	18,600	13,200	5,870	4,780	58,200	34,900	25,900	18,600
13.....	27,900	17,900	28,700	69,600	17,400	13,500	5,770	4,420	42,400	31,100	24,400	19,766
14.....	41,000	18,700	37,200	62,000	16,500	18,700	5,670	4,250	34,700	28,300	26,600	21,400
15.....	88,100	22,200	42,400	69,600	15,300	34,000	5,410	4,250	30,500	26,400	27,400	25,500

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Susquehanna River at Harrisburg, Pa., for 1911—Con.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
16.....	174,000	23,900	46,000	69,300	14,400	41,900	5,980	4,040	41,000	24,300	26,400	38,900
17.....	125,000	23,900	50,000	76,100	14,000	36,500	6,520	4,380	50,200	21,900	28,000	64,000
18.....	84,000	20,800	45,600	72,100	13,500	29,700	6,310	4,420	57,400	26,900	27,800	83,800
19.....	59,900	34,700	39,200	61,500	13,100	23,700	6,740	4,340	41,200	42,500	30,700	81,400
20.....	48,400	41,200	34,700	57,900	13,100	20,000	6,470	3,920	30,500	47,800	39,200	70,000
21.....	40,800	40,700	33,000	77,000	12,700	17,400	6,040	3,760	25,000	47,800	42,400	58,100
22.....	35,400	37,200	32,100	91,700	13,500	15,500	5,670	4,040	21,800	45,100	45,700	49,200
23.....	30,800	30,900	31,100	96,500	12,900	13,900	5,720	4,040	18,600	46,200	42,800	46,200
24.....	28,400	27,800	33,300	94,000	14,100	12,900	6,090	4,040	17,000	58,100	37,400	52,500
25.....	24,300	25,000	40,600	88,700	13,600	12,300	5,980	4,700	15,500	57,600	39,200	58,400
26.....	21,900	24,900	42,400	75,500	12,500	11,500	5,820	5,720	14,300	50,200	32,200	63,200
27.....	20,100	26,000	39,800	63,000	12,300	11,100	5,560	7,140	13,700	45,700	29,700	61,700
28.....	19,000	28,700	56,300	53,600	12,700	11,300	5,410	7,610	12,400	39,500	28,300	60,400
29.....	23,700	.....	132,000	46,000	14,600	10,500	4,930	12,600	12,700	34,400	27,000	57,100
30.....	54,400	.....	141,000	41,000	13,300	11,000	4,880	34,700	15,600	30,500	25,900	52,100
31.....	68,200	.....	113,000	.....	12,900	.....	4,780	56,800	.....	27,300	.....	48,300

NOTE.—Discharge determined from a well-defined rating curve. Discharge Jan. 1 and 2 reduced for effect of ice. No further corrections made for effect of ice during remainder of 1911.

*Monthly discharge of Susquehanna River at Harrisburg, Pa., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 24,000 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	174,000	15,000	52,200	2.18	2.51	A.
February.....	59,200	16,600	28,400	1.18	1.23	A.
March.....	141,000	17,200	43,100	1.80	2.08	A.
April.....	124,000	41,000	73,200	3.05	3.40	A.
May.....	36,700	12,300	19,100	.796	.92	A.
June.....	41,900	10,500	16,300	.679	.76	B.
July.....	10,400	4,780	6,440	.268	.31	B.
August.....	56,800	3,760	8,170	.340	.39	B.
September.....	72,800	12,400	30,800	1.28	1.43	A.
October.....	99,500	13,600	42,800	1.78	2.05	A.
November.....	45,700	21,000	28,800	1.20	1.34	A.
December.....	83,800	17,900	41,200	1.72	1.98	A.
The year.....	174,000	3,760	32,500	1.35	18.40	

### CHENANGO RIVER AT BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

**Location.**—At the Court Street Bridge, Binghamton, N. Y., 300 feet below Noyes dam, about 2,500 feet above the junction with the Susquehanna, and 14 miles below the mouth of Tioughnioga River, coming in from the right.

**Records available.**—July 31, 1901, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of New York State engineer and surveyor.

**Drainage area.**—1,530 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain, fastened to the upstream side of the bridge; read twice daily; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Bed of river composed of cobble and gravel; fairly permanent. Very little vegetation at the bridge except at the sides.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—As a rule not greatly affected by the presence of ice, although at times ice jams form on the control point below the gage.

**Diversion.**—In estimating the run-off of the Chenango River basin the area directly tributary to the storage reservoirs, from which water is diverted to supply the Erie Canal is deducted from the total natural drainage area. The diversion area of six reservoirs at the head of Chenango River, whose outflow is turned into the river canal through Limestone Creek, is 30 square miles. The diversion area of De Ruyter reservoir at the head of Tioughnioga River, whose outflow is turned into Limestone Creek, is 18 square miles. These two drainage areas have been subtracted from the natural drainage area of 1,580 square miles, giving an effective area of 1,532 square miles. This estimate is approximate, as no allowance has been made for direct inflow to the feeder channels from additional areas nor for waste into the original stream. The gross area, from which more or less run-off is diverted, is about 105 square miles.

**Accuracy.**—Relation between gage height and discharge at times affected by backwater from Susquehanna River (at high stage) and ice jams on control point. At ordinary stages a slight riffle a short distance downstream from the bridge cuts off backwater from the Susquehanna. 1911 measurements have defined two rating curves, one of which is quite different from any hitherto used. Records can not be considered better than fair.

**Cooperation.**—Station established and maintained in cooperation with the State engineer and surveyor of New York.

*Discharge measurements of Chenango River at Binghamton, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Discharge.
		<i>Feet.</i>	<i>Sec.-ft.</i>
Mar. 29	C. A. Cockroft.....	16.30	24,200
Apr. 6	do.....	12.60	16,000
21	C. S. De Golyer.....	7.90	4,080
June 14	do.....	9.39	5,250
16	do.....	7.16	2,290
Sept. 28	C. C. Cover.....	5.54	468
Oct. 4 <sup>a</sup>	C. S. De Golyer.....	5.95	849

<sup>a</sup> Measurement made partly by wading under Court Street Bridge.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Chenango River at Binghamton, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Hugh L. Smith and A. L. La Roche, observers.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	7.6	7.15	6.25	8.9	6.45	5.95	5.46	5.29	5.74	6.55	7.2	7.3
2.....	8.4	7.1	6.45	8.3	7.0	6.15	5.36	5.18	5.64	5.81	6.85	7.0
3.....	12.2	6.7	6.3	7.7	7.3	5.97	5.36	5.18	5.58	6.05	6.55	6.85
4.....	11.8	6.5	6.15	7.6	6.85	5.84	5.33	5.28	5.53	5.89	6.45	6.65
5.....	9.4	6.55	6.4	8.5	6.6	5.82	5.48	5.18	5.49	5.20	6.3	6.5
6.....	8.1	6.0	6.0	12.4	6.4	6.25	5.58	5.18	5.58	6.05	6.3	6.4
7.....	8.0	6.05	6.0	15.5	6.25	6.65	5.48	5.36	6.2	6.35	6.7	6.3
8.....	7.6	6.15	5.9	14.8	6.2	6.4	5.34	5.32	6.15	6.65	6.9	6.3
9.....	7.6	6.35	5.85	12.2	6.1	6.2	5.34	5.32	6.8	6.4	6.65	6.3
10.....	7.2	6.2	6.05	11.0	6.05	5.96	5.24	5.42	7.5	6.0	6.45	6.8
11.....	6.95	6.15	6.3	10.0	6.0	5.9	5.28	5.28	7.0	6.1	6.4	7.0
12.....	7.3	6.1	6.3	9.6	5.96	7.0	5.28	5.22	6.5	6.2	6.35	7.5
13.....	8.1	6.1	6.8	9.7	5.87	8.3	5.26	5.19	6.5	6.2	7.2	8.3
14.....	9.4	6.1	7.4	9.2	5.82	9.2	5.20	5.39	6.25	6.05	6.9	8.3
15.....	10.2	6.0	8.1	11.0	5.79	8.0	5.10	5.36	6.0	5.98	6.7	8.0
16.....	8.6	5.9	8.0	10.3	5.74	6.95	5.16	5.41	6.0	5.94	6.65	8.9
17.....	7.4	6.0	7.1	9.2	5.72	6.95	5.00	5.70	5.88	5.8	6.6	9.3
18.....	7.1	6.2	7.2	8.4	5.72	6.55	5.90	5.56	5.86	6.4	7.2	8.9
19.....	7.0	6.65	6.75	7.9	5.70	6.25	5.82	5.49	5.76	7.6	8.1	8.6
20.....	6.9	6.35	6.8	8.0	5.70	6.05	5.64	5.26	5.66	7.1	8.1	.....

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Chenango River at Binghamton, N. Y., for 1911—Contd.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
21.....	6.8	6.1	6.7	7.9	5.70	5.88	5.60	5.44	5.64	6.9	7.5	.....
22.....	6.7	6.1	7.0	8.0	5.68	5.77	5.54	5.35	5.56	6.75	7.3	6.9
23.....	6.6	6.1	8.6	8.3	5.63	5.68	5.49	5.35	5.62	8.2	6.95	10.0
24.....	6.2	6.1	8.3	7.9	6.35	5.72	5.53	5.35	5.60	8.2	6.9	10.0
25.....	6.4	6.05	7.4	7.4	7.1	5.08	5.47	5.34	5.60	7.4	7.0	8.9
26.....	6.3	6.15	7.6	7.1	6.7	5.57	5.54	5.38	5.61	6.95	6.9	8.6
27.....	6.45	6.4	12.9	6.9	6.35	5.58	5.44	5.46	5.50	6.8	6.8	8.6
28.....	11.3	6.55	18.1	6.7	6.10	5.66	5.45	5.39	5.32	6.65	6.8	8.2
29.....	10.5	.....	15.3	6.55	5.94	5.67	5.34	5.74	5.54	6.45	7.8	6.85
30.....	8.9	.....	12.1	6.45	5.80	5.54	5.17	6.05	5.46	6.35	7.8	6.55
31.....	7.4	.....	10.5	.....	5.74	.....	5.35	5.97	.....	6.5	.....	6.5

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge probably affected by anchor ice from Feb. 7 to Mar. 11. There was also undoubtedly some backwater for brief periods during the remainder of January, February, and March. Gage heights were taken to water surface.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Chenango River at Binghamton, N. Y., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	3,530	2,790	1,000	6,060	1,720	1,020	398	273	636	1,510	2,350	2,490
2.....	5,020	2,710	900	4,820	2,550	1,290	322	198	546	700	1,780	2,080
3.....	13,900	2,100	900	3,700	3,030	1,040	322	198	494	945	1,510	1,780
4.....	12,900	1,800	800	3,530	2,320	894	301	266	454	780	1,390	1,630
5.....	7,130	1,880	800	5,220	1,950	872	414	198	422	1,110	1,220	1,450
6.....	4,430	1,080	700	14,400	1,650	1,430	494	198	494	945	1,220	1,330
7.....	4,240	900	700	23,200	1,430	2,020	414	322	1,110	1,280	1,690	1,220
8.....	3,530	900	600	21,200	1,360	1,650	308	294	1,060	1,630	1,950	1,220
9.....	3,530	800	600	13,900	1,220	1,360	308	294	1,720	1,330	1,630	1,220
10.....	2,870	800	900	10,800	1,150	1,030	238	366	2,770	890	1,390	1,720
11.....	2,480	700	1,200	8,460	1,080	960	266	266	2,080	1,000	1,330	2,080
12.....	3,030	700	1,500	7,570	1,030	2,550	266	224	1,450	1,110	1,280	2,770
13.....	4,430	700	2,250	6,480	927	3,960	252	204	1,450	1,110	2,350	3,960
14.....	7,130	700	3,190	6,690	872	5,440	210	343	1,160	945	1,950	3,960
15.....	8,920	650	4,430	10,800	840	3,500	150	322	890	870	1,690	3,500
16.....	5,430	600	4,240	9,150	787	2,020	186	358	890	830	1,630	4,930
17.....	3,190	900	2,710	6,690	766	2,020	100	600	770	690	1,570	5,610
18.....	2,710	1,200	2,870	5,020	766	1,510	790	478	750	1,330	2,350	4,930
19.....	2,550	1,600	2,180	4,060	745	1,160	710	422	654	2,910	3,650	4,440
20.....	2,400	1,300	2,250	4,240	745	945	546	252	564	2,210	3,650	3,610
21.....	2,250	1,100	2,100	4,060	745	770	510	382	546	1,950	2,770	2,780
22.....	2,100	900	2,550	4,240	725	663	462	315	478	1,760	2,490	1,950
23.....	1,950	800	4,430	4,820	675	582	422	315	528	3,800	2,020	6,850
24.....	1,360	700	4,820	4,060	1,580	618	454	315	510	3,800	1,950	6,850
25.....	1,650	800	3,190	3,190	2,710	582	406	308	510	2,630	2,080	4,930
26.....	1,500	1,000	3,530	2,710	2,100	486	462	336	519	2,020	1,950	4,440
27.....	1,720	1,400	15,800	2,400	1,580	494	382	398	430	1,720	1,720	4,440
28.....	1,600	1,200	31,200	2,100	1,220	564	382	343	294	1,630	1,720	3,800
29.....	9,630	.....	22,600	1,880	1,010	573	308	636	462	1,390	3,200	1,780
30.....	6,060	.....	13,600	1,720	850	462	192	945	398	1,280	3,200	1,510
31.....	3,190	.....	9,630	.....	787	.....	315	860	.....	1,450	.....	1,450

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from two discharge rating curves, the first applicable Jan. 1 to June 12, the second applicable June 13 to Dec. 31. Both curves are fairly well defined at low and medium stages, but at high stages are somewhat uncertain, owing to variable effect of backwater from Susquehanna River. Discharge Feb. 7 to Mar. 11 estimated from climatologic records and the discharge from adjacent drainage areas. Discharge Dec. 20 and 21 interpolated.

*Monthly discharge of Chenango River at Binghamton, N. Y., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 1,530 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	13,900	1,360	4,400	2.88	3.32	B.
February.....	2,790	600	1,170	.765	.80	C.
March.....	31,200	600	4,810	3.14	3.62	B.
April.....	23,200	1,720	6,910	4.52	5.04	B.
May.....	3,030	675	1,320	.863	.99	B.
June.....	5,440	462	1,420	.928	1.04	B.
July.....	790	100	364	.238	.27	B.
August.....	945	198	362	.237	.27	B.
September.....	2,770	294	835	.546	.61	B.
October.....	3,800	690	1,530	1.00	1.15	B.
November.....	3,650	1,220	2,020	1.32	1.47	B.
December.....	6,850	1,220	3,120	2.04	2.35	B.
The year.....	31,200	100	2,360	1.54	20.93	

**CHEMUNG RIVER AT CHEMUNG, N. Y.**

**Location.**—About midway between Chemung, N. Y., and Willawana, Pa., about half a mile upstream from the State line, and about 10 miles above the junction with the Susquehanna.

**Records available.**—September 7, 1903, to December 31, 1911. Data also in annual reports of New York State engineer and surveyor.

**Drainage area.**—2,440 square miles.

**Gage.**—Tape-and-weight, read twice daily. The suspension bridge to which the gage was originally attached was removed during the summer of 1911, and on April 19, 1911, the gage was placed 250 feet upstream from the bridge. Gage readings were begun on the temporary gage, April 20, 1911. The suspension bridge is being replaced by a 2-span steel truss bridge, to which the gage will be attached. Datum unchanged up to the time of the removal of the bridge.

**Channel.**—Right bank high, clear, and not subject to overflow; left bank of medium height, wooded and overflowed at times of high water. Bed of river composed of sand and gravel; clear and fairly permanent.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by backwater caused by needle ice.

**Artificial control.**—Largest water power development on the river is at Elmira, N. Y. No dams on the river between Elmira and the mouth of the Chemung.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions for accurate determination of discharge during the open period only fair. Determination of discharge during the winter months liable to be considerably in error as a result of backwater caused by needle ice. Estimates of daily discharge for 1911 withheld pending confirmation of the discharge rating curve for the new section.

**Cooperation.**—Established and maintained by the United States Geological Survey in cooperation with the New York State engineer and surveyor.

*Discharge measurements of Chemung River at Chemung, N. Y., in 1911.*

Date.	Hydrographer.	Gage height.	Dis- charge.
Apr. 20	C. S. DeGolyer.....	<i>Feet.</i> a 5.25	<i>Sec.-ft.</i> 4,370
Oct. 5	do.....	b 3.47	1,290

<sup>a</sup> Gage moved on account bridge being torn down. Gage height referred to old datum.

<sup>b</sup> Measurement made by wading about  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile below bridge. Gage height referred to old datum.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Chemung River at Chemung, N. Y., for 1911.*

[D. L. Orcutt, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	-----	3.6	5.1	4.7	3.55	2.19	1.93	1.65	2.8	3.0	2.75	3.3
2.....	-----	3.65	4.4	4.3	4.5	2.21	1.89	1.71	2.55	3.7	2.95	3.15
3.....	7.9	3.35	4.1	4.0	4.6	2.33	1.90	1.61	2.37	4.5	2.95	3.05
4.....	5.8	3.1	3.7	3.85	4.0	2.22	1.93	1.61	2.23	3.75	2.8	2.95
5.....	4.5	3.15	3.5	4.4	3.7	2.27	1.89	1.59	2.13	3.45	2.7	2.75
6.....	4.0	3.0	3.4	7.3	3.5	2.29	1.77	1.65	2.11	3.45	2.67	2.85
7.....	3.95	2.85	3.15	8.5	3.35	4.0	1.79	1.59	2.29	3.5	2.7	2.75
8.....	4.1	3.0	3.05	7.8	3.1	3.25	1.76	1.66	2.73	4.9	2.85	2.75
9.....	3.6	3.1	3.2	6.4	3.1	2.95	1.75	1.67	2.57	4.0	3.25	2.85
10.....	3.35	3.1	3.75	6.7	3.0	2.7	1.75	1.61	3.25	3.6	3.1	3.0
11.....	3.25	2.9	5.4	6.0	2.95	2.5	1.76	1.63	3.65	3.55	2.95	3.7
12.....	3.6	2.85	6.3	5.5	2.9	2.48	1.73	1.59	3.15	4.0	2.9	3.6
13.....	5.7	2.7	3.4	5.1	2.8	4.5	1.69	1.56	2.9	3.8	2.95	4.0
14.....	5.0	2.65	6.4	4.8	2.7	4.6	1.69	1.49	2.85	3.5	3.2	6.5
15.....	8.7	2.45	6.4	5.3	2.65	3.7	1.67	1.67	3.25	3.25	3.05	5.3
16.....	6.2	2.6	5.7	5.0	2.6	3.3	1.64	1.59	2.55	3.1	2.95	5.8
17.....	4.7	2.65	4.4	4.7	2.6	3.0	1.68	1.63	2.75	3.0	2.9	6.0
18.....	4.2	3.35	4.5	4.4	2.6	2.8	1.78	1.63	2.55	3.1	2.9	5.4
19.....	3.95	5.9	4.1	4.3	2.6	2.6	1.79	1.74	2.45	3.7	3.5	4.8
20.....	3.8	4.8	3.85	5.4	3.25	2.5	1.95	1.65	2.33	3.6	3.7	4.2
21.....	3.6	3.95	3.9	6.5	3.3	2.37	1.97	1.67	2.23	3.35	3.4	3.85
22.....	3.5	3.65	4.3	5.8	2.9	2.31	1.85	1.60	2.19	3.2	3.25	3.8
23.....	3.4	3.55	5.8	6.0	2.7	2.19	1.75	1.61	2.12	3.25	3.15	3.85
24.....	3.1	3.45	5.2	5.6	2.6	2.17	1.75	1.58	2.06	3.35	3.05	4.3
25.....	3.0	3.45	4.2	5.0	2.65	2.11	1.72	1.67	2.08	3.2	3.1	3.9
26.....	3.0	3.5	4.2	4.5	2.6	2.19	1.69	1.71	2.11	3.05	3.2	3.7
27.....	2.95	6.6	5.2	4.2	2.47	2.07	1.69	1.63	2.03	2.9	3.1	3.75
28.....	5.2	6.9	8.6	4.0	2.35	2.07	1.69	1.71	2.03	2.85	3.05	4.2
29.....	6.1	-----	6.7	3.75	2.6	2.00	1.67	3.1	2.19	2.8	3.2	3.4
30.....	5.1	-----	5.6	3.6	2.18	1.99	1.65	4.3	2.19	2.75	3.85	3.25
31.....	4.3	-----	5.2	-----	2.22	-----	1.61	3.25	-----	2.71	-----	3.3

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge probably affected by ice Jan. 1 and 2, Feb. 8 to 14, and Feb. 19 to Mar. 9. There may also have been more or less backwater from ice at other times during January, February, and March. It is not known whether gage heights were to water surface or to top of the ice. Gage readings Apr. 20 to Dec. 31 made from a temporary staff gage located 250 feet above the bridge to which the original gage was attached.

**WEST BRANCH OF SUSQUEHANNA RIVER AT WILLIAMSPORT, PA.**

**Location.**—At the Market Street Bridge in Williamsport, 2 miles below the mouth of Lycoming Creek and about 2 miles above the mouth of Loyalsock Creek.

**Records available.**—March 1, 1895, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—5,640 square miles.

**Gage.**—Standard chain, fastened to the bridge August 16, 1901; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Permanent.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge or by wading. No measurement has been made since 1908.

**Artificial control.**—There is a dam about one-half mile above the station, but the operation of this dam probably has no effect on the relation of discharge to gage height.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—Conditions of flow at this point are constant, and a good discharge rating curve has been developed.

**Cooperation.**—The station was established in 1895 by George D. Snyder, at that time city engineer of Williamsport. The chain gage was installed by the United States Geological Survey. The gage is now maintained and daily readings are furnished by the United States Weather Bureau.



*Daily gage height, in feet, of West Branch of Susquehanna River at Williamsport, Pa., for 1911.*

[H. H. Guise, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	5.5	6.8	4.2	6.5	4.85	2.45	2.15	1.34	5.23	4.92	4.31	4.0
2.....	5.3	6.0	5.1	5.9	5.00	2.75	2.05	1.34	4.63	7.42	3.91	4.0
3.....	5.6	5.4	5.4	4.4	5.35	2.65	1.95	1.54	4.07	15.92	3.71	3.9
4.....	6.2	5.1	5.5	4.2	5.00	2.65	1.85	1.54	3.63	10.92	3.51	3.8
5.....	6.5	4.8	4.4	5.2	4.55	2.80	1.75	1.64	2.93	8.52	3.21	3.8
6.....	6.5	4.5	4.0	5.7	4.35	2.55	1.75	1.74	2.83	6.82	3.01	3.7
7.....	4.6	3.8	3.7	5.3	4.20	2.45	1.55	1.74	3.23	6.42	2.91	3.7
8.....	4.4	3.7	3.5	9.4	3.75	2.35	1.45	1.74	3.03	7.32	3.01	3.6
9.....	4.4	3.7	3.3	9.0	3.70	2.35	1.45	1.64	3.33	8.02	4.31	3.5
10.....	3.9	4.0	3.3	8.1	3.45	2.40	1.35	1.64	11.13	7.12	4.51	3.5
11.....	3.2	3.5	3.6	7.7	3.45	2.25	1.45	1.54	9.43	6.42	4.41	3.8
12.....	3.0	3.2	3.7	7.3	3.50	2.35	1.25	1.54	7.23	5.82	4.51	4.0
13.....	3.4	3.0	4.7	6.8	3.35	2.65	1.35	1.54	6.83	5.42	4.41	4.2
14.....	7.8	3.4	5.0	6.3	3.10	5.45	1.35	1.44	5.03	5.02	4.41	5.0
15.....	12.3	3.2	5.2	7.1	2.95	5.20	1.45	1.44	4.53	5.72	4.21	5.4
16.....	15.5	4.4	4.9	8.7	2.95	5.05	1.45	1.74	4.73	5.42	4.01	6.9
17.....	9.3	4.5	4.6	8.1	2.80	4.95	1.55	1.54	5.93	5.32	4.01	9.6
18.....	6.5	4.7	4.5	7.5	2.65	4.75	1.75	1.44	5.03	5.22	4.31	9.9
19.....	5.7	4.9	4.6	6.7	2.80	4.25	1.65	1.44	6.03	6.02	4.21	8.7
20.....	5.2	5.8	4.9	6.9	2.95	3.60	1.65	1.34	5.23	5.92	4.11	7.7
21.....	4.3	5.1	4.7	8.0	2.85	2.95	1.55	1.34	4.63	6.22	4.91	6.4
22.....	3.6	4.2	4.4	8.3	2.70	2.55	1.55	1.34	4.13	6.42	5.71	5.6
23.....	4.6	3.7	4.3	7.8	2.65	2.45	1.45	1.34	3.63	5.72	6.01	6.1
24.....	4.4	4.5	4.2	7.4	2.80	2.25	1.45	1.34	3.43	5.62	5.31	5.8
25.....	4.0	4.1	5.0	6.4	2.95	2.50	1.45	1.54	3.33	5.32	5.31	5.8
26.....	3.8	4.0	4.7	6.4	2.85	2.25	1.45	2.04	3.23	5.22	5.01	5.5
27.....	3.7	4.5	5.3	6.4	2.90	2.35	1.45	2.14	3.03	5.02	4.81	5.8
28.....	4.1	4.4	5.4	6.2	2.75	2.25	1.45	2.74	2.83	4.72	4.61	5.9
29.....	7.8	.....	9.1	5.8	2.60	2.25	1.45	2.94	3.43	4.42	4.21	5.4
30.....	8.2	.....	8.0	5.3	2.45	2.20	1.35	7.44	3.93	4.12	4.21	5.6
31.....	7.2	.....	7.3	.....	2.40	.....	1.35	6.84	.....	3.92	.....	5.3

NOTE.—River reported open at the gage Jan. 1; partly open below the dam Jan. 2 to 14, and river open Jan. 15. It is probable that there was backwater from ice about Jan. 1, 5-10, and 23-27. Probably backwater at times during February and the 1st of March. Gage heights not affected by ice during December.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of West Branch of Susquehanna River at Williamsport, Pa., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	10,000	21,900	10,400	20,400	13,000	5,100	4,340	2,500	14,600	13,300	10,800	9,690
2.....	14,900	18,100	14,000	17,600	13,600	5,880	4,100	2,500	12,100	25,000	9,390	9,690
3.....	16,200	15,400	15,400	11,200	15,100	5,620	3,860	2,920	9,940	87,600	8,740	9,360
4.....	19,000	14,000	15,800	10,400	13,600	5,620	3,620	2,920	8,490	44,900	8,120	9,030
5.....	15,000	12,800	11,200	14,500	11,700	6,020	3,380	3,140	6,380	30,800	7,200	9,030
6.....	12,000	11,500	9,690	16,700	11,000	5,360	3,380	3,360	6,100	22,000	6,610	8,710
7.....	9,000	9,030	8,710	14,900	10,400	5,100	2,940	3,330	7,260	20,000	6,330	8,710
8.....	9,000	8,710	8,090	35,700	8,570	4,840	2,720	3,360	6,670	24,500	6,610	8,400
9.....	8,000	8,710	7,470	33,500	8,710	4,840	2,720	3,140	7,560	28,100	10,800	8,090
10.....	8,000	9,690	7,470	28,500	7,940	4,970	2,520	3,140	46,200	23,500	11,600	8,090
11.....	7,170	8,090	8,400	26,400	7,940	4,600	2,720	2,920	35,900	20,000	11,200	9,030
12.....	6,580	7,170	8,710	24,400	8,090	4,840	2,310	2,920	24,000	17,200	11,600	9,690
13.....	7,780	6,580	12,300	21,900	7,620	5,620	2,520	2,920	22,000	15,400	11,200	10,400
14.....	27,000	7,780	13,600	19,500	6,870	15,600	2,520	2,700	13,700	13,700	11,200	13,600
15.....	54,600	7,170	14,500	23,400	6,440	14,500	2,720	2,700	11,700	16,800	10,400	15,400
16.....	83,400	11,200	13,200	31,800	6,440	13,800	2,720	3,360	12,500	15,400	9,720	22,400
17.....	35,100	11,500	11,900	28,500	6,020	13,400	2,940	2,920	17,700	15,000	9,720	36,800
18.....	20,400	12,300	11,500	25,400	5,620	12,500	3,880	2,700	13,700	14,600	10,400	38,600
19.....	16,700	13,200	11,900	21,400	6,020	10,600	3,160	2,700	18,200	18,200	10,400	31,800
20.....	14,500	17,200	13,200	22,400	6,440	8,400	3,160	2,500	14,600	17,700	10,100	26,400

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of West Branch of Susquehanna River at Williamsport, Pa., for 1911—Continued.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
21.....	10,800	14,000	12,300	28,000	6,160	6,440	2,940	2,500	12,100	19,100	13,200	19,900
22.....	8,400	10,400	11,200	29,600	5,750	5,360	2,940	2,500	10,100	20,000	16,700	16,200
23.....	7,500	8,710	10,800	27,000	5,620	5,100	2,720	2,500	8,490	16,800	18,100	18,500
24.....	7,000	11,500	10,400	24,900	6,020	4,600	2,720	2,500	7,870	16,300	15,000	17,200
25.....	6,500	10,000	13,600	19,900	6,440	5,230	2,720	2,920	7,560	15,000	15,000	17,200
26.....	6,500	9,690	12,300	19,900	6,160	4,600	2,720	4,080	7,260	14,600	13,600	15,800
27.....	8,000	11,500	14,900	19,900	6,300	4,840	2,720	4,320	6,660	13,700	12,800	17,200
28.....	10,000	11,200	15,400	19,000	5,880	4,600	2,720	5,860	6,100	12,400	12,000	17,600
29.....	27,000	.....	34,000	17,200	5,490	4,600	2,720	6,410	7,870	11,200	10,400	15,400
30.....	29,100	.....	28,000	14,900	5,100	4,470	2,520	25,100	9,460	10,100	10,400	16,200
31.....	23,900	.....	24,400	.....	4,970	.....	2,520	22,100	.....	9,430	.....	14,900

NOTE.—Discharge determined from a well-defined rating curve. Discharge Jan. 1, 5-10, and 23-27, reduced for probable effect of backwater from ice. No further corrections made for effect of ice during January, February, or March. The determinations of discharge at times during February and the first part of March are probably excessive.

*Monthly discharge of West Branch of Susquehanna River at Williamsport, Pa., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 5,640 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	83,400	6,500	17,200	3.05	3.52	B.
February.....	21,900	6,580	11,400	2.02	2.10	B.
March.....	34,000	7,470	13,400	2.38	2.74	A.
April.....	35,700	10,400	22,300	3.95	4.41	A.
May.....	15,100	4,970	7,910	1.40	1.61	A.
June.....	15,600	4,470	6,900	1.22	1.36	B.
July.....	4,340	2,310	2,960	.525	.61	B.
August.....	25,100	2,500	4,500	.798	.92	B.
September.....	46,200	6,100	13,100	2.32	2.59	A.
October.....	87,600	9,430	20,700	3.67	4.23	A.
November.....	18,100	6,330	11,000	1.95	2.18	A.
December.....	38,600	8,090	15,800	2.80	3.23	A.
The year.....	87,600	2,310	12,300	2.18	29.50	

<sup>a</sup> Estimated, ice present.

### JUNIATA RIVER AT NEWPORT, PA.

**Location.**—At the steel highway bridge, about 800 feet east of the public square at Newport, 1 mile below the mouth of Buffalo Creek and about 12 miles above the mouth of the river.

**Records available.**—March 21, 1899, to July 15, 1906; January 6, 1907, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—3,480 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain, attached to the bridge; datum unchanged.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Affected by ice.

**Channel.**—Conditions of flow liable to change from year to year.

**Accuracy.**—A good discharge rating curve has been developed for high and medium stages; low stage fair.

**Cooperation.**—Now maintained by Pennsylvania State Water Supply Commission, which furnishes tables of daily gage heights and discharge measurements made by engineers of the commission.

The following discharge measurement was made by R. A. Boehringer:

December 9, 1911:<sup>1</sup> Gage height, 3.63 feet; discharge, 1,650 second-feet.

<sup>1</sup> Affected by backwater from fish dam below gage.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Juniata River at Newport, Pa., for 1911.*

[A. R. Bortel, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	3.85	5.60	4.45	4.90	4.75	3.57	3.50	2.81	7.39	5.04	4.18	3.98
2.....	4.20	5.10	4.40	4.75	4.70	3.35	3.40	2.89	7.16	6.24	4.08	3.95
3.....	4.50	4.50	4.35	4.55	4.73	3.30	3.15	3.05	5.49	7.34	4.03	3.83
4.....	6.65	4.40	4.35	4.55	4.45	3.40	3.07	3.23	4.89	5.64	3.98	3.83
5.....	7.15	4.20	4.20	5.10	4.42	3.40	3.10	3.05	4.19	5.14	3.83	3.78
6.....	6.65	4.25	4.00	6.60	4.20	3.35	3.05	3.30	4.29	4.79	3.88	3.85
7.....	6.15	4.05	3.90	7.40	4.07	3.65	3.05	3.07	4.04	4.94	4.18	3.68
8.....	5.70	3.80	3.93	6.95	4.03	3.60	3.17	3.17	4.02	5.64	4.63	3.75
9.....	5.30	4.00	3.88	6.25	3.97	3.43	3.17	3.07	4.39	5.16	4.43	3.62
10.....	5.00	3.82	3.85	5.80	3.95	3.48	3.15	3.05	7.14	4.84	4.35	3.70
11.....	4.95	3.90	4.07	5.65	3.93	3.43	3.03	2.97	6.09	4.69	4.23	3.70
12.....	4.35	3.72	4.50	5.40	3.80	3.48	3.00	2.85	5.49	4.54	4.23	3.72
13.....	4.70	3.80	4.73	5.20	3.75	3.40	3.05	2.93	4.79	4.39	4.23	3.64
14.....	9.43	4.10	4.82	5.00	3.70	3.67	3.03	2.87	4.39	4.24	4.28	3.72
15.....	10.40	4.00	4.65	5.40	3.70	3.72	3.00	2.84	4.89	4.16	4.18	3.83
16.....	8.75	5.70	4.50	5.50	3.55	3.53	3.00	2.90	9.46	4.06	4.13	4.48
17.....	6.50	5.45	4.50	5.30	3.51	3.45	2.93	2.90	8.79	4.02	4.13	6.05
18.....	5.45	5.50	4.43	5.05	3.51	3.33	3.03	2.79	7.14	4.42	4.33	6.90
19.....	5.00	6.10	4.40	4.90	3.53	3.20	2.97	2.77	5.74	4.24	4.73	6.00
20.....	4.50	5.85	4.27	5.45	3.45	3.28	2.95	2.87	5.19	5.19	4.91	5.38
21.....	4.40	5.60	4.40	7.00	3.47	3.20	2.90	2.80	4.72	5.06	4.73	5.02
22.....	4.30	5.10	4.45	6.60	3.41	3.23	2.85	2.80	4.49	4.84	4.58	4.80
23.....	4.10	4.75	4.33	6.75	3.27	3.27	2.87	2.77	4.29	5.09	4.48	5.12
24.....	4.05	4.70	4.28	7.20	3.53	3.27	2.90	2.79	4.09	5.39	4.38	5.42
25.....	3.85	4.35	4.15	7.00	3.57	3.22	2.90	3.06	4.14	5.14	4.38	5.45
26.....	3.80	4.40	4.05	6.50	3.47	3.15	2.97	3.25	3.84	4.89	4.33	5.25
27.....	3.75	4.50	4.40	5.95	3.33	3.50	2.93	3.40	3.89	4.66	4.15	5.70
28.....	3.65	4.55	5.40	5.50	3.27	3.47	2.85	3.33	3.74	4.54	4.21	6.65
29.....	4.20	.....	5.60	5.15	3.15	3.60	2.93	4.07	4.64	4.43	4.08	6.52
30.....	4.30	.....	5.30	4.85	3.25	3.58	2.80	4.65	5.14	4.29	4.03	5.70
31.....	4.85	.....	5.15	.....	3.17	.....	2.73	6.25	.....	4.24	.....	5.40

NOTE.—Ice reported gored one-fourth mile below gage Jan. 4; gage height probably not very greatly increased thereby. The effect of backwater throughout January is considered slight. Slight backwater at times during February and the first part of March. No ice in December.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Juniata River at Newport, Pa., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	2,590	7,620	4,190	5,480	5,040	1,960	1,810	737	13,700	5,900	3,450	2,920
2.....	3,500	6,080	4,050	5,040	4,900	1,530	1,620	833	12,800	9,670	3,180	2,840
3.....	4,330	4,330	3,910	4,470	4,990	1,440	1,190	1,040	7,280	13,500	3,050	2,540
4.....	11,000	4,050	3,910	4,470	4,190	1,620	1,070	1,320	6,450	7,740	2,920	2,540
5.....	12,800	3,500	3,500	6,080	4,110	1,620	1,120	1,040	3,470	6,200	2,540	2,420
6.....	11,000	3,640	2,970	10,900	3,500	1,530	1,040	1,440	3,740	5,160	2,660	2,590
7.....	9,380	3,100	2,710	13,700	3,150	2,130	1,040	1,070	3,070	5,600	3,450	2,200
8.....	7,930	2,470	2,790	12,100	3,050	2,020	1,220	1,220	3,020	7,740	4,700	2,360
9.....	6,690	2,970	2,660	9,700	2,890	1,680	1,220	1,070	4,020	6,260	4,130	2,060
10.....	5,780	2,520	2,590	8,250	2,840	1,770	1,190	1,040	12,800	5,310	3,910	2,240
11.....	5,630	2,710	3,150	7,780	2,790	1,680	1,020	936	9,180	4,870	3,580	2,240
12.....	3,910	2,290	4,330	7,000	2,470	1,770	975	785	7,280	4,440	3,580	2,290
13.....	4,900	2,470	4,990	6,380	2,360	1,620	1,040	884	5,160	4,020	3,580	2,110
14.....	21,700	3,230	5,250	5,780	2,240	2,170	1,020	809	4,020	3,610	3,720	2,290
15.....	25,900	2,970	4,760	7,000	2,240	2,290	975	773	5,450	3,390	3,450	2,540
16.....	18,900	7,930	4,330	7,310	1,920	1,870	975	845	21,900	3,130	3,310	4,270
17.....	10,500	7,160	4,330	6,690	1,830	1,720	884	845	19,100	3,020	3,310	9,050
18.....	7,160	7,310	4,130	5,930	1,830	1,490	1,020	714	12,800	4,110	3,850	11,900
19.....	5,780	9,210	4,050	5,480	1,870	1,270	936	690	8,060	3,610	4,990	8,890
20.....	4,330	8,410	3,690	7,160	1,720	1,410	910	809	6,350	6,350	5,510	6,940

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Juniata River at Newport, Pa., for 1911—Con.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
21.....	4,050	7,620	4,050	12,300	1,750	1,270	845	725	4,960	5,960	4,990	5,840
22.....	3,770	6,080	4,190	10,900	1,640	1,320	785	725	4,300	5,310	4,550	5,190
23.....	3,230	5,040	3,850	11,400	1,390	1,390	809	690	3,740	6,050	4,270	6,140
24.....	3,100	4,900	3,720	13,000	1,870	1,390	845	714	3,200	6,970	3,990	7,060
25.....	2,590	3,910	3,360	12,300	1,960	1,300	845	1,060	3,340	6,200	3,990	7,160
26.....	2,470	4,050	3,100	10,500	1,750	1,190	936	1,360	2,570	5,450	3,850	6,540
27.....	2,360	4,330	4,050	8,730	1,490	1,810	884	1,620	2,690	4,780	3,360	7,930
28.....	2,130	4,470	7,000	7,310	1,390	1,750	785	1,490	2,330	4,440	3,530	11,000
29.....	3,500	.....	7,620	6,230	1,190	2,020	884	3,150	4,730	4,130	3,180	10,600
30.....	3,770	.....	6,690	5,340	1,360	1,980	725	4,760	6,200	3,740	3,050	7,930
31.....	5,340	.....	6,230	.....	1,220	.....	644	9,700	.....	3,610	.....	7,000

NOTE.—Discharge determined from a rating curve well defined at medium and high stages and fairly well defined at low stages. No correction made for effect of backwater during January to March. It is probable that very little error has resulted from the application of the open-channel rating during the winter.

*Monthly discharge of Juniata River at Newport, Pa., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 3,480 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	25,900	2,130	7,100	2.04	2.35	B.
February.....	9,210	2,290	4,900	1.38	1.44	B.
March.....	7,620	2,590	4,200	1.21	1.40	A.
April.....	13,700	4,470	8,160	2.34	2.61	A.
May.....	5,040	1,220	2,488	.713	.82	B.
June.....	2,290	1,190	1,670	.480	.54	B.
July.....	1,810	644	1,010	.290	.33	B.
August.....	9,700	690	1,450	.417	.48	B.
September.....	21,900	2,330	6,890	1.98	2.21	A.
October.....	13,500	3,020	5,490	1.58	1.82	A.
November.....	5,510	2,540	3,720	1.07	1.19	A.
December.....	11,900	2,060	5,150	1.48	1.71	A.
The year.....	25,900	644	4,330	1.24	16.90	

## POTOMAC RIVER BASIN.

### POTOMAC RIVER AT POINT OF ROCKS, MD.

**Location.**—At the steel highway bridge at Point of Rocks, about one-third mile below the mouth of Catoctin Creek and about 6 miles above the mouth of Monocacy River.

**Records available.**—February 17, 1895, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—9,650 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain, attached to bridge. Datum constant since September 2, 1902; prior to this date datum was 0.45 foot higher than at present.

**Channel.**—Practically permanent. The discharge is controlled by a ledge a few hundred feet below the station, the ledge extending completely across the river except for one relatively unimportant channel.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge.

**Winter flow.**—Little affected by ice.

**Canal.**—The Chesapeake & Ohio Canal parallels the Potomac on the Maryland side. The average discharge of the canal is 75 to 100 second-feet. This discharge is not included in the following tables.

**Accuracy.**—Present discharge rating curve considered very accurate; should require relatively little change in the future.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Potomac River at Point of Rocks, Md., for 1911.*

[G. H. Hickman, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	1.0	10.5	3.1	2.6	2.6	1.25	1.7	0.68	14.6	2.2	1.85	1.9
2.....	1.85	6.0	3.2	2.6	2.8	1.3	1.4	.63	11.4	2.4	1.8	1.85
3.....	2.8	5.0	3.0	2.5	2.8	1.25	1.3	.63	5.9	2.1	1.7	1.75
4.....	7.0	5.0	2.7	2.6	2.8	1.25	1.2	.65	4.0	2.2	1.55	1.8
5.....	6.5	3.5	2.4	2.8	2.5	1.35	1.1	.95	3.8	3.0	1.4	1.8
6.....	5.6	3.3	2.3	7.4	2.4	1.3	1.05	1.25	2.6	2.4	1.35	1.65
7.....	4.1	3.0	2.2	9.5	2.2	1.25	1.0	1.15	2.3	2.2	1.7	1.7
8.....	3.5	2.8	2.1	7.5	2.1	1.25	1.3	1.1	2.0	1.7	2.7	1.65
9.....	2.6	2.6	2.0	5.6	2.0	1.35	1.7	.90	1.85	2.0	3.8	1.6
10.....	2.2	2.5	2.0	5.1	1.95	1.25	1.3	.95	1.7	3.2	3.4	1.55
11.....	2.1	2.4	2.3	5.0	1.9	1.7	1.45	.95	2.1	2.6	3.0	1.5
12.....	1.85	2.3	3.0	4.7	1.85	1.65	1.35	.85	2.0	2.3	2.6	1.5
13.....	1.85	2.3	4.5	4.6	1.75	1.55	1.2	.92	1.85	2.2	2.5	1.5
14.....	2.0	2.4	4.6	4.6	1.7	1.5	1.2	.65	1.65	2.2	2.4	1.5
15.....	5.1	2.8	4.7	4.5	1.65	1.5	1.2	.80	1.8	2.1	2.4	1.55
16.....	4.6	3.3	4.6	4.4	1.6	1.5	1.0	.75	2.1	2.0	2.1	2.0
17.....	4.0	3.4	4.5	4.0	1.6	1.5	1.3	.70	5.6	1.85	2.1	2.7
18.....	3.3	3.0	4.3	3.6	1.55	1.15	1.05	.75	4.6	2.6	2.1	5.2
19.....	2.7	2.8	3.7	3.4	1.5	1.35	.95	.60	3.5	5.0	2.1	4.4
20.....	2.4	3.0	3.4	3.3	1.45	1.6	.85	.80	2.9	7.1	2.3	3.2
21.....	2.2	2.6	3.3	3.2	1.4	2.7	.80	.70	2.5	5.1	2.4	2.9
22.....	2.1	2.6	3.2	3.2	1.35	1.95	.90	.65	2.3	3.8	2.5	2.4
23.....	2.0	2.4	3.1	3.1	1.35	1.7	.85	.60	2.0	3.6	2.3	1.8
24.....	2.1	2.4	3.0	3.2	-----	1.5	.75	.65	2.0	3.2	2.3	5.0
25.....	2.2	2.3	2.8	3.2	-----	1.35	.85	.70	1.9	2.9	2.2	5.8
26.....	2.7	2.2	2.6	3.3	-----	1.7	.72	.78	1.75	2.7	2.0	5.2
27.....	2.6	2.8	2.4	3.2	-----	1.6	.80	1.2	1.65	2.4	2.2	5.4
28.....	2.9	3.0	2.4	3.2	-----	2.6	.65	1.05	1.55	2.3	2.0	6.5
29.....	4.4	-----	2.5	3.0	1.15	2.35	.45	.90	1.6	2.1	1.95	6.1
30.....	4.9	-----	2.6	2.6	1.1	2.0	.60	1.65	1.55	2.0	1.95	4.9
31.....	10.2	-----	2.5	-----	1.1	-----	.60	6.0	-----	1.9	-----	4.4

NOTE.—There was undoubtedly some backwater from ice at this station for brief periods of a few days each during January and February. All gage readings are probably to water surface.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Potomac River at Point of Rocks, Md., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	1,990	59,800	9,530	7,330	7,330	2,660	4,010	1,190	93,800	5,750	4,500	4,670
2.....	4,500	26,100	10,000	7,330	8,180	2,800	3,090	1,080	67,200	6,520	4,330	4,500
3.....	8,180	19,800	9,070	6,920	8,180	2,660	2,800	1,080	25,500	5,380	4,010	4,170
4.....	32,800	16,800	7,750	7,330	8,180	2,660	2,520	1,120	14,100	5,750	3,540	4,330
5.....	29,400	11,500	6,520	8,180	6,920	2,940	2,250	1,860	13,000	9,070	3,090	4,330
6.....	23,600	10,500	6,130	35,600	6,520	2,800	2,120	2,660	7,330	6,520	2,940	3,860
7.....	14,600	9,070	5,750	51,600	5,750	2,660	1,990	2,380	6,130	5,750	4,010	4,010
8.....	11,500	8,180	5,380	36,300	5,380	2,660	2,800	2,250	5,020	4,010	7,750	3,860
9.....	7,330	7,330	5,020	23,600	5,020	2,940	4,010	1,740	4,500	5,020	13,000	3,700
10.....	5,750	6,920	5,020	20,400	4,840	2,660	2,800	1,860	4,010	10,000	11,000	3,540
11.....	5,380	6,520	6,130	19,800	4,670	4,010	3,240	1,860	5,380	7,330	9,070	3,390
12.....	4,500	6,130	9,070	18,000	4,500	3,860	2,940	1,610	5,020	6,130	7,330	3,390
13.....	4,500	6,130	16,900	17,400	4,170	3,540	2,520	1,790	4,500	5,750	6,920	3,390
14.....	5,020	6,520	17,400	17,400	4,010	3,390	2,520	1,120	3,860	5,750	6,520	3,390
15.....	20,400	8,180	18,000	16,800	3,860	3,390	2,520	1,480	4,330	5,380	6,520	3,540
16.....	17,400	10,500	17,400	16,300	3,700	3,390	1,990	1,360	5,380	5,020	5,380	5,020
17.....	14,100	11,000	16,800	14,100	3,700	3,390	2,800	1,240	23,600	4,500	5,380	7,750
18.....	10,500	9,070	15,700	12,000	3,540	2,380	2,120	1,360	17,400	7,330	5,380	21,100
19.....	7,750	8,180	12,500	11,000	3,390	2,940	1,860	1,740	11,500	19,800	5,380	16,300
20.....	6,520	9,070	11,000	10,500	3,240	3,700	1,610	1,480	8,620	33,500	6,130	10,000
21.....	5,750	7,330	10,500	10,000	3,090	7,750	1,480	1,240	6,920	20,400	6,520	8,620
22.....	5,380	7,330	10,000	10,000	2,940	4,840	1,740	1,120	6,130	13,000	6,920	6,520
23.....	5,020	6,520	9,530	9,530	2,940	4,010	1,610	1,010	5,020	12,000	6,130	4,330
24.....	5,380	6,520	9,070	10,000	2,850	3,390	1,360	1,120	5,020	10,000	6,130	19,800
25.....	5,750	6,130	8,180	10,000	2,760	2,940	1,610	1,240	4,670	8,620	5,750	24,800

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Potomac River at Point of Rocks, Md., for 1911—Con.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
26.....	7,750	5,750	7,330	10,500	2,660	4,010	1,290	1,440	4,170	7,750	5,020	21,100
27.....	7,330	8,180	6,520	10,000	2,570	3,700	1,480	2,520	3,860	6,520	5,750	22,300
28.....	8,620	9,070	6,520	10,000	2,470	7,330	1,120	2,120	3,540	6,130	5,020	29,400
29.....	16,300	.....	6,520	9,070	2,380	6,320	680	1,740	3,700	5,380	4,840	26,800
30.....	19,200	.....	7,330	7,330	2,250	5,020	1,010	3,860	3,540	5,020	4,840	19,200
31.....	57,300	.....	6,920	.....	2,250	.....	1,010	26,100	.....	4,670	.....	16,300

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a well-defined discharge rating curve. No correction has been made for backwater from ice during January or February.

*Monthly discharge of Potomac River at Point of Rocks, Md., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 9,650 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	57,300	1,990	12,200	1.26	1.45	A.
February.....	59,800	5,750	11,300	1.17	1.22	A.
March.....	18,000	5,020	9,670	1.00	1.15	A.
April.....	51,600	6,920	15,100	1.56	1.74	A.
May.....	8,180	2,250	4,330	.449	.52	A.
June.....	7,750	2,380	3,690	.382	.43	A.
July.....	4,010	680	2,160	.224	.26	A.
August.....	26,100	1,010	2,440	.253	.29	A.
September.....	93,800	3,540	12,600	1.31	1.46	A.
October.....	33,500	4,010	8,510	.882	1.02	A.
November.....	13,000	2,940	5,970	.619	.69	A.
December.....	29,400	3,390	10,200	1.06	1.22	A.
The year.....	93,800	680	8,150	.845	11.45	

### MONOCACY RIVER NEAR FREDERICK, MD.

**Location.**—At the county bridge on the toll road leading from Frederick to Mount Pleasant, Md., about 3,000 feet below the mouth of Tuscarora Creek (entering from the right) and about 2,000 feet above Israel Creek (entering from the left).

**Records available.**—August 4, 1896, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—660 square miles.

**Gage.**—Chain, attached to the bridge; datum unchanged.

**Channel.**—Liable to change somewhat from year to year.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from the bridge or by wading.

**Winter flow.**—More or less affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—Changes in rating curve are required by change in conditions of flow.

The following discharge measurement was made by J. G. Mathers:

November 18, 1911: Gage height, 6.28 feet; discharge 1,040 second-feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Monocacy River near Frederick, Md., for 1911.*

[E. L. Derr, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1	4.7	5.3	5.3	5.6	5.2	4.4	4.2	3.7	20.3	5.4	4.8	5.3
2	5.7	5.2	5.2	5.4	5.7	4.4	4.1	4.3	8.6	5.0	4.8	5.2
3	6.3	5.3	4.9	4.9	5.3	4.4	4.0	5.0	6.8	4.9	4.8	5.1
4	6.0	5.5	5.0	6.8	5.0	4.4	3.9	5.6	6.4	4.8	4.8	5.1
5	5.9	5.4	4.9	9.15	5.0	4.4	3.8	5.4	6.2	4.5	4.7	5.0
6	5.7	5.4	4.8	7.0	4.9	5.3	3.8	5.2	6.0	4.6	6.7	5.0
7	5.2	5.4	4.8	6.5	4.8	5.4	3.7	4.9	5.3	4.5	8.4	4.9
8	4.4	5.4	4.9	6.3	4.8	4.9	4.6	4.4	4.8	4.4	6.4	4.9
9	4.4	5.2	4.8	6.1	4.7	4.5	4.8	4.0	4.3	4.1	5.6	4.9
10	4.5	4.8	6.3	5.9	4.7	4.5	4.4	3.9	4.2	3.9	5.3	4.9
11	4.4	4.6	7.2	5.6	4.8	4.4	4.1	4.0	5.4	4.0	5.2	4.8
12	4.8	4.8	5.6	5.3	4.6	4.4	4.1	3.9	4.1	4.4	5.2	4.8
13	5.2	6.3	5.3	5.2	4.5	4.6	4.1	3.8	5.0	4.4	6.8	4.8
14	5.0	6.3	5.4	5.2	4.5	4.5	4.1	3.8	4.8	4.3	6.3	4.8
15	5.0	6.3	5.5	5.7	4.4	4.4	4.0	3.9	5.4	4.2	5.8	5.3
16	5.2	6.1	7.1	5.4	4.5	4.4	4.0	3.9	7.4	4.3	5.8	6.4
17	4.9	5.9	6.8	5.1	4.4	4.4	4.9	3.9	6.4	4.3	5.6	8.5
18	4.5	6.55	6.3	5.0	4.4	4.4	4.9	4.0	5.8	7.8	6.1	6.4
19	4.4	6.4	6.1	5.2	4.3	5.4	4.4	4.0	5.4	7.8	6.7	6.1
20	4.4	6.3	6.3	6.4	4.3	5.3	4.2	4.0	4.9	6.1	6.4	5.5
21	4.2	5.8	7.0	6.5	4.3	4.5	4.1	4.2	4.9	5.6	5.9	5.5
22	4.5	5.2	6.7	6.5	4.4	4.2	5.0	4.0	4.8	5.6	5.4	5.7
23	4.7	5.2	6.0	7.2	4.3	4.3	4.2	3.7	4.7	7.5	5.4	10.2
24	4.5	5.2	5.2	6.5	4.4	4.3	4.2	3.7	4.6	7.4	5.4	8.4
25	4.5	6.2	4.9	6.2	4.4	4.3	4.1	4.7	4.6	6.7	6.5	6.8
26	4.6	6.8	4.9	5.7	4.4	4.2	4.1	4.7	4.6	5.6	5.5	6.7
27	4.7	6.3	4.9	5.5	4.5	4.2	4.0	10.45	4.5	5.4	5.4	11.4
28	6.3	5.9	6.3	5.3	4.3	4.2	3.9	12.05	4.5	5.3	5.3	9.5
29	6.8	-----	5.7	5.2	4.2	4.2	3.9	8.2	4.7	5.2	5.4	6.4
30	8.6	-----	5.7	5.2	4.2	4.2	3.8	8.3	5.9	4.9	5.4	6.3
31	6.2	-----	5.6	-----	4.2	-----	3.8	22.35	-----	4.9	-----	7.5

NOTE.—Relation of gage height to discharge affected by ice for brief periods of a few days during January and February. All gage readings are probably to water surface.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Monocacy River near Frederick, Md., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1	320	584	584	734	537	214	154	38	15,200	632	360	584
2	789	537	537	632	789	214	127	183	3,140	446	360	537
3	1,170	584	402	402	584	214	102	446	1,540	402	360	491
4	969	682	446	1,540	446	214	79	734	1,240	360	360	491
5	906	632	402	3,670	446	214	57	632	1,100	247	320	446
6	789	632	360	1,700	402	584	57	537	969	282	1,460	446
7	537	632	360	1,320	360	632	38	402	584	247	2,960	402
8	214	632	402	1,170	360	402	282	214	368	214	1,240	402
9	214	537	360	1,030	320	247	360	102	183	127	734	402
10	247	360	1,170	906	320	247	214	79	154	79	584	402
11	214	282	1,880	734	360	214	127	102	632	102	537	360
12	360	360	734	584	282	214	127	79	127	214	537	360
13	537	1,170	584	537	247	282	127	57	446	214	1,540	360
14	446	1,170	632	537	247	247	127	57	368	183	1,170	360
15	446	1,170	682	789	214	214	102	79	632	154	846	584
16	537	1,030	1,790	632	247	214	102	79	2,040	183	846	1,240
17	402	906	1,540	491	214	214	402	79	1,240	183	734	3,050
18	247	1,350	1,170	446	214	214	402	102	846	2,400	1,030	1,240
19	214	1,240	1,030	537	183	632	214	102	632	2,400	1,460	1,030
20	214	1,170	1,170	1,240	183	584	154	102	402	1,030	1,240	682
21	154	846	1,700	1,320	183	247	127	154	402	734	906	682
22	247	537	1,460	1,320	214	154	446	102	360	734	632	789
23	320	537	969	1,880	183	183	154	38	320	2,130	632	4,700
24	247	537	537	1,320	214	183	154	38	282	2,040	632	2,960
25	247	1,100	402	1,100	214	183	127	320	282	1,460	1,320	1,540
26	282	1,540	402	789	214	154	127	320	282	734	682	1,460
27	320	1,170	402	682	247	154	102	4,950	247	632	632	5,900
28	1,170	906	1,170	584	183	154	79	6,550	247	584	584	4,000
29	1,540	-----	789	537	154	154	79	2,760	320	537	632	1,240
30	3,140	-----	789	537	154	154	57	2,860	906	402	632	1,170
31	1,100	-----	734	-----	154	-----	57	17,400	-----	402	-----	2,130

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a fairly well defined discharge rating curve. No correction has been made to discharge for possible backwater from ice.

*Monthly discharge of Monocacy River near Frederick, Md., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 660 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off, (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	3,140	154	598	0.906	1.04	B.
February.....	1,540	282	815	1.23	1.28	B.
March.....	1,880	360	825	1.25	1.44	A.
April.....	3,670	402	990	1.50	1.67	A.
May.....	789	154	293	.444	.51	A.
June.....	632	154	264	.400	.45	A.
July.....	446	57	157	.238	.27	A.
August.....	17,400	38	1,280	1.94	2.24	A.
September.....	15,200	127	1,180	1.79	2.00	A.
October.....	2,400	79	661	1.00	1.15	A.
November.....	2,960	320	865	1.31	1.46	A.
December.....	5,900	360	1,300	1.97	2.27	A.
The year.....	17,400	38	769	1.17	15.78	

**GOOSE CREEK NEAR LEESBURG, VA.**

**Location.**—At Evergreen Mills about 7 miles directly south of Leesburg (the most convenient railroad station), about 1 mile below the mouth of Little River and 10 miles above the mouth of Goose Creek.

**Records available.**—July 12, 1909, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—338 square miles.

**Gage.**—Vertical staff, spiked to a tree on the left bank immediately below the tail-race of the mill.

**Channel.**—Fairly permanent.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made between the mill and the dam, either by wading or from the highway bridge. The discharge of the mill race is also measured and added to the discharge between the mill and the dam.

**Artificial control.**—The dam at this point is of timber and rock and at low stages most of the water passes through it. The mill race carries water at all times, three or four times more when the mill is running than when it is idle. This variation in flow causes variation in the gage heights ranging from a few hundredths to about 0.15 foot; but as the mill is run only four or five hours a day the fluctuation has a relatively small effect on the accuracy of estimates.

The following discharge measurement was made by J. G. Mathers:

October 6, 1911: Gage height, 0.94 foot; discharge, 68 second-feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Goose Creek near Leesburg, Va., for 1911.*

[J. O. Daniel, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	1.55	2.6	1.6	1.6	2.1	1.0	1.2	2.05
2.....	1.8	2.35	1.6	1.45	2.1	1.05	1.24	2.08
3.....	2.6	2.2	1.6	1.45	2.2	1.1	1.28	1.96
4.....	2.8	2.5	1.6	1.7	3.0	1.08	1.32	1.9
5.....	2.0	2.0	1.4	3.45	3.5	1.05	1.3	1.85
6.....	2.0	1.9	1.35	2.7	4.0	1.02	1.3	1.84
7.....	2.0	1.8	1.35	2.4	3.0	1.03	1.4	1.5
8.....	1.85	1.8	1.35	2.4	2.0	1.03	1.5	1.46
9.....	1.8	1.75	1.4	2.3	.6	1.06	2.0	1.45
10.....	1.7	1.75	1.7	2.0	1.5	1.08	1.8	1.4



*Daily gage height, in feet, of Goose Creek near Leesburg, Va., for 1911—Continued.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
11.....	1.6	1.7	2.0	2.0	1.5	1.1	1.6	1.38
12.....	1.05	1.75	2.6	1.9	2.0	1.08	1.5	1.4
13.....	1.35	1.7	2.75	1.85	2.6	1.08	3.0	1.36
14.....	1.9	1.7	2.5	1.85	2.6	1.06	2.8	1.3
15.....	1.2	1.75	2.4	1.85	2.6	1.08	2.75	1.28
16.....	1.3	1.7	2.2	1.7	2.5	1.1	2.9	1.35
17.....	1.4	1.7	2.5	1.7	2.5	1.04	2.88	1.5
18.....	1.35	1.65	2.5	1.65	2.25	4.0	3.0	1.6
19.....	1.35	1.7	2.0	1.65	2.0	3.0	3.0	1.8
20.....	1.2	1.7	2.0	1.65	2.0	2.0	2.8	2.0
21.....	1.15	1.7	2.0	1.65	1.7	1.8	2.75	2.05
22.....	1.15	1.7	1.9	1.65	1.0	1.65	2.5	2.3
23.....	1.2	1.65	1.85	1.6	1.8	1.8	2.45	3.0
24.....	1.5	1.65	1.7	1.6	1.1	1.85	2.4	3.2
25.....	1.55	1.65	1.65	1.55	1.05	1.82	2.55	3.4
26.....	1.55	1.65	1.65	1.4	1.05	1.78	2.2	3.5
27.....	1.6	1.65	1.65	1.4	1.0	1.76	2.18	4.0
28.....	1.6	1.65	1.8	1.4	1.0	1.74	2.0	3.8
29.....	2.3	.....	2.0	1.4	1.05	1.4	1.98	3.4
30.....	3.5	.....	2.5	1.35	1.0	1.38	2.1	3.0
31.....	2.9	.....	1.6	.....	.....	1.3	.....	2.8

NOTE.—There was undoubtedly backwater from ice for a considerable part of January and February. It is not known whether gage heights were to water surface or to the top of the ice.

The lower part of the gage became covered with silt during 1911 and for that reason the gage heights during May to August were too unreliable to publish. Silt was cleared away Oct. 6.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Goose Creek near Leesburg, Va., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	225	588	240	240	405	84	130	388
2.....	303	495	240	196	405	95	140	398
3.....	588	441	240	196	441	106	150	356
4.....	665	550	240	271	743	102	160	336
5.....	370	370	182	924	944	95	155	320
6.....	370	336	168	626	1,150	88	155	316
7.....	370	303	168	513	743	91	182	210
8.....	320	303	168	513	370	91	210	199
9.....	303	287	182	477	25	97	370	196
10.....	271	287	271	370	210	102	303	182
11.....	240	271	370	370	210	106	240	177
12.....	95	287	588	336	370	102	210	182
13.....	168	271	646	320	588	102	743	171
14.....	336	271	550	320	588	97	665	155
15.....	130	287	513	320	588	102	646	150
16.....	155	271	441	271	550	106	704	168
17.....	182	271	550	271	550	93	696	210
18.....	168	256	550	256	459	1,150	743	240
19.....	168	271	370	256	370	743	743	303
20.....	130	271	370	256	370	370	665	370
21.....	118	271	370	256	271	303	646	388
22.....	118	271	336	256	84	256	550	477
23.....	130	256	320	240	303	303	532	743
24.....	210	256	271	240	106	320	513	823
25.....	225	256	256	225	95	310	569	903
26.....	225	256	256	182	95	297	441	944
27.....	240	256	256	182	84	290	434	1,150
28.....	240	256	303	182	84	284	370	1,070
29.....	477	.....	370	182	95	182	363	903
30.....	944	.....	550	168	84	177	405	743
31.....	704	.....	240	.....	.....	155	.....	665

NOTE.—Daily discharge determined from a rating curve that is well defined between 50 and 1,370 second-feet. Discharge during January and February probably too high, owing to backwater from ice. No correction has been applied for this backwater.

*Monthly discharge of Goose Creek near Leesburg, Va., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 338 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	944	95	296	0.876	1.01	C.
February.....	588	256	313	.926	.96	D.
March.....	646	168	341	1.01	1.16	B.
April.....	924	168	314	.929	1.04	B.
September.....	1,150	25	379	1.12	1.25	B.
October.....	1,150	84	219	.648	.75	B.
November.....	743	130	428	1.27	1.42	B.
December.....	1,150	150	446	1.32	1.52	B.

## RAPPAHANNOCK RIVER BASIN.

## RAPPAHANNOCK RIVER NEAR FREDERICKSBURG, VA.

**Location.**—About  $3\frac{1}{2}$  miles above Fredericksburg, and about  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles above the dam of the Fredericksburg Power Co.

**Records available.**—September 19, 1907, to December 31, 1911.

**Drainage area.**—1,590 square miles.

**Gage.**—Original gage and station located at a pool a few hundred feet above a rocky control. This gage was destroyed February 14, 1908, and was replaced February 20, 1908, by a chain gage under the cable. Datum for both gages the same and unchanged.

**Channel.**—Probably permanent. Current sluggish at extreme low water.

**Discharge measurements.**—Made from car and cable.

**Winter flow.**—Not often affected by ice.

**Accuracy.**—Accurate discharge measurements at low stages are difficult. A good low-water rating curve has been developed.

**Cooperation.**—Established in cooperation with the Fredericksburg Power Co., by which the cable and equipment were furnished.

The following discharge measurement was made by wading about one-half mile below the cable by G. C. Stevens, assisted by Cecil L. Reid, engineer for Fredericksburg Power Co.:

July 26, 1911: Gage height, 0.70 foot; discharge, 214 second-feet.

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Rappahannock River near Fredericksburg, Va., for 1911.*

[J. W. Franklin, observer.]

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	2.8	2.7	1.65	1.8	1.9	1.17	1.11	0.49	4.7	0.97	1.41	1.85
2.....	4.5	2.6	1.6	1.7	1.85	1.48	1.05	.51	2.8	.96	1.39	1.75
3.....	4.0	2.5	1.6	1.65	1.8	1.28	.97	.46	2.5	.96	1.34	1.65
4.....	5.8	2.35	1.55	1.65	1.7	1.12	.85	.55	3.2	1.02	1.27	1.6
5.....	3.8	2.25	1.55	3.2	1.65	1.05	.83	2.15	2.45	1.03	1.27	1.55
6.....	2.9	2.1	1.55	4.0	1.6	1.30	.77	3.0	1.8	1.01	1.30	1.5
7.....	2.6	2.05	1.55	3.1	1.6	1.38	.87	2.3	1.65	.99	2.9	1.5
8.....	2.3	2.05	1.65	2.8	1.55	1.39	.89	1.6	1.35	1.01	2.45	1.49
9.....	2.25	2.45	1.6	2.8	1.6	1.44	.95	1.20	1.23	1.07	2.05	1.47
10.....	2.05	2.6	1.95	2.8	1.6	1.28	.97	.97	2.35	1.17	2.0	1.47
11.....	1.9	2.3	3.1	2.7	1.55	1.24	.81	.91	2.35	1.06	1.9	1.43
12.....	1.85	2.1	2.45	2.4	1.5	1.26	.84	.78	2.6	1.05	1.8	1.45
13.....	2.0	2.05	2.1	2.3	1.43	1.36	1.19	.80	2.05	1.10	1.85	1.43
14.....	2.45	1.95	2.3	2.2	1.36	1.6	.95	.80	1.55	1.13	1.9	1.41
15.....	2.3	1.9	2.35	2.2	1.34	1.40	.85	1.29	1.35	1.01	1.9	1.47

*Daily gage height, in feet, of Rappahannock River near Fredericksburg, Va., for 1911—Continued.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
16.....	2.1	1.85	2.25	2.25	1.34	1.17	0.77	1.19	1.33	1.03	2.2	2.5
17.....	1.9	1.8	2.05	2.15	1.31	1.02	.74	.95	1.33	1.06	2.0	4.0
18.....	1.8	1.8	2.0	2.05	1.31	1.00	.69	.84	1.31	4.3	1.95	2.6
19.....	1.75	1.8	2.0	2.0	1.28	.97	.62	.73	1.23	3.6	2.25	2.2
20.....	1.75	1.8	2.15	2.2	1.25	1.06	.65	.69	1.15	2.45	2.05	2.0
21.....	1.75	2.35	2.05	2.2	1.19	1.02	.54	.66	1.39	1.95	1.9	2.0
22.....	1.75	2.15	1.9	2.05	1.18	1.00	.62	.60	1.21	1.95	1.75	2.0
23.....	2.3	1.9	1.8	2.2	1.15	.91	.57	.55	1.11	2.25	1.65	5.3
24.....	2.25	1.85	1.75	2.4	1.18	.87	.57	.52	1.09	2.25	1.7	4.5
25.....	2.1	1.8	1.65	2.2	1.15	1.20	.54	.49	1.04	1.9	2.0	3.7
26.....	2.05	1.75	1.6	2.0	1.11	2.1	.67	.48	1.65	1.7	1.8	3.1
27.....	2.4	1.7	1.6	1.95	1.10	1.7	.80	.53	1.43	1.65	1.7	3.4
28.....	2.35	1.7	1.9	1.85	1.07	1.65	1.10	1.25	1.06	1.55	1.7	3.1
29.....	2.25	.....	1.85	1.85	1.04	1.75	.91	1.35	.97	1.47	2.0	2.6
30.....	2.9	.....	1.85	1.85	1.00	1.36	.81	1.65	.99	1.42	2.5	2.4
31.....	3.2	.....	1.95	.....	1.00	.....	.53	3.2	.....	1.42	.....	2.5

NOTE.—The river was frozen for brief periods during January and February, but the backwater from ice was probably inappreciable. All gage readings are probably to water surface.

*Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Rappahannock River near Fredericksburg, Va., for 1911.*

Day.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
1.....	2,570	2,400	918	1,100	1,220	449	407	158	7,070	325	656	1,160
2.....	6,480	2,240	860	975	1,160	729	370	162	2,570	320	636	1,040
3.....	5,100	2,080	860	918	1,100	534	325	152	2,080	320	588	918
4.....	10,900	1,840	805	918	975	414	270	172	3,290	352	526	860
5.....	4,610	1,700	805	3,290	918	370	262	1,560	2,000	358	526	805
6.....	2,740	1,480	805	5,100	860	550	240	2,920	1,100	346	550	750
7.....	2,240	1,420	805	3,100	860	626	278	1,770	918	335	2,740	750
8.....	1,770	1,420	918	2,570	805	636	286	860	598	346	2,000	740
9.....	1,700	2,000	860	2,570	860	687	315	470	494	382	1,420	718
10.....	1,420	2,240	1,280	2,570	860	534	325	325	1,840	449	1,350	718
11.....	1,220	1,770	3,100	2,400	805	502	254	295	1,840	376	1,220	676
12.....	1,160	1,480	2,000	1,920	750	518	266	243	2,240	370	1,100	698
13.....	1,350	1,420	1,480	1,770	676	607	463	250	1,420	400	1,160	676
14.....	2,000	1,280	1,770	1,620	607	860	315	250	805	421	1,220	656
15.....	1,770	1,220	1,840	1,620	588	645	270	542	598	346	1,220	718
16.....	1,480	1,160	1,700	1,700	588	449	240	463	578	358	1,620	2,080
17.....	1,220	1,100	1,420	1,560	560	352	229	315	578	376	1,350	5,100
18.....	1,100	1,100	1,350	1,420	560	340	212	266	560	5,910	1,280	2,240
19.....	1,040	1,100	1,350	1,350	534	325	191	226	494	4,140	1,700	1,620
20.....	1,040	1,100	1,560	1,620	510	376	200	212	435	2,000	1,420	1,350
21.....	1,040	1,840	1,420	1,620	463	352	170	203	636	1,280	1,220	1,350
22.....	1,040	1,560	1,220	1,420	456	340	191	185	478	1,280	1,040	1,350
23.....	1,770	1,220	1,100	1,620	435	295	178	172	407	1,700	918	9,030
24.....	1,700	1,160	1,040	1,920	456	278	178	165	394	1,700	975	6,480
25.....	1,480	1,100	918	1,620	435	470	170	158	364	1,220	1,350	4,370
26.....	1,420	1,040	860	1,350	407	1,480	206	156	918	975	1,100	3,100
27.....	1,920	975	860	1,280	400	975	250	168	676	918	975	3,700
28.....	1,840	975	1,220	1,160	382	918	400	510	376	805	975	3,100
29.....	1,700	.....	1,160	1,160	364	1,040	295	598	325	718	1,350	2,240
30.....	2,740	.....	1,160	1,160	340	607	254	918	335	666	2,080	1,920
31.....	3,290	.....	1,280	.....	340	.....	168	3,290	.....	666	.....	2,080

NOTE.—Discharge determined from a discharge rating curve well defined below 6,000 second-feet. No correction has been made for backwater from ice.

*Monthly discharge of Rappahannock River near Fredericksburg, Va., for 1911.*

[Drainage area, 1,590 square miles.]

Month.	Discharge in second-feet.				Run-off (depth in inches on drainage area).	Accu- racy.
	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Per square mile.		
January.....	10,900	1,040	2,350	1.48	1.71	A.
February.....	2,400	975	1,480	.931	.97	A.
March.....	3,100	805	1,250	.786	.91	A.
April.....	5,100	918	1,810	1.14	1.27	A.
May.....	1,220	340	654	.411	.47	A.
June.....	1,480	278	575	.362	.40	A.
July.....	463	168	264	.166	.19	A.
August.....	3,290	152	585	.368	.42	A.
September.....	7,070	325	1,210	.761	.85	A.
October.....	5,910	320	973	.612	.71	A.
November.....	2,740	526	1,210	.761	.85	A.
December.....	9,030	656	2,030	1.28	1.48	A.
The year.....	10,900	152	1,200	.755	10.23	

## MISCELLANEOUS MEASUREMENTS.

The following miscellaneous discharge measurements were made in north Atlantic coast drainage basins during 1911:

*Miscellaneous measurements in north Atlantic coast drainage basins in 1911.*

Date.	Stream.	Tributary to—	Locality.	Gage height.	Dis-charge.
Mar. 8	Ware River.....	Chicopee River.....	At highway bridge, Barre station, Mass.	<i>Feet.</i> <i>a</i> 16.99	<i>Sec.-ft.</i> 232
Apr. 15	West Branch of Westfield River.	Westfield River.....	First highway bridge above Boston & Albany R. R., Chester, Mass.	<i>b</i> 15.52	651
Sept. 21	Mianus River.....	Atlantic Ocean.....	Old gaging station near Stamford, Conn.	<i>c</i> 3.75	38
July 15	Indian River.....	Hudson River.....	Indian Lake, N. Y.....	( <i>d</i> )	856
Nov. 17	Big Brook.....	Indian River.....	Highway bridge, about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile below Indian Lake dam, Indian Lake, N. Y.	<i>e</i> 10.20	83
July 24	West Stony Creek.....	Sacandaga River.....	$\frac{1}{2}$ mile above highway bridge at mouth of creek, near Northville, N. Y.	<i>f</i> 2.56	10.9
22	East Stony Creek.....	do.....	Near Northville, N. Y., about 700 feet above highway bridge, near mouth of creek.	<i>g</i> 1.90	8.9
Aug. 21	Hoosic River.....	Hudson River.....	300 feet below highway bridge at Eagle Bridge, N. Y.	<i>h</i> 1.02	162
Jan. 30	Owkill Creek.....	Hoosic River.....	Eagle Bridge, N. Y.....	<i>h</i> 3.10	110
Mar. 15	do.....	do.....	do.....	<i>h</i> 3.42	219
June 16	do.....	do.....	do.....	<i>h</i> 2.35	16

*a* Distance to water surface from top of right side of center floor support downstream side of bridge.

*b* Distance to water surface from top of second floor beam, downstream right end of bridge.

*c* Distance to water surface from under surface of large projecting stone, second course from top in north side of west abutment.

*d* Reading on gage at dam, 29.3. One gate in 5-foot sluice pipe wide open; other gate half open.

*e* Distance to water surface from corner of top of right upstream abutment. At Indian River bridge distance from reference point to water surface, 12.60. As the gates were closed at Indian Lake dam, the discharge of Indian River at the first bridge was practically the same as Big Brook, viz, 53 second-feet. Complete ice cover at both bridges.

*f* Distance to water surface from notched brown stone, left upstream abutment.

*g* Distance to water surface from corner of concrete footing course to old, left, stone abutment.

*h* Chain gage on highway bridge at Eagle Bridge.

## SUMMARY OF DISCHARGE PER SQUARE MILE.

The following summary of discharge per square mile is given to allow ready comparison of relative rates of run-off from different areas in the north Atlantic coast drainage basins. It shows in a general way the seasonal distribution of run-off and the effect of snow, ground, surface, and artificial storage; but the most important fact worth noting is the almost entire lack of uniformity or agreement between any two streams. This indicates that the discharge of each stream is a law unto itself, and that all projects dependent upon stream flow, if they are to be developed along the safest and most economical lines, must be based on records of stream flow collected with great care over a long series of years as near the location of the project under consideration as possible.

*Summary of discharge, in second-feet per square mile, for stations in north Atlantic coast drainage basins for 1911.*

Station.	Drainage area.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year.
	Sq. mi.													
St. John River near Dickey, Me.	2,820						1.12	0.45	0.78	0.67	0.60			
St. John River at Fort Kent, Me.	4,880	0.16	0.12	0.13	1.24	5.31	1.16	.49	.68	.51	.47	0.48	0.34	0.93
St. John River at Van Buren, Me.	8,270	.16	.12	.13	1.56	6.47	1.60	.65	.72	.47	.43	.42	.33	1.10
Allagash River near Allagash, Me.	1,240						1.37	.34	.27	.36	.34	.46		
St. Francis River near St. Francis, Me.	500						1.17	.62	.75	.39	.28	.31		
Madawaska River at St. Rose du De-gele, Quebec.	958						2.52	1.13	.62	.44	.39	.34		
Fish River at Wallagrass, Me.	860						1.33	.50	.52	.35	.22	.20		
St. Croix River near Woodland, Me.	1,420	.99	1.06	.96	2.13	1.30	1.00	1.04	.99	.79	.69	.86	1.42	1.11
Machias River at Whitneyville, Me.	465	1.10	.76	1.39	3.66	2.71	3.23	.65	.37	.53	.49	.99	1.93	1.48
Green Lake Stream at Lakewood, Me.	47	.30	2.72	1.16	.93	.82	.84	1.24	2.28	2.64	1.66	.52	4.23	1.28
Branch Lake Stream near Ellsworth, Me.	31	.71	.28	1.46	2.09	2.06	2.19	1.57	1.80	1.62	1.06	.77	1.00	1.39
Penobscot River at Millinocket, Me.	1,880	1.16	.76	.36	.58	1.27	1.24	1.18	1.23	1.18	1.18	1.15	1.07	1.03
Penobscot River at West Enfield, Me.	6,600	.76	.53	.59	3.05	2.44	1.27	.82	.73	.90	.77	.90	1.91	1.23
East Branch of Penobscot River at Grindstone, Me.	1,100	.41	.32	.46	2.59	3.15	1.86	.96	.48	.59	.59	.76	1.12	1.11
Mattawamkeag River at Mattawamkeag, Me.	1,500	.73	.53	.80	4.35	3.03	1.27	.22	.30	.54	.59	.99	2.81	1.35
Piscataquis River at Foxcroft, Me.	286	.52	.42	.87	8.04	3.41	.67	.18	.21	.20	.44	1.87	3.64	1.71
Kenduskeag Stream near Bangor, Me.	191	2.39	.91	2.54	9.32	1.59	.62	.33	.45	.42	.61	1.24	3.22	2.06
Moose River at Rockwood, Me.	680	.26	.19	.21	1.16	4.66	1.31	.95	.66	.84	1.12	1.01	1.57	1.17
Kennebec River at The Forks, Me.	1,570	.82	.57	.48	.58	1.66	1.93	1.48	1.46	1.09	.62	.31	.59	.97
Kennebec River at Waterville, Me.	4,270	.47	.32	.33	2.81	1.82	1.00	.68	.76	.66	.62	.69	1.06	.94
Dead River at The Forks, Me.	878	.25	.19	.20	1.93	4.62	1.30	.46	.54	.56	.87	.77	1.53	1.11
Sebasticook River at Pittsfield, Me.	320	.41	.38	.41	4.34	1.45	.68	.53	.51	.42	.48	.80	1.70	1.01
Cobbosseecontee Stream at Gardiner, Me.	240	.52	.62	.64	1.66	.97	.94	.69	.72	.72	.58	.42	.44	.74
Androscooggin River at Errol dam, N. H.	1,095	.79	.66	.65	1.05	1.95	.70	.98	.89	.82	.89	.82	1.09	.94
Androscooggin River at Rumford Falls, Me.	2,090	.69	.46	.38	2.43	2.40	.86	.66	.69	.74	.97	1.07	1.27	1.05
Presumpscot River at outlet of Sebago Lake, Me.	436	.71	.86	.72	.66	.71	.73	.49	.36	.63	.72	1.12	.88	.72
Saco River at West Buxton, Me.	1,550	.92	.57	.64	4.28	3.52	1.21	.58	.41	.37	.73	1.08	1.39	1.31
Pemigewasset River at Plymouth, N. H.	615	.85	.53	1.79	9.20	4.13	1.17	.42	.56	.94	2.24	1.82	2.41	2.18
Merrimac River at Franklin Junction, N. H.	1,460	.97	.68	1.08	4.87	2.77	1.09	.66	.75	1.01	1.88	1.71	1.82	1.61
Merrimac River at Garvins Falls, N. H.	2,340	.90	.56	1.05	4.27	2.04	.83	.47	.53	.68	1.38	1.41	1.20	1.28
Merrimac River at Lawrence, Mass.	4,452	.62	.48	1.25	3.04	1.36	.55	.27	.33	.44	.92	1.05	1.28	.97
Souhegan River at Merrimac, N. H.	168	.77	.30	2.67	3.08	.89	.79	.20	.23	.34	1.67	1.99	2.42	1.29
South Branch of Nashua River at Clinton Mass.	118.19	1.20	.97	2.07	2.16	.71	.54	.09	.29	.28	1.11	1.60	1.65	1.06
Sudbury River at Framingham, Mass.	75.2	.80	1.08	1.77	2.21	.49	.33	.02	.03	1.12	.46	.92	1.40	.80
Lake Cochituate at Cochituate, Mass.	17.58	.77	1.17	1.74	1.94	.25	.12	.05	.49	.55	.79	1.07	1.56	.87

<sup>a</sup> Attention is called to the fact that the Sudbury River records do not give the actual run-off of the river (which would include the effect of storage in the wet season and draft from storage in the dry season from the tributary reservoirs and streams as well as the loss by evaporation from them), but the natural flow of the basin without storage, as nearly as this flow can be measured and adjusted for the change in volume of stored water, without, however, taking into account the actual loss of water by evaporation from the water surfaces of the existing reservoirs and streams in this drainage basin. It may be said that this method of figuring the yield is common for waterworks or public supplies, and is used also in the Nashua and Croton records, but for streams utilized chiefly for production of power the effect of storage as well as the loss by evaporation is included in the yield or run-off measurements and records.

Summary of discharge, in second-feet per square mile, for stations in north Atlantic coast drainage basins for 1911—Continued.

Station.	Drainage area.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May.	June.	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Year.
	Sq. mi.													
Connecticut River at Orford, N. H.	3,300	0.76	0.41	0.74	5.09	3.42	0.74	0.36	0.49	0.72	1.31	1.32	2.50	1.49
Connecticut River at Sunderland, Mass.	7,700	1.30	.54	1.16	4.73	2.55	.79	.29	.37	.71	2.12	1.64	2.34	1.55
Passumpsic River near St. Johnsbury, Vt.	237	.80	.42	.78	5.78	2.62	.84	.57	.63	.84	1.21	1.38	2.38	1.52
White River near Sharon, Vt.	686	1.30	.51	1.09	5.50	1.79	.55	.36	.49	.82	2.22	1.57	2.11	1.53
Deerfield River at Shelburne Falls, Mass.	501	1.99	.60	1.89	6.45	1.97	1.55	.30	.47	1.33	4.25	2.36	2.20	2.12
Westfield River at Knightville, Mass.	162	1.28	.75	1.60	4.04	1.46	1.63	.25	.41	.57	2.93	2.73	2.52	1.69
Middle Branch of Westfield River at Goss Heights, Mass.	53	2.53	.66	2.66	4.49	1.82	1.76	.31	.50	.91	4.36	2.94	3.00	2.17
Hudson River at North Creek, N. Y.	807	.93	.85	.84	4.42	3.25	1.52	.88	.98	.65	1.14	2.25	2.29	1.59
Hudson River at Thurman, N. Y.	1,550	.77	.64	.81	4.52	2.83	1.21	.60	.56	.46	.84	1.01	1.81	1.34
Hudson River at Corinth, N. Y.	2,730	.97	.75	1.02	5.38	3.21	1.72	.55	.58	.78	2.05	2.08	3.18	1.85
Hudson River at Mechanicville, N. Y.	4,500	1.17	.75	1.28	3.73	2.06	.98	.30	.26	.44	1.61	1.68	2.22	1.38
Schroon River at Riverbank, N. Y.	534	.67	.47	.58	3.99	2.66	1.17	.35	.19	.28	.62	1.14	1.99	1.18
Schoharie River at Wells, N. Y.	263	.91	.65	.94	5.89	5.06	2.26	.25	.13					
Sacandaga River at Hadley, N. Y.	1,050	.98	.70	1.19	5.64	2.79	1.40	.28	.19	.63	2.55	2.55	3.54	1.88
Schoharie River at Prattsville, N. Y.	240	2.70	.85	2.41	4.43	1.19	2.00	.17	.14	.59	2.56	1.52	2.50	1.76
Esopus Creek near Olivebridge, N. Y.	239	2.42	1.46	2.29	4.18	1.41	2.11	.54	.37	.67	3.80	2.42	2.21	1.99
Esopus Creek at Mount Marion, N. Y.	378	2.07	1.44	2.52	3.98	1.07	2.17	.51	.40	.71	3.99	2.48	2.18	1.97
Rondout Creek at Rosendale, N. Y.	380	2.29	.96	3.29	4.44	1.14	2.16	.43	.27	.83	4.65	2.73	2.64	2.16
Passaic River near Chatham, N. J.	101	1.51	.96	.94	1.47	.12	.90	.21	.19	.50	1.19	.86	.81	.80
East Branch of Delaware River at Hancock, N. Y.	920	2.81	.71	2.47	5.14	1.08	2.37	.33	.27	.73	2.33	2.27	2.25	1.90
Delaware River at Port Jervis, N. Y.	3,250	2.26	.78	2.30	4.22	.94	2.03	.35	.28	.66	2.11	1.76	1.99	1.64
Delaware River at Riegelsville, N. J.	6,430	1.98	.98	2.02	3.56	1.07	2.05	.61	.53	1.19	2.41	1.91	1.94	1.70
West Branch of Delaware River at Hancock, N. Y.	680	2.74	.66	2.13	3.68	.62	1.50	.26	.24	.54	1.39	1.51	1.74	1.42
Mongaup River at Rio, N. Y.	189	2.12	.79	2.73	4.13	1.12	2.61	.56	.44	.53	2.22	2.00	2.49	1.81
Lehigh River at South Bethlehem, Pa.	1,235	2.31	1.25	1.61	2.76	1.09	2.11	.87	1.00	1.94	2.70	1.98	1.96	1.80
Tohickon River at Point Pleasant, Pa.	102	2.75	1.36	2.74	2.23	.26	.68	.72	.98	1.08	3.20	3.31	2.63	1.83
Neshaminy River below Forks, Pa.	139	2.69	1.89	1.70	1.89	.46	.27	1.12	1.58	1.18	2.09	3.06	2.14	1.59
Schuylkill River near Philadelphia, Pa.	1,920	1.19	.70	.73	1.33	.42	.72	.54	.71	1.21	1.96	1.82	1.65	1.08
Perkiomen Creek near Frederick, Pa.	152	1.91	1.47	1.74	1.98	.50	1.17	.73	.78	.83	2.18	2.34	1.88	1.46
Susquehanna River at Binghamton, N. Y.	2,400	2.88	.60	2.62	4.03	.68	1.13	.29	.17	.42	1.11	1.49	2.11	1.47
Susquehanna River at Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	9,810	2.12	.77	2.20	3.11	.61	.72	.18	.13	.37	.94	.92	1.46	1.13
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Juniata River at Newport, Pa.	3,480	2.04	1.38	1.21	2.34	.71	.48	.29	.42	1.93	1.58	1.07	1.48	1.24
Potomac River at Point of Rocks, Md.	9,650	1.26	1.17	1.00	1.56	.45	.38	.22	.25	1.31	.88	.62	1.06	.84
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