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FIGURE 1. Typical gaging station\_\_\_\_\_

# SURFACE WATER SUPPLY OF SNAKE RIVER BASIN, 1924

## AUTHORIZATION AND SCOPE OF WORK

This volume is one of a series of 14 reports presenting results of measurements of flow made on streams in the United States during the year ending September 30, 1924.

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

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 relating to irrigation in the West. Since the fiscal year ending June 30, 1895, successive appropriation bills passed by Congress have carried the following items:

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 years ending June 30, 1895-1925

1895	\$12, 500. (	00 1	1903-1906	\$200, 000. 00	1919	\$148, 244. 10
1896	1 24, 500. (	00	1907	150, 000. 00	1920	175, 000. 00
1897-1899	50, 000.	00	1908-1910 -	100, 000. 00	1921-1923 _	180, 000. 00
1900	<sup>2</sup> 70, 000. (	00	1911-1917 _	150, 000. 00	1924-1925 _	170, 000. <b>00</b>
1901-1902	100, 000.	00	1918	175, 000. 00		

In the execution of the work many private and State organizations have cooperated, either by furnishing data or by assisting in collecting data. Acknowledgments for cooperation of the first kind are made in connection with the description of each station affected; cooperation of the second kind is acknowledged on page 9.

Measurements of stream flow have been made at about 4,990 points in the United States and also at many points in Alaska and the Hawaiian Islands. In July, 1924, 1,670 gaging stations were being maintained by the Survey and the cooperating organizations. Many miscellaneous 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 water-supply papers from time to time.

<sup>1</sup> Includes \$4,500 appropriated in act of Apr. 25, 1896.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Includes \$20,000 appropriated in deficiency bill of Mar. 30, 1900.

## 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 that 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 that represent the actual quantity of water, as run-off in inches, acre-feet, and millions of cubic feet. The principal terms used in this series of reports are second-feet, second-feet per square mile, run-off in inches, acre-feet, and millions of cubic feet. They may be defined as follows:

"Second-feet" is an abbreviation for "cubic feet per second." A second-foot is the rate of discharge of water flowing in a channel of rectangular cross section 1 foot wide and 1 foot deep at an average velocity of 1 foot per second. It is generally used as a fundamental unit from which others are computed.

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

An "acre-foot," equivalent to 43,560 cubic feet, 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.

The following terms not in common use are here defined:

"Stage-discharge relation," an abbreviation for the term "relation of gage height to discharge."

"Control," a term used to designate the section or sections of the stream channel below the gage which determine the stage-discharge relation at the gage. It should be noted that the control may not be the same section or sections at all stages.

The "point of zero flow" for a gaging station is that point on the gage—the gage height—at which water ceases to flow over the control.

## EXPLANATION OF DATA

The data presented in this report cover the year beginning October 1, 1923, and ending September 30, 1924. At the beginning of January in most parts of the United States much of the precipitation in the preceding three months is stored as ground water, in the form of snow or ice, or in ponds, lakes, and swamps, and this stored water passes off in the streams during the spring break-up. At the end of September, on the other hand, the only stored water available for

run-off is possibly a small quantity in the ground; therefore the runoff for the year beginning October 1 is practically all derived from precipitation within that year.

The base data collected at gaging stations consist of records of stage, measurements of discharge, and general information used to supplement the gage heights and discharge measurements in determining the daily flow. The records of stage are obtained either from direct reading on a staff or chain gage or from a water-stage recorder that gives a continuous record of the fluctuations. Measurements of discharge are made with a current meter by the general methods outlined in standard textbooks on the measurement of river discharge. A typical gaging station, equipped with water-stage recorder and measuring cable and car, is shown in Figure 1.

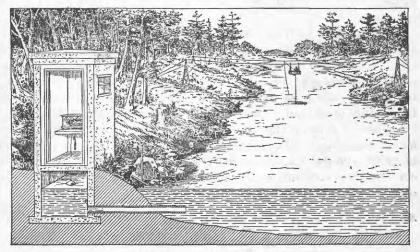


FIGURE 1.—Typical gaging station

From the discharge measurements rating tables are prepared that give the discharge for any stage. The application of the daily gage heights to these rating tables gives the daily discharge from which the monthly and yearly mean discharge is computed.

The data presented for each gaging station in the area covered by this report comprise a description of the station, a table giving records of discharge measurements, a table showing the daily discharge of the stream, and a table of monthly and yearly discharge and run-off.

If the base data are insufficient to determine the daily discharge, tables giving daily gage height and records of discharge measurements are published.

The description of the station gives, in addition to statements regarding location and equipment, information in regard to any conditions that may affect the permanence of the stage-discharge relation, covering such subjects as the occurrence of ice, the use of the stream for log driving, shifting control, and the cause and effect of backwater. It gives also information as to diversions that decrease the flow at the gage, artificial regulation, maximum and minimum recorded stages, and the accuracy of the records.

The table of daily discharge gives, in general, the discharge in second-feet corresponding to the mean of the gage heights read each day. At stations on streams subject to sudden or rapid diurnal fluctuation the discharge obtained from the rating table and the mean daily gage height may not be the true mean discharge for the day. If such stations are equipped with water-stage recorders the mean daily discharge may be obtained by averaging quantities of discharge for regular intervals during the day, or by means of a discharge integrator, an instrument operating on the principle of the planimeter and containing as an essential element the rating curve of the station.

In the table of monthly discharge the column headed "Maximum" gives the mean flow 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 headed "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 per second during the month. On this average flow computations recorded in the remaining columns, which are defined on page 2, are based.

## ACCURACY OF FIELD DATA AND COMPUTED RESULTS

The accuracy of stream-flow data depends primarily (1) on the permanence of the stage-discharge relation and (2) on the accuracy of observation of stage, measurement of flow, and interpretation of records.

A paragraph in the description of the station gives information regarding the (1) permanence of the stage-discharge relation, (2) precision with which the discharge rating curve is defined, (3) refinement of gage readings, (4) frequency of gage readings, and (5) methods of applying the daily gage height to the rating table to obtain the daily discharge.

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," 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 monthly means for any station may represent with high accuracy the quantity of water flowing past the gage, but the figures

showing discharge per square mile and run-off in inches may be subject to gross errors caused by the inclusion of large noncontributing districts in the measured drainage area, by lack of information concerning water diverted for irrigation or other use, or by inability to interpret the effect of artificial regulation of the flow of the river above the station. "Second-feet per square mile" and "run-off in inches" are therefore not computed if such errors appear probable. The computations are also omitted for stations on streams draining areas in which the annual rainfall is less than 20 inches. All figures representing "second-feet per square mile" and "run-off in inches" previously published by the Survey should be used with caution because of possible inherent sources of error not known to the Survey.

Many gaging stations on streams in the irrigated sections of the United States are located above most of the diversions from those streams, and the discharge recorded does not show the water supply available for further development, as prior appropriations below the station must first be satisfied. To give an idea of the amount of prior appropriations, a paragraph on diversions is presented in each station description. The figures given can not be considered exact but represent the best information available.

The table of monthly discharge gives only a general idea of the flow at the station and should not be used for other than preliminary estimates; the tables of daily discharge allow more detailed studies of the variation in flow. It should be borne in mind, however, that the observations in each succeeding year may be expected to throw new light on data previously published.

## **PUBLICATIONS**

Investigation of water resources by the United States Geological Survey has consisted in large part of measurements of the volume of flow of streams and studies of the conditions affecting that flow, but it has comprised also investigation of such closely allied subjects as irrigation, water storage, water powers, ground waters, and quality of waters. Most of the results of these investigations have been published in the series of water-supply papers, but some have appeared in the monographs, bulletins, professional papers, and annual reports.

The results of stream-flow measurements are now published annually in 12 parts, each part covering an area whose boundaries coincide with natural drainage features as indicated below:

- PART I. North Atlantic slope basins (St. John River to York River).
  - II. South Atlantic slope and eastern Gulf of Mexico basins (James River to the Mississippi).
  - III. Ohio River Basin.
  - IV. St. Lawrence River Basin.
    - V. Upper Mississippi River and Hudson Bay Basins.
  - VI. Missouri River Basin.

PART VII. Lower Mississippi River Basin.

VIII. Western Gulf of Mexico Basins.

IX. Colorado River Basin.

X. Great Basin.

XI. Pacific slope basins in California.

XII. North Pacific slope basins, in three parts:

- A, Pacific slope basins in Washington and upper Columbia River Basin.
- B, Snake River Basin.
- C, Lower Columbia River Basin and Pacific slope basins in Oregon.

Water-supply papers and other publications of the United States Geological Survey containing data in regard to the water resources of the United States may be obtained or consulted as indicated below

- 1. Copies may be purchased at nominal cost from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., who will, on application, furnish lists giving prices.
- 2. Sets of the reports may be consulted in the libraries of the principal cities of the United States.
- 3. Complete sets are available for consultation in the local offices of the water-resources branch of the Geological Survey, as follows:

Boston, Mass., 2500 Customhouse.

Albany, N. Y., 904 Home Savings Bank Building.

Trenton, N. J., Statehouse.

Charlottesville, Va., care of University of Virginia.

Asheville, N. C., 608 City Hall.

Chattanooga, Tenn., 830 Power Building.

Columbus, Ohio, Engineering Experiment Station, Ohio State University.

Chicago, Ill., 1510 Consumers Building.

Madison, Wis., care of Railroad Commission of Wisconsin.

Rolla, Mo., Rolla Building, School of Mines and Metallurgy.

Helena, Mont., 45-46 Federal Building.

Denver, Colo., 403 Post Office Building.

Salt Lake City, Utah, 313 Federal Building.

Idaho Falls, Idaho, 228 Federal Building.

Boise, Idaho, Federal Building.

Tacoma, Wash., 404 Federal Building.

Portland, Oreg., 606 Post Office Building.

San Francisco, Calif., 303 Customhouse.

Los Angeles, Calif., 600 Federal Building.

Tucson, Ariz., Room 106, College of Law Building, University of Arizona.

Austin, Tex., State Capitol.

Honolulu, Hawaii, Territorial Office Building.

A list of the Geological Survey's publications may be obtained by applying to the Director, United States Geological Survey, Washington, D. C.

Stream-flow records have been obtained at about 4,990 points in the United States, and the data obtained have been published in the reports tabulated below.

#### PUBLICATIONS

# Stream-flow data in reports of the United States Geological Survey [A=Annual Report; B=Bulletin; W=Water-Supply Paper]

Report	Character of data	Year
10th A, pt. 2	Descriptive information only  Monthly discharge and descriptive information.	
11th A, pt. 2	Monthly discharge and descriptive information	1884 to Sept., 1890.
12th A, pt. 2	do	1884 to June 30, 1891.
13th A, pt. 3	Mean discharge in second-feet	1884 to Dec. 31, 1892.
14th A, pt. 2	Monthly discharge (long-time records, 1871 to 1893)	1888 to Dec. 31, 1893.
B 131	Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings Descriptive information only.	1893 and 1894.
16th A, pt. 2		1895.
B 140		1999.
W 11	discharge (also many data covering earlier years).  Gage heights (also gage heights for earlier years).	1896.
70+b A+ A	Descriptions, measurements, ratings, and monthly discharge	1895 and 1896.
18th A, pt. 4	(also similar data for some earlier years).	1899 MIG 1890.
W 15	Descriptions, measurements, and gage heights, eastern United	1897.
W 10	States, eastern Mississippi River, and Missouri River above	1097.
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W 16		1897.
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	western United States.	
19th A, pt. 4		1897.
13011 A., po. 4	(also some long-time records).	1091.
W 27	Measurements, ratings, and gage heights, eastern United	1898.
** 2	States, eastern Mississippi River, and Missouri River.	1000.
W 28	Measurements, ratings, and gage heights, Arkansas River, and	1898.
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W 35 to 39		1899.
21st A, pt. 4	Monthly discharge	1899.
W 47 to 52	Monthly discharge Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings	1900.
22d A. pt. 4	Monthly discharge	1900.
W 65, 66	Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings	1901.
W 75	Monthly discharge	1901.
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The records at most of the stations discussed in these reports extend over a series of years, and miscellaneous measurements at many points other than regular gaging stations have been made each year. An index of the reports containing records obtained prior to 1904 has been published in Water-Supply Paper 119.

The following table gives, by years and drainage basins, the numbers of the papers on surface-water supply published from 1899 to 1923. 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, Maine, 1903 to 1921, are published in Water-Supply Papers 97, 124, 165, 201, 241, 261, 281, 301, 321, 351, 381, 401, 431, 451, 471, 501, and 521, which contain records for the New England streams from 1903 to 1921. Results of miscellaneous measurements are published by drainage basins.

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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. Tables of monthly discharge for 1900 in Twenty-second Annual Report, Part IV.
\* Wissahickon and Schurjkill Rivers to James River. 'Kings and Kern Rivers and south Pacific slope basins.

Scioto River.

I Loup and Platte Rivers near Columbus, Nebr., and all tributaries below junction with Platte. <sup>1</sup> Tributaries of Mississippi from east. <sup>1</sup> <u>Lake</u> Ontario and tributaries to St. Lawrence River proper.

" Hudson Bay only.
"New England rivers only.
"Hudson River to Delaware River, inclusive.
"Susquehanna River to Yadkin River, inclusive.

Platte and Kansas Rivers.
 Great Basin in California, except Truckee and Carson River Basins.
 Below Innotion with Gila.
 Rogue, Umpqua, and Siletz Rivers only.

#### COOPERATION

During the year ending September 30, 1924, work in the Snake River Basin was carried on in cooperation with the States of Idaho, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington, effected under contracts made between the Director of the Federal Survey and the State engineers or other officials and authorized by legislative acts appropriating money.

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#### DIVISION OF WORK

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#### GAGING-STATION RECORDS

#### SNAKE RIVER

#### SNAKE RIVER AT SOUTH BOUNDARY OF YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK

LOCATION.—A quarter of a mile below junction of Lewis and Snake Rivers, half a mile north of Snake River Park ranger station and south boundary of Yellowstone National Park, and 25 miles north of Moran, Wyo.

Drainage area.—490 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 19, 1913, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Stevens eight-day water-stage recorder on right bank; installed July 20, 1921; read by Peters and Newell. Overhanging chain gage on right bank 2½ miles above used only as reference gage.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 225 feet below upper reference gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of coarse gravel; clean except for occasional lodgment of drift. Control probably permanent at ordinary stages. One channel at gage but divided by an island into two channels at control. Conditions at auxiliary location similar except that the stream is in one channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period May 20 to September 30, 6.39 feet at 10 p. m. May 20 (discharge, 4,310 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.39 feet at 5 a. m. September 4 (discharge, 205 second-feet). 1913-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 7.45 feet June 12, 1923 (discharge, 6,280 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.4 feet October 26-31, 1915 (discharge, 160 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice, formation of which is evidently prevented by hot springs above gage.

DIVERSIONS.—None above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Cooperation.—Part of gage-height record and one measurement furnished by United States Bureau of Reclamation.

Discharge measurements of Snake River at south boundary of Yellowstone National Park, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage heighta	Dis- charge	Date	Gage Dis- heighta charge		Date	Gage height¢	Dis- charge
May 20	Feet 5. 74 5. 22 4. 43	Secft. 3, 210 2, 350 1, 380	June 24July 3July 16	Feet 3. 97 3. 40 3. 06	Secft. 943 570 423	July 29 Aug. 20 Sept. 11	Feet 2. 82 2. 52 2. 57	Secft. 322 238 249

<sup>·</sup> Bridge or lower gage.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at south boundary of Yellowstone National Park, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		1, 760 1, 900 2, 330 2, 600 2, 490 2, 270 2, 000 1, 780 1, 470 1, 420	645 616 594 577 605 622 633 616 530 487	315 305 299 289 283 280 277 274 272 272	209 209 207 207 229 257 234 236 249 280	16		1, 630 1, 440 1, 320 1, 250 1, 210 1, 080 1, 030 999 966 905	407 391 380 376 491 496 424 380 361 350	252 247 241 239 236 236 231 226 224	226 236 239 247 241 236 239 238 229 234
11		1,480 1,550 1,660 1,860 1,830	468 482 506 454 428	269 266 252 260 254	252 241 239 236 231	26	3, 060 2, 480 2, 200 1, 920 1, 810 1, 760	868 825 771 712 675	342 332 328 325 328 325 328	219 217 217 217 214 212 209	244 234 239 236 231

Note.-No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 19. Gage height and discharge refer to lower or bridge gage

Monthly discharge of Snake River at south boundary of Yellowstone National Park, for the year ending September 30, 1924

March.	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 20-31	3, 660 2, 600	1,760 675	2, 750 1, 470	65, 500 87, 500
JulyAugust	645 315	325 209	461 252	28, 300 15, 500
September	280	207	235	14, 000 211, 000

#### JACKSON LAKE AT MORAN, WYO.

LOCATION.—In sec. 18, T. 45 N., R. 114 W., a short distance above gates at outlet of lake at Moran, Teton County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 1, 1909, to September 30, 1924. Records for years 1909 and 1910 fragmentary.

Gage.—Inclined staff on right shore just below engineer's cottage; read by Joseph Markham. Zero of gage, 6,700 feet above sea level.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and table showing storage capacity of lake furnished by United States Bureau of Reclamation.

Jackson Lake impounds water for the irrigation of lands in the Upper Snake River Valley and in the Minidoka and Twin Falls tracts. It has a capacity of 847,000 acre-feet between the elevations 6,730 and 6,769 feet, sea-level datum.

Daily contents, in acre-feet, of Jackson Lake at Moran, Wyo., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct	.	No	ν.	D	ec.	Ja	n.	F	eb.	M	ar.	A:	pr.	M	ау	Ju	ne	Ju	ly	Αι	ıg.	Se	pt.
1	146, 1	60	173,	560	196,	190	223,	050	248,	830	270,	420	288,	900	317,	680	453,	280	442,	140	185,	890		, 640
2	147, 1																							, 150
3	148,0	80,	175,	120	198,	170	225,	700	250,	890	271,	460	290,	600	322,	830	441.	450	422,	480	173,	560		, 500
4	149, 0	40	175,	700	199,	160	226,	920	251,	720	271,	880	291,	240	326,	050	441,	910	408,	780	166,	350		, 110
5	149, 8	00	176,	290	200,	150	228,	150	252,	750	272,	510	292,	090	329,	720	448,	050	396,	250	159,	580	25,	, 540
6	150, 7	60 <sup>1</sup>	176,	870	201,	140	229,	170	253,	580	272,	930	292,	720	332,	980	454,	870	382,	930	152,	490		, 020
7	152, 1	10	177,	650	201.	930	229,	980	254.	410	273.	560	293.	570	336,	230	458.	510	373,	850	145,	780	23,	, 980
8	153, 0	60	178,	240	202,	730	230.	800	255.	230	273,	980	294,	210	339,	060	460,	550	368,	340	140,	270	22,	, 930
9	154, 4	10	179,	020	203,	540	231,	610	256.	060	274,	610	294,	840	342,	090	459,	640	362,	420	134,	040	22,	, 760
10	155, 3	60	179,	600	204,	140	232,	430	256,	680	275,	020	295,	480	345,	130	459,	640	356,	710	127,	820	22,	, 760
11	156, 1	30 <sup>1</sup>	180.	380	204.	740	233.	450	257.	300	275.	650	296.	120	  348,	390	460.	550	350.	570	120.	710	22,	410
2	157, 0	90.	181.	160	205.	550	234.	260	257.	920	276.	280	296.	750	353.	640	460.	550	344.	480	114.	200	21,	890
13	157,8																						21,	, 190
4	158, 6	20	182.	520	206.	950	235.	900	259.	370	277,	540	300.	360	368,	120	468.	350	331,	460	104,	380	20,	, 150
15	159, 5	80	183,	120	207,	760	236,	710	259,	990	278,	170	301,	420	376,	510	472,	470	323,	470	100,	170	18,	, 590
16	160, 3	50	183.	710	208.	560	237.	530	260.	820	278.	790	302.	270	385.	370	47R.	820	314.	240	97.	780	17.	. 890
	161, 1																					200		. 190
	161, 8																					440		, 510
	162, 8																					200		820
	163, 6																					240		, 790
21	164, 5	90	187.	280	212	580	241.	610	264.	760	281.	730	306.	730	438.	270	486.	240	246.	960	73.	080	13.	. 410
	165, 3																					190		690
3	166, 1																					230		970
4	166, 9	30	190	050	214	800	243	660	267	070	283	610	300	950	468	580	480	030	209	570		270		250
	167, 7	10	191,	040	215,	600	244,	280	267	480	284,	240	311,	020	476,	370	474,	470	203,	130	64,	480		530
26	168, 4	90	191	830	218	200	244	ann	268	110	284	270	312	100	480	720	467	660	199	160	61	630	5.	. 850
	169, 2	70	192	630	216	810	245	520	268	740	285	510	312	960	481	860	462	850	198	370	57.	710		300
	170, 0																					430		270
29	170, 8																					190		580
	171, 8	10	195	200	219	420	247	380	2,0,	, 500	227	420	316	190	471	550	449	730	194	010	43	910		. 410
	172, 7	ŝή	,	200	221	430	248	กกก			288	กลัก	710,	100	462	250	220,	. 00	191.	040	38	980	,	, 221
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#### SNAKE RIVER NEAR MORAN, WYO.

LOCATION.—In sec. 17, T. 45 N., R. 114 W., 1½ miles below Moran post office, Teton County, and United States Bureau of Reclamation dam at outlet of Jackson Lake. No important tributaries between dam and station.

Drainage area.—820 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—September 21, 1903, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff in two sections on left bank. Datum lowered 1.0 foot July 25, 1915. Stevens water-stage recorder installed June 14, 1917, on bank to rear of staff gage. Gage read by Joseph Markham.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 100 feet below gage or by wading. CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed of gravel and boulders. Control practically permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 7.60 feet at 8 p. m. July 19 (discharge, 9,080 second-feet); minimum discharge, estimated 19 second-feet December 16-31 (stage-discharge relation affected by ice). 1903-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 10.41 feet at 8 p. m. June 12, 1918 (discharge, 15,100 second-feet); practically no flow during a few days in 1907 and 1909 as a result of closing of gates in Jackson Lake Dam.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice. Gates in dam at Jackson Lake are closed during winter. Flow past gage represents leakage through dam and inflow from springs.

DIVERSIONS.—None between dam and station and practically none above Jackson Lake,

REGULATION.—Flow controlled by operation of gates in Jackson Lake Dam. Storage capacity of reservoir 847,000 acre-feet.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent after July 1. Rating curve well defined; parallel curves used May 25 to June 7 and June 9-23. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge May 25 to September 30, ascertained by averaging the hourly discharge obtained by applying mean hourly gage height from the recorder graph to the rating table; shifting-control method used June 8, 9, and 24-30. Records excellent.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and two discharge measurements furnished by United States Bureau of Reclamation.

Discharge measurements of Snake River near Moran, Wyo., during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge		
May 16	Feet 0. 32 4. 36 5. 85 6. 40 6. 85 2. 76 1. 68 3. 45 3. 97	Secft. 37.7 3,040 5,350 6,380 7,230 1,260 549 2,000 2,610	June 30	Feet 5. 63 6. 48 4. 92 5. 77 6. 78 2. 50 5. 05 4. 82 4. 24	Secft. 5, 150 6, 750 3, 960 5, 430 7, 390 1, 140 4, 150 3, 840 3, 030	Aug. 22	Feet 3. 11 2. 73 3. 62 2. 16 1. 70 2. 53 1. 12	Secft. 1,710 1,390 2,230 844 582 1,170 290

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Moran, Wyo., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12345	46 46 44 44 44	33 33 33 33 33	24 22 22 22 22 22				22	82 87 98 82 52	7, 270 5, 930 3, 460 2, 300 535	5, 740 6, 810 7, 680 8, 310 8, 310	3, 310 3, 310 4, 060 4, 090 3, 810	2, 180 1, 970 1, 450 1, 310 1, 190
6	44 44 44 46 46	33 33 33 33 33	22 22 22 20 20				24 24 24 24 24 26	49 45 45 40 38	766 1, 660 2, 600 2, 350 1, 740	7,500 5,520 4,070 4,100 4,070	3, 530 3, 470 3, 340 3, 680 3, 650	909 921 829 651 581
11	44 44 44 44 44	33 33 33 33 33	20 20 20 20 20 20		21		26 26 26 29 29	38 35 35 35 35 35	1, 900 1, 670 527 563 565	4, 050 4, 070 4, 520 4, 950 5, 300	3, 780 3, 380 2, 910 2, 540 2, 210	579 596 677 968 894
16	43 43 43 41 41	33 33 33 33 30	19 19 19 19	20		22	32 35 35 38 38 38	36 35 35 35 35	564 539 894 2,000 1,970	5, 990 7, 490 8, 150 8, 720 8, 080	2, 140 2, 230 3, 110 2, 990 2, 920	707 716 711 761 978
212223	38 38 33 33 33	30 30 30 30 30	19 19				45 49 49 52 52	35 35 35 35 1,870	2, 080 2, 590 3, 000 4, 540 5, 250	7, 340 7, 130 6, 980 5, 630 3, 010	1,840 1,670 1,340 1,320 1,390	1, 170 1, 170 1, 100 1, 030 966
26	33 33 33 33 33 33	30 30 25 25 24	19				56 64 69 73 78	3, 570 4, 370 4, 670 5, 600 6, 680 7, 200	4, 840 4, 080 3, 660 3, 800 5, 160	1, 750 1, 140 1, 140 1, 290 2, 050 2, 830	2, 160 2, 350 2, 400 2, 690 2, 570 2, 310	913 862 823 644 304

Note.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 23 to Apr. 4; gates in dam at Jackson Lake remained closed and daily discharge was estimated.

Monthly discharge of Snake River near Moran, Wyo., for the year ending September, 30, 1924

	Discha	rge in second	I-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December December January February March April May June July August	33 24 78 7, 200 7, 270 8, 720 4, 090	22 35 527 1, 140 1, 320	40. 4 31. 4 20. 1 20. 0 21. 0 22. 0 37. 8 1, 130 2, 630 5, 280 2, 790	2, 480 1, 870 1, 240 1, 230 1, 210 1, 350 2, 250 69, 500 156, 000 325, 000 172, 000
September The year	2, 180	19	952	56, 600- 791, 000-

#### SNAKE RIVER NEAR HEISE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 5, T. 3 N., R. 41 E., 600 feet above Anderson Dam, Bonneville County, 3 miles above Heise, Jefferson County, and 25 miles below site of station formerly maintained near Lyon. Several small creeks enter between old site and present station.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—September 25, 1910, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank; installed September 30, 1922; inspected by Ira Moore.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 150 feet above gage.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of rock ledge, coarse gravel, and cobblestones. One channel at all stages. Control formed by Anderson Dam, parts of which washed out during high-water period of 1917 and 1918 and has recently been in the process of repair.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during periods October to December 5 and April 3 to September 30, 5.47 feet at 8 a. m May 18 (discharge, 15,400 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.99 foot at 12.30 p. m. April 3 (discharge, 2,120 second-feet).

1910-1924: Maximum discharge, about 52,000 second-feet June 16, 1918; minimum discharge, 2,120 second-feet April 3, 1924.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice. Observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—No large diversions above station. A small ditch having a capacity of about 25 second-feet diverts just above station.

REGULATION.—Flow controlled to a large extent by storage in Jackson Lake-Reservoir.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve fairly well defined. Several parallel curves used. Changing conditions attributable to construction work at Anderson Dam. Water-stage recorder operated satisfactorily. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Snake River near Heise, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 6	Feet 1. 29 1. 40 1. 24 1. 00 2. 72 3. 77	Secft. 3, 990 2, 980 2, 520 2, 130 5, 880 8, 810	May 14 June 12 June 26 July 9 July 30 Aug. 4	Feet 4, 90 3, 65 4, 58 3, 95 2, 26 3, 22	Secft. 13,000 8,700 12,100 9,870 4,610 7,000	Aug. 7. Aug. 12. Aug. 18. Sept. 2. Sept. 13. Sept. 29.	Feet 3. 09 3. 25 2. 81 3. 05 2, 23 2. 31	Secft. 6, 680 6, 700 4, 960 4, 770 3, 380 3, 320

## Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Heise, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	3, 810 3, 790 3, 660 3, 610 3, 700	2, 660 2, 670 2, 840 2, 910 2, 930	2,840 2,690 2,590 2,620 2,520	2, 190 2, 340 2, 390	6, 830 7, 560 8, 610 9, 470 10, 400	14, 300 14, 100 13, 700 12, 000 12, 400	10, 800 11, 000 12, 000 12, 400 13, 100	5, 740 6, 160 6, 360 6, 980 7, 280	4, 910 4, 780 4, 580 4, 120 3, 850
6	3,790	2,780 2,880		2, 430 2, 670 3, 120 3, 530 3, 680	9, 400 7, 960 7, 620 8, 630 8, 610	11, 200 10, 900 11, 000 10, 700 9, 920	13, 300 13, 000 11, 400 9, 740 9, 200	6, 980 6, 740 6, 740 6, 680 6, 740	3, 900 3, 550 3, 440 3, 480 3, 510
11	3, 420	3, 140 3, 070		4, 240	9, 400 10, 600 11, 800 13, 000 13, 500	9,000 8,770 9,540 9,130 10,100	8, 940 8, 770 8, 700 8, 800 9, 130	6, 680 6, 770 6, 540 5, 960 5, 600	3, 460 3, 400 3, 380 3, 340 3, 440
16	3, 240 3, 220 3, 220 3, 120 3, 070	2, 900 2, 780		4, 210 3, 880	13, 900 14, 600 15, 000 14, 800 14, 300	10, 700 10, 400 9, 920 9, 680 9, 740	9, 200 9, 470 10, 800 11, 300 12, 000	5, 240 5, 010 4, 960 5, 620 5, 960	3, 590 3, 400 3, 420 3, 440 3, 530
21	3, 030 3, 010 3, 050 3, 050 3, 010	2,900 2,860		6, 920 7, 810	14,000 13,800 13,600 12,300 11,600	9, 070 8, 610 8, 970 9, 680 11, 200	12,000 11,000 10,600 10,400 9,680	5, 990 4, 910 4, 520 4, 170 3, 920	3, 530 3, 680 3, 790 3, 740 3, 680
26		2, 860 2, 750 2, 710 2, 820		5, 510 5, 430	13, 000 14, 900 14, 500 14, 100 14, 000 14, 200	11, 800 11, 800 11, 200 10, 400 10, 000	7, 130 5, 900 5, 060 4, 720 4, 650 4, 910	3, 850 4, 190 4, 850 4, 910 5, 110 5, 140	3, 6 <b>10</b> 3, 570 3, 440 3, 340 3, 280

NOTE.-No record obtained Dec. 6 to Apr. 2.

# Monthly discharge of Snake River near Heise, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	irge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December 1-5 April 3-30 May June July August September	2, 840 7, 810 15, 000 14, 300 13, 300	2, 690 2, 660 2, 520 2, 190 6, 830 8, 610 4, 650 3, 850 3, 280	3, 310 2, 890 2, 650 4, 560 11, 800 10, 700 9, 650 5, 690 3, 670	204, 000 172, 000 26, 300 253, 000 726, 000 637, 000 593, 000 350, 000 218, 000

#### GREAT FEEDER CANAL NEAR RIRIE, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 36, T. 4 N., R. 40 E., 700 feet below head of canal, 4 miles east of Ririe, and 14 miles southeast of Rigby, Jefferson County. Diversion gates of canal 2 miles below Heise gaging station.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 31, 1923, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank; inspected by Ira Moore.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 500 feet below gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of cobbles and gravel drift. Banks

fairly clean. One channel for all stages. Control fairly permanent. Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage recorded during periods October 1 to December 8 and May 3 to September 30, 7.1 feet May 17-18 (discharge, 3,930 second-feet); minimum discharge probably occurred during period of no record.

1923-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 7.10 feet May 17-18, 1924 (discharge, 3,930 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.67 feet on September 25, 1923 (discharge, 591 second-feet).

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice. Observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—None above nor below gage of sufficient importance to affect stage-discharge relation.

REGULATION.—Flow is regulated by canal head gates.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not entirely permanent. Standard rating curve and one parallel curve used. Shifting-control method employed for short period. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for short period. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table except as shown in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Great Feeder Canal near Ririe, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	-Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 14 Dec. 5 May 3	Feet 3. 41 2. 98 5. 52	Secft. 988 744 2, 570	June 18 July 8 July 31	Feet 5. 91 5. 88 5. 15	Secft. 2, 870 2, 810 2, 140	Aug. 9 Sept. 4	Feet 5. 22 4. 71	Secft. 2, 280 1, 860

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Great Feeder Canal near Ririe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1, 830 1, 800 1, 800 1, 800 1, 830 1, 870 1, 850 1, 860 1, 850	1,030 1,030 1,030 1,030 1,030 1,030 1,020 1,020 1,010 1,010	720 745 750	2,530 2,600	2, 630 2, 930 3, 230 3, 070 3, 110 2, 900 2, 850 2, 850 2, 810	2, 590 2, 430 2, 850 3, 130 3, 010 3, 010 2, 980 2, 800 2, 810	2, 490 2, 620 2, 530 2, 530 2, 510 2, 350 2, 300 2, 280 2, 250	2, 070 1, 970 1, 930 1, 840 1, 790 1, 790 1, 720 1, 680 1, 670
11	1, 850 1, 840	1,010		3, 040	2,710 2,700	2, 980	2, 360 2, 540	1,660
12	1,810 1,800 1,800 1,780	999 993 987 993			2,750 2,850 2,680 2,630	2, 890 2, 890 2, 890 2, 940	2,730 2,640 2,440 2,360	1,620 1,590 1,620 1,690

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Great Feeder Canal near Ririe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
6	1,770	987			2, 720	2, 960	2, 240	1, 750
7		981		3,860	2,940	3, 010	2, 170	1, 780
8		981		3,800	2,950	3,080	2, 130	1,840
9		975		3,750	2,840	2,900	2, 320	1,930
0	1,750	975		3,640	2,900	2,790	2,410	1,980
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1		987		3, 540	2,830	2,670	2, 420	1,940
2	1,740	993		3, 520	2,720	2, 560	2,080	1,840
3		993		3,460	2,770	2,600	1,800	1,860
¥		993		3, 380	2,880	2,710	1,730	1,820
85	1,740	969		3, 370	3,010	2, 610	1,680	1,820
					0.000			
<u>6</u>	1,720	969		3, 490	2,930	2, 460	1,660	1,810
7		969		3, 390	2, 980	2, 420	1,770	1,810
8		905		2, 860	2, 920	2, 200	1,980	1,800
9		708		2,630	2,810	2, 130	2,030	1,780
0		703		2, 630	2,730	2, 130	2, 140	1,750
1	1,030			2,620		2, 220	2, 190	

NOTE.—No record obtained Dec. 9 to May 2. No gage-height record May 5-9 and 11-16; not sufficient data available to warrant interpolation of discharge. Discharge estimated Dec. 1-4 and 6-8 on account of ice. Staff reading only, May 10.

Monthly discharge of Great Feeder Canal near Ririe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

25-4	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December 1-8 May 17-31 June July August September	1,870 1,030 3,860 3,230 3,130 2,730 2,070	1, 030 703 2, 620 2, 630 2, 130 1, 660 1, 590	1, 750 976 734 3, 330 2, 850 2, 730 2, 250 1, 790	108, 000 58, 100 11, 600 99, 100 170, 000 168, 000 133, 000 107, 000

#### SNAKE RIVER AT LORENZO, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 33, T. 5 N., R. 39 E., 500 feet above bridge of Yellowstone branch of the Oregon Short Line Railroad and one-fourth mile north of Lorenzo, Jefferson County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 17, 1924, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank; installed April 17, 1924; inspected by Anderson and Sauer.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Main channel from cable 1,000 feet below gage; secondary channel from railroad bridge or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel drift and sand. One channel at gage; two channels below bridge. Control not permanent and subject to shift during high-water period.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, April 17 to September 30, 4.40 feet at 7 a. m. June 1 (discharge, 9,570 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.04 foot from 1 to 6 p. m. September 21 (discharge, 310 second-feet).

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice. No observations made during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Numerous canal diversions above and below station.

REGULATION.—Flow controlled to a large extent by storage in Jackson Lake Reservoir.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge obtained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Snake River at Lorenzo, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 29 May 2 May 5 May 15 May 20 May 27	Feet 2.80 2.72 3.48 3.60 3.89 4.20	Secft. 4, 580 4, 480 6, 620 6, 730 7, 630 8, 800	June 15 June 19 June 23 July 3 July 3 July 17 July 27	Feet 3. 10 2. 91 2. 46 3. 76 2. 59 1. 56	Secft. 5, 130 4, 580 3, 680 7, 140 3, 880 1, 860	July 28	Feet 1, 27 1, 49 .75 .39 .26 .05	Secft. 1, 440 1, 750 822 520 428 316

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Lorenzo, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day A	r. May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	3, 840 4, 230 4, 780 5, 430 6, 270	9, 050 8, 780 7, 290	5, 630 6, 080 6, 910 7, 010 8, 140	1, 160 1, 320 1, 450 1, 800 2, 120	830 850 860 780 698	16 17 18 19 20	2, 120 2, 170 2, 380 2, 360	6, 680 7, 290 7, 990 8, 070 7, 560	5, 490 5, 230 4, 720 4, 520 4, 440	3, 820 3, 940 5, 150 5, 870 6, 720	1,110 969 903 1,000 1,120	425 384 356 320 315
6 7 8 9	5, 810 4, 320 3, 480 2, 940 3, 170	6, 240 5, 810 5, 810 5, 550	8, 330 8, 400 7, 010 5, 210 4, 200	2,050 1,890 1,780 1,690 1,690	689 640 570 540 511	21 22 23 24 25	2, 520 3, 100 4, 400 4, 960 4, 600	7, 460 7, 460 7, 390 6, 490 5, 660	3, 960 3, 510 3, 570 3, 840 4, 800	7, 150 6, 360 5, 900 5, 430 5, 210	1, 120 969 914 870 790	320 395 431 462 455
11 12 13 14 15	3, 640 4, 270 4, 990 5, 870 6, 390	4, 370 3, 910 4, 420 4, 270	3, 870 3, 660 3, 620 3, 590 3, 840	1,680 1,600 1,640 1,460 1,310	497 476 455 437 419	26 27 28, 29 30	3, 570 3, 120 4, 180 4, 520 4, 830	6, 390 8, 820 9, 290 9, 250 9, 130 9, 170	5, 660 5, 960 5, 900 5, 490 5, 040	3, 000 1, 890 1, 430 1, 170 947 936	743 734 870 881 850 860	443 437 431 413 395

NOTE.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to Apr. 16.

Monthly discharge of Snake River at Lorenzo, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 17-30. May June July August September The period.	9, 290 9, 410 8, 400 2, 120	2, 120 2, 940 3, 510 936 734 315	3, 490 6, 240 5, 490 4, 850 1, 270 508	96, 900 384, 000 327, 000 298, 000 78, 100 30, 200

## DIVERSIONS FROM SNAKE RIVER BETWEEN HEISE AND SHELLEY GAGING STATIONS, IDAHO

Between Heise and Shelley gaging stations 50 separate canals divert water from Snake River for irrigation. More than one-third of these head in the Great Feeder, an old channel of the river, which has been equipped with head gates. Gaging stations are maintained at heading of each canal by the United States Geological Survey for the Idaho State Department of Reclamation to facilitate

distribution of the water. Records are available from June 1, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

Stage-discharge relation on most of the canals affected by growth of aquatic plants or by operation of check gates. Rating curves well defined. Gages read to hundredths daily May 19 to September 30. Records good.

Combined daily discharge, in second-feet, of canals diverting from Snake River between Heise and Shelley gaging stations for the irrigation season of 1924

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5		5, 120 5, 060 4, 590 5, 150 5, 630	4, 640 4, 550 4, 950 4, 650 5, 500	5, 650 5, 830 5, 740 6, 000 6, 170	5, 010 4, 700 4, 520 4, 320 4, 240	16	9, 260 8, 840	5, 640 6, 010 6, 100 6, 300 6, 690	6, 720 6, 970 7, 150 7, 060 6, 980	5, 730 5, 590 5, 580 5, 870 6, 120	3, 960 3, 940 3, 920 3, 910 3, 760
6 7		6, 300 6, 550 6, 520 6, 530 6, 620	6,500 6,940 7,330 7,310 7,360	5, 940 5, 910 5, 860 5, 810 6, 120	4, 230 4, 040 4, 000 4, 070 4, 040	21 22 23 24 25	8, 750 8, 420 8, 100 7, 880 7, 750	6, 270 6, 000 6, 100 6, 340 6, 820	6,800 6,340 6,290 6,410 6,430	6, 170 5, 310 4, 760 4, 600 4, 400	3, 610 3, 760 3, 690 3, 570 3, 460
11		5, 990 5, 740 6, 000 5, 460 5, 520	6, 860 6, 680 6, 690 6, 450 6, 550	6. 350 6, 420 6, 030 5, 820 5, 800	4,000 3,830 3,740 3,710 3,850	26	7, 360 6, 830 6, 310 5, 880 5, 330 5, 120	6, 710 6, 110 4, 800 4, 510 4, 840	6, 430 6, 060 5, 340 5, 000 5, 220 5, 280	4, 280 4, 470 5, 170 5, 170 5, 330 5, 300	3, 460 3, 380 3, 440 3, 510 3, 500

NOTE.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 18; 38 diversions are above entrance of Henrys Fork and 12 are below.

Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Snake River between Heise and Shelley gaging stations for the irrigation season of 1924

	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 19-31 June July	9, 260 6, 820 7, 360	5, 120 4, 510 4, 550	7, 370 5, 870 6, 240	190, 000 349, 000 384, 000
AugustSeptember	6, 420 5, 010	4, 280 3, 380	5, 590 3, 910	344, 000 233, 000
The period				1, 500, 000

NOTE.—Riley Canal does not divert in this section and is not included in summary.

## SNAKE RIVER NEAR SHELLEY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 17, T. 1 N., R. 37 E., a quarter of a mile above Woodville highway bridge and 3 miles north of Shelley, Bingham County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 18, 1915, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by C. A. McCurdy. Discharge measurements.—Made from cable 600 feet above gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Control formed by lava-rock reef extending across channel 500 feet below gage. Banks high and clean at gage and control.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, October 1-19 and April 1 to September 30, 8.40 feet at 4 p. m. June 2 (discharge, 11,000 second-feet); minimum stage, 3.61 feet at 1.30 p. m. September 19 (discharge, 666 second-feet).

1915–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 16.97 feet at 1.30 p. m. June 17, 1918 (discharge, 47,200 second-feet); minimum stage, 3.61 feet at 1.30 p. m. September 19, 1924 (discharge, 666 second-feet).

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation probably seriously affected by ice; observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Practically the entire normal summer flow of the river above station is appropriated by numerous diversions in the Idaho Falls district.

REGULATION.—Normal flow during the irrigation season is augmented by release of stored flood waters in Jackson Lake for use on the Minidoka project and Twin Falls tracts.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent. Rating curves fairly well defined. Operation of recorders satisfactory except April 13-17, April 25 to May 2, May 4-6, and 10. Daily discharge obtained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height from recorder graph, except for estimated periods, April 13-17, April 25 to May 2, and May 4-6, and interpolated discharge May 10. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Snake River near Shelley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 1	Feet 5. 26 5. 22 6. 60 8. 27 7. 55	Secft. 2, 150 2, 070 5, 030 11, 000 8, 030	July 16	Feet 6. 10 6. 94 4. 95 4. 12	Secft 3, 610 5, 830 1, 820 995	Aug. 14 Aug. 27 Sept. 11 Sept. 18	Feet 5. 12 4. 70 4. 37 3. 78	Secft. 1,870 1,540 1,180 774

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Shelley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	2, 220 2, 200	2, 140 2, 140 2, 060 2, 010	5, 750 5, 850 6, 140	10, 300 10, 700 10, 700 9, 400 8, 180	6, 230 7, 180 7, 510 8, 350	702 966 1, 360 1, 620 1, 880	1, 340 1, 410 1, 560 1, 660
5	2, 700 3, 310 3, 380 3, 480	2, 090 2, 120 2, 090 2, 220 2, 510	7,500 6,380 5,030 3,930	7, 680 6, 380 6, 080 6, 080 5, 620	8, 700 8, 520 8, 350 7, 680 6, 380	2, 100 2, 280 2, 160 2, 240	1, 460 1, 530 1, 620 1, 670 1, 540
10	3, 500 3, 620 3, 740 3, 740 3, 740	3, 400 3, 460	3, 700 3, 460 3, 690 4, 060 4, 740	5, 180 4, 740 4, 460 4, 740	4, 740 3, 930 3, 930 3, 690 3, 690	2, 120 2, 020 1, 960 1, 890 1, 910	1, 340 1, 230 1, 230 1, 190 1, 110
15		3, 690 3, 580 3, 460	5, 470 5, 770 6, 080 6, 700 7, 180 7, 020	5, 770 5, 920 5, 620 5, 180 4, 740	3, 810 3, 690 3, 580 3, 810 4, 740 5, 770	1, 770 1, 540 1, 190 1, 070 1, 080 1, 280	994 910 840 744 666 732
21		3, 420 3, 690 4, 460 6, 080	6, 860 6, 860 7, 020 7, 020 6, 080	4, 600 4, 320 4, 060 4, 060 4, 460	6, 860 6, 860 6, 540 6, 080 6, 080	1, 480 1, 420 1, 470 1, 630 1, 610	987 1, 180 1, 370 1, 570 1, 630
26		6, 000	5, 620 7, 510 9, 040 9, 580 9, 940 10, 300	5, 470 6, 230 7, 020 7, 180 6, 540	5, 180 2, 920 1, 970 1, 700 1, 100 774	1, 570 1, 460 1, 340 1, 260 1, 200 1, 160	1,790 1,770 1,630 1,520 1,390

Monthly discharge of Snake River near Shelley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 1–19	4, 120 10, 300 10, 700 8, 700 2, 280 1, 790	2, 200 2, 010 3, 460 4, 060 774 702 666	3, 280 3, 820 6, 430 6, 210 5, 170 1, 570 1, 320	124, 000 227, 000 395, 000 370, 000 318, 000 96, 500 78, 600

NOTE.-No record Oct. 20 to Mar. 31.

# DIVERSIONS FROM SNAKE RIVER BETWEEN SHELLEY AND BLACKFOOT BRIDGE GAGING STATIONS. IDAHO

Between Shelley and Blackfoot Bridge gaging stations, 14 separate canals divert water from Snake River for irrigation. Gaging stations are maintained at heading of each canal by the United States Geological Survey for the Idaho State Department of Reclamation to facilitate distribution of the water. Records are available from May 19 to September 30, 1924, division of record made from Shelly to Porterville Bridge station the latter being discontinued at end of 1923 irrigation season.

Stage-discharge relation on most of the canals affected by growth of aquatic plants or by operation of check gates. Rating curves well defined. Gages read to hundredths daily May 19 to September 30. Records good.

Combined daily discharge, in second-feet, of canals diverting from Snake River between Shelley and Blackfoot Bridge gaging stations for the irrigation season of 1924

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Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		2, 380 1, 600 1, 200 1, 180 1, 170 1, 970 2, 270 2, 280	2, 390 2, 640 2, 640 2, 210 1, 890 1, 890 2, 050 2, 790	621 561 977 1,310 1,460 1,770 1,570 1,470	1,040 1,160 1,170 1,290 1,220 1,190 1,250 1,300	16	3,520 3,460 3,500 3,410 3,290	2,820 2,810 2,240 1,940 1,880 1,940 1,850 1,410	1, 940 1, 940 2, 110 2, 350 2, 330 2, 330 2, 320 2, 110	1, 330 917 669 708 894 1, 080 1, 220 1, 060	748 682 499 566 560 691 838 1,010
9		2,690 2,910	2, 970 2, 750	1,480 1,410	1, 250 1, 120	24 25	3, 260 3, 130	1,030 1,680	2,010 2,020	1,220 1,340	1,300 1,290
11		2, 920 2, 780 2, 650 2, 730 2, 310	2, 420 2, 380 2, 070 2, 050 2, 030	1,380 1,590 1,660 1,460 1,460	956 910 938 855 810	26	3, 080 3, 240 3, 250 3, 270 3, 160 2, 820	2, 280 2, 420 2, 360 2, 280 2, 270	1,820 1,340 980 695 697 755	1,360 1,220 1,060 977 911 963	1, 380 1, 330 1, 120 1, 030 970

Note.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 18.

Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Snake River between Shelley and Blackfoot Bridge gaging stations for the irrigation season of 1924

$\mathbf{Month}$	Discha	Discharge in second-feet					
	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet			
May 19-31 June July August September The period	3, 520 2, 920 2, 970 1, 770 1, 380	2, 820 1, 030 695 561 499	3, 260 2, 140 2, 030 1, 200 1, 020	84, 100 127, 000 125, 000 73, 800 60, 700 471, 000			

# SNAKE RIVER (NOS. 1 AND 2 CHANNELS) BELOW BLACKFOOT BRIDGE, NEAR BLACKFOOT, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NW. ¼ T. 3 S., R. 35 E., one-half mile below Blackfoot highway bridge and 2 miles west of Blackfoot, Bingham County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 24 to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank of No. 2 channel one-fourth mile below head of island where No. 1 channel comes out of river; inspected by D. G. Taylor.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cables (No. 1 channel one-fourth mile above gage; No. 2 channel 50 feet below gage) or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of cobble in gravel drift. Control subject to occasional shifts. Banks low and subject to overflow at high stages. Two channels at gage, except at low stages, when No. 1 channel is dry.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 5.15 feet at 11 p. m. June 2 (discharge, 7,800 second-feet); minimum stage, dry on numerous days in summer.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation probably seriously affected by ice; observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Practically the entire normal summer flow of river above station is appropriated by numerous diversions in the Idaho Falls district. One small canal diverts between this station and the station at Clough ranch.

REGULATION.—Normal flow during irrigation season is augmented by the release of stored flood waters in Jackson Lake for use on Minidoka and Twin Falls tracts.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation fairly permanent. Rating curve well-defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except July 31 to September 30, when stage was too low to record; May 2, 8, and 9, when clock stopped; and June 13, when inlet pipe did not function. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined from inspecting recorder graph or as noted in footnote to table or daily discharge. Records good, except for August and September for which they are fair.

At this point Snake River is divided into three channels, which are listed from east to west as Nos. 1, 2, and 3. One gage serves for Nos. 1 and 2 channels and one gage for No. 3 channel.

Discharge measurements of Snake River (Nos. 1 and 2 channels) below Blackfoot Bridge, near Blackfoot, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 7	Feet 4. 29 1. 85 2. 13 2. 75 3. 40 4. 42	Secft. 5, 270 1, 170 1, 470 2, 200 3, 100 5, 540	June 3 June 10	Feet 5. 08 2. 89 2. 23 3. 73 3. 72 1. 89	Secft. 7,620 2,340 1,500 3,710 3,750 1,280	July 14 July 28 July 31 Do	Feet 1.96 1.35 .3536	Secft. 1, 230 683 135 8

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River (Nos. 1 and 2 channels) below Blackfoot Bridge, near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5		3, 630 3, 800 3, 970 4, 640 5, 260	6,600 7,220 7,580 7,060 5,840	3, 090 3, 450 3, 800 4, 780 5, 430	6 0 0 0	3 4 3 5 6	16 17 18 19 20		2, 110 2, 140 2, 580 3, 080 3, 210	2, 210 2, 590 2, 700 2, 720 2, 410	1, 400 1, 380 1, 190 1, 700 2, 500	6 6 7 15 15	1 0 0 0 1
6 7 8 9 10		5, 840 4, 920 3, 680 2, 440 1, 200	5, 230 3, 630 3, 320 2, 950 2, 410	5, 520 5, 320 4, 610 3, 240 2, 050	0 5 24 70 75	6 5 6 5 4	21	4, 110 4, 810	2, 920 2, 920 3, 080 3, 240 2, 770	2, 240 2, 150 2, 210 2, 450 2, 190	3, 470 3, 830 3, 610 3, 410 3, 270	7 3 2 6 2	3 6 8 10 8
11 12 13 14 15		972 1, 060 1, 180 1, 450 1, 830	2,050 1,800 1,580 1,630 2,010	1, 270 1, 270 1, 340 1, 260 1, 400	70 55 20 5 6	3 5 6 5 3	26 27 28 29 30	4, 980 4, 400 3, 570 3, 610 3, 630	2, 200 2, 760 4, 720 5, 400 5, 750 6, 230	2, 340 3, 030 3, 670 4, 040 3, 510	3, 160 1, 740 838 622 375 80	1 0 0 0 0	8 11 12 12 11

Note.—No record Oct. 1 to Apr. 23. No gage-height record May 2, 8, and 9; discharge interpolated. Estimated June 13, on account of inaccurate gage height. Estimated July 31 to Sept. 30 on basis of observer's daily estimates checked by occasional estimates by engineers.

Monthly discharge of Snake River at (Nos. 1 and 2 channels) below Blackfoot Bridge, near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Month	I	Discharge in second-feet					
8	Month	Maxir	num	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet		
May June July August			1, 980 3, 230 7, 580 5, 520 75	3, 570 972 1, 580 80 0	4, 160 3, 260 3, 380 2, 590 13, 1 5, 33	57, 800 200, 000 201, 000 159, 000 806 317		
-	od					619, 000		

#### SNAKE RIVER (NO. 3 CHANNEL) BELOW BLACKFOOT BRIDGE, NEAR BLACKFOOT, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NW. 1/4 T. 3 S., R. 35 E., 2 miles below Blackfoot highway bridge and 31/2 miles southwest of Blackfoot, Bingham County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 3 to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez recorder on right bank; inspected by D. G. Taylor.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 40 feet below gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of coarse gravel over cobbles. Banks not subject to overflow except at extremely high stages. One channel at gage, several overflow channels cross island between Nos. 2 and 3 channels at high stages.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 3.81 feet at 1 a. m. June 3 (discharge, 1,390 second-feet); minimum stage, dry on several days during August and September.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation probably seriously affected by ice; observations discontinued during winter.

Diversions.—Practically the entire normal summer flow of river above station is appropriated by numerous diversions in the Idaho Falls district. One small canal diverts between this station and the station at Clough ranch.

REGULATION.—Normal flow during irrigation season is augmented by the release of stored flood waters in Jackson Lake for use on the Minidoka and Twin Falls tracts.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation fairly permanent. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph, by interpolation, or as noted in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records good.

At this point Snake River is divided into three channels, which are listed from east to west as Nos. 1, 2, and 3. One gage serves for Nos. 1 and 2 channels and one gage for No. 3 channel.

Discharge measurements of Snake River (No. 3 channel) below Blackfoot Bridge, near Blackfoot, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 7 May 10 May 14 May 23	Feet 2. 89 2. 00 1. 74 2. 39	Secft. 604 97. 7 28. 4 257	May 30	Feet 3. 23 3. 74 1. 94 2. 19	Secft. 905 1, 310 79. 8 177	July 19 Aug. 9 Sept. 14 Sept. 30	Feet 2, 02 2, 45 1, 82 2, 38	Secft. 108 308 51, 2 255

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River (No. 3 channel) below Blackfoot Bridge, near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4	474 572	1,040 1,210 1,330 1,190 874	280 339 404 612	2 0 1 6	6 23 5 25	16 17 18 19	80 84 116 191	138 186 208 217 182	77 77 71 99	40 74 84 96 157	6 0 0 6 10
6 7 8 9	754 865 662 326 208 90	746 384 314 253 182	772 780 720 572 303 142	17 96 280 268 291	52 77 18 63 63 23	20	227 177 182 232 285 208	157 142 146 169 150	345 424 877 845 314	25 13 0 34 17	17 47 113 154 77
11 12 13 14 15	74 29 14 27 58	146 113 71 74 116	74 63 65 65 74	268 157 40 34 106	6 50 74 52 17	262728293031	138 208 588 738 831 950	154 253 371 438 358	297 116 40 21 14 18	1 0 0 0 1 10	138 182 253 258 237

Note.—No record Oct. 1 to May 2. No gage-height record, May 9; discharge interpolated. Channel dry all or part of Aug. 1-3, 23-24, 28-29, and Sept. 17-19; mean of hourly discharge used.

Monthly discharge of Snake River (No. 3 channel) below Blackfoot Bridge, near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

25	Discha	rge in secon	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 3-31 June July August September	950 1, 330 780 291 258	14 71 14 0 0	324 377 261 68. 4 68. 4	18, 600 22, 400 16, 000 4, 210 4, 070
The period				65, 300

Combined daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River (Nos. 1, 2, and 3 channels) below Blackfoot Bridge, near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	4, 440 5, 210 6, 010	7, 640 8, 430 8, 910 8, 250 6, 710	3, 370 3, 790 4, 200 5, 390 6, 200	8 0 1 6	9 27 8 30 58	16	2, 190 2, 220 2, 700 3, 270 3, 440	2, 350 2, 780 2, 910 2, 940 2, 590	1, 480 1, 460 1, 260 1, 800 2, 680	46 80 91 111 172	7 0 0 6 11
6	6, 700 5, 580 4, 010 2, 650 1, 290	5, 980 4, 010 3, 630 3, 200 2, 590	6, 300 6, 040 5, 180 3, 540 2, 190	17 101 304 338 366	83 23 69 68 27	21 22 23 24 : 25	3, 100 3, 100 3, 310 3, 520 2, 980	2, 400 2, 290 2, 360 2, 620 2, 340	3, 820 4, 250 3, 990 3, 760 3, 580	32 16 2 40 19	20 53 121 164 85
11	1, 050 1, 090 1, 190 1, 480 1, 890	2, 200 1, 910 1, 650 1, 700 2, 130	1, 340 1, 330 1, 400 1, 320 1, 470	338 212 60 39 112	9 55 80 57 20	26	2, 340 2, 970 5, 310 6, 140 6, 580 7, 180	2, 490 3, 280 4, 040 4, 480 3, 870	3, 460 1, 860 878 643 389 98	2 0 0 0 1 11	146 193 265 270 248

Combined monthly discharge of Snake River (Nos. 1, 2, and 3 channels) below Blackfoot Bridge, near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

26.40	Discha	Discharge in second-feet				
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Run-off in acre-feet		
May 3-31	7, 180 8, 910	1, 050 1, 650	3, 550 3, 760	204, 000 224, 000		
July	6, 300 366 270	98 0 0	2,850 81.5 73.7	175,000 5,010 4,390		
The period				• 612,000		

# DIVERSION FROM SNAKE RIVER BETWEEN BLACKFOOT BRIDGE AND CLOUGH GAGING STATION, IDAHO

Between Blackfoot Bridge and Clough gaging station, one small canal (Smith Maxwell Canal) diverts water from Snake River for irrigation. A gaging station is maintained at heading of canal by the United States Geological Survey for the Idaho State Department of Reclamation to facilitate distribution of the water. Records are available from May 1 to September 30, 1924.

Stage-discharge relation affected by growth of aquatic plants. Rating curve fairly well defined. Gage read to hundredths daily May 24 to September 30. Discharge estimated May 1-23. Records fair.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of one canal diverting from Snake River between Blackfoot Bridge and Clough gaging station for the irrigation season of 1924

Day	Мау	June	July	Day	Мау	June	July	Day	Мау	June	July
1	12	18 18 18 18 15 18 14 12 14	18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 18 14	11	12	7 0 7 6 7 10 20 20 20 18 18	2 1 2 1 1 2 2 1 0 0	21	15 14 10 10 10 18 18 24 18	18 18 17 18 18 18 16 18 18,	0 0 18 18 18 18 10 1 0 0

Monthly discharge of one canal	diverting from	Snake River between	n Blackfoot Bridge
and Clough gaging	station for the	irrigation season of	1924

Month	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
S	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May	24 20	10	13. 0 14. 8	799 881
June July August	18	0	8.55	526
September	ŏ	ŏ	ŏ	Ŏ
The period	1	1		2, 210

#### SNAKE RIVER AT CLOUGH RANCH, NEAR BLACKFOOT, IDAHO 3

Location.—In sec. 31, T. 3 S., R. 34 E., a quarter of a mile below mouth of Blackfoot River and 14 miles southwest of Blackfoot, Bingham County. Blackfoot River is the only large tributary between station and mouth of Henrys Fork, 60 miles above. Portneuf and Bannock Rivers and 2,500 second-feet of spring water enter between this station and station at Neeley. Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 6, 1910, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank; installed July 6, 1913; inspected by J. A. Clough.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 50 feet above gage or by wading. CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of very coarse gravel. Two channels at low and medium stages. Control shifts slightly during high water.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 6.76 feet at 8 a. m. June 3 (discharge, 9,330 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.48 feet September 1-2 (discharge, 131 second-feet).

1910-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 14.8 feet (approximately) at 5 p. m. June 18, 1918 (discharge, about 46,200 second-feet); exact discharge uncertain because of probable shift in stage-discharge relation at about this time. Minimum stage, 1.93 feet at 6 p. m. August 25, 1919 (discharge, 118 second-feet).

ICE.—Floating ice sometimes present for short periods; stage-discharge relation apparently not affected.

Diversions.—Practically entire normal summer flow of river is diverted above station.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by storage in Jackson Lake Reservoir and in Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir on Blackfoot River. Practically entire summer flow is released water from these reservoirs.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed during winter. Standard rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except during periods of coldest weather, when occasional staff gage readings were used. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table, except as noted in footnote to daily-discharge table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Snake River at Clough ranch, near Blackfoot, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 5	Feet 3. 83 4. 10 4. 98 3. 75 6. 65 4. 89	Secft. 2, 230 2, 500 4, 430 2, 210 8, 960 4, 130	July 7	Feet 5. 63 5. 45 3. 15 4. 70 2. 38 1. 68	Secft. 5, 840 5, 410 1, 360 3, 810 586 181	Aug. 4	Feet 1.59 1.94 1.62 1.49	Secft. 134 281 173 141

Formerly known as "Snake River near Blackfoot."

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Clough ranch, near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12 34	1, 680 2, 040 2, 080 2, 140 2, 280	3, 740 3, 740 3, 740 3, 840 3, 840	3, 310 3, 160 3, 000 3, 150 3, 310	2, 300 2, 140	2, 900 3, 010 2, 970 3, 020 3, 010	2, 990 2, 920 2, 990 3, 100 3, 020	1, 940 1, 920 1, 920 2, 020 1, 920	4, 410 4, 520 4, 520 5, 060 5, 910	7, 490 8, 120 9, 120 8, 450 6, 590	3, 520 3, 520 4, 000 4, 840 5, 780	171 143 146 143 143	134 131 137 146 164
6 7 8 9 10	2, 340 2, 930 3, 090 3, 230 3, 320	3, 840 3, 740 3, 640 3, 740 3, 640	3, 460 3, 550 3, 340 3, 200 2, 660	2, 210 2, 280 2, 340 2, 410 2, 480	2, 930 2, 990 3, 220 3, 350 3, 310	2, 850 2, 810 2, 710 2, 690 2, 650	1, 870 1, 850 1, 870 2, 050 2, 340	6, 590 5, 660 3, 700 2, 390 1, 520	6, 180 4, 200 3, 700 3, 380 2, 740	6, 040 5, 780 5, 290 3, 900 2, 650	140 143 234 354 451	171 168 178 195 203
11	3, 360 3, 550 3, 550 3, 550 3, 640	3, 550 3, 640 3, 640 3, 640 3, 550	2, 310 2, 340 2, 360 2, 390 2, 420	2, 550 2, 660 2, 680 2, 690 2, 710	3, 280 3, 240 3, 200 3, 060 3, 020	2, 570 2, 550 2, 500 2, 440 2, 420	2, 650 2, 810 2, 920 3, 190 3, 700	1, 110 1, 090 1, 110 1, 340 1, 710	2,330 2,030 1,630 1,600 1,980	1, 540 1, 340 1, 470 1, 370 1, 420	466 391 203 178 182	191 195 186 164 157
16	3, 740 3, 740 3, 840	3, 460 3, 360 3, 360 3, 270 3, 230	2, 630 2, 680 2, 730 2, 780 2, 880	2, 800 2, 780 2, 550 2, 580 2, 490	3, 080 3, 150 3, 150 3, 200 3, 200	2, 360 2, 300 2, 280 2, 220 2, 260	4, 200 4, 100 3, 520 3, 150 3, 010	2, 050 2, 120 2, 490 3, 130 3, 400	2,320 2,710 2,760 2,970 2,710	1, 520 1, 480 1, 320 1, 600 2, 500	178 174 171 • 164 207	154 150 146 146 150
21	3, 840 3, 740 3, 840 3, 840 3, 840	3, 220 3, 310 3, 360 3, 310 3, 310	2, 640 2, 800 2, 970 2, 560 2, 400	2, 390 2, 390 2, 260 2, 210 2, 340	3, 170 3, 110 3, 010 2, 970 2, 900	2, 280 2, 220 2, 200 2, 160 2, 150	2, 920 3, 020 3, 420 4, 410 5, 530	3, 190 3, 130 3, 520 3, 700 3, 200	2, 420 2, 320 2, 300 2, 500 2, 450	3, 610 4, 100 3, 900 3, 800 3, 610	182 164 146 140 146	164 225 244 225 216
26	3, 840 3, 840 3, 840 3, 840 3, 840 3, 740	3, 270 3, 340 3, 320 3, 290 3, 250	2,690 2,810 2,930 3,050 3,100 2,700	2, 530 2, 730 2, 760 2, 730 2, 760 2, 800	2, 850 2, 920 3, 020 3, 080	2, 180 2, 120 2, 080 2, 030 2, 020 1, 980	5, 780 5, 180 4, 520 4, 300 4, 300	2, 420 2, 600 4, 730 5, 780 6, 310 7, 030	2,320 3,110 3,800 4,300 3,900	3, 520 2, 210 1, 140 870 611 .301	140 137 134 134 134 134	207 225 274 372 424

Note.—No gage-height record Oct. 28, 29, Dec. 2, 4-5, 17-19, 22, 27-28, 30-31, Jan. 1-4, 6-10, 13-14, Feb. 10-12; discharge interpolated except Dec. 30 to Jan. 4, for which it was estimated. Shifting-control method used Aug. 9 and 10. Discharge interpolated Dec. 12-14 on account of float tape inaccuracy.

Monthly discharge of Snake River at Clough ranch, near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	rge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	3, 840 3, 550 2, 800 3, 350 3, 100 5, 780 7, 030 9, 120	1, 680 3, 220 2, 310 2, 140 2, 850 1, 980 1, 850 1, 600 301 134 131	3, 340 3, 510 2, 850 2, 500 3, 080 2, 450 3, 210 3, 530 3, 750 2, 860 193	205, 000 209, 000 175, 000 154, 000 177, 000 151, 000 217, 000 223, 000 176, 000 11, 900
The year	9, 120	131	2, 620	1, 900, 000

#### SNAKE RIVER AT NEELEY, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 11, T. 8 S., R. 30 E., half a mile north of Neeley post office Power County, 4 miles southwest of American Falls, and 32 miles above Minidoka Dam. Portneuf and Bannock Rivers and 2,500 second-feet of spring water enter Snake River between this station and station near Blackfoot. Raft River enters 18 miles below Neeley. Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 17, 1906, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank installed August 8, 1910; inspected by A. J. Avers.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable at gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed at measuring section rough, especially near right bank. One channel at all stages. Control composed of lava rock, probably partly overlain with coarse gravel; shifts slightly.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 7.0 feet at noon June 3 (discharge, 12,100 second-feet); minimum stage 3.46 feet at 7 a.m. September 5 (discharge, 1,780 second-feet).

1906-1924: Actual maximum stage doubtful; maximum mean daily stage, 13.5 feet June 20, 1918 (discharge, 48,400 second-feet); minimum stage, 3.46 feet at 7 a. m. September 5, 1924 (discharge, 1,780 second-feet).

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Numerous canals near Blackfoot and Idaho Falls divert practically the entire normal summer flow of Snake River.

REGULATION.—Summer flow augmented by stored water from Jackson Lake for use on Minidoka project and Twin Falls tracts. New power plant completed at American Falls during 1924 causes considerable diurnal fluctuation at station.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation fairly permanent; affected by ice January 1-11. Rating curve well defined above 2,000 second-feet; fairly well defined below that stage. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for periods during winter when well was frozen. Daily discharge ascertained by application of mean daily gage height to rating table or as noted in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records excellent except December to February, for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of Snake River at Neeley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 6 Jan. 25 May 1 June 8 July 8	Feet 5. 05 4. 83 5. 72 5. 67 5. 99	Secft. 5, 430 5, 010 7, 570 7, 240 8, 490	Aug. 1	Feet 3. 98 4. 01 3. 93 3. 98 4. 06	Secft. 2, 910 2, 950 2, 450 2, 820 3, 010	Aug. 10	Feet 3.96 4.19 3.51 4.23	Secft. 2, 760 3, 180 1, 940 3, 290

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Neeley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	4,820 4,790	6, 940 6, 940	6, 320 6, 160	1	5,800 6,620	6, 160 6, 160	5, 150 5, 120	7, 460 7, 460	9, 500 9, 870	5, 770 5, 370	2, 790 2, 460	2, 520 2, 610
3 4	5,010 5,090 5,290	7, 260 7, 100 6, 940	6, 010 5, 860 6, 160			6, 160 6, 320 6, 320	5, 120 5, 070 5, 040	7, 530 7, 600 8, 200	11, 120 10, 920 9, 720	6,010 6,560 7,360	2, 560 2, 560 2, 560	2, 530 2, 450 2, 610
6	5, 430	6, 940	6,620	5, 000	5, 850	6, 160	4,080	9, 210	8,860	8, 170	2, 540	2,600
8 9	5, 720 6, 160 6, 470	6, 940 6, 780 6, 780	6,780 6,620 6,320		5, 570	6, 010 5, 430 5, 070	5,070 4,850 4,790	9,680 7,660 6,160	7, 690 6, 690 6, 070	7,900 8,130 7,100	2, 640 2, 580 2, 750	2, 590 2, 590 2, 560
10	6, 470 6, 470	6, 780 6, 620	6, 320			5, 570 5, 570	4, 850 4, 960	5, 510 6, 470	5, 540 4, 960	5, 860 4, 530	2, 830 3, 010	2, 640 2, 640
12 13	6, 320 6, 470	6, 780 6, 780	5, 200	5, 290	6, 100	5,570 5,570	5, 430 4, 790	3, 810 3, 570	4, 640 4, 380	4, 130 3, 860	2,890 2,610	2, 590 2, 800
14	6, 620 6, 620	6, 780 6, 780	J 5, 010	5, 450	]	5, 430 5, 570	6, 620 6, 470	3, 480 2, 750	3, 810 4, 060	3, 810 3, 790	2,660 2,500	2,680 2,740

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Neeley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
16	6, 620 6, 620 6, 780 6, 780 6, 780	6, 620 6, 470 6, 470 6, 320 6, 320	5, 400	5, 450 5, 570	6, 160 6, 320 6, 320 6, 320 6, 320	5, 290 5, 430 5, 290 5, 290 5, 290	6, 780 7, 260 7, 430 6, 620 5, 720	4, 430 4, 400 4, 480 4, 300 3, 670	4, 400 4, 610 4, 820 5, 120 4, 960	3, 930 3, 840 3, 690 3, 810 4, 660	2, 680 2, 640 2, 630 2, 550 2, 710	2, 690 2, 700 2, 560 2, 670 2, 580
2122232425	6, 780 6, 780 7, 100 7, 100 6, 940	6, 320 6, 320 6, 470 6, 470 6, 470	5, 570 5, 400	5, 200 4, 820	6, 320 6, 320 6, 160 5, 860 6, 160	5, 150 5, 430 4, 790 5, 430 5, 430	6, 470 5, 860 5, 860 6, 940 7, 930	5, 510 5, 600 5, 600 6, 070 5, 770	4, 690 4, 510 4, 280 4, 480 4, 740	5, 230 6, 220 6, 410 6, 070 6, 070	3, 680 3, 930 3, 570 3, 140 2, 830	2, 680 2, 780 2, 740 2, 790 2, 720
26	6, 940 6, 940 6, 940 6, 940 6, 780 6, 940	6, 320 6, 320 6, 320 6, 320 6, 320	6, 160 6, 300 5, 900	5, 500	6, 160 5, 860 6, 010 6, 160	5, 430 5, 430 5, 430 5, 290 5, 230 5, 210	8, 960 8, 790 8, 100 7, 430 7, 430	5, 150 4, 740 6, 010 7, 600 8, 540 9, 040	4, 300 4, 460 5, 350 5, 980 6, 350	5, 630 5, 510 4, 030 3, 320 3, 120 2, 850	2, 700 2, 680 2, 640 2, 620 2, 680 2, 660	2, 780 2, 620 2, 890 2, 780 3, 010

Note.—No gage-height record Dec. 11-14, 16-21, 23-28, 30, 31, Jan 1-4, 6-11, 13-18, 20-24, 26-31, Feb. 1, 3-8, 10-15; discharge estimated on basis of flow at Blackfoot gaging station. Discharge affected by ice Jan. 1-11; estimated. Mean of daily discharge used Aug. 12-21 and Sept. 1-30.

Monthly discharge of Snake River at Neeley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discharge in second-feet			Run-off in
	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	7, 100	4, 790	6, 370	392, 000
November		6, 320	6, 630	395, 000
December.	6, 780		5, 730	352,000
December			5, 240	322,000
February			6,070	349,000
March	6,320	4, 790	5, 550	341,000
April	8, 960	4,080	6, 170	367, 000
May	9,680	2, 750	6, 050	372,000
June	11, 120	3,810	6,030	359, 000
July	8, 170	2,850	5, 250	323, 000
August	3, 930	2, 460	2, 780	171, 000
September	3, 010	2, 450	2, 670	159, 000
The year	11, 120	2, 450	5, 370	3, 900, 000
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#### LAKE WALCOTT NEAR MINIDOKA, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 1, T. 9 S., R. 25 E., in backwater of United States Bureau of Reclamation dam, 6 miles southeast of Minidoka post office, Minidoka County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 1, 1909, to September 30, 1924; gage heights only prior to October 1, 1918.

GAGE.—Hook gage in wooden stilling well on face of dam at entrance to power house. Zero of gage, 4,200 feet above sea level.

Accuracy.—Gage heights occasionally affected by wind.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and table of contents furnished by United States Bureau of Reclamation.

Lake Walcott impounds water for the irrigation of lands in the North Side Minidoka project and the South Side Minidoka project of the United States Bureau of Reclamation. It has a capacity of 107,240 acre-feet between elevations 4,236 and 4,246 feet; elevation of spillway, 4,240 feet, sea-level datum.

ing September 30, 1924	Daily contents, in acre-feet, of	Lake Walcott near Minidoko	a, Idaho, for the year end-
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Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	58, 910 62, 710 68, 090 73, 390 77, 680	90, 760 90, 880 90, 990	89, 360 89, 360 89, 360	86, 920 86, 100 86, 450	89, 940 89, 360 89, 360	89, 360 88, 900 89, 250	87, 030 87, 270 87, 500 87, 850 87, 380	91, 690 90, 530 89, 010	61,500 67,870 75,870	88, 200 86, 450 86, 330	73, 390 70, 950 66, 770 63, 920 60, 740	9, 060 8, 390 8, 770
6	82, 410 84, 940 87, 030 88, 200 88, 550	90, 760 90, 530 90, 410	89, 710 90, 290 89, 830	85, 520 85, 640 87, 030	89, 360 89, 250 89, 360	89, 360 89, 360 88, 780	86,680	89, 940 90, 530 88, 660	95, 550 100, 130 102, 780	89, 130 95, 070 100, 970 106, 990 108, 740	57, 620 53, 540 50, 520 46, 510 43, 550	8, 010 7, 820 7, 960 6, 100 5, 150
11 12 13 14 15	88, 550 88, 550 88, 430 88, 660 88, 780	90, 290 90, 640 90, 530 90, 530 90, 290	88, 200 88, 780 87, 030	87, 730 87, 960	90, 290 90, 530	88, 430 88, 780 88, 550	86, 800 86, 680	79, 820 75, 080	103, 500 102, 050 99, 520	107, 740 105, 070 102, 410 100, 370 96, 390	36, 850 34, 780	4, 580 4, 000 3, 620 3, 150 2, 860
16	89, 600 89, 360 90, 410 90, 060 90, 180	90, 290 90, 060 89, 830	88, 080 88, 200 88, 900	87, 730 87, 960 87, 850	89, 600 90, 060	88, 200 87, 380 87, 380	91, 230 91, 810	59, 130 57, 090 54, 830	94, 370 91, 920 92, 860	94, 020 92, 160 90, 760	24, 010 22, 280 20, 660 19, 440 18, 650	2, 670 1, 720 670 -2, 100 -1, 430
21	90, 180 90, 290 90, 530 90, 760 90, 990	89,830	88, 780 88, 550 88, 660	86, 800 87, 380 87, 270	89, 600 89, 830 89, 600	87, 380 87, 030 87, 270	91, 690 89, 940 88, 780	49, 790 49, 570 49, 570	94, 370 94, 840 94, 250	91, 920 93, 090 94, 140	20, 250 20, 660 19, 850	-1, 720 -2, 380 -1, 140 -1, 140 -1, 910
26	90, 760	89, 830 90, 060	88, 200 88, 200 89, 130 89, 360	87, 030 88, 430 87, 620	89, 360 89, 130 89, 360	86, 920 86, 800 86, 450 87, 150	94, 140 95, 310 94, 840	47, 360 45, 140 45, 240 47, 460	92, 740 90, 530 89, 130	94, 020 91, 690 87, 030 81, 400	13, 600 12, 700 11, 810 11, 020	-2, 100 -1, 430 -1, 720 -1, 330 - 950

Note.-Water surface below zero of capacity table Sept. 19-30; contents estimated for that period.

#### SNAKE RIVER NEAR MINIDOKA, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 2, T. 9 S., R. 25 E., 100 yards below Howells Ferry, 1 mile below United States Bureau of Reclamation dam, 6 miles southeast of Minidoka post office, Minidoka County, nearest railroad point, and 6 miles above Montgomerys Ferry gaging station, which was discontinued December 31, 1910. Raft River enters between this station and station at Neeley. Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 21, 1910, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by employees of United States Bureau of Reclamation.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 50 feet below gage.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of coarse gravel. One channel at all stages. Control shifts slightly.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 7.36 feet at 2 p. m. October 28 (discharge, 7,780 second-feet); minimum stage, 4.13 feet from 6 to 10 a. m. September 23 (discharge, 1,440 second-feet).

1910–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 16.02 feet at 1 a. m. June 21, 1918 (discharge, 45,900 second-feet); minimum stage, 4.05 feet from 11 a. m. to 3 p. m. October 13, 1914 (discharge, 960 second-feet).

Ice.—Some shore ice forms near gage and river closes farther down; stagedischarge relation slightly affected at times.

DIVERSIONS.—The North Side and South Side (Minidoka) Canals divert water between the Neeley and Minidoka stations. The nearest diversions below the station are Twin Falls North Side and South Side Canals at Milner.

REGULATION.—Flow partly regulated by storage in Lake Walcott above Minidoka Dam (storage capacity about 67,090 acre-feet above spillway).

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve well defined above 2,000 second-feet; one parallel curve used. Second parallel curve used to define period January 4-27, when stage-discharge relation was slightly ice affected. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table using shifting-control method January 3 and 28-31. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and three discharge measurements furnished by United States Bureau of Reclamation.

Discharge measurements of Snake River near Minidoka, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 8 Jan. 24 June 2	Feet 6. 26 a 6. 31 6. 31	Secft. 4, 970 5, 010 5, 170	July 16 July 21 Aug. 1	Feet 4. 85 4. 73 4. 73	Secft. 2, 150 2, 150 2, 200	Aug. 2 Aug. 17 Sept. 24	Feet 4. 70 5. 17 4. 93	Secft. 2, 100 2, 830 2, 370

a Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1, 730 1, 740 1, 880 1, 970 1, 980	6, 760 6, 830 7, 090 7, 220 7, 090	6, 580 6, 400 6, 220 6, 200 5, 900	5, 480 5, 170 4, 760 4, 660 4, 640	6, 400 6, 630 6, 320 6, 120 6, 100	6, 000 5, 900 5, 930 6, 050 6, 150	4, 490 4, 380 4, 490 4, 460 4, 460	5, 660 5, 440 5, 480 5, 660 5, 730	5, 100 5, 030 4, 940 4, 870 4, 310	3, 910 3, 700 3, 700 3, 740 3, 780	2, 100 2, 070 2, 070 2, 070 2, 090 2, 100	2, 700 2, 520 2, 240 2, 320 2, 370
6	2, 730	6, 960	6, 250	4, 350	6, 150	6, 020	4, 160	6, 020	3, 620	3, 520	2, 340	2, 370
	3, 760	6, 960	6, 450	4, 490	6, 020	6, 020	3, 820	6, 400	3, 030	2, 400	2, 380	2, 340
	4, 690	6, 830	6, 960	4, 710	6, 080	5, 930	4, 120	6, 300	2, 940	2, 240	2, 340	2, 480
	5, 460	6, 680	6, 830	4, 960	6, 120	5, 290	4, 070	6, 020	3, 060	2, 570	2, 380	2, 520
	5, 700	6, 760	6, 630	4, 890	5, 660	5, 270	3, 990	4, 970	3, 050	3, 640	2, 540	2, 570
11	5, 750	6, 580	6, 020	4, 820	7, 220	5, 440	4, 100	3, 930	2, 960	3, 230	2, 520	2, 520
	5, 730	6, 810	5, 630	5, 080	6, 830	5, 440	3, 840	3, 840	3, 010	3, 030	2, 550	2, 540
	5, 660	6, 760	5, 200	5, 240	6, 830	5, 480	3, 620	3, 440	2, 900	2, 540	2, 770	2, 540
	5, 830	6, 650	4, 940	5, 510	6, 500	5, 290	4, 250	3, 360	2, 870	2, 430	2, 780	2, 420
	5, 660	6, 630	4, 960	5, 560	6, 380	5, 830	4, 780	3, 030	2, 840	2, 360	2, 730	2, 540
16	5, 900	6, 630	5, 130	5, 510	6, 280	5, 150	4,710	2, 960	2, 900	2, 280	2, 820	2, 550
	6, 080	6, 450	5, 440	5, 410	6, 350	5, 360	4,890	3, 140	2, 940	2, 310	2, 780	2, 800
	6, 350	6, 350	5, 780	5, 560	6, 530	4, 920	5,010	3, 320	2, 920	2, 320	2, 750	2, 670
	6, 220	6, 250	6, 020	5, 290	6, 350	4, 940	4,920	3, 280	2, 620	2, 180	2, 650	2, 770
	6, 320	6, 200	6, 150	4, 710	6, 380	5, 150	4,530	3, 250	2, 600	2, 180	2, 550	2, 650
21	6, 280	6, 320	6, 080	4, 890	6, 380	5, 100	4, 530	3, 250	2, 670	2, 100	2, 220	2, 700
22	6, 150	6, 280	5, 830	5, 130	6, 450	5, 100	4, 600	3, 280	2, 700	2, 510	2, 270	2, 100
23	6, 630	6, 380	5, 700	5, 100	6, 320	4, 820	4, 530	3, 270	2, 620	3, 760	2, 310	1, 860
24	6, 960	6, 300	5, 950	5, 030	6, 120	4, 660	4, 780	3, 300	2, 380	3, 660	2, 340	2, 540
25	6, 830	6, 480	5, 660	4, 960	5, 880	4, 690	4, 850	3, 440	2, 400	3, 620	2, 460	2, 520
26	I & 830	6, 420 6, 500 6, 500 6, 420 6, 380	5, 660 5, 610 5, 680 6, 380 6, 300 6, 100	4, 800 4, 800 4, 960 5, 680 5, 200 5, 510	6, 180 6, 080 5, 900 6, 080	4, 620 4, 600 4, 550 4, 600 4, 850 4, 760	5, 170 5, 610 5, 700 5, 630 5, 480	3, 340 3, 410 3, 950 5, 060 5, 240 5, 150	2, 890 4, 290 4, 160 4, 250 4, 250	3, 640 4, 010 4, 120 4, 070 3, 880 2, 110	2, 510 2, 480 2, 510 2, 580 2, 600 2, 720	2, 400 2, 430 2, 420 2, 030 1, 970

Monthly discharge of Snake River near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October	6, 960	1, 730	5, 320	327, 000	
November December	6, 960	6, 200 4, 940	6, 620 5, 960	394, 000 366, 000	
January February	7, 220	4, 350 5, 660	5, 060 6, 300	311, 000 362, 000	
April	6, 150 5, 700	4, 550 3, 620	5, 290 4, 600	325, 000 274, 000	
May June	5, 100	2, 960 2, 380 2, 100	4, 320 3, 370	266, 000 201, 000	
JulyAugust	2,820	2,070	3, 080 2, 460	189, 000 151, 000	
September	2,800	1,860	2, 450	146, 000	
The year	7, 220	1,730	4, 560	3, 310, 000	

#### LAKE MILNER AT MILNER, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 29, T. 10 S., R. 21 E., in backwater of Twin Falls Co.'s dam at Milner, Cassia County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 10, 1911, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Hook gage supplemented by float gage in same well at dam; latter installed June 1, 1920, consists of target which moves directly with large float in well and automatically indicates stage on graduated scale above gagehouse floor. A Lietz and a Friez water-stage recorder have also been used for short periods. All gages have same datum.

Accuracy.—Gage heights occasionally seriously affected by wind.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by North Side Canal Co. (Ltd.) and Twin Falls Canal Co.

Daily gage height, in feet, of Lake Milner at Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	8. 76	9. 03	8, 93	7. 26	7. 59	7. 56	8. 62	10. 52	10. 41	10, 58	10. 16	9. 00
	8. 66	9. 03	8, 86	7. 25	7. 43	7. 46	8. 60	10. 50	10. 46	10, 60	10. 07	9. 11
	8. 79	9. 00	8, 66	7. 80	7. 76	7. 29	8. 64	10. 35	10. 52	10, 58	9. 96	9. 18
	9. 18	9. 14	8, 56	8. 00	7. 50	7. 50	8. 65	10. 23	10. 32	10, 54	9. 84	9. 09
	9. 14	9. 08	8, 56	7. 73	7. 52	7. 51	8. 66	10. 06	10. 46	10, 50	9. 82	9. 12
6	9. 10	9. 01	8. 66	7. 27	7. 54	7. 56	8. 66	10. 40	10. 20	10. 63	9. 85	9, 04
	9. 29	9. 04	8. 27	7. 32	7. 49	7. 40	8. 62	10. 61	10. 48	10. 42	9. 75	9, 35
	9. 22	9. 06	8. 52	7. 60	7. 49	7. 58	8. 66	10. 98	10. 58	10. 37	9. 84	9, 08
	9. 29	8. 98	8. 90	7. 65	7. 58	7. 50	8. 77	11. 00	10. 73	10. 50	9. 86	8, 94
	9. 15	9. 04	8. 53	7. 56	7. 42	7. 46	9. 02	10. 87	10. 76	10. 63	9. 82	8, 88
11	9. 10	8. 85	8. 16	7. 57	7. 61	7. 52	9. 70	10. 22	10. 84	10. 64	9. 74	8. 94
	9. 12	9. 03	7. 98	7. 62	7. 60	7. 52	10. 24	9. 45	10. 85	10. 55	9. 72	8. 94
	9. 05	9. 01	7. 80	7. 64	7. 58	7. 57	10. 59	9. 26	10. 88	10. 70	9. 67	8. 90
	9. 06	9. 04	7. 55	7. 68	7. 48	7. 43	10. 34	9. 04	10. 76	10. 78	9. 44	8. 86
	8. 92	9. 02	7. 48	7. 60	7. 48	7. 60	10. 82	8. 84	10. 68	10. 72	9. 52	8. 76
16	8. 99	9. 04	7. 50	7. 52	7. 48	7. 40	10. 72	8, 66	10. 64	10. 78	9. 36	8. 66
	8. 92	9. 02	7. 60	7. 50	7. 50	7. 59	10. 79	8, 68	10. 52	10. 78	9. 35	8. 41
	9. 20	8. 95	7. 67	7. 62	7. 40	7. 51	10. 78	8, 69	10. 29	10. 72	9. 24	8. 58
	9. 16	8. 94	7. 68	7. 46	7. 48	7. 64	10. 86	8, 78	10. 48	10. 85	9. 07	8. 44
	9. 16	8. 90	7. 68	7. 40	7. 53	8. 67	10. 68	8, 88	10. 62	10. 42	8. 89	8. 64
21	9. 08	9. 02	7. 68	7. 40	7. 38	8. 62	10. 81	8. 97	10. 64	10. 77	8. 74	8. 79
	8. 90	9. 01	7. 58	7. 57	7. 58	8. 64	10. 89	8. 92	10. 62	10. 65	8. 68	9. 45
	9. 12	9. 13	7. 56	7. 60	7. 48	8. 66	10. 72	9. 10	10. 68	10. 70	8. 60	9. 26
	9. 16	9. 05	7. 58	7. 54	7. 46	8. 56	10. 64	9. 11	10. 61	10. 73	8. 54	8. 98
	9. 02	9. 05	7. 60	7. 52	7. 40	8. 68	10. 89	8. 78	10. 66	10. 66	8. 49	8. 75
26	8. 98 8. 99 9. 11 9. 18 9. 10 9. 04	8. 92 9. 04 9. 02 8. 98 8. 90	7. 38 7. 36 7. 44 7. 56 7. 75 7. 47	7. 46 7. 44 7. 46 7. 60 7. 54 7. 44	7. 34 7. 52 7. 34 7. 52	8. 64 8. 63 8. 60 8. 52 8. 56 8. 68	10. 86 10. 94 10. 85 10. 82 10. 71	9. 05 9. 18 9. 53 9. 90 10. 23 10. 29	10. 69 10. 30 10. 53 10. 56 10. 62	10. 58 10. 58 10. 52 10. 50 10. 40 10. 26	8. 60 8. 68 8. 65 8. 54 8. 72 8. 76	8. 92 9. 10 9. 16 9. 14 8. 94

#### SNAKE RIVER AT MILNER, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 29, T. 10 S., R. 21 E., 500 yards below Milner Dam, at Milner, Twin Falls County. No tributaries enter Snake River between Minidoka station and Milner and no noteworthy inflow between Milner and station near Twin Falls except seepage and spring water.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 10, 1909, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank below highway bridge; installed May 28, 1919; inspected by McConnel and Gilham.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 400 yards above gage, from foot planks midway between gage and cable, or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed at gage composed of lava rock, overlain with very slight gravel deposits and occasional loose rock. Left bank high and steep; right bank confines flow in narrow gorge below gage datum of 15 feet; full river width above that point. Control practically permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during the year, 10.85 feet at 1. p. m. October 24 (discharge, 6,480 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.50 feet August 22-26 (discharge, 8 second-feet).

1909–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 20.1 feet (original gage) June 12, 1909 (discharge, 44,400 second-feet); minimum flow occurred at gage height 1.50 feet August 22–26, 1924 (discharge, 8 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Twin Falls canals divert water at Milner Dam, just above station. During part of the season practically entire flow of river is taken by these canals.

REGULATION.—Flow past the station during the irrigation season is regulated at Milner Dam.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except during extremely low stages, when staff gage was read twice daily to hundredths. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table except Apr. 9, 15, 16, 18–20, when marked changes occurred, when mean of hourly discharge was used. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and 3 discharge measurements furnished by Twin Falls Canal Co.

Discharge measurements of Snake River at Milner, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	
Nov. 12	Feet 9. 80 8. 88	Secft. 5, 350 4, 280	May 3	Feet 1. 74 1. 60	Secft. 17. 3 11. 8	

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	9 9 11 1, 160 1, 470	5, 660 5, 990 5, 770 5, 990 5, 990	5, 550 5, 660 5, 440 5, 340 5, 340	3, 880 3, 280 3, 580 3, 680 3, 680	4, 700 5, 120 6, 320 5, 440 5, 230	5, 340 5, 020 4, 500 4, 600 4, 700	2, 880 2, 500 2, 500 2, 500 2, 500 2, 320	24 20 18 18 18	14 13 12 11 12	11 11 10 10 11	11 11 11 11 11	10 11 10 10
6		5, 880 5, 660 5, 660 5, 660 5, 660	5, 550 4, 920 4, 500 5, 660 5, 990	3, 280 3, 080 3, 080 3, 580 3, 980	5, 550 5, 230 5, 230 5, 440 4, 810	4,700 4,390 4,810 4,180 3,480	2,320 825 1,510 1,990 63	16 14 16 20 15	11 12 13 13 13	11 10 10 10 11	11 11 12 12 11	10 10 10 10 10
11 12 13 14 15	5, 230 4, 920 5, 120 4, 920	5, 230 5, 340 5, 660 5, 660 5, 660	5, 340 4, 810 4, 600 4, 390 3, 880	3, 880 3, 880 4, 080 4, 080 4, 600	5, 440 6, 210 6, 100 5, 990 5, 550	3, 880 3, 680 3, 880 3, 680 3, 980	74 87 89 83 1, 100	13 12 12 11 10	12 12 12 12 12 12	12 12 12 13 13	12 11 10 10 10	10 10 10 10 10
16	4, 810 5, 020 5, 660 5, 770 5, 880	5, 660 5, 660 5, 230 4, 920 4, 600	3, 980 4, 080 4, 500 4, 920 5, 020	4,600 4,600 4,390 4,280 4,390	5, 440 5, 340 5, 660 5, 660 5, 770	4, 280 3, 780 3, 680 .2, 040 3, 480	1,090 1,260 903 565	10 11 10 10 10	12 12 11 12 12	12 13 12 12 12	10 10 10 10 10	9 9 9 9 10
21 22 23 24 25	5, 990 5, 340 5, 660 6, 430 6, 210	4, 810 5, 020 5, 440 5, 440 5, 440	5, 230 5, 020 4, 700 4, 700 4, 810	3, 580 3, 780 4, 280 4, 180 4, 180	5, 440 5, 660 5, 770 5, 550 5, 440	4, 180 4, 180 4, 280 3, 680 3, 980	86 65 44 35 40	10 10 10 10	12 12 12 12 12	12 12 12 13 13	9 8 8 8	10 15 15 10 9
26	5, 770 5, 770 5, 880 6, 320 6, 320 5, 880	5, 340 5, 440 5, 440 5, 440 5, 340	4, 500 4, 390 4, 280 4, 920 5, 660 5, 230	3, 980 3, 980 3, 980 4, 180 4, 920 4, 180	5, 020 5, 440 5, 020 5, 120	4, 080 3, 080 2, 040 3, 380 2, 980 3, 280	32 33 30 29 28	10 10 11 16 17 16	12 12 12 11 11	12 12 12 11 11 11	8 9 9 9 9	9 10 10 10 9

Monthly discharge of Snake River at Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

W	Díscha	d-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	4, 920 6, 320 5, 340 2, 880 24 14	9 4, 600 3, 880 3, 080 4, 700 2, 040 28 10 11 10 8 9	4, 490 5, 490 4, 930 3, 970 5, 470 3, 910 857 13. 5 12. 0 11. 5 9. 97 10. 1	276, 000 327, 000 303, 000 244, 000 315, 000 240, 000 51, 000 714 707 613 601
The year-	6 <b>, 4</b> 30	8	2, 420	1, 760, 000

## SNAKE RIVER NEAR KIMBERLY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In SE. ½ sec. 32, T. 9 S., R. 18 E., above upper outlet of Devil's Corral, half a mile below Twin Falls, 2½ miles above Shoshone Falls, 4 miles north of Kimberly, Twin Falls County, and 6½ miles northeast of city of Twin Falls.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—July 24, 1923, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Au water-stage recorder on left bank installed December 15, 1923, replacing Friez recorder; inspected by L. M. Morse and Garry Chappell.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 300 feet above gage.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of lava boulders and solid rock in deep lava canyon; very rough. Control formed by low falls 70 feet below gage; permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year and for period of record from water-stage recorder, 9.3 feet at 2 p. m. October 24 (discharge, 7,380 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.80 foot May 16-20 (discharge, 378 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

Diversions.—No water diverted from river between this station and station at Milner.

REGULATION.—Flow past station is regulated directly by diversions of the North and South Side Canals at Milner, where practically the entire flow of the river is diverted during large part of the irrigation season; flow at such times consists of inflow and seepage between this station and the one at Milner.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve fairly well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for few short periods. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph, except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and two discharge measurements furnished by Idaho Power Co.

Discharge measurements of Snake River near Kimberly, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 1	Feet 1.72 8.80 7.94 8.45	Secft. 500 6, 100 5, 190 5, 740	Mar. 31	Feet 7. 72 3. 46 . 82 . 88	Secft. 4, 420 1, 060 400 388	July 23	Feet 0. 97 1. 09 1. 12 1. 26	Secft. 424 396 430 484

<sup>\*</sup> Stage rose 1.03 feet during measurement.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Kimberly, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	542 531 520 520 1,320	6, 320 6, 740 6, 530 6, 740 6, 740	6, 120 6, 320 6, 120 5, 920 6, 320	4, 640 3, 860 4, 160 4, 480 4, 640	5, 530 5, 530 6, 740 5, 920 5, 920	5, 920 5, 720 4, 980 4, 980 5, 340	3, 430 2, 900 2, 900 2, 550 2, 780	420 412 405 391 391	391 391 391 391 391	391 391 391 391 391	405 405 405 405 405	420 420 420 420 420
6	1, 860 2, 280 4, 640 5, 160 6, 320	6, 740 6, 320 6, 320 6, 320 6, 320	6, 530 5, 530 4, 980 6, 120 6, 740	3, 860 3, 430 3, 710 4, 320 4, 480	5, 920 5, 920 5, 720 6, 120 5, 530	5, 160 4, 980 5, 340 4, 810 4, 160	2, 780 2, 210 1, 530 2, 360 1, 200	384 391 391 391 398	391 391 398 398 398	391 391 391 391 398	405 405 405 405 405 405	420 420 428 428 428
11	6, 120 6, 120 5, 530 5, 720 5, 720	5, 920 5, 920 6, 320 6, 320 6, 320	6, 120 5, 530 5, 340 5, 160 4, 480	4, 320 4, 480 4, 640 4, 810 5, 160	6, 120 6, 950 6, 950 6, 530 6, 120	4, 320 4, 320 4, 320 4, 480 4, 160	480	405 391 384 384 384	398 398 398 398 398	398 405 405 398 398	405 405 405 412 412	428 420 420 428 428
16	5, 530 5, 720 6, 120 6, 530 6, 320	6, 320 6, 320 6, 120 5, 530 5, 340	4, 640 4, 810 4, 810 5, 800	4, 980 4, 980 4, 980	6, 120 5, 920 6, 120 6, 320 6, 530	4, 980 4, 480 4, 480 3, 570 2, 450	1, 300 1, 530 1, 710 1, 120 1, 280	378 378 378 378 378 378	405 398 398 398 398	398 398 398 398 398	412 412 420 420 420	428 428 428 436 436
21	6, 740 6, 120 6, 120 7, 160 7, 160	5, 530 5, 720 6, 120 6, 120 6, 120	5, 720 5, 340 5, 340 5, 530	4,800	6, 320 6, 320 6, 530 6, 120 5, 920	4, 810 4, 810 4, 810 4, 480 4, 480	676 480 453 436 436	384 384 391 384 384	398 398 398 398 398	398 398 398 398 405	420 420 420 420 412	436 436 436 444 453
26	6, 530 6, 530 6, 530	6, 120 6, 120 6, 120 6, 120 6, 120 6, 120	5, 160 5, 160 4, 980 5, 530 6, 120 5, 720	4, 640 4, 480 4, 480 4, 810 5, 160 4, 810	5, 530 6, 120 5, 530 5, 530	4, 640 4, 010 2, 210 3, 570 3, 430 4, 010	436 428 428 420 420	384 384 384 391 391 391	398 398 391 391 391	405 405 405 405 398 398	412 412 412 412 412 412 420	444 444 444 444 444

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage-height record, Dec. 19-21, Jan. 19-25, Apr. 10-16, based on flow at Milner and Perrine Bridge. Interpolated July 16-20. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Snake River near Kimberly, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November December January February March April May June July August September	6, 740 6, 740 5, 160 6, 950 5, 920 3, 430 420 405	520 5, 340 4, 480 3, 430 5, 530 2, 210 420 378 391 405 420	5, 070 6, 190 5, 600 4, 580 6, 080 4, 460 1, 290 389 396 398 411 431	312, 000 368, 000 344, 000 282, 000 350, 000 274, 000 76, 800 23, 900 24, 500 25, 600 25, 600	
The year-	7, 160	378	2, 930	2, 130, 000	

### SNAKE RIVER NEAR TWIN FALLS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 33, T. 9 S., R. 17 E., at Perrine Bridge, on Blue Lakes ranch, 4 miles north of Twin Falls, Twin Falls County, and 4 miles below Shoshone Falls. Outlet of Blue Lakes enters Snake River 200 feet below gage and Salmon Falls Creek enters 18 miles below.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—September 29, 1911, to June 30, 1917, and May 1, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Combined inclined and vertical staff set in concrete, on left bank 100 feet above bridge; installed August 18, 1921; read by employees on Blue Lakes ranch.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from downstream side of bridge.

Channel and control.—Bed at measuring section very rough. Banks high; not subject to overflow. Control composed of lava boulders and solid rock; practically permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 6.7 feet at 4.15 p.m. October 24, 7.10 a.m. October 25, and 7 p.m. October 29 (discharge, 7,960 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.0 feet May 25 and 27 (discharge, 475 second-feet).

1911-1917; 1919-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 13.3 feet at 6 a.m. and 7 p.m. June 10, 1914 (discharge, 32,200 second-feet); minimum discharge, 468 second-feet, several periods in June, July, and August, 1915.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—No water is diverted from the river between this station and that at Milner, except by small ranch ditches.

REGULATION.—Flow past station regulated directly by diversions of North Side and South Side Canals at Milner, where practically entire flow of river is diverted during latter part of irrigation season; flow at such times consists of inflow and seepage between this station and the one at Milner.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation probably permanent. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to quarter-tenths twice daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Snake River near Twin Falls, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 16	Feet 3. 60 2. 10	Secft. • 2, 360 523	July 24. Sept. 11	Feet 2. 16 2. 21	Secft. 540 555

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Unreliable because of change in stage of 0.99 foot during measurement.

# Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Twin Falls, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	750 750 750 820 1, 220	6, 940 7, 180 7, 180 7, 180 7, 140	6, 450 6, 690 6, 690 6, 690 6, 940	5, 290 4, 420 4, 640 4, 640 5, 290	5, 520 5, 980 6, 210 6, 210 6, 210	6, 210 6, 210 5, 520 5, 520 5, 520	3, 820 3, 450 3, 270 2, 920 3, 270	570 570 570 545 570	545 545 545 545 545	520 520 545 545 545	545 570 570 570 570	570 598 545 570 570
6	5, 290	7, 180 6, 940 7, 180 6, 940 6, 940	7, 180 5, 740 5, 290 6, 450 7, 180	4, 420 3, 820 4, 020 4, 420 5, 070	6, 210 6, 210 6, 210 6, 250 6, 450 5, 980	5, 740 5, 290 5, 520 5, 070 4, 420	2, 760 2, 920 3, 270 3, 270 1, 370	570 520 520 545 545	545 570 545 545 570	545 545 545 545 545	570 625 545 545 520	570 570 570 570 545
11 12 13 14 15	6, 690 6, 690 6, 210 6, 450 6, 450	6, 690 6, 450 7, 180 6, 940 6, 940	6, 690 5, 740 5, 740 5, 520 5, 070	4, 850 4, 850 5, 070 5, 070 5, 520	6, 210 7, 440 7, 180 7, 180 6, 450	4, 850 4, 640 4, 850 4, 640 4, 640	750 625 625 598 655	545 545 545 545 520	570 545 545 545 545	545 545 570 570 570	545 545 570 545 570	570 570 570 570 570
16	6, 210 6, 940	6, 940 6, 690 6, 690 6, 210 5, 980	4, 850 4, 850 5, 520 5, 980 6, 210	5, 290 5, 290 5, 290 5, 290 5, 290 5, 290	6, 210 6, 210 6, 450 6, 690 6, 690	5, 520 4, 640 4, 850 3, 820 4, 020	1, 640 1, 320 2, 150 1, 470 1, 420	520 520 520 520 520 520	545 570 570 545 570	545 520 545 545 545	570 545 545 598 598	570 570 570 598 570
21	7, 440 6, 690 6, 450 7, 700 7, 700	5, 740 6, 210 6, 690 6, 450 6, 690	6, 210 6, 210 5, 740 5, 740 5, 980	4, 640 4, 850 5, 070 5, 070 5, 070	6, 450 6, 450 6, 690 6, 450 6, 450	5, 290 5, 290 5, 290 4, 850 4, 850	1, 090 718 625 625 625	520 520 520 545 475	545 570 570 545 545	520 570 545 545 545	570 570 545 570 545	570 570 570 545 570
26	7, 180 7, 180 7, 700	6, 690 6, 690 6, 690 6, 690 6, 450	5, 740 5, 520 5, 290 5, 740 6, 690 6, 690	5, 070 4, 850 4, 850 4, 850 5, 070 5, 290	5, 740 6, 450 5, 740 5, 980	5, 070 4, 420 2, 600 4, 020 3, 820 4, 220	598 598 625 625 570	498 475 520 520 520 545	545 545 545 545 545	570 545 570 570 545 545	570 570 570 570 570 570	570 570 570 545 570

# Monthly discharge of Snake River near Twin Falls, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	Run-off in		
$oldsymbol{Month}$	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September The year	7, 180 5, 520 7, 440 6, 210 3, 820 570 570 570 625 598	750 5, 740 5, 070 3, 820 5, 520 2, 600 570 475 545 520 520 520 545	5, 610 6, 760 6, 030 4, 920 6, 360 4, 880 1, 610 532 552 547 564 569	345, 000 402, 000 371, 000 366, 000 366, 000 95, 800 32, 700 32, 800 34, 700 33, 900

#### SNAKE RIVER NEAR HAGERMAN, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 2, T. 8 S., R. 13 E., one-eighth mile above Owsley Bridge, just above Upper Salmon Falls, and 4 miles south of Hagerman, Gooding County. Big Wood River enters 10 miles below.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—August 24, 1912, to June 18, 1917, and July 25, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank installed April 20, 1921; inspected by F. M. Gregg.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 100 feet below gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Control rocky; permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 4.7 feet October 25 and 30 (discharge, 12,600 second-feet); minimum discharge measured, 4,690 second-feet, September 6.

1912–1917; 1919–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 7.75 feet at 6 p. m. June 10, 1914 (discharge, 35,100 second-feet); minimum stage, 3.1 feet July 15 to August 2, 1915 (discharge, 4,030 second-feet). Data insufficient in 1916 and 1917 for determination of maximum and minimum stages.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—No important diversions between this station and one at Milner. Practically entire flow of river is diverted at Milner during part of irrigation season by the Twin Falls canals, and flow at Owsley Bridge is maintained largely by springs and waste water from irrigation above.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by diversions of the Twin Falls canals at Milner.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed October 8-25. Well-defined rating curve used October 1-7 and curve parallel thereto October 26 to September 30. Water-stage recorder operated satisfactorily except for short periods in April, June, and September. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspecting recorder graph, except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records for October to January, good; February to September, excellent.

Discharge measurements of Snake River near Hagerman, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov.1 Feb. 27 Apr. 6	Feet 4, 52 4, 37 3, 87	Secft. 11,800 10,800 7,670	May 16	Feet 3, 24 3, 26 3, 24	Secft. 4,830 5,090 4,690	Sept. 26 Sept. 30	Feet 3.33 3.34	Secft. 5, 390 5, 340

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Hagerman, Idaho for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	5, 750 5, 750 5, 750 5, 750 5, 970 5, 970	11, 600 11, 600 11, 900 11, 900 12, 200	11, 200 11, 200 11, 200 11, 200 11, 200	10, 600 9, 340 9, 040 9, 340 9, 640	10, 300 11, 200 10, 900 11, 600 10, 900	10, 600 10, 900 10, 300 9, 950 9, 950	8, 750 8, 180 7, 910 7, 910 7, 910	5, 540 5, 540 5, 540 5, 540 5, 330 5, 540	4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920	4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920	4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 720 4, 720	4, 720 4, 720 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920
6 7 8 9	6, 650 7, 380 9, 340 10, 300 11, 600	12, 200 11, 900 11, 600 11, 600 11, 600	11, 900 11, 600 10, 600 10, 600 11, 200	9, 040 8, 750 8, 460 9, 340 9, 640	11, 200 11, 200 11, 200 11, 200 10, 900	9, 950 9, 640 9, 640 9, 950 9, 340	7, 910 7, 910 6, 890 7, 380 7, 640	5, 540 5, 330 5, 330 5, 330 5, 330	4, 920 4, 920 4, 950 4, 980 5, 010	4, 920 4, 920 5, 120 5, 120 5, 120	4, 720 4, 720 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920	4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Hagerman, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
11 12 13 14 15	11, <b>60</b> 9 11, 600 11, 200 11, 200 11, 200	11, 600 11, 600 11, 600 11, 600 11, 600	11, 200 10, 600 10, 300 10, 300 9, 950	9, 640 9, 340 9, 640 9, 649 9, 950	10, 300 11, 600 11, 600 11, 600 11, 200	9, 040 9, 340 9, 040 9, 340 9, 040	6, 940 6, 240 5, 540 5, 540 5, 750	5, 330 5, 120 5, 120 4, 920 4, 920	5, 030 5, 060 5, 090 5, 120 5, 120	5, 330 5, 330 5, 330 5, 330 5, 120	4, 720 4, 720 4, 720 4, 720 4, 720 4, 720	4, 920 4, 920 5, 120 5, 120 5, 120
16 17 18 19 20	10,900	11, 600 11, 600 11, 600 10, 900 10, 900	9, 640 9, 640 9, 950 10, 300 10, 600	9, 950 9, 950 9, 950 9, 950 9, 640	11, 200 10, 900 10, 900 11, 200 11, 200	9, 950 9, 340 9, 340 8, 750 7, 640	5, 750 5, 920 6, 090 6, 250 6, 420	4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920	5, 120 4, 920 5, 120 5, 120 5, 120	5, 120 5, 120 5, 120 5, 120 4, 920	4,720 4,720 4,720 4,720 4,720 4,720	5, 120 5, 120 5, 120 5, 120 5, 120 5, 120
21 22 23 24 25	11, 900 11, 900 11, 200 11, 900 12, 600	10, 600 10, 900 10, 900 11, 600 11, 200	10, 900 10, 900 10, 900 10, 600 10, 900	9, <b>3</b> 40 9, <b>0</b> 40 9, 640 9, 640 9, 640	11, 200 10, 600 11, 200 10, 900 10, 900	9, 640 9, 640 9, 340 9, 040 9, 040	6, 420 5, 750 5, 540 5, 540 5, 640	4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920	5, 120 5, 120 5, 120 5, 120 4, 920	4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920	4, 720 4, 720 4, 720 4, 720 4, 720 4, 720	5, 120 5, 120 5, 120 5, 120 5, 120
26	11, 900 11, 900 11, 900 12, 200 12, 600 11, 900	11, 200 11, 200 11, 200 11, 600 11, 600	10, 600 10, 300 9, 950 10, 900 11, 200 11, 600	9, 340 9, 640 9, 640 9, 640 10, 600 10, 300	10,600 10,600 10,600 10,300	9,040 7,910 7,130 8,180 8,460 8,750	5, 750 5, 750 5, 750 5, 750 5, 750 5, 540	4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920	4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920 4, 920	4, 920 4, 720 4, 720 4, 720 4, 720 4, 720 4, 920	4, 720 4, 720 4, 720 4, 720 4, 720 4, 720 4, 720	5, 120 5, 120 5, 330 5, 330 5, 330

Note.—Discharge interpolated Apr. 11-12, 17-19, 25, June 8-13, Sept. 7-10. Shifting-control method used Oct. 8-25.

Monthly discharge of Snake River near Hagerman, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

264	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	12, 200 11, 900 10, 600 11, 600 10, 900 8, 750 5, 540 5, 120 5, 330	5, 750 10, 600 9, 649 8, 460 10, 300 7, 130 5, 540 4, 920 4, 920 4, 720 4, 720 4, 720	10, 300 11, 500 10, 700 9, 590 11, 000 9, 260 6, 540 5, 110 5, 010 4, 760 5, 050	633, 000 684, 000 658, 000 590, 000 563, 000 389, 000 314, 000 298, 000 307, 000 293, 000
The year	12,600	4, 720	7, 810	5, 670, 000

## SNAKE RIVER AT KING HILL, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 7, T. 5 S., R. 11 E., 300 feet east of Oregon Short Line Railroad station at King Hill, Elmore County. Big Wood River enters from north 20 miles above station.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 13, 1909, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Inclined staff on right bank installed August 24, 1922; read by employees of United States Bureau of Reclamation.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 100 feet below gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed largely of gravel. Control is lava reef partly overlain with gravel; shifts slightly.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 8.77 feet February 8 (discharge, 15,800 second-feet); minimum discharge, 6,070 second-feet several days during May to September.

1909–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 16.3 feet June 22, 1918 (discharge, 47,200 second-feet); minimum stage, 4.5 feet July 7–9, and August 15 and 16, 1910 (discharge, 4,760 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—No important diversions for irrigation are made between this station and the one at Milner.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by diversions at Milner. During certain parts of irrigation season practically the entire flow of river is appropriated, and flow at King Hill is derived largely from springs and seepage water from the Twin Falls tracts.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by United States Bureau of Reclamation.

Discharge measurements of Snake River at King Hill, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date .	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 2 Dec. 16 Feb. 26	Feet 8. 07 7. 43 7. 77	Secft. 13, 900 a 9, 970 12, 500	Apr. 1 Apr. 19 May 14	Feet 7. 10 6. 20 5. 34	Secft. 10, 400 8, 160 6, 180	June 7 Sept. 14	Feet 5. 35 5. 41	Secft. 6,110 6,250

a Result affected by incorrect placing of meter weight during measurement.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at King Hill, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	8, 080 8, 080 8, 080 8, 080 8, 320	13, 800 13, 500 13, 800 13, 500 13, 800	13, 500 13, 500 13, 500 13, 200 13, 200	12, 800 11, 600 10, 700 11, 000 11, 000	12, 200 13, 200 12, 500 13, 500 12, 500	12, 200 12, 800 12, 500 11, 600 11, 300	10,700 9,880 9,880 9,610 9,080	6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280	6, 070 6, 280 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070	6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 280 6, 490	6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070	6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 070
6 7 8 9 10	8, 570 10, 200 10, 200 12, 200 13, 200	14, 100 13, 800 13, 800 13, 500 13, 500	13, 500 13, 800 12, 800 11, 600 12, 800	11,300 10,700 10,400 10,700 11,000	13, 200 13, 500 15, 800 13, 800 13, 500	11, 900 11, 900 11, 300 11, 900 11, 300	9, 880 9, 880 9, 080 8, 320 10, 200	6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 490 6, 280	6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280	6, 490 6, 490 6, 070 6, 280 6, 070	6,070 6,070 6,070 6,070 6,070	6, 070 6, 070 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280
11 12 13 14 15	13, 500 13, 500 13, 500 12, 800 13, 500	13, 500 13, 500 13, 500 13, 800 13, 500	13, 200 12, 500 12, 200 11, 900 11, 600	11,300 11,300 11,600 11,600 11,600	12, 500 12, 500 13, 800 13, 500 13, 500	10, 700 11, 000 12, 500 12, 500 12, 500	8, 320 7, 380 6, 930 6, 710 7, 150	6, 490 6, 490 6, 490 6, 280 6, 070	6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280	6, 070 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 070	6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070	6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280
16 17 18 19 20	12, 800	13, 500 13, 500 13, 200 13, 200 12, 800	11,300 11,600 11,600 11,900 12,500	11, 900 11, 900 12, 200 11, 900 11, 900	13, 200 12, 800 12, 500 13, 200 13, 200	10, 700 11, 300 11, 000 11, 000 10, 200	7, 150 8, 320 7, 840 8, 320 8, 080	6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070	6, 280 6, 490 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280	6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070	6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070	6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 490 6, 490
21 22 23 24 25	13, 800 14, 100 13, 500 13, 500 14, 500	12, 500 13, 200 12, 800 13, 200 13, 200	12, 500 12, 800 12, 800 12, 200 13, 200	11,600 11,000 11,300 11,600 11,600	13, 500 12, 800 13, 200 13, 200 12, 800	9, 880 11, 300 11, 600 11, 600 11, 000	8, 080 7, 610 6, 930 6, 930 6, 710	6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070	6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280	6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070	6,070 6,280 6,280 6,280 6,280 6,280	6, 490 6, 490 6, 490 6, 490 6, 490
26	14, 100 13, 800 13, 800 13, 800 14, 500 14, 100	13, 200 13, 200 13, 200 13, 400 13, 500	12,500 11,900 11,600 12,200 13,200 13,200	11,600 11,600 11,300 11,300 11,600 12,500	12, 800 12, 200 12, 800 11, 900	11,000 11,000 10,700 8,820 10,200 9,880	6, 710 6, 710 6, 710 6, 490 6, 490	6, 070 6, 070 6, 280 6, 070 6, 070 6, 280	6, 280 6, 280 6, 070 6, 070 6, 280	6, 070 6, 070 6, 280 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070	6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 280 6, 070 6, 070	6, 490 6, 710 6, 710 6, 710 6, 710

Monthly discharge of Snake River at King Hill, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
old Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June June July August September	14, 100 13, 800 12, 800 15, 800 12, 800 10, 700 6, 490 6, 490	8, 080 12, 500 11, 300 10, 400 11, 900 9, 880 6, 490 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070 6, 070	12, 300 13, 400 12, 600 11, 500 13, 100 11, 300 8, 070 6, 210 6, 240 6, 150 6, 120 6, 370	756, 000 797, 000 775, 000 754, 000 754, 000 695, 000 480, 000 382, 000 371, 000 378, 000 379, 000
The year	15, 800	6, 070	9, 430	6, 850, 000

# SNAKE RIVER NEAR MURPHY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NW. 1/4 sec. 18, T. 2 S., R. 1 E., Ada County, three-quarters of a mile below Swan Falls power plant, 12 miles east of Murphy, Owyhee County, and 38 miles below mouth of Bruneau River.

Drainage area.—41,900 square miles (measured on United States Land Office maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—August 29 to October 31, 1912; August 21, 1913, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Au water-stage recorder installed July 31, 1924, replaced a Friez recorder in use since September 7, 1914, on right bank a quarter of a mile below ranch house of S. N. Glass; inspected by George Bahler.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from boat at ferry cable 1¼ miles above gage.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of lava rock with deposits of sand, silt and gravel, where not scoured out by current. Banks not subject to overflow. Control practically permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 6.26 feet at 9 a. m. February 9 (discharge, 18,700 second-feet); minimum mean daily discharge, 6,130 second-feet, June 29 and July 4; absolute minimum stage and discharge not definitely known because water fell below intake at times of minimum load at power plant above.

1912–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 13.95 feet at 10 p. m. June 22, 1918 (discharge, 47,300 second-feet); minimum stage, about -2.25 feet at 6 a. m. August 6, 1917 (discharge, about 5,000 second-feet). Stage probably fell equally low at times of minimum load at power plant above during lowwater periods in 1919 to 1924, inclusive.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—A number of small pumping plants divert water for irrigation between this station and the one at King Hill.

REGULATION.—Large diurnal fluctuations in stage are caused by operation of gates at dam above and by variation in load at power plant, but because of small relative amount of storage obtained, the changes are of short duration.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation probably permanent. Rating curve fairly well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for few short periods. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph. Records fair.

The following discharge measurement was made:

September 2, 1924: Gage height, 0.34 foot; discharge, 7,400 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Murphy, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	8, 440 8, 320 8, 320 8, 680 8, 320	14, 500 14, 300 13, 800 14, 000 14, 300	13, 800 13, 600 13, 300 13, 600 13, 300	13, 300 12, 600 11, 600 11, 000 11, 000	12, 400 12, 600 13, 300 13, 300 13, 800	12, 600 12, 400 13, 100 12, 400 11, 800	10, 300 10, 800 10, 300 9, 930 9, 770	6, 830 7, 570 7, 090 7, 470 7, 570	6, 830 6, 380 6, 910 6, 670 6, 520	6, 590 6, 520 6, 380 6, 130 6, 750	6, 400 6, 590 6, 310	6, 310 6, 590 6, 380 6, 450 6, 380
6 7 8 9 10	8, 680 9, 190 10, 100 10, 800 12, 400	14,000 14,300 14,300 14,000 13,800	13, 300 13, 800 14, 000 12, 900 12, 000	11, 200 11, 000 11, 000 10, 100 10, 400	13, 300 13, 600 14, 000 15, 800 15, 300	11, 800 11, 800 11, 600 12, 400 12, 000	9,770 9,770 9,770 9,470 9,190	7, 180 7, 090 7, 370 7, 270 7, 090	6, 590 6, 520 6, 670 6, 670 7, 000	6, 590 6, 750 6, 520 6, 380 6, 450	6, 450 6, 250 6, 450 6, 380 6, 190	6, 450 6, 380 6, 450 6, 750 6, 450
11 12 13 14 15	13, 800 13, 800 13, 600 13, 300	14, 000 14, 000 13, 800 13, 800 14, 000	13, 300 13, 100 12, 900 12, 400 12, 200	11,000 11,600 11,200 11,600 11,600	14, 300 13, 300 13, 600 14, 300 14, 300	11, 400 10, 800 11, 000 10, 800 11, 000	10, 100 8, 680 8, 100 7, 880 8, 320	7,000 7,470 7,180 7,180 7,180	6, 670 6, 750 7, 090 6, 830 6, 590	6, 520 6, 380 6, 310 6, 590 6, 450	6, 590 6, 380 6, 450 6, 310 6, 310	6, 590 6, 670 6, 670 6, 450 6, 670
16 17 18 19 20	13, 600 13, 300 13, 300 13, 300 14, 000	13, 800 13, 800 13, 800 13, 800 13, 600	12, 600 12, 000 12, 000 12, 000 12, 400	11, 600 12, 000 11, 800 11, 800 11, 800	14, 000 13, 800 13, 600 13, 300 13, 300	10, 800 10, 800 11, 000 10, <b>60</b> 0	8, 400 7, 880	6, 830 7, 180 7, 090 7, 180 7, 180	6, 520 6, 670 6, 520 6, 520 6, 590	6, 380 6, 450 6, 310 6, 520 6, 380	6, 380 6, 380 6, 380 6, 380 6, 310	6, 670 6, 670 6, 670 6, 750
21 22 23 24 25	14, 000 14, 300 14, 300 13, 800 14, 300	13, 100 12, 900 12, 900 13, 100 18, 300	12, 600 12, 900 12, 900 12, 900 12, 200	11, 800 11, 400 11, 000 11, 200 11, 600	13, 300 13, 600 13, 300 13, 300 13, 600	10, 100	8, 440 8, 440 8, 210 7, 670 7, 880	7,000 6,910 6,830 6,910 6,670	6, 590 6, 670 6, 520 6, 520 6, 520	6, 250 6, 520 6, 310 6, 310 6, 520	6, 590 6, 380	6, 800
26	14, 800 14, 500 14, 300 14, 300 14, 300 14, 500	13, 800 13, 600 13, 300 13, 300 13, 800	12, 600 12, 600 12, 200 12, 000 12, 400 13, 600	11,600 11,600 11,600 11,600 11,600 12,000	13, 900 13, 100 12, 600 12, 900	}11, 200 11, 000 10, 400 10, 600 10, 100	7, 670 7, 270 7, 880 6, 910 7, 770	6, 670 6, 670 6, 670 6, 670 6, 750 6, 750	6, 520 6, 450 6, 520 6, 130 6, 520	6, 310 6, 380 6, 400	6, 500 6, 520	6, 830 7, 000 6, 830

Note.—Owing to water-stage recorder not operating satisfactorily, discharge estimated by comparison with flow at King Hill, Weiser, and Oxbow Mar. 20-21, 23-27, Apr. 16-19, July 28-31, Aug. 1-3, 23-30, and Sept. 20-27.

Monthly discharge of Snake River near Murphy, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

35	Discha	rge in second	1-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
OctoberNovember	14,500	8, 320 12, 900	12, 400 13, 800	762, 000 821, 000	
December January February	13,300	12,000 10,100 12,400	12, 800 11, 500 13, 600	787, 000 707, 000 782, 000	
March April	13, 100 10, 800	10, 100 6, 910	11, 300 8, 730	695, 000 519, 000	
May June July	7,090	6, 670 6, 130 6, 130	7, 050 6, 620 6, 440	433, 000 394, 000 396, 000	
AugustSeptember		6, 190 6, 310	6, 430 6, 650	395, 000 396, 000	
The year	15, 800	6, 130	9, 760	7, 090, 000	

#### SNAKE RIVER AT WEISER, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 31, T. 11 N., R. 5 W., a third of a mile above wagon bridge at Weiser, Washington County. Between this station and station near Murphy, Sucker Creek and Owyhee and Malheur Rivers enter Snake River from left and Boise, Payette, and Weiser Rivers from right.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured,

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—October 8, 1910, to September 30, 1924. Fragmentary gage height record obtained by United States Weather Bureau since 1895.

GAGE.—Inclined concrete gage on right bank; installed by United States Weather Bureau; read by J. W. Lapish. Elevation of zero of gage is at 2, 087.22 feet above sea level.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 200 yards below bridge.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of rocks and coarse gravel. One channel at all stages. Control fairly permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 6.60 feet February 9 (discharge, 28,900 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.35 feet August 5 (discharge, 5,100 second-feet.)

1910-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 13.60 feet May 23, 1921 (discharge, 83,100 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.35 feet August 5, 1924. A stage of 15.7 feet was observed March 3, 1910, on old Weather Bureau gage (discharge, about 100,000 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

Diversions.—Some water is diverted between Weiser and the station near Murphy by pumping.

REGULATION.—Diurnal fluctuations during periods of low water due to operations at Swan Falls power plant above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent. Rating curve well-defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by United States Weather Bureau.

Discharge measurements of Snake River at Weiser, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct 30Feb 26	Feet 4. 61 4. 68	Secft. 18, 000 18, 200	June 3 June 24	Feet 2. 12 1. 76	Secft. 48, 450 6, 390	Aug. 1 Sept. 22	Feet 1. 51 1. 79	Secft. 5, 710 6, 520

<sup>2</sup> Result unreliable owing to inaccurate soundings.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	10,600	17, 500	17, 100	15, 600	16, 100	17, 100	11, 700	9, 860	8, 180	6, 020	5, 700	6, 020
2	11,200	17, 100	17, 100	15, 600	20, 500	16, 600	12, 500	8, 910	7, 660	6, 020	5, 700	6, 020
3	10,800	17, 100	17, 100	15, 200	22, 600	16, 100	13, 400	8, 540	7, 480	6, 020	5, 860	6, 020
4	10,800	16, 600	17, 100	15, 200	20, 000	17, 100	13, 400	8, 910	7, 310	5, 860	6, 170	5, 860
5	11,700	17, 100	17, 100	15, 200	19, 500	16, 100	12, 900	10, 000	7, 660	5, 860	5, 100	5, 860
6	11, 700	18,000	17, 100	15, 200	20, 500	15, 600	12, 900	10, 800	7,660	6, 020	5, 860	5, 860
7	11, 700	18,000	17, 100	14, 700	21, 000	15, 200	12, 900	13, 400	7,660	6, 020	5, 550	5, 860
8	14, 300	18,000	17, 100	14, 300	22, 600	15, 200	13, 400	10, 000	7,830	6, 170	5, 700	5, 860
9	15, 600	18,000	17, 100	13, 800	28, 900	15, 200	13, 800	11, 700	7,830	6, 170	5, 550	5, 860
10	16, 100	17,500	17, 100	13, 400	26, 500	15, 200	14, 700	11, 700	8,000	6, 170	5, 700	5, 860
11	17, 100	17, 500	16, 600	13, 400	28, 200	15, 200	15, 200	12, 100	7, 830	6, 020	5, 860	6, 170
12	17, 100	17, 500	16, 100	13, 400	23, 700	15, 200	15, 200	12, 500	7, 660	5, 860	5, 400	6, 170
13	18, 000	17, 500	16, 100	13, 800	21, 000	13, 400	15, 200	14, 300	8, 180	5, 860	5, 860	6, 170
14	17, 500	17, 100	15, 600	14, 300	19, 500	13, 400	14, 700	14, 300	7, 480	5, 700	5, 860	6, 170
15	17, 500	17, 100	15, 600	14, 700	20, 000	14, 300	14, 700	14, 700	7, 480	5, 700	5, 700	6, 170
16 17 18 19 20	17, 100 17, 100 17, 100	17, 100 17, 100 17, 100 17, 100 17, 100	15, 200 15, 200 15, 200 15, 200 15, 200	15, 200 15, 200 14, 700 14, 300 14, 300	20,000 21,000 21,000 20,000 19,000	13, 800 13, 800 14, 300 14, 300 13, 800	14, 700 14, 300 13, 400 13, 400 12, 900	15, 200 16, 100 15, 200 14, 700 14, 700	7, 140 6, 810 6, 810 6, 810 6, 810	5, 860 5, 700 5, 550 5, 860 5, 860	5, 700 5, 860 6, 020 6, 020 6, 170	6, 330 6, 330 6, 170 6, 330 6, 170
21	17, 100	16, 600	15, 200	14, 300	19, 000	13, 400	11, 700	13, 800	6,810	5, 700	6, 020	6, 490
22	17, 500	16, 600	15, 200	14, 300	19, 000	13, 400	12, 900	13, 800	6,810	5, 700	6, 170	6, 490
23	17, 500	16, 100	15, 600	14, 300	18, 500	13, 800	12, 900	12, 500	6,980	6, 550	6, 330	6, 650
24	18, 000	16, 600	15, 200	14, 300	18, 000	14, 700	12, 500	11, 700	6,490	6, 020	6, 170	6, 650
25	18, 000	16, 600	15, 200	14, 700	18, 000	14, 300	12, 100	11, 200	6,490	5, 700	5, 860	6, 650
26 27 28 29 30 31	18, 000 18, 500 18, 000 18, 000 18, 000 17, 500	17, 100 18, 000 17, 500 17, 500 17, 100	15, 200 15, 200 15, 600 15, 600 15, 600 15, 200	14, 700 14, 700 14, 300 14, 700 14, 300 15, 200	18, 500 17, 500 17, 500 17, 100	14, 700 14, 700 14, 300 13, 400 12, 500 11, 700	11, 700 11, 700 10, 800 10, 000 9, 100	10, 800 10, 400 9, 860 8, 540 8, 910 8, 540	6, 490 6, 330 6, 330 6, 170 6, 020	5, 700 5, 700 5, 700 5, 700 5, 700 5, 700	6, 020 6, 170 5, 860 6, 170 5, 860 6, 020	6, 650 7, 140 7, 140 7, 310 7, 140

Monthly discharge of Snake River at Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
$\mathbf{Month}$	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November December January February March April May June July August	18, 000 17, 100 15, 600 28, 900 17, 100 15, 200 16, 100 8, 180 6, 170 6, 330	10, 600 16, 100 15, 200 13, 400 16, 100 11, 700 9, 100 8, 540 6, 020 5, 550 5, 100	15, 900 17, 200 16, 000 14, 600 20, 500 14, 600 13, 000 11, 900 7, 170 5, 840 5, 870	978, 000 1, 020, 000 984, 000 898, 000 1, 180, 000 774, 000 732, 000 427, 000 359, 000	
September	7, 310 28, 900	5, 860	6, 320 12, 400	376, 000 8, 990, 000	

## SNAKE RIVER AT OXBOW, OREG.

LOCATION.—In NW. ¼ sec. 16, T. 7 S., R. 48 E. Willamette meridian, at Oxbow station on Homestead branch of Oregon Short Line Railroad, Baker County, five-eighths mile above intake of diversion tunnel for Oxbow power plant, and 1¼ miles southeast of Copperfield post office.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 22, 1923, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Au water-stage recorder on left bank; installed December 20, 1923; inspected by William T. Kingsley and L. W. Goodin. Prior to December 20, 1923, an inclined staff at present site and datum was used.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable at gage.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel and boulders. Banks high; not subject to overflow. One channel at all stages. Control fairly permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year from water-stage recorder, 13.42 feet at 11 a.m. February 9 (discharge, 30,800 second-feet); minimum stage, 6.30 feet from 5 to 6 a.m. August 6 (discharge, 4,890 second-feet).

1923-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 15.5 feet June 12, 1923 (discharge, 42,900 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge occurred August 6, 1924.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seldom affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—A number of small pumping plants divert water for irrigation between this station and the one at Weiser.

REGULATION.—Diurnal fluctuations during periods of low water due to operations of Swan Falls power plant above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation assumed to have changed slightly October 16-24. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily prior to December 20, and at other times during April, May, and June when water was below inlet pipe as noted in footnote to table of daily discharge; water-stage recorder satisfactorily operated during remainder of year. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table except as noted in footnote to table of daily discharge. For periods water-stage recorder was operated, mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records excellent July to September; others good.

Discharge measurements of Snake River at Oxbow, Oreg., during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 15 Oct. 25 Dec. 20 Feb. 28	Feet 10. 60 10. 63 9. 90 10. 65	Secft. 17, 500 18, 400 15, 700 18, 800	Feb. 28 Mar. 3 May 14 June 19	Feet 10. 60 10. 37 10. 13 7. 43	Secft. 18, 400 17, 500 16, 400 7, 250	June 30	Feet 6. 92 6. 54 6. 96	Secft. 6, 180 5, 320 6, 240

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Oxbow, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jạn.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	11, 400	18, 000	17, 600	16, 000	16,000	18,000	13, 000	10, 500	9, 290	5, 680	5, 680	5, 890
2	10, 800	18, 400	17, 200	16, 000	18,000	18,000	13, 600	12, 400	8, 990	5, 890	5, 680	5, 890
3	11, 400	18, 000	17, 600	16, 400	21,300	17,600	14, 000	10, 800	9, 290	5, 890	5, 680	5, 890
4	11, 400	18, 000	16, 400	15, 300	20,800	17,200	14, 300	12, 400	8, 390	6, 100	5, 680	5, 890
5	12, 500	18, 400	16, 800	13, 700	20,000	17,600	14, 700	12, 100	8, 390	5, 890	5, 680	5, 890
6	13, 200	18, 000	16, 800	13, 700	20,000	17, 200	14, 300	13, 500	7,700	5, 680	5, 480	5, 890
7	12, 500	18, 400	17, 200	14, 000	23,000	16, 800	14, 000	15, 600	7,700	5, 890	5, 680	5, 890
8	13, 600	18, 400	17, 200	14, 300	26,000	16, 800	14, 700	15, 000	9,290	6, 100	5, 680	5, 890
9	14, 800	18, 000	17, 600	16, 000	29,800	16, 800	15, 000	13, 000	8,230	6, 310	5, 480	5, 890
10	15, 200	18, 000	17, 600	15, 200	26,400	16, 800	16, 000	13, 600	7,960	6, 100	5, 680	5, 890
11	16,800	18, 000	16, 000	14, 400	27, 800	16, 400	16, 400	16, 300	8, 230	5, 890	5, 680	5, 890
12		17, 600	15, 200	14, 400	26, 000	16, 400	16, 800	15, 600	8, 230	5, 680	5, 480	6, 100
13		17, 600	16, 000	14, 800	22, 500	16, 000	17, 600	15, 600	7, 700	5, 890	5, 480	6, 310
14		17, 600	16, 800	14, 800	20, 800	15, 200	16, 800	16, 800	8, 230	5, 680	5, 480	6, 310
15		17, 600	16, 800	14, 400	20, 800	15, 200	16, 800	16, 800	7, 700	5, 480	5, 480	6, 310
16	17, 600	17, 600	16, 400	14, 800	21, 300	15, 200	16, 800	17, 200	7, 450	5, 890	5, 280	6, 100
17	17, 200	17, 600	16, 000	14, 800	21, 300	15, 200	16, 000	17, 600	7, 210	5, 890	5, 280	6, 310
18	17, 600	17, 600	15, 600	15, 200	21, 700	15, 200	15, 000	17, 600	6, 980	5, 680	5, 280	6, 310
19	17, 200	17, 600	15, 600	15, 200	21, 300	15, 200	14, 400	16, 800	7, 210	5, 890	5, 680	6, 100
20	17, 200	17, 600	15, 200	14, 800	20, 800	15, 200	14, 300	16, 400	6, 980	5, 680	5, 680	6, 100
21	17, 600	17, 600	15, 200	14, 800	20, 000	15, 200	17, 700	16, 000	6, 750	5, 890	5, 890	6, 310
22	18, 000	17, 600	15, 600	14, 800	20, 400	14, 800	13, 400	15, 600	6, 750	5, 680	5, 680	6, 310
23	18, 000	17, 200	15, 600	14, 800	20, 400	14, 800	14, 300	14, 400	6, 750	5, 680	6, 100	6, 310
24	18, 000	17, 200	16, 000	14, 800	20, 000	14, 400	14, 300	13, 200	6, 750	5, 890	6, 100	6, 310
25	18, 400	17, 200	16, 000	14, 400	19, 600	15, 200	14, 000	13, 400	6, 310	5, 890	5, 890	6, 310
26 27 28 29 30 31	17, 600 18, 400 18, 400 18, 000 18, 000 18, 000	17, 200 17, 600 17, 600 17, 600 17, 600	16, 400 15, 600 16, 000 16, 400 16, 000 16, 000	14, 400 14, 800 14, 800 14, 800 15, 200 15, 200	19, 200 18, 800 18, 400 18, 400	15, 200 14, 800 15, 000 14, 700 14, 700 14, 700	13, 200 13, 400 13, 000 12, 700 11, 800	12, 700 12, 100 11, 100 10, 200 9, 900 8, 800	6, 310 6, 310 6, 310 6, 100 6, 100	5, 680 5, 890 5, 890 5, 680 5, 890 5, 890	5, 680 5, 890 5, 890 5, 680 5, 890 5, 890	6, 530 6, 530 6, 750 6, 980 7, 210

Note.—Water below intake of gage well Jan. 4-8, Mar. 28-31, Apr. 1-9, 18-30, May 1-12, 23-31, and June 1-22, for which discharge was determined by means of staff readings Apr. 2, 7, 19, 26, May 3, 10, 24, 31, June 6-7, 9-22; for remaining periods discharge was based on flow determined at tailrace of Oxbow power plant 13/2 miles below, except May 23 for which it was interpolated. Discharge interpolated Sept. 1-4. Shifting-control method used Oct. 16-24.

Monthly discharge of Snake River at Oxbow, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1924

25. 11	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June June July August September	17, 600 16, 400 29, 800 18, 000 17, 700 17, 600 9, 290 6, 310	10, 800 17, 20 <del>0</del> 15, 200 13, 700 16, 000 14, 400 11, 800 8, 800 6, 100 5, 480 5, 280 5, 280 5, 890	16, 100 17, 700 16, 300 14, 900 21, 400 15, 900 14, 700 14, 000 7, 520 5, 840 6, 210	990, 000 1, 050, 000 1, 000, 000 916, 000 1, 230, 000 875, 000 861, 000 447, 000 359, 000 349, 000
The year	29, 800	5, 280	13, 000	9, 420, 000

#### TRIBUTARY BASINS

### HENRYS FORK NEAR LAKE, IDAHO

- Location.—In SW. ¼ sec. 26, T. 15 N., R. 43 E., one-fourth mile below Henrys Lake reservoir dam and 4 miles south of Lake post office, Fremont County. Drainage area.—Not measured.
- RECORDS AVAILABLE.—September 21, 1922, to September 30, 1924. May 17, 1920, to September 20, 1922, at a site 3 miles downstream just below mouth of Dry Creek.
- Gage.—Stevens eight-day water-stage recorder on left bank; read by J. M. McGinn.
- DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from footbridge just above gage or by wading.
- Channel and control.—Bed composed of small cobbles and gravel; fairly permanent. One channel at all stages.
- EXTREMES- OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 4.84 feet at 10 p. m. August 6 (discharge, 743 second-feet); minimum discharge, 1 second-foot, during several days in October after reservoir gates were closed for storage purposes.
  - 1920-1924: Maximum stage recorded occurred August 6, 1924; minimum discharge, 1 second-foot July 1-8 and October 26, 1923.
- ICE —Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice and records discontinued during winter.
- Diversions.—None between Henrys Lake reservoir dam and gaging station and practically none above dam.
- REGULATION.—Flow controlled by operation of gates in Henrys Lake reservoir dam.
- Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed during winter. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.
- COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by North Fork Reservoir Association.

Discharge measurements of Henrys Fork near Lake, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
June 11	Feet 1. 22 1. 33 2. 80 2. 88 2. 12	Secft. 56. 5 71. 0 271 289 165	July 15	Feet 2. 52 3. 65 3. 43 3. 95 2. 60	Secft. 225 440 389 512 247	Aug. 1	Feet 3. 76 4. 64 4. 11 1. 52	Secft. 473 683 552 78. 4

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Henrys Fork near Lake, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Oct.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	8 8 8 7		20 20 20 20 20 23	271 296 394 367 359	457 556 313 563 648	101 93 87 73 69	16 17 18 19	1 1 1 1		73 70 69 68 68	242 237 363 489 518	438 407 363 326 308	41 27 27 26 26
6	7 6 7 7 4		24 25 24 25 47	353 485 425 289 277	664 659 573 533 506	72 70 56 41 35	21 22 23 24 25	1 1 2 1 1	38 38 39	66 64 65 64 63	473 407 284 245 258	300 271 253 232 213	26 27 26 27 27
11	3 2 2 2 1		60 71 74 76 76	276 195 170 165 194	492 473 440 436 473	30 29 28 50 56	26		39 37 35 34 35 24	62 210 271 269 271	308 247 252 321 403 414	192 171 155 136 127 115	27 28 28 28 27

Note.--No record obtained Oct. 28 to May 22.

Monthly discharge of Henrys Fork near Lake, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

March	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 1-27 May 23-31 June July August September	8 39 271 518 664 101	1 24 20 165 115 26	3. 44 35. 4 78. 6 322 380 43. 6	184 632 4, 680 19, 800 23, 400 2, 590

### HENRYS FORK AT WARM RIVER, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 12, T. 9 N., R. 43 E., 300 yards above mouth of Warm River and half a mile above Warm River Railroad station, Fremont County; above all main tributaries.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—September 3, 1910, to March 22, 1915; April 3, 1918, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Au water-stage recorder on left bank used October 1–23, May 8 to September 30; for other periods vertical staff readings only; read daily by H. E. Sheppard.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable at gage.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of cobbles, gravel, and sand. Stagedischarge relation at times affected by growth of moss and water vegetation; otherwise conditions are fairly permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 5.20 feet at 1 p. m. May 4 and 5 (discharge, 1,530 second-feet); minimum stage, 4.00 feet December 9 and January 2-3 (discharge, 706 second-feet).

1910-1915; 1918-1924: Maximum discharge, 3,390 second-feet May 16, 1920; minimum discharge, 623 second-feet January 10 and 11, 1921.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Practically none above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except as noted in footnote to daily-discharge table. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good except during ice-affected period in January for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of Henrys Fork at Warm River, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 20 Jan. 18 May 6	Feet 4. 26 4. 30 4. 66	Secft. 862 819 1, 130	June 8 July 6 July 31	Feet 4. 29 4. 57 4. 51	Secft. 861 1, 100 1, 060	Aug. 11 Sept. 11 Sept. 30	Feet 4. 75 4. 12 4. 08	Secft. 1, 230 779 763

a Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Henrys Fork at Warm River, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	843 837 843 843 855	855 855 855 855 855 855	794 886 855 855 855	824 706 706	855 855 886 824 824	794 794 794 794 794 794	764 764 764 824 824	1, 260 1, 370 1, 370 1, 530 1, 530	880 861 874 868 855	1, 020 1, 010 1, 020 1, 030 1, 080	1, 100 1, 130 1, 150 1, 200 1, 130	950 931 905 893 886
6 7	855 868 880 886 905	855 855 855 855 855	855 886 886 706 794		824 824 855 855 824	794 794 794 794 794	824 824 824 794 794	1, 120 1, 050 1, 060 1, 070 1, 060	880 886 886 880 855	1,090 1,120 1,140 1,180 1,170	1, 230 1, 310 1, 320 1, 310 1, 270	868 861 843 837 824
11 12 13 14 15	899 886 874 874 874	855 855 855 855 855	794 824 824 855 855	790	794 794 794 764 764	794 794 794 794 794	794 794 855 855 918	1,060 1,060 1,060 1,070 1,070	855 861 868 861 861	1, 080 1, 060 1, 060 1, 000 964	1, 210 1, 200 1, 190 1, 190 1, 150	782 759 753 753 759
16 17 18 19 20	880 893 861 861 861	855 855 855 855 855	824 824 824 824 824	819	764 764 764 764 764	794 794 794 794 794	918 855 824 824 855	1, 060 1, 060 1, 040 1, 020 990	861 849 843 861 849	950 983 996 1,010 1,150	1, 150 1, 170 1, 160 1, 150 1, 140	782 782 776 770 776
21 22 23 24 25	886 886 886 886 886	855 855 855 855 855	794 794 794 824 824	825	794 794 794 794 794	764 764 735 735 735	918 918 1, 080 1, 080 1, 020	970 957 938 938 924	837 831 831 824 824	1, 260 1, 280 1, 240 1, 180 1, 110	1, 130 1, 110 1, 080 1, 060 1, 050	770 759 753 759 770
26	886 886 886 855 855	855 824 824 824 824	855 855 855 855 855 855 824		794 794 794 794 	764 764 764 764 735 735	1, 050 1, 050 1, 080 1, 080 1, 120	938 918 912 912 905 905	812 812 849 990 1,000	1, 040 1, 040 1, 070 1, 040 1, 030 1, 050	1, 040 1, 030 1, 020 996 983 970	776 770 759 759 759

Note.—Discharges estimated Jan. 4-17 and 19-31; actual measurement used Jan. 18. Shifting-control method used Oct. 1-19, June 28, and Aug. 12 to Sept. 10.

Monthly discharge of Henrys Fork at Warm River, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	ırge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June June July August	855 886 794 1, 120 1, 530 1, 000 1, 280	837 824 706 764 735 764 905 812 950 970	872 851 831 801 804 779 896 1, 070 863 1, 080 1, 140	53, 600 50, 600 51, 100 49, 300 46, 200 47, 900 53, 300 65, 800 51, 400 66, 400
SeptemberThe year	950	753 706	900	47, 800 654, 000

#### HENRYS FORK NEAR ASHTON, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In T. 9 N., R. 42 E., one-fourth mile below Ora highway bridge, 3 miles below hydroelectric power plant of Utah Power & Light Co., and 5 miles southwest of Ashton, Fremont County. Station was formerly maintained at Ora highway bridge, one-fourth mile upstream; described in some previous reports as "North Fork of Snake River near Ora, Idaho." Records at old and new station are comparable.

Drainage area.—1,040 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—August 20, 1902, to June 30, 1909; April 20, 1920, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Stevens eight-day water-stage recorder on right bank; installed April 25, 1921; inspected by R. H. Fuqua.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable a quarter of a mile above gage. CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of coarse gravel. Control not well defined; subject to shifts during high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge recorded during period, May 3 to September 30, 1.23 feet at 2 p. m. May 3 (discharge, 2,220 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.09 foot at noon August 15 (discharge, 575 second-feet).

1902-1909; 1920-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.50 feet (bridge gage) May 20, 1904 (discharge, 5,370 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.09 foot at noon August 15, 1924 (discharge, 575 second-feet).

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation not seriously affected by ice. Observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—None above station.

REGULATION.—None except that due to operation of gates at dam of Utah Power and Light Co.'s power plant 3 miles above station.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory during period. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Henrys Fork near Ashton, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 21 May 3 May 26	Feet 0. 74 1. 22 . 69	Secft. 1, 150 2, 210 1, 270	June 30 July 29 Aug. 15	Feet 0. 67 . 73 . 11	Secft. 1, 210 1, 300 589	Sept. 9 Sept. 28	Feet 0. 54 . 43	Secft. 1, 050 885

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Henrys Fork near Ashton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	2, 160 2, 100 2, 020	1, 120 1, 080 1, 030 1, 000 1, 020	1, 180 1, 200 1, 200 1, 200 1, 230	1, 240 1, 340 1, 340 1, 360 1, 370	975 975 975 1,000 1,230	16	1, 450 1, 470 1, 440 1, 420 1, 370	1, 100 1, 080 1, 040 1, 070 1, 080	1, 320 1, 290 1, 280 1, 220 1, 260	1, 450 1, 500 1, 420 1, 390 1, 340	1,000 1,020 963 975 1,060
6 7	1,730 1,440 1,400 1,490 1,520	1,060 1,060 1,080 1,110 1,070	1, 260 1, 360 1, 370 1, 340 1, 320	1, 400 1, 630 1, 610 1, 590 1, 590	1, 110 1, 020 1, 000 1, 030 1, 040	21 22 23 24 25	1, 240 1, 140 1, 370 1, 230 1, 180	1, 070 1, 040 1, 030 1, 020 1, 000	1, 420 1, 490 1, 520 1, 520 1, 490	1, 310 1, 290 1, 280 1, 320 1, 160	1,040 927 890 878 854
11	1, 370 1, 400 1, 470 1, 470 1, 470	1, 070 1, 070 1, 080 1, 080 1, 070	1, 280 1, 220 1, 260 1, 360 1, 360	1, 560 1, 420 1, 420 1, 490 1, 240	1, 030 1, 000 988 975 975	26	1, 220 1, 220 1, 200 1, 170 1, 100 1, 060	975 975 1,020 1,200 1,220	1, 420 1, 360 1, 340 1, 280 1, 240 1, 230	1, 280 1, 180 1, 080 1, 100 1, 100 1, 060	890 963 939 951 975

NOTE.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 2.

Monthly discharge of Henrys Fork near Ashton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

		Discha	i-feet	Run-off in	
uan e	Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
			1, 060 975	1, 420 1, 060	81, 700 63, 100
JulyAugust		1, 520 1, 630	1, 180 1, 060 854	1, 320 1, 350 988	81, 200 83, 000 58, 800
The period		-			368, 000

# DIVERSIONS FROM HENRYS FORK BETWEEN ASHTON AND ST. ANTHONY GAGING STATIONS, 'IDAHO

Between Ashton and St. Anthony gaging stations six separate canals divert water from Henrys Fork for irrigation. Gaging stations are maintained at headings of each canal by the United States Geological Survey for the Idaho State Department of Reclamation to facilitate distribution of the water. Records are available from June 1, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

Stage-discharge relation on most of the canals is affected by growth of aquatic plants or by operation of check gates. Rating curves well defined. Gages read to hundredths daily May 19 to September 30. Records good.

Combined daily discharge, in second-feet, of canals diverting from Henrys Fork between Ashton and St. Anthony gaging stations for the irrigation season of 1924

Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		1, 070 928 968 1, 000 1, 020 1, 100 1, 060 980 945 966	883 778 765 551 481 487 500 472 589 806	695 577 640 670 683 667 680 662 656 654	410 417 403 350 301 286 284 270 263 297	16		965 907 862 892 931 867 855 777 707 800	643 623 573 560 632 619 616 610 610 607	557 572 573 605 589 589 587 569 525 466	329 330 337 332 270 250 262 255 263 258
11121314151		867 815 830 875 933	819 822 839 815 773	633 611 601 590 565	319 329 331 330 328	26	1, 320 1, 330 1, 270 1, 140 1, 140 1, 150	735 786 750 765 765	595 613 633 709 778 741	478 460 449 430 437 405	254 304 303 303 304

Note.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 18. One diversion is above mouth of Fall River and five are below.

Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Henrys Fork between Ashton and St. Anthony gaging stations for the irrigation season of 1924

Month	Discha	d-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 19-31. June. July. August September.	1, 390 1, 100 883 695 417	1, 140 707 472 405 250	1, 280 891 663 576 309	33, 000 53, 000 40, 800 35, 400 18, 400
The period				181,000

#### HENRYS FORK AT ST. ANTHONY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 1, T. 7 N., R. 40 E., half a mile above bridge on the main street of St. Anthony, Fremont County, and 9 miles below mouth of Fall River.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 26, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Stevens eight-day water-stage recorder on right bank; installed May 8, 1922; inspected by Ernest Luetjen.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 600 feet below gage.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of coarse gravel and outcrops of lava.

One channel at all stages. Control shifts slightly at high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period April 19 to September 30, 4.26 feet at noon May 5 (discharge, 2,470 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.87 feet at 2 a. m. June 28 (discharge, 476 second-feet).

1919-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 6.35 feet June 1, 1921 (discharge, 7,140 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.87 feet June 28, 1924 (discharge, 476 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice; observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Numerous diversions both above and below station.

REGULATION.—Flow affected by manipulation of canal head gates above station and by operation of Warm Springs Power Co.'s plant 17 miles upstream.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except as noted in footnote to daily-discharge table. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Henrys Fork at St. Anthony Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 19 June 7	Feet 3. 15 3. 47	Secft. 693 1,060	July 10 Aug. 23	Feet 3. 15 3. 50	Secft. 715 1,090	Sept. 27	Feet 3. 31	Secft. 862

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Henrys Fork at St. Anthony, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5		1, 350 1, 540 1, 970 2, 320 2, 280	693 813 1,020 1,200 1,410	638 630 664 824 890	596 750 890 1,060 1,100	901 924 866 901 1,110	16 17 18 19 20	684 693	1,350 1,430 1,490 1,560 1,530	996 813 684 604 712	646 646 684 740 834	924 1,170 1,110 1,200 1,160	782 771 782 750 936
6 7 8 9 10		1,600 1,400 1,110 1,260 1,300	1, 350 1, 020 855 722 664	947 1,020 1,090 760 684	1,060 1,180 1,330 1,290 1,270	1, 160 1, 130 947 912 901	21 22 23 24 25	702 771 936 1,210 1,530	1, 380 1, 330 1, 560 1, 290 1, 160	702 684 655 674 646	983 1, 020 996 996 983	1, 110 1, 100 1, 130 1, 200 1, 110	1, 100 1, 040 1, 040 1, 130 1, 130
11 12 13 14 15		1, 240 1, 290 1, 360 1, 440 1, 350	684 702 855 996 996	612 587 540 596 646	1, 270 1, 160 1, 070 958 890	866 824 792 792 771	26 27 28 29 30 31	1, 160 1, 240 }1, 150	1, 330 1, 300 1, 040 970 824 731	532 510 502 630 674	901 813 750 674 621 570	1, 110 1, 130 996 996 996 983	866 855 792 792 802

NOTE.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to Apr. 18. No gage-height record Apr. 28 to May 1; discharge estimated.

Monthly discharge of Henrys Fork at St. Anthony, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
April 19-30. May. June July August. September.	1, 530 2, 320 1, 410 1, 090 1, 330 1, 160	684 731 502 540 596 750	1, 030 1, 390 800 774 1, 070 908	24, 500 85, 500 47, 600 47, 600 65, 800 54, 000	
The period				325, 000	

# DIVERSIONS FROM HENRYS FORK BETWEEN ST. ANTHONY AND REXBURG GAGING STATIONS, IDAHO

Between St. Anthony and Rexburg gaging stations four separate canals divert water from Henrys Fork for irrigation. Gaging stations are maintained at heading of each canal by the United States Geological Survey for the Idaho State Department of Reclamation to facilitate distribution of the water. Records are available from June 1, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

Stage-discharge relation on most of the canals affected by the growth of aquatic plants or by the operation of check gates. Rating curves well defined. Gages read to hundredths daily May 19 to September 30. Records good.

Combined daily discharge, in second-feet, of canals diverting from Henrys Fork between St. Anthony and Rexburg gaging stations for the irrigation season of 1924

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2		753 861 988 813 977	667 687 701 672 770	475 524 521 701 634	478 492 430 420 414	16 17 18 19 20		922 823 656 560 738	665 686 528 490 579	526 530 506 555 569	366 384 415 399 417
6 7 8 9		891 819 763 718 668	690 671 637 591 604	652 671 687 674 665	377 353 385 412 393	21	1, 140 1, 070 1, 080	740 681 693 659 683	666 622 735 716 723	556 573 583 516 449	397 374 388 388 388 377
11		720 689 865 870 937	649 643 602 614 661	702 627 608 624 594	380 380 365 356 365	26	1, 070 1, 040 934 887	587 535 569 632 760	701 662 657 592 579 604	482 471 473 464 460 461	362 373 374 395 395

NOTE.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 18.

Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Henrys Fork between St. Anthony and Rexburg gaging stations for the irrigation season of 1924

Month	Discha	1-feet	Run-off in		
Monen	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
May 19-31 June July August September	1, 140 988 770 702 492	560 535 490 449 - 353	971 752 647 566 393	25, 000 44, 700 39, 800 34, 800 23, 400	
The period.				168,000	

#### HENRYS FORK NEAR REXBURG, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 30, T. 6 N., R. 39 E., just below highway bridge, 1 mile below mouth of south channel of Teton River, 7 miles below mouth of main channel of Teton River, and 7 miles west of Rexburg, Madison County. Below all tributaries.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 13, 1909, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank 250 feet below bridge; installed April 5, 1913; inspected by Mrs. Irvin Siepert.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable a quarter of a mile below gage, from highway bridge above, or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of mud, sand, and fine gravel; shifting. Except at bridge, left bank is overflowed at high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during periods October 1-19 and April 8 to September 30, 4.06 feet from 11 a. m. to 2 p. m. October 19 (discharge, 1,710 second-feet); minimum stage, about 1.87 feet June 30 and July 1 (discharge, 391 second-feet).

1909-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 10.12 feet at 8 a. m. June 2, 1921 (discharge, 8,300 second-feet); minimum discharge, 355 second-feet June 28 and 29, 1919.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice; observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—A large percentage of normal summer flow diverted above station. REGULATION.—None except that due to operation of head gates of irrigation canals.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve well defined; several parallel curves used. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except April 18, 30, May 1-2, and 9-15. Staff gage read to hundredths daily during periods. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table except as noted in footnote to daily-discharge table; shifting-control method used during many periods. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Henrys Fork near Rexburg, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 19	Feet 4. 06 2. 65 2. 13 2. 21 2. 15	Secft. 1,720 789 476 509 499	June 29	Feet 1. 91 2. 06 2. 46 2. 01	Secft. 408 505 722 455	Aug. 9	Feet 2. 96 2. 83 2. 78 2. 99	Secft. 957 912 915 1,040

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Henrys Fork near Rexburg, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1, 190 1, 190 1, 190 1, 150 1, 180		772 848 923 1, 280 1, 410	478 488 497 507 640	394 401 401 394 470	432 455 557 663 726	852 790 795 770 852
6	1, 200 1, 220 1, 240 1, 290 1, 330	805 962 1,070	1, 220 800 895 709 523	800 810 682 632 578	574 650 810 735 583	755 726 895 956 945	1,050 1,100 1,030 928 906
11	1, 400 1, 460 1, 490 1, 520 1, 560	1, 060 962 991 997 1, 090	490 552	544 515 490 478 494	507 482 466 443 455	940 895 874 826 760	901 874 831 800 795
16	1,600 1,640 1,670 1,710	1, 050 852 804 755 678	490 523 574 618 668	574 561 519 498 507	478 466 447 536 663	654 755 874 895 917	770 765 755 721 750
21		618 605 632 673 874	650 583 650 716 618	507 494 478 462 459	711 785 726 726 721	912 923 906 917 1,020	917 1, 010 951 985 1, 010
26		810 755 687 622 697	574 632 609 565 548 507	447 420 401 401 394	678 622 574 527 470 435	912 1, 020 912 857 857 863	895 790 745 696 663

Note.—No record obtained Oct. 20 to Apr. 7. No gage-height record Oct. 13-18, Apr. 18, Apr. 30 to May 2, and May 9; discharge interpolated. No gage-height record May 11-14; discharge estimated.

Monthly discharge of Henrys Fork near Rexburg, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

76	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 1–19	1,710 1,090 1,410 810 810 1,020 1,100	1, 150 605 490 394 394 432 663	1, 380 828 691 525 559 826 857	52,000 37,800 42,500 31,200 34,400 50,800 51,000

## BIG SPRINGS CREEK AT BIG SPRINGS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 32, T. 14 N., R. 44 E. at Big Springs forest ranger station and one-half mile southeast of Big Springs railroad station of Oregon Short Line Railroad, Fremont County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 18 to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Vertical staff on left bank one-fourth mile below wagon bridge; read by Ira Latham.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from wagon bridge or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of fine gravel and well-packed sand.

Control not well defined. Subject to slight shifts.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Range of discharge during period from 166 to 169 second-feet. Stream spring fed, resulting in very uniform discharge.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Rating curve well defined. Staff gage read to hundredths daily, except as noted in footnote to daily-discharge table. Daily discharge obtained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by United States Forest Service.

The following discharge measurements were made:

June 18, 1924: Gage height, 0.66 foot; discharge, 166 second-feet.

July 14, 1924: Gage height, 0.70 foot; discharge, 168 second-feet.

August 3, 1924; Gage height, 0.74 foot; discharge, 169 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Springs Creek at Big Springs, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		167 167 167 167 167 167 167 167 167	169 169 169 169 169 169 169 169	167 167 167 167 167 167 167 167 168	16	166 167 167 167 167 167 167	168 168 168 168 168 168 168 168	168 168 168 168 168 168 168 168 168	167 167 167 167 167 167 167 167
10		167	169	167	25	167	169	168	167
11 12 13 14 15		167 167 167 168 168	169 169 169 168 168	167 167 167 167 167	26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31.	167 167 167 167 167	169 169 169 169 169 169	168 168 167 167 167 167	167 168 168 168

Note.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to June 17. No gage-height record June 19 to July 13, July 15-31, Aug. 4-23, 25-30 and Sept. 2-3, 28-30; discharge interpolated.

Monthly discharge of Big Springs Creek at Big Springs, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

26.44	Discha	rge in second	1-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
June 18-30 July August September The period	167 169 169 168	166 167 167 167	167 168 168 167	4, 310 10, 300 10, 300 9, 940 34, 800

#### WARM RIVER AT WARM RIVER, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 13, T. 9 N., R. 43 E., at highway bridge, half a mile above mouth and half a mile northeast of Warm River, Fremont County. Robinson Creek enters a quarter of a mile below station.

Drainage area.—144 square miles (measured on Forest Service maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—January 24, 1912, to March 22, 1915; April 3, 1918, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Vertical staff on downstream side of highway bridge; installed October 19, 1922; read by H. E. Sheppard. Prior gages at approximately same location but at different datum planes.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading or from highway bridge.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of large cobbles or boulders in gravel drift. Control shifts slightly.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 1.50 feet May 1-4 (discharge, 281 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.14 feet at 1 p. m. March 31 (discharge, 155 second-feet).

1912-1915; 1918-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 2.3 feet (original gage) June 2, 1912 (discharge, 900 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge occurred March 31, 1924.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation shifted slightly June 21. Rating curve fairly well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily except February 22. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Discharge interpolated February 22. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Warm River at Warm River, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 20 Jan. 17 May 6	Feet 1. 28 1. 26 1. 38	Secft. 201 191 230	June 9 July 13 July 31	Feet 1, 26 1, 22 1, 22	Secft. 197 191 188	Sept. 11	Feet 1. 19	Secft. 174

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Warm River at Warm River, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	222	194	174	194	194	188	181	281	194	188	188	181
2	222	194	194	188	194	188	181	281	194	188	188	181
3	222	194	194	188	201	188	181	281	194	188	188	181
4	222	194	194	188	188	188	181	281	194	188	188	181
5	222	194	194	194	188	188	181	237	194	188	188	181
0	222	194	194	194	100	100	101	201	194	100	100	- 101
6	222	194	194	194	188	188	188	237	194	188	188	181
7	222	194	194	194	188	188	188	237	194	194	181	181
8	222	194	194	194	194	188	188	230	201	194	181	181
9	222	194	174	194	194	188	188	230	194	188	181	181
10	230	194	174	194	194	188	188	230	194	188	181	181
11	230	194	174	194	188	188	188	230	194	188	181	181
12	222	194	174	194	188	188	188	230	194	188	181	181
13	222	194	174	194	188	188	188	230	194	188	181	181
	222								188		181	181
		194	194	194	188	188	188	222		188		101
15	222	194	194	194	188	188	188	222	188	188	181	181
16	222	194	194	194	188	188	188	222	188	188	181	181
17	230	194	194	194	188	188	188	208	188	188	181	181
18	230	194	194	194	188	188	188	208	188	188	181	181
19	222	194	194	194	188	188	188	208	188	188	181	181
20	208	194	194	194	188	188	188	208	208	201	181	181
21	237	194	174	194	188	188	201	201	208	194	181	181
22	237	194	174	194	188	188	201	201	201	188	181	181
23	230	194	174	194	188	174	208	201	201	188	181	181
24	230	194	194				208		194	188	181	174
25				194	188	174		201				
20	230	194	194	194	188	188	208	201	194	188	181	174
26	230	194	198	194	188	188	201	201	194	188	181	174
27	222	188	198	194	188	188	244	201	194	188	181	174
28	222	188	198	194	188	188	244	201	188	188	181	174
29	194	188	205	104	188	188	244	201	188	188	181	174
30	194	188	201	194	100	174	259	201	188	188	181	174
31	194	100	201	194		155	200	194	100	188	181	
U	104		201	102		100		191		100	101	

Monthly discharge of Warm River at Warm River, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	irge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	237	194	222	13, 600
November	194	188	193	11,500
December	205	174	189	11,600
January	194	188	193	11, 900
February	201	188	189	10,900
March	188	155	186	11,400
April	259	181	198	11,800
May	281	194	223	13, 700
June	208	188	194	11,500
July	201	188	189	11,600
August	188	181	182	11, 200
September	181	174	179	10, 700
The year	281	155	195	141, 000

# ROBINSON CREEK AT WARM RIVER, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 13, T. 9 N., R. 43 E., at Oregon Short Line Railroad bridge, 300 yards above mouth of creek and one-third mile northeast of Warm River, Fremont County.

Drainage area.—About 41 square miles (measured on Forest Service maps). Records available.—January 24, 1912, to March 22, 1915; April 4, 1918, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff attached to downstream side of pile bent of railroad bridge; read by H. E. Sheppard.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from railroad bridge or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of cobbles in gravel drift. Control is a well-defined cobble riffle 150 feet below gage; shifts occasionally.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 1.60 feet at 1 p. m. May 4 (discharge, 266 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.48 foot, several days in August and September (discharge, 46 second-feet); even lower discharge may have occurred during ice-affected periods.

1912-1915; 1918-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.3 feet May 28, 1912 (discharge, 1,140 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.4 feet February 7 and 8, 1921 (discharge, 34 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice for short periods.

DIVERSIONS.—None above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly during winter. Rating curves fairly well defined. Gage read to hundredths daily. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Robinson Creek at Warm River, Idaho, during the year ending September 30. 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 20	Feet 0.71 a1.10 1.29	Secft. 72.9 47.8 186	June 9 July 13	Feet 0.88 .56	Secft. 93. 6 54. 0	July 31 Sept. 11	Feet 0. 52 . 50	Secft. 55. 7 46. 5

<sup>·</sup> Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Robinson Creek at Warm River, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 34 5	71 71 71 71 71	74 74 74 74 74	71 69 74 74 74		65	56 56 56 56 56	56 56 56 56 56	162 176 212 266 217	101 98 94 88 82	58 58 56 56 56	51 51 47 47 47	46 46 46 46 47
6	71 71 71 71 74	74 74 74 74 74	74 74	50	70 70 65	56 56 56 56 56	56 56 56 73 76	186 186 207 239 255	82 88 94 98 98	56 62 60 58 56	47 47 47 47 47	53 49 53 49 51
11	80 77 77 77 77	74 74 74 74 74			58 58 58 58 58	56 56 56 56 56	76 76 82 82 88	255 255 255 255 255 250	84 94 88 70 68	56 56 54 56 56	47 47 47 47 46	47 47 47 46 46
16	80 80 80 77 77	74 74 74 74 74	55	48	58 58 58 58 56	56 56 56 56 56	88 84 70 82 101	250 212 186 172 162	68 65 65 68 70	53 53 51 51 70	46 46 46 46 46	46 46 49 49 49
21	80 80 80 80 77	74 74 74 74 74		55	56 56 56 56 56 58	56 56 56 56 56	116 127 140 140 127	158 136 136 127 123	70 65 60 60 60	62 58 51 51 51	49 47 47 46 46	49 47 47 47 49
26	74 74 74 74 74 74	74 71 71 71 71 71			58 56 56 56	56 56 56 56 56 56	119 119 119 127 131	119 119 119 116 116 116	60 60 58 58 58 58	51 51 51 51 51 50	46 46 46 46 46	51 49 47 47 47

Note.—No gage heights Jan. 6-17 and Feb. 22. Actual measurement used Jan. 18. Discharge interpolated Feb. 22; estimated Dec. 8 to Jan. 17 and Jan. 19 to Feb. 7.

Monthly discharge of Robinson Creek at Warm River, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	rge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	74 55 70 56 140 266 101 70 51	71 71 55 48 56 56 56 108 58 50 46 46	75. 4 73. 6 59. 0 52. 0 60. 3 56. 0 89. 7 185 75. 7 55. 2 46. 9 47. 9	4, 640 4, 380 3, 630 3, 200 3, 470 3, 440 5, 340 11, 400 4, 500 2, 880 2, 850
The year	266	46	73. 1	53, 100

# DIVERSIONS FROM FALL RIVER ABOVE GAGING STATION NEAR SQUIRREL, IDAHO

Above the gaging station near Squirrel three separate canals divert water from Fall River for irrigation. Gaging stations are maintained at heading of each canal by the United States Geological Survey for the Idaho State Department of Reclamation to facilitate distribution of the water. Records are available from June 1, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

Stage-discharge relation of these canals affected by growth of aquatic plants. Rating curves fairly well defined. Gages read to hundredths daily May 19 to September 30. Records good.

Combined daily discharge, in second-feet, of canals diverting from Fall River above gaging station near Squirrel, Idaho, for the irrigation season of 1924

Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		206	0	0	.0	16		224	64	0	30
3		180 188	0	0	15 15	18		227 241	8	0	38
5		192 242	0	0	15 15	19	122 153	0	8 8	0	35 35 2
6		238 153	0	114	15	21	171	0	8	0	20
7 8		211	0 12	0	14 15	23	196 202	0	8 8 8 8	0	20
9 l0		207 195	91 45	0	20 20	24	220 226	0	7	0 50	20 5
11 12		197	26	0	21	26 27	242	0	7	13	5'
13		80 0	100	0	21 33	28	231 232	0	7 7	13 0	6:
14 15		186	99 99	0	30 30	29 30	208 199 199	0	7 7 8	0 0	7.

NOTE.-No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 18.

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Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Fall River above gaging station near Squirrel, Idaho, for the irrigation season of 1924

Month	Discha	d-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 19-31	242 242	122	200 106	5, 160 6 310
June July August September	100	0	22. 3 6. 13	6, 310 1, 370 377
The period		0	30. 6	1,820

#### FALL RIVER NEAR SQUIRREL, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 35, T. 9 N., R. 44 E., 9 miles southeast of Marysville, 4 miles northeast of Squirrel post office, Fremont County. Marysville Canal diverts half a mile upstream. This station was formerly known as "Fall River near Fremont."

Drainage area.—390 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—January 1, 1904, to June 30, 1909; May 2, 1918, to September 30, 1924. Three miles above at Wilson's sawmill August 24, 1902, to December 31, 1903.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank; installed January 1, 1904; read by E. and T. W. Luetjen.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 200 feet below gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of boulders in gravel drift. Control formed by riffle below gage; fairly permanent. Banks high, clean, and not subject to overflow. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 3.48 feet at 8.30 a.m. May 21 (discharge, 1,920 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.46 feet at 1 p. m. January 19 (discharge, 124 second-feet).

1904-1909; 1918-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 5.6 feet June 14, 15, and 23, 1918 (discharge, 5,380 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.46 feet at 1 p. m. January 19, 1924 (discharge, 124 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Three irrigation canals divert above station.

REGULATION.—None except that due to head gate changes on canal above station.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent; affected by ice November 29 to February 13. Two rating curves used during year differing very little except in shape and at low stages. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge obtained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Fall River near Squirrel, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Jan. 19 May 8	Feet a1.57 2.76	Secft. 166 1,090	July 16 July 25	Feet 1. 96 2. 01	Secft. 394 445	Sept. 12	Feet 1. 89	Secft. 339

a Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Fall River near Squirrel, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	476	457	)	)	]	363	339	991	1,050	540	419	371
2	476	450	1		11	360	339	1, 110	1, 140	532	419 419	339
3	469	450		II		358 358	339 339	1, 140 1, 220	1, 330 1, 620	525 509	419	345 345
<b>4</b>	469 489	450 450	1			358	339	1,090	1,770	517	412	371
6	482	450	1			351	339	1,010	1,630	540	278	405
7	489	450	il .	1	420	351	339	1,040	1,170	525	405	392
8	482	450	H	li	120	351	339	1,090	1,010	517	405	385
9	476	444	11	H	ll .	351	339	1, 110	991	426	412	378
10	496	444	H	350	ll .	351	339	1, 180	836	392	405	412
11	502	482	il		il .	351	339	1, 420	799	434	405	378
12	489	469		ł	H	351	339	1,460	744	449	405	358
13	482	469		11	]]	351	385	1, 560	1,010	405	405	345
14	482	469	Ш	II.	525	345	412	1,530	1, 280	378	419	345
15	482	463	1		525	345	449	1, 560	1, 240	392	399	339
16	496	463	400		548	345	463	1, 580	1, 150	392	405	339
17	502	463	H	!!	501	339	441	1,710	1,090	405	405	339
18	502	463	!!		478	339	419	1,800	799	426	371	385
19	502	463		166	463	339	419	1, 820	836	434	392	371
20	496	463	il	138	463	332	426	1, 910	818	419	385	378
21	482	457	il	142	471	332	456	1,920	726	525	419	392
22	482	457	H	189	478	339	509	1, 900	744	540	399	385
23	476	457	[]	218	501	345	580	1,820	753	463	405	378
24	476	476	1)	289	501	345	622	1,530	656	449	392	358
25	469	482	11	308	478	339	639	1, 560	631	434	326	339
26	469	482		314	478	339	656	1,820	597	426	283	339
27	469	482	11	h	419	339	580	1,650	580	419	339	320
28	476	476	11	1	385	345	597	1,460	572	419	399	314
29	469	460	11	400	365	358	639	1, 150	572	405	385	295
30	457	450	ll .	1	I	339	913	1, 080	548	405	378	301
31	457		IJ	11		339		1, 110		412	378	
			1	<b>'</b>		1					1	

Note.—Discharges estimated Nov. 29 to Jan. 18 and Jan. 27 to Feb. 13. Actual measurement used Jan. 19. No gage-height record Jan. 18.

Monthly discharge of Fall River near Squirrel, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

36 mat	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December	482	457 444	481 461 400	29, 600 27, 400 24, 600
January February March	548	138 365 332	325 450 347	20, 000 25, 900 21, 300
April May June	913 1, 920 1, 770	339 991 548	456 1, 430 956	27, 100 87, 900 56, 900
July . August September	540	378 278 295	453 390 358	27, 990 24, 000 21, 300
The year	1, 920	138	543	394, 000

# DIVERSIONS FROM FALL RIVER BETWEEN SQUIRREL AND CHESTER GAGING STATIONS, IDAHO

Between Squirrel and Chester gaging stations nine separate canals divert water from Fall River for irrigation. Gaging stations are maintained at heading of each canal by the United States Geological Survey for the Idaho State Department of Reclamation to facilitate distribution of water. Records are available from June 1, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

Stage-discharge relation on most of the canals affected by growth of aquatic vegetation or by operation of check gates. Rating curves fairly well defined. Gages read to hundredths daily May 19 to September 30. Records good.

Combined daily discharge, in second-feet, of canals diverting from Fall River between Squirrel and Chester gaging stations for the irrigation season of 1924

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3		597 487 505 468	446 447 450 447	365 366 215 27	56 95 137 154	16	765	618 558 535 377 479	338 339 408 381 396	261 239 125 28 50	283 304 315 310 116
6 7 8 9		619 638 670 645 585 538	445 456 462 455 343 382	21 97 28 27 38	184 193 89 221 283 307	20	782 787 778 737 710 696	448 447 486 470 392	402 358 375 406 372	57 69 47 37 34	70 64 59 56 268
11		446 426 482 529 651	459 435 415 350 345	38 38 149 352 320	302 292 293 285 282	26	736 740 696 664 629 651	486 490 490 481 475	365 360 368 362 386 376	47 51 93 62 78 63	277 290 285 281 276

NOTE.-No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 18.

Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Fall River between Squirrel and Chester gaging stations for the irrigation season of 1924

Month	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Monen	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 19-31	787 670	629 377	721 517	18,600
JulyAugust	462 366 315	338 21 56	398 111 214	18, 600 30, 800 24, 500 6, 820 12, 700
The period.	910		214	93, 400

## FALL RIVER NEAR CHESTER, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 13, T. 8 N., R. 41 E., half a mile above mouth and 2 miles north of Chester post office, Fremont County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 23, 1920, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Stevens eight-day water-stage recorder on right bank; installed April 29, 1921; inspected by Ernest Luetjen.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 100 feet downstream or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of boulders in gravel drift and lava outcrop. Control is well-defined rock ledge immediately below gage. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period May 3 to September 30, 3.53 feet at 10 a. m. May 27 (discharge, 1,550 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.16 feet at 4 a. m. July 11 (discharge, 42 second-feet).

1920-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 5.30 feet at 6 p. m. May 29, 1921 (discharge, 3,720 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.01 feet at 6 p. m. August 7, 1923 (discharge, 9 second-feet).

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice; observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Several irrigation canals divert above station.

REGULATION.—None except that due to manipulation of canal head gates above station.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly May 26. Standard rating curve fairly well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Fall River near Chester, Idaho, during the year . ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 22 May 8	Feet 2. 01 2. 78	Secft. 253 740	June 14 July 24	Feet 2.83 1.50	Secft. 849 106	Aug. 23 Sept 25	Feet 2. 14 2. 08	Secft. 328 292

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Fall River near Chester, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	924 1, 130	528 613 820 1, 160	115 125 128 128	79 83 166 342 359	315 286 207 182 194	16	1, 140 1, 240 1, 310 1, 370	713 506 332 281 397	55 63 69 79 120	155 163 320 348 342	88 69 90 85
6	1, 150 696 696 766 1, 050 1, 040	1, 280 1, 190 802 565 403 397	128 136 144 160 67 55	258 286 372 359 348	276 263 160 136 133	20	1, 370 1, 340 1, 380 1, 290 1, 110 1, 070	332 290 258 201 182	191 152 125 107 102	354 348 337 342 310	299 304 304 295 204
11 12 13 14 15	1, 030 1, 020 1, 010 1, 120 1, 070	348 332 521 688 730	58 55 58 73 63	337 326 220 83 77	102 79 100 97 97	26	1, 280 1, 220 924	155 133 125 120 107	102 95 93 90 120 83	315 295 299 299 295 295	100 90 73 67 65

Note.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 2. No record May 10-12; discharge interpolated. Shifted May 27.

Monthly discharge of Fall River near Chester, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Year	Discha	d-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 3-31.	1, 380 1, 280	498 107	1,050 484	60, <b>400</b> 28, <b>800</b>
July	191 372 315	55 77 65	101 275 164	6, 210 16, 900 9, 760
The period.				122, 000

#### TETON RIVER NEAR ST. ANTHONY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 15, T. 7 N., R. 41 E., half a mile above Oregon Short Line Railroad bridge and 4 miles southeast of St. Anthony, Fremont County. Station was formerly maintained at Hog Hollow highway bridge, three-quarters of a mile upstream; records comparable.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 23, 1903, to June 30, 1919; April 19, 1920, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Stevens eight-day water-stage recorder on right bank; installed May 2, 1921, and prior to this time staff gage readings only were obtained. Gage inspected by Johnson, Black, and Dawson.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 50 feet below gage.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of fine, compact gravel drift. Control subject to shifts during high stages or during ice periods.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period May 2 to September 30, 2.26 feet at 1 p. m. May 18 (discharge, 1,580 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.12 foot at 9 p. m. September 24 (discharge, 383 second-feet).

1903–1909; 1920–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 6.9 feet at 3 p. m. June 5, 1909 (discharge, 7,820 second-feet); minimum stage, 1 foot March 12, 1906 (discharge, 88 second-feet). Both gage heights from Hog Hollow highway bridge gage.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice; observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Several irrigation canals divert in Teton River Basin 20 miles above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not entirely permanent. Standard rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily staff readings May 19 to September 30. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Teton River near St. Anthony, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 2	Feet 0. 70 . 84	Secft. 614 731	July 29 July 30	Feet 0. 42 . 47	Secft. 486 511	Aug. 26 Sept. 23	Feet 0. 19 . 16	Secft. 420 402

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Teton River near St. Anthony, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
Î 2	630	684 679	646 625	469 464	409 400	16	1, 330 1, 430	877 871	552 527	450 427	414 405
3 4 5	712 785 888	768 871 917	625 625 636	469 455 450	409 423 427	18 19 20	1, 490 1, 450 1, 400	836 779 751	507 507 552	432 432 441	418 432 436
6 7 8 9 10	796 674 630 696 802	882 871 819 757 706	657 668 712 668 625	446 474 469 464 464	464 459 432 432 446	21 22 23 24 25	1, 350 1, 370 1, 300 1, 070 1, 030	706 712 757 757 757 723	701 646 588 552 537	432 441 432 427 423	427 418 409 400 405
11: 12: 13: 14:	929 1,060 1,180 1,270 1,280	657 657 706 796 865	598 583 609 598 567	469 459 469 474 464	446 441 432 432 423	26	1, 200 1, 060 911 888 790 718	723 712 696 674 657	522 512 502 493 493 488	414 418 409 409 418 409	418 418 418 418 414

Monthly discharge of Teton River near St. Anthony, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	1-feet	Run-off in	
Mouth	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 2-31. June	1, 490 917	630 657	1, 040 762	61, 900 45, 300
July	712 474 464	488 409 400	585 444 424	36, 000 27, 300 25, 200
The period				196, 000

# DIVERSIONS FROM TETON RIVER BETWEEN GAGING STATION NEAR ST. ANTHONY AND MOUTH OF RIVER, IDAHO

Between St. Anthony gaging station and the mouth of the stream 14 separate canals divert water from Teton River for irrigation. Gaging stations are maintained at heading of each canal by the United States Geological Survey for the Idaho State Department of Reclamation to facilitate distribution of the water. Records are available from June 1, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

The stage-discharge relation on these canals is affected by growth of aquatic plants. Rating curves are only fairly well defined. Gages read to hundredths daily May 19 to September 30. Records fair.

Combined daily discharge, in second-feet, of canals diverting from Teton River between St. Anthony gaging station and mouth of river for the irrigation season of 1924

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3		651 652 708	587 573 573	401 375 372	281 280 253	16 17 18		826 810 799	504 448 475	337 325 315	328 321 330
4 5		763 812	565 547	341 364	292 315	19	1, 210 1, 210	771 730	447 499	304 302	353 349
6		769 793 785 752	577 568 639 589	354 371 351 343	331 335 296 310	21 22 23 24		682 703 716 707	633 563 533 506	308 322 307 300	350 315 326 311
11		702 653 632	567 542 561	340 348 344	328 361 339	25 26		663 693 642	468 438 436	286 271 285	320 333 350
13 14 15		668 732 783	519 515 537	359 349 340	342 340 330	28	866	646 615 597	422 403 389 391	287 289 288 299	351 351 353

NOTE.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 18.

Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Teton River between St. Anthony gaging station and mouth of river for the irrigation season of 1924

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 19-31 June July August September	1, 210 826 639 401 361	708 597 389 271 253	1, 040 715 517 328 326	26, 800 42, 500 31, 800 20, 200 19, 400
The period				141, 000

#### CANYON CREEK NEAR NEWDALE, IDAHO

Location.—In T. 6 N., R. 42 E., one-fourth mile west of Pincock Warm Springs and 14 miles southeast of Newdale, Madison County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE. - March 29, 1920, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank 300 feet below highway bridge; read by A. J. Cheney.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS. -- Made from highway bridge or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of compact gravel; fairly permanent.

Two channels at low and medium stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period May 7 to August 31, 2.64 feet at 7.30 a. m. May 18 (discharge, 184 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.98 foot at 8 a. m. August 31 (discharge, 2 second-feet).

1920–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.22 feet at 8 a. m. May 28, 1921 (discharge, 419 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.98 foot at 8 a. m. August 31, 1924 (discharge, 2 second-feet).

ICE.—Formation of ice prevented by inflow from warm springs above station. No winter observations obtained.

DIVERSIONS.—Power canal of Pincock sawmill diverts three-eighths mile upstream; water is returned above station.

REGULATION.—None except that caused by operation of power canal.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation fairly permanent after May 31. Standard rating curve well defined. Shifting-control methods employed May 19-31. Gage read daily during period. Daily discharge obtained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Canyon Creek near Newdale, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 7June 11	Feet 1. 58 1. 41	Secft. 61, 6 36, 6	July 19 Aug. 16	Feet 1, 13 1, 07	Secft. 11. 3 6. 31	Sept. 13	Feet 1. 08	Secft. 8. 03

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Canyon Creek near Newdale, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.
1		50 48	20 20	9	16 17	155 182	34 34	5 5	6 4
3 4		52 54 54	19 7 6	8 7 7	18 19 20	184 169 164	30 30 26	11 103	4 4 4
6	62	38 40	7 7	6	21	139 134	26 26	100 81	4
8 9	66 77	42 40	7 9	6 5	23 24	116 118	25 25	66 59	4 3
11	91 99	38 38	7	5 5	26	99 92	24 23	38 34	3
12 13	119 122	36 36	6	5 4	27	84 74	23 22	26 18	3 3 3
15	143 148	34 38	6 5	5 <b>4</b>	30 31	69 58 60	21 19	13 11 10	3 2

Monthly discharge of Canyon Creek near Newdale, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 7-31	184 54 103 9	58 19 · 4 2	113 34. 2 23. 3 4. 74	5, 600 2, 040 1, 430 291

#### WILLOW CREEK NEAR RIRIE, IDAHO

Location.—In T. 3 N., R. 40 E., at Cutler ranch, 3 miles above mouth of canyon and 6 miles southeast of Ririe, Bonneville County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—December 23, 1916, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank installed July 1, 1921; inspected by Ira Moore.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 200 feet below gage or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of boulders in gravel drift; fairly permanent. Left bank is overflowed at high stages; both are brush covered.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 8.79 feet at 5 a. m. April 24 (discharge, 1,420 second-feet); minimum discharge, 10 second-feet, August 31 to September 5.

1916-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 16.3 feet May 15, 1917 (discharge, 4,200 second-feet); minimum discharge occurred in 1924.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice; records discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—During the spring of 1924, a low dam was constructed across Grays Lake outlet near Herman, Idaho, about 40 miles upstream from station. This dam was in use throughout the summer to divert water into the Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir via Meadow Creek.

REGULATION.—United States Office of Indian Affairs dam as described above. Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except as noted in footnote to daily-discharge table. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table staff gage reading or mean daily gage height obtained from inspection of recorder graph. Shifting-control method used May 7-27 and June 10-13. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Willow Creek near Ririe, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 6	Feet 2. 91 3. 02 5. 75 3. 99	Secft. 58. 7 69. 8 653 227	June 26 July 2 July 30	Feet 2. 96 2. 79 2. 56	Secft. 67. 1 45. 2 23. 4	Sept. 2 Sept. 13 Sept. 29	Feet 2. 34 2. 50 2. 54	Secft. 10. 8 18. 0 22. 1

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Willow Creek near Ririe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	56 52 49 49 53	56 56 56 54 51	71 93 73	844 794 769 719 694	151 143 134 124 115	48 46 43 40 38	18 17 16 16 14	10 10 10 10 10
6	59 57 57 60 60	49 49 49 48 53	86 169 250 212 177	634 572 512 478 455	102 98 88 99 95	38 39 52 49 43	14 13 13 13 14	12 13 16 15 15
11	63 63 64 61 60	52 51 50 49 48	171 182 191 199 208	432 407 396 374 352	91 86 82 78 75	38 38 40 43 39	13 13 13 12 12	16 16 17 17 17
16	59 59 61 61 61	47 46 47 48 49	216 225 233 242 258	332 317 306 289 275	71 67 64 63 67	47 47 44 40 43	12 12 12 11 11	16 16 17 18 19
21	61 60 61 64 63	49 50 51 52 56	325 514 971 1,340 1,130	264 250 246 232 218	72 80 85 78 72	47 54 45 39 38	11 11 12 12 12	20 20 20 20 20 21
26	63 61 60 57 57	49	794 769 844 894 894	207 197 190 216 195 169	67 63 59 55 52	36 32 28 25 23 19	11 11 11 11 11 10	21 21 21 22 22 21

NOTE.—No record obtained Nov. 27 to Apr. 2. No gage-height record Oct. 30 to Nov. 2, Nov. 11-16, 18-23, Apr. 13-18, June 10-13, Sept. 18, 19, and 21-28; discharge interpolated or estimated.

Monthly discharge of Willow Creek near Ririe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-26 April 3-30 May June July August September	64 56 1, 340 844 151 54 18	49 46 71 169 52 19 10	59. 0 50. 6 419 398 85. 9 40. 0 12. 7 16. 6	3, 630 2, 610 23, 300 24, 500 5, 110 2, 460 781 988

#### WILLOW CREEK NEAR IONA, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 19, T. 3 N., R. 39 E., at concrete bridge 3 miles northeast of Iona, Bonneville County, and 9 miles on main road northeast of Idaho Falls. Boomer Canal crosses in a flume 600 feet above station.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—December 22, 1916, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Vertical staff attached to downstream face of right abutment of concrete arch bridge; read by C. N. Kemper.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from rating bridge 250 feet below gage or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of mud, sand, and gravel; shifting.

Banks subject to overflow at very high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 5.40 feet at noon April 26 (discharge, 321 second-feet); minimum discharge, 1 second-foot December 7-10.

1916–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 7.75 feet May 16 and 17, 1917 (discharge, 603 second-feet); minimum discharge, about 1 second-foot occurred December 31, 1918, January 1, 1919, January 1–10, 1920, and December 7–10, 1923.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice; record discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Sand Creek and irrigation canals divert water above station; definite information not available as to number of canals and quantity of water diverted.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated at diversion works above station. Several irrigation canals waste water into creek.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve fairly well defined; several parallel curves used. Stage subject to sudden fluctuations. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table or by shifting-control methods. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Willow Creek near Iona, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 16	Feet 1. 20 3. 99 2. 56	Secft. 27. 8 208 113	June 30 July 19 Aug. 7	Feet 0, 70 2, 54 2, 47	Secft. 7. 13 113 104	Aug. 29 Sept. 9	Feet 2. 20 1. 93	Secft. 81.0 64.8

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Willow Creek near Iona, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

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Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	32	26	64		182	100	6	71	89
2	68	26	64		173	96	100	91	83
3	75	24	66		168	91	99	101	76
4	75	26	38	4	164	81	98	98	70
5	72	28	7	8	161	88	98	114	66
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0	70	46	7	10	160	91	113	114	63
7	66	55	1	14	167	95	106	107	63
8	66	55	1	70	161	110	94	103	63
9	66	55	1	76	163	112	89	100	63
10	63	56	1	73	155	114	95	100	60
11	58	56	2	62	158	98	92	98	59
12	50	56	10	59	161	96	110	. 98	59
13	32	55	îi	45	158	102	108	97	56
14	28	55	12	44	154	105	106	96	60
15	28	53	12	42			106	96	56
15	28	93	12	42	150	105	100	90	90
16	26	53		32	154	109	108	83	56
17	26	53	l	34	154	109	108	80	.56
18	26	55		36	156	110	113	80	66
19	26	55		37	160	112	112	83	70
20	26	55		38	178	108	115	83	72
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21	26	53		38	164	109	115	80	56
22	26	50		72	164	116	107	76	59
23	26	51		174	159	124	105	83	60
24	26	56		265	160	128	103	86	60
25	26	56		305	152	116	100	83	59
26	24	56		321	152	114	98	84	59
27	26	62		273	143	102	98	84	56
28	26 26	62		241	121	102	93	84	58
00	26 26								56
		63		209	113	8	58	85	1 50
30	26	63		196	109	7	58	87	58
31	26				102		65	89	

NOTE.-No record obtained Dec. 16 to Apr. 3.

Monthly discharge of Willow Creek near Iona, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

25.0	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December 1-15 April 4-30 May June July August September	75 63 66 321 182 128 115 114 89	24 24 1 4 102 7 6 71 56	40. 7 50. 5 19. 8 103 154 95. 5 96. 0 90. 8 62. 9	2, 500 3, 000 589 5, 520 9, 470 5, 680 5, 980 5, 580 3, 740

# GRAYS LAKE OUTLET NEAR HERMAN, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 15, T. 3 S., R. 42 E., 3 miles below bridge at outlet of lake and  $3\frac{1}{4}$  miles west of Herman, Bonneville County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 5, 1916, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on right bank; installed April 20, 1918; inspected by Emory Poulson.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable near gage or by wading.

Channel and control.—Channel composed of gravel and small cobbles; left bank subject to overflow at gage height of about 3.5 feet. Control is rock ledge 25 feet below gage; practically permanent. Point of zero flow determined September 17, 1924, as at gage height 0.45 foot  $\pm 0.05$  foot.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year from water-stage recorder, 5.00 feet at 3.30 p. m. April 25 (discharge, 775 second-feet); minimum discharge, 1.0 second-foot, May 26-31, August 27-31, September 1-4 and 14-17. Lower flow may have occurred during period of no record. 1916-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 5.9 feet at 9 a. m. May 15, 1917 (discharge, 1,350 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.63 foot August 30 and 31, 1920 (discharge, 0.5 second-foot).

Ice.—Ice practically stops flow from lake at times but springs probably keep channel near gage free from ice. Observations discontinued during winter.

Diversions.—No diversions between outlet of lake and station. Diversions for irrigation are made above lake, but amount of water so diverted is not known. On May 25, 1924, United States Office of Indian Affairs completed a dam at outlet of lake and after that date some water has been diverted from south end of lake through Clark cut into Meadow Creek Basin and thence into Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir.

REGULATION.—Some regulation after May 25, 1924, due to construction of dam at outlet of lake.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation permanent during year. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder unsatisfactory. Staff gage read to hundredths about once a week after August 1. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. During periods water-stage recorder was operated, mean daily gage heights were determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Grays Lake outlet near Herman, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 16 May 8	Feet 0. 91 2. 98	Secft. 3. 93 217	June 4 July 10	Feet 0. 84 1. 06	Secft. 1, 48 10, 2	July 10 Sept. 17	Feet 1.06 .78	Secft. 9. 65 1. 60

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Grays Lake outlet near Herman, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	4 4 4 4		300	} 2	22 22 22 22 22 20	3 3 3 3 3	1 1 1 1 2
6	4 4	3	215 202 191	2 2 2 2 2 2	17 14 12 9 8	2 2 2 2 2 2	2 2 2 2 2
11	4	} 3	188 170 157 145 132	2 2 2 2 2 2	4 4 7	2 2 2 2 2	2 2 2 1 1
16	4 2	12	118 109 99 88 86	2 2 3 11 25	15	2 2 2 2 2	1
21		30 725	85 20 12 2	19 21 21 19		.2 .2 .2 .2 .2 .2	
26		} 500 } 400	1	20 22 23 23 23 22	4	2 1 1 1 1 1	

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights Oct. 8–15, Apr. 7–12, 16–19, 26–27, May 23–24, 26–28, June 25–26, July 26–31, and Aug. 1; because of unreliable gage heights, Apr. 13–15, 20–25, 28–30, May 1–7, 22, 25, 29–31, June 1–3, and July 14–25. Discharge interpolated Aug. 3–8, 10–13, 15–22, 25–29, Sept. 1–8 and 10–16. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Grays Lake outlet near Herman, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	Discharge in second-feet				
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet		
October 1–17	. 4	2	3. 9 126	132 6, 258		
May June July	25		133 9.4 12.5	8, 180 559 769		
August September 1–17	3 2	1 1	2. 0 1. 5	123 51		

#### IDAHO (GOVERNMENT) CANAL NEAR SHELLEY, IDAHO 4

LOCATION.—In sec. 31, T. 1 N., R. 37 E., 600 feet below canal head gates, 1½ miles southwest of Shelley, Bingham County, and 10 miles above point where Sand Creek crosses canal.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 20, 1912, to September 30, 1924. No water diverted during 1913 because of break in canal.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank installed September 12, 1923.

Datum of gage about 0.12 foot lower than original gage. Recorder inspected and daily staff readings made by M. A. Jensen and D. G. Taylor.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from suspension footbridge at gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Trapezoidal concrete rating section. Growth of weeds and brush causes changes in stage-discharge relation, but bottom of rating section evidently furnishes a permanent point of zero flow at gage height of about 0.0 foot.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 4.79 feet at 1 a. m. May 20 (discharge, 681 second-feet); minimum discharge, practically no flow during period of no record and on days reported dry by observer.

1912-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.83 feet August 12, 1920; maximum discharge, 681 second-feet on May 20, 1924; minimum discharge, practically no flow during periods of no record when head gates were closed.

ICE.—Canal not operated during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—None.

REGULATION,—Flow controlled at head gates 600 feet above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed during winter. Standard rating curves well defined. Daily discharge October 4-27, November 14-18, May 8 to July 6, July 8-15, ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained from recorder graph or from daily staff gage readings; for other periods of record it was ascertained by use of observers' notes. Records good.

Idaho (Government) Canal diverts water from left bank of Snake River in sec. 31, T. 1 N., R. 37 E. and discharges into Blackfoot River in sec. 24, T. 2 S., R. 36 E. The canal also receives water from Sand Creek about 10 miles below station.

Discharge measurements of Idaho (Government) Canal near Shelley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 12 Nov. 16 May 8 May 15	Feet 2. 63 3. 04 2. 43 3. 87	Secft. 226 292 253 501	May 19 June 5 June 17 June 24	Feet 4. 66 4. 39 4. 18 3. 38	Secft. 650 608 563 420	July 1	Feet 4. 21 . 60 3. 08	Secft. 578 21. 6 373

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup>Record for this diversion is also included in "Total diversions from Snake River between Shelley and Blackfoot Bridge gaging stations."

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Idaho (Government) Canal near Shelley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Мау	June	July	Day	Oct.	Nov.	Мау	June	July
1 2 34	0 10 10 26			609 611 605 594	580 637 615 228	16 17 18	241 251 254 257	299 294 286	530 582 628 660	567 578 554 521	6 6 6
5	40			596	21	20	257		619	480	2
6 7	59 99 99	286	251	598 560 571	22 10 418	21 22 23	262 256 264	286	651 592 637	474 453 422	2
9	180 180		254 262	569 505	582 473	24 25	257 270	143	611 550	419 447	
11	198 227		270 289	523 483	399 397	26 27	279 276		532 613	532 599	
13 14 15	233 240 241	296 306	303 390 505	446 482 489	372 366 141	28 29 30	286		626 626 607	618 599 582	,
						31	J		607		

NOTE.—Discharge estimated because of missing gage heights, Oct. 2-3, 28-31, Nov. 1-13, 19-25, July 7, 16-21, on basis of head gate changes and observers' notes. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated. No flow July 22 to Sept. 30.

Monthly discharge of Idaho (Government) Canal near Shelley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

March.	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-25		0	197 282	12, 100 14, 000
May 8-31 June	660 618 637	251 419	508 536 170	24, 200 31, 900 10, 500
July August September			0	10,300

# BLACKFOOT RIVER ABOVE RESERVOIR, NEAR HENRY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—About sec. 9, T. 7 S., R. 42 E., at Swanson ranch, 1½ miles above flow line of Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir, 7 miles south of Henry, Caribou County, and 13 miles north of Soda Springs.

Drainage area.—360 square miles (measured on Land Office map).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 25, 1914, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on right bank to rear of Swanson's house and 500 feet below highway bridge; installed June 23, 1921; read by Mrs. A. C. Swanson.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable at gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed rough; composed of loose rocks and boulders with some gravel. Control of loose rock, fairly permanent. One channel at ordinary stages; two or three channels at high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 5.00 feet April 24 (discharge, 1,110 second-feet); minimum discharge, 40 second-feet, August 28 to September 5. Lower flow may have occurred during winter. 1914—1924: Maximum stage estimated from high-water mark above gage, 6.85 feet May 16, 1917 (discharge, 2,060 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.98 foot August 17, 1919 (discharge, 23 second-feet). Minimum discharge probably occurred during periods of no record.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice; records discontinued during

winter.

DIVERSIONS.—A few small ranch diversions are made above gage.

REGULATION.—None. Entire flow passing gage is stored in Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir 1½ miles below.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed several times after high water due to accumulation of moss and débris on control. Rating curves well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table; shifting-control method used May 10 to June 5, August 20–31, and September 21–30. Records good, except for estimated periods for which they are poor.

Cooperation.—Several discharge measurements furnished by United States Office of Indian Affairs.

Discharge measurements of Blackfoot River above reservoir, near Henry, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 18	Feet 1. 71 2. 69 1. 83 1. 62 1. 62 1. 55	Secft. 96.0 303 127 87.1 85.0 78.3	July 25	Feet 1, 21 1, 31 1, 31 1, 30 1, 29	Secft. 43.0 51.4 52.7 51.3 51.2	Aug. 19	Feet 1. 26 1. 28 1. 28 1. 30 1. 35	Secft. 46. 7 40. 0 40. 5 39. 2 48. 6

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Blackfoot River above reservoir, near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12 23 45	100 92 100 89 92	75 75 75 80 77	65		53 58 58 63 84	904 824 670 565 500	165 163 148 136 133	54 54 54 68 88	54 50 50 50 50 52	} 40 40 40 40
6	94 98 104 104 104	75 72 72 70 72	<u> </u>		63 68 79 99 102	409 352 310 297 285	122 118 137 149 137	75 75 92 94 83	52 52 50 50 50	45 45 45 44 45
11	113 113 100 94 89	77 77 80 75 75			111 158 246 297 258	286 274 275 276 274	118 111 104 94 80	75 75 87 79 72	50 50 50 52 54	47 45 44 44 44
16	86 94 93 93 92	75 83 70 70			246 210 178 199 338	264 265 254 250 231	80 78 75 83 101	70 66 63 63 66	52 49 47 47 49	44 45 45 49 49
21	89 86 86 92 89	75 70 70 80		45	565 634 1, 030 1, 110 1, 070	227 221 222 211 189	98 86 78 68 68	70 83 52 47 42	50 49 49 46 45	49 50 47 46 48
26 27 28 29 30	83 80 77 83 <b>70</b> 77	75 75 89 85		47 61 58 76 79	785 599 565 708 824	183 180 170 215 216 194	68 63 57 54 56	59 59 59 59 57 56	43 41 40 40	48 48 49 49 49

NOTE.—Discharge estimated on account of ice Nov. 19-21, 29-30, Dec. 1-8, and Mar. 16-26; on account of unreliable gage heights Aug. 29 to Sept. 2. Shifting-control method used May 10 to June 5, Aug. 20-31, and Sept. 21-30. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

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Monthly discharge of Blackfoot River above reservoir, near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
OctoberNovember		70	92. 1 75. 6	5, 660 4, 500
December 1-8 March 16-31 April	79	53	65. 0 51. 0 362	1, 030 1, 620 21, 500
May June July	904 165	170 54 42	322 101 67, 6	19,800 6,010 4,160
August September	54 50	40 40	48. 2 45. 4	2, 960 2, 700

# BLACKFOOT-MARSH RESERVOIR NEAR HENRY, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 12, T. 5 S., R. 40 E., 12 miles northwest of Henry, Caribou County, and 45 miles southeast of Blackfoot.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—January 1, 1912, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Vertical staff near spillway at right end of dam; read to hundredths by B. B. Reynolds. Gage datum was raised 51.6 feet on April 23, 1918, but subsequent readings have been reduced to original datum. To reduce published gage heights to elevation above sea level add 6,048.40 feet.

EXTREMES OF STAGE.—Maximum stage recorded, 56.05 feet June 10; minimum stage, 42.00 feet October 9, 11, 13, 14, 17, and 18.

1912-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 68.60 feet June 27-30, 1912; minimum stage, 40.76 feet September 28 and 29, 1919.

Accuracy.—Gage moved several times during year on account of construction work on dam. As some of the gage settings were probably not checked by level, part of the record may be slightly in error with respect to datum. Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by United States Office of Indian Affairs.

Stored water from this reservoir is used for irrigation of lands near Pocatello and on Fort Hall Indian Reservation, the area covered by the project being about 50,000 acres. The reservoir is formed by a loose rock and hydraulic-fill dam with a concrete core-wall, paved on the reservoir side to prevent erosion. The dam is 120 feet long at base, 250 feet long at crest, and about 40 feet high. The reservoir is 17 miles long and 5½ miles wide at the widest point and covers about 15,000 acres of land. The spillway, excavated in rock at north end of dam, is 50 feet wide and the crest elevation is 6,118 feet. The capacity of the reservoir at elevation of crest of spillway is 303,000 acre-feet. Elevation of lowest point to which water may be drawn is 6,090 feet. The distribution system comprises 56 miles of main canal, 108 miles of laterals, and 3½ miles of drainage ditch.

Daily gage height, in feet, of Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	42. 40 42. 35 42. 20 42. 40 42. 30	42. 61 42. 55 42. 45 42. 50 42. 70	46. 10 46. 18 46. 30 46. 42 46. 54	48. 01 48. 03 48. 01 48. 06 48. 07	48. 55 48. 60 48. 67 48. 75 48. 85	49. 91 49. 92 49. 95 49. 96 49. 97	50. 70 50. 72 50. 75 50. 78 50. 80	54. 50 54. 70 54. 87 54. 96 55. 05	55, 90 55, 93 55, 95 55, 97 55, 99	55. 18 55. 14 55. 10 55. 02 54. 94	51. 60 51. 46 51. 30 51. 11 50. 93	46. 59 46. 40 46. 20 45. 98 45. 75
6 7 8 9	42. 30 42. 20 42. 10 42. 00 42. 01	42. 80 42. 70 42. 60 42. 50 42. 40	46. 65 46. 74 46. 84 46. 96 47. 05	48. 08 48. 09 48. 10 48. 12 48. 14	48. 92 49. 00 49. 09 49. 18 49. 28	49. 98 49. 99 50. 00 50. 01 50. 02	50. 83 50. 86 50. 89 50. 93 51. 00	55. 12 55. 20 55. 28 50. 34 55. 42	55, 99 55, 90 55, 85 55, 95 56, 05	54. 85 54. 78 54. 68 54. 67 54. 67	50. 78 50. 66 50. 51 50. 38 50. 22	45. 55 45. 28 45. 05 44. 75 44. 55

Daily gage height, in feet, of Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
11	42. 00	42. 15	47. 14	48. 15	49. 35	50. 03	51. 07	55. 49	56. 03	54. 65	50. 08	44. 28
	42. 02	42. 09	47. 26	48. 17	49. 43	50. 04	51. 17	55. 52	56. 04	54. 58	49. 95	44. 02
	42. 00	42. 22	47. 34	48. 19	49. 51	50. 05	51. 26	55. 54	55. 98	54. 50	49. 80	43. 78
	42. 00	42. 40	47. 44	48. 20	49. 64	50. 06	51. 35	55. 58	55. 99	54. 40	49. 62	43. 50
	42. 01	42. 60	47. 55	48. 21	49. 80	50. 07	51. 44	55. 60	55. 95	54. 30	49. 47	43. 29
16		43. 00	47. 64	48. 22	49. 82	50. 08	51. 56	55, 62	55. 91	54. 16	49. 31	43. 02
17		43. 45	47. 74	48. 23	49. 83	50. 09	51. 67	55, 64	55. 86	54. 01	49. 11	42. 90
18		43. 70	47. 76	48. 24	49. 84	50. 10	51. 81	55, 66	55. 76	53. 82	48. 95	42. 60
19		44. 05	47. 78	48. 26	49. 84	50. 12	51. 91	55, 67	55. 67	53. 68	48. 74	42. 55
20		44. 35	47. 80	48. 29	49. 84	50. 14	52. 00	55, 72	55. 65	53. 55	48. 50	42. 52
21	42. 10	44. 68	47. 82	48. 30	49. 85	50. 15	52. 28	55. 75	55, 58	53, 42	48. 38	42. 50
22	42. 12	44. 98	47. 84	48. 31	49. 86	50. 19	52. 52	55. 76	55, 54	53, 20	48. 25	42. 40
23	42. 12	45. 20	47. 88	48. 32	49. 86	50. 22	52. 80	55. 77	55, 50	52, 90	48. 10	42. 38
24	42. 16	45. 41	47. 90	48. 35	49. 87	50. 24	53. 01	55. 78	55, 45	52, 74	47. 94	42. 29
25	42. 20	45. 65	47. 92	48. 37	49. 87	50. 30	53. 40	55. 78	55, 40	52, 60	47. 79	42. 23
26	42, 31 42, 40 42, 50 42, 51 42, 52 42, 58	45. 75 45. 82 45. 90 45. 97 46. 04	47. 94 47. 96 47. 97 47. 99 48. 00 48. 00	48. 38 48. 40 48. 41 48. 43 48. 46 48. 50	49. 88 49. 88 49. 89 49. 90	50. 39 50. 47 50. 55 50. 63 50. 66 50. 68	53. 64 53. 90 54. 06 54. 20 54. 35	55. 78 55. 80 55. 72 55. 68 55. 78 55. 90	55. 36 55. 31 55. 25 55. 25 55. 22	52. 50 52. 40 52. 25 52. 05 51. 90 51. 75	47. 63 47. 48 47. 33 47. 15 46. 97 46. 79	42, 20 42, 45 42, 50 42, 60

#### BLACKFOOT RIVER NEAR HENRY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 11, T. 5 S., R. 40 E., 200 feet below wagon bridge at Rocky-ford crossing, 1 mile below Blackfoot-Marsh Dam of United States Office of Indian Affairs, and 12 miles northwest of Henry, Caribou County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—July 15, 1908, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank; installed September 18, 1912; inspected by B. B. Reynolds.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 600 feet above gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of lava rock, boulders, and gravel; fairly permanent. One channel at all stages. Growth of moss at times affects stage-discharge relation.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 3.05 feet July 15-21 and 28 (discharge, 936 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.76 foot February 22 to March 3 (discharge, 4 second-feet).

1908-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.15 feet May 14, 1909 (discharge, 1,640 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.50 foot May 11 and 12, 1917 (discharge, about 1 second-foot).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Few small diversions for irrigation above reservoir.

REGULATION.—Flow entirely regulated by storage in reservoir which has a capacity of about 300,000 acre-feet.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well-defined below 800 second-feet. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory June 3 to August 30 and September 22-28. Staff gage read to hundredths once daily at other times except during December when readings were made about once a week. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily or mean daily gage height to rating table. During periods water-stage recorder was operated mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph. Discharge interpolated October 7, 8, December 3-8, 10-15, 17-22, 24-30. Records fair.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and several discharge measurements furnished by United States Offices of Indian Affairs.

Discharge measurements of Blackfoot River near Henry, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 15	Feet 1. 86 . 85 . 86 2. 08 2. 31 3. 02 2. 93 2. 87 3. 03	Secft. 246 9. 26 10. 8 357 456 953 907 855 982	July 30	Feet 3. 02 3. 01 2. 98 2. 90 2. 88 2. 86 2. 81 2. 82 2. 77	Secft. 965 934 917 838 831 817 785 796	Aug. 20	Feet 2. 70 2. 44 2. 30 2. 24 2. 20 1. 97 1. 66	Secft. 714 550 469 447 426 329 182

# Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Blackfoot River near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	266 259 251 192 185	198 195 195 158 80	31 31 31 31 31	31 31 31 31 31	35 35 35 36 36	4 4 5 5	7 7 7 7	10 10 10 10 10	122 122 62 11 11	202 215 304 725 786	885 885 877 849 834	484 457 446 430 420
6	274 269 264 259 266	74 135 195 195 189	31 31 31 31 31	31 31 31 31 31	36 36 36 36 38	5 5 5 5 5	7 7 7 7	10 10 10 10 10	10 10 10 9 62	786 758 251 248 262	287 213 806 799 786	441 374 326 295 283
11 12 13 14 15	270 266 266 251 244	173 130 63 31 31	31 31 31 31 31 31	31 31 31 31 31 31	38 38 38 38 38	5 5 5 5 5	7 8 8 8	10 10 10 31 63	124 147 209 236 259	399 506 535 6 <b>7</b> 9 936	772 758 758 758 758 758	255 236 229 219 205
16	229 229 226 226 226 226	33 35 36 38 31	31 31 31 31 31 31	31 31 31 31 33	38 38 38 38 38	5 5 5 5	8 8 8 9	63 63 63 63 63	340 326 304 304 308	936 936 936 <b>93</b> 6 <b>93</b> 6	751 738 732 712 705	192 186 180 173 167
21 22 23 -24 25	222 219 219 215 215	33 31 31 31 31	31 31 31 31 31	33 33 33 33 33	14 4 4 4 4	6 6 6 6	9 9 10 10 18	63 63 63 68 63	308 308 304 304 304	936 899 899 849 841	673 642 599 599 599	170 170 161 144 138
26	212 212 209 205 205 202	31 31 31 31 31	31 31 31 31 31 31	35 35 35 35 35 35	4 4 4 4	6 6 6 6 6	10 10 10 10 10	156 202 164 141 122 122	304 270 176 180 180	813 834 936 899 899 892	599 599 558 535 529 518	135 116 36 24 28

# Monthly discharge of Blackfoot River near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

76	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November December January February March April May June June July August September	198 31 35 38 6 10 202 340 936	185 31 31 4 4 7 10 9 202 518 24	234 86. 2 31. 0 32. 2 27. 1 5. 3 8. 3 56. 8 187 709 718 236	14, 400 5, 130 1, 910 1, 980 1, 560 326 494 3, 490 11, 100 45, 600 14, 100	

#### BLACKFOOT RIVER NEAR SHELLEY, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 7, T. 2 S., R. 38 E., 1½ miles above mouth of canyon, 3 miles above N. A. Just ranch, 10 miles southeast of Shelley, Bingham County, and 18 miles northeast of Blackfoot. Below all important tributaries.

Drainage areas.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 26, 1909, to September 30, 1924. March 23, 1903, to December 31, 1909, records were obtained near Presto, 5 miles below present site. No tributaries enter between the two sites, but during the irrigation season several canals divert approximately 50 second-feet.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by Rufus E. Reid. DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading or from cable at gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed rocky and rough. One channel at all stages. Control shifts occasionally.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 5.11 feet 7 a. m. to 2 p. m. July 20 (discharge, 997 second-feet); minimum stage, 3.09 feet at 2 a. m. December 21 (discharge, 31 second-feet). 1909-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 6.30 feet at 9 p. m. July 23, 1923 (discharge, 1,830 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.83 feet at midnight January 23, 1919 (discharge, approximately 15 second-feet). Ice jam above station caused temporary drop in stage.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

Diversion.—No noteworthy diversions are made from river or tributaries above station.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated largely by storage in Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir of United States Office of Indian Affairs about 40 miles upstream.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent, affected by ice. Standard rating curves fairly well defined. Shifting-control method used July 4. Operation of water-stage recorder fairly satisfactory, except during periods of ice effect when weekly staff, readings were obtained. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table, except for periods of ice effect and for periods of no record as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Blackfoot River near Shelley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 17	Feet 4, 02 3, 31 3, 68 3, 74 5, 06 5, 09 5, 08	Secft. 294 75. 2 173 194 917 1, 120 1, 020	Aug. 13	Feet 4. 81 4. 65 4. 56 4. 55 4. 55 4. 54 4. 54	Secft. 712 716 689 585 622 655 619	Aug. 27	Feet 4, 55 4, 55 4, 55 4, 21 4, 21 3, 96	Secft. 615 613 618 446 419 307

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Blackfoot River near Shelley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12345	339 331 323 319 259	294 290 294 280 267	100 85 72			68 69 70 70 71	74 79 86 86 90	167 164 161 158 148	210 206 202 108 79	202 240 248 566 830	955 948 948 920 899	509 470 459 443 438
6	339 344 335 335 335	169 169 382 369 339	79 84 64 95		80	72 79 72 70 69	96 116 152 167 202	139 136 130 125 125	76 79 83 79 74	830 857 509 303 299	885 878 864 850 830	427 402 367 334 321
11 12 13 14 15	348 344 339 331 323	310 298 294 207 138	85			67 66 64 63 61	238 273 284 296 307	125 122 116 114 114	125 167 195 273 265	339 497 566 566 913	802 789 789 789 782	307 285 265 256 248
16	315 298 294 294 302	120 120 117 114 126	81 72 63 46 37	70	90 88 87 85 84	63 68 68 72 76	225 198 170 202 244	152 161 158 155 152	334 358 334 339 339	962 962 962 962 983	782 769 756 736 723	232 229 221 217 213
21 22 23 24 25	310 310 298 290 302	114 106 92 103 103	37 103 103 53 46		82 81 79 77 76	76 68 63 72 65	281 330 363 307 244	155 152 155 155 152 148	344 344 339 334 330	969 962 962 906 899	710 658 602 609 615	206 202 192 178 178
26	298 298 310 298 298 298	103 97 97 123 114	44 96 111 46 70 70		74 73 71 70	68 81 76 72 61 65	195 178 174 174 170	148 210 217 217 217 217 213	330 325 248 198 198	871 864 948 969 969 969	621 621 602 572 549 531	178 148 120 80 70

Note.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 2-4, 10-15, 30, 31, Jan. 1-31, Feb. 1-15; discharge ascertained by means of fragmentary gage-height record and comparison with flow at unaffected station below Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir. Discharge estimated on account of lack of gage-height record Sept. 28-30, on basis of flow at station below Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir. Discharge interpolated on account of lack of gage-height record Nov. 4, Feb. 17-22, 24-29, Mar. 2-5, 9-14, Apr. 10, 11, 13, and 14. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Blackfoot River near Shelley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November December January February March April May June July August September	90 81 363 217 358 983	259 92 37 70 61 74 114 74 202 531 70	315 192 75. 4 70. 0 79. 9 69. 2 200 155 230 738 754 273	19, 400 11, 400 4, 640 4, 300 4, 600 4, 250 11, 900 9, 530 13, 700 45, 400 46, 400 16, 200	
The year	983	37	264	192, 000	

#### BLACKFOOT RIVER NEAR BLACKFOOT, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 27, T. 3 S., R. 34 E., 2 miles above junction of Blackfoot River with Snake River and 8 miles southwest of Blackfoot, Bingham County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—July 27, 1913, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Inclined staff on right bank half a mile south of Kofoed ranch house; read by Eva Davis.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading or from cable 100 yards below gage Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel. Control presumably of the same material; fairly permanent. One channel at all stages. Banks covered with heavy growth of brush and willows which may affect stage-discharge relation at high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 6.63 feet at 11 a.m. July 9 (discharge, 335 second-feet); minimum discharge, no flow, on several days.

1913-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 9.6 feet at 12.30 p. m. May 21, 1921 (discharge, 868 second-feet); minimum discharge, no flow, on several days during 1919-1921 and 1924.

Ice.—Observations discontinued during winter.

Diversions.—Principal diversions above gage are the two Fort Hall canals near Blackfoot; several smaller diversions are also made near Blackfoot.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by storage in the Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir of the United States Office of Indian Affairs and by manipulation of canal head gates above station.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve fairly well defined. Gage read to hundredths daily. Daily discharge obtained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Blackfoot River near Blackfoot, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 23 May 31 June 18	Feet 6. 46 5. 22 4. 12	Secft. 303 62.3 42.0	July 9 July 18 Sept. 9	Feet 6. 63 4. 13 4. 34	Secft. 335 4 1. 5 3. 65	Sept. 14 Sept. 24 Sept. 30	Feet 4.40 4.95 5.13	Secft. 5. 01 39. 0 56. 4

a Estimated.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Blackfoot River near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		61	6	0	0	16		0	14	0	5
2		44	6	0	0	17		44	2	0	5
3		26	6	0	0	18		2	1	0	1
4		8	4	0	0	19		0	2	2	4
5		6	4	Ō	Õ	20		1	4	0	1
6		2	3	0	1	21		0	1	0	13
7		2	2	0	0	22		0	3	1	44
8		1	148	1	4	23	303	0	0	2	52
9		6	290	1	4	24	308	0	0	1	42
10		2	139	0	8	25	95	0	4	0	44
11		1	5	0	16	26	11	0	2	0	36
12		0	0	0	16	27	13	26	1	0	44
13		0	1 5	0	5	28	13	48	2	1	44
14		Ó	4	Ó	5	29	12	11	0	3	48
15		0	3	0	5	30	125	9	0	2	56
					_	31	72		0	2	

Monthly discharge of Blackfoot River near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

36. 41	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 23-31 June July August September	308 61 290 3 56	11 0 0 0 0	106 10.0 21.3 .52 16.8	1, 890 595 1, 310 32 1, 000
The period				4, 830

# LITTLE BLACKFOOT RIVER AT HENRY, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 10, T. 6 S., R. 42 E., at bridge on Kirk ranch at Henry, Caribou County, a short distance above flow line of Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir and 20 miles north of Soda Springs.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE. March 24, 1914, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff attached to upstream side of bridge on left bank; read by Mrs. W. J. Chester. Prior to August 19, 1919, gage was vertical staff fastened to log across stream just below barn 40 feet above present gage; at different datum.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of rocks overlain with sand and gravel.

Control is rock crest on an 8-foot falls, 20 feet below gage. Stage-discharge relation at times seriously affected by growth of aquatic vegetation.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 3.30 feet at 6.30 p. m. April 24 (discharge determined from extension of rating curve, 206 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.72 foot on afternoons of January 24, 25, 28-31, and February 1-5 (discharge, 8.6 second-feet).

1914-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 3.5 feet at 8 p. m. April 19, 1914 (discharge determined from extension of rating curve, about 292 second-feet); minimum discharge, 6.9 second-feet January 8, 1919.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice because of warm springs.

DIVERSIONS.—One small diversion above station and one below.

REGULATION.—No artificial regulation.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation affected by growth of aquatic vegetation. Standard rating curve well defined between 10 and 70 second-feet. Gage read to hundredths twice daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table or by shifting-control method. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Little Blackfoot River at Henry, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 17	Feet 0. 88 . 77 . 84 . 77	Secft. 12. 3 10. 3 15. 7 13. 6	July 12	Feet 0. 84 . 84 . 84 . 82	Secft. 11. 4 9. 82 12. 5 10. 8	July 25	Feet 0. 90 . 88 . 86 . 85	Secft. 15. 4 14. 8 11. 7 10. 8

Note.—River channel below gage gains in flow as shown by the following measurements made during the year after the reservoir had lowered sufficiently to measure below station: September 8, 19.4 second-feet 700 feet below gage; September 11, 37.9 second-feet one-fourth of a mile below gage; September 11, 32.3 second-feet one-fourth of a mile below gage; September 19, 37.1 second-feet 2,000 feet below gage.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Blackfoot River at Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12	15	13	15	9. 3	9. 0	10	11	26	13	10	12	9. 7
	14	12	15	9. 3	9. 0	9. 7	11	26	13	9. 3	13	9. 7
3	14	13	15	9. 3	8. 6	10	11	24	13	12	14	9. 7
4	14	12	15	9. 7	9. 0	10	11	26	13	9. 7	14	9. 7
5	13	13	15	9. 7	9. 0	10	11	22	13	12	14	9. 7
6 7	14 14 13	13 13 12	15 14 14	10 9.3 9.3	9.3 9.3 9.7	10 10 10	11 11 11	18 18 17	13 14 14	14 16 14	14 13 13	9. 7 9. 7 9. 7
9	14	13	12	9. 3	10	10	11	15	14	13	12	10
	14	12	12	9. 3	9. 3	11	12	15	14	12	12	10
11	14	13	12	9.3	9.3	12	12	15	13	12	12	9. 7
12	14	13	12	9.3	9.3	12	13	14	13	12	12	9. 7
13	14	12	12	9.3	10	12	20	14	13	12	12	9. 7
14	13	13	12	9. 3	9. 7	11	17	14	13	11	12	9. 7
15	13	13	12	9. 3	10	11	14	14	12	11	12	9. 7
16	14	13	11	9.3	10	11	14	14	12	11	12	9. 7
17	13	13	11	9.3	10	11	13	14	12	12	13	9. 7
18	14	13	12	9.3	10	11	13	13	12	12	13	10
1920	13 13	14 14	12 12 12	9. 3 9. 3 9. 3	10 10 10	11 11	14 15	14 14	12 12 12	12 16	13 12	11 10
2122	12 12 13	14 14	12 12	9.3 9.3 9.3	10 10 10	11 11 11	71 118 146	13 14 13	11 11 11	17 16 16	12 12 12	10 9. 7 9. 7
23 24 25	13 12	14 14 15	12 12 12	9. 0 8. 6	10 10 9. 7	11 11 11	146 104	13 14	11 11	16 16	10 10	10 9. 7
26	13	15	11	9. 3	9. 7	11	75	13	10	16	10	9. 3
27	13	15	11	9. 3	10	11	60	13	11	16	10	9. 3
28	13 13 13 12	15 15 15	11 11 10	9. 0 9. 0 8. 6 9. 0	10 10	11 11 10 10	75 43 31	19 18 14 14	10 10 10	14 14 13 13	10 10 10 9.7	9.7 9.3 9.3
91	12		10	9.0		10		14		10	9. 1	

NOTE.-Discharge interpolated Feb. 22-23 on account of missing gage heights.

Monthly discharge of Little Blackfoot River at Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November December January February March April May June July August September	10 12 146 26 14 17	12 12 10 8.6 8.6 9.7 11 13 10 9.3 9.7 9.3	13. 3 13. 4 12. 4 9. 26 9. 65 10. 7 37. 5 16. 3 12. 1 13. 2 11. 9 9. 75	818 797 762 569 555 658 2, 230 1, 000 720 812 732 580	
The year	146	8.6	14. 1	10, 200	

# MEADOW CREEK NEAR HENRY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 3, T. 6 S., R. 42 E., half a mile above flow line of Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir, three-fourths mile below Goose Lake or Pelican slough and 1½ miles northeast of Henry, Caribou County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 20, 1914, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on left bank; installed June 27, 1914; inspected by Mrs. W. J. Chester.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable at gage or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of rock and gravel. One channel at all stages. Banks very brushy. Control somewhat shifting.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year from water-stage recorder, 2.63 feet at 7.30 p. m. May 4 (discharge, 55 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.95 foot June 29 (discharge, 2.6 second-feet). According to marks on banks, a considerably higher discharge occurred sometime prior to May 4.

1914-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.81 feet May 17, 1917 (discharge, 424 second-feet); minimum discharge probably somewhat less than 0.5 second-foot during July, 1919.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice; observations discontinued during winter.

Diversions.—Several small irrigation diversions above gage.

REGULATION.—None prior to June, 1924. After that time some water diverted from Grays Lake through Clark Cut into Meadow Creek above station.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Two well-defined rating curves used, applicable, respectively, October 4-13 and May 4 to September 11. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for short periods in October, May, and June. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records good except for estimated periods for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of Meadow Creek near Henry, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 15	Feet 1. 73 2. 22 1. 32 1. 30 1. 30 1. 30	Secft. 14. 5 32. 4 6. 83 6. 46 6. 82 6. 68	July 14	Feet 1. 56 1. 55 1. 21 1. 12 1. 10 1. 12	Secft. 12.0 11.7 5.43 4.13 3.84 4.02	Aug. 13	Feet 1. 12 1. 22 1. 23 1. 23 1. 23 1. 33 1. 72	Secft.\\$ 3.84 5.10 5.50 5.44 7.90 6.08

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Gage read 1.72 feet before cleaning control and 1.26 feet after cleaning control.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Meadow Creek near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Oct.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 34	11 11	54	9. 7 8. 8 8. 0 7. 7	3. 5 6. 0 4. 2 3. 8	4. 4 4. 3 4. 4 4. 2	5. 6 5. 5 5. 8 6. 0	16		}22 19 13	3. 4 3. 0 3. 4 4. 9	7. 9 6. 8 6. 3 6. 0	4. 3 4. 5 4. 8 6. 0	4.8 5.3 5.8 6.3
6 7 8		50 46 39 32 30 29	7.1 6.8 6.6 12 18	3. 9 3. 8 4. 2 5. 6 5. 6 5. 8	3.6 3.9 3.9 3.9 4.2 4.2	6. 8 7. 5 6. 6 6. 1 3. 4 2. 9	20		3. 0 3. 4 4. 2 5. 5 7. 1	4.9 4.8 4.5 4.6 6.1 5.8	6. 0 5. 3 5. 2 4. 8 4. 6	5. 8 6. 0 6. 0 6. 6 6. 3 5. 8	
11 12 13 14 15	16 17 17	25 25 25 22	3. 8	6. 0 6. 8 8. 2 11 9. 2	4. 2 4. 0 4. 0 4. 0 4. 3	2. 8 3. 3 4. 8 5. 2 5. 0	26 27 28 29 30 31		8. 4 8. 6 9. 0	5. 6 4. 0 2. 6 3. 2	4.6 4.8 4.9 5.0 4.9 4.5	5. 6 5. 6 5. 5 5. 6 5. 6 5. 6 5. 3	

Note.—Discharge estimated because of missing gage heights Oct. 1-3, 14, May 13-17, 28-31, June 10-14, and 27-28. Débris on control affected stage-discharge relation Sept. 12-19, for which discharge was determined from gage height correction curve based on discharge measurement made Sept. 18. Result of actual measurement used Oct. 15. Discharge interpolated May 7. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated. No record Oct. 16 to May 3 and Sept. 20-30.

Monthly discharge of Meadow Creek near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Manah	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 1-15. May 4-31 June. July August September 1-19.	17 54 	11 3. 0 2. 6 3. 5 3. 6 2. 8	13. 0 19. 7 6. 78 5. 65 4. 86 5. 24	387 1, 090 403 347 299 197

# IDAHO (GOVERNMENT) CANAL NEAR FIRTH, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 13, T. 2 S., R. 36 E., 200 feet above concrete drop in canal a quarter of a mile below nearest highway bridge, 1½ miles below point where Sand Creek crosses canal, and 5 miles southeast of Firth, Bingham County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 29, 1914, to July 31, 1924, when station was discontinued.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank, installed May 8, 1923; inspected by M. A. Jensen.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable at gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of silt, sand, and fine gravel. Control is lip of concrete drop and should be permanent at all stages. Point of zero flow at about 1.40 feet gage height.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during period from water-stage recorder, 6.20 feet at 9 a. m. May 19 (discharge, 866 second-feet). Canal dry July 22 and 27-31.

1914-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 6.20 feet at 9 a. m. May 19, 1924 (discharge, 866 second-feet). Canal dry many periods.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None.

REGULATION.—Flow partly regulated by Snake River head gates, about 12 miles above, and partly by gates at Sand Creek crossing, 1½ miles above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent except as affected by ice. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory during period. Staff gage read once daily to hundredths January 1 to February 9. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records good.

Idaho (Government) Canal diverts water from left bank of Snake River in sec. 31, T. 1 N., R. 37 E., and discharges into Blackfoot River in sec. 24, T. 2 S., R. 36 E. The canal also receives water from Sand Creek 1½ miles above this station.

Discharge measurements of Idaho (Government) Canal near Firth, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 12 Nov. 13 Jan. 18	Feet 4. 29 4. 37 2. 99	Secft. 360 377 91. 8	Mar. 5 Apr. 28	Feet a 2. 56 4. 69	Secft. 59. 2 439	June 2 June 13	Feet 5. 08 4. 53	Secft. 566 408

a Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Idaho (Government) Canal near Firth, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July
12 23 45	259 228 229 245 240	144 139 146 153 130	146 165 171 176 172	33		60 59	87 83 86 107 114	553 490 477 465 429	566 553 540 540 540	540 579 566 314 28
6	340 247 269 297 330	83 82 64 140 350	141 130 133 118 110	61		The state of the s	102 119 196 226 188	394 278 257 309 293	553 527 566 566 502	19 17 <b>294</b> 553 453
11 12 13 14 15	340 372 361 340 299	350 350 372 383 406	87 62 23 27 67		62	57	150 143 133 147 187	330 340 309 340 453	514 453 418 441 465	372 372 350 340 213
16	297 299 309 309 299	406 406 394 383 383	97 114 120 115 94	92			198 170 168 159 152	477 502 661 806 689	502 527 514 477 441	15 9 9 8 10
21 -22 -23 -24 -25	293 293 309 309 309	394 406 383 372 383	119 107 96 94 85	73		55 65	166 201 299 441 490	704 718 821 762 620	429 418 394 383 406	20 0 21 41 37
26	330 319 309 295 299 240	406 418 394 394 350	69 55 51 50 52 35		]	79 97 107 106 96 97	514 465 453 477 502	566 553 579 647 633 566	477 540 553 540 540	1 0 0 0 0 0

NOTE.—Discharge estimated on account of ice Jan. 2 to Mar. 23 on basis of discharge measurements, observer's notes, staff readings, and weather reports.

Monthly discharge of Idaho (Government) Canal near Firth, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November December January Fabruary	176	228 64 23	297 305 99. 4 66. 1 62. 0	18, 300 18, 100 6, 110 4, 060 3, 570	
February March April May June July	514 821 566	83 257 383 0	65. 4 231 517 496 167	4, 020 13, 700 31, 800 29, 500 10, 300	
The period				139, 000	

# SAND CREEK NEAR FIRTH, IDAHO

- LOCATION.—In sec. 7, T. 2 S., R. 37 E., 400 feet downstream from point where Idaho (Government) Canal crosses creek and 4 miles east of Firth, Bingham County.
- RECORDS AVAILABLE.—December 21, 1916, to June 30, 1924, when station was discontinued.
- GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank, just above highway bridge; read by P. W. Wernette.
- DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading, from highway bridge, or from small flume crossing creek 50 feet downstream.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of silt, sand, and fine gravel; probably not permanent. Banks clean but subject to overflow at high stages. Point of zero flow, about -0.2 foot gage height; measured October 11, 1921.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge recorded during period, 31 second-feet at 7 a. m. May 25; creek dry April 13-24.

1916-1924: Maximum discharge recorded at gage-height 4.34 feet at 7 a.m. April 3, 1919 (discharge, 348 second-feet). Flow zero on days when regulation head gate was closed.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None between canal crossing and station.

REGULATION.—The Idaho (Government) Canal has been constructed directly across the channel of the creek above station. The canal receives the entire flow of the creek as tributary and regulates the flow returned to the creek channel below by means of head gates. Above this point numerous canal systems utilize the creek channel as a waste ditch.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent; affected by ice December 9 to March 31. Standard rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table; shifting-control method used April 29 to June 1. Records good for open-channel season; fair for ice-affected period.

Discharge measurements of Sand Creek near Firth, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 12 Nov. 13 Jan. 18	Feet 0.40 .70 \$1.90	Secft. a 8. 0 21. 8 20. 3	Mar. 5	Feet 5 1. 54 . 50	Secft. 22, 9 9, 19	June 2 June 13	Feet 0. 60 . 25	Secft. 20. 7 8. 0

a Estimated.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Sand Creek near Firth, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June
1	15 14 12 12 13	20 19 21 20 19	21 21 26 26 26 21			26	4 4 4 4	18 18 14 10 11	21 21 17 16 16
6	12 12 10 10 10	18 15 16 15	24 24 24	17			3 3 3 2 1	3 2 2 2 2	5 4 4 7 7
11	8 9 9 12 12	16 21 22 21 21			22		1 1	2 2 3 6 6	8 9 9 9
16	10 9 10 8 9	22 21 22 21 21	21	20		17		6 4 2 4 11	9 9 9 8 8
21	11 12 12 16 17	21 21 21 21 21 21		23			9	22 22 28 28 28 31	9 9 9 9
26	21 22 21 20 20 22	21 21 21 21 21 21					9 9 9 13 13	29 26 24 19 19 20	8 9 30 30 30

b Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Monthly discharge of Sand Creek near Firth, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

364	Discha	rge in secon	1-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February	22 22 26	8 14	13. 2 19. 8 21. 6 19. 6 22. 0	812 1, 180 1, 330 1, 210 1, 270
March April May June	13 31 30	0 2 4	18. 4 3. 20 12. 8 11. 9	1, 130 190 787 708
The period				8, 620

### FORT HALL UPPER CANAL NEAR BLACKFOOT, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 13, T. 3 S., R. 35 E., 500 feet below head gates, and 3½ miles southeast of Blackfoot, Bingham County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 8, 1912, to June 30, 1924, when station was discontinued.

Gage.—Stevens eight-day water-stage recorder on right bank; installed July 20, 1921; read by ditch rider and gate tender.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading or from suspension footbridge at gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Concrete trapezoidal rating section.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period of record, 4.10 feet June 18 (discharge, 413 second-feet); canal dry during various periods in winter.

1912-1924; Maximum discharge recorded, 533 second-feet July 21, 1922. Canal dry during various periods in most winters.

Ice.—Observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—None above station or for several miles below.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated at head gates 500 feet above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent, changes from year to year. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height from recorder graph to rating table. Records good.

Fort Hall Upper Canal diverts water from left bank of Blackfoot River in sec. 12, T. 3 S., R. 35 E., for irrigation on Fort Hall Indian Reservation.

The following discharge measurements were made:

April 30, 1924: Gage height, 1.49 feet; discharge, 77.0 second-feet.

June 10, 1924: Gage height, 3.73 feet; discharge, 364 second-feet.

June 24, 1924: Gage height, 3.65 feet; discharge, 347 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Fort Hall Upper Canal near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Apr.	May	June	Day	Oct.	Apr.	Мау	June
1 2 3 4	99		121 121 133 133	371 371 370 372	16		64 59 59 59	228 239 270 339	364 388- 413 412
6	78		145 159	361 367	20		59 59	365 365	407 393
7 8 9		34 44	169 158 188	360 365 367	22 23 24		60 64 64	179 34 88	372: 368 349
11		58 56	176	363 351	26		65 65	229 318	344 346
12 13		59 64	202 205	336 329	27 28 29		62 61 59	336 368 381	361 361 347
14		64 64	205 208	336 351	30		78	378 371	339

NOTE.—No record obtained from Oct. 6 to Apr. 7.

# Monthly discharge of Fort Hall Upper Canal near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	Discharge in second-feet					
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet			
October 1-5. April 8-30. May June	228 78 381 413	78 34 34 329	145 60 225 364	1, 440° 2, 740° 13, 800° 21, 700°			

#### FORT HALL LOWER CANAL NEAR BLACKFOOT, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 15, T. 3 S., R. 35 E., 200 feet below ford where road to head gates half a mile above crosses canal and 2½ miles southeast of Blackfoot,. Bingham County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 15, 1912, to June 30, 1924, when station was discontinued.

Gage.—Stevens eight-day water-stage recorder on right bank; installed July 14, 1921; read by ditch rider for United States Office of Indian Affairs.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from suspension footbridge at gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Channel at gage is trapezoidal concrete rating section, at sides of which sand and silt have been deposited. Principal control is wooden check across canal about one-third mile below gage. Variations in amount of water carried in a large lateral that diverts between gage and check and growth of moss and weeds in canal caused several changes in stage-discharge relation.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 3.50 feet May 24 (discharge, 321 second-feet); canal dry during various periods in winter.

1912-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.51 feet at 6 a. m. July 9, 1922 (discharge, 544 second-feet). Canal reported dry on numerous dates.

Ice.—No record obtained during winter. Small quantities of water are run at times for use of stock, but during greater part of winter the head gates are closed.

Diversions.—None above gage; one large and one small lateral divert between gage and check that forms main control.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated at head gates half a mile above gage.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent; affected by variation in quantity of water diverted just below gage, by variable conditions at control, and by growth of aquatic vegetation. Standard rating curves fairly well defined. Shifting-control method used June 12. Partly estimated October 5. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height obtained from inspection of recorder graph to rating table except days when shifting-control method was used or estimate made. Records fair.

Fort Hall Lower Canal diverts water from left bank of Blackfoot River in sec. 11, T. 3 S., R. 35 E. Water is used for irrigation on Fort Hall Indian Reservation. The following discharge measurements were made:

April 30, 1924: Gage height, 1.70 feet; discharge, 87.9 second-feet.

June 10, 1924: Gage height, 2.46 feet; discharge, 171 second-feet.

June 24, 1924: Gage height, 2.14 feet; discharge, 182 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Fort Hall Lower Canal near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Apr.	May	June	Day	Oct.	Apr.	Мау	June
1 2 34			84 101 118 127	236 244 222 215	16 17 18		30 25 8 0	136 163 220 244	171 240 245 225
5	21		126	179	20		27	237	210
6 7 8 9 10			124 137 84 134 93	190 171 189 197 179	21 22 23 24 25		27 28 28 28 28 26	210 241 305 321 299	182 188 186 183 204
11		24 24 29 29	95 94 92 96 121	177 153 114 135 159	26		27 27 44 63 79	231 205 254 270 246 236	229 229 221 194 207

NOTE.-No record obtained Oct. 6 to Apr. 11.

Monthly discharge of Fort Hall Lower Canal near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
, wholen	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 1-5. April 12-30. May. June.	140 79 321 245	21 0 84 114	80. 6 30. 2 176 196	799 1, 140 10, 800 11, 700

# MUD LAKE NEAR TERRETON, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NW. ¼ sec. 3, T. 6 N., R. 35 E., at C. O. Magill ranch, in backwater of Camas Creek, 6 miles northeast of Terreton, Jefferson County, 7 miles southwest of Hamer, and 15 miles northwest of Roberts.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 4, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Vertical staff installed April 14, 1923, on bridge pier near left bank of Camas Creek; read by C. O. Magill. Elevation of zero of gage is 4,775.33 feet above mean sea level.

EXTREMES OF CONTENTS.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 9.07 feet May 4 (contents, 60,000 acre-feet); minimum stage, 3.55 feet September 3 (contents 14,300 acre-feet).

1921-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 9.20 feet May 5, 1923 (contents, 61,600 acre-feet); minimum stage and contents September 3, 1924.

ICE.—Complete ice cover during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Considerable water diverted from tributaries to Mud Lake. During the year approximately 38,500 acre-feet were diverted from the lake (includes Rays Lake, Sandhole Lake, and all other ponds and sloughs which are affected by backwater when Mud Lake is at high stage) to irrigate about 12,500 acres.

REGULATION.—None except as the supply in the lake is affected by pumping operations.

Daily contents, in acre-feet, of Mud Luke near Terreton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	23, 100 23, 100 23, 100 23, 100 23, 100	28,700 29,100 29,100	34, 700 34, 700 34, 700	39, 500 39, 600 39, 700	44, 300 44, 500 44, 800	49, 800 49, 800 50, 200	55, 400 55, 600 55, 700 56, 100 56, 200	59, 300 59, 600	44, 300 43, 800 43, 200	29, 300 28, 900 28, 600	20, 900 20, 600 20, 300 20, 100 19, 500	14, 400 14, 300 14, 400
6	23, 700 23, 700	29, 800 29, 800 29, 800	35, 200 35, 600 35, 600 35, 600 35, 600	40, 300 40, 400	45, 300 45, 500 45, 700	50, 400 50, 400 51, 000	56, 700 56, 900 57, 300 57, 300 57, 400	58, 300 58, 300 57, 400	41, 600 41, 100 40, 600	27, 200 27, 100 26, 800	19, 000 18, 700 18, 400 17, 900 17, 800	14, 600 14, 700 15, 100
11	24, 000 24, 300 24, 600 24, 900 24, 900			40, 900 41, 100 41, 300	46, 100 46, 400 46, 600	51, 300 51, 400 51, 600	57, 600 57, 900 57, 900 58, 200 58, 300	56, 900 56, 300 55, 700 55, 200 55, 100	40, 100 39, 600 39, 100 38, 600 38, 100	26, 100 25, 400 25, 400 25, 100 24, 800		15, 000 14, 500 14, 400 14, 400 14, 400
16	25, 600 25, 600	31, 400 31, 400 32, 200 32, 200 32, 200	36, 500 36, 500 36, 900	41, 800 41, 900	47, 100 47, 300 47, 400	51, 900 52, 200 52, 400	58, 600 58, 600 58, 800 59, 000 59, 200	54, 400 53, 800 53, 200 52, 600 52, 000	37, 200 36, 800 36, 300	24, 500 24, 200 23, 900 23, 300 23, 300	16, 600 16, 600 16, 600 16, 400 16, 100	14, 700 14, 800 14, 600
21 22 23 24 25	26, 200 26, 200 26, 600 26, 600 26, 600	32, 200 32, 200 32, 200 32, 200 33, 000	37, 400 37, 400 37, 900	42, 500 42, 700 42, 800 42, 900 43, 100	48, 000 48, 100 48, 400	53, 100 53, 500 53, 600	59, 300 59, 300 59, 100 59, 100 59, 000	50, 800 50, 500 49, 600 49, 000 49, 000		23, 600 23, 300 23, 000 23, 000 22, 600		15, 100 15, 100 15, 100 15, 100 15, 100
26	26, 900 27, 300 27, 300 27, 600 27, 600 28, 300	33, 000 33, 900 33, 900 33, 900 34, 300	38, 300 38, 800 38, 800 38, 900 39, 000 39, 100	43, 400 43, 500 43, 800 43, 900	48, 900 49, 200 49, 200	54, 300 54, 400	59, 100 59, 300 59, 100 59, 100 59, 300	47, 800 47, 200 46, 600 46, 000 45, 500 44, 900	32,000 31,600 30,800 30,400	22, 400 22, 100 22, 000 21, 500 21, 200 21, 100	15, 400 15, 400 15, 100 14, 900 14, 600 14, 400	14, 900 14, 900 14, 900

NOTE.—Action of ice caused error in readings from Magill gage Dec. 1 to Feb. 24, and action of wind caused error Apr. 26; contents determined from gage-height graph based on readings from gage at First Owsley intake.

#### CAMAS CREEK NEAR DUBOIS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NE. ½ SE. ½ sec. 13, T. 11 N., R. 38 E., 2 miles north of Lone Tree Reservoir, 2 miles downstream from 18-mile shearing corral, 5½ miles south of Idmon and 19 miles northeast of Dubois, Clark County. Station is 26 miles north (upstream) of gage on Camas Creek near Camas.

Drainage area.—216 square miles (measured on United States Geological Survey map of Mud Lake Basin).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 11, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by Geological Survey engineers.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made at high stages from wagon bridge 2 miles above gage at which point during extremely high stages water flows in a flood channel to the left of main channel and unites above the gage. Measured by wading at low and medium stages 300 feet above gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of lava boulders and gravel; practically permanent. Banks fairly high and brushy; right bank subject to overflow. Control well defined.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period from water-stage recorder, 2.02 feet April 16 (discharge, 138 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.65 foot from 4 p. m. June 5 to 9 a. m. June 6 (discharge, 8.5 second-feet). Maximum discharge probably occurred about April 25 during period of no record.

1921-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 5.75 feet probably on May 21, 1922 (discharge, 1,550 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge occurred in 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice. Records discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Two stock-watering ditches of Wood Live Stock Co. are the principal diversions above station. In addition a number of small irrigation ditches divert water from tributaries above.

REGULATION.—Some water stored in Frazier Reservoir, which has a capacity of 2,000 to 3,000 acre-feet, on West Camas Creek, and released during low-water period for use above gaging station.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation changed during winter. Rating curve applicable after April 14, well-defined between 10 and 200 second-feet. Operation of water-stage recorder not wholly satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records good except for interpolated and estimated periods for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of Camas Creek near Dubois, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 24 May 5 May 13	Feet 1. 40 1. 68 1. 07	Secft. 46. 6 89. 0 30. 6	May 30	Feet 0. 78 . 82	Secft. 13, 6 14, 7	July 4 Sept. 7	Feet 0. 77 . 86	Secft. 13.0 18.1

Daily	discharge,	in	second-feet,	of	Camas	Creek	near	Dubois,	Idaho,	for	the	year
•	• •		end	ing	Septem	ber 30,	1924	Ĺ	ĺ	•		

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5		79	11 11 11 9.9 8.8	10 9.9 9.9 13 15	13 13 15 14 12	16	16 17 18 19 20	138	25 31 28 27 26	18 14 13 14 16	20 20 18 21 26		11 11 12 13 27
6		72 68 66 59 52	8.8 9.9 9.5 9.5 12	16 17 21 23 21	12 14 13 13 14	17 15 13 12	21 22 23 24 25		23 22 22 22 22 23	15 13 12 12 12	28 25 23 22 21	17	24 20 18 17 19
11	133	44 37 30 29 25	11 10 11 11 11	18 18 20 22 21	14 16 16 17 17	17 16 15 13 11	26		20 18 18 14 13 12	11 12 11 11 11	19 20 18 16 15		21 20 20 21 21 77

Note.—Discharge estimated because of missing gage heights Aug. 16 to Sept 6; interpolated May 9-12. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Camas Creek near Dubois, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Nodell .	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 5-31. June. July August.	79 18 28	12 8.8 9.9 12	33. 5 11. 9 18. 7 15. 6	1, 790 708 1, 150 959
September	27	11	16. 5	982
The period				5, 590

### CAMAS CREEK NEAR CAMAS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NE. ½ sec. 34, T. 9 N., R. 36 E., Clark County, one-fourth mile south of C. J. Thompson ranch, 1 mile east of Oregon Short Line Railroad, and 5 miles northeast of Camas, Jefferson County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 1, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Stevens eight-day water-stage recorder on right bank; installed November 30, 1921; inspected by William McCall.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from wagon bridge 500 feet above gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of lava covered in places by gravel.

Control formed by lava boulders; well defined. Banks high; one channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, from water-stage recorder, 1.77 feet April 26 (discharge, 98 second-feet); minimum stage, -0.06 foot from 10 p. m. July 5 to 2 a. m. July 6 (discharge, 2.6 second-feet).

1921-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.82 feet at 9.30 a. m. May 22, 1922 (discharge, 645 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge occurred in 1924.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—A number of irrigation and stock-water diversions above station REGULATION.—Flow past station affected to some extent by losses through lava crevices in Lone Tree Reservoir, 24 miles upstream. Gates in dam not regulated during year.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly at low stages during ice-affected period. Two well-defined rating curves used; one applicable October 1 to December 5, the other applicable after April 11. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory during open-channel period except for short periods on account of clock trouble. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspecting recorder graph except as noted in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records good except for estimated periods for which they are poor.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by Camas Mutual Irrigation District.

Discharge measurements of Camas Creek near Camas, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 24 Oct. 27 Apr. 14	Feet 1. 18 1. 02 1. 49	Secft. 43. 7 29. 8 65. 2	May 5 May 12 May 30	Feet 1. 25 . 61 . 29	Secft. 49. 2 14. 3 6. 09	June 20 July 5 Sept. 8	Feet 0.1105 .22	Secft. 4. 01 2. 89 5. 38

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Camas Creek near Camas, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	27 26 22 22 22 23	35 35 36 26 29	22 20 25 29 34					69 57 53 50 47	5. 8 5. 6 4. 6 3. 1 3. 1	4. 9 4. 6 4. 4 3. 8 2. 7	7. 8 6. 6 7. 2 7. 2 8. 0	4. 6 3. 8 3. 3 4. 2 4. 8
6	23 24 24 24 24 26	34 35 36 37 37		14			25	44 42 37 34 22	3. 0 2. 9 2. 9 3. 0 3. 2	2. 9 8. 9 9. 4 9. 9	8.7 7.4 7.0 8.0 8.2	5. 7 5. 4 5. 3 5. 1 5. 6
11	26 26 26 27 38	35 36 36 34 31			15	+ /	39 65 69 70	19 14 13 9. 2 6. 8	3. 2 3. 1 3. 6 4. 4 3. 6	11 11 12 12 13	6. 8 6. 6 6. 5 6. 5 6. 4	5. 4 5. 5 5. 6 5. 7 5. 3
16 17 18 19 20	49 41 37 36 35	29 26 24 24 24 32	20			12	68 70 70 69 68	6. 4 6. 1 5. 8 5. 7 5. 7	3. 4 4. 2 4. 8 4. 4 4. 0	13 12 11 10 12	6, 0 5, 7 5, 6 6, 3 8, 0	6. 4 4. 7 4. 6 4. 4 4. 7
21	36 37 38 41 38	30 35 29 36 32		16			70 76 83 91 97	6. 4 6. 6 6. 6 6. 6 6. 6	3. 8 3. 4 3. 1 3. 2 4. 1	13 13 12 12 13	7. 0 6. 6 8. 9 9. 7 8. 2	4. 9 8. 0 9. 4 7. 2 6. 8
26	35 32 32 33 33 34	33 27 28 27 35	).				98 96 91 88 83	6. 4 6. 6 6. 6 6. 4 6. 4 6. 1	4. 9 4. 6 5. 0 5. 6 5. 7	12 11 10 10 9. 7 8. 2	8. 2 7. 2 6. 8 6. 3 5. 6 4. 9	6.8 6.3 7.4 7.0

NOTE.—Discharge estimated on account of ice and missing gage heights Dec. 6 to Apr. 11 and Sept. 20-30. Discharge interpolated Oct. 5-6, 13, 19, 25-26, 29-31, Nov. 1-2, 7-9, 15-16, Dec. 3-4, June 22, July 8-12, 22-23, Aug. 13-14, and Sept. 12.

Monthly discharge of Camas Creek near Camas, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November	49 37	22 24	31. 3 32. 0	1, 920 1, 900	
December January February		*************	21. 0 15. 4 15. 0	1, 290 947 863	
March April May	98 69	5. 7	12. 0 57. 9 19. 9	738 3, 450 1, 220	
June July August	13	2.9 2.7 4.9	3. 98 9. 75 7. 09	237 600 436	
September  The year	9. 4	3.3	5. 70	13, 900	

#### BEAVER CREEK AT DUBOIS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NW. ¼ sec. 21, T. 10 N., R. 36 E., at Ed F. Palmer ranch, one-half mile north of Dubois, Clark County. Locally this stream is often called Dry Creek.

Drainage area.—220 square miles (measured on United States Geological Survey map of Mud Lake Basin).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 15, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff attached to cottonwood tree on left bank, 25 feet below wagon bridge; read by John W. and W. L. Miller.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from wagon bridge or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of lava rock and gravel. Control fairly well defined but occasionally fouled by drift. Banks steep and brushy. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge recorded during year, 260 second-feet April 13. Channel reported dry August 3 to September 30.

1921-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.9 feet May 20, 1922 (discharge, 637 second-feet); stream reported dry August 3 to September 30, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

Diversions.—A few small diversions several miles upstream. After high water practically entire flow is diverted below gage for irrigation.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curves fairly well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily except during winter. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records good after April 12; fair for October and November; others poor.

Discharge measurements of Beaver Creek at Dubois, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 24 Oct. 26 Mar. 8	Feet 1. 24 4 1. 17 5 1. 38	Secft. 25. 6 25. 8 12. 6		Feet 1. 15 1. 36 1. 00	Secft. 30. 8 42. 4 22. 6	May 31	Feet 0. 73 . 65 . 19	Secft. 11. 6 7. 09 . 58

Gage read 1.22 feet before control was cleaned.
 Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Beaver Creek at Dubois, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.
1 2 3 4 5	15 16 15 18 20	23 25 25 25 25 25				15	40	56 56 52 51 43	9. 7 9. 0 8. 3 7. 7 5. 8	1.0 .5 .6 .5	0. 2
6 7 8 9		23 22 21 20 20				] 13	100 210	44 46 39 32 29	4. 9 5. 8 7. 7 9. 0 8. 3	6. 3 . 7 5. 3 2. 6 1. 2	
11 12 13 14 15	20	18 18 19 19 19			20	17	260 227 67	26 24 23 18 16	7. 7 6. 3 5. 8 4. 4 3. 9	.6 .5 .6 1.3 .7	
16	,	20 21 17 17 20	) 16	14			34 56 37 44 52	14 15 15 14 12	3. 9 2. 3 2. 6 3. 3 8. 0	.5 .3 .1 .1	
21	26 20	21 20 17 22 17					62 103 93 67 33	11 12 12 11 11	5. 8 3. 9 2. 9 2. 6 2. 3	1. 2 1. 3 . 6 1. 2 1. 2	
26	26 17 19 19 22 22	12 12 17 12 12				25	67 46 46 46 51	9. 7 9. 7 9. 7 11 11	2.1 1.7 1.5 1.3 1.2	1.0 .7 .5 .9 .5	

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of doubtful gage-height record, Oct 6-23, 25; on account of ice and missing gage heights Nov. 30 to Mar. 7, 9-31, Apr. 1-12. Results of actual discharge measurements used Oct. 24 and Mar. 8. Creek dry Aug. 3 to Sept. 30. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Beaver Creek at Dubois, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	-feet	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October		15	19. 8	1, 220	
November	25	12	19. 3	1, 150	
December			16.0	984	
January			14.0	861	
February			20. 0 19. 3	1, 150 1, 190	
April		33	96. 7	5, 750	
May	56	9.7	24. 0	1,480	
June	9.7	1.2	4. 99	297	
July		.1	1. 10	67.4	
August		0	.15		
September				0	
The year				14, 200	

# BEAVER CREEK AT CAMAS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NE. ¼ sec. 21, T. 8 N., R. 36 E., three-eighths mile above confluence with Camas Creek and one-fourth mile northwest of Oregon Short Line Railroad depot at Camas, Jefferson County. Locally this stream is generally known as Dry Creek.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 25, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff attached to highway bridge on right bank; read by William McCall.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading or from highway bridge.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of gravel. Control is a fairly well defined gravel riffle 250 feet below gage; fairly permanent. Banks subject to overflow at extremely high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 2.42 feet 7 and 8.10 a. m. April 14 (discharge, 107 second-feet). Stream reported dry except during parts of April and May.

1921-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 2.94 feet June 1, 1921 (discharge, 153 second-feet). No flow past station except during April, May, and sometimes June of each year.

ICE.—Channel is dry during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—After high water, entire flow is diverted for irrigation about 14 miles above, near Dubois.

REGULATION.—None, except as flow is affected by irrigation diversions above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent during year. Rating curve fairly well defined below 100 second-feet. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Camas Mutual Irrigation District.

The following discharge measurements were made:

April 14, 1924: Gage height, 2.27 feet; discharge, 95.0 second-feet.

April 16, 1924: Gage height, 1.44 feet; discharge, 27.9 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Beaver Creek at Camas, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	Мау	Day	Apr.	May	Day	Apr.	May
1	) 0 10 38	3 1	11	48 60 84 102 88 25 27 27 27 27 21	0	21	25 33 41 36 25 13 11 12 5. 0 3. 8	0

Note.-Discharge estimated Apr. 9 and May 2.

Monthly discharge of Beaver Creek at Camas, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

25. 11	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April	102 3. 0	0	25. 4 . 13	1, 510 8. 0
The period				1, 520

#### LITTLE LOST RIVER AT RAYMOND RANCH, NEAR HOWE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 29, T. 10 N., R. 27 E., at Raymond ranch, 1½ miles above Wet Creek and 32 miles northwest of Howe, Butte County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 13, 1921, to September 26, 1924, when station was discontinued. From August 28, 1910, to October 3, 1913, records were collected at station on Little Lost River near Clyde, Idaho, 2½ miles upstream.

Gage.—Prior to April, 1924, vertical staff on left bank 100 feet above wagon bridge; thereafter, vertical staff on left bank just below bridge and 145 feet below original location; at different datum. Gages read by Mrs. Nelle Raymond.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from wagon bridge or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel and sand; subject to change at high stages. Control fairly well defined at low stages but affected by choking of channel below at high stages. Banks overflowed during extremely high water.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 2.00 feet at 7.30 a.m. May 19 (discharge, 103 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.92 foot at 8 p.m. July 22 (discharge, 20 second-feet). A lower discharge probably occurred during winter when no record was obtained.

1921-1924: Maximum stage, 4.33 feet, obtained from high-water marks on gage post, occurred sometime between June 7 and 29, 1921; discharge not determined. Minimum discharge estimated, 14 second-feet, January 16-20, 1922 (stage-discharge relation affected by ice).

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice; observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Several small ranch diversions above and numerous diversions for irrigation below. Water that is stored in the Blaine County Investment Co.'s reservoir on Dry Creek, a tributary that enters Little Lost River some distance above gage, is diverted during irrigation season through a pipe line and open ditch over small divide into Corral Creek, thence into Wet Creek through which water flows into Little Lost River below station and is used for irrigation on the company's project about 30 miles downstream.

REGULATION.—None except as affected by diversions above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. October 1 to December 15 curve parallel to rating curve which is well defined between 30 and 140 second-feet was used; April 18 to September 26 rating curve which is well defined between 15 and 80 second-feet was used. Gage read to hundredths usually twice daily. Daily discharge determined by applying daily gage height to rating table except December 10 and 11 and May 12-27 during which latter period stage-discharge relation was affected by choking channel conditions below and a backwater curve based upon measurement was used. Records good except for May, for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of Little Lost River at Raymond ranch, near Howe, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage Dis- height charge		Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 18 May 16	Feet 1. 14 1. 93	Secft. 38. 0 98. 1	May 28 June 22	Feet 1. 60 1. 18	Secft. 79. 0 44. 1	July 2 Sept. 12	Feet 0. 94 1. 00	Secft. 21. 2 25. 5

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Lost River at Raymond ranch, near Howe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	44	35	29		43	69	26	24	24
9	44	38	26		52	65	22	27	24
0			24						00
0	43	36			63	64	25	25	23 23 24
4	44	43	26		65	66	24	25	23
5	49	35	27		66	63	26	27	24
6	47	35	25		63	64	28	28	26
7	57	33	25		57	65	30	28	25
8	53	33	26		57	74	29	28	25 24
9	53	41	27		65	74	29	27	24
	95	41	. 41						24
10	57	38	26		68	61	28	27	24
11	53	44	11	l i	79	59	28	27	24
12	53	39	26			56	29	26	25
13					84				20
	49	35	22		89	52	31	26	24
14	53	33	22		89	45	28	26	24
15	53	38	22		94	43	26	28	24
16	53	30	l		94	42	26	28	24
17	46	30	1		99	41	26	25	25
18	35	27		39	99	41	27	26	25 27 28 28
19		35						27	50
	36			38	99	43	30	21	40
20	38	32		39	94	47	32	27	28
21	43	27		43	94	43	28	26	28 28 28 27 27
22	43	29		47	94	39	21	25	28
23	44	30		45	94	34	22	24	28
24	43	29		34	84	33	23	24	27
25	43	33		29	84	35	24	22	98
40	40	99		29	01	30	24	44	20
26	44	32		31	84	38	24	23	31
27	41	30		38	79	38	24	23	
28	49	29	L	41	79	35	24	23	l
29	30	29		41	79	33	24	23	1
30	30	29		41	74	29	24	23	
31		29		1 41		29	24	23	
01	32				74		24	23	

Note.—Discharge estimated Dec. 10-11 on account of uncertain gage heights.

Monthly discharge of Little Lost River at Raymond ranch, near Howe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

25	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December 1-15 April 18-30. May June July August September 1-26.	47 99 74 32	30 27 22 29 43 29 21 22 22	45. 2 33. 6 25. 3 38. 9 78. 6 49. 7 26. 2 25. 5	2, 780 2, 000 753 1, 000 4, 830 2, 960 1, 610 1, 570 1, 320

# LITTLE LOST RIVER NEAR HOWE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In SE. ¼ sec. 11, T. 6 N., R. 28 E., a quarter of a mile above diversion dam of Blaine County Investment Co., 7 miles from Berenice, and 8 miles northwest of Howe, Butte County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 27, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank; read by Nephi W. Hansen.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading below gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of cobbles and gravel; subject to cutting by swift velocity. No well-defined control. One channel at all stages-Banks fairly high.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 1.43 feet May 29 (discharge, 141 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.65 foot August 27, 28, 30, and September 4 (discharge, 45 second-feet). Probably not actual extremes.

1921-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 1.64 feet June 14, 1923 (discharge, 176 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.23 foot April 15 and 20, 1923 (discharge, 13 second-feet).

Ice.—Observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Numerous irrigation diversions above and below station.

REGULATION.—Water is stored in small reservoir of Blaine County Investment Co. on Dry Creek, about 40 miles upstream, and during irrigation season is released and carried through Corral and Wet Creeks to Little Lost River and diverted into the company's main canal one-quarter mile below gage.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed during winter. Two well-defined curves used, the first applicable October 1-15 and the second applicable April 16 to September 30. Gage read to hundredths nearly every day. Daily discharge determined by applying daily gage height to rating table except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by water master for Little Lost River.

Discharge measurements of Little Lost River near Howe, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Mar. 12 Mar. 24 Apr. 18	Feet a 0.98 a .93 .99	Secft. 77. 8 68. 6 79. 8	May 16 May 29 June 22	Feet 1, 10 1, 43 . 89	Secft. 95. 7 139 70. 5	July 2 Sept. 12	Feet 0. 78 . 70	Secft. 58, 3 50, 2

a Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Lost River near Howe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	126		69	128	64	58	46
2	113		64	114	59	57	47
3	106		74	121	59	57	46
A	100		83	114	70	57	45
K	94		78	114	68	58	47
V				117			
6	86		83	121	63	58	49
7	90		73	124	66	58	49
8	94		73	128	70	59	49
9	1		71	128	67	57	49
10	1		75	121	64	57	49
					-		
11	} 100		78	121	64	57	50
12	1		83	114	68	57	50
13	ł		88	108	70	53	51
14	J		90	79	66	50	52
15	106		92	78	61	49	53
10		00			- 00		1
16		89	95	78	63	50	54
17		86	102	79	62	49	52
18		82	102	78	61	50	57
19		82	102	78	64	48	58
20		82	102	77	68	51	59
21		77	102	71	70	52	59
22		95	95	70	58	50	60
23			102	66	60	50	61
24		95 77	102		59	48	58
				64			
25		73	114	64	57	46	55
26		73	121	61	56	46	53
27		73	128	58	57	45	52
28		72	134	55	58	45	52
29		72	141	54	57	45	52
30		69		67	58	45	52
31		69	134	01			32
01			134	-+	58	46	

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights Oct. 9-14; interpolated Oct. 3-4, 7, Apr. 17, 19, May 3, 14-15, 18-19, 24, 28, June 7, 16, 18, 26-27, July 7, 14, 19, Aug. 1, 3, 7, 24, 29, 31, Sept. 5, 7-9, 11, 13-14, 19-22, and 28. Braced figure gives mean discharge for period indicated.

Monthly discharge of Little Lost River near Howe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 1-15	141 128 70	86 69 64 54 56 45	101 79.8 96.5 91.1 62.7 51.9 52.2	3,000 2,370 5,930 5,420 3,860 3,190 3,110

#### BLAINE COUNTY INVESTMENT CO.'S CANAL NEAR HOWE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 11, T. 6 N., R. 28 E., 65 feet below head gates, 6 miles northwest of Berenice, and 8 miles northwest of Howe, Butte County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 11 to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank; read by N. W. Hansen.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel, silt, and fine sand; fairly permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 1.48 feet May 29 (discharge, 79 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.52 foot May 2 and 3 (discharge, 2.1 second-feet).

DIVERSIONS.—None above gage.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by gates in diversion dam above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent during period. Rating curve well defined below 40 second-feet and fairly well defined above. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge determined by applying daily gage height to rating table except as noted in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by water master for Little Lost River.

Blaine County Investment Co.'s canal diverts water from right bank of Little Lost River in sec. 11, T. 6 N., R. 28 E., and is used for irrigation on lands in project of Blaine County Investment Co.

Discharge measurements of Blaine County Investment Co.'s canal near Howe, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 18 May 16 May 28	Feet 0. 55 1. 07 1. 46	Secft. 2. 52 27. 7 71. 7	May 28	Feet 1. 45 . 60 . 62	Secft. 78. 0 3. 05 3. 69	Sept. 12 Do	Feet 0. 76 . 64	Secft. 8. 12 4. 12

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Blaine County Investment Co.'s canal near Howe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5		5. 3 2. 1 2. 1 17 8. 9	67 51 53 57 53	3. 9 3. 6 4. 2 8. 1 15	11 11 11 10 9.3	4.2 4.2 4.2 4.2 4.2	16	2, 5 2, 4 2, 4 2, 8 6, 6	28 30 30 30 30 33	14 13 13 9. 7 6. 6	10 10 10 10 10	4.2 4.2 4.2 4.2 4.2	4. 2 4. 2 4. 2 4. 2 4. 2
6		14 8.9 6.6 6.6 8.9	53 73 73 74 59	15 15 13 12 12	9.3 9.3 8.4 7.0 7.0	4. 2 4. 2 4. 2 4. 2 4. 2	21	12 23 29 23 17	29 29 32 51 54	3. 1 3. 9 3. 9 3. 9 5. 0	14 13 10 10	4.2 4.2 4.2 4.2 4.2	4. 2 4. 2 4. 2 4. 4 5. 3
11	2.8 2.8 2.7 2.6 2.6	8.9 14 17 17 28	60 53 38 8.1 7.4	10 11 13 13 11	7. 0 7. 0 7. 0 7. 0 6. 1	4. 2 5. 8 4. 2 4. 2 4. 2	26	17 17 17 5. 8 5. 3	56 73 74 79 73 67	3.9 3.9 3.9 3.9	10 10 10 10 11 11	4.2 4.2 4.2 4.2 4.2 4.2	5. 3 5. 3 5. 3 4. 2

Note.—Discharge estimated Apr. 28, May 14, 18-19, June 6, 8, July 7-8, 14-15, 22-23, Aug. 3-4, 7-8, 15, and Sept. 11-14; based on changes in diversion gates, as furnished by water master. Discharge interpolated Apr. 12-17, July 29, Aug. 1, 24, 31, Sept. 5, 7-8, 19-22.

Monthly discharge of Blaine County Investment Co.'s canal near Howe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

35	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 11-30	 29 79	2. 4 2. 1	9. 82 30. 1	390
May June July	 79 74 15	3. 1 3. 6	29. <b>2</b> 10. 6	1, 850 1, 740 652
AugustSeptember	 11 5.8	4. 2 4. 2	6. 28 4. 44	386 264
The period	 -			5, 280

# BIG LOST RIVER AT HOWELL RANCH, NEAR CHILLY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 30, T. 8 N., R. 21 E., at Howell ranch, 12 miles southwest of Chilly, Custer County, and 30 miles northwest of Mackay, the nearest railroad point.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 25, 1904, to August 31, 1906; July 1, 1907, to November 14, 1914; May 11, 1920, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank installed June 17, 1920; inspected by Mrs. John Howell.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 50 feet above gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of sand, gravel, and cobbles. Channel straight. Banks covered with brush and subject to overflow at high stages. Control composed of gravel and cobbles; may shift at high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 3.13 feet at 2 a. m. May 17 (discharge, 932 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.25 feet 4 to 7 a. m. September 1 (discharge, 53 second-feet).

1904-1914; 1920-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 5.94 feet from 4 to 8 a.m. June 12, 1921 (discharge, 3,500 second-feet); minimum discharge, 35 second-feet April 2, 1909.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice. Records discontinued during winter.

Diversions.—Several small diversions above. Hammerly ditch, capacity about 20 second-feet, diverts one-fourth mile below gage.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed October 1-15 and during winter. Two well-defined rating curves were used, the first October 16-21 and the second after April 7. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for short periods at which times staff gage was read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table, using shifting-control method October 1-15. During periods water-stage recorder was operated, mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records good except for April for which they are fair.

Cooperation.—Water commissioner for Big Lost River furnished results of discharge measurements made by him.

Discharge measurements of Big Lost River at Howell ranch, near Chilly, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 20	Feet 1.75 a 2.80 (b) (b) (b)	Secft. 140 75. 7 87. 2 80. 9 70. 3	Apr. 14 Apr. 21 May 15 May 18 May 25	Feet 1. 95 1. 66 2. 91 2. 91 2. 74	Secft. 230 143 753 746 626	May 29	Feet 2. 31 2. 16 2. 00 1. 56 1. 34	Secft. 363 305 262 117 68. 9

a Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Lost River at Howell ranch, near Chilly, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	142 142 142 148 168	115	211 272 352 379 303	348 402 463 447 421	211 215 218 215 242	84 78 74 74 72	55 56 56 58 63
6	168 184 174 165 162	127 141 155	264 261 272 335 416	393 340 311 283 268	236 218 192 173 164	72 72 74 76 72	76 70 80 95 84
11	162 156 150 150 148	135 173 291 239 144	502 602 680 748 748	257 250 257 307 295	164 164 158 138 124	72 72 72 74 72	76 74 72 69 69
16	148 142 139 142 139	114 117 114 124 133	788 820 764 756 764	268 250 268 246 225	117 114 110 107 120	74 70 69 69 72	67 67 69 70 78
21	139	149 225 228 167 144	688 644 563 519 602	211 218 225 239 239	122 110 102 100 100	70 69 67 63 63	78 74 72 70 74
26	135	141 149 161 164 182	569 463 416 379 348 344	242 246 228 215 211	100 98 98 95 91 87	61 59 59 59 61 55	78 76 74 72 72

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of ice Oct. 22-31; on ccount of missing gage heights Apr. 1-7. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

b Gage frozen in.

Monthly discharge of Big Lost River at Howell ranch, near Chilly, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

+	Discha	Discharge in second-feet					
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet			
October April May June July August September	184 291 820 463 242 84 95	211 211 87 55 55	147 151 509 286 145 69. 4 71. 5	9, 040 8, 980 31, 300 17, 000 8, 920 4, 270 4, 250			

#### BIG LOST RIVER (EAST CHANNEL) ABOVE MACKAY RESERVOIR, NEAR MACKAY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 32, T. 8 N., R. 23 E., 3 miles above Mackay Dam, above flow line of reservoir, and 7½ miles above Mackay, Custer County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 9, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Stevens eight-day water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by employees of Utah Construction Co.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from suspension footbridge 20 feet below gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of gravel; shifts occasionally. One channel at low and medium stages; right bank overflowed at high stages. Control fairly well defined.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum mean daily stage recorded during year, 1.24 feet May 20 (discharge, 179 second-feet); channel reported dry at times during year.

1919-1924: Maximum mean daily stage recorded, 3.37 feet June 16, 1922 (discharge, 999 second-feet); no flow April 27 to May 16, 1920, in winter of 1923, and for long periods in 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None between gage and reservoir. Several canals divert water in vicinity of Chilly above "dry beds" which extend from a few miles above gage to a point about 15 miles above.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Two well-defined rating curves and one parallel curve were used, applicable, respectively, October 1 to December 7, May 16–26 and June 15 to September 30, and May 31 to June 8. Operation of water-stage recorder fairly satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge; shifting-control method used May 27–30 and June 9–14. Records fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and several discharge measurements furnished by water commissioner for Big Lost River.

The record at this station represents a part of the natural flow of Big Lost River, and, taken in conjunction with the record for west channel of Big Lost River and with the record for east and west channels of Warm Spring Creek, will show the entire flow of Big Lost River at this point. The combined flow of Big Lost River and Warm Spring Creek represents practically the entire surface flow at this point into Mackay Reservoir located a short distance below. For record at station on west channel of river and on east and west channels of Warm Spring Creek see pages 105, 113, and 115, respectively. For combined flow of both channels of Big Lost River and both channels of Warm Spring Creek, see page 107.

Discharge measurements of Big Lost River (east channel) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct 22	Feet 0. 18 07 4 1. 24	Secft. 24. 7 7. 45 b 2. 0 0	Apr 21 May 17 May 24 June 4 June 18	Feet 1. 12 . 97 . 68 06	Secft. 0 155 132 103 9.81	June 23	Feet -0. 20 18 23 33	Secft. 4.59 4.30 3.61 5.10 61.0

<sup>Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.
Estimated.</sup> 

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Lost River (east channel) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	22 22 22 24 24	20 20 19 19 18	9.0	2.0	1.0	0.5			83 84 104 104 102	5. 2 4. 8 4. 2 4. 5 4. 8	1. 5 2. 7 5. 2 2. 7 1. 5	
6 7 8 9 10	24 27 32 32 31	18 17 17 17 17	7.6	2 0		.5		0	100 90 83 69 44	5. 2 5. 2 4. 8 4. 8 4. 8	1. 5 2. 1 2. 7 2. 7 2. 1	0
11 12 13 14 15	30 29 27 27 27	17 17 16 16 15		2.0	1.0		0	21	32 29 23 18 13	5. 2 5. 2 5. 6 4. 5 4. 2	2.1 1.5 1.5 1.8	1.0
16	27 26 26 25 24	15 15 15 14 13	5.0	2.0				102 148 169 175 179	9. 6 9. 6 8. 0 7. 0	3.9 4.2 4.4 4.5 4.6	1.0	2.0
21	24 24 24 24 24 24	12 12 12 12			.5	0		175 166 149 130 130	5. 9 5. 6 5. 6 5. 9 5. 6	4. 8 4. 2 4. 5 3. 9 3. 6		3.0
26	24 24 24 23 22 21	} 11 11 11		1.0				135 125 116 110 100 88	5. 9 5. 6 5. 2 5. 2 5. 2	3. 3 3. 0 2. 4 2. 1 1. 5 1. 5	0	2. 7 2. 7 2. 7 2. 7 2. 7 2. 4

Note.—Discharge estimated largely by comparison with flow of west channel of Big Lost River Nov. 24-28, 39 Dec. 1-6, 8-31, Jan. 1-9, 11-31, Feb. 2 to May 14, Aug. 15 to Sept. 12, 15-24; part-day estimate made May 15. Estimated discharge measurements used Jan. 10, Feb. 1, Sept. 13, 14. Discharge interpolated July 18-29. Channel practically dry Mar. 11 to May 14 and Aug. 25 to Sept. 12. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Big Lost River (east channel) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

. At	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December	20	21	25. 4 15. 0 5. 86	1, 560 893 360
January February March			1.65 .84 .16	101 48 9.8
April May June	0	0 0 5. 2	0 71, 5 36, 0	4, 400 2, 140
JulyAugustSeptember	5. 6 5. 2	1.5 0 0	4, 17 1, 34 1, 24	256 82. 4 73. 8
The year	179	0	13. 7	9, 920

## BIG LOST RIVER (WEST CHANNEL) ABOVE MACKAY RESERVOIR, NEAR MACKAY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 5, T. 7 N., R. 23 E., 3 miles above Mackay Dam, above flow line of reservoir, and 7½ miles above Mackay, Custer County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 9, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Stevens eight-day water-stage recorder on left bank; installed May 4, 1920; inspected by employees of Utah Construction Co.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from suspension footbridge just above gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed chiefly of gravel. Channel winding. Banks subject to overflow at extremely high stages. Control of gravel, fairly well defined, but subject to change.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum mean daily stage recorded during year, 1.65 feet May 20 and 21 (discharge, 141 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.97 foot April 1-20 (discharge, 22 second-feet).

1919–1924: Maximum discharge estimated, 1,200 second-feet from highwater mark on gage (4.45 feet) during period June 5–16, 1921, when water-stage recorder was not operating. Minimum discharge from actual discharge measurement, 18.3 second-feet May 1, 1920.

ICE.—Ice formation negligible on account of spring inflow above.

DIVERSIONS.—None between station and reservoir. Several canals divert water above the "dry beds" which extend from a point a few miles above station to a point about 15 miles above near Chilly. No surface flow passes the "dry beds" except during fairly high stages.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly May 16 and 17 and June 10-15. Well-defined rating curve and a curve parallel thereto were used. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for several short periods. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph, except as noted in footnote to daily-discharge table; shifting-control method used May 16, 17, and June 10-15. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and several discharge measurements furnished by water commissioner for Big Lost River.

The record at this station represents a part of the natural flow of Big Lost River and taken in conjunction with record for east channel of Big Lost River

and with the record for east and west channels of Warm Spring Creek will show the entire surface flow of Big Lost River at this point. The combined flow of Big Lost River and Warm Spring Creek represents practically the entire flow at this point into Mackay Reservoir located a short distance below. For record at station on east channel of river and on east and west channels of Warm Spring Creek see pages 103, 113, and 115, respectively. For combined flow of both channels of Big Lost River and Warm Spring Creek see page 107.

Discharge measurements of Big Lost River (west channel) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 22 Dec. 7 Jan. 10 Feb. 1 Mar. 6 Mar. 13	Feet 1. 24 1. 10 1. 05 1. 03 1. 00 1. 00	Secft. 52.0 37.8 31.3 29.6 23.9 26.1	Mar. 23 Apr. 21 May 9 May 18 May 24 June 4	Feet 1. 00 . 98 . 99 1. 62 1. 56 1. 36	Secft. 24. 5 23. 3 22. 8 132 124 81. 2	June 18. June 23. July 1. July 23. Sept. 13.	Feet 1. 02 1. 00 1. 01 1. 03 1. 02	Secft. 26. 7 25. 8 27. 7 29. 6 26. 4

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Lost River (west channel) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	56 56 56 59 62	51 51 50 50 50	38 38 38 37 37	32 32 32 32 32 32	29 29 29 29 29	25 25 25 25 25 25	22 22 22 22 22 22	23 23 23 23 23 23	74 72 62 83 83	26 26 26 26 26 26	26 27 29 29 30	25 25 25 26 26
6 7 8 9	61 71 69 67 64	48 48 47 47 47	37 37 37 36 35	32 31 31 31 31	29 29 29 29 29	25 25 25 25 25 25	22 22 22 22 22 22	23 23 23 24 24 24	91 94 91 80 54	26 26 26 26 26 26	30 31 30 29 29	26 27 27 28 28
11	62 61 61 59 59	47 47 45 45 45	35 35 35 35 35	31 31 31 31 31	29 29 29 29 29	25 25 25 25 25 25	22 22 22 22 22 22	24 24 24 24 24 32	47 45 41 37 33	27 31 32 30 29	29 29 29 29 27	29 28 27 27 27 27
16	59 57 57 57 57	45 44 44 44 43	36 36 36 36 36	31 31 31 31 30	29 28 28 27 27	25 25 25 25 25 25	22 22 22 22 22 22	65 106 130 137 141	31 29 27 27 27	30 30 31 30 31	29 29 31 31 32	27 30 32 33 36
21 22 23 24 25	57 57 57 57 56	43 43 43 43 43	36 35 34 34 33	30 29 29 29 29	27 27 27 26 26	25 25 25 25 25 24	23 23 23 23 23 23	141 137 130 122 118	26 26 25 25 25 25	31 30 29 29 29	33 35 33 33 32	36 35 35 36 37
26 27 28 30 31	56 56 56 54 53 53	43 41 41 40 40	32 32 32 32 32 32 32	29 29 29 29 29 29 29	25 25 25 25 25	23 23 23 23 23 23 23	23 23 23 23 23 23	118 112 104 94 85 78	26 26 26 26 26 26	27 27 26 26 27 27	31 31 27 26 23 24	37 36 36 36 36

Note.—Discharge interpolated Dec. 21-26, 28-31, Jan. 1-2, 4-9, 11-16, 18-23, 25-30, Feb. 2-6, 8-13, 15-20, 22-27, 29, Mar. 1-5, 7-12, 14-19, 21-22, 24-26, June 27-30, Sept. 6-10, and 12.

Monthly discharge of Big Lost River (west channel) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September The year	38 32 29 25 23 141 94 32	53 40 32 29 25 25 23 22 23 25 26 26 27 28 25 26 27 28 27 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28 28	58. 8 45. 3 35. 1 30. 5 27. 8 24. 6 22. 3 70. 3 46. 2 28. 0 29. 5 30. 6	3, 620- 2, 700 2, 180 1, 880- 1, 510 1, 530 4, 320 2, 750 1, 720 1, 820- 27, 200

Combined daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Lost River (east and west channels) and Warm Spring Creek (east and west channels) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	203 204 204 212 215	211 213 209 209 208	178 177 176 173 173	167 167 167 166 167	158 158 158 158 158 157	150 150 148 148 148	138 138 138 139 139	106 104 104 103 101	296 289 304 326 325	122 122 122 122 122 124	122 125 129 127 126	116 117 117 118 118
6	216 232 237 238 237	205 203 200 200 200	175 174 169 168 166	167 166 166 166 166	157 157 159 159 159	148 148 146 146 146	140 138 134 132 131	101 101 100 101 101	350 344 333 298 218	126 126 124 124 124 124	126 128 128 127 127	118 119 119- 121 120
11	235 231 228 225 225	199 198 194 195 194	167 168 170 171 170	166 166 165 164 163	159 159 159 159 159	145 145 145 145 145	131 130 131 130 128	104 106 109 111 149	187 176 163 151 141	125 130 134 130 127	126 126 126 126 126 123	122 119 118 119 119
16	230 225 223 222 222	194 192 192 190 188	171 172 172 172 172 172	163 164 163 163 162	159 158 157 156 156	145 145 145 145 145	124 124 124 122 120	293 417 477 503 513	137 133 128 127 125	127 127 128 128 131	125 125 126 126 127	119 122 124 125 129
21	225 226 226 227 228	187 188 188 189 189	171 170 167 170 169	162 161 161 161 159	156 156 156 154 152	147 146 144 144 144	119 117 116 112 111	508 493 463 430 422	123 123 122 122 122	132 129 128 127 128	129 132 129 128 125	129 127 129 130 134
26	228 228 225 221 218 216	188 183 182 183 183	168 170 171 171 170 170	159 159 158 158 158 158	150 150 150 150	142 142 142 142 140 140	109 109 108 108 106	429 406 383 360 334 310	123 123 123 123 123 123	125 125 122 122 124 124	123 123 119 118 113 114	134 134 134 136 135

Combined monthly discharge of Big Lost River (east and west channels) and Warm Spring Creek (east and west channels) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	arge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	238	203	224	13, 800
November		182	195	11,600
December		166	171	10, 500
January		158	163	10,000
February	159	150	156	8, 970
March	_ 150	140	145	8,920
April	_ 140	106	125	7,440
May	_ 513	100	269	16, 500
June	350	122	193	11,500
July		122	126	7, 750
August	132	113	125	7,690
September	_ 136	116	124	7, 380
The year	- 513	100	168	122,000

#### MACKAY RESERVOIR NEAR MACKAY, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 12, T. 7 N., R. 23 E., 4 miles northwest of Mackay, Custer County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—January 1, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on head-gate tower near right end of dam; read to hundredths once daily by employees of Utah Construction Co. Datum of gage 6,000 feet above sea level.

EXTREMES OF CONTENTS.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 54.85 feet April 24-27 (contents, 29,850 acre-feet); minimum stage, 6.95 feet August 5 (water surface below bottom of outlet tunnel).

1919–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 63.62 feet June 26, 1922 (contents, 40,500 acre-feet); minimum contents, water surface below bottom of outlet tunnel August 1 to October 19, 1919, August 5, 17–27, 31, September 1–5, 12–14, and 18, 1920, and August 5, 1924 (minimum stage during these periods, 6.6 feet August 24 to September 2, 1919.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by Utah Construction Co. through water commissioner for Big Lost River.

Stored water from this reservoir is used for irrigation of land near Arco, under the Utah Construction Co.'s Carey Act project. About 5,200 acres are under cultivation at present, but this area is subject to change from year to year. The reservoir is formed by a gravity earth dam 750 feet in length at crest. The crest is 75 feet above bottom of concrete core wall below which there is 15 feet of sheet piling to prevent excessive seepage. Crest of spillway is 10 feet below crest of dam and 55 feet above bottom of outlet tunnel. Elevation of bottom of outlet tunnel corresponds to 7.0 feet on gage, at which stage the usable storage is zero, although there is about 125 acre-feet of water in the reservoir, which is not available for use. Elevation of crest of spillway corresponds to 62.0 feet on gage, at which stage the capacity of the reservoir is 38,400 acre-feet, about 2,400 acres of land being submerged. As the foundation of the dam is on very porous material and the core wall does not penetrate to bedrock, heavy seepage loss occurs, and at times during low water the inflow is not sufficient to counteract this loss plus the loss sustained by evaporation. Thus the stage of water in the reservoir occasionally falls below the bottom of the outlet tunnel. A study of the stream-flow records at this point indicates that most of the seepage from the reservoir reappears in the river channel above the gaging station at the "Narrows"

1½ miles downstream, where favorable rock structure forces underground water to the surface. Additional water also reappears, part of which is probably side drainage while part evidently flows underground at the places where the surface flow into the reservoir is measured and thence through the reservoir. Seepage loss will probably diminish as silting takes place, although the amount of water thus lost has not varied appreciably in the last few years.

Daily contents, in acre-feet, of Mackay Reservoir near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12345	16, 870 16, 870 16, 930 16, 960 16, 960	3, 909 3, 417 3, 030 2, 675 2, 378		17, 730 17, 840	22, 590 22, 680 22, 780	25, 880 25, 990 26, 160 26, 300 26, 400	28, 880 28, 980 29, 090 29, 200 29, 320	29, 800 29, 800	20, 390 19, 990 19, 650 19, 270 18, 870		180 108 78 17 0	42 25 17 17 17
6 7 8 9 10	17, 450	2, 584 2, 981 3, 365 3, 771 4, 134	11, 880 12, 090 12, 310 12, 570 12, 810	18, 310 18, 480 18, 650 18, 830 19, 000	23, 130 23, 260 23, 360	26, 570 26, 620	29, 430 29, 490 29, 550 29, 600 29, 660	29, 660 29, 640 29, 620	18, 520 18, 140 17, 770 17, 330 16, 820	10, 540 9, 791 9, 084 8, 278 7, 503	47 103 100 92 97	20 30 33 42 58
11 12 13 14 15	17, 700 17, 450 16, 930 16, 130 15, 210	4, 480 4, 900 5, 233 5, 546 5, 881	13, 030 13, 250 13, 470 13, 690 13, 920	19, 170 19, 350 19, 520 19, 700 19, 870	23, 820 23, 950 24, 050		29, 680 29, 680 29, 680 29, 720 29, 740	29, 580 29, 330	16, 310 15, 830 15, 400 14, 910 14, 370	6, 811 6, 190 5, 679 5, 164 4, 643	58 36 25 8 0	67 67 67 67 67
16 17 18 19 20	14, 440 13, 770 13, 250 12, 620 12, 000	7, 136	14, 140 14, 370 14, 600 14, 820 15, 060	20, 180 20, 300 20, 430	24, 450 24, 550 24, 650	27, 470	29, 740 29, 740 29, 740 29, 770 29, 800		13, 690 13, 020 12, 420 11, 900 11, 600	4, 078 3, 693 3, 280 2, 851 2, 524	0 0 0 8 25	67 67 67 67 67
21	11, 480 10, 870 10, 160 9, 326 8, 468	7, 745 8, 031 8, 325 8, 624 8, 929	15, 260 15, 460 15, 680 15, 910 16, 090	20,770 20,960 21,110 21,220 21,350	25, 060 25, 220 25, 370	27, 780 27, 890 28, 000 28, 110 28, 220	29, 800 29, 800 29, 830 29, 850 29, 850	25, 550 24, 970 24, 420 23, 850 23, 270	11, 600 11, 540 11, 480 11, 460 11, 460	2, 172 1, 692 1, 238 782 536	50 67 67 67 67	67 75 83 86 92
26	7, 688 6, 943 6, 225 5, 607 4, 990 4, 423	9, 201 9, 490 9, 810 10, 090 10, 310	16, 280 16, 480 16, 690 16, 890 17, 120 17, 360	21, 600 21, 790 21, 980 22, 170	25, 570 25, 680	28, 330 28, 440 28, 550 28, 650 28, 760 28, 830	29, 850 29, 820 29, 800 29, 800	22, 760 22, 280 21, 760 21, 390 21, 080 20, 770	11, 450 11, 450 11, 430 11, 420 11, 410	405 302 252 223 204 198	67 64 58 53 50 50	97 100 100 100 100

## BIG LOST RIVER BELOW MACKAY RESERVOIR, NEAR MACKAY, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 18, T. 7 N., R. 24 E., 450 feet below Oleson suspension bridge, half a mile above heading of Streeter ditch, 1½ miles below Mackay Dam, and 2½ miles above Mackay, Custer County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—December 1, 1903, to August 31, 1906; May 12, 1912, to March 15, 1915; January 1, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank; installed May 4, 1920; inspected by employees of Utah Construction Co. From April 29, 1913, to March 15, 1915, records were obtained 1 mile below present site. Streeter ditch diverts water between these two points.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable just below gage or by wading.

\*Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel; shifts occasionally. Most growth at times affects stage-discharge relation.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum mean daily stage recorded during year, 3.02 feet October 14 (discharge, 812 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.25 feet noon to midnight November 6 (discharge, 46 second-feet).

1903-1906; 1912-1915; 1919-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 5.79 feet June 10, 1921 (discharge, 2,990 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.36 foot March 26-28, 1914 (discharge, 41 second-feet).

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Numerous diversions above Mackay Reservoir but Sharp ditch is only diversion between gage and reservoir.

REGULATION.—Flow past gage regulated by operation of gates in Mackay Dam.

Prior to 1917 regulation from storage above was practically negligible.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly October 15–28 and September 1–9, for which shifting-control methods were used. For remainder of year three well-defined rating curves were used. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspecting recorder graph, except for periods for which shifting-control methods were used. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and several discharge measurements furnished by water commissioner for Big Lost River.

Discharge measurements of Big Lost River below Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 29	Feet 2. 73 1. 32 1. 39 1. 46 1. 50 1. 54 1. 54	Secft. 594 68. 2 77. 0 102 107 122 121	Apr. 19	Feet 1. 52 1. 54 2. 56 2. 92 2. 52 2. 36 1. 65	Secft. 112 116 542 721 514 429 160	June 30	Feet 1. 63 2. 55 2. 28 1. 57 1. 58	Secft. 148- 511 379- 130- 143-

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Lost River below Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	211	529	71	95	109	118	127	115	459	149	171	133
2	211	498	71	95	109	118	127	115	464	149	181	133
3	215	473	71	95	109	118	127	115	473	149	178	136
4	219	444	74	95	109	118	127	121	498	149	161	136
5	219	420	74	95	109	118	130	127	509	152	139	136
6	219	205	76	95	109	118	130	133	503	435	133	136
7	219	48	78	95	109	118	130	121	514	493	155	136
8	219	48	78	98	109	118	130	121	519	519	158	136
9	215	50	78	98	109	118	127	121	509	519	149	136
10	211	50	78	98	109	118	124	118	478	514	149	139
11	292	50	78	98	109	118	115	118	439	509	165	139-
12	396	52	81	98	109	121	115	121	406	493	161	139
13	510	54	81	98	109	121	115	238	388	454	155	139
14	812	54	81	98	109	121	115	420	406	435	152	142
15	763	54	81	101	109	121	115	354	430	416	152	142
16	703	56	81	101	109	121	115	430	503	384	149	142
17	644	56	81	101	112	121	115	529	488	354	145	142
18	570	56	84	101	112	121	115	652	425	346	145	145
19	598	58	84	103	112	121	115	780	411	350	142	149
20	632	61	84	103	112	121	115	780	284	350	133	149
21	558	64	84	103	112	121	115	780	158	371	136	149
22	570	66	· 84	103	112	121	115	780	155	376	139	149
23	632	66	87	103	112	124	115	761	155	388	139	152
24	715	68	87	103	112	124	121	730	155	367	139	155
25	721	68	89	103	115	124	121	712	152	291	139	158
26	715	68	89	103	115	124	118	694	149	236	136	158.
27	685	68	89	106	115	124	118	670	149	204	133	161
28	650	71	92	106	115	124	118	612	149	178	130	161
28 29	623	71	92	106	118	127	118	535	149	161	130	161
30	594	71	92	106		127	118	468	149	152	130	161
31	562	I	92	106	1	127		454	1	155	130	

Monthly discharge of Big Lost River below Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	812	211	487	29, 90
November	529	48	133	7, 91
December	92	71	82.0	5,040
January		95	100	6, 150
February	118	109	111	6, 380
March	127	118	121	7,44
A pril	130	115	120	7, 14
May	. 780	115	414	25, 50
June	519	149	354	21, 10
/uly	519	149	329	20, 20
August	181	130	147	9,04
September	161	133	145	8, 63
The year	812	48	213	154, 00

## BIG LOST RIVER NEAR MOORE, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 4, T. 5 N., R. 26 E., at Grant Walburn ranch, 1 mile above Moore Canal diversion, 4 miles north of Moore, Butte County, and 11 miles north of Arco.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—November 18, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on right bank; read by L. G. Walburn.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 20 feet above gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of clean gravel. Banks low and likely to be overflowed at high stages. Channel winding. Control formed by well-defined gravel bar; shifting.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 2.48 feet October 25 (discharge, 576 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.47 foot September 4 (discharge, 41 second-feet).

1920-1924: Maximum discharge, estimated about 2,330 second-feet June 14, 1921, based on high-water marks on gage; minimum stage, 0.39 foot December 17, 1920 (discharge, 19 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Numerous canal diversions above station. Moore Canal diverts

1 mile below.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by operation of head gates at Mackay Dam and by canal diversions above station.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation changed several times during year. Standard rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table daily gage height using shifting-control method. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and several discharge measurements furnished by water commissioner for Big Lost River.

Discharge measurements of Big Lost River near Moore, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 30 Dec. 4 Jan. 12 Feb. 16 Mar. 13	Feet 1. 76 . 84 . 71 . 76 . 70	Secft. 355 106 85. 2 90. 8 72. 7	Mar. 23	Feet 0. 66 . 74 . 54 . 71	Secft. 64. 5 84. 6 44. 4 78. 4	May 26 June 23 July 1 Sept. 14	Feet 0. 97 . 72 . 66 . 48	Secft. 139 84. 4 72. 0 41. 6

# Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Lost River near Moore, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	118	331	94	79	95	90	67	43	111	72	63	43-
	118	302	97	74	92	88	67	42	116	72	67	43-
	131	302	116	82	97	88	67	41	114	69	69	42:
	124	260	99	79	88	84	67	42	107	70	63	41-
	126	246	97	74	92	82	67	43	111	70	61	46-
6 7	146 169 158 169 181	181 158 158 158 146	105 101 92 101 92	69 72 74 77 82	92 90 92 92 92	82 81 82 79 77	70 77 92 101 94	45 43 43 44 44	107 111 122 118 111	72 82 79 74 66	56 52 59 57 59	44 43 43 44 44 43.
11	169	146	88	86	94	76	94	42	97	63.	59	45
	246	146	92	86	94	76	92	42	82	61	61	43
	274	146	86	84	92	72	105	43	79	61	60	42
	451	139	90	79	94	77	124	54	69	61	59	42
	513	135	92	84	92	79	101	46	64	69.	57	42
16	512	135	99	90	92	79	90	50.	76	70°	56	42:
	482	131	101	88	94	76	84	76	81	67	53	43:
	482	124	99	84	94	77	81	116	92	64	52	44
	451	122	103	84	94	76	84	144	84	53	51	46
	513	120	99	81	95	66	77	169	70	53	52	50:
21	482	118	107	84	94	66	79	158	99	50	52	48-
	482	116	81	84	94	64	81	139	84	53	53	48-
	513	116	84	82	94	64	70	169	82	56	54	45-
	544	118	99	84	94	64	67	146	81	59	54	45-
	576	120	101	86	94	63	63	142	82	64	49	45-
26	420 405 390 375 360 331	120 120 111 114 97	101 101 88 97 88 82	88 90 94 94 95 97	92 92 92 90	61 59 64 66 84 69	61 59 54 51 44	137 146 169 158 139 120	82. 81 79 77 77	63 74 69 66 64 67	49 48 45 45 45 44	48 48 48 46 48

Note.—Discharge interpolated Oct. 29, Nov. 26, June 25, and July 22.

## Monthly discharge of Big Lost River near Moore, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

··	Discha	erge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	331 116 97 97 90 124 169 122 82 69	118- 97- 81- 69- 88- 59- 44- 41- 64- 50- 44- 41-	336 158 95. 9 83. 4 92. 9 74. 5 77. 7 91. 5 91. 5 65. 6 55. 0	20, 700 9, 400 5, 900 5, 130 5, 340 4, 580 4, 620 5, 630 5, 440 4, 030 8, 380 2, 660
The year 5.	576	41	106	76, 800

#### WARM SPRING CREEK (EAST CHANNEL) NEAR MACKAY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NE. ½ sec. 5, T. 7 N., R. 23 E., 500 feet above junction with west channel of Warm Spring Creek, 3½ miles above Mackay Dam, and 7½ miles northwest of Mackay, Custer County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 1, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on right bank; read by employees of Utah Construction Co. DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from suspension bridge 125 feet above gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of sand and gravel. One channel at all stages. Banks steep and covered with brush. Channel congested by growth of moss during summer.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge recorded during year, 52 second-feet May 19 and 20; minimum discharge, 13 second-feet May 5-10. Actual maximum and minimum flow may have occurred on days of no record. 1919-1924: Maximum discharge recorded, 225 second-feet June 15, 1922; minimum discharge, 9 second-feet May 8, 9, 13, 14, 1919, and May 18-21, 1920.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

Diversions.—Natural flow practically all diverted during irrigation season. Flow during summer represents return flow from irrigation above. Entire flow stored in Mackay Reservoir 3½ miles below.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation affected by growth of moss and by brush along banks. Well-defined rating curve used February 28 to March 27; shifting-control method used during remainder of year. Gage read to hundredths once or twice a week. Daily discharge ascertained by applying gage height to rating table and by interpolation for days when gage was not read. Records fair chiefly because of infrequent gage readings and because of changing channel conditions.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and several discharge measurements furnished by water commissioner for Big Lost River.

The record at this station represents a portion of the natural flow of Big Lost River and taken in conjunction with the record for west channel of Warm Spring Creek and east and west channels of Big Lost River will show the entire surface flow of Big Lost River which enters Mackay Reservoir a short distance below. For record from station on west channel of Warm Spring Creek and east and west channels of Big Lost River see pages 115, 103, and 105, respectively. For record of combined flow of both channels of Big Lost River and Warm Spring Creek see page 107.

Discharge measurements of Warm Spring Creek (east channel) near Mackay, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 22	Feet 1. 64 1. 54 1. 52 1. 50 1. 47 1. 46	Secft. 29.8 24.3 27.1 25.3 21.2 21.1	Mar. 23	Feet 1, 45 1, 38 1, 35 1, 74 1, 74 1, 62	Secft. 22.1 15.5 13.0 47.3 46.9 32.8	June 18	Feet 1. 39 1. 38 1. 39 1. 43 1. 45	Secft. 16. 6- 16. 5- 16. 4 17. 5 16. 0-

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Warm Spring Creek (east channel) near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12 23 45	25 25 25 25 25 25	28 28 28 28 28 28	25 25 24 24 24 24	27 27 27 27 27 27	25 25 25 25 25 24	22 22 22 22 22 22	20 20 20 21 21	14 14 14 14 14	33 31 32 33 31	16 16. 16 16 17	18 18 18 18 18	16 16 16 16 16
6 7	26 27 27 28 29	28 28 28 28 28 28	24 24 24 24 24 24	27 27 27 27 27 27	24 24 24 24 24 24	22 22 22 22 22 22	22 21 20 19 18	13 13 13 13 13	32 33 34 35 30	18 18 17 17 16	18 18 18 18	16 17 17 18 18
11 12 13 14 15	29 29 29 29 28	27 27 26 26 26 26	25 25 25 25 25 25	27 27 26 26 25	24 24 24 24 24 24	22 22 22 22 22 22	19 19 20 19 18	14 14 15 16 16	25 20 20 19 18	16 17 18 18 18	18 18 18 18 18	18 17 16 16 16
16	28 28 28 28 29	26 26 26 26 26 26	25 25 25 25 25 25	25 25 25 25 25 25	24 24 23 23 23	22 22 22 22 22 22	17 16 16 16 16	26 37 47 52 52	18 17 16 16 16	17 17 17 18 18	18 18 18 18	16 16 16 16 16
21	30 30 30 30 30	26 26 26 26 26 26	25 25 25 26 26	26 26 26 26 26 26	23 23 23 23 23 22	22 21 21 21 21 22	16 15 15 14 14	51 51 49 47 47	16 16 16 16 16	18 18 18 18	18 18 18 17 17	17 17 18 18 18
26	30 30 29 29 28 28	25 25 25 25 25 25	26 26 26 26 26 27	26 26 25 25 25 25 25	22 22 22 22 22	22 22 22 22 22 21 21	14 14 14 14 14	47 44 42 40 37 35	16 16 17 17 17	18 18 18 18 18 18	16 16 16 16 16	18 18 18 19 19

Monthly discharge of Warm Spring Creek (east channel) near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	. 28 27 27 25 22 22 22 52 35 18 18	25 25 24 25 22 21 14 13 16 16 16	28. 1 26. 6 25. 0 26. 1 23. 6 21. 8 17. 4 29. 5 22. 4 17. 5 17. 0	1, 73 1, 58 1, 54 1, 60 1, 36 1, 34 1, 04 1, 81 1, 33 1, 07 1, 08
The year	. 52	13	22. 7	16, 500

## WARM SPRING CREEK (WEST CHANNEL) NEAR MACKAY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NE. ¼ sec. 5, T. 7 N., R. 23 E., 500 feet above junction with east channel of Warm Spring Creek, 3½ miles above Mackay Dam, above flow line of reservoir, and 7½ miles above Mackay, Custer County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 8, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Stevens eight-day water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by employees of Utah Construction Co.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from suspension footbridge just below gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed chiefly of gravel. One channel at all stages. Control formed by well-defined gravel riffle; fairly permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum mean daily stage recorded during year, 1.21 feet, May 20 and 21 (discharge, 141 second-feet); minimum discharge, 64 second-feet, May 8-10.

1919-1924: Maximum mean daily stage recorded, 3.38 feet, June 12, 1921 (discharge, 411 second-feet); minimum discharge, May 8-10, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation practically unaffected by ice.

Diversions.—Practically entire flow diverted during irrigation season. Flow during summer represents return flow from irrigation above. Entire flow impounded in Mackay Reservoir below.

REGULATION.-None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation affected by growth of moss. Rating curve applicable October 22 to April 21 well defined and curve applicable May 18 to September 25 well defined above 75 second-feet; rating curve parallel to latter used September 27–30. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph; shifting-control method used October 1–22 and April 22 to May 17. Records good.

Coopenation.—Gage-height record and several discharge measurements furnished by water commissioner for Big Lost River.

The record at this station represents a portion of the natural flow of Big Lost River and taken in conjunction with the record for east channel of Warm Spring. Creek and the record for east and west channels of Big Lost River will show practically the entire surface flow of Big Lost River which enters Mackay Reservoir a short distance below. For record from station on east channel of Warm Spring Creek and on east and west channels of Big Lost River see pages 113, 103, and 105, respectively. For record of combined flow of both channels of Big Lost River and Warm Spring Creek see page 107.

Discharge measurements of Warm Spring Creek (west channel) near Mackay, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 22	Feet 1. 10 1. 02 1. 03 1. 01 . 98 . 97	Secft. 115 108 104 102 99. 8 99. 4	Mar. 23 Apr. 21 May 9 May 18 May 24 June 4	Feet 0. 97 . 82 . 74 1. 14 1. 16 1. 02	Secft. 98. 4 80. 4 64. 1 127 131 105	June 18	Feet 0. 78 . 78 . 78 . 80 . 78	Secft. 73. 8 77. 2 75. 0 73. 4 76. 9

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Warm Spring Creek (west channel) near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3	100 101 101	112 114 112	106 105 105	106 106	103 103 103	102 102 101	96 96 96	69 67 67	106 102 106	75 75 76	77 77 77	75 76 76
4 5	101 104 104	112 112 112	103 103	106 105 106	103 103 103	101 101 101	96 96	66 65	106 109	76 76	77 77	76 76 76
6	105 107 109 111	111 110 108 108	105 105 103 103	106 106 106	103 103 105 105	100 100 98 98	96 95 92 91	65 65 64 64	127 127 125 114	77 77 76 76	77 77 77 77	76 75 75 75
910	113	108	102	106 106	105	98	91	64	90	77	77	74
11	114 112 111 110 111	108 107 107 108 108	102 103 105 106 106	106 106 106 105 105	105 105 105 105 105	98 98 98 98 98	90 89 89 89 88	66 68 70 71 80	83 82 79 77 77	77 77 78 77 76	77 77 77 77 77	75 74 75 75 74
16	116 114 112 112 112	108 107 107 106 106	105 106 106 106 106	105 106 105 105 105	105 105 105 105 105	98 98 98 98 98	85 86 86 84 82	100 126 131 139 141	77 77 75 76 75	76 76 76 76 76 77	77 77 76 76 76	74 74 74 74 75
21	114 115 115 116 118	106 107 107 108 108	105 105 103 105 105	105 105 105 105 103	105 105 105 105 105 103	100 100 98 98 98	80 79 78 75 74	141 139 135 131 127	75 75 75 75 75	78 77 77 76 77	77 78 77 77 76	74 73 74 74 76
26	118 118 116 115 115 114	108 106 105 107 107	105 107 108 108 107 106	103 103 103 103 103 103	103 103 102 102	97 97 97 97 96 96	72 72 71 71 69	129 125 121 116 112 109	75 75 75 75 75 75	77 77 76 76 77	76 76 76 76 74 74	76 77 77 78 78

Note.—Discharge interpolated on account of missing gage heights Oct. 6-9, May 30-31, June 1, 15-16, Aug. 27, and Sept. 26.

Monthly discharge of Warm Spring Creek (west channel) near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	114 108 106 105 102 96 141 127 78	100 105 102 103 102 96 69 64 75 75 74	111 108 105 105 104 98. 5 85. 1 97. 8 88. 0 76. 5 76. 5	6, 820 6, 433 6, 466 6, 466 5, 986 6, 066 5, 066 6, 010 5, 240 4, 710 4, 710
The year	141	64	94.3	68, 40

#### SHARP DITCH NEAR MACKAY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 12, T. 7 N., R. 23 E., 250 feet below head of ditch, half a mile below Mackay Reservoir, and 3½ miles northwest of Mackay, Custer County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 6, 1912, to October 24, 1914; March 24, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Vertical staff on right bank; installed April 20, 1920; read by water master or employees of Utah Construction Co.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from footbridge or by wading.

Channel and control.—Control composed of gravel and sand; poorly defined.

Channel congested at times by moss and weeds.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum measured discharge during year, 24.6 second-feet on afternoon of May 25; ditch probably dry except for leakage through head gates during period of no record.

1912-1914; 1919-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 2.50 feet June 23, 1921 (discharge, 42 second-feet); ditch reported dry during winter and on other days when water is shut off.

Ice.—No record obtained during winter. Probably only flow is leakage through head gates.

DIVERSIONS.—Station above all diversions.

REGULATION.—Flow controlled by head gate and by a small wasteway above gage.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation affected by growth of moss and silt deposits. Standard well-defined rating curve used April 19 to May 31; parallel curve used May 17-28; shifting-control method applied May 14-16 and May 29 to September 30. Gage read to hundredths once daily; record fragmentary prior to May 2 (see footnote to table of daily discharge). Daily discharge ascertained by applying gage height to rating table except for periods for which shifting-control method was used and except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records fair.

\*Cooperation.—Gage-height record and several discharge measurements furnished by water commissioner for Big Lost River.

Sharp ditch diverts from east side of Big Lost River in sec. 12, T. 7 N., R. 23 E., a mile above heading of Streeter ditch and half a mile below Mackay Reservoir. The water is used for irrigation on land northwest of Mackay and above Streeter ditch

Discharge measurements of Sharp ditch near Mackay, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Mar. 13	Feet 0. 74 1. 04 1. 08 1. 14	Secft. 0 15. 6 22. 8 22. 4 24. 6	June 4 June 18 June 24 July 9	Feet 1. 12 1. 10 1. 18 1. 22	Secft. 23. 3 21. 6 22. 5 22. 1	July 23	Feet 1. 12 1. 16 1. 16 . 97	Secft. 19. 4 21. 2 21. 9 19. 1

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Sharp ditch near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	} 14 13	3	0	24 24 22 22 22 22	22 23 23 23 23 23	22 22 22 22 22 22	22 22 22 22 22 22	22 20 20 20 20 20
6	} 10 7		2 8	22 23 23 22 21	24 24 24 24 24 24	22 22 22 22 22 22	22 22 21 21 21	20 19 19 19 19
11 12 13 14 15			12	21 21 21 21 21	24 24 24 24 24	21 20 20 20 20 20	21 21 21 21 21 21	20 20 19 19 19
16	4		} 15	21 22 23 24	23 23 22 23	21 21 21 19	22 22 23 23	19 22 22 20
20			} 16	23	22	19	22	20 16
21 22 23 24 25	}		) 17	23 23 23 23 23 23	22 23 23 23 23 22	19 19 19 19 21	22 22 22 22 22 22	16 16 16 16 13
26	3		20	24 24 23 23 23 23 22	22 22 22 22 22 21	16 16 21 19 22 22	22 22 22 22 22 22 22	13 13 13 13 13

NOTE.—Discharge estimated owing largely to lack of gage heights, Oct. 1 to Nov. 5, Apr. 1-18, 20-21, 23-30, and May 1, based on information furnished by water master for Big Lost River; interpolated June 6 and 27. No flow Nov. 5 to Apr. 8, except possibly for small leakage through head gates. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Sharp ditch near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Dische	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
Octobër November 1-5 April May June July August September	24	0 21 21 16 21 13	5. 6 3. 0 11. 3 22. 5 23. 0 20. 5 21. 8 17. 9	344 29. 8 672 1, 380 1, 370 1, 260 1, 340 1, 070

#### PORTNEUF RIVER AT TOPAZ, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 23, T. 9 S., R. 37 E., at Oregon Short Line Railroad Bridge, one-fourth mile west of Topaz flag station, Bannock County, 1½ miles above diversion dam of Portneuf-Marsh Valley Canal Co., and 6 miles southeast of McCammon.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—January 12, 1913, to September 30, 1915; July 20, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

- Gage.—Enamel-faced vertical staff fastened to abandoned bridge pile on left bank at upstream side of railroad bridge; installed September 30, 1915; read by Mrs. Selma Hendricks.
- DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from railroad bridge immediately below gage or by wading.
- Channel and control.—Bed composed of sand and gravel. Hardpan and conglomerate formation 700 feet below gage forms control; fairly permanent.
- Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 3.40 feet July 8 (discharge, 680 second-feet); minimum discharge, 121 second-feet, September 13-18 and 21-30.
  - 1913-1915; 1919-1924: Maximum stage recorded (on old gage) 6.1 feet April 3, 1913 (discharge, 902 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.92 foot August 17 and 30, 1919 (discharge, 116 second-feet).
- Ice.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice on account of warm springs entering stream above.
- DIVERSIONS.—Numerous ranch diversions above. Stored water from Portneuf-Marsh Valley Canal Co.'s reservoir is diverted for irrigation 1½ miles below.
- REGULATION.—Water is stored during winter and spring in Portneuf-Marsh Valley Canal Co.'s reservoir near Chesterfield and released during irrigation season.
- Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed probably during winter. Rating curves well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Shifting-control method used October 21 to March 1. Discharge interpolated March 18-22. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Portneuf River at Topaz, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 20 Mar. 2	Feet 1, 32 1, 45	Secft. 206 225	May 7 June 8	Feet 1. 68 1. 49	Secft. 270 241	July 18 Sept. 21	Feet 1.39 .97	Secft. 212 124

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Portneuf River at Topaz, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 34	218 228 200 218	207 207 207 207 207	197 204 203 203	200 200 199 190	186 196 196 194	213 224 234 234	213 224 244 255	234 244 266 276	234 224 213 213	192 192 213 213	202 192 192 192	141 131 131 131
5	218 218 218 218 228 247	207 207 207 207 206	197 194 194 193 193	179 179 179 179 179	185 193 195 205 214	224 223 202 202	255 266 276 276 255	297 276 276 276 266	234 234 234 234 234	213 224 234 605 319	192 202 192 192 182 192	141 131 131 131 141
10	228 228 218 218	206 208 206 206 206	193 193 193 193 193	178 178 178 178 178	215 215 215 225 236	202 202 202 202 202	244 234 234 255 297	266 234 213 202 192	234 224 213 234 224	255 213 234 224 213	182 182 192 171	131 131 131 121 121
16	218 218 218 209 209 209	206 205 205 205 205 205 205	192 192 192 192 192 192 192	185 185 185 185 185 185	236 244 244 256 256 266	202 202 202 202 202 202 202	266 255 244 234 224 224	202 213 224 224 234 234	213 213 224 213 213 213	202 213 213 213 192 202	161 171 171 171 171 171	121 121 121 121 131 131

Daily discharge, in	second-feet, of Po	rtneuf River	at Topaz,	Idaho,	for the year end-
,	ing Septembe				

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
<del></del>												
21	<b>20</b> 9	205	192	184	244	202	224	276	213	192	151	121
22	218	205	192	184	235	202	234	286	213	192	151	121
23	228	205	191	184	214	202	255	276	213	202	161	121
24	218	205	191	184	202	234	255	<b>2</b> 66	213	202	151	121
25	<b>20</b> 9	204	191	184	203	234	244	244	202	202	151	121
26	<b>20</b> 9	204	191	184	203	224	234	234	213	192	151	121
27	209	198	191	184	213	224	234	234	213	202	151	121.
28	208	204	196	176	213	224	234	213	202	202	151	121
29	208	204	200	176	213	213	234	213	202	192	151	121
30	208	204	200	184		224	234	234	202	202	151	121
31	208		200	184		213		234		192	151	

Monthly discharge of Portneuf River at Topaz, Idaho, for the year ending September-30, 1924

	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in:	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October		200	217	13, 300	
November	208	198	205	12, 200	
December	204	191	195	12,000	
January	200	176	184	11, 300	
February	266	185	218	12,500	
March	234	202	213	13, 100	
April	297	213	245	14,600	
May	297	192	244	15,000	
June	234	202	219	13,000	
July	6 <b>0</b> 5	192	224	13, 800	
August	202	151	172	10,600	
September	141	121	127	7,560	
The year	605	121	205	149,000	

#### PORTNEUF RIVER AT POCATELLO. IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 27, T. 6 S., R. 34 E., at highway bridge at foot of Carson. Street, in west end of Pocatello, Bannock County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—August 31, 1911, to September 30, 1924. At site 1 mile-upstream, May 18, 1897, to October 14, 1899.

Gage.—Vertical staff attached to pile of highway bridge near left bank; installed September 8, 1919; read by W. S. Hutson.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge at gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of rocks and boulders; very rough.

One channel except at extremely high stages, when left bank is overflowed. Control shifts within well-defined limits.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 6.10 feet January 8 during ice-affected period; maximum discharge, 471 second-feet February 18-23, April 8, and May 6. Minimum stage, 2.15 feet June 11 (discharge, 53 second-feet).

1911–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 7.8 feet May 30, 1917 (discharge in excess of 2,000 second-feet during period May 13 to June 14, when left bank was overflowed); minimum stage, 1.92 feet June 24 and 28, 1919 (discharge, 44 second-feet).

1897-1899: Maximum stage recorded, 12.80 feet May 18, 1897 (discharge, 1,880 second-feet); minimum stage, 6.10 feet July 4-11, 13, 17, and 18, 1898-(discharge, 14 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Numerous ranch diversions above gage. The largest single diversion is canal of Portneuf-Marsh Valley Canal Co., which irrigates land near Downey.

REGULATION.—None below head of Portneuf-Marsh Valley Canal Co.'s canal. Storage reservoir of company near Chesterfield has capacity of about 28,000 acre-feet.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed during winter and from July 23 to September 19. Two well-defined rating curves used; one applicable October 1 to December 30, the other February 6 to July 22; September 20–30 curve parallel to latter curve used. Gage read to half-tenths several times a week. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table for days when gage was read and by interpolation for intervening days; shifting-control method used July 23 to September 19. Open-water records good; winter records fair.

Discharge measurements of Portneuf River at Pocatello, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 21	Feet 3, 84 3, 98 4, 28 4, 34	Secft. 339 390 420 445	June 4	Feet 2. 29 2. 29 2. 22 2. 54	Secft. 72, 4 71, 0 59, 0 112	July 19 Sept. 22	Feet 2. 38 2. 70	Secft. 80, 0 91, 8

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Portneuf River at Pocatello, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	327 327 327 334 342	332 330 327 327 327	310 313 316 312 308		290	373 373 373 373 373	356 362 368 373 398	420 430 440 450 460	84 80 74 70 68	60 59 62 66 69	75 74 73 71 70	89 88 88 88 87
6 7 8 9 10	350 362 374 374 374	324 322 319 316 320	304 304 304 304	270	308 315 322 329 351	373 362 351 373 366	422 446 471 462 454	471 445 400 354 308	66 65 65 70 62	69 69 257 308 209	70 70 70 69 74	87 90 92 91 90
11	374 370 366 362 358	324 327 327 327 326	280		373 380 388 396 420	358 351 344 336 329	445 445 445 445 445	287 244 200 166 132	53 56 58 61 60	140 128 116 104 104	80 79 85 86 87	90 89 88 88 88
16	354 350 350 350 350	324 322 320 318 316	250 237 237		445 458 471 471 471	329 329 329 329 329 329	438 432 426 420 420	118 104 98 93 93	59 64 64 65 66	104 87 85 83 86	87 85 87 88 88	88 88 90 91 92
21	338 338 344 350 354	313 310 307 304 304 304	237 237 237 237 237 237	280	471 471 471 434 396	329 329 329 329 329	420 420 420 420 420 420	93 112 130 148 148	67 69 66 64 62	89 89 84 80 80	88 88 87 87 86	92 92 93 94 96
26	358 362 354 346 338 335	304 304 304 304 307	260 282 304 327 292 260	÷*	396 396 396 384	329 329 329 329 340 351	420 432 445 436 428	130 112 93 87 87 87	61 60 59 60 60	79 80 80 78 76 76	85 85 87 88 90 90	97 97 97 97 97

NOTE.—Discharge estimated on account of ice Dec. 10-18, 31, Jan. 1 to Feb. 5 based upon weather records, observer's notes, and comparison with flow past Topaz station. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Portneuf River at Pocatello, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November December January February March April May June July August September	327 471 373 471 471 84 308 90	327 304 	351 318 276 275 385 345 424 224 64. 6 102 81. 6 91. 1	21, 600 18, 900 17, 000 16, 900 22, 100 21, 200 25, 200 13, 800 3, 840 6, 270 5, 020 5, 420	
The year	471	53	244	177, 000	

## NORTH SIDE MINIDOKA CANAL NEAR MINIDOKA, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 1, T. 9 S., R. 25 E., 650 feet below Minidoka Dam and 6 miles south of Minidoka, Minidoka County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 1, 1909, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank; installed October 31, 1914; inspected by employees of United States Bureau of Reclamation.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from suspension footbridge at gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Rock cut; practically permanent but rough.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 9.50 feet at 7 p. m. May 22 (discharge, 1,510 second-feet); no flow at various times when head gates were closed.

1909-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 9.44 feet May 20, 1914 (discharge, 1,520 second-feet); no flow at various times when head gates were closed.

Ice.—Observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—None above station and none below near enough to affect stagedischarge relation.

REGULATION.—Flow controlled by head gates at Minidoka Dam.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and one discharge measurement furnished by United States Bureau of Reclamation and Minidoka Irrigation District.

North Side Minidoka Canal diverts water from right bank of Snake River in sec. 1, T. 9 S., R. 25 E., for irrigation of land in North Side Minidoka project of United States Bureau of Reclamation. Project comprises about 20 miles of main canal and about 260 miles of laterals.

Discharge measurements of North Side Minidoka Canal near Minidoka, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- oharge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 7	Feet 5. 58 7. 86	Secft. 616 1,110	Aug. 3 Sept. 24	Feet 8. 68 4. 02	Secft. 1, 310 343	Sept. 25	Feet 3. 93	Secft. 340

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of North Side Minidoka Canal near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

1	639 637 635		1.490				
3			1.490	923 918	1,380 1,380	1, 330 1, 330	0
			1, 490	1,010	1.420	1, 320	ŏ
4	637		1, 480	1,080	1,440	1, 300	85
5	637		1,480	1, 110	1,440	1, 250	145
<u>6</u>	629	 	1, 490	1, 230	1,440	1, 240	206
7	629	679	1, 490	1,310	1,440	1, 240	248
8		680	1,490	1, 300	1,440	1, 260	245
9		745	1,480	1, 290	1,450	1, 270	245
10	637	795	1, 480	1, 290	1,480	1, 300	246
11		813	1, 490	1, 290	1, 480	1, 330	245
12		904	1, 480	1, 280	1, 480	1, 310	246
13		993	1,480	1, 310	1,480	1, 270	246
14		1,070	1,480	1,340	1,470	1,020	248
15	633	1, 110	1,480	1, 300	1,430	26	246
16	635	1, 110	1, 480	1,300	1,400	0	246
17	. 635	1.110	1,480	1,300	1, 380	0	241
18	637	1,120	1,480	1, 310	1,380	0	239
19	637	1,090	1,480	1,310	1,350	0	236
20	- 635	1, 100	1,480	1,300	1, 330	0	243
21	635	1, 200	1, 480	1, 260	1, 330	151	245
22		1, 300	1, 490	1, 210	1, 300	796	246
23		1, 330	1, 490	1, 200	1, 290	1,020	310
24		1,340	1, 490	1, 190	1, 290	1,000	352
25		1,390	1, 470	1,190	1,310	967	344
26		1, 470	1, 490	1, 240	1, 340	925	346
27			1,480	1,300	1, 330	608	346
28			1,470	1,330	1, 330	000	346
29			1, 180	1,370	1, 330	ŏ	350
30				1,370		ő	354
31		1, 490	709	1,380	1,320	ň	304
01	-		826		1, 330	ן ט	

Monthly discharge of North Side Minidoka Canal near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

36	Discha	arge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 1-24	639	251	617	29, 40
	1, 490	679	1, 140	54, 80
May	1,490	709	1, 430	87, 90
June	1,380	918	1, 240	73, 80
fuly	1,480	1, 290	1, 390	85, 50
August	1,330		750	46, 10
Soptember	354		236	14, 00

## SOUTH SIDE MINIDOKA CANAL NEAR MINIDOKA, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 12, T. 9 S., R. 25 E., Cassia County, 300 yards below head gates at Minidoka Dam and 6 miles south of Minidoka, Minidoka County. RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 21, 1909, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by employees of United States Bureau of Reclamation.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from suspension footbridge at gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Canal section in earth; may shift. Stage-discharge relation affected by growth of aquatic plants.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge occurred at gage height 5.33 feet at 4 p. m. May 29 (discharge, 973 second-feet); probably no flow during period of no record.

1909–1924: Maximum discharge occurred at gage height 5.71 feet July 16 and 18, 1921 (discharge, 1,100 second-feet); probably no flow during various periods of no record each year.

Diversions.—None above gage. within may it in audit

REGULATION.—Flow controlled by head gates at Minidoka Dam.—

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Shiftingcontrol method used as noted in footnote to daily-discharge table. Records good. Cł. Q00.

COOPERATION. Gage-height record and 14 discharge measurements furnished by United States Bureau of Reclamation.

South Side Minidoka Canal diverts water from the left bank of Snake River in sec. 1, T. 9.S., R 25 E., for irrigation of land in South Side Minidoka project of United States Bureau of Reclamation. Project comprises about 13 miles of main canal and about 297 miles of laterals.

Discharge medsurements of South Side Minidoka Canal near Minidoka, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

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Oca Discharge measurement evidently inaccurate.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of South Side Minidoka Canal near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

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NOTE .- No record obtained Oct. 15 to Apr. 8. Shifting-control methods used Oct. 1-6, June 18-24, July 17-20, Aug. 3, 4, 14-19, 30, 31, and Sept. 1-23.

Monthly discharge of South Side Minidoka Canal near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

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GOOSE CREEK ABOVE TRAPPER CREEK, NEAR OAKLEY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 13, T. 15 S. R. 21 E., 5 miles above Trapper Creek and 10 miles south of Oakley, Cassia County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 29, 1911, to September 30, 1916; March 27, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by employees of Oakley Canal Co.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 250 feet above gage or by wading.

Since summer of 1921 flow has been slightly augmented by flow of artesian water from well of West Pearl Oil & Gas Co., 2 miles above station......

CHANNEL AND CONTROL. Bed composed of rock overlain with gravel and sitt.

Control fairly well defined; shifts occasionally. Banks high and not likely to be overflowed.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 3.00 feet from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. April 14 (discharge, 149 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.52 feet from 2 to 10 p.m. August 30 (discharge, 6.6 second-feet).

1911-1916; 1919-1924: Maximum stage recorded from water-stage re-

1911–1916; 1919–1924. Maximum stage recorded from water-stage renorder, 5.23 feet at 9 a.m. May 18, 1921 (discharge, 670 second-feet); minimum stage, 1-19 feet at 9 a.m. August 13, 1915 (discharge, 1.1 second-feet).

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice; observations discontinued during winter.

Diversions.—Several small canals and ditches divert above station for irrigation chiefly of lands belonging to Utah Construction Co.

REGULATION.—None except that due to diversions.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation changed during winter. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except April 14 to May 26 when inlet pipe gave trouble. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by Oakley Canal Co.

Discharge measurements of Goose Creek above Trapper Creek, near Oakley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

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of 1201 kg Oct. 30 Apr. 11	Feet 2.10 2.82	Sec.ft. 36.7 124	May 11 June 5	Feet 2. 66 2. 12	Secft. 101 40.4	July 21 Sept. 23 1.72 14.1

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Goose Creek above Trapper Creek, near Oakley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
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Note.—Discharge estimated Nov. 29 to Dec. 3 on account of ice; Mar. 28-30 on account of missing gage heights. Discharge interpolated Oct. 28, Nov. 2-4, 9-13, 23-25, and Sept. 16.

Monthly discharge of Goose Creek above Trapper Creek, near Oakley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

35. 19	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	53	27	39. 7 37. 0	2, 440 2, 200
December 1-3 March 25-31			35.0 74.4	208 1,030
April	148	52 52	111 91.6	6, 600 5, 630
May June	58	12	28.5	1,700
JulyAugust	13 10	9. 2 7. 0	11.3 8.38	695 518
September	17	7.3	12. 2	720

## TRAPPER CREEK NEAR OAKLEY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 33, T. 14 S., R. 21 E., 1½ miles above Nelson ranch, 1 mile from east boundary of Minidoka National Forest, 5 miles above Oakley Dam, and 9 miles southwest of Oakley, Cassia County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 1, 1911, to September 30, 1916; March 28, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank; installed April 8, 1913; inspected by employees of Oakley Canal Co.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading. Since summer of 1921, flow past station has been augmented by flow from two artesian wells 1 mile above gage.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of small boulders and coarse gravel.

Control shifting. Banks brushy; not likely to be overflowed.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 2.42 feet at 6 a. m. May 4 (discharge, 25 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.03 feet at 10 p. m. August 18 (discharge, 10 second-feet).

1911-1916; 1919-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 3.44 feet May 28 and June 8, 1921 (discharge, 98 second-feet); minimum discharge probably occurs during winter.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice. Observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—No diversions of consequence above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curves fairly well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph; shifting-control method used October 1-20 and April 19 to May 2. Records good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Oakley Canal Co.

Discharge measurements of Trapper Creek near Oakley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 30	Feet 2. 19 2. 28 2. 38	Secft. 12. 5 19. 6 22. 9	June 5 July 21	Feet 2. 21 2. 06	Secft. 15.3 11.1	Sept. 23 Do	Feet 2. 06 2. 07	Secft. 11.7 11.3

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Trapper Creek near Oakley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
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Monthly discharge of Trapper Creek near Oakley, Idaho, for the year ending Sep-. Correction of a tember 30, 1924 and a mind in the Correction

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## P.A. LATERAL NEAR MILNER, IDAHO Lia 1904 a gradicalo

LOCATION.—In sec. 22, T. 10 S., R. 21 E., Jerome County, 200 yards below pumping station and 2½ miles northeast of Milner, Twin Falls County. RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 29, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff near left bank; read by employees of North Side Canal Co. อนสร้างรู้ เรือทุกเพราะ 30 (วิทิน

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from foot plank at rating flume just below staG

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Canal section in earth; often obstructed by growth of moss. Concrete rating flume below gage contracts section forming per-Till mament controls gradiation of the state of the state

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE. - Maximum stage recorded, 1.98 feet May 7-10 and July 9-11 (discharge, 55 second-feet); canal reported dry on numerous

occasions. 1919-1924: Maximum discharge, 64 second-feet, May 11-13, 1920; canal dry on numerous occasions.

Icas Nonecords obtained during winter and sect row

DIVERSIONS.—One small diversion between pumping station and gage furnishes water for pumpman's garden:
REGULATION.—Flow regulated by pumps at head of canal.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation fairly permanent March 24 to September 30. Rating curves well defined. Gage read to hundredths twice daily; account taken of all periods when pumps were not operated. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and three discharge measurements furnished by North Side Canal Co. (Ltd.). 

P. A. lateral diverts water pumped from right bank of Snake River above Milner Dam, in sec. 22, T. 10 S., R. 21 E. Water is used for irrigating part of the North Side Twin Falls project.

Discharge measurements of P. A. lateral near Milner, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924 - 3.1 ..... ....**32** 

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NOTE.—No record obtained Oct. 2 to Mar. 23 Mar. 30 to Apr. 16.5 Canal presumably dry during periods of no record. Canal reported dry July 2-5, 23-26, Aug. 11-14, Sept. 5, 6, and 18-30.

Monthly discharge of P. A. lateral near Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

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## MILNER LOW LIFT CANAL NEAR MILNER, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 32, T. 10 S., R. 21 E., one-eighth mile below pumping station at head of canal and 1½ miles southeast of Milner post office, Cassia County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 1, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank; installed July 21, 1924; inspected by McConnel and Wilcox. Staff gage at same location and same datum used prior to that time.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from foot plank at gage.

Channel and control.—Canal section in earth. Banks clean. Control poorly defined and shifting.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded, 2.94 feet about 4 a. m. May 27 (discharge, 104 second-feet); canal dry on numerous occasions.

1921-1924: Maximum discharge, that of 1924 season; canal dry on numerous occasions.

ICE.—No records obtained during winter; pumps not operated.

DIVERSIONS.—None above station.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by pumps at head of canal.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curves fairly well defined. Gage read to hundredths twice daily until July 20; after that time mean daily gage height obtained from recorder graph. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table or by shifting-control method. Records good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Milner Low Lift Irrigation District.

Milner Low Lift Canal diverts water by pumping from the south side of Snake River in the backwater above Milner Dam and furnishes water for irrigation of lands within area controlled by Milner Low Lift Irrigation District.

Discharge measurements of Milner Low Lift Canal near Milner, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 19 May 1 June 5 June 6 June 13 June 14	Feet 1. 90 1. 90 2. 74 2. 81 2. 68 2. 38	Secft. 52. 6 53. 0 94. 5 96. 0 90. 4 76. 3	June 23	Feet 2. 32 2. 30 2. 32 2. 26 1. 69 1. 97	Secft. 72.6 70.4 68.9 68.3 41.3 51.7	July 29	Feet 1. 99 2. 05 2. 03 2. 09 1. 60	Secft. 52.5 52.1 50.1 50.9 36.4

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Milner Low Lift Canal near Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12	17 24			53 53	97 95	<b>72</b> 72	<b>53</b> 52	53 40
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12 13 14				98 100 100	94 88 78	72 72 71	53 51 53	0
16				50 94	73 74	70 70	51 51	22
17			41 53	92 89	74 74	72 51	52 53	40 16
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Note.-No record obtained Oct. 3 to Nov. 21 and Nov. 29 to Apr. 16; pumps closed down.

Monthly discharge of Milner Low Lift Canal near Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 1-2_ November 22-28_ April 17-30	54 102 100 72	17 6 4 0 72 42 48 0	20. 5 13. 3 44. 7 73. 5 82. 3 61. 2 51. 2 5. 70	81 185 1, 240 4, 520 4, 900 3, 760 3, 150 339

## NORTH SIDE TWIN FALLS CANAL AT MILNER, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 20, T. 10 S., R. 21 E., Jerome County, half a mile north of Milner post office, Twin Falls County, and three-fourths of a mile below head gates at Milner Dam.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 10, 1909, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Stevens eight-day water-stage recorder on right bank; installed April 1, 1918; inspected by McConnel and Gilham.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable at gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Channel is a permanent concrete-lined section. Growth of moss heavy during summer and stage-discharge relation is seriously affected. Control apparently indeterminate.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded, 8.75 feet at 9 a. m. May 9 (discharge, 3,020 second-feet); canal dry October 4-11.

1909-1924: Maximum discharge occurred at gage height 8.68 feet July 5-7 and 29-31, 1921 (discharge, 3,200 second-feet); canal dry many times when head gates were closed.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None between gage and head gates and none for some distance below. Surplus water may be discharged into river through waste gates about 200 feet below head of canal.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by head and waste gates.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent; changes due largely to growth of aquatic plants. Standard rating curve well defined; many parallel curves used. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Staff gage read to hundredths once daily November 1 to March 31 and twice daily for remainder of year. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained from staff reading or by inspecting recorder graph; also by shifting-control method. Records good November to March; excellent for October and from April to September.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and 46 discharge measurements furnished by North Side Canal Co. (Ltd.).

The North Side Twin Falls Canal diverts water from the north side of Snake River at the Milner Dam and furnishes water for stock and irrigation on about 240,000 acres of land in Jerome, Lincoln, and Gooding Counties. The distribution system comprises about 100 miles of main canal and 625 miles of laterals.

Discharge measurements of North Side Twin Falls Canak at Milner, Idaho, during the year anding September 30, 1424

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Daily discharge, in second-feet, of North Side Twin Falls Canal at Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

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Monthly discharge of North Side, Twin Falls Canal at Milner, Idaho, for the year

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SOUTH SIDE TWIN FALLS CANAL AT MILNER, IDAHO

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LOCATION.—In sec. 29, T. 10 S., R. 21 E., at wagon bridge one-eighth mile below head gates at Milner, Twin Falls County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 10, 1909, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank, at site and datum of vertical staff gage installed early in summer of 1912; the latter has been used since that time for stages above 5.3 feet. Inspected by McConnel and Gilham. Discharge Measurements.—Made from cable 50 feet above gage or by wading.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 50 feet above gage or by wading, CHANNEL AND CONTROL,—Channel at gage blasted out of rock; practically permanent. Occasional slight changes in control are due to deposition of silt.

Extremes of discharge,—Maximum stage recorded during year, 10.34 feet at 11 a. m. May 9 (discharge, 3;470 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.40 feet March 25 and 26 (discharge, 49 second-feet).

1909-1924: Maximum discharge recorded, 4,600 second-feet August 12, 1918; canal dry September 20, 1920.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None above gage and none of consequence for several miles below.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by head gates.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent; affected by ice December 29 to January 21 and January 23 to February 5. Standard rating curved well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except December 10-21 and March 24-27 when staff gage was read to hundredths twice daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph or from staff gage readings. Shifting control method used March 21, 27, June 24, 25, September 5 and 7. Records excellent except December to March, for which they are good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and 23 discharge measurements furnished by Twin Falls Canal Co.

South Side Twin Falls Canal diverts water from south side of Snake River at Milner Dam and furnishes water for stock and irrigation on about 200,000 acres of land near Twin Falls. The distribution system comprises about 110 miles of main canal and 590 miles of laterals.

Discharge measurements of South Side Twin Falls Canal at Milner, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Jan. 22. Feb. 14. Mar. 18. Mar. 24. Apr. 6. Apr. 19. Apr 26. May 2.	Feet  5.04 3.90 4.97 1.42 5.23 8.36 9.46	Secft. 649 560 868 52.3 995 2,390 2,750 2,930	May 19	Feet 9.34 9.10 7.67 7.79 7.79 7.60 8.39 9.26	Secft. 2, 830 2, 720 1, 960 1, 980 1, 970 1, 910 2, 260 2, 800	Aug. 24	Feet 8. 22 8. 21 4. 56 4. 98 8. 57 8. 52 8. 56 8. 32	Secft. 2, 240 2, 190 657 815 2, 420 2, 410 2, 400 2, 280

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Daily discharge, in second-feet, of South Side Twin Falls Canal at Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

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Note.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Dec. 29 to Jan. 21 and Jan. 23 to Feb. 5; mean discharge estimated for periods as shown above on basis of one measurement, study of weather records, and observer's notes on head gate changes and ice conditions. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of South Side Twin Falls Canal at Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

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Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	1, 980	636	1, 180	72, 600
November		439	7, 777	46, 200
December	1, 140	183	683	42,000
January			675	41,500
February	648	514	55 <b>2</b>	31,800
March	1,480	49	553	34,00
April	2,960	756	1,840	109,00
May	3,380	2,770	2,940	181,00
June		2,010	2, 550	152, 000
July A manet		1, 900 1, 930	2,050 2,370	126, 000 146, 000
August September	2, 410	717	2, 130	127, 00
The year	3, 380	49	1, 530	1, 110, 00

#### ROCK CREEK NEAR TWIN FALLS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—On south line of sec. 36, T. 9 S., R. 16 E., at highway bridge, 3 miles above confluence with Snake River and 3½ miles northwest of Twin Falls, Twin Falls County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 27, 1922, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank; installed July 31, 1922; inspected by H. T. Henderson and T. T. Rutledge.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge at gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of lava rock covered with boulders, gravel, and silt. One channel at all stages. Banks high; covered with brush. Control formed by lava reef covered in part by boulders and brush growth; fairly permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 3.35 feet at 5 a. m. November 12 (discharge, 563 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.01 feet from 3 p. m. to midnight August 3 (discharge, 94 second-feet).

1922-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 3.43 feet at 7 p. m. July 23, 1923 (discharge, about 589 second-feet); minimum discharge occurred August 3, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—After spring floods the normal flow is entirely diverted for irrigation several miles upstream. Flow past gage derived largely from waste and seepage water from the South Side Twin Falls tract.

REGULATION.—At times waste water from South Side Twin Falls Canal which crosses Rock Creek 10 miles above causes appreciable changes in stage.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent during year. Rating curve well defined below 400 second-feet and extended above. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for short periods. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined from inspection of recorder graph except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Murtaugh Irrigation District.

Discharge measurements of Rock Creek near Twin Falls, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

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of ourself absence the second of the second hu year anding September 30 19: LOCATION.—In sec. 23, T. 47 N., R. 64 E., in canyon 200 yards below county highway bridge, 250 yards below mouth of Shoshone Creek, and 5 miles north of San Jacinto, Elko County. Drainage area. Not measured. RECORDS AVAILABLE. September 17, 1909, to September 30, 1916; October 1, 1918, to September 30, 1924. GAGES—Auswater-stage recorder on right bank; installed September 25, 1924; inspected by employees of Salmon River Canal Co. (Ltd.) Barrett & Lawrence water-stage recorder at same site used November 20, 1911, to September 24, 1924. 111 DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 20 feet below gage or by wading. CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of gravel. Control shifts slightly. Left bank subject to overflow at high stages. Stage of zero flow determined September 25, 1924, gage height 1.65 feet  $\pm 0.05$  foot. EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 5.19 feet at 8 a. m. April 12 (discharge, 646 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.32 feet 3 to 11 pc m. August 28 (discharge, 15 second-feet). il 1909 1916, 1919 1924. Maximum stage recorded, 7.5 feet May 22, 1912 (discharge, 1,280 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.28 feet July 25, 1919 (discharge, 10 second-feet). ICE. Stage discharge relation not seriously affected by ice. DIVERSIONS.—A large number of diversions on ranches of Utah, Construction Co. above station appropriate a large part of low-water flow of Salmon Falls and Shoshone Creeks. :01 REGULATION.—None except that due to-diversions. Salmon Dam of Salmon River Canal Co., 15 miles below station, forms a reservoir having a capacity Norra —Discharge estimated on account of missing gage height test engage 000,081, though to Account .- Stage-discharge relation fairly permanent. Rating citrye well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except November 28 to December 2, December 4 to February 15, March 13-28, and short periods in April, May, June, and August. Daily discharge secretained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph, except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records good except for estimated periods for which they are fair. COORERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Salmon River Canal Co. (Ltd.). Maximum: Minimum: Discharge measurements of Salmon Falls Creek near San Jacinto, Nev., during the 4,570 year ending September 30, 1924... ൗരന്മ 7. November ..... 4, 770 December.... ٠ 1.58 Gagerstribisi 138 .3 Gage Dis-height charge Dis-Gage " 301 6,210 Date -----Date----height charge . . . . . . . . . . . . . 'Ot 180 0 ing A 103 32 75.3 28 Öct. 31. Teep. 28. Sec.-ft. Sec.-ft. 78.6 Feet @ Apr. 18.... May 19.... Feet -Feet-365 July 23 326 Sept. 25 July 23 3.00 3.14 .4.27 - 2.45 - 124.0 - 2.52 sugars.6 3.20 109 . .4.11. Mar. 29..... 3. 14 104

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Salmon Falls Creek near San Jacinto, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1924

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Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage height record Dec. 5-30, Jan. 1-31, Feb. 1-3, 5-15, Mar. 13-28, May 26-31. Discharge interpolated Nov. 28-30, Dec. 1-2, Apr. 5-6, May 10-15, June 16-18, 26-29, and Aug. 13-21. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated. Discharge Dec. 31 and Feb. 4 based upon one staff gage reading daily.

# Monthly discharge of Salmon Falls Creek near San Jacinto, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	irge in second	-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October	85	43	74.3	4, 570	
Vovember	87	73	80. 1	4,770	
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ebruary			108	6, 210	
March April	107 600	100	98. 4 381	6, 050 22, 700	
Йау	436		333	20, 500	
uneulyuly	163 39	28   25	75. 3 29. 6	4, 480 1, 820	
August	26	16	20.0	1, 230	
leptember	33	16	20. 5	1, 220	
The year	600	16	111	80, 900	

## BIG WOOD RIVER AT HAILEY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 9, T. 2 N., R. 18 E., at steel highway bridge a quarter of a mile southwest of Hailey, Blaine County.

Drainage area.—640 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 11, 1915, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Vertical staff on right bank; installed April 6, 1920; read by R. F. Bowman.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of coarse gravel and sand; clean. Banks low; covered with light brush. Log cribbing along left bank constructed in April, 1922, prevents overflow and confines flood discharge in one channel. Control subject to changes at high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 2.80 feet May 17 (discharge, 587 second-feet); minimum discharge, 0.1 second-foot September 10-20.

1915-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 5.70 feet June 12, 1921 (discharge, 3,560 second-feet); minimum discharge, September 10-20, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation slightly affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—A number of small diversions for irrigation, principally from tributaries, are made above station. Hailey power plant, half a mile upstream, utilizes as a tailrace a natural channel on east side of river known as Big Wood Slough. A large amount of water is diverted from main stream in this manner and is returned to river below station. A record of the flow of Big Wood Slough is being obtained (see page 151), and the total flow of Big Wood River is represented by amount of water passing both stations.

REGULATION.—Variation in the amount of water used at Hailey power plant causes some diurnal fluctuation at gage, but as observations on the river and on Big Wood Slough are practically simultaneous each day, the effect of such regulation is probably eliminated.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation changed during winter. Rating curves fairly well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good except for estimated periods for which they are fair.

Cooperation.—Two discharge measurements furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Tables of combined discharge of Big Wood River and Big Wood Slough are published herein.

Discharge measurements of Big Wood River at Hailey, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 2 Feb. 29 Apr. 13	Feet 1. 90 . 41 2. 07	Secft. 212 4 6.0 248	May 8	Feet 2. 10 2. 64 1. 61	Secft. 278 464 128	June 26	Feet 0. 49 . 34 . 26	Secft. 7, 73 2, 92 1, 11

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Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River at Hailey, Idaho, for the year

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Location.—In sec. 20, T. S., R. 18 E., three-eighths mile below Blair ranch,
134 miles above flow line of Magic Reservoir, and 10 miles southwest of
Bellevue, Blaine County. Camas Creek enters reservoir miles below
station.

Gage. Gurley water-stage recorder on right bank, reinstalled September 24, 1923; inspected by assistants of Wood River water master.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS — Made from cable 150 feet above gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of coarse grave. Control of same material, shifts occasionally. Banks clean; may be overflowed at extremely high stages.

Morn — Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights Occ. 25–25. Not. 16–18. 24–22. Apr. 3–4 4–5. 15–15. Juno 4–5. 11–10. 15–23. Sept. 9–14. 25–26. and 28–30. Discharge interpolated Oct. 14. 13co. 16. 13 Apr. 22. May 16–11. 26. and June 2. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 2.00 feet at 6 p. m. May 4 (discharge, 320 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.09 feet August 31 to September 4 (discharge, 32 second-feet).

1911-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 6.07 feet at 7 p. m. June 16, 1921 (discharge, 3,660 second-feet); minimum discharge, 25 second-feet April 22-24, 1920; lower flow may have occurred on a day of no record.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seldom affected by ice. Records discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Numerous diversions for irrigation above station. Flood waters stored in Magic Reservoir.

REGULATION.-None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly during winter. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder not entirely satisfactory because of occasional trouble with inlet. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph. Records good for July and August; others fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and two discharge measurements furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Discharge measurements of Big Wood River near Bellevue, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 1	Feet 1, 62 1, 18 1, 31	Secft. 167 48. 5 81. 8	Apr. 23	Feet 1. 76 1. 66 1. 24	Secft. 219 190 60. 7	July 29 Sept. 27	Feet 1, 12 1, 11	Secft. 35. 8. 35. 6.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River near Bellevue, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	166	231	173	90		48	198	64	50	39	39
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Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights Oct. 23–28, Nov. 16–18, 20–25, Apr. 3–4, 6–8, 13–15, June 4–9, 11–16, 18–23, Sept. 9–14, 23–26, and 28–30. Discharge interpolated Oct. 14, Dec. 10, 13 Apr. 22, May 10–11, 25, and June 2. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Big Wood River near Bellevue, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

<b>X</b>	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November December January 1-2 March 29-31 April May June July August September	253 231 173 90 52 220 307	152 162 81 90 48 69	229 190 120 90. 0 50. 0 139 167 61. 0 48. 3 36. 3	14, 100 11, 300 7, 380 357 298 8, 270 10, 300 3, 630 2, 970 2, 240 2, 070	

## MAGIC RESERVOIR NEAR RICHFIELD, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NE. ¼ SE. ¼ sec. 18, T. 2 S., R. 18 E., Blaine County, 18 miles northwest of Richfield, Lincoln County.

Drainage area.—1,500 square miles (furnished by Idaho Irrigation Co.).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—February 3, 1909, to September 30, 1924. Prior to April 4, 1909, gage-height record only is available. Practically no storage prior to July 14, 1909, when first stop logs were placed in tunnel entrance.

Gage.—All readings made by measuring with a weighted steel tape from tower on east side of dam. Below elevation 4,855 feet readings obtained by measuring from a well-defined offset in walls of tower; when stages are above that elevation measurements are made in a 55% inch well casing which serves as a stilling well, bolted to face of tower. Reading made by attendants at the dam. Observations are referred to an assumed datum which is about 137 feet lower than sea level.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Stored water from this reservoir is used for irrigation on about 69,000 acres of land, under Carey Act project of the Big Wood Canal Co. (Ltd.), operated prior to 1921 by Idaho Irrigation Co. The reservoir is formed by a gravity earth and rock filled dam several hundred feet long at crest and 127 feet above bottom of outlet gates. Concrete lip spillway 400 feet long is provided, crest of which is 15 feet below top of dam. Elevation of bottom of outlet gates corresponds to 4,818.5 feet on gage, which is about 3 feet lower than the actual stage of zero storage. At times, however, the stage may fall below 4,821.5 feet, depending upon the amount of normal flow passing through reservoir. Elevation of concrete lip spillway crest corresponds to 4,930 feet on gage. Use of a system of flashboards extends the actual elevation of spillway crest to 4,935 feet with respect to gage datum, at which stage the capacity of the reservoir is about 191,000 acre-feet, as determined by latest capacity table, based upon inflow and outflow records; about 4,000 acres being submerged at this stage.

Raily contents, in acre-feet, of Magic Reservoir near Richfield, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Oct	Nov	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
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Note - Reservoir was empty July 29 to Sept. 30 men on any average and set to

# BIG WOOD RIVER BELOW MAGIC DAM, NEAR RICHFIELD, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 18, T. 2 S., R. 18 E., Blaine County, half a mile below Magic Dam and 18 miles northwest of Richfield, Lincoln County. No tributaries between dam and station, por very life one conserve we were indeed to DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

so 1991 or idant îrfgani RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 19, 1911, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Gurley water-stage recorder on right bank; installed April 20, 1916; inspected by Ed Dayton. ton if then. Heradian it seatan

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable at gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed and control composed of clean, coarse gravel and small boulders; somewhat shifting. Banks high and brushy,

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum measured discharge, 1,600 second-feet May 22; minimum discharge, about 5 second-feet December 6-11, 18, 20-31,

and January 1-4. A separate the eyest during a mass consist congression of the separate separ 5,070 second-feet); no flow reported February 3, 1915, 1934, 181 1939. Weblito

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seldom affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—No diversions are made by Big Wood Canal Co. above this station, but numerous ranch diversions are made in the upper basin, the largest quantity of water probably being used in the district below Hailey. Flood waters are stored in Magic Reservoir just above station and the first diversion by the company is Richfield Canal, about 2 miles below.

REGULATION.—Flow past station completely regulated by gates in outlet tunnel at Magic Dam.

Accuracy.—Stage discharge, relation changed during high water. May 25 mtw.

June 7. Rating curves well-defined. Department of water-stage recorder—satisfactory.—Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage heights obtained by inspection of recorder graph or by averaging discharges for intervals of a day. Records excellent except for estimated periods and for June and July for which they are fair.

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NOTE.—Discharge estimated on account of lack of gage-height record. Dec. 30 to Feb. 29, based on information furnished by water masser for Big Wood and Ciftle Wood Rivers; flow baskage through gates at Magic Dam. Discharge estimated June, 8 and Sept. 27 based upon necorder record for part of day and marks of pencil thereton while clock was stopped. "Discharge interpolated out." 3, 6, Dec. 23, 24, and Sept. 5. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated to V. 118 to 1952 and 1952 a

Monthly discharge of Big Wood River below Magic Dam, near Richfield, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

•	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March	148	8 7 	12. 9 64. 5 24. 2 7. 1 11. 4 13. 8 29. 3	793 3,840 1,490 437 656 848 1,740
May June July August September	1,570 1,190 967 64 57	298 46 9 53 6	1, 070 505 201 57. 4 48. 0	65, 800 30, 000 12, 400 3, 530 2, 860
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## BIG WOOD RIVER ABOVE NORTH GOODING CANAL, NEAR SHOSHONE, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 10, T. 4 S., R. 18 E., 1 mile above heading of North Gooding Canal, 13 miles below Magic Dam, and 14 miles northeast of Shoshone, Lincoln County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 21, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Vertical staff on right bank; read by J. H. Gilmore. Datum raised 5.0 feet April 16, 1923.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 300 feet below gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of lava rock partly covered with gravel.

Control formed by lava-rock riffle 100 feet below gage; fairly permanent.

One channel at all stages. Point of zero flow occurs at a gage height of approximately -0.5 foot.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 3.16 feet at 5 p. m. July 19 (discharge, 792 second-feet); channel reported dry most of nonirrigation season.

1921-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 12.79 feet (old datum) June 13, 1921 (discharge, 3,330 second-feet); channel practically dry except during irrigation seasons each year.

ICE.—Channel practically dry during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Numerous diversions for irrigation made above and below station. Richfield Canal of Big Wood Canal Co. (operating Idaho Irrigation Co. project) is main diversion between station and Magic Dam.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by operation of head gates at Magic Dam 13 miles above, except when water is wasted over spillway.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent. Rating curve well defined above 100 second-feet. Gage read to hundredths twice daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table, except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records fair except May 1 to June 9 for which they are good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and two discharge measurements furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Discharge measurements of Big Wood River above North Gooding Canal, near Shoshone, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage Dis- height charge		Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 2 May 17	Feet 0. 64 2. 68	Secft. 94. 6 601	May 21	Feet 2. 74 1. 95	Secft. 634 377

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River above North Gooding Canal, near Shoshone, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Nov.	May	June	July	Day	Nov.	May	June	July
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NOTE.—Discharge estimated for May 1, June 9, 18, 21, and July 19, based on gage heights, observer's notes, and by comparison with flow at stations above and below.

Monthly discharge of Big Wood River above North Gooding Canal, near Shoshone, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
1,102.01	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
November May. June. July	571 604 378 422	0 0 0	45. 9 446 113 29. 2	2, 730 27, 400 6, 720 1, 800

## BIG WOOD RIVER BELOW NORTH GOODING CANAL, NEAR SHOSHONE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 15, T. 4 S., R. 18 E., 300 yards below heading of North Gooding Canal, 13 miles northeast of Shoshone, Lincoln County, and 14 miles below Magic Dam.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—January 1, 1911, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Gurley seven-day water-stage recorder on right bank installed July 5, 1920; inspected by assistants of water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers. Prior to July 8, 1918, datum was about 6 feet lower than present datum.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 100 feet below gage or by wading. CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of lava rock; practically permanent; rough. At extremely high stages water overflowed above North Gooding diversion dam into secondary channel to left of gage. Control fairly well defined.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year from water-stage recorder, 5.28 feet 6 to 8 p. m. July 19 (discharge, 675 second-feet); channel reported dry except during period of recorded flow.

1911-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 15.0 feet (old datum) May 18, 1911 (discharge, 3,180 second-feet); no flow occurred during many periods since establishment of station.

Ice. Channel reported dry during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Station is below all diversions of Big Wood Canal Co. North Gooding and Richfield Canals divert between station and Magic Dam.

REQUIATION - Flow past station is regulated by gates at Magic Dam and head gates of North Gooding and Richfield Canals. And account 1983

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent.—Rating curve, well defined above 45 second-feet, used.—Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph or by averaging the discharge for intervals of the day. Records good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and one discharge measurement furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

The following discharge measurements were made:

May 2, 1924: Gage height, 1.78 feet; discharge, 58.5 second-feet. May 21, 1924: Gage height, 3.51 feet; discharge, 243 second-feet

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River below North Gooding Canal, near Shoshone, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

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Note. Channel reported dry during periods for which no discharge is given well to the men

Monthly discharge of Big Wood River below North Gooding Canal, near Shoshane, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

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les Unreliable, owing to poor condition of meter and the management of the condition of meters.

#### BIG WOOD RIVER AT GOODING, IDAHO

LOCATION. In sec. 29, T. 5.S., R. 15.E., Gooding County, 30 feet below high. way bridge and half a mile north of Gooding station on Oregon Short Line Railroad nittood antiched to mewwante salar I but seeping that gail

Drainage area.—Not measured.

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GAGE.—Gurley water-stage recorder on left bank; inspected by James Devanney.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS — Moderate Control of the DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS,—Made from cable 600 feet below gage or by

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of lava rock overlain with gravel. Control formed by lava-rock riffle 300 feet below gage; permanent. One channel at all stages. Zero flow would occur at gage height of 0.80 foot  $\pm 0.10$  foot, as determined April 27, 1923.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year from waterstage recorder, 2.17 feet at noon May 6 (discharge, 147 second-feet); channel reported practically dry prior to May 6 and soon after June 4.

1921-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 5.80 feet May 7, 1922 (discharge) 2,340 second-feet); channel dry for long periods each year.

Icr.—Channel generally dry during winters seeks accorded agreeich agast — act

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DIVERSIONS.—Numerous diversions for irrigation above and below stations:

REGULATION. Flow regulated by operation of head gates at Magic Dam and tuodby diversions above gage doubt con C ban without agained bataly gill

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Discharge measurements of Big Wood River at Gooding, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

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Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River at Gooding, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

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Note:—Discharge estimated for May 6, based on part day gage-height record and from information turnished by observed indicating that the first water of the year reached gage at \$1,30 a.m. on that day.

Staff gage reading used June; 12 because water stage recorder was not operating:

## BIG WOOD RIVER NEAR GOODING, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 21, T. 6 S., R. 14 E., at Cleek ranch, 3½ miles above bridge on upper road between Bliss and Hagerman, 5 miles above diversion dam for King Hill project, and 6 miles southwest of Gooding, Gooding County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 26, 1916, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Gurley seven-day water-stage recorder on right bank; replaced Stevens eight-day recorder on April 10, 1924, which was installed April 13, 1921, at same site and datum; inspected by K. R. Sayre.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable a short distance above gage or by

wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of lava rock, boulders, and coarse gravel.

Control practically permanent. Banks overflowed at high stages; one channel at gage; several channels above gage during high water.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period from water-stage recorder, 1.40 feet 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. April 2 (discharge, 44 second-feet); channel reported practically dry after June 3.

1916-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 9.00 feet March 17, 1922 (discharge, 3,680 second-feet); channel reported dry several times each year.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice at times. Record discontinued during winter.

Diversions.—Below all diversions of North Side Canal Co. (Ltd.) and above Big Malad Springs. Justice and Croco ditches (combined capacity, about 15 second-feet) divert about 3 miles below gage; a few second-feet are occasionally wasted into river about 2 miles below gage.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by dams and diversions above station.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well-defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and one discharge measurement furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Discharge measurements of Big Wood River near Gooding, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 6	Feet 0. 98 . 94	Secft. 15. 0 12. 4	May 20 Sept. 26	Feet a 1. 02	Secft. 17. 3

<sup>·</sup> Gage height from water-stage recorder graph.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River near Gooding, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	May	June	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	Day	Apr.	May	June
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5	15	2		15	2	15		25	24	11	
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9	6 3	7		19	11 11	16 18		29   30   31	11 10	20 16 7	

NOTE.—Discharge estimated May 4-6, on account of water being below intake pipe. Daily staff readings obtained Apr. 6, 8, and 9, when recorder was not operating. Braced figure given mean discharge for period indicated.

Monthly discharge of Big Wood River near Gooding, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

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Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April	39 22 7	2	12. 4 11. 5 4. 3	738 707 25. 6
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# BIG WOOD SLOUGH AT HAILEY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 9, T. 2 N., R. 18 E., at highway bridge one-eighth mile northeast of steel highway bridge across Big Wood River and one-eighth mile southwest of Hailey, Blaine County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 11, 1915, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank 3 feet below highway bridge; installed August 3, 1923; read by R. F. Bowman.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from footbridge or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of sand and gravel. Banks covered with brush and subject to overflow. One channel at all stages. Control formed by a wood-stave water pipe, laid in bed 15 feet below gage; changes slightly.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 1.90 feet at 2.40 p. m. July 5 (discharge, 251 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.00 foot April 17 (discharge, 18 second-feet).

1915-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 3.00 feet June 6, 1921 (discharge, 419 second-feet); minimum discharge, 0.9 second-foot, March 21-24, 1919.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seldom affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None.

REGULATION.—The amount of water passing gage is affected by load at power plant half a mile upstream, and there is considerable fluctuation. The main river station is affected inversely by any such regulation, so that the accuracy of the summation of the two records is presumably affected but slightly by this factor.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent during year.

Rating curve fairly well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily.

Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table.

Records fair.

Cooperation.—Four discharge measurements furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Big Wood Slough is a natural channel of Big Wood River that is utilized also as a tailrace for the Hailey power plant. The record from this station represents part of the natural flow of Big Wood River and taken in conjunction with the record at the near-by station on the main river, will show the entire flow of the river at this point. For record from station on the main river see page 139. For record of combined flow of Big Wood River and Big Wood Slough see page 140.

Discharge measurements of Big Wood Slough at Hailey, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 2	Feet 1. 18 1. 64 1. 64 1. 75	Secft. 31. 2 133 133 175	Apr. 24 May 26 June 11 June 26	Feet 1. 69 1. 60 1. 66 1. 77	Secft. 152 134 141 199	July 30 Aug. 28 Sept. 27	Feet 1. 56 1. 52 1. 60	Secft. 116 92. 1 113

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood Stough at Hailey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
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7	39	27	152	144	159	159	212	113	168	172		103
8	38	27	137	144	185	152	241	110	168	155	106 113	91
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Note.—Discharge interpolated Oct. 7, 21, Nov. 4, 18, June 1, and Aug. 19.

Monthly discharge of Big Wood Slough at Hailey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

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June:	24944Ail-424A6-ii	stanski-sky_	22.22.22.63	222 212 212 246	110 119	166	9, 100 9, 880
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# CAMAS CREEK NEAR BLAINE, IDAHO E INSTITUTION OF THE COMPANY

LOCATION.—In sec. 15, T. 1 S., R. 16 E., 500 feet below sheep bridge, a quarter of a mile north of Macon siding on Hill City branch of Oregon Short Line Railroad, 1½ miles below railroad bridge, 2½ miles above backwater of Magic Reservoir, and 4 miles southeast of Blaine, Camas County. No tributaries or diversions between station and Magic Reservoir.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS (AVAIMABLE. May) 9, 1912, to September 30, 1924. Results of discharge measurements made in 1911 by Takho Trigation Co. are also available.

Discharge measurements only are available for 1922.

GAGE.—Gurley water stage recorder on left bank; reinstalled September, 1922; inspected by deputy water masters.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS. Made from sheep bridge or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed rocky. Control somewhat shifting. One channel at all stages. Point of zero flow determined July 30, 1924, as at gage height 0.55 foot  $\pm 0.05$  foot.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, from water-stage recorder, 3.10 feet 2 to 8 a. m. April 14 (discharge, 280 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.95 foot 6 to 8 p. m. July 31 (discharge, 2.3 second-feet); probably not actual extremes for the year.

1911-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 10.76 feet April 12, 1916 (measured discharge, 5,240 second-feet), minimum discharge, 2.3 second-feet, 4 to 6 p. m. August 17, 1920, and 6 to 8 p. m. July 31, 1924; probably not actual extremes.

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REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent during year. Rating curve a fewell defined.—Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory until July 1; thereafter records fragmentary due to irregular visits on part of observer. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph except for June 3 for which it was interpolated. Records fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and one discharge measurement furnished to by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Discharge measurements of Camas Creek near Blaine, Idaha, during the year ending September 30, 1924

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Monthly discharge of Camas Creek near Blaine, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

25	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
March 29-31	129 272	96 71	110 151	655 8, 980 1, 930
April May June	71 9. 2	8. 3 3. 4	31. <b>4</b> 5. 30	1, 930 315
The period				11, 900

## LITTLE WOOD RIVER NEAR CAREY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In SW. ½ NW. ½ sec. 35, T. 2 N., R. 20 E., at Campbell ranch, three-fourths mile below dam site of proposed Little Wood Reservoir, on Carey-Muldoon road, 1½ miles below mouth of High Five Creek, 2½ miles below mouth of Muldoon Creek, 11 miles due east of Bellevue, and 12 miles northwest of Carey, Blaine County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—February 22, 1920, to September 30, 1924. Records available for station 8 miles downstream, April 28, 1904, to May 31, 1905. Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank, installed February 22, 1920;

inspected by J. H. Nelson.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 100 feet above gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of gravel. One channel at all stages. Control formed by well-defined gravel and boulder riffle 25 feet below gage; subject to change.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year from water-stage recorder, 2.47 feet at 9 p. m. April 8 (discharge, 368 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.48 foot from 11 p. m. August 29 to 2 a. m. August 30 (discharge, 14 second-feet).

1920-1924: Maximum discharge recorded, 1,030 second-feet June 12, 1921, and May 26, 1922; minimum stage and discharge, that of August 29 and 30, 1924

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Practically no diversions above station. REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Rating curves well defined. Staff gage read to hundredths about once a week during winter. Operation of water-stage recorder fairly satisfactory during remainder of year except for short period when clock was not operating properly. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table except as noted in footnote to daily-discharge table. During periods water-stage recorder was operated mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records good except for estimated periods for which they are fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by Little Wood Reservoir Association.

Discharge measurements of Little Wood River near Carey, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 8 Do Mar. 1	Feet 1. 30 1. 30 1. 02	Secft. 95. 4 96. 9 59. 1	Apr. 8 May 23 June 27	Feet 1.75 1.52 .86	Secft. 177 140 42. 5	July 26 July 27 Sept. 28	Feet 0. 58 . 59 . 70	Secft. 18.8 20.7 24.2

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Wood River near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12345	59 59 60 72 96	80 77 77	74 65 59	50	65 69 }	65 67 69 69	100	145 165 182 192 167	86 91 94 91 88	33 33 34 33 33	} 18 17 17 17 17	16 16 16 16 18
6	80 100 96 93 94	77 76 76 76 76 74	58 56		69	68 67 65 77	173 185 250 278 275	148 141 135 148 169	83 79 77 73 69	32 32 31 29 26	18 18 18 18 17	20 19 20 21 20
11 12 13 14 15	93 90 88		64	55	66	70	247 262 278 244 180	180 198 194 203 203	65 64 65 65 65	26 26 31 26 24		20 20 20
16	84	70	60		64	63 80 70	137 129 125 133 135	208 203 198 187 182	63 61 57 56 54	24 22 22 22 22 26	16	22 29
21 22 23 24 25	80 86 101 96 94	4	54		75	67 } 70	145 178 185 162 141	162 156 143 137 135	48 46 44 44 41	25 24 21 21 20	16 16 16	26 24 24 22 22
26	91 91 90 86	73 64 70 76 76	50	60	70	75 76 70 67 65	139 140 137	135 117 110 99 94 89	40 40 38 35 34	20 21 21 21 21 21 20	16 16 15 15 16 16	25 26 26 25 25

Note.—Discharge estimated Oct. 14-19, 29-31, Nov. 1-3, 11-25, Dec. 2-4, 6-8, 10-14, 16-21, 23-31, Jan. 1-31, Feb. 1, 3-8, 10-15, 17-22, 24-29, Mar. 10-15, 18-21, 23-25, 28, 30-31, Apr. 1-5, 27-29, Aug. 1-2, 11-22, and Sept. 14-19. Discharge interpolated Mar. 6. Shifting-control method used Apr. 10-14. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Little Wood River near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

"	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November	101	59	85. 5 72. 7	5, 260 4, 330
December			57. 6 55. 2	3, 54 3, 39
February			68. 7 69. 5	3, 95 4, 27
April. Mayuneune	278 208 94	89 34	168 159 61. 9	10, 00 9, 78 3, 68
uly	34	20	25. 8 16. 5	1, 590 1, 010
September		16	21. 7	1, 290
The year	278		71. 7	52, 100

## LITTLE WOOD RIVER NEAR RICHFIELD, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 30, T. 4 S., R. 20 E., half a mile above heading of Dietrich Canal and 1 mile east of railroad station at Richfield, Lincoln County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—January 1, 1911, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Gurley water-stage recorder on right bank installed April 14, 1920; inspected by employees of water master. Records prior to September 30, 1918, referred to datum 1.0 foot lower than present gage.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from suspension footbridge just below gage or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of coarse gravel and small rocks; rough.

Control may change slightly. Stage-discharge relation may be affected during summer by light growth of aquatic plants.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage recorded from water-stage recorder, 2.24 feet from noon to 2 p. m. April 14 (discharge, 237 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.23 feet at 8 p. m. June 20 (discharge, 57 second-feet).

1911-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.5 feet May 17 and 18, 1911 (discharge, 722 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.52 foot June 24 and 25, 1920 (discharge, 7.6 second-feet).

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice; observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Small ranch diversions are made above station. Dietrich Canal diverts a short distance below.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph except July 5–7, for which it was determined by shifting-control method. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and three discharge measurements furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Discharge measurements of Little Wood River near Richfield, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 9 Apr. 7 May 9	Feet 2. 03 1. 79 1. 36	Secft. 189 137 76. 0	May 24July 12July 24	Feet 1. 27 1. 38 1. 35	Secft. 60. 1 70. 4 66. 5	July 25 July 29 Sept. 29	Feet 1.30 1.31 1.41	Secft. 61. 2 62. 9 75. 1

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Wood River near Richfield, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4	165 163 163 167	139 139 145 145	92 91 82 81	73 74 72 73	66 66 66 66	63 61 61 64	65 66 64 61
5	165	145	78	66	66	63	64
6	167 180 180 191	141 139 134 161 200	82 82 78 69 61	66 68 68 70 69	69 73 73 73 70	63 61 63 68	66 79 72 72 73
11		209 213 225 234 232	65 66 59 58 60	72 69 69 69 69	68 72 74 74 74	65 65 59 61 64	70 73 70 73 75
16		220 200 186 172 167	61 60 60 58 59	68 69 63 59 58	74 74 72 70 72	73 72 66 64 61	77 77 81 82 79
21		165 161 161 165 157	63 60 60 61 60	63 60 59 61 64	73 72 69 68 66	65 69 69 65	79 79 82 78 79
26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31.		147 137 123 110 96	60 60 64 66 73 73	65 65 66 65 66	66 65 63 63 64	65 66 66 65 66	79 77 77 77 77 73

Note.—Discharge interpolated June 14, because of missing gage height.

# Monthly discharge of Little Wood River near Richfield, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

26-24	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 1-9	191 234 92 74 74 73 82	163 96 58 58 63 59	171 166 67. 8 66. 6 69. 2 64. 7 73. 7	3, 050 9, 880 4, 170 3, 960 4, 250 3, 980 4, 390

#### LITTLE WOOD RIVER AT SHOSHONE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 35, T. 5 S., R. 17 E., just above diversion dam for town water supply, 200 feet north of water tower, and 400 feet above highway bridge on Shoshone-Richfield road in Shoshone, Lincoln County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 1, 1922, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Gurley water-stage recorder on left bank; inspected by assistants to water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable a quarter of a mile above gage. Channel and control.—Bed composed of lava rock partly overlain with sand and gravel. Banks steep. One channel at all stages. Control for low and medium stages formed by crest of concrete diversion dam. No well-defined control for high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 1.67 feet from 3 to 5 a. m. May 21 (discharge, 357 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.34 foot at 10 a. m. September 3 (discharge, 0.4 second-foot). 1922–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 2.26 feet June 18, 1922 (discharge, 664 second-feet); minimum stage, September 3, 1924.

Ice.—No record.

DIVERSIONS.—Numerous irrigation diversions above and below. A small ditch for the Shoshone water supply diverts from left bank directly below gage.

REGULATION.—None except that due to diversions.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed sometime between October and April and again on April 18 by change made in planks on dam which forms control. Rating curves well defined. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Discharge measurements of Little Wood River at Shoshone, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 14 May 21	Feet 1. 30 1. 61	Secft. 177 329	June 26 July 25	Feet 0. 73 . 81	Secft. 32, 0 45, 9	Sept. 30	Feet 0. 85	Secft. 55. 2

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Wood River at Shoshone, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	154	111	69	306	39	34	32
2	154	108	62	204	39	34	19
3	154	108	53	82	48	34	1.8
4	157	108	44	82	37	34	4.6
5	161	111	39	74	37	34	4. 6
6	157	108	39	64	39	36	10
7	168	101	46	71	41	36	32
8	172	98	46	79	36	34	34
9	184	92	102	76	46	34	32
10	184	134	270	71	44	36	32
11		158	279	69	41	41	36
12		158	284	66	42	37	39
13		173	279	59	44	37	39
14		177	275	36	41	32	42
15		166	288	42	42	32	42

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Wood River at Shoshone, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Day	Oct.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
16		169	275	150	42	36	44
17		154	275	297	42	42	46
18		134	288	302	41	39	48
19		134	306	315	39	37	48
20		130	310	306	37	36	53
n		120	343	306	39	34	53
9		104	324	144	41	36	55
3		114	315	41	39	37	26
4		126	315	32	42	37	9.
5		137	320	32	46	36	30
A		126	324	32	48	36	57
6 7		117	329	32	190	34	55
8		104	302	37	104	34	51
9		95	297	46	44	32	53
0		87	315	41	39	32	55
1		87	315	*1	34	32	- 00

Note.—Discharge interpolated Sept. 29.

Monthly discharge of Little Wood River at Shoshone, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	I-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 1-10	184 177 343 315 190 42 57	154 87 39 32 34 32 1.8	164 125 230 116 47. 8 35. 3 36. 1	3, 250 7, 440 14, 100 6, 900 2, 940 2, 170 2, 150

## FISH CREEK ABOVE DAM, NEAR CAREY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 2, T. 1 N., R. 22 E., 134 miles above entrance of West Fork of Fish Creek, 2 miles above dam of Carey Valley Reservoir Co., and 14 miles northeast of Carey, Blaine County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 3, 1920, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on right bank; read by Wren Chidester.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of coarse sand and gravel. Left bank may be overflowed at high stages. Control formed by 18-foot Cippoletti weir set in concrete, 8 feet below gage.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 0.67 foot April 11 (measured discharge, 35.6 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.06 foot July 15 (discharge, 1.3 second-feet). Probably not actual extremes.

1920-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 1.78 feet 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. May 6, 1922 (discharge, 158 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge, July 15, 1924. Probably not actual extremes.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice; records discontinued during winter. DIVERSIONS.—Several small diversions above gage.

REGULATION.—None except as affected by diversions above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily except for short periods in April and July, when readings were not made regularly. Daily discharge determined by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good except those for April, which are fair.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by water master for Fish Creek.

Discharge measurements of Fish Creek above dam, near Carey, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 6 Apr. 11	Feet 0. 31 . 67	Secft. 10. 5 35. 6	May 23 June 27	Feet 0.36 .14	Secft. 13. 4 3. 46	July 26 Sept. 29	Feet 0. 08 . 14	Secft. 1. 78 3. 86

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Fish Creek above dam, near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July
1		20 20 20 18 18	12 10 9. 1 2. 3 2. 3	1. 8 1. 8 1. 8 1. 8 2. 3	16	} 25 25	20 18 16 16 16	2. 9 2. 9 3. 5 3. 5 2. 9	2. 3 2. 4 2. 6 2. 6 2. 6
6		17 17 17 16 16	1.8 1.8 1.8 1.8	2. 3 2. 3 2. 3 2. 3 2. 3	21	24 22 24 25 24	16 16 14 14 13	3. 5 3. 5 3. 5 4. 2 3. 5	4. 5 2. 3 3. 2 3. 2 3. 2
11	35 34 25	22 22 22 21 20	2. 3 2. 3 2. 3 2. 3 2. 9	2.3 2.3 1.8 1.8 1.3	26	22 21 20 21 20	13 16 16 16 14 13	2.3 2.6 1.8 1.8 1.8	1.8 1.7 1.6

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights Apr. 12-19, based on comparison with flow of Little Wood River above Carey; interpolated Apr. 21, 23, 25, July 17, 19, 24, and 27. Braced figure gives mean discharge for period indicated.

Monthly discharge of Fish Creek above dam, near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

26. 4	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 11-30	22 12 4. 5	20 13 1. 8 1. 3	25. 5 17. 2 3. 37 2. 30	1, 010 1, 060 201 128
The period				2, 400

## FISH CREEK NEAR CAREY, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 22, T. 1 N., R. 22 E., 1½ miles below dam of Carey Valley Reservoir Co. and 11 miles northeast of Carey, Blaine County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 10, 1919, to September 30, 1920; May 12, 1923, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank; read by Wren Chidester.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of lava rock covered by gravel, sand, and silt. One channel at all stages. Control formed by Cippoletti weir set in concrete, located immediately below gage; weir crest is 17.64 feet in length. Zero of gage set to agree with average elevation of weir crest.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 1.30 feet June 8 (discharge, 90 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.14 foot, September 29 (measured discharge, 3.1 second-feet). Lower flow occurred during period of no record.

1919-1920; 1923-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 1.46 feet August 3 and 5, 1923 (discharge, 108 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.08 foot February 15, 16, and 21, 1920 (discharge, 1.5 second-feet). Probably not actual extremes.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation probably affected by ice; records discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—None between station and dam.

REGULATION.—Flow completely regulated by operation of gates in dam above. Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined below 80 second-feet above which it is extended nearly parallel to curve based on standard weir formula. Gage read to hundredths once daily except for short period in April. Daily discharge determined by applying daily gage height to rating table except for days of missing gage height for which it was interpolated. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by water master for Fish Creek.

Discharge measurements of Fish Creek near Carey, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 6 Apr. 11	Feet 0. 16 . 22	Secft. 3. 62 5. 17	May 23	Feet 0. 68 . 74	Secft. 34.1 38.2	Sept. 29	Feet 0. 14	Secft. 3. 13

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Fish Creek near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July
1		12. 9 12. 9 12. 9 31 31 31 31 31	57 52 64 74 76 86 86 90 26	39 48 48 48 48 48 64 64 64 64	16. 17. 18. 19. 20. 21. 22. 23. 24.	6. 4 6. 4 6. 4 6. 4 6. 4 7. 3 7. 3	31 31 37 34 31 28 34 34 28	84 84 86 86 88 88 74 71 62	55 35 15. 6 33 33 34 41 40 39 7
10 11 12 13 14 15	6. 4 6. 4 6. 4 6. 4 6. 4	31 31 31 31 31 31 31	28 76 22 70 76 82	64 60 60 60 59 57	25   26   27   28   29   30   31	7. 3 6. 4 6. 4 9. 2 9. 2 12. 9	31 31 33 42 51 52 57	59 43 40 35 39 39	7 33 28 27

Note.—Discharge interpolated because of missing gage heights, Apr. 12, 14-19, and July 17.

Monthly discharge of Fish Creek near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

25-4	Discha	Run-off in		
Month ·	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 11-30	12. 9 57 90 64	6. 4 12. 9 22 15. 6	7. 18 32. 1 64. 8 46. 3	285 1, 970 3, 860 2, 570
The period			् 	8, 680

## WEST FORK OF FISH CREEK NEAR CAREY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 3, T. 1 N., R. 22 E., 134 miles above confluence with Fish Creek, 2 miles above dam of Carey Valley Reservoir Co., and 14 miles northeast of Carey, Blaine County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 11, 1920, to September 30, 1924. Discharge measurements only are available in 1923.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank; read by Wren Chidester.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of coarse sand and gravel. One channel at all stages. Control formed by Cippoletti weir with 12-foot crest. Zero of gage corresponds to average elevation of weir crest.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 0.22 foot April 20 (discharge, 4.2 second-feet); minimum discharge, 0.1 second-foot, several times after June 26. Probably not actual extremes.

1920-1922; 1924: Maximum stage recorded, 0.93 foot at 9 p. m. April 22, 1922 (discharge, 42.8 second-feet); minimum discharge, 0.1 second-foot at 8.30 p. m. August 8, 1920, and several days in 1924. Probably not actual extremes.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSION.—One small diversion above gage.

REGULATION .-- None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent during year. Rating curve used based on standard weir formula for 12-foot Cippoletti weir which has been fairly well substantiated by several discharge measurements made in 1923 and 1924. Gage read to hundredths nearly every day in May and June; readings made infrequently at other times. Daily discharge determined by applying daily gage height to rating table except for days of missing records for which it was interpolated as noted in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records fair.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by water master for Fish Creek.

Discharge measurements of West Fork of Fish Creek near Carey, Idaho, during the years ending September 30, 1923 and 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
1923 May 12	Feet 0.38 .22 .11 .07	Secft. 9.58 3.68 1.04 •.70	1924 Apr. 11 May 23 June 27 July 26	Feet 0. 21 . 08 . 02 . 025	Secft. 3. 86 .74 4. 15 4. 20	1924 Sept. 29	Feet 0. 02	Secft. a 0. 15

<sup>·</sup> Estimated.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of West Fork of Fish Creek near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Мау	June	July	Day	Мау	June	July	Day	Мау	June	July
1		0.6 .6 .6 .6	0, 1 .1 .1 .1	11	1. 7 1. 7 1. 7 1. 7 1. 7	0.3 .3 .3 .3	0.1 .1 .1 .1	21	1.3 .9 .9 .9	0.3 .3 .3	0.1 .1 .2 .2
6		.3	.1 .1 .1 .1 .1	16	1. 7 1. 7 1. 5 1. 5 1. 5	.3	.1 .1 .1 .1	26	.6 .6 .9 .9	.3 .1 .3 .1	.2

Note.—Discharge interpolated because of missing gage height June 1, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 21, 23, 25, 30, July 2, 4, 8, 10, 14, 16-17, and 19-25.

# Monthly discharge of West Fork of Fish Creek near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
· · ·	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 11-31	1.7 .6 .2	0. 6 . 1 . 1	1, 20 . 33 . 12	50. 0 19. 6 5. 95

#### SILVER CREEK NEAR PICABO, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 1, T. 2 S., R. 20 E., at Brett ranch, 1½ miles below mouth of drain ditch of Blaine County Drainage District No. 1 and 3 miles south of Picabo, Blaine County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 25, 1920, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Gurley water-stage recorder on left bank 450 feet below Brett ranch house; installed July 29, 1922; inspected by E. F. McDowell.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from footbridge 150 feet below gage or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of rock overlain with fine gravel; subject to slight changes due to aquatic growth.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage recorded during period from waterstage recorder, 2.48 feet October 5 (measured discharge, 213 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.05 feet at 10.30 a. m. May 8 (discharge, 77 second-feet). Probably not actual extremes.

1920-1924: Maximum discharge recorded, 312 second-feet at 4 p. m. April 3, 1923; minimum stage, 0.48 foot at 7 p. m. June 2, 1920 (discharge, 26 second-feet).

Ice,—Stage-discharge relation slightly affected by ice at times. Observations discontinued during winter.

Diversions.—Numerous irrigation diversions above gage. During part of year some water diverted around gage on right bank through a small slough which heads about 300 feet above gage.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed May 7-10 and June 14-25 owing to light aquatic growth below gage. Standard rating curve well defined; curves parallel thereto used April 1 to May 6, May 11 to June 13, and June 26 to September 29; indirect method for shifting control used for intervening periods. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and several discharge measurements furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Discharge measurements of Silver Creek near Picabo, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 5. Apr. 7. May 6. May 11. May 23. May 24.	Feet 2. 48 1. 83 1. 44 1. 22 1. 22 1. 26	Secft.  213 156 116 87. 0 81. 7 91. 3	June 5. June 13. June 27. July 6. July 19	Feet 1. 24 1. 30 1. 23 1. 26 1. 22	Secft. 91.7 92.5 91.8 89.8 83.4	July 26 July 28 Aug. 13 Aug. 27 Sept 29	Feet 1. 20 1. 18 1. 24 1. 17 1. 29	Secft. 87. 8 87. 3 87. 6 80. 6 96. 9

<sup>4.0</sup> second-feet additional measured flow around gage.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Silver Creek near Picabo, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	150 153 155 158 158	122 119 120 114 115	97 94 91 90 89	94 91 91 92 93	83 85 86 87 87	88 88 85 85 85	16 17 18 19	144 143 142 139 140	84 86 84 85 87	90 89 84 87 92	95 91 91 91 92	91 86 85 83 84	98 109 108 105 104
6 7	153 154 151 151 151 149	116 114 102 85 89	93 91 94 95 98	94 98 99 98 98	86 84 87 87 87 83	95 99 96 96 95	21 22 23 24 25	138 138 135 135 134	87 87 88 89 88	91 90 88 91 91	94 93 91 90 90	86 86 83 84 84	106 110 106 105 105
11 12 13 14 15	148 146 145 145 144	88 88 88 88 88	96 95 96 96 94	94 96 97 97 96	84 86 84 87 90	93 93 100 101 99	26	133 133 128 124 123	84 88 91 97 97	94 94 92 93 95	88 88 87 85 85 83	83 86 86 87 87 86	97 95 106 97 90

Note.—Discharge estimated for Sept. 30, based on comparison with flow of Little Wood River near Richfield. No water reported flowing around gage through slough on right bank after Mar. 31.

Monthly discharge of Silver Creek near Picabo, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Money	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April May June July August September	158 122 98 99 91 110	123 84 84 83 83 83	143 95. 3 92. 3 92. 2 85. 6 98. 1	8, 510 5, 860 5, 490 5, 670 5, 260 5, 840
The period				36, 600

#### LONG TOM RESERVOIR NEAR BENNETT, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 35, T. 1 S., R. 7 E., 8 miles southwest of Bennett, Elmore County, and 17 miles northeast of Mountain Home.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 3 to June 25, 1924.

Gage.—Readings obtained by measuring with steel tape from top of upstream corner of masonry gate tower on southeast end of dam; read by C. J. McGrath. Elevations referred to datum of Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co.

EXTREMES OF STAGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period of record, 4,446.22 feet May 1; minimum stage, 4,406.73 feet June 25.

Cooperation.—Occasional readings furnished by Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co.

This reservoir is used partly as a storage unit and partly as an equalizing basin for natural flow of Long Tom Creek and for storage water released from Little Camas Reservoir which is carried several miles through an open canal and series of tunnels into Long Tom Basin. From Long Tom Reservoir water is released and flows through Long Tom and Canyon Creeks to the head of the Mountain Home feeder canal and used for irrigation on about 5,000 acres of land near Mountain Home.

The reservoir is formed by a gravity earth dam 400 feet in length at crest. The crest is 56 feet above bottom of outlet tunnel and 6 feet above crest of spillway. Elevation of bottom of outlet tunnel corresponds to 4,404.15 feet referred to recorded reservoir stages, at which stage the available storage is practically zero. Elevation of crest of spillway corresponds to 4,453.87 feet, at which stage the capacity of reservoir is about 4,040 acre-feet, about 153 acres of land being submerged.

Daily gage height, in feet, of Long Tom Reservoir near Bennett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	Day	Apr.	Мау	June
1	-	4, 446. 22		16 17	4, 435, 32	4, 439. 96	
3	4, 422. 89			18	4, 450, 52		
5		4, 445. 91		20			
6	-	-1-115-15-	4, 421. 26	21	-	4, 437. 46	
8		4, 445. 42		23			
9 10		4, 444. 70	4, 413. 26	24 25			4, 406. 73
11				26			
12 13				27		4, 432. 46	
14 15	4, 433. 39			29 30 31		4, 422. 26	

LONG TOM CREEK BELOW LONG TOM RESERVOIR, NEAR BENNETT, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 35, T. 1 S., R. 7 E., 6 500 feet below Long Tom Reservoir of Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co., 8 miles southwest of Bennett, Elmore County, and 17 miles northeast of Mountain Home.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

Formerly shown as sec. 2, T. 2 S., R. 7 E.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 31 to December 6, 1917; April 12 to June 30, 1924. Gage.—Au water-stage recorder installed May 10, 1924, on left bank at same site and datum of staff gage installed April 15, 1924; read by C. J. McGrath. During 1917 a McConnel water-stage recorder near present site but at different datum, was used.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of sand and small gravel. Left bank brushy below gage and may overflow at high stages. Control formed by well-defined riffle 40 feet below gage; probably subject to change.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum discharge from actual measurement, 107 second-feet on May 10; channel practically dry during period of no record. 1917; 1924: Maximum discharge on May 10, 1924; practically no flow except during irrigation seasons.

Diversions.—None between reservoir and gage. A small amount of leakage from dam above flows to left of gage and enters the creek channel some distance below.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by gates at Long Tom Reservoir.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent during period of record. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Prior to May 10 staff gage read only when changes in gate openings at dam above were made. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table daily staff gage height or mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records good after May 8; others fair.

Cooperation.—Services of observer furnished by Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co.

Discharge measurements of Long Tom Creek below Long Tom Reservoir, near Bennett, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 15	Feet 1. 18 1. 70 2. 42	Secft. 13. 7 40. 6 94. 2	May 8 May 10 May 28	Feet 2. 42 2. 48 2. 29	Secft. 97. 3 107 83. 3	June 6	Feet 1. 81 1. 60 . 74	Secft. 49. 5 34. 6 •. 50

<sup>·</sup> Estimated.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Long Tom Creek below Long Tom Reservoir, near Bennett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	May	June	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	Day	Apr.	May	June
1		41 70	55 56 57 54	11 12 13	} 2	99 99 98 98	1.8 1.4 1.0	21 22 23 24.		90 87 86 85	0. 7 . 7 . 6
6		75 76 86 96 96 101	52 49 45 40 34 9. 3	15 16 17 18 19 20	14 14 15 19	98 97 95 94 93 92	. 8 . 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8 8	25	19	86 88 86 85 79 70 57	.5

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights Apr. 12-14, 18-30, May 2-4, and June 26-30, based on gate openings in dam above and by comparison with flow at head of Mountain Home feeder canal; interpolated Apr. 16 and May 7.

Monthly discharge of Long Tom Creek below Long Tom Reservoir, near Bennett, Idaho, for the year ending September, 30, 1924

,	Discha	arge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month ·	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 12-30 May	101 57	41	15. 6 85. 3 15. 6	588 5, 240 928
The period				6, 760

NOTE.—Leakage below dam, not included in flow past gage, has been estimated upon basis of occasiona measurements, as follows: Apr. 12-30, 19 acre-feet; May, 45 acre-feet; June, 1.2 acre-feet.

#### MOUNTAIN HOME FEEDER CANAL NEAR MOUNTAIN HOME, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 36, T. 2 S., R. 6 E., 75 feet below point of diversion in Canyon Creek and 5 miles north of Mountain Home, Elmore County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 15 to June 30, 1924.

Gage.—Au water-stage recorder installed May 4, 1924, on right bank. Prior to this date vertical staff at present site and datum was used; read by W. S. Langfitt.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of silt, sand, and fine gravel; shifts somewhat. Control not well defined.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge recorded, 102 second-feet, May 11 and 12; canal reported practically dry after June 30.

Diversions.—None from canal above gage; between gage and head gates of Mountain Home Cooperative Canal half a mile below, three small laterals divert water for irrigation use on the Ake farms.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by head gate in Canyon Creek and by storage in Long Tom Reservoir.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed during period May 8-20. Standard rating curve well defined. Staff gage read to hundredths almost daily prior to May 4, after which time water-stage recorder was used satisfactorily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table daily staff gage height or mean daily gage height from recorder graph determined by inspection; shifting-control method used May 8-20. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co.

Water is diverted from Canyon Creek in sec. 36, T. 2 S., R. 6 E., and used for irrigation on about 5,000 acres included in project of Mountain Home Irrigation Co., for which water is delivered by Mountain Home Cooperative Canal, which heads in the feeder canal half a mile below gage. At times when there is a surplus of water for irrigation, the canal feeds water directly into Mountain Home Reservoir beyond head gate of Mountain Home Cooperative Canal.

Discharge measurements of Mountain Home feeder canal near Mountain Home, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 17 May 5 May 13	Feet 1. 25 1. 81 1. 90	Secft. 17. 8 80. 4 100	May 29	Feet 1. 75 1. 54	Secft. 85. 2 53. 8	June 9 June 25	Feet 1.40 .66	Secft. 38. 5 •. 50

<sup>·</sup> Estimated.

Daily	discharge,	in	second-feet,	of	Mountain	Home	feeder	canal	near	Mountain
•	Ήα	me	, Idaho, for	the	year endin	g Septe	mber 3	0, 192	4	•

Day	Apr.	May	June	Day	Apr.	May	June	Day	Apr.	May.	June
1 2 3 4 5		39 61 76 79 80	57 54 57 56 54	11	18	102 102 100 98 96	7. 3 5. 1 4. 0 2. 5 2. 0	21 22 23 24	20 20 20 20 20 20	91 88 85 87 87	1.7 1.2 .9 .8
6		83 83 91 93 100	53 49 45 38 23	16	18 18 20 20 20	93 93 91 93 91	2. 2 1. 8 1. 8 1. 8 1. 7	26	21 22 22 22 22 22	90 88 88 88 83 77 59	.4 .4 .6 .3

Note.—Discharge interpolated on account of missing gage heights Apr. 16, 22, 24, and 26. During present year, the entire flow of Canyon Creek was diverted and due to shortage no water was diverted past gates of the Mountain Home Cooperative Canal for storage in Mountain Home Reservoir.

Monthly discharge of Mountain Home feeder canal near Mountain Home, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

25	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 15-30 May. June. June.	22 102 57	18 39 . 2	20. 2 86. 0 17. 4	641 5, 290 1, 040
The period.				6, 970

#### MOUNTAIN HOME COOPERATIVE CANAL NEAR MOUNTAIN HOME, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 36, T. 2 S., R. 6 E., at Lamberton weir, 250 feet below point of diversion in Mountain Home feeder canal and 4½ miles north of Mountain Home, Elmore County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 17 to August 15, 1924.

GAGE.—Gurley water-stage recorder installed May 4, 1924, on right bank; inspected by W. S. Langfitt. Prior to May 4, vertical staff at present site and datum was used.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.-Made by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of silt, sand, and fine gravel. Control formed by 12-foot wooden sharp crested weir 5 feet below gage.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period from waterstage recorder, 1.59 feet from 2 to 6 a.m. May 13 (discharge, 97 secondfeet); canal dry after June 14.

DIVERSIONS.—None between gage and head of canal.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by head gate in Mountain Home feeder canal and by operation of gates in Long Tom Reservoir.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent except for short periods in May when a small amount of leakage under Cippoletti weir occurred. Rating curve well defined. Staff gage read to hundredths once daily until May 3; thereafter water-stage recorder was used. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table daily gage height or mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph, except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co.

Water is diverted from Canyon Creek in sec. 36, T. 2 S., R. 6 E., through the Mountain Home feeder canal for about one-half mile and rediverted through the Mountain Home Cooperative Canal for irrigation of about 5,000 acres of the Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co.

Discharge measurements of Mountain Home Cooperative Canal near Mountain Home, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 5 May 13	Feet 1. 28 1. 56	Secft. 74.7 95.4	May 29	Feet 1. 39 1. 05	Secft. 77. 4 51. 0	June 9 June 25	Feet 0. 94	Secft. 36. 2 0

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Mountain Home Cooperative Canal near Mountain Home, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	Day	Apr.	Мау	June
1		29 50 67 74 75 77 78 84 88 94	54 50 53 52 49 47 46 42 35 22	11	11 14 14 14	96 96 96 94 92 89 88 88 87	5. 9 3. 3 2. 2 1. 1	21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28 29 30	14 14 14 14 14 14 15 15 15 15	85 82 81 82 83 85 83 82 77 72 56	

Note.—Owing to probable leakage under weir discharge estimated May 4-7, 9, 24-28, based on one discharge measurement and by comparison with flow at head of Mountain Home feeder canal, where flow is about the same except for intervening canal losses and diversions of three laterals. Discharge interpopolated on account of missing gage-height record Apr. 22, 24, and 26.

Monthly discharge of Mountain Home Cooperative Canal near Mountain Home, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

25.44	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 17-80	15 96 54	11 29 0	14. 1 80. 5 30. 8	392 4, 950 916
The period				6, 260

## OWYHEE RIVER NEAR GOLD CREEK, NEV.

LOCATION.—In W. ½ sec. 24, T. 44 N., R. 54 E., an eighth of a mile below Wild Horse dam site, 9 miles west of Gold Creek, Elko County, and 65 miles north of Elko.

DRAINAGE AREA.—209 square miles (measured on map compiled by irrigation service of United States Office of Indian Affairs).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 26, 1916, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on left bank; inspected by Emery Johnson.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable at gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of rocks and loose sand. Control is gravel riffie in each of two channels where stream is divided by small island 500 feet below gage; subject to change by work of beavers. Left bank high and rocky; right bank is overflowed at extremely high stages. One channel at all stages. Dense growth of willows along banks.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage recorded during year from water stage recorder, 5.82 feet at 10 a.m. April 10 (discharge, 670 second-feet); minimum discharge, 1.9 second-feet September 17 (stage-discharge relation affected by backwater from moss growth).

1916–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 10.11 feet at 2 a. m. May 5, 1922 (discharge, by extending rating curve, 1,810 second-feet). Minimum discharge probably less than 1 second-foot in August, 1918.

ICE.—River freezes over during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Wild-hay meadows above station practically only land irrigated.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation affected July 16 to September 30, because of backwater caused by moss on control. Stage-discharge relation permanent for remainder of year. Rating curve fairly well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory October 1 to November 15 and April 6 to September 30. Discharge during winter and during periods when no gage heights were taken was interpolated or estimated from observer's notes and by comparison with records for station on Owyhee River near Owyhee. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Owyhee River near Gold Creek, Nev., during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	
Apr. 2Apr. 27	Feet 1. 97 2. 82	Secft. 22, 6 103	June 12 Sept. 17	Feet 1. 57 a 1. 65	Secft. 4. 9 1. 9	

a Stage-discharge relation affected by backwater from moss.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Owyhee River near Gold Creek, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12345	7 7 7 8 12	9 9 9					20 23 50	89 86 78 74 68	11 9 7 6 4	2 2 2 3 3	2 2 2 2 2 2	2 2 2 2 2 2
6 7 8 9 10	9 9 9	9 9 8 8 8					93 194 324 380 580	62 52 47 45 40	4 6 7 6 5	3 3 3 3	2 2 2 2 2 2	2 2 3 2 3
11 12 13 14 15	10 9 9 8 9	11 9 8 9 8			6		450 390 490 540 212	35 33 31 30 26	5 5 5 5	3 4 4 4 4	2 2 2 2 2 2	3 2 3 3 2
16	9 9 8 9		6	6		) 10	155 152 167 250 260	24 23 21 20 20	4 4 4 4	3 3 3 3	2 2 2 2 2 2	2 2 3 3 3
21 22 23 24 25	9 10 11 10 9	8					246 246 228 140 115	20 20 20 19 18	3 2 2 2 2 3	3 3 3 3	2 2 2 2 2 2	3 3 3 3
26	9 9 9 9						106 102 100 97 94	16 16 15 14 14 13	3 3 3 3 3	3 4 3 3 3 3	2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	3 3 3 3

Monthly discharge of Owyhee River near Gold Creek, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October	12 11	7	9. 0 8. 4	553 500	
December January February			a 6 a 6 a 6	369 369 345	
March	580	20	a 10 210	615 12, 500	
May June July	11	13 2 2	35. 1 4. 6 3. 1	2, 160 274 191	
August September	2 3	2 2	2. 0 2. 6	123 155	
The year	580	2	25. 0	18, 200	

a Estimated.

#### OWYHEE RIVER NEAR OWYHEE, NEV.

LOCATION.—In sec. 21, T. 46 N., R. 53 E., 40 feet above mouth of Jones Brook, half a mile above J. P. Jones ranch, 4 miles below Mountain City, and 8 miles southeast of Owyhee, Elko County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—380 square miles (measured on United States Forest Service map). RECORDS AVAILABLE.—November 29, 1913, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by P. W. Davidson.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 125 feet above gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed consists of ledge rock and boulders filled in with sand and gravel. Permanent except for slight changes at very low stages. One channel at all stages. Banks covered with willows and brush; subject to overflow. At low stages a riffle just below gage forms control. At high stages a secondary control becomes effective.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 5.57 feet at 8 p. m. April 22 (discharge, 741 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.26 feet August 5 and 16 (discharge, less than 1 second-foot).

1914–1924: Maximum discharge, 2,600 second-feet May 5, 1922; minimum discharge, less than 1 second-foot August 5 and 16, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—A number of ranches above station divert water from main stream and tributaries for irrigation—mainly of hay meadows.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent; affected by ice November 28 to March 4. Rating curve well defined below 300 second-feet and extended above. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except November 28 to March 4, June 10, and 11. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Estimates of discharge were made for periods when no gage heights were taken and during ice-affected period by comparison with record for Gold Creek and observer's notes at Mountain City. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Owyhee River near Owyhee, Nev., during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 1 Mar. 27	Feet 1.78 2.34		June 13 Sept. 18	Feet 1.87 1.36	Secft. 21.0 1.7

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Owyhee River near Owyhee, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	17 17 17 20 22	24 24 23 23 23				30	62 73 97 100 93	299 292 280 264 240	41 38 32 30 27	5 5 5 5 5	1 1 1 1	. 2 2 3 2 2
6	23 22 21 21 22	24 24 23 24 24 24				47 54 45 48 54	149 311 610 690 469	215 193 174 162 143	25 26 32 33 30	4 4 4 4	1 1 2 2 2	2 2 2 2 2 1
11	23 24 23 22 23	27 29 27 27 27 27			20	53 47 48 46 46	386 433 294 197 433	130 126 123 119 105	27 24 20 18 16	4 4 3 2	2 2 3 2 1	2 2 2 2 2 2
16 17 18 19 20	23 23 24 25 25	26 22 20 22 26	20	20		38 41 41 44 45	364 361 344 478 590	91 81 86 80 76	16 15 15 15 15	2 2 2 2 1	1 1 1 1 2	3 2 2 2 2 3
21 22 23 24 25	25 27 29 29 28	25 24 23 26 26				42 41 43 38 41	604 648 645 446 331	70 68 63 60 54	15 14 13 11 10	2 1 1 1 1	3 4 4 4 4	4 4 4 4
26	27 26 25 26 26 26 24	23 20 20 20 20 20				41 51 56 52 39 49	287 278 285 287 297	50 48 47 47 47 47	8 7 6 6 6	1 1 1 1 1	4 3 2 2 2 2 2	5 5 5 5 5

Monthly discharge of Owyhee River near Owyhee, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	29 29	17 20	23. 5 23. 9 4 20	1, 440 1, 420 1, 230
January February	<b> </b>		a 20 a 20	1, 230 1, 150
March April May	690 299	62 44	43.6 355 125	2, 680 21, 100 7, 690
June July August September	5	1 1	19.7 2.7 2.0 2.9	1,170 166 123 173
The year	690	1	54.5	39,600

Estimated.

# OWYHEE RIVER NEAR OWYHEE, OREG.

LOCATION.—In sec. 2, T. 21 S., R. 46 E., at county bridge, 1½ miles southwest of Owyhee, Malheur County, 3 miles above mouth of river, and 10 miles southwest of Nyssa.

Drainage area.—About 11,100 square miles. Watershed not well defined on available maps.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 26, 1890, to December 31, 1893; January 1, 1895, to October 3, 1896; Auugst 28, 1903, to September 30, 1916; May 17 to October 9, 1920; March 8, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Chain gage on upstream side of highway bridge; read by Alvon McGinnis or Mrs. S. J. Watson.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from bridge or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed consists of gravel; may shift during high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 7.8 feet February 10 (discharge, 7,880 second-feet); minimum stage recorded, 1.30 feet July 7, 19, and August 14-16, no flow.

1890-1893; 1895-1896; 1903-1916; 1920-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 12.9 feet March 2, 1910 (discharge, 23,200 second-feet); minimum discharge that of July and August, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Owyhee Canal, the principal diversion immediately above station, heads about 6 miles above gage. This canal diverts practically entire natural low-water flow of river.

REGULATION.—Variation in flow may be caused by manipulation of gates at head of Owyhee Canal.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent; affected by ice December 9 to February 6. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to half-tenths once a day. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good except for period stage-discharge relation was affected by ice and low water of July to September for which they are fair.

The following discharge measurements were made:

April 10, 1924: Gage height, 4.30 feet; discharge, 1,360 second-feet. July 31, 1924: Gage height, 1.45 feet; discharge, 0.5 second-foot.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Owyhee River near Owyhee, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec,	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	111 111 125 125 125	125 125 125 125 125 125	240 240 240 240 240 240		251	600 530 530 530 530 565	240 320 290 265 290	565 600 470 455 440	14 14 14 8 8	8 6 4 4	8 6 6 6 11	4 4 4 4 6
6	141 141 157 157 157	125 141 141 141 157	218 218 195		900 900 2, 150 7, 880	600 600 600 600 635	740 670 705 780 1, 240	600 670 670 565 500	8 14 14 14 14	4 0 .6 1	8 8 8 8 8	6 8 8 8
11	157 176 195 195 195	157 157 157 157 157 157			2, 940 2, 150 1, 720 1, 330 1, 330	670 670 600 600 530	1, 330 1, 330 1, 240 1, 330 1, 330	440 410 265 218 176	11 8 8 8 8	.2 .1 .2 .2 .2	8 8 4 0 0	11 14 14 14 14
16	157 157 176 125 125	157 157 157 157 157 157	157	141	1, 330 2, 150 1, 930 1, 820 1, 420	530 530 530 470 470	1, 330 1, 520 1, 420 1, 330 1, 150	157 141 125 97 84	8 6 4 8 6	.2 .2 .2 .0	0 4 6 6 6	14 14 18 22 34
21 22 23 24 25	125 125 111 111 97	157 157 157 157 157 157			1, 150 1, 060 980 980 980	410 410 410 350 350	1,020 860 940 860 900	61 50 50 50 34	4 8 8 8	14 8 .2 .2 .2	6 6 6 8	34 34 34 34 34
26	97 97 97 97 111 111	157 176 195 218 240			900 820 740 670	350 290 290 290 290 290 265	860 820 780 740 635	34 34 34 28 28 22	6 4 14 6 8	14 8 8 8 4 8	11 11 8 4 4 4	34 50 50 50 50

Monthly discharge of Owyhee River near Owyhee, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	7, 880 670 1, 520 670 14 14	97 125 265 240 22 4 0 0	135 156 176 141 1, 370 487 909 260 9. 03 3. 67 6. 35 21. 1	8, 300 9, 280 10, 800 8, 670 78, 800 29, 900 54, 100 16, 000 226 339 1, 300
The year	7, 880	0	302	218, 000

#### SOUTH FORK OF OWYHEE RIVER NEAR DEEP CREEK, NEV.

LOCATION.—In NW. ¼ sec. 29, T. 42 N., R. 50 E., at lower end of canyon connecting Spanish Valley and I. L. Valley, 3½ miles above I. L. ranch buildings and 15 miles southwest of Deep Creek, Elko County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not determined.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 10, 1921, to November 30, 1923, and April 25 to September 30, 1924, when station was discontinued.

Gage.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on right bank; installed November 16, 1921; read by Juan Acordagoitia.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading or from cable.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed of gravel and sand; shifting. Channel crooked. Right bank high and clean at gage; banks covered with willows a short distance below.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Extreme stages not recorded for 1924.

1921-1924: Maximum discharge determined from high-water marks, 1,150 second-feet May 19, 1921.

ICE.—River freezes during winter.

Diversions.—A considerable area of wild-hay meadows is irrigated in Spanish Valley about 20 miles upstream.

REGULATION.-None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent during year. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory for periods when daily discharge is shown. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage-height determined from recorder graph. Discharge for days of missing gage-height estimated from comparison with flow of Jack Creek. Records where daily discharge is shown are good. Estimated periods are fair.

Discharge measurements of South Fork of Owyhee River near Deep Creek, Nev. during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 2 Mar. 29	Feet 4. 37 4. 90	Secft. 22. 6 60. 8		Feet 5. 24 4. 16	Secft. 92. 9 12. 8	Sept. 18	Feet 4. 03	Secft. 9. 4

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of South Fork of Owyhee River near Deep Creek, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	26 24 24 32 39	22 21 21 20 20		83 77 77 66 59	32	8 8 9 13 15	13 13 13 14 13	9 9 9
6	30 32 29 26 26	19 19 19 20		58 53 50 <b>4</b> 7 44	25	21 20 18 16 18	12 12 12 12 12	9
11 12 13 14 15	27 26 25 25 27	25 28		42 42 41 42 41	14 13	18 18 18 17 15	12 11 11 11 11	9 9 9 9
16	27 26 26 26 26 26	28 27 29		42 47 52 50 49	13 13 14 34 33	14	10 10 10 11 12	9 9 10
21	26 29 29 27 27	25	100	47 48 44 40 38	23 17 14 12 11	14	12 12 11 11 10	10
26	26 25 24 24 23 23		107 100 97 89 85	37 36 36 35 34 34	11 10 10 9 8	13 14	10 10 9 9 9	

Monthly discharge of South Fork of Owyhee River near Deep Creek, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Manda	Discha	arge in second	1-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
OctoberNovember	39	23	26. 8 23. 9	1, 650 1, 420
April 25-30	83 34	85 34 8 8	96. 3 48. 1 19. 7 14. 7	1, 150 2, 960 1, 170 904
August	14	9	11. 2 9. 4	- 689 559

## JACK CREEK NEAR TUSCARÓRA, NEV.

Location.—In sec. 35, T. 42 N., R. 52 E., at R. M. Woodward ranch on Elko-Mountain City stage road, 8 miles above confluence with South Fork of Owyhee River and 12 miles northeast of Tuscarora, Elko County.

Drainage area.—31 square miles (measured on United States Forest Service map).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 15, 1913, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Vertical staff on right bank 500 feet below Woodward's house; read by R. M. Woodward.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of coarse gravel and small boulders; shifting. Banks low and fringed with willows; subject to overflow at extremely high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge recorded during year, 121 second-feet April 13; minimum discharge, 1 second-foot on several days during July, August, and September.

1913-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 3.6 feet at 6 p. m. May 14, 1917 (discharge, 465 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.18 foot September 2 and 3, 1918 (discharge, 0.6 second-foot).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Small ditches on Woodward ranch practically only diversions above station. Have little effect on flow except during August and September.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent during year. Staff gage read three or four times a week. Daily discharge determined by applying to rating table daily gage height except during ice-affected periods when mean discharge was estimated from observer's notes and study of climatic records. Discharge for days when gage was not read obtained by interpolation. Records fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by R. M. Woodward.

Discharge measurements of Jack Creek near Tuscarora, Nev., during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 3 Mar. 26	Feet 0. 37	Secft. 4. 6 9. 5		Feet 1, 30 . 64	Secft. 66. 9 14. 4	Sept. 19	Feet 0. 20	Secft. 1. 4

<sup>·</sup> Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Jack Creek near Tuscarora, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	5 5 5 5	8 8 8 7 7					14 14 14 17 22	87 103 98 92 86	26 25 24 24 22	5 5 4 4	1 1 2 1 2	1 1 1 1
6	6 6 7 7	7 7 7 7 7					37 52 67 73 46	79 76 72 79 79	22 22 22 22 22 20	4 4 3 3 3	1 2 1 2 1	1 1 1 1 1
11	7 8 8 8	7 7 7 7 7			8	10	92 56 121 114 92	78 77 79 80 82	18 16 14 14 14	3 3 3 3	2 1 2 1 2	1 1 1 1 1
16	8 8 8 8	7 7 7 7	5	5			74 56 62 67 72	80 78 77 73 69	14 13 13 13 10	3 3 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1	1 1 1 1 1
21	8 8 8 8	7 7 7 7					89 106 88 69 66	64 60 57 54 48	8 8 7 7	2 2 2 2 2 2	1 1 1 1	1 2 1 2 1
26	8 8 8 8 8	7 7 7 7 7				10 14 14 14 14 14	63 66 69 73 77	44 41 36 32 30 28	7 6 5 5 5	2 2 2 2 1 2	1 1 1 1 1	2 1 2 1 2

Monthly discharge of Jack Creek near Tuscarora, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	arge in second	-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October	. 8	5	7. 2	44	
November	8	7	7. 1	42	
December			a 5	30	
January			a 5	30 46	
February			a 8	46	
March			10.6	65	
April	121	14	64. 3	3, 83	
May	103	28	68. 3	4.20	
June		5	14. 5	86	
July		1 1	2.8	17	
August	2	l i!	1. 2	1 7	
September		1 1	1. 2	7	
The year	121	1	16. 3	11,80	

Estimated.

## OWYHEE CANAL NEAR OWYHEE, OREG.

LOCATION.—In NE. 1/4 sec. 12, T. 21 S., R. 45 E., 1 mile below head of canal, 6 miles southwest of Owyhee, Malheur County, and 15 miles southwest of Nyssa.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—October 5, 1911, to September 30, 1916; and irrigation seasons 1904, 1905, and 1920 to 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff at right end of footbridge; read by ditch rider for Owyhee Canal Co.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from footbridge at gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed clean and smooth. Control not well defined but fairly permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 3.5 feet April 6 (discharge, 244 second-feet); canal dry at times during each winter.

1904-1905; 1911-1916; 1920-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.3 feet May 17, 1921, and May 10-11, 1922 (discharge, 333 second-feet); canal dry at various times each year.

ICE.—No record during winter.

Diversions.—Station above all diversions from canal; surplus water is returned to Owyhee River throught two wasteways between this station and station on Owyhee River near Owyhee.

REGULATION.—Abrupt changes of stage due to manipulation of head gates not to be expected, as water is kept at nearly constant stage.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent; affected by varying number of flashboards placed on check 1 mile below gage June 12 to October 31. Rating curve well defined. Correction applied for backwater affect somewhat uncertain. Gage read to tenths once a day except September 1-15 and October 13-31; gage readings unsatisfactory and not used June 12 to August 31. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table directly or indirectly; discharge estimated June 12-26, 28-30, July 1-31, August 1-19, 28-31, September 1-15, and October 13-31. Records good March 30 to June 11, fair June 12-30 and for July, and poor for remainder of period.

COOPERATION.—Record furnished by I. E. Oakes, manager of Owyhee Canal Co.

Owyhee Canal diverts water from Owyhee River in sec. 18, T. 21 S., R. 46 E. In 1920 it supplied water for irrigating 13,397 acres of land near Owyhee, Nyssa, and Ontario.

The following discharge measurements were made:

April 10, 1924: Gage height, 3.32 feet; discharge, 224 second-feet. June 27, 1924: Gage height, 2.42 feet; discharge, 124 second-feet. July 31, 1924: Gage height, 2.12 feet; discharge, 89 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Owyhee Canal near Owyhee, Oreg., for the period March 30 to October 31, 1924

Day	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.
1		233	222	192		`	1	104
1			000				1 1	102
2		233	233	192		ſ	1 1	
3		233	233	192		i		99
4		222	222	182		1	1 1	99 99
5		222	233	182		1		99
6		244	126	192		1		100
		233	ő	192		i	1 1	101
7		222	62	192		1	80	104
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9		233	62	192		l .	li l	
10		222	62	192		85		100
11		222	62	182		į		99 93
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			117	ll .		1	ii 1	
14		222		11		1		1
15		222	153			1	)	]
16		222	153				77	1
17		233	153	II .		1	77	1
18		233	162	11	1	1	77	i
19		222	162	!!	i	1	75	i
			162	150		85	76	1
20		222	102			00	10	l
21		233	192			85	77	93
22		233	192	[]		87	81	1 00
23		222	192	11		89	85	1
24		222	192	\ <b>{</b>		91	85	.1
25		222	192	II.		87	85	1
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26		222	192	ll .	[	83	88 91	1
27		233	192	124		83	91	1
28		233	202	121		1	91	1
29		222	202	118		1	91	1
						80	98	1 '
30	233	222	212	115	1	1	80	1
31	233	i l	212	l	89	1	I	j.

Monthly discharge of Owyhee Canal near Owyhee, Oreg., for the period March 30 to October 31, 1924

Month	Discha	arge in second	1-feet	Run-off in
22.000	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
March 30-31 April. May. June	244 233 192	233 222 0 115	233 228 161 160	924 13, 600 9, 900 9, 520
July August September			* 100 84. 7 81. 8	6, 150 5, 210 4, 870
October			95. 7	5, 880 56, 100

<sup>·</sup> Estimated.

#### BOISE RIVER NEAR TWIN SPRINGS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—About sec. 23, T. 4 N., R. 6 E. (unsurveyed), a quarter of a mile above Birch Creek, 1½ miles above flow line of Arrowrock Reservoir, 4 miles below Twin Springs, Boise County, and 18 miles above Arrowrock.

Drainage area.—830 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 21, 1911, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank installed April 4, 1915; inspected by John Pfoser.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 50 feet above gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel and boulders. Control practically permanent, except under unusually severe ice or flood conditions. Banks not overflowed.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 4.51 feet at 4 a. m. May 17 (discharge, 3,000 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.73 feet at 8 p. m. September 7 (discharge, 212 second-feet).

1911-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 7.82 feet at 3 a. m. May 15, 1917 (discharge, 9,430 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.73 feet at 10.30 p. m. November 13, 1916 (discharge, about 142 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—No important diversions above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly during winter; affected by ice December 12 to February 2. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for short periods. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph except as indicated in footnote to daily-discharge table and except for periods of ice effect for which it was ascertained upon basis of observer's notes, weather records, changes in Arrowrock Reservoir, and by comparison with flow of South Fork of Boise River. Records good except those estimated which are fair.

Discharge measurements of Boise River near Twin Springs, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Feb. 14	Feet 2. 25 3. 28 3. 43 3. 41 2. 66	Secft. 442 1, 460 1, 580 1, 570 738	June 10	Feet 2. 66 2. 66 2. 05 2. 05 2. 05 4. 1. 95	Secft. 767 772 352 352 292	July 24	Feet  a 1.92 1.79 1.79 1.87 1.87	Secft. 288- 227 238- 258 263-

a Referred to outside gage.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Boise River near Twin Springs, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	337 332 337 355 380	355 355 360 355 355	355 278 365 314 328	,,,,,	} 440 394 383 388	438 444 444 432 409	394 378 409 409 404	1, 850 2, 100 2, 360 2, 420 2, 040	1, 120 1, 180 1, 230 1, 200 1, 120	404 394 394 415 388	248 248 252 248 244	222 226 226 222 222
6	365 472 447 405 395	355 350 350 350 346	400 441 390 328 270	300	394 409 705 734 532	420 432 404 399 450	450 637 963 1,090 1,130	1,730 1,590 1,570 1,730 1,970	1, 040 984 932 840 762	378 372 357 353 348	244 240 236 240 236	226 215 222 226 218

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Boise River near Twin Springs, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
11 12	390 380	337	270	]	468	409	1,070	2, 290	724	338	232 229	215 218
13	375	342 337	1		456 450	394 420	1, 160 1, 410	2, 560 2, 700	705 680	333 329	229 226	218 218
14	370	337			456	409	1,530	2, 700 2, 630	671	319	229	1
15	370	337			480	394	1, 310	2, 700	654	306	226	220
16	390	332		l	500	367	1,060	2, 700 2, 850 2, 630	637	301	226	J
17	417	319	1		486	388	963	2,850	612	301	226	222
18	385	1	1	340	468	372	860	2,630	605	297	229 232	229
19 20	380 380	ŀ			444 444	399 388	860 870	2, 420 2, 360	637 582	301 315	232	244 267
		350					5,0					-41
21	385		350	.[	468	388	1	2, 290	545	324	267	)
22	447				438	378	1	2, 160 2, 100	519	297	256	li
23 24	$\frac{459}{411}$	479			444 404	353 378	1, 200	2, 100	500 493	293 288	244 236	
25	400	521		J	432	348	J	1, 910 1, 970	480	256	229	270
26	390	405	1 1		432	348	1, 230	1,850	468	263	226	
27	385	350		Į	409	388	1, 280	1,640	462	267	226 226	
28	380	314	1		432	367	1, 370	1, 470	444	259	218	J
29	375	400	1	350	394	378	1,490	1.340	438	252	218	263
30	360	400		1		319	1,640	1, 210	420	252	218	259
31	360		1	J		343		1, 120		248	222	

Note.—Discharge estimated because of missing gage height or ice effect Nov. 18-23, Dec. 12 to Feb. 2, Apr. 21-25, Sept. 14-16, and 21-28. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Boise River near Twin Springs, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

[Drainage area, 830 square miles]

	D	ischarge in s	Run-off			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January	521	332	388 361 346 329	0. 467 . 435 . 417 . 396	0. 54 . 49 . 48 . 46	23, 900 21, 500 21, 300 20, 200
February March April	734 450 1, 640	383 319 378	459 394 1, 010	. 553 . 475 1. 22	. 60 . 55 1. 36	26, 400 24, 200 60, 100
May June July	1, 230 415	1, 120 420 248 218	2, 070 723 321 236	2. 49 . 871 . 387 . 284	2. 87 . 97 . 45 . 33	127, 000 43, 000 19, 700 14, 500
August September		218 215	239	. 288	.32	14, 200
The year	2,850	215	574	. 692	9.42	416,000

# ARROWROCK RESERVOIR AT ARROWROCK, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In E. ½ sec. 13, T. 3 N., R. 4 E., at Arrowrock, Boise County, 22 miles by road east from Boise.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—October 1, 1917, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Graduations painted on center of upstream vertical face of concrete dam, in September, 1917; read usually to tenths once daily by E. L. Ballard, superintendent of Arrowrock Dam. Gage set to read sea-level datum.

EXTREMES OF CONTENTS.—Maximum stage recorded, 3,140.5 feet May 24 (contents, 113,400 acre-feet); natural flow passing through reservoir August 19 to September 30.

1918–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 3,214.1 feet June 14, 1918 (contents, 285,800 acre-feet); natural flow passing through reservoir, September 13–17, September 20 to October 1, 1919; September 13 to October 10, 1920; September 19 to October 22, 1922; August 19 to September 30, 1924.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and table of storage capacity furnished by United States Bureau of Reclamation.

Stored water from this reservoir is used for irrigation of land in Boise Valley. The reservoir is formed by a concrete dam, gravity section, 348.5 feet high and 1,100 feet long at crest. Base of dam is 223 feet thick and thinnest point near the top is 15.5 feet thick. A 16-foot roadway is carried across on top of dam. A lip spillway at north end of dam has a carrying capacity of 40,000 second-feet. Elevation of spillway crest referred to gage datum is 3,205 feet, the capacity of the reservoir at that stage being 259,000 acre-feet. A movable crest is provided for the spillway, the top of which is at elevation 3,211 feet. The capacity of the reservoir at that stage is 276,500 acre-feet, and about 2,900 acres of land is submerged. Elevation of center line of sluice gates is 2,967 feet, the capacity of the reservoir at that stage being 131 acre-feet.

Daily contents, in acre-feet, of Arrowrock Reservoir at Arrowrock, Idaho, for the year ending Septémber 30, 1924

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Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.
12 34	12, 260	15, 140 15, 420 15, 740 16, 030 16, 450	24, 070 22, 600 21, 200 19, 670 18, 050	28, 840 29, 820 30, 680 31, 840 32, 650	53, 340 52, 900 52, 790 52, 680 52, 680	44, 700 43, 800 43, 410 43, 140 42, 690	40, 440 42, 060 43, 700 45, 600 47, 300	81, 200 81, 200 82, 550 84, 350 86, 300	102, 300 99, 580 98, 730 97, 200 94, 860	30, 960 27, 890 24, 950 22, 220 20, 370	2, 089 2, 156 2, 130 2, 109 2, 082
6 7 8 9 10	10, 780 11, 590 11, 950	16, 840 17, 140 17, 410 17, 860 18, 320	16, 660 15, 700 15, 060 13, 990 12, 720	33, 410 34, 180 35, 370 36, 810 38, 030	52, 570 52, 460 54, 000 57, 000 58, 440	41, 970 41, 250 40, 620 39, 900 39, 000	49, 050 50, 700 53, 450 57, 240 61, 430	86, 900 86, 300 85, 250 84, 350 83, 900	91, 980 89, 900 86, 750 84, 200 81, 800	18, 510 16, 880 15, 620 14, 360 13, 000	2, 082 2, 086 2, 048 2, 123 2, 102
11 12 13 14 15	10, 590 9, 794 8, 840	18, 800 19, 130 19, 520 19, 870 20, 220	11, 130 9, 887 10, 400 11, 100 12, 260	39, 450 40, 800 41, 700 42, 600 43, 500	58, 440 57, 840 57, 120 56, 280 55, 320	38, 350 37, 870 37, 140 36, 490 35, 770	65, 720 69, 750 73, 560 78, 320 82, 700	84, 800 86, 300 89, 100 92, 300 95, 500	79, 160 76, 780 74, 260 72, 220 70, 140	11, 660 *11, 590 11, 590 11, 560 11, 490	2, 093 2, 123 2, 128 2, 092 2, 105
16 17 18 19 20	8, 030 7, 890 7, 890 7, 890 7, 806	20, 990 21, 730 22, 490 22, 990 23, 610	13, 430 14, 520 15, 500 16, 540 17, 680	44, 800 46, 100 47, 300 47, 900 48, 400	54, 600 54, 000 53, 450 52, 790 51, 910	34, 970 34, 180 33, 410 32, 650 31, 910	88, 460 89, 100	98, 900 102, 300 105, 700 108, 100 110, 100	68, 190 66, 370 64, 420 62, 210 60, 000	11, 390 11, 330 11, 310 11, 330 11, 000	2, 112 1, 868 915
21	7, 806 9, 360	24, 180 25, 010 25, 880 26, 640 27, 560	18, 840 19, 670 20, 170 20, 580 21, 520	48, 830 49, 270 49, 710 50, 370 50, 920	51, 030 50, 150 49, 600 48, 500 47, 900	31, 330 30, 680 30, 030 29, 470 29, 400	88, 460 88, 460 88, 620	111, 300 112, 300 113, 000 113, 400 113, 000	57, 600 55, 200 52, 680 50, 150 47, 500	10, 080 9, 298 8, 547 7, 583 6, 200	
26	12, 960 13, 500 14, 060	27, 820 27, 560 26, 770 25, 750 24, 890	22, 600 23, 490 24, 300 25, 130 26, 640 27, 760	51, 690 52, 350 53, 230 53, 560 53, 670 53, 780	47, 400 47, 000 46, 200 45, 500	31, 040 32, 580 34, 340 35, 930 37, 540 38, 840	85, 100 83, 750 82, 550 81, 800	112, 900 112, 200 111, 100 109, 400 107, 400 105, 000	45, 000 42, 150 39, 270 36, 490 33, 800	4, 876 3, 827 3, 752 3, 162 2, 625 2, 076	

Note.-Natural flow passed through reservoir Aug. 19 to Sept, 30.

## BOISE RIVER AT DOWLING RANCH, NEAR ARROWROCK, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 15, T. 3 N., R. 4 E., at Dowling ranch, Elmore County, three-fourths mile above Moore Creek, 2 miles below Highland power dam, and 4 miles below Arrowrock.

Drainage area.—2,230 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 12, 1911, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank; installed March 19, 1915; inspected by J. N. Davis.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 50 feet below gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel and boulders. One channel at all stages. Control shifts slightly. Stage of zero flow as determined March 28, 1924, is at gage height 0.30 foot  $\pm 0.2$  foot.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum measured discharge, 3,440 second-feet, May 24; minimum estimated discharge, 10 second-feet, March 26 to April 5. 1911-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 9.27 feet noon to 4 p. m. June 12, 1921 (discharge, 16,500 second-feet); minimum estimated discharge, 10 second-feet, March 26 to April 5, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Diversions.—No important diversions above station. New York Canal of Boise project, United States Bureau of Reclamation, diverts 10 miles below and has a maximum capacity of 2,500 second-feet. Several smaller canals, total capacity of about 2,900 second-feet, divert below New York Canal.

REGULATION.—Since February 21, 1915, flow has been regulated at Arrowrock Dam, 4 miles upstream, which has storage capacity of about 280,000 acrefeet. Water is stored during winter and spring and released during irrigation season.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly February 14 to March 10. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for short period water was below intake pipe. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records excellent except for estimated periods for which they are good.

COOPERATION.—Several discharge measurements furnished by United States Bureau of Reclamation and water master for Boise River.

Discharge measurements of Boise River at Dowling ranch, near Arrowrock, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 23 Feb. 2	3. 64 3. 49 . 76 1. 95 1. 95 1. 98 4. 14	Secft.  575 980 1,440 1,340 240 284 289 2,190 2,590 3,100 3,330	May 16	Feet 4.82 4.94 4.89 4.78 4.52 4.46 4.05 4.15 4.18 3.46 2.65	Secft. 3, 120 3, 440 3, 260 3, 020 2, 830 2, 550 2, 040 2, 150 2, 190 1, 280 573	July 17	Feet 2. 60 2. 60 3. 06 2. 93 3. 18 2. 77 2. 36 2. 73 2. 34 2. 24 2. 47	Secft. 563 545 917 778 1,050 649 410 659 440 362 480

<sup>·</sup> Estimated.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Boise River at Dowling ranch, near Arrowrock, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12 23 45	1, 280 1, 280 1, 210 1, 010 838	640 659 626 588 600	1, 330 1, 320 1, 330 1, 380 1, 410	145	1, 100 1, 080 894 862 894	1, 320 1, 270 1, 270 1, 270 1, 300	10	3, 400 3, 400 3, 400 3, 320 3, 400	3, 230 2, 980 2, 230 3, 140 3, 060	2, 230 2, 160 2, 090 1, 820 1, 640	417 417 436 431 426	367 367 367 372 362
6	778 822 878 961 1,100	607 620 568 537 549	1,370 1,310 1,270 1,210 1,180	140	952 1, 030 727 778 1, 030	1, 350 1, 350 1, 350 1, 350 1, 340	73 247 254 261 265	3, 400 3, 320 3, 320 3, 400 3, 320	3, 060 2, 980 2, 820 2, 740 2, 660	1,580 1,410 1,320 1,320 1,290	422 422 398 403 403	372 372 376 385 390
11	1, 230 1, 250 1, 230 1, 100 970	555 562 568 562 440	1,080 555 350 386 368	155	1, 200 1, 370 1, 450 1, 450 1, 460	1,340 1,330 1,320 1,310 1,300	268 358 465 775 969	3, 320 3, 320 3, 320 3, 230 3, 140	2,590 2,520 2,370 2,300 2,230	869 588 594 594 588	398 394 398 394 390	380 385 380 380 376
16	902 902 918 894 870	350 354 358 363 368	301 305 273 285 285		1, 460 1, 420 1, 400 1, 410 1, 410	1, 290 1, 290 1, 280 1, 260 1, 250	1, 120 1, 220 1, 410 1, 640 2, 020	3, 140 3, 230 3, 320 3, 320 3, 320 3, 320	2, 090 2, 090 2, 160 2, 160 2, 230	568 544 522 528 923	394 600 594 417 441	380 380 385 408 441
21	870 620 600 537 507	376 381 386 440 741	333 395 415 321 321	460	1,420 1,430 1,420 1,300 1,230	1, 240 1, 230 1, 220 905 300	2, 230 2, 440 2, 660 2, 900 2, 980	3, 320 3, 400 3, 400 3, 400 3, 320	2, 230 2, 230 2, 230 2, 230 2, 230 2, 230	914 834 843 960 1,040	455 436 422 412 398	450 455 445 445 465
26	543 568 588 607 620 633	927 1, 030 1, 120 1, 220 1, 280	333 405 354 265 186 180	727 886	1, 290 1, 390 1, 380 1, 380	] 10	2, 980 3, 060 3, 060 3, 140 3, 320	3, 320 3, 320 3, 320 3, 320 3, 230 3, 230	2,300 2,300 2,230 2,230 2,160	978 588 574 628 607 511	394 380 372 367 367 372	506 500 490 485 475

Note.—Discharge estimated Dec. 31 to Jan. 29 on account of ice, based on observer's notes, weather records, and gate openings at Arrowrock Dam. Discharge estimated Mar. 25 to Apr. 6 on account of water being below intake pipe when gates in Arrowrock Dam were closed. Braced figures give mean discharge or periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Boise River at Dowling ranch, near Arrowrock, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	1, 280 1, 410 886 1, 460 1, 350 3, 320 3, 400 3, 230 2, 230	507 350 727 3,140 2,090 511 367 362	875 612 671 312 1, 230 1, 300 1, 340 3, 320 2, 470 1, 020 418 411	53, 800 36, 400 41, 300 19, 200 61, 500 79, 700 204, 000 147, 000 62, 700 25, 700 24, 500
The year	3, 400		1, 140	827, 000

#### BOISE RIVER AT NOTUS, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 34, T. 5 N., R. 4 W., at steel highway bridge a quarter of a mile south of Notus, Canyon County, and 7 miles northwest of Caldwell. Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 1, 1920, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff of Steward type bolted to center tubular steel pier on upstream side of highway bridge; read by Mrs. Ida B. Mansell.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of clean gravel and cobbles. One channel at gage during all but extremely high stages. Control formed by well-defined gravel bar; subject to change during extremely high water.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 2.80 feet October 28 (discharge, 1,110 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.30 foot August 4 (discharge, 13 second-feet).

1920-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 7.0 feet May 19 and 20, 1921 (discharge, 14,500 second-feet); minimum discharge, 10 second-feet, August 18, 1920

ICE.—Records discontinued during fall and winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Below practically all diversions for irrigation in Boise Valley.

Records during irrigation season show amount of water wasted into Snake River.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by head gates at Arrowrock Reservoir and by numerous diversions between station and reservoir.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent during year. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Boise River at Notus, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Mar. 1	Feet 2. 25 1. 70	Secft. 589 304	June 4 June 24	Feet 0. 58 . 39	Secft. 37. 0 17. 3		Feet 0. 36 . 36	Secft. 15. 6- 16. 6

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Boise River at Notus, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

				· <i>r</i>				
Day	Oct.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		584	298	97	84	15	17	15
2		520	261	86	62	17	16	15
3		490	298	84	32	16	16	16
4		490	340	68	35	14	13	16
5		490	363	73	22	14	15	16
6		490	261	95	22	14	15	16
7		462	197	122	33	16	16	15
8		435	200	144	102	16	16	15
9		462	221	102	122	14	16	14
.0		462	197	97	102	14	16	14
1		435	191	97	65	14	15	15
2		435	122	97	46	14	16	14
3		435	102	71	33	14	16	15
4		435	70	62	27	15	17	14
.5		435	73	52	27	16	17	15
.6		435	84	40	22	16	17	16
7		435	110	34	17	16	18	15
8		435	102	46	17	16	18	16
9		410	76	49	17	17	17	16
.0		410	. 73	• 45	20	18	16	16
1		410	70	46	17	18	17	16
2		410	68	39	. 17	18	18	16
3		435	73	34	18	18	18	16
4		435	70	46	18	18	16	16
5		410	106	60	18	18	16	18
8		410	110	68	18	19	16	. 18
7		435	102	68	17	20	16	18
8	1, 110	410	84	62	17	19	17	18
9-2		319	70	62	16	18	17	18
0		319	95	62	15	18	16	18
1		298		137		-18	15	
/		200		101		10	10	

Monthly discharge of Boise River at Notus, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Discharge in second-feet					
Minimum	Mean	acre-feet			
298 68 34 14 14 13	435 150 72. 4 35. 9 16. 4 16. 3 15. 9	26, 700 8, 930 4, 450 2, 140 1, 010 1, 000 946			
3					

## DIVERSIONS FROM BOISE RIVER, IDAHO

Below mouth of Moore Creek and between gaging stations at Dowling ranch and Notus, 27 principal canals and a number of small farm laterals divert water from Boise River for use in irrigation.

Daily gage-height records were obtained, frequent discharge measurements made, and records summarized under direction of A. V. Tallman, water master for Boise River.

Records are available from 1919 to 1924. Record of daily diversions subsequent to 1915 is on file in office of Idaho commissioner of reclamation.

Total amount of water, in acre-feet, diverted from Boise River by canals during irrigation season of 1924

Main canal of United States		Phyllis	60, 800
Bureau of Reclamation	235, 000	Eureka No. 1	6, 540
Penitentiary	766	Pioneer	6, 360
Ridenbaugh	86, 900	Canyon County	18, 800
Bubb	2, 800	Caldwell High Line	16, 200
Cruzen	12, 500	Farmers Cooperative	39, 200
Boise City, No. 1	8, 430	Canyon	3, 530
Settlers	31, 100	Seibenberg	2,090
Thurman mill	7, 180	Riverside No. 2	30, 500
Farmers Union (includes	·	Pioneer Dixie	7, 930
Boise Valley diversion)	41, 500	Eureka No. 2	12, 500
Little Union	3, 560	Upper Center Point	3, 170
Dry Creek	12, 100	Lower Center Point	3, 020
Ballantine	3, 000	Miscellaneous	7, 020
7 Eagle Island canals	11, 800	-	3,147
Middleton Water Co	25, 900		714,000
Middleton Mill ditch	13, 800		

Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Boise River, Idaho, during irrigation season of 1924

Month	Discha	1-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April	4, 010 4, 320 3, 960 2, 560 919 910	300 3, 870 2, 510 836 631 484	1, 820 4, 120 3, 020 1, 380 732 717	108, 000 253, 000 180, 000 84, 800 45, 000 42, 700
The period				714, 000

# SOUTH FORK OF BOISE RIVER NEAR LENOX, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 24, T. 2 N., R. 6 E., in canyon at R. S. Sandlin ranch, 1 mile above mouth of Smith Creek, 4 miles above flow line of Arrowrock Reservoir, 4 miles southwest of Lenox post office, Elmore County, 14 miles above mouth, and 18 miles above Arrowrock Dam.

Drainage area.—1,090 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 24, 1911, to September 30, 1924,

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank; installed April 11, 1915; inspected by R. S. Sandlin.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 100 feet above gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of mud and gravel. Control of coarse gravel and rock; practically permanent. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 5.19 feet at 12.30 p. m. May 13 (discharge, 2,150 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.87 feet 5 p. m. September 1 to 10 p. m. September 2 (discharge, 144 second-feet); lower flow may have occurred during periods of ice effect.

1911-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 9.53 feet at 11 a. m. May 15, 1917 (discharge, 9,200 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge occurred in 1924.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—No important diversions above or below gage.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed during ice period and again folowing high water. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for few short periods. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph; shifting-control method used May 18 to June 11. Records good except for estimated periods, for which they are fair.

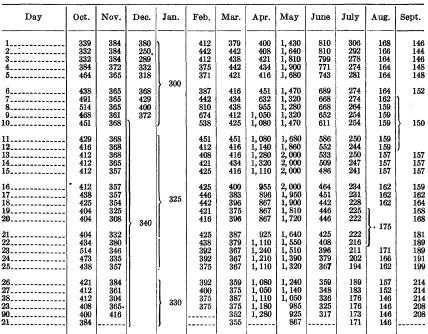
Discharge measurements of South Fork of Boise River near Lenox, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Feb. 15 May 9 June 12	Feet 2. 68 4. 34 3. 01	Secft. 417 1,380 547	July 11	Feet 2. 25 2. 25 2. 27	Secft. 245 248 228	Aug. 15 Aug. 16	Feet 1. 93 1. 95	Secft. 158 • 138

<sup>·</sup> Referred to well gage.

b Unreliable, owing to meter trouble.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of South Fork of Boise River near Lenox, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924



Note.—Discharge estimated on account of ice and missing gage heights, Dec. 9 to Jan. 31, Aug. 19-22, and Sept. 7-12, based on reservoir action, observer's notes, weather records, and comparison with flow at Twin Springs. Interpolated Nov. 11, Feb. 9, and May 17. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

# Monthly discharge of South Fork of Boise River near Lenox, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

[Drainage area, 1,090 square miles]

	ı	ischarge in s		Run-off		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January February March A pril May June June	810 451 1, 320 2, 000 810 306	332 304 371 352 400 867 317 171 146	422 361 343 318 438 400 931 1,540 527 233 161	0. 387 . 331 . 315 . 292 . 402 . 367 . 854 1. 41 . 483 . 214	0. 45 . 37 . 36 . 34 . 43 . 42 . 95 1. 63 . 54 . 25	25, 900 21, 500 21, 100 19, 600 25, 200 24, 600 55, 400 94, 700 31, 400 14, 300 9, 900
August September The year		144	169	. 155	6.08	10, 100 354, 000

## LITTLE CAMAS RESERVOIR NEAR BENNETT, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 9, T. 1 S., R. 9 E., 4 miles northeast of Bennett, Elmore County, and 30 miles northeast of Mountain Home.

Drainage area.—31.8 square miles (measured on map of Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co.).

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RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 20 to June 25, 1924, when station was temporarily discontinued.

GAGE.—Readings obtained by measuring with steel tape from reference point located on top of northeast corner of concrete outlet sturcture; read by Chas. J. McGrath. Elevations referred to datum of Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co.

EXTREMES OF STAGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period of record, 4,951.27 feet March 20; minimum stage, 4,928.85 feet May 29 (reservoir practically empty).

Water is stored in Little Camas Reservoir for irrigation use on about 5,000 acres of land near Mountain Home. (See description of Long Tom Reservoir.) The reservoir is formed by a gravity earth dam about 1,500 feet in length. The crest is 46 feet above bottom of outlet tunnel which is 8 feet above spillway crest. The bottom of tunnel outlet corresponds to an elevation of 4,926.50 feet referred to reservoir stages, which is about 4.5 feet below stage to which the present usable storage can be drawn.

Elevation of crest of spillway corresponds to 4,965.00 feet at which stage the reservoir capacity is about 22,300 acre-feet, about 1,250 acres of land being submerged.

Daily gage height, in feet, of Little Camas Reservoir near Bennett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	Day	Mar.	Apr.	May	June
1			4, 947. 08 4, 946. 78		16 17		<b>4,-</b> 950. 58	4, 940, 22	
3 4			4, 946. 51 4, 946. 28		18 19	-1-551-55	4, 950. 09	4, 939. 41	
6			4, 945. 86		20	4, 951. 27	4, 949. 71	4, 938. 08	
7 8 9			4, 945. 28		22 23 24		4, 949. 26	4, 937. 68	
10					25		4, 948. 74	4, 936. 85	4, 931. 1
11 12 13			4, 943. 56 4, 942. 58		26 27 28		4, 948. 17	4, 933. 08 4, 930. 15	
14 15			4, 941, 31		29 30		4, 947. 67	4, 928. 85	
					31	-			

NOTE.—Gates in dam reported opened on Apr. 1 for release of water through Little Camas Canal. Reservoir empty on May 31 when gates were closed. Readings on May 28-29 do not represent actual reservoir stages owing to fall in low stage outlet channel from main body of water to point under reference point where readings were made. Under present condition of outlet channel, the lowest stage to which main body of water in reservoir can actually be drawn is at an elevation of about 4,931.00 feet.

## LITTLE CAMAS CANAL AT HEADING, NEAR BENNETT, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 9, T. 1 S., R. 9 E., 400 feet below Little Camas Reservoir, 4 miles northeast of Bennett, Elmore County, and 30 miles northeast of Mountain Home.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 1 to November 28, 1917; April 16 to May 31, 1924. Gage.—Au water-stage recorder installed May 12, 1924, on right bank. From April 16 to May 11, 1924, gage heights obtained from vertical staff at same site; read by Chas. J. McGrath.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from footbridge or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of cemented sand and fine gravel. Control formed by head of McGinnis flume 1,200 feet below gage; growth of moss in earth canal section above flume may affect stage-discharge relation at times.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge recorded during period, 77 second-feet April 27-30, May 1, 3, and 9; canal reported dry prior to April 1 and after May 31.

1917-1924: Maximum discharge as shown above; no flow August 7, November 1, 1917, and greater part of 1924.

DIVERSIONS.—None.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by head gates at Little Camas Reservoir.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent during period. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Staff readings obtained irregularly prior to May 12. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table daily gage height or mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records excellent after May 11; others good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co.

Water released from Little Camas Reservoir in sec. 9, T. 1 S., R. 9 E., is carried 13 miles through Little Camas Canal into Long Tom Basin and collected in Long Tom Reservoir for release for irrigation use on about 5,000 acres of land in the vicinity of Mountain Home.

Discharge measurements of Little Camas Canal at heading, near Bennett, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 16 May 2	Feet 2, 40 2, 57	Secft. 67. 6 76. 2		Feet 2, 56 2, 52	Secft. 74. 8 73. 4		Feet 2. 55 1. 46	Secft. 72. 9 29. 0

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Camas Canal at heading, near Bennett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	May	Day	Apr.	Мау	Day	Apr.	May
1		77 76 77 76 76 76 76 76 76 77	11	68 70 72 72 72	74 74 74 74 72 68 66 64 61 58	21	73 74 76 76 76 76 77 77 77	56 53 50 40 46 50 47 27 8, 5

NOTE.—Discharge interpolated on account of lack of gage heights, Apr. 17, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, May 6 and 8. Gates in Little Camas Reservoir reported opened for diversion of water through canal on Apr. 1

Monthly discharge of Little Camas Canal at heading, near Bennett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Monen	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 16-30 May	77 77	68 1. 2	74. 2 59. 0	2, 210 3, 630
The period				5, 840

#### LITTLE CAMAS CANAL BELOW TUNNEL NO. 9, NEAR BENNETT, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 22, T. 1 S., R. 8 E., 300 feet below outlet of tunnel No. 9, 3 miles west of Bennett, Elmore County, and 22 miles northeast of Mountain Home.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 2 to June 2, 1924. From June 1 to November 29, 1917, records obtained from station above tunnel No. 9, one-half mile above present gage.

Gage.—Au water-stage recorder on left bank installed May 12, 1924, referred to vertical staff set to read actual head over Cippoletti weir located 3 feet below. Prior to May 12, 1924, actual head over weir obtained by measuring from a reference point; read by Irving Brooks.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of silt, sand, and fine gravel. Banks high and clean. Control formed by 10-foot Cippoletti weir set in concrete.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum discharge recorded during period, 66 second-feet May 8-11, 13-14; canal dry prior to April 1 and after June 2.

DIVERSIONS .-- None.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by gates at Little Camas Reservoir. During early spring canal picks up a small flow from side drainage.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Prior to May 12, daily readings over weir crest obtained by measuring from a reference point. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table daily head over weir crest or mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records excellent after May 11; others fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record prior to May 12 furnished by Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co.

Canal heads in Little Camas Reservoir in sec. 9, T. 1 S., R. 9 E., 13 miles above (distance by canal route), where water is released for irrigation use on about 5,000 acres of land near Mountain Home.

The following discharge measurements were made:

May 9, 1924: Gage height, 1.26 feet; discharge, 72.4 second-feet.

May 13, 1924: Gage height, 1.51 feet; discharge, 66.0 second-feet.

May 28, 1924: Gage height, 1.00 foot; discharge, 34.7 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Camas Canal below tunnel No. 9, near Bennett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	May	June	Day	Apr.	May	June	Day	Apr.	May	June
1 2 3	8. 8 12	63 63 64	0.7	11 12 13	50 57 58	66 65 66		21 22 23	60 62 63	54 52 51	
5	26 29	64 64		14	54 57	66 65		24	63 63	42 38	
6 7 8	31 34 38 39	64 64 66 66		16 17 18	57 58 58 61	62 60 59 57		26 27 28 29	64 64 64 64	48 44 33 13	
10	44	66		20	60	56		30	64	5. 2 2. 8	

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Unreliable because of stop watch trouble during measurement.

Monthly discharge of Little Camas Canal below tunnel No. 9, near Bennett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Nr., Al	Discha	rge in second	i-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
April 2-30	64 66 . 7	8.8 2.8 .1	50. 4 53. 2 . 40	2, 900 3, 270 1. 6	
The period				6, 170	

## MOORE CREEK NEAR ARROWROCK, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 21, T. 3 N., R. 4 E., at highway bridge on Boise-Arrowrock road, a quarter of a mile above mouth and 5 miles southwest of Arrowrock, Boise County.

Drainage area.—426 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1924 (discharge measurements only prior to December 1, 1915).

GAGE.—Vertical staff on right bank, 15 feet above highway bridge; read by Oliver Call.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of boulders, cobbles, and sand. Control shifts frequently owing to deposition of sand at low stages and scouring out at high stages. Stream usually carries much sand and silt as a result of placer operations in Boise basin. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge during year, 358 second-feet April 13, 14, and 16; minimum stage, 0.09 foot August 13-15, 17, and 18 (discharge, 7.9 second-feet).

1915-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 6.3 feet April 11, 1916 (discharge, 3,140 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge occurred in 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation ordinarily not seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—No important diversions above station.

REGULATION.—None.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation changed several times during year. Standard rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily; rough water at high stages makes it difficult to read gage with refinement. Daily discharge determined by applying gage height to rating table except for periods for which the shifting-control method was used and except as noted in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records of daily discharge subject to error; records of monthly discharge good.

Cooperation.—Several discharge measurements made by employees of United States Bureau of Reclamation and water master for Boise River.

Discharge measurements of Moore Creek near Arrowrock, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Dat	e	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 23	Feet 0.80 .95 1.34 1.06 1.02 1.69 1.48 1.63	Secft. 84.0 127 178 127 121 291 311 230 295	Apr. 28	Feet 1. 54 1. 50 1. 47 . 95 . 68 . 73 . 68 . 56 . 58	Secft. 238 254 233 99. 4 63. 2 73. 5 63. 6 44. 2 49. 9	July 9 July 15 _ July 17 _ Do _ July 28 _ Aug 18 _ Sept . 30 _		Feet 0. 28 . 22 . 20 . 20 . 16 . 10 . 14 . 34	Secft. 21. 1 13. 2 14. 9 13. 5 10. 6 8. 82 10. 4 25. 8

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Moore Creek near Arrowrock, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	46 45 45 49 77	71 74 74 76 76	98 76 83 83 87		91 125 108 108 123	179 167 174 182 167	134 136 159 185 172	296 296 296 326 296	83 78 71 69 63	25 24 22 22 22	8. 4 10 9. 6 9. 6 9. 6	8. 4 8. 4 8. 4 8. 4 8. 4
6 7	59 91 115 111 87	74 76 80 80 81	92 159 123 91 76	50	125 147 311 311 266	167 182 174 159 179	195 239 296 326 326	251 234 234 231 239	58 59 62 69 66	21 22 21 20 21	9. 0 9. 6 8. 4 8. 4 8. 4	8. 4 8. 4 9. 6 11 11
11	79 76 70 70 68	81 76 80 76	76 73 58 73 91		179 187 182 172 187	141 159 159 155 138	326 342 358 358 311	251 251 239 239 222	63 63 63 58 52	20 20 18 16 16	8. 4 8. 4 7. 9 7. 9 7. 9	11 11 12 13 14
16	73 97 78 78 74	80 80 73 73 87	83 81 74 98 92	45	172 200 200 187 185	136 136 123 136 136	358 281 245 239 234	222 206 206 185 174	47 46 45 50 48	14 14 14 14 16	8. 4 7. 9 8. 4 8. 4 9. 6	13 13 13 14 14
21	72 83 83 81 81	81 83 83 102 123	63 59 52 66 83		211 192 198 172 182	132 119 110 119 115	231 251 281 266 266	159 155 136 157 119	46 40 40 40 39	18 15 16 14 14	14 14 14 13 12	19 21 21 22 22 25
26	78 76 80 76 76 74	112 100 91 102 123	91 74 83 123 91 83	73 76 76 76 76 83	182 177 174 179	132 132 117 123 104 115	266 251 251 266 281	115 104 98 108 96 91	34 32 30 29 25	14 14 12 11 11	9. 6 9. 0 8. 4 8. 4 8. 4 8. 4	29 27 28 26 25

Note.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Jan. 1-26; discharge ascertained by means of gage heights observer's notes, and weather records. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Moore Creek near Arrowrock, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

[Drainage area, 426 square miles]

	D	ischarge in se	econd-feet		Run-off		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet	
October	115 123 159	45 71 52	75. 7 85. 0 85. 0 51. 7	0. 178 . 200 . 200 . 121	0. 21 . 22 . 23 . 14	4, 650 5, 060 5, 230 3, 180	
January February March April	182	91 104 134	180 144 261	. 423 . 338 . 613	. 46 . 39 . 68	10, 400 8, 850 15, 500	
May June July	326 83	91 25 11	201 201 52. 3 17. 1	. 472 . 123 . 040	. 54 . 14 . 05	12, 400 3, 110 1, 050	
August September	14	7. 9 8. 4	9. 46 15. 5	. 022	. 03	582 922	
The year	358	7. 9	97. 7	. 229	3, 13	70, 90	

#### WARMSPRINGS RESERVOIR NEAR RIVERSIDE, OREG.

LOCATION.—In SE. ¼ sec. 8, T. 23 S., R. 37 E., on Malheur River, 4 miles above junction with South Fork, and 4 miles above Riverside, Malheur County. RECORDS AVAILABLE.—January 24, 1920, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Tape gage with float set to read depth of water above bottom of tunnel direct; read by U. S. Yost. Elevation of bottom of tunnel 3,327.00 feet above mean sea level.

EXTREMES OF STAGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 62.70 feet April 21 (quantity stored, 123,800 acre-feet); minimum stage, tember 29 (quantity stored, 16,900 acre-feet).

Cooperation.—Daily gage readings and storage table furnished by Warmsprings Irrigation District, C. L. Batchelder, manager.

Warmsprings Reservoir stores water for Warmsprings district, which embraces 31,618 acres of irrigable land on either side of Malheur River, extending from mouth of canyon to Ontario. Capacity of reservoir at spillway level, 74.0 feet, is 170,000 acre-feet. Dam completed November 25, 1919.

Monthly stage and contents of Warmsprings Reservoir near Riverside, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height			Gage height	Con- tents	Loss or gain dur- ing month	
Sept. 30. Oct. 31. Nov. 30. Dec. 31. Jan. 31. Feb. 29. Mar. 31. Apr. 30.	Feet 50. 42 51. 09 52. 08 53. 10 54. 12 59. 70 61. 16 61. 33	Acre-feet 82, 300 84, 300 87, 200 90, 300 93, 400 111, 800 117, 600 118, 300	+2,000 +2,900 +3,100 +3,100 +18,400 +5,800 +700	May 31	Feet 54. 46 46. 83 36. 96 28. 96 22. 91	Acre-feet 94, 400 71, 500 44, 400 26, 900 16, 900	Acre-feet -23, 900 -22, 900 -27, 100 -17, 500 -10, 000 -65, 400

#### MALHEUR RIVER BELOW WARMSPRINGS RESERVOIR, NEAR RIVERSIDE, OREG.

Location.—In SW. 1/4 sec. 17, T. 23 S., R. 37 E., 1 mile below Warmsprings Dam, 3 miles above mouth of South Fork, and 4 miles northwest of Riverside, Malheur County.

Drainage area.—About 1,100 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—December 9, 1914, to July 4, 1917; March 18, 1919, to September 30, 1924. From January 3, 1906, to March 31, 1907, and December 15, 1908, to May 25, 1910, records were obtained at a site 4 miles below, at Riverside.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank installed April 28, 1920; read by U. S. Yost. DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from a highway bridge a quarter of a mile below dam or by wading.

Channel and control.—Concrete control 200 feet below gage Concrete is of poor quality and disintegrates during winter. Above a medium stage the concrete control is submerged and contraction and riffle downstream acts as control for gage.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 4.60 feet July 1-13 (discharge, 435 second-feet); seepage was estimated at 1 second-foot when gates to reservoir were closed October 30, 1923, to April 19 and

September 29 and 30, 1924.

1906-1924: Maximum discharge recorded, 5,490 second-feet March 2, 1910 (gage height on Riverside gage, 10.0 feet); minimum discharge recorded prior to construction of dam, practically no flow during August, 1910; determined by subtracting discharge of South Fork from discharge of main river below South Fork. Minimum discharge since construction of dam; somewhat less than 1 second-foot when gates are closed; stream was dry August 1 to September 16, 1919, while dam was being constructed.

Ice.—No water released from dam during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—A large area of bottom land is irrigated with flood water above station.

REGULATION.—Flow past station entirely controlled by operation of gates in Warmsprings Dam beginning November, 1919.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation above 4.2 feet changed probably due to scouring of river bed below crest of artificial control by ice during winter. Rating curves well defined. Staff gage read to hundredths once a day and time noted when change was made in gate openings at dam. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records fair

Cooperation.—Record furnished by Warmsprings Irrigation District and water master for Malheur County.

Discharge measurements of Malheur River below Warmsprings Reservoir, near Riverside, Oreg., during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 3June 5	Feet 4. 55 4. 50	Secft. 408 412	July 24 Do	Feet 4.35 4.24	Secft. 302 251	July 24	Feet 4. 44	Secft. 355

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Malheur River below Warmsprings Reservoir, near Riverside, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	118	1	370	280	435	305	174 183
2	118	1	408	290	435	305	
3	118	1	408 408	350 402	435 435	305 305	205 205
4	79	1	408			305	205 205
5	Z	1	408	380	435	909	200
6	2	1	408	380	435	305	205
7	2	1	408	380	435	305	205
8	2	1	408	380	435	305	205
9	2	ī	408	386	435	305	205
10	2	1	402	408	435	305	205
11	2	1	380	408	435	305	205
12	2	1	380	370	435	305	205
13	2	î	380	330	435	305	205
14	2	i	380	330	424	305	205
15	2	i	380	330	408	305	199
10		1	330	330	400	300	100
16	2	1	380	330	408	305	174
17	2	1	380	330	408	295	174
18	1 2	1	380	330	408	280	174
19	2	1	380	330	408	260	162
20	2	32	380	320	408	222	145
21	2	134	380	305	408	222	145
22	2	174	380	305	396	222	145
23	2	239	380	305	380	208	137
24	2	280	380	305	375	174	118
25	2	280	380	305	355	174	118
20	-	200	930	000	900	1	110
26	2	310	380	305	355	174	118
27	2 2	355	380	335	355	174	118
28	2	355	380	370	330	174	118
29	2	355	380	380	305	174	40
30	1	355	355	396	305	174	1
31	1		280		305	174	
•	1	}		1	}	}	<b>!</b>

NOTE.—Gates from reservoir closed Oct. 30 to Apr. 19 and Sept. 29 and 30; discharge estimated, 1 second-foot.

Monthly discharge of Malheur River below Warmsprings Reservoir, near Riverside, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	1 1 1 1 355 408 408 435 305	1 1 1 1 1 1 280 280 305 174	15. 6 1 1 1 1 1 1 96. 3 384 345 400 257 163	959 60 62 62 58 62 5, 730 23, 600 20, 500 24, 600 15, 800 9, 700
The year	435	1	139	101, 000

## MALHEUR RIVER NEAR HOPE, OREG.

LOCATION.—In SW. ¼ sec. 5, T. 19 S., R. 43 E., half a mile above intake of Vines Canal, half a mile above railroad bridge, 6½ miles west of Hope, Malheur County, and 15 miles west of Vale.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 30 to October 26, 1919; May 5 to September 30, 1920; fragmentary record during 1921 and 1922; October 1, 1922, to September 30, 1924. Station maintained half a mile below Vines Canal, March 22 to September 30, 1914.

Gage.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on left bank; inspected by C. L. Bachelor and H. G. Kennard.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable at gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of sand, gravel, and boulders; subject to shift at high stages. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage for year occurred when recorder was not operating in February when there was an ice jam and high water lasting for a few days; minimum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 0.83 foot at 5 a. m. April 9 (discharge, 51 second-feet).

1919-1924: Maximum discharge recorded, 3,950 second-feet February 11, 1921; minimum stage, 0.02 foot from 5-9 p. m. September 2, 1919 (discharge, 3.5 second-feet).

ICE.—Water-stage recorder not operating during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Several small canals divert water above this point.

REGULATION.—Flow controlled to a large extent by Warmsprings Dam 60 miles above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined Water-stage recorder operated satisfactorily March 7 to September 30, except May 5-18 and June 30 to July 19. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspecting recorder graph. Records good, except for periods recorder was not operating for which they were fair.

The record at this station shows the discharge above intake of canals of Warmsprings irrigation district.

The following discharge measurements were made:

March 7, 1924: Gage height, 1.28 feet; discharge, 109 second-feet. April 15, 1924: Gage height, 1.34 feet; discharge, 125 second-feet. July 30, 1924: Gage height, 1.95 feet; discharge, 302 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Malheur River near Hope, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 	115	101 100 98 84 74	380 410 440 440	332 314 314 336 370		277 273 277 281 289	172 178 178 193 204
6	113 119 113 105	70 64 53 68 83		355 355 360 355 360	375	285 289 285 285 285	208 204 200 204 193
11	106 102 96 90 98	95 96 105 115 123	450	385 380 380 341 336		289 289 285 285 281	190 184 187 184 184
16	96 98 95 98 96	121 106 90 82 76	445 440	341 346 350 360 355	370 380 390	277 277 285 285 289	184 181 166 169 175
21	100 100 98 101 110	73 73 200 265 318	415 435 435 435 420	350 332 332 332 328	390 385 370 360 350	261 261 253 249 225	169 169 169 169 163
26	106 113 110 113 108 105	323 341 365 375 390	425 415 410 405 400 385	323 318 341 350 350	323 328 332 332 323 297	200 187 187 184 181 172	163 160 160 155 155

Monthly discharge of Malheur River near Hope, Oreg., for the year ending September \*30, 1924

	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	119 390 385 390		90 80 75 75 450 106 151 433 346 364 259	5, 530 4, 760 4, 610 25, 900 6, 520 8, 980 26, 600 20, 600 22, 400 15, 900
The year				157, 000

Note.—Mean monthly discharge estimated, October to December, from records at gaging station on Malheur River near Namorf; January and February, from records of inflow into Warmsprings Reservoir and ratios between the inflow and flow at the Namorf and Hope gaging stations same as given in earlier reports.

## WILLOW CREEK NEAR MALHEUR, OREG.

LOCATION.—In sec. 6, T. 14 S., R. 41 E., at Stanfield ranch, half a mile above flow line of reservoir No. 3 of Willow River Land & Irrigation Co., and 2½ miles south of Malheur, Malheur County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—November 20, 1904, to August 14, 1906; March 19, 1910, to August 2, 1911; March 27, 1912, to September 30, 1915; March 1, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Stevens eight-day water-stage recorder on left bank; inspected by James Minougham.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from bridge 200 feet below gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed of sand and loose gravel. Just below gage is an artificial control of concrete. The crest is 2 feet above stream bed, 8 inches wide, inclined toward right where there is a low-water section 3 feet long and 6 inches wide. The cut-off walls at ends conform to slope of the banks. The control was reconstructed in November, 1922, extending cut-off wall deeper into bed and banks of stream and adding a concrete apron 6 feet long.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 2.25 feet at 5 p. m. February 8 (discharge, 116 second-feet). No flow October 1-30 and July 6 to September 30.

1904-1906; 1910-1915; 1921-1924: Maximum discharge (computed from cross section and estimated velocities) 1,400 second-feet March 20, 1910. No flow at times.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Several small diversions above station irrigating a large area of meadow land; reservoir No. 3 just below. The Eldorado ditch diverted no water into Willow Creek, 25 miles above gaging station, in 1924.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory November 6 to December 9, February 7 to March 5, and April 1 to May 22; staff gage read once every other day for remainder of year except July 10 to September 30 when there was practically no flow. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table daily gage height or mean daily gage height determined from recorder graph by inspection. Records good.

No discharge measurements made during year; rating checked by measurements during 1925.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Willow Creek near Malheur, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1924

					· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
Day	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July ,
1234	0.2	1.7 1.8 1.8 1.8 2.0	3.0	4.3 20 10 6.7 15	12 11 12 11 10	1. 5 1. 4 1. 5 1. 5 1. 3	0.8 .8 .8 .8	0.3	0. 2
6	.4 .4 .6 .7	2. 4 3. 1 2. 3 2. 2 1. 9	2. 5	30 60 72 50 30	10 10 9. 2 9. 2 9. 2	1. 2 1. 2 1. 1 1. 0 . 8	1.6 1.7 1.1 1.0 .9	.3	
11	.9 1.0 1.0 1.0	1. 6 1. 6 1. 7 1. 8 1. 9	3. 2	21 18 20 24 31	7. 0 4. 9 5. 2 5. 3 4. 6	.8 .8 .8 1.0 1.1	1. 0 . 9 1. 5 1. 0 . 9	.3	
16	.8 1.0 1.1 1.1 1.5	2. 0 2. 2 2. 4 2. 2 2. 0	3.5	35 32 26 21 18	4. 0 3. 6 3. 3 2. 9 2. 5	1. 2 1. 4 1. 3 1. 4 1. 6	.8 .6 .6 .5	.2	
21	1.6 1.7 1.9 1.8 1.7	1.7 1.9 2.0 2.2 2.4	3. 0  2. 8	20 18 17 16 15	2. 1 1. 7 1. 7 1. 7 1. 7	1. 5 1. 4 1. 2 1. 1 1. 2	.4 .4 .4 .4	.2	
26. 27. 28. 29. 30.	1.8 1.9 2.2 2.3 2.4	2. 2 2. 4 2. 6 2. 8 2. 8 2. 8	3.5	13 13 13 12	1.7 1.7 1.6 1.4 1.4	.9 .9 1.0 1.0	.3 .3 .3 .3 .3	.2	

Monthly discharge of Willow Creek near Malheur, Oreg., for the year ending Sep\_tember 30, 1924

26.41	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
November	2.4 3.1	1. 6	1. 12 2. 14	67 132
January February March	72 12	6. 7 1. 4	3. 07 23. 5 5. 33	189 1, 350 328
A pril May June	1.5	.8 .3	1. 17 . 72 . 26	70 44 15
July		0	. 03	2
The year.	72	0	3. 03	2, 200

NOTE.—No flow in months for which no record is given.

bank and on control.

## PAYETTE RIVER AT BANKS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In SE. ½ sec. 29, T. 9 N., R. 3 E., three-eighths of a mile below confluence of North and South Forks of Payette River and one-fifth mile above railroad depot at Banks, Boise County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—2,120 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 31, 1922, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff in two sections on right bank; low-water section 60 feet above high-water section; read by Luther A. Vance and H. B. Redington.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 125 feet below high-water gage. Channel at all stages. Control composed of sand, gravel, and boulders. One channel at all stages. Control composed of large boulders; well-defined and practically permanent prior to December 22, 1923. Beginning that date and continuing throughout period of blasting and excavating side hill cut for new highway along river, considerable material was spilled down left

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 9.32 feet May 17 (discharge, 8,820 second-feet); minimum discharge, 548 second-feet September 17.

1922–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 12.54 feet June 7 and 8, 1922 (discharge, 18,900 second-feet); minimum discharge, September 17, 1924. ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Several diversions for irrigation from tributaries above.

REGULATION.—During spring and summer flow past station slightly affected by regulation at outlet of Payette Lake, 58 miles above.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation changed on December 22, in January, May 22 to June 14, and June 22–29, by deposits of material wasted down left bank and onto control from blasting and excavating side hill cut for new highway. Standard rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table; shifting-control method used May 22 to June 14 and June 22–29. Records good except during estimated periods for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of Payette River at Banks, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 16	Feet 1. 35 1. 02 3. 10 3. 24 2. 65	Secft. 1, 110 932 1, 340 1, 400 1, 080	Apr. 22	Feet 5. 75 5. 59 8. 58 5. 34 4. 24	Secft. 3,410 3,140 7,640 2,710 1,760	June 18	Feet 4. 04 3, 28 2. 20 2. 07	Secft. 1, 600 1, 160 662 633

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Payette River at Banks, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	928 928 950 950 1,040	972 995 972 950 928	882 705 928 905 928	720	1, 150 1, 220 1, 160	1, 270 1, 240 1, 300 1, 220 1, 160	1, 140 1, 160 1, 320 1, 300 1, 270	4, 670 5, 060 5, 760 5, 540 5, 330	2, 600 2, 520 2, 520 2, 520 2, 520 2, 520	1,060 1,160 1,160 1,160 1,160	685 685 705 705 705	685 685 665 645 645
6	1, 170 1, 300 1, 240 1, 220 1, 240	882 950 950 972 882	995 1,300 1,060 928 792	120	1, 160 1, 240 1, 850 2, 210 1, 720	1, 220 1, 240 1, 190 1, 160 1, 270	1, 460 1, 850 2, 440 2, 600 2, 600	4,800 4,670 4,670 4,930 5,470	2, 440 2, 440 2, 360 2, 280 2, 140	1, 120 1, 060 1, 020 995 995	705 685 685 665 665	645 625 625 625 625
11	1 140	905 928 950 950 950	770 905 792 995 1,060	850	1,520 1,400 1,350 1,400 1,460	1, 190 1, 140 1, 190 1, 220 1, 090	2, 520 2, 780 3, 600 4, 060 3, 490	6,060 7,080 7,830 7,830 8,420	2,060 1,990 1,920 1,780 1,720	972 950 1,040 1,120 1,120	685 665 665 625 645	605 625 605 605 585
16	1 220	928 882 792 770 995	995 928 972 995 905	830	1,440 1,460 1,520 1,440 1,380	1,060 1,090 1,090 1,140 1,120	2, 970 2, 690 2, 600 2, 780 2, 780	8, 620 8, 820 8, 620 8, 020 7, 640	1, 720 1, 650 1, 580 1, 650 1, 580	1,060 1,020 1,020 995 1,060	645 645 625 705 838	585 548 585 605 645
21	1 060	950 905 950 1, 270 1, 650	792 650	820	1, 400 1, 320 1, 320 1, 220 1, 300	1,090 1,120 995 1,060 995	2, 970 3, 380 3, 490 3, 490 3, 270	7, 260 6, 720 6, 220 5, 760 5, 470	1, 460 1, 300 1, 380 1, 320 1, 300	1,020 950 905 838 792	748 685 625 605 585	625 625 605 605 645
26	1,020 995	1, 350 1, 040 1, 080 1, 120 1, 140	780	980	1, 270 1, 270 1, 350 1, 220	1,060 1,140 1,120 1,140 928 1,040	3, 170 3, 270 3, 490 3, 710 4, 060	5,060 4,060 3,490 3,170 2,780 2,690	1, 240 1, 190 1, 160 1, 120 995	770 748 705 725 705 705	625 625 645 685 705 705	685 645 645 625 605

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of ice, Dec. 22 to Feb. 3; interpolated Oct. 6, Nov. 28, May 4, July 4, Aug. 24 on account of missing gage heights. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Payette River at Banks, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

[Drainage area, 2, 120 square miles]

	D	ischarge in s	econd-feet		Ru	n-off
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	1,300 4,060	928 770 650 928 1, 140 2, 690 905 705 585 548	1, 080 999 877 823 1, 380 1, 140 2, 720 5, 890 1, 820 971 673 626	0.509 .471 .414 .388 .651 .538 1.28 2.78 .858 .458 .317 .295	0. 59 . 53 . 48 . 45 . 70 . 62 1. 43 3. 20 . 96 . 53 . 37 . 33	66, 400 59, 400 53, 900 50, 600 79, 400 162, 000 362, 000 108, 000 59, 700 41, 400 37, 200
The year	8, 820	548	1, 580	. 745	10. 19	1, 150, 000

#### PAYETTE RIVER NEAR HORSESHOE BEND, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 14, T. 7 N., R. 2 E., 100 feet east of tracks of Idaho Northern branch of Oregon Short Line Railroad and 1½ miles northeast of Horseshoe Bend, Boise County.

Drainage area.—2,230 square miles (revised; measured on topographic and Land Office maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—November 23, 1912, to September 30, 1916; July 27, 1919, to September 30, 1924. February 13, 1906, to November 22, 1912, at site in section 2, two miles upstream. Two small creeks enter between the two stations.

GAGE.—Barrett & Lawrence water-stage recorder on right bank 200 feet above railroad crossing, installed May 3, 1912; reinstalled in new shelter house at same site September 10, 1924; Bristol water-stage recorder used temporarily September 22 to December 10, 1923; inspected by J. W. Anthony.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 200 feet below gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of cobbles and coarse gravel with a few large rocks. Control practically permanent. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 5.46 feet from 2 to 7 p. m. May 17 (discharge, 8,740 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.77 foot August 25 and September 19 (discharge, 580 second-feet).

1906-1916; 1919-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 9.57 feet at 1 p. m. June 9, 1921 (discharge, 22,100 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.75 foot December 1, 1922 (discharge, 530 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation somewhat affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Several diversions for irrigation from tributaries above; none between this station and the one at Banks.

REGULATION.—During irrigation season, flow past station slightly affected by regulation at outlet of Payette Lake 70 miles above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly for low stages during winter. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except during winter and for short periods at other times during year. Staff gage read to hundredths several times each day August 23 to September 9, during period of construction of new shelter house; read occasionally during winter. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height. During periods water-stage recorder was operated, mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records good except for estimated periods which are fair.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Idaho Power Co.

Discharge measurements of Payette River near Horseshoe Bend, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 16	Feet 1. 39 1. 26 1. 67 1. 35 2. 86	Secft. 1, 070 850 1, 340 1, 020 3, 030	Apr. 26	Feet 2, 86 4, 88 2, 65 1, 96 1, 40	Secft. 2, 970 7, 000 2, 610 1, 680 1, 070	July 30	Feet 0. 96 . 88 . 84 . 82	Secft. 705 636 615 611

<sup>·</sup> Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Payette River near Horseshoe Bend, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	935	908	908		1 100	1, 230	1, 040	4, 120	2, 500	999	669	662
3	935 935	935 926	744 728		1, 100 1, 140	1,260 1,280	1,040	4, 520 5, 150	2,500 2,420	1,020 1,070	669 669	652 642
5	971 999	908 848	890 1,050	700	1, 270	1, 290 1, 240	1, 140	5, 800 5, 580	2, 420 2, 420	1, 080 1, 100	669 662	631 625
6	1,080 1,290	856 856	1, 190 1, 050		-,	1, 220 1, 230	1, 240 1, 530	4, 840 4, 520	2, 350 2, 350	1,080 1,050	655 655	619 607
8 9 10	1,320	839 839 830	873 762 762		2, 140 1, 810	1, 210 1, 140 1, 140	2, 070 2, 420 2, 650	4, 320 4, 420 4, 730	2,350 2,210 2,070	990 962 935	649 649 637	613 625 619
11 12	1, 100	822 856	800	)	1, 540 1, 390	1, 160 1, 100	2, 730 2, 880	5, 150 6, 020	2,000 1,940	917 890	631 631	607 595
13 14 15		864 864 864			1, 300	1, 100 1, 220 1, 100	3, 210 3, 740 3, 740	6, 710 7, 190 7, 950	1, 880 1, 720 1, 690	873 917 944	637 607 607	595 595 595
16	1, 060	848	950	830		1,060	3, 210	8, 210	1, 620	962	619	595
17 18 19	1,180 1,060 1,040	848 780 737	850		1, 400	1,050 1,050 1,060	2, 880 2, 650 2, 650	8,470 8,470 7,950	1,580 1,530 1,530	944 935 926	613 607 631	590 585 580
1920		822		)		1,080	2, 580	7, 690	1, 520	935	718	595
21 22	999 1,010 1,100	908 873 873				1,060 1,030	2, 650 2, 880	7, 190 6, 710 6, 480	1,460 1,380 1,320	935 917 890	704 687 625	607 607 595
24 25	1, 080 1, 030	1, 060 1, 420	750	800	1, 140 1, 210	<b>  </b>	3, 400	5, 910 5, 580	1, 310 1, 270	848 781	601 585	607 607
26 27	1,000 972	1, 250 1, 080,		]	1, 250 1, 260	1, 050	2, 960 3, 040	5, 260 4, 420	1, 210 1, 160	725 718	607 625	619 619
28	944 935 917	908 1,020 1,070		960	1, 280 1, 250		3, 130 3, 300 3, 650	3, 560 3, 210 2, 880	1, 120 1, 080 1, 050	711 697 683	625 649 669	619 613 595
31	908		]	J		J	ə, uəu	2, 650		669	669	

Note.—Discharge estimated Oct. 9-15, 17, Dec. 11-17, 19-31, Jan. 1-31, Feb. 1, 3-8, 14-23, Mar. 23-31, Apr. 2-4, 23-25, based largely on flow at Banks; affected somewhat by ice Dec. 11 to Feb. 1. Discharge interpolated Oct. 19, 26-27, Sept. 2-3. Result of discharge measurement used Dec. 18. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

## Monthly discharge of Payette River near Horseshoe Bend, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

## [Drainage area, 2,230 square miles]

	Dis	scharge in sec	Run-off			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	1, 420 1, 190 2, 140 1, 290 3, 740 8, 470 2, 500 1, 100 718	908 737 	1, 050 917 831 803 1, 360 1, 120 2, 600 5, 670 1, 770 907 643 610	0. 471 . 411 . 373 . 360 . 610 . 502 1. 17 2. 54 . 794 . 407 . 288 . 274	0. 54 . 46 . 43 . 42 . 66 . 58 1. 30 2. 93 . 89 . 47 . 33 . 31	64, 600 54, 600 51, 100 49, 400 78, 200 68, 900 349, 000 105, 000 55, 800 39, 500 36, 300
The year	8, 470	580	1, 520	. 682	9. 32	1, 110, 000

## PAYETTE LAKE AT LARDO, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 8, T. 18 N., R. 3 E., at outlet of lake at Lardo, Valley County. Drainage area.—131 square miles (measured on topographic and Land Office maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—Fragmentary records August 1, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on tubular pier of highway bridge, near right bank; read by J. J. Christeson and F. L. Williams. Gage datum is 4,984.17 feet above mean sea level.

DIVERSIONS.—None.

REGULATION.—Some storage is used for irrigation in the lower Payette valley. From 1919 to 1923, a small amount of regulation affected during July, August, and September, by installation and later gradual removal of temporary dam above highway bridge. In the fall of 1923, a more permanent dam was installed 250 feet below highway bridge; thereafter regulation effected by operation of flashboards in dam. No storage prior to 1919.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished in part by United States Forest Service.

Daily gage height, in feet, of Payette Lake at Lardo, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1					5. 36	5. 40	2. 88	
2,					5. 50	5.35	2.81	0.7
6				3.35	5. 55	5. 30	2.74	
<b>4</b>					5. 55		2.62	
<b>8</b>			1, 57		5.55	5. 18	2.60	
6					5. 50	5. 10	2.50	
7			l		5. 59	5.00	2.46	
8		1.48			5. 55	4.95	2.41	
9					5. 50	4.88	2.30	
0					5. 50	4.80	2. 22	
1				5, 60	5, 50	4.65	2.16	l
2					5, 55	4.50	2. 10	
3					5. 58	4.40	2.05	
4				- <del>-</del>	5. 60	4.15	1, 96	
5	<b></b>				5.60	4.00	1. 90	
8				_	5, 60	3, 90	1.84	
7	1, 60	1,52			5, 60	3, 80	1, 78	2
3				5.35	5.60	3.70	1.70	
9			1. 92	5.00	5.60	3.60	1.78	
0				4.85	5.60	3. 52	1.76	
1				4. 65	5. 60	3.45	1. 74	
2		1. 51		4. 55	5. 58	3, 40	1.70	
3	1, 54			4.40	5. 60	3, 35	1.65	
4			2.10	4. 25	5.60	3.35	1.60	
5				4. 28	5. 55		1. 54	
3			2, 16	4, 55	5, 55	3, 26	1.42	
7			2, 10	4. 75	5, 55	3, 18		
3		1.56		4. 90	5. 55	0.10	1. 22	
)				5. 05	5, 55	3, 05	1. 12	
				5. 20	5. 45		1, 02	
				5. 28		2, 96		

Note.—First flashboards placed in new dam below gage on May 3. Center flashboards in dam washed out at 3 p. m. May 12 and replaced on May 25; thereafter regulation effected by operation of flashboards.

#### NORTH FORK OF PAYETTE RIVER AT LARDO, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 8, T. 18 N., R. 3 E., a quarter of a mile below Lardo, Valley County, and outlet of Payette Lake. No tributaries enter between lake and gage.

Drainage area.—131 square miles (measured on topographic and Land Office maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—September 1, 1908, to June 30, 1917; May 24, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank, installed December 19, 1923; staff gage read prior to that date. Gage read by F. L. Williams.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable half a mile below gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed and control composed of cobbles and gravel; slightly shifting. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year from water-stage recorder, 5.90 feet from 5 to 6 a. m. May 13 (discharge, 2,490 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.23 feet December 20–23 (discharge, 7 second-feet). 1908–1917; 1919–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 7.5 feet June 5, 1909 (discharge, 4,250 second-feet); minimum discharge, 3 second-feet October 21 and 22, 1911, and November 10–26, 1919.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice, presumably because of proximity of station to Payette Lake.

DIVERSIONS.—None above station.

Regulation.—Flow during irrigation season partly regulated by changing flash-boards in dam installed in October and November, 1923, at outlet of Payette Lake. From 1919 to 1923, some regulation effected during July, August, and September, by installation and later gradual removal of temporary dam about 500 feet above present dam.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent during year. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily October 1 to December 15, except for intervening periods of missing readings as noted in footnote to table of daily discharge. Water-stage recorder operated satisfactorily during remainder of year. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table, or for days having large range in stage, by averaging discharge for intervals of the day. During period water-stage recorder was operated mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph Records excellent except for estimated periods for which they are fair.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by United States Forest Service.

Discharge measurements of North Fork of Payette River at Lardo, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 19	Feet 1, 24 2, 31 2, 92 5, 63	Secft. 7, 22 100 282 2, 200	June 1	Feet 2, 33 2, 60 2, 76 2, 50	Secft. 107 173 222 153	Sept. 2 Sept. 17	Feet 2, 56 2, 25	Secft. 169 92. 3

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of North Fork of Payette River at Lardo, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12345	67 64 64 62 62		20	33 33 34 35 35	52 58 58 60 64	70 67 66 64 45	52 52 53 55 55	639 776 435 222 398	121 213 278 367 371	232 219 197 177 177	158 166 160 166 160	177 168 155 145 140
6	62		22	35 35 35 35 35	67 72 89 89 87	35 36 36 36 37	55 57 63 70 80	525 568 639 783 1, 160	345 281 337 358 341	174 183 200 183 225	166 152 160 177 158	137 133 133 128 119
11		30	20	35 35 35 35 36	87 87 98 112 112	38 38 39 42 42	94 108 128 166 183	1, 540 1, 900 2, 440 2, 440 2, 440	316 155 169 177 177	333 470 416 367 341	140 137 147 142 135	108 98 115 102 106
16	45		} 12 7.3 7.0	40 43 44 44 44	108 104 98 92 89	42 42 42 42 42	186 191 191 191 188	2, 390 2, 390 2, 240 1, 810 1, 680	177 174 191 197 186	312 274 260 246 235	130 123 112 85 39	100 92 85 80 73
21		777	7. 0 7. 0 7. 0 8. 2 15	44 43 43 42 42	87 87 85 83 78	45 45 44 47 47	191 206 238 263 278	1, 540 1, 410 1, 280 1, 360 850	180 147 117 102 98	163 121 110 98 102	38 47 125 155 158	67 64 59 55 54
26			29 29 29 33 33 33	42 42 42 42 45 48	77 73 73 72	46 47 50 53 53 53	289 308 367 435 525	125 - 169 102 137 160 155	96 92 83 116 308	106 152 142 133 128 121	194 242 232 216 200 188	52 50 44 } 40

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights, Oct. 7 to Nov. 30, Dec. 2-7, 9-14, 16-18, and Sept. 29-30; estimated June 29 on basis of part day gage-height record. Discharge interpolated Jan. 10-11, Mar. 16, May 10, and June 15. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of North Fork of Payette River at Lardo, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

[Drainage area, 131 square miles]

	Г	Discharge in s	second-feet		Run-off		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet	
October November December January February March April May June July August September	33 48 112 70 525 2, 440 371 470	7. 0 33 52 35 52 102 83 98 38	48. 6 30. 0 19. 2 39. 1 82. 7 46. 2 177 1, 120 209 213 149 97. 2	0. 371 . 229 . 147 . 298 . 631 . 353 1. 35 8. 55 1. 60 1. 63 1. 14 . 742	0. 43 . 26 . 17 . 34 . 68 . 41 1. 51 9. 86 1. 78 1. 88 1. 31	2, 990 1, 790 1, 180 2, 400 4, 760 2, 840 10, 500 68, 900 12, 400 13, 100 9, 160 5, 780	
The year	2, 440	7. 0	187	1, 43	19. 46	136, 000	

#### NORTH FORK OF PAYETTE RIVER AT VAN WYCK, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 26, T. 14 N., R. 3 E., at highway bridge half a mile north of Van Wyck, Valley County, and 2 miles northwest of Cascade. Willow Creek, a small stream, enters from south, half a mile below.

Drainage area.—586 square miles (measured on topographic and Land Office maps).

Records available.—January 1, 1912, to June 30, 1916; June 9, 1920, to November 23, 1924, when station was discontinued. Gage heights January 1 to August 7, 1912, were derived from private records from comparative gage readings; daily discharge not determined prior to June 20, 1912. Several discharge measurements made during 1919 and spring of 1920.

GAGE.—Vertical staff spiked to downstream side of second bridge pier from right end of bridge; read by W. L. Hanan.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from bridge or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of rock overlain by sand and gravel; control somewhat shifting.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during 1924, 6.30 feet May 16 (discharge, 4,180 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.56 feet October 25, 1924 (discharge, 92 second-feet).

1912-1916; 1920-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 8.6 feet May 20, 1921 (discharge, 8,700 second-feet); minimum discharge, that of October 25, 1924.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice; observations discontinued during winter.

Diversions.—Above station practically no diversions are made from main stream, but numerous diversions for irrigation are made from tributaries.

REGULATION.—During spring and summer flow partly regulated by dam at outlet of Payette Lake, 30 miles above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of North Fork of Payette River at Van Wyck, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 25	Feet 3. 19 6. 08 2. 85	Secft. 1,000 3,850 654	June 17July 1Aug. 12	Feet 2, 35 2, 24 1, 92	Secft. 366 315 200	Sept. 2 Sept. 17	Feet 1. 96 1. 76	Secft. 222 147

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of North Fork of Payette River at Van Wyck, Idaho, for the period April 24 to November 23, 1924

Day A	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
1 2 3 4 4		1, 190 1, 410 1, 650 1, 840 1, 490	624 560 624 624 758	326 305 305 285 265	192 192 192 192 192	210 213 199 192 189	124 127 130 133 136	210 246 227 246 265
6		1, 410 1, 410 1, 340 1, 410 1, 570	758 724 690 624 624	227 227 227 246 246	196 192 196 192 192	179 173 176 179 173	124 113 127 116 102	220 192 213 227 285

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of North Fork of Payette River at Van Wyck, Idaho, for the period April 24 to November 23, 1924—Continued

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
11		2, 040 2, 490 2, 970	624 592 499	227 305 394	192 196 192	170 170 160	102 102 102	
1415		3, 620 4, 040	444 444	444 394	196 192	148 151	108 105	220
16 17 18		4, 040 4, 040 4, 040	444 394 394	371 371 305	192 186 176	151 148 142	. 102 102 102 99	
19 20		3, 900 3, 620	394 394	305 305	199 192	142 148	97	444
21 22 23		3, 360 3, 230 2, 970	348 348 348	305 265 227	176 130 154	142 136 130	99 97 <b>99</b>	444 499 394
24 25	898	2,730 2,370	305 285	192		130 133	97 92	
26	898 898	1,340 1,190 1,040	227 210 202	192 192	240	130 130 130 130	102 108 154 166	
29	1, 010 1, 110	898 690 690	192 210	175	213	124	186 192	

Note.—Gage-height record July 25, 26, 29-31 discredited; no gage heights Aug. 24-30; discharge estimated. Stage-discharge relation affected by ice and discharge estimated Nov. 11-19.

Monthly discharge of North Fork of Payette River at Van Wyck, Idaho, for the period April 24 to November 23, 1924

#### [Drainage area, 586 square miles]

	Þ	ischarge in s	econd-feet		Run-off		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet	
April 24-30. May. June July August September October November 1-23.	4, 040 758 444	898 690 192 130 124 92	944 2, 260 464 268 200 158 118 265	1. 61 3. 86 . 792 . 457 . 341 . 270 . 201 . 452	0. 42 4. 45 .88 .53 .39 .30 .23 .39	13, 100 139, 000 27, 600 16, 500 12, 300 9, 400 7, 260 12, 100	
The period						237, 000	

# SOUTH FORK OF PAYETTE RIVER NEAR GARDEN VALLEY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 1, T. 8 N., R. 4 E., at Garden Valley ranger station, 300 feet above mouth of Station Creek, half a mile above mouth of Wash Creek, 1½ miles above mouth of Alder Creek, 4¾ miles above mouth of Middle Fork of Payette River, and 5 miles southeast of Garden Valley, Boise County.

Drainage area.—779 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 15, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on right bank directly to rear of ranger station; read by W. E. Lively, C. L. Davenport, and Dewitt Russell.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 30 feet above gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of rock overlain with cobbles and gravel. Control formed by well-defined riffle. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge recorded during year, 3,180 second-feet May 17 and 18; minimum measured discharge, 322 second-feet September 3.

1921-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 6.87 feet June 9, 1921 (discharge, 9,330 second-feet); minimum discharge occurred September 3, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Practically none above.

REGULATION.-None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation probably changed slightly during winter and between March 25 and middle of April. Standard rating curves well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily; record fragmentary during February, March, and early April. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table; shifting-control method used March 25 to April 8. Records good except February, March, and April, for which they are fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by United States Forest Service.

Discharge measurements of South Fork of Payette River near Garden Valley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Mar. 19	Feet 0. 70 1. 70 3. 08	Secft. 490 1, 220 2, 780	June 2 June 15 July 2	Feet 1. 94 1. 41 . 97	Secft. 1, 450 952 638	Aug. 13 Sept. 3	Feet 0. 50 . 45	Secft. 350 322

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of South Fork of Payette River near Garden Valley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	548	)	520	465	1, 730	1, 430	655	385	335
2	548	1	525	495	1,950	1,430	622	385	330
3	548	490	1	525	2, 200	1, 430	622	385	325
4	548		l I	)	2, 460	1,430	725	385	325
5	515	1	1		2, 070	1, 340	690	360	330
0	010	,	510	} 550	2,010	1,010	000		000
6	515	465		J	1,730	1,340	655	360	325
7	548	495	1	750	1,730	1, 240	622	360	325
8	548	725	495	918	1,630	1,050	622	360	325
9	548	655	1	1	1,840	1, 140	590	360	325
10	580	1	1	11	2,070	1,100	590	360	325
•••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••	000	1	500	1	2,010	2,100	000		
11	580	550	1	ii i	2, 330	1,000	525	355	330
12	564	1	11	1,200	2,740	960	525	360	330
13	548		495		2,800	960	495	355	330
14	515	525	490	[]	2,880	960	465	355	325
15	548	020	11	[]	2,000	960	465	355	325
10	948	1	40-	,	3, 030	900	400	555	340
10	*00		465		0.000	000	405	050	205
16	532		1	11	3,030	960	465	350	325
17	515	535		1	3, 180	918	465	345	330
18	515	1	410		3, 180	918	465	340	330
19	548	]	495	1,050	2, 880	918	465	345	340
20	548	)	465	1,000	2,740	835	465	438	340
21	580	525	465		2,600	835	465	385	340
	650	1 020	465	1	2,460	760	465	385	350
=======================================	685			1 940			405 438	385	360
		1	465	1, 240	2, 200	760			
24	615		438	1, 240	2, 200	760	438	350	360
25	615		410	1, 100	2, 200	760	438	350	385
	.2.	> 520					47.0		
26	615		438	1,100	2, 200	725	410	340	385
27	615		438	1, 140	1, 950	725	410	340	385
28		1	438	1, 240	1, 730	695	385	335	385
29		J	)	1,340	1,630	655	385	330	360
30			<b>410</b>	1,530	1,530	655	385	330	360
31		1,777			1, 430		385	335	l

Note.—Discharge estimated because of ice Feb. 1-5, because of missing gage heights Feb. 10-13, 15-20, 22-29, Mar. 1, 3-7, 9-12, 14-17, 29-31, Apr. 4-7, and 9-22, and on account of discredited gage height May 13, based upon comparison with computed flow at station near Banks. Discharge interpolated Oct. 12, 16, Mar. 24, 27, and Apr. 2. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of South Fork of Payette River near Garden Valley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

[Drainage area, 779 square miles]

	Ľ	ischarge in s		Run-off		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October 1-27 February March	685 725	515	564 531 471	0. 724 . 682 . 605	0. 73 . 74 . 70	30, 200 30, 500 29, 000
April May June	1, 530 3, 180 1, 430	465 1, 430 655	1, 020 2, 270 988	1. 31 2. 91 1. 27	1. 46 3. 36 1. 42	60, 700 140, 000 58, 800
AugustBeptember	725 438 385	385 330 325	510 360 342	. 655 . 462 . 439	. 76 . 53 . 49	31, 40 22, 10 20, 40

## SOUTH FORK OF PAYETTE RIVER NEAR BANKS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 28, T. 9 N., R. 3 E., 1 mile above junction with North Fork of Payette River and 1½ miles northeast of Banks, Boise County.

Drainage area.—1,200 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—August 19, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Au continuous water-stage recorder on right bank, installed September 12, 1922; inspected by J. A. McCubbin, E. F. Glennon, H. Holcomb, and H. B. Redington.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable at gage.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of rock, boulders, and sand. Banks steep, one channel at all stages. Control formed by well-defined rock and boulder riffle, 250 feet below gage; permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 4.40 feet May 17 (discharge, 4,100 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.23 foot at 6 p. m. September 6 and 7 p. m. September 17 (discharge, 362 second-feet).

1921-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 8.70 feet June 7, 1922 (discharge, 9,900 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.19 foot at 8.30 p. m. December 12, 1922 (discharge, about 330 second-feet).

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None, except a few small ranch diversions from tributaries in drainage above.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined.

Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for short periods in November, May, and August, and January 8 to February 12. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspecting recorder graph except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records excellent except during estimated periods for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of South Fork of Payette River near Banks, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 15 Dec. 20 Feb. 18 Mar. 18	Feet 0.88 .76 .99 .67	Secft. 690 578 768 577	Apr. 22. May 20. June 2. June 15.	Feet 2. 19 3. 88 2. 16 1. 47	Secft. 1,700 3,440 1,610 1,090	July 2 Sept. 3 Sept. 16	Feet 0. 93 . 30 . 28	Secft. 745 403 379

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of South Fork of Payette River near Banks, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	629 624 629 646 694	629 . 634 646 624 612	558 422 515 541 552		670	682 694 700 694 664	618 629 682 694 658	2, 410 2, 740 3, 140 3, 380 2, 920	1, 730 1, 680 1, 680 1, 680 1, 600	742 724 718 792 766	440 440 444 440 435	386 386 386 382 382
6	682 825 853 773 760	624 607 596 596 590	676 839 706 558 458	480	}1, 100	658 682 658 640 682	718 930 1, 270 1, 390 1, 470	2, 460 2, 260 2, 200 2, 360 2, 680	1, 560 1, 470 1, 470 1, 390 1, 270	736 712 682 658 629	440 435 426 426 419	378 378 382 404 394
11	748 724 700 688 688	596 596 602 596 602	490 682 694 724 748		688 700 724	664 634 658 658 629	1, 390 1, 470 1, 730 2, 060 1, 780	3, 030 3, 380 3, 740 3, 800 3, 900	1, 230 1, 230 1, 190 1, 150 1, 120	612 607 602 585 563	411 404 408 399 399	390 390 390 386 386
16	736 812 730 712 712	596 558 520 510 658	688 629 640 658 618	550	742 760 748 712 694	602 602 590 624 618	1, 470 1, 350 1, 270 1, 230 1, 190	4,000 4,100 4,000 3,700 3,380	1, 120 1, 080 1, 040 1, 120 1, 040	552 552 546 552 596	408 404 399 417 505	382 378 386 399 422
21	712 766 812 736 706	624 590 750	530 480	530	712 706 688 664 676	602 602 563 602 568	1, 310 1, 640 1, 730 1, 780 1, 680	3, 260 3, 140 2, 970 2, 740 2, 680	965 881 881 867 860	596 552 530 510 495	476 444 430 417 408	417 408 399 404 426
26	688 676 670 652 646 629	568 670 682	540	600	694 694 712 694	574 607 602 612 536 558	1, 640 1, 680 1, 820 1, 910 2, 100	2, 630 2, 360 2, 160 2, 010 1, 820 1, 770	839 825 806 786 748	485 480 466 462 453 440	399 394 390 386 386 386	444 435 426 417 412

NOTE.—Discharge estimated Nov. 23-27, Dec. 23 to Feb. 12, May 14-19, because of missing gage-height record or effect of ice, by comparison with flow past other stations in same basin and weather records-Discharge interpolated on account of missing gage-height record May 31, June 1, Aug. 10 and 11. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of South Fork of Payette River near Banks, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

[Drainage area, 1,200 square miles]

Month	Discharge in second-feet				Run-off	
	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January		624 510 422	712 629 589 532 722	0. 593 . 524 . 491 . 443 . 602	0. 68 . 58 . 57 . 51 . 65	43, 800 37, 400 36, 200 32, 700 41, 500
February March April May June July August September	700 2, 100 4, 100 1, 730 792	536 618 1,770 748 440 386 378	628 1, 380 2, 940 1, 180 593 420 398	. 523 1. 15 2. 45 . 983 . 494 . 350	. 60 1. 28 2. 82 1. 10 . 57 . 40	38, 600 82, 100 181, 000 70, 200 36, 500 25, 800 23, 700
The year	4, 100	378	894	. 745	10. 13	650, 000

#### DEADWOOD RIVER NEAR LOWMAN, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 29, T. 9 N., R. 7 E., 600 feet above bridge on Garden Valley-Lowman highway, 700 feet above confluence with South Fork of Payette River, and 2½ miles west of Lowman, Boise County.

Drainage area.—217 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—August 11, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on left bank; inspected by W. C. Taylor.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel and boulders; rough banks fairly low but not subject to overflow; gradient steep. Control fairly well defined, wide and not sensitive; practically permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 3.11 feet from 2 to 4 a. m. May 14 (discharge, 1,070 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.12 feet August 29 (discharge, 75 second-feet). Actual maximum stage and discharge probably occurred May 16 or 17 when water-stage recorder was not operating.

1921-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.53 feet at 3 a. m. May 26, 1922 (discharge, 3,080 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge recorded, August 29, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None.

REGULATION .- None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed during ice-affected period December 2 to March 29. Rating curves fairly well defined. Operation of waterstage recorder satisfactory except during winter and for few other short periods. Staff gage read to hundredths about once a week during winter. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined from inspection of recorder graph except December 2, March 30, April 6, and 13, when daily staff gage readings were used. Records good July to September; others fair.

Discharge measurements of Deadwood River near Lowman, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 15 Feb. 14 Mar. 19 Apr. 23	Feet 1. 43 4 1. 38 4 1. 40 2. 25	Secft. 144 106 119 461	June 15	Feet 1. 76 1. 70 1. 43 1. 17	Secft. 208 199 146 81, 8	Aug. 14 Sept. 4 Sept. 13	Feet 1, 16 1, 15 1, 15	Secft. 82. 4 80. 3 80. 0

Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Deadwood River near Lowman, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	134	138 131 134 140 133	120 98	100			140	738 830 920 939 770	386 368 344 322 305	137 133 130 128 126	90 90 88 88 88	78 78 80 80 82
6	150 177 163 152 150	133 133 133 131 131		100	105	115	186	662 626 655 731 802	293 301 310 290 267	124 122 118 114 110	88 88 86 85 83	80 80 83 86 85
11 12 13 14 15	142 138 138 138 140	133 131 131 128 134	130		106		205	873 949 989 1, 030 1, 050	263 271 253 232 217	106 102 101 97 93	83 82 80 80 80	85 82 82 80 80
16	129 124 140 140 140	138 144 152 144 144				119	240	] 1, 050	208 202 208 229 208	93 92 90 101 116	80 80 80 86 106	78 77 78 82 83
21	138 113 113 128 133	} 160 187		105	110	110	327 427 437 437 406	787 762 707 677 662	194 177 172 167 165	112 102 101 97 97	101 92 86 83 80	82 80 78 83 88
26	136 138 136 146 146 144	187	120			92 100	401 437 498 535 626	606 547 504 476 437 411	158 153 148 146 - 141	95 95 93 92 90 90	78 78 77 75 77 78	93 88 86 85 83

Note.—Discharge estimated Oct. 1-6, Nov. 21-24, 27-30, Dec. 1, 3-31, Feb. 1-13, 15-29, Mar. 1-18, 20-29, 31, Apr. 1-5, 7-12, 14-19, May 10, and 16-20. Results of discharge measurements used Feb. 14 and Mar. 19. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

# Monthly discharge of Deadwood River near Lowman, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

[Drainage area, 217 square miles]

	I	Discharge in s	econd-feet		Rui	n-off
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January			139 144 125 103	0. 641 . 664 . 576 . 475	0. 74 . 74 . 66 . 55	8, 550 8, 570 7, 690 6, 330
February March. April May June July August	626 386 137	411 141 90 75	108 112 285 787 237 106 84.4	. 498 . 516 1. 31 3. 63 1. 09 . 488 . 389	. 54 . 59 1. 46 4. 18 1. 22 . 56 . 45	6, 210 6, 890 17, 000 48, 400 14, 100 6, 520 5, 190
September The year	93	77	193	. 379	12, 11	4, 890 140, 000

### WEISER RIVER ABOVE CRANE CREEK, NEAR WEISER, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 10, T. 11 N., R. 4 W., at Purcell ranch, 1 mile above mouth of Crane Creek and 12 miles northeast of Weiser, Washington County.

Drainage area.—1,160 square miles (measured on Forest Service, topographic, and United States Geological Survey State maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—July 15, 1920, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank a quarter of a mile from Purcell ranch house; inspected by O. A. Purcell.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 200 feet above gage or by wading. CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of sand and gravel. Control formed by well-defined gravel and boulder riffle 200 feet below gage; changes at times. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum estimated discharge, 2,300 second-feet February 7-9 (stage-discharge relation affected by ice); minimum discharge, 10 second-feet, July 31, August 1, and 6-18.

1920-1924: Maximum stage from well-defined high-water mark, 9. 98 feet March 24, 1922 (discharge, about 11,600 second-feet); minimum discharge recorded, July 31, August 1, and 6-18, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Numerous diversions for irrigation above.

REGULATION.—None except that due to diversions.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed during winter. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for ice-affected period and July 4-30, August 8-18, and September 3-22 when water surface dropped below crest of gravel bar between main channel and gage and prevented registration of correct gage height on recorder chart. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records for ice-affected periods poor; for other estimated periods fair; others excellent.

Discharge measurements of Weiser River above Crane Creek, near Weiser, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 29	Feet 1. 54 3. 68 2. 27 2. 51	Secft. 143 1, 670 486 661	May 12 May 15 June 1 June 14	Feet 3, 20 3, 11 1, 66 1, 42	Secft. 1, 200 1, 070 186 111	June 25 July 31 Sept. 23	Feet 1. 28 . 81 . 90	Secft. 72. 6 10. 2 13. 9

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Weiser River above Crane Creek, near Weiser,
Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	76 74	145 145	187 151	)	300	730 694	267 267	953 1, 020	193 162	25 22	10 11	14 14
3 4 5	74 82 89	145 145 145	160		800	659 617 575	267 305 310	1, 100 1, 190 1, 020	146 121 99	20	12 11 11	14 14 13 13 14
6	91 103 151 193 187	142 145 145 142 142	174 190	150	2, 300	536 523 498 474 462	305 352 498 652 738	881 820 782 835 937	86 83 104 118 118		. 10 10 10 10 10	14 13 13 13 13
11	178 171 159 156 154	140 140 137 140 140			1, 100 889 842 985 1, 060	450 420 408 396 390	798 790 889 1, 100 1, 150	1, 020 1, 150 1, 150 1, 190 1, 100	118 121 116 110 94		10 10 10 10 10	13 12 12 12 12
16 17 18 19 20	154 181 184 168 162	140 140 140 137 134	175	170	1, 190 1, 420 1, 420 1, 190 1, 060	374 346 330 320 330	961 828 738 673 631	1, 060 985 865 782 722	62 51 49 60 78	15	10 10 10 11 11	12 13 13 14 14
21 22 23 24 25	159 156 154 159 156	140 145 145 151 190			1, 240 1, 580 1, 150 993 889	325 305 300 300 310	603 659 760 805 730	715 556 486 432 390	86 78 78 71 71		12 13 14 14 14	14 14 14 14 14
26	154 151 148 145 145 145	190 174 159 156 181		200	842 790 790 828	290 280 290 295 290 262	701 701 745 805 897	357 315 280 262 240 216	62 51 44 35 29	10	14 15 16 15 14 14	14 14 14 14 15

NOTE.—Discharge estimated because of ice, Dec. 3-6, 9-31, and Jan. 1 to Feb. 9, based upon observer's notes, weather records, and flow at other stations in same basin; estimated July 4-30, Aug. 8-18, and Sept. 3-22 because of inaccurate gage-height record. Braced figures give mean estimated discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Weiser River above Crane Creek, near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

26	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December	190	74 134	144 149 173	8, 850 8, 870 10, 600
January February March April May June July August September	730 1, 150 1, 190 193 25	262 267 216 29	167 1, 140 412 664 768 89. 8 15. 5 11. 7 13. 4	10, 300 65, 600 25, 300 39, 500 47, 200 5, 340 953 719 797
The year		10	309	224, 000

# WEST FORK OF WEISER RIVER NEAR FRUITVALE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NW. 1/4 sec. 9, T. 17 N., R. 1 W., at Caseman ranch, 11/4 miles northwest of Fruitvale post office, Adams County, and 11/2 miles above junction with Weiser River.

Drainage area.—65 square miles (measured on Forest Service map).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—October 5, 1910, to January 31, 1913; October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on left bank; installed June 17, 1924. Vertical staff at same site used prior to that date; read and inspected by Willard and J. A. Finn.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading or from highway bridge one-half mile below gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of sand and coarse gravel. Banks covered with brush; left bank not likely to be overflowed; right bank subject to overflow at extremely high stages. Control formed by poorly defined gravel riffle and by log embedded in stream bed below gage; affected at times by débris.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 2.28 feet May 19 (discharge, 212 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.44 foot June 5 (discharge, 2.6 second-feet).

1910-1913; 1919-1924: Maximum discharge recorded, 687 second-feet April 13 and May 18-23, 1921; minimum discharge, 0.5 second-foot, July 23-27, 1911.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice; observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Several small ditches divert above and below station.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by head gates at Lost Creek Reservoir 12 miles above. Gates in dam changed only at infrequent intervals.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly several times due to débris on control. Standard rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily prior to June 17; thereafter water-stage recorder was satisfactorily operated. For period water-stage recorder was operated, mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good except those for April and May, which are fair.

Discharge measurements of West Fork of Weiser River near Fruitvale, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 31 Feb. 24 Apr. 11 Apr. 24	Feet 0. 72 1. 12 1. 28 1. 34	Secft. 12. 6 53. 7 70. 6 75. 2	May 28 Do June 17	Feet 0. 59 . 56 1. 20	Secft. 7.37 6.85 53.0	June 28 Aug. 6 Sept. 18	Feet 1.06 .92 .70	Secft. 48. 3 34. 7 17. 0

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of West Fork of Weiser River near Fruitvale, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2			75 80 78 77 80	5, 8 5, 8 5, 0 4, 4 2, 6	• 36 36 35 35 35	34 33 33 33 33 34	20 19 19 19 19
6	9. 0 9. 0 9. 5 9. 5		75 73 71 73 84	5. 0 5. 8 5. 8 6. 6 33	37 33 33 33 33	35 34 12 7.4 7.4	18 18 18 19 19

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of West Fork of Weiser River near Fruitvale, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Day	Oct.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	10	71	104	10	33	7.4	18
2	10	89	106	9.0	33	7.0	17
3	10	106	106	7.4	32	6.6	18
4	10	131	99	5.8	18	6.6	18 17
5	10	129	91	5.0	18	8.6	16
ß. <b>.</b>	10	127	84	5.8	18	43	17
7	10	61	80	53	18	43	17
3	10	54	80	54	18	44	17-
)	10	50	212	53	34	50	18
)	10	50	198	52	35	45	18
I	10	56	20	51	35	43	18
)	10	62	1	50	36	43	17
)	10	68		50	35	43	17
	10	75		51	34	39	18
5	10	75	} 14	50	34	20	10
3	10	71		49	33	20	7.
,	ĩŏ	71	1	48	31	20	7.
}	10	69	7.4	48	29	19	5.
	10	69	7.4	46	32	18	5.
	îi ′	71	7.4	35	32	20	5.
·	12	1 11	5.8	50	32	20	٠.

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage height May 22-27 and July 29-30, based largely on flow of Lost Creek; interpolated Apr. 22-23, May 3, and June 13. Centrol cleaned of débris on June 28. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of West Fork of Weiser River near Fruitvale, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 7-31	° 12	9.0	10.0 77.8	496 3, 090
May June	212 54	5. 8 2. 6	66. 4 27. 1	4, 080 1, 610
July August September	37 50 20	18 6.6 5.0	31. 2 26. 7 15. 7	1, 920 1, 640 93

#### LOST VALLEY RESERVOIR NEAR TAMARACK, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 28, T. 19 N., R. 1 W., 6 miles southwest of Tamarack, Adams County, and 20 miles north of Council.

Drainage area.—30 square miles (furnished by Weiser Valley Land & Water Co.).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 22 to September 24, 1924, when station was discontinued.

GAGE.—Vertical staff a short distance above outlet gates near left end of dam; read by Verne Brewer and others.

EXTREMES OF STAGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period of record, 18.04 feet June 17; minimum stage, 7.56 feet September 24.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished in part by Mesa Orchards Co.

Stored water from this reservoir is used for irrigation in Weiser Valley. The reservoir is formed by a gravity earth dam, 30 feet high and 250 feet long at crest. Elevation of permanent spillway crest referred to gage datum is 16.40 feet; insertion of temporary flashboards increases elevation of spillway crest to about 20 feet on gage. Capacity of reservoir is about 6,000 acre-feet.

Daily gage height, in feet, of Lost Valley Reservoir near Tamarack, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1			16. 10			16 17		18.04	t .		8. 16 8. 13
3 4				12. 25	9, 08	18			14.44.	10.96	7.96
5				12.04	9.00	20	-	17. 59			
6 7					8.85	21	17.69		13. 93	10. 56	7.69
8 9					8.75	2324		17. 19		10.00	7. 56
0 1			15.10	11.64		25	-		13.40	9, 83	
2 2 3			14. 76	11.64		26 27 28		16.60 16.35	12 15	9.68	
4 5			14.70	11, 59	8. 26 8. 21	29		16.30		9.48	
				11.00	0.21	31			12.27		

### LOST CREEK NEAR TAMARACK, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 28, T. 19 N., R. 1 W., a quarter of a mile below dam of Lost Valley Reservoir, 6 miles southwest of Tamarack, Adams County, and 20 miles north of Council.

Drainage area.—30 square miles (furnished by Weiser Valley Land & Water Co.).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—January 1, 1910, to August 21, 1914; May 21, 1920, to September 30, 1921; May 22 to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on right bank; installed May 21, 1920; inspected by Verne Brewer and W. E. Talboy.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from footbridge near gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel, cobbles, and boulders; very rough. One channel at all stages. Control formed by well-defined rock riffle 20 feet below gage.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year from water-stage recorder, 1.85 feet from noon June 16 to midnight June 18 (discharge, 53 second-feet); gates in dam above reported closed sometime in February after which channel was practically dry until May 22.

1910-1914; 1920-1921; 1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.29 feet from 9 p. m. May 17 to 8 a. m. May 18, 1921 (discharge, 688 second-feet); practically no flow at various times gates in dam were closed.

ICE.—Records discontinued during winter.

Diversions.—None between gage and reservoir; practically entire flow diverted below during irrigation season.

REGULATION.—Flow entirely regulated by head gates at dam above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly on July 27 due to débris lodging on control, and again on August 4 when débris was removed. Standard rating curve well defined above 10 second-feet. Operation of water-stage recorder fairly satisfactory June 17 to August 29. Staff gage read to hundredths once daily September 12–19, and somewhat irregularly during remainder of year. During period water-stage recorder was operated mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good, except for estimated periods for which they are fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished in part by Mesa Orchards Co.

Discharge measurements of Lost Creek near Tamarack, Idaho, during the years ending September 30, 1922 and 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
1922 June 16 Aug. 11 Sept. 24	Feet 1. 98 1. 81 1. 77	Secft. 72. 1 59. 4 46. 4	1924 June 17 June 29 Do	Feet 1. 85 1. 80 1. 36	Secft. 54. 5 47. 7 13. 0	1924 June 29 Aug. 4 Sept. 18	Feet 1. 70 1. 66 1. 44	Secft. 36. 1 33. 3 17. 6

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Lost Creek near Tamarack, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4		6	36 36 36 36 36	34 34 34 35 37	20 20 19 19	16		28 53 53 51 51	18 18 26 36 36	45 45 45 44 43	18 18 18 18 18
6		22 16	35 34 34 33 33	37 18 5.9 5.9 5.9	19 19 19 19	21 22 23 24 25	6.2	51 50 49 49 48	36 36 36 36 36	43 43 43 30 21	18 18 9
11		4	33 33 25 18 18	5. 7 6. 2 6. 2 5. 9 14	19 19 19 18 18	26	6	48 48 47 34 36	36 36 35 35 34 34	21 21 21 21 21 21 21	4

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights, May 23-31, June 1-8, 11-15, Aug. 25, Sept. 22-23, and 25-30; because of changes in gates in dam above, June 9-10, 16, and Sept. 24; based largely on information furnished by water master and by comparison with flow of West Fork of Weiser River. Discharge interpolated June 25-26, Aug. 31, Sept. 1-3, 6, 9-11, and 20. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Lost Creek near Tamarack, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Novemb	Discha	d-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 22-31	53 36 45	18 5. 7	6. 02 26. 7 32. 3 26. 2 15. 4	119 1, 590 1, 990 1, 610 916
The period				6, 220

### MESA ORCHARDS CANAL NEAR MESA, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 14, T. 15 N., R. 1 W., 900 feet above end of flume, 1½ miles northeast of Mesa, Adams County, and 3 miles below point of diversion from Middle Fork of Weiser River.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 10 to September 22, 1924, when records were temporarily discontinued.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank. Prior to May 17, gage was attached to left side of flume at same site. Read by employees of Mesa Orchards Co.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from footbridge.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Formed by wooden flume. Stage-discharge relation affected at times by accumulation of débris on trash racks and by two large pipe lines which divert entire flow at end of flume, 900 feet below gage.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge during period, 35 second-feet, May 24, 25, 27, and 28; flume dry from 10 a. m. September 5 to 7 a. m. September 6.

REGULATION.—Regulated by operation of gates in diversion dam and by waste gates in flume above gage.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve fairly well defined. Shifting-control method used June 20-26 and August 11 to September 11. Gage read to hundredths once and sometimes twice daily. Daily discharge determined by applying daily or mean daily gage height to rating table except during periods of shifting control and except as noted in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by Mesa Orchards Co.

Canal diverts water from left bank of Middle Fork of Weiser River in sec. 9, T. 15 N., R. 1 W., 3 miles above gage. Water is used for irrigation on Mesa orchards and for domestic purposes at Mesa.

Discharge measurements of Mesa Orchards Canal near Mesa, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 17 May 29	Feet 0. 92 1. 12	Secft. 19.6 29.3	June 16 June 28	Feet 1.09 .94	Secft. 27. 6 23. 0	Aug. 3 Sept. 19	Feet 0. 53 . 42	Secft. 9. 47 6. 21

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Mesa Orchards Canal near Mesa, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5		24 23 23 23 23 24	20 18. 1 17. 7 17. 4 15. 6	10.1 9.9 9.2 8.8 11.6	8. 6 9. 0 8. 6 8. 4 3. 1	16	27 18.4 19 18.8 26	26 26 26 24 24	12.1 10.6 11.6 11.8 12.9	10. 4 9. 9 9. 7 11. 1 14. 3	8.4 8.4 9.0 6.2 6.2
6 7 8 9 10	6,8	22 21 21 25 24	15.6 14.3 15.6 14.3 13.8	11.8 11.3 10.9 10.1 9.9	5.6 6.0 8.4 8.8 9.2	21	30 32 32 35 35	22 22 23 23 27 24	11.3 10.9 10.4 9.9 10.6	11.6 11.6 10.6 10.1 9.5	6.2
11	7.9 8 13.8	24 26 26 26 26 26	12.9 12.1 11.8 11.6 11.1	9. 9 9. 9 9. 7 9. 5 9. 9	9. 2 7. 7 7. 7 8. 6 7. 7	26	34 35 35 32 32 27	25 25 24 23 21	11. 1 10. 6 9. 5 10. 4 9. 7 9. 9	9. 9 9. 7 9. 5 8. 4 8. 5 8. 6	

NOTE.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights May 12-14; on account of backwater effect from trash racks below, based on information furnished by observer, May 18, 20-24, June 11-14, and 17-19; on account of water being turned out part of day Sept. 5-7. Discharge interpolated July 13, Aug. 27, 30, Sept. 9, and 21. Braced figure gives mean discharge for period indicated.

Monthly discharge of Mesa Orchards Canal near Mesa, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

2541	Discha	Discharge in second-feet				
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Run-off in acre-feet		
May,10-31		6. 8 21	23. 7 24. 0	1, 030 1, 430		
July August September 1–22	20 14, 3	9. 5 8. 4	12. 7 10. 2 7. 60	781 627 332		
The period				4, 200		

### LITTLE WEISER RIVER NEAR INDIAN VALLEY, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 36, T. 14 N., R. 1 W., half a mile below the Richardson ranch house and 5 miles southeast of Indian Valley, Adams County.

Drainage area.—81 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 26, 1920, to February 28, 1921; March 24 to June 29, 1923; February 25 to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Au water-stage recorder on right bank installed April 23, 1924; inspected by Geological Survey engineers. Records February 25 to April 22, 1924, obtained from vertical staff at Burger ranch 1 mile below. Prior to June 30, 1923, gage was vertical staff half a mile upstream.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.-Made by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of lava rock overlain with gravel.

One channel at all stages. Banks fairly high. Control well defined.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 2.01 feet at 1 a. m. May 14 (discharge, 271 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.60 foot August 28-30 and July 4 and 5 (discharge, 3.6 second-feet).

1920, 1921, 1923, 1924: Maximum discharge estimated, 1,400 second-feet December 30, 1920; minimum stage and discharge occurred August 28-30 and July 4 and 5, 1924.

ICE.—No record.

DIVERSIONS.—Few small ranch diversions upstream. One or two small diversions between Burger ranch and station. After the high-water period the entire flow is diverted for irrigation below gage.

REGULATION.-None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent after April 22. Rating curves well defined. Gage read to hundredths twice daily at site 1 mile below February 25 to April 22. After this date operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for period of three weeks after July 14 when lack of tension in recording pencil failed to produce a trace. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph or staff gage readings. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Little Weiser River near Indian Valley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	• Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Feb. 25	Feet a 1, 92 a 2, 24 b 1, 46	Secft. 53. 8 88. 8 105	May 16	Feet 1. 78 1. 28 . 97	Secft. 197 64. 7 24. 8	June 27 Aug. 3 Sept. 19	Feet 0. 88 . 67 . 66	Secft. 18. 5 6. 45 6. 00

<sup>·</sup> Referred to and measured at Burger ranch 1 mile downstream.

Burger ranch gage read 2.24 feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Weiser River near Indian Valley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		52 52 48 48 43	35 39 48 48 48	166 184 206 203 166	48 47 44 42 39	16 15 14 14 13	7. 0 7. 0 6. 4 6. 4 6. 4	4. 0° 4. 0 4. 0° 3. 6° 3. 6°
6		48 43 43 43 43	52 68 90 90 90	148 142 154 178 200	37 40 42 40 36	12 12 12 12 12	6. 0 5. 6 5. 6 5. 2 4. 8	4. 0 4. 0 5. 2 6. 4 5. 6-
11 12 13 14 15		43 43 43 43 39	90 95 106 106 95	209 216 225 225 213	33 32 31 29 26	11 11 11	4. 4 4. 4 4. 4 4. 4	5. 6. 5. 6 5. 2 4. 8 4. 8
16		39 39 39 43 39	90 84 84 84 90	206 191 175 160 145	26 25 26 27 26		4.8 4.8 4.8 12 12	4. 8. 4. 8. 5. 6 6. 0 6. 8
21	52	39 39 39 39 39	95 106 104 104 104	131 117 106 96 89	23 23 22 20 20	9	8. 1 6. 8 6. 0 5. 6 5. 2	6. 8 6. 4 5. 6 6. 0 6. 8
26	57 52 57 52	35 39 39 39 32 35	102 109 120 125 145	78 72 68 66 60 54	19 18 17 17 16		4. 8 4. 0 3. 6 3. 6 3. 6 4. 0	7. 6 6. 8 6. 4 5. 6 5. 2

Note.—Record Feb. 25 to Apr. 22 obtained at Burger ranch 1 mile downstream. No gage-height record and discharge estimated Apr. 24, 25, July 14 to Aug. 2. Braced figure shows mean discharge for periodindicated.

Monthly discharge of Little Weiser River near Indian Valley, Idaho, for the yearending September 30, 1924

[Drainage area, 81 square miles]

	D	Ru	Run-off				
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	A cre-feet	
February 25–29.  March April May June July August September	145 225 48	52 32 35 54 16 3. 6 3. 6	54. 0 41. 5 88. 2 150 29. 7 10. 5 5. 69 5. 39	0. 667 . 512 1. 09 1. 85 . 367 . 130 . 070 . 067	0. 12 . 59 1. 22 2. 13 . 41 . 15 . 08 . 07	536 2,550 5,250 9,220 1,770 646 350 321	
The period						20, 600	

Note.—See footnote to daily-discharge table.

## LITTLE WEISER RIVER NEAR CAMBRIDGE, IDAHO

Location.—Near line between secs. 8 and 9, T. 14 N., R. 2 W., on Gladhart Lane, half a mile south of State highway, 4½ miles east of Cambridge, Washington County, 5 miles above mouth, and 7 miles below entrance of Grays Creek.

DRAINAGE AREA.—187 square miles (measured on topographic maps and United' States Geological Survey base map of Idaho).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 22, 1920, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff fastened to streamward side of right abutment of highway bridge; read by Mrs. W. J. Martin. From September 1 to November 1, 1923, during construction of new highway bridge, a temporary staff 500 feet upstream was used. All readings practically correspond to original datum.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge at gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of sand and gravel. Channel winding above and below gage. Banks subject to overflow at high stages. Control formed by well-defined gravel riffle 75 feet below gage; subject to change during high water. Stage of zero flow at gage height 0.55 foot determined June 16, 1924.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, about 7.5 feet as determined by well-defined high-water mark on gage, February 8 (discharge, about 2,400 second-feet); minimum stage, no flow after July 19. 1920–1924: Maximum discharge estimated, based on well-defined highwater mark on gage, 2,400 second-feet, February 8, 1924; no flow August 2 to September 14, September 17–25, 1920, and July 20 to September 30, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

**DIVERSIONS.**—Numerous ditch and canal diversions above, chiefly for irrigation of land in Indian Valley.

REGULATION.—None except that due to diversions.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed following high water on February 8. Rating curves well defined below 250 second-feet. Gage read to hundredths twice daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table, using shifting-control method February 9-12. Records good except for discharges above 250 second-feet and during estimated periods for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of Little Weiser River near Cambridge, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 2. Feb. 23. Apr. 10.	Feet 1. 74 2. 70 2. 35 2. 37	Secft. 13. 7 196 121 120	May 16 May 30 June 16	Feet 2. 53 1. 80 1. 26	Secft. 154 42.1 6.05	June 27 Aug. 3 Sept. 19	Feet 1.04	Secft. 1. 25 0 0

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Weiser River near Cambridge, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July
1	5. 5	14 13 14 16 17	24 12 16 21 20	24	14 599 514 329 514	112 104 97 91 79	37 36 44 53 46	159 159 213 213 171	17 12 12 12 12	1. 5 . 9 . 9 . 8
6		15 18 19 22 23	25 33 55 22 22	16	493 859 2, 400 624 329	73 73 65 63 65	49 68 108 110 120	139 120 127 147 184	9	.4 .4 .4 .4
11	20	21 18 18 18 18	18 16 21 21 21 26		243 194 198 228 244	58 53 52 53 55	104 118 159 171 125	184 184 184 198 184		.4 .3 .3

Daily	discharge,	in second	l-feet, of	f Little	Weiser	River n	ear C	lambridge,	Idaho, for
,	• ,	the year	ending .	Septem l	er 30, 1	1 <i>924</i> —C	ontin	ued	, ,

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
16		17 17 16 16 16	23 17 22 21 15	16	294 347 260 213 184	44 44 42 44 40	107 96 85 80 78	171 171 135 113 104	6. 0 5. 6 5. 6 7. 1 7. 5	0.2
21 22 23 24 25	20	18 18 18 22 32	14 19 21 24 26		588 260 213 159 147	38 38 35 42 39	91 113 122 115 107	99 82 71 63 59	7. 5 6. 0 5. 6 4. 5 3. 8	0
26		24 21 18 24 33	26 22 26 27 38	} 4	135 117 147 113	38 40 42 42 35 37	110 117 124 125 139	53 48 43 44 37 31	4.2 1.5 2.6 1.7 1.7	

Note.—Discharge estimated Oct, 1 to Nov. 1, based on readings from temporary staff 500 feet upstream during reconstruction of highway bridge at permanent gage location; estimated on account of ice Jan. 2-31 and on account of lack of gage-height record June 5-15. Discharge estimated Mar. 8, based on well-defined water mark on gage observed directly after flood subsided. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated. River reported dry July 20 to Sept. 30.

Monthly discharge of Little Weiser River near Cambridge, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discha	-feet	Run-off in	
$\mathbf{Month}$	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October			16. 7	1, 030
November December January	55	13 12	19. 1 23. 4 12. 0	1, 140 1, 440 738
February March	2,400 112	14 35	378 55. 9	21, 700 3, 440
April May June	1/1	36 31 1, 7	98. 6 125 7. 43	5, 870 7, 690 442
JulyAugust	1.5	0	0.30	18
September	2, 400	0	60.0	43, 500

## CRANE CREEK RESERVOIR NEAR MIDVALE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In SE. ¼ sec. 19, T. 12 N., R. 2 W., 12 miles southeast of Midvale, Washington County.

Drainage area.—269 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—November 25, 1923, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Sloping staff consisting of painted chisel marks on gate-control pipe at southeast end of dam above tunnel outlet; read by Jesse Bain.

EXTREMES OF STAGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 40.1 feet March 13 to morning of March 20; minimum stage, 9.4 feet November 25.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by Crane Creek Reservoir Administration Board.

Stored water from this reservoir is used for irrigation in lower Weiser Valley. The reservoir is formed by a gravity earth dam, 65 feet high and 350 feet long at the crest. Elevation of spillway crest referred to gage datum is 55 feet, at which stage the capacity of reservoir is reported to be about 60,000 acre-feet, about 3,300 acres being submerged. Elevation at bottom of outlet gates corresponds to approximately 8.0 feet on gage, at which stage the usable storage is zero.

Daily gage height, in feet, of Crane Creek Reservoir near Midvale, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5		11. 6 11. 9 12. 0 12. 1 12. 2	13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0	18. 0 22. 0 25. 3 25. 3 26. 1	39. 9 39. 92 40. 0 40. 0 40. 0	40. 0 40. 0 40. 0 40. 0 40. 0	39. 55 39. 5 39. 5 39. 4	37. 3 37. 2 37. 15 37. 05 36. 95	33. 25 32. 95 32. 7 32. 35 32. 15	26. 25 26. 05 25. 72 25. 32 25. 05	19. 65 19. 45 19. 25 19. 05 18. 85
6 7 89		12. 4 12. 6 12. 8 12. 9 13. 0	13, 0 13, 0 13, 0 13, 0 13, 0	27. 2 29. 35 35. 25 36. 45 37. 05	40. 0 40. 0 40. 0 40. 0 40. 0	40. 0 40. 0 40. 0 40. 0 40. 0	39. 4 39. 3 39. 3 39. 2 39. 2	36. 9 36. 8 36. 75 36. 65 36. 55	31. 95 31. 75 31. 55 31. 35 31. 15	24. 85 24. 65 24. 45 24. 25 24. 1	18. 65 18. 6 18. 5 18. 3 18. 2
11 12 13 14 15		13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0	13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0	37. 35 37. 5 37. 65 37. 85 38. 05	40. 0 40. 05 40. 1 40. 1 40. 1	40. 0 40. 0 40. 0 40. 0 40. 0	39. 1 39. 1 38. 9 38. 85 38. 78	36. 5 36. 4 36. 35 36. 3 36. 2	30. 75 30. 65 30. 45 30. 25	24. 0 23. 85 23. 65 23. 45 23. 15	18. 1 18. 0 17. 9 17. 8 17. 7
16		13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0	13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0	38. 25 38. 45 38. 6 38. 7 38. 8	40. 1 40. 1 40. 1 40. 1 40. 05	40. 0 40. 0 40. 0 39. 9 39. 9	38. 72 38. 65 38. 6 38. 55 38. 45	36. 15 36. 05 35. 9 35. 75 35. 6	29, 92 29, 6 29, 35 29, 15 28, 95	22, 95 22, 7 22, 45 22, 15 22, 1	17. 6 17. 5 17. 4 17. 3 17. 2
21 22 23 24 25		13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0	13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0	39. 05 39. 15 39. 3 39. 45 39. 55	40. 0 40. 0 40. 0 40. 0 40. 0	39. 9 39. 8 39. 8 39. 7 39. 7	38. 35 38. 25 38. 15 38. 05 37. 95	35. 5 35. 35 35. 15 34. 95 34. 75	28. 68 28. 42 28. 15 27. 85 27. 65	21, 95 21, 75 21, 4 21, 2 21, 1	17. 1 16. 9 16. 8 16. 7 16. 5
26	9.8 10.4 10.8 11.3	13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0	13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 13. 0 15. 0	39. 65 39. 7 39. 78 39. 82	40. 0 40. 0 40. 0 40. 0 40. 0 40. 0	39. 65 39. 6 39. 6 39. 6	37. 85 37. 75 37. 6 37. 5 37. 4 37. 3	34. 55 34. 25 34. 0 33. 75 33. 5	27. 45 27. 25 27. 05 26. 85 26. 65 26. 45	20. 95 20. 75 20. 55 20. 35 20. 15 19. 85	16. 3 16. 1 16. 0 15. 9 15. 9

## CRANE CREEK NEAR MIDVALE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In SE. ¼ sec. 19, T. 12 N., R. 2 W., 400 feet below Crane Creek Dam, and 12 miles southeast of Midvale, Washington County. No tributaries between dam and station; Last Chance Creek enters three-quarters of a mile below.

Drainage area.—269 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—October 30, 1910, to April 8, 1916; May 1 to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Au water-stage recorder on right bank; installed May 2, 1924; inspected by Jesse Bain. Prior to May 1, 1924, used staff gage at different datum, 100 feet upstream.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of lava rocks and coarse gravel; very rough. One channel at all stages. Control formed by Cippoletti weir, crest of which is 20 feet long, installed in concrete, 25 feet below gage. Average elevation of weir crest corresponds to 0.02 foot on gage.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 1.84 feet at noon June 22 (discharge, 184 second-feet); channel reported dry May 1, after 10 a. m. September 30, and at other times prior to May 1.

1910–1916; 1924: Maximum stage recorded, 8.9 feet December 3, 1910 (discharge, 4,240 second-feet); no flow reported at various times when gates in dam are closed.

Diversions.—No large diversions above gage. Flood waters are impounded in Crane Creek Reservoir and flow past gage therefore shows only the amount

of water released through the dam and does not necessarily represent the actual flow of Crane Creek.

REGULATION.—Flow completely regulated by gates at dam.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory June 15-27 and July 9 to September 30. Staff gage read to hundredths twice daily during remaining periods. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table, except for estimated periods as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Mean daily gage height for period when water-stage recorder was operated, determined by inspection of recorder graph.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished in part by Crane Creek Reservoir Administration Board.

Discharge measurements of Crane Creek near Midvale, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 30 Do June 15 June 27	Feet 0. 90 . 90 . 85 1. 66	Secft. 58. 5 60. 5 47. 1 160	June 27 Aug. 2 Do	Feet 1. 66 . 54 . 86	Secft. 155 25. 0 54. 1	Aug. 2 Sept. 19 Sept. 24	Feet 1. 17 . 38 . 37	Secft. 93.1 15.0 12.8

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Crane Creek near Midvale, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	0 11 23 23 36	57 57 57 57 57	159 159 160 160 161	82 70 90 91 91	41 39 39 39 39	16	56 57 57 57 57	55 55 55 54 69	127 125 127 125 125 122	76 77 76 44 27	16 16 16 15
6 7 8 9 10	46 46 46 56 56	57 55 53 53 58	161 162 162 138 77	91 90 64 45 48	16 5. 2 12 17 18	21 22 23 24 25	57 57 57 57 57	76 128 182 170 159	122 121 95 87 86	37 44 47 47 47	15 14 14 14 13
11	56 56 56 56	53 53 53 53 54	77 77 57 56 108	43 44 43 67 75	18 18 18 17 17	26	57 57 57 57 59 57	159 157 157 158 158	86 86 85 85 84 83	46 44 43 43 41 41	13 12 12 12 12 5

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of unreliable gage heights June 28-30 and July 1-8 and on account of missing gage height July 23; interpolated July 30-31. Gates in dam reported closed on May 1 and after 10 s. m. on Sept. 30. From Oct. 1 to Apr. 30 gates were also reported closed except on Nov. 24, when reservoir was drained, and Mar. 13 to Apr. 28, during which a small amount of water was released.

Monthly discharge of Crane Creek near Midvale, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
${f Month}$	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May	59 182	0 53	49. 5 87. 1	3, 040 5, 180
July	91 41	56 27 5	114 58. 4 18. 5	7, 010 3, 590 1, 1 <b>00</b>
The period				19, 900

### CRANE CREEK AT MOUTH, NEAR WEISER, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 14, T. 11 N., R. 4 W., just below steel highway bridge at Harris ranch, quarter of a mile above mouth, and 12 miles northeast of Weiser, Washington County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—July 14, 1920, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank; installed July 21, 1920; inspected by O. A. Purcell.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of cobbles and boulders; very rough. Concrete control installed August 21, 1920, 100 feet below gage. Above stage of about 4.0 feet stream flows in two channels. Stage of zero flow at gage height 1.25 feet  $\pm$  0.05 foot as determined May 20, 1922.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 5.27 feet at 5.30 p. m. February 7 (discharge, 1,140 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.44 feet May 24-27 (discharge, 0.6 second-foot).

1920-1924: Maximum stage recorded, determined from well-defined high-water mark, 5.95 feet March 24, 1922 (discharge, about 1,860 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.30 feet January 21, 1922 (discharge, 0.4 second-foot).

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Canal of Washington County irrigation district, which diverts about 4 miles above gage, is principal diversion. Several small ranch diversions a short distance above gage.

REGULATION.—Flow is regulated by head gates at Crane Creek Reservoir and by diversions above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation above low water changed on June 6 on account of repair work performed on artificial control. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for short periods in October, January, and June. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph. Records excellent except for estimated periods for which they are good.

Discharge measurements of Crane Creek at mouth, near Weiser, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 29 Do Feb. 22	Feet 1. 68 1. 68 1. 97	Secft. 3. 54 3. 34 14. 6	May 31 June 14 June 25	Feet 1. 60 1. 67 3. 00	Secft. 1, 90 3, 67 94, 0	June 26 July 31 Sept. 23	Feet 2. 98 2. 27 1. 66	Secft. 92.9 31.9 3.64

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Crane Creek at mouth, near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	11 10 9.8 11 9.4	4. 2 4. 5 4. 7 4. 7 152	6. 0 5. 5 5. 0 5. 0 5. 0	4.5	16 115 36 21 32	5. 8 6. 0 5. 8 5. 0 4. 5	3. 2 3. 2 3. 4 3. 8 3. 6	1.4 1.3 1.3 1.9 1.3	1, 8 1, 6 1, 8 1, 8 2, 2	93 93 92 92 92	28 23 30 34 34	3. 2 3. 1 2. 7 2. 5 2. 3
6	9. 8 22 33 28 28	393 473 167 14 9. 4	5. 0 5. 2 5. 2 4. 7 4. 0	10 7	73 393 310 48 23	4. 5 2. 9 2. 5 2. 3 2. 3	3. 4 3. 4 3. 8 3. 2	.9 .9 .9 .9	2, 2 30 28 11 4, 7	93 93 92 91 60	33 33 28 5. 0 4. 2	2. 3 1. 6 1. 4 3. 2 4. 7

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Crane Creek at mouth, near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
11	28 27 26	8. 1 6. 8 6. 5 6. 3 6. 0	4. 0 4. 0 4. 0 4. 2 4. 2	} 7 4.7	18 15 18 25 23	2.3 2.2 2.3 3.4 11	4. 2 10 3. 6 12 10	2.9 1.8 1.3 1.1	3. 2 2. 9 2. 0 3. 4 . 9	28 25 20 10 21	3. 1 2. 7 2. 5 5. 5 24	4.7 2.7 2.5 2.5 2.7
16	25	5. 8 5. 5 5. 2 5. 2 5. 2	4. 2 4. 2 4. 2 4. 2 4. 0	3 1.9	18 18 14 10 8.8	11 11 11 11 11	10 9. 1 7. 8 7. 8 7. 8	.9 .8 1.3 .9	.8 .9 1.0 4.0	70 70 71 70 68	31 30 30 31 6.8	2.9 3.2 3.1 3.2 3.4
21 22 23 24 25	24 9.4 5.2 4.7 4.7	5. 2 5. 2 5. 2 92 50	4. 0 4. 2 4. 2 4. 5 4. 7	3	9. 1 14 8. 4 7. 8 6. 8	11 5. 2 3. 4 4. 2 3. 8	6. 5 6. 3 5. 8 3. 8 5. 2	.8 1.0 .8 .6	20 38 117 114 96	68 67 59 38 37	7.8 5.8 7.8 6.3 5.8	3. 4 3. 4 3. 4 3. 4 3. 4
26	4.7 4.2 4.0 3.8 3.8 4.0	10 6. 5 6. 0 6. 5 6. 5	4. 7 4. 7 5. 0 5. 2 6. 0 5. 5	4. 2 4. 5 4. 7 5. 0 6. 0	6. 5 6. 0 5. 5 5. 8	3. 4 4. 5 4. 2 3. 4 3. 4 3. 2	4. 2 3. 8 3. 6 3. 6 3. 1	.6 .6 .7 .9 1.9 2.0	95 94 94 94 94	37 35 33 33 31 30	5. 2 4. 7 4. 5 2. 7 2. 5 3. 4	3. 4 3. 4 3. 4 4. 0 9. 1

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights, Oct. 14–20, Jan. 2-5, 7-12, 14–19, 21–20, June 6-8, and 9, based on flow from Crane Creek Reservoir and intervening diversions. Discharge based on staff readings when water-stage recorder was not operating, Jan. 6, 13, and 20. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Crane Creek at mouth, near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

	Discharge in second-feet					
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Run-off in acre-feet		
October November December January February March April May June July August September	393 11 12 3. 2 117 93	3.8 4.2 4.0 5.5 2.2 3.1 .6 .8 10 2.5 1.4	16. 1 49. 3 4. 66 4. 89 45. 0 5. 40 5. 42 1. 20 32. 0 58. 5 15. 3 3. 27	990 2, 930 287 301 2, 590 332 323 73. 1, 900 3, 600 941		
The year	473	.6	19. 9	14, 500		

## CRANE CREEK IRRIGATION DISTRICT CANAL NEAR WEISER, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 7, T. 11 N., R. 3 W., 3½ miles below diversion dam of Washington County Irrigation District,<sup>8</sup> and 12 miles northeast of Weiser, Washington County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 23, 1920, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank installed May 5, 1923; inspected by Lee Cobb, C. C. Herner, and Sylvester Holmes.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from plank across flume.

Channel and control.—Section of wooden flume and earth canal section forms control.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 2.07 feet at 1 p. m. May 26 (discharge, 52 second-feet); canal probably dry prior to March 7 and portions of April 11 and 12.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Formed by reorganization of Crane Creek and Sunnyside Irrigation Districts.

1920-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 2.83 feet (upper location) 4 to 8 a.m. July 15, 1920 (discharge, 79 second-feet); canal usually dry during nonirrigation periods.

DIVERSIONS.—None between gage and point of diversion.

REGULATION.—Flow controlled by head gates at diversion dam.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed somewhat gradually after June 8 owing to silt deposits below gage. Well-defined rating curve used March 8 to June 8; parallel curves based on frequent discharge measurements used after June 8. Operation of water stage-recorder satisfactory April 12 to August 9 and August 23 to September 6. Staff gage read to hundredths once daily at other times except prior to March 26 and after September 6 when readings were obtained rather irregularly. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table, or for days having large range in stage by averaging discharge for intervals of the day. Mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph when water-stage recorder was operated. Records good April to August; others fair.

Cooperation.—Washington County Irrigation District furnished gage-height record.

Crane Creek Irrigation District Canal diverts water from south side of Crane Creek in sec. 3, T. 11 N., R. 3 W.,  $5\frac{1}{2}$  miles below Crane Creek Reservoir where water is released and transported through canal for irrigation of lands of the Washington County Irrigation District, aggregating 10,000 acres, of which less than 1,500 acres were irrigated in 1924. The district operates about 100 miles of canal and irrigation structures under one management.

Discharge measurements of Crane Creek Irrigation District Canal near Weiser, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

								17.4
Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 22 May 12 May 15 June 2	Feet 1. 26 1. 96 2. 00 1. 98	Secft. 23. 2 47. 4 48. 9 49. 4	June 2 June 14 Do June 25	Feet 1. 98 1. 96 1. 96 1. 95	Secft. 47. 1 46. 2 47. 5 46. 3	June 25	Feet 1. 95 1. 98 1. 97 . 85	Secft. 46. 0 47. 4 46. 9 9. 70

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Crane Creek Irrigation District Canal near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	0	11 11 11 12 11	3. 0 2. 6 10 19 25	49 50 50 49 50	46 46 46 45 45	47 45 47 48 48	34 33 33 33 33
6	4.0	10 9. 5 9. 1 9. 5 9. 5	33 38 40 41 43	50 21 19 36 44	45 46 47 47 47	48 48 43 37 36	32 10 4.0 3.8 3.7
11	3. 6 15	3. 2 3. 7 10 15 17	46 48 49 49 49	47 47 47 47 47	46 47 46 47 47	36 36 36 36 36	7.0
16	8.0	18 19 20 21 22	49 50 50 51 51	48 48 48 47 47	47 47 47 47 47	37 38 39 39 17	9.8

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Crane Creek Irrigation District Canal near Weiser; Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Day	Mar.	Apr.	Ма <b>у</b>	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
212223	8.0	23 23 25	50 50 51	47 46 46	47 47 47	30 33 38	9.8
24	} 11	27 31	51 51	46 46	47 47	38 38	
26	11 11 12 11	32 33 33 26	51 51 51 51	46 47 46 46	47 47 47 47	37 37 36 34	8.02
30	11 11	5.0	50 49	46	47 47	34 34	) 

Note.—Discharge estimated for following periods: Mar. 7-13, 15-25, based on occasional staff readings and information furnished by observer; Apr. 11-12, based on recorded flow for part time; Sept. 7, 9, 11, 13-22, 24-30, based on one discharge measurement and flow from Crane Creek Reservoir. Braced figures givenean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Crane Creek Irrigation District Canal near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
f Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
March April May June July August September	33 51 50 47 48 34	0 3.2 2.6 19 45 17	6. 74 17. 0 42. 0 45. 1 46. 6 38. 3 13. 3	414- 1, 010 <sup>3</sup> 2, 580 <sup>3</sup> 2, 680 <sup>3</sup> 2, 870 <sup>3</sup> 2, 360 <sup>3</sup> 791
The period				12, 700°

## WEISER IRRIGATION DISTRICT CANAL NEAR WEISER, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 32, T. 11 N., R. 4 W., at Durbin ranch, 1½ miles below headworks of canal and 7 miles above Weiser, Washington County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 29, 1920, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder adjacent to left side of concrete rating flume; inspected by Fred Hemenway, jr., ditch walker. Zero of gage is at bottom of rating flume.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from footwalk across concrete rating flume. Channel and control.—Canal above and below gage is about 20 feet wide. Bed composed of hard clay and gravel; fairly permanent. Banks are clean and not subject to appreciable growth of moss or weeds.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 3.27 feet at midnight May 9 (discharge, 189 second-feet). Canal reported dry prior to April 8 and during nonirrigation season.

1920-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.13 feet at 2 p. m. May 23, 1920 (discharge, 206 second-feet); canal dry except during irrigation season.

Ice.-No record during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—One farm lateral about a quarter of a mile above gage.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated at Luck waste gate, one-half mile above, which in practice forms head of canal, although actual diversion from Weiser River is 1½ miles above gage. Water from waste gate returns to Weiser River through a slough which formerly was main channel of river.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Well-defined rating curveused April 10 to May 15 and curve parallel thereto June 14 to September 30. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory beginning April 15; staff gageread to hundredths once daily prior to that date. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table daily staff gage reading or mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph; shifting-control method used May 16 to June 13. Records excellent except during period of changing stage-discharge relation, May 16 to June 13 for which they are good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Weiser Irrigation District.

Weiser Irrigation District Canal diverts water from north side of Weiser River in sec. 3, T. 10 N., R. 4 W., 1½ miles above gage and furnishes water for irrigation of about 9,600 acres, included in projects of the Weiser Irrigation District and Weiser Bench Irrigation Co. near Weiser. The district maintains about 20 miles of main canal.

Discharge measurements of Weiser Irrigation District Canal near Weiser, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 29	Feet 1. 07 1. 36 1. 88 . 74	Secft. 47. 1 68. 7 101 32. 8	May 12 June 2 June 14 June 25	Feet 3. 15 2. 74 2. 26 2. 99	Secft. 179 149 111 160	June 26 Aug. 1 Sept. 23	Feet 2. 93 . 96 . 58	Secft. 156 38. 2 18. 2

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Weiser Irrigation District Canal near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	0	178 180 180 184 185	176 155 136 125 108	132 131 122 122 117	38 38 35 46 46	16 17 16 15 15	16 17 18 19 20	134 137 138 142 149	184 184 183 183 182	67 51 47 48 84	84 87 87 86 82	32 34 34 26 8.8	14 14 13 13
6	40 65 68	185 184 184 187 188	99 102 138 145 122	115 113 110 115 110	45 45 44 21 16	15 14 13 14 16	21 22 23 24 25	152 86 32 95 145	183 166 171 185 185	111 101 172 175 161	82 82 81 52 49	24 23 22 22 22 21	15 16 18 18 18
11 12 13 14 15	77 95 103 114 129	185 181 179 180 183	117 116 111 108 90	49 42 36 26 24	15 14 13 12 22	15 15 14 14 14	26	154 158 159 165 173	185 185 183 182 182 180	158 153 147 138 136	45 43 43 42 40 39	22 21 22 21 18 18	17 16 18 18 20

NOTE.—Water turned into canal morning of Apr. 8 and discharge for that date computed upon basis of flow for part day; estimated Apr. 9 on account of missing gage height.

Monthly discharge of Weiser Irrigation District Canal near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	Discharge in second-feet				
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet		
April	173 188 176 132 46 20	0 166 47 24 8.8 13	90. 3 182 120 77. 0 26. 4 15. 5	5, 370 11, 200 7, 140 4, 730 1, 620 922 31, 000		

### POWDER RIVER NEAR NORTH POWDER, OREG.

LOCATION.—In NE. ½ sec. 12, T. 6 S., R. 39 E., at entrance to short canyon below North Powder Valley, 3 miles northeast of North Powder, Union County; below all tributaries and return water from irrigation in North Powder Valley and near backwater of proposed Thief Valley Reservoir.

Drainage area.—775 square miles; at lower end of Thief Valley, 826 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 20, 1913, to September 30, 1915; March 10 to July 31, 1916; February 1 to July 31, 1920; November 21, 1920, to July 26, 1924. Records at this station are almost directly comparable with those at station below Thief Valley, March 9, 1909. to June 30, 1912, as the inflow between two points constitutes only a negligible percentage of the total.

Gage.—Inclined staff on left bank; read by Mrs. H. C. Bidwell.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable at gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of rocks with some sand; occasional slight shifts.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 2.81 feet February 15 (discharge, 392 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.3 foot July 11–13, 16–19, and 26 (discharge, 1 second-foot.)

1909–1916; 1920–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 8.1 feet May 20, 21, 24, and 25, 1921 (discharge, 3,010 second-feet); stream dry in August and September, 1910.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice December 12 to February 10.

DIVERSIONS.—Water is diverted from Powder River and its tributaries for irrigating 72,000 acres of land above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed when ice was going out February 5-10. Rating curve used before change well defined; rating curve used after change fairly well defined. Gage read to hundredths once a day. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good except for estimated period when stage-discharge relation was affected by ice for which they are fair.

The following discharge measurement was made:

April 9, 1924: Gage height, 1.74 feet; discharge, 131 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Powder River near North Powder, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
1	52 58 63 69 63 75 81 87 87	100 100 104 107 114 114 111 111 111	159 159 151 143 128 121 128 107 107 114		270	277 264 264 238 238 225 238 238 238 238 238	133 122 110 117 110 110 110 117 122 98	68 68 68 73 73 79 73 73 79 111	14 11 11 14 17 20 24 20 14 14	4.5 4.5 3.0 3.0 3.0 3.0 2.0 2.0
11 12 13 14 15 16	107 114 114 107 100 87 87	114 114 111 107 111 107 111	114	110	348 291 291 291 392 291 291 291	191 180 180 170 180	104 111 118 125 141 133 111	180 250 348 305 333 333 305	17 17 16 17 17 17	1. 0 1. 0 1. 0 2. 0 2. 0 1. 0 1. 0
18 19 20	81 75 75	114 111 114			277 277 305	141 141 133	98 85 85	305 225 202	20 17 11	1. 0 1. 0 1. 5

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Powder River near North Powder, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July
21	75 75 77 75 81	114 114 128 135 143			348 333 309 309 305	122 122 141 141 141	73 62 60 41 41	180 180 160 125 118	6. 0 6. 0 4. 5 4. 5 3. 0	1. 5 2. 0 2. 0 2. 0 2. 0 1. 5
26	85 87 87 94 94 100	159 176 176 167 159	140	110	277 264 238 264	141 141 141 133 141 141	46 51 51 56 62	73 41 17 11 11	3. 0 3. 0 3. 0 4. 5 4. 5	1.0

Monthly discharge of Powder River near North Powder, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
117.0101	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July 1-26. The period	392 277 141 348 24 4.5	52 100 107 238 122 41 11 3 1	84. 3 122 136 110 290 180 93. 4 145 12. 3 2. 12	5, 180 7, 280 8, 360 6, 760 16, 700 11, 100 5, 560 8, 920 732 109

## SALMON RIVER AT STANLEY, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 3, T. 10 N., R. 13 E., a quarter of a mile above mouth of Valley Creek, half a mile northeast of new Stanley post office, and three-fourths mile southwest of old Stanley, Custer County.

Drainage area.—355 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 2, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank; read by E. P. Huffman.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading or from wagon bridge at old Stanley, 1 mile below and deducting Valley Creek discharge to determine flow past gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of gravel and boulders; practically permanent. Control well defined but not sensitive owing to width of channel and swift current. Banks fairly low. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 2.24 feet May 19 (discharge, 1,300 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.70 foot August 30, 31, September 2 and 3 (discharge, 125 second-feet).

1921-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 3.8 feet June 12, 1921 (discharge, 4,390 second-feet); minimum discharge, August 30, 31, September 2 and 3, 1924.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None above gage.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent; affected by ice December 23 to February 11. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table except for period of ice effect for which it was estimated based upon observer's notes, weather records, and flow at other stations in basin. Records, December to June, fair; others good.

Discharge measurements of Salmon River at Stanley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	. Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 12 Mar. 19	Feet 1. 00 . 86	Secft. 262 200	Apr. 26 May 20	Feet 1. 12 2. 14	Secft. 325 41, 180	June 26 Aug. 16	Feet 1. 14 . 75	Secft. 354 142

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Measured at old Stanley 1 mile below gage.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Salmon River at Stanley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
Day	000.	1404.	Dec.	Jan.	res.	mai.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Dopt.
12 34 5	241 241 241 236 256	288 288 288 277 277	266 256 256 256 256 246			236 236 236 226 216	207 207 211 202 207	494 507 521 697 656	697 697 697 697 697	288 277 266 256 256	151 151 151 192 147	134 125 125 151 143
6	256 277 288 288 277	266 256 246 246 246 236	277 293 277 277 277	180	200	216 226 226 216 207	197 216 241 256 266	618 579 529 594 656	697 697 641 550 521	256 256 246 256 256	147 151 151 151 151	134 134 134 143 143
11	277 266 256 266 277	236 236 236 241 236	266 266 266 256 256		216 216 221 221 216	202 197 192 188 188	378 440 453 467 474	738 873 920 1, 020 1, 120	507 487 467 453 440	251 246 246 236 226	147 147 143 143 147	138 134 134 134 138
16	288 293 298 298 288	236 236 236 236 236 236	256 246 231 216 211		216 216 226 236 236	188 192 192 197 197	428 349 320 378 440	1, 240 1, 240 1, 240 1, 300 1, 180	428 428 428 440 440	216 216 216 207 207	147 160 169 151 143	138 143 143 143 143
21	282 288 293 288 293	241 241 246 320 309	207 207	190	231 226 226 216 216 216	207 211 207 202 192	467 440 428 378 355	1, 180 1, 240 1, 180 1, 180 1, 120	428 421 403 378 355	197 197 192 188 188	143 143 143 143 143	134 134 143 143 147
26	293 293 293 298 298 293 288	293 266 277 277 266	200	Š	221 231 231 236	188 197 197 192 197 207	343 378 403 440 474	1, 070 1, 020 920 873 738 738	843 332 332 320 304	178 178 169 160 156 151	143 138 134 129 125 125	151 151 151 147 147

Note:—Braced figures show estimated mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Salmon River at Stanley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

[Drainage area, 355 square miles]

	r	ischarge in s	econd-feet		Run-off		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet	
October	320 293 236 236 474 1, 300 697 288 192	236 236 	278 259 238 185 215 206 348 903 491 220 147	0. 783 . 730 . 670 . 521 . 606 . 580 . 980 2. 54 1. 38 . 620 . 414 . 394	0. 90 . 81 . 77 . 60 . 65 . 67 1. 09 2. 93 1. 54 . 71 . 48 . 44	17, 100 15, 400 14, 600 11, 400 12, 400 12, 700 20, 700 55, 500 29, 200 13, 500 8, 330	
The year	1, 300	125	303	. 854	11. 59	220, 000	

## SALMON RIVER BELOW YANKEE FORK, NEAR CLAYTON, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 20, T. 11 N., R. 15 E., a quarter of a mile below Sunbeam Dam and mouth of Yankee Fork, 3 miles above Robinson Bar, 7 miles south of Bonanza, 12 miles below Stanley and mouth of Valley Creek, and 17 miles above Clayton, Custer County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—841 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—October 28, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

'GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank; read by Peter Ryan and Andrew Brown.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable three-tenths mile below gage.

\*Channel and control.—Bed composed of boulders and gravel. Control formed by well-defined boulder and rock riffle; practically permanent. Banks high. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 4.0 feet May 17 and 18 (discharge, 2,820 second-feet); minimum discharge, 281 second-feet August 22-27 and September 2. (Actual minimum stage of 0.00 foot occurred August 24.)

1922-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 7.6 feet June 7, 15, and 17, 1922 (discharge, 6,760 second-feet); minimum discharge, August 22-27 and September 2, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None of importance above station.

REGULATION.—None. Future operation of power plant at Sunbeam Dam may affect flow somewhat during low stages due to probable changes in gate opening. Power plant not in operation at present.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation unchanged after October 12; affected by ice December 16 to January 31. Rating curve well defined between 250 and 6,000 second-feet. Gage read to hundredths twice daily prior to July 5; thereafter once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height or mean daily gage height to rating table, except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records fair.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Love & Von Brecht.

Discharge measurements of Salmon River below Yankee Fork, near Clayton, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 13 Mar. 20	Feet 0. 63 . 14	Secft. 501 320	Apr. 25 May 20	Feet 1. 33 3. 84	Secft. 827 2, 690	June 26	Feet 1. 09 . 04	Secft. 704 295

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Salmon River below Yankee Fork, near Clayton,
Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		391 374 374 408 408	482 482 482 502 502	. C	374 358 374 374 374	408 391 391 391 391	326 342 342 326 326	1, 320 1, 540 1, 680 1, 760 1, 460	1, 390 1, 460 1, 460 1, 460 1, 460	611 588 611 634 611	311 311 296 311 311	296 281 296
6	480	408 408 408 408 408	482 482 482 482 482	350	374 374 391 408 408	391 391 391 374 391	358 426 502 566 588	1, 320 1, 260 1, 260 1, 460 1, 680	1, 460 1, 320 1, 320 1, 200	611 588 523 523 523	311 311 311 296 - 296	290
11	502 502 502	408 408 408 408 408	444 426 444 444 444		408 408 408 408 408	408 408 408 374 358	634 757 1,080 1,200 808	1, 920 2, 010 1, 920 1, 610 1, 920	1,000	502 482 463 444 408	296 296 296 296 296 296	

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Salmon River below Yankee Fork, near Clayton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
16	523 482 444 444 444	408 408 391 408 408	410		408 408 408 408 408	352 345 339 332 326	611 588 566 523 707	2, 270 2, 820 2, 820 2, 730 2, 640	900	391 391 408 391 391	296 296 296 296 296 296	910
21	463 482 502 482 482	408 426 502 658 658		365	426 426 426 408 391	326 326 326 342 374	915 1,080 1,080 970 860	2, 640 2, 540 2, 450 2, 360 2, 360	800	391 374 358 342 342	296 281 281 281 281 281	310
26	463 463 444 408 408 408	611 566 523 502 482	380		408 408 408 408	342 358 342 326 326 358	860 915 1,020 1,080 1,200	2, 270 2, 100 2, 100 1, 840 1, 610 1, 460	707 707 658 634 634	326 326 326 311 311 311	281 281 296 296 296 296	330

Note.—Silt deposit on control caused by opening gates in Sunbeam Dam Sept. 19, 1923, affected stage-discharge relation Oct. 1-12; discharge estimated. Discharge estimated on account of ice Dec. 16 toJan 31; because of missing gage heights June 10-25 and Sept. 4-30. Estimated flow based on comparison with that passing other stations in Salmon River Basin. Discharge interpolated Mar. 16-19. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

## Monthly discharge of Salmon River below Yankee Fork, near Clayton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Drainage	0700	2/1	emmara	milael
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	3	Discharge in s	Run-off			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November Pecember anuary Pebruary March April May une uly kugust Peptember	502 426 408 1,200 2,820 1,460 634 311	358 326 326 1, 260 634 311 281	471 446 431 358 400 365 719 1, 970 1, 010 446 296 303	0. 560 . 530 . 512 . 426 . 476 . 434 . 855 2. 34 1. 20 . 530 . 352 . 360	0. 65 . 59 . 49 . 51 . 50 . 95 2. 70 1. 34 . 61 . 41	29, 00 26, 50 26, 50 22, 00 23, 00 22, 40 42, 80 121, 00 60, 10 27, 40 18, 20
The year	2, 820		602	. 716	9.74	437,00

## SALMON RIVER AT SALMON, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 6, T. 21 N., R. 22 E., at rear of Rose ranch buildings, 300 feet below island, just above Lemhi River, and a quarter of a mile below highway bridge at Salmon, Lemhi County.

Drainage area.—3,600 square miles (Forest Service records).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 25, 1912, to September 30, 1916; July 6, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Vertical and inclined staff on left bank; read by Wendell Wilson and Parker Wickham.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 700 feet below gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—One channel at all stages. Bed composed of rock overlain with sand and gravel. Control subject to change.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge, 4,370 second-feet, May 17-21.

Minimum discharge, 595 second-feet August 17-19, 25-31, and September 1-5.

1912-1916; 1919-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 9.35 feet June 12, 1921 (discharge, 16,400 second-feet); minimum discharge, August 17-19, 25-31, and September 1-5, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—A small ditch diverts from left bank between bridge and gage, but its total capacity is less than 1 per cent of low-water flow. Numerous diversions principally on tributaries above.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation at low stages changed slightly during winter. Rating curves well defined. Gage read to tenths once daily October 1 to January 27 and to hundredths once daily beginning April 3. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Open-water records good; for periods of estimate, fair.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record October to December furnished by United States Forest Service.

Discharge measurements of Salmon River at Salmon, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Mar. 17 Do Apr. 22 Apr. 23	Feet 2, 33 2, 33 2, 96 3, 16	Secft. 892 903 1, 460 1, 680	May 19 Do June 30	Feet 4. 99 4. 98 2. 64	Secft. 4, 370 4, 340 1, 210	June 30 Aug. 18 Do	Feet 2. 64 1. 82 1. 81	Secft. 1, 220 610 601

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Salmon River at Salmon, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1, 170 1, 170 1, 210 1, 210 1, 210	1, 340 1, 340 1, 340 1, 340 1, 340	1, 260 1, 260 1, 170 1, 170 1, 170				]1,000 1,020 1,020 985	1, 860 2, 100 2, 500 2, 640 2, 780	2, 360 2, 360 2, 500 2, 500 2, 500 2, 360	1, 150 1, 150 1, 150 1, 150 1, 200	680 680 680 650 650	595 595 595 595 595
6	1, 260 1, 260 1, 260 1, 340 1, 340	1, 340 1, 340 1, 340 1, 340 1, 340	1, 260 1, 260 1, 260 1, 260 1, 260	750		1, 020	948 1, 060 1, 150 1, 240 1, 340	2, 230 2, 100 1, 980 1, 980 2, 230	2, 360 2, 230 2, 230 2, 230 1, 980	1, 240 1, 240 1, 150 1, 150 1, 060	650 650 650 622 622	622 622 650 622 622
11	1, 340 1, 340 1, 340 1, 340 1, 340	1, 340 1, 340 1, 340 1, 340 1, 340	1, 260 1, 170 1, 170 1, 170 1, 180		1, 050		1, 380 1, 340 1, 480 1, 750 1, 860	2, 500 3, 080 3, 390 3, 550 3, 710	1, 980 1, 860 1, 750 1, 640 1, 640	1, 020 985 1, 020 985 910	622 622 622 622 622	622 650 650 650 650
16	1, 340 1, 440 1, 440 1, 440 1, 540	1, 340 1, 260 1, 260 1, 170 1, 170	1, 080 1, 080 1, 080 1, 000 1, 000			948	1, 480 1, 290 1, 290 1, 240 1, 290	4, 030 4, 370 4, 370 4, 370 4, 370	1, 640 1, 640 1, 540 1, 640 1, 640	910 - 875 875 840 875	622 595 595 595 622	650 650 680 680 680
21	1, 540 1, 540 1, 540 1, 540 1, 540	1, 170 1, 170 1, 170 1, 260 1, 300	1, 000 1, 000 925 925 925 925	850		980	1, 240 1, 480 1, 750 1, 750 1, 640	4, 370 4, 200 4, 030 3, 870 3, 790	1, 540 1, 380 1, 380 1, 340 1, 340	910 875 840 840 808	650 622 622 622 595	710 710 680 680 710
26	1, 440 1, 440 1, 440 1, 340 1, 340 1, 340	1, 300 1, 300 1, 260 1, 260 1, 260	780 780 780 780 780 780 780				1, 480 1, 480 1, 540 1, 640 1, 750	3, 710 3, 550 3, 230 3, 080 2, 780 2, 500	1, 290 1, 290 1, 240 1, 200 1, 200	808 775 775 775 710 710	595 595 595 595 595 595	742 742 742 742 742

Note.—Discharge estimated Jan. 1 to Mar. 16 and Mar. 18 to Apr. 2 account of ice, and Apr. 4 because of unreliable gage height; based on weather records, two discharge measurements of Mar. 17, and by comparison with flow at other stations in Salmon River Basin. Discharge interpolated May 25. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Salmon River at Salmon, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	arge in second	-feet	Run-off in
моны	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November	1, 540 1, 340	1, 170 1, 170	1, 370 1, 290	84, 200 76, 800
December January February	1, 260	780	1, 060 802 1, 050 1, 000	65, 200 49, 300 60, 400 61, 500
March April May June	1,860	948 1,860 1,200	1, 360 3, 200 1, 780	80, 900 197, 000 106, 000
July		710 595 595	960 624 662	59, 000 38, 400 39, 400
The year	4, 370	595	1, 260	918, 000

#### SALMON RIVER AT WHITEBIRD, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 22, T. 28 N., R. 1 E., at highway bridge near Whitebird, Idaho County, just above Whitebird Creek, and below all important tributaries.

Drainage area.—13,600 square miles (measured on General Land Office map, edition of 1909).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—August 18, 1910, to September 30, 1917; October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Chain gage on handrail of highway bridge; installed September 14, 1920; read by R. E. and L. E. Shuck.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from gaging car suspended from ferry cable or from highway bridge.

Channel and control.—Channel straight for several hundred feet above and below gage; one channel at all stages. Banks not subject to overflow. Control composed of section of river channel and large boulder riffice three-eighths mile below; permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 12.8 feet May 16 and 17 (discharge, 40,100 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.26 feet at 6 p. m. September 5 (discharge, 2,520 second-feet).

1910–1917; 1919–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 21.2 feet June 9, 1921 (discharge, 88,800 second-feet); minimum stage on November 15, 1916, when water was below gage (estimated discharge, 2,500 second-feet).

Maximum stage determined from high-water marks, 27.5 feet June, 1894 (discharge, 120,000 second-feet), estimated by extending rating curve.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice during severe winters.

DIVERSIONS.—Very little water diverted for irrigation above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent; not affected by ice. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

The following discharge measurements were made:

October 28, 1923: Gage height, 2.80 feet; discharge, 4,700 second-feet.

September 11, 1924: Gage height, 1.39 feet; discharge, 2,640 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Salmon River at Whitebird, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	4, 160 4, 160 4, 160 4, 000 4, 000	4, 320 4, 160 4, 320 4, 320 4, 160	4, 320 4, 000 3, 840 3, 560 3, 560	3, 420 3, 020 2, 900 2, 900 2, 900	3, 840 3, 840 4, 160 4, 480 4, 320	4, 160 4, 160 4, 160 4, 160 4, 160	3, 560 4, 000 4, 160 4, 160 4, 160	17, 000 21, 200 24, 000 27, 900 24, 900	17, 400 17, 400 17, 400 17, 400 16, 600	6, 470 6, 430 6, 400 6, 370 6, 330	3, 140 3, 280 3, 280 3, 280 3, 280 3, 140	2, 560 2, 560 2, 560 2, 560 2, 560
6	4, 160 4, 320 4, 640 4, 640 4, 980	4, 160 4, 160 4, 160 4, 160 4, 160	3, 560 3, 840 4, 480 4, 000 3, 700	3, 280 4, 000 4, 160 4, 640 4, 800	4, 320 4, 320 4, 800 4, 980 4, 980	4,000 4,000 4,000 4,000 3,840	4, 480 4, 640 5, 900 6, 920 8, 060	18, 800 18, 100 17, 400 19, 600 23, 600	15, 600 16, 300 15, 300 13, 900 13, 000	6, 300 6, 300 6, 100 5, 900 5, 900	3, 140 3, 020 3, 020 3, 020 3, 020	2, 560 2, 560 2, 560 2, 660 2, 660
11	4, 980 4, 800 4, 800 4, 640 4, 640	4, 160 4, 160 4, 160 4, 320 4, 320 4, 320	3, 280 2, 780 2, 660 3, 140 3, 140	5, 160 5, 160 4, 640 4, 160 4, 160	4, 480 4, 480 4, 480 4, 480 4, 480	3, 840 3, 840 4, 000 4, 000 4, 000	8, 060 7, 820 9, 300 9, 820 10, 600	27, 000 32, 900 37, 200 39, 100 39, 600	12, 100 11, 800 11, 800 11, 200 10, 600	4, 980 4, 800 4, 640 4, 640 4, 480	2, 900 2, 900 2, 780 2, 780 2, 660	2, 660 2, 660 2, 660 2, 560 2, 560
16	4, 640 4, 800 4, 800 4, 640 4, 640	4, 160 4, 160 3, 840 3, 700 3, 560	3, 140 3, 140 3, 280 4, 320 3, 840	4, 160 4, 160 3, 840 3, 700 3, 700	4, 640 4, 640 4, 640 4, 640 4, 640	3, 840 3, 700 3, 560 3, 700 3, 840	9, 300 8, 060 7, 140 6, 920 6, 700	40, 100 40, 100 39, 600 39, 100 38, 700	10, 400 10, 100 9, 820 10, 100 9, 560	4, 320 4, 160 4, 160 4, 160 4, 480	2, 660 2, 780 2, 660 2, 660 3, 020	2, 560 2, 560 2, 560 2, 660 2, 780
21	4, 640 4, 640 4, 980 5, 160 4, 980	4,000 4,160 4,000 4,160 4,320	3,700 4,000 4,160 4,320 4,320	3, 840 3, 840 3, 700 3, 700 3, 560	4, 480 4, 480 4, 480 4, 320 4, 160	3, 840 3, 700 3, 700 3, 700 3, 560	6, 700 7, 360 9, 560 10, 900 10, 600	36, 700 31, 600 31, 600 32, 900 31, 600	9. 040 8. 540 8. 060 6. 920 6, 920	4, 800 4, 640 4, 480 4, 160 4, 000	3, 020 3, 020 3, 020 2, 900 2, 780	2, 780 2, 780 2, 900 2, 780 2, 900
26	4, 480	4, 320 4, 640 4, 640 4, 480 4, 480	3, 700 3, 840 4, 000 3, 840 3, 840 3, 700	3, 700 3, 700 3, 560 3, 700 3, 700 3, 700	4, 160 4, 320 4, 320 4, 160	3, 560 3, 560 3, 700 3, 840 3, 700 3 560	10, 600 10, 400 10, 900 12, 100 13, 900	30, 200 22, 800 23, 200 22, 400 20, 000 18, 100	6, 920 7, 140 7, 140 6, 500 6, 500	4,000 3,840 3,840 3,560 3,420 3,280	2, 660 2, 660 2, 560 2, 560 2, 560 2, 560	3, 020 3, 020 3, 020 3, 020 3, 140

Note.—Gage heights recorded for June 25 and Aug. 30 discredited, and gage not read July 1–5 and Aug. 29; discharge interpolated.

Monthly discharge of Salmon River at Whitebird, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November December January February March April May June June July	4, 480 5, 160 4, 980 4, 160 13, 900 40, 100 17, 400 6, 470	4, 000 3, 560 2, 660 2, 900 3, 840 3, 560 17, 000 6, 500 3, 280	4, 590 4, 190 3, 710 3, 860 4, 430 3, 850 7, 890 28, 600 11, 400 4, 880	282, 000 249, 000 228, 000 237, 000 255, 000 469, 000 1, 769, 000 678, 000 300, 000	
AugustSeptember	3, 280 3, 140	2, 560 2, 560	2, 890 2, 710	178, 000 161, 000	
The year.	40, 100	2, 560	6, 930	5, 030, 000	

## VALLEY CREEK AT STANLEY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 3, T. 10 N., R. 13 E., one-eighth mile above Valley Creek ranger station, one-fourth mile above confluence with Salmon River, three-eighths mile below new Stanley post office, and three-fourths mile above old Stanley post office, Custer County.

Drainage area.—176 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—December 21, 1910, to October 31, 1913; May 2, 1921 to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank installed May 2, 1921; read by E. P. Huffman

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from log bridge 300 feet upstream or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of gravel. Control well defined; practically permanent. Banks fairly low; left bank may be overflowed at extremely high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge recorded during year, 485 second-feet, May 17-19; minimum stage, 0.84 foot September 7 (discharge, 41 second-feet).

1910-1913; 1921-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 4.4 feet May 29, 1921 (discharge, 1,850 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge, September 7, 1924

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—A few ranch diversions for irrigation above station.

REGULATION.—None.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation changed during ice-affected period, December 23 to January 31. Rating curves well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge determined by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good except during estimated periods and for April and May for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of Valley Creek at Stanley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 11	Feet 1. 22 1. 18		Apr. 26 May 20	Feet 1. 48 2. 10	Secft. 161 434	June 28 Aug. 16	Feet 1.35 .94	Secft. 132 53. 3

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Valley Creek at Stanley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	86 84 82 80 84	91 86 87 87 86	73 64 61 61 58		74 76 79 83 87	94 90 87 88 90	70 69 72 76 76	288 297 307 316 271	216 202 224 238 254	120 125 122 120 120	56 56 55 55 54	46 45 44 48 46
6	82 91 112 104 99	84 80 82 84 80	64 198 122 112 97	60	83 83 79 79 77	87 90 94 90 87	79 109 132 139 149	238 231 220 250 279	246 216 202 186 171	118 116 113 89 79	55 <b>56</b> 55 55 55	44 41 44 46 48
11	95 93 91 95 97	82 84 84 82 80	84 70 67 64 64		76 76 77 77 76	83 83 79 76 70	216 325 350 366 376	316 356 403 430 430	177 183 171 166 160	76 72 72 70 70	54 52 51 51 51	46 46 44 44 44
16	99 99 99 102 97	78 77 77 73 77	64 64 127 91 102		76 87 83 81 79	72 83 87 94 92	302 220 166 238 345	458 485 485 485 430	160 158 160 171 149	70 72 76 79 94	54 56 59 62 62	44 44 45 45 46
21	91 99 102 99 95	80 82 82 295 282	91 73	65	83 83 81 83 85	92 94 88 83 72	366 366 356 254 238	430 458 430 403 376	139 144 134 130 127	76 72 70 69 69	62 61 59 59 59	46 45 44 58 72
26	95 95 91 91 87 , 87	152 112 102 91 84	70		87 87 90 92	65 69 69 65 65 65	202 297 307 320 275	366 325 302 279 238 227	130 125 130 120 120	65 62 59 56 56	56 51 48 46 46 46	69 62 62 62 59

Note.—Discharge estimated because of ice Dec. 23 to Jan. 31; interpolated Oct. 12 and Sept. 24. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Valley Creek at Stanley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

## [Drainage area, 176 square miles]

	D	Run-off				
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June	198 92 94 376 485 254	80 73 58 74 65 69 220 120	93. 6 100 80. 7 62. 6 81. 3 82. 2 229 349 170	0. 532 . 568 . 459 . 356 . 462 . 467 1. 30 1. 98 . 966	0. 61 . 63. . 53 . 41 . 50 . 54 1. 45 2. 28 1. 08	5, 760 5, 950 4, 960 3, 850 4, 680 5, 050 13, 600 21, 500 10, 100
July August September	125 62 72	56 46 41	83. 6 54. 7 49. 3	. 475 . 311 . 280	. 55 . 36 . 31	5, 140 3, 360 2, 930
The year	485	41	120	. 682	9. 25	86, 900

#### YANKEE FORK OF SALMON RIVER NEAR CLAYTON, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 20, T. 11 N., R. 15 E., at Sunbeam Dam, 350 feet above confluence with Salmon River, 3 miles west of Robinson Bar, 7 miles south of Bonanza, and 17 miles west of Clayton, Custer County.

Drainage area.—195 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 3, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on right bank; read by Peter Ryan, Andrew Brown, and F. H. Clark. Datum of gage lowered 0.40 foot June 26, 1924; lowered 0.65 foot September 17, 1922. All gage heights prior to October 1, 1922, referred to original datum; all gage readings for 1924 reduced to datum in use after September 17, 1922.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge 250 feet below gage or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of rock, boulders, and gravel. Control formed by rock and gravel riffle 50 feet below gage; well defined at low and medium stages. Although gradient is steep control is not well defined at high stages due possibly to a slight backwater effect from Salmon River when it is in flood. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 3.10 feet May 20-22 (discharge, 729 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.10 foot at 8 a. m. April 5 (discharge, 22 second-feet). Actual minimum may have occurred during winter when discharge was not accurately determined.

1921–1924: Maximum stage recorded, 5.24 feet at 8 p. m. June 12, 1921 (discharge, 3,360 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge recorded April 5, 1924. Lower flow may have occurred during ice-affected periods.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None.

REGULATION.-None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly during ice-affected period December 1 to April 4. Rating curves well defined. Gage read to hundredths twice daily October 1 to July 18; thereafter gage was read once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily or mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good except for estimated periods for which they are fair.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Love & Von Brecht.

Discharge measurements of Yankee Fork of Salmon River near Clayton, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 12 Mar. 20	Feet 0. 65 . 17	Secft. 71. 6 25. 9	Apr. 25 May 20	Feet 1. 43 3. 10	Secft. 189 703	June 25 Aug. 16	Feet 1.13 .44	Secft. 135 50.8

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Yankee Fork of Salmon River near Clayton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	66 67 66 66 66	37 37 36 64 66	)				35	360 421 535 494 389	334 360 360 360 334	113 104 119 122 114	57 57 56 55 55	28- 28- 28-
6	66 77 76 77 76	66 66 66 66 64	55	25		35	46 74 119 145 153	310 287 298 389 494	310 310 276 265		49 55 53 50 50	
11	76 73 71 68 70	62 57 55 50 55			30		160 170 187 137	579 676 579 579 579		83 88 86 79 85	48 47 50 46 46	30=
16	70 68 57 68 68	54 51 45 45 45				26	104 100 93 83 104	579 579 676 676 729	200	88 84 75 79 76	48 50 50 50 50	
21	74 84 86 73 72	45 50 76 116 106	40	30			137 196 205 205 196	729 729 676 579 626	145 145 145	74 69 68 66 64	50 46 44 36 29	
26	62 59 53 45 43	97 73 66 66 67				30	170 205 224 234 287	579 494 456 421 360 334	145 137 122 120 119	62 59 59 58 57	29 29 29 28 28 28	35

Note.—Discharge estimated because of ice and doubtful gage heights, Dec. 1 to Mar. 19 and Mar. 21 to Apr. 4 based on observer's notes, weather records, one discharge measurement, and by comparison with flow at near-by stations; estimated on account of erroneous and missing gage heights Apr. 11-12, June 10-22, and Sept. 4-30, based on comparative flow of Salmon River and Valley Creek. Discharge interpolated June 24. Discharge Mar. 20 from current-meter measurement. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Yankee Fork of Salmon River near Clayton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

#### [Drainage area, 195 square miles]

	r	ischarge in s		Run-off		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December	116	40 36	67. 2 61. 6 47. 3	0. 345 . 316 . 243	0, 40 . 35 . 28	4, 130 3, 670 2, 910
JanuaryFebruary			27. 6 30. 0	. 142	. 16 . 17	1,700 1,730
March April May	287	287	32. 9 135 522	. 169 . 692 2. 68	. 19 . 77 3. 09	2, 020 8, 030 32, 100
JuneJuly	360 122	119 57	220 82, 5	1.13 .423	1. 26 . 49	13, 100 5, 070
August September September	57	28	45, 2 30, 8	. 232	. 27 . 18	2, 780 1, 830
The year	729		109	. 559	7.61	79, 100

#### MARSH CREEK NEAR CAPE HORN, IDAHO

Location.—About sec. 9 (unsurveyed), T. 12 N., R. 11 E., at highway bridge on Cape Horn-Bear Valley road, 300 feet below mouth of Cape Horn Creek, 1½ miles southwest of Cape Horn, Custer County, and 21 miles northwest of Stanley.

Drainage area.—73 square miles; revised (measured on Forest Service maps). Records available.—June 18 to September 30, 1922; April 29 to August 15, 1924, when station was discontinued.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank; read by Robert McAllister.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel and boulders. Control fairly well defined. Banks high. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 1.43 feet May 17 and 18 (discharge, 314 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.13 foot August 15 (measured discharge, 35.7 second-feet).

1922; 1924: Maximum stage recorded, 2.52 feet June 19, 1922 (discharge, 702 second-feet); minimum recorded stage and discharge occurred August 15, 1924.

ICE.—None during period of record.

DIVERSIONS -None.

REGULATION .- None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge determined by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Marsh Creek near Cape Horn, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 29 May 21	Feet 0. 75 1. 32	Secft. 136 272	June 16 June 28	Feet 0. 47 . 35	Secft. 73. 6 65. 1	Aug. 15	Feet 0, 13	Secft. 35.7

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Marsh Creek near Cape Horn, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.
1 2 3 4 5	<b>-</b>	162 186 192 198 162	140 140 130 130 130	54 54 56 56 56	38	16 17 18 19		298 314 314 298 298	82 80 76 86 80	43 43 43 48 50	
6		130 140 151 162 174	120 120 120 120 114 103	54 51 48 48 48	37	21 22 23 24 25		282 282 252 238 238	76 72 69 68 65	44 43 42 41 40	
11 12 13 14 15		198 238 252 267 298	103 103 98 91 86	47 48 47 43 42	36	26	130 151	211 198 186 174 151 140	62 58 61 56 56	40 38 38 39 38 38	

 ${\bf Note.-Discharge\ interpolated\ May\ 3; estimated\ Aug.\ 2-14\ owing\ to\ lack\ of\ gage-height\ record.} \quad {\bf Braced\ figures\ give\ mean\ discharge\ for\ period\ indicated.}$ 

Monthly discharge of Marsh Creek near Cape Horn, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

### [Drainage area, 73 square miles]

	I	Discharge in s	Run-off			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
April 29-30	151 314 140 56	130 130 56 38	140 219 92. 5 45. 7 37. 0	1. 92 3. 00 1. 27 . 626 . 507	0. 14 3. 46 1. 42 . 72 . 28	555 13, 500 5, 500 2, 810 1, 100
The period						23, 500

#### BEAVER CREEK AT CAPE HORN, IDAHO

LOCATION.—About sec. 35 (unsurveyed), T. 13 N., R. 11 E., at bridge on Cape Horn-Rapid River highway, 1 mile north of Cape Horn, Custer County, 1½ miles above point where creek unites with Marsh Creek to form Middle Fork of Salmon River, and 21 miles northwest of Stanley.

Drainage area.—54 square miles; revised (measured on Forest Service maps). Records available.—June 18 to September 30, 1922, and April 28 to August 15, 1924, when station was discontinued.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank; read by Robert McAllister.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel and boulders; rough. Control fairly well defined. Banks low but not subject to overflow.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 1.49 feet May 17 (discharge, 392 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.23 foot August 15 (measured discharge, 16 second-feet).

1922; 1924: Maximum stage recorded, 2.24 feet June 19, 1922 (discharge, 614 second-feet); minimum recorded stage and discharge occurred August 15, 1924.

Ice.—No record.

DIVERSIONS.—None.

REGULATION.-None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly following high water on May 17. Shifting-control methods used May 18–20, after which rating curve fairly well defined above 15 second-feet was used. Prior to May 18 a parallel curve was used. Gage read to hundredths once daily except for short periods in May and June when readings twice daily were obtained. Daily discharge determined by applying daily or mean daily gage height to rating table. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Beaver Creek at Cape Horn, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 28 May 21	Feet 0. 46 1, 29	Secft. 57. 8 293	June 16 June 28	Feet 0. 51 . 40	Secft. 60. 5 40. 3	Aug. 15	Feet 0. 23	Secft. 16.0

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Beaver Creek at Cape Horn, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.
1		111 130 149 169 130	122 122 125 122 119	37 37 38 37 37	19	16= 17 18 19		372 392 372 352 333	60 56 56 73 60	25 25 26 31 36	
6		96 133 156 172 198	116 111 101 96 89	37 34 32 31 31	} 18	21		314 296 278 242 242	53 51 51 51 51 45	30 26 25 25 25 24	
11		242 278 278 314 352	81 77 77 73 64	30 30 28 28 28 26	17	26	58 66 88	242 242 198 169 144 136	42 37 38 37 38	24 21 20 19 20 20	

NOTE.—Discharge estimated Aug. 2-14; interpolated Apr. 30, May 2-3. Braced figure gives mean discharge for period indicated.

Monthly discharge of Beaver Creek at Cape Horn, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

[Drainage area, 54 square miles]

		Run-off				
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
April 28-30	88 392 125 38	58 96 37 19	70. 7 233 74. 8 28. 7 18. 0	1, 31 4, 31 1, 39 , 531 , 333	0. 15 4. 97 1. 55 . 61 . 19	421 14, 300 4, 450 1, 760 536
The period						21, 500

### BEAR VALLEY CREEK NEAR CAPE HORN, IDAHO

LOCATION.—About sec. 31, T. 13 N., R. 10 E. (unsurveyed), Valley County, 250 feet below mouth of Fir Creek, 5 miles above confluence with Middle Fork of Salmon River, 7 miles northwest of Cape Horn, Custer County.

Drainage area.—180 square miles (measured on Forest Service maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—September 6, 1921, to September 30, 1924.

GAGE.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by A. L. Bunch.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 50 feet above gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel and boulders. Banks high.

One channel at all stages. Control not well defined; subject to slight moss growth.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 3.28 feet about May 17 (discharge, 1,140 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.13 feet August 28-31 and September 1 (discharge, 60 second-feet). Higher and lower discharges may have occurred during period of no record. 1921-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 5.5 feet at 8 a. m. May 26, 1923 (discharge, 2,300 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.08 feet at 1 p. m. November 13, 1922 (discharge, about 55 second-feet). Higher and probably lower discharges occurred during periods of no record.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice. Records discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—None.

REGULATION .- None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory after June 15. Prior to this date only a few staff readings were made. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined from inspection of recorder graph. Records good, except for estimated periods for which they are poor.

Discharge measurements of Bear Valley Creek near Cape Horn, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 14	Feet 1. 45 2. 28	Secft. 116 468	May 22	Feet 2. 51 1. 60	Secft. 579 168	June 27Aug. 14	Feet 1. 44 1. 14	Secft. 126 61. 2

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Bear Valley Creek near Cape Horn, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 34	622 744 } 760		115 110 110 123	67 69 69 67	60 62 62 62	16 17 18	1, 020	167 161 164 173	88 88 88 94	64 64 64 69	64 64 64 67
5	100	260	118	65	62	20	710	167	110	82	72
6	590		115 110 106	65 65 65	62 62 65	21 22 23	591	156 147 141	104 92 90 86	78 72 69	72 70 69
10	)	)	104 99	65 65	67 65	24 25	510	141 133	84	65 64	69 72
11 12 13	860	200	97 97 97	65 64 62	65 65 64	26 27 28	449	128 125 125	82 80 76	64 64 60	78 74 72
15	J		94 88	62 64	64 64	30 31	370	123 118	72 72 70	60 60 60	69 70

Note.—Discharge Apr. 30 was 527 second-feet. Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights May 3-21, 23-25, 27-31, June 1-15, and Sept. 30, based on comparison with flow of Deadwood River. Daily discharge for Oct. 8, 14, May 22 and 26, when water-stage recorder was not operating, was determined by applying daily gage height to rating table. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Bear Valley Creek near Cape Horn, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

[Drainage area, 180 square miles]

		Run-off				
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
April 30May	527	527	527 661	2. 93 3. 67	0. 11 4. 23	1, 050 40, 600
June July August September	123 82 78	118 70 60 60	192 95. 5 65. 7 66. 6	1. 07 . 531 . 365 . 370	1. 19 . 61 . 42 . 41	11, 400 5, 870 4, 040 3, 960
The period						66, 900

## CLEARWATER RIVER AT KAMIAH, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 1, T. 33 N., R. 3 E., at former toll bridge at Kamiah, Lewis County, 6 miles below mouth of South Fork of Clearwater River.

DRAINAGE AREA.—4,850 square miles (measured on General Land Office map, edition of 1909).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—August 20, 1910, to September 30, 1924.

'GAGE.—Chain gage attached to downstream handrail of bridge; installed May 30, 1911; read by Mrs. Elsie McCarty.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from bridge.

\*Channel and control.—Bed at gage and control consists of heavy boulders and gravel; control practically permanent. One channel at low water; two channels between gage heights about 5 and 8 feet, and one channel above gage height 8 feet.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 14.0 feet May 13 (discharge, 58,900 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.0 feet January 1-3 and September 17 and 18 (discharge, 950 second-feet).

1910-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 16.1 feet May 26, 1913 (discharge, 76,600 second-feet); minimum stage occurred in December, 1919, when stage-discharge relation was affected by ice, discharge certainly less than 500 second-feet.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Several small ditches divert water for irrigation above station.

REGULATION.-None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent; not affected by ice.

Rating curve fairly well defined below 50,000 second-feet. Gage read once daily to tenths. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

(Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by United States Weather Bureau.

Discharge measurements of Clearwater River at Kamiah, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
*Oct. 25 May 23	Feet 2. 76 10. 55	Secft. 1,740 31,000	July 22 Aug. 20	Feet 3, 32 2, 98	Secft. 2, 590 2, 080	Aug. 20	Feet 2. 96	Secft. 1, 980

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Clearwater River at Kamiah, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12 :34 .5	1, 220 1, 220 1, 220 1, 220 1, 220 1, 220	1, 430 1, 320 1, 430 1, 540 1, 430	2, 470 1, 780 1, 540 1, 780 1, 660	950 950 950 1, 130 1, 130	4, 300 5, 200 4, 510 3, 560 3, 730	3, 240 3, 080 3, 240 3, 080 3, 240	2, 470 2, 620 3, 240 3, 400 3, 560	31, 000 35, 900 41, 800 45, 600 35, 200	16, 200 16, 200 16, 600 16, 200 14, 800	4, 100 3, 910 3, 560 3, 560 3, 560	1, 540 1, 540 1, 540 1, 430 1, 430	1,040 1,040 1,040 1,040 1,040
6 7 8 9 10	1, 540 1, 320 1, 910 2, 190 2, 620	1, 430 1, 320 1, 320 1, 320 1, 220	1,780 2,330 2,470 2,050 1,780	1, 130 1, 320 2, 190 1, 910 1, 910	4, 300 4, 100 5, 200 4, 730 4, 300	3, 240 3, 080 3, 080 2, 920 3, 080	4, 100 4, 730 7, 810 9, 910 10, 300	26, 300 23, 800 28, 200 29, 600 36, 600	13, 100 13, 100 11, 900 11, 500 9, 910	3, 400 3, 400 3, 080 2, 920 2, 920	1, 320 1, 320 1, 320 1, 320 1, 320	1, 040 1, 040 1, 040 1, 130 1, 130
11 12 13 14 15	1, 660 1, 660 1, 660 1, 540 1, 540	1, 220 1, 130 1, 130 1, 320 1, 130	1, 540 1, 320 1, 540 1, 540 1, 660	1,780 1,780 1,540 1,490 1,430	3, 560 3, 400 3, 560 3, 400 3, 910	3, 080 2, 920 3, 080 3, 080 3, 400	11, 900 11, 500 11, 500 12, 300 11, 500	44, 000 51, 200 58, 900 58, 000 54, 600	9, 540 9, 540 9, 180 8, 830 8, 830	2,770 2,620 2,620 2,470 2,470	1, 320 1, 320 1, 220 1, 130 1, 320	1, 130 1, 130 1, 130 1, 130 1, 140

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Clearwater River at Kamiah, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
16 17 18 19 20	1, 540 1, 780 2, 190 1, 660 1, 660	1, 130 1, 220 1, 130 1, 040 1, 220	1, 780 1, 780 1, 660 1, 660 1, 660	1, 380 1, 330 1, 270 1, 220 1, 220	3, 730 3, 910 3, 910 3, 910 3, 730	3, 240 2, 920 2, 920 2, 770 2, 920	9, 910 8, 140 8, 140 7, 810 7, 480	55, 500 56, 400 50, 400 48, 000 46, 400	8, 830 8, 480 7, 810 8, 480 7, 810	2, 190 2, 190 2, 190 2, 190 2, 190 2, 620	1, 320 1, 320 1, 320 1, 430 1, 910	1, 040 950 950 1, 130 1, 320
21 22 23 24 25	1, 660 1, 780 2, 190 2, 050 1, 780	1, 430 1, 660 1, 540 1, 780 3, 910	1, 540 1, 660 1, 540 1, 660 1, 910	1, 130 1, 320 1, 540 1, 430 1, 430	3, 400 3, 730 3, 400 3, 560 3, 240	2, 920 2, 770 2, 620 2, 470 2, 620	7, 810 9, 910 13, 100 15, 300 14, 800	34, 500 38, 000 35, 200 31, 700 34, 500	6, 550 6, 260 5, 980 5, 710 5, 450	3, 080 2, 620 2, 620 2, 190 2, 050	1, 660 1, 540 1, 430 1, 320 1, 220	1, 320 1, 220 1, 220 1, 130 1, 130
26	1, 660 1, 540 1, 540 1, 540 1, 540 1, 430	3, 080 2, 620 2, 050 2, 470 2, 470	1,780 1,660 1,660 1,660 1,660 1,130	1, 320 1, 430 1, 430 1, 430 1, 430 2, 770	3, 080 3, 240 3, 080 3, 240	2, 470 2, 620 2, 620 2, 770 2, 620 2, 620	15,700 17,600 20,000 20,000 23,800	31, 700 24, 400 21, 100 18, 500 16, 200 15, 700	5, 200 4, 960 5, 710 4, 730 4, 510	2,050 1,910 1,780 1,780 1,660 1,660	1, 220 1, 130 1, 130 1, 130 1, 130 1, 130	1, 320 1, 430 1, 320 1, 320 1, 220

NOTE.—Gage not read Jan. 14-18; discharge interpolated.

Monthly discharge of Clearwater River at Kamiah, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

[Drainage area, 4,850 square miles]

	D	ischarge in s	Run-off			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June Jup August September	2,770 5,200 3,400 23,800 58,900 16,600 4,100	1, 220 1, 040 1, 130 950 3, 080 2, 470 2, 470 15, 700 4, 510 1, 130 950	1, 650 1, 610 1, 730 1, 440 3, 820 2, 930 10, 300 37, 400 9, 400 2, 650 1, 350 1, 140	0. 340 . 332 . 357 . 297 . 788 . 604 2. 12 7. 71 1. 94 . 546 . 278 . 235	0. 39 . 37 . 41 . 34 . 85 . 70 2. 36 8. 89 2. 16 . 63 . 32 . 26	101, 000 95, 800 106, 000 88, 500 220, 000 180, 000 613, 000 2, 300, 000 559, 000 163, 000 83, 000 67, 800
The year	58, 900	950	6, 310	1. 30	17.68	4, 580, 000

#### SOUTH FORK OF CLEARWATER RIVER NEAR GRANGEVILLE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In SE. ¼ NW. ¼ sec. 30, T. 30 N., R. 4 E. Boise meridian, below power house of Grangeville Electric Light & Power Co., 3 miles east of Mount Idaho, 6 miles southeast of Grangeville, Idaho County, and 19 miles above mouth.

Drainage area.—940 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—November 14, 1910, to July 31, 1911; October 9 to November 18, 1911; January 4, 1912, to September 30, 1916; April 1, 1923, to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Vertical and inclined staff on right bank 150 feet below power house; installed January 8, 1924; read by power-plant operators; chain gage at same site used prior to that date.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable one-fourth mile below gage or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of large boulders; shifts only at high stages. Gradient steep. Channel curved at gage. Left bank subject to overflow during extremely high water.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 7.75 feet at 7 a. m. May 14 (discharge, 4,600 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.50 feet at 7 a. m. September 24 (discharge, 40 second-feet).

1910-1916; 1923-1924: Maximum stage recorded, 9.7 feet (old datum) May 30, 1912 (discharge, 9,830 second-feet); minimum stage occurred September 24, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice during severe winters. DIVERSIONS.—Low-water flow diverted through power plant. All water diverted for power purposes returned to river above gage.

REGULATION.—Operation of power plant causes fluctuation in stage.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent; not affected by ice. Rating curve well defined above 130 second-feet. Gage read to half-tenths twice daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good October to July; fair thereafter.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by Grangeville Electric Light & Power Co.

Discharge measurements of South Fork of Clearwater River near Grangeville, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Jan. 8 Jan. 9 Apr. 15	Feet 3, 17 3, 09 5, 55	Secft. 222 209 1,730	Apr. 15	Feet 5. 47 7. 13 7. 08	Secft. 1,660 3,650 3,520	May 22 July 21 Sept. 10	Feet 6. 28 3. 61 2. 92	Secft. 2, 520 420 137

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of South Fork of Clearwater River near Grangeville, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	157	204	231	106	370	348	325	3,310	1, 260	370	117	84
2	157	243	151	60	470	325	420	3, 590	1, 260	370	117	58
3	151	243	216	157	420	370	470	4,010	1,260	3,70	117	68
4	151	231	223	120	370	370	470	4,010	1, 180	370	103	91
5	134	216	120	60	420	370	445	4,010		348	109	79
0	104	210	120	00	420	370	445	3, 450	1,040	348	109	/9
6	151	193	325	144	445	348	570	2,910	1,040	370	91	84 58 98
7	284	186	316	178	420	420	1.040	2,650	1, 110	325	84	58
8	445	193	272	216	495	325	1,600	2,650	1, 110	316	84	1 98
9	395	178	223	196	420	289	1,600	2,910	1,040	272	91	98
10	348	157	151	220	395	348	1,790	3,310	970	247	91	120
11	<b>3</b> 16	144	114	208	370	325	1,990	4.010	850	239	98	109
12	298	151	193	171	370	325	1,890	4, 150	910	223	79	103
13	264	186	151	138	395	348	2,090	4,300	850	231	79	103
14	264	204	272	200	420	348	2,000	4,000	790	239	75	68
14							2, 190	4, 300				08
15	223	223	264	164	470	370	1,690	4, 150	730	208	109	98
16	325	223	223	182	470	302	1,420	3,870	702	196	91	75
17	325	193	120	164	445	260	1,260	3,730	675	186	117	75
18	325	120	223	164	420	302	1, 260	3,450	850	193	117	75
19	298	66	223	131	420	395	1, 260	3, 310	850	307	161	103
19 20	284	178	186	117	370	370	1,340	2, 910	730	495	260	117
21	272	243	120	157	395	325	1,420	2, 530	620	445	193	109
22	445	223	71	182	370	316	2,090		570	302	157	103
24	445						2,000	2,410				109
23		216	204	171	370	302	2,410	2, 190	570	239	131	98
24	325	264	264	164	325	325	2,300	2,090	520	235	98	62
25	298	420	223	157	325	280	2,090	2,410	520	216	109	125
7 26	272	325	204	171	325	280	2,090	1,990	470	193	109	148
27	255	231	204	164	325	370	2,300	1,790	495	164	109	148
28	243	264	186	171	370	370	2, 410	1,690	470	148	91	131
	223	284	223	171	325	370	2,410		420			
29					325		2,530	1,600		148	103	125
30	216	325	168	193		325	2,910	1,420	420	131	79	125
31	223		134	231		302		1,340		131	58	J

Monthly discharge of South Fork of Clearwater River near Grangeville, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1924

#### [Drainage area, 940 square miles]

	Ľ	ischarge in s	econd-feet		Ru	n-off
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	420 325 231 495 420 2, 910 4, 300 1, 260 495	134 66 71 60 325 260 325 1,340 420 131 58	275 218 200 162 397 336 1,590 2,980 809 265 111 97.9	0. 293 232 213 . 172 . 422 . 357 1. 69 3. 17 . 861 . 282 . 118	0. 34 . 26 . 25 . 20 . 46 . 41 1. 89 3. 66 . 96 . 33 . 14	16, 900 13, 000 12, 300 9, 960 22, 800 20, 700 94, 600 183, 000 48, 100 6, 320 5, 830
The year	4, 300	58	621	. 661	9. 02	450,000

#### TUCANNON RIVER NEAR POMEROY, WASH. .

Location.—In sec. 13, T. 11 N., R. 40 E., at highway bridge at abandoned post office of Marengo, 9 miles southwest of Pomeroy, Columbia County, 17½ miles north of Dayton, and 14 miles above Petaha Creek.

Drainage area.—109 square miles (measured on Umatilla National Forest map, edition of 1922).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—August 31, 1913, to June 30, 1915, March 1 to September 30, 1924.

Gage.—Vertical staff in two sections on downstream corner of left bridge abutment; read by I. O. Hovrud. Previous gage was at same site but different datum

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading near gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of gravel. Control formed by riffle 75 feet below gage; shifting at high water. Banks not subject to overflow. Stage of zero flow determined September 8, 1924, gage height 2.97 feet  $\pm$  0.1 foot.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 5.0 feet May 3, 13, and 14 (discharge, 359 second-feet); minimum stage, 3.97 feet August 13 and 14 (discharge, 44 second-feet).

1913-1915; 1924: Maximum stage recorded, 2.55 feet at 4.40 p. m. April 15, 1914 (discharge, 370 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.20 feet at 7.30 a. m. December 24, 1914 (discharge, 25 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice for short periods during severe winters.

DIVERSIONS.—Several small diversions for irrigation above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve fairly well defined. Gage read once daily; to half tenths March 1 to April 27, and to hundredths, thereafter. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

# \*Jischarge measurements of Tucannon River near Pomeroy, Wash., during the year ending September 30, 1924

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 24	Feet 4. 27 4. 72 4. 55	Secft. 78. 6 238 174	Apr. 27 May 20 May 25	Feet 4. 61 4. 67 4. 52	Secft. 194 207 170	July 19 July 26 Sept. 8	Feet 4. 09 4. 03 4. 02	Secft. 65: 1 55: 7 50: 8

# Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Tucannon River near Pomeroy, Wash., for the year ending September 30, 1924

***				ı	ſ	1	ī
Day	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
•	162	122	306	118	60	49	51
1							31
2	162	122	315	112	58	49	53 53
ă	162	122	359	110	58	49	53
4	162	122	332	105	58	49	51
5	148	122	292	105	60	51	51
6	148	135	260	105	63	49	53
7	148	135	240	112	63	49	51
8	135	162	240	112	63	48	53
9	135	192	260	110	58	48	• 58
10	135	192	292	105	56	48	56
10	100	102	202	100	- 00	-10	30
11	135	210	315	108	56	46	53
	135	228	342	105	58	46	53
							33
13	135	232	359	98	58	44	51
14	135	228	359	92	56	• 44	51
15	122	228	342	89	54	46	51
16	135	210	315	87	56	48	49
17	135	186	292	85	58	53	40
	135	177			60	49	49 53
18			268	87			03
19	122	162	260	81	63	53	56
20	122	162	260	77	77	58	58
21	122	162	221	71	67	58	60
22	122	192	210	69	65	58	58
23	110	192	192	67	63	58	58 58
24	110	199	177	67	62	58	58
							08
25	110	192	168	67	58	56	60
26	110	192	162	67	58	54	60
27	110	203	151	67	54	51	62
28	122	221	140	67	53	49	60
29	122	248	138	63	53	49	58
30				63	51	51	90
	110	268	130	03			58
31	110		122		51	51	
		[				j	1

### Monthly discharge of Tucannon River near Pomeroy, Wash., for the year ending September 30, 1924

Month	Discha	rge in secon	d-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
March	162 268 359 118 77 58 62	110 122 122 63 51 44 49	131 184 252 89. 0 59. 0 50. 6 54. 9	8, 060 10, 900 15, 500 5, 300 3, 630 3, 110 3, 270
The period				49, 800

#### MISCELLANEOUS DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS

Discharge measurements of streams in the Snake River Basin at points other than regular gaging stations, made during the year ending September 30, 1924, are listed in the following table:

Date	Stream	Tributary to or divert- ing from—	Locality	Gage height	Dis- charge
Aug. 2	Snake River	Columbia River	fourths mile north of Firth.	Feet 1. 40	Secft. 701
3 4 July 22			at former gaging station "Snake River at Firth, Idaho."do	2. 01 2. 28 . 23	1, 150 1, 530 a 42. 8
Aug. 20 Sept. 11 Aug. 13	dodo	do do Snake River	Idaho.  do. Above all diversions, near Irwin, Idaho. Above Flemming head gate, near Irwin. Idaho.	. 23	a 44, 1 43, 1 15, 9
11	do	do	Above Flemming head gate, near Irwin, Idaho.		1. 5
Sept. 16	Total diversions Great Feeder Canal.	Rainey Creek Snake River	Above Flemming head gate, near Irwin, Idaho. Near Irwin, Idaho. Below White Canal heading; near Rigby, Idaho. 300 yards below head, near Ririe, Idaho.		8. 5 13. 8
June 19	Lowder Slough Creek.	do	300 yards below head, near Ririe, Idaho.		27. 2
July 1 21 26 May 27	l do	l do	l do	1	50. 6 50. 8 b . 3 81. 2
July 13			do		215
Aug. 3	do	do	Idaho. At Long Bridge, near Big	4.40	599
July 11 11	Duck Creek Rock Creek	Henrys Fork	Near mouth, near Lake, Idaho.		1.7 b 6.0
Aug. 4	Spring Creek West Twin Creek	do	do	. 20	1.7 3.3 4.0
July 11 11	Hope Creek East Hope Creek	do	do		b 3. 0 b 1. 0
June 28 July 9	Targhee Creek  Howard Creek	do dodo	do do		29. 7 18. 0 5. 1
13 10 Aug. 4	Kooch ditch	do	Idaho. At Long Bridge, near Big Springs, Idaho. Near mouth, near Lake, Idaho. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. do. d	. 20	2. 9 10. 6 . 7
4	Jimmie Creek	do	Three-eighths mile west of Sach ranch, near Lake,	. 20	.6
2	•	do	near Lake, Idaho.	. 60	8. 5
June 18		do	At bridge, three-fourths mile	1.78	22.0
July 14 Aug. 3	do	do	Springs, Idaho.	1. 72 1. 72	21. 0 16. 6
July 12	& Livestock Co.'s canal.		At head, near Island Park, Idaho.		<b>24.</b> 1
26 25	Boom Creek Canal Squirrel Creek Canal		l a ' - '		1.8 5.2 16.4
May 7	Warm Springs Creek.	Canyon Creek	At mouth, near Pincock Hot Springs, Idaho.		5.0
June 11 July 19 Aug. 16	dododo	do	dodoAt mouth, near Pincock Hot Springs, Idahodododododododo.		5. 9 4. 5 4. 3

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup> Furnished by Idaho Power Co.

<sup>•</sup> Estimated.

Miscellaneous discharge measurements in Snake River drainage basin during the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Dat	te	Stream	Tributary to or divert- ing from—	Locality	Gage height	Dis- charge
Sept.	13	Warm Springs	Canyon Creek	At mouth, near Pincock Hot	Feet	Secft. 4.3
12-	-14	Creek. Aggregate surface inflow.	Snake River	At mouth, near Pincock Hot Springs, Idaho. Between Shelley and Black- foot Bridge gaging stations,		34. 6
12-	-14	Aggregate surface in- flow excepting Blackfoot River.	do	Idaho.  Between Blackfoot Bridge and Clough ranch gaging sta- tions Idaho		9. 8
July	25	Spring Creek	Blackfoot River	Clough ranch gaging stations, Idaho. Sec. 17, T. 6 S., R. 42 E., 1½ miles southwest of Henry, Idaho.		ъс 6. З
Aug. Aug.		do	do	do		be 7. 2 € 5. 1
Sept.	11	ldo	do	do		o 8. 6
	11 8	Little Blackfoot River.	do	do NE. ¼ sec. 9, T. 6 S., R. 42 E., 400 yards below post office of Henry, Idaho. NE. ¼ sec. 9, T. 6 S., R. 42 E.,		6 8, 3 6 19, 4
	11	do	do	NE. ½ sec. 9, T. 6 S., R. 42 E., 600 yards below post office of Henry, Idaho.		¢ 37. 9
	11 19	do	do	NE. ½ sec. 9, T. 6 S., R. 42 E.,		* 32. 3 37. 1
July	15	Corral Creek	Blackfoot River	Henry, Idaho. Sec. 16, T. 5 S., R. 40 E., 14 miles northwest of Henry, Idaho.		¢ 7. 5
	29 21	Brush Creek	do	SW. ½ sec. 33, T. 3S., R. 39 E., at junction with Rawlings		• 5. 9 • 11. 4
Aug.	29	do	do	Creek, 19 miles southeast of Shelley, Idaho. do do do do do do Sec. 10, T. 3 S., R. 38 E., 16		• 10. 9 • 11. 3
Sept.	19	do	do	do		¢ 11. 3
Aug.	1	Wood Creek	do	Idaho.		¢ 1. 9
Мау	30		Mud Lake	Sec. 19, T. 10 N., R. 38 E., at Jacoby ranch, 11 miles east of Dubois, Idaho.		7. 3
July	4	do	do	do		5.7
Sept. Oct.	7	do	do	do	0. 92	8. 6 31. 5
Mar.				Sec. 10, T. 8 N., R. 36 E., at Cottonwood ranch, 2 miles northeast of Camas, Idaho.	2. 56	
Apr.	14	do	do	do	.90	7. 1 65. 1
Oct.	22	do	do	NW. 1/4 sec. 36, T. 7 N., R. 35 E., at highway bridge, 5 miles southwest of Hamer, Idaho.		109
Mar.	9	do	do			90. 9
Apr. May	10	do	do	do		205 135
TATO A	12	do	- do	dodo		107
June		do	do	do		50. 7
July	6	do	do	do		30. 8
Sept.	.8	do	do	do		42.8
May		Woods Hump ditch.	Camas Creek	dodo. Sec. 21, T. 12 N., R. 38 E., 4 miles below head, 10 miles east of Spencer, Idaho.		8. 8
July	30	do	do	do		7. 4
Sept.	7	do	do	do		Dry. Dry.
May	13	Woods Lucky Strike ditch.	do	miles below head, 10 miles east of Spencer, Idahodo		11.9
	30	do	do	do		18.8
	4 7	do	do	do		Drv.
July	77	do	do	do		Dry.
July Sept.	<u>, (</u>					
July Sept. May	30	Woods No. 1 ditch	do	do		Dry.

b Estimated.

<sup>•</sup> Furnished by United States Office of Indian Affairs.

Miscellaneous discharge measurements in Snake River drainage basin during the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Date	Stream	Tributary to or divert- ing from—	Locality	Gage height	Dis char
May 30	Woods Woodie ditch.	Camas Creek	Sec. 26, T. 11 N., R. 38 E., 1 mile below head, 10 miles south of Kilgore, Idaho.	Feet	Sec
fuly 4	do	do	1 40		Dı
Sept. 7	do	do	do		D <sub>1</sub>
May 30	Jacoby diten	ao	Sec. 17, T. 10 N., R. 38 E., one- fourth mile below head, 11 miles east of Dubois, Idaho.		1
uly 4	do	do	UO		]
Sept. 7	Beaver Creek	do	NE 1/ 200 92 TO 12 N D 26		27
May 13		do	NE. ¼ sec. 23. T. 12 N., R. 36 E., one-fourth mile south- east of Spencer, Idaho.		
uly 3	do	do	do		13
May 13	Rattlesnake Creek	Beaver Creek	NW 1/ cae 31 T 12 N R 37		1
-			NW. 1/4 sec. 31, T. 12 N., R. 37 E., 3 miles southeast of Spencer, Idaho.		Dı
uly 3 Oct. 22	Rays Lake Irrigat	Rays Lake	SE 1/ sec 30 T 7 N R 36		Ď
	ing Co.'s canal.	•	SE. ¼ sec. 30, T. 7 N., R. 36 E., 4 miles southwest of Hamer, Idaho.		
Mar. 9	do	do	do		D <sub>1</sub>
Iay 4	do	do	d0		Ď
12	do	do	do		
31	do	do	ldo		;
ıly 5	do	do	do		
ept. 8	do	Camas Creek	do		Ď
et. 22	Canal.		NW. ¼ sec. 36, T. 7 N., R. 35 E., three-fourths mile below Rays Lake, 5 miles south- west of Hamer, Idaho.		D
27	do	do	l đo		_1'
[ar. 10	do	do	do		Ď
26 [ay 4	do	do	do		D
12	do	do	do		Ď
31	do	do	do		ĭ
me 1		u0			D
ıly 6	do	do	do		1
ept. 9	do	do	do		_1
et. 22	Binnard Ranch Co.'s pump canal.	Mud Lake	NE. ¼ sec. 9, T. 6 N., R. 35 E., 8 miles southwest of Hamer, Idaho.		D
far. 10					D
26 [av 4	do	do	do		D
ay 4 14	do	do	do	<b></b>	D
me 1	do	do	do		
ıly 6	do	do	l do .		
ept. 9	do	do	do		D
ct. 22			Sec. 8, T. 6 N., R. 35 E., 9 miles southwest of Hamer, Idaho.		D
[ar. 10	00	do	do		D.
26 [ay 4	do	do	do	<b>-</b>	
.ay 4	do	do	do		
ne 1	do	do	do		$\mathbf{D}_{1}$
dy 6	do	đo	đo		$\mathbf{D}_{1}$
opt. 9 et. 22	Melton gravity ditch.	do	NE. ¼ sec. 13, T. 6 N., R. 34 E., 2 miles northeast of Terreton, Idaho.		
Iar. 10	do	do	reton, Idano.		D
26	do	do	do		Ď
lay 4	do	do	đo	1	Ďi
14	do	do	do		<b>b</b> ]
ine 1	do	do	do		$\mathbf{D}_{1}$
aly 6	do	do	do		D:
ept. 9		do			D

b Estimated.

			Tributary to an divert		Gage	Dis-
Date	е	Stream	Tributary to or divert- ing from—	Locality	height	charge
					Feet	Secft
Mar.		First Owsley segre- gation pump canal.	Mud Lake	24, T. 6 N., R. 34 E., 1 mile		Dry
	26	do	do	east of Terreton, Italio.   do		Dry
	4 14	do	do	do		Dry 114
June	2	do	do	do		115
	29	do	do	do		73.
July Sept. 1	7	do	do	do		43. 19.
	11	do	do	do		18.
July	7	(east branch).	ì	On line between secs. 24 and 25, T. 6 N., R. 34 E., 1.7 miles southeast of Terreton, Idaho.		16.
Sept. 1		do	do	do		Dry
July	7	gation pump canal (west branch).	do	26, T. 6 N., R. 34 E., 1.7 miles southeast of Terreton, Idaho.		13.
Sept. 1	11 11	do	do	1 21 T 6 N . R 34 E . 2 miles		19. ( 14. )
July	7	Inflow into First	Second Owsley and	west of Terreton, Idaho. SE. 1/2 sec. 22, T.6 N., R. 34 E., 1 mile south of Terreton,		10.
vary	•	Owsley segrega- tion pump canal (west branch).	Mud Lake pump canal.	1 mile south of Terreton, Idaho.		10.
	7	Rickman ditch	First Owsley segrega- tion pump canal (west branch).	About sec. 27, T. 6 N., R. 34 E., 1½ miles southwest of Terreton, Idaho.		8.0
	7	Bartlett ditch	do	About NE. ¼ sec. 29, T. 6 N.,		2. 3
Oct. 2		Second Owsley and Mud Lake pump canal.	Mud Lake	west of Terreton, Idaho. SE. ¼ sec. 15, T. 6 N., R. 34 E., at Terreton, Idaho		Dry
Mar. 1	0	do	do	do		Dry
	26	do	do	do		Dry Dry
1	4					65. (
	2	Millor num n dital d	Gooond O	GE 1/ 200 15 TV 6 N D 24		74. 4 Dry
Oct. 2			canal	SE. ½ sec. 15, T. 6 N., R. 34 E., one-half mile north of Terreton, Idaho.		_
Mar. 1	6	do	0	do		Dry Dry
	4	do	do	do		Dry
	5	do	do	do		Dry.
June July	6	do	do	do		Dry
Sept. 1	ŏ	do	do	do		Dry
Oct. 2	22			SW. ¼ sec. 14, T. 6 N., R. 34 E., one-half mile north of Terreton, Idaho.		Dry
Mar. 1	0	do l	do	do	1	Dry. Dry.
May <sup>2</sup>						Dry
1	4	do	do	do		2. 5
	6	do	do	do		$\frac{2.1}{2.2}$
uij	7	do	do	do		2. 3
Sept. 1 Oct. 2	2	Jemmett pump ditch	do	SE. ¼ sec. 15, T. 6 N., R. 34 E., at Terreton, Idaho.		Dry Dry
Mar. 1	0	do	do	do		Dry. Dry.
May 2	4	do	do	do		Dry.
	4	do	do	do		2.8
une	2		,	do		2. 6 Dry.
July Sept. 10	6	do	do	do		Dry
Mar. 2	6	Sykes gravity ditches.	Mud Lake	NE. ½ sec. 15, T. 6 N., R. 34 E., three-fourths mile north of Terreton, Idaho.		Dry.
	4	do	do	do		Dry.
e 1	2	do	do	do		3. 9 Dry.
		uv	uu	do		Dry.
У	6 .			uv		Dry

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>d</sup> Formerly known as Miller-Cutler pump ditch.

Date	Stream	Tributary to or divert- ing from—	Locality	Gage height	Dis char
				Feet	Sec.
May 15	Miller gravity ditch.	Mud Lake	NW. ½ sec. 15, T. 6 N., R. 34 E., 1.7 miles northwest of Terreton, Idaho. dodo		<b>b</b> (
une 2 uly 7	do	do	do		D
uly 7	do	do do	do		D
ept. 10	do	do	On line hatman sees floor 16	ļ	D
far. 11			northwest of Terreton,		D
26 [ay 4	do	do	do		D
15	do	do	do		ь
ine 2					D
ıly 7	do	do	do		D
ept. 10 ct. 23	aiten.	do do	Terreton, Idaho.		D
[ar. 11	do	do	do		Ð
26	do	do	do		Ð
lay 4	ao	do	d0		D
me 2	do	do	do		b
ılv 7	do	do	do		Ď
pt. 10 ct. 23	do	do	do		D
et. 23 [ar. 26	Owsley cooperative canal.	do	do		D b
[ay 4	do	do	do		b
ne 2	do	do	do		ь
pt. 9	Underwood ditch	do	do		D
		Owsley cooperative canal. Mud Lake	do		70
ct. 23	Ferrusi gravity ditch.		NE. ¼ sec. 32, T. 7 N., R. 34 E., 4½ miles northwest of Terreton, Idaho.		D
lar. 11 26	do		do		D
ay 4	do	do	do		ď
15	do	do	do		
ne 2 ly 7	do	do	do		D
ıly 7	do	do	do		v
pt. 9 ar. 11	do	do	do		D
			E., 4½ Immes flottiwest of Terreton, Idaho.  do		D
26 [ay 4	do	do	do		Þ
18y 4	do	do	do		b
ne 2	do	do	do		D
pt. 10	do	do	do		Ď
ay 15	Nordstrum - Abbott gravity ditch.	do	do. Sec. 21, T. 7 N., R. 34 E., 5 miles northwest of Terreton, Idaho.		
dy 7	do	do	do		D
pt. 9	do	do do Jefferson Lake	do		D
ar. 26	Canal.		E., 6½ miles northwest of Terreton, Idaho.		D
ay 4	do	do			3
ne 2	do	do	do		δ δ
ly 7	do l				1
pt. 9	do	do	do		
et. 22	do	Hamer Lake	dodosw. ¼ sec. 14, T. 7 N., R. 36 E., one-half mile northeast of Hamer, Idaho.		D
ar. 9	do	do	0dodododododododo		Ď
26 ay 4	00	do	do		Ď
12	do	do	u0		1
31	do	do	do		1
dy 5	do	do	dodo		1
ept. 8 lly 5	do	do	E.½ sec. 14, T. 7 N., R. 36 E.,		1
ıly 5	Hamer Canal Co.'s artesian well.	do	E.½ sec. 14, T. 7 N., R. 36 E., 1 mile northeast of Hamer,		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> Estimated

June   3   Birch Creek	Da	te	Stream	Tributary to or divert- ing from—	Locality	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 20	June	3	Birch Creek	Snake River	Sec. 13, T. 10 N., R. 29 E., 45	Feet 1, 95	Secft. 84. 2
June 22  do	May	<b>2</b> 9			miles west of Dubois, Idaho. Sec. 11, T. 6 N., R. 28 E., 8 miles northwest of Howe,		64. 4
Cot. 20	June May	22 27	Big Lost River	do	4.		69. 8 52. 9
Cot. 20		27	Era Canal	Big Lost River	miles west of Arco, Idaho. Sec. 30, T. 4 N., R. 26 E., 7 miles west of Arco, Idaho.	3. 12	167
May 7		27	Lower Blaine Canal.	Era Canal	On line between secs. 29 and 30, T. 4 N., R. 26 E., 6 miles	.94	65. 4
May 7					west of Arco, Idaho. SW. ¼ SW. ¼ sec. 3, T. 8 S., R. 38 E., 0.7 mile north of Pebble, Idaho.	1. 42	117
July 18	May	7	do	do	do	1.70	143 148
Sept. 21	June	18	do	qo	do	2, 99	161
Aug. 19	Sept.	21	do	do	do		89.6
Sept. 12			!		Idano.		a 16. 7
Sept. 12	Aug.	19	do	do	do		a 15. 2
Apr. 16					9 S., R. 18 E., 4½ miles north		43, 6
Apr. 16         do.         do.         do.         36         188           May 18         do.         do.         do.         .90         .93         19           July 21         do.         do.         do.         .90         .9	Nov.	1	Blue Lakes outlet	d0,			220
Aug. 17   Aug. 18   Aug. 19   Aug. 19   Aug. 19   Aug. 10   Aug.	Apr.	16	do	do	do	.86	186
Aug. 17   Aug. 18   Aug. 19   Aug. 19   Aug. 19   Aug. 10   Aug.	June	6	do	do	do	. 93	193
Aug. 17   Aug. 18   Aug. 19   Aug. 19   Aug. 19   Aug. 10   Aug.	July	21	do	do	do	.90	a • 208
Aug. 17   Aug. 18   Aug. 19   Aug. 19   Aug. 19   Aug. 10   Aug.		24	do	do	do	. 90	192
Aug. 17   Aug. 18   Aug. 19   Aug. 19   Aug. 19   Aug. 10   Aug.	Aug.	19	do	do	do	.91	
Sept. 9		20	Crystal Springs	do	Sec. 7, T. 9 S., R. 16 E., and sec. 12, T. 9 S., R. 15 E., 6 miles northwest of Filer, Idaho.	.91	407
Sept. 9	Aug.	18	do	do	do		
Sept. 9			Niagara Springs	do	Sec. 4, T. 9 S., R. 15 E., 6 miles northeast of Buhl, Idaho.		a 218
Sept. 9	Aug. Sept.	9	do	do	do		
Aug. 17			versions				• 33. 2 27. 2
Tuly 16					north of Buhl, Idaho.		a 501
Aug. 16	-				Sec. 3, T. 9 S., R. 14 E., at ford above ranch house, 5½ miles		495 110
Aug. 16	Aug.	17	do	do	do		a 111
Aug. 16	Sept.	10	Ranhury Springs	do	Coo 22 T 2 S D 14 F at		113 4 95.4
Aug. 16 Box Canyon. do. Sec. 28, T. 8 S., R.14 E., below falls three-fourths mile from Snake River, 8½ miles northwest of Buhl, Idaho.					mouth, 7 miles northwest of Buhl, Idaho.		
falls three-fourths mile from Snake River, 8½ miles northwest of Buhl, Idaho.	Sept.	18	do	do	uo		
Sept. 8 July 15 Sand Springs       do       do       360-17, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 6 miles southeast of Hager       9/82					Sec. 28, T. 8 S., R.14 E., below falls three-fourths mile from Snake River, 8½ miles northwest of Buhl, Idaho.		a 303
July 15 Sand Springs Sec. 17, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 6 miles southeast of Hager	Sept.	.8	do	do	do		264
man, Idano.					Sec. 17, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 6 miles southeast of Hager- man, Idaho.		#f 82, 6
Aug. 15' do	Aug.	15°	do	do			* 73.7 * 79.6

<sup>Furnished by Idaho Power Co.
Includes 11.3 second-feet diverted.
Includes 17.6 second-feet diverted.</sup> 

<sup>•</sup> Includes 20.0 second-feet diverted. • Includes 18.5 second-feet diverted.

Date	Stream	Tributary to or divert- ing from—	Locality	Gage height	Dis- charge
				Feet	Secft.
Aug. 16	Tailrace from Thou- sand Springs power plant.	Thousand Springs (east and west channels).	Sec. 8, T. 8S., R. 14 E., 5 miles southeast of Hagerman, Idaho.		
Sept. 8 July 14	Thousand Springs (east channel).	Snake River	On line between secs. 8 and 17, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 5 miles southeast of Hagerman, Idaho.		509 a 634
Aug. 16	do	do	do		a 526
Sept. 8 July 14	(west channel).	do do	southeast of Hagerman,	1	544 a 252
Aug. 16	do	do	do		243 238
Sept. 8 July 14	(west channel).	1	do	1	a 48, 9
Aug. 15	do	do	dodo		<sup>a</sup> 50. 2 <sup>i</sup> 48. 3
Sept. 7 July 12		Snake River	southeast of Hagerman,		a 107
Aug. 14 Sept. 6	do	do	do		120
July 14	{		Sec. 6, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 4 miles southeast of Hagerman, Idaho.		a 48. 2
Aug. 14- 15.	1	do	i		a 45. 0
Sept. 7 July 14		do	Sec. 6, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 4 miles southeast of Hagerman, Idaho.		42.4 a.8
Aug. 14	do	do	do		a.7
Sept. 7 July 14	do	do dodo	Sec. 6, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 4 miles southeast of Hagerman, Idaho.		<sup>b</sup> 2.0 <sup>a</sup> 23.3
Aug. 14	do	do dodo	do		a 17.9
Aug. 14 Sept. 7 Aug. 15	do	do	do		16. 5
			Sec. 6, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 3½ miles southeast of Hager- man, Idaho.		4 57. 0 67. 7
Sept. 6 July 12		do	Sec. 1, T. 8 S., R. 13 E., below diversions, 3 miles south- east of Hagerman, Idaho.		a 117
Aug. 14	do	do			4 113 128
July 12	Tucker Springs	dodo. Riley Creek	Sec. 6, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 3½ miles southeast of Hager- man, Idaho.		a 78. 4
12	Buckeye ditch and other diversions.	Riley Creek and Tucker Springs.	man, Idaho. Sec. 31, T. 7 S., R. 14 E., and sec. 36, T. 7 S., R. 13 E., 3 miles southeast of Hagerman, Idaho.		a 35. 6
Aug. 14	do	do	do		a 51. 2
Sept. 6 July 10		doSnake River			32. 5 45. 1
Aug. 13	do	do	do		a 42. 1
Sept. 5 July 10	Diversions	Billingsley Creek	bridge, 2 miles northeast of Hagerman, Idaho.  do		63. 1 ai 42. 2
Aug. 13	do	do	do		4 57. 5
Aug. 13 Sept. 5 July 9	Big Wood River	Snake River	Sec. 36, T. 6 S., R. 13 E., above upper dam, 4½ miles north of Hagerman, Idaho.	2. 79	41. 9 4601
Aug. 12 Sept. 5	do	do	of Hagerman, Idaho. do do	2. 78 2. 78	a 620 623

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Furnished by Idaho Power Co. <sup>b</sup> Estimated.

<sup>•</sup> Water from wasteway not measured.
• Some ditches omitted.

Miscellaneous discharge measurements in Snake River drainage basin during the year ending September 30, 1924—Continued

Da	te	Stream	Tributary to or divert- ing from—	Locality	Gage height	Dis- charge
July	8	Big Wood River	Snake River	Sec. 34, T. 6 S., R. 13 E., 4 miles north of Hagerman,	Feet 1. 4	Secft.
Aug.	17 12		do	Idaho, do do	1.3 1.34	a 178 a 196
Sept. July	5 8	Malad flume	Big Wood River	NW. ¼ NE. ¼ sec. 34, T. 6 S. R. 13 E., above King Hill ditch 4 miles north of Hager-	1.39	215 a 953
Aug.	17 12	do	do	man, Idaho. do. do. do. do. Sec. 28, T. 6 S., R. 13 E., 4½		a1, 020 a 995
Sept. July	5	do	do	do		975
July	9	King Hill ditch	Malad flume	Idaho.		a 293
Aug.	13	do	do	do		a 301
Sept.	4	Frazier Spring	Rattlesnake Creek	About 2 miles north of Moun-		274 *. 1
Aug.	15	Rattlesnake Creek		tain Home, Idaho. Sec. 27, T. 3 N., R. 6 E., 7	1. 18	4.8
	15	Willow Creek	do	Idaho. Sec. 1, T. 2 N., R. 5 E., 10 miles northwest of Lenox, Idaho. SE. 4 sec. 3, T. 22 S., R. 36 E.,		k. 2
Apr.	19	Malheur River	Snake River	northwest of Lenox, Idaho.	1, 69	230
-				Drawsov Orac		
June Apr.		North Fork of Mal-	Malheur River	SW 1/2 Sec. 22 T 20 S . R 37	. 08 1. 86	18. 7 182
zipi.		heur River.		SW. 1/4 sec. 22, T. 20 S., R. 37 E., at former gaging station near Juntura, Oreg.		
~ .	11	•	do	Westfall, Oreg.	1. 22	b 1.0
Sept.		North Fork of Pay- ette River.	Payette River	miles north of Banks, Idaho.	1.35	170
Dec.	20	do	do	At former gaging station at Westfall, Oreg. Sec. 29, T. 10 N., R. 3 E., 6½ miles north of Banks, Idaho. Sec. 28, T. 9 N., R. 3 E., three-fifths mile above Banks, Idaho.		233
Oct.	30	Weiser Irrigation District Canal.	Weiser River	1dano. SW. 4 sec. 29, T. 11 N., R. 5 W., at pumping station at Weiser, Idaho. do do do	1. 27	8. 1
Apr.	25	do	do	do	2. 56	104
May June	15	do	do	do	3. 07 2. 58	137 101
June	15	do	_do	_do	2.74	56, 8
	24	do	do	do	3, 62	136
Aug.	1	do	do	do	2. 54	35. 4 16. 1
Sept.	13	Warm Springs Creek	Salmon River	Sec. 27, T. 11 N., R. 15 E., 14	2. 51 1. 44	64.2
Aug.	7	Elk Creek	South Fork of Salmon	do do Sec. 27, T. 11 N., R. 15 E., 14 miles west of Clayton, Idaho Sec. 15, T. 21 N., R. 7 E., 13 miles southeast of Warren, Idaho		21.
July	16	Selway River (head of Clearwater		Idaho.  2 miles above Goat Creek, Idaho.		313
Aug.	19	River).	do	At 18th Street Bridge, Lewiston, Idaho.		2, 830
Sept.	21 13	do	do	At Spalding Bridge, near Lew-		4, 040 2, 180
July		Running Creek	Selway River	iston, Idaho. At mouth, Idahodododododododo		52, 0
	16	Goat Creek	do	do		20.4
	11	Bear Creek	do	do		134 35.8
	11 8	Moose Creek	do	Above North Fork of Moose		165
	8	North Fork of Moose Creek,	Moose Creek	Above North Fork of Moose Creek, Idaho. At mouth, Idaho.		137
	5	Meeker Creek	Selway River	do	<b>-</b>	6. 6 71. 7
June	5 26	Meadow Creek	do	do		378
	26	Gedney Creek	do	do		122
	20	Nineteenmile Creek	do	do		4.9 14.5
	20	ROCK UHH UTEEK				14.

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k Measured by improvised Cippoletti weir.

Date	Stream	Tributary to or divert- ing from—	Locality	Gage height	Dis- charge
July 27 Aug. 9 July 29 Aug. 11 June 9 Sept. 5	Lochsa Riverdo	Lochsa River	1 mile below Papoose Creek, Idaho. One-fourth mile above Sherman Creek, Idaho. At mouth, Idaho		Secft. 320 352 16. 0 44. 7 41. 5 56. 3 166

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Page	Big Wood Slough at Hailey, Idaho 151-152
Accuracy of data and results, degrees of 4-5	Billingsley Creek, Idaho, discharge measure-
Acre-foot, definition of2	ments of
Appropriations, record of1	Binnard Ranch Co.'s gravity ditch, Idaho,
Arrowrock, Idaho, Boise River near 182-183	discharge measurements of 252
Moore Creek near 191–192 Arrowrock Reservoir at Arrowrock, Idaho 180–181	Binnard Ranch Co.'s pump canal, Idaho, dis- charge measurements of 252
Ashton, Idaho, Henrys Fork near 49-50	Birch Creek, Idaho, discharge measurement
Ashton and St. Anthony gaging stations,	of
Idaho, diversions from Henrys	Blackfoot, Idaho, Fort Hall Lower Canal
Fork between 50-51	near88–89
В	Fort Hall Upper Canal near 87-88
В	Snake River near 26–27
Baldwin, G. C., and assistants, work of 9	Snake River (Nos. 1 and 2 channels) near_ 22-23
Banbury Springs, Idaho, discharge measure-	Snake River (No. 3 channel) near 23-25 Blackfoot Bridge and Clough gaging stations,
ments of 255	diversion from Snake River be-
Banks, Idaho, Payette River at 198-199 South Fork of Payette River near 208-209	tween25-26
Bannock Jim Slough Creek, Idaho, dis-	Blackfoot Bridge and Shelley gaging stations,
charge measurement of 250	Idaho, diversions from Snake
Bartlett ditch, Idaho, discharge measure-	River between21
ment of 253	Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir near Henry,
Bear Creek, Idaho, discharge measurement	Idaho
of	Blackfoot River above reservoir, near Henry, Idaho
Bear Valley Creek near Cape Horn,	near Blackfoot, Idaho 80-81
Idaho	near Henry, Idaho
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