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## SURFACE WATER SUPPLY OF SNAKE RIVER BASIN, 1925

#### AUTHORIZATION AND SCOPE OF WORK

This volume is one of a series of 14 reports presenting records of measurements of flow made on streams in the United States during the year ending September 30, 1925.

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	1908-1910	100, 000, 00
1896	24, 500, 00	1911–1917	150, 000. 00
1897-1899	50, 000. 00	1918	175, 000. 00
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1903-1906	200, 000. 00	1921-1923	180, 000, 00
1907	150, 000. 00	1924–1925	170, 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 10.

Measurements of stream flow have been made at about 5,120 points in the United States and also at many points in Alaska and the Hawaiian Islands. In July, 1925, 1,710 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.

#### 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, and acre-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

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, 1924, and ending September 30, 1925. 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 run-off 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

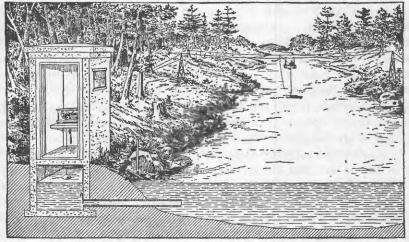


FIGURE 1.-Typical gaging station

direct readings 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. The general methods are 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.

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 condition 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 of 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 fluctuations 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 discharge at regular intervals during the day or by using the 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 permanency of the stage-discharge relation and (2) on the accuracy of observation of stage, measurements 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 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" published in the earlier reports 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 areas of the United States are situated 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 stations 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 tables of monthly discharge give 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, underground 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 bulletins, monographs, professional papers, and annual reports.

The result of stream-flow measurements are now published annually in 12 parts, each part covering an area whose boundaries coincide with natural drainage 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.
  - 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 volumes:
    - A, Pacific slope basins in Washington and upper Columbia River Basin.
    - B, Snake River Basin.
    - C, Pacific slope basins in Oregon and lower Columbia River Basin.

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., University of Virginia. Asheville, N. C., 608 City Hall Building.

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., 406 Federal Building.

Portland, Oreg., 606 Post Office Building.

San Francisco, Calif., 303 Customhouse.

Los Angeles, Calif., 600 Federal Building.

Tucson, Ariz., 104 Agriculture 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 more than 5,120 points in the United States, and the data obtained have been published in the reports tabulated below:

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

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

12th A, pt. 2	Report	Character of data	Year
12th A, pt. 2	10th A, pt. 2	Descriptive information only	
12th A, pt. 2	11th A, pt. 2		1884 to Septem ber, 1890.
18th A, pt. 2   Monthly discharge (long-time records, 1871 to 1893)   1884 to Dee   1889   1811     1892   1888 to Dee   1893   1893 and 18   1893   1893 and 18   1894   1895	12th A, pt. 2	do	1884 to June 30
14th A, pt. 2	13th A, pt. 3	Mean discharge in second-feet	1884 to Dec. 31
1811	14th A, pt. 2	Monthly discharge (long-time records, 1871 to 1893)	1888 to Dec. 31
1840	B 131 16th A. pt. 2	Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings	1893 and 1894.
11.   Gage heights (also gage heights for earlier years).   1896.		Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, ratings, and monthly	1895.
18th A, pt. 4	W 11		1896
Descriptions, measurements, and gage heights, eastern United States, eastern Mississippi River, and Missouri River above junction with Kansas.	18th A, pt. 4	Descriptions, measurements, ratings, and monthly discharge	1895 and 1896.
1897.   1897	W 15	Descriptions, measurements, and gage heights, eastern United States, eastern Mississippi River, and Missouri River above	1897.
19th A, pt. 2	W 16	Descriptions, measurements, and gage heights, western Missis- sippi River below junction of Missouri and Platte, and western	1897.
W 27	19th A, pt. 2	Descriptions, measurements, ratings, and monthly discharge	1897.
W 28.         Measurements, ratings, and gage heights, Arkansas River and western United States.         1898.           20th A, pt. 4         Monthly discharge (also for many earlier years).         1898.           21st A, pt. 4         Monthly discharge.         1899.           22d A, pt. 4         Monthly discharge.         1900.           W 65, 66         Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings.         1900.           W 75         Monthly discharge.         1901.           W 82 to 85         Complete data.         1902.           W 97 to 100         0         1903.           W 124 to 135         0         1904.           W 165 to 178         0         1905.           W 201 to 214         0         1906.           W 261 to 272         0         1909.           W 281 to 292         0         1910.           W 301 to 312         0         1911.           W 351 to 362         0         1915.           W 401 to 414         0         1915.           W 401 to 444         0         1915.           W 401 to 444         0         1916.           W 451 to 464         0         1917.           W 451 to 464         0         1917.	W 27	Measurements, ratings, and gage heights, eastern United States,	1898.
20th A, pt. 4         Monthly discharge (also for many earlier years)         1898.           W 35 to 39         Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings         1899.           21st A, pt. 4         Monthly discharge         1899.           W 47 to 52         Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings         1900.           W 65, 66         Descriptions, measurements, gage heights, and ratings         1901.           W 75         Monthly discharge         1901.           W 82 to 85         Complete data         1902.           W 97 to 100         do         1903.           W 124 to 135         do         1904.           W 165 to 178         do         1905.           W 201 to 214         do         1907-8.           W 261 to 272         do         1907-8.           W 261 to 272         do         1910.           W 301 to 312         do         1911.           W 351 to 362         do         1912.           W 351 to 362         do         1913.           W 401 to 414         do         1915.           W 401 to 444         do         1915.           W 451 to 464         do         1917.           W 451 to 464         do <td< td=""><td>W 28</td><td>Measurements, ratings, and gage heights, Arkansas River and</td><td>1898.</td></td<>	W 28	Measurements, ratings, and gage heights, Arkansas River and	1898.
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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 table following gives, by years and drainage basins, the numbers of the papers on surface-water supply published from 1899 to 1918. The data for any particular station will, as a rule, 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.

# Numbers of water-supply papers containing results of stream measurements, 1889-1925 [For basins included see p. 6]

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i Loup and Platte Rivers near Columbus, Nebr., and all tributaries below junction with \* Rating tables and index to Water-Supply Papers 35-39 contained in Water-Supply Paper 35. Tables for monthly discharge for 1899 in Twenty-first Annual Report, Part IV. \* James River only.

· Gallatin River.

d Green and Gunnison Rivers and Grand River above function with Gunnison.

• Mohave River only.

• Mohave River only.

f Kings and Kern Rivers and south Pacific slope basins.

• Rating tables and index to Water-Supply Papers 41-52 and data on precipitation, wells, and irrigation in California and Usah contained in Water-Supply Paper 52. Tables for monthly discharge for 1900 in Twenty-second Annual Report, Part IV.

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· Scioto River

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\* Tributaries of Mississippi from east.

\* Lake Ontario and tributaries to St. Lawrence River proper. "Hudson Bay only.
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"Hudson River to Delaware River, inclusive.
"Susquehama River to Yadkin River, inclusive.
"Platte and Kansas Rivers.

Great Basin in California, except Truckee and Carson River Basins.

Roque, Umpqua, and Siletz Rivers only. · Below junction with Gila.

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Acknowledgment for gage-height records and discharge measurements furnished by cooperating parties is made in the descriptions of gaging stations.

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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, 1925.

Gage.—Stevens 8-day water-stage recorder on right bank referred to auxiliary chain gage on bridge. Overhanging chain gage on right bank 2½ miles above used only as reference gage. Read by Joseph Markham.

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. Condition at upper auxiliary location similar except that the stream is in one channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during periods October 1-17 and June 16 to July 15, 7.24 feet at 11 p. m. June 20 (discharge, 6,450 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.49 feet from 8 to 11 a. m. October 1 (discharge, 229 second-feet); probably even lower stages occurred during period of no record.

1913-1925: Maximum discharge recorded in 1925; minimum stage, 1.4 feet October 26-31, 1915 (discharge, 160 second-feet).

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

DIVERSIONS.—None above station.

REGULATION .- None.

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

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

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Discharge measurements of Snake River at south boundary of Yellowstone National Park during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
October 2 June 23	Feet 2. 60 6. 32	Secft. 256 4, 330	July 11August 8	Feet 4.74 4 3.30	Secft. 1, 630 623

<sup>•</sup> By overhanging chain gage 21/2 miles above bridge.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at south boundary of Yellowstone National Park, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oet.	June	July	Day	Oct.	June	July	Day	Oct.	June	July
1 2 3 4 5	236 254 289 296 302		3, 760 3, 190 3, 100 2, 750 3, 560	11	336 350 342 342 342		1, 680 1, 600 1, 490 1, 380 1, 240	21		5, 170 4, 720 5, 080 4, 590 4, 500	
6 7 8 9 10	312 322 328 336 332		2, 920 2, 660 2, 420 2, 050 1, 850	16 17 18 19 20	342 342	4, 020 3, 740 4, 250 4, 990 5, 330		26		4, 440 4, 230 4, 210 4, 190 4, 120	

NOTE.—No record Oct. 18 to June 15 and July 16 to Sept. 30. • No gage-height record obtained Oct. 14-16; discharge interpolated.

Monthly discharge of Snake River at south boundary of Yellowstone National Park, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 1-17	350 5, 330 3, 760	236 3, 740 1, 240	318 4, 510 2, 380	10, 700 134, 000 70, 800

#### 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, 1925. 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, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	2, 410 2, 410 2, 930 4, 810 6, 190	43, 210 43, 910 44, 620	72, 000 72, 900 73, 980 74, 890 75, 790	98, 150 99, 070 100, 170 101, 270 102, 550	132, 910 134, 420 135, 930 137, 440 138, 950	163, 810 164, 790 165, 570 166, 350 167, 130	191, 040 192, 230 193, 220			845, 950 846, 210 846, 720 846, 720 847, 230	667, 780 653, 730 640, 470 629, 890 618, 620	389, 580 381, 820 <b>374</b> , 740 368, 340 363, 950
6 7 8 9 10	7, 220 8, 080 8, 940 9, 800 11, 000	46, 900 47, 780		103, 650 104, 750 106, 030 107, 140 108, 250	140, 460 141, 970 143, 480 144, 630 145, 390	168, 100 168, 880 169, 660 170, 640 171, 420		295, 900 304, 390 312, 960	692, 620 703, 630 711, 740	848, 250 847, 230 847, 000 847, 740 847, 740	607, 870 598, 340 588, 850 578, 170 566, 620	360, 000 360, 440 360, 440 360, 440 360, 440
11 12 13 14 15	14, 620 16, 850 17, 720 18, 590 19, 460	52, 180 53, 430 54, 680	82, 110 83, 020 83, 920		146, 930 147, 690 148, 460	172, 390 173, 170 173, 950 174, 920 175, 900	202, 330 204, 340 206, 750 209, 170 212, 180	333, 630 342, 310 350, 570	738, 620 746, 530 754, 500	847, 230 847, 000 847, 230 847, 230 847, 230	556, 250 544, 300 532, 600 521, 660 511, 430	361, 760 363, 070 364, 830 365, 920 367, 460
16 17 18 19 20	21, 540 23, 800 26, 060	58, 070 59, 140 60, 210	86, 630 87, 530 88, 440	116, 060 117, 550 118, 480 119, 410 120, 150	151, 340 152, 300 153, 260	177, 850 178, 820 179, 600	221, 230 225, 900 229, 780	388, 470 401, 400	809, 400	844, 420 839, 840 830, 430 821, 020 809, 400		369, 000 370, 530 371, 860 374, 070 375, 620
21 22 23 24 25	29, 720 31, 110 32, 320 33, 720 34, 940	62, 880 63, 950 65, 020	90, 820 91, 560 92, 290	123, 130 124, 060	156, 320 157, 470	181, 940 182, 720 183, 520	239, 360 242, 630 245, 930	458, 280 473, 840 489, 700	836, 790 840, 610 842, 390	788, 490	458, 050 451, 230 444, 180	379, 170 380, 720 382, 270
26 27 28 29 30	37, 050 38, 100 39, 160	68, 050 69, 120 70, 010 70, 910	95, 220	126, 310 127, 630 128, 760 130, 080	161, 690 162, 840	186, 090 186, 680 187, 480	253, 170 255, 440 257, 720 259, 990	537, 980 554, 840 572, 040	845, 950 847, 000 847, 480 848, 250	721, 810 708, 790	413, 690 405, 870	385, 810 386, 920 388, 910 390, 020

#### 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 large tributaries between dam and station.

DRAINAGE AREA.—820 square miles.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—September 21, 1903, to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank. Datum lowered 1.0 foot July 26, 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, 7.72 feet at 6 p. m. July 31 (discharge, 9,210 second-feet); minimum discharge, 11 second-feet November 14 to March 21.

1903-1925: 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 not affected by ice.

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 curves well defined. Staff gage read once daily October 20 to May 22. Water-stage recorder operation satisfactory during remainder of year. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Snake River near Moran, Wyo., during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 4	Feet 0. 14 . 07 5. 35 4. 24	Secft. 19. 6 14. 5 4, 360 2, 870	June 22 June 23 July 11 Aug. 6	Feet 5. 31 6. 77 4. 79 6. 50	Secft. 4, 330 7, 060 3, 780 6, 630	Aug. 7	Feet 6. 63 6. 27	Secft. 6, 900 6, 250

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Moran, Wyo., for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12 23 45	348 420 369 22 20	14 14 14 14 14	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	22 24 28 28 28 32	50 54 52 52 52 52	153 78 56 54 58	7, 280 5, 340 5, 210 4, 880 4, 150	9, 100 8, 880 8, 140 7, 430 6, 970	5, 240 4, 880 4, 400 3, 750 3, 340
6	20 19 18 17 15	14 14 14 13 13	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	35 41 45 49 52	52 50 50 49 45	64 73 87 58 54	6,030 5,160 3,820 3,310 3,750	6, 710 6, 570 6, 520 6, 930 7, 050	1, 930 873 1, 240 1, 180 563
11	15 14 14 14 14	13 12 12 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	52 52 52 52 52 52	45 45 45 45 45	49 47 52 54 64	3, 690 3, 080 2, 980 2, 780 2, 890	7, 290 7, 370 7, 290 6, 990 <b>6, 440</b>	42 34 34 32 32
16	14 14 18 19 18	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	52 52 52 52 52 52	45 108 108 108 98	80 64 69 666 2, 910	5, 100 6, 610 7, 230 7, 830 8, 160	6, 030 5, 540 4, 900 4, 640 4, 370	30 29 29 32 30
21 22 23 24 25	15 14 14 14 14	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11	11 12 14 15 16	52 52 43 43 43	82 73 64 90 92	3, 790 5, 480 6, 830 6, 590 6, 540	7, 600 7, 740 7, 350 7, 390 7, 350	4, 390 4, 370 4, 370 4, 390 4, 390	30 30 29 27 26
26. 27. 28. 29. 30.	14 14 14 14 14 14	11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11 11 11 11	11 11 11	18 18 18 18 18 18	43 45 47 49 50	95 131 131 197 312 204	6, 570 6, 350 6, 060 6, 480 7, 730	7, 390 7, 600 8, 000 8, 530 8, 820 8, 970	4, 390 4, 370 4, 350 4, 670 5, 290 5, 280	26 27 26 27 27

Norg.—Mean of hourly discharges used Oct. 3, June 19-22, 30, July 1, 16, Aug. 29, Sept. 6, and 10. Discharge interpolated Oct. 12.

Monthly discharge of Snake River near Moran, Wyo., for the year ending September 30, 1925

	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	14 11 11 11 18 52 312 7,730	14 11 11 11 11 22 45 47 2,780 4,350 4,350	50. 9 12. 1 11. 0 11. 0 12. 8 44. 8 46. 1 2, 240 6, 000 5, 980	3, 130 720 676 676 611 787 2, 670 5, 290 133, 000 369, 000 368, 000 55, 500	
The year	9, 100	11	1,300	940, 000	

#### SNAKE RIVER NEAR HEISE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 5, T. 3 N., R. 41 E., 600 feet above Anderson Dam, in Bonneville County, 3 miles above Heise, 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, 1925.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank; inspected by Moore, Smith, and Kremer.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 50 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 the high-water periods of 1917 and 1918 but have recently been repaired.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 7.93 feet at 8 a. m. May 22 (discharge, 25,100 second-feet); minimum discharge probably less than 2,100 second-feet some time during ice-affected period in December. 1910–1925: Maximum discharge recorded, about 52,000 second-feet June 16, 1918; minimum discharge occurred in December, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

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; affected by ice November 26 to January 22 and February 7-12. Standard rating curve well defined. Water-stage recorder operation satisfactory. Daily discharge determined by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Shifting-control method used March 29, 30, and May 16-20. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Snake River near Heise, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 14 Dec. 1 Jan. 9 Feb. 3 Mar. 6 Apr. 28 May 13	Feet 2.00 41.85 43.60 1.46 1.43 3.88 5.99	Secft. 2, 970 2, 450 2, 350 2, 410 2, 280 6, 990 15, 000	May 21	Feet 7, 47 7, 04 6, 04 6, 77 5, 40 5, 22 5, 63	Secft. 22, 900 21, 400 16, 400 20, 200 13, 900 13, 200 14, 800	Aug. 15	Feet 5. 13 4. 33 4. 14 4. 06 3. 24 2. 76	Secft. 12, 800 9, 800 8, 810 8, 640 6, 020 4, 720

Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Heise, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr	May	June .	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5		2,880 2,850 2,790 2,790 2,810	2, 450	2, 420	2, 340 2, 340 2, 390 2, 590 2, 960	2, 180 2, 260 2, 260 2, 180 2, 260	3, 380 3, 340 3, 610 4, 310 5, 360	8,350 9,390 11,000 12,400 12,700	22, 300 19, 600 17, 900 16, 600 15, 600	23, 200 22, 100 19, 800 19, 400 18, 800	15,000 15,100 15,100 14,600 13,700	9, 870 9, 800 9, 540 9, 020 8, 560
6 7 8 9	2, 950 2, 880	2,850 2,730 2,680 2,680 2,730		2, 350	3, 360 2, 670	2, 370 2, 540 2, 640 2, 630 2, 470	5, 610 5, 080 4, 540 4, 820 5, 890	13, 500 14, 700 16, 800 15, 600 14, 700	15,000 14,100 13,400 13,000 13,100	18, 300 19, 400 18, 300 16, 800 15, 700	13, 000 12, 500 12, 300 12, 000 12, 400	8, 210 7, 430 5, 950 5, 920 5, 950
11 12 13 14 15,	3, 240	2,720 2,570 2,470 2,290 2,390			2, 180 2, 260 2, 180	2, 320 2, 290 2, 290 2, 240 2, 280	7, 180 8, 490 9, 540 10, 100 10, 900	15, 200 15, 900 15, 000 15, 200 15, 900	14, 200 13, 800 13, 200 12, 800 13, 200	15, 600 15, 100 14, 200 13, 800 13, 200	12,600 12,800 12,700 12,900 12,800	5, 660 4, 850 4, 560 4, 590 4, 540
16	3,000 3,160 3,930	2, 390 2, 340 2, 320 2, 400 2, 660	2, 100	2, 250	2, 260 2, 260 2, 340 2, 260 2, 260	2, 310 2, 290 2, 290 2, 310 2, 360	10, 700 12, 100 13, 300 11, 100 9, 460	16, 700 17, 200 17, 900 19, 400 20, 700	14, 200 14, 800 14, 000 14, 700 16, 800	13, 400 15, 000 16, 400 16, 600 17, 000	12,000 11,400 10,900 10,100 9,650	4, 440 4, 360 4, 340 4, 610 4, 590
21	3, 510 3, 380	2, 920 2, 790 2, 810 2, 700 2, 520		2, 340 2, 260 2, 260 2, 260	2, 180 2, 260 2, 100 2, 260 2, 260	2, 420 2, 660 3, 060 3, 360 3, 200	8, 460 8, 140 8, 100 7, 760 7, 240	22, 900 24, 700 22, 800 21, 000 21, 000	19, 800 21, 600 22, 600 23, 700 22, 400	16, 900 16, 500 16, 300 15, 700 15, 200	9, 240 9, 170 9, 020 8, 950 8, 880	4, 800 4, 930 4, 690 4, 540 4, 440
26	2, 980 2, 940 3, 000	2; 400		2, 340 2, 420 2, 340 2, 340 2, 340 2, 420	2, 180 2, 180 2, 180	3, 160 3, 200 3, 300 3, 400 3, 970 3, 700	6, 950 6, 950 6, 950 6, 950 7, 370	20, 700 20, 600 21, 100 21, 600 22, 700 23, 500	22, 100 22, 100 21, 600 21, 000 21, 900	14, 700 14, 500 14, 300 14, 500 14, 900 15, 200	8, 950 9, 390 9, 950 9, 610 9, 280 9, 830	4, 340 4, 260 4, 190 4, 190 4, 310

Note.—Discharge estimated Nov. 26 to Jan. 22 and Feb. 7 to 12; actual measured discharges used Dec. 1 and Jan. 9.

Monthly discharge of Snake River near Heise, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	rge in second	-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October	4, 040 2, 920	2, 760	3, 150 2, 600 2, 110	194, 000 155, 000 130, 000	
December January February March		2, 180	2, 320 2, 410 2, 650	143, 0 <del>0</del> 0 134, 000 163, 000	
April May June	13, 300 24, 700 23, 700	3, 340 8, 350 12, 800	7, 460 17, 400 17, 400	444, 000 1, 070, 000 1, 040, 000	
July August September	23, 200 15, 100 9, 870	13, 200 8, 880 4, 190	16, 500 11, 500 5, 720	1, 010, 000 707, 000 340, 000	
The year	24, 700		7, 640	5, 530, 000	

#### GREAT FEEDER CANAL NEAR RIRIE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 36, T. 4 N., R. 40 E., 4 miles east of Ririe and 14 miles east and south 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, 1925.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank 700 feet below head of canal; inspected by Moore and Kremer.

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 at all stages. Control fairly permanent.

fairly clean. One channel at all stages. Control fairly permanent. Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage recorded for periods October 1 to November 13 and April 29 to September 30, 7.56 feet at 4.30 a. m. June 21 (discharge, 4,740 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.80 foot at 11 a. m. April 29 (discharge, 61 second-feet).

1923-1925: Same as given above.

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

Diversions.—None above and none below gage of sufficient size to affect stagedischarge relation.

REGULATION.—Flow is regulated by canal head gates.

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

Discharge measurements of Great Feeder Canal near Ririe, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 14	Feet 4. 55 . 80 6. 32 6. 52 5. 75	Secft. 1, 680 61. 2 3, 430 3, 580 2, 750	June 13	Feet 6. 15 7. 35 6. 76 6. 52 5. 91	Secft. 3, 200 4, 480 3, 730 3, 570 2, 970	Aug. 17	Feet 5. 61 5. 38 3. 62 4. 24	Secft. 2, 620 2, 440 1, 120 1, 490

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Great Feeder Canal near Ririe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1: 2 3 4 5	1, 660 1, 160 1, 650 1, 780 1, 730	1,020 992		982 2, 220 2, 370 2, 470 2, 480	3, 520 3, 400 3, 460 3, 420 3, 400	3, 970 3, 800 3, 680 3, 630 3, 570	2, 930 2, 940 2, 940 2, 890 2, 870	2, 380 2, 380 2, 180 2, 010 1, 970
6	1, 620 1, 580 1, 570 1, 610 1, 690			2, 540 2, 540 2, 540 2, 610 2, 750	3, 430 3, 300 3, 190 3, 100 3, 200	3, 740 3, 960 3, 920 3, 820 3, 690	2, 850 2, 790 2, 750 2, 520 2, 690	1, 930 1, 560 1, 150 1, 110 1, 100
11 12 13 14 15	1, 770 1, 810 1, 770 1, 730 1, 740	698		2, 740 2, 780 2, 740 2, 730 2, 750	3, 250 3, 280 3, 190 3, 130 3, 170	3, 650 3, 570 3, 520 3, 580 3, 470	2, 720 2, 740 2, 780 2, 820 2, 810	1, 290 1, 370 1, 330 1, 330 1, 250
16	1, 730 1, 740 1, 810 1, 980 2, 010			2,930 3,050	3,310 3,380 3,320 3,910 4,480	3, 500 3, 240 3, 000 3, 010 3, 040	2,710 2,630 2,560 2,450 2,380	1, 300 1, 250 1, 410 1, 570 1, 580
21	1, 850 1, 670 1, 650			3, 250 3, 130	4, 160 4, 000 3, 800 3, 560 3, 690	3,060 3,040 3,030 3,000 2,970	2, 330 2, 300 2, 260 2, 220 2, 210	1, 610 1, 640 1, 620 1, 630 1, 320
26	1,360		61	3, 650 3, 630 3, 590 3, 560 3, 580 3, 570	4, 080 4, 230 4, 100 3, 990 3, 980	2, 950 2, 930 2, 960 2, 940 2, 910 2, 930	2, 210 2, 300 2, 380 2, 340 2, 310 2, 380	1, 490 1, 470 1, 460 1, 010 1, 360

Note.—No record obtained Nov. 14 to Apr. 28, Apr. 30-31. Mean hourly dishcarge used May 1, Sept. 7, 25, and 29. Staff reading only Apr. 29.

Monthly discharge of Great Feeder Canal near Ririe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-13. May. June July August September	2, 010 1, 070 3, 680 4, 480 3, 970 2, 940 2, 380	1, 080 698 982 3, 100 2, 910 2, 210 1, 010	1, 650 982 2, 920 3, 580 3, 360 2, 580 1, 540	101, 000 25, 300 180, 000 213, 000 207, 000 159, 000 91, 600

#### SNAKE RIVER AT LORENZO, IDAHO

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

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 17, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 1,000 feet below gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of gravel drift and sand. One channel at gage. Two channels below bridge. Control subject to shift during high-water period.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage recorded during period April 1 to September 30, 6.25 feet at 3 p. m. May 22 (discharge, 19,700 second-feet); minimum mean discharge, 1,480 second-feet September 28; actual minimum discharge probably occurred on September 29 when gage well was clogged.

1924-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 6.25 feet May 22, 1925 (discharge, 19,700 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.04 foot September 21, 1924 (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 ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Shifting-control method used for short periods. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Snake River at Lorenzo, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 1	Feet 1.83 5.00 5.96 4.29 5.54 4.85	Secft. 2, 300 11, 800 17, 600 8, 920 15, 100 12, 200	July 10	Feet 4. 31 3. 67 3. 79 4. 39 4. 41 3. 86	Secft. 9,590 6,870 7,340 10,400 10,400 8,110	Aug. 14	Feet 3. 59 2. 91 2. 77 1. 73 1. 32	Secft. 7,320 4,930 4,680 2,340 1,700

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Lorenzo, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	2, 310 2, 290 2, 470 3, 000 3, 890	7, 170	12, 400 10, 900 9, 890	15, 800 13, 000 12, 700	8, 740 8, 820	5, 000 5, 060 5, 090 4, 940 4, 610	16 17 18 19 20	9, 140 10, 200 11, 700 10, 100 8, 580	12, 400 12, 600 13, 600	7, 310 7, 780 6, 920 6, 860 7, 860	8, 010 10, 300 10, 300	6, <b>2</b> 90 5, 960 5, 500	1, 880 1, 780 1, 680
6 8 9	4, 290 3, 890 3, 400 3, 400 4, 560	10, 400 11, 400 13, 400	8, 430 7, 780 7, 200 6, 890	11, 800 12, 500 12, 100 10, 800	7, 310 6, 920 6, 820		21	7, 310 6, 890 6, 920 6, 520 5, 900	16, 400 18, 900 17, 100 14, 600	10, 400 12, 600 13, 600 16, 100 14, 500	10, 400 10, 200 10, 100 9, 680	5, 000 4, 750 4, 480 4, 370	1, 780 1, 780 1, 640 1, 670
11 12 13 14 15	5, 710 6, 690 7, 860 8, 510 9, 060	11, 000 11, 700 11, 200 11, 100	7, 530 7, 420 6, 920 6, 620	9, 390 8, 900 7, 930 7, 350	· .	3, 000 2, 400 2, 100 2, 090 2, 070	26	5, 870 6, 890 6, 920 6, 920 7, 280	13, 700 13, 100 13, 300 13, 500	13, 700 13, 800 13, 400 12, 800	8, 860 8, 540 8, 310 8, 510	4, 290 4, 500 4, 920 4, 800	2, 330 1, 610 1, 480 1, 790

NOTE.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to Mar. 31. Discharge interpolated Apr. 10, Sept. 17 and 18. Mean hourly discharge used Sept. 23 and 29.

Monthly discharge of Snake River at Lorenzo, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	arge in second	i-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April May June July August September	11, 700 18, 900 16, 100 15, 800 8, 820 5, 090	2, 290 7, 170 6, 620 6, 720 4, 290 1, 480	6, 280 12, 500 10, 000 10, 100 6, 230 2, 730	374, 000 769, 000 595, 000 621, 000 383, 000 162, 000
The period				2, 900, 000

#### 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 head 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, 1925.

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 June 1 to August 31, on alternate days during month of May, and occasional readings during September. Records good.

Combined daily discharge, in second-feet, of canals diverting from Snake River between the Heise and Shelley gaging stations, for the irrigation season of 1925

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	851 939 1,030 1,150 1,260	7, 590 7, 360 7, 260 7, 160 6, 820	9, 160 8, 840 7, 950 7, 190 6, 670	7, 920 7, 750 7, 760 7, 630 7, 460	5, 480 5, 400 4, 960 4, 710 4, 400	16	3, 350 3, 430 3, 390 3, 550 3, 820	6, 640 7, 420 7, 830 9, 090 9, 500	7, 690 7, 620 7, 490 7, 530 7, 540	6, 300 6, 060 5, 870 5, 620 5, 560	3, 600 3, 680 3, 770 3, 870 3, 820
6	1, 400 1, 520 1, 580 1, 790 2, 100	6, 580 6, 200 6, 090 5, 610 5, 740	6, 410 6, 170 6, 220 6, 230 7, 010	7, 170 7, 020 7, 060 6, 770 6, 930	4, 140 3, 900 3, 570 3, 640 3, 720	21 22 23 24 25	4, 040 4, 230 4, 510 4, 730 5, 130	9, 740 9, 710 9, 650 9, 950 9, 930	8, 000 8, 100 8, 110 7, 750 7, 690	5, 520 5, 790 5, 980 5, 900 6, 040	3, 650 3, 280 3, 100 3, 020 3, 000
11	2, 640 2, 760 2, 930 2, 930 2, 940	5, 970 5, 900 5, 700 5, 970 6, 200	7, 440 7, 530 8, 350 8, 690 8, 230	6, 900 6, 900 6, 750 6, 690 6, 560	3, 670 3, 560 3, 520 3, 180 3, 540	26	5, 700 6, 230 6, 680 7, 370 7, 640 7, 630	9, 980 9, 970 9, 840 9, 680 9, 270	7, 580 7, 820 7, 870 7, 970 8, 000 8, 080	5, 990 6, 080 6, 120 5, 770 5, 360 5, 530	1, 780 2, 940 2, 800 2, 130 2, 640

Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Snake River between the Heise and Shelley gaging stations, for the irrigation season of 1925

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May	7, 640 9, 980 9, 160 7, 920 5, 480	851 5, 610 6, 170 5, 360 1, 780	3, 520 7, 810 7, 640 6, 480 3, 620	216, 000 465, 000 470, 000 398, 000 215, 000
The period				1, 760, 000

#### 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, 1925.

GAGE.—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 about 500 feet below gage. Banks high and clean at gage and control

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period October 1 to November 8 and April 3 to September 30, 12.54 feet at 5 p. m. May 23 (discharge, 27,600 second-feet); minimum stage, 4.16 feet from 1 to 2.30 p. m. October 3 (discharge, 1,020 second-feet).

1915–1925: 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 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 and Twin Falls tracts.

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

Discharge measurements of Snake River near Shelley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 31 Apr. 3 Apr. 20	Feet 5. 61 6. 60 9. 40	Secft. 2, 700 4, 970 14, 800	May 26	Feet 11. 58 8. 22 8. 50	Secft. 23, 600 10, 800 11, 600	July 27 Sept. 1 Sept. 26	Feet 7. 91 7. 29 6. 45	Secft. 9, 400 7, 130 4, 650

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Shelley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1, 260 1, 200 1, 080 1, 240	2, 820 2, 920 2, 940 2, 880	5, 030 5, 420	9, 790 10, 900 12, 100 14, 100	23, 200 21, 900 19, 200 17, 000	19, 800 22, 000 21, 200 19, 900	9, 080 9, 360 9, 640 9, 860	7, 180 7, 220 7, 150 7, 090
6	1, 450 1, 660 1, 610 1, 550 1, 530 1, 680	2, 900 2, 970 3, 110 3, 210	6, 270 7, 250 7, 420 6, 990 6, 330 6, 490	15, 600 16, 400 17, 200 19, 600 21, 900 21, 100	15, 800 14, 900 14, 100 13, 600 13, 000 12, 000	19, 600 19, 300 19, 300 20, 400 18, 500 16, 000	9, 430 8, 830 8, 270 7, 830 7, 490 7, 490	7, 020 6, 690 6, 430 6, 010 5, 210 5, 090
11	1, 850 2, 280 2, 450 2, 540 2, 530		7, 420 8, 550 9, 670 10, 800 11, 900	19, 200 18, 700 18, 800 18, 400 19, 200	11, 900 12, 400 12, 000 11, 300 10, 700	14, 200 12, 800 11, 100 9, 320	7, 690 7, 860 8, 200 8, 520 9, 080	5, 120 4, 680 4, 060 3, 930 3, 620

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Shelley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
16	2, 510 2, 540		13, 000 14, 200	19, 700 20, 400	10, 800 11, 600	7, 690 8, 100	9, 180 8, 660	3, 580 3, 580
18 19	2, 630 2, 750		15, 300 16, 300	21, 100 21, 500	11, 600 10, 300	10, 300 11, 000	8, 200 7, 560	3, 480 3, 440 3, 550
21	3, 110 3, 420		15, 100 13, 500	22, 400 24, 200	10,000	11, 200	6, 850	3, 880
222324	3, 380 3, 230 3, 110		12, 000 11, 700 11, 500	26, 000 27, 300 26, 400	15, 200 16, 800 18, 500	10, 900 10, 900 11, 000	6, 050 5, 610 5, 390	4, 680 4, 880 4, 970
25 26	2, 940 2, 880		10, 800 9, 860	24, 900 23, 800	19, 400 18, 400	10, 700 10, 100	5, 240 5, 120	4, 940 4, 740
27	2, 810 2, 660 2, 650		9, 540 9, 540 9, 540	22, 400 21, 500 21, 200	18, 200 18, 200 17, 800	9, 540 8, 720 8, 380	5, 240 5, 800 6, 490	4, 740 4, 600 4, 490
30	2, 660 2, 680		9, 460	21, 400 22, 300	17, 800	8, 550 8, 860	6, 790 6, 690	4, 540

Note.—No record obtained Nov. 9 to Apr. 2. No gage-height record; discharge interpolated Apr. 12-17, May 8, 21, and Sept. 3, 4. Staff gage reading used Nov. 8.

Monthly discharge of Snake River near Shelley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-8 April 3-30 May June July August September	3, 420 3, 210 16, 300 27, 300 23, 200 22, 000 9, 860 7, 220	1, 080 2, 820 5, 030 9, 790 10, 000 7, 690 5, 120 3, 440	2, 320 2, 970 10, 000 20, 000 15, 000 13, 200 7, 550 5, 020	143, 000 47, 100 555, 000 1, 230, 000 893, 000 812, 000 464, 000 299, 000

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

Fourteen separate canals divert water from Snake River for irrigation between Shelley and Blackfoot Bridge gaging stations. 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, 1924, to September 30, 1925. From June 1, 1919, to September 30, 1923, diversions from Snake River were summarized in two groups with the station at Porterville Bridge for the intermediate point. After October 1, 1923, the intermediate point was at Blackfoot Bridge.

Stage-discharge relation on most of the canals is affected by growth of aquatic plants or by operation of check gates. Rating curves are well defined. Gages read to hundredths on alternate days during May, daily June 1 to August 31, and occasionally during September. 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 1925

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	885 1, 070 1, 160 1, 270 1, 440	3, 250 3, 120 2, 570 2, 160 2, 120	3, 590 3, 540 3, 310 3, 080 2, 880	3, 080 3, 050 3, 010 2, 950 2, 890	2, 510 2, 460 2, 390 2, 360 2, 340	16	1, 940 1, 910 1, 940 1, 980 2, 130	3, 030 3, 170 3, 230 3, 270 3, 460	3, 250 3, 300 3, 380 3, 350 3, 370	2, 670 2, 560 2, 480 2, 490 2, 520	1, 800 1, 776 1, 720 1, 690 1, 690
6 7 8 9 10	1, 600 1, 760 1, 800 1, 830 1, 820	1, 900 1, 690 1, 830 1, 950 2, 140	2, 770 2, 820 2, 890 2, 840 2, 940	2, 860 2, 890 2, 820 2, 820 2, 820 2, 820	2, 290 2, 240 2, 190 2, 080 2, 070	21 22 23 24 25	2, 340 2, 510 2, 650 2, 610 2, 570	3, 650 3, 760 3, 760 3, 800 3, 520	3, 330 3, 320 3, 280 3, 240 3, 170	2, 550 2, 580 2, 540 2, 470 2, 450	1, 680 1, 450 1, 260 1, 180 1, 110
11	1, 830 1, 820 1, 800 1, 800 1, 890	2, 460 2, 540 2, 660 2, 800 2, 900	2, 250 2, 180 2, 340 3, 260 3, 330	2, 900 2, 830 2, 770 2, 790 2, 770	2, 080 2, 010 1, 920 1, 880 1, 810	26	2, 730 2, 910 3, 070 3, 220 3, 240 3, 230	3, 490 3, 600 3, 580 3, 540 3, 520	3, 150 3, 050 3, 160 3, 160 3, 140 3, 110	2, 460 2, 470 2, 570 2, 620 2, 560 2, 450	1, 110 1, 120 1, 120 1, 100 950

Note.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to Apr. 30. Discharge interpolated for a few days of no gage-height record in May and September.

Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Snake River between the Shelley and Blackfoot Bridge gaging stations, for the irrigation season of 1925

Month	Dische	i-feet	Run-off in	
MODEL	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May June July August September September Suppose Suppo	3, 240 3, 800 3, 590 3, 080 2, 510	885 1, 690 2, 180 2, 450 950	2, 090 2, 950 3, 090 2, 700 1, 780	129, 000 176, 000 190, 000 166, 000 106, 000
The period				767, 000

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

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

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 24, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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, 7.37 feet at 10 p. m. May 23 (discharge, 19,100 second-feet); minimum mean daily discharge about 20 second-feet October 1-11.

1924-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 7.37 feet at 10 p.m. May 23, 1925, (discharge, 19,100 second-feet); river dry on numerous days in summer of 1924.

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 changed for low water during the period of record. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspecting recorder graph 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 measurement of Snake River (Nos. 1 and 2 channels) below Blackfoot Bridge, near Blackfoot, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 24	Feet 2, 42 6, 08 6, 23 7, 08 6, 04	Secft. 1, 790 12, 200 13, 600 17, 500 12, 100	June 8. June 16. June 29. July 16. Aug. 1.	Feet 5. 52 4. 68 5. 94 3. 66 4. 23	Secft. 9, 720 6, 340 11, 500 3, 430 4, 790	Aug. 13	Feet 4.05 3.30 3.58 3.80 3.08	Secft. 4, 420 2, 750 3, 340 3, 720 2, 420

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, 1925

elle i	Day	Oct.	Nov.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept
34			1 560		13,600 11,800	12, 600 14, 200 14, 600 13, 400 13, 400	4, 860 5, 090 5, 450 5, 670 5, 560	3, 570 3, 730 3, 889 3, 880 3, 750
7 8 9		-	1,610	12,300 13,100 14,800	10, 400 10, 100 9, 600 9, 030 8, 350	13, 300 13, 100 14, 000 13, 000 11, 200	5, 060 4, 530 4, 050 3, 790 3, 660	3, 550 3, 380 3, 140 2, 650 2, 400
11 12 13 14		350 759 943 1, 130		13, 400	7, 740 8, 020 7, 820 7, 150 6, 450	10, 100 9, 210 7, 740 5, 270 4, 240	3, 860 4, 070 4, 320 4, 640 5, 060	2, 460 2, 260 1, 850 1, 680 1, 550
17 18 19		1,310 1,370 1,450		14, 400 15, 000 15, 200	6, 240 6, 480 6, 850 5, 870 5, 120	3, 570 3, 400 4, 800 6, 000 6, 140	5, 420 5, 120 4, 770 4, 270 3, 620	1,320 1,330 1,370 1,390 1,270
22 23 24	25 FO 25 FO	1, 990 1, 870 1, 750		16, 200 17, 300 18, 800 18, 700 17, 400	5, 770 8, 230 10, 100 10, 900 12, 500	6, 380 6, 240 6, 140 6, 380 6, 270	3, 140 2, 750 2, 440 2, 250 2, 120	1,760 2,320 2,820 2,930 3,040
26 27 28 29 30		1,540 1,480 1,380 1,340 1,390	2220	14, 900 13, 800	12, 000 11, 600 11, 700 11, 500 11, 400	5, 900 5, 420 4, 740 4, 320 4, 320 4, 580	2,050 2,040 2,230 2,910 3,180 3,260	2, 840 2, 820 2, 680 2, 570 2, 550

Note.—No gaga-height record Oct. 1-11; discharge estimated on basis of flow in No. 3 channel and engineers' estimates. Discharge interpolated Oct. 23 and May 28. No record Nov. 7 to May 6.

Monthly discharge of Snake River (Nos. 1 and 2 channels) below Blackfoot Bridge near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-6 May 7-31 June July August September	1, 990 1, 650 18, 800 15, 200 14, 600 5, 670 3, 880	1, 510 12, 300 5, 120 3, 400 2, 040 1, 270	942 1, 590 15, 000 9, 580 8, 190 3, 910 2, 560	57, 900, 18, 900 744, 000 570, 000 504, 000 240, 000 152, 000

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

LOCATION.—In NW. ¼ T. 3 S., R. 35 E., 2 miles below Blackfoot highway bridge and 3½ miles southwest of Blackfoot, Bingham County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 3, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage 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, 6.01 feet at 10 p. m. May 23 (discharge, 4,940 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.97 feet at 4 a. m. October 4 (discharge, 90 second-feet).

1924–1925: Maximum stage recorded, 6.01 feet at 10 p. m. May 23, 1925 (discharge, 4,940 second-feet); channel dry several days during August and September, 1924.

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.

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 not permanent. Rating curves 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.

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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 24 May 9 May 22 June 4 June 8 June 12	Feet 2, 52 5, 26 5, 67 4, 94 4, 45 4, 16	Secft. 337 3, 420 4, 280 2, 920 2, 110 1, 830	June 16	Feet 3. 82 4. 69 5. 29 3. 64 3. 25 3. 50	Secft. 1, 360 2, 330 3, 410 1, 230 885 1, 130	Aug. 13	Feet 3.38 2.98 3.09 2.50	Secft. 970 644 733 324

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River (No. 3 channel) below Blackfoot Bridge, near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	195	285		3, 850	2, 710	1, 100	800
2	154	309	<b></b>	3, 740	3, 200	1, 140	834
3	146	309	<i></i>	3, 200	3, 370	1, 220	852
4	161	291		2,880	3,010	1, 240	861
5	274	291	2, 260	2, 590	3, 010	1, 220	825
8	431	303	2,340	2, 380	3,000	1, 120	782
7	489	326	2, 520	2, 300	2, 960	1,030	748
8	452	364	2, 830	2, 160	3, 260	915	700
9	459		3, 380	2,020	3,000	870	607
10	533		3, 550	1,870	2, 440	843	562
11	596	ĺ	0 100	1 740	0.160	. 888	562
11	438		3, 130	1,740	2, 160 1, 900	924	502 526
12	474		3, 030 3, 050	1, 760 1, 700	1, 630	991	432
14	518		2, 860	1, 700	1, 030	1,040	395
15	496		3, 030	1, 390	1, 030	1, 120	852
	100		0,000	2,000	2,000	.,	
16	474	<u>-</u>	3, 150	1,350	906	1, 190	335
17	474		3, 330	1, 390	843	1, 140	847
18	452	<i>-</i>	3, 550	1, 430	1, 100	1,080	335
19	418		3,600	1, 240	1, 310	982	341
20	445	<b>-</b>	3, 760	1,070	1, 340	<b>84</b> 3	341
21	511		3, 930	1, 200	1,380	732	401
22	431		4, 250	1,620	1, 360	645	548
23	397		4,770	2,050	1, 340	577	692
24	339		4, 770	2, 240	1, 390	541	708
25	309		4, 350	2,670	1, 350	499	732
41%	147),		7.53%	7.77	1.59	311	(%)
26	297		4,050	2, 510	1, 280	478	692
27	280		3, 810	2,400	1, 210	478	692
28	263		3,600	2,440	1,070	534	668
29	258		3, 380	2,430	991	660	645
30	263		3, 400	2, 360	1,000	740	652
31	274		3, 600		1,070	748	

Norg.—No record Nov. 9 to May 4. Shifting-control method used June 14 and July 8. No gage height record May 29; discharge interpolated.

# Monthly discharge of Snake River (No. 3 channel) below Blackfoot Bridge, near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

No. 10	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	596 364	146° 285	377 310	23,200 4,920
May 5-31. June	4,770 3,850 3,370	2, 260 1, 070 843	3, 450 2, 120 1, 830	185, 000 126, 000 113, 000
July		478 335	888 599	54, 600 35, 600

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, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	215 174 166	1, 800 1, 940 1, 960		16,800	15, 300 17, 400 18, 000	5, 960 6, 230 6, 670	4, 370 4, 560 4, 730
5	181 294	1, 850 1, 850			16, 400 16, 400	6, 910 6, 770	4, 740 4, 580
6	451 509 472 479 553	1, 910	14, 800 15, 900 18, 200 18, 600	12, 800 12, 400 11, 800 11, 000 10, 200	16, 300 16, 100 17, 300 16, 000 13, 600	6, 180 5, 560 4, 960 4, 660 4, 500	4, 330 4, 130 3, 840 3, 260 2, 960
11	946 1, 200 1, 420 1, 650 1, 680		17, 000 16, 300 16, 400 15, 900 16, 400	9, 480 9, 780 9, 520 8, 690 7, 840	12, 300 11, 100 9, 370 6, 490 5, 270	4, 750 4, 990 5, 310 5, 680 6, 180	3, 020 2, 790 2, 280 2, 080 1, 900
16	1, 660 1, 780 1, 820 1, 870 2, 060		17, 000 17, 700 18, 600 18, 800 19, 400	7, 590 7, 870 8, 280 7, 110 6, 190	4, 480 4, 240 5, 900 7, 310 7, 480	6, 610 6, 260 5, 850 5, 250 4, 460	1, 660 1, 680 1, 700 1, 730 1, 610
21	2, 420 2, 420 2, 270 2, 090 1, 920		23, 600 23, 500	6, 970 9, 850 12, 200 13, 100 15, 200	7, 760 7, 600 7, 480 7, 770 7, 620	3, 870 3, 400 3, 626 2, 790 2, 620	2, 160 2, 870 3, 510 3, 640 3, 770
26	1,840 1,760 1,640 1,600 1,650 1,710			14, 500 14, 000 14, 100 13, 900 13, 800	7, 180 6, 630 5, 810 5, 310 5, 320 5, 650	2, 530 2, 520 2, 760 3, 570 3, 920 4, 010	3, 530 3, 510 3, 350 3, 220 3, 200

Combined monthly discharge of Snake River (Nos., 1, 2, and 3 channels) below Blackfoot Bridge, near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

2641	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-6. May 7-31	2, 420 1, 960 23, 600	166 1,800 14,800	1, 320 1, 880 18, 500	81, 200 22, 400 917, 000
June July August	19,000 18,000 6,910	6, 190 4, 240 2, 520	11, 700 10, 000 4, 800	696, 000 615, 000 295, 000
September	4,740	1, 610	3, 160	188, 000

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

Between Blackfoot Bridge and Clough ranch gaging stations, 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 and 1925.

Stage-discharge relation is affected by growth of aquatic plants. Rating curve fairly well defined. Gage read to hundredths daily May 14 to September 30. Discharge estimated May 1-13. Records fair.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of one canal diverting from Snake River between Blackfoot Bridge and Clough ranch gaging stations, for the irrigation season of 1925

Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1 1 1 1 1	12 12 10 8 8	26 27 29 27 28	9 8 9 9	2 2 2 2 2 3	16 17 18 19	17 17 18 20 24	12 13 15 11 8	2 1 2 9 9	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0
6	1 1 1 1	8 7 4 3 3	27 27 24 9 6	6 4 2 2 1	3 3 1 1 0	21 22 23 24 25	25 26 14 15 14	4 16 19 18 23	10 10 9 10 10	0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0
11 12 13 14 15	1 1 1 12 17	4 3 10 9 10	4 3 3 3 3	2 3 2 4 1	0 0 0 0	26	13 14 13 20 20 20	22 21 21 21 21 21	8 7 10 12 5 9	0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0

Note.-No record obtained Oct. 1 to Apr. 30. Discharge estimated May 1-13.

Monthly discharge of one canal diverting from Snake River between Blackfoot Bridge and Clough ranch gaging stations, for the irrigation season of 1925

Month	Discha	Run-off in			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
May	26 23 29 9	1 3 1 0 0	10. 7 11. 9 11. 9 2. 29 . 63	658 708 732 141 37	
The period				2, 280	

#### SNAKE RIVER AT CLOUGH RANCH, NEAR BLACKFOOT, IDAHO 1

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 about 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, 1925.

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, 10.59 feet at 3 a. m. May 24 (discharge, 24,700 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.12 feet at 1 p. m. October 4 (discharge, 442 second-feet).

1910-1925: 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)

<sup>1</sup> Formerly known as "Snake River near Blackfoot."

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 high water in May. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for short periods in winter when clock stopped and occasional staff gage readings were used. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Shifting-control method used May 21–23. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Snake River at Clough ranch, near Blackfoot, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 8 Feb. 4 Apr. 24 May 18 May 26	Feet 3. 95 4. 11 7. 32 9. 34 9. 76	Secft. 2, 420 2, 750 10, 700 18, 800 21, 200	June 6. June 29. July 10 Aug. 4.	Feet 7. 91 8. 14 8. 18 - 5. 97	Secft. 13, 300 14, 800 14, 400 7, 140	Aug. 12	Feet 5.30 4.97 3.85 3.59	Secft. 5, 360 4, 600 2, 440

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Clough ranch, near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	521 474 467 467 614	2, 130 2, 220 2, 220 2, 120 2, 120 2, 080	2, 580 2, 760 2, 610 2, 780 2, 710	1, 940 2, 130 2, 100 2, 120 2, 160	2, 400 2, 510 2, 630 2, 740 2, 980	2, 560 2, 510 2, 450 2, 420 2, 450	5, 140 5, 030 4, 700 4, 700 5, 380	8, 300 8, 900 10, 000 11, 400 13, 000	20, 000 19, 600 17, 700 16, 000 14, 600	15, 400 17, 500 18, 500 17, 000 17, 000	6, 090 6, 350 6, 880 7, 020 7, 020	5, 000 5, 230 5, 230 5, 110 5, 000
6	826	2, 180	2, 660	2, 180	3, 340	2, 510	6, 360	13, 900	13, 600	17, 000	6, 350	4, 760
	879	2, 260	2, 630	2, 130	3, 480	2, 630	6, 880	14, 700	13, 300	16, 600	5, 840	4, 540
	826	2, 400	2, 450	2, 110	3, 480	2, 810	6, 620	15, 600	12, 700	17, 900	5, 110	4, 320
	799	2, 370	2, 030	2, 090	3, 280	2, 860	5, 860	18, 100	11, 800	16, 800	4, 880	3, 800
	888	2, 390	2, 120	2, 070	3, 010	2, 840	5, 730	19, 200	10, 900	14, 200	4, 760	3, 450
11	1, 050	2, 510	2, 450	2,000	2, 740	2, 760	6, 360	17, 700	9, 870	12, 500	5, 000	3, 580
	1, 220	2, 630	2, 340	1,990	2, 420	2, 590	7, 570	16, 200	10, 000	11, 200	5, 230	3, 450
	1, 650	2, 690	2, 610	1,980	2, 480	2, 550	8, 900	16, 200	9, 700	9, 540	5, 590	2, 910
	1, 850	2, 940	2, 810	1,970	2, 710	2, 500	10, 400	15, 800	8, 910	6, 880	5, 960	2, 520
	1, 900	2, 830	2, 660	1,920	2, 720	2, 430	11, 200	16, 400	8, 150	5, 470	6, 480	2, 250
6	1, 870	2, 860	2, 860	1, 930	2, 640	2, 430	12, 100	16, 800	7, 860	4, 650	7, 020	2, 050
	1, 930	2, 860	2, 320	1, 940	2, 630	2, 430	12, 700	17, 500	8, 150	4, 320	6, 740	2, 080
	2, 010	2, 910	1, 150	1, 940	2, 580	2, 450	13, 400	18, 500	8, 600	5, 470	6, 350	2, 060
	2, 080	2, 910	1, 050	1, 980	2, 550	2, 480	15, 400	18, 700	7, 430	7, 290	5, 590	2, 140
	2, 250	2, 880	954	2, 020	2, 510	2, 400	14, 800	19, 200	6, 350	7, 430	4, 760	2, 230
21	2, 610	2, 840	668	2,060	2, 610	2, 430	13, 200	19, 900	7, 020	7, 710	4, 210	2, 570
22	2, 710	2, 880	629	2,100	2, 550	2, 480	11, 600	21, 600	9, 540	7, 710	3, 800	3, 410
23	2, 630	2, 960	562	2,140	2, 580	2, 590	11, 000	23, 700	12, 300	7, 710	3, 390	4, 210
24	2, 260	2, 940	500	2,180	2, 500	2, 880	10, 700	24, 300	13, 100	7, 860	3, 150	4, 430
25	2, 120	2, 910	660	2,190	2, 590	3, 280	10, 000	22, 600	15, 400	7, 860	3, 000	4, 430
26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31.	2, 080 2, 030 1, 930 1, 920 1, 970 2, 0.0	2, 760 2, 560 2, 610 2, 610 2, 610	820 980 1, 140 1, 210 1, 400 1, 670	2, 240 2, 300 2, 280 2, 240 2, 250 2, 310	2,630 2,590 2,560	3, 390 3, 340 3, 320 3, 370 3, 680 4, 380	9, 220 8, 600 8, 600 8, 450 8, 450	21, 300 19, 800 18, 300 17, 900 17, 900 18, 700	14, 800 14, 000 14, 400 14, 200 14, 000	7, 430 7, 020 6, 090 5, 470 5, 470 5, 840	2, 840 2, 900 3, 180 4, 000 4, 650 4, 650	4, 100 4, 100 3, 900 3, 700 3, 700

Note.—No. gage-height record Dec. 19, 25-27, Jan. 8-9, 12-13, 19-23, May 6-7; discharge interpolated.

Monthly discharge of Snake River at Clough ranch, near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	Run-off in			
$oldsymbol{ ext{Month}}$	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November December January February March April May June June July August September	2, 960 2, 860 2, 310 3, 480 4, 380 15, 400 24, 300 20, 000 18, 500	467 2, 080 500 1, 920 2, 400 2, 400 4, 700 8, 300 6, 350 4, 320 2, 840 2, 950	1, 580 2, 600 1, 830 2, 100 2, 730 2, 780 8, 970 17, 200 12, 100 10, 300 5, 120 3, 680	97, 200 155, 000 113, 000 129, 000 152, 000 171, 000 534, 000 720, 000 633, 000 315, 000 219, 000	
The year	24, 300	467	5, 930	4, 300, 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 northwest 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 at Clough ranch. Raft River enters 18 miles below Neeley.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 17, 1906, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder installed August 8, 1910, on left bank at same site and datum as staff gage previously used; inspected by A. J. Ayers. DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable at gage.

Channel and control.—Bed of river 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, 10.04 feet at 11 p. m. May 24 (discharge, 26,800 second-feet); minimum stage, about 2.97 feet from 11 a. m. to 4 p. m. October 7 while float well was being deepened (discharge, about 1,040 second-feet).

1906-1925: Actual maximum stage doubtful; maximum mean daily stage, 13.5 feet June 20, 1918 (discharge, 48,400 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge occurred October 7, 1924.

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 and Twin Falls tracts. Considerable diurnal fluctuation at low stages due to operation of power plant 4 miles upstream.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation fairly permanent; affected by ice December 18 to January 2 and January 4-6. Rating curve well defined above 1,800 second-feet. 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 except as noted in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records excellent except for December and January for which they are good.

Discharge measurements of Snake River at Neeley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 2	Feet 4. 99 7. 46 9. 42	Secft. 5, 430 14, 300 23, 100	June 2July 11Do	Feet 9. 18 7. 95 7. 87	Secft. 22, 300 16, 700 16, 100	Aug. 12 Sept. 15	Feet 5, 89 5, 06	Secft. 8, 110 5, 460

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Neeley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	·Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	2, 790 2, 830 2, 600 2, 600 2, 2, 280	4,740 4,770 4,790 4,740 4,790	5, 210 5, 290 5, 460 5, 290 5, 510	\\ 4,700 \\ 5,150 \\ \\ 5,200 \end{array}	5, 540 5, 600 5, 980 6, 130 6, 470	5, 430 5, 430 5, 430 5, 210 5, 400	7, 900 8, 170 8, 000 7, 760 8, 270	11, 710 11, 870 12, 800 13, 850 15, 280	21, 040 22, 160 21, 540 19, 210 17, 830	16, 400 18, 120 20, 440 20, 090 19, 020	8, 480 9, 140 9, 360 9, 830 9, 910	7, 430 7, 930 7, 860 8, 000 7, 900
6 7 8 9 10	3, 160	4, 690 4, 790 5, 070 5, 230 5, 260	5, 260 5, 460 5, 150 4, 930 4, 640	5, 290 4, 880 5, 150 5, 010	6, 840 6, 970 6, 940 6, 840 6, 160	5, 290 5, 510 5, 690 5, 920 6, 010	8, 960 10, 090 ,10, 130 9, 540 9, 000	16, 630 16, 950 17, 790 19, 210 21, 140	16, 950 16, 260 15, 860 15, 020 14, 370	19, 460 19, 410 19, 210 20, 290 18, 300	9, 650 8, 960 8, 240 7, 830 7, 460	7, 830 7, 560 7, 500 7, 040 6, 470
11 12 13 14 15	3 670	5, 180 5, 320 5, 400 5, 430 5, 540	4,900 4,900 5,120 5,460 5,370	4, 880 4, 750 4, 610 4, 610 4, 740	5, 860 5, 570 5, 370 5, 490 5, 770	5, 770 5, 630 5, 430 5, 320 5, 400	8, 960 9, 940 11, 160 12, 720 13, 810	21, 700 19, 900 19, 210 19, 170 18, 930	13, 300 12, 560 12, 930 12, 110 11, 270	16, 220 14, 750 13, 090 11, 350 8, 720	7, 560 8, 030 8, 170 8, 410 8, 860	6, 530 6, 440 6, 070 5, 660 5, 320
16	4, 430 4, 510 4, 560 4, 560 4, 740	5, 400 5, 510 5, 490 5, 600 5, 570	5, 600 5, 260 3, 900	4,610 4,480 4,610 4,740 4,740	5, 490 5, 600 5, 430 5, 460 5, 510	5, 290 5, 210 5, 350 5, 370 5, 040	14, 670 15, 950 16, 360 17, 320 18, 350	19, 460 19, 900 20, 890 21, 390 21, 440	10, 700 10, 660 10, 960 10, 850 9, 280	8,000 6,970 7,200 9,680 9,650	9, 500 9, 760 9, 280 8, 620 8, 170	4, 880 4, 790 5, 010 5, 090 4, 930
21	5, 320	5, 540 5, 660 5, 630 5, 630 5, 570	3, 250	4, 820 5, 210 4, 740 4, 900 5, 120	5, 490 5, 490 5, 460 5, 430 5, 370	5, 070 5, 230 5, 210 5, 540 5, 830	17, 550 16, 040 14, 890 14, 370 13, 980	22, 060 22, 730 24, 250 25, 820 26, 260	9,000 10,320 13,220 14,800 16,040	9, 980 10, 540 10, 350 10, 320 10, 620	7, 400 6, 720 6, 470 5, 860 5, 720	5, 630 5, 770 6, 720 7, 500 7, 230
26	4, 580	5, 490 5, 260 5, 210 5, 180 5, 150	3, 750	5, 070 5, 120 5, 260 5, 230 5, 370 5, 370	5, 570 5, 510 5, 430	6, 250 6, 010 6, 350 6, 070 6, 530 6, 780	13, 300 12, 400 12, 030 11, 990 11, 790	24, 900 23, 350 21, 040 20, 340 19, 900 20, 290	17, 320 16, 670 16, 310 16, 580 16, 360	10, 470 9, 910 9, 460 8, 480 8, 340 8, 480	5, 660 5, 720 5, 690 5, 920 6, 880 7, 330	6, 840 6, 780 6, 620 6, 620 6, 970

NOTE.—Discharge estimated on account of ice Dec. 18 to Jan. 2 and Jan. 4-6 by comparison with flow at Clough ranch gaging station. Discharge interpolated Jan. 10-12 and 18.

Monthly discharge of Snake River at Neeley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

35.0	Discha	rge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	5, 320	2, 180	3, 970	244, 000
November December	5,600	4, 690	5, 250 4, 460	312, 000 274, 000
JanuaryFebruary	6,970	4, 480 5, 370	4, 950 5, 810	304, 000 323, 000
March April	6,780	5, 040 7, 760	5, 610 12, 200	345, 000 726, 000
May June	26, 260 22, 160	11,710 9,000	19, 700 14, 700	1, 210, 000 875, 000
July August	20, 440	6, 970 5, 660	13, 000 7, 890	799, 000 485, 000
September	8, 000	4, 790	6, 560	390, 000
The year	26, 260	2, 180	8, 690	6, 290, 000

#### 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, 1925; 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. No record December 20 to 31 on account of ice in well.

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.

Daily contents, in acre-feet, of Lake Walcott near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	570 1, 430	86, 800 86, 680		89, 830 89, 360	90, 410 90, 640	91, 110 90, 990	91, 110 93, 550	94, 490 95, 310	102, 540 103, 140	106, 390 107, 110	104, 580 103, 620	87, 500 88, 660
3	1, 910	88, 550		89, 360	90, 990		93, 550	96, 270	103, 020	106, 630	104, 580	90, 410
4	2, 290	85, 640	90, 760	89,600	91, 570	90, 990	93, 440	97, 720	101, 330	106, 510	105, 190	92, 160
5	2, 380	85, 290	89, 600	89, 600	91,690	90, 760	92, 510	99, 520	100, 610	104, 820	107, 490	94, 250
6	1,620		90, 290				92, 860			104, 220	108, 990	
7	1, 330	87, 270		89, 830		91, 340	94, 370	101, 090	104, 340	103, 980	108, 860	
8 9	1, 140 2, 860	87, 500 87, 620		89, 360 89, 600		91, 230 91, 570	95, 180 94, 950	100, 610 101, 810	106, 630 106, 390	103, 620 104, 940	108, 240 107, 240	99, 640 101, 450
10	4, 290	87, 270					94, 720	101, 810	105, 910	105, 190		102, 900
					· 1	· 1		1	1	. 1		
11 12	6, 960 8, 960	89, 360 86, 680		89, 600 89, 360	92, 620		93, 900 93, 440	102, 900 99, 160	106, 390 106, 510	103, 380	104, 340 102, 410	
13	11, 520	87, 380	89, 710	89, 360	90, 760	91, 690 90, 990	94, 720	99, 400	106, 630	104, 700	101, 210	105, 910
14	14, 690	87, 030	89, 710	89, 130	90, 760		96, 270	100, 970	106, 870	106, 270	100, 730	105, 670
15	18, 250	90, 290		89, 360	91, 230		97, 720	100, 850	105, 310		101, 930	105, 790
16	21, 980	91, 920	89, 940	89, 130	90, 990	90, 990	98, 320	100, 610	105, 670	104, 940	103, 620	105, 670
17	24,720	92, 390		89, 130		90, 640	99, 640	102, 050	106, 510	101, 810	106, 870	106, 270
18	28, 580	92, 510		89, 250		90, 990	99, 760	102, 900	107, 240	97,840	109, 360	106, 390
19 20	32, 490 36, 640	92, 860 91, 570	89, 360	89, 130 89, 360	90, 990 91, 110		99, 520 100, 970	102, 900 102, 780	107, 110 106, 150	94, 950 103, 140	107, 740 106, 750	107, 610 106, 270
				´	51, 110	80, 700	100, 510	102, 700	100, 100	· 1	100, 100	,
21	41, 020	91, 570		89, 360	90, 760		100, 490	102, 050	105, 670	103, 980	107, 110	105, 790
2223	47, 360 53, 320				90, 990 90, 990		99, 280 96, 630	102, 170 103, 020	107, 240 108, 490	106, 150 107, 610	106, 030 103, 620	105, 550 102, 780
24	57, 620	91, 920		89, 600	90, 990		96, 630	101, 930	108, 360	107, 010		100, 490
25	61, 500	90, 760		89, 830	90, 880		96, 630	102, 660	107, 110		99, 520	99, 760
26	66, 220	90, 880		89, 710	90, 760	91, 690	96, 150	101, 810	106, 990	108, 360	96, 750	98, 200
27	69, 410	90, 990		89, 830	90, 990	92,040	95, 310		105, 550	107,860	94, 370	95, 180
28	72, 940			90, 410	90, 990		95, 070	100, 970	105, 190	107, 490	92, 270	95, 180
29	75, 650	90, 530		90, 060		91, 340	94, 600	99, 760	107, 110	107, 860	89, 250	93, 670
30 31	76, 770 83, 310	89, 940		90, 530		89, 830 91, 920	94, 840	102, 900 102, 660	107, 110	106, 750 105, 310	87, 030 86, 800	95, 550
·	00, 010			eu, 080		31, 320		102, 000		100, 910	00,000	

# 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 Montgomery 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, 1925.

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, 11.73 feet from 9 to 11 a. m. May 25 (discharge, 24,900 second-feet); minimum stage, 4.01 feet from 1 to 7 a. m. October 22 (discharge, 1,370 second-feet).

1910-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 16.02 feet at 1 a. m. June 21, 1918 (discharge, 45,900 second-feet); minimum discharge, 960 second-feet from 11 a. m. to 3 p. m. October 13, 1914.

ICE.—Some shore ice forms near gage and river closes farther down; stage-discharge 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 67,000 acre-feet above spillway).

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent; affected by ice December 16 to January 30. Rating curves well defined above 2,000 second-feet. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for period December 17-28 when well was frozen. Daily discharge ascertained by application of mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good except those for December and January which are fair.

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

Discharge measurements of Snake River near Minidoka, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 3 Apr. 26 May 28	Feet 6. 47 8. 67 10. 67	Secft. 5, 570 11, 900 20, 200	Aug. 14 Aug. 17	Feet 6. 62 6. 55	Secft. 5, 860 5, 830	Sept. 16 Sept. 17	Feet 5. 25 5. 43	Secft. 2,840 3,180

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1, 960 1, 980 2, 270 2, 170 2, 270	3, 480 4, 460 4, 460 4, 400 4, 010	5, 060 4, 820 5, 390 5, 390 5, 200	3, 700	5, 280 5, 410 5, 580 5, 900 6, 160	5, 480 5, 410 5, 360 5, 340 5, 160	5, 950 7, 260 7, 060 6, 710 6, 610	9, 130 9, 020 9, 480 10, 480 11, 580	18, 040 19, 050 20, 430 18, 130 14, 790	13, 400 14, 790 17, 220 18, 520 17, 090	6, 100 6, 080 5, 950 6, 000 6, 130	4, 870 4, 750 4, 730 4, 680 4, 750
6	2, 270 2, 250 2, 340 2, 270 2, 310	3, 990 4, 290 4, 310 4, 440 4, 580	5, 390 5, 100 5, 320 5, 060 4, 730		6, 580 6, 770 6, 880 7, 010 6, 770	5, 280 5, 660 5, 560 5, 790 6, 210	7, 200 8, 040 8, 610 8, 610 7, 900	13, 330 14, 030 14, 630 15, 910 17, 610	13, 710 12, 920 13, 680 13, 180 12, 060	16, 790 16, 670 16, 370 16, 880 17, 090	6, 710 6, 420 5, 870 5, 560 5, 660	4, 650 4, 610 4, 470 4, 240 4, 170
11 12 13 14 15	2, 060 1, 970 2, 180 2, 110 2, 220	5, 360 5, 270 5, 200 4, 310 3, 950	4, 760 4, 920 4, 920 5, 060 5, 320	3, 600	6, 230 5, 840 5, 540 5, 510 5, 580	5, 820 5, 790 5, 510 5, 440 4, 940	7, 340 7, 760 8, 900 10, 080 11, 180	20, 120 18, 700 15, 950 16, 880 17, 400	11, 120 10, 300 10, 420 10, 920 9, 720	13, 370 11, 250 10, 480 8, 520 6, 610	5, 790 5, 970 5, 900 5, 710 5, 560	4, 080 4, 330 4, 400 4, 130 3, 580
16 17 18 19 20	2, 310 2, 380 2, 360 2, 150 2, 100	4, 760 5, 100 5, 130 5, 730 5, 460	4, 400		5, 690 5, 640 5, 540 5, 540 5, 510	5, 340 4, 970 5, 240 5, 160 4, 940	11, 850 12, 920 14, 270 14, 470 16, 120	16, 880 17, 310 18, 700 19, 450 20, 120	8, 780 8, 380 8, 900 9, 540 8, 010	6, 210 6, 360 6, 180 4, 030 5, 170	5, 540 5, 710 7, 400 7, 590 5, 360	3,000 3,000 3,060 3,710 4,420

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
21 22 23 24 25	1, 890 1, 770 2, 020 2, 220	5, 480 4, 870 5, 480 5, 750		3, 700	5, 540 5, 580 5, 480 5, 510	4, 940 4, 800 4, 940 5, 090	16, 330 15, 080 13, 680 13, 100	19, 890 20, 740 22, 460 23, 510	6, 180 6, 710 9, 900 12, 800	6, 390 6, 610 7, 540 7, 540	5, 240 5, 140 4, 990 4, 940	4, 890 6, 130 6, 850 7, 150
26	2, 180 2, 090 2, 170 2, 100 2, 110 2, 130 2, 150	5, 390 5, 440 5, 290 5, 170 5, 200 5, 010	3, 400	4, 300 5, 310	5, 440 5, 540 5, 360 5, 560	5, 770 5, 840 5, 460 5, 460 5, 440 5, 790	12, 730 12, 020 11, 090 10, 450 9, 930 9, 540	24, 710 23, 650 21, 240 19, 360 16, 370 17, 180 17, 950	13, 290 15, 330 14, 750 12, 300 13, 400 13, 870	7, 150 8, 350 7, 420 6, 550 6, 260 6, 230 6, 130	4, 700 4, 520 4, 580 4, 820 5, 040 4, 990 4, 850	7, 120 7, 060 6, 470 6, 100 5, 640 5, 360

Note.—Discharge estimated Dec. 16 to Jan. 30 from weather records and flow at Milner Dam. Mean discharge for day used Nov. 1, 14, July 19 and 20.

# Monthly discharge of Snake River near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	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	5, 750 5, 390 6, 880 6, 210 16, 330 24, 710 20, 430 18, 520 7, 400	1, 770 3, 480 5, 280 4, 800 5, 950 9, 020 6, 180 4, 030 4, 520 3, 000	2, 150 4, 860 4, 390 3, 810 5, 820 5, 380 10, 400 17, 200 12, 400 10, 300 5, 640 4, 880	132, 000 289, 000 270, 000 234, 000 323, 000 331, 000 619, 000 1, 060, 000 738, 000 633, 000 347, 000 290, 000
The year	24, 710	1, 770	7, 270	5, 270, 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, 1925.

GAGE.—Hook gage supplemented by float gage in same well at dam; float gage installed June 1, 1920, and 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.

Accuracy.—Gage heights occasionally seriously affected by wind. Gage read to hundredths twice daily.

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, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12345	8, 53 8, 61 8, 48 8, 68 8, 66	9. 41 9. 30 9. 11 8. 72 8. 88	7. 51 7. 36 7. 58 7. 54 7. 44	7. 22 7. 08 7. 19 7. 23 7. 24	7. 20 7. 24 7. 29 7. 26 7. 28	7. 27 7. 19 7. 20 7. 23 7. 26	7. 76 8. 37 8. 53 8. 53 8. 48	10. 48 10. 52 10. 44 10. 50 10. 68	10. 95 10. 94 10. 93 10. 92 10. 92	10. 97 10. 96 10. 96 10. 97 10. 94	10. 85 10. 84 10. 72 10. 64 10. 68	10. 24 10. 21 10. 20 10. 16 10. 21
6	8. 67 8. 62 8. 62 8. 72 8. 72	8. 74 9. 10 9. 27 8. 74 8. 36	7. 63 7. 38 7. 53 7. 48 7. 40	7. 27 7. 16 7. 16 7. 16 7. 08	7. 28 7. 31 7. 20 7. 24 7. 41	7. 26 7. 32 7. 19 7. 35 7. 41	8. 60 8. 90 9. 13 9. 18 9. 14	10, 96 10, 66 10, 94 10, 96 10, 96	10. 94 10. 92 10. 96 10. 91 10. 95	10. 97 10. 97 10. 96 10. 96 10. 94	10. 74 10. 98 10. 98 10. 80 10. 68	10. 23 10. 24 10. 27 10. 28 10. 24
11	2 7Q	8. 34 8. 13 8. 04 7. 88 6. 96	7. 42 7. 48 7. 48 7. 52 7. 50	7. 01 7. 22 7. 30 7. 28 7. 32	7. 28 7. 03 7. 18 7. 20 7. 20	7. 34 7. 42 7. 34 7. 40 6. 99	9. 16 9. 23 9. 24 9. 36 9. 34	10. 93 10. 94 10. 92 10. 92 10. 91	10. 94 10. 92 10. 95 10. 92 10. 90	10. 98 10. 96 10. 96 10. 98 10. 98	10. 54 10. 60 10. 74 10. 78 10. 79	10. 25 10. 29 10. 49 10. 74 10. 76
16	8. 88 8. 88 9. 05 9. 19 9. 36	7. 02 7. 20 7. 20 7. 16 7. 22	7. 51 6. 82 7. 29 7. 66 7. 22	7. 25 7. 10 7. 20 7. 23 7. 21	7. 28 7. 24 7. 26 7. 24 7. 28	7. 38 7. 36 7. 86 7. 82 7. 82	9. 31 9. 31 9. 31 9. 33 9. 27	10, 90 10, 92 10, 94 10, 93 10, 93	10. 94 10. 90 10. 95 10. 95 10. 96	10. 89 10. 95 10. 92 11. 05 10. 88	10, 88 10, 96 10, 79 10, 81 10, 84	10. 56 10. 41 10. 64 11. 04 10. 92
21	8.78 8.48	6. 88 6. 20 6. 87 7. 46 7. 46	7. 06 6. 95 7. 14 7. 21 7. 22	7. 20 7. 12 7. 25, 7. 26 7. 20	7. 08 7. 22 7. 18 7. 06 7. 24	7. 86 7. 82 7. 83 7. 95 7. 45	9. 29 9. 38 9. 46 9. 65 9. 72	10, 92 10, 94 10, 92 10, 94 10, 94	10. 91 10. 78 10. 98 10. 96 10. 95	10. 88 10. 99 11. 06 11. 10 11. 08	10. 76 10. 72 10. 64 10. 62 10. 62	10. 88 10. 92 10. 95 10. 96 10. 96
26	8. 86 8. 87 9. 00 9. 08 9. 48 9. 31	7. 44 7. 48 7. 52 7. 52 7. 42	7. 12 7. 21 7. 32 7. 29 7. 12 7. 22	7. 18 7. 32 7. 28 7. 30 7. 26 7. 20	7. 20 6. 99 7. 13	7. 70 8. 02 7. 83 7. 79 7. 82 8. 00	9. 80 9. 75 9. 88 9. 82 10. 09	10. 94 10. 91 10. 97 10. 88 10. 94 10. 96	10. 98 10. 96 10. 86 10. 96 10. 96	11. 10 11. 08 11. 08 11. 10 11. 05 10. 98	10. 44 10. 20 9. 92 9. 98 10. 12 10. 19	10. 98 10. 94 10. 42 10. 79 10. 67

#### 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, 1925.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank below highway bridge; 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 15-foot gage datum; full river width above that point. Control practically permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 18.44 feet at 1 a. m. May 12 (discharge, 19,000 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.5 feet October 23-24 (discharge, 8 second-feet).

1909-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 20.1 feet (original gage) June 12, 1909 (discharge, 44,400 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.5 feet August 22-26 and October 23-24, 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 diverted by these canals.

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

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent. Rating curves fairly well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except during extremely low stages, when staff gage was read to hundredths twice daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table except on days when considerable fluctuation in stage occurred, when mean of hourly discharge was used. Records good.

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

Discharge measurements of Snake River at Milner, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 4 May 25 May 29	Feet 9. 29 18. 30 14. 80	Secft. 5, 150 17, 700 11, 600	May 30 Aug. 1 Aug. 11	Feet 13. 10 1. 90 1. 67	Secft. 9, 260 24. 4 16. 3	Aug. 15 Aug. 16	Feet 1, 59 1, 58	Secft. 13. 9 13. 9

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12 23 45	9 9 9 9	11 2,790 2,790 2,700 2,880	4, 080 3, 780 4, 080 4, 700 4, 180	2, 600 2, 600 2, 500 2, 790 2, 880	5, 120 4, 810 4, 920 5, 340 5, 440	4, 280 4, 390 4, 180 4, 180 3, 780	3, 180 4, 280 5, 120 5, 020 4, 810	4, 210 4, 460 4, 160 5, 480 5, 030	11, 460 12, 030 14, 170 13, 280 9, 160	7, 530 7, 680 10, 650 12, 640 11, 220	24 23 22 20 20	14 13 13 13 13
6 7 8 9	9 9 9 10 10	2, 980 3, 080 3, 880 4, 080 3, 780	4,500 4,080 4,180 4,180 3,780	2,880 2,980 2,980 2,880 2,880 2,880	5, 660 6, 650 6, 210 5, 990 6, 430	3, 680 4, 180 4, 180 3, 880 4, 700	5, 230 5, 660 6, 760 6, 980 6, 650	6,770 8,220 8,010 9,060 10,990	8, 300 6, 830 7, 840 7, 620 6, 480	10, 510 10, 330 10, 260 9, 990 11, 330	19 593 39 20 18	13 13 13 13 13
11	10 10 10 10 10	4, 080 4, <b>6</b> 00 4, 700 4, 810 3, 480	3,380 3,580 3,680 3,780 3,980	2,500 2,700 2,700 2,700 2,700 2,700	6, 100 5, 120 4, 600 4, 390 4, 500	4, 390 4, 500 4, 180 4, 600 3, 680	5, 660 5, 340 6, 100 6, 320 7, 640	14, 490 15, 460 10, 390 10, 060 12, 120	4, 990 4, 080 4, 010 4, 900 4, 110	8, 850 5, 160 5, 120 2, 680 1, 200	15 14 14 14 14	13 13 14 15 163
16 17 18 19 20	10 10 10 10 10	3, 180 3, 680 3, 980 4, 080 5, 020	3, 980 3, 080 2, 790 3, 480 3, 080	2, 700 2, 500 2, 320 2, 500 2, 700	4,810 4,700 4,600 4,500 4,600	3, 280 2, 880 3, 180 3, 380 3, 080	8, 540 8, 660 11, 020 11, 020 13, 190	11, 330 11, 310 12, 750 13, 630 14, 130	3, 260 2, 360 2, 710 3, 760 2, 880	85 30 27 58 49	14 583 1,650 2,500 524	23 23 23 1, 040 2, 110
2122232425	10 9 8 8 9	4,700 4,280 3,180 4,700 5,230	2,500 2,320 2,220 2,410 2,410	2, 700 2, 700 2, 700 2, 700 2, 790 2, 880	4, 390 4, 600 4, 500 4, 180 5, 340	3, 480 3, 180 2, 880 3, 980 4, 280	13, 970 13, 000 9, 950 10, 090 9, 020	13, 930 14, 290 15, 880 17, 120 18, 200	868 386 2, 400 6, 520 6, 890	22 137 978 1, 400 472	17 13 13 13 13	2, 810 4, 080 4, 730 5, 190 4, 990
26	9 9 9 11 10	3, 880 4, 080 3, 480 3, 780 3, 680	2, 360 2, 180 2, 220 2, 460 2, 880 3, 080	2, 980 3, 180 3, 480 3, 480 5, 550 5, 120	5, 340 4, 080 3, 780	4, 700 5, 550 4, 810 4, 390 3, 480 4, 080	8,540 7,640 7,090 6,100 4,320	17, 900 15, 630 13, 970 10, 480 9, 910 11, 500	9, 240 8, 800 6, 850 6, 470 7, 730	1, 990 1, 360 358 75 53 30	14 14 13 13 13 14	4, 830 3, 960 3, 840 2, 270 3, 750

Monthly discharge of Snake River at Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

±2-	Discha	arge in secon	d-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	5, 230 4, 700 5, 550 6, 650 5, 550	8 11 2, 180 2, 320 3, 780 2, 880	9. 45 3, 720 3, 340 2, 950 5, 020 3, 980	580 221,000 205,000 181,000 279,000 245,000
April May June July August September	18, 200 14, 200 12, 600 2, 500	3,180 4,160 386 22 13 13	7,560 11,300 6,350 4,270 203 1,470	450, 000 695, 000 378, 000 263, 000 12, 500 87, 500
The year	18, 200	8	4,170	3, 020, 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 the city of Twin Falls.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—July 24, 1923, to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Au water-stage recorder on left bank installed December 15, 1923; inspected by Garry Chappell and William Bousman.

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 from water-stage recorder, 13.3 feet from 4 to 6 a. m. May 12 (discharge, 18,000 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.15 feet October 22-27 (discharge, 428 second-feet).

1923-1925: Maximum stage and discharge recorded May 12, 1915; minimum stage, 0.8 foot May 16-20, 1924 (discharge, 378 second-feet).

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

DIVERSIONS.—No water diverted from the 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 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 below 14,000 second-feet. 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 3 Nov. 29 Mar. 5 Apr. 5	Feet 7. 05 7. 78 7. 67 8. 36	Secft. 3, 390 4, 410 4, 230 5, 630	Apr. 30 May 3 May 17 July 15	Feet 8. 56 7. 55 11. 02 5. 94	Secft. 5, 660 4, 080 11, 800 2, 140	Aug. 22 Aug. 30	Feet 1.83 1.70	Secft. 554 506

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Kimberly, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	453 444 444 444 444	436 1, 530 3, 290 3, 290 3, 430	4, 480 4, 480 4, 320 5, 340 4, 640	4, 160 4, 320 4, 160	5, 920 5, 530 5, 530 5, 920 5, 920	4, 640 4, 980 4, 640 4, 810 4, 320	3, 860 4, 320 5, 720 5, 530 5, 340	4, 480 4, 980 4, 480 5, 920 5, 720	12, 400 12, 700 14, 100 13, 800 10, 400	8, 720 9, 180 10, 900 13, 000 11, 900	553 510 500 500 490	520 520 520 520 526 531
6	444 444 444 453	3, 570 3, 710 4, 160 4, 810 4, 480	4, 810 4, 640 4, 640 4, 810 4, 480	4, 500	6, 120 6, 950 6, 740 6, 530 6, 950	4, 160 4, 480 4, 640 4, 320 5, 160	5, 530 6, 120 7, 160 7, 600 7, 380	6, 740 8, 950 8, 950 9, 660 11, 100	9, 420 8, 720 8, 950 8, 490 6, 700	11, 100 10, 900 10, 900 10, 900 11, 700	490 510 1, 280 638	531 531 542 531 531
11	453 436 436 436 436	4, 480 5, 340 5, 340 5, 340 4, 480	4, 010 4, 010 4, 320 4, 320 4, 480		6, 740 5, 920 5, 160 4, 980 5, 160	4, 810 5, 160 4, 480 5, 160 4, 480	6, 320 5, 720 6, 740 6, 740 8, 040	13, 500 15, 800 11, 400 10, 600 12, 400	6, 100 5, 200 4, 810 5, 720 4, 810	10, 400 5, 920 5, 920 3, 430 2, 210	530	531 542 542 542 542 553
16	436 436 444 444 444	3, 570 4, 160 4, 480 4, 640 5, 530	4, 640 4, 160 4, 200	4, 200	5, 160 5, 340 5, 160 4, 980 4, 980	3, 710 3, 430 3, 430 3, 860 3, 430	9, 180 9, 420 11, 100 11, 400 13, 000	11, 900 11, 900 12, 700 13, 500 13, 800	2, 660 2, 900 3, 030 4, 160 3, 860	985 600 490 471 480	1, 700	638 638 576 576 2, 140
21 22 23 24 25	436 428 428 428 428	5, 340 4, 980 3, 710 4, 980 5, 920	2, 600	4, 480 4, 640 4, 640	4, 980 5, 160 4, 980 4, 810 4, 810	4, 010 3, 860 3, 290 4, 160 5, 160	13, 500 13, 500 10, 900 10, 900 9, 900	13, 800 13, 800 15, 200 16, 700 17, 400	1, 760 1, 160 1, 220 6, 740 7, 600	510 490 612 1,860 1,160	553 531 510 510	3, 030 4, 480 5, 530 5, 920 5, 920
26 27 28 29 30 31	428 428 436 453 444 436	4, 320 4, 640 3, 860 4, 320 4, 320	3, 300 3, 710 3, 860	4, 480 4, 640 4, 980 5, 340 6, 320 5, 920	4, 810 4, 640 4, 320	5, 160 5, 920 5, 340 5, 160 4, 010 4, 480	9, 420 8, 490 7, 820 6, 950 5, 160	17, 400 15, 500 14, 100 11, 700 10, 600 12, 200	10, 900 9, 700 7, 820 6, 740 9, 180	1, 660 2, 210 1, 280 805 638 625	520 520 531 520 520 520 520	5, 920 4, 980 4, 810 2, 660 4, 320

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage-height record Dec. 18-29, Jan. 4-22, June 10-12, 26, 27, and Aug. 10-21, based on flow at Milner and Twin Falls; interpolated Aug. 4. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Snake River near Kimberly, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

26. 11	Discha	rge in second	-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October	453	428	440	27, 100	
November	5, 920	436	4, 220	251,000	
December	5, 340		3, 950	243, 000	
January	6, 320		4, 510	277, 000	
February	6, 950	4, 320	5, 510	306,000	
March	5, 920	3, 290	4, 470	275, 000	
April	13, 500	3, 860	8, 090	481,000	
May	17, 400	4, 480	11, 500	707, 000	
June	14, 100	1, 160	7,060	420,000	
July	13,000	471	4, 900	301,000	
August			695	42, 700	
September	5, 920	520	2,000	119, 000	
The year	17, 400	428	4, 770	3, 500, 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 24 miles below.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—September 29, 1911, to June 30, 1917; May 1, 1919, to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Combined inclined and vertical staff 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, 10.5 feet at 7 a. m. May 12 and 6 p. m. May 25 (discharge, 19,600 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.2 feet on several days in October (discharge, 570 second-feet).

1911-1917; 1919-1925: 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 diverted from 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 the entire flow of river is diverted during later 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 permanent. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to quarter-tenths twice daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table, except September 6–15, for which it was interpolated. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Snake River near Twin Falls, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

 Date ·	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
ar. 6 ay 20	Feet 5. 24 9. 08	Secft. 4, 520 14, 400	July 16	Feet 3. 38 4. 21	Secft. 1, 570 2, 540

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Twin Falls, Idaho, for the year ending September 20, 1925

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Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	-May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4	570 570 570 598	598 1, 420 3, 820 3, 640	4, 850 4, 640 4, 850 5, 290	4, 420 4, 640 4, 420 4, 640	6, 200 6, 200 5, 970 6, 200	4, 640 5, 290 5, 070 5, 290	4, 420 4, 640 5, 970 5, 970	5, 070 5, 290 4, 850 6, 430	12, 300 12, 900 14, 500 14, 900	8, 600 8, 360 11, 400 13, 900	750 718 685 685	718 718 718 718
6	570 598 570 598 598 625	3, 640 4, 020 4, 020 4, 220 3, 820 4, 020	5, 290 5, 520 5, 520 4, 850 5, 290 5, 070	4, 850 5, 070 4, 850 4, 850 4, 850 4, 850	6, 200 6, 660 7, 380 7, 380 6, 900 7, 380	4, 850 4, 640 4, 420 4, 850 5, 070 5, 740	5, 970 6, 430 7, 620 8, 100 7, 860	6, 660 7, 140 9, 120 9, 120 10, 200 12, 000	11, 100 10, 200 7, 860 8, 860 8, 600 7, 140	12, 600 11, 700 11, 700 11, 400 11, 400 12, 600	685 625 625 1, 220 895 750	750 753 756 760 763 766

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Twin Falls, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
11	598 598 570 570 598	3, 820 5, 740 5, 740 5, 740 5, 740	4, 420 4, 420 4, 640 4, 850 5, 070	4, 420 4, 420 4, 420 4, 420 4, 640	7, 140 6, 900 5, 740 5, 520 5, 520	5, 740 5, 740 5, 290 5, 740 5, 740	6, 660 6, 200 7, 140 6, 900 8, 360	13, 900 17, 600 12, 000 11, 400 13, 300	6, 660 5, 740 5, 290 5, 290 5, 290	10, 800 6, 430 5, 970 3, 640 2, 760	718 685 685 685 685	769 772 776 779 782
16	598 625	5, 740 5, 740 5, 290 5, 740 5, 970	4, 850 4, 420 3, 450 4, 420 4, 850	4, 640 4, 420 4, 220 4, 420 4, 640	5, 520 5, 740 5, 520 5, 520 5, 740	4, 220 3, 820 3, 640 4, 020 3, 640	9, 390 9, 940 12, 000 12, 300 14, 500	13, 300 13, 300 13, 300 14, 500 14, 900	4, 420 3, 100 3, 270 4, 420 4, 220	1, 470 820 750 655 625	685 685 1,010 3,100 2,600	785 820 820 820 820 3, 270
21	625 598 598 598 598	5, 970 5, 520 5, 740 5, 520 6, 660	4, 850 3, 270 3, 270 2, 920 2, 600	4, 640 4, 640 4, 640 4, 850 4, 850	5, 520 5, 520 5, 520 5, 520 5, 070 5, 290	3, 640 3, 640 4, 220 4, 850 5, 290	15, 200 14, 500 11, 100 10, 800 10, 200	15, 200 14, 900 16, 500 18, 600 18, 900	2, 300 1, 420 1, 140 7, 380 7, 860	685 655 685 1, 580 1, 640	1, 320 858 750 685 685	4, 020 5, 290 5, 970 6, 430 6, 430
26	570 625 625 625 598 625	5, 290 5, 070 4, 850 4, 640 4, 640	2, 920 2, 760 2, 920 3, 640 3, 820 4, 020	4, 850 4, 850 5, 290 5, 520 6, 200 6, 430	5, 290 5, 070 4, 850	5, 290 6, 430 6, 660 5, 740 5, 290 4, 850	9, 660 9, 120 8, 100 7, 140 5, 740	18, 900 16, 900 15, 200 13, 300 12, 000 12, 600	11, 400 10, 200 8, 100 6, 660 8, 860	1, 420 2, 600 1, 760 1, 180 895 820	685 750 718 718 718 718	6, 430 5, 290 5, 290 3, 450 5, 070

Monthly discharge of Snake River near Twin Falls, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

36. 13	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November December January February March April May June	6, 660 5, 520 6, 430 7, 380 6, 660 15, 200 18, 900	570 598 2,600 4,220 4,850 3,640 4,420 4,850 1,140	595 4, 750 4, 310 4, 800 5, 980 4, 950 8, 600 12, 500 7, 380	36, 600 283, 000 265, 000 295, 000 332, 000 304, 000 512, 000 769, 000 439, 000	
July August September		625 625 718	5, 210 896 2, 380	320, 000 55, 100 142, 000	
The year	18, 900	570	5, 180	3, 750, 00	

## 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 11 miles below.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—August 24, 1912, to June 18, 1917; July 25, 1919, to September 30, 1925.

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, 6.27 feet at 11 a. m. May 12 (discharge, 24,100 second-feet); minimum stage, 3.30 feet at 6 a. m. October 1 (discharge, 5,080 second-feet).

1912-1917; 1919-1925: 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 noteworthy diversions between this station and the 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 directly regulated by diversions of the Twin Falls Canals at Milner.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed March 18 to April 28. Standard rating curve well defined. Water-stage recorder operated satisfactorily except for short periods October to February. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspecting recorder graph. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Snake River near Hagerman, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

•	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec Mar Apr	. 2	Feet 4. 06 4. 24 4. 60	Secft. 8, 990 9, 940 11, 800	May 25. July 14	Feet 6. 08 4. 11	Secft. 22, 500 8, 830

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River near Hagerman, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	5, 120 5, 330 5, 330 5, 330 5, 330 5, 330	5, 970 6, 420 7, 910 8, 180 8, 180		8, 750 8, 750 9, 040 9, 040	11, 200 10, 900 10, 900 10, 900 10, 900	9, 340 9, 950 9, 640 9, 640 9, 340	9, 040 8, 460 9, 950 9, 950 9, 950	9, 340 9, 340 9, 340 9, 950 10, 300	16, 700 17, 000 18, 800 19, 600 16, 700	12, 900 12, 600 14, 200 16, 000 16, 700	5, 540 5, 540 5, 330 5, 330 5, 330	5, 330 5, 330 5, 330 5, 330 5, 540
6- 7- 8- 9- 10-	5, 330 5, 330 5, 330 5, 540 5, 540	8, 460 8, 460 8, 180 8, 750 9, 340	8, 800	9, 050 9, 040	11, 200 11, 600 11, 600 11, 200 10, 900	9, 040 9, 340 9, 640 9, 340 9, 640	9, 950 10, 300 11, 200 11, 900 11, 900	10, 300 13, 200 12, 900 13, 900 15, 300	14, 600 13, 200 12, 900 13, 600 12, 600	15, 600 15, 600 15, 300 15, 300 16, 000	5, 330 5, 330 5, 330 5, 750 5, 540	5, 540 5, 540 5, 750 5, 750 5, 750
11. 12. 13. 14.	5, 540	9, 040 9, 640 9, 640 9, 950 9, 950	8, 750 8, 750 9, 040 9, 040	9, 040 8, 750 8, 750 9, 040 9, 040	11, 200 }10,900 9, 950 9, 640	9, 950 9, 950 9, 340 9, 950 9, 950	11, 200 11, 200 11, 600 11, 200 12, 200	16, 700 21, 800 17, 400 14, 900 16, 300	11, 600 10, 300 9, 340 9, 950 10, 300	15, 600 11, 900 10, 300 9, 340 7, 640	5, 330 5, 330 5, 330 5, 540 5, 540	5, 750 5, 750 5, 750 5, 750 5, 750
16. 17. 18. 19. 20.	5, 540	8, 180 8, 460 9, 040	9, 040 9, 340 9, 340 9, 040 8, 460	9, 040 9, 040 8, 750 8, 750	9, 950 9, 950 10, 300 10, 200 10, 100	8, 750 8, 750 8, 180 8, 750 8, 460	13, 600 14, 200 15, 300 16, 700 17, 400	16, 700 16, 300 17, 000 18, 100 18, 800	9, 340 8, 460 7, 910 8, 460 9, 040	6, 650 5, 750 5, 330 5, 120 5, 120	5, 540 5, 750 5, 750 6, 650 7, 910	5, 540 5, 540 5, 540 5, 540 5, 750
21 22 23 24 25	5, 330 5, 120	8, 900	8, 460 7, 910 7, 640 7, 380 7, 380	9, 040 9, 340	9, 950 9, 640 9, 950 9, 640 <b>9, 64</b> 0	8, 460 8, 750 8, 180 8, 180 <b>9, 64</b> 0	18, 800 19, 600 16, 300 15, 300 15, 300	18, 800 18, 800 20, 300 21, 800 22, 600	7, 910 6, 650 6, 420 8, 750 12, 200	5, 120 5, 330 5, 540 5, 750 6, <b>890</b>	6, 650 5, 970 5, 540 5, 540 5, 540	7, 380 8, 460 9, 340 9, 950 10, 300
26 27 28 29 30	5, 330 5, 330 5, 330 5, 540 5, 540		7, 130 7, 130 7, 130 7, 380 7, 910 8, 750	9, 340 9, 340 10,500 11, 900	9, 340 9, 640 9, 340	9, 340 9, 950 9, 950 9, 640 9, 340 8, 750	14, 600 14, 200 12, 900 12, 200 11, 200	22, 600 21, 000 18, 800 17, 000 14, 900 16, 300	13, 600 14, 900 13, 600 11, 200 12, 600	6, 420 7, 130 6, 890 6, 420 } 5, 900	5, 330 5, 330 5, 330 5, 330 5, 330 5, 330	10, 300 10, 600 9, 640 9, 040 8, 460

Note.—Discharge estimated Oct. 30-31, Nov. 19-30, Dec. 1-11, Jan. 1-2, 6-9, 20-23, 28-30, Feb. 12-13, and July 30-31; based on flow near Twin Falls. Discharge interpolated Oct. 3, 10, 24, Feb. 19-20, and Sept. 9-11. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Snake River near Hagerman, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	Run-offin		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	11, 600 9, 950 19, 600 22, 600 19, 600 16, 700	5, 120 5, 970 7, 130 9, 340 8, 180 8, 460 9, 340 6, 420 5, 120 5, 330 5, 330	5, 410 8, 680 8, 450 9, 220 10, 400 9, 260 12, 900 16, 200 11, 900 9, 690 5, 620 6, 840	333, 000 516, 000 520, 000 567, 000 578, 000 768, 000 996, 000 708, 000 596, 000 348, 000 407, 000
The year	22, 600	5, 120	9, 540	6, 900, 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, 1925.

Gage.—Inclined staff set in concrete on right bank installed August 24, 1922; read by employee 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, 11.24 feet at 8 a. m. May 26 (discharge, 25,400 second-feet); minimum discharge, 6,710 second-feet October 1-10, 24-27, and July 19-22.

1909–1925: 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 permanent during the year. 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 12 Feb. 28	Feet 7. 13 7. 19	Secft. 10, 700 10, 900	Apr. 15 May 15	Feet 7, 97 9, 39	Secft. 13, 000 18, 500	May 26 July 17	Feet 11. 22 5. 87	Secft. 25, 400 7, 330

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at King Hill, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

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Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	6, 710 6, 710	6, 980 7, 150 7, 150 9, 980 9, 980	10, 900 11, 500 11, 200 11, 200 12, 100	10, 600 10, 900 10, 900 10, 600 10, 900	13, 300 13, 300 13, 700 14, 600 17, 100	11, 200 11, 200 11, 800 11, 500 11, 800	11, 800 11, 200 11, 800 13, 000 12, 400	11, 800 10, 900 11, 200 19, 600 12, 400	18, 200 18, 900 19, 300 21, 200 20, 400	14, 300 14, 300 14, 000 17, 500 17, 500	7, 150 7, 150 7, 150 6, 930 6, 930	7, 150 7, 150 7, 150 7, 150 7, 150 7, 150
6 7 8 9 10	6, 710 6, 710 6, 710	9, 980 10, 300 9, 980 10, 600 10, 900	11, 500 11, 800 11, 500 11, 200 11, 500	10, 900 10, 900 11, 200 10, 900 10, 900	15, 700 15, 000 14, 300 13, 300 13, 000	11, 500 11, 200 11, 500 11, 500 11, 800	12, 400 12, 700 13, 000 14, 000 14, 300	13, 300 14, 000 13, 300 13, 300 12, 700	16, 400 14, 500 13, 700 15, 000 15, 300	18, 200 17, 500 17, 100 17, 100 17, 100	6, 930 6, 930 6, 930 7, 380 7, 150	7, 380 7, 380 7, 610 7, 610 7, 610
11 12 13 14 15	6, 930	10, 900 11, 200 11, 800 12, 100 12, 100	11, 200 10, 600 10, 600 11, 200 11, 200	10, 600 10, 600 10, 600 10, 600 10, 600	13, 300 13, 300 12, 100 12, 100 11, 800	11, 200 11, 800 11, 800 11, 800 11, 800	14, 000 13, 000 12, 700 13, 300 13, 000	17, 500 22, 800 20, 800 17, 100 17, 800	13, 000 12, 100 11, 500 10, 900 12, 400	18, 200 15, 700 11, 500 12, 100 9, 130	6, 930 6, 930 6, 930 7, 150 7, 150	7, 610 7, 610 7, 610 7, 610 7, 610
16 17 18 19 20	6, 930 6, 930	10, 900 10, 300 10, 900 11, 200 11, 200	11, 200 11, 200 10, 300 9, 410 10, 300	10, 600 10, 600 10, 600 10, 600 10, 600	11, 800 11, 800 12, 100 11, 800 11, 800	10, 900 10, 300 10, 300 10, 600 10, 900	14,000 15,000 15,300 18,600 18,200	15, 300 18, 600 18, 600 19, 700 20, 400	11, 800 9, 410 9, 690 9, 690 11, 200	8,600 7,380 7,150 6,710 6,710	7, 150 7, 380 7, 380 7, 610 8, 600	7,610 7,610 7,610 7,610 7,610
21 22 23 24 25	6, 930 6, 930 6, 930 6, 710 6, 710	12, 400 11, 800 11, 800 12, 100 11, 800	10, 300 9, 690 9, 410 9, 130 9, 130	10, 900 10, 900 10, 900 10, 900 11, 200	12, 100 12, 100 12, 100 12, 100 11, 500	10, 600 11, 200 11, 200 10, 600 11, 200	20, 800 21, 200 19, 300 16, 400 17, 100	21, 200 20, 400 21, 600 23, 200 24, 400	8, 600 8, 340 7, 610 7, 380 13, 300	6, 710 6, 710 6, 930 7, 150 7, 850	8, 860 7, 610 7, 380 7, 150 6, 930	9, 130 10, 300 12, 100 12, 400 12, 700
26 27 28 29 30 31	6, 930 7, 150	12, 700 11, 200 11, 800 10, 600 10, 900	9, 130 9, 130 8, 860 8, 860 9, 130 10, 600	11, 200 11, 200 11, 500 12, 400 17, 500 15, 700	11, 500 11, 500 11, 200	11, 800 12, 100 12, 700 12, 100 12, 400 11, 500	16, 000 16, 000 15, 000 14, 300 13, 300	25, 300 24, 400 22, 000 20, 400 17, 500 17, 100	13, 300 18, 600 15, 700 13, 700 13, 000	7, 850 7, 610 8, 860 8, 090 7, 610 7, 150	6, 930 6, 930 7, 150 7, 150 7, 150 7, 150	12, 700 12, 700 12, 100 11, 800 9, 980

Note.-Discharge estimated June 7 on basis of flow near Hagerman.

Monthly discharge of Snake River at King Hill, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	12, 700 12, 100 17, 500 17, 100 12, 700 21, 200 25, 300 21, 200 18, 200	6, 710 6, 930 8, 860 10, 600 11, 200 10, 300 11, 200 10, 600 7, 380 6, 710 6, 930 7, 150	6, 860 10, 800 10, 500 11, 300 12, 800 11, 400 14, 800 17, 700 13, 500 11, 300 7, 230 8, 840	422, 000 643, 000 646, 000 695, 000 711, 000 881, 000 1, 090, 000 803, 000 695, 900 445, 000 526, 000
The year	25, 300	6, 710	11, 400	8, 260, 000

## SNAKE RIVER NEAR MURPHY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NW. ¼ sec. 18, T. 2 S., R. 1 E., Ada County, three-quarters of a mile below Swan Falls power plant, 9 miles northeast 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, 1925.

GAGE.—Au water-stage recorder on right bank a quarter of a mile below house on Glass ranch; installed July 31, 1924; inspected by George Bahler and J. G. Glass.

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

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of lava rock overlain with deposits of sand, silt, and gravel, where not scoured out by current. Control permanent. Banks not subject to overflow.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year, from water-stage recorder, 8.94 feet at 8.30 a. m. May 13 (discharge, 27,000 second-feet); minimum mean daily discharge, 6,830 second-feet October 1-3 and August 10; absolute minimum stage and discharge not definitely known because water fell below intake pipe at times of minimum load at power plant above.

1912–1925: 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, 1919 to 1925, 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 permanent. Rating curve 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 good.

The following discharge measurements were made:

May 1, 1925: Gage height, 4.62 feet; discharge, 12,300 second-feet. May 2, 1925: Gage height, 4.38 feet; discharge, 13,600 second-feet. July 28, 1925: Gage height, 1.41 feet; discharge, 8,660 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Murphy, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1  2  3	6, 830 6, 830 6, 830	7, 370 7, 180 7, 370	11,000 11,000 11,600	10, 400 10, 800 11, 200	16, 300 14, 500 14, 300	11, 600 11, 600 12, 000	12, 600 12, 400 11, 800	14,000 12,600 12,000	18, 700 19, 200 19, 800	13, 800 14, 800 14, 300	7, 570 7, 370 7, 370	7, 270 7, 370 7, 370
4 5	7, 180 7, 000	8, 100 10, 100	11, 200 11, 400	10, 800 11, 000	15, 300 17, 300	12,000	12, 600 13, 300	12,600 12,600		15, 500 18, 100	7,000 7,270	7, 370 7, 470
6 7 8.2 9 10	7,090 7,000 7,180 7,090 7,090	10, 100 9, 770 10, 300 10, 300 10, 800	11, 000 11, 400 11, 800 11, 600 11, 400	11, 200 11, 200 11, 200 11, 200 11, 000	18, 400 17, 300 15, 500 15, 000 14, 500	12, 000 11, 800 12, 200 12, 400	13, 800 13, 300 13, 800 14, 500 15, 300	13, 600 13, 300 15, 500 16, 300 16, 500	17, 000	19,000 17,900 17,300 17,100 17,100	6, 910 7, 000 7, 180 7, 180 6, 830	7, 180 7, 570 7, 770 7, 670 7, 570
11 12 13 14 15	7, 180 7, 270 7, 270 7, 370 7, 270	11, 000 11, 200 11, 600 11, 800 12, 000	11, 600 11, 400 11, 200 10, 600 11, 400	11, 000 11, 200 10, 800 10, 600 10, 600	13, 600 13, 600 13, 600 12, 900 12, 200	11, 600 12, 000 11, 800 11, 800 11, 600	15, 800 15, 300 14, 800 14, 800 15, 300	17, 900 19, 500 24, 500 20, 400 17, 900	13, 100 12, 000 12, 200	17, 100 17, 600 14, 500 11, 600	7, 770 6, 910 7, 270 7, 270 7, 370	7, 770 7, 880 8, 100 7, 880 8, 210
16 17 18 19 20	7, 270 7, 090 7, 180 7, 180 7, 180	12,000 11,200 10,300 11,000 11,400	11, 400 11, 400 11, 400 9, 620 9, 770	10, 800 10, 800 10, 600 10, 800 10, 400	12, 200 12, 000 12, 200 12, 400 12, 000	12,000 11,200 10,800 10,400 10,600	15, 300 16, 800 17, 300 18, 100 19, 500	19,000 20,100 19,500 20,100 21,000	13, 300 12, 400 11, 400 10, 800 10, 600	8, 210 7, 180 7, 000	7, 180 7, 370 7, 670 7, 470 7, 570	7, 990 7, 990 7, 990 8, 100 7, 670

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Murphy, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
21 22 23 24	7, 370 7, 270 7, 180 7, 090 7, 180	11,600 12,200 11,800 11,600 10,600	11, 400 11, 000 11, 200 12, 000 11, 000	10,600 10,600 10,800 11,000	12, 200 12, 600 12, 400 12, 600 12, 400	11, 200 11, 000 11, 800 11, 800 11, 400	19, 800 21, 300 22, 200 19, 860 18, 100	21, 600 22, 200 21, 900 22, 960 24, 500	12,000 10,800 9,330 8,560 8,800	7,090 7,370 7,180 7,570 7,270	9, 620 8, 560 8, 210 7, 370 7, 270	8, 100 9, 330 10, 400 12, 600
26 27 28 29 30	7, 090 7, 180 7, 180 7, 180 7, 180 7, 570 7, 570	11, 600 12, 200 11, 200 11, 200 10, 800	9, 930 10, 400 11, 400 11, 400 10, 800 10, 600	11, 400 11, 400 11, 400 12, 200 16, 000 19, 500	11, 800 11, 600 11, 800	12, 600 12, 600 12, 600 13, 300 13, 100 13, 600	18, 100 17, 300 17, 300 15, 800 15, 000	25, 200 25, 500 24, 200 21, 900 20, 100 17, 900	13, 800 14, 500 16, 800 15, 800 13, 300	7, 670 8, 680 8, 440 9, 190 8, 320 8, 100	7, 370 7, 270 7, 270 7, 370 7, 370 7, 090 7, 370	13, 300 12, 900 13, 300 12, 200 12, 000

Note.—Discharge estimated Mar. 4-6, June 4-12, July 15-17, by comparison with flow at Hagerman, King Hill, and Oxbow. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Snake River near Murphy, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	7, 570	6, 830	7, 170	441, 000
November	. 12, 200	7, 180	10,700	637, 000
December		9, 620	11, 100	682,000
January	19,500	10,400	11, 400	701,000
February	18, 400	11,600	13, 700	761,000
March		10,400	11, 900	732,000
April		11,800	16,000	952,000
May June	25, 500	12,000 8,560	18, 900 14, 300	1, 160, 000 851, 000
July		7, 000	11,700	719,000
August	9, 620	6, 830	7, 430	457, 000
September	13, 300	7, 180	9,010	536, 000
The year	25, 500	6, 830	11, 900	8, 630, 000

#### SNAKE RIVER AT WEISER, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 31, T. 11 N., R. 5 W., one-third 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, 1925. Fragmentary gage-height record obtained by United States Weather Bureau since 1895.

Gage.—Inclined concrete gage on right bank; 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 discharge recorded during year, 63,100 second-feet February 6; minimum stage, 2.02 feet October 4 (discharge, 7.140 second-feet).

1910–1925: Maximum stage recorded, 13.60 feet May 23, 1921 (discharge, 83,100 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.35 feet August 5, 1924 (discharge, 5,100 second-feet). 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 affected by occasional ice jams during severe winters. DIVERSIONS.—Some water is diverted by pumping, between Weiser and the station near Murphy.

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

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed during ice-affected period December 22 to January 19 and again April 30 to May 19. A well-defined rating curve and two parallel curves used October 1 to December 21, January 20 to April 29, and May 20 to September 30. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table; shifting-control method used April 30 to May 19. Records good except for estimated periods for which they are fair.

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

Discharge measurements of Snake River at Weiser, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925.

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Feb. 22	Feet 4. 92 6. 17 5. 93 6. 48	Secft. 20, 700 28, 700 26, 000 30, 200	May 20 May 25 June 9	Feet 9. 22 9. 50 6. 23	Secft. 47, 800 50, 800 27, 600	June 22 Aug. 6 Sept. 28	Feet 5. 84 2. 15 4. 01	Secft, 24,800 7,390 14,400

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	7, 310 7, 310 7, 310 7, 140 7, 480	9, 470 9, 660 9, 860 10, 000 10, 400	12, 900 12, 900 12, 500 12, 500 12, 900		34, 000 30, 600 33, 300 39, 700 56, 100	20, 700 20, 100 20, 100 20, 700 21, 200	29, 300 28, 000 26, 700 26, 700 28, 000	27, 300 27, 300 26, 700 26, 700 28, 600	41, 100 38, 200 38, 900 36, 800 35, 400	24, 800 23, 600 21, 200 19, 600 20, 100	8, 690 7, 980 7, 810 7, 980 7, 640	8, 160 8, 160 8, 340 8, 340 8, 690
6 7 8 9 10,	7, 480 7, 660	13, 400 13, 800 12, 100 12, 100 12, 500	12, 900 12, 900 12, 900 12, 900 12, 900	12, 500	63, 100 53, 000 41, 800 34, 000 30, 600	21, 800 26, 100 27, 300 24, 200 23, 600	29, 900 30, 600 32, 000 33, 300 35, 400	31, 300 35, 400 36, 800 39, 700 38, 900	35, 400 33, 300 28, 600 27, 300 23, 600	20, 700 20, 100 20, 100 19, 600 19, 600	7, 470 7, 470 7, 470 7, 640 7, 640	8, 690 9, 060 9, 060 9, 800 10, 200
11	7, 660 7, 480 7, 480	12, 500 12, 900 13, 400 13, 400 13, 400	12, 900 13, 400 13, 400 13, 400 12, 900		27, 300 24, 800 23, 000 23, 000 21, 800	22, 400 20, 700 21, 800 21, 200 20, 700	38, 200 41, 100 45, 500 41, 800 44, 800	38, 200 38, 200 40, 400 46, 200 42, 600	24, 800 24, 800 20, 700 21, 200 21, 200	19,000 18,500 18,000 15,500 13,700	7, 640 7, 810 8, 160 7, 300 7, 470	9, 800 8, 870 9, 420 10, 400 10, 800
16 17 18 19 20	7, 830 7, 830 7, 830	13, 800 13, 800 14, 300 13, 800 13, 800	12, 500 12, 900 12, 900 12, 500 12, 900	12, 800	20, 700 20, 100 19, 600 19, 600 19, 600	19, 600 19, 000 20, 100 19, 600 19, 000	45, 500 45, 500 47, 800 48, 500 49, 200	40, 400 41, 800 45, 500 46, 200 48, 500	20, 700 23, 000 19, 600 20, 700 20, 700	12, 400 11, 200 10, 600 9, 610 8, 870	7, 980 8, 690 8, 340 8, 510 8, 690	11, 200 10, 800 10, 600 10, 600 10, 600
21 22 23 24 25	7,830	13, 400 14, 700 15, 200 16, 100 14, 300	13, 400	12, 800 12, 400 12, 800 13, 300 13, 700	19, 600 20, 760 21, 800 27, 300 25, 400	19, 000 19, 000 20, 700 22, 400 23, 600	48, 500 45, 500 46, 200 45, 500 41, 100	51, 500 53, 000 53, 000 51, 500 50, 000	20, 700 22, 400 24, 200 22, 400 20, 100	8, 160 8, 160 8, 160 8, 160 7, 980	8, 870 9, 060 9, 240 9, 420 8, 340	10, 600 10, 400 10, 600 10, 800 10, 800
26	8, 540 8, 720 9, 100	13, 800 14, 300 15, 200 13, 400 12, 900	}12, 000 }	14, 100 15, 000 15, 500 20, 100 21, 200 34, 000	23, 600 22, 400 21, 200	25, 400 25, 400 26, 100 27, 300 28, 600 29, 300	36, 109 34, 700 32, 000 30, 600 28, 600	50, 000 50, 000 50, 000 49, 200 47, 000 44, 800	21, 200 21, 800 23, 600 26, 100 25, ±00	7, 980 7, 980 10, 200 9, 060 8, 870 8, 510	8, 160 7, 980 8, 160 8, 160 8, 160 8, 160	10, 600 11, 200 15, 000 15, 500 17, 000

Note.—Braced figures show mean estimated discharge for periods indicated; estimates based on flow at King Hill, Murphy, and Oxbow; stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

# Monthly discharge of Snake River at Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June June	16, 100 34, 000 63, 100 29, 300 49, 200 53, 000 41, 100 24, 800	7, 140 9, 470 19, 600 19, 000 26, 700 19, 600 7, 980	7, 820 13, 100 12, 600 14, 000 29, 200 22, 500 38, 000 41, 800 26, 100 14, 200	481, 000 780, 000 775, 000 861, 000 1, 620, 000 1, 380, 000 2, 260, 000 2, 570, 000 1, 550, 000 873, 000
August September The year	17, 000	7, 300 8, 160 7, 140	8, 130 10, 500 19, 700	500, 000 625, 000 14, 300, 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, 1925.

Gage.—Au water-stage recorder on left bank installed December 20, 1923; inspected by Wm. T. Kingsley and L. W. Goodin.

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, 19.14 feet at 6 a. m. February 6 (discharge, about 70,600 second-feet); minimum stage, 7.02 feet from 7 to 8 a. m. August 10 (discharge, 6,480 second-feet).

1923-1925: Maximum stage and discharge recorded February 6, 1925; minimum stage, 6.30 feet between 5 and 6 a.m. August 6, 1924 (discharge, 4.890 second-feet).

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 during ice-affected period December 23 to January 16. Rating curve used prior to shift is well defined between 5,000 and 31,000 second-feet; curve used thereafter well defined between 6,500 and 55,000 second-feet. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for short periods in December and January when float froze in well. 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 Snake River at Oxbow, Oreg., during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Mar. 5	Feet 11. 47 11. 44 15. 92	Secft. 22,000 22,500 48,400	Apr. 23 Do May 29	Feet 15. 86 15. 87 16. 61	Secft. 47, 400 47, 700 52, 400	June 13 Aug. 10 Sept. 27	Feet 12, 14 7, 24 9, 58	Secft. 25, 200 7, 340 14, 500

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Snake River at Oxbow, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	7, 210 7, 210	9, 430 10, 100 10, 100 9, 750 10, 800	13, 600 13, 200 14, 000 14, 400 14, 400		34, 300 30, 300 30, 300 38, 100 53, 300	22, 000 21, 600 21, 100 21, 100 22, 400	27, 300 28, 300 27, 300 27, 300 27, 800	28, 800 28, 800 28, 300 28, 300 29, 300	44, 900 40, 100 40, 100 38, 800 36, 800	24, 600 22, 000 22, 000 21, 100 20, 300	9,040 8,740 8,170 7,900 7,900	7, 640 7, 900 7, 640 7, 900 7, 900
6 7 8 9 10	7, 450 7, 450 7, 450 7, 450 7, 700	11, 400 13, 600 13, 600 12, 500 12, 900	13,600 14,400 14,800 14,000 14,400	<sup>}</sup> 16, 500	67, 600 57, 600 45, 600 38, 800 32, 000	23, 300 25, 000 26, 400 27, 300 24, 100	29, 800 32, 000 32, 600 33, 700 36, 200	31, 400 34, 900 38, 100 40, 100 41, 500	36, 800 35, 600 31, 400 28, 300 26, 800	21, 600 22, 800 22, 400 20, 700 20, 300	7, 390 7, 390 7, 150 7, 150 7, 150	8, 170 8, 450 8, 740 9, 660 9, 980
11 12 13 14 15	7, 450 7, 700 7, 700 7, 960 7, 960 7, 960	12, 500 13, 200 13, 600 13, 600 14, 000	13,600 13,600 14,000 14,000 13,600		28, 800 26, 400 24, 600 23, 700 23, 300	23, 300 22, 000 21, 600 21, 600 20, 300	38, 800 41, 500 45, 600 46, 300 47, 000	40, 800 40, 100 42, 200 47, 000 47, 700	25, 400 25, 900 25, 400 24, 100 22, 800	19, 900 19, 000 19, 500 19, 000 15, 800	7, 390 7, 150 7, 900 8, 170 9, 040	9,660 9,660 9,350 9,660 9,980
16 17 18 19 20	7, 960 7, 960 7, 960 7, 960 7, 960 7, 960	14, 400 14, 400 14, 400 13, 600 13, 200	13, 200 12, 900 11, 800 11, 400 11, 100	16, 200 16, 200 15, 800 15, 400	22, 400 21, 600 21, 100 20, 700 20, 700	19, 900 19, 900 20, 300 20, 300 19, 500	47, 000 48, 400 49, 800 51, 200 52, 600	44, 200 44, 900 48, 400 50, 500 51, 900	22, 400 23, 300 24, 100 23, 700 22, 800	13, 500 13, 500 11, 300 10, 300 9, 660	8, 740 8, 740 8, 450 8, 450 8, 450	9, 980 9, 980 9, 980 9, 980 9, 980
21 22 23 24 25	7, 960 7, 960 7, 960 7, 960 7, 960 7, 960	14,000 14,800 16,000 16,800 16,000	11, 100 11, 100	15, 800 15, 400 15, 800 16, 200 17, 000	21, 100 22, 000 23, 300 26, 800 26, 400	18,600 19,500 20,700 22,400 24,600	51, 200 48, 400 47, 000 46, 300 44, 200	56, 200 57, 600 58, 300 56, 900 54, 000	22, 800 23, 700 25, 400 24, 600 22, 800	8, 450 8, 170 8, 450 8, 740 8, 740	8, 170 8, 170 9, 660 9, 350 9, 040	10, 300 9, 980 10, 300 11, 300 12, 800
26 27 28 29 30 31	7,960 7,960 8,510 8,510	15, 200 13, 600 14, 800 15, 200 13, 600	12, 500	17, 000 16, 600 16, 200 18, 200 19, 500 27, 800	25, 400 23, 700 22, 400	25, 000 25, 400 26, 400 25, 900 26, 800 29, 300	38, 800 36, 200 33, 700 31, 400 30, 300	54,000 54,000 53,300 52,600 51,200 49,100	21, 100 20, 700 23, 700 24, 600 25, 400	8, 740 8, 450 8, 740 9, 660 9, 040 9, 660	7, 900 7, 900 7, 900 7, 640 7, 640 7, 900	13, 900 14, 600 14, 600 14, 600 15, 000

Note.—Braced figures show mean estimated discharge for periods included; discharge based on flow at Murphy and Weiser stations.

Monthly discharge of Snake River at Oxbow, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November December January	9, 110 16, 800 14, 800 27, 800	7, 210 9, 430	7, 800 13, 400 13, 100 16, 900	480, 000 797, 000 806, 000 1, 040, 000	
February March April May	29, 300 52, 600	20, 700 18, 600 27, 300 28, 300	30, 400 22, 800 39, 300 44, 700	1, 690, 000 1, 400, 000 2, 340, 000 2, 750, 000	
June	44, 900 24, 600	20, 700 8, 170 7, 150 7, 640	27, 800 15, 000 8, 120 10, 300	1, 650, 000 322, 000 499, 000 613, 000	
The year	67, 600	7, 150	20, 700	15, 000, 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, 1925. May 17, 1920, to September 30, 1922, at a site 3 miles downstream just below mouth of Dry Creek.

GAGE.—Stevens 8-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, 1.64 feet from 6 a. m. to 1 p. m. July 16 (discharge, 93 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.54 foot September 24 (discharge, 2 second-feet).

1920-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 4.84 feet at 10 p. m. August 6, 1924 (discharge, 743 second-feet); minimum stage, 1 second-foot July 1-8, 1923, and October 26, 1923, when reservoir gates were closed for storage.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice; 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 not permanent. Standard rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory June 1 to August 22. Staff gage readings only after that date. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height obtained from recorder graph or staff gage readings to rating table. Records fair.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by North Fork Reservoir Co.

Discharge measurements of Henrys Fork near Lake, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage Dis- height charge		Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	
June 6Aug. 9	Feet 0. 66 1. 28	Secft. 10. 9 55. 3	Aug. 30. Sept. 20.	Feet 1.34 1.04	Secft. 53. 6 25. <b>0</b>	

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Henrys Fork near Lake, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Oct.	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		9 10 9 10 11 11 12 12 11	16 17 17 17 17 19 18 19 18	57 58 57 56 56 56 55 55 55 55	53 54 54 55 54 54 54 54 54	16		11 11 12 12 12 12 13 14 13 14	62 63 57 58 59 56 56 56 56	58 55 56 56 56 56 55 56 55 55	26 26 26 26 25 25 25 25 25 3
11 12 13 14 15		11 11 11 11 11	17 17 17 17 17	56 57 56 59 59	54 27 26 26 26 26	26		14 15 15 16 16	56 56 59 61 59 57	55 55 56 54 53 53	4 5 6 12 19

Note.—Discharge estimated Sept. 5-11 and 21-23; interpolated Sept. 13-19, 25-27, and 29. No record obtained Oct. 5 to May 31.

Monthly discharge of Henrys Fork near Lake, Idaho, for the year ending September, 30, 1925

Month	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
June JulyAugust	16 63 59	9 16 53	12 38. 3 55. 8	714 2, 360 3, 430
September	59 55	2	31. 2	1,860
The period				8,360

#### 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, 1925.

Gage.—Au water-stage recorder referred to vertical staff on left bank; inspected by Sheppard and Howard.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable at gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of cobbles, gravel, and sand. Stagedischarge relation at times affected by moss growth; otherwise conditions are fairly permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 6.51 feet at 11 p. m. May 7 (discharge, 2,640 second-feet); minimum stage, 3.50 feet at 1 p. m. December 17, 19, and 20 (discharge, 482 second-feet); even lower discharges may have occurred during winter.

1910-1915; 1918-1925: Maximum discharge, 3,390 second-feet May 16, 1920; minimum discharge, 3.50 feet at 1 p. m. December 17, 19, and 20, 1924 (discharge, 482 second-feet); even lower discharge may have occurred during winter.

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

DIVERSIONS.—Practically none above station.

REGULATION.—Flow partly regulated by operation of gates at outlet of Henrys Lake.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent; affected by ice December 21 to January 12. Standard rating curve well defined between 700 and 2,200 second-feet. Water-stage recorder operation satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by shifting-control method. Records good except for short period in winter for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of Henrys Fork at Warm River, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 7	Feet 4. 08 a 3. 98 5. 85 5. 13	Secft. 796 717 2, 110 1, 450	June 23 July 9 Aug. 1 Aug. 26	Feet 4. 90 4. 61 4. 51 4. 42	Secft. 1, 300 1, 080 984 901	Sept. 14 Sept. 25	Feet 4. 41 4. 38	Secft. 961 913

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, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3	764 770 788	788 794 782	689 689 747		782 782 794	747 868 530	806 806 806	1, 900 2, 160 2, 410	1, 740 1, 700 1, 740	1, 190 1, 170 1, 140	990 976 983	938 912 912
4 5	776 770	794 806	747 747		831 837	735 724	806 818	2, 400 2, 380	1,730 1,670	1, 130 1, 180	1,020 983	905 931
6	770 759 759 776 818	800 794 806 806 806	747 747 747 634 868	740	837 831 806 806 806	724 735 735 735 735 718	837 868 868 899 899	2, 450 2, 510 2, 510 2, 260 2, 080	1,670 1,580 1,580 1,500 1,430	1,230 1,170 1,120 1,080 1,070	970 964 957 957 964	944 924 1,040 1,020 983
11	818 800 776 776 782	806 747 747 806 806	806 806 806 806 689	782 782 782 724	718 776 776 776 776 776	689 718 718 718 718 718	899 931 1,040 1,390 1,460	2, 020 2, 260 2, 300 2, 150 2, 150	1,370 1,340 1,340 1,370 1,380	1,050 1,040 1,050 1,030 1,020	970 976 957 983 976	964 957 950 938 938
16	794 800 861 849 824	747 747 747 747 806	868 482 747 482 482	782 782 782 782 782 782	776 776 764 764 759	718 718 718 718 724	1,540 1,980 1,940 1,820 1,740	2, 150 2, 160 2, 180 2, 190 2, 200	1, 400 1, 380 1, 360 1, 330 1, 290	1,000 1,010 1,040 1,030 1,020	964 950 938 931 924	931 924 938 970 950
21 22 23 24 25	806 800 794 788 782	837 806 806 806 806	625	782 724 782 782 782 782	759 759 759 759 759 759	735 747 747 747 718	1,700 1,740 1,700 1,540 1,430	2, 250 2, 260 2, 250 2, 120 2, 050	1,290 1,300 1,290 1,250 1,220	1,040 1,040 1,030 1,020 1,010	924 924 918 912 905	950 938 931 924 918
26	776 776 782 837 806 812	806 806 747 747 868	680	782 782 782 782 782 782 782	759 759 747	718 718 747 747 776 806	1, 430 1, 460 1, 460 1, 580 1, 820	1, 980 1, 930 1, 880 1, 820 1, 820 1, 800	1, 180 1, 160 1, 150 1, 160 1, 170	996 996 996 1,000 1,000 996	912 924 950 918 912 918	918 918 918 944 976

NOTE.—Recorder readings used Oct. 1 to Nov. 7 and May 2 to Sept. 30; daily staff gage readings used for other periods except Dec. 21 to Jan. 12 for which discharge was estimated.

Monthly discharge of Henrys Fork at Warm River, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	861 868	759 747	793 791 691	48, 800 47, 100 42, 500
January February March	837 868	718 530	762 780 729	46, 900 43, 300 44, 800
April May June	2,510	1,800 1,150 996	1, 300 2, 160 1, 400 1, 060	77, 400 133, 000 83, 300 65, 200
JulyAugustSeptember		905 905	950 943	58, 400 56, 100
The year	2, 510		1,030	747, 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, 1925.

GAGE.—Stevens 8-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 stage recorded during periods October 1 to November 7 and April 14 to September 30, 3.11 feet at 11 p. m. May 7 (discharge, 6,220 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.37 foot at 5 p. m. October 14 (discharge, 822 second-feet.)

1902-1909; 1920-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 3.11 feet at 11 p. m. May 7, 1925 (discharge, 6,220 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 & Light Co.'s power plant 3 miles above station.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory throughout periods of record except July 30 to August 4, when daily staff readings were used. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Discharge interpolated November 3–6. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Henrys Fork near Ashton, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 7	Feet 0. 50 1. 43 2. 14 2. 01	Secft. 987 2,330 3,770 3,400	June 8 June 27 July 14 July 29	Feet 1. 43 1. 06 . 96 . 95	Secft. 2, 200 1, 650 1, 470 1, 460	Aug. 27 Sept. 5 Sept. 18	Feet 0. 92 . 92 . 87	Secft. 1,360 1,380 1,310

Note.—No record obtained Nov. 8 to Apr. 13. No gage-height record Nov. 3-6; discharge interpolated. Staff gage readings used July 30 to Aug. 4.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Henrys Fork near Ashton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	963 963 975 1, 080 1, 030	1, 030 939 946 953 961		3, 100 3, 320 3, 760 3, 790 3, 760	2, 460 2, 420 2, 460 2, 440 2, 310	1,640 1,620 1,570 1,570 1,660	1, 430 1, 430 1, 430 1, 480 1, 430	1, 390 1, 410 1, 380 1, 390 1, 390
6	939 939 1, 040 1, 000 1, 040	968 975		4, 130 4, 550 5, 340 4, 090 3, 230	2, 400 2, 250 2, 190 2, 090 2, 070	1,840 1,670 1,570 1,500 1,460	1, 360 1, 330 1, 300 1, 260 1, 280	1, 430 1, 430 1, 500 1, 580 1, 360
11	1, 110 1, 110 1, 030 975 1, 000		2, 350 2, 400	3, 120 3, 360 3, 700 3, 470 3, 360	1,980 1,920 1,860 1,820 1,820	1,440 1,430 1,440 1,430 1,430	1,310 1,380 1,360 1,440 1,460	1, 300 1, 230 1, 220 1, 220 1, 280

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Henrys Fork near Ashton, Idaho, for the year ending, September 30, 1925—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
16	988 1,030		2, 420 3, 050 3, 450 2, 400 2, 440	3, 340 3, 340 3, 320 3, 360 3, 360	1, 920 1, 940 1, 820 1, 820 1, 800	1, 380 1, 390 1, 440 1, 430 1, 440	1, 430 1, 430 1, 410 1, 410 1, 310	1, 330 1, 330 1, 330 1, 360 1, 500
21	1,030 963 1,040		2, 540 2, 560 2, 600 2, 440 2, 030	3, 450 3, 450 3, 470 3, 230 3, 050	1, 790 1, 790 1, 820 1, 770 1, 710	1, 460 1, 500 1, 500 1, 480 1, 460	1, 310 1, 300 1, 280 1, 280 1, 280	1, 580 1, 670 1, 600 1, 410 1, 330
26	939 939 890		2, 070 2, 150 2, 630 2, 350 2, 710	2, 940 2, 790 2, 710 2, 630 2, 600 2, 540	1, 660 1, 620 1, 580 1, 580 1, 600	1, 440 1, 440 1, 430 1, 440 1, 440 1, 430	1, 260 1, 390 1, 430 1, 410 1, 390 1, 360	1, 380 1, 340 1, 310 1, 340 1, 380

NOTE—No record obtained Nov. 8 to Apr. 13. No gage-height record Nov. 3-6; discharge interpolated. Staff gage readings used July 30 to Aug. 4.

Monthly discharge of Henrys Fork near Ashton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	-feet	Run-ôff in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-7 April 14-30 May June July August September	1, 170 1, 030 3, 450 5, 340 2, 460 1, 840 1, 480 , 670	890 939 2, 030 2, 540 1, 580 1, 380 1, 260 1, 220	1,010 967 2,510 3,410 1,960 1,500 1,370 1,390	62, 100 13, 400 84, 600 210, 000 117, 000 92, 200 84, 200 82, 700

# 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 water. Records are available from June 1, 1919, to September 30, 1925.

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 except during September, when occasional readings were made. 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 1925

Day	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3	1, 330 1, 320 1, 280	758 708 698	834 775 758	423 419 415	16 17 18	907 921 927	1, 070 1, 050 1, 080	554 491 495	369 362 363
5	1, 100 1, 100	593 589	755 740	412 413	19 20	980 1,090	1, 080 1, 080	490 483	363 366
6 7	1, 120 552 921 997 1, 040	714 631 634 619 643	761 775 773 773 770	408 401 401 399 395	21	1, 080 1, 190 1, 200 1, 160 1, 110	1,000 961 926 754 768	484 486 485 480 479	369 339 337 334 325
11	994 922 933 853 873	665 773 773 1, 030 1, 120	785 799 790 586 591	395 394 394 394 374	26	1, 100 936 874 860 674	753 781 836 832 835 838	524 495 450 442 449 447	317 310 302 300 299

NOTE.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 31. Discharge interpolated for days of no gage-height record during September. One diversion is above entrance 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 1925

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Monen	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
June	1, 330 1, 120 834 423	552 589 442 299	1, 010 826 613 370	60, 100 50, 800 37, 700 22, 000
The period				171, 000

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

LOCATION.—In sec. 1, T. 7 N., R. 40 E., half a mile above bridge on 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, 1925.

Gage.—Stevens 8-day water-stage recorder on right bank; installed May 8, 1922; inspected by Klingler and 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 periods October 1 to November 7 and April 14 to September 30, 6.70 feet at 2 a. m. May 8 (discharge, 9,030 second-feet); minimum stage, 3.18 feet at 4 a. m. October 2 (discharge, 731 second-feet).

1919–1925: Maximum stage recorded, 6.70 feet at 2 a. m. May 8, 1925 (discharge, 9,030 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.87 feet June 28, 1924 (discharge, 476 second-feet).

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice and 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 Utah Power & Light Co.'s power plant 17 miles upstream.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve fairly well defined. Water-stage recorder operation satisfactory except for a few short intervals for which discharge was interpolated. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records fair.

Cooperation.—Part of gage-height record supervision furnished by Utah Power & Light Co.

Discharge measurements of Henrys Fork at St. Anthony, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 5 Apr. 14 May 11 May 26	Feet 3, 50 4, 83 5, 45 5, 51	Secft. 1, 090 3, 620 5, 430 5, 320	June 8	Feet 4. 82 4. 35 3. 62	Secft. 3, 690 2, 580 1, 250	Aug. 4 Sept. 5 Sept. 19	Feet 3, 50 3, 74 3, 83	Secft. 1, 110 1, 410 1, 550

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Henrys Fork at St. Anthony, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oet.	Nov.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	760 750 802 924 834			4, 900	4, 640 4, 120 4, 120 4, 100 3, 900	2, 850 2, 670 2, 520 2, 360 2, 380	983 1, 010 1, 020 1, 090 1, 060	1, 430 1, 430 1, 410 1, 410 1, 430
6	861 888 916 943 970	1, 230		8, 250	4, 120 3, 840 3, 460 2, 900 2, 960	3, 190 2, 800 2, 520 2, 280 2, 010	1, 040 983 983 983 983 996	1, 530 1, 560 1, 580 1, 930 1, 650
11	970 912 844 844 844		1 2/222	4, 900 5, 310 5, 730 5, 450 5, 590	3, 030 2, 800 2, 710 2, 630 2, 740	1, 850 1, 630 1, 530 1, 260 1, 050	1, 050 1, 110 1, 130 1, 320 1, 360	1, 410 1, 380 1, 410 1, 440 1, 530
16	844 834 890 1, 130 1, 060	<u> </u>	5, 430 7, 190 6, 300	5, 870 6, 160 6, 640 6, 300 6, 300	3, 340 3, 800 3, 170 3, 010 3, 030	970 924 890 855 890	1, 330 1, 350 1, 330 1, 300 1, 300	1, 540 1, 560 1, 540 1, 580 1, 700
21	970 970 924 947 970		4, 640 4, 420 4, 200	6, 450 6, 590 6, 740 6, 010 5, 730	2, 960 2, 760 2, 870 2, 830 2, 630	970 1,020 1,060 1,140 1,060	1, 330 1, 300 1, 290 1, 270 1, 270	1, 780 1, 910 1, 850 1, 690 1, 610
26	970 936 924 901 983 1, 270		3, 530 3, 310 2, 900	5, 450 5, 170 5, 040 4, 770 4, 770 4, 900	2, 540 2, 520 2, 560 2, 650 2, 850	1, 040 970 901 890 936 970	1, 270 1, 360 1, 440 1, 430 1, 320 1, 360	1,600 1,580 1,540 1,580 1,670

Note.—No record obtained Nov. 8 to Apr. 13. No gage-height record obtained Oct. 6-9 and Apr. 23-27; discharge interpolated.

Monthly discharge of Henrys Fork at St. Anthony, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

25. (1	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-7 April 4-30 May June July August September		750 1,050 2,900 3,580 2,520 855 983 1,380	922 1, 260 4, 370 5, 590 3, 190 1, 560 1, 210 1, 580	56, 700 17, 500 147, 000 344, 000 190, 000 95, 900 74, 400 94, 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 facilitiate the distribution of the water. Records are available from June, 1919, to September 30, 1925.

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 except during September, when occasional readings were made. 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 1925

Day	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	989	782	828	521	16	759	806	478	402
2	1,040	638	813	523	17	758	820	427	396
3	972	583	760	525	18	754	856	546	38
4	929	571	711	515	19	779	835	549	379
5	909	568	680	505	20	842	831	575	370
6	879	608	623	483	21	876	783	549	36
7	876	594	619	464	22	898	767	544	35
8	799	566	643	442	23	915	761	544	34
9	803	578	646	423	24	843	781	547	34
0	792	740	646	401	25	904	800	571	343
1	730	775	686	401	26	877	784	570	34
2	728	768	696	402	27	878	807	578	349
3	715	766	617	402	28	917	790	583	340
3 4	739	767	498	402	29	585	817	531	34:
5	759	758	456	403	30	568	855	519	340
			1	300	31		844	520	

Note.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 31. Discharge interpolated for days of no gage-height record during September.

Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Henrys Fork between St.

Anthony and Rexburg gaging stations, for the irrigation season of 1925

C. Manufi	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
June	1, 040 856 828 525	568 566 427 340	827 742 598 407	49, 200 45, 600 36, 800 24, 200
The period				156,000

#### 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, 1925.

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 discharge recorded during periods October 1 to November 5 and April 1 to September 30, 8,980 second-feet at gage height of 9.8 feet May 23; minimum stage, 2.28 feet from 2 to 9 p. m. October 8 (discharge, 591 second-feet).

1909-1925: Maximum discharge recorded, 8,980 second-feet May 23, 1925; minimum stage, 2.00 feet June 28 and 29, 1919 (discharge, 355 second-feet).

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. Water-stage recorder operated satisfactorily. Staff gage read daily June 1 to August 31. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table except as noted in footnote to daily-discharge table. Records probably fair.

Discharge measurements of Henrys Fork near Rexburg, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 1 Nov. 5 Apr. 1 Apr. 21 May 6 May 23	Feet 2. 37 3. 46 5. 10 7. 37 8. 40 9. 75	Secft. 628 1, 240 2, 520 4, 310 5, 720 8, 920	June 4	Feet 8. 16 6. 94 6. 93 7. 61 5. 65 3. 56	Secft. 5, 310 3, 780 3, 890 4, 530 2, 760 1, 040	Aug. 6 Aug. 19 Sept. 1 Sept. 19	Feet 3. 76 4. 18 4. 23 4. 53	Secft. 1, 290 1, 700 1, 790 2, 020

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Henrys Fork near Rexburg, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	636 618 632 692 730 673 627 605	1, 260 1, 190 1, 120 1, 130 1, 210	2, 430 2, 250 2, 250 2, 520 2, 610 2, 610 2, 640 2, 340	3, 290 3, 840 4, 290 4, 960 5, 440 5, 720 6, 260 6, 910	6, 700 6, 320 5, 840 5, 360 5, 030 4, 820 5, 030 4, 930	4, 440 4, 540 4, 540 4, 440 4, 340 4, 540 5, 140 4, 930	1,040 1,040 1,090 1,190 1,290 1,280 1,240 1,130	1, 740 1, 780 1, 740 1, 740 1, 780 1, 780 1, 860 1, 900
9	636 682 780 912 884 836		2, 250 2, 340 2, 610 2, 990 3, 590 3, 790	7, 450 6, 880 6, 540 6, 530 6, 900 7, 280	4, 370 3, 940 4, 040 4, 040 3, 740 3, 540	4, 720 4, 310 3, 810 3, 310 2, 810 2, 340	1, 120 1, 100 1, 120 1, 140 1, 210 1, 560	2, 160 2, 250 1, 980 1, 860 1, 860 1, 860
15	831		3, 990	7, 380	3, 440	1,900	1,860	1, 900

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Henrys Fork near Rexburg, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
16	836 852 863 951		4, 190 4, 390 5, 120 5, 500	7, 590 7, 800 7, 900 8, 000	3, 670 4, 310 4, 540 4, 140	1, 540 1, 380 1, 280 1, 160	1, 900 1, 940 1, 820 1, 700	1, 980 1, 940 1, 940 1, 980
<b>20</b>	1, 120 1, 080		4,800 4,340	8, 200 8, 300	3, 740 3, 740	1,060 1,030	1,660 1,620	2, 160 2, 340
22	1,070 1,050 991 1,030		4, 040 4, 040 3, 940 3, 440	8, 640 8, 980 8, 820 8, 300	3,840 3,840 4,140 4,040	1, 140 1, 190 1, 330 1, 350	1, 660 1, 620 1, 560 1, 500	2, 430 2, 520 2, 390 2, 160
26	1, 010 991 974		3, 040 2, 940 2, 840	8, 040 7, 680 7, 410	3, 840 3, 740 3, 740	1, 240 1, 160 1, 070	1,470 1,490 1,580	1, 960 1, 960 1, 960
29	979 934 1, 160		3, 040 2, 840	7, 040 6, 780 6, 730	3, 740 4, 040	1, 010 1, 020 1, 030	1, 820 1, 740 1, 700	1, 960 1, 960

Note.—No record obtained Nov. 6 to Mar. 31. Discharge interpolated Apr. 14 to 16. Discharge estimated Apr. 19 and 20.

Monthly discharge of Henrys Fork near Rexburg, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-5	1, 160 1, 260	605 1, 120	860 1, 180	52, 900 11, 700
April	5, 500	2, 250	3, 320	198,000
May June	8, 980 6, 700	3, 290 3, 440	6, 970 4, 340	429,000 258,000
JulyAugust	5, 140 1, 940	1,010 1,040	2, 550 1, 460	157, 000 89, 800
September	2, 520	1,740	1, 990	118,00

#### BIG SPRINGS CREEK AT BIG SPRINGS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 32, T. 14 N., R. 44 E., at Big Springs Forest Ranger station and half a mile southeast of Big Springs railroad station on Yellowstone branch of Oregon Short Line Railroad, Fremont County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 18, 1924, to June 5, 1925.

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.—Stream spring fed and variation considered insufficient for publication of maximum and minimum gage heights and discharge.

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

DIVERSIONS.—None above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Rating curves fairly well defined. Staff gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge obtained by applying daily gage height to rating table except as noted in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records fair.

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

The following discharge measurements were made:

June 5, 1925: Gage height, 0.61 foot; discharge, 173 second-feet.

August 30, 1925: Gage height, 0.66 foot; discharge, 177 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Springs Creek at Big Springs, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June
1	168	169	168	1	172	170	170	171	172
2	168	169	168	1	172	170	170	171	172
3	168	169	168	1	172	170	170	171	173
4	168	169	167	ı	172	170	170	171	173
5	169	169	167		172	170	170	171	173
6	169	169	167		172	170	170	171	
7	169	169	167	li	172	170	170	171	
8	169	169	167	<del> </del>	172	170	170	171	
9	169	169	167	l I	172	170	170	171	
10	169	169	167		172	170	170	171	
11	170	169	166		172	170	170	171	
12	170	169	165		172	170	170	171	l
13	170	169	165	il .	172	170	170	171	
14	170	169	165	il	172	170	170	171	
15	170	169	165	ll.	172	. 170	170 •	172	
16	170	169	165	168	172	170	170	172	
17	169	169	165	il	172	170	170	172	l
18	169	169	164	11	172	170	170	172	!
19	169	169	1	H	172	170	170	172	
20	169	169			172	170	170	172	
21	169	169			172	170	170	172	
22	169	169	11	11	172	170	170	172	1
23	169	169	H	11	171	170	170	172	
24	169	169	ll .	!1	171	170	170	172	
25	169	169	164		171	170	171	172	
26	169	169			171	170	171	172	
27	169	168		H	171	170	171	172	
28	169	168	l <b>i</b>	H	171	170	171	172	
29	169	168	ll .			170	171	172	
30	169	168	li	11		170	171	172	
31	169	1 -00	11	IJ		170		172	
V	100		l*	ľ		110		1.2	

NOTE.—No record obtained June 6 to Sept. 30, except meter measurement Aug. 30. No gage-height record Oct. 1-10, Nov. 27 to Dec. 10, 12-17, Feb. 8-14, Mar. 8-14; discharge interpolated. No gage-height record Dec. 19 to Jan. 31; discharge estimated.

Monthly discharge of Big Springs Creek at Big Springs, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Dische	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	170	168	169	10, 400
November	169	168	169	10, 100
December	168	164	165 4 168	10, 100 10, 300
JanuaryFebruary	172	171	172	9, 550
March	170	170	170	10, 500
April	171	170	170	10, 100
May	172	171	172	10,600
June 1-5	173	172	173	1,720
The period				83, 400

<sup>·</sup> Estimated.

#### 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, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff on downstream side of highway bridge bent near right bank, installed October 19, 1922; read by Sheppard and Howard.

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

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

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 2.18 feet May 8 (discharge, 576 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.00 foot at 1 p. m. December 19 (discharge, 123 second-feet).

1912-1915; 1918-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 2.3 feet (original gage) June 2, 1912 (discharge, 900 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge occurred December 19, 1924.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation not affected by ice; extreme minimum flow, however, attributed to ice jams in tributary streams above.

DIVERSIONS.—None above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve well defined between 170 and 250 second-feet; fairly well defined between 250 and 450 second-feet; extended above. Gage read to hundredths daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Warm River at Warm River, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 6	Feet 1. 18 1. 17 1. 82 1. 65	Secft. 179 173 428 310	June 10 June 23 July 9 Aug. 1	Feet 1. 55 1. 46 1. 40 1. 39	Secft. 277 244 240 225	Sept. 13 Sept. 25	Feet 1, 37 1, 36	Secft. 219 217

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Warm River at Warm River, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	177	177	171	184	177	171	184	363	311	237	230	226
2	177	177	171	184	184	171	184	417	327	237	230	226
3	177	177	171	184	184	171	184	498	311	230	230	226
4	191	177	171	184	184	171	184	481	304	230	230	226
5	184	184	171	177	184	171	184	498	296	240	230	226
6	184	177	171	177	177	171	184	515	304	244	230	230
7	184	177	171	177	177	171	191	541	281	240	230	230
8	184	177	177	177	177	171	212	576	281	240	230	237
9	184	177	171	184	177	171	219	481	274	240	230	237
10	184	177	171	184	177	171	219	455	274	237	.230	230
11	184	177	177	184	177	171	248	498	262	233	230	230
12	184	177	177	177	177	171	255	554	266	237	230	230
13	184	177	177	177	177	171	292	502	262	237	230	222
14	184	177	177	177	177	171	323	519	251	237	237	230
15	177	171	177	177	177	171	339	485	266	237	230	226
16	177	171	177	177	171	171	363	459	281	237	230	222
17	177	171	177	177	171	171	498	451	274	237	230	222
18	177	171	152	177	171	171	429	442	259	237	230	226
19	184	177	123	177	171	177	371	417	259	237	230	230
20	184	177	135	177	171	177	371	417	281	237	230	222
21	184	184	177	177	171	177	355	417	251	233	230	222
22	184	177	177	177	171	177	355	408	251	233	230	222
23	177	177	177	177	171	177	331	400	244	233	230	222
24	177	177	177	177	171	177	308	375	237	233	226	219
25	177	177	177	177	171	177	292	359	237	233	226	219
26	177	177	177	177	171	177	292	335	230	233	226	219
27	177	171	177	177	171	177	300	327	230	233	226	219
28	184	171	177	177	171	177	300	319	237	233	226	218
29	184	171	177	177		184	323	311	230	233	226	222
30	177	171	177	177		184	355	327	237	230	215	219
31	177	l	184	177		184	1	335	1	233	215	1

Monthly discharge of Warm River at Warm River, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

25. 11	Discha	-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December	191 184 184	177 171 123	181 176 172	11, 100 10, 500 10, 600
lanuary February March	184 184 184	177 171 171	179 175 174	11, 000 9, 720 10, 700
April	327	184 311 230 230	288 435 267 236	17, 100 26, 700 15, 900 14, 500
fuly August September	237 237 237	215 215 215	228 225	14, 00 14, 00 13, 40
The year	576	123	228	165, 00

#### 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, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff attached to downstream side of pile bent of railroad bridge; read by Sheppard and Howard.

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; subject to occasional shifts.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 3.20 feet May 8 and 12 (discharge, 781 second-feet); minimum estimated discharge, 32 second-feet December 18-20, during ice-affected period. Even lower stages may have occurred for a short time during this period.

1912-1915; 1918-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 4.3 feet May 28, 1912 (discharge, 1,140 second-feet); minimum estimated discharge, 32 second-feet December 18-20, 1925.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None above station.

REGULATION.-None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent; affected by ice December 18 to January 29. Standard rating curve fairly well defined. Daily discharge obtained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Robinson Creek at Warm River, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 6 Jan. 22 May 9	Feet 0. 59 a. 50 2. 75	Secft. 58. 7 40. 7 638	May 29	Feet 2, 40 1, 53 1, 10	Secft. 504 224 138	Aug. 20 Sept. 13	Feet 0. 86 . 87	Secft. 91. 6 98. 0

a Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Robinson Creek at Warm River, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	50 48 50 70 58	56 56 56 56 56 58	56 56 56 56 56 56	56	52 52 52 52 70 68	48 48 48 48 48	100 100 111 118 118	466 498 577 577 630	431 447 447 428 415	160 153 140 134 145	100 100 98 100 97	97 90 89 89 94
6	58 56 56 56 65	58 58 58 56 56 58	56 58 60 48 63		65 63 58 58 58	48 48 48 48 48	122 138 184 287 447	644 712 781 637 610	473 396 396 347 341	270 184 151 138 134	94 94 94 94 94	111 97 134 142 114
11 12 13 14 15	65 65 63 60 56	58 56 56 56 63	52 52 52 52 52 48	45	52 52 52 52 52 52	46 46 46 46 46	466 479 479 479 479	698 781 746 753 - 746	317 290 278 244 273	130 130 118 118 114	94 97 94 100 97	97 94 94 100 95
16	54 56 56 70 65	65 56 56 56 65	54 41 32		50 50 48 48 48	46 46 46 46 48	479 746 678 531 511	739 732 712 746 746	323 320 273 261 244	114 114 114 113 113	94 94 94 94 94	94 94 97 111 104
21 22 23 24 25	63 63 60 56 56	68 58 56 56 56	40	41	48 48 48 48 48	48 52 56 58 63	415 384 365 323 293	753 760 753 644 617	239 244 239 206 192	111 111 111 111 111 107	94 90 90 89 89	104 104 97 94 94
26	56 56 56 58 60 58	56 56 56 56 56	} 56	52 52 52	48 48 48	68 68 70 84 100	264 281 323 353 421	577 531 473 511 508 447	186 177 167 158 158	84 84 84 84 100 100	89 94 95 92 92	95 94 90 97 94

Note.—Discharge estimated Dec. 18 to Jan. 29; interpolated Feb. 23.

Monthly discharge of Robinson Creek at Warm River, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

26. (1)	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October	70	48	58. 7	3, 610	
November	68	56	57. 7	3, 430	
December	63	32	48. 4	2, 980	
January			47.1	2,900	
February	70	48	53, 0	2, 940	
March	100	46	54. 1	3, 330	
April	746	100	349	20, 800	
May		447	649	39, 900	
June	473	158	297	17, 700	
July	270	84	125	7, 690	
August		89	94. 2	5, 790	
September	142	89	100	5, 950	
The year	781	32	162	117, 000	

#### 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, 1925.

Stage-discharge relation of these canals affected by growth of aquatic plants. Rating curves fairly well defined. Gages read to hundredths daily except during September, when occasional readings were made. 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 1925

Day	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 2 3 4 4 4 4 5 5	23 23 51 34 34	226 190 236 233 241	198 196 189 188 177	51 56 56 57 58	16	99 96 112 131 153	141 169 169 191 193	86 78 81 77 74	51 51 51 51 51
6	61 66 75 73 78	222 174 163 172 166	158 160 151 134 133	59 60 61 61 59	21	162 171 179 187 197	17 17 16 100 117	75 75 71 71 60	52° 51 51 49 49
11 12 13 14 15	75 65 86 86 97	163 139 142 128 124	127 124 125 126 89	57 54 52 50 51	26	218	132 146 163 179 181 185	61 43 43 50 51 47	49 48 48 45 45

Note,—No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 31. Discharge interpolated for days of no gage-height record during September.

# Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Fall River above gaging station near Squirrel, Idaho, for the irrigation season of 1925

35 male	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
June	228 241 198 61	23 16 43 45	116 156 107 52.8	6, 900 9, 590 6, 580 3, 140
The period				26, 200

#### FALL RIVER NEAR SQUIRREL, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 35, T. 9 N., R. 44 E., 9 miles southeast of Marysville and 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, 1925. At Wilson's sawmill, 3 miles above present site, August 24, 1902, to December 31, 1903.

Gage.—Vertical staff on left bank installed January 1, 1904; read by T. W. and J. D. 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 riffie 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, 4.68 feet at 7.30 p. m. May 23 (discharge, 3,650 second-feet); minimum stage not recorded.

1904-1909, 1918-1925: 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 of canals above station.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation remained practically permanent after iceaffected period December 15 to February 21. One rating curve parallel to
standard shape but slightly lower in discharge used throughout open-water
period; fairly well defined by measurements at medium low and high stages.
Gage read to hundredths daily. Daily discharge determined by application
of daily gage height to rating table. Records good except during iceaffected period for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of Fall River near Squirrel, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 6 Jan. 23 May 20	Feet 1. 94 4. 27	Secft. 372 333 3,020	June 12 July 15 Aug. 18	Feet 3. 36 2. 84 2. 41	Secft. 1,720 1,120 750	Sept. 14 Sept. 27	Feet 2. 40 2. 28	Secft. 741 621

a Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Fall River near Squirrel, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12345	301 301 339 371 365	419 405 405 399 392	412 405 392 392 405			365 352 365 365 365	476 490 490 505 520	1, 080 1, 270 1, 680 1, 830 1, 940	2, 920 2, 960 2, 550 2, 320 2, 010	2, 310 2, 200 2, 170 1, 940 1, 990	762 753 744 736 744	744 744 753 762 762
6	371 378 378 365 365	385 378 392 405 385	419 378 314 301 308			365 365 352 340 340	550 597 620 628 644	2, 340 2, 620 3, 120 2, 710 2, 530	2, 210 1, 880 1, 810 1, 780 2, 090	2, 140 1, 990 1, 880 1, 830 1, 640	719 710 710 744 744	744 744 905 887 814
11	378 371 365 365 378	378 405 392 392 378	326 339 339 351	318	363	352 352 365 352 365	677 710 727 744 797	2, 420 2, 450 2, 480 2, 530 2, 650	2,010 1,740 1,730 1,680 1,860	1, 420 1, 420 1, 400 1, 180 1, 190	770 797 797 814 814	744 727 727 744 753
16	385 385 405 441 456	385 385 405 405 434				392 392 365 379 392	797 814 869 905 962	2, 770 2, 800 3, 070 3, 010 2, 950	2, 410 2, 310 2, 090 2, 310 2, 530	1, 160 1, 140 1, 080 981 905	797 770 744 727 727	744 727 744 797 805
21	463 463 449 441 419	434 449 456 449 449	236	333	352 365 340 352	406 406 392 379 365	1, 060 1, 060 1, 040 1, 080 1, 120	3, 070 3, 440 3, 650 3, 330 3, 200	2, 590 2, 370 2, 560 2, 530 2, 450	962 1,040 1,000 905 869	727 727 719 710 710	779 770 744 753 736
26	419 405 399 405 412 419	441 426 405 405 419		341	340 352 352	365 379 392 433 462 476	1, 080 1, 100 1, 160 1, 080 1, 040	3, 230 3, 140 2, 960 2, 820 2, 740 2, 800	2, 450 2, 450 2, 310 2, 340 2, 310	850 832 814 814 797 797	727 797 779 744 727 710	727 661 727 753 744

Note, -Discharges estimated Dec. 15 to Jan. 22 and Jan. 24 to Feb. 21. Actual measurement used Jan. 23.

Monthly discharge of Fall River near Squirrel, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	rge in second	-feet	Run-off in	
Month -	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November December	456	301 378	392 409 293	24, 100 24, 300 18, 000	
January February			324 360	19, 900 20, 000	
March April May	476 1,160	340 476 1,080	379 811 2, 670	23, 300 48, 300 164, 000	
June July August	2, 960 2, 310	1, 680 797 710	2, 250 1, 340 748	134, 00 82, 40 46, 00	
September	905	661	759	45, 200	
The year	3, 650		897	650, 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, 1925.

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. Gage read to hundredths daily except during September, when occasional readings are made. 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 1925

Day	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	496 622 613 583 296 327 311 225 659 684	841 833 805 758 705 700 687 637 628 621	486 480 484 492 484 483 485 480 475 476	354 379 375 369 375 377 384 383 383 383	16	740 382 688 713 757 800 789 525 865 845	595 606 629 617 556 642 638 643 631 588	477 478 468 469 471 399 356 353 351 327	224 221 221 220 221 220 220 216 214 215
11	680 659 660 657 555	617 626 651 655 642	493 456 465 478 479	377 229 227 226 225	26	824 828 834 840 836	583 572 569 597 553 496	332 345 341 323 330 330	214 214 212 212 212 212

Note.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 31. Discharge interpolated for days of no gage-height record during September.

Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Fall River between Squirrel and Chester gaging stations, for the irrigation season of 1925

March.	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
June	865 841 493 384	225 496 323 212	643 643 431 277	38, 300 39, 500 26, 500 16, 500
The period				121,000

#### 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, 1925.

Gage.—Stevens 8-day water-stage recorder on right bank; installed April 29, 1921; inspected by McClelland and 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 periods October 1-7 and May 2 to September 30, 5.46 feet at 7 p. m. May 21 (discharge, 4,280 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.17 feet at 8 a. m. October 2 (discharge, 43 second-feet).

1920-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 5.46 feet at 7 p. m. May 21, 1925 (discharge, 4,280 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 not permanent. Standard rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Staff gage read June 1 to August 31. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Fall River near Chester, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 14 May 22 June 9	Feet 4, 54 5, 30 3, 69	Secft. 2, 800 4, 120 1, 630	June 25	Feet 3, 93 2, 53 2, 28	Secft. 2, 000 544 350	Sept. 11	Feet 2. 44	Secft. 453

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Fall River near Chester, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Oct.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3	57 53 67	1, 840 2, 220	3, 010 2, 750 2, 570	1,870 1,690 1,550	332 320 315	477 443 422	16 17 18		3, 330 3, 280 3, 160	2, 160 2, 440 2, 090	581 543 491	390 378 372	565 550 528
4 5	93 67	2, 380 2, 530	2, 440 2, 340	1,410 1,440	326 326	416 409	19 20		3, 340 3, 420	1, 990 2, 180	429 436	359 384	605 637
6 7 8 9 10		2,800 3,020 3,330 2,620 2,600	2, 420 2, 150 2, 070 1, 630 1, 796	2,030 1,720 1,520 1,400 1,110	315 310 310 315 320	397 409 422 443 429	21 22 23 24 25		4, 070 4, 140 4, 010 3, 630 3, 440	2, 250 2, 100 2, 290 2, 140 1, 980	463 491 463 397 332	443 450 450 463 470	597 613 565 535 528
11 12 13 14 15		2, 720 2, 940 2, 850 2, 900 3, 120	1, 830 1, 620 1, 540 1, 480 1, 720	896 820 877 775 679	354 422 397 422 450	443 521 558 581 565	26 27 28 29 30 31		3, 420 3, 330 3, 240 3, 090 3, 270 3, 310	1,930 1,850 1,800 1,850 1,890	332 320 290 243 281 337	477 521 550 484 409 456	513 506 498 528 573

NOTE.—No record obtained Oct. 8 to May 1.

Monthly discharge of Fall River near Chester, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

"	Discha	Discharge in second-feet				
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet		
October 1-7. May 2-31. June. July. August. September.	93 4, 140 3, 010 2, 030 550 637	53 1,840 1,480 243 310 397	67. 6 3, 010 2, 080 846 396 509	939 179,000 124,000 52,000 24,300 30,300		

## 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, 1909; April 19, 1920, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Stevens 8-day water-stage recorder on right bank; installed May 2, 1921; inspected by Johnson and Homer.

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 and during ice-affected periods.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during periods, October 1 to November 8 and April 13 to September 30, 5.55 feet at 8 p. m. May 21 (discharge, 4,230 second-feet); minimum stage recorded, 0.16 foot at 7 p. m. October 1 (discharge, 400 second-feet). Lower stages may have occurred during period of no record.

1903-1909; 1920-1925: 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 which was at a slightly different datum.

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 permanent after April 13. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily staff gage readings June 1 to August 31. 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 8	Feet 0. 25 1. 45 5. 12 4. 46 2. 82	Secft. 429 1,020 3,870 3,440 2,040	June 22 July 8 July 18 July 29 Aug. 12	Feet 4. 21 3. 84 2. 33 1. 30 1. 14	Secft. 3,040 2,780 1,620 959 887	Aug. 25 Sept. 8 Sept. 26	Feet 0. 80 . 97 . 86	Secft. 697 797 752

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Teton River near St. Anthony, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	409	455		931	3, 290	2,980	920	779
2	414	453		1,060	2,780	2, 880 2, 720	909 943	800 768
3	436 557	451 449		1, 300 1, 490	2, 390 2, 140	2, 610	1,010	747
<u>4</u>	578	447		1,570	1, 920	2, 560	1,010	747
0	5/0	441		1,010	1, 920	2, 300	1,010	121
6	512	445		1,720	2,050	2,790	926	805
7	474	443		1,960	1, 930	2,800	882	822
8	464	441		2, 230	2,000	2, 730	854	800
9	517			2,060	2,050	2, 540	838	849
10	552			1,780	2,020	2, 360	838	822
		1			4 000	0.400	007	
11	619			1,870	1,990	2, 160	865	779
12	595			2, 100	1,810	2,010	882	752 742
13 14	571		1,060	2, 180	1, 730	1, 940	892 926	763
14	546 522		1, 090 1, 100	2, 180 2, 430	1,720 1,740	1, 820 1, 690	915	838
10	522		1, 100	2, 430	1, 740	1,090	910	000
16	498		1, 120	2,640	2, 220	1,630	860	805
17	474		1, 430	2,610	2, 320	1,660	822	763
18	498		1,730	2,770	2, 110	1,580	795	752
19	578		1,410	3,080	2, 220	1,420	784	800
20	552	Ì	1, 190	3, 380	2, 570	1, 310	768	882
21	517		1,020	3, 890	2,880	1, 220	758	865
22	507		994	4, 100	3,060	1,210	737	943
23	502		1, 100	3,870	3, 210	1, 280	716	898 816
24	483		994	3, 550	3, 110	1, 250	700	774
25	464		982	3, 310	2,940	1, 170	695	114
26	459	1	999	3, 280	2,880	1, 130	695	747
27	464		931	3, 280	2,780	1, 050	784	731
28	464		849	3, 390	2, 630	994	994	731
29	474		811	3, 420	2,590	971	994	731
30	493		822	3, 610	2,720	959	882	737
31	474			3,630		937	795	
				,			1	

<sup>\*\*</sup>Note.—No record obtained Nov. 9 to Apr. 12. No gage-height record Oct. 12-16 and Nov. 2-8; discharge interpolated. Staff gage reading used Nov. 8.

Monthly discharge of Teton River near St. Anthony, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Monta	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-8 April 13-30 May June July August September	455 1, 730 4, 100 3, 290 2, 980	409 441 811 931 1,720 937 695 731	505 448 1,090 2,600 2,390 1,820 851 793	31, 100 7, 110 38, 900 160, 000 142, 000 112, 000 52, 300 47, 200

## 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, 1925.

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 except during September, when occasional readings were made. Records fair.

Combined daily discharge, in second-feet, of canals diverting from Teton River between the St. Anthony gaging station and the mouth of the river, for the irrigation season of 1925

Day	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	919	964	731	613	16	766	958	634	480
2	930	930	716	629	17	793	928	642	466
3	917	781	745	627	18	757	964	634	451
4	918	734	739	625	19	937	939	614	435
5	1,010	786	780	628	20	1,020	914	616	433
6	737	807	752	635	21	1.110	892	592	425
7	895	830	699	634	22	1, 190	876	573	414
8	844	776	679	634	23	1, 190	959	565	397
9	837	757	655	620	24	1, 220	946	556	378
10	741	744	643	607	25	1, 190	876	552	365
11	703	733	672	591	26	1, 150	798	538	353
12	692	747	692	575	27	1, 140	746	667	340
13	684	776	714	542	28	1, 140	741	780	330
14	696	907	660	519	29	1, 110	750	760	322
15	674	956	660	493	30	1,060	753	683	318
	71.2	-00	1	200	31	, 500	742	589	

Nore.—No record obtained Oct. 1 to May 31. Discharge interpolated for days of no gage-height record during September.

Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Teton River between St. Anthony gaging station and mouth of river, for the irrigation season of 1925

<b>3</b> 6. 11	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
JuneJuly	1, 220 964	674 733	932 839	55, 500 51, 600
AugustSeptember	780 635	538 318	662 496	51,600 40,700 29,500
The period				177,000

### 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, 1925.

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 19 to July 4, 4.70 feet at 4 p. m. May 21 (discharge, 457 second-feet); minimum stage not recorded since it probably occurred during period of no record.

1920–1925: Maximum stage recorded, 4.70 feet at 4 p. m. May 21, 1925 (discharge, 457 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 made.

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 practically permanent. Rating curve fairly well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Canyon Creek near Newdale, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 19	Feet 4. 00 3. 50	Secft. 366. 0 280. 0	June 29 July 31	Feet 1. 80 1. 30	Secft. 78. 4 17. 6

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Canyon Creek near Newdale, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	May	June	July	Day	May	June	July	Day	Мау	June	July
12345		222 204 199 183 159	85 80 76 74	11		135 118 128 125 181		21	457 371 357 343 329	125 116 113 109 101	
6 7 8	100	154 135 111		16 17 18		149 145 135		26 27 28	326 323 315	89 85 82	
10	147	117 123		20	357 450	133 130		30 31	295 293 287	80 89	18

NOTE.-No record on days for which no discharge is given.

Monthly discharge of Canyon Creek near Newdale, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	. Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 19-31	457 222 85	287 80 74	346 132 78. 8	8, 920 7, 860 625

## 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, 1925.

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

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, 8.49 feet at 5 a. m. April 16 (discharge, 1,330 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.48 feet at 6 a. m. October 2 (discharge, 17 second-feet).

1916–1925: Maximum stage recorded, 16.3 feet May 15, 1917 (discharge, 4,200 second-feet); minimum discharge, 10 second-feet August 31 to September 5, 1924.

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

DIVERSIONS.—During the spring of 1924 a low dam was constructed by the United States Office of Indian Affairs across Grays Lake outlet near Herman, Idaho, 40 miles upstream. This dam used to divert water into Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir through Meadow Creek.

REGULATION.—United States Office of Indian Affairs dam as above described.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent throughout period. Rating curve fairly well defined. Recorder operation fairly satisfactory. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Willow Creek near Rivie, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 17. May 13. May 21.	Feet 6, 89 6, 34 5, 22	Secft. 905 784 515	June 4	Feet 4. 86 4. 19	Secft. 434 282

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Willow Creek near Ririe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

1         19         31         389         598         410           2         18         31         378         670         414           3         19         31         411         769         418           4         23         31         514         794         422           5         26         30         610         744         422           6         29         30         562         719         492           7         32         30         400         719         480           8         36         30         321         794         422           9         39         30         323         794         378           10         42         30         434         694         356           11         45         29         598         646         345           12         45         29         598         646         345           12         45         29         598         646         345           12         45         29         744         708         323           13         39         28 </th <th>Day</th> <th>Oct.</th> <th>Nov.</th> <th>Mar.</th> <th>Apr.</th> <th>Мау</th> <th>June</th> <th>July</th>	Day	Oct.	Nov.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July
3         19         31         411         769         418           4         23         31         514         794         422           5         26         30         610         744         422           6         29         30         562         719         492           7         32         30         400         719         480           8         36         30         321         794         422           9         39         30         323         794         378           10         42         30         434         694         356           11         45         29         598         646         345           12         45         29         744         708         323           13         39         28         971         769         312           14         39         28         1,100         719         310           15         38         28         1,200         682         356           17         35         945         646         334           18         34         1,600								184
3         19         31         411         769         418           4         23         31         514         794         422           5         26         30         610         744         422           6         29         30         562         719         492           7         32         30         400         719         480           8         36         30         321         794         422           9         39         30         323         794         378           10         42         30         434         694         356           11         45         29         598         646         345           12         45         29         744         708         323           13         39         28         971         769         312           14         39         28         1,100         719         310           15         38         28         1,200         682         356           17         35         945         646         334           18         34         1,600		18	31		378	670	414	182
4.       23       31       514       794       422         5.       26       30       610       744       422         6.       29       30       562       719       492         7.       32       30       400       719       480         8.       36       30       321       794       422         9.       38       30       323       794       378         10.       42       30       434       694       356         11.       45       29       598       646       345         12.       45       29       744       708       323         13.       39       28       771       769       312         14.       39       28       1,100       719       310         15.       38       28       1,200       684       310         16.       37       1,200       682       356         17.       35       945       646       334         18.       34       1,050       634       302         21.       35       574       272       272		19				769	418	188
5.         26         30         610         744         422           6.         29         30         562         719         492           7.         32         30         400         719         480           8.         36         30         321         794         422           9.         30         30         323         794         378           10.         42         30         434         694         356           11.         45         29         598         646         345           12.         45         29         744         708         323           13.         39         28         971         709         312           14.         39         28         1, 100         719         310           15.         38         28         1, 200         682         356           17.         35         945         646         334           18.         34         1, 050         634         302           19.         33         84         574         279           20.         35         574         514								186
7.         32         30         400         719         480           8.         36         30         321         794         422           9.         39         30         323         794         378           10.         42         30         434         694         356           11.         45         29         598         646         345           12.         45         29         744         708         323           13.         39         28         971         769         312           14.         39         28         1, 100         719         310           15.         38         28         1, 100         719         310           16.         37         1, 200         682         356           17.         35         945         646         334           18.         34         1, 050         634         302           29.         33         894         574         279           20.         35         682         526         262           21.         35         574         514         246								188
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Note.—No record obtained Nov. 16 to Mar. 21 and July 26 to Sept. 30. No gage-height record Oct. 5-10, 16-17, 28-31, Nov. 3-7, May 12, May 28 to June 3; discharge interpolated.

## Monthly discharge of Willow Creek near Ririe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	45 31 514 1, 200 794 492 205	18 28 182 321 389 175 88	32. 9 29. 7 277 652 603 315 140	2, 020 884 5, 490 38, 800 37, 100 18, 700 6, 940

#### 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 from Idaho Falls. Boomer Canal crosses in a flume 600 feet above station.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—December 22, 1916, to September 30, 1925.

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, 6.40 feet July 26 (discharge, 392 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.04 feet October 24 and 25, 1924 (discharge, 20 second-feet).

1916–1925: 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 several irrigation canals divert water above station.

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

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Shifting-control method used for short period. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Willow Creek near Iona, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 1	Feet 1.35 2.37	Secft. 33. 1 91. 5	Apr. 28 May 25	Feet 3, 32 3, 42	Secft. 151 157	June 19 July 3	Feet 3. 40 3. 06	Secft. 157 146

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Willow Creek near Iona, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oet.	Nov.	Dec.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.
1	59	26	29		106	136	156	153	135
9	57	28	24		87	171	156	145	100
9	57	30	24		94	171	156	151	
4	58	30	24		105	165	154	163	
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0	57	32	23		111	167	154	164	
6	56	32	23		99	163	153	165	
7	54	34			95	158	153	163	
8	54	36			94	157	153	163	
9	47	38			92	157	151	164	
10	46	40			100	156	151	163	
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11	46	40			105	153	150	163	
12	46	40			188	144	137	161	
13	46	40			228	136	136	163	
14	36	40			280	147	133	147	
15	36	42			296	153	129	144	
16	34	42			312	157	136	142	
17	32	42			288	161	146	132	
18	30	40		30	308	164	153	116	
19	26	40		38	332	157	156	118	
20	25	42		40	260	157	158	117	1
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21	24	42		42	213	94	160	121	
22	22	48		46	199	93	163	118	
23	21	46		54	192	110	164	122	
24	20	46		57	199	154	156	121	
25	20	48		55	206	156	156	122	
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26	21	48		46	199	154	153	392	
27	23	46		36	171	156	168	290	
28	24	38		45	154	149	158	135	
29	24	30		67	163	156	151	142	1
30	25	42		93	139	153	151	128	
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Monthly discharge of Willow Creek near Iona, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	arge in second	1-feet	Run-off in
140101	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December 1-6. March 18-31 April May	59	20	37. 2	2, 290
	48	26	38. 9	2, 310
	29	23	24. 5	292
	117	30	54. 7	1, 520
	332	87	180	10, 700
	171	93	150	9, 220
June	168	129	152	9, 040
July	392	116	155	9, 530

#### 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 3¼ miles west of Herman, Bonneville County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 5, 1916, to September 30, 1925, when records were discontinued.

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, 2.96 feet from 1 to 2 p. m. May 30 (discharge, 214 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.83 foot from 5 to 10 p. m. September 12 (discharge, 2.3 second-feet).

1916-1925: 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 water has been diverted from south end of lake through Clark Cut into Meadow Creek Basin and thence into Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir.

REGULATION.—Flow past station is regulated by head gate in dam at outlet of lake

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined below 250 second-feet. Operation of water-stage recorder 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. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Grays Lake outlet near Herman, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 3 Apr. 26 Do	Feet 0.99 1.13 1.13	Secft. 6. 7 13. 2 13. 0	May 28July 7July 29	Feet 1. 00 1. 78 1. 30	Secft. 7. 2 57. 0 21. 0	Sept. 24	Feet 0. 92	Secft. 4. 6

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Grays Lake outlet near Herman, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 34	9. 0 9. 4	31 32 24 12	166 154 148 144	62 62 61 59	18 20 17 16	4.0 4.0 4.8 7.6	16 17 18 19	13 16 12 13	8.6 8.6 11 10	97 96 93 88	43 35 32 30	9.0 9.0 8.6 7.6	3.1 3.3 3.4 3.5
5 6 7 8 9	6.5 8.1	11 11 11 11	141 139 132 127 120	58 55 54 54 51	15 14 14 13 12	5.8 4.8 4.0 4.0 3.5	20 21 22 23 24	13 ]18 12	9.4 10 8.6 8.6 8.6	86 82 79 77 73	27 29 26 25 24 23	7. 2 7. 2 6. 2 5. 4 4. 8	3.7 5.1 4.0 3.7 4.0
11	9.9 11 15 18 18	11 12 13 11 11	109 104 101 100	48 46 43 40 38	13 16 13 18 11	3. 1 2. 9 2. 5 2. 7 2. 8	26	13 14 13 15 18	8.1 7.6 7.2 6.8	69 65 63 60	22 22 21 21	4.4 5.4 5.1 4.0	4.2
15	14	9.4	99	36	9.4	2.9	30	20	106 183	61	20 19	4.0 4.0	4

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights Apr. 21–23 and Sept. 25–29; interpolated Apr. 25 and Sept. 14–18. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

## Monthly discharge of Grays Lake outlet near Herman, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 3-30	. 183	5. 4 6. 8	13. 1 20. 4	728 1, 250
June July August September		60 19 4.0 2.5	102 38. 3 10. 2 3. 95	6,070 2,360 627 235
The period.	7.0	2.0	3.90	11, 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, 1925, when station was discontinued.

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GAGE.—Vertical staff set in concrete 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, 4.36 feet April 18 and 19 (discharge, 893 second-feet); minimum discharge, 49 second-feet October 1-3. Lower flow may have occurred during winter.

1914-1925: 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 slightly prior to ice period; affected by ice November 12–21 and March 8–16. Rating curve well defined between 35 and 130 second-feet, and parallel curves thereto, used prior to November 12; after March 16, rating curve used was well defined between 35 and 500 second-feet above which it was extended parallel to former curves. Gage read to nearest two-hundredths once daily; read twice daily frequently April 5 to May 21. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily or mean daily gage height to rating table, using shifting-control method October 1 to November 6. Records good after March 16; others fair except for estimated periods for which they are poor.

COOPERATION.—One discharge measurement furnished by United States Office of Indian Affairs.

Discharge measurements of Blackfoot River above reservoir, near Henry, Idaho during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 10 Apr. 5 May 1 May 29	Feet 1. 47 3. 06 2. 86 2. 52	Secft. 63. 0 418 357 276	May 30 July 3 July 7 July 8	Feet 2. 49 1. 96 2. 07 1. 95	Secft. 261 146 165 137	July 30	Feet 1. 69 1. 48 1. 54	Secft. 94.3 67.8 77.3

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Blackfoot River above reservoir, near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Mar.	April	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	49	62		215	356	277	113	81	76
2	49	64		204	398	277	160	79	76
3	49	62		264	384	290	141	79	74
4	51	64		370	398	290	138	87	76
5	56	62		327	384	316	239	84	87
6	57	62		356	370	343	215	76	76
7	56	59	li	290	384	316	160	74	76
8	56	56	h I	264	398	264	136	71	84
9	56	56		330	488	239	113	69	84
[0	59	56		384	384	239	113	67	81
11	68	56		398	370	227	107	76	76
12	68	1	100	488	384	215	98	87	74
3	63	1	1	587	327	204	98	107	71
4	59	i		695	384	192	98	98	74
15	59		]	812	398	252	92	101	81
16	57			853	327	290	92	92	76
17	56	55	71	853	457	252	104	84	71
18	58	11	92	893	327	215	84	81	90
9	67	1	84	893	398	192	81	76	90
20	64		67	622	356	181	84	76	101
21	60		104	457	370	181	90	76	104
22	56	ľ	101	327	327	160	95	76	116
23	55		104	488	398	160	107	71	90
23	54		113	327	. 356	141	101	71	90
25	54		123	398	343	130	107	69	84
26	54		138	398	343	120	90	69	78
27	54		138	384	316	120	90	74	74
28	61		141	370	303	110	81	92	74
29	59		239		277	110	84	92 95	76
30				343			97		79
	63		303	343	264	110		76	79
31	62		215		264		84	74	

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of ice Nov. 12-21 and Mar. 8-16. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods included. No record obtained Nov. 22 to Mar. 7.

# Monthly discharge of Blackfoot River above reservoir, near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Dische	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-21 March 8-31 April May June July August September	893 488 343 239	49 67 204 264 110 81 67 71	57. 7 57. 6 122 464 362 214 113 80, 3 82. 0	3, 550 2, 400 5, 810 27, 600 22, 300 12, 700 6, 950 4, 940 4, 880

## 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, 1925.

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, 60.39 feet July 10 and 11; minimum stage, 43.25 feet October 2.

1912–1925: Maximum stage recorded, 68.60 feet June 27–30, 1912; minimum stage, 40.76 feet September 28 and 29, 1919.

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 elevation at crest being 6,132.0 feet. 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 6,118.5 feet at which elevation the capacity of reservoir is 312,000 acre-feet. Since reconstruction of spillway in 1924 and 1925, provision has been made by means of flashboards to store water to an elevation of 6,124 feet, at which elevation the capacity of reservoir is 409,000 acre-feet. Elevation at lowest point to which water may be drawn is 6,086 feet. The present distribution system comprises 61 miles of main canal, 128 miles of laterals, and 11½ miles of drainage ditch.

Daily gage height, in feet, of Blackfoot-Marsh Reservoir near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12 34 5	1		47. 86 47. 92 47. 96 48. 00 48. 06			51. 13 51. 15 51. 17	52. 14 52. 28 52. 45 52. 60 52. 69	56. 60 56. 70 56. 77 56. 86 56. 93	59. 24 59. 30 59. 36 59. 40 59. 44	60. 27 60. 29 60. 30 60. 33 60. 30	59. 40 59. 35 59. 28 59. 25 59. 21	58. 95 58. 94 58. 95 58. 98 58. 97
6	44. 40	47. 34 47. 38 47. 43 47. 50 47. 51	48. 12 48. 18 48. 21 48. 23 48. 25		50.48	51. 24 51. 28 51. 30 51. 32 51. 35	52, 85 52, 98 53, 10	57. 02 57. 12 57. 20 57. 25 57. 35	59. 52 59. 60 59. 67 59. 74 59. 80	60, 33 60, 38 60, 36 60, 38 60, 39	59. 18 59. 18 59. 16 59. 13 59. 10	58. 97 58. 97 58. 99 59. 00 59. 01
11			48. 28 48. 30 48. 33 48. 35 48. 37		50. 56 50. 58 50. 60		53. 70	57. 48 57. 57 57. 68 57. 75 57. 90	59. 82 59. 86 59. 90 59. 94 59. 97	60. 39 60. 38 60. 37 60. 35 60. 33	59. 05 59. 03 59. 02 59. 01 59. 00	59. 02 59. 03 59. 05 59. 05 59. 09
16	45. 96	47. 57 47. 58 47. 59 47. 60 47. 61					54.65	58. 05 58. 15 58. 25 58. 33 58. 43	60. 03 60. 08 60. 12 60. 17 60. 19	60. 30 60. 22 60. 16 60. 10 60. 04	59. 00 59. 00 59. 01 59. 03 59. 03	59. 11 59. 12 59. 13 59. 14 59. 15
21	46.40	47. 64 47. 65					55. 35 55. 47 55. 54 55. 65 55. 80	58. 50 58. 60 58. 70 58. 76 58. 85	60. 21 60. 23 60. 27 60. 30 60. 32	59. 94 59. 87 59. 84 59. 82 59. 77	59. 04 59. 02 59. 00 59. 02 58. 95	59. 16 59. 19 59. 21 59. 23 59. 25
26		47. 68 47. 70 47. 76 47. 80					56. 05 56. 15 56. 25 56. 37 56. 47	58. 90 58. 95 59. 02 59. 08 59. 15 59. 19	60. 34 60. 35 60. 37 60. 30 60. 29	59. 70 59. 63 59. 58 59. 54 59. 50 59. 45	58. 93 58. 90 58. 90 58. 90 58. 92 58. 92	59. 25 59. 29 59. 30 59. 30 59. 30

#### BLACKFOOT RIVER NEAR HENRY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 11, T. 5 S., R. 40 E., 200 feet below wagon bridge at Rockyford crossing, 1 mile below Backfoot-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, 1925, when station was discontinued.

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, 2.56 feet at 9 p. m. July 17 (discharge, 558 second-feet); minimum discharge, 3 second-feet October 8-21.

1908-1925: 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 312,000 acre-feet.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation affected by growth of moss. Rating curve, well defined below 800 second-feet, and curves parallel thereto used. Staff gage read to hundredths once daily prior to November 23 except for short period. Operation of water-stage recorder fairly satisfactory after May 26. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table, except as noted in footnote to daily-discharge table. During period water-stage recorder was operated mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph. Records good June to September; others fair except for estimated periods, for which they are poor.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and two discharge measurements furnished by United States Office of Indian Affairs.

Discharge measurements of Blackfoot River near Henry, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct 8	Feet 0. 71 1. 00 1. 20 1. 28 1. 54	Secft.  a 3.5 28.3 64.1 78.8 116	July 30 Do Aug. 17 Aug 24	Feet 2. 16 2. 16 1. 45 1. 45	Secft. 333 368 115 116	Sept. 25 Do Do	Feet 1. 27 2. 44 2. 01 1. 67	Secft. 76. 6 531 315 185

Estimated.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Blackfoot River near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	32 38 38 38 38	14 14 14 14 14							21 18 18 18 18	122 124 122 122 116	359 359 359 336 317	86 86 89 89 91
6	38 38 3	14 14 14 14 14							16 16 16 16 16	116 116 119 122 127	283 266 270 270 270	91 86 71 74 67
11	} 3	14 14 14 14 14			6		7	7	16 16 16 16 16	132 138 150 259 415	229 219 226 202 173	67 61 43 45 45
16		14 14 14 14 14	6	6		7	,		16 16 16 42 65	452 490 552 552 552	164 135 116 116 116	45 42 38 38 38
21	) 8 8 8 8	14 14							80 80 80 78 80	552 535 501 452 404	116 116 116 116 116	22 6 6 9 150
26	8 8 14 14 14	6					}	21 31 22 30 30 27	84 108 106 113 122	379 369 359 359 359 359	119 122 122 119 119 113	6 5 5 5 5

Note.—Discharge estimated because of missing gage heights Oct. 1, 9-21, Nov. 23 to May 25, Sept. 22-24, and 30, based on observer's notes on gate changes in dam and flow released from reservoir; interpolated July 24. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Blackfoot River near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Moneil	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	ac	re-feet
October	38 14	3	12. 9 11. 9	ž.	793 708 369
December January February			a 6	4	<b>№</b> 369 333
MarchApril			47	38	₩ 430 417
May June July	122	16 116	10. 8 44. 6 307	79	664 F 2, 650 18, 900
AugustSeptember	359 91	113	196 50. 4	-a2	12, 100 3, 000
The year	552	3	56. 2		40, 700

<sup>·</sup> Estimated.

#### 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 large tributaries.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 26, 1909, to September 30, 1925. 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 about 50 second-feet.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by R. E. Reid and M. A. Jensen.

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, 5.16 feet at 4 p. m. July 21 (discharge, 1,030 second-feet); minimum stage probably occurred during period when ice affected stage-discharge relation.

1909-1925: 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, about 15 second-feet). Ice jam above station caused temporary drop in stage.

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

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

REGULATION.—Flow regulated 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 December 6 to January 23. Standard rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder fairly satisfactory except during winter, when occasional staff readings were obtained. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspecting recorder graph or from staff gage readings. Open-water records, good; from December to February, fair.

Discharge measurements of Blackfoot River near Shelley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage heigh <b>t</b>	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 16	Feet 3. 14 3. 14 3. 15 3. 93	Secft. 52. 6 46. 7 51. 6 299.	May 19	Feet 3, 61 3, 66 3, 61 3, 64	Secft. 182 178 165 176	June 27	Feet 3. 64 4. 20 3. 90	Secft. 181 414 293

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Blackfoot River near Shelley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12345	80 90 100 114 106	61 59 57 57 57	55 57 52 53 57	55	64 67 70 74 77	55 57 59 68 71	229 217 244 290 290	202 206 213 213 210	139 136 130 133 139	210 210 206 202 200	412 412 412 402 363	161 139 139 142 142
6	100 98 83 70 114	57 65 65 68 70			80 83 81 80 78	73 76 86 76 70	232 184 178 181 202	206 206 217 210 202	148 148 142 130 114	197 195 188 184 181	358 316 316 325 334	142 142 152 128 122
11	90 79 68 61 57	·65 63 72 72 72 72	60	50	77 75 74 72 71	61 68 70 59 72	229 265 290 269 252	217 217 221 202 210	111 103 103 103 116	181 181 178 178 392	325 269 294 273 236	119 116 111 100 100
16	50 52 53 55 56	76 74 68 61 76			71 70 70 69 69	65 70 63 65 83	236 248 290 . 248 232	221 217 195 174 164	130 122 111 103 122	448 492 555 584 590	210 210 178 174 170	100 98 103 130 119
21	58 59 60 62 63	70 68 48 61 50	40	55 61 61	68 63 68 74 90	111 125 158 122 130	217 213 236 192 256	164 164 158 155 145	145 164 161 158 152	671 646 602 549 492	167 167 167 164 164	125 114 96 90 122
26	63 61 61 61 61 61	68 7 <b>9</b> 74 79 55	50	61 61 61 61 61 61	71 52 55	128 139 155 195 252 221	240 221 206 198 195	142 142 161 145 142 139	148 161 181 188 206	448 422 412 417 414 412	170 188 198 174 174 167	155 76 68 68 65

Note.—Braced figures show estimated mean discharge for periods indicated. Discharge estimated Dec. 6 to Jan. 23 from study of observer's notes, weather records, and occasional gage readings. No gage-height record Oct. 1-3, Aug. 3, 4; gage height inaccurate Nov. 14; discharge estimated. Discharge interpolated Oct. 20-24, Jan. 25-30, Feb. 1-6, 8-13, 15-20, 26, Mar. 5, 6, July 5, 6, and 30.

Monthly discharge of Blackfoot River near Shelley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

March	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December	11 <u>4</u> 79	50 50	72. 5 65. 6 50. 8	4, 46 3, 90 3, 12 3, 33
anuary February March	90	52 55	54. 1 71. 9 100	3, 99 6, 15
AprilMay	290 221	178 139	233 186	13, 90 11, 40
iune July August	206 671 412	103 178 164	138 362 254	8, 21 22, 30 15, 60
September	161	65	116	6, 90
The year	671		143	103, 00

#### 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, 1925.

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 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, 8.58 feet at 11 a.m. September 23 (discharge, 696 second-feet); minimum stage, 4.08 feet at 12.20 p. m. July 15 (discharge, 2 second-feet).

1913-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 9.6 feet at 12.30 p. m. May 21, 1921 (discharge, 868 second-feet); no flow on numerous days in 1919, 1921, and 1924.

Ice.—No records obtained during winter.

Diversions.—Principal diversions above gage are the Fort Hall canals near Blackfoot; several smaller diversions also made near Blackfoot.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by storage in 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 well defined below 500 second-feet and fairly well defined above that stage Gage read to hundredths daily; diurnal changes in stage caused by regula tion are often source of error. Daily discharge ascertained by applying gage height to rating table; shifting-control method used June 23 to July 14. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Blackfoot River near Blackfoot, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 5 May 22 June 3 June 9	Feet 7. 50 5. 85 5. 93 6. 68	Secft. 525 168 204 352	June 17	Feet 5. 54 4. 65 4. 08 6. 02	Secft. 124 29. 0 2. 04 214	Aug. 7	Feet 5. 32 6. 78 5. 90 8. 16	Secft. 84. 5 370 186 616

Gage height probably in error.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Blackfoot River near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		373 242	131 186	53 63	388 407	16	214 297	66 123	4 4	390 373	229 209
3 4		204 219	193 234	95 142	388 193	18	312 260	137 102	28 38	356 222	186 209
5	505	226	283	160	186	20	126	20	22	166	283
6 7	416 407	267 451	359 410	126 82	186 229	21	102 160	26 27	30 50	160 100	390 624
8	407 382	419 371	393 305	52 56	175 239	23	175 154	56 <b>3</b> 9	144 175	118 126	696 626
10	541 505	462 390	341 216	92 148	260 339	25	121 88	65 47	214 232	160 133	419 388
12 13	451 330	283 193	60 30	186 160	370 373	27	40 26	18 87	209 71	130 162	388 390
14 15	293 260	100	18	232 307	321 239	29	10 334	95 116	52 57	289 416	326 247
						31	356		56	373	

Monthly discharge of Blackfoot River near Blackfoot, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

26.4	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 5-31	541 462	10 18	269 177	14, 400 10, 500
July August September	410 416 696	3 52 175	147 182 330	9, 040 11, 200 19, 600
The period				64, 700

#### 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, 1925, when station was discontinued.

Gage.—Vertical staff attached to upstream side of bridge on left bank; read by Mrs. W. J. Chester. Prior to August 19, 1919, vertical staff at approximately same site but at different datum was used.

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, 1.68 feet at 5 p. m. April 11 (discharge, 64 second-feet); minimum discharge, 8.3 second-feet October 7, 9, and 13.

1914-1925: 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. Gage read to hundredths twice daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records fair for October and May to September; others poor.

COOPERATION.—One discharge measurement furnished by United States Office of Indian Affairs.

Discharge measurements of Little Blackfoot River at Henry, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 10	Feet 0. 82 41. 45 1. 38 1. 30	Secft. 8. 8 54. 4 40. 9 37. 4	Apr. 28 May 26 May 29 July 7	Feet 0.94 .85 .84 .92	Secft. · 18. 3 14. 3 12. 9 13. 2	July 30	Feet 0. 95 . 96 . 84	Secft. 11. 8 11. 6 11. 7

<sup>·</sup> Affected by surge; gage reading not accurate.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Blackfoot River at Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	9.3 9.3 9.0 9.0 9.0	12 12 12 12 12	12 12 12 12 12	12 12 12 12 12	8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6	8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6	10 11 18 27 44	14 14 15 14 14	14 14 15 15	12 11 12 12 13	12 12 12 12 12	12 12 12 12 12
6	8. 6 8. 3 8. 6 8. 3 9. 0	13 12 12 13 13	13 12 12 12 12	11 11 11 10 10	8. 6 8. 6 9. 0 9. 0	8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6	· 31 27 40 42 60	14 15 18 17 16	22 16 14 14 15	13 13 13 12 13	11 11 11 11	12 12 13 12 12
11	9. 7 8. 6 8. 3 9. 0 8. 6	13 13 12 13 13	12 12 12 12 12	9.3 9.3 9.3 9.3 9.3	9. 0 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6	8.6 8.6 8.6 8.6 8.6	60 45 27 22 14	15 15 14 15 18	13 12 12 15 14	12 12 12 12 12	12 12 13 13	12 12 12 11 11
16	8.6 9.0 9.7 9.7	12 12 11 12 11	12 13 13 13 12	8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6	8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6	8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6	19 22 26 31 32	23 26 25 22 18	14 14 14 13 12	12 12 12 12 12	12 12 12 12 12	12 12 13 14 13
21	10 11 11 11 11	12 11 12 12 12	12 12 12 12 12	8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6	8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6	8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6	28 24 26 34 38	16 16 16 14 14	12 12 12 12 12	12 13 12 12 12	12 12 12 12 12	14 13 13 12 12
26	11 12 12 12 12 12	12 12 12 12 12 12	12 12 12 12 12 12 12	8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6 8. 6	8. 6 8. 6 8. 6	8.6 9.0 10 10 10 9.3	25 20 18 17 15	14 14 13 13 13 13	12 12 11 11 11	12 12 12 12 12 12	12 13 13 12 12 12	12 12 12 12 12

Monthly discharge of Little Blackfoot River at Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
$\mathbf{Month}$	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	13 13 12 9.0 10 60 26 22 13	8.3 11 12 8.6 8.6 8.6 10 13 11 11	9. 83 12. 1 12. 2 9. 58 8. 64 8. 77 28. 4 16. 1 13. 6 12. 2 12. 0 12. 3	604 720 750 589 489 539 1, 690 990 809 750 738 732
The year	60	8.3	13.0	9, 390

#### 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, 1925.

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, 4.28 feet at 4 a. m. April 18 (discharge, 321 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.60 feet October 10 (discharge, 8.5 second-feet).

1914-1925: 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 owing to accumulation and removal of moss and débris on control. Standard rating curve fairly well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder unsatisfactory at times owing to clock trouble. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph, except as noted in footnote to daily-discharge table. Records fair for low water and interpolated periods; others good.

Cooperation.—One discharge measurement furnished by United States Office of Indian Affairs.

Discharge measurements of Meadow Creek near Henry, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 10	Feet 1.60 3.50 4.09 4.07 3.45 3.35	Secft. 8. 5 167 271 281 163 142	July 3	Feet 2.34 1.98 1.77 1.90 1.88 1.88	Secft. 35.5 17.9 12.1 16.8 15.1 13.6	Sept. 27	Feet 1.87 1.87 1.86 1.86	Secft. 16. 7 13. 6 16. 1 13. 7

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Meadow Creek near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4	160 164	257 251 250 244 238	131 130 127 126 126	32 34 35 35 37	17 16 16 16 16	12 12 12 12 12 12	16	300 310 310 310 300	201 201 199 198 192	94 92 89 84 80	25 24 22 21 20	17 16 16 16 16	12 12 12 13 13
6 7 8 9	168 153 137 122 130	232 226 220 214 208	126 126 123 119 116	38 38 38 36 36 34	16 16 15 14 14	12 13 13 13 13	21 22 23 24 25	290 279 290 279 279 269	185 179 172 166 163	73 62 53 45 37	20 19 18 17	14 14 13 12 12	15 15 16 16 16
11	137 155 216 259 290	207 208 207 207 207 205	110 105 100 95 95	33 31 30 27 26	16 16 17 18 18	13 12 12 12 12 12	26	269 279 269 269 259	160 154 149 144 140	32 30 29 28 30	19 18 18 18 18	12 12 12 12 12	16 15 15 16 16
	200	200	50	20	10	12	31		136		17	12	

Note.—Discharge interpolated because of missing gage height Apr. 5, 7, 8, 10, May 4-9, 20-23, 25, July 17, 18, 20-22, Aug. 16, 29, 31, Sept. 6, 7, 10-14. Shifting-control method used Apr. 25-27, July 9-23, and Sept. 8-23. Control partly or wholly cleaned on Apr. 28, May 26, Sept. 24, and 27. Daily staff readings used Apr. 9, May 24, July 19, Aug. 30, Sept. 8, 9, when water-stage recorder was not operating.

Monthly discharge of Meadow Creek near Henry, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Montu	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 4-30. May June July August September	310 257 131 38 18	122 136 28 17 12	2.36 197 87.1 26.5 14.8 13.5	12, 600 12, 100 5, 180 1, 620 910 803
The period				33 <b>, 200</b>

## MUD LAKE NEAR TERRETON, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NW. ½ 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, 1925.

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, 8.08 feet May 17-19, 21, and 22 (contents, 47,700 acre-feet); minimum contents, 14,300 acre-feet August 31, September 1-7 and 13.

1921-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 9.20 feet May 5, 1923 (contents, 61,660 acre-feet); minimum contents, 14,300 acre-feet September 3, 1924; August 31, September 1-7, and 13, 1925.

ICE.—Complete ice cover during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Considerable water diverted from tributaries to Mud Lake and from diversions by pumping and gravity from the lake during irrigation season.

REGULATION.—None except as supply in lake is affected by pumping operations.

Daily contents, in acre-feet, of Mud Lake near Terreton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12	14, 500 14, 500	18, 100	22, 400 22, 500	26,600	31, 100	35, 500	41, 100	46, 700	46, 500	34, 900	22, 700	14, 300
3 4 5	14, 900 15, 000 15, 000	18, 200	22, 500 22, 600 22, 800	27,000	31, 300	35, 500	41, 300	46, 500	45, 400	34, 200	22,000	14, 300
6	15, 000 15, 100 15, 100 15, 100	19, 100	23, 100 23, 400 23, 700 23, 900		31, 900 32, 100	36, 000 36, 400	42, 900 42, 900	46, 500 47, 100 46, 900	46,000 45,400 45,100	33, 600 33, 200 33, 200	20, 800 20, 300 19, 700	14, 600 14, 600
11 12	15, 200 15, 200 15, 800	19, 300 19, 400	24, 100 24, 200	28, 500	32, 800 32, 900	37, 000 37, 000	43, 400 43, 700	46, 500 46, 500	44, 300 44, 300	32, 400 32, 100	19, 400 19, 200	14, 400
13 14 15	16, 000 16, 100	19, 800 20, 000	24, 600 24, 700	28, 600 28, 700 28, 800	33, 100 33, 200 33, 300	37, 500 37, 800	43, 200 43, 100	47, 100 47, 100	43, 200 42, 900	31, 500 30, 700	18, 900 18, 900 18, 700	14, 500 14, 900
16	16, 200 16, 300 16, 400 16, 500 16 800	20, 200 20, 200 20, 300	25, 000 25, 100 25, 100	29, 100 29, 100 29, 200	33, 500 33, 700	38, 000 38, 100 38, 100	43, 700 44, 300 44, 300	47, 700 47, 700 47, 700	42, 100 41, 600 41, 100	30,000 29,600 29,200	18, 100 17, 900 17, 600	14, 800 14, 800 15, 300

Daily contents, in acre-feet, of Mud Lake near Terreton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
2122232425	17, 000 17, 100 17, 300 17, 400 17, 600	20, 900 21, 100	25,600	29, 400 29, 400 29, 500	34, 400 34, 400	38, 600 38, 700 39, 000	44, 300 44, 800 46, 000 45, 700 45, 700	47, 700 47, 400 47, 600	39,600 39,100 38,100	27, 400 26, 400	16, 600 16, 300 16, 100	15, 300 15, 400 15, 500
26	17, 600 17, 600 17, 700 17, 900 17, 900 17, 900	21, 900 22, 100 22, 100 22, 200	25, 800 26, 000 26, 000	29, 800 30, 100 30, 300 30, 500	35, 100	39, 400 39, 600 40, 100	46, 500	47, 200 47, 100 47, 100	36, 800 36, 300 35, 900 35, 800	24, 100	15, 100 15, 100 14, 800 14, 600	15, 700 15, 600 15, 700 15, 800

NOTE.—Error in readings from Magill gage caused by action of ice Dec. 26 to Feb. 18 and by action of wind Oct. 3, 4, and Sept. 6; contents determined from gage-height graph based on readings from gage at Oswley Canal Co's pump house.

#### 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, 1925.

GAGE.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by Survey engineers.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made at high stages from wagon bridge 2 miles above gage at which point during extreme high stages water flows in a flood channel to the left of main channel and unites above gage. Measured by wading at low and medium stages 700 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 year, 4.39 feet at 4 p. m. April 18 (discharge, 848 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.82 foot from noon October 1 to 4 a. m. October 2 (discharge, 15 second-feet).

1921–1925: Maximum stage recorded, 5.75 feet probably on May 21, 1922 (discharge, 1,550 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.65 foot from 4 p. m. June 5 to 9 a. m. June 6, 1924 (discharge, 8.5 second-feet).

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

DIVERSIONS.—Two stock-watering ditches of the 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 from 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 curves 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 as noted in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records excellent except April to June which are good; estimated periods fair.

Discharge measurements of Camas Creek near Dubois, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 12 May 6 May 21	Feet 2. 31 3. 20 3. 52	Secft. <sup>a</sup> 50 <sup>b</sup> 342 <sup>b</sup> 441	June 3	Feet 3. 29 1. 32 1. 42	Secft.  b 366  44.4  54.4	July 24 Aug. 1 Aug. 21	Feet 1. 28 1. 18 1. 18	Secft. 42. 8 35. 5 34. 6

Estimated; stage-discharge relation affected by ice.
 Measured from bridge 2 miles above gage, omitting flow in side channel which carries about 10 per cent of total flow at these stages.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Camas Creek near Dubois, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	15		441	258	80	35	35
2	20		473	296	86	36	37
3	21	:	490	383	75	40	36
1	<b>1</b> 9		441	441	68	41	34
K	18		411	383	77	43	34
V	10			300		10	01
6	18		397	331	143	39	37
7	١ .		411	286	154	37	40
8	i i		507	293	93	35	43
9	1		473	305	71	35	47
10	20		356	237	60	35	48
10	} 20		555	-0.	90		10
11			331	211	54	35	42
12	11	50	490	186	49	35	39
13		)	581	172	48	37	37
	21	} 150	457	152	44	50	37
15	21	245	411	142	42	65	38
10		240	411	142	72	00	- 20
16		298	397	154	40	51	38
17		543	441	172	39	45	39
		685	• 441	165	37	43	41
18	;	562	426	140	36	40	53
		490	441	115	37	37	1 00
20		490	711	110	01	91	1
21		581	473	101	40	35	l I
		543	543	98	40	34	
		329	507	102	41	34	li .
		289	426	92	42	33	
24			411	74	42	32	
25		356	411	74	42	32	52
00		331	411	65	40	32	11
26		324	370	56	37	35	
27			329	47	37	41	11
28		331					11
29		344	293	53	37	40 37	11
30		383	264	64	36	37	ν
31			260		36	35	

Note.—Discharge estimated because of missing gage heights Oct. 7-13 and Sept. 20-30; estimated on account of ice effect Apr. 12-14. Discharges interpolated June 26 and 27. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Camas Creek near Dubois, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

ximum	Minimum		Run-off in
	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
685 581 441 154 65	260 47 36 32	19. 4 368 423 186 56. 8 38. 8	539 13, 900 26, 000 11, 100 3, 490 2, 390 2, 630
-	581 441 154	685 581 260 441 47 154 36	685     368       581     260     423       441     47     186       154     36     56, 8       65     32     38, 8

#### CAMAS CREEK NEAR CAMAS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NE. 1/4 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, 1925.

GAGE.—Stevens 8-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 during year, from water-stage recorder, 2.13 feet at 4 a. m. April 22 (discharge, 150 second-feet); minimum discharge occurred during winter and was not accurately determined.

1921-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 4.82 feet at 9.30 a. m. May 22, 1922 (discharge, 645 second-feet); minimum stage, -0.06 foot from 10 p. m. July 5 to 2 a. m. July 6, 1924 (discharge, 2.6 second-feet).

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 during ice-affected period. Rating curves well-defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory during open-channel period except for short periods when observer failed to visit gage regularly. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspecting recorder graph. December to March records poor; others good except for estimated periods for which they are fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by Camas Mutual Irrigation District.

Discharge measurements of Camas Creek near Camas, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 6 Apr. 13 May 5	Feet 0. 51 1. 44 1. 65	Secft. 12. 0 69. 7 90. 2	May 20	Feet 1. 59 1. 57 . 90	Secft. 85. 3 82. 5 28. 4	July 10 July 25 Aug. 20	Feet 1. 35 . 88 . 86	Secft. 59, 5 28, 0 25, 6

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Camas Creek near Camas, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	5. 7 5. 6 5. 3 5. 3 7. 6	16 14 14 16 15	10				20	93 95 94 93 94	78 78 79 83 87	21 35 21 40 54	26 25 26 27 28	
6	7. 8 6. 8 6. 6 7. 8	14 14 15 14 12	11				30	94 93 93 92 93	89 88 88 87 87	54 58 60 60 60	28 28 24 21 21	25
11 12 13 14 15	8. 7 14 11 16 14	18 12 7.8 7.4 7.2	10	7	10		66 69 73 76	94 92 92 94 95	86 84 77 63 41	56 53 45 37 34	21 21 22 23 25	
16	12 10 9.7 9.7 13	7.0				15	78 84 92 104 114	93 90 87 85 86	43 80 75 72 69	33 30 27 26 24	33 35 33 30 26	32
21 22 23 24 25	12 11 10 10 12	8	3				111 142 137 102 97	88 86 84 84 86	70 67 63 56 53	24 26 27 26 29	24 22 21 22 21	34 35 31 30 29
26	11 10 12 11 13 17						96 96 96 94 93	80 80 80 80 80 79	47 44 33 26 21	32 30 27 26 26 26 26	21 21 23 25	28 26 26 26 29

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights Nov. 17-30, Dec. 1-5, Dec. 7 to Apr. 11, Aug. 29 to Sept. 19; interpolated May 30-31, June 1, July 9, Aug. 19, and Sept. 30. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Camas Creek near Camas, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	rge in second	-feet	Run-off in	
Monta	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October	17	5. 3	10. 1 10. 5	62 62	
December January February			6.6 47 410	40 43 55	
March April May	142	79	4 15 70 88, 7	92 4, 17 5, 45	
une (uly August	60	21 21	67. 1 36. 4 24. 9	3, 99 2, 24 1, 53	
September	35		26. 7	1, 59	
The year	142	[	31. 1	22, 50	

<sup>·</sup> Estimated.

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## CAMAS CREEK AT CAMAS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In E. ½ SE. ¼ sec. 21, T. 8 N., R. 36 E., half a mile above mouth of Beaver Creek, 350 feet above bridge of Oregon Short Line Railroad at Camas, Jefferson County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 13 to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on right bank; read by William McCall. Prior to August 21 gage was located 800 feet downstream on left bank and at different datum from present site.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from wagon bridge 300 feet below gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of fine gravel and sand. Control not well defined; subject to growth of aquatic plants. Banks low; several channels at high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 1.53 feet April 23 (discharge, 134 second-feet); minimum discharge, 11 second-feet July 2.

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, 29 miles upstream. Gates in dam not changed during year.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed frequently owing to moss growth below present gage and to stock trampling on control below gage in use prior to August 21. Shifting-control method used, based on actual discharge measurements referred to two standard rating curves; the first applicable April 13 to August 20 for original gage and the second applicable August 21 to September 30 for gage at present site. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge obtained by applying daily gage height to rating table except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by Camas Mutual Irrigation District.

Discharge measurements of Camas Creek at Camas, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 13 May 5 May 20 June 4	Feet 1. 11 1. 23 1. 22 1. 23	Secft. 53. 1 76. 9 70. 6 69. 5	June 5 June 19 June 29 July 10	Feet 1. 24 1. 08 . 82 1. 14	Secft. 73. 6 51. 0 18. 3 43. 9	July 25	Feet 0. 87 . 87 . 91 . 84	Secft, 20. 5 20. 2 22. 0 18. 0

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Camas Creek at Camas, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		74 78 80 76 76	55 62 68 72 74	12 11 20	22 21 20 20 21	] 16	16 17 18 19 20	58 62 65 80 93	74 72 74 70 68	15 63 52 50 45	22 21 18 16 16	24 27 25 23 18	19 19 21 18 17
6 7 8 9		76 76 78 78 78	83 76 76 76 76 76	29 29 28 34 45	22 22 18 16 14	17 17 18 18 18	21 22 23 24 25	101 130 134 93 87	72 67 70 67 68	47 45 47 42 43	16 16 15 14 21	17 15 15 14 14	18 25 20 19 18
11	53 53 56	80 81 74 74 76	65 67 63 58 39	43 39 32 26 22	14 15 16 18 21	20 21 19 21 19	26	83 81 81 78 76	67 65 65 65 65 62	39 37 28 18 15	24 27 24 22 20 21	15 14 14 14 14 }	18 19 20 21 22

Note.—Discharge estimated July 3-5, Aug. 30-31, and Sept. 1-5, based on flow near Camas and near Dubois; interpolated June 9, 28, July 13, 16, 18, 21, 23, 26, 29, 31, Aug. 4, 6, 9, 12, 14-15, 18, 26-27, 30-31, Sept. 9, 11, 16, 27. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Camas Creek at Camas, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 13-30	. 81	53 62	81. 3 72. 5	2, 900 4, 460
July	45 27	15 11	53. 2 23. 3 18. 1	3, 170 1, 430 1, 110
September	25		18. 7	1,110

#### BEAVER CREEK AT DUBOIS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NW. 1/4 sec. 21, T. 10 N., R. 36 E., at Ed F. Palmer ranch, half a mile north of Dubois, Clark County. This stream is locally known as Dry Creek.

Drainage area.—220 square miles (measured on United States Geological Survey map of Mud Lake drainage basin).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 15, 1921, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff attached to cottonwood tree on left bank, 25 feet below wagon bridge; read by 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 stage recorded during year, 4.50 feet at 10.30 a.m. April 12 (discharge, about 463 second-feet); channel probably dry October and November with very little flow thereafter prior to March 16.

1921-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 4.9 feet May 20, 1922 (discharge, 637 second-feet); stream reported dry August 3 to about November 30, 1924. ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seriously affected by ice.

Diversions.—A few small diversions several miles upstream. After high water practically the entire flow is diverted below gage for irrigation.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Rating curve fairly well defined below 250 second-feet used April 2 to July 10; shifting-control method used thereafter. Gage read to hundredths twice daily April 12 to June 15; once daily at other times. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height or mean daily gage height to rating table. Records fair except for estimated periods for which they are poor.

Discharge measurements of Beaver Creek at Dubois, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Mar. 16 Apr. 12 May 6 May 7	Feet 2. 13 3. 98 2. 25 2. 36	Secft. 1.7 384 145 159	May 21 June 5 June 18 June 29	Feet 3. 08 2. 55 1. 62 1. 01	Secft. 259 186 72. 1 30. 4	July 10	Feet 1. 01 1. 00 . 82 . 70	Secft. 29. 2 23. 7 14. 7 11. 8

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

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Beaver Creek at Dubois, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

				1			
Day	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		125	102	126	72	14	13
2		132	114	132	48	14	28 22
3		139	114	152	47	15	22
4		178	126	178	48	22	16
5		206	139	178	48	16	24
6		234	152	172	63	16	22
7		132	165	146	47	16	25 27
8		192	206	146	37	14	27
9		262	192	132	33	13	40
10		332	178	120	30	13	27
11		360	206	102	28	17	22
12		418	276	96	28	15	20
13		388	248	91	23	22	20
14		290	248	86	18	68	20
15		206	220	72	17	30	20 22
16	2	192	248	96	14	23	22
17	1) [	220	234	91	16	19	22
18	11 1	. 220	220	72	14	16	21
19	11 - 1	152	234	55	13	14	49
20	5	132	220	48	17	12	45
21		114	248	47	17	14	31
22	Ji 📗	152	248	102	28	14	33
23		120	234	72	36	14	33 26
24	11	126	206	57	30	13	23
25	25	139	220	41	24	12	21
26		132	192	35	18	11	17
27	IJ	152	172	29	18	19	16
28	Ji .	126	146	26	18	20	15
29		91	132	29	26	15	25
30	75	86	126	63	18	13	39
31	11	30	126	"	16	12	1 30
V	ή'		120		10	12	

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of ice March 17 to April 1 and on account of discredited gage heights May 10 and 11. Result of actual discharge measurement used March 16. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Beaver Creek at Dubois, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

25.0	Discha	rge in second	i-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
March 16-31 April May June July August September		86 102 26 13 11 13	29. 8 192 190 93. 1 29. 4 17. 6 25. 1	946 11, 400 11, 700 5, 540 1, 810 1, 080 1, 490
The period				34,000

#### 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 known as Dry Creek.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 25, 1921, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff attached to highway bridge on right bank; read by William McCall.

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

Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel. Control is a fairly well defined gravel riffle 250 feet below gage; fairly permanent. Banks may be overflowed at extremely high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 2.66 feet at 7 p. m. April 13 (discharge, 150 second-feet). Stream reported dry except during April, May, and June.

1921-1925: 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 dry during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—After high water, entire flow is diverted near Dubois, 14 miles above, for irrigation.

REGULATION.—None, except as flow is affected by irrigation diversions above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined below 150 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.

Discharge measurements of Beaver Creek at Camas, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Mar. 16	2. 59 1. 53 2. 13	Secft. 0 136 37. 8 91. 8	June 4	Feet 1. 82 1. 90 1. 05 . 90	Secft. 60. 8 67. 5 8. 5 3. 4	June 29 July 10	Feet	Secft. 0 0

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Beaver Creek at Camas, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	Day	Apr.	May	June	Day	Apr.	May	June
1	31 54 73 74 75 82 102	23 23 18 29 32 35 34 54 59 61	38 43 56 68 68 68 64 72 68 64 49	11. 12. 13. 14. 15. 16. 17. 18. 19. 20.	122 139 139 139 112 112 102 122 107 92	55 66 87 73 75 87 92 87 87 87	49 45 40 35 18 17 18 9 4	21	66 64 77 61 49 49 43 42 31 27	87 102 102 97 87 87 92 65 57 43 40	0

Note.—Discharge estimated Apr. 3; interpolated June 8.

Monthly discharge of Beaver Creek at Camas, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

74 ml	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April. May. June	139 102 72	0 18 0	73. 0 65. 3 27. 5	4, 340 4, 020 1, 640
The year				10,000

## 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, 1925.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank; read by N. 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 discharge recorded, 148 second-feet June 4, July 1 and 5; minimum discharge, 51 second-feet September 14.

1921–1925: 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 water is released and carried through Corral and Wet Creeks to Little Lost River and diverted into the company's main canal one-fourth mile below gage.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Rating curve well defined between 40 and 150 second-feet, and two curves parallel thereto were used; applicable October 1-31, March 29 to May 18, and June 6 to September 30, respectively; shifting-control method used May 19 to June 5. Gage read to hundredths once daily. 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Mar. 29 May 8 May 18	Feet 1. 10 1. 14 1. 27	Secft. 94. 7 103 119	June 6 June 17 July 13	Feet 1.40 1.44 .90	Secft. 131 133 67. 8	Aug. 3	Feet 1. 27	Secft. 117

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Lost River near Howe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	52 52 63 60 59		95 83 89 83 102	83 83 83 89 83	141 141 141 148 134	148 141 141 144 148	108 108 114 114 114	55 54 54 53 52
6	59 59 59 58 60		96 89 89 89 95	83 89 102 95 95	134 121 108 108 102	141 134 128 102 89	108 102 102 89 89	53 53 57 64 62
11 12 13 14 15	62 59 58 57- 63		102 83 83 108 102	104 114 102 102 108	108 108 114 118 121	108 108 69 79 102	64 63 64 66 63	58 57 58 51 54
16	62 62 63 64 63		102 108 102 95 89	108 121 121 121 121 121	134 134 134 128 134	108 108 108 108 108	67 63 64 62 61	56 54 55 61 61
21	62 62 63 64 66		83 83 89 89 83	128 134 134 141 141	128 141 141 134 134	108 114 114 114 108	59 58 56 56 58	63 70 70 70 71
26	64 66 68 71 69 67	95 95 95 95	83 81 78 79 81	141 134 141 141 141 141	128 128 128 108 141	102 108 108 108 108 108	58 58 58 57 55 55	73 75 73 75 73

NOTE.—Discharge interpolated because of missing gage heights Oct. 13, 20, 22, 27, 30, Mar. 30, 31, Apr. 6, 20, May 11, 25, 29, June 14, July 4, and Sept. 23.

Monthly discharge of Little Lost River near Howe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

North	Discha	Discharge in second-feet					
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet			
October March 29-31 April May May June July August September September September March 29-31 April May	71 95 108 141 148 148 114 75	52 95 78 83 102 69 55	61. 8 95. 0 90. 4 114 127 114 74. 6 61. 2	3, 800 565 5, 380 7, 010 7, 560 7, 010 4, 590 3, 640			

#### BLAINE COUNTY INVESTMENT CO.'S CANAL NEAR HOWE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 11, T. 6 N., R. 28 E., 65 feet below head gates, 5 miles northwest of Berenice, and 7 miles northwest of Howe, Butte County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 11, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

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 year, 1.60 feet July 5 (discharge, 85 second-feet). Canal dry at times during nonirrigation periods.

1924-1925: Maximum stage and discharge July 5, 1925; no flow at times during nonirrigation period.

DIVERSIONS.—None above gage.

ICE.—Observations discontinued during winter.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by gates in diversion dam above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed during winter. Rating curve well defined below 40 second-feet, used October 1-31, and curve well defined below 80 second-feet used after March 29. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge determined by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by water master for Little Lost

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 the Blaine County Investment Co.

Discharge measurements of Blaine County Investment Co.'s canal near Howe, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Mar. 29 May 8 May 9	Feet 1. 27 1. 21 1. 35	Secft. 51. 8 46. 5 59. 5	May 9 May 18 June 6	Feet 1.06 1.31 1.45	Secft. 30. 6 55. 4 67. 6	June 17 July 13 Aug. 3	Feet 1. 50 . 67 1. 21	Secft. 77. 0 5. 8 46. 6

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Blaine County Investment Co.'s canal near Howe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	4. 2 7. 4 11 11		56 64 56 54	42 39 37 43	81 81 81 82	74 72 72 78	45 45 46 45	4. 6 4. 6 4. 6 4. 6
5	11		64	45 37	72	85	45	4.6
6	12 12 15 15		64 64 64 70 70	34 42 46 38 31	70 54 43 38 37	70 66 66 34 24	45 45 45 36 22	4. 6 8. 4 8. 4 21 19
11 12 13 14 15	19 19 19 14 19		72 68 68 72 72	40 48 43 43 48	36 39 47 49 51	51 46 5. 4 7. 9 45	8. 8 8. 8 6. 7 6. 7 6. 7	14 9. 6 12 7. 5 9. 6
16	19 20 20 23 22		72 72 72 72 72 72	49 60 60 60 64	68 74 70 62 62	45 45 45 45 45	6.7 6.7 4.6 4.6 4.3	12 12 10 10 10
21	20 21 22 22 22 23		72 70 68 62 56	70 74 74 74 77	62 70 81 72 68	45 45 45 45 45	4. 0 4. 8 4. 6 4. 0 4. 0	18 26 26 25 25
26	23 23 23 29 29 29	52 53 55	56 45 38 38 41	78 77 78 78 79 81	60 62 62 34 74	45 45 45 45 45 45	4.0 4.6 4.6 4.6 4.6 4.6	25 27 40 40 40

Note.—Discharge interpolated Oct. 20, 22, 27, 30, Mar. 30, 31, Apr. 6, 20, May 11, 29, June 14, July 4, and Sept. 23.

Monthly discharge of Blaine County Investment Co.'s canal near Howe, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

·	Discha	Run-off in			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October March 29-31 April. May June July August September	29 55 72 81 82 85 46 40	4. 2 52 38 31 34 5. 4 4. 0 4. 6	18. 4 53. 3 62. 8 56. 3 61. 4 48. 9 17. 2 16. 1	1, 130 317 3, 740 3, 460 3, 650 3, 010 1, 060 958	

## BIG LOST RIVER AT HOWELL RANCH, NEAR CHILLY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 30, T. 8 N., R. 21 E., at Howell ranch, 9 miles southwest of Chilly, Custer County, and 22 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, 1925.

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, 4.50 feet at 11 a. m. June 22 (discharge, 2,240 second-feet); minimum measured discharge, 58 second-feet December 11 (lower discharge no doubt occurred during period of no record in winter).

1904-1914; 1920-1925: 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 during winter and slightly, owing to moss growth, after August 15. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for short periods for which staff gage was read to hundredths twice daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. During periods water-stage recorder was operated, mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records good.

COOPERATION.—Water commissioner for Big Lost River furnished result of one discharge measurement made by him.

Discharge measurements of Big Lost River at Howell ranch, near Chilly, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 11 Mar. 28 May 11	Feet • 2. 60 1. 34 3. 43	Secft. 58. 4 79. 1 1, 160	May 16 June 8 June 15	Feet 3. 26 2. 78 2. 95	Secft. 1,020 669 770	July 15 Aug. 5	Feet 2. 61 2. 05	Secft. 578 284

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, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 23	70 72 74	89 87 89			80 103 122	347 440 467	1, 260 1, 070 970	1, 200 1, 100 1, 080	313 313 326	151 157 151
5	74 72	89 87			122 110	560 6 <b>72</b>	895 828	1,070 1,080	296 273	151 157
6	72 88 80 78 84	80			101 99 120 140 174	813 850 730 835 842	737 685 672 704 778	1, 010 918 842 764 730	261 254 247 247 243	167 177 487 177 165
11	84 84 82 89 91		58		216 258 258 288 288 330	1, 140 978 910 925 970	757 764 785 764 813	692 718 652 596 590	254 269 281 375 317	154 148 151 174 199
16	91 89 91 91 89				385 414 330 292 265	994 1,070 1,200 1,450 1,600	820 785 888 1, 170 1, 500	584 572 566 494 450	269 240 226 212 212	174 162 154 154 157

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Lost River at Howell ranch, near Chilly, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
21	87				261	1, 800	1,800	440	203	154
22	87 84				243	1,450	2, 130	596 518	193 180	149 145
24	84				226 203	1, 400 1, 360	1, 910 1, 800	472	180	140
25	84				203	1, 400	1, 750	385	174	137
26	82				203	1,360	1,650	361	165	132
27	84				206	1,450	1,400	343	162	132
28	89			90	209	1,600	1,400	330	159	130
29	84			92	229	1,800	1, 450	334	154	134
30	76 89			80 73	277	2,020 1,600	1, 450	338 330	148 145	140
01	9			13		1, 000		990	149	

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of ice Nov. 6-8; interpolated on account of missing gage heights Sept. 6-7 and 22-23. Result of actual discharge measurement used Dec. 11. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Big Lost River at Howell ranch, near Chilly, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

<b></b>	Discha	Run-off in			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October November 1-8 March 28-31 April May June July August September	2, 020 2, 130 1, 200	70 73 80 347 672 330 145 130	83. 1 85. 1 83. 8 216 1, 130 1, 150 650 235 155	5, 110 1, 350 665 12, 900 69, 500 68, 400 40, 000 14, 400 9, 220	

#### 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  $7\frac{1}{2}$  miles above Mackay, Custer County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 9, 1919, to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Stevens 8-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 is overflowed at high stages. Control fairly well defined.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum mean daily stage recorded during year, 3.14 feet June 23 (discharge, 775 second-feet); channel reported dry November 1 to May 7.

1919–1925: Maximum stage recorded, 3.37 feet June 16, 1922 (discharge, 999 second-feet); no flow April 27 to May 16, 1920, in winter of 1923, for long periods in 1924, and January 1 to May 7, 1925.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice; no flow during winter 1924-25.

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 changed slightly during period of no flow. Rating curves 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 except for estimated periods, which are fair.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and two discharge measurements furnished by water commissioner for Big Lost River.

The record at this station represents 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 situated 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 103, 110, and 112, respectively. For combined flow of both channels of Big Lost River and both channels of Warm Spring Creek see page 105.

Discharge measurements of Big Lost River (east channel) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage Dis- height charge		Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	
Oct. 14 Mar. 18 May 10	Feet 0. 69	Secft. 4 1.0 Dry. 93. 4	May 17	Feet 1. 69 1. 60 1. 87	Secft. b 252 280 338	June 24 July 15 Aug. 4	Feet 2. 97 1. 20 . 24	Secft. 690 191 33. 0	

a Estimated.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Lost River (east channel) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Oct.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	1.8 1.5 2.7 1.5		539 443 386 370 341	506 428 414 414 400	60 44 35 32 26	7.6 7.6 7.6 7.2 8.0	16	1.0	260 294 343 428 539	336 312 296 368 458	193 190 185 175 166	16 15 13 14 14	12 12 12 13 13
6 7 8 9 10	1.5 2.1 2.1 2.1	64 87 92	303 274 260 247 265	400 350 312 287 265	25 24 23 19 17	8. 0 8. 4 8. 4 8. 4 8. 8	21 22 23 24 25		591 539 489 489 489	574 728 775 646 646	• 158 204 210 164 132	14 13 11 11 10	13 12 10 10 9.6
11 12 13 14 15	1.0	112 166 150 162 197	271 263 276 296 303	247 252 245 221 199	16 15 16 16 16	8. 4 8. 4 8. 4 9. 2 12	26	.5	489 506 539 591 665 665	627 556 522 539 591	116 102 89 84 78 67	10 10 9. 2 8. 8 8. 4 8. 0	9. 6 9. 2 9. 6 12 12

Note.—No flow Nov. 1 to May 7. Discharge estimated Oct. 10-31 and July 17-19, based on data furnished by water commissioner for Big Lost River. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

b Does not include overflow.

Monthly discharge of Big Lost River (east channel) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

2541	Discha	-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	2.7 665 775	0 247	1. 07 289 427	65. 8 17, 800 25, 400
June July August September	506	67 8.0 7.2	234 18. 4 9. 85	14, 400 1, 130 586
The year	775	0	81. 9	59, 400

Note.-No flow November to April.

# 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, 1925.

Gage.—Stevens 8-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, 2.97 feet June 23 (discharge, 498 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.84 foot May 3-6 (discharge, 13 second-feet).

1919-1925: 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 stage and discharge May 3-6, 1925.

ICE.—Formation of ice 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 October to February and July 22-31. Rating curve well defined below 200 second-feet and fairly well defined between 200 and 500 second-feet used March 1 to July 21; curves parallel to standard rating used for remainder of year. 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 good after February 28; others fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and three 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 101, 110, and 112, respectively. For combined flow of both channels of Big Lost River and Warm Spring Creek see page 105.

Discharge measurements of Big Lost River (west channel) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 14 Dec. 26 Mar. 18 May 10	Feet 1. 09 . 89 . 86 1. 25	Secft. 34. 3 20. 1 14. 3 54. 7	May 17	Feet 1. 70 1. 59 1. 71 2. 80	Secft. 145 118 145 449	July 15 Aug. 4	Feet 1. 58 1. 34	Secft. 121 64.8

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Lost River (west channel) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12	35 35	31 31	25 25	20 20	19 19	16 16	15 14	14 14	297 237	326 283	76 72	52 52 51 52 54
3	35	31	25	20	19	16	14	13	196	258	68	51
4	36	30	25	20	19	16	14	13	177	258	67	52
5	39	30	25	20	20	16	14	13	167	253	63	54
6	36	30	25	20	20	17	15	13	146	247	57	54
7	36	30	25	20	19	16	15	14	124	224	54	54
8	35	30	24	20	19	16	15	38	112	201	52	56 54 52
9	35 35	31 30	23 23	20 20	19 19	16 16	14 14	50 54	103 103	181 165	52 56	50
10	49	30	23	20	19	10	14	54	103	100	90	52
11	36	29	23	20	19	16	14	60	107	153	56	52
12	36	29	າ	20	19	16	14	74	107	149	54	52 54 54
13	35	28		20	19	16	14	73	107	144	57	54
14	35	28 28	1	20	19	16	14	72	116	124	56	54
15	34	28		20	18	16	14	87	131	118	57	55
16	34	28		19	18	15	14	112	149	118	56	56
17	34	27		19	18	15	14	140	137	114	52	56
18	33	28 27 27 27	20	19	18	14	14	172	135	118	50	56 56 56 56 57
19	33	27	20	19	18	14	14	224	167	116	51	56
20	33	26		19	18	15	14	269	224	109	51	57
21	33	26 27		18	18	16	14	306	332	107	51	58 <b>62</b>
22	33	27	1	18	18	16	14	294	465	118	56	62
23	33	27 26		18	17	16	15	253	498	133	52	60 57 57
24	33	26		18	16	15	15	245	433	129	51	57
25	33	26	}	18	16	15	14	245	417	116	51	57
26	33	25	20	18	16	15	14	239	402	107	51	57 57 57
27	34	25	20	18	16	15	14	247	356	99	51	57
28	33	25	20	19	16	15	14	275	338	93	51	57
29	32	25	20	19		15	14	329	350	89	51	63
30	32	25	20	19		15	14	386	386	85	51	62
31	32		. 21	19		15		386		81	51	

Note.—Discharge estimated because of ice in gage well Dec. 12-25; interpolated May 13 and Sept. 14-16. Braced figure shows mean discharge for period indicated.

Monthly discharge of Big Lost River (west channel) above Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

··	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	20 17 15	32 25 18 16 14 14 13 103 81 50 51	34. 2 27. 9 21. 6 19. 3 18. 2 15. 5 14. 2 152 234 155 55. 6	2, 100 1, 660 1, 330 1, 190 1, 010 953 845 9, 350 13, 900 9, 530 3, 420 3, 310
The year	498	13	67. 2	48, 600

Daily combined 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, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	134	131	135	128	125	121	120	105	1, 110	1, 120	302	188
2	134	131	135	128	126	122	119	101	944	978	278	187
3	135	130	135	128	126	122	119	97	818	932	259	184
4	134	129	136	128	127	123	119	95	771	931	247	186
5	138	129	136	127	130	125	119	91	727	910	232	189
6	136	128	136	126	128	128	121	90	654	903	221	189
7	136	128	136	127	126	126	120	88	588	817	215	190
8	133	129	133	127	127	125	120	199	555	742	210	192
9	133	134	132	127	125	123	120	249	525	690	205	190
10	133	134	132	127	125	122	120	267	545	641	207	187
11	135	135	132	127	126	122	119	304	557	605	205	186
12	135	135	128	127	126	122	117	378	552	601	201	188
13	135	135	128	127	126	122	117	360	565	587	205	189
14	135	139	128	127	126	122	120	374	598	528	207.	190
15	134	139	128	127	125	122	119	438	634	496	209	197
16	134	138	128	126	124	121	116	545	703	490	209	199
17	134	137	126	126	124	120	115	631	658	481	203	199
18	133	137	124	126	124	119	112	731	634	484	197	198
19	133	135	126	127	124	116	112	887	772	482	197	199
20	133	134	126	127	124	121	113	1, 070	935	463	196	200
21	132	137	125	126	124	122	113	1, 180	1,230	454	194	203
22	132	138	124	126	124	122	113	1, 110	1,560	517	198	206
23	132	138	125	126	123	121	121	996	1,670	547	189	202
24	132	137	127	126	122	119	122	985	1,440	494	188	199
25	132	137	128	126	121	119	120	981	1,400	441	184	201
26	134	135	122	125	121	119	117	976	1,360	414	186	201
27	138	133	124	125	121	119	116	1,000	1, 220	389	186	201
28	138	133	125	125	121	119	112	1,080	1,170	364	185	202
29	138	133	129	125		119	111	1, 210	1, 190	350	185	224
30	136	133	130	125		120	109	1,360	1, 290	337	184	221
31	134		129	125		120		1,360		318	185	

Monthly combined 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, 1925

Month	Discha	rge in second	I-feet	Run-off in
-1742	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July	130 128 122 1,360 1,670 1,120	132 128 122 125 121 116 109 88 525 318	134 134 129 126 125 121 117 624 912	8, 240 7, 970 7, 930 7, 750 6, 940 7, 440 6, 960 38, 400 54, 300 36, 700
AugustSeptember		184 184	209 196	12, 900 11, 700
The year	1, 670	88	286	207, 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, 1925.

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, 55.40 feet July 9 (contents, 30,470 acre-feet); minimum stage, 7.40 feet October 20-30 (contents, 67 acre-feet).

1919–1925: 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 Utah Construction Co.'s Carey Act project. About 5,100 acres is under cultivation at present, but this area is subject to change from year to year. 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 reservoir, which is not available for use. Elevation of crest of spillway corresponds to 62.0 feet on gage, at which stage capacity of reservoir is 38,400 acre-feet, about 2,400 acres of land being As foundation of dam is located on very porous material and 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 reservoir occasionally falls below bottom of the outlet tunnel. A study of stream-flow records at this point indicates that most of the seepage from the reservoir reappears in river channel above gaging station at the "Narrows" 1½ miles downstream, where favorable rock structure forces underground water to the surface. Additional water also appears, part of which is probably side drainage and part evidently flows underground at places where the surface flow into the reservoir is measured and thence through 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, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	100	507	7, 082	11, 970	15, 480	17, 670	19, 650	21, 010	21, 100	26, 370	21, 450	8, 468
2	103	778	7, 190	12, 110	15, 600	17, 760	19, 730	20, 990	20, 880	27, 000	20, 950	8, 396
3	108	1,026	7, 376	12, 260	15, 720	17, 840	19, 820	20, 990	20, 680	27, 470	20, 420	7, 476
4	108	1,265	7, 520	12, 400	15, 810	17, 920	19, 910	20, 970	20, 580	27, 920	19, 870	6, 220
5	108	1,497	7, 632	12, 540	15, 890	18, 010	20, 000	20, 960	20, 540	28, 560	19, 360	5, 504
6 7 8 9	108 114 117 117 117	1,743 1,918 2,114 2,364 2,570	7, 745 7, 859 8, 207 8, 486 8, 666	12, 670 12, 780 12, 880 12, 990 13, 120	15, 970 16, 050 16, 130 16, 210 16, 280	18, 090 18, 180 18, 260 18, 350 18, 430	20, 050 20, 120 20, 160 20, 220 20, 260	20, 950 20, 930 21, 080 21, 260 21, 420	20, 310 20, 040 19, 730 19, 520 19, 410	29, 340 29, 950 30, 350 30, 470 30, 440	18, 970 18, 520 17, 950 17, 340 16, 720	4, 787 3, 993 3, 280 2, 612 2, 028
11	114	2,747	8, 849	13, 270	16, 360	18, 480	20, 300	21, 530	19, 420	30, 410	16, 160	1, 575
12	103	2,981	9, 034	13, 420	16, 440	18, 520	20, 370	21, 540	19, 190	30, 420	15, 570	1, 125
13	100	3,248	9, 220	13, 520	16, 520	18, 570	20, 400	21, 480	19, 080	30, 320	15, 020	795
14	92	3,469	9, 408	13, 600	16, 610	18, 610	20, 440	21, 470	18, 660	30, 090	14, 430	721
15	83	3,713	9, 580	13, 690	16, 690	18, 690	20, 490	21, 440	18, 270	29, 600	13, 860	802
16	83	3, 930	9, 740	13, 800	16, 770	18, 740	20, 560	21, 390	17, 920	29, 080	13, 310	917
17	83	4, 164	9, 900	13, 920	16, 850	18, 780	20, 600	21, 420	17, 460	28, 530	12, 780	1, 052
18	83	4, 423	10, 060	14, 030	16, 930	18, 830	20, 640	21, 370	17, 000	28, 050	12, 220	1, 179
19	75	4, 630	10, 250	14, 120	16, 980	18, 870	20, 680	21, 110	16, 740	27, 510	11, 750	1, 312
20	67	4, 868	10, 400	14, 190	17, 020	18, 910	20, 730	21, 000	16, 690	27, 110	11, 340	1, 429
21	67	5, 081	10, 530	14, 240	17, 090	18, 950	20, 780	20, 820	17, 040	26, 510	11, 010	1, 534
22	67	5, 265	10, 660	14, 310	17, 180	19, 030	20, 840	20, 420	18, 020	26, 270	10, 620	1, 636
23	67	5, 452	10, 800	14, 350	17, 260	19, 120	20, 900	20, 020	19, 310	25, 960	10, 060	1, 728
24	67	5, 669	10, 910	14, 420	17, 310	19, 170	20, 960	19, 800	20, 690	25, 490	9, 676	1, 818
25	67	5, 881	11, 020	14, 500	17, 350	19, 220	21, 000	19, 700	21, 890	25, 010	9, 408	1, 922
26 27 28 29 30	67 67 67 67 67 229	6, 091 6, 315 6, 527 6, 733 6, 943	11, 120 11, 220 11, 340 11, 480 11, 650 11, 800	14, 620 14, 770 14, 920 15, 080 15, 230 15, 360	17, 420 17, 510 17, 590	19, 260 19, 340 19, 390 19, 470 19, 520 19, 570	21, 050 21, 050 21, 030 21, 020 21, 020	19, 620 19, 570 19, 690 19, 990 20, 530 21, 060	22, 780 23, 330 23, 660 24, 300 25, 500	24, 470 23, 970 23, 570 23, 060 22, 480 21, 940	9, 139 8, 922 8, 776 8, 618 8, 438 8, 426	2, 031 2, 143 2, 244 2, 381 2, 521

#### 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, 1925.

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 at what is commonly known as the Streeter gage, a vertical staff located 1 mile below present site. Streeter ditch diverts water between these two points.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable just below gage cr by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel; shifts occasionally. Moss growth at times affects stage-discharge relation.

Extremes of discharge.—Maximum mean daily stage recorded during year, 3.97 feet May 22 (discharge, 1,380 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.22 feet November 2 (discharge, 38 second-feet).

1903-1906; 1912-1915; 1919-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 5.79 feet June 10, 1921 (discharge, 2,990 second-feet); minimum discharge, November 2, 1924.

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 very slightly during October and during high water in June. 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 inspecting recorder graph. Records excellent.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and two 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 3 Dec. 26 Mar. 19	Feet 1. 22 1. 40 1. 53	Secft. 36. 5 81. 1 113	May 9 May 16 June 8	Feet 1. 64 2. 60 2. 85	Secft. 145 562 696	June 16 July 14 Aug. 4	Feet 3. 23 2. 77 2. 56	Secft. 915 665 552

# Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Lost River below Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May .	June	July	Aug.	Sept
1	157	61	66	85	101	109	109	109	1, 190	735	594	244
2	157	38	68	85	101	109	109	106	1, 160 998	741	567	248
3	157	40	68	85	101	109	106	103	998	746	546	622
4	157	51	70	88	103	109	106	101	876	746	546	906
5	161	56	70	90	103	112	106	98	816	672	515	515
6	164	58	70	90	103	112	106	98	781	546	470	666
7	164	63	73	90	103	112	106	96	746	546	465	644
8	174	58	73	90	103	112	106	96	700	567	515	594
9	167	49	73	90	106	112	106	126	644	650	546	567
10	170	51	73	93	106	112	106	167	589	638	536	546
11	174	51	75	93	106	112	106	244	541	611	520	465
12	174	54	75	93	106	112	106	353	594	589	520	485
13	174	51	75	93	106	112	106	375	678	611	520	394
14	174	51	75	93	106	112	106	375	846	650	520	248
15	174	56	78	93	106	112	106	407	906	723	515	154
16	178	51	78	93	106	112	106	562	906	770	500	174
17	178	51	78	93	106	112	106	605	936	770	505	170
18	178	51	78	96	106	112	106	678	936	752	490	178
19	178	54	80	96	106	112	106	1,090	936	723	460	170
20	178	54	80	96	106	112	101	1, 160	1,030	735	426	167
21	178	54	80	96	106	112	98	1, 320	1, 160	729	384	170
22	178	56	80	96	106	112	93	1,380	1, 160	723	407	174
23	178	61	80	96	106	112	103	1.280	1,060	723	490	178
24	178	61	80	98	106	112	106	1, 320	816	735	417	174
25	178	63	80	98	109	112	106	1,090	846	718	344	164
26	178	63	80	98	109	112	103	1,090	967	706	348	161
27	178	66	83	98	109	112	112	1,090	1,030	661	326	164
28	184	66	83	98	109	112	120	1,090	1,060	622	288	163
29	192	66	83	101	l	109	115	1, 120	998	644	293	170
30	170	66	85	101		109	112	1, 190	775	655	301	174
31	109		85	101		109		1, 190		622		

Monthly discharge of Big Lost River below Mackay Reservoir, near Mackay, Idaho. for the year ending September 30, 1925

75. 13	Discha	rge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	192	109	171. 0	10, 500
November	66	38	55. 7	3, 310
December	85	66	76. 6	4,710
January	101	85	93. 7	5, 760
February	109	101	105	5, 830
March	112	109	111	6, 820
April	120	93	106	6,310
May	1,380	96	649	39, 900
June	1, 190	541	889	52, 900
July		546	679	41, 800
August	594	272	456	28, 000
September	906	154	328	19, 500
The year	1, 380	38	311	225, 000

### 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, 1925.

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, 2.34 feet June 23 (discharge, 557 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.16 foot December 27-29 (discharge, 12 second-feet).

1920-1925: Maximum discharge, estimated about 2,330 second-feet June 14, 1921, based on high-water marks on gage; minimum stage December 27-29, 1924.

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 slightly October 1 to November 21 and September 6-30. Rating curve well defined below 750 second-feet used November 22 to September 5; curves parallel thereto used during periods stage-discharge relation changed. Daily discharge determined by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records excellent after February 12; others good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record from October to May furnished by water commissioner for Big Lost River.

Discharge measurements of Big Lost River near Moore, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 1 Mar. 18 May 9	Feet 0. 31 . 47 . 53	Secft. 26. 6 48. 1 57. 9	May 18	Feet 1. 37 1. 98 1. 84	Secft. 254 439 393	July 13Aug. 3	Feet 1. 50 1. 06	Secft. 288 168

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Lost River near Moore, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	46	44	26	13	15	44	53	35	493	352	141	127
2	46	38	29	14	15	41	53	44	525	477	129	146
3	46	38	28	14	14	42	50	41	541	414	168	125
4	46	37	29	14	15	44	52	44	493	430	153	337
5	47	35	26	14	19	50	50	47	461	477	139	368
6	47	37	30	15	22	63	55	50	445	430	125	307
7	46	35	29	15	25	56	53	56	414	352	111	307
8	47	37	25	14	29	50	55	53	398	337	134	292
9	46	37	23	14	32	47	59	59	368	352	163	262
10	48	35	24	13	]	46	61	56	292	352	153	248
11	50	40	21	14	25	46	63	59	219	322	151	248
12	50	47	21	14	i	46	67	95	192	322	153	248
13	50	37	20	14	34	44	69	99	262	307	160	248 233
14	48	37	20	îŝ	37	47	71	107	292	292	148	192
15	47	37	21	14	37	46	71	120	337	292	139	153
16	48	37	22	14	40	44	69	173	368	307	134	168
17	48	38	23	14	44	47	73	219	398	248	125	163
18	48	34	20	14	41	47	76	248	368	205	111	143
19	50	34	17	14	41	48	73	277	368	178	103	153
20	50	34	15	14	41	50	71,	307	383	192	87	143
21	50	34	15	13	41	56	67	368	493	219	82	151
22	50	34	15	14	41	73	69	430	541	192	76	136
23	52	40	14	15	41	83	69	461	557	192	122	136
24	52	42	13	15	41	73	67	461	477	205	116	136
25	52	42	13	15	42	59	61	414	398	192	93	129
26	35	29	13	15	41	66	59	383	430	173	95	127
27	34	34	12	15	41	66	55	3 <b>8</b> 3	445	168	97	118
28	33	33	12	15	41	59	44	398	461	148	97	114
29	34	33	12	14		74	35	414	477	143	95	122
30	34	30	13	15		89	30	461	445	168	95	120
31	34		13	15		69	l	477		166	101	

Note.—Discharge estimated Feb. 10-12; interpolated Oct. 10, Feb. 5-7, and Mar. 7. Braced figure shows mean discharge for period indicated.

Monthly discharge of Big Lost River near Moore, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

25. 0	Discha	rge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January Feburary March April May June July August September	47 30 15 44 89 76 477 557 477 168	33 29 12 13 14 41 30 35 192 143 76	45. 6 36. 6 19. 8 14. 3 32. 3 55. 3 60. 0 221 411 278 122 188	2, 800 2, 180 1, 220 879 1, 790 3, 400 3, 570 13, 600 24, 500 17, 100 7, 500
The year	557	12	124	89, 700

#### WARM SPRING CREEK (EAST CHANNEL) NEAR MACKAY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NE. ¼ 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, 1925.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on right bank; read by employees of Utah Construction Co. DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from suspension bridge 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 stage recorded during year, 2.56 feet June 23 (discharge, 148 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.30 feet May 7 (discharge, 13 second-feet).

1919-1925: Maximum discharge recorded, 225 second-feet June 15, 1922; minimum discharge, 9 second-feet May 8, 9, 13, and 14, 1919, and May 18-21, 1920.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation seldom 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; probably affected by ice December 12-25. Well-defined rating curve used April 2 to July 16; 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 for days when gage was read and by estimating or interpolating the intervening days. Records fair chiefly because of infrequent gage readings.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and three 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 records 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 112, 101, and 103, respectively. For record of combined flow of both channels of Big Lost River and Warm Spring Creek see page 105.

Discharge measurements of Warm Spring Creek (east channel) near Mackay, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Dat	в	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 14	Feet 1. 48 1. 44 1. 41 1. 54	Secft. 18.5 17.4 19.0 29.4	May 17	Feet 1. 82 1. 78 1. 88 2. 42	Secft. 56. 4 52. 7 62. 6 129	July 15 Aug. 4		Feet 1.75 1.64	Secft. 48. 6 34. 7

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Warm Spring Creek (east channel) near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4	20 20 20 20 20 20	20 20 19 19 19	20 20 20 20 20 20	20 20 20 20 20 19	19 20 20 20 20 20	18 19 19 19	19 19 19 19 19	17 17 16 15	} 85 72 67 62	95 88 87 86 84	40 39 37 35 33	25 24 24 24 24 24
6	19 19 19 19 19	19 19 19 19 20	20 20 19 19 19	19 19 19 19 19	20 20 20 19 19	19 19 19 19 19	19 19 19 19 19	14 13 18 24 29	57 52 50 47	83 77 71 65 62	31 31 30 30 30	24 25 25 25 25 25
11	19 19 19 19 19	20 20 20 20 20 20	19	19 19 19 19 19	19 19 19 19 19	19 19 19 19 19	19 19 19 19 19	32 33 33 34 41	46 48 54	60 58 56 52 49	30 29 29 30 31	25 25 26 26 27
16	19 19 19 19 19	20 20 20 20 20 20	18	19 19 19 20 20	18 18 18 18 18	19 19 19 18 18	19 19 19 19 20	49 56 63 71 80	63 60 57 80	49 49 50 51 51	32 31 30 29 28	27 27 27 27 27 27
21	19 19 19 19 19	20 20 20 20 20 20		20 20 20 20 20 20	18 18 18 18 18	18 18 18 18 18	20 20 20 20 20 20	88 84 81 78 74	} 125 148 130 119	51 51 51 51 51	28 28 27 27 26	28 28 28 28 28
26	19 20 20 20 20 20 20	20 20 20 20 20 20	18 18 18 19 20 20	19 19 19 19 19 19	18 18 18	18 18 18 18 19	19 19 18 18 18	} 75 83 } 95	} 110 101 105	51 51 48 46 44 42	26 25 25 25 25 25 25 25	30

Monthly discharge of Warm Spring Creek (east channel) near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	arge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June Uuly August September	148 40	19 19 19 18 18 18 13 	19. 3 19. 8 18. 7 19. 4 18. 8 18. 6 19. 1 51. 4 79. 7 60. 0 29. 7 26. 7	1, 190 1, 180 1, 150 1, 190 1, 040 1, 140 1, 144 3, 160 4, 740 3, 690 1, 830 1, 530
The year	148	13	31. 8	23,000

# WARM SPRING CREEK (WEST CHANNEL) NEAR MACKAY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NE. ½ 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, 1925.

GAGE.—Stevens 8-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 stage recorded during year, 2.24 feet June 23 (discharge, 251 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.69 foot May 7 (discharge, 61 second-feet).

1919-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 3.38 feet June 12, 1921 (discharge, 411 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge, May 7, 1925.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation occasionally affected 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 changed January 14 to February 21 and July 1-30. Rating curve well defined between 70 and 170 second-feet and fairly well defined above, and curves parallel thereto, used February 22 to June 30, October 1 to January 13, and July 31 to September 30, respectively; shifting-control method used at other times. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph. May to July, records fair; others good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and three 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 east channel of Warm Spring Creek and the records 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 records from stations on east channel of Warm Spring Creek and on east and west channels of Big Lost River see pages 110, 101, and 103, respectively. For record of combined flow of both channels of Big Lost River and Warm Spring Creek see page 105.

Discharge measurements of Warm Spring Creek (west channel) near Mackay, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 14 Dec. 26 Mar. 18 May 10	Feet 0.88 .91 .89 .96	Secft. 81. 6 83. 8 86. 8 94. 8	May 17	Feet 1, 32 1, 27 1, 41 2, 03	Secft. 142 138 155 222	July 15 Aug. 4	Feet 1, 18 1, 03	Secft. 129 111

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Warm Spring Creek (west channel) near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4	77 77 77 77 77 78	80 80 80 80 80	90 90 90 91 91	88 88 88 88 88	87 87 87 88 90	87 87 87 88 90	86 86 86 86 86	74 70 68 67 64	191 179 164 157 157	191 179 173 173 173	126 123 119 113 110	103 103 101 103 103
6	79 79 77 77 77 78	79 79 80 84 84	91 91 90 90 90	87 88 88 88 88	88 87 88 87 87	92 91 90 88 87	87 86 86 87 87	63 61 79 88 92	148 138 133 128 130	173 166 158 157 149	108 106 105 104 104	103 103 103 103 101

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Warm Spring Creek (west channel) near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
11 12 13	79	86	90	88	88	87	86	100	133	145	103	101
12	79 80	86 87	90	88	88	87	84 84	105 104	134 134	$\frac{142}{142}$	103 103	101 101
14	80	91	90 90	88 88	88 88	87 87	87	104	134	131	105	101
15	80	91	90	88	88	87	86	113	146	130	105	103
16	80	90	90	88	88	87	83	124	155	130	105	104
17	80	90	88	88	88	86	82	141	149	128	105	
18	80	90	86	88	88	86	79	153	146	131	104	103
19	80	88	88	88	88	84	79	164	157	140	103	103
20	80	88	88	88	88	88	79	179	173	137	103	103
21	80	91	87	88	88	88	79	191	196	138	101	104
22	80	91	86	88	88	88	79	191	239	144	101	104
23	80	91	87	88	88	87	86	173	251	153	99	104
24	80	91	89	88	88	86	87	173	228	150	99	104
25	80	91	90	88	87	86	86	173	217	142	97	104
26	82	90	84	88	87	86	84	173	217	140	99	104
27	83	88	86	88	87	86	83	173	202	137	100	105
28	84	88	87	87	87	86	80	179	196	134	100	105
29	86	88	90	87		86	79	196	202	131	100	119
30	83	88	90	87		86	77	212	212	130	100	117
31	82	Ì	88	87		86		212		128	101	

Note.—Discharge interpolated Dec. 23, 24, and Sept. 26, 27.

Monthly discharge of Warm Spring Creek (west channel) near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

26.13	Disc	harge in seco	nd-feet	Run-eff in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	86	77	79.8	4, 910
November	91	79	86.3	5, 140
December		84	89. 0	5, 470
January		87	87.8	5,400
February	90	87	87.7	4,870
March	92	84	87. 2	5, 360
A pril		77	83, 7	4, 980
May	212	61	131	8,060
June	251	128	172	10, 200
July	191	128	148	9, 100
August	126	97	105	6, 460
September	119	101	104	6, 190
The year	251	61	105	76, 100

#### 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, 1925.

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, weeds, and silt deposits.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge recorded during year, 32 second-feet May 10; ditch probably dry except for leakage through head gates during period of no record.

1912-1914; 1919-1925: 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.—None. Winter flow is probably limited to 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 rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily; record fragmentary prior to May 1. Daily discharge ascertained by applying gage height to rating table except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Shifting-control method used during greater part of year. Records fair, except for estimated periods for which they are poor.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and three 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. 1 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 27 May 10 May 17	Feet 0. 90 1. 49 1. 22	Secft. 16.3 31.2 25.6	May 25 June 8 June 15	Feet 1. 37 1. 27 1. 21	Secft, 27. 2 27. 8 26. 4	July 11 July 14 Aug. 4	Feet 1. 32 1. 35 1. 17	Secft. 27. 2 28. 8 23. 5

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Sharp ditch near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	14		2. 5	15 15 14 14 14	28 28 28 28 28 28	27 27 27 28 28	25 24 24 24 23	22 22 25 26 23
6	13	3.0		14 14 19 26 32	28 28 28 29 29	26 27 27 28 28	21 21 21 20 24	22 23 23 23 23 23
11 12 13 14 15	8.5		5.0	29 25 25 24 25	27 27 29 28 27	28 27 29 29 27	24 24 24 24 24 24	23 23 23 20 14
16	5.0		10	25 25 27 27 26	27 27 27 28 28	26 26 26 26 26 26	24 23 23 21 19	
21			} 15 11 } 7.0	26 26 26 26 26 26	28 30 28 28 28 28	26 26 26 26 26 26	24 24 24 21 21	14
26. 27. 28. 29. 30. 31.	4.0		12 16 16 15 15	28 28 28 28 28 28 28	28 28 28 28 28 28	26 26 26 26 26 25	23 23 20 24 24 24 24	

Note.—On basis of data furnished by water commissioner for Big Lost River, discharge estimated Oct. 1-5, 7-31, Nov. 1-15, Apr. 3-26, Sept. 16-30; interpolated Apr. 28-30 and May 9 and 20. No flow reported Nov. 16 to Apr. 2, except possibly for small leakage through head gates. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Sharp ditch near Mackay, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

36	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-15. April 3-30. May June. July. August. September.	16	14 27 25 19	8. 27 3. 00 7. 91 23. 6 28. 0 26. 7 22. 9 18. 2	508 89. 3 439 1, 450 1, 670 1, 640 1, 410 1, 080

# 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, 1¼ 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, 1925.

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. Gage prior to this time was at a datum 1 foot lower than present gage.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 500 feet 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 5 (discharge, 680 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.96 foot October 1 (discharge, 121 second-feet).

1913-1915; 1919-1925: 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 seldom affected by ice on account of warm springs.

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 not permanent; affected by ice December 18-25 and by moss and débris July 6 to September 25. Standard rating curve well defined below 350 second-feet. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table; shifting-control method used August 10 to September 25. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Portneuf River at Topaz, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 9	Feet 1. 13 1. 45 1. 48 1. 66	Secft. 158 222 236 273	May 24	Feet 1. 93 1. 70 1. 41 1. 69	Secft. 319 273 215 260	July 27 Sept. 22 Sept. 28	Feet 1. 62 1. 26 1. 18	Secft. 250 178 167

# Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Portneuf River at Topaz, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	121 131 131 141 141	161 161 161 161 161	161 161 161 161 171	161 151 151 161 161	161 171 171 286 276	171 171 182 224 234	234 224 224 224 224 234	255 266 266 276 297	255 276 286 276 255	202 213 213 213 680	131 131 141 131 131	286 330 297 286 255
6	141 141 141 141 151	161 161 161 161 161	171 171 171 161 161	151 151 161 161 161	481 276 255 224 192	. 286 330 364 297 244	234 224 234 224 224 234	319 341 387 433 410	255 244 244 234 234 234	341 266 266 234 244	131 131 131 131 131 131	244 244 234 213 234
11	141 141 141 141 141	161 161 161 161 161	161 161 161 171 171	151 161 161 161 161	192 192 192 182 182	213 213 202 202 202 202	244 266 266 276 276	410 410 410 387 410	234 234 213 224 244	213 202 192 182 182	131 151 171 213 224	224 213 213 213 213 171
16 17	141 141 141 141 141	161 161 161 161 171	192 171	161 151 151 151 151	182 182 182 182 182	202 213 202 224 276	276 341 433 387 341	457 457 410 387 387	234 255 255 244 234	202 213 213 213 213 224	234 234 244 255 266	161 161 182 171 171
21	141 141 141 141 141	171 171 171 161 161	150	151 151 151 161 161	182 182 182 171 171	330 330 308 276 255	319 286 286 297 286	387 341 319 330 319	234 308 286 266 234	234 234 255 244 244	266 266 255 244 244	176 182 182 171 171
26	141 141 141 171 161 161	161 161 161 161 161	151 151 161 151 161 161	161 161 161 161 161 161	171 171 161	234 224 224 224 255 244	276 276 244 244 244 244	297 286 276 266 255 276	224 213 213 202 202	244 244 161 151 141 141	244 234 244 255 266 286	171 171 171 171 161

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of ice Dec. 18-25; interpolated Sept. 21. Braced figure shows mean discharge for period indicated.

# Monthly discharge of Portneuf River at Topaz, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

26. 1	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	171	121	142	8, 730
NovemberDecember	171 192	161	162 160	9, 640 9, 840
January	161	151	157	9, 650
February March	481 364	161 171	205 244	11, 400 15, 000
April	433	224	272	16, 200
May June	457 308	255 202	346 244	21, 300 14, 500
July	680	141	232	14, 300
AugustSeptember	286 330	131 161	202 208	12, 400 12, 400
The year	680	121	214	155, 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, 1925. 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 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, 5.45 feet April 21 (discharge, 737 second-feet). Minimum discharge, 97 second-feet October 1-3 and July 20-22.

1911-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 7.8 feet May 30, 1917 (discharge, in excess of 2,000 second-feet during period May 13 to June 14, 1917, 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 several times during year. Standard rating curve fairly well defined below 600 second-feet. Gage read to half-tenths several times a week. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table, using shifting-control method October 11 to December 4, April 20–23, May 7–9, and July 27 to September 18. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Portneuf River at Pocatello, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 8	Feet 3. 46 4. 22 4. 15 4. 31 4. 64	Secft. 256 402 357 435 534	May 23	Feet 3, 89 3, 07 3, 00 2, 85	Secft. 369 206 170 156	July 9	Feet 3. 44 2. 60 3. 31 3. 44	Secft. 252 116 195 224

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Portneuf River, at Pocatello, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12 34 5	97 97 97 100 102	209 209 209 209 212	257 257 257 257 257 257	350	374 386 397 408 420	301 315 329 336 344	420 420 420 408 396	497 523 523 523 549	209 200 209 228 242	182 156 148 156 173	156 140 140 140 125	132 148 166 182 176
6	104 118 132 145 159	215 218 218 218 218 218	257 257 257 257 257 257	350	432 445 409 373 330	351 381 411 441 471	404 412 420 420 420	549 575 575 575 549	257 257 257 242 228	256 351 304 257 242	118 111 104 114 125	170 164 164 164 164
11 12 13 14 15	173 168 164 167 170	220 222 224 226 228	257 257 257 257 257 257	250	287 294 301 308 301	396 384 373 373 373	445 471 497 523 523	549 523 523 514 506	218 209 200 200 209	228 209 173 156 140	125 125 140 156 173	156 173 173 173 173 173
16	173 168 164 164 164	233 238 240 242 245		250	294 287 287 287 287 287	373 358 344 329 346	523 549 575 601 628	497 497 497 445 445	218 218 218 209 203	125 125 125 111 97	152 132 118 118 118	173 182 191 203 215
21 22 23 24 25	168 171 175 178 182	247 247 247 247 247 247	225	300	287 287 287 287 287 287	363 380 396 404 412	737 575 575 549 536	409 373 373 351 329	197 191 200 329 329	97 97 125 125 118	122 125 118 111 111	228 200 228 257 247
26	186 191 196 200 204 209	247 247 247 250 254		351 362	287 287 287	420 420 420 420 420 420 420	523 523 523 523 523 510	308 287 257 257 241 225	242 156 156 140 161	111 111 228 209 191 173	114 118 120 123 125 128	238 228 218 218 228

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of ice Dec. 16 to Jan. 29 based on observer's notes, weather records, and flow past station at Topaz; discharge for other periods of missing gage height interpolated. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Portneuf River at Pocatello, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

<b>3</b> 5. 13	Discha	rge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	209	97	158	9, 720
November	254	209	231	13, 700
December January February	445	287	240 304 329	14, 800 18, 700 18, 300
March April	471	301	381	23, 400
	737	396	502	29, 900
May	575	225	447	27, 500
June	329	140	218	13, 000
July	351	97	171	10, 500
AugustSeptember	173	104	127	7, 810
	257	132	191	11, 400
The year	737	97	274	199,000

### 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, 1925.

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, 9.48 feet at 2.30 p. m. July 19 (discharge, 1,510 second-feet); no flow at various times when head gates were closed.

1909-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 9.50 feet at 7 p. m. May 22, 1924; maximum flow occurred at gage height 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 either above or below station 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 inspecting recorder graph. Shifting-control methods used October 10 and 11. Records excellent.

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 side 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 3	Feet 2. 25 5. 82 7. 70	Secft. 126 652 1,070	May 9	Feet 9. 38 9. 36 9. 02	Secft. 1, 480 1, 470 1, 420	Aug. 17 Sept. 16	Feet 8. 31 7. 26	Secft. 1, 200 967

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of North Side Minidoka Canal near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4	347 352 346 352	224 223 223 222	124		573/ 601 618 646	1, 400 1, 470 1, 490 1, 440	1, 490 1, 490 1, 460 1, 390	1, 490 1, 490 1, 490 1, 480	1, 400 1, 370 1, 370 1, 360	1, 300 1, 280 1, 280 1, 290
6 7	348 346 344 348 344	222 220 219 194 163			669 671 675 677 679	1, 420 1, 470 1, 470 1, 490 1, 490	1, 380 1, 320 1, 270 1, 280 1, 270	1, 490 1, 490 1, 490 1, 490 1, 490	1,350 1,380 1,440 1,430 1,430	1, 300 1, 290 1, 220 1, 110 1, 100
10 11 12 13	296 249 227 232	164 164 164 166		69 152	713 759 775 781	1, 490 1, 490 1, 440 1, 300 1, 300	1, 270 1, 270 1, 270 1, 270 1, 270	1, 490 1, 490 1, 490 1, 490	1, 420 1, 420 1, 430 1, 420	1, 050 993 967 971
14 15 16	273 293 290 287	166 62		152 152 152 185 206	868 973 1,060 1,150	1,310 1,300 1,270 1,200	1, 270 1, 270 1, 180 1, 070 1, 090	1, 490 1, 490 1, 490 1, 490	1, 330 1, 230 1, 240 1, 240	969 971 971 973
18 19 20	294 288 245			206 206 236	1, 190 1, 190 1, 190 1, 200	1, 210 1, 210 1, 210 1, 210	1, 120 1, 120 1, 120 1, 170	1, 490 1, 490 1, 490 1, 490	1, 190 1, 190 1, 260	947 876 868

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of North Side Minidoka Canal near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
21 22	223 224			286 306	1, 200 1, 190	1, 200 1, 200	1,310 1,400	1, 490 1, 490	1, 330 1, 340	695 57 <b>4</b>
23 24 25	232 1231 229			329 365 461	1, 150 1, 080 1, 080	1, 200 1, 200 1, 230	1, 410 1, 460 1, 490	1, 460 1, 350 1, 290	1, 340 1, 330 1, 340	569 567 565
26 27	231 232			521 522	1,080 1,080	1,370 1,480	1,480 1,480	1, 290 1, 290	1, 360 1, 370	569 565
28	246 274 277			522 522 553	1,080 1,150 1,290	1, 480 1, 490 1, 490	1, 490 1, 490 1, 490	1,340 1,340 1,360	1,370 1,350 1,330	564 562 565
31	255			574		1, 480		1, 420	1, 330	

NOTE.—No record Nov. 16 to Dec. 2 and Dec. 4 to Mar. 11.

Monthly discharge of North Side Minidoka Canal near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	-feet	Run-off in	
141011011	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November I-15 March 12-31 April May June July August September	574	223 62 69 573 1, 200 1, 070 1, 290 1, 190 562	282 186 326 928 1, 360 1, 330 1, 450 1, 340 917	17, 300 5, 530 12, 900 55, 200 83, 600 79, 100 89, 200 82, 400 54, 600

#### 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, 1925.

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, 1,090 second-feet at 10 a.m. July 2; probably no flow during period of no record.

1909-1925: Maximum discharge, 1,100 second-feet July 16 and 18, 1921; probably no flow during periods of no record each year.

Ice.—No record obtained during winter.

Diversions.—None above gage.

REGULATION.—Flow controlled by head gates at Minidoka Dam.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean gage height obtained from recorder graph to rating table or by shifting-control method. Records good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and six 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 measurements of South Side Minidoka Canal near Minidoka, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage heigh <b>t</b>	Dis- charge
Apr. 9 Apr. 25 May 9 May 21	Feet 2. 90 3. 43 5. 25 4. 29	Secft. 390 487 959 683	May 27 June 1 July 2 July 10	Feet 5. 27 5. 59 5. 70 5. 66	Secft. 957 1, 050 1, 090 1, 030	July 23 Aug. 14 Aug. 18 Sept. 16	Feet 5. 71 5. 18 4. 83 3. 69	Secft. 1,060 900 794 528

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of South Side Minidoka Canal near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	142	262		190	684	1, 050	1, 070	1, 030	890
2	150	262		240	684	1,050	1,080	1,040	882
3	151	262		240	692	950	1,080	1,030	882
4	145	196		240	735	851	1,070	1,020	859
5	137	0		277	782	890	1,070	997	840
6	138	108		304	843	916	1,070	980	840
7	150	164		302	893	899	1,070	959	812
8	153	165		311	930	879	1,050	939	746
9	165	167		365	950	871	1,040	939	677
10	177	170		387	950	871	1,040	945	643
11	167	169		408	901	871	1,040	953	624
12	165	167		435	815	873	1,050	959	612
13	234	89		445	818	873	1,050	959	575
14	136			482	782	873	1,050	916	542
15	159			544	714	871	1, 040	882	525
	150	1			007	00.4	1 050	0 = 7	525
16	170			582	<b>6</b> 67	834	1, 050	857	
17	164			624	631	796	1,050	837	525
18	167			624	631	796	676	799	525
19	154			601	636	823	1,020	810	525
20	160			551	692	865	1, 030	837	511
21	163			551	692	910	1,050	873	410
22	178			551	694	968	1,050	896	349
23	200			533	707	1,020	1,050	904	308
24	211			516	727	1,040	1,040	916	304
25	233			501	785	1,020	1, 030	933	302
26	251	1		488	859	1,000	1, 020	939	301
27	251			492	945	1,020	1, 020	953	297
28	253			538	974	1,040	1, 020	959	340
29	262		161	589	997	1,070	1, 030	939	338
30	261		163	653	1, 020	1,060	1, 030	899	281
31	262		163	000	1,040	1,000	1, 030	904	201
O1	202		103		1,040		1, 000	904	

NOTE.-No record obtained Nov. 14 to Mar. 28.

Monthly discharge of South Side Minidoka Canal near Minidoka, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

March	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-13. March 29-31. April May. June. July. August. September.	262 262 163 653 1, 040 1, 070 1, 080 1, 040 890	136 0 161 190 631 796 676 799 281	184 168 162 452 802 928 1,030 929 560	11, 300 4, 330 964 26, 900 49, 300 55, 200 63, 300 57, 100 33, 300

#### 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, 1925.

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 silt.

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, 3.58 feet at 1 p. m. July 1 (discharge, 247 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.66 feet from 10 a. m. to 2 p. m. August 25 (discharge, 10.8 second-feet).

1911-1916; 1919-1925; Maximum stage recorded, 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 July 2 to August 13 and September 22-30. Standard rating curve well defined below 250 second-feet. 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 furnished by Oakley Canal Co.

Discharge measurements of Goose Creek above Trapper Creek, near Oakley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 8 May 1	Feet 2. 71 2. 83	Secft. 106 137	May 18	Feet 3. 11 2. 34	Secft. 169 57. 5	July 13 Aug. 23	Feet 1. 86 1. 70	Secft. 23. 1 12. 4

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Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Goose Creek above Trapper Creek, near Oakley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	16 16 17 17 18	27 27 27 27 27 27	)	109 105 101 100 107	137 146 160 170 188	98 106 113 124 112	35 50	16 16 16 16 15	13 12 12 12 12
6	19 19 21 21 22	27 25 27 28 25	50	113 113 106 105 114	198 210 210 210 200	103 94 82 77 74	56 42 35 31 30	13 14 13 13 14	15 14 33 27 19
11	23 23 23 23 22	24	53 53 53 54	136 157 175 193 203	201 198 188 176 165	68 61 54 54 57	26 23 23 22 20	14 18 25 37 22	17 16 16 16 17
16. 17. 18. 19. 20.	22 22 23 25 25		53 52 51 49 53	213 222 226 240 242	162 167 165 154 146	62 66 59 55 51	19 18 16 14 13	20 18 17 16 14	16 15 15 17 20
21	24 24 24 25 24		59 67 76 79 82	226 212 198 176 159	146 144 140 138 138	48 48 50 48 44	12 17 25 23 21	14 13 12 12 11	64 45 33 33 30
26	24 25 25 28 28 28 28		81 82 83 89 98 107	143 134 130 127 133	130 116 105 93 85 93	40 36 33 30 29	19 19 18 19 18 17	11 12 13 13 12 12	27 25 24 25 25

Note.—Discharge estimated Nov. 11-18 and Mar. 5-11, on account of ice, and July 2-5 when water-stage recorder failed to operate properly. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods included. No record Nov. 19 to Mar. 4.

Monthly discharge of Goose Creek above Trapper Creek, near Oakley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-18 March 5-31 April May June July August September	107 242 210 124	16 100 85 29 12 11	22. 5 25. 5 63. 9 157 157 65. 9 26. 8 15. 5 22. 2	1, 380 910 3, 420 9, 340 9, 650 3, 920 1, 650 953

#### 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, 1925.

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 slightly 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, 2.86 feet at 8 p. m. August 12 (discharge, 47 second-feet); minimum discharge, 9.9 second-feet 10 p. m. to midnight August 7.

1911-1916; 1919-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 3.44 feet May 28 and June 8, 1921 (discharge, 98 second-feet); minimum discharge probably occurs during winter when records are discontinued.

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

DIVERSIONS.—No sizable diversions above station.

REGULATION.-None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Standard rating curves 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 April 19-30. 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 7 May 1	Feet 2, 37 2, 55	Secft. 20. 0 25. 0	May 18	Feet 2. 68 2. 24	Secft. 33. 4 12. 0	July 13 Aug. 23	Feet 2, 15 2, 11	Secft. 11. 6 10. 2

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Trapper Creek near Oakley, Idaho, for the year ending September'30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	11 12 12 12 12 12	12 12 12 12 12	12 12 12 12 12 12	13 13 13 13 14	20 19 20 22 23	26 27 30 32 34	30 22	12 12 12 12 12 12	10 10 10 10 10	10 10 10 10 10
6	12 12 12 12 12	12 12 12 12 12	12 12 12 12 12	15 15 14 13 13	22 21 20 22 24	35 36 37 37 36	21 20 19 18 17	12 11 11 11 11	10 10 10 10 10	10 10 10 10 10
11 12 13 14 15	12 12 12 12 12 12	12 12		13 13 13 13 13	27 29 32 33 35	38 36 34 34 33	17 16 16 16 16	11 11 10 10 10	10 11 11 11 10	10 10 10 10 10
16 17 18 19 20	12 12 12 12 12	12		13 13 13 13 14	36 40 40 38 36	34 36 33 32 33	16 16 15 15 14	10 10 10 10 10	10 10 10 10 10	10 10 10 10 10

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Trapper Creek near Oakley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
21 22 23	12 12 12 12	12 12 12		16 17 19	34 32 29	34 32 31	14 14 13	10 10 11	10 10 10	11 11 10
24 25	12 12	12 12		17 17	26 25	31 28	13 12	10 10	10 10	10 10
26 27 28	12 12 12	12 12 12		18 18 18	24 24 24	27 26 24	12 12 12	10 10 10	10 10 10	10 10 10
29	12 12 12	12 12		21 22 21	24 24	24 24 28	12 12	10 10 10	10 10 10	10 10

Note.—Discharge estimated Nov. 13-18, May 31, and June 1-4; interpolated Oct. 28-29, Apr. 22, 27-29, and Aug. 25-26. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Trapper Creek near Oakley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	irge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November	12	11	12. 0 12. 0	738 714
December 1-9	$\frac{12}{22}$	12	12. 0	214
March		13	15. 2	935
April	40	19	27. 5	1, 640
May	38	24	31. 7	1, 950
June	12	12	17. 3	1,030
July		10	10. 6	652
August	11	10	10. 1	621
September	11	10	10. 1	601

#### P. A. LATERAL NEAR MILNER, IDAHO

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, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff near left bank; read by employees of North Side Canal Co. (Ltd.).

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from foot plank at rating flume just below gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Canal section in earth; often obstructed by growth of moss. Concrete rating flume below gage contracts section forming permanent control.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge, 55 second-feet May 1, 2, 5, and 6; canal dry on numerous occasions.

1919-1925: Maximum discharge, 64 second-feet May 11-13, 1920; canal dry on numerous occasions.

Ice.—No records obtained during winter.

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 not permanent. Standard rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths twice daily, account being taken of all periods when pumps were not operated. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and five 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 29 Do May 9 May 27 May 28	Feet 1. 91 1. 70 1. 93 1. 92 1. 92	Secft. 52. 7 42. 0 51. 5 53. 0 50. 8	May 29 June 16 Do July 3 July 15	Feet 1. 93 1. 98 1. 98 1. 98 1. 97	Secft. 52.0 54.5 53.0 51.2 50.6	July 22	Feet 1. 95 2. 04 2. 03 2. 02	Secft. 51. 7 53. 5 50. 8 52. 5

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of P. A. lateral near Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	19 28 28 28 28	28 28 28 28 28 28		13 4	55 55 54 54 55	53 53 53 53 54	53 53 52 52 52	50 51 51 51 51	48 48 48 48 48
6	28 28 28 29 14	28 25 6		} 0	55 54 54 53 52	54 54 54 53 53	52 52 52 52 52 52	51 51 51 51 51	48 48 48 48 36
11	0 28 28 28 28				53 53 52 52 52	53 49 53 53 54	52 54 53 53 52	51 29 42 51 52	32 32 32 32 32 32
16	28 28 28 28 28		12 13 13	8 13 13 22	52 52 52 53 52	54 53 53 53 53	51 52 52 52 51	52 52 52 52 52 52	32 27 0 0
21	28 28 28 28 28		13 3	28 28 36 41 41	52 52 52 52 52 52	49 53 53 53 52	51 51 51 51 51	52 52 52 51 50	0 0 0 0
26	28 28 28 28 28 28 28		6 13 13 13 13 12	40 40 40 51 54	52 52 44 52 52 53	53 53 53 53 53	51 51 51 51 50 50	50 49 49 49 49 48	0 0 0 0 0

Note.—No record obtained Nov. 9 to Mar. 17; pumps closed down. Mean of hourly discharge used Oct. 1, 10, Nov. 8, Mar. 22, 27, Apr. 2, 17, May 28, June 12, 21, Aug. 12, 13, and Sept. 17, when pumps operated part time.

Monthly discharge of P. A. lateral near Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	-feet	Run-off in	
.9101611	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November 1-8 March 18-31 April May June July August September	29 28 13 54 55 54 55 54 54 52 48	0 6 0 0 44 49 50 29	26. 4 24. 9 7. 93 15. 7 52. 5 52. 9 51. 7 49. 8 22. 9	1, 620 395 220 934 3, 230 3, 150 3, 180 3, 060 1, 360

# 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, 1925.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by Gilham and McConnel.

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, 3.09 feet at 8 a.m. July 31 (discharge, 108 second-feet); canal dry on numerous occasions.

1921-1925: Maximum discharge, that of 1925; 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 below and well defined above 30 second-feet. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height from recorder graph to rating table or for days of large fluctuation in stage by averaging the discharge for intervals of the day. Records good.

Milner Low Lift Canal diverts water by pumping from south side of Snake River in backwater above Milner Dam and furnishes water for irrigation of lands within Milner Low Lift Irrigation District.

Discharge measurements of Milner Low Lift Canal near Milner, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 9	Feet 1. 88 2. 58 2. 67 2. 67 2. 95	Secft. 50. 6 85. 2 89. 4 90. 5 103	July 18	Feet 3. 05 3. 08 3. 06 2. 85 2. 61	Secft. 101 107 107 101 88.4	Aug. 27 Sept. 8 Sept. 19	Feet 2. 62 1. 92 1. 88	Secft. 88. 3 53. 8 50. 8

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Milner Low Lift Canal near Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	. Day	Oct.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	0 0 0 0	23	88 88 89 88 88	97 104 76 104 105	85 0 0 67 103	86 88 84 88 88	16 17 18 19 20	20 0 0 0	67 80 82 82 82	90 90 89 80 70	101 95 100 98 98	90 85 82 86 82	54 54 54 52 52
6 7 8 9	0 0 0 0	50 52 50 51 51	88 90 90 89 89	104 105 104 105 106	90 99 100 100 101	64 54 54 54 54	21 22 23 24 25	0 0 0 0	84 84 88 90 84	78 95 100 92 100	85 96 99 102 104	86 86 86 86 86	51 49 46 46 43
11 12 13 14 15	0 0 0 0 17	52 58 42 42 80	88 76 88 84 90	101 106 106 103 100	90 46 16 0 71	54 54 54 54 54 54	26	39 36 0 0 0 33	88 89 67 81 86 87	102 102 95 103 100	104 104 104 104 106 100	86 70 86 84 85 86	42 44 43 43 43

Monthly discharge of Milner Low Lift Canal near Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

25.44	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October May 5-31 June July Angust September	39 90 103 106 103 88	0 23 70 76 0 42	4. 68 69. 3 90. 0 101 74. 8 56. 7	278 3, 710 5, 360 6, 210 4, 600 3, 370

# 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 mile below head gates at Milner Dam.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 10, 1909, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Stevens 8-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 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, 8.82 feet at 7 p. m. July 24 (discharge, 3,140 second-feet); canal dry March 25 and 26.

1909-1925: 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 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; affected by growth of aquatic plants in summer and by ice December 18-31 and January 6-24. Three standard rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for periods during December and January when well was frozen; staff gage read to hundredths once daily November 1 to March 31 and twice daily for remainder of year. Daily discharge obtained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained from staff reading or by inspecting recorder graph, averaging discharges on days of considerable fluctuation. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and 44 discharge measurements furnished by North Side Canal Co. (Ltd.).

North Side Twin Falls Canal diverts water from north side of Snake River at 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 Canal at Milner, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 16	3. 63 3. 67 3. 11 2. 72 3. 11 4. 43 5. 82 6. 52 7. 76 8. 32 8. 78 8. 78	Secft. 1, 670 691 710 533 442 540 995 1, 330 1, 590 2, 410 2, 940 2, 940 3, 020 2, 920	May 28 May 30 June 8 June 16 Do June 25 June 29 July 3 July 4 July 15 July 21 July 22 July 22 July 27 July 28 Aug. 1	8. 70 8. 73 8. 73 8. 72 8. 74 8. 64 8. 64 8. 63 8. 74 8. 46	Secft. 3, 100 3, 040 3, 030 3, 000 2, 930 2, 910 2, 980 2, 940 3, 020 2, 940 3, 140 3, 100 2, 840	Aug. 10	Feet 8. 08 8. 12 7. 87 7. 63 7. 61 7. 64 7. 59 7. 58 7. 34 7. 08 7. 09 8. 61 4. 08 8. 62	Secft. 2, 770 2, 760 2, 660 2, 570 2, 530 2, 540 2, 480 2, 390 2, 240 2, 240 2, 240 2, 240 3, 140

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of North Side Twin Falls Canal at Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 39, 1925

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Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	312 312 480 624 621	1, 230 1, 220 1, 110 932 890	703 686 703 700 697	529 549 540 502 500	474 449 413 390 390	540 532 532 636 982	1, 260 1, 330 1, 330 1, 330 1, 320	2, 670 2, 680 2, 680 2, 690 2, 790	3, 030 3, 030 3, 020 3, 010 3, 010	2, 990 2, 970 2, 950 2, 950 2, 940	2, 960 2, 950 2, 930 2, 890 2, 870	2, 270 2, 270 2, 260 2, 260 2, 220
6 7	655 718 767 870 1,040	586 314 355 673 670	714 690 707 700 697	•	390 420 444 469 495	1,070 1,090 1,070 1,090 1,110	1, 240 1, 200 1, 190 1, 250 1, 350	2, 950 2, 870 2, 940 2, 950 2, 950 2, 950	3, 020 3, 020 3, 020 3, 020 3, 010	2, 930 2, 920 2, 910 2, 910 2, 890	2, 900 2, 930 2, 890 2, 770 2, 740	2, 230 2, 220 2, 240 2, 230 2, 230
11	1, 340 1, 570 1, 560 1, 570 1, 580	736 742 700 680 592	693 686 670 670 676	500	497 487 497 516 529	1, 090 1, 100 847 680 738	1, 490 1, 590 1, 600 1, 750 1, 820	2, 940 2, 950 2, 960 2, 960 2, 960 2, 960	3, 020 3, 010 3, 010 3, 010 3, 000	2, 890 2, 900 2, 900 2, 900 2, 900 2, 900	2, 730 2, 730 2, 690 2, 670 2, 580	2, 220 2, 240 2, 240 2, 210 2, 190
16	1, 420	644 748 777 738 724	673 625		535 532 535 535 535 538	871 934 1,000 991 991	1, 810 1, 940 2, 000 2, 080 2, 140	2, 970 2, 980 3, 000 3, 000 3, 000	3, 000 3, 000 3, 010 3, 010 3, 010	2,870 2,890 2,880 1,840 848	2, 560 2, 550 2, 540 2, 540 2, 530	2, 120 1, 390 898 882 882
21	1, 490 1, 300 1, 240 1, 240 1, 260	703 663 717 738 717	600	500	532 540 535 532 546	996 983 975 672 0	2, 140 2, 170 2, 230 2, 300 2, 360	3, 000 3, 010 3, 020 3, 030 3, 030	2, 980 2, 940 3, 030 3, 020 3, 010	2, 980 3, 030 3, 080 3, 100 3, 110	2, 530 2, 440 2, 370 2, 380 2, 300	878 878 878 930 938
26 27 28 28 29 30	1, 250 1, 250 1, 260 1, 260 1, 250 1, 220	686 690 700 700 693	530	500 500 500 500 495 484	538 532 535	0 506 1,120 1,100 1,230 1,300	2, 400 2, 400 2, 430 2, 400 2, 500	3, 030 3, 030 3, 040 3, 020 3, 040 3, 040	3, 010 3, 020 3, 000 3, 040 3, 020	3, 120 3, 120 3, 110 3, 110 3, 070 3, 010	2, 270 2, 270 2, 260 2, 270 2, 280 2, 270	942 1, 620 983 1, 650 855

 $<sup>{\</sup>bf Note.-Discharge\ estimated\ Dec.\ 18-31\ and\ Jan.\ 6-24\ from\ observer's\ notes,\ measurements,\ and\ climatologic\ data.}$ 

Monthly discharge of North Side Twin Falls Canal at Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

25. ()	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	1, 730	312	1, 160	71, 30
November December	1, 230	314	736 63 <b>2</b>	43, 80 38, 90
January		484	503	30, 90
February	546	390	494	27, 40
March	1,300	1, 190	864 1, 810	53, 10 108, 00
April May	3,040	2, 670	2, 940	181, 00
June	3,040	2, 940	3, 010	179,00
July	3, 120	848	2,870	176, 00
AugustSeptember		2, 260 855	2,600 1,670	160, 00 99, 40
The year	3, 120	0	1, 620	1, 170, 00

## SOUTH SIDE TWIN FALLS CANAL AT MILNER, IDAHO

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, 1925.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank, at site and datum of vertical staff gage installed early in summer of 1912; staff gage 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. 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, 10.61 feet at 8 p. m. June 11 (discharge, 3,710 second-feet); minimum stage probably occurred at stage lower than water-stage recorder could register.

1909-1925: Maximum discharge, 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 no sizable ones for several miles below.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by head gates.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent; affected by ice December 17 to January 1, January 3 to February 2, and February 4. Standard rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for short periods in January and March when stage was lower than recorder could register. Staff gage read twice daily to hundredths during these periods. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph or from staff gage readings. Discharges were averaged on days of large fluctuation. Shifting-control method used during several periods. Records good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and 20 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 14	Feet 4.93 5.04 3.84 4.87 3.92 4.15 5.22 7.42 8.28	Secft. 845 930 511 567 439 630 1,000 1,860 2,270	May 6	Feet 9. 34 9. 78 9. 78 9. 94 10. 01 10. 60 9. 53 10. 04 10. 17	Secft. 2, 880 3, 130 3, 180 3, 280 3, 320 3, 750 2, 950 3, 320 3, 390	Aug. 11	Feet 9. 98 10. 01 9. 95 9. 48 9. 45 9. 44 7. 77 6. 59	Secft. 3, 310 3, 430 3, 260 2, 920 2, 980 2, 900 2, 070 1, 490

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

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of South Side Twin Falls Canal at Milner, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	1,900 1,860	928 886 879 848 566	600 571 557 580 554	570 567	} 170 439 400 370	1, 030 736 717 698 648	896 1, 240 1, 000 730 727	2, 090 2, 230 2, 300 2, 400 2, 770	3, 340 3, 300 3, 280 3, 230 3, 210	3, 310 3, 300 3, 290 3, 300 3, 300	3, 380 3, 390 3, 400 3, 380 3, 400	2, 940 2, 930 2, 930 2, 940 2, 950
6	1,760 1,720 1,660 1,580 1,420	398 487 548 531 537	531 528 597 698 664		329 370 383 388 388	615 571 540 531 520	752 788 808 698 528	2,880 2,840 3,020 3,160 3,190	3, 220 3, 220 3, 220 3, 080 3, 000	3, 290 3, 320 3, 320 3, 330 3, 320	3, 410 2, 950 3, 410 3, 370 3, 300	2, 930 2, 940 2, 900 2, 850 2, 820
11	1, 070 859 931 886 772	540 540 516 351 540	667 673 673 673 673	560	460 476 554 621 554	406 281 652 642 633	473 526 954 1,760 1,650	2,310 2,010 2,980 3,170 3,120	3, 480 3, 430 3, 140 3, 130 3, 070	3, 370 3, 380 3, 390 3, 400 3, 380	3, 320 3, 320 3, 320 3, 320 3, 320 3, 320	2, 770 2, 640 2, 590 2, 550 2, 380
16	714 965 888 492 396	551 560 554 551 557	682		478 528 568 600 624	642 766 966 973 806	1,670 1,610 1,680 1,560 1,560	3, 130 3, 140 3, 140 3, 140 3, 150	3, 030 2, 950 2, 870 2, 860 2, 860	3, 240 3, 390 3, 160 3, 350 3, 410	3, 320 3, 280 3, 200 3, 190 3, 120	2, 250 2, 200 2, 110 2, 050 2, 050
21	959 1, 450 727 845 879	548 542 554 243 229	<b>}</b>	620	630 624 645 673 679	708 708 711 704 698	1, 340 897 1, 470 1, 560 1, 750	3, 160 3, 170 3, 180 3, 190 3, 190	2, 870 2, 860 3, 070 3, 120 3, 100	3, 360 3, 350 3, 350 3, 370 3, 370	3, 070 2, 990 2, 930 2, 960 2, 940	1, 960 1, 500 1, 510 1, 520 1, 520
26	882	1, 060 928 1, 160 1, 300 884	565	410 } 75	679 821 1, 140	582 201 40 120 597 701	1,770 1,770 1,770 1,870 2,020	3, 190 3, 230 3, 280 3, 320 3, 340 3, 340	2, 600 3, 490 3, 370 3, 370 3, 340	3, 360 3, 360 3, 350 3, 370 3, 380 3, 370	2, 930 2, 930 2, 940 2, 950 2, 940 2, 940	1, 590 1, 770 1, 840 1, 790 1, 730

Note.—Mean discharge estimated for periods of ice effect as shown above on basis of two measurements, study of weather records, and observer's notes on head gate changes. 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, 1925

	Dische	-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December	1,300	396 229	1, 140 644 603	70, 100 38, 300 37, 100
January. February Mercary March April May June July August	1, 140 1, 030 2, 020 3, 340 3, 490 3, 410	170 40 473 2, 010 2, 600 3, 160 2, 930	540 527 618 1, 260 2, 960 3, 140 3, 340 3, 180	33, 20 29, 30 38, 00 75, 00 187, 00 205, 00 196, 00
September	2, 950 3, 490	1,500	2, 320 1, 700	1, 230, 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, 1925.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank; installed July 31, 1922; inspected by T. T. Rutledge.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge 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, 4.70 feet at 5 p. m. January 29 (discharge, 939 second-feet); minimum discharge, 112 second-feet November 28.

1922-1925: Maximum stage and discharge recorded occurred January 29, 1925; minimum stage, 1.01 feet from 3 p. m. to midnight August 3, 1924 (discharge, 94 second-feet).

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 not permanent. Rating curves well defined below 375 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. Shifting-control method used January 29, 30, and June 16-18. Records good except for stages above 375 second-feet for which they are fair, and for estimated periods for which they are poor.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Murtaugh Irrigation District.

Discharge measurements of Rock Creek near Twin Falls, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 11 Jan. 17 Mar. 2	Feet 1. 54 2. 22 1. 15	Secft. 173 286 131	Apr. 3	Feet 1. 77 1. 67 1. 69	Secft. 239 216 226	July 5 July 15 Aug. 19	Feet 1, 54 1, 36 2, 14	Secft. 208 172 333

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Rock Creek near Twin Falls, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	146 143 148 149 150	344 350 355 378 310	179 177 167 179 187	332 299 299 288 288	334 334 323 323 242	128 139 151 151 151	172 163 188 126 146	217 205 217 234 244	197 203 215 288 292	203 199 193 197 201	216 205 195 201 205	232 228 226 223 228
6	150 150 146 149 214	} 235 167	175 167 167 163 166	299 310 315	226 240 215	157 179 199 195 199	165 132 346 312 127	312 251 226 240 244	299 297 299 299 312	203 191 186 188 188	203 201 188 197 203	232 257 281 346 417
11	278 299 378 366 321	150	167 169 177 182 187	321 299 321 310	188 199 209 205 207	201 188 188 251 217	119 121 124 127 135	246 369 270 238 228	286 294 286 334 358	186 182 181 181 172	203 209 221 257 279	488 488 416 301 238
16	288 228 167 169 169	132 172 133 129	187 160 215	299 299 299 299 288	203 232 240 244 249	177 156 211 221 221	144 150 346 323 286	228 279 232 211 209	380 416 392 281 232	172 167 163 174 182	261 288 311 334	228 219 217 215 215
21	164 142 146 149 174	129 125 121 121 143	180	299 299 321 378 366	277 290 281 242 188	215 223 242 275 257	283 240 174 228 281	205 199 195 195 188	230 223 215 215 253	270 288 305 323 323	260	219 203 195 201 201
26	198 214 278 321 332 299	122 113 112 158 190	366	355 402 450 652 665 369	174 134 127	150 126 121 152 172 175	369 358 301 301 277	179 177 174 171 168 179	279 234 292 236 209	334 323 301 266 261 226	207 215 219 221	203 199 199 197 195

Note.—Discharge estimated because of missing gage heights Nov. 6-7, 9-16, Dec. 19-30, Jan. 8-11, Feb. 8-10, Aug. 20-27; interpolated Oct. 10, Nov. 2, Dec. 14, Apr. 24, May 29, July 22-23, Aug. 1-2, 18, and Sept. 10. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Rock Creek near Twin Falls, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

75. 41	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
${f Month}$	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November	378 378	142 112	214 182	13, 200 10, 800
December January	366	288	184 344	11, 300 21, 200
February March	334	127 121	234 187	13, 000 11, 500
April May	369 369	119 168	219 224	13, 000 13, 800
June	416 334	197 163	278 224	16, 500 13, 800
AugustSeptember		188 195	236 257	14, 500 15, 300
The year	665	112	232	168, 000

#### SALMON FALLS CREEK NEAR SAN JACINTO, NEV.

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, 1925.

Gags.—Au water-stage recorder on right bank; installed September 25, 1924; inspected by employees of Salmon River Canal Co. (Ltd.).

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 ±0.05 foot.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 5.62 feet at 2 p. m. April 19 (discharge, 731 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.42 feet at 6 p. m. September 4 (discharge, 23 second-feet).

1909-1916; 1919-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 7.5 feet May 22, 1912 (discharge, 1,280 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.23 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.

REGULATION.—None except that due to diversions. The Salmon Dam of Salmon River Canal Co., 15 miles below station, forms a reservoir having a capacity of about 180,000 acre-feet.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent after December 10. Rating curve well defined between 20 and 475 second-feet. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except December 18-29 and January 17 to February 19; record sheet lost May 3-15. 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 October 1 to December 10. Records good except for estimated periods for which they are poor.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Salmon River Canal Co. (Ltd.).

Discharge measurements of Salmon Falls Creek near San Jacinto, Nev., during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 11	Feet 2.75 3.05 4.13	Secft. 51.8 94.2 322	May 2 May 16 May 19	Feet 4, 30 4, 63 4, 63	Secft. 359 447 446	July 13 Aug. 21	Feet 2. 84 2. 48	Secft. 61. 0, 26. 8.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Salmon Falls Creek near San Jacinto, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	34 32 32 34 33	56 56 56 56 56 54	51 66 59 56 56	64 62 58 56 62		80 82 85 94 137	374 336 312 324 361	348 361	348 336 399 361 336	122 120 113 109 113	32 34 33 32 32	25 25 24 24 24 24
6	32 33 34 34 36	54 54 52 52 57	50 60 61 41 61	62 55 57 57 55	100	130 120 115 111 109	399 399 374 336 361	500	300 263 232 210 190	109 102 94 88 84	29 26 26 26 26 26	24 24 27 26 25
11	37 34 34 31 31	50 50 35 47 55	62 62 66 65 66	48 48 53 55 58		106 100 99 97 102	425 479 550 609 639		177 167 163 151 155	76 69 62 57 60	27 27 27 27 27 27	24 26 27 27 27
16	32 33 34 35 36	52 50 56 59 64	66 50	58	88	104 102 102 107 120	669 684 700 716 700	452 452 465 452 438	157 167 161 145 133	55 49 44 43 38	28 28 27 27 27	27 27 30 34 39
21	38 37 39 40 43	65 67 66 64 62	50	80	92 92 92 85 84	147 159 232 270 312	654 624 564 479 412	465 493 507 493 438	126 130 126 120 111	32 30 30 32 32	27 27 27 27 27	41 42 44 47 49
26	51 51 53 59 56 56	59 56 53 53 52	60 62		85 85 82	300 300 300 361 438 425	374 361 348 336 348	425 386 361 348 348 348	104 100 95 99 107	30 31 31 31 32 32	26 27 27 26 26 26	50 52 53 54 55

Note.—Braced figures show estimated mean discharge for periods indicated; flow based on action of Salmon Falls Creek Reservoir below.

Monthly discharge of Salmon Falls Creek near San Jacinto, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1925

25. 11	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	438 716 399 122	31 35 80 312 348 95 30 26	38. 5 55. 5 68. 0 95. 9 172 475 454 189 62. 9 27. 8	2, 370 3, 300 3, 410 4, 186 5, 330 10, 600 28, 300 27, 900 11, 200 3, 870 1, 710
The year	716	24	144	104, 00

### 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, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff on right bank; installed October 2, 1922; read by R. F. Bowman and C. J. Bradley.

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 change at high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 5.45 feet at 7.15 a. m. May 21 (discharge, 2,710 second-feet); minimum discharge, 0.1 second-foot October 2-9.

1915–1925: Maximum stage recorded, 5.70 feet June 12, 1921 (discharge, 3,560 second-feet); minimum discharge, 0.1 second-foot September 10–20 and October 2–9, 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 flow of Big Wood Slough is being obtained (see p. 150), 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 very slightly during winter and twice during spring flow. Rating curves well defined. Gage read to hundredths twice daily April 8 to August 30 and once daily at other times except during winter. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily and mean daily gage height to rating table except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records on the whole are good; poor for estimated periods when flow was practically negligible.

Cooperation.—Four 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, 1925

Date ,	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 30	Feet 0. 18 3. 06 3. 42 4. 17	Secft. a 1.0 636 904 1,510	May 22	Feet 5. 04 3. 48 4. 68 3. 90	Secft. 2, 340 816 1, 860 1, 200	Aug. 6 Aug. 10 Aug. 27	Feet 1. 94 1. 65 1. 42	Secft. 198 136 92. 5

Estimated.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River at Hailey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	0.4 .1 .1 .1	1. 5 1. 5 1. 5 1. 5 1. 5		1.5	} 1.5	2.0	157 177 199 244 244	960 1, 110 1, 270 1, 440 1, 520	1, 880 1, 610 1, 430 1, 340 1, 170	1, 460 1, 300 1, 220 1, 220 1, 220	244 228 244 222 214	89 89 88 89 89
6	.1 .1 .1 .1	1. 5 1. 5 1. 5 1. 5 1. 5				2.9 2.9 3.8 5.3	292 292 403 585 695	1, 700 1, 980 1, 880 1, 700 1, 620	1, 090 1, 010 942 907 938	1, 070 1, 070 935 870 870	208 202 199 157 147	92 103 110 106 106
11	.8 .8 .4 .4	1.5				2. 5 2. 5 2. 5 2. 5 2. 5	880 880 925 960 1,040	1, 880 1, 700 1, 700 1, 800 1, 880	935 935 1,000 1,000 1,070	810 840 750 695 640	134 143 150 205 172	106 106 106 117 121
16	.4 .8 .8 .8	1.2	1.0			63 66 60 60 68	1, 040 1, 190 1, 110 1, 040 820	1, 980 2, 080 2, 170 2, 460 2, 660	1, 070 1, 070 1, 070 1, 300 1, 630	612 585 535 466 444	162 154 129 117 121	121 121 121 121 121 121
21	.8 .8 .8					71 77 101 110 125	755 695 640 585 560	2, 660 2, 360 2, 260 2, 260 2, 170	1, 900 2, 180 2, 080 1, 980 1, 900	424 444 403 384 346	106 103 99 96 94	121 114 110 103 103
262728293031	.8 1.1 1.5 2.4 1.5 1.5	1.0			] 	58 60 77 147 147 152	560 585 612 695 820	2, 080 2, 080 2, 260 2, 560 2, 460 2, 260	1,900 1,630 1,630 1,540 1,720	327 310 292 259 259 244	94 92 91 91 89 89	103 103 103 103 101

Note.—Discharge estimated Nov. 12 to Mar. 6, based on observer's notes, weather records, and engineer's discharge estimate on Nov. 30. Shifting-control method used Apr. 11-12 and June 2-10. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

# Monthly discharge of Big Wood River at Hailey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discharge in second-feet				
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Run-off in acre-feet	
October		0. 1	0. 67 1. 30 1. 00	41. 2 77. 4 61. 5	
December January February			1.50 1.50	92. <u>2</u> 83. 3	
March April May	1, 190 2, 660	157 960	47. 8 656 1, 960	2, 940 39, 000 121, 000	
June July August	1,460	907 244 89	1,400 687 148	83, 300 42, 200 9, 100	
September The year.	2,660	88	106 420	6, 310 304, 000	

Combined daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River and Big Wood Slough at Hailey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	110	160	130	116	124	124	279	1,090	2,010	1,600	420	244
2	110	160	130	116	124	131	299	1, 270	1,720	1.460	413	252
3	116	154	130	116	124	139	321	1,390	1,580	1,380	437	251
4	116	154	130	116	130	139	392	1,560	1,500	1, 380	390	252
5	116	154	130	116	138	139	392	1,650	1, 310	1, 380	366	261
6	116	154	130	116	130	146	418	1,840	1, 220	1, 210	348	264
7	122	154	130	116	130	147	411	2, 110	1, 130	1, 230	339	266
8	122	154	130	116	130	143	558	2,000	1,070	1, 100	343	282
9	122	194	130	116	130	137	711	1,810	1,060	1,020	329	269
10	137	130	138	106	124	124	828	1, 730	1, 100	1,020	319	246
11	130	130	138	106	118	118	1,010	2,010	1, 120	954	310	232
12	130	117	138	106	118	122	1,020	1,830	1, 120	999	345	232
13	129	98	130	106	118	122	1,070	1, 830	1, 170	902	372	232
14	122	117	130	106	118	128	1,090	1, 940	1, 140	843	431	246
15	122	iii	130	106	118	128	1, 190	2,040	1, 220	799	361	250
	1			100			-, -00	-, 020	-,			-00
16	129	111	123	106	118	122	1, 200	2, 110	1, 240	749	330	250
17	130	111	117	106	118	125	1,340	2, 200	1, 240	725	326	250
18	130	104	101	106	118	128	1, 220	2, 290	1, 280	679	309	250
19	130	111	101	124	118	133	1, 130	2,600	1,510	625	293	250
20	130	117	101	124	118	141	903	2,800	1, 780	588	297	250
21	130	123	101	130	124	139	865	2, 790	2, 050	572	286	250
22	130	130	101	130	124	145	789	2, 480	2, 340	620	279	243
23	138	138	101	138	124	174	726	2, 380	2, 210	596	271	239
24	145	123	86	130	124	183	673	2, 380	2, 100	552	272	232
25	145	117	86.	124	124	193	660	2, 290	2, 030	535	266	232
40	140	117	80.	124	124	199	000	4, 480	2, 050	999	200	202
26	145	123	86	124	124	180	657	2, 200	2,030	499	266	232
27	153	123	111	124	124	182	688	2, 220	1, 780	465	264	232
28	160	123	111	130	124	214	722	2,400	1,820	444	259	232
29	195	123	111	130		250	808	2,720	1,740	427	250	232
30	170	127	111	130		269	930	2,610	1,860	444	244	230
31	170	l	111	124	1	274	I	2,390		429	244	i

Note.—For estimated periods refer to tables for Big Wood River at Hailey and Big Wood \$lough at Hailey.

Combined monthly discharge of Big Wood River and Big Wood Slough at Hailey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Monen	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October		110	134	8, 240
November December		98	132 117	7, 860 7, 190
January	138	106	118	7, 260
February	138 274	118 118	123 156	6, 830 9, 590
March April		279	777	46, 200
May	2, 800	1,090	2, 100	129,000
June	2, 340 1, 600	1,060 427	1, 550 846	92, 200 52, 000
JulyAugust	437	244	322	19, 800
September		230	246	14,600
The year	2,800		553	401, 000

#### BIG WOOD RIVER NEAR BELLEVUE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 20, T. 1 S., R. 18 E., just below Blair ranch house, 1 1/4 miles above flow line of Magic Reservoir, and 10 miles southwest of Bellevue, Blaine County. Camas Creek enters reservoir 3 miles below station.

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DRAINAGE AREA.—823 square miles (measured on topographic and Land Office maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—July 6, 1911, to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Gurley water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by S. H. Chapman and James Devaney.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 150 feet above gage or by wading. Channel and control.—Bed composed of coarse gravel. Control of same material; shifts occasionally. Banks clean; may be overflowed at extremely high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during period from water-stage recorder, 3.74 feet at 2 p. m. May 21 (discharge, 2,170 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.42 feet from 10 p. m. August 10 to 3 p. m. August 11 (discharge, 98 second-feet).

1911-1925: 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 permanent. Rating curve well defined between 100 and 2,000 second-feet. Operation of water-stage recorder 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. Records good above 1,200 second-feet; others fair, owing to variable intake action.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and five 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 18 May 5 May 22	Feet 2, 90 3, 12 3, 58	Secft. 1,060 1,310 1,930	June 12	Feet 2, 47 2, 78 2, 46	Secft. 670 883 638	July 17 July 28 Aug. 25	Feet 2. 00 1. 49 1. 56	Secft. 310 119 140

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River near Bellevue, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	161			1, 250			16	945	1, 490			138	
2 3	161 131	1,040	1,090	1,020		128	17	1,020 1,040	1,620	636		141 134	158 154
4 5	168 204		997 935		151 141		19	976 875			264 239	124 128	
6	243				134		21	788			219		158
7 8	264 315	1,580	751	798	121 118	131	2223		1,890	1,650	212	134	154 151
9	442	1,460	679	653	112 106	138	24	596	1,600	1,580	188	141	141
	561	,						513	1	1			141
11 12	697 770	1,490	644	537	101 109	121 118	26		1, 440 1, 460	1, 270	144 124	144 144	141 131
13 14	798 846		636 594	477 416	109 134	115 121	28	545 602	1, 610 1, 890	1, 180 1, 220	121 124	138 138	128 131
15	915		619	376	147	141	30	653	1,890 1,740	1,580		141 141	134
						!	0		2, 130		101	111	

Monthly discharge of Big Wood River near Bellevue, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

March.	Discha	-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
March 31.	151 1,040	151 131 808	151 590	300 35, 100
May June July August	2, 100 1, 720 1, 250 161	594 121 101	1, 520 1, 020 467 133	93, 500 60, 700 28, 700 8, 180
AugustSeptember	158	115	137	8, 150
The period				235, 000

# MAGIC RESERVOIR NEAR RICHFIELD, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NE. 1/4 SE. 1/4 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, 1925. 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 5 %-inch well casing which serves as a stilling well, bolted to face of tower. Readings made by attendants at dam. Observations are referred to an assumed datum which is about 137 feet lower than sea level. (To change readings to sea-level datum about 137 feet should be subtracted.)

EXTREMES OF CONTENTS.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 4,935.07 feet May 20, 21, and 31 (contents, 191,778 acre-feet); minimum stage, 4,824.10 feet October 10 (contents, 207 acre-feet). Lower stage may have occurred October 1-6 when gage was not read.

1909-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 4,935.08 feet June 18, 1922 (contents, 191,818 acre-feet); reservoir drained December 24-26 and 29, 1909, August 25, September 11-16, 19, 21, 22, December 14-18 and 21-31, 1919, January 1-6, August 9, 10, and 20-23, 1920, August 29 to September 30, 1924.

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 fill 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.

Daily contents, in acre-feet, of Magic Reservoir near Richfield, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5		2, 635 2, 727 2, 811 2, 874 2, 952	5, 116 4, 398 2, 784	3, 888 3, 984 4, 085 4, 192 4, 295	6, 823 6, 914 7, 091 7, 222 7, 427	11, 074 11, 232 11, 365 11, 514 11, 667	37, 763	178, 114 179, 416 180, 730 182, 015 183, 263	191, 619 191, 109 190, 327 189, 741 189, 678	168, 762 168, 656 167, 774 166, 714 165, 728	101, 682 99, 738 97, 694	49, 169 48, 150 47, 124
6	1. 471	3, 033 3, 096 3, 169 3, 242 3, 339	1,706 1,862 1,942	4, 398 4, 467 4, 553 4, 654 4, 755	7, 679 7, 932 8, 129 8, 279 8, 394	11, 865 12, 071 12, 289 12, 491 12, 698	85, 729 94, 639 102, 295	184, 215 185, 597 186, 634 187, 986 188, 961	188, 766 188, 298 187, 404 186, 135 185, 060	164, 369 162, 635 160, 989 159, 220 156, 936	93, 916 91, 827 89, 767 87, 733 85, 840	43, 762 42, 722 41, 576
11 12 13 14 15	507 663	3, 051	2, 219 2, 292 2, 387	4, 829 4, 935 5, 013 5, 116 5, 226	8, 497 8, 604 8, 732 8, 876 8, 999	12, 878 13, 058 13, 256 13, 430 13, 588	121, 122 126, 320 131, 499	191, 109 191, 619 191, 619	182, 242 180, 654 179, 156	152, 576 150, 216	83, 928 82, 041 80, 114 78, 361 76, 628	38, 139, 36, 924
16 17 18 19 20	1, 210 1, 380	3, 793 3, 876 3, 968 4, 036 4, 119	2, 670 2, 730 2, 772	5, 286 5, 321 5, 426 5, 632 5, 717	9, 121 9, 253 9, 373 9, 493 9, 636	14, 209 14, 410	144, 380 148, 932 152, 806	191, 659 191, 698	174, 719 173, 331 171, 882	140, 405 137, 716 134, 934	74, 972 73, 331 71, 847 70, 391 68, 743	35, 274 35, 586
21 22 23 24 25	1,838 1,912	4, 489	3, 020 3, 093 3, 152	5, 791 5, 878 5, 959 6, 055 6, 157	10, 295	14, 984 15, 390 15, 784 16, 353 17, 191	162, 358 165, 132	191, 698 191, 619 191, 461	170, 266 170, 266 170, 624 171, 163 171, 450	127, 428 124, 938 122, 502	66, 727 65, 041 63, 599 62, 086 60, 641	
26 27 28 29 30 31	2, 145 2, 214 2, 354 2, 451	4,728 4,806 4,884 4,959	3, 339 3, 451 3, 556	6, 442 6, 534 6, 647	10, 618 10, 786 10, 926	19, 108 20, 019 21, 431 23, 713	173, 404 174, 609 175, 890	191, 461 191, 461 191, 619	170, 984 170, 373 169, 548 168, 832	115, 152 112, 907 110, 633	55, 861 54, 307	38, 188

## BIG WOOD RIVER BELOW MAGIC DAM, NEAR RICHFIELD, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 18, T. 2 S., R. 18 E., Blaine County, naif a mile below Magic Dam and 18 miles northwest of Richfield, Lincoln County. No tributaries between dam and station.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 19, 1911, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Gurley water-stage recorder on right bank; installed April 20, 1916; inspected by Ed. Dayton.

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 stage during year from water-stage-recorder, 6.81 feet at 8 p. m. May 20 (discharge, 2,510 second-feet); minimum discharge, 4.1 second-feet (by measurement) November 30.

1911-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 9.2 feet May 18, 1911 (discharge. 5,070 second-feet); no flow reported February 3, 1915.

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 drainage area, 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, 2 miles below.

REGULATION.—Flow past station completely regulated by gates in outlet tunne is at Magic Dam.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed during high water June 20 to August 4. 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 or for days of considerable fluctuation in stage by averaging discharge for intervals of the day. Shifting-control method used June 20 to August 4. Records excellent except for estimated periods, for which they are good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and several discharge measurements furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Discharge measurements of Big Wood River below Magic Dam, near Richfield, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 30	Feet 1. 38 4. 10 4. 81 5. 58 6. 60 5. 04	Secft. 4.1 890 1,320 1,760 2,460 1,490	July 6	Feet 5. 50 5. 50 5. 57 5. 46 4. 85 4. 58	Secft. 1, 610 1, 630 1, 690 1, 650 1, 300 1, 200	Aug. 10	Feet 4. 44 4. 26 4. 08 4. 14 3. 73 3. 75	Secft. 1, 140 1, 000 884 908 671 685

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River below Magic Dam, near Richfield, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12345	5.4	5. 0 5. 0 5. 0 5. 0 5. 0	4. 4 216 832 523 316	6.0	6.8		11 11 12 12 12	556 724 820 893 1,090	1, 820 1, 700 1, 580 1, 530 1, 410	1, 440 1, 440 1, 470 1, 470 1, 640	1, 190 1, 190 1, 190 1, 090 1, 090	624 612 641 659 665
6	362 377 133	5. 0 5. 0 5. 0 5. 0 5. 0	96 12 12 12 12 12	6.1	7.0	7.1	14 14 15 16 16	1, 220 1, 280 1, 340 1, 380 1, 440	1, 340 1, 380 1, 440 1, 410 1, 380	1, 640 1, 640 1, 640 1, 640 1, 640	1, 150 1, 120 1, 120 1, 120 1, 120 1, 120	659 665 677 682 682
11	4. 6 4. 4 4. 4 4. 6 4. 6	5. 0 4. 8 4. 7 4. 5 4. 4	12 12 8. 8 5. 6 5. 6	6.3	7.1	7. 2 7. 3 7. 4 7. 4	17 18 18 280 336	1, 440 1, 530 1, 760 1, 820 1, 820	1, 410 1, 440 1, 470 1, 470 1, 470	1,700 1,700 1,640 1,640 1,640	1,090 1,090 1,090 1,050 956	682 682 682 601 243
16	4. 8 5. 0 4. 8 4. 8 4. 8	4. 4 4. 4 4. 4 4. 4 4. 4	5. 6 5. 6 5. 6 5. 6 5. 6	5.4	7.1	7. 4 7. 4 7. 4 7. 4 7. 4	36 43 44 45 228	1, 820 1, 880 1, 940 2, 050 2, 340	1, 470 1, 470 1, 470 1, 530 1, 470	1, 640 1, 640 1, 640 1, 580 1, 530	956 924 893 956 1,120	35 33 33 33 33
21	4, 8 4, 8 4, 8 5, 0 5, 0	4. 4 4. 4 4. 4 4. 4 4. 4	5.7	6.5	,.1	7. 7 8. 0 8. 0 8. 0 8. 4	372 316 316 368 429	2, 450 2, 400 2, 170 1, 990 1, 820	1,470 1,470 1,530 1,530 1,580	1, 440 1, 440 1, 440 1, 410 1, 340	988 893 893 808 924	33 33 33 33 33
26	5, 0 5, 0 5, 3 5, 0 5, 0 5, 0	4. 2 4. 4 4. 4 4. 4 4. 4	5.9	6.6		8. 4 8. 8 9. 2 9. 6 9. 6 10	429 424 377 359 396	1,700 1,700 1,700 1,820 1,990 2,050	1,640 1,700 1,700 1,640 1,580	1, 310 1, 280 1, 250 1, 220 1, 190 1, 190	924 924 893 862 862 742	33 203 44 33 31

Note.—Owing largely to lack of gage-height record discharge estimated Oct. 1-8, 10, Dec. 6-7, Dec. 21 to Feb. 11, Feb. 13 to Mar. 13, and Sept. 15 based on gate changes, records and information furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers; winter flow consists only of leakage through gates at Magic Dam. Discharge interpolated Nov. 13-14 and Dec. 18-19. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Big Wood River below Magic Dam, near Richfield, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

377 5.0 832	Minimum  4. 4 4. 2 4. 4	32. 6 4. 64 70. 0	2, 000 276 4, 300
5. 0	4.2	4.64	276
	4. 1		390
10		7. 04 7. 75	39: 47
2,450	556	1,640	9, 880 101, 000 90, 400
1,700	1, 190 742	1,500	92, 200 62, 100
682	31	338	20, 100 384, 000
	10 429 2, 450 1, 820 1, 700 1, 190	10 429 11 2,450 1,820 1,700 1,190 1,190 682 31	7. 04 10

#### 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 August 22, 1925, when station was temporarily discontinued, because Lincoln Canal will carry flow of river around gage. Records will be resumed during future irrigation seasons if water passes this point.

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, 4.78 feet at 6 a. m. May 22 (discharge, 1,510 second-feet); channel reported dry most of nonirrigation season.

1921-1925: 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 and Lincoln Canals are main diversions between station and Magic Dam. Lincoln Canal, completed in spring of 1925, diverts water around station on right bank to conserve channel losses in the natural stream bed throughout an 8-mile stretch of river.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by operation of head gates at Magic Dam 13 miles above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent. Rating curve well defined between 100 and 1,500 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 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, 1925

Date	Gage	Gage Dis-		ate Gage	
	height	height charge Da		height	
Apr. 29 May 21	Feet 1. 31 4. 72	Secft. 213 1.460	June 1	Feet 3. 50 1. 50	Secft. 928 251

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River above North Gooding Canal, near Shoshone, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.
1		336 393 510 510 604	918 713 713 639 571	178 168 246 336 309		16	39	918 961 1,000 1,090 1,270	540 451 364 322 283	430 189 148 104 81	316
6		571 571 639 639 675	510 540 571 540 540	322 296 258 246 234	0	21 22 23 24 25	165 148 148 181 267	1, 460 1, 460 1, 320 1, 140 1, 000	270 270 270 258 283		226
11 12 13 14 15		675 639 875 918 918	540 540 571 571 540	211 200 158 118 354		26	309 283 246 211 222	875 833 792 833 1,050 1,050	283 270 246 234 211	0	

Note.—Discharge estimated for Apr. 15-16, July 15-16, and Aug. 20-21, based on gage heights and information furnished by water master. Channel probably dry during periods for which no discharge is shown.

Monthly discharge of Big Wood River above North Gooding Canal, near Shoshone,
Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

25	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 15-30	309 1,460 918	0 336 211	162 856 452	4, 820 52, 600 26, 900
June July August 1-21	430 316	0 0	148 25. 8	9, 100 1, 070

#### 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, 1925.

Gage.—Gurley 7-day water-stage recorder on right bank; installed July 5, 1920; inspected by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers and his assistants. 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 measured discharge, 1,020 second-feet May 21; channel reported dry except during period of recorded flow.

1911-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 15.0 feet (old datum) May 18, 1911 (discharge, 3,180 second-feet); no flow occurred during several different 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. Lincoln Canal (designed to carry about 700 second-feet), construction of which was completed in spring of 1925, heads 7 miles below Magic Dam and enters North Gooding Canal one-fourth mile above station. It diverts water on right bank of Big Wood River for purpose of conserving loss in natural channel throughout this stretch of river.

REGULATION.—Flow past station is regulated by gates at Magic Dam and head gates of North Gooding and Richfield Canals.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent. Rating curve well defined. Water-stage recorder operated satisfactorily except for short periods when clock caused trouble. Staff readings made twice daily were used May 3-4, 25-31, June 1-7, July 28-31, and August 1-2. Daily discharge obtained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. During periods water-stage recorder was operated, mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph except for days of considerable fluctuation when mean discharges were obtained for intervals of the day. Records good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and five discharge measurements furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Discharge measurements of Big Wood River below North Gooding Canal, near Shoshone, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 29 May 21 July 7	Feet 3. 07 6. 03 3. 61	Secft. 185 1,020 269	July 22 Aug. 15 Aug. 18	Feet 2. 99 2. 73 2. 44	Secft. 177 142 108	Aug. 22	Feet 2. 34	Secft. 97. 4

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River below North Gooding Canal, near Shoshone, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		214 222	448 285	276 276	122 127	125 89	16	6. 5	571 601	228 231	193 229	104 113	16
3		345 345	304 304	267 276	126 126	100 103	18		650 701	237 247	234 214	110	
5 6		356 345	223 190	276 276	111 110	93 94	20	115	851 996	236 232	206 178	52 116	
7 8		334 356	208 226	276 276	113 113	99 111	22	117	996 871	229 223	175 176	104 100	
10		345 356	231 206	276 276	113 115	108 106	24 25	133 247	701 586	221 247	179 168	85 101	
11 12		356 356	209 214	267 248	107 84	106 107	26 27	294 248	461 400	267 285	161 171	116 127	
13 14 15	162	542 601 586	228 244 234	223 218 193	131 117	104 100 81	28 29 30	228 188 200	345 378 571	285 276 276	163 136 141	126 113 111	
10	102	986	204	199	135	81	31	200	601		137	106	

Monthly discharge of Big Wood River below North Gooding Canal, near Shoshone, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

March.	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April May June July August September	294 996 448 276 135 125	0 214 190 136 52 0	68. 6 514 249 218 110 51. 4	4, 080 31, 600 14, 800 13, 400 6, 760 3, 060
The year				73, 700

Note.—River reported dry for periods for which no discharge is given.

#### BIG WOOD RIVER AT GOODING, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 29, T. 5 S., R. 15 E., Gooding County, 30 feet below highway bridge and half a mile north of Gooding station on Oregon Short Line Railroad.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 1, 1921, to September 30, 1925. From June 2, 1896, to October 31, 1899, at approximately same site but known as "Malad River at Toponis."

GAGE.—Gurley water-stage recorder on left bank; inspected by James Devaney. DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 600 feet below gage or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of lava rock overlain with gravel. Control formed by lava-rock riffle 300 feet below gage; growth of willows and weeds affects stage-discharge relation occasionally. 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 during year from water-stage recorder, 3.63 feet at 4 p. m. May 22 (discharge, 735 second-feet); channel reported dry April 8 to noon April 26, 8 a. m. August 22 to 5.30 a. m. August 24, September 18–30, and at other times during period of no record.

1921-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 5.80 feet May 7, 1922 (discharge, 2,340 second feet); channel dry for long periods each year.

ICE.—Channel generally dry during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Numerous diversions for irrigation above and below station.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by operation of head gates at Magic Dam and by diversions above gage.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed May 8-17 and May 26 to August 16, owing to fouled condition of control. Standard rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily dischage ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph or for days of considerable fluctuation by averaging discharges for intervals of a day. Shifting-control method used May 8-17 and May 26 to August 16. Record fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and several discharge measurements furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Discharge measurements of Big Wood River at Gooding, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 7 Do May 18 May 25	Feet 1. 91 1. 88 2. 77 2. 81	Secft. 85. 4 75. 4 309 331	June 6	Feet 1. 70 1. 90 1. 84 1. 76	Secft. 47.8 71.0 51.8 42.9	Aug. 17 Aug. 19	Feet 1. 40 1. 37	Secft. 15. 1 11. 1

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River at Gooding, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	40 50 42 20 16	18 42 32 124 100	321 142 120 142 87	80 80 80 78 84	29 23 27 24 16	13 13 7 1 6	16 17 18 19 20	0	242 260 288 338 414	61 51 51 58 65	35 40 56 56 45	28 12 6 11 10	3 1 0
6 7	2 2 0	104 80 80 95 82	44 16 22 51 53	80 67 67 69 70	33 23 20 20 20	6 3 4 8 11	21 22 23 24 25	0 0 0	638 713 633 480 329	63 59 56 45 44	70 51 51 42 47	4 1 0 7 6	0
11	0	89 72 107 249 256	26 30 25 45 67	70 56 47 50 40	22 24 13 25 20	9 12 10 6 4	26	64 104 74 53 20	230 144 107 100 182 329	65 80 91 87 84	38 42 47 37 31 30	3 11 25 19 9 17	

Monthly discharge of Big Wood River at Gooding, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Your	Discha	d-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April	104 713 321 84	0 18 16 30	16. 2 224 71. 7 56. 0	964 13, 800 4, 270 3, 440 1, 010
August	33 13	. 0	16. 4 3. 9	1,010 232
The period				23, 700

NOTE .- No record October to March.

## 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, 1925.

Gage.—Gurley 7-day water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by R. Ambrose and James Devaney.

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. Banks overflowed at high stages. One channel at gage; several channels above gage during high water. Control practically permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 4.20 feet 2 to 11 p. m. May 22 (discharge, 606 second-feet); channel reported dry May 1-2, August 23 to September 1, and at times during period of no record.

1916-1925: 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 3 miles below gage. A few second-feet are occasionally wasted into river 2 miles below gage.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by dams and diversions above station.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined between 10 and 1,800 second-feet. 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 three discharge measurements 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 13 May 18	Feet 2. 09 2. 62	Secft. 135 225	July 11	Feet 1. 18 1. 14	Secft. 27. 0 21. 1	Aug. 19	Feet 0. 90	Secft. 9.6

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood River near Gooding, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	233 255 269 231 242	0 0 1 66 44	208 141 83 118 95	24 24 26 24 31	16 18 13 7 5	0	16 17 18 19	83 70 53 39 51	192 211 236 240 281	51 51 37 32 27	14 14 29 37 26	24 24 14 11	1
6 7 89	233 226 204 180	38 25 33 53	51 29 9 29	29 28 23 23	11 10 6 6	1	21 22 23 24	40 42 118 55	468 592 563 430		14 28 35 23	6 5	
11	135 107 123 134 129	51 60 34 162	14 12 7 12	29 26 19	5 7 12 24 37		25	46 47 107 63 23	279 184 94 28 19	5 6 26 36 34	18 19 8 12 7	0	
15	117	204	40	25	37	J	30	5	52 178	32	17 15	J	

Note.—No record Oct. 1 to Mar. 31 and Sept. 17-30. Discharge estimated Sept. 2-16. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Big Wood River near Gooding, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

No. of the state o	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April May June July August September 1-16.	269 592 208 37 37	5 0 5 7 0	122 157 43. 3 22. 5 8. 9	7, 260 9, 650 2, 580 1, 380 547 29

#### 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, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff in concrete stilling well 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 may be overflowed. One channel at all stages. Control formed by a wood stave water pipe, laid in bed of stream about 15 feet below gage; changes slightly.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum discharge during year, 262 second-feet occurred at 5.50 p. m. August 14 (gage height, 1.90 feet); minimum stage, 1.36 feet March 16 and 17 (discharge, 59 second-feet).

1915-1925: 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 only slightly by this factor.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed frequently during year by accumulation on and removal of drift from control. Standard rating curve fairly well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily October to March and twice daily April to August. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height or mean daily gage height to rating table. Discharge estimated on account of ice effect December 18 to January 18. Records fair.

COOPERATION.—Five 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 Hailey power plant. Record from this station represents a 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 (see p. 136), will show the entire flow of the river at this point. For record of combined flow of Big Wood River and Big Wood Slough see page 139.

Discharge measurements of Big Wood Slough at Hailey, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 30 Mar. 8 Apr. 10 Apr. 13 May 5	Feet 1. 61 a 1. 64 1. 68 1. 62 1. 58	Secft. 124 142 145 133 123	May 23June 11July 2July 5	Feet 1.58 1.78 1.63 1.66	Secft. 118 179 145 166	Aug. 6 Aug. 12 Aug. 20 Aug. 27	Feet 1. 66 1. 78 1. 74 1. 70	Secft. 145 202 184 173

a After clearing control.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Big Wood Slough at Hailey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day         Oct.         Nov.           1	129 129 129 129 129 129	Jan.	122 122 122 122	Mar. 122 129	Apr. 122 122	133	June 129	July 140	Aug.	Sept.
2110	129 129 129		122 122	129			129	140	176	100
2110	129 129 129	1	122 122		199					Laa
3	129 129				144	163	113	155	185	163
		1		137	122	122	148	159	193	163
5 116 159	129		129	137	148	122	155	163	168	163
100		115	137	137	148	133	144	163	152	172
6 116   152	129	1	129	144	126	114	126	140	150	172
7 122   152	129	1	129	144	119	129	116	159	137	163
8 122   152	129	Į.	129	140	155	119	129	168	144	172
9 122   193	129	)	129	133	126	113	155	155	172	163
10 137   129	137	)	122	119	133	110	163	148	172	140
11 129 129	137	1	116	116	129	129	185	144	176	126
12 129 116	137	1	116	119	140	126	189	159	202	126
13 129 97	129		116	119	148	129	172	152	222	126
14 122   116	129	105	116	126	129	144	144	148	226	129
15 122 110	129	1	116	126	148	159	148	159	189	129
16 129 110	122	1	116	59	155	126	172	137	168	129
17	116	1	116	59	155	116	172	140	172	129
18 129 103	}	, ,,,,	116	68	113	116	207	144	180	129
19 110		122	116	73	91	140	212	159	176	129
20 129 116	100	122	116	73	83	140	152	144	176	129
21 129 122	100	129	122	68	110	126	148	148	180	129
22 129 129	1	129	122	68	94	119	163	176	176	129
23	)	137	122	73	86	119	126	193	172	129
24 144 122	ń	129	122	• 73	88	119	116	168	176	129
25144 116		122	122	68	100	116	126	189	172	129
	85									
26 144   122	j	122	122	122	97	119	129	172	172	129
27 152 122	1	122	122	122	103	137	155	155	172	129
28 159 122		129	122	137	110	144	189	152	168	129
29	110	129		103	113	155	198	168	159	129
30	1	129		122	110	152	140	185	155	129
31 168	j	122		122		133		185	155	

NOTE.—Braced figures show estimated mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Big Wood Slough at Hailey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

··	Discha	rge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May	137 137 137 144 155	110 97 	133 130 116 117 122 108 121	8, 180 7, 740 7, 130 7, 190 6, 780 6, 640 7, 200 8, 060
June July August	212 193 226	113 137 137	154 159 174	9, 160 9, 780 10, 700
September	172 226	126 59	140	8, 330 96, 900

#### CAMAS CREEK NEAR BLAINE, IDAHO

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, 2¼ 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.—618 square miles (measured on base map of Idaho).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 9, 1912, to September 30, 1925. Results of discharge measurements made in 1911 by Idaho Irrigation Co. are also available. Discharge measurements only are available for 1922.

GAGE.—Gurley water-stage recorder on left bank; 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 year, 12.35 feet on or about April 5 as determined April 6 from watermarks on bank (discharge about 5,070 second-feet); minimum stage from water-stage recorder, 1.07 feet from 8 p. m. August 8 to 1 a. m. August 9 (discharge, 4.4 second-feet).

1911-1925: Maximum discharge, 5,240 second-feet April 12, 1916 (gage-height, 10.76 feet). Minimum discharge, 2.3 second-feet from 4 to 6 p. m. August 17, 1920, and 6 to 8 p. m. July 31, 1924, probably not actual extremes.

ICE.—Observations discontinued during winter.

DIVERSIONS.—Many small diversions are made above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined below 600 second-feet and extended above, based on inflow and outflow records for Magic Reservoir and on information furnished by water master for Big Wood River. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage-height obtained by inspection of recorder graph except June 24 for which it was interpolated and March 31 to April 8 which was partly estimated. Records good except for high-water period for which they are poor.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and four discharge measurements furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Discharge measurements of Camas Creek near Blaine, Idaho, during the year ending-September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 22June 12	Feet 3, 53 2, 18	Secft. 379 81. 4	June 25July 9	Feet 2. 06 1. 57	Secft. 66. 6- 23. 8-

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Camas Creek near Blaine, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 34		1, 940 2, 440 3, 280 4, 540		192 183 176 188	48 41 36 34	5. 2 5. 2 5. 2 5. 2	5. 2 4. 9 4. 9 4. 9
5		4, 930		181	33	5. 2	4.9
6		4,790 4,060 4,060		181 174 158 138	35 35 28. 24	4.9 4.9 4.7 4.7	5. 2 5. 2 5. 2 5. 2
10				120 99	22 20	5. 2 6. 4	5. 2 4. 9
11 12 13 14 15			367	87 84 78 76	17 15 13 12	8.2 8.2 11 11	5. 2 5. 2 5. 2 5. 2
16			359 375	94 109	11 11	9. 5 8. 2	5. 5 5. 5 5. 5
18 19 20			375 375 362	106 101 83	10 9.8 8.8	7. 0 6. 1 5. 5	5. 5 5. 8
21			375 375 359 333 310	80 79 74 70 66	7. 9 8. 8 10 10 8. 2	5. 2 4. 9 4. 9 4. 9 4. 9	6. 1 6. 1 6. 1 6. 1
26 27			294 274	57 50	7. 9 7. 3	5. 2 5. 2	6. 1 6. 1
28	1,740		250 223 209 201	45 38 58	7. 3 6. 7 5. 8 5. 5	5. 2 4. 9 4. 9 4. 9	6. 1 6. 7 7. 0

Monthly discharge of Camas Creek near Blaine, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

26. (2	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 1-8 May 15-31 June July August September	4, 930 375 192 48 11 7. 0	1, 940 201 38 5. 5 4. 7 4. 9	3, 760 319 108 17. 7 6. 02 5. 57	59, 700 10, 800 6, 430 1, 090 370 331

#### LINCOLN CANAL NEAR RICHFIELD, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 9, T. 3 S., R. 18 E., at head of canal, 100 yards east from Shoshone-Hailey highway, 5½ miles below Magic Dam, and 12 miles northeast of Richfield, Lincoln County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—April 15 to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Gurley 7-day water-stage recorder on right bank 400 feet below head gates; inspected by S. H. Chapman and James Devaney.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 400 feet below gage or by wading. CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of lava covered by gravel. One channel at all stages. Control not definitely defined.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during period from water-stage recorder, 3.71 feet at 6 p. m. August 4 (discharge, 574 second-feet); no flow prior to April 15 and after September 16.

Ice.—No flow during winter.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by gates at head of canal.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed July 3-5. Rating curve well defined between 15 and 550 second-feet used May 6 to July 2, and a curve parallel thereto used July 6 to September 16; shifting-control method used July 3-5. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph or, for days having considerable fluctuation in stage, by averaging discharge for intervals of the day. Records good after May 5; others fair.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and several discharge measurements furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Lincoln Canal diverts water from right bank of Big Wood River in sec. 9, T. 3 S., R. 18 E., from which point water is carried 10 miles, approximately parallel to river, to head of North Gooding Canal in sec. 15, T. 4 S., R. 18 E. Construction of Lincoln Canal was completed in spring of 1925, and used thereafter for the purpose of conserving large channel losses in the natural stream bed of this stretch of river during irrigation season.

Discharge measurements of Lincoln Canal near Richfield, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 29 May 6 May 21 June 16 June 17 June 20	Feet 0. 15 . 48 . 92 1. 00 2. 02 2. 55	Secft.  a 1.5 21.4 63.8 70.1 242 335	June 26	Feet 2. 88 3. 25 2. 52 3. 07 3. 47 3. 31	Secft. 392 489 322 428 523 490	Aug. 18	Feet 2. 87 2. 80 2. 86 2. 54	Secft. 383 364 387 321

a Estimated.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Lincoln Canal near Richfield, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		1. 5	15 16 15 15 15	470 483 357 315 315	472 481 474 492 470	317 287 297 305 313	16 17 18 19 20		14 15 16 24 34	76 186 249 301 339	187 413 461 472 492	388 396 390 180 2	10
6 7		4. 5 7. 5 7. 5 7. 0 6. 0	21 21 21 20 22	317 357 392 403 417	467 454 450 452 452	309 315 319 317 317	21 22 23 24 25	1.5	64 64 62 62 30	341 343 343 345 365	512 512 519 521 503	114 382 367 283 380	
11		14 21 21 19 16	23 21 20 21 46	430 430 443 437 78	439 437 456 443 417	317 317 317 305 192	26	1. 5 1. 5	16 16 16 16 16 16	396 420 430 441 450	496 503 496 478 476 476	392 405 401 386 378 369	

Note.—Discharge estimated Apr. 15 to May 5 and Aug. 20, based on records and information furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Lincoln Canal near Richfield, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

25	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 15-30	64 450	15	1. 5 19. 7 178	48 1, 210 10, 600
July	521 492 319	78 2 10	425 389 285	26, 100 23, 900 9, 040

#### LINCOLN CANAL NEAR SHOSHONE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 15, T. 4 S., R. 18 E., one-fourth mile above mouth of canal, 7 miles northwest of Richfield, 11 miles northeast of Shoshone, and 12½ miles below Magic Dam.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 21 to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Vertical staff bolted to left end of concrete check of canal in timber stilling well; read by J. H. Gilmore.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable half a mile above gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—One channel at all stages. Bed composed of lava rock overlain with gravel. Control is concrete check.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded, 2.28 feet at 6.30 a.m. May 22, 6 p. m. May 23, 12.40 p. m. and 6.40 p. m. July 20 (discharge, 501 second-feet); canal probably dry except during periods of recorded flow.

Ice.—No flow during winter.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by gates at head of canal.

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

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record and several discharge measurements furnished by water master for Big Wood and Little Wood Rivers.

Lincoln Canal diverts water from right bank of Big Wood River in sec. 9, T. 3 S., R. 18 E., from which point water is carried 10 miles, approximately parallel to river, to head of North Gooding Canal in sec. 15, T. 4 S., R. 18 E. Construction of Lincoln Canal was completed in spring of 1925 and used thereafter for the purpose of conserving large channel losses in the natural stream bed of this stretch of river during irrigation seasons.

Discharge measurements of Lincoln Canal near Shoshone, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 21 June 16 June 17 June 20 June 26 July 1	Feet 0. 24 . 49 1. 22 1. 63 1. 82 2. 08	Secft. 13.7 41.8 191 286 354 428	July 8	Feet 1, 79 2, 28 2, 26 2, 25 2, 14 2, 00	Secft. 354 463 469 496 451 424	Aug. 15	Feet 1. 92 1. 80 1. 79 1. 84 1. 62	Secft. 389 346 337 353 294

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Lincoln Canal near Shoshone, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	June	July.	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2		419 442 358 284	442 452 455 455	296 255 261 272	16		43 108 200 247	100 371 393 416	345 358 348 219	7
6		284 284	449	281 281	20	8	290 287	442 495	0 39	
7	o	314 361 377 383	419 409 412 419	284 287 284 284	22	18 19 19 10	290 293 296 311	495 495 495 478	358 342 250 351	
11	10	393 393 390 396 130	390 358 419 409 383	284 284 287 287 240	26 27 28 29 30	} o	339 364 377 390 403	475 482 472 449 449 449	361 371 364 358 351 358	

NOTE.—Discharge estimated May 21, 25, June 15, 17, July 15, 16, Aug. 19, 21, 24, Sept. 15 and 16, based on gage heights and known changes in flow as furnished by water master.

Monthly discharge of Lincoln Canal near Shoshone, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

25.04	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 21–31. June July August. September 1–16.	19 403 495 455 296	0 0 100 0 7	6. 73 142 392 357 261	147 8, 450 24, 100 22, 000 8, 280

### LITTLE WOOD RIVER NEAR CAREY, IDAHO

- LOCATION.—In SW. ¼ NW. ¼ 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.—328 square miles (measured on topographic map and base map of Idaho).
- RECORDS AVAILABLE.—February 22, 1920, to September 30, 1925. April 28, 1904, to May 31, 1905, at a station 7 miles downstream.
- GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank; inspected by employees at Campbell ranch.
- 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 during year from water-stage recorder, 3.59 feet at 11 p. m. May 11 (discharge, 871 second-feet); minimum discharge, estimated at 15 second-feet December 11; lower discharge probably occurred during winter.
  - 1920-1925: Maximum discharge recorded, 1,030 second-feet June 12, 1921, and May 26, 1922; minimum stage recorded, 0.48 foot from 11 p. m. August 29 to 2 a. m. August 30 (discharge, 14 second-feet).

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

DIVERSIONS.—Practically no diversions above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent. Rating curves well defined. Several breaks in gage-height record due to lack of attendant. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records fair except for estimated periods, for which they are poor.

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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 1	Feet • 1. 01 1. 06	Secft. b 15 63.0	Apr. 14 May 6	Feet 3. 20 2. 98	Secft. 664 585	May 23 July 9	Feet 2. 89 1. 78	Secft. 521 196

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

Note.—All gage heights referred to outside staff gage.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Wood River near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	24			368	412	310	76	`
	24			431	353	272	75	
2			[]		000		70	1
\$	24			483	322	246	78	
4	36			520	301	232	73 69	
5				539	295	232	69	} 6
6			. 33	581	280	232	65	
7				624	254	246	64	11
8				645	240	213	62	
9		65		560	243	179	64	6
		, 09						
0		ł		501	254	171	66	67
1		70		734	251	164	76	. 6
2				734	254	164	87	6:
3		75	26.2	624	254	150	86	6:
4		74	659	624		139	94	lı -
5		75	659	624	257 251	137	88	
6		72	659	645	292	122	81	
7			721	712	286	117	78	ļ. <b>[</b>
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8		72	618	689	283	109	74	<b>}</b> }
9		76	558	734	[]	104	4	11
0		80	465	734		101	1	1
1		97	431	712	380	106		6
2		139	448	602	1	119	1	1
3	l	198	390	552	i I	1	I	11
4		206	335	520			1	l
5		201	318	540	353	1	65	ll .
J		201	910	340	505	90	1 00	11
6	١.	900	900	700	070	1 90		
		206	309	520	376		i	H
7		206	309	516	344		1	H
8		238	309	501	307	)	H	H
9	<b></b> -	<b></b>	309	581	301	78	1	IJ
0			335	602	307	79		6
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1			1	501		78	1	

Note.—Discharge estimated based on flow of Big Wood River at Hailey Mar. 10-12, June 19-24, July 23, Aug. 19-31, Sept. 1-3, 14-29. Discharge interpolated Apr. 27 and 28. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

<sup>•</sup> Estimated.

Monthly discharge of Little Wood River near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 1–4.  March 9–28.  April 14–30.  May June. July August.	36 238 721 734 310 94	24 309 368 240 78	27. 0 118 461 589 312 150 71. 0	214 4, 680 15, 500 36, 200 18, 600 9, 220 4, 370
August September				1. 0 5. 1

#### 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, 1925.

Gage.—Gurley water-stage recorder on right bank; installed April 14, 1920; inspected by B. E. Powell and F. L. Manwill.

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 changes slightly. Stage-discharge relation often affected during summer by light growth of aquatic plants.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage from water-stage recorder, 2.80 feet at 6 a. m. April 14 (discharge, 396 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.19 feet, June 14 (discharge, 48 second-feet).

1911-1925: 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. Well-defined rating curve used April 1 to May 29, and several parallel curves used during remainder of record when stage-discharge relation was affected by aquatic growth and brush along banks. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except May 31, June 6-15, and July 29-31, when daily staff readings were used. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height. Discharge interpolated April 27. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and six 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 13 Apr. 29 May 23	Feet 2. 69 2. 21 2. 36	Secft. 360 233 265	June 18 June 27 July 10	Feet 1, 42 1, 31 1, 47	Secft. 75. 4 60. 1 79. 0	July 12 Aug. 5 Aug. 13	Feet 1. 50 1. 59 1. 61	Secft. 82. 0 95. 7 92. 1

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Wood River near Richfield, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day .	Oct.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	59	324	227	139	64	85	130
2	60	316	237	120	70	88	130
3	60	304	247	91	70	89	137
4	59	307	255	78	73	95	137
E	59	313	242	75	77	94	139
V	09	910	214	10	"	92	109
6	60	330	232	63	82	88	141
7	65	342	227	63	85	86	141
Ω	65	307	213	63	85	88	141
9	00	299	216	60	82	89	141
		342	202	60	79	89	143
10		344	202	00	19	99	140
11		342	182	60	81	88	147
		336	191	54	85	91	145
13		372	220	52	81	92	145
14		390	220	48	79	95	147
15		342	213	53	77	92	147
16		330	206	70	74	96	149
17		327	218	73	69	100	149
18		330	242	77	73	102	149
19		339	247	78	70	107	149
20		330	250	73	70	107	153
21		0.07	000	00	-	110	140
21 22		307	263	66	70	110	149
		293	279	64	73	109	149
23		290	263	61	74	112	149
24		301	244	66	79	118	147
25		279	230	64	82	118	147
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26		260	222	64	86	121	151
27		247	189	60	88	123	151
28		234	141	59	96	125	151
29		230	130	65	96	127	149
30	V-01	232	132	64	95	127	151
31		l	139	l	85	127	
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Monthly discharge of Little Wood River near Richfield, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

North	Dische	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 1-8	65 390 279 139 96 127 153	59 230 130 48 64 85 130	60. 9 310 217 69. 4 79. 0 103 145	966 18, 400 13, 300 4, 130 4, 860 6, 330 8, 630

### LITTLE WOOD RIVER AT SHOSHONE, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 35, T. 5 S., R. 17 E., 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, 1925.

Gage.—Gurley water-stage recorder on left bank; inspected by B. E. Powell.

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, 1.91 feet from 8 a. m. to 2 p. m. May 23 (discharge, 485 second-feet); minimum stage during period, 0.60 foot October 4 (discharge, 14 second-feet).

1922–1925: Maximum stage recorded, 2.26 feet June 18, 1922 (discharge, 664 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.34 foot at 10 a.m. September 3, 1924 (discharge, 0.4 second-foot).

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 after October 4 by removal of plank on control and several times after March 23 by collection and removal of moss and débris on control. Standard rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except April 10-12, 18-19, 27, June 18-21, 24, August 10-12, 15-16, 18, and September 12 when daily staff gage readings were used. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table daily or mean daily gage height. Shifting-control method used June 12-25 and August 7-18. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and nine discharge measurements 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Mar. 23	Feet 1. 17 1. 63 1. 61 1. 91 1. 68	Secft. 141 287 283 484 385	June 4	Feet 1. 68 1. 60 1. 56 1. 60	Secft. 387 336 307 340	Aug. 3 Aug. 14 Aug. 24 Sept. 12	Feet 1. 48 1. 55 1. 37 1. 23	Secft. 283 306 233 177

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Wood River at Shoshone, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	39 37		286 286	144 138	425 425	326 351	263 277	191 135
3 4 5	30 14		253 253 258	138 198 272	383 388 357	336 341 351	282 286 240	144 160 177
6 7 8			282 291 277	291 377 388	336 263 286	357 346 346	145 286 291	166 163 166
9			258 249	393 393 398	311 296 277	341 331 331	286 286 291	173 177 177
11			258 268 286 286	411 434 447	282 291 301	346 351 351	296 296 301	177 180 180
16			272 263	434 434	306 311	346 341	291 263	150 138
17			263 249 263 244	434 439 447 456	306 291 306 311	336 326 311 306	263 249 219 215	119 113 108 108

Daily discharge, in second-jeet, of Little Wood River at Shoshone, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Day .	Oct.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
21			236 215	473 477	316 316	316 336	219 227	111
23		141	206 223 210	481 473 468	301 326 326	331 331 341	227 231 244	108 101 98
26 27			188 177	443 425	326 326	321 316	236 240	96
28			157 150 147	407 398 402	331 331 336	311 306 282	236 223 215	98 98 96
31		253		416		258	215 215	

Note.—Discharge estimated Aug. 6; based on gage-height record for part of day. Result of discharge measurement used Mar. 23.

Monthly discharge of Little Wood River at Shoshone, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
ivi onthi	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October 1-4	39	14	30. 0	238
	291	147	242	14, 400
	481	138	385	23, 700
June	425	263	323	19, 200
	357	258	330	20, 300
	301	145	253	15, 600
	191	96	137	8, 150

#### MULDOON CREEK NEAR MULDOON, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In SE. 1/4 sec. 15, T. 2 N., R. 20 E., one-eighth mile above mouth. 9 miles southwest of Muldoon post office, Blaine County, and 14 miles northwest of Carey.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 28 to August 31, 1925.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank; read by R. W. Larkin.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading at gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of gravel. One channel at all stages.

Control formed by gravel riffle; subject to change.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 1.54 feet June 29 (discharge, 82 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.61 foot at 8 a. m. August 29 (discharge, 12 second-feet).

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

DIVERSIONS.—A few ranch diversions above gage.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined. Staff gage read to hundredths once daily June 28 to July 26, after which two readings daily were obtained. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record and five discharge measurements furnished by George A. Lewis, water master for upper Little Wood River.

Discharge measurements of Muldoon Creek near Muldoon, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	. Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
June 28 July 5	Feet 1. 39 1. 41	Secft, 70, 2 71, 7	July 13 Aug. 2	Feet 1.01 .80	Secft. 42.3 24.9	Aug. 26 Aug. 29	Feet 0. 64 . 65	Secft. 14.1 14.2

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Muldoon Creek near Muldoon, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	June	July	Aug.	Day	June	July	Aug.	Day	June	July	Aug.
1 2 3 4		30 25 28 32 72	28 26 25 24 22	11		58 49 40 40 40	46 28 30 71	21 22 23 24 25		28 27 30 32 35	20 19 19 19
6		69 65 61 62 61	24 18 22 25 25 26	16		38 36 33 31 30	38 36 33 18 15	26 27 28 30 31	71 82 80	27 26 24 26 25 26	18 21 17 18 21 22

Monthly discharge of Muldoon Creek near Muldoon, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	Run-off in		
Month ·	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
June 28-30JulyAugust	82 72 71	71 24 15	77. 7 38. 9 26. 0	462 2, 390 1, 600
The period				4, 450

### FISH CREEK ABOVE DAM, NEAR CAREY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 2, T. 1 N., R. 22 E., 13/4 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.—About 56 square miles (measured on base map of Idaho).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 3, 1920, to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Vertical staff in gage well on right bank; read by A. Gilliam.

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 period, 0.86 foot May 8, 12, and 13 (discharge, 49 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.06 foot August 23 and 24 (discharge, 0.9 second-foot).

1920-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 1.78 feet 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. May 6, 1922 (discharge, 158 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge occurred August 23 and 24, 1925.

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. Daily discharge determined by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 24 July 10	Feet 0. 72 . 37	Secft. 37. 7 13. 6	Aug. 11	Feet 0. 10 . 15	Secft. 1.8 3.6

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Fish Creek above dam, near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12 34 5		26 25 26 26 26	13 9.0 9.5 17	2.6 1.9 1.4 1.4 1.9	5, 0 5, 0 5, 0 5, 0 5, 0	16	46 47 48 46 42	24 20 18 18 20	8.6 8.6 8.6 9.8	2.9 2.9 2.6 2.6 2.6	7. 2 7. 2 7. 2 6. 3 6. 3
6	48 49 44 41	26 24 23 22 22	17 14 16 14 14	1.9 1.9 1.9 1.2 1.2	5. 0 6. 3 6. 3 6. 3 6. 3	21	42 42 36 38 38	20 26 26 20 18	9. 0 9. 0 9. 0 9. 0 7. 6	2. 2 2. 2 . 9 . 9 1. 0	6.3 6.3 6.3 6.7 6.7
11 12 13 14 15	45 49 49 46 46	21 19 19 19 22	14 13 12 10 9.0	1.9 1.9 2.2 2.6 2.6	6.3 6.3 7.2 7.2	26	29 32 31 29 26 29	17 17 16 15 14	5. 4 3. 9 1. 9 1. 9 1. 9	1, 2 3, 9 3, 2 3, 5 4, 3 4, 3	6.7 5.4 5.4 5.4 6.3

Note.—Discharge interpolated May 11, 17, 21, June 5, 7, 15, July 20, Aug. 25, and Sept. 15.

Monthly discharge of Fish Creek above dam, near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Manual	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in acre-feet	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean		
May 7-31 June July August September	49 26 17 4. 3 7. 2	/ 26 14 1.9 .9	40. 7 21. 2 9. 83 2. 25 6. 14	2, 020 1, 260 604 138 365	
The period				4, 390	

#### 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, 1925. Several discharge measurements obtained in 1921 and 1922.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank, attached to concrete stilling well; read by A. Gilliam.

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 period, 1.35 feet July 19 and 20 (discharge, 96 second-feet); reported dry May 21 and practically dry during nonirrigation season.

1919-1920; 1923-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 1.46 feet August 3-5, 1923 (discharge, 108 second-feet); practically no flow during nonirrigation seasons since completion of reservoir above gage in 1920.

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation probably affected by ice; practically no flow in winter.

DIVERSIONS.—None between station and dam.

REGULATION.—Flow completely regulated by operation of gates in dam above. Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly August 14, caused by leakage under weir. Standard rating curve well defined; parallel curve used May 7 to September 30. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge determined by applying daily gage height to rating table. Discharge interpolated June 5. Records good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by water master for Fish Creek.

The following discharge measurements were made:

July 10, 1925: Gage height, 0.58 foot; discharge, 26.8 second-feet. August 27, 1925: Gage height, 0.63 foot; discharge, 31.8 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Fish Creek near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		37 37 37 37 36	33 37 39 28 28	67 67 56 47 47	17 17 11 8. 2 6. 4	16	48 47 45 43 45	32 30 25 19 22	61 74 84 96 96	30 33 37 35 34	24 17 17 17 17
6	49 39 42 47	34 37 37 30 27	28 30 30 26 27	47 47 42 36 45	11 11 11 9.7 9.7	21	42 43 35 36	26 30 31 31 29	86 84 72 72 76	33 30 28 45 41	16 13 13 8, 2 8, 2
11	50 50 50 52 54	30 26 30 28 32	29 31 32 32 47	47 48 34 30 30	9.7 9.7 9.7 11 11	26	45 42 43 43 47 37	30 27 23 34 35	80 65 72 64 67 76	37 32 28 28 28 26 26	10 8, 2 13 15 15

Monthly discharge of Fish Creek near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discharg	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 7-31	54 37 96 67 24	0 19 26 26 6. 4	43. 0 30. 6 54. 9 39. 1 12. 5	2, 130 1, 820 3, 380 2, 400 744
The period				10, 500

#### WEST FORK OF FISH CREEK NEAR CAREY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 3, T 1 N., R. 22 E., 1¾ 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.—About 12.5 square miles (measured on base map of Idaho). Records available.—May 11, 1920, to September 30, 1925. Discharge measurements only available in 1923.

GAGE.—Depth of water over crest on 12-foot Cippoletti weir measured by A. Gilliam.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of coarse sand and gravel. One channel at all stages. Control formed by 12-foot Cippoletti weir set in concrete. Zero of gage corresponds to average elevation of weir crest.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage occurred during period of estimated discharge, May 8-23; minimum discharge, 0.3 second-foot several days after July 16. Probably not actual extremes.

1920-1925: 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 after June 26. Probably not actual extremes.

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

DIVERSIONS.—One small diversion above gage.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve used based on standard weir formula for 12-foot Cippoletti weir which has been fairly well substantiated by several discharge measurements made 1923-1925. Depth of water over weir crest measured to hundredths about twice a week. Daily discharge determined by applying daily gage height to rating table and interpolating for days when gage was not read. Records poor May 8-23; otherwise fair.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by water master for Fish Creek.

The following discharge measurements were made:

May 24, 1925: Gage height, 0.16 foot; discharge, 2.2 second-feet.

July 10, 1925: Gage height, 0.05 foot; discharge, 0.4 second-foot.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of West Fork of Fish Creek near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4		2.3 2.2 2.1 2.1	0.7 .7 .7	0.3 .3 .3 .3	0. 5 . 5 . 5	16		1.5 1.4 1.3 1.3	0. 4 .3 .3	0.3 .3 .3 .3	0. 5 . 5 . 4 . 4
6		2.1	.6		.5	20	3.3	1.3	.4	.3	
7 8 9	)	2.3 2.3 2.1	.6 .6	.3 .3 .3	.3	22 23 24	2.6	1.3 1.3 1.3	.5 .4 .4	.3	.3
11		1.9	.5	.3	j j	25	2.6	1.2	.3	.3	.4
12 13 14 15	3.3	1.7 1.7 1.7	.5 .5	.3	.3 .3 .4 .5	27 28 29	2. 6 2. 4 2. 3	1.1 .7 .7	.3	.3 .3	.4 .5 .5
10	)	1.6	.4	.3	.5	30	2. 1 2. 3	.7	.3	.4	. 5

Monthly discharge of West Fork of Fish Creek near Carey, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month .	Discha	i-feet	Run-off in	
141 011(11	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 8-31	2.3 .7 .5	0. 7 .3 .3	3. 01 1. 59 . 45 . 31	143 94. 6 27. 7 19. 1
September The period	.5	.3	.40	23. 8 308

## 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, 1925.

GAGE.—Gurley water-stage recorder on left bank 450 feet below Brett ranch house; installed July 29, 1922; inspected by B. E. Powell and E. F. McDowell.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from footbridge 150 feet below gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of rock overlain with gravel; subject to slight changes due to aquatic growth.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during period from water-stage recorder, 2.64 feet at 1.10 p. m. April 1 (discharge, 239 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.83 foot at 2 p. m. June 1 (discharge, 56 second-feet).

1920-1925: Maximum discharge, 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 small slough which heads 300 feet above gage.

REGULATION .- None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed June 14, 19, 28-30, July 13, and August 16-26, owing to light aquatic growth below gage. Standard rating curve, well defined between 20 and 200 second-feet, used July 14 to August 15; and curves parallel thereto used April 1 to June 13, June 14-18, 19-27, July 1-12, and August 27 to September 30; shifting-control method 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 except April 9 and 10, for which it was interpolated. 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, 1925

Date	Gage heigh <b>t</b>	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 14	Feet 1. 68 1. 69 1. 41 1. 14 1. 26	Secft. 134 136 109 83. 0 93. 3	June 24	Feet 1. 38 1. 30 1. 46 1. 73 1. 73	Secft. 98. 6 101 106 134 129	July 15 July 26 Aug. 11 Sept. 1 Sept. 5	Feet 1, 50 1, 75 1, 78 2, 28 2, 34	Secft. 113 135 142 180 186

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Silver Creek near Picabo, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3	237 228 222	125 125 125	57 57 58	106 110 117	136 139 139	184 188 192	16 17 18	141 139 137	83 93 92	108 112 114	111 113 116	163 164 168	180 179 180
4 5	209 198	122 106	58 66	121 129	138 138	192 189	19		87 90	106 102	112 109	167 167	182 184
6 7	197 201 185 174	106 87 88 86 80	87 90 93 97 96	136 144 136 131	138 141 145 149	187 189 190 192	21 22 23 24 25	142 145 152 145	99 97 97 97 95	103 106 104 103	113 120 133 136	166 163 163 160	184 185 186 185
10 11 12 13	162 151 151 145	83 88 80	96 91 91	131 133 131 129	142 143 158	187 185 183	26 27 28	134 130 128	84 72 70	99 102 101	136 139 140 142	157 152 156 162	184 184 184 184
14	137 136	81 81	96 108	124 119	152 158	183 184	30 31	125 125	64 58 57	101 102	139 133 132	165 166 175	184 186

Monthly discharge of Silver Creek near Picabo, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	rge in secon	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April. May. June. July. August September.	237 125 114 144 175 192	125 57 57 106 136 179	160 90. 3 93. 5 126 154 186	9, 520 5, 550 5, 560 7, 750 9, 470 11, 100
The period				49,000

Note.—Flow, in acre-feet, in by-pass around gage estimated as follows: April, 146; May, 49; June, 24; July, 17; August, 77; September, 418.

# 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, 1924, to August 12, 1925.

Gage.—Readings obtained by measuring with steel tape from top of upstream corner of masonry gate tower on southeast end of dam; read by J. N. Goset. 

Elevations referred to datum of Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co.

EXTREMES OF STAGE.—Maximum stage during year from high-water marks in spillway, 4,455.30 feet about April 20; reservoir practically empty after August 12.

1924-1925: Maximum stage recorded, about April 20, 1925; reservoir empty in fall of each year.

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 Mountain Home feeder canal and is used for irrigation on about 5,000 acres of land near Mountain Home.

The reservoir is formed by a gravity earth dam with a crest of 400 feet. 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 the 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, 1925

Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug
						16					
						17 18 19		4, 450. 36	4, 476. 66	4, 431. 76	
				4, 441. 06		20					
						21					
		4, 452, 92				23			4, 447. 42		
						25			4, 447. 16	4, 423. 86	
		4, 452. 06			4, 413. 76	27 28	4, 454. 39	4, 448. 66		4, 421, 76	
			<b></b> -			29 30	4, 453, 16	4, 448. 56			
						31					

### LONG TOM CREEK BELOW LONG TOM RESERVOIR, NEAR BENNETT, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 35, T. 1 S., R. 7 E. (formerly given as sec. 2, T. 2 S., R. 7 E.), 500 feet below Long Tom Reservoir, 8 miles southwest of Bennett, Elmore County, and 17 miles northeast of Mountain Home.

DRAINAGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 31 to December 6, 1917; April 12, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Au water-stage recorder on left bank installed May 10, 1924; inspected by Geological Survey engineers.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from footbridge or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of sand and fine gravel. Left bank brushy below gage and may overflow at high stages. Control formed by well-defined riffle 40 feet below gage; subject to change.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 2.73 feet July 15 (discharge, 127 second-feet); channel practically dry October to March.

1917; 1924-25: Maximum stage and discharge occurred July 15, 1925; 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 creek some distance below. REGULATION.—Flow regulated by gates at Long Tom Reservoir.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation affected by aquatic growth May 20 to August 7. Rating curve well defined below 110 second-feet used April 27 to May 19 and August 8 to September 30; shifting-control method used during intervening period. 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.

Discharge measurements of Long Tom Creek below Long Tom Reservoir, near Bennett, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Data   Gag	Dis-		Gage	Dis-		Gage	Dis-
Date Heigh		Jab Date		charge	Date	height	charge
Apr. 27	50.2	June 24 July 18 Aug. 12	Feet 2. 09 2. 62 2. 14	Secft. 64.4 116 79.8	Aug. 28 Sept. 11	Feet 1. 90 1. 90	Secft. 60. 5 59. 7

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Long Tom Creek below Long Tom Reservoir, near Bennett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		44	70.	90	82	64	16		60	66	124	68	2. 3
2			70	88	80	63	17	l	60	65	121	67	2. 1
3			70	86	79	63	18		68	65	116	66	2.1
4			69	86	79	63	19		77	65	112	66	2.7
5		48	68	90	77	63	20		61	65	109	65	2.5
6		-	69	101	. 77	62	21		61	66	107	62	2.3
7			69	100	76	61	22	l	60	65	105	46	2.1
8		51	68	99	75	61	23		59	65	102	43	1.9
9		51	67	99	78	61	24		59	69	84	50	1.7
Q		50	66	98	86	60	25		58	77	74	54	1.7
1		50	67	98	82	61	26		60	80	74	57	1.7
2		54	67	97	80	41	27	47	62	91	44	58	1.7
3		56	66	96	79	4.0	28	46	62	91	39	70	1.7
4		56	66	98	74	2.9	29	44	68	91	65	86	2.1
5		59	66	127	70	2.5	30	44	72	91	85	72	1.9
			"			3.0	31		70		83	66	

Note.—Braced figure shows estimated mean discharge for period indicated.

Monthly discharge of Long Tom Creek below Long Tom Reservoir, near Bennett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	rge in second	1-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 27-30 May June July August September	47 77 91 127 86 64	65 39 43 1.7	45. 2 57. 3 71. 0 93. 5 70. 0 25. 4	359 3, 520 4, 220 5, 750 4, 300 1, 510
The period				19, 700

Note.—Leakage below dam not included in flow past gage; estimate based on occasional measurements as follows: April 27-30, 19.2 acre-feet; May, 127 acre-feet; June, 78 acre-feet; July, 36.9 acre-feet; August 2.5 acre-feet; September, 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, 1924, to September 12, 1925, when station was temporarily discontinued.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank installed March 31, 1925; inspected by W. S. Langfitt.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of silt, sand, and fine gravel; smits somewhat. Control not well defined.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded, 2.24 feet at 2.30 p. m. July 16 (discharge, 135 second-feet); canal reported dry after September 12 and prior to early spring flow from Canyon Creek.

1924-25: Maximum stage and discharge occurred July 16, 1925; can'al dry for long periods each year.

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 July 7-17. Standard rating curve well defined between 50 and 125 second-feet. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Shifting-control method used July 7-17. 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 the project of the Mountain Home Cooperative 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 1	Feet 1.81 1.80 1.74	Secft. 79. 7 83. 6 71. 9	May 28	Feet 1, 70 1, 70 2, 14	Secft. 69. 6 70. 0 117. 0	Aug. 13 Aug. 29 Sept. 10	Feet 1.86 1.90 1.72	Secft. 76. 4 85. 6 58. 2

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Mountain Home feeder canal near Mountain Home, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		84	69	80	97	82	62
2		31	70	82	101	83	62
9		10	66	80	103	80	61
0		13	66	80	103	79	61
Z		18	65	79	103	79	62
0		18.	00	18	103	19	02
6		18	61	80	117	76	62
7		17	60	80	114	75	60
8		1	72	80	112	75	60
9		1 1	70	79	110	73	60
0		30	66	79	107	83	59
		ا س		7.5	101	00	۱ "
1		l i	66	79	105	82	59
2		87	68	79	104	79	33
3		87	72	77	101	79	0.
						18	
4		84	72	77	98	77	
5		83	72	79	118	70	
6		91	75	80	129	68	
7		97	75	77	120	68	
8		94	72	76	116	66	
9		93	89	76	112	64	
20		94	75	73	111	62	
W		01	10		111	02	
21		93	72	73	112	62	
22		91	70	73	110	44	
3		93	69	73	105	38	
¥		90	69	72	103	44	
26		83	68	79	89	51	ii2.
26		83	66	79	82	52	
		82	68	89	64	57	
7				93		56	
<u>8</u>		76	66		37		
<b>29</b>		75	69	93	62	82	
30		73	77	96	83	76	
81	84	I	80	1	84	66	1

Note.—Discharge estimated Sept. 12, when water was cut out of canal. Braced figure shows mean discharge for period indicated.

Monthly discharge of Mountain Home feeder canal near Mountain Home, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

<b>15:</b> 0	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum Mean		acre-feet
April	97 89 96 129 83 62	10 60 72 37 38	65. 3 70. 2 79. 7 100 68. 6 58. 4	3, 890 4, 320 4, 740 6, 150 4, 220 1, 390

### 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, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff on right bank attached to shelter house; read by W. S. Langfitt.

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.

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EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded, 1.69 feet July 16 (discharge, 109 second-feet); canal reported dry prior to April 16 and after September 12. 1924-25: Maximum stage and discharge occurred July 16, 1925; no flow except during irrigation seasons.

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. Rating curve well defined between 30 and 80 second-feet. Gage read to hundredths several times a week. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table daily gage height; estimated or interpolated for days of missing gage height. Records fair.

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 half a 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 1	Feet 0. 90 1. 14	Secft. 0 44. 0 62. 2	June 24	Feet 1. 14 1. 58 1. 24	Secft. 65. 0 93. 1 73. 5	Aug. 29 Sept. 10	Feet 0. 86 1. 02	Secft. 40. 1 54. 8

# Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Mountain Home Cooperative Canal near Mountain Home, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day Apr	. May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2	50 50	72 73 70 66	81 78 78 78	74 72 70 68	60 58 58 58	16 17 18	} 20 } 27	65 65 79	63 54 48 43	109 101 99 98	50 50 58	
5	- 50 - 66	57 49 48 48 58	87 87 86 86 86 85	68 67 67 66 65 73	58 57 56 56 55 54	21 22 23 24 25	30 31 31 36 36	66 64 63 63 63	50 54 62 63 70	92 86 82 71 60 54	48 40 42 49	
11 12 13 14 15	_ 60	54 50 62 65 64	84 84 84 83 100	72 72 71 70 51	<b>4</b> 5	26	41 42 43 44 45	63 63 64 70 70	70 79 80 81 82	54 55 38 50 71 65	50 54 58 59 59	

Note.—Gage not read Apr. 16-19, 21, 23, 27, 29, May 1, 3-6, 10, 12, 14, 17, 18, 21, 22, 24-26, June 1, 3, 4, 8, 11, 15, 18, 21, 26, 28, 29, July 5, 8-10, 12, 15, 20, Aug. 2, 3, 6, 7, 9, 11, 12, 19-21, 23, 25, 27, 28, 30, 31, Sept. 3, 4, 6-9, 11, 12: discharge estimated or interpolated.

Monthly discharge of Mountain Home Cooperative Canal near Mountain Home, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

25	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 16-30. May June July August. September 1-12.	45 79 82 109 74 60	48 43 38 40	33. 5 60. 9 61. 4 78. 9 60. 1 55. 0	997 3, 740 3, 650 4, 850 3, 700 1, 310

#### OWYHER RIVER NEAR GOLD CREEK. NEV.

LOCATION.—In W. ½ sec. 24, T. 44 N., R. 54 E., one-eighth 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, 1925.

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. Left bank high and rocky; right bank is overflowed at extremely high stages. One channel at all stages. Dense growth of willows along banks. Control is gravel riffle in each of two channels where stream is divided by small island 500 feet below gage; subject to change by work of beavers.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 6.73 feet at 5 a. m. April 12 (discharge, 860 second-feet); minimum discharge, about 1 second-foot August 20-23 (stage affected by backwater from beaver dam).

1916–1925: Maximum stage 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.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Wild hay meadows above station practically only land irrigated. Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed during winter; affected by ice greater part of winter and by beaver dam July 16 to September 30. Rating curves fairly well defined below 250 second-feet and extended above. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory October 1 to November 9, April 1 to June 21, July 8 to August 28, and September 15-30. Discharge during winter, for periods when affected by beaver dam, and for periods when no gage heights were taken, interpolated or estimated from observer's notes and by comparison with flow of Owyhee River at station near Owyhee. Records good, April to June; fair, October and November; and probably poor for remainder of year.

The following discharge measurements were made:

May 6, 1925: Gage height, 3.52 feet; discharge, 211 second-feet. May 25, 1925: Gage height, 2.50 feet; discharge, 67.5 second-feet. June 18, 1925: Gage height, 1.85 feet; discharge, 19.7 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Owyhee River near Gold Creek, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	3 3 4 4	12 12 12 14 15	14	*	2		208 227 348 417 *338	220 211 210 210 210	42 53 66 71 31	15 11 10 9°	5 7 7	2 2 2: 2 3
6	4 4 4 5	15 15 17 18					264 344 469 564 584	200 195 174 156 136	66 44 36 32 28	14 12 10 9 8	5 4 2 2 2 1	4. 4. 5. 6. 6.
11 12 13 14 15	5 5 5 6	15	) 11		45	50	668 690 637 595 564	132 133 116 114 107	24 21 19 20 20	7 7 6 6 6	5 10 11 12 10	5. 5. 4. 3.
16	7 8 10 12 12	14	<u> </u> 	8			542 553 352 352 329	121 154 102 84 90	20 20 19 18 16	5 4 4 3 4	7 7 4 3 1	3. 4 5. 5. 6,
21	14 14 14 14 14	14	6			84	268 274 284 354 367	138 99 79 82 68	15 15 14 12 -10	5 12 9 8 7	1 1 1 2 2	7 7 8. 8.
26	14 14 15 16 15 14		6 8			140	264 230 211 205 202	58 53 44 37 32 34	9 8 8 14 25	6 5 5 5 4	2 4 3 3 2 2	8. 8. 9. 10.

Note.—Braced figures show estimated mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Owyhee River near Gold Creek, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1925

750	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	16	3 12	8.7 14.4	535 857
November December January			9.9	609 492:
February March			45 77, 2	2, 500 4, 750
April May	690 220	202 32	390 122	23, 200- 7, 500-
JuneJuly	71 17	8 3	27. 2 7. 7	1, 620° 474
August	12 10	1 2	4. 4 5. 4	270 321
The year	690	1	59. 6	43, 100

#### 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 Forest Service map).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—November 29, 1913, to September 30, 1925.

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; shifts occasionally. At high stages a secondary control becomes effective; practically permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 8.97 feet at 9.30 p. m. April 12 (discharge, 1,230 second-feet). Minimum discharge, 3 second-feet August 21-23.

1914-1925: 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 for low water changed during period of ice effect December 19 to January 31. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except April 21–26. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Discharge estimated for periods when no gage heights were obtained and during ice-affected period, by comparison with Gold Creek record and observer's notes at Mountain City. Records good.

The following discharge measurements were made:

May 7, 1925: Gage height, 5.77 feet; discharge, 598 second-feet.<sup>2</sup>

May 26, 1925: Gage height, 3.65 feet; discharge, 214 second-feet.

June 19, 1925: Gage height, 2.52 feet; discharge, 62.7 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Owyhee River near Owyhee, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	5	17	24 27 23 22	1	74 72	54	638 674	556	162	54	9	5 4 5 6
2	6	17	2/		110	64	596	593	183	46 42	12	4
3	6	17	23	1		75 88	990	606	180		12 10	0
4	7	18	27	1	174		638	615	203	39	9	0
5	8	18	27	· I	304	126	619	615	172	46	9	0
6	,	•				101			150	40	8	٠,
	8 9	18	23		241	131	571	614	152	43	0	7 8 9 10 10
7	) à	18	30	1	192	112	623	613	142	34	7	0
8	9	18	32 29		151	104	700	580	126	29	6	1 .9
9	. 9	18	29		104	88	810	519	113	23	5	10
10	10	23	26		113	75	906	445	103	17	5	10
11										١	۱	١ .
11	11	20	26	il .	135	75 73	1,010	408	97	15	14	9 9 9 9 8
12	11	23	20		94	73	1, 120	386	88	13	15	9
13	11	29	16	ll.	72	74	1,090	343	81	11	16	9
14	11	22	32		66	67	1,020	336	81	10	17	9
15	11	23	29	il	61	75	972	317	84	9	14	8
16	13	23	- 32 28	20	63	75	949	332	79	8 7	12	7
17	13	23	28	1	67	72	968	400	78	7	11	1 7
18	14	23 23	24		68	68	802	336	70	7	9	7
19	14	22	h		60	83	714	291	64	7 7	7	7
20	14	24	ll .		57	118	700	280	62	7	5	7 7 7 7 8
21	13	27			56	177	570	334	57	21	3	9
22	13	27	! 1		51	253	585	322	56	32	3	ğ
23	l ii	27 27 24	15		51	412	600	260	53	20	3	9 9 9 9
24	13	22	1) 10		51	384	710	250	50	16	5	ă
25	12	22 22		]]	50	394	725	230	46	12	5	١٥
	12	22			30	052	120	200	20	12		"
26	14	27	1		56	347	600	208	43	11	5	8
27	15	25		l l	56	380	517	194	38	10	7	9
28	16	22		l	56	386	495	182	37	9	6	8 9 9
29	18	25 22 23 23	li l		"	506	492	168	45	ğ	5	11
30	18	23	20	1		370	508	162	71	Ĭ	5	11 12
31	17	40	~	j		552	000	156	'1	7	5	
Y	1 1		ا ا	•		002		100		· '	1 "	

Note.—Braced figures show estimated mean discharge for periods indicated.

Measured at Mountain City, 4 miles above gage.

Monthly discharge of Owyhee River near Owyhee, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December	18 29	5 17	11. 7 21. 9 21. 9	719 1, 300 1, 350
January February March	304 552	50 54	20 96. 6 189	1, 230 5, 360 11, 600
April	615 203	492 156 37	731 376 93. 9	43, 500 23, 100 5, 590
JulyAugust	54 17 12	3 4	20. 1 8. 2 8. 1	1, 240 504 482
The year	1, 120	3	133	96, 000

### 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 poorly defined on available maps.

RECORDS AVAILABLE. - March 26, 1890, to December 31, 1893; January 1, 1895, to October 3, 1896; August 28, 1903, to September 30, 1916; May 17 to October 9, 1920; March 8, 1921, to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Chain gage on upstream side of highway bridge; read by Walter Pinkston or Mrs. S. J. Watson.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from bridge or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of gravel; may shift during high stages. EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 7.5 feet Feb-

ruary 7 (discharge, 7,100 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.60 feet July 31, August 1 and 4-11 (discharge, 2 second-feet).

1890-1893; 1895-96; 1903-1916; 1920-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 12.9 feet March 2, 1910 (discharge, 23,200 second-feet). No flow July 7, 19, and August 14-16, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Owyee Canal, the principal diversion immediately above the station, heads about 6 miles above gage. This canal diverts practically entire natural low-water flow of river. (See p. 179.)

REGULATION.—Variation in the flow may be caused by manipulation of gates at head of Owyee Canal.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed below 8 feet February 8; affected by ice December 17 to January 28. Rating curve used before change well defined; rating curve used after change well defined above 100 second-feet and poorly defined below. Chain gage read to hundredths once a day. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table except as indicated in footnote to daily-discharge table. Records good except for discharges below 100 second-feet for which they are fair.

The following discharge measurements were made:

March 20, 1925: Gage height, 4.35 feet; discharge, 1,260 second-feet.

April 23, 1925: Gage height, 5.34 feet; discharge, 2,410 second-feet.

June 17, 1925: Gage height, 2.79 feet; discharge, 198 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Owyhee River near Owyhee, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12 23 45	50 50 50 50 50	97 97 97 97 97	157 157 157 157 157		3, 080 2, 150 4, 640 3, 420 3, 240	1, 070 980 900 900	4, 300 3, 500 2, 980 2, 660 2, 520	1, 160 1, 120 1, 070 1, 020 1, 120	648 582 518 485 455	12 12 12 12 9 8	2 3 3 2 2	19 19 19 19
6	50 50 50 50 50	97 97 97 97 97	157 157 157 157 157 157		4,000 7,100 6,220 4,100 2,820	1, 200	2, 380 2, 130 2, 320 2, 520 2, 660	1, 350 1, 250 1, 160 1, 250 1, 160	550 550 582 518 455	8 6 6 6	2 2 2 2 2 2	74 36 23 23 23
11	61 61 61 61 72	97 97 97 97 97	157 157 157 157 157	347	2, 250 1, 770 1, 450 1, 350 1, 250	1, 550 1, 360 1, 160 980	2, 660 2, 820 2, 820 2, 820 2, 820 3, 150	1, 350 1, 250 1, 160 1, 120 1, 070	335 278 250 226 202	5 6 6 5 5	2 3 3 240 182	19 19 15 15 19
16	72 84 97 97 97	97 97 97 84 84	157		1, 160 1, 160 1, 070 825 788	980 980 1, 250 1, 250 1, 350	3, 150 2, 980 2, 980 2, 820 2, 820 2, 820	1, 070 1, 020 1, 020 980 980	202 182 144 114 100	5 5 5 3	23 23 19 19 15	19 23 23 30 30
21 22 23 24 25	97 97 97 97 97	84 84 97 97 97	155		750 750 900 1, 250 1, 250	1, 350 2, 010 3, 700 4, 300 5, 200	2, 660 2, 520 2, 520 2, 250 2, 130	980 980 980 940 900	87 87 44 23 23	5 5 5 5	12 12 12 12 12	44 44 52 52 52
26	97 97 97 97 97 97	97 125 125 195 157		2, 660 2, 820 4, 420	1, 350 1, 250 1, 160	4, 300 3, 900 3, 700 3, 320 3, 500 2, 520	1, 890 1, 550 1, 550 1, 350 1, 350	862 862 825 788 750 700	19 19 19 19 19	5 4 4 3 3 2	15 15 15 19 19	52 52 63 63 63

Note —Discharge estimated Dec. 17 to Jan. 23. Gaze not read Feb. 29, Mar. 1, 2, 5-11, and 13; discharge interpolated. Braced figures show estimated mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Owyhee River near Owyhee, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

March	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
OctoberNovember	97 195	50 84	75. 2 102	4, 620 6, 070
December January February	4, 420 7, 100	750	156 633 2, 230	9, 590 38, 900 124, 000
March April May	4,300 1,350	980 1, 350 700	1, 960 2, 560 1, 040	121, 000 152, 000 64, 000
lune July August	12 240	15 2 2	258 5. 8 23. 1	15, 400 357 1, 420
September The year	7, 100	15	34. 1 745	2, 030 539, 000

#### JACK CREEK NEAR TUSCARORA, 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 12 miles northeast of Tuscarora, Elko County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—31 square miles (measured on Forest Service map). RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 15, 1913, to June 30, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff on right bank 500 feet below Woodward 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 lined with willows; subject to overflow at extremely high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 1.84 feet May 6 (discharge, 170 second-feet); minimum stage not determined.

1913-1925: 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 usually affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Small ditches on Woodward ranch practically only diversions above station; have little effect on flow except during August and September. REGULATIONS.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent; affected by ice January 1. Gage read to hundredths three or four times weekly. Daily discharge determined by applying daily gage height to rating table. Discharge, for days when gage was not read, interpolated. Records fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by R. M. Woodward.

The following discharge measurements were made:

May 8, 1925: Gage height, 1.60 feet; discharge, 132 second-feet.

May 26, 1925: Gage height, 1.43 feet; discharge, 105 second-feet.

June 22, 1925: Gage height, 1.24 feet; discharge, 74.7 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Jack Creek near Tuscarora, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June
1	2 2 2 2 2 2	4 5 5 5 5	6 6 5 5	5 5 5 5	6 6 7 9 11	13 13 14 14 13	45 50 55 55 55	87 119 151 145 158	148 84 87 68 48
6	3 3 3 3	5 5 5 5	5 6 5 5 5	5 5 5 5 5	13 15 17 19 20	13 13 13 13 13	69 100 108 116 122	170 159 148 140 116	45 43 40 37 38
11. 12. 13. 14.	3 3 3 3	5 5 5 5 5	5 5 5 5 5	5 5 5 5 5	18 12 8 8 9	13 13 13 14 14	135 148 147 146 154	108 100 104 108 114	39 41 43 45 48
16	3 3 3 3	5 5 5 5 5	5 5 5 5 5	5 5 5 5 5	10 10 11 11 11	14 14 14 · 26 39	167 129 87 78 66	120 126 132 129 122	44 41 55 52 48
21	4 4 4 4	5 5 5 5 5	5 5 5 5 5	5 5 5 5 5	11 11 12 12 12	43 55 116 55 52	55 53 53 · 53 52	114 107 100 100 102	64 81 81 81 80
26	4 4 4 4	5 5 5 5 5	5 5 5 5 5	6 6 6 6 6	12 12 12 12	50 50 49 48 46 45	51 50 56 61 74	105 114 123 132 132 140	78 78 78 78 78 78

Monthly discharge of Jack Creek near Tuscarora, Nev., for the year ending September 30, 1925

25	Dische	Discharge in second-feet					
Mopth	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet			
October November December January February March April May June The period	20	2 4 5 5 6 13 45 87 37	3. 2 5. 0 5. 1 5. 2 11. 6 29. 5 86. 3 123 62. 4	197 298 314 320 644 1, 810 5, 140 7, 560 3, 710			

#### OWYHEE CANAL NEAR OWYHEE, OREG.

LOCATION.—In NE. ½ 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 1920–1925.

GAGE.—Stevens 8-day water-stage recorder at right end of bridge; read by W. H. Beam.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from footbridge at gage.

Channel and control.—Bed clean and smooth. Control not well defined but fairly permanent except as affected by check 1 mile downstream.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 4.24 feet at noon May 12 and 17 (discharge, 326 second-feet); canal dry at times.

1904-5; 1911-1916; 1920-1925: 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 through two wasteways between gage and station on 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 permanent except as affected by varying number of flashboards on check 1 mile below gage June 11 to August 31. Standard rating curve well defined. Correction applied for backwater effect somewhat uncertain. Water-stage recorder operated satisfactorily April 1 to August 2, except as indicated in footnote to daily-discharge table; staff gage read to hundredths once a day August 2–29. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good April 1 to June 30 and fair July 1 to August 31.

COOPERATION.—Record furnished by State engineer of Oregon.

Owyhee Canal diverts water from Owyhee River in sec. 18, T. 21 S., R. 46 E. In 1920 it supplied water for irrigation to 13,397 acres of land near Owyhee, Nyssa, and Ontario.

The following discharge measurements were made:

April 23, 1925: Gage height, 2.95 feet; discharge, 191 second-feet. June 11, 1925: Gage height, 3.70 feet; discharge, 245 second-feet.

One section of flashboards on check 1 mile downstream.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Owyhee Canal near Owyhee, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.
1	187 187 192 187 105	250 250 272 277 277	260	187 167 153 148 148	167 144 135 130 135	16	172 172 192 197 192	321 321 321 310 310	250 255 244 233	140 140 135 126 126	126 126 122 117 126
6	105 182 187 192 197	278 280 282 277 299		144 140 135 135 135	135 153 130 117 117	21 22 23 24 25	192 187 187 202 202	310 299 299	220	130 153 130 130 130	126 122 117 101 105
11	202 217 228 238 250	321 321 321 321 321 310	244 233 244 255 244	135 140 140 130 130	122 117 162 122 126	26	147 192 207 217 233	285	212 202 222 192 207	126 130 126 135 140 140	105 109 109 105 105 105

NOTE.—No gage-height record and discharge interpolated or computed from an interpolated gage-height graph Apr. 8, 11-14, 28-30, May 1, 6, 7, May 24 to June 10, 20-25, and Aug. 30-31. Braced figures give mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Owyhee Canal near Owyhee, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

March mat	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April May June July August September The period	250 321 187 167	105 250 192 126 105	192 294 239 139 124 4 100	11, 400 18, 100 14, 200 8, 550 7, 620 5, 950

a Estimated.

Note.—All water diverted Apr. 1-20, amounting to 7,500 acre-feet, was wasted back into Owyhee River above gaging station near Owyhee, Oreg.

#### BOISE RIVER NEAR TWIN SPRINGS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 27, T. 4 N., R. 6 E., a quarter of a mile above Birch Creek, 1½ miles above flow line of Arrowrock Reservoir, 4 miles below Twin Springs, Boise County, and 13 miles above Arrowrock.

Drainage area.—830 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 22, 1911, to September 30, 1925.

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, 6.69 feet from 3 to 5 a.m. May 20 (discharge, 7,060 second-feet); minimum discharge occurred during period of ice effect and not accurately determined.

1911-1925: 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 permanent; affected by ice December 19 to January 24 and February 5. Rating curve well defined below 6,000 second-feet. 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. Records excellent except for estimated periods for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of Boise River near Twin Springs, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Feb. 4	Feet 3. 26 4. 16 4. 15	Secft. 1,430 2,610 2,570	May. 5 June 1 June 30	Feet 5. 48 5. 00 4. 62	Secft. 4, 610 3, 720 3, 230	July 27 Sept. 4 Sept. 24	Feet 2. 55 2. 09 2. 09	Secft. 676 367 360

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Boise River near Twin Springs, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12 23 45	252 256 293 338 293	383 388 388 409 462	378 468 420 372 372		372 474 880 1,440 2,150	493 526 552 560 762	1, 730 1, 590 1, 730 1, 970 2, 420	3, 160 3, 770 4, 130 4, 310 4, 760	3, 860 3, 420 3, 080 2, 780 2, 560	2, 350 1, 970	568 568 575 532 519	378 378 367 367 394
6	279	409 372 357	367 360 353 301 343		1,850 1,310 1,070 870 605	952 1,050 994 880 762	2, 560 2, 490 3, 000 3, 500 4, 200	5, 130 5, 700 5, 320 4, 760 4, 580	2, 360 2, 220 2, 160 2, 220 2, 490	1, 910 1, 790 1, 660 1, 530 1, 450	500 486 480 474 462	409 420 438 415 394
11 12 13 14 15	319 310 297 293 293	355 353	394 372 357 362 333	325	605 598 568 532 526	714 671 620 598 575	4, 670 4, 940 4, 760 4, 400 4, 130	4, 760 4, 760 4, 940 5, 320 5, 510	2, 420 2, 490 2, 560 2, 560 2, 560 2, 560	1, 380 1, 380 1, 280 1, 180 1, 120	486 512 545 628 590	383 378 372 383 399
16	293 288 284 284 284	329 310 324 362 568	372 324 222		493 468 480 526 582	575 598 575 628 705	4, 490 4, 940 4, 310 3, 770 3, 160	5, 700 5, 890 6, 080 6, 660 6, 860	2, 700 2, 560 2, 850 3, 420 4, 040	1,060 1,020 974 910 860	519 486 468 450 450	394 378 367 383 420
21 22 23 24 25	275 275 271 271 267	734 734 646 526 456	225	324	612 575 590 605 560	880 1, 220 1, 640 1, 670 1, 670	2, 700 2, 560 2, 420 2, 160 2, 100	6, 660 5, 890 5, 510 5, 130 4, 940	4, 130	860 942 932 810 762	450 426 415 420 415	394 378 367 362 353
26	267 284 388 582 404 383	432 378 357 378 367	300	310 315 319 338 338 338	538 519 500	1, 520 1, 460 1, 590 2, 100 2, 160 1, 910	2, 040 2, 100 2, 160 2, 360 2, 700	4, 760 4, 940 5, 510 5, 890 5, 320 4, 580	3, 160	705 671 646 628 605 590	404 409 394 394 388 378	348

Note.—Discharge estimated because of missing gage height or ice effect Nov. 9-14, Dec. 19 to Jan. 24, Feb. 5, Apr. 10, June 22-29, July 1-4, and Sept. 27-30. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Boise River near Twin Springs, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

### [Drainage area, 830 square miles]

	D	ischarge in s		Ru	Run-off		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet	
October November December January February March April May June June July August	734 468 	252 310 372 493 1,590 3,160 2,160 590 378	305 418 310 325 746 1, 020 3, 070 5, 200 3, 020 1, 260 477	0. 367 . 504 . 373 . 392 . 899 1. 23 3. 70 6. 27 3. 64 1. 52	0. 42 . 56 . 43 . 45 . 94 1. 42 4. 13 7. 23 4. 06 1. 75	18, 800 24, 900 19, 100 20, 000 41, 400 62, 700 183, 000 320, 000 180, 000 77, 500 29, 300	
September	438		382	. 460	.51	22, 700	
The year	6, 860		1, 380	1. 66	22. 55	999, 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 of Boise.

DRAINAGE AREA. -- Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—October 1, 1917, to September 30, 1925.

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, 3,214.2 feet May 19-20 (contents, 286,100 acre-feet); natural flow passing through reservoir October 1-15.

1918-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 3,214.2 feet May 19-20, 1925 (contents, 286,100 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, and August 19 to October 15, 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 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 reservoir at that stage being 259,000 acre-feet. A movable crest is provided for the spillway, top of which has an elevation of 3,211 feet. Capacity of 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, and the capacity of reservoir at that stage is 131 acre-feet.

Daily contents, in acre-feet, of Arrowrock Reservoir near Arrowrock, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July.	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5		6, 570 8, 750 10, 460 12, 090 13, 840	15, 020 15, 100 15, 100	30, 100 30, 400 32, 800	55, 800 58, 080 61, 820	90, 540 89, 580 89, 100 88, 780 88, 780	186, 000 192, 200 197, 900	260, 400 266, 500 272, 300	282, 800 282, 200 281, 800	280, 000 279, 500 279, 300	196, 200 192, 400 188, 500 184, 800 180, 600	73, 140 69, 750 66, 240 62, 580 58, 920
6 7 8 9 10		15 620	14, 360 14, 060 13, 880	36, 980 38, 190 39, 000	86, 450 91, 340 94, 700	92, 940	226, 800 234, 300 242, 400	280, 200 279, 400	280,000	277, 100 275, 000 273, 200	176, 400 172, 000 167, 600 163, 200 158, 600	55, 680 52, 790 51, 360 49, 160 46, 900
11 12 13 14 15		22, 820 23, 100 23, 040 22, 540 22, 050	12, 960 12, 960	41, 520 42, 420 43, 050	95, 500 95, 500 95, 500	100, 600 100, 600 100, 600 100, 300 99, 920	272, 000 278, 300	279, 200 279, 000 280, 200	280, 200 280, 400 280, 600	265, 100 261, 900 258, 400	153, 900 149, 400 145, 400 141, 400 137, 500	42, 420 40, 440 38, 510
16	599 675 705	20, 680 19, 570 18, 320	12, 680 13, 770 14, 500	45, 300 46, 100 47, 200	94, 220 93, 420 92, 620	99, 750 99, 750 99, 750 99, 750 99, 750	279, 400 279, 600 278, 800	284, 000 285, 200 286, 100	280, 800 280, 700 281, 200	247, 200 243, 400 239, 500	129, 900 125, 700 121, 900	33, 560 31, 760
21 22 23 24 25	764 757	18, 230 18, 560 18, 460	16, 690 17, 440	48, 720 49, 160 49, 600	91, 500 91, 180 91, 660	103, 300 109, 100 116, 800	272, 900 270, 000 265, 400	284, 600 283, 700 283, 100	282, 900 283, 000 282, 500	227, 800 225, 200 222, 100	110, 600 106, 400 102, 600	26, 250 24, 890 23, 610
26	963 2, 170 3, 495	16, 880 16, 370 15, 950 15, 540	21, 040 22, 270 23, 660 25, 440	51, 250 51, 800 51, 800 52, 460	91, 500 91, 180	139, 800 146, 600 155, 200 164, 400	256, 200 255, 100 254, 800	282, 200 284, 000 284, 000 283, 800	281, 300 281, 000 280, 800	212, 500 209, 800 206, 500	90, 700 86, 750 83, 300 79, 860	19, 820 18, 560 17, 190 15, 700

Note.—Natural flow passing through reservoir Oct. 1-15. Contents estimated Nov. 19, 23-24, Dec. 18-24, Jan. 1-2, 4, and 7, based on inflow and outflow records as furnished by United States Bureau of Reclamation; interpolated because of missing gage heights Aug. 15, 25, Sept. 4 and 20.

#### 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, 1925.

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, at gage height  $0.30 \text{ foot} \pm 0.2 \text{ foot}$ .

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 8.72 feet at 10 a. m. May 20 (discharge, 14,300 second-feet); minimum discharge estimated at 5 second-feet November 2-10, December 21 to January 6, and March 26-29.

1911-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 9.27 feet from noon to 4 p. m. June 12, 1921 (discharge, 16,500 second-feet); minimum discharge, estimated at 5 second-feet November 2-10, December 21 to January 6, and March 26-29, 1925.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice during severe winters.

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 acrefect. Water is stored during winter and spring and released during irrigation season.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly November 11, 21, February 26 to March 8 and April 4-20; affected by ice January 7-22. Two standard rating curves used; the first, applicable October 1-31, well defined below 3,500 second-feet; second, applicable March 9 to April 3 and April 21 to May 29, well defined below 13,000 second-feet; curves parallel to second curve used November 12-20, November 22 to February 25, May 30 to September 30. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for short period when water was below intake pipe of well. 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.

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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 20	Feet 3. 20 3. 19 3. 23 3. 24 2. 84 3. 64 3. 36 5. 08 7. 38	Secft. 1, 180 1, 150 1, 150 1, 150 780 1, 590 1, 590 1, 200 a 25 1, 190 3, 980 10, 100	Apr. 21	Feet 6. 68 6. 53 7. 16 8. 20 6. 31 5. 86 5. 57 6. 66 5. 20 5. 17	Secft. 7, 560 7, 240 9, 080 12, 500 6, 470 5, 290 4, 640 7, 350 3, 900 3, 760	July 16. July 20. July 24. July 27. Aug. 5. Aug. 12. Aug. 22. Aug. 28. Sept. 11. Sept. 26.	Feet 5. 15 5. 08 4. 82 4. 57 4. 77 4. 80 4. 60 4. 46 4. 03 3. 56	Secft. 3, 870- 3, 620 3, 160 2, 770- 3, 110 3, 180 2, 760- 2, 570- 1, 960- 1, 400

Estimated.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Boise River at Dowling ranch, near Arrowrock, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4	470 470 500 594 544	75	818 809 843 852 843	5	500 680 628 441 285	1, 640 1, 580 1, 520 1, 460 1, 360	1, 040 1, 160 1, 120 1, 080 1, 120	4, 860 4, 970 5, 580 6, 770 8, 550	7, 930 7, 340 6, 490 5, 960 5, 450	5, 330 4, 630 4, 200 3, 990 3, 880	2, 980 2, 980 2, 980 3, 060 3, 060	2, 370 2, 370 2, 440 2, 440 2, 300
6	511 506 506 511 516	5	818 818 818 800 784		177 470 751 1, 120 1, 410	1, 250 905 960 1, 180 1, 410	1, 520 2, 230 2, 660 3, 140 3, 780	9, 840 11, 200 11, 500 10, 500 9, 510	4, 860 4, 520 4, 200 4, 090 4, 300	3, 780 3, 780 3, 880 3, 880 3, 880 3, 880	3, 140 3, 230 3, 230 3, 140 3, 140	2, 230 1, 820 1, 820 2, 020 1, 960
11	568 574 550 544 516	430 751 834 932 1,020	784 784 792 784 775	230	1, 330 1, 320 1, 410 1, 460 1, 460	1, 640 1, 580 1, 580 1, 580 1, 580	4, 970 6, 490 9, 190 9, 840 9, 840	9, 190 9, 840 9, 190 9, 190 9, 840	4, 520 4, 630 4, 740 4, 740 4, 970	3, 880 3, 880 3, 880 3, 780 3, 780	3, 230 3, 140 3, 140 3, 060 3, 060	1, 890 1, 760 1, 760 1, 700 1, 580
16	485 516 522 522 528	1,080 1,160 1,190 1,170 1,140	775 426 213 138 111		1, 520 1, 580 1, 580 1, 580 1, 580	1, 580 1, 580 1, 580 1, 580 1, 580	9, 510 10, 200 10, 500 8, 870 7, 930	10, 500 10, 800 11, 500 12, 900 13, 600	5, 090 4, 970 4, 970 5, 580 6, 360	3, 780 3, 780 3, 680 3, 680 3, 680	2, 980 2, 900 2, 820 2, 740 2, 740	1, 580 1, 640 1, 580 1, 520 1, 460
21	528 522 516 511 516	1, 160 1, 140 1, 140 1, 160 1, 120		495 495 516	1, 580 1, 580 1, 580 1, 640 1, 580	1, 460 500 150 }	7, 340 7, 050 7, 050 7, 050 7, 050 6, 360	13, 600 12, 500 11, 500 10, 800 10, 500	7,340 8,240 8,240 7,340 6,910	3, 500 3, 230 3, 230 3, 140 2, 980	2, 740 2, 740 2, 740 2, 740 2, 740 2, 740	1, 460 1, 410 1, 410 1, 360 1, 860
26	511 516 506 538 306 194	1, 060 960 869 869 843	}. 5	600 594 628 680 403 261	1, 580 1, 640 1, 640	332 809	5, 330 4, 860 4, 860 4, 860 4, 860	9, 510 9, 190 10, 500 11, 200 10, 800 9, 190	6, 490 6, 090 5, 700 5, 580 5, 700	2, 900 2, 740 2, 740 2, 820 2, 900 2, 900	2, 660 2, 590 2, 520 2, 440 2, 370 2, 370	1, 410 1, 360 1, 410 1, 410 1, 340

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of ice Jan. 7-22; estimates based on observer's notes, weather records, and gate openings at Arrowrock Dam. Discharge estimated Nov. 1-11, Dec. 21 to Jan. 6, and Mar. 23-29, on account of water being below intake pipe when gates in Arrowrock Dam were closed. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Boise River at Dowling ranch, near Arrowrock, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	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, 190 852 680 1, 640 10, 500 13, 600 8, 240 5, 330	194 	504 672 446 270 1, 220 1, 050 5, 530 9, 970 5, 780 3, 620 2, 880 1, 740	31, 000 40, 000 27, 400 16, 600 67, 800 64, 600 329, 000 613, 000 344, 000 223, 000 177, 000
The year	13, 600		2, 810	2, 040, 000

#### 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 W. E. Welsh, water master for Boise River.

Records are available from 1919 to 1925. 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 1925

Main canal of United States		Phyllis	125, 000
Bureau of Reclamation	666, 000	Eureka No. 1	5, 900
Penitentiary	2, 100	Pioneer	9, 340
Ridenbaugh	135, 000	Canyon County	19, 500
Bubb	3, 180	Caldwell High Line	14, 500
Cruzen	12, 500	Farmers Cooperative	88, 300
Boise City No. 1	9, 500	Canyon	4, 440
Settlers	52, 400	Seibenberg	3, 080
Thurmans mill	8, 900	Riverside No. 2	47, 100
Farmers Union (includes		Pioneer Dixie	8, 640
Boise Valley diversion)	63, 000	Eureka No. 2	11, 700
Little Union	3, 820	Upper Center Point	2, 450
Dry Creek	18, 300	Lower Center Point	2,520
Ballantine	2, 560	Miscellaneous	8, 700
7 Eagle Island canals	13, 600		1 400 000
Middleton Water Co	34, 400	•	1, 400, 000
Middleton Mill ditch	27, 800		

Combined monthly discharge of canals diverting from Boise River, Idaho, during irrigation season of 1925

No. 11	Discha	rge in secon	1-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April	4, 550 5, 090	1, 130 4, 440	2, 800 4, 880	167, 000 300, 000
May June July	5, 270 5, 240	4, 270 3, 540	4, 880 4, 430	290, 000 272, 000
AugustSeptember	3, 970 3, 150	3, 170 1, 960	3, 690 2, 460	227, 000 146, 000
The period				1, 400, 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, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff bolted to center tubular steel pier on upstream side of highway bridge reinstalled March 16, 1925; read by Mrs. Ida B. Mansell. Temporary staff on right bank and on downstream side of bridge used February 27 to March 15, 1925; readings corrected to datum of original gage.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge at gage 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 at high water.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 6.50 feet May 21 (discharge, 10,200 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.38 foot October 1-2 (discharge, 17 second-feet).

1920-1925: 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.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice for short periods during severe winters.

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 changed slightly after January 26; affected by ice December 17-31. Rating curve applicable October 1 to January 26 well defined; curve applicable after March 15 well defined below 9,000 second-feet. 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Feb. 17 Mar. 3 Mar. 23	Feet 2.85 2.70 3.39	Secft. 1, 060 974 1, 810	Apr. 4	Feet 2. 92 5. 93 3. 16	Secft. 1, 210 8, 320 1, 590	June 23 Aug. 4 Sept. 28	Feet 4. 48 . 56 1. 20	Secft. 4, 150 27. 6 147

NOTE.—Discharge estimated on account of ice Dec. 17-31; because of uncertain gage heights obtained from temporary staff Jan. 27 to Feb. 15; flow based on record at Dowling and flow past Barber Dam, Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Boise River at Notus, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	17 17 18	261 261 244	435 435 410	520 435 386		775 690 865	1, 060 1, 010 1, 060	1, 650 1, 890 2, 240	5, 510 4, 970 3, 950 3, 480	1, 290 960 615 386	30 27 25 28	48 45 42 40
5	18 18	227 212	435 435	410 435		865 865	1, 170 1, 290	3, 040 3, 950	3, 040	248	22	48
6 7 8	18 19 <b>20</b>	215 215 218	386 386	435 410 435	1, 790	912 865 912	1, 290 1, 570 2, 060	6, 070 6, 950 8, 190	2, 240 2, 060 1, 500	201 169 93	26 28 19	67 156 341
10	21 22	224 224	363 363	435 490		865 820	2, 430 2, 830	6, 950 6, 650	1,060 960	41 57	19 20	248 265
11 12 13	20 22 22	221 218 221	363 386 386	551 618 656		865 960 1,010	4, 200 6, 650 8, 190	6, 070 6, 070 6, 070	912 912 1,010	36 33 25	22 26 28	301 301 283
14	22 21	227 244	386 386	693 693	]	1,010 960	9, 490 9, 490	6, 070 6, 070	1, 060 1, 290	23 25	60 67	248 232

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Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Boise River at Notus, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

. Дау	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
16	20 21	298 298	363	656 618	865 1,010	960 1,010	9, 160 9, 490	6, 650 7, 250	1, 420 1, 570	25 30	70 54	226 226
18 19 20	22 24 27	340 386 386		656 618 618	960 960 1,010	960 960 960	9, 820 9, 160 8, 510	7, 870 8, 510 9, 820	1, 890 2, 340 2, 530	36 42 57	60 57 37	226 226 220
21 22 23 24	70 56 45 42	435 435 435 435	390	656 656 656 693	1, 010 1, 010 1, 060 1, 060	1, 010 1, 290 1, 810 1, 570	6, 650 6, 070 5, 790	10, 200 9, 820 8, 830 7, 870	2,730 3,260 4,200 3,260	60 145 132 132	26 28 60 63	220 220 213 207
25 26 27	65 71 76	435 435 435		736 780	1, 010 960 912	1, 420 1, 420 1, 290	4, 970 3, 950 2, 830	6, 950 6, 650 6, <b>0</b> 70	2, 830 2, 430 2, 060	125 97 60	67 81 77	201 195 178
28 29 30 31	86 298 <b>280</b> <b>280</b>	435 435 462		2, 440	865	1, 290 1, 060 1, 170 1, 060	2,340 2,060 1,570	6, 070 6, 950 7, 250 6, 070	2,060 1,980 1,420	52 38 33 33	70 70 70 57	150 207 272

Monthly discharge of Boise River at Notus, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	rge in secon	1-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December	298 462	17 212	57. 4 317 393	3, 530 18, 900 24, 200
January February March April May June July August September	1,810 9,820	386 865 690 1,010 1,650 912 23 19	876 1, 410 1, 050 4, 770 6, 480 2, 330 171 45. 0	53, 900 78, 300 64, 600 284, 000 398, 000 139, 000 10, 500 2, 770 11, 600
The year	10, 200	17	1, 500	1,090,000

# SOUTH FORK OF BOISE RIVER NEAR LENOX, IDAHO 46

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, and 4 miles southwest of discontinued Lenox post office, Elmore County.

DRAINAGE AREA.—1,090 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 24, 1911, to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Au continuous water-stage recorder on right bank installed August 14, 1925, replacing Friez water-stage recorder installed April 11, 1915, at same datum but about 25 feet below original inclined gage; inspected by R. S. Sandlin and M. E. Reinbold.

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, 8.25 feet from 8 to 9 a.m. May 21 (discharge, 6,660 second-feet); minimum discharge probably somewhat less than 200 second-feet during period of severe ice effect in December.

1911–1925: Maximum stage recorded, 9.53 feet at 11 a. m. May 15, 1917 (discharge, 9,200 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.87 feet from 5 p. m. September 1 to 10 p. m. September 2, 1924 (discharge, 144 second-feet).

<sup>4</sup> Designated in previous reports as "South Fork of Boise River near Prairie, Idaho."

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

DIVERSIONS.—No important diversions above or below gage.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly following high water. Standard rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for a 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 July 11-16. 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Oct. 1	Feet 2. 12 2. 12 3. 56 6. 60	Secft. 202 207 ,849 3,920	Apr. 9 Do May 7 June 2	Feet 6. 60 6. 54 7. 76 6. 23	Secft. 3, 810 3, 780 5, 630 3, 220	July 1 July 23 Aug. 15. Sept. 22	Feet 5. 29 3. 38 3. 10 2. 60	Secft. 2, 200 732 568 361

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of South Fork of Boise River near Lenox, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	205 205	317 314	238 284	)	336 396	442 434	1, 810 1, 900	3, 120 3, 660	3, 660 3, 260	2, 150 1, 900	486 478	310 310
3	216	314	340		486	416	2, 150	4, 100	2,940	1,720	478	310
4	238	314	270		684	416	2, 590	4, 420	2,700	1,640	464	310
5	234	328	264	İ	925	1, 110	2, 940	4,740	2,480	1,550	442	1
6	225	317	284		1,020	632	2,940	5,080	2, 260	1,470	425	330
7	219	299	299		867	668	2,820	5, 620	2,050	1,350	416	330
8	216	295	310		732	674	3, 190	5, 620	1,950	1,240	408	H
9	219	295	)	275	642	632	3, 800	4, 910	1, 950	1,180	396	J
10	228	348			491	576	4, 420	4, 580	2,050	1,080	396	355
11	247	310			455	538	4, 910	4, 740	2, 100	1,050	408	348
12	250	284		il	473	533	5, 080	4,740	2, 150	1,050	473	348
13 14	247	247	300		n	528	5,080	4, 420	2, 150	955	505	348
14	244	254			li .	528	4,910	4, 580	2, 150	896	606	344
15	238	302				538	4, 740	4, 910	2, 200	838	572	359
16	234	267			450	557	4,740	5,080	2, 260	799	491	363
17	234	244	Į	284	li .	591	5,080	5, 440	1	760	464	352
18	234	247	1	299	11	586	4, 580	5, 620	2, 300	732	438	348
19	239	292	1	314	l l	616	4, 100	5, 990	J	705	416	340
20	244	359	1	278	)	663	3, 320	6, 370	2,940	679	396	355
21	244	464		292	468	867	2,880	6, 560	3, 190	689	387	371
22	238	416	1	288	464	1,050 1,390	2,590	5,800	3,590	867	379	363
23	231	416	200	314	478	1,390	2,360	5, 260	3, 380	738	363	344
24	238	332	1	317	478	1,510	2, 100	5,080	3,060	689	359	321
25	234	288		317	451	1,550	2,000	4, 740	2,880	652	359	317
26	234	278		310	434	1,470	1,950	4, 580	2,700	622	355	314
27	241	267		270	473	1,430	2,000	4, 580	2,480	591	348	310
28	288	234	Į.	284	455	1,550	2, 100	4,740	2, 360	567	348	30€
29	400	228 231		317		2,000	2,310	5,080	2, 310	542	340	302
30	355	231	250	336		2, 260	2, 640	4, 740	2, 530	519	328	314
31	332		J.	336		2,000		4, 260		505	321	
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Note.—Discharge estimated on account of ice and missing gage heights Dec. 9 to Jan. 16, Feb. 13–20, June 17–19, and Sept. 5–9; based on reservoir action, observer's notes, weather records, and comparison with flow at Twin Springs and Dowling. Discharge interpolated Oct. 19. 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, 1925

[Drainage area, 1,090 squa
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	I	Discharge in s		Run-off		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Açre-feet
October	400 464	205 228	247 303 256	0. 227 . 278 . 235	0. 26 . 31 . 27	15, 200 18, 090 15, 700
January February March	1, 020 2, 260	336 416	289 529 928	. 265 . 485 . 851	.31 .50 .98	17, 800 29, 400 57, 100
April	5, 080 6, 560 3, 660	1, 810 3, 120 1, 950	3, 270 4, 940 2, 550	3. 00 4. 53 2. 34	3, 35 5, 22 2, 61	195, 000 304, 000 152, 000
JulySeptember	2, 150 606	505 321 302	991 421 334	. 909 . 386 . 306	1. 05 . 44 . 34	60, 900 25, 900 19, 900
The year	6, 560		1, 260	1.16	15. 64	911, 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 22 miles northeast of Mountain Home.

Drainage area.—31.8 square miles (measured on map of Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co.)

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—March 20, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Readings obtained by measuring with steel tape from reference point located on top of northeast corner of concrete outlet structure or by leveling to water surface from bench mark; read by J. B. Langfitt. Elevations referred to datum of Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co.

EXTREMES OF STAGE.—Maximum stage recorded, 4,961.67 feet May 27; minimum stage, 4,944.45 feet September 11.

1924-25: Maximum stage recorded May 27, 1925; minimum stage, 4,928.85 feet May 29, 1924 (reservoir practically empty).

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by Mountain Home Cooperative Irrigation Co.

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 recorded 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, 1925

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1			4, 958. 74 4, 958. 74	4 0%0 %0	4, 947. 09	16			4, 956, 60	4, 950. 80	
3				L		17 18 19			4, 956. 22	4, 950. 51	
5			4, 958. 68 4, 958. 45	4, 955. 38	4, 946. 55 4, 946. 12	20			4, 905. 95 4, 955. 55	4, 950. 31	
3			4, 958. 44		4, 945. 86	21			4, 955. <b>38</b>		
	4, 961. 48		<b>4,</b> 958. 07	4, 952, 51	4, 945, 46	28		4, 958, 66		4, 949: 84	
0			4, 957. 84	4, 952. 21		25				4, 949. 12	
				4, 951. 66	4, 944. 45	26 27	4, 961, 67	4, 959. 07	4, 954. 96 4, 954. 52		
3			4, 957, 25	4, 951. 28		28				4, 948. 33	
5			4, 957. 06			30			4, 954. 11	4, 947. 51	

NOTE.—Gates in dam opened May 11 for release of water through Little Camas Canal, prior to which time gates were closed since preceding irrigation season. Except for release of about 5 second-feet after Sept. 11, gates were practically closed on that day and entirely closed on Sept. 23.

### 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 22 miles northeast of Mountain Home.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 1 to November 28, 1917; April 16, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Au water-stage recorder installed May 12, 1924, on right bank; inspected by Chas. J. McGrath.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made 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 the stage-discharge relation at times.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage from water-stage recorder, 2.37 feet 5 p. m. to midnight July 6 (discharge, 70 second-feet); canal reported dry prior to May 11 and after September 23.

1917; 1924-25: Maximum discharge recorded, 77 second-feet April 27-30, May 1, 3, and 9, 1924; no flow August 7, November 1, 1917; during 1924, except April 16 to May 31; and during 1925, except between May 11 and September 23.

DIVERSIONS.—None.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by head gates at Little Camas Reservoir.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined above 35 second-feet. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory but inlet action was sluggish. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records fair.

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 near Mountain Home.

Discharge measurements of Little Camas Canal at heading, near Bennett, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 27	Feet 1. 64 2. 18 2. 21	Secft. 40. 2 61. 9 61. 6	July 18 Aug. 12 Aug. 28	Feet 2, 29 2, 22 2, 26	Secft. 64. 8 64. 0 64. 6	Sept. 11	Feet 2, 16	Secft. 58. 6

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Camas Canal at heading, near Bennett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		54	20	66	65	16	18	61	66	65	)
2		54 58	26 35	64	67	17	19	61 62	66 66	64 65	11
3		62	55	65 66	66 65	19	26 34	62	66	62	li
5		62	62	66	64	20	31	62	66	50	5
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6		61	66	66	64	21	35	63	66	8.6	ll .
7		62	68	65	63	22	36	64	66	39	
8		62	67	65	62	23	35	63	66	59	)
9		62	66	64	62	24	35	62	66	66	
10		61	67	63	62	25	38	64	66	65	
11	3.8	62	68	63	43	26	40	66	66	65	
12	6.8	62	67	63	8.0	27	40	66	67	65	
13	10	62	66	64	7.4	28	44	65	66	65	
14	14	62	66	64	3 5	29	46	50	66	65	
15	14	61	66	64 65	10	30	49	9.8	66	64	
	1				ľ	31	51		66	64	

Note.—Discharge estimated May 11 when flow for only part of day was recorded and for Sept. 14-23 on account of missing gage heights. Discharge interpolated June 21 and 23. Braced figure shows mean discharge for period indicated.

Monthly discharge of Little Camas Canal at heading, near Bennett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Diseba	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
May 11—31 June July August September 1–23	51 66 68 66 67	9.8 20 8.6	29. 8 59. 6 62. 0 61. 3 32. 5	1, 240 3, 550 3, 810 3, 770 1, 480

# 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, 1924 to September 30, 1925. From June 1 to November 29, 1917, records obtained at station above tunnel No. 9, half a mile above present gage.

Gage.—Au water-stage recorder installed May 12, 1924, on left bank, referred to vertical staff set to read actual head over Cippoletti weir located 3 feet below; inspected by Geological Survey engineers.

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 stage during year, from water-stage re-

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year, from water-stage recorder, 1.45 feet from 4 to 6 p. m. June 29 (discharge, 64 second-feet); canal practically dry prior to April 28 and after September 26.

1924-25: Maximum discharge recorded, 66 second-feet May 8-11, 13, and 14, 1924; canal practically dry except during irrigation seasons.

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 changed June 18-21, caused by silt deposits above weir. Rating curve applicable April 28 to June 17 well defined, and curve applicable June 22 to September 26 well defined below 30 second-feet and fairly well defined above; shifting-control method used June 18-21. 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 fair.

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 on about 5,000 acres of land near Mountain Home.

Discharge measurements of Little Camas Canal below tunnel No. 9, near Bennett, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 28 May 27 June 17	Feet 0.18 .99 1.34	Secft. 2. 6 29. 6 55. 0	June 24	Feet 1, 29 1, 34 1, 32	Secft. 57. 6 60. 9 51. 8	Aug. 28 Sept. 11	Feet 1. 39 1. 32	Secft. 60. 4 59. 3

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Camas Canal below tunnel No.9, near Bennett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4		3. 0 3. 0 3. 0 2. 6	42 44 47 50	19 25 28 36	55 55 55 54 55	57 57 58 58 58	16 17 18		17 24 24 27	55 55 55 55	55 56 57 57	55 56 56 56	8. 2 7. 6 7. 0 6. 1
6 7 8 9		2. 4 2. 6 2. 6 2. 6 3. 0 3. 2	51 53 54 54 54 54	50 55 55 54 54	55 55 55 55 55	57 56 56 57 57	21		30 31 31 31 32 34	55 53 52 53 53 53	56 58 59 58 58 58	56 22 17 45 58 59	5.8 5.0 4.2 2.8 1.7 1.0
11 12 13 14		5. 0 8. 5 10 15 16	54 54 54 55 55	55 55 55 55 55	55 55 55 50 56	55 18 11 9.9 8.8	26	2. 6 2. 8 2. 8	35 34 36 39 40	54 56 57 55 18	57 57 56 57 56	59 60 60 60 59	.6
		10				0.0	31		41		55	58	

Monthly discharge of Little Camas Canal below tunnel No. 9, near Bennett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

,	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April 28-30 May. June	2. 8 41 57 59	2.6 2.4 18	2. 73 19. 0 51. 7	16. 2 1, 170 3, 080
July	59 60 58	19 17 . 6	51. 7 53. 4 27. 7	3, 180 3, 280 1, 430

### 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 3 miles southwest of Arrowrock, Boise County.

Drainage area.—426 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—October 1, 1914, to September 30, 1925 (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 stage recorded during year, 3.50 feet April 12 (discharge, 2,280 second-feet); minimum discharge, 24 second-feet October 2.

1915–1925: Maximum stage recorded, 6.3 feet April 11, 1916 (discharge, 3,140 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.09 foot August 13–15, 17, and 18, 1924 (discharge, 7.9 second-feet).

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

DIVERSIONS.—No important diversions above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation not permanent; affected by ice December 18-29. Two standard well-defined rating curves, 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. 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; gage-height record furnished by the former.

Discharge measurements of Moore Creek near Arrowrock, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 3	2. 93 1. 73 1. 92 2. 28	Secft. 73.3 137 116 358 1,410 302 422 572 1,060 1,220 1,810	Apr. 21 May 4 May 13 May 22 June 3 June 5 June 12 June 24 July 10 July 14	Feet 2.72 2.66 2.55 2.53 1.99 1.85 1.60 1.37 .78 .65 .62	Secft. 1, 080 925 831 820 480 426 309 231 91. 7 62. 3 66. 1	July 20 July 24 July 27 Aug. 5 Aug. 12 Aug. 22 Aug. 28 Sept. 11 Sept. 26	Feet 0. 51 .61 .53 .33 .37 .38 .38 .41 .43	Secft. 49.5 61.4 50.8 33.6 37.9 32.0 33.1 37.2 44.3

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Moore Creek near Arrowrock, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

D	0-4	Nov.	Dec.	T	771-16	Mar.		May	June	July	1	Cant
Day	Oct.	NOV.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	25	91	74	91	210	328 328	1, 200	920	547	178	50	37
2	24	81	89	88	348	328	1, 140	920	547	119	50	3.5
3	30	74	92	88	369	348	1, 200	970	488	115	46	34
4	39	73	74	88	775	348	1,400	970	436	103	34	32
5	37	134	78	91	1, 200	436	1,700	1,020	413	99	34	34 32 35
6	30	92	74	86	1,330	580	1,620	1,020	390	115	33	40
7	32	81	74	76	970	775	1,620	1,080	369	99	32	46
8	31	81	74	76	690	732	1,700	970	348	103	33	51
9	34	78	56	77	462	580	1,940	920	348	99	33	46
9	35	141	44	77	309	462	1,940	870	328	91	33	42
11	40	98	74	77	309	413	2, 110	870	309	84	32	41
12	39	89	71	81	309	413	2, 280	870	309	77	38	40
13	38	76	73	70	291	390	2,020	870	309	74	37	39
14	38	91	74	74	260	348	1,860	870	309	70	48	39
15	38	76	71	62	256	348	1, 620	870	348	70	71	39 40
16	35	74	74	62	266	348	1, 540	870	413	64	57	39
17	34	66	58	62	243	390	1,470	870	348	62	50	38
18 1	32	63	1	65	228	390	1,470	870	309	60	48	38
19	30	74	1	76	228	390	1,470	870	309	55	48	37
19 20	31	119		77	260	436	1, 330	920	291	58	44	39 38 38 37 42
21	31	174		68	291	652	1, 200	870	270	50	40	44
22	31	179	1	74	309	870	1,200	822	263	77	38	42
23	31	169	ا ۔۔ ا	77	348	1,080	1,080	775	263	77	38	40
24	30	127	} 50	84	413	1,080	1,020	732	234	64	38	46
24 25	30-	130	1	91	390	1, 080	920	732	216	60	40	46
26	30	112		91	369	970	920	690	194	57	39	44
27	52	92	1	77	348	1,080	870	652	194	54	39	45
28	30	91		84	328	1, 020	822	690	183	50	38	46
29	35	91	1	84	3_3	1, 330	822	652	178	50	39	52
30	92	78	95	176		1, 260	870	652	183	52	39	55
31	83	'6	93	194		1, 200	310	580	100	50	38	1 "
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Note.—Braced figure shows mean discharge for period indicated.

# Monthly discharge of Moore Creek near Arrowrock, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

### [Drainage area, 426 square miles]

	E	ischa <b>rg</b> e in s		Run-off		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	95 194 1, 330 1, 330 2, 280 1, 080	24 63 62 210 328 822 580 178 50 32	. 37. 0 99. 8 64. 9 85. 3 432 658 1, 410 847 322 78. 6 41. 2 41. 7	0. 087 234 152 200 1. 01 1. 54 3. 31 1. 99 . 756 . 185 . 097	0. 10 .26 .18 .23 1. 05 1. 78 3. 69 2. 29 .84 .21	2, 280 5, 940 3, 990 5, 240 24, 000 40, 500 52, 100 19, 200 4, 830 2, 530 2, 480
The year	2, 280	24	341	. 800	10.85	247, 000

#### WARMSPRINGS RESERVOIR NEAR RIVERSIDE, OREG.

LOCATION.—In SE. 1/4 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, 1925.

Gage.—Tape gage with float set to read depth of water above bottom of outlet tunnel; 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, 74.56 feet May 17-22 (contents, 172,500 acre-feet); minimum stage, 22.92 feet October 1-4 (contents, 16,900 acre-feet).

Warmsprings Reservoir stores water for Warmsprings Irrigation District which embraces 31,618 acres of irrigable land on either side of Malheur River, extending from mouth of canyon above Vale to Ontario. Capacity of reservoir at spillway level, 74.0 feet, is 170,000 acre-feet.

Monthly stage and contents of Warmsprings Reservoir near Riverside, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Contents	Loss or gain during month	Date	Gage height	Contents	Loss or gain during month
Oct. 31 Nov. 30 Dec. 31 Jan. 31 Feb. 28 Mar. 31 Apr. 30	Feet  25. 88 27. 60 37. 31 55. 56 62. 98 73. 38	Acre-feet  18, 200 21, 400 24, 300 45, 300 97, 700 124, 900 167, 200	Acre-feet +1, 300 +3, 200 +2, 900 +21, 000 +52, 400 +27, 200 +42, 300	May 31 June 30. July 31. Aug. 31. Sept. 30.	Feet 74, 18 69, 91 64, 10 57, 60 53, 30	Acre-feet 170, 800 152, 600 129, 400 103, 800 90, 900	Acre-feet +3, 600 -18, 200 -23, 200 -25, 600 -12, 900 +74, 000

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#### 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, 1925. From January 3, 1906, to March 31, 1907, and December 15, 1908, to May 25, 1910, records were obtained at a station at Riverside 4 miles below.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank used since April 28, 1920; read by U. S. Yost. DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge one-fourth mile below dam or by wading.

Channel and control.—Concrete control 200 feet below gage. There is some disintegration of concrete during winter because of poor quality. Above a medium stage concrete control is submerged and contraction and riffle 200 feet farther downstream acts as control for gage.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 5.72 feet at time of measurement on April 27 (discharge, 900 second-feet); seepage amounted to 1 second-foot when gates to reservoir were closed October 1 to April 23 and May 6-8.

1906-1925: Maximum discharge recorded, 5,490 second-feet March 2, 1910; 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 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 changed during winter. Rating curves fairly 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 or mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Malheur River below Warmsprings Reservoir, near Riverside, Oreg., during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	
Apr. 27	Feet 4. 67 5. 23	Secft. 412 658	Apr. 27 Apr. 28	Feet 5. 72 3. 91	Secft. 897 135	

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Malheur River below Warmsprings Reservoir, near Riverside, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4	1 1 1 1	425 425 425 425 192	365 365 365 365 365	163 163 163 163 163	365 365 365 365 365	333 325 325 325 325 325	16	1 1 1 1	305 325 329 329 329 325	325 325 325 325 325 325	425 425 425 425 425	365 365 361 345 345	265 240 230 212 163
6 7 8 9	1	1 1 1 5 62	365 365 365 353 325	195 265 265 265 305	365 365 365 365 365	325 325 325 325 313	21 22 23 24 25	1 1 86 405	329 345 393 345 317	325 325 325 325 325 369	425 425 409 365 365	345 345 345 345 345	163 163 163 163 163
11 12 13 14 15	1	145 216 262 289 293	325 325 325 325 325 325	353 385 405 425 425	365 365 365 365 365 365	265 265 265 265 265 265	26	425	285 262 230 216 281 365	425 425 413 405 304	365 365 365 365 365 365	345 345 345 345 345 345	163 163 163 163 163

Note.—Gates to reservoir closed Oct. 1 to Apr. 23 and May 6-8; discharge estimated, 1 second-foot.

Monthly discharge of Malheur River below Warmsprings Reservoir, near Riverside, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

·	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
October			<i>a</i> 1	61	
November			a 1	60	
December			a ] a 1	61 61	
February			a 1	56	
March	l		<b>4</b> 1	61	
April	425	a 1	78.8	4,690	
May	425 425	a 1	263 350	16, 200 20, 800	
July		304 163	336	20, 800	
August	365	345	356	21, 900	
September	333	163	244	14, 500	
The year	425	• 1	137	99, 100	

a Estimated; see footnote to daily-discharge table.

### MALHEUR RIVER NEAR HOPE, OREG.

LOCATION.—In SW. ½ sec. 5, T. 19 S., R. 43 E., half a mile above intake of Vines Canal and railroad bridge, 15 miles west of Vale, and 6½ miles west of Hope, Malheur County.

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, 1925. 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. Bachelder 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 discharge from water-stage recorder, about 8,100 second-feet from 1 to 2 p. m. February 5; minimum discharge, estimated 50 second-feet December 26 and January 23.

1919-1925: Maximum discharge recorded, that of 1925; minimum stage, 0.02 foot from 5 to 9 p. m. September 2, 1919 (discharge, 3.5 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Several small canals divert water above station.

REGULATION.—Flow controlled to a large extent by Warmsprings Dam 60 miles above.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent; affected by ice probably December 18 to January 29. Rating curve fairly well defined below 4,000 second-feet. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for periods indicated in footnote to daily-discharge table; recorded gage heights unreliable and not used after June 30, because of poor connection between well and river. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined from recorder graph by inspection. Discharge estimated for periods of no record. Records good except for estimated periods for which they are fair.

The following discharge measurements were made:

January 23, 1925: Gage height, 2.80 feet; 5 discharge, 50 second-feet.

April 7, 1925: Gage height, 2.08 feet; discharge, 389 second-feet.

April 26, 1925: Gage height, 2.72 feet; discharge, 809 second-feet.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Malheur River near Hope, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

	<u></u>									
Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	Sept.
1	131 95 79 70 65	94 94 94 90 89		1, 500	1, 570 1, 190 2, 650 3, 660 5, 140	265 249 265 297 385	332 318 314 341 350	670 670 664 664 658	420 460 450 450 440	
6	64 63 65 60 62	86 84 83 84 84	140		1, 880 950 622 500 400	522 533 430 390 341	380 390 430 460 480	610 410 346 350 332	440 430 430 430 425	
11	62 60 60 64 69		190 1 <b>6</b> 9 160	80	305 273 257 241 229	301 273 257 249 237	500 538 555 533 610	310 350 410 445 500	390 360 345	
16	69 69 70 70 70	105	225 70		249 261 249 241 249	257 261 273 269 281	566 566 555 544 555	490 500 544 555 550		285
21	70 70 70 70 71	125 115	60	50	350 538 445 490 400	314 400 415 415 390	544 582 640 528 475	544 544 516 516 495	330	
26	71 75 83 87 79 96	90	100	5, 140 3, 100	828 289 285	375 345 350 360 370 355	740 747 747 555 684	490 460 430 410 380 360	427 610	

Note.—Discharge estimated Nov. 11-21, 24-30, Dec. 1-12, 18-31, Jan. 1-29, May 28-31, June 1-7, and 14-28. Water-stage recorder graph records unreliable and mean monthly flow estimated from records at station below Warmsprings Reservoir for July, August, and September.

Monthly discharge of Malheur River near Hope, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November	125	60	72, 9 96, 9 114	4, 480 5, 770 7, <b>01</b> 0
December January February. March April	5, 140 5, 140 533 747	50 229 237 314	447 866 336 519	27, 500 48, 100 20, 700 30, 900
May June July August	610	310	489 382 4 336 4 360	30, 100 22, 700 20, 700 22, 100
September The year	5, 140	50	4 254 352	15, 100 255, 000

Estimated from record of run-off of Malheur River below Warmsprings Reservoir, near Riverside.

### 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., 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, 1925.

Gage.—Stevens 8-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 lower than high-water crest. The cut-off walls at ends conform to slope of banks. Control was reconstructed in November, 1922, extending cut-off wall deeper into bed and banks and adding a concrete apron 6 feet long.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 2.63 feet from 10 to 11 a. m. February 23 (discharge, 169 second-feet). No flow August 1 to September 30.

1904-1906; 1910-1915; 1921-1925: 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 meadowland; reservoir No. 3 just below. Eldorado ditch diverted no water into Willow Creek, 25 miles above gaging station, in 1925.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory February 5 to August 2 except for a few scattered days; staff gage read to hundredths once every other day except October 1 to February 4 and August 1 to September 30 when there was little or no flow. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained from recorder graph by inspection. Records good.

The following discharge measurements were made:

March 19, 1925: Gage height, 1.20 feet; discharge, 21.2 second-feet.

March 22, 1925: Gage height, 1.02 feet; discharge, 12.7 second-feet.

April 25, 1925: Gage height, 1.35 feet; discharge, 29.6 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Willow Creek near Malheur, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Feb	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Day	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July
1 2 3 4 5	2 2 3 4 82	40 44 52 57 72	21 13 7. 1 4. 0 3. 5	21 18 16 14 14	1.7 1.7 1.8 2.1 1.9	1.7 1.2 .8 .7	16	13 12 15 18 15	26 29 25 22 18	14 12 13 21 36	11 11 12 11 9.8	1.1 1.1 1.7 1.8 1.7	0. 2 . 2 . 2 . 2
6 7 8 9 10	83 43 43 26 22	76 61 50 42 35	2. 6 2. 4 2. 7 2. 9 1. 7	14 17 24 26 28	1. 4 1. 2 1. 7 1. 8 1. 7	.3 .3 .3 .3	21	44 62 132 106 64	16 14 13 16 18	49 44 37 30 28	10 9. 2 7. 5 7. 3 7. 1	2.0 2.1 1.6 1.1	.2 .2 .2 .2
11	18 17 13 15 12	30 29 28 25 27	2. 0 9. 8 6. 9 4. 2 3. 9	22 18 16 12 10	1. 6 1. 4 1. 3 1. 5 1. 9	.3 .3 .3	26. 27. 28. 29. 30.	41 44 37	22 25 26 25 25 25 24	29 29 26 25 23	5. 7 4. 7 3. 1 2. 6 2. 8 1. 6	.8 .7 .6 1.0 1.6	.2 .2 .2 .2 .2

NOTE.—No gage-height record and daily discharge estimated Feb. 1-4. Discharge interpolated Feb. 10, Mar. 1, 21, 22, 24, 26, July 7, 9, 11, 12, 14, 16, 18, 19, 21, 23, 25, 26, 28, and 30.

Monthly discharge of Willow Creek near Malheur, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

76		Discha	-feet	Run-off in	
Month		Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	····			• 1 • 1	61 60
December		132	2	• 1 • 1 35, 3	61 61 1,960
March		76 49 28	13 1.7 1.6	32. 6 16. 8 12. 4	2,000 1,000 762
June July		2. 1 1. 7	.6	1. 48 . 36	88 22
The year		132	0	8. 41	6, 080

Estimated.

NOTE.-No flow Aug. 1 to Sept. 30.

#### WILLOW CREEK RESERVOIR NEAR MALHEUR, OREG.

LOCATION.—In NE. ½ sec. 15, T. 14 S., R. 41 E., 5 miles southeast of Malheur, Malheur County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—October 1, 1922, to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Vertical staff gage in well in dam; read by James Minougham.

EXTREMES OF STAGE.—1923+1925: Maximum stage recorded, 71.53 feet April 14-16, 1923 (contents, 15,670 acre-feet); minimum stage, 2.72 feet on morning of September 13, 1924 (practically no storage).

This reservoir is constructed with a capacity of 50,000 acre-feet which is in excess of flow of Willow Creek for any except a year of abnormally high run-off. Water is released during irrigation season to irrigate land near Brogan, 20 miles downstream.

Monthly stage and contents of Willow Creek Reservoir near Malheur, Oreg., for the years ending September 30, 1923-1925

Date	Gage height	Contents	Loss or gain during month	Date	Gage height	Contents	Loss or gain during month
1922-23 Oct. 1 Oct. 31 Nov. 30 Dec. 31 Jan. 31	66, 19 66, 50 66, 90 67, 62	12, 400 12, 640 13, 170	Acre-feet -210 +250 +240 +530	1923-24 May 31. June 30. July 31. Aug. 31. Sept. 30.	29. 11 7. 73	Acre-feet 4, 360 2, 750 870 100 120	
Feb. 28 Mar. 31 Apr. 30	71.77	13, 720 15, 420 15, 380	+550 +1,700 -40	The year			-3, 860
May 31. June 30. July 31. Aug. 31. Sept. 30.  The year  1923-24 Oct. 31. Nov. 30. Dec. 31. Jan. 31. Feb. 29. Mar. 31. Apr. 30.	67. 55 65. 91 59. 86 50. 71 47. 12 47. 63 47. 96 48. 56 49. 47 53. 85 54. 14	13, 030 12, 050 8, 830 5, 130 3, 980	-2,350 -980 -3,220 -3,700 -1,150 -8,380 -1,150 +100 +190 +300 +1,510 +150 +110 -180	1924-2 Oct. 31 Nov. 30 Dec. 31 Jan. 31 Feb. 28 Mar. 31 Apr. 30 May 31 June 30 July 31 Aug. 31 Sept. 30 The year	21. 16 23. 40 44. 70 52. 41 55. 20 54. 20 48. 05 35. 28 26. 59 21. 28	234 344 446 543 3, 294 5, 709 6, 744 6, 360 4, 261 1, 503 710 451	+114 +110 +102 +97 +2,751 +2,415 +1,035 +1,035 +1,035 -384 -2,099 -2,758 -793 -259 +331

### WILLOW CREEK BELOW RESERVOIR, NEAR MALHEUR, OREG.

LOCATION.—In NE. ½ sec. 15, T. 14 S., R. 41 E., 300 feet below outlet tunnel from reservoir and 5 miles southeast of Malheur, Malheur County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—October 1, 1920, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff on right bank at weir 300 feet below outlet tunnel from reservoir; read by James Minougham.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading 300 feet below gage.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed of small gravel. Control is 10-foot rectangular timber weir having a sharp metal crest.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—1921-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 1.73 feet July 13-26, 1922 (discharge, 83 second-feet). No flow at times.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined. Staff gage read to hundredths once a day and also after making change in opening of gate in dam. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage reading to rating table or, for days when gate changes were made, by averaging discharges for intervals of the day. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Willow Creek below reservoir, near Malheur, Oreg., during the years ending September 30, 1918-1923

	Date	Gage height		Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Aug. 18	1918	Feet 1.05	Secft. 38. 1	1923 Apr. 16	Feet 0.39	Secft. 9.1
Мау 23	1922	1. 16	48.3	Apr. 21	. 44 1. 08	9. 8 40. 1
June 5		1.66	76			

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Willow Creek below reservoir, near Malheur, Oreg., for the years ending September 30, 1921-1925

Day	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
	1921								1921						
1			33	30	34	60	42	26			22	44	70	42	
2			33	30	34	60	42	27			22	44	70	42	
3			35	30	34	60	42	28		19	22	43	68	42	
4			46	30	34	60	42	29		33	22	34	64	42	İ
5			46	30	34	60	42	30		33	28	34	64	42	
							i i	31			30		60	42	
6			46	30	36	60	42 42 42		1922	ie.	981 A.			1	ĺ
7			46	28	49	60	42	1	1022			79	61	68	54
8			46	23	54	58	42	2				78 78	48	63	54 54 54 54 54
9			46	23	59	53	40 32	3			13750	78	48 22 22	63 58 58	54
10			46	32	52	52	32	A				78 78	22	58	54
i							1	5				78	22	58	54
11			46	34	64	50	19	9							1
12			59	40	70	50	12	6				78	36	58	59
13			63	40	70	49	12 12	7				78	50	58	59
14			63	41	70	45	12	8				78 78	<b>5</b> 6	51	50
15			63	52	75	44	12	9				78	57		50
1							l 1	10			11	78	66		50 50 40
16			55	56	75	27	8.8	11			17	78	75		11
17			47	56	75	27	7.3	12			24	78	79		5.3
18	l		44	56	75 75 74	27	8.8 7.3 5.3 2.5 2.5	13			27	78	83	2. 3	9.3
19			44 44	56	75	27	2.5	14			27	78	83	3.3	5.0
20			44	56	74	28	2.5	15				78	83		5. 3 5. 3 5. 3
			- 1	1				19			34		83	3.3	
21			36	56	74	37	1.9	16			37	78	83	3.3	5.3
$egin{smallmatrix} 22 - \dots \ 23 - \dots \ 24 - \dots \end{bmatrix}$			33	55	74	38		17			50	78	83	3. 1	2.8
23			33	50	74	42		18			57	78	83	4. 2	
24			24	50	74	42		19			66	78	83	30	
25			22	48	73	42		20			63	78	83	40	

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Willow Creek below reservoir, near Malheur, Oreg., for the years ending September 30, 1921-1925—Continued

Day	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
															-
21 22 23 24 25	1922		46 46 47 73 73	76 69 61 58 58	83 83 83 83 83	42 54 54 54 54		11 12 13 14 15		1. 8 1. 8 1. 8 5. 7 7. 3	5. 0 5. 8 15 15 15	19 19 19 19 19	46 44 44 44 44	17 17 17 16 16	2.9 2.7 1.9
26 27 28 29 30			73 73 68 67 67	54 52 53 61 61	83 82 79 75 75 74	54 54 54 54 54 54		16 17 18 19 20	6. 4 6. 4 6. 4	4.4 .8 .8 1.1 1.3	16 22 25 30 37	19 17 5. 8 19 23	33 22 22 22 22 21	15 13 9. 8 9. 5 9. 1	
1	1923		26	20 14 14 13	13 13 13 13	58 58 58 58	28 28 28 24	21 22 23 24 25	4.1 2.9 2.9 2.9	1.3 1.3 1.3 1.2 1.1	42 42 50 56 56	23 23 23 23 23 23	21 21 21 21 21 21	9. 1 8. 8 8. 8 8. 5 8. 2	
			35	8.7 9.5 9.5 9.5 16	13 23 27 32 35	58 58 58 58 58 58	39 39 39 39 39 39	26 27 28 29 30 31	2. 9 2. 9 2. 9 2. 9	1. 0 . 3 9. 1 12 12	56 56 56 56 56 56 56	23 23 23 27 34	21 21 21 20 20 20	8. 2 7. 9 7. 9 7. 6 5. 7 5. 0	
11 12 13			47	18 24 27 27 27	40 43 43 57 62	58 60 68 68 68	39 39 39 38 38	3			7. 0 7. 0 7. 0 7. 0 8. 2	38 44 49 49	24 24 24 24 24 24	1.3 1.3 1.3 1.3 1.3	9. 5 9. 5 9. 6 15
16 17 18 19 20		8. 2 8. 2 8. 2 13 15	47 47 43 41 41	27 27 27 27 27 27	62 62 71 74 74	68 67 58 58 58	25	6 7 8		1	10 10 10	49 49 49 49	24 24 24 24 24 23	1. 3 1. 3 1. 3 1. 3 1. 7	14 14 13 13
21 22 23 24 25		12 10 10 10 10	41 37 34 34 38	27 27 25 14 0	74 74 74 74 74	58 58 58 57 50		12 13 14			17 17 17 17 17	31 25 25 25 25 25	23 29 39 39 39	9. 6 18 18 18 18	5. 8 24
27 28 29		12 13 13	40 40 37 33 26 23	9. 2 13 13 13 13	74 74 64 59 59	50 50 44 41 41 39		17		3.6	17 17 17 17 17	25 25 25 25 25 25 25	39 39 49 52 52	18 18 18 18 18	
1	1924	1 2.9	12 12 12 12 12 7. 4	56 56 56 49 19	34 34 34 34 39	20 20 20 20 20 19	4.8 4.8 4.8 5.7 9.5	22 23 24 25		. 6	17 17 17 17 17	25 25 25 25 25 25	52 52 52 52 52 50	18 18 18 15 10	
6 7 8 9		2.9 2.9 2.9 2.9	5. 0 5. 0 5. 3 5. 0	19 19 19 19	46 46 46 46	19 19 19 18 18	8. 8 5. 0 3. 9 2. 9 2. 9	26 27 28 29 30 31		4. 1 7. 0 7. 0 7. 0 7. 0	28 15 24 38 38 38	25 25 25 25 25 25	50 49 49 48 29 19	10 10 9. 8 9. 8 9. 8 9. 8	

Note.—No water released on days for which no record is given.

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Monthly discharge of Willow Creek below reservoir, near Malheur, Oreg., for the years ending September 30, 1921-1925

26. 11	Discha	arge in secon	d-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
1921					
April	33	0	2.83	16	
May	63	22	40. 2	2, 47	
June	56	23	41.0	2, 44	
July	75	34	61.6	3,79	
August	60	27	45. 5	2, 80	
September	42	0	16.8	1,00	
The year				12, 70	
1922					
May	73	0	36.1	2, 220	
June	78	52	72.1	4, 290	
July	83	22	69.1	4, 250	
August	68	0	36. 9	2, 270	
September	59	Ö	18.9	1, 120	
The year				14, 20	
1923					
April	15	0	5, 61	334	
May	47	23	39. 1	2, 400	
June	27	0	17. 8	1,060	
July	74	13	49.7	3, 060	
August	68	39	56. 7	3, 490	
September	39	ŏ	18.7	1, 110	
The year				11, 500	
1924					
March	9, 1	0	3, 29	202	
April	7. 3	.8	3. 20	190	
Most	56	5.0	27.4	1, 680	
May	56	5.8	25. 2	1, 500	
June					
July	46	20	31.5	1, 940 830	
August September	20 9, 5	5. 0 0	13. 5 2. 02	120	
•					
The year				6, 460	
1925			1.00	***	
April	7.0	0	1.89	112	
May	38	7.0	16.9	1,040	
une	49	25	32.7	1, 950	
July	<b>52</b>	19	36.8	2, 260	
August	18	1.3	10.4	640	
September	15	0	4. 33	258	
The year.				6, 260	

NOTE.-No flow for months for which no discharge is given.

### PAYETTE RIVER AT BANKS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In SE. 1/4 sec. 29, T. 9 N., R. 3 E., three-eighths 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, 1925.

GAGE.—Vertical staff in two sections on right bank; low-water section 60 feet upstream from high-water section; read by 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, 1924, after which time several changes occurred by filling in and washing out of material on control caused by highway excavation on left bank on side hill above.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 12.40 feet May 21 (discharge, 16,400 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.11 feet December 18 (discharge, 455 second-feet).

1922-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 12.54 feet June 6 and 8, 1922 (discharge, 18,900 second-feet); minimum discharge occurred December 18, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation 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 June 2-6 by erosion of loose material on left end of control; affected by ice December 21 to January 25. Rating curve applicable October 1 to June 1 well defined between 610 and 12,500 second-feet; the curve applicable after June 6 well defined between 900 and 8,000 second-feet and extended above. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Shifting-control method used June 2-6. Records good except for estimated periods for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of Payette River at Banks, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 30	Feet 2. 60 2. 92 7. 35 4. 94 10. 60	Secft. 773 933 5, 210 2, 290 11, 800	May 10 June 1 June 7 June 17 June 28	Feet 10. 33 10. 68 8. 04 8. 02 7. 60	Secft. 11, 300 12, 200 7, 360 7, 560 6, 590	July 23 Aug. 19 Sept. 12	Feet 3. 88 3. 10 2. 74	Secft. 1, 750 1, 180 976

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Payette River at Banks, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	610 622 675 690 660	1, 150 1, 150 1, 030 1, 120 1, 210	895 1, 150 1, 000 920 848	A	895 1, 180 1, 660 3, 660 6, 320	1, 660 1, 660 1, 660 1, 720 2, 090	4, 720 4, 720 5, 310 5, 800 6, 870	6, 689 7, 650 8, 480 8, 910 9, 570	11, 900 11, 200 10, 200 9, 080 8, 430	5, 890 5, 060 4, 600 4, 370 4, 130	1, 280 1, 250 1, 250 1, 180 1, 160	982 955 905 930 955
6	648 635 648 635 648	1,060 920 848 1,120 1,330	848 825 825 675 768		5, 010 3, 910 3, 180 2, 740 2, 440	2, 640 2, 640 2, 640 2, 440 2, 090	7, 450 7, 650 8, 480 9, 130 9, 570	11,000 11,900 12,200 11,900 11,200	7, 600 7, 390 7, 190 7, 190 7, 390	3, 900 3, 280 3, 060 2, 950 2, 840	1, 120 1, 100 1, 060 1, 040 1, 040	1,010 1,120 1,120 1,060 1,040
11	660 648 635 635 635	1, 030 870 690 920 920	948 895 870 870 785	730	2, 340 2, 340 2, 170 2, 010 2, 010	2, 170 2, 010 1, 860 1, 940 1, 860	10,500 11,200 11,000 10,500 10,300	11, 400 11, 000 11, 400 12, 400 12, 900	7, 190 7, 190 7, 000 7, 000 7, 000	2, 620 2, 520 2, 420 2, 320 2, 220	1,060 1,180 1,250 1,600 1,450	1,010 982 1,010 1,040 1,040
16	635 622 622 635 622	848 750 750 870 1,590	870 622 455 518 495		1, 860 1, 790 1, 720 1, 720 1, 720	1,860 1,790 1,790 1,860 1,940	11, 400 11, 900 11, 200 11, 000 9, 570	13, 400 14, 100 14, 400 15, 400 16, 100	7, 390 7, 390 7, 590 8, 190 8, 820	1, 940 2, 030 1, 940 1, 850 1, 760	1, 350 1, 280 1, 220 1, 180 1, 060	982 982 955 955 955
21 22 23 24 25	622 622 622 622 622	2, 010 2, 170 1, 860 1, 560 1, 240	610	1	1,790 1,720 2,010 2,010 1,940	2, 170 2, 640 3, 070 3, 180 3, 420	8, 480 7, 650 7, 060 6, 320 5, 800	16, 400 16, 100 15, 900 15, 400 14, 600	9, 450 9, 890 9, 240 8, 610 8, 190	1,760 1,810 1,760 1,680 1,600	1, 120 1, 100 1, 120 1, 120 1, 100	982 955 930 905 905
26	622 690 975 1, 120 948 1, 000	1, 090 848 825 825 825	700	750 735 750 768 825 895	1, 860 1, 790 1, 720	3, 420 3, 420 3, 780 5, 310 4, 860 4, 580	5, 630 5, 470 5, 470 5, 630 5, 970	14, 100 14, 100 14, 100 14, 100 13, 900 12, 900	7, 390 7, 000 6, 620 6, 430 6, 250	1, 520 1, 450 1, 420 1, 380 1, 350 1, 320	1,060 1,100 1,060 1,040 1,040 1,010	882 905 905 905 930

NOTE.—Discharge estimated Dec. 21 to Jan. 25; interpolated, May 3 and July 4-5 account of missing gage height. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods included.

Monthly discharge of Payette River at Banks, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

[Drainage	area.	2.120 s	anare	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	2, 170 1, 150 6, 320 5, 310 11, 900 16, 400 11, 900	610 690 455 895 1, 660 4, 720 6, 680 6, 250 1, 320 1, 010 882	687 1, 110 744 741 2, 340 2, 590 8, 060 12, 700 8, 050 2, 540 1, 160 973	0. 324 . 524 . 351 . 350 1. 10 1. 22 3. 80 5. 99 3. 80 1. 20 . 547 . 459	0. 37 . 58 . 40 . 40 1. 14 1. 41 4. 24 6. 89 4. 24 1. 38 . 63	42, 200 66, 000 45, 700 45, 600 130, 000 159, 000 781, 000 479, 000 156, 000 71, 300 57, 900
The year	16, 400	455	3, 470	1. 64	22. 19	2, 510, 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 (measured on topographic and Land Office maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—November 23, 1912, to September 30, 1916; July 27, 1919, to September 30, 1925. February 13, 1906, to November 22, 1912, at site in section 2, 2 miles upstream. Two small creeks enter between the two sites.

Gage.—Au water-stage recorder on right bank 200 feet above railroad crossing inspected by J. W. Anthony and L. W. Goodin.

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, 8.05 feet from 5 to 7 a.m. May 22 (discharge, 16.300 second-feet):

recorder, 8.05 feet from 5 to 7 a. m. May 22 (discharge, 16,300 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.30 foot at 10 p. m. December 18 (discharge, 365 second-feet).

1906-1916; 1919-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 9.57 feet at 1 p. m. June 9, 1921 (discharge, 22,100 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge, that of December 18, 1924.

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

Diversions.—Several diversions for irrigation from tributaries above; none between this station and 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 permanent; affected by ice December 21 to January 31. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except during winter when intake froze. Staff gage read to hundredths October 1 and every few days during fore part of February when water-stage recorder was not operating. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height. Records excellent after February 24 and fair for estimated periods during winter; others good.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Idaho Power Co.

Between the stations at Banks and Horseshoe Bend the river leaves the granite and enters the lava, and a loss in flow occurs which ranges from 2 to nearly 4 per cent of the mean annual flow.

Discharge measurements of Payette River near Horseshoe Bend, Idaho, during the  $y \bullet ar$  ending September 30, 1925 .

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 29 Feb. 11 Feb. 25 Feb. 26	Feet 1. 08 2. 38 2. 11 2. 08	Secft. 768 2, 250 1, 900 1, 830	Apr. 13 May 8 June 1 June 28	Feet 6. 14 6. 50 6. 82 4. 65	Secft. 10, 400 11, 300 12, 200 6, 400	July 24 Aug. 19 Sept. 12	Feet 1. 88 1. 48 1. 26	Secft. 1,600 1,130 946

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Payette River near Horseshoe Bend, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	619	1,080 1,060 1,010 994 1,210	834 1,080 1,010 930 851		880 1, 160 1, 380 3, 600 6, 350	1, 630 1, 630 1, 630 1, 660 1, 870	4, 650 4, 650 5, 160 5, 680 6, 580	6, 580 7, 300 7, 800 8, 310 9, 100	12, 200 11, 600 10, 800 9, 640 8, 570	5, 900 5, 260 4, 750 4, 460 4, 180	1, 220 1, 210 1, 210 1, 160 1, 120	948 930 894 851 885
6	640	1, 030 930 876 930 1, 210	876 826 792 704 613		5, 000 4, 080 3, 200 2, 700 2, 400	2, 280 2, 570 2, 640 2, 420 2, 140	7, 060 7, 550 8, 050 8, 570 9, 100	9, 920 11, 100 11, 400 11, 100 11, 100	7, 800 7, 250	3, 900 3, 460 3, 040 2, 800 2, 640	1, 080 1, 070 1, 040 1, 020 1, 000	957 1, 040 1, 080 1, 050 994
11	631 625 619 607 607	1,040 868 732 800 842	885 912 885 885 842	720	2, 280 2, 300 2, 100 1, 680	2,070 1,940 1,810 1,810 1,810	9, 920 10, 500 10, 500 9, 920 9, 640	11, 100 10, 800 11, 100 11, 600 12, 200	6, 820 6, 820 6, 820	2, 500 2, 420 2, 350 2, 200 2, 140	1, 010 1, 100 1, 190 1, 370 1, 500	966 948 948 939 957
16	595 601 595 595 601	808 778 748 834 1,370	868 704 468 432 418		1, 800	1,740 1,810 1,730 1,740 1,810	10, 500 11, 400 10, 800 10, 500 9, 640	12, 800 13, 509 14, 100 15, 100 15, 800	7, 060 7, 060 7, 300 7, 800 8, 310	1,940 1,870 1,870 1,810 1,710	1, 310 1, 250 1, 180 1, 150 1, 080	948 939 921 921 975
21	595 595 590 590 590	1, 870 1, 940 1, 700 1, 360 1, 140	600		1, 870	1, 940 2, 350 2, 800 3, 040 3, 280	8, 830 7, 800 7, 300 6, 820 6, 120	16, 100 16, 100 15, 800 15, 400 14, 800	8, 830 9, 100 9, 100 8, 310 8, 050	1,660 1,700 1,700 1,620 1,560	1, 050 1, 060 1, 060 1, 060 1, 060	957 921 903 885 860
26	590 613 792 1,080 912 996	1,040 800 785 817 817	} 690	780	1,810 1,740 1,680	3, 370 3, 370 3, 540 4, 850 4, 950 4, 750	5, 790 5, 580 5, 470 5, 580 5, 900	14, 400 14, 100 14, 400 14, 800 14, 100 13, 200	7, 300 6, 820 6, 350 6, 350 6, 350	1, 490 1, 410 1, 350 1, 330 1, 300 1, 260	1, 040 1, 040 1, 020 994 975 957	851 842 834 885 903

Note.—Discharge estimated Oct. 2-10, Dec. 21 to Jan. 31, Feb. 1-2, 4, 6, 8-10, 12-13, 15-24, and June 7-12 based on flow at banks. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

# Monthly discharge of Payette River near Horseshoe Bend, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

[Drainage area, 2,230 square miles]

•	Ε	ischarge in s	econd-feet		Ruj	n-off
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	6, 350 4, 950 11, 400 16, 100 12, 200 5, 900	590 732 418 	658 1, 050 732 732 2, 290 2, 480 7, 850 12, 400 7, 960 2, 500 1, 120 931	0. 295 . 471 . 328 . 328 1. 03 1. 11 3. 52 5. 56 2. 57 1. 12 . 502 . 417	0. 34 . 53 . 38 . 38 1. 07 1. 28 3. 93 6. 41 3. 98 1. 29 . 58	40, 500 62, 500 45, 000 45, 000 127, 000 467, 000 762, 000 474, 000 154, 000 55, 400
The year	16, 100	418	3, 390	1. 52	20. 64	2, 450, 000

### PAYETTE RIVER NEAR EMMETT, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 22, T. 7 N., R. 1 W., three-eighths mile below Black Canyon Dam and 5 miles northeast of Emmett, Gem County.

Drainage area.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 11 to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Au water-stage recorder on right bank installed June 11, 1925; inspected by C. A. Harris.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 800 feet above gage.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of rock and coarse gravel. One channel at all stages. Control formed by well-defined rock and gravel riffle; may shift occasionally.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during period from water-stage recorder, 7.95 feet at 3 p. m. June 21 (discharge, 10,600 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.10 feet at 4 a. m. August 8 (discharge, 482 second-feet).

DIVERSIONS.—Numerous canals divert water for irrigation above and below station.

REGULATION.—Flow past gage slightly affected by operation of gates in Black Canyon Dam and by storage of water in Payette Lake.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Standard rating curve well defined below 7,000 second-feet. 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 excellent below 7,000 second-feet; others good.

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

The following discharge measurement was made September 17, 1925: Gage height, 2.31 feet; discharge, 640 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Payette River near Emmett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

							<u> </u>		
Day	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	June	July	Aug.	Sep t
1		5, 830	799	602	16	7, 160	1, 680 1, 420 1, 470 1, 400 1, 310	1,010	648
2 3		5, 030 4, 400	832 824	566 566	17	7, 400 7, 400	1,420	892 858	640 625
4		4, 220	783	552	19	8, 140	1, 400	775	632
5		3, 900	735	545	20	8,650	1,310	767	687
6		3, 580	751	580	21	9, 450	1, 240	687	711
7		3, 210	719	727	22	9,730	1, 240 1, 240	687	679
8		2,700	618	972	23	9,730	1, 260	640	695
9		2, 490	610	743	24	8,910	1, 180	679	687
10		2, 160	602	695	25	8, 140	1, 180	687	679
11	7,400	2, 100	595	671	26	7, 400	1, 100	679	663
12	7, 160	2,040	648	640	27	6,700	1,000	663	648
13	6,930	1,910	743	625	28	6, 480	945	679	648
14	6, 930 7, 400	1,790	1,000	625	29	6,040	936	648	671
15	7,400	1,730	1, 200	632	30	6,040	874	625	695
	1	l	1		31		858	618	

Monthly discharge of Payette River near Emmett, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

3.5	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
June 11-30 July	9, 730 5, 830 1, 200	6, 040 858 595	7, 660 2, 130 744	304, 000 131, 000 45, 700
September	972	545	658	39, 200
The period				520, 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, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff near right bank on tubular pier of highway bridge; read by 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 effected 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 effective prior to 1919.

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

Daily gage height, in feet, of Payette Lake at Lardo, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3	0. 80					3.00		2.00		
5			2.48							
6 7 8			2. 70		2, 15		3. 50		3, 25	1. 93
910		1. 64		1.96						
11					2, 70	3,85		3. 10	j	
13 14 15	1.00		2, 30		3. 19		3.50			
16 17		1. 70		1.96		4.85				
18 19 20.	1.07				3, 60		3.75	3. 23	2. 57	1.65
2122			2. 05	1.94			3.85	3. 28		1. 58
23 24		1.87				5. 45			2, 36	
26					2, 80			3. 35		
27 28 29	1. 14		2.00	1. 94			3, 35 3, 16		2,12	
30		2. 18				4, 91				

NOTE.—No storage prior to Jan. 10, on which date a few flashboards in dam were installed which washed out on Feb. 7. No further regulation until July 6 when flashboards were reinstalled. Release of stored water for irrigation began on Aug. 8; thereafter, flow from lake regulated 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, 1925.
- Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank; installed December 19, 1923; inspected by F. L. Williams. Datum unchanged since October 14, 1908.
- DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable half a mile below gage or by wading.
- CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed and control composed of boulders, cobbles, and gravel; slightly shifting. One channel at all stages.
- Extremes of discharge.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 6.42 feet at 9 p. m. May 21 (discharge, 3,020 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.98 foot November 7 and 8 (discharge, 3.0 second-feet).
  - 1908–1917; 1919–1925: Maximum stage recorded, 7.5 feet June 5, 1909 (discharge, 4,250 second-feet); minimum discharge, 3 second-feet October 21 and 22, 1911, November 10–26, 1919, and November 7 and 8, 1924.
- ICE.—Stage-discharge relation very seldom 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 a quarter of a mile above.
- Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent except May 6-18, when tree on right end of control caused slight backwater effect; affected by ice December 17 to January 10 and during early part of February. Rating curve well defined below 2,700 second-feet. Ice formation in gage well and lack of regular visits to gage caused frequent gaps in record; otherwise water-stage recorder operated satisfactorily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table 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 United States Forest Service.

Discharge measurements of North Fork of Payette River at Lardo, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis charge
Dec. 2 Do Feb. 4 Apr. 15	Feet 1. 32 1. 32 4. 1. 83 4. 18	Secft. 10. 0 10. 0 36. 2 957	Apr. 15 May 11 May 30 June 21	Feet 4. 18 4. 98 5. 94 4. 85	Secft. 951 1,520 2,550 1,500	June 29 July 22 Aug. 20 Sept. 22	Feet 4. 16 1. 10 2. 46 1. 95	Secft. 952 4.4 124 53.7

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

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of North Fork of Payette River at Lardo, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	38 35 13	6. 5 4. 8 3. 2 3. 2 3. 2	3.8 9.0 11 11 11		} 25 36 } 38	120	160	680 835 985 1,040 1,240	2, 140 1, 900 1, 720 1, 500 1, 320	796 728 662 600	4.3	38 42 80 78 78
6 7 8 9	4.8 4.4 4.2 3.8 4.0	3. 1 3. 0 3. 0 3. 4 3. 8	11 11 11 11 11	5	150 407 375 337	123	209 274 337 407 500	1, 410 1, 680 1, 860 1, 760 1, 650	1, 200 1, 160 1, 160 1, 160 1, 240	60	163 186 183	78 78 78 77 77
11 12 13 14 15	6. 8 6. 5 6. 2 6. 2 6. 2	4. 2 4. 6 4. 6 4. 6 4. 6	11 11 11 4.9 3.1		312 289 270 256 235	116	628 764 868 935 970	1, 540 1, 580 1, 760 1, 950 2, 140	1, 200 1, 200 1, 200 1, 200 1, 160	36 38 37 22 5, 3	180 174 171 169 166	67 62 59 59 58
16	6. 2 6. 5 6. 8 6. 7 6. 5	5. 5 6. 4 7. 3 7. 6 7. 6	3.2	6.0	216 200 194 191 170	110	1, 120 1, 240 1, 240 1, 200 1, 080	2, 340 2, 490 2, 690 2, 900 3, 000	1, 160 1, 200 1, 240 1, 320 1, 410	5, 1 4, 0 3, 9 3, 9 4, 0	161 156 150 145 140	57 56 55 54 53
21 22 23 24 25	6. 3 6. 2 6. 2 6. 2 6. 2	7.6 7.9 5.5 3.2 4.9	35	7.3	150	108	970 900 796 710 650	3, 000 3, 000 2, 900 2, 790 2, 790	1,500 1,500 1,450 1,360 1,280	4.0 4.2 4.2 4.2 4.2	135 130 128 123 123	50 49 38 23 22
26	6. 0 6. 2 6. 5 6. 5 6. 5	9.0 9.0 6.5 3.2 3.4		10 12	128	106	612 573 556 556 590	2, 590 2, 490 2, 490 2, 540 2, 540 2, 390	1, 160 1, 080 1, 010 935 868	4. 2 4. 2 4. 2 4. 2 4. 3 4. 3	121 110 108 89 39 39	22 21 19

Note.—Owing to formation of ice Dec. 17 to Jan. 10 and fore part of February and because of missing gage-height record, discharge estimated Oct. 1-3, Dec. 17-31, Jan. 1-16, 18-23, 25-30, Feb. 1-3, 5-7, 22-27, Mar. 1-8, 10-15, 17-20, 22-27, 29-31, Apr. 1-5, July 5-10, Aug. 2-7, and Sept. 23-30; interpolated Oct. 19-21, Nov. 9-11, 16-17, Feb. 20, May 10, Aug. 16-19, Sept. 6 and 15-19. Result of discharge measurement used Feb. 4. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

# Monthly discharge of North Fork of Payette River at Lardo, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

# [Drainage area, 131 square miles]

	D	ischarge in s	econd-feet		Run-off		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet	
October November December January February March	11 407	3.8 3.0 3.1	10. 2 5. 15 6. 37 6. 61 175 115	0. 078 . 039 . 049 . 050 1. 34 . 878	0. 09 . 04 . 06 . 06 1. 40 1. 01	627 306 392 406 9, 720 7, 070	
April May June July August September	1, 240 3, 000 2, 140	680 868 3. 9	650 2, 100 1, 300 108 110 52, 2	4. 96 16. 0 9. 92 . 824 . 840 . 398	5. 53 18. 4 11. 1 . 95 . 97 . 44	38, 700 129, 000 77, 400 6, 640 6, 760 3, 110	
The year	3, 000	3. 0	387	2, 95	40. 05	280, 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, 434 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, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff on right bank directly to rear of ranger station; read by Forest Service rangers.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 30 feet below 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 stage recorded during year, 5.50 feet May 20 (discharge, 6,930 second-feet); minimum discharge estimated somewhat less than 300 second-feet probably occurred December 18, following an unusual drop in temperature when stage-discharge relation was affected by ice.

1921-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 6.87 feet June 9, 1921 (discharge, 9,330 second-feet); minimum discharge probably occurred December 18, 1924. Ice.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Practically none above.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent; affected by ice December 18 to January 3. Standard rating curve well defined between 320 and 6,000 second-feet. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table except as indicated in footnote to table of daily discharge. Records good except for estimated periods, 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 1	Feet 0. 68 1. 52 3. 42 3. 88	Secft. 438 1,050 3,310 4,040	May 31 June 7 June 16 July 1	Feet 4, 72 3, 26 3, 46 3, 46	Secft. 5, 560 3, 090 3, 460 3, 360	July 24 Sept. 13	Feet 1. 65 . 92	Secft. 1, 170 566

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of South Fork of Payette River near Garden Valley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1.	385	525	438	1	385	465	1, 140	2, 600	4, 800	3, 330	875	590
2 3	385 385	525 465	438 465	400	525 655	525 495	1, 140 1, 340	3, 030 3, 330	4, 290 3, 970	2, 740 2, 600	875 835	590 590
5	385 385	558 539	445 425	410 410	1,050 1,100	525 690	1,530 1,730	3, 490 3, 970	3, 650 3, 330	2, 460 2, 330	835 795	590 590
6	385	521	405	410	1,340	760	1,840	4, 460	3, 030	2, 200	795	622
7 8 9	385 385	502 484 465	385 438	410 385	1,050 835	760 760	1,840 2,200	4, 970 4, 630	3, 030 2, 880	2,070 1,950	760 760	655 690
10	385 385	438	320 438	385 385	725 655	690 655	2, 460 2, 740	3, 970 3, 810	3, 030 3, 330	1,840 1,840	725 725	622 622
11 12	385 385	410 410	465 438	385 385	655 622	590 622	3, 330 3, 330	3,970 4,130	3, 030 3, 030	1, 730 1, 730	725 725	590 558
13	385 385	438 465	438 438	385 385	590 525	558 558	3, 330 3, 330	4, 460 4, 800	3, 030 3, 180	1, 630 1, 530	760 1, 100	590 558
15	385	438	410	360	495	558	3, 030	5, 140	3, 030	1,530	918	590

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of South Fork of Payette River near Garden Valley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
16	385 385 385 385 385	410 385 385 410 410	438 345	360 410 410 410 410	495 495 495 495 525	558 558 558 558 558 590	3, 330 3, 810 3, 340 2, 880 2, 460	5, 310 5, 490 6, 030 6, 570 6, 930	3, 330 3, 180 3, 490 3, 970 4, 460	1, 430 1, 340 1, 340 1, 240 1, 240	760 760 725 690 690	590 558 590 558 590
21 22 23 24 25	385 410 410 410 410	655 795 690 590 495	300	410 385 410 410 385	558 525 590 590 558	655 760 960 1,000 1,050	2, 330 2, 200 1, 840 1, 840 1, 730	6, 750 6, 210 6, 030 5, 850 5, 670	4, 630 4, 970 4, 630 4, 290 4, 130	1, 240 1, 240 1, 240 1, 140 1, 100	690 690 655 655 655	558 558 558 525 525
26	465 558 590 622 622 590	438 431 424 417 410	390	385 410 385 385 410 438	525 525 495	960 1,000 1,100 1,340 1,340 1,240	1, 730 1, 840 1, 840 2, 020 2, 200	5, 490 5, 310 6, 390 6, 570 6, 030 5, 490	3, 810 3, 650 3, 490 3, 490 3, 650	1, 050 1, 000 960 918 918 875	622 558 622 590 622 590	525 525 558 558 570

Note.—Discharge estimated Dec. 18 to Jan 3, Apr. 20, Aug. 13, and Sept 30, based upon comparison with computed flow at station near Banks; interpolated Nov. 5-8, 27-29, Dec. 4-6, Apr. 18 and 29. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of South Fork of Payette River near Garden Valley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

## [Drainage area, 779 square miles]

· ·	D	ischarge in se	econd-feet		Ru	1-off
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June June July August September	1, 340 3, 810 6, 930 4, 970	385 385 360 385 465 1, 140 2, 600 2, 880 875 558 525	425 484 375 397 646 756 2, 320 5, 060 3, 660 1, 610 735 580	0. 546 . 621 . 481 . 510 . 829 . 970 2. 98 6. 50 4. 70 2. 07 . 944 . 745	0. 63 . 69 . 55 . 59 . 86 1. 12 3. 32 7. 49 5. 24 2. 39 1. 09 . 83	28, 100 28, 800 23, 100 24, 400 35, 900 138, 000 311, 000 218, 000 99, 000 45, 200 34, 500
The year	6, 930		1, 420	1.82	24.80	1, 030, 000

## 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, 1925.

GAGE.—Au continuous water-stage recorder on right bank, installed September 12, 1922; inspected by 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; changes infrequently.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 7.97 feet from 6 to 8 a. m. May 20 (discharge, 9,450 second-feet); minimum stage recorded 0.20 foot st 5 a. m. December 18 (discharge, 350 second-feet). Actual minimum discharge probably occurred after ice formed December 18.

1921-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 8.70 feet June 7, 1922 (discharge, 9,900 second-feet); minimum stage recorded, 0.19 foot at 8.30 p. m. December 12, 1922 (discharge, about 330 second-feet). Lower discharge may have occurred after ice formed in channel December 18, 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Diversions.—None except a few small ranch diversions from tributaries in drainage area above.

REGULATION.—None.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation changed during high water May 6-8; affected by ice November 29, 30, December 1, 19-31, and January 1-25. Rating curves well defined below 8,000 second-feet. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except during ice period. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspecting recorder graph. 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 30 Dec. 3 Feb. 10 Apr. 14 May 9	Feet  0.97 .80 1.28 5.42 5.64	Secft. 557 634 954 5, 380 5, 930	May 11 May 31 June 7 June 16	Feet 5. 58 6. 44 4. 18 4. 33	Secft. 5, 780 7, 040 3, 740 4, 040	June 28	Feet 4. 27 1. 86 1. 07 . 86	Secft. 3, 930 1, 410 814 687

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

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of South Fork of Payette River near Banks, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	408 417 458 515 462	682 652 624 652 812	560 706 646 590 574		602 676 1,040 1,960 3,030	846 867 867 881 1,080	2, 160 2, 160 2, 360 2, 630 3, 140	3, 980 4, 460 4, 820 4, 940 5, 460	6, 200 5, 600 5, 180 4, 630 4, 240	3, 620 3, 140 2, 970 2, 860 2, 680	1, 010 1, 010 1, 010 975 940	686 680 674 662 704
6	448 440 448 435 440	640 585 563 634 773	568 541 541 435 448		2, 410 1, 860 1, 520 1, 270 1, 000	1, 350 1, 470 1, 430 1, 350 1, 190	3, 380 3, 620 4, 100 4, 580 4, 940	6, 040 6, 790 6, 580 5, 750 5, 600	3, 980 3, 860 3, 740 3, 740 3, 980	2, 520 2, 360 2, 200 2, 110 2, 010	905 905 877 856 842	746 796 783 758 716
11 12 13 14 15	453 453 448 444 444	629 563 495 563 574	602 580 541 546 525	485	930 965 895 832 818	1, 120 1, 040 1, 000 965 965	5, 460 5, 590 5, 590 5, 200 4, 940	5, 600 5, 750 6, 200 6, 650 6, 800	3, 860 3, 860 3, 860 3, 860 3, 740	1, 920 1, 880 1, 830 1, 700 1, 650	828 828 863 1,090 1,120	692 686 674 680 698
16 17 18 19 20	440 435 435 435 435	536 505 495 563 853	530 435 362		780 736 736 766 806	930 1,000 965 1,000 1,040	5, 460 5, 720 5, 200 4, 700 4, 100	7, 100 7, 400 7, 850 8, 490 9, 130	3, 980 3, 980 4, 110 4, 500 4, 900	1,610 1,570 1,520 1,480 1,400	940 877 842 816 796	692 674 662 662 716
21	435 430 430 426 417	1, 080 1, 120 1, 040 792 682	380		867 867 1,000 1,150 1,040	1, 150 1, 390 1, 730 1, 820 1, 860	3, 740 3, 620 3, 380 3, 140 2, 970	8, 970 8, 490 8, 170 7, 700 7, 550	5, 320 5, 600 5, 320 4, 900 4, 630	1, 360 1, 440 1, 400 1, 320 1, 280	802 770 752 770 752	680 650 638 620 614
26	417 444 624 818 602 607	640 510 495 525 557	} 450	495 480 505 520 552 585	965 930 881	1,820 1,780 1,860 2,410 2,460 2,310	2, 920 2, 920 2, 970 3, 140 3, 500	7, 250 7, 400 7, 850 8, 330 7, 850 7, 100	4, 370 4, 110 3, 860 3, 860 3, 980	1, 200 1, 160 1, 120 1, 090 1, 050 1, 050	734 740 728 710 698 692	608 602 614 650 680

Note.—Discharge estimated because of ice Nov. 29 to Dec. 1, Dec. 19-31, and Jan. 1-25, based on observer's notes, weather records, and flow of Payette River at Banks. Result of discharge measurement used Nov. 30. 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, 1925

### [Drainage area, 1,200 square miles]

	D	ischarge in s	econd-feet		-Run-off		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet	
October November December January February March April May June July June July September	1, 120 706 3, 030 2, 460 5, 720 9, 130 6, 200 3, 620	408 495 602 846 2, 160 3, 980 3, 740 1, 050 692 602	469 661 480 492 1, 120 1, 350 3, 910 6, 840 4, 390 1, 820 854 680	0. 391 . 551 . 400 . 410 . 933 1. 12 3. 26 5. 70 3. 66 1. 52 . 712 . 567	0. 45 .61 .46 .47 .97 1. 29 3. 64 6. 57 4. 08 1. 75 .82 .63	28, 800 39, 300 29, 500 30, 300 62, 290 83, 000 233, 900 421, 000 261, 000 112, 000 52, 500	
The year	9, 130		1,920	1. 60	21. 74	1, 390, 00	

## 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, 1925.

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, 4.14 feet at 1 a. m. May 20 (discharge, 2,500 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.14 feet October 20-23 (discharge, 78 second-feet). Actual minimum discharge probably occurred December 18 during ice-affected period immediately following unusual drop in temperature.

1921-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 4.53 feet at 3 a. m. May 26, 1922 (discharge, 3,080 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.12 feet August 29, 1924 (discharge, 75 second-feet). Lower discharge may have occurred about December 18, 1924, during extremely cold period.

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

DIVERSIONS.—None.

REGULATION .-- None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed during ice-affected period November 28 to January 31. Rating curves well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except during winter when its operation was discontinued on account of severe ice conditions. 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 or from staff gage readings. Records good except from December to March, for which they are poor.

Discharge measurements of Deadwood River near Lowman, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Feb. 8 Apr. 17	Feet 1. 94 3. 38	Secft. 314 1,380	May 10 July 1	Feet 3. 48 2. 66	Secft. 1,570 612	July 24 Sept. 13	Feet 1. 93 1. 45	Secft. 275 119

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Deadwood River near Lowman, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

					1			1	1		<del> </del>	1
Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	82	133	)	1	94	)	366	1,020	1,690	633	187	123
2	83	120	1		h	ı	384	1,200	1,550	593	193	119
8	101	114		1	11	1	454	1,300	1, 420	563	190	116
4	102	139	1 1	li .	11	125	501	1,400	1, 250	534	181	112
5	92	150			220	1	569	1, 590	1, 180	512	175	119
6	88	114		H		1	612	1,770	1, 100	485	172	123
7	88	106		li	11	160	683	1, 910	1,090	454	169	139
8	88	93	110	l l	276	)	809	1,840	1, 070	433	166	134
9	86	118	110	1	1	1	945	1, 590	1, 100	414	163	121
10	88	116				145	1,070	1, 550	1, 160	394	160	119
11	88	104	1	1	11	1	1, 190	1, 590	1,080	375	160	116
12	86	85		11	<b>}</b> }	137	1, 240	1,650	1,070	357	160	121
	86	82	1 .	11		101	1,280	1,840	1,060	348	234	123
13	85	108	1	11	11	11	1,210	1, 910	1,040	371	280	130
15	83	102		11	120	1	1, 140	1,980	1,080	296	203	132
10	00	102	נן	100		11	1, 140	1, 900	1,000	290	200	102
16	82	99	1	100	H	150	1,310	1,980	1, 150	280	187	132
17	80	90		11	11	-00	1,400	2, 050	1, 160	276	178	130
18	80	85	<b>!                                    </b>	11	11		1, 210	2, 200	1, 120	268	169	130
19	80	92	H	H	il .		1,030	2, 340	1, 160	260	166	134
20	78	188	H		]]	]]	865	2,420	1, 210	249	160	150
20		100	11	11	1	ľ	000	2, 120	1,210		100	200
21	78	199	{	11	112	190	773	2, 270	1, 240	256	157	137
22	78	214	80	H	h	220	739	2, 200	1, 210	296	152	132
23	78	160	11	11	H	276	675	2, 200	1, 120	288	150	130
24	80	130		!		292	619	2, 120	1,020	272	152	127
25	80	124	H	II	110	309	587	2,050	935	264	150	127
26	80	106			11	296	593	2,050	845	256	144	127
27	92	92	11	II .	J.	300	612	2,050	782	238	144	125
28	139	j)	1)	11	105	334	633	2, 120	707	223	139	127
29		} 95	1)			423	707	2, 120	691	213	134	137
30	106	IJ	} 90	11		414	818	2,050	661	203	132	142
31	116		}	1)		371		1,840		197	125	
	1	1	I .	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Note.—Discharge estimated Nov. 28 to Jan. 31, Feb. 2-7, 9-20, 22-27, Mar. 1-6, 8-11, and 13-20, based largely on flow of South Fork of Payette River near Garden Valley. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Deadwood River near Lowman, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

[Drainage area, 217 square miles]

:	r	discharge in s	econd-feet	1	Rus	a-off
Month .	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December	214	78 82	89. 3 118 96. 5	0. 412 . 544 . 445	0.48 .61 .51	5, 490 7, 020 5, 930
JanuaryFebruary			100 143	. 461 . 659	. 53 . 69	6, 150 7, 940
March April May	1, 400 2, 420	366 1, 020	202 834 1,880	. 931 3. 84 8. 66	1, 07 4, 28 9, 98	12, 400 49, 600 116, 000
June	633	661 197 125	1, 100 348 169	5. 07 1. 60 . 779	5.66 1.84 .90	65, 500 21, 400 10, 400
September	150	112	128	. 590	.66	7, 620
The year	2, 420		435	2.00	27. 21	315, 000

## SQUAW CREEK NEAR GROSS, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 19, T. 13 N., R. 2 E., at mouth of Cold Spring Creek, 2 miles southeast of Mill Creek ranger station, 10 miles north of Gross, Gem County, and 19 miles north of Ola. Record includes flow of Cold Spring Creek.

Drainage area.—21 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 26 to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Au continuous water-stage recorder on left bank; inspected by Geological Survey engineers.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from footbridge 15 feet below gage or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of gravel and boulders. One channel at all stages. Gradient steep. Control fairly well defined; subject to change at high stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during period from water-stage recorder, 3.55 feet at 9 p. m. May 27 (discharge, 413 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.87 foot September 26 and 27 (discharge, 3.4 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—None above gage.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined below 250 second-feet and extended above. 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.

Discharge measurements of Squaw Creek near Gross, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 27	Feet 2. 93 2. 31 2. 43	Secft. 237 109 120	July 21 Aug. 7	Feet 1.17 .99	Secft. 12. 2 6. 0	Sept. 1 Sept. 25	Feet 0. 90 . 88	Secft. 3.9 3.2

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Squaw Creek near Gross, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		157 155 130 116 117 121 123 130 155	60 48 34 30 26 24 22 21 20	7. 5 7. 5 6. 9 6. 2 6. 0 5. 7 5. 7 5. 2 5. 0	3.8 3.7 3.5 3.5 5.0 4.8 6.0 7.2 5.2	16		141 153 159 164 159 153 135 116 100	15 14 14 13 12 13 12 12 12 12	6.0 5.7 5.0 4.5 4.3 4.0 3.8 4.8 7.8	3.7 3.7 3.7 4.3 5.2 4.3 3.8 3.7
9		133	19	5. 2	4.5	24		92	11	6.0	3. 5
11 12 13 14 15		119 128 132 124 121	18 18 18 17 16	5. 0 4. 8 6. 2 7. 8 6. 5	4.3 4.0 3.8 3.7 3.7	26	365 305 305 264 259 184	85 80 73 70 66	9. 9 9. 2 8. 5 8. 2 7. 8 7. 5	5. 0 5. 0 5. 0 4. 5 4. 3 4. 0	3. 4 3. 4 4. 3 7. 8 6. 9

Monthly discharge of Squaw Creek near Gross, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

#### [Drainage area, 21 square miles]

	]	Discharge in	Run-off			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
May 26-31	365 164 60 7.8 7.8	184 66 7. 5 3. 8 3. 4	280 124 18. 4 5. 51 4. 40	13. 3 5. 90 . 876 . 262 . 210	2, 97 6, 58 1, 01 , 30 , 23	3, 330 7, 380 1, 130 339 262
The period						12, 400

## WEISER RIVER ABOVE CRANE CREEK, NEAR WEISER, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In sec. 10, T. 11 N., R. 4 W., on Purcell ranch, 1 mile above mouth of Crane Creek and 9 miles northeast of Weiser, Washington County.

Drainage area.—1,160 square miles (measured on Forest Service map, topographic maps, and base map of Idaho).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—July 15, 1920, to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder on left bank a quarter of a mile from ranch house on Purcell ranch; 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 stage during year from well-defined highwater marks, 10.65 feet about February 4 (discharge, about 13,500 second-feet); minimum discharge, 15 second-feet October 1-3.

1920-1925: Maximum stage and discharge occurred about February 4, 1925; minimum discharge recorded, 10 second-feet 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 February and March. Rating curve applicable October 1 to December 15 well defined; rating curve applicable March 7 to September 30 well defined between 25 and 5,000 second-feet; curve parallel thereto used February 8-24; shifting-control method used February 25 to March 6. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except during winter and for a few short periods at other times. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height obtained by inspection of recorder graph. Records good except from December to February, for which they are poor.

Discharge measurements of Weiser River above Crane Creek, near Weiser, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 23 Feb. 21 Mar. 7 Mar. 24	Feet 2. 40 3. 48 5. 88 3. 70	Secft. 569 1, 570 4, 870 1, 750	Apr. 3	Feet 4. 00 5. 26 4. 78 3. 01	Secft. 2, 100 3, 890 3, 090 1, 040	June 23	Feet 2. 40 . 96 . 98 1. 20	Secft. 603 29. 8 34. 7 76. 3

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Weiser River above Crane Creek, near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	15 15 15 16 16	149 182 155 143 179	220 228 254 236 244		<b>5, 500</b>	2, 420 2, 620 2, 420 2, 750 4, 080	2, 360 2, 170 2, 170 2, 360 2, 820	2, 050 2, 230 2, 360 2, 360 2, 420	1, 640 1, 500 1, 390 1, 240 1, 120	312	38 38 35 33 32	23 18 22 22 22 22
6	16 19 20 21 22	224 193 179 176 267	244 232 200	250	3, 470 3, 030 2, 170	5, 870 4, 720 4, 720 4, 240 2, 680	3, 170 3, 400 3, 540 3, 540 3, 620	2, 680 2, 960 2, 960 2, 620 2, 420	1, 050 1, 050 1, 020 1, 000 1, 030	160	25 21 19 18 18	22 26 33 45 56
11 12 13 14 15	23 25 25 25 25 26	276 232 179 172 186	200 208		1, 990 1, 500 1, 190	2, 230 1, 990 1, 750 1, 690 1, 750	3, 840 4, 400 3, 400 3, 840 3, 470	2, 360 2, 420 2, 420 2, 560 2, 680	979 922 898 851 844	96 58 43 28	18 18 19 20 22	56 56 56 54 58
16	26 28 28 28 28 29	182 168 159 165 315		300	1, 100	1, 810 2, 050 1, 750 1, 580 1, 640	3, 920 4, 080 4, 080 4, 720 4, 720	2, 960 3, 030 3, 100 3, 030 3, 170	836 828 798 750	25 28 30 32 30	61 50 40 38 32	61 65 67 72 78
21 22 23 24 25	29 29 32 33 33	680 617 589 480 408	150		1,580 2,300 5,040 6,380 4,720	1,580 1,690 1,750 1,750 1,750	3, 920 3, 540 3, 240 2, 890 2, 560	3, 100 3, 100 2, 750 2, 560 2, 490	698 637 591 523 460	33 45 49 65 69	23 20 19 19 21	78 81 81 78 76
26	33 35 44 101 179 146	362 276 232 224 216		700	2, 960 2, 820 2, 820	1,690 1,690 1,750 2,170 2,620 2,560	2,360 2,170 1,990 1,930 1,930	2, 420 2, 230 2, 170 2, 110 1, 990 1, 810	400 359 331 321 390	67 65 61 56 50 45	28 32 32 29 25 22	74 67 65 69 84

Note.—Discharge estimated because of ice Dec. 9-13, 16-31, Jan. 1-31, Feb. 1-2 on account of missing or faulty gage height record Feb. 3-7, 12-14, 16-20, June 19-20, and July 2-11, based upon weather records and flow at other stations in Weiser River Basin. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Weiser River above Crane Creek, near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

36. 11	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	179	15	36. 5	2, 24
November		143	266	15, 80
December	254		181	11, 10
[anuary			366	22, 50
February			3, 180	177,00
March	_ 5,870	1, 580	2, 440	150,00
April	4,720	1, 930	3, 240	193, 00
May	3, 170	1,810	2, 570	158,00
une	1,640	321	840	50,00
[uly	312	25	93. 1	5, 72
August	- 61	18	27. 9	1,72
September	- 84	18	55. 5	3, 30
The year		15	1,090	790, 00

## 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, 1925, when station was discontinued.

Gage.—Vertical staff on left bank temporarily installed April 8, 1925, at same site and datum as Stevens water-stage recorder in use June 17, 1924, to April 7, 1925; read by J. A. Finn. Datum of gage raised about 2.00 feet August 8, 1920; all gage readings prior to October 1, 1920, are based on former datum.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading or from highway bridge half a 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 may be overflowed 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 discharge recorded during year, 688 second-feet April 19; minimum stage, 0.02 foot at 8.45 p. m. July 8 (discharge, 0.8 second-foot).

1910-1913; 1919-1925: Maximum discharge recorded, 688 second-feet April 19, 1925; minimum discharge, 0.5 second-foot July 23-27, 1911.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Several small ditches divert above and below station.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by head gates at Lost Valley Reservoir 12 miles above. Gates in dam changed only at infrequent intervals.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly several times during year; affected by ice December 15 to February 12. Well defined rating curves parallel to standard curve used prior to April 5; rating curve well defined between 10 and 300 second-feet used after April 22; shifting-control method used for intervening period. Operation of water-stage recorder fairly satisfactory October 1 to April 7; thereafter gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. For period water-stage recorder was operated, mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records good except from December to February for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of West Fork of Weiser River near Fruitvale, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 25 Feb. 19 Mar. 25 Apr. 26	Feet 1. 23 1. 60 2. 10 2. 36	Secft. 53. 8 102 162 290	May 19 May 30 June 14 June 19	Feet 1. 91 1. 36 . 86 . 41	Secft. 197 108 52, 2 13, 2	July 21 Aug. 8 Aug. 25 Sept. 23	Feet 0.96 .65 .59 .52	Secft. 64.7 34.4 27.9 22.8

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of West Fork of Weiser River near Fruitvale, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	6. 6 8. 2 8. 6 9. 0 9. 0	16 14 14 75 71	23 28 23 20 18		20	89 90 90 106 168	238 224 249 314 430	276 299 299 311 311	102 74 68 66 64	2. 5 2. 5 2. 1 1. 8 1. 5	51 49 36 35 34	26 25 25 25
6	9. 5 10 9. 5 10 10	68 64 63 72 66	18 17 17 16 16		250	258 220 205 173 142	469 494 451 398 421	323 348 323 288 265	61 61 59 57 57	1. 3 1. 2 1. 0 1. 0 3. 2	34 34 34 34 33	26 24 26 26 25
11 12 13 14 15	11 10 10 10 10	62 63 61 57 52	16 17 17 18	10	102 104 113	120 112 96 86 84	469 481 445 456 509	265 244 233 223 223	56 53 53 53 53	3. 0 3. 0 3. 2 2. 8 59	34 34 27 55 29	24 24 25 24 24
16	10 10 10 11 11	51 45 27 18 40	13		110 110 112 109 109	84 81 77 75 78	581 622 594 688 530	213 204 194 194 175	51 49 14 13 9. 2	56 53 53 53 53	27 27 26 26 26 26	24 24 24 26 25
21 22 23 24 25	12 12 12 13 13	60 66 64 61 54	5		119 122 168 150 123	86 113 137 157 162	473 447 401 348 311	175 166 157 141 141	8. 1 8. 1 8. 1 5. 6 5. 6	64 61 59	26 26 33 29 27	24 24 23 24 24
26	12 14 23 21 14 16	40 33 28 26 23	} 7	15	105 100 91	155 150 182 247 286 260	288 254 254 254 254 254	130 120 114 108 108 102	4. 9 4. 6 3. 5 3. 2 2. 5	56 53 53 53 53 52	27 26 26 26 26 26 26	22 22 26 25 24

NOTE.—Discharge estimated Dec. 15 to Feb. 12, based on weather records and flow at Indian Valley and river station above Crane Creek; July 24-27, Sept. 3-5, based largely on Lost Creek flow; interpolated Dec. 9, 11-12, May 26, June 4, July 7, 16, Aug. 18, Sept. 15, 20, and 29. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

# Monthly discharge of West Fork of Weiser River near Fruitvale, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

[Drainage area, 65 square miles]

	D	ischarge in s	econd-feet				
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Run-off in acre- feet	
October November December January February March April May June July August September	75 28 	75 224 102 2. 5 1. 0 26 22	11. 5 48. 5 12. 2 11. 0 165 141 412 215 37. 6 31. 5 31. 7 24. 5	0. 177 . 746 . 188 . 169 2. 54 2. 17 6. 34 3. 31 . 578 . 485 . 488 . 377	0. 20 . 83 . 22 . 19 2. 64 2. 50 7. 07 3. 82 . 64 . 56 . 56 . 42	707 2, 890 750 676 9, 160 8, 670 24, 500 13, 200 2, 240 1, 940 1, 950	
The year	688	1.0	94. 1	1. 45	19. 65	68, 100	

### 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 16 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, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on right bank; installed May 21, 1920; inspected by O. V. Karr, E. G. Van Hoesen, and O. C. Mink.

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 during year, about 3.60 feet about April 16, determined by W. G. Sloan from marks on banks (discharge, 472 second-feet); minimum stage from water-stage recorder, 0.57 foot from noon to 1 p. m. September 5 (discharge, 0.5 second-foot).

1910-1914; 1920-21; 1924-25: 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 September 20. Rating curve well defined between 20 and 140 second-feet, above which it is fairly well defined, and curve parallel thereto used, respectively, April 18 to September 19 and September 20-30. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory, except for short periods owing to lack of attention. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table 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 in part by Mesa Orchards Co.

Discharge measurements of Lost Creek near Tamarack, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 27	Feet 2. 35 1. 78 1. 90	Secft. 135 42. 5 58. 4	Aug. 9	Feet 1, 70 1, 52	Secft. 36. 8 21. 2

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Lost Creek near Tamarack, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day A	or.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		138 150 157 161		3 2 2 2	51 43 36 36	26 26 26 26	16 17 18	329	132 134 134 134	44 15 9 6	61 61 61 59	27 27 27 27 27	22 . 22 . 22 . 23 . 23 . 22
6		167 178 185 192 187 174	45	2 1 1 2 7	36 36 36 36 36 35	19 26 27 27 27 27 25	20 21 22 23 24 25	225	134	3 3 3 3 3 3	59 58 58 57 56	27 27 27 27 27 27 27	22 22 22 22 21 21
11 12 13 14 15		148 144 140 134 132	43 43 44	7 7 7 17 61	32 28 28 28 28 28	25 24 24 24 24 24	26. 27. 28. 29. 30.	134 132 130 132	75	3 3 3 3 3	56 54 53 52 52 52	27 27 27 27 27 27 26	21 21 21 21 21 20

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights Apr. 19-26 and May 22 to June 12, based on comparison with flow of West Fork of Weiser River. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Lost Creek near Tamarack, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Nr	Discha	arge in second	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet	
April 18-31		130	204	5, 260	
May	192		127 25. 9	7, 810 1, 540	
JuneJuly	61	1	23. 9 33. 4	2, 050	
August	51	26	30.8	1,890	
September	27	19	23. 3	1,390	
The period				19, 900	

### LITTLE WEISER RIVER NEAR INDIAN VALLEY, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 36, T. 14 N., R. 1 W., half a mile below 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, 1924, to September 30, 1925. From February 25 to April 22, 1924, records were collected at the Burger ranch 1 mile downstream.

Gage.—Au water-stage recorder on left bank installed March 30, 1925. From April 23, 1924, to February 4, 1925, Au water-stage recorder on right bank opposite present gage. Temporary staff at this site and datum used February 18 to March 29, 1925. Gages read by G. L. Burger.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from footbridge 10 feet above gage or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of lava rock overlain with gravel.

One channel at all stages. Banks fairly high. Control well defined; not permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, about 4.19 feet about 10 p. m. February 4 (discharge, about 1,840 second-feet); minimum discharge, 4.4 second-feet October 1 and 2.

1920–21; 1923–25: Maximum stage and discharge recorded February 4, 1925; minimum discharge, 3.6 second-feet August 28–30 and September 4 and 5, 1924.

ICE. - Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Few small ranch diversions upstream. After high-water period entire flow is diverted for irrigation below gage.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed following flood February 4; affected by ice December 17 to January 31. Rating curve well defined below 220 second-feet and extended above parallel to subsequent curve used October 1 to February 4; curve well defined between 10 and 200 second-feet and fairly well defined below 500 second-feet used March 30 to September 30; shifting-control method used February 18 to March 29. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except during ice periods and for short period after February 4 when gage was washed out; daily staff readings from temporary gage used February 18 to March 29. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height. Records good except for period December 16 to February 4, for which they are poor, and for February 18 to May 18, for which they are fair.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by Southern Idaho Land & Power Co.

Discharge measurements of Little Weiser River near Indian Valley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Nov. 24. Feb. 18. Mar. 31. Apr. 25.	Feet 1. 01 . 74 1. 40 1. 66	Secft. 27. 1 68. 4 161 231	May 18 May 28 June 12 June 20	Feet 2, 21 1, 96 1, 46 1, 35	Secft. 473 411 176 138	July 20	Feet 0. 70 . 60 . 56 . 50	Secft. 24.3 16.5 14.2 10.3

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Weiser River near Indian Valley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 23 45	4. 4 4. 4 6. 4 7. 2 6. 0	26 23 19 16 26	21 25 22 20 22	20	117 381 674 938	65 62 63 56 94	153 150 186 264 310	281 310 324 324 324 324	302 277 252 225 218	81 68 62 60 58	16 17 17 16 16	11 10 9.6 9.6 12
6	6. 0 5. 6 5. 6 5. 6 6. 4	19 15 13 12 20	19 18 20 28 27		225	133 112 139 117 65	328 346 393 436 490	393 461 461 403 346	214 214 203 214 207	54 47 45 40 36	16 16 16 16 16	13 15 16 14 12
11	6. 8 6. 8 7. 2 7. 2 7. 2	17 19 18 17 16	22 22 22 24 22			54 47 48 44 40	535 550 470 422 480	360 379 398 446 461	186 182 176 166 166	32 32 31 28 27	16 15 16 28 20	12 12 11 10 10
16	7. 6 8. 1 8. 1 8. 7 8. 7	18 19 26 96 89	22	16	50 68 70 72	42 38 40 40 34	535 515 461 432 398	570 461 515 500 480	163 153 153 144 144	26 23 23 25 24	16 15 15 13 13	10 10 10 10 10 12
21	9. 2 9. 2 9. 8 9. 8	89 60 46 31 31	} 13		87 96 241 159 133	35 70 74 83 94	. 360 351 320 289 248	490 475 466 451 446	142 130 120 110 100	27 27 25 22 22	13 12 14 18 15	10 10 10 10 9.6
26	9. 8 12 22 28 17 16	23 24 25 26 24		100	114 89 65	89 89 130 166 193 169	237 229 218 229 252	427 432 403 384 356 324	94 87 85 81 85	22 20 18 18 17 17	13 13 13 13 12 12	8. 8 8. 8 10 16 13

Note.—Discharge estimated Dec. 17 to Jan. 31, based on occasional gage readings and weather records; estimated Feb. 5-17, based largely on flow of Weiser River and from precipitation records; interpolated Nov. 23. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Little Weiser River near Indian Valley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

### [Drainage area, 81 square miles]

	D	oischarge in s		Run-off		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January February		4. 4 12	9. 23 30. 1 17. 8 35. 6 256	0. 114 . 372 . 220 . 440 3. 16	0. 13 . 42 . 25 . 51 3. 29	568 1, 790 1, 090 2, 190 14, 200
March April May	193 550	34 150 281	81. 5 353 415	1. 01 4. 36 5. 12	1. 16 4. 86 5. 90	5, 010 21, 000 25, 500
June Julý	302 81	81 17	166 34. 1	2. 05 . 421 . 190	2. 29 . 49 . 22	9, 880 2, 100 947
August September		12 8.8	15. 4 11. 2	. 138	. 15	660
The year		4.4	117	1.44	19. 67	84, 90

### 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 base map of Idaho.
- RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 22, 1920, to August 8, 1925, when station was temporarily discontinued.
- Gage.—Vertical staff on right abutment of highway bridge; read by P. M. Gladhart, Mrs. W. J. Martin, and Vera Cable. From September 1 to November 1, 1923, during construction of new highway bridge, a temporary staff 500 feet upstream was used.
- 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 may be overflowed at high stages. Control formed by well-defined gravel riffle 75 feet below gage; subject to change during high water.
- EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 5.40 feet on afternoon of February 23 (discharge, 1,380 second-feet); no flow for several weeks after August 2.
  - 1920-1925: Maximum discharge estimated, based on well-defined water mark on gage, about 2,400 second-feet, February 8, 1924; no flow August 2 to September 14 and September 17-25, 1920, July 20 to September 30, 1924, and for several weeks after August 2, 1925.
- ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice; records discontinued during winter. 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 permanent. Rating curve well defined below 600 second-feet and extended above. Gage read to hundredths twice daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Little Weiser River near Cambridge, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Feb. 19 Mar. 24 Apr. 25	Feet 2, 50 2, 71 3, 02	Secft. 160 216 320	May 18	Feet 3. 57 3. 50 2. 64	Secft. 519 504 193	June 20 July 20 Sept. 24	Feet 2, 40 1, 30 1, 31	Secft. 136 •.9 .3

Estimated.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Little Weiser River near Cambridge, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.
1		332	277	277	350	83	0. 2
2		332	243	295	313	71	.1
3		332	243	332	277	65	1
4		465	296	350	243	62	11
5		625	350	369	228	60	1
V		020	000	308	420	00	1) 0
6	1 1	1,070	332	426	243	62	11
7		584	332	484	212	44	11
0			369	465	212	35	,
0		709			212	36	
9	555-	584	388	446			
10	313	277	426	388	212	28	
11	277	077	465	388	184	25	1
		277					
12	243	243	625	388	184	13	
13	198	228	544	426	184	9.8	
14	159	212	465	465	159	6.8	
15	159	243	544	465	159	5 <b>. 0</b>	
10	1.0	240	205	-44	150	4.0	-
16	159	243	625	544	159	4.6	
<u> 17</u>	148	332	625	504	154	4.2	
18	136	228	544	544	150	3.4	
19	148	198	544	544	145	2. 5	
20	157	243	544	584	136	.9	
	]			-0.			
21	260	212	465	584	126	. 9	
22	313	212	465	625	116	2. 5	
23	1,070	212	446	584	116	4.2	
24	1,020	212	350	5 <b>44</b>	108	3.8	
25	667	212	313	504	93	2. 5	
	1						
26	465	198	295	<b>504</b>	83	3.4	
27	446	198	277	465	83	.7	
28	350	212	277	465	71	.2	
29		277	243	426	71	. 2	
30		369	260	407	80	.2	1
31		277	-50	350	00	.2	
V*************************************		2.1		000		. 2	

Monthly discharge of Little Weiser River near Cambridge, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

25.44	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
February 10-28	1, 070 1, 070 625 625 350 83	136 198 243 277 71	352 334 406 456 169 20.6	13, 300 20, 500 24, 200 28, 000 10, 100 1, 270

## CRANE CREEK RESERVOIR NEAR MIDVALE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In SE. 1/4 sec. 19, T. 12 N., R. 2 W., 12 miles southeast of Midvais, Washington County.

Drainage area.—269 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—November 25, 1923, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Sloping staff consisting of painted chisel marks on gate-control pipe at southeast end of dam above tunnel outlet; read by Jesse W. Bain and Kenneth A. Hodge.

EXTREMES OF STAGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 44.7 feet February 7; minimum stage, 15.9 feet October 1 to November 5.

1924-25: Maximum stage recorded February 7, 1925; minimum stage, 9.4 feet November 25, 1923.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by Crane Creek Reservoir Administration Board.

Stored water from this reservoir is used for irrigation in the lower Weiser Valley. The reservoir is formed by a gravity earth dam, 65 feet high and 350 feet long at 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, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	15. 9 15. 9 15. 9	15. 9 15. 9  15. 9	16.8	17. 5 17. 5	24. 2 26. 5 30. 4 37. 5 42. 3	42. 22 42. 20 42. 12 42. 06 42. 05	42. 15 42. 10 42. 10 42. 10 42. 10	42.00 42.00 41.95 41.90 41.90	40, 60 40, 48 40, 38 40, 32 40, 28	38, 52 38, 42 38, 33 38, 25 38, 18	34. 75 34. 42 34. 20 34. 00 33. 62	27. 60 27. 22 26. 98 26. 85 26. 75
6	15. 9	16.0	17.0	17. 5 17. 5	44. 35 44. 7 44. 6 44. 6 44. 18	42. 09 42. 10 42. 10 42. 10 42. 00	42. 05 42. 05 42. 00 42. 00 42. 00	41. 90 41. 88 41. 85 41. 80 41. 80	40, 18 40, 15 40, 10 40, 05 40, 00	38. 08 37. 98 37. 90 37. 83 37. 78	33, 38 32, 88 32, 50 32, 28	26. 55 26. 38 26. 25 26. 10 25. 80
11			17.3	17. 5 17. 5	43. 62 42. 95 42. 3 41. 65 40. 95	41.75 41.62 41.60 41.65 41.70	42.00 42.00 41.90 41.90 41.90	41. 72 41. 62 41. 52 41. 42 41. 32	39, 95 39, 90 39, 83 39, 75 39, 68	37. 70 37. 62 37. 52 37. 42 37. 28	31. 98 31. 72 31. 45 31. 25 31. 10	25. 45 25. 05 24. 92 24. 78
16	15. 9 15. 9	16, 3	17.5	17. 5	40. 26 39. 6 39. 12 39. 12 39. 38	41. 80 41. 90 42. 00 42. 00 42. 00	41. 92 41. 95 41. 95 41. 95 41. 98	41. 25 41. 25 41. 20 41. 15 41. 15	39. 63 39. 58 39. 53 39. 43 39. 40	37. 18 37. 00 36. 80 36. 45 36. 32	30. 82 30. 55 30. 22 29. 98 29. 85	24. 62 24. 50 24. 38 24. 25 24. 15
21 22 23 24 25		16.5	17.5	17. 5	39. 7 40. 32 41. 34 42. 25 42. 5	42. 00 42. 00 42. 00 42. 02 42. 02	42. 00 42. 08 42. 10 42. 10 42. 10	41. 10 41. 05 41. 05 41. 05 41. 00	39, 30 39, 23 39, 18 39, 15 39, 05	36. 15 36. 05 35. 98 35. 80 35. 70	29. 62 29. 40 29. 20 28. 95 28. 80	24, 02 23, 85 23, 70 23, 60 23, 45
26. 27. 28. 29. 30.	15. 9	16.6	17. 5 17. 5 17. 5	17. 5 18. 0 20. 0 22. 0		42. 05 42. 05 42. 05	42.00	41. 00 40. 95 40. 95 40. 90 40. 85 40. 80	38. 98 38. 95 38. 88 38. 78 38. 66	35. 52 35. 42 35. 32 35. 22 35. 08 34. 92	28. 62 28. 45 28. 30 27. 95 27. 80	23, 35 23, 25 23, 20

Note.-Observer reported reservoir frozen over Dec. 9 to Jan. 24.

## CRANE CREEK NEAR MIDVALE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In SE. ½ 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-fourths mile below.

Drainage area.—269 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—October 30, 1910, to April 8, 1916; May 1, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Au water-stage recorder on right bank, installed May 2, 1924; inspected by Jesse W. Bain and Kenneth A. Hodge.

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 recorded during year, 3.42 feet February 7 to 7.30 a.m. February 13 (discharge, 674 second-feet); channel reported dry October 1 to noon February 4, 9 a.m. February 19 to 5 p.m. February 23, and 1 p.m. March 13 to noon March 16.

1910-1916; 1924-25: 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 below 300 second-feet. Gage read to hundredths twice daily February 4 to March 8, after which time water-stage recorder was satisfactorily operated. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Mar. 10 Do Apr. 1	Feet 2. 18 2. 18 1. 12	Secft. 275 276 88. 8	Apr. 28. June 22. Aug. 6.	Feet 0. 77 . 80 1. 70	Secft. 47. 1 46. 0 163	Sept. 24	Feet 0. 71	Secft. 38.3

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Crane Creek near Midvale, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

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Day	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1		300	92	45	48	58	142	85 85 84 84 83
2		274	92	45	48	58	160	99
3		274	92	47	48	60	173	04
4	325	274	92	36	48	63	195	04
0	667	274	92	26	48	59	165	83
6	667	274	66	43	48	45	165	83
7	674	274	47	45	48	46	163	81
8	674	274	46	45	48	64	163	76
9	674	274	45	45	48	65	162	.72
10	674	274	45	45	48	67	162	76 .72 72
11	674	274	45	46	48	44	160	71
12	674	160	45	48	47	44	155	
13	671	50	45	49	48	61	150	59
14	667	30	45	49	48	81	149	71 59 48 47
	660		45	49	48	110	150	1 77
15	000		40	40	40	110	100	T'
16	653	19	45	48	48	128	137	44
17	575	37	45	48	48	152	130	41
18	326	37	45	48	48	166	131	41
19	80	36	45	48	48	148	131	42
20		35	45	48	48	109	130	42
21	1	35	45	48	48	109	131	41
22		35	45	48	47	92	105	41
23	41	34	45	48	47	79	90	40
24	300	34	45	48	49	78	89	40
25	326	34	45	48	57	76	89	33
40	320	94	40	10	01	70	09	00
26	326	h	45	48	57	76	88	21
27	326	34	45	48	58	76	89	21
28	326	1	45	48	58	76	88	21
29		(J	45	48	59	76	88	21
30		78	45	48	58	87.	88	21
31		92		48		141	87	
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NOTE.—Discharge estimated Feb. 4, 19, 23, Mar. 13, 16, 26-31, based on gage heights for part days and observer's notes. No flow on days for which no discharge is given.

## Monthly discharge of Crane Creek near Midvale, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	arge in secon	1-feet	Run-off in.
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	0 0 674 300 92 49 59	0 0 0 0 0 0 45 26 47 44 87 21	0 0 0 392 126 53. 6 46. 2 49. 9 83. 7 132 53. 7	0 0 0 0 0 21, 800 7, 750 3, 190 2, 840 2, 970 5, 150 8, 120 3, 200
The year	674	0	75. 9	55, 000

## 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, a quarter of a mile above mouth, and 12 miles northeast of Weiser, Washington County.

Drainage area.—312 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—July 14, 1920, to September 30, 1925.

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 constructed 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 well-defined marks on gage, 6.80 feet on or about February 7 (discharge, about 2,350 second-feet); minimum stage recorded, 1.48 feet at 6 p. m. October 12 discharge, 0.9 second-foot).

1920-1925: Maximum stage and discharge recorded on or about February 7, 1925; minimum stage, 1.30 feet January 21, 1922 (discharge, 0.4 second-foot).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation often slightly affected by ice.

DIVERSION.—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 changed February 2-7 by forming of gravel bar above concrete control. Three rating curves used; the first applicable October 1 to February 1 well defined below 100 second-feet, the second applicable February 8 to June 10 well defined between 5 and 325 second-feet, and the third applicable June 11 to September 30 well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for short periods December to February. 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. Records good except for estimated periods for which they are fair.

Discharge measurements of Crane Creek at mouth, near Weiser, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Feb. 21	Feet 3. 46 3. 98 2. 32 2. 83	Secft. 172 309 23. 3 66. 4	Apr. 21 May 17 June 23 July 19	Feet 2. 46 1. 94 1. 90 3. 17	Secft. 34. 7 6. 9 10. 3 110	Aug. 5	Feet 3. 17 2. 49 1. 88	Secft. 115 42.8 10.8

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Crane Creek at mouth, near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	5. 8 3. 4 2. 7 2. 7 2. 7	4. 2 4. 0 3. 8 4. 0 4. 0	3.8 4.2 4.2 4.5 4.5	} 4 4.2	36	366 330 330 334 330	68 68 67 67 68	21 15 10 8.9 4.0	8. 0 8. 6 8. 0 7. 4 7. 4	7. 5 7. 8 8. 1 9. 9 10	84 98 117 144 113	39 39 39 39 40
6	2. 7 2. 7 2. 7 2. 7 2. 7 2. 7	4. 0 3. 8 3. 6 4. 0 3. 8	5. 0 6. 0 4. 7 4. 0 4. 2	4	1,000 940 903	330 312 337 337 315	57 31 29 28 27	2.9 3.8 4.8 4.0 3.9	8. 0 8. 3 8. 0 8. 0 9. 1	9. 0 7. 2 7. 5 15 55	107 108 107 108 108	38 42 38 31 30
11	2. 5 2. 2 2. 2 2. 0 1. 5	3. 8 3. 6 3. 6 3. 6 3. 6	4.5 4.2 4.5 4.5 4.5	4.2	881 873 866 866 918	306 226 91 23 18	28 28 27 26 28	4. 4 5. 4 6. 2 6. 4 6. 4	9. 9 10 10 10 10 12	36 35 39 46 66	107 104 99 99 99	30 29 28 15 13
16	1. 5 1. 5 1. 6 1. 6 1. 6	3. 6 3. 6 3. 6 4. 5 6. 5	4. 7 3. 4 3. 4	4.2	888 845 435 177 68	16 50 46 40 33	28 31 33 172 55	6. 6 6. 8 6. 4 6. 6 6. 8	11 11 10 10 10	81 86 115 108 84	91 79 78 78 78	13 10 9.6 9.6
21	1.6 1.8 1.9 2.0	5.8 4.7 4.5 4.5 4.2	2	4.7 5.8	210 179 478 363 407	26 26 23 23 22	35 35 29 28 28	7. 2 7. 2 6. 8 17 7. 4	11 10 10 17 14	75 50 34 33 29	77 62 43 43 43	9.3 9.0 11 18 18
26	2.3 2.9 4.0 4.5 4.2 4.2	4. 2 4. 0 4. 0 4. 0 4. 0		5. 5 5. 5 5. 5 11 20 26	384 384 377	21 21 20 20 33 68	28 27 26 26 26 26	7. 2 7. 6 6. 8 6. 6 6. 8 7. 6	13 10 10 9. 0 8. 4	27 27 26 25 26 77	42 41 41 40 40 40	10 7.5 7.5 8.1 8.1

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights Dec. 19-31, Jan. 1-3, 5-10, 12-17, 19-23, and Feb. 2-7, based on flow from Crane Creek Reservoir and weather records. Discharge based on staff readings Jan. 4, 11, and 18. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Crane Creek at mouth, near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	Discha	rge in second	l-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June	6. 5 6. 0 26 366 172 21 17	1. 5 3. 6 	2. 58 4. 10 3. 38 5. 70 558 144 41. 8 7. 37 9. 90 40. 7	159 244 208 350 31, 000 8, 850 2, 490 453 589 2, 500
AugustSeptember	144	40 7. 5	81. 2 21. 6	4, 990 1, 290
The year			73.4	53, 100

### 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 6 and 12 miles northeast of Weiser, Washington County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—June 23, 1920, to September 30, 1925.

<sup>6</sup> Washington County Irrigation District formed by reorganization of Crane Creek and Sunnyside Irrigation Districts in fall of 1923.

Gage.—Friez water-stage recorder on right bank, 125 feet above end of flume; installed May 5, 1923; inspected by G. E. Hilt, P. D. Williamson, and C. C. Herner.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from plank across canal.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Section of wooden flume and earth canal below gage forms control.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 2.07 feet from 8 a. m. to 1 p. m. July 4 (discharge, 49 second-feet); canal dry October 1 to March 31 and July 10-14.

1920-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 2.83 feet (upper location) from 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 permanent. Rating curve well defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for two short periods. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records excellent except for estimated period in July, for which they are fair.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by Washington County Irrigation District.

Crane Creek Irrigation District Canal diverts water from south side of Crane Creek in sec. 3, T. 11 N., R. 3 W., 5½ miles below Crane Creek Reservoir where water is released and transported through canal for irrigation of lands in Washington County irrigation district, aggregating 10,000 acres of which less than 1,200 acres was irrigated in 1925. 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 2 Apr. 21 May 17 June 10	Feet 1. 37 1. 40 1. 78 1. 75	Secft. 22, 3 22, 8 38, 2 36, 0	June 23	Feet 1. 69 1. 93 1. 83 1. 87	Secft. 34. 2 36. 7 37. 9 40. 4	Aug. 26 Sept. 26	Feet 1. 86 1. 17	Secft. 39. 4 15. 8

a Stage-discharge relation affected by opening waste gate 85 feet below gage.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Crane Creek Irrigation District Canal near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3.	22 22 22	26 31 37	36 36 36	45 45 45	40 40 40	40 41 41	16 17 18	23 23 23	38 37 37	36 36 36	25	41 41 41	38 37 37
4 5	23 23	37 21	36 36	47 47	38 39	41 41	19 20	25 23	37 37	35 35	J	41 40	38 38
6 7	23 22 22 22 22 22	36 38 38 38 38	36 36 36 36 36	35 34 45 40	41 41 41 41 41	41 40 39 39 39	21 22 23 24 25	23 23 22 22 22 22	37 37 36 28 35	35 34 34 26 36	40 40 38 38 38	40 41 41 40 40	38 38 29 18 18
11	22 23 23 23 23 23	38 38 38 38 38	36 35 35 35 35	0 25	41 40 39 40 41	39 39 38 37 37	26	22 22 23 23 23 23	35 36 36 36 36 36	39 39 41 45 45	41 41 41 41 40 40	41 41 40 40 40 40	16 16 16 16 14

Note.—Discharge estimated Apr. 1, July 9, and 15-20, based on comparison with stations on Crane Creek below reservoir and at mouth. July 10-14, while break in canal below was being repaired, flow past gage was wasted into Crane Creek through gate 8s feet below gage. Discharge interpolated June 14-17. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Crane Creek Irrigation District Canal near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Month	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
April	25 38 45 47 41 41	22 21 26 0 38 14	22. 6 35. 6 36. 3 31. 4 40. 4 33. 3	1, 340 2, 190 2, 160 1, 930 2, 480 1, 980
The year.	47	0	16. 7	12, 100

NOTE .- No flow October to March.

#### 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, 1925.

GAGE.—Friez water-stage recorder adjacent to left side of concrete rating flume; inspected by Fred Hemenway, jr., and D. E. Robison. Zero of gage is at bottom of rating flume.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from foot walk 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 clean and not subject to appreciable growth of moss or weeds.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year from water-stage recorder, 3.45 feet from 10 p. m. June 26 to 3 a. m. June 27 (discharge, 208 second-feet). Canal reported practically dry from December to March.

1920-1925: Maximum discharge recorded June 27, 1925; canal usually dry except during irrigation season.

DIVERSIONS.—One farm lateral a quarter of a mile above gage.

REGULATION.—Flow regulated at Luck waste gate, half a mile above, which in practice forms head of canal, although actual diversion from Weiser River is located about 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. Rating curves 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 furnished by Weiser Irrigation District.

Weiser Irrigation District Canal diverts water from the 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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Apr. 2	Feet 0. 18 2. 80 3. 08 3. 12	Secft. • 2.0 161 182 187	June 9 June 23 July 19 Aug. 5	Feet 3. 02 2. 94 2. 64 2. 64	Secft. 178 173 151 151	Aug. 11 Aug. 26 Sept. 3 Sept. 26	Feet 2, 22 1, 46 1, 25 1, 40	Secft. 122 76. 2 62. 7 74. 0

Estimated leakage through head gate.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Weiser Irrigation District Canal near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4 5	21 17 16 16 16	27	2	178 185 163 167 169	177 178 177 170 183	186 184 180 183 179	132 138 157 165 156	67 65 63 64 64
6	17 19 22 22 24			177 177 176 172 169	177 178 180 178 181	168 152 138 143 147	141 134 128 125 124	62 62 64 62 64
11	24 26 27 30 29		56 67 77 79 89	169 170 183 187 190	176 168 163 158 157	118 121 99 81 82	123 127 124 127 129	64 63 66 71 74
16	30 30 30 30 30		101 112 120 141 110	193 188 186 188 199	160 161 157 150 141	103 108 136 154 127	149 136 119 115 109	65 65 65 68 70
21	32 33 36 36 34	32	12 10 10 46 85	197 198 190 186 183	137 156 171 184 193	120 112 85 86 94	101 89 61 66 72	71 75 73 76 76
26	36 40 47 68 80 59		94 124 152 161 166	188 191 194 193 190 184	202 204 198 197 197	90 102 113 89 78 111	77 79 77. 71 66 67	72 63 62 66 71

Monthly discharge of Weiser Irrigation District Canal near Weiser, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925 .

Month	Discha	-feet	Run-off in	
Monen	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October April 11-30 May June July August September	80 166 199 204 186 165 76	16 10 163 137 78 61 62	31. 5 90. 6 183 174 125 112 67. 1	1, 940 3, 590 11, 300 10, 400 7, 690 6, 890 3, 990

## 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; and March 8 to July 18, 1925, when station was discontinued. Records at this station almost directly comparable with those at station below Thief Valley, March 9, 1909, to June 30, 1912, as the inflow between the two points constitutes only a negligible percentage of total flow.

GAGE.—Inclined staff on left bank; inspected 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; occasionally shifts slightly.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 5.3 feet May 21 (discharge, 1,430 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.64 foot July 18 (discharge, 7 second-feet).

1909-1916; 1920-1925: 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 often affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—Water is diverted from Powder River and its tributaries for irrigating 72,000 acres of land above this station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent during period. Rating curve fairly well defined above 30 second-feet. Staff gage read to half-tenths once a day. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage reading to rating table. Records good except July 10-18, for which they are poor.

The following discharge measurements were made:

April 30, 1925: Gage height, 2.85 feet; discharge, 387 second-feet.

June 22, 1925: Gage height, 1.42 feet; discharge, 68 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Powder River near North Powder, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Day	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July
1		248	388	422	41	16	223	995	860	82	19
2		236	405	422	41	17	236	1,040	905	98	10
3		236	440	370	45	18	236	995	950	105	7
4		223	475	275	45	19	223	995	1,080	112	
5		275	510	200	41	20	223	905	1, 180	112	
6		305	580	200	36	21	223	580	1, 430	105	
7		370	695	156	41	22	212	655	1, 230	98	
8	90	440	775	128	32	23	212	695	1, 230	98	
9	90 Í	510	815	89	32	24	212	655	1, 180	90	
10	98	655	860	112	25.	25	212	510	1, 130	70	
11	120	735	815	65	28	26	223	458	860	65	
12	128	860	775	50	18	27	212	458	815	55	
13	137	860	735	50	18	28	223	458	735	60	
14	177	905	735	60	18	29	223	440	655	55	
15	223	950	815	65	15	30	236	388	510	41	
	-20	000	0.0			31	248	]	458	1	

Monthly discharge of Powder River near North Powder, Oreg., for the year ending September 30, 1925

<b>X</b>	Discha	Run-off in		
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
March 8-31 April	248 1,040 1,430 422 45	90 223 388 41 7	193 601 807 130 28. 1	9, 190 35, 800 49, 600 7, 740 1, 000

## 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 Stanley, Custer County.

Drainage area.—355 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 2, 1921, to October 14, 1925, when station was discontinued.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank; read by W. L. Rose and R. E. Allan.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading at low and medium stages. High-water measurements made from wagon bridge at old Stanley, 1 mile below; Valley Creek discharge deducted 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

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### SALMON RIVER BELOW VALLEY CREEK, NEAR STANLEY, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In S. ½ SE. ¼ SE. ¼ sec. 34, T. 11 N., R. 13 E., three-fourths mile below mouth of Valley Creek, 500 feet below wagon bridge at old Stanley post office, and 1¼ miles northeast of new Stanley, Custer County.

Drainage area.—535 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—July 17 to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Vertical staff in timber gage well on left bank; read by W. L. Rose.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from wagon bridge 500 feet above gage or by wading.

Channel and control.—Bed composed of coarse gravel, cobbles, and boulders; practically permanent. Control fairly well defined. Banks low. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period, 1.88 feet July 18 (discharge, 1,140 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.02 feet September 26 and 30 (discharge, 346 second-feet).

DIVERSIONS.—Few small ranch diversions above gage.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths two to four times daily August 6-18; once daily at other times. Daily discharge determined by applying daily or mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Salmon River below Valley Creek, near Stanley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
July 18	Feet 1. 88 1. 38 1. 32	Secft. 1, 120 4 603 4 539	Aug. 16	Feet 1. 27 1. 25	Secft. 508 • 504

a Measured above Valley Creek and flow of Valley Creek added to obtain flow at station.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Salmon River below Valley Creek, near Stanley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3		615 660 615	374 374 374	11		465 500 500	388 374 374	21 22	1, 020 910 910	465 434 434	374 374 3 4

# Monthly discharge of Salmon River below Valley Creek, near Stanley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

## [Drainage area, 535 square miles]

	r	ischarge in s	Run-off			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
July 17-31	1, 140 660 434	615 374 346	866 495 385	1. 62 . 925 . 720	0. 90 1. 07 . 80	25, 800 30, 400 22, 900
The period						79, 100

## 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, 11 miles below Stanley and mouth of Valley Creek, and 18 miles above Clayton, Custer County.

Drainage area.—841 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—October 28, 1921, to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on left bank; read by Herman Meissner and Ferris Clark. 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, 6.6 feet at 7.30 p. m. May 29 (discharge, 5,620 second-feet); minimum discharge probably less than 340 second-feet during ice period in December.

1922-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 7.6 feet June 7, 15, and 17, 1922 (discharge, 6,760 second-feet); minimum discharge, 281 second-feet 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 owing to probable changes in gate opening. Power plant not in operation at present.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent during period of record. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to half-tenths usually twice daily May 24 to July 30; once daily at other times. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height 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 Salmon River below Yankee Fork, near Clayton, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 3	Feet 0. 20 . 25 . 28	Secft. 358 386 391	June 11 June 14 July 3	Feet 3. 50 3. 50 4. 03	Secft. 2, 360 2, 380 2, 810	July 16Aug. 4Aug. 7	Feet 2. 50 1. 25 1. 18	Secft. 1, 500 812 778

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Salmon River below Yankee Fork, near Clayton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Dec.	Mar.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	363 363 363			4, 260 3, 830 3, 520 3, 120 3, 020	3, 620 3, 220 2, 820 2, 820 2, 640	889 889 889 786 786	
6	363 347 347 347 347			2, 820 2, 450 2, 270 2, 270 2, 450	2, 450 2, 270 2, 180 2, 010 1, 920	786 786 786 786 736 736	575
11	363 363 363 363 363		3, 120 3, 480 3, 830	2, 360 2, 360 2, 270 2, 360 2, 540	1, 920 1, 840 1, 680 1, 610 1, 540	736 736 736 942 889	
16	363		4, 300	2, 820 2, 640 3, 120 3, 220 3, 620	1,540 1,470 • 1,400 1,400 1,400	837 786 736 687 687	
21	] 	380 415 397 397	5, 160 5, 160 4, 920	4, 150 4, 810 4, 810 4, 700 4, 480	1, 400 1, 400 1, 280 1, 280 1, 220	664 664 640 640 640	550
26		380	4, 700 4, 920 5, 270 5, 620 5, 380 4, 920	4, 260 3, 940 3, 720 3, 720 3, 830	1, 160 1, 100 1, 050 995 942 889	640 625	

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of ice Dec. 17-22 and because of missing gage heights May 16-22 and Aug. 27 to Sept. 30; based on flow at Stanley and at Salmon. Discharge interpolated May 14 and Aug. 5. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Salmon River below Yankee Fork, near Clayton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

## [Drainage area, 841 square miles]

	r	Ru	Run-off			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
December 3-22 March 22-26 May 13-31 June July August September	4, 810	380 3, 120 2, 270 889	353 394 4,560 3,320 1,760 737 562	0. 420 . 468 5. 42 3. 95 2. 09 . 876 . 668	0. 31 . 09 3. 83 4. 41 2. 41 1. 01 . 75	14, 000 3, 910 172, 000 198, 000 108, 000 45, 300 33, 400

## 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, 1925.

GAGE.—Vertical and inclined staff on left bank; read by Parker Wickham.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 700 feet below gage, except during ice-affected period when measurements are sometimes made from highway bridge a quarter of a mile above 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 stage recorded during year, 7.12 feet May 30 (discharge, 9,380 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.82 feet December 18 (discharge, 595 second-feet).

1912-1916; 1919-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 9.35 feet June 12, 1921 (discharge, 16,400 second-feet); minimum discharge, 595 second-feet, August 17-19, 25-31, September 1-5, and December 18, 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 changed slightly during ice-affected period December 19 to February 9 and also June 1-9. 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 June 1-5. Records good except for estimated periods for which they are poor.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record January to September furnished by United States Forest Service.

Discharge measurements of Salmon River at Salmon, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date ·	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 4 Mar. 20 May 12	Feet 2, 45 2, 29 5, 27	Secft. 1. 050 940 4, 910	June 9 June 10 July 19	Feet 4, 90 4, 91 3, 93	Secft. 3, 960 4, 020 2, 650	Aug. 8	Feet 3, 04	Secft. 1, 490°

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Salmon River at Salmon, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	742 742 775 808 840	985 1,020 1,060 1,060 1,060	875 910 948 1,020 985		950	1,020 985 1,020 1,110 1,200	1, 150 1, 150 1, 150 1, 200 1, 290	2, 460 2, 930 2, 930 3, 390 3, 710	7, 810 6, 830 6, 370 5, 920 5, 290	6, 600 5, 920 5, 490 5, 290 5, 090	1,750 1,750 1,750 1,750 1,750 1,640	1, 200 1, 150 1, 200 1, 200 1, 240
6	808 808 808 840 840	1,060 985 1,020 1,020 1,060	985 910 948 840 742		31, 150 985	1, 240 1, 150 1, 110 1, 020 948	1, 340 1, 340 1, 340 1, 540 1, 750	4, 370 4, 900 5, 290 4, 900 4, 370	4, 900 4, 540 4, 370 4, 030 4, 200	4, 720 4, 370 4, 200 3, 870 3, 550	1, 540 1, 480 1, 480 1, 440 1, 440	1, 340 1, 340 1, 440 1, 440 1, 380
11	875 875 875 910 875	1,020 1,060 985 985 1,020	910 1,020 1,060 1,060 1,020		875 948 1,060 1,200 1,110	948 910 910 910 948	1, 980 2, 230 2, 500 2, 640 2, 640	4, 540 4, 900 4, 900 5, 490 5, 920	4, 200 4, 200 4, 030 4, 030 4, 200	3, 390 3, 390 3, 230 3, 080 2, 780	1,440 1,440 1,440 1,640 1,750	1,340 1,290 1,290 1,290 1,340
16	875 875 875 875 875	985 985 985 948 1,020	910 840 595	850	1, 020 948 875 910 948	910 910 910 875 910	2, 640 2, 930 3, 230 2, 780 2, 500	6, 370 6, 370 7, 070 7, 810 8, 840	4, 370 4, 720 4, 540 5, 090 5, 490	2, 780 2, 780 2, 640 2, 500 2, 500	1,640 1,540 1,480 1,440 1,380	1,380 1,380 1,380 1,380 1,380
21 22 23 24 25	875 875 875 875 875 875	1,060 1,150 1,150 1,150 985	750		985 1,060 985 985 1,020	948 985 1,060 1,060 1,060	2, 230 2, 100 2, 230 1, 980 1, 860	9, 110 9, 110 8, 580 8, 320 8, 060	6, 140 7, 810 8, 840 8, 840 7, 810	2, 360 2, 360 2, 360 2, 360 2, 230	1, 380 1, 380 1, 340 1, 290 1, 290	1, 340 1, 340 1, 290 1, 290 1, 290
26	875 875 910 985 985 985	985 985 875 840 875	900		985 985 985	1,060 985 1,020 1,150 1,340 1,240	1,750 1,750 1,750 1,860 1,980	7, 810 7, 810 8, 320 9, 110 9, 380 9, 110	7, 560 7, 070 6, 830 6, 830 7, 070	2, 230 1, 980 1, 980 1, 860 1, 860 1, 860	1, 290 1, 290 1, 240 1, 240 1, 240 1, 200	1, 290 1, 240 1, 240 1, 290 1, 340

Note.—Discharge estimated Dec. 19 to Feb. 9 on account of ice; based on weather records, observer's notes, and comparison with flow at other stations in Salmon River Basin. Discharge interpolated May 1. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Salmon River at Salmon, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

	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	1, 150 1, 060 1, 340 3, 230 9, 380 8, 840 6, 600	742 840 595 875 1, 150 2, 460 4, 030 1, 860 1, 200 1, 150	864 1, 010 869 850 1, 020 1, 030 1, 960 6, 330 5, 800 3, 280 1, 460 1, 310	53, 100 60, 100 53, 400 54, 300 63, 300 117, 000 389, 000 345, 000 202, 000 89, 800 78, 000	
The year	9, 380	595	2, 150	1, 560, 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 sizable tributaries.

Drainage area.—13,600 square miles (measured on Land Office map, edition of 1000)

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—August 18, 1910, to September 30, 1917; October 1, 1919, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Chain gage on handrail of highway bridge since September 14, 1920; read by R. E. Shuck and L. E. Shuck.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from cable 900 feet below gage. Discharge measurements include flow of Whitebird Creek which enters Salmon River between gage and cable.

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 riffle three-eighths mile below; permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 16.4 feet May 20-21 (discharge, 58,600 second-feet); minimum stage, 1.70 feet October 1 (discharge, 3,020 second-feet). Lower flow may have occurred during severe cold period December 18-27, when stage-discharge relation was affected by ice.

1910-1917; 1919-1925: 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.—Amount of water diverted for irrigation above station negligible. REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy:—Stage-discharge relation permanent; affected by ice December 18-27. Rating curve well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records good except for estimated period for which they are fair.

The following discharge measurements were made:

September 21, 1925; Gage height, 3.01 feet; discharge, 5,060 second-feet. September 21, 1925; Gage height, 3.02 feet; discharge, 5,070 second-feet.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Salmon River at Whitebird, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4	3, 020 3, 140 3, 140 3, 420	3, 840 3, 840 4, 000 4, 160	3, 140 3, 280 3, 700 3, 840	4, 000 3, 840 3, 840 3, 700	3, 700 3, 840 4, 160 5, 340	4, 320 4, 000 4, 000 4, 000	7, 580 7, 360 7, 580 8, 540	17, 400 20, 800 22, 800 24, 900	45, 600 42, 600 38, 700 34, 800	26, 200 23, 600 22, 000 19, 600	6, 100 5, 900 5, 700 5, 700	4, 160 4, 000 4, 160 4, 160
6	3, 420 3, 280	4, 160 4, 160	4, 000 4, 160	3, 560 3, 420	7, 820 7, 820	4, 800 5, 340	9,300	28, 400 32, 000	32, 900 30, 200	18, 800 17, 400	5, 520 5, 340	4, 160 4, 160
7 8 9	3, 280 3, 140 3, 280	4,000 3,700 3,700	4,000 3,560 3,420	3, 280 3, 280 3, 280	7,360 6,920 5,900	5, 700 5, 340 5, 340	11, 500 12, 700 15, 300	38, 200 40, 100 36, 300	29, 700 27, 500 27, 500	16, 300 14, 900 13, 900	5, 160 5, 160 4, 980	4,480 4,640 4,980
10 11 12	3, 280 3, 280 3, 280	3, 700 3, 840 3, 700	3, 140 3, 420 3, 560	3, 280 3, 280 3, 280	5, 340 4, 480 4, 000	4, 980 4, 640 4, 480	18, 800 20, 400	35, 300 33, 400 35, 300	27, 500 27, 000 26, 600	13, 300 12, 700 11, 800	4, 980 4, 980 4, 800	4, 890 4, 800 4, 480
13 14 15	3, 280 3, 280 3, 280 3, 280	3, 560 3, 420 3, 420	3, 840 3, 840 3, 840	3, 280 3, 140 3, 280	4, 160 4, 160 4, 160 4, 160	4, 320 4, 320 4, 160	22, 400 21, 600 21, 600	38, 200 40, 600 44, 100	26, 200 26, 200 25, 700 25, 300	11, 200 10, 900 10, 400	4,640 4,640 4,980	4, 480 4, 640 4, 640

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Salmon River at Whitebird, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
16 17 18	3, 280 3, 280 3, 280	3, 700 3, 700 3, 560	3, 840 3, 560	3, 140 3, 140 3, 280	4, 160 4, 160 4, 000	4, 160 4, 160 4, 160	24, 400 27, 000 26, 200	46, 600 49, 200 51, 300	26, 600 30, 200 30, 600	9, 820 9, 300 9, 300	5, 520 5, 520 5, 340	4, 640 4, 640 4, 640
19 20	3, 280 3, 280	3, 560 3, 700		3, 280 3, 280	3, 840 3, 840	4,000 4,000	22, 400 18, 800	55, 500 58, 600	31, 600 34, 300	8, 780 8, 300	4, 980 4, 980	4, 640 4, 800
21	3, 280 3, 280 3, 140 3, 140	4, 480 5, 340 5, 520 5, 520	3, 200	3, 280 3, 280 3, 280 3, 420	4, 000 4, 000 4, 160 4, 640	4, 160 4, 320 4, 640 4, 800	17, 000 16, 600 16, 300 15, 300	58, 600 58, 100 55, 500 52, 900	37, 700 38, 700 38, 700 36, 300	8, 060 7, 820 7, 820 8, 300	4, 800 4, 800 4, 640 4, 640	4, 980 4, 800 4, 640 4, 480
25 26 27	3, 140 3, 140 3, 140	4, 320 4, 000 3, 840		3, 420 3, 560 3, 420	4, 640 4, 480 4, 480	5, 520 5, 520 5, 520	14, 300 13, 300 13, 000	51, 800 50, 300 49, 200	33, 900 31, 600 29, 700	7, 580 7, 360	4, 640 4, 480 4, 480	4, 320 4, 640 4, 480
28 29 30 31	3, 280 3, 420 3, 700 3, 700	3, 560 3, 420 3, 140	3, 420 3, 420 3, 700 3, 840	3, 420 3, 420 3, 420 3, 560	4, 320	5, 520 5, 900 7, 140 7, 580	12, 700 13, 000 14, 300	48, 700 50, 300 50, 800 48, 200	27, 900 27, 000 26, 200	6, 920 6, 700 6, 500 6, 300	4, 480 4, 480 4, 320 4, 320	4, 320 4, 480 4, 640

Note.—Discharge estimated Dec. 18-27; interpolated Sept. 10. Braced figures show mean discharge for period indicated.

Monthly discharge of Salmon River at Whitebird, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

26. 11	Discha	rge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October November	5, 520	3, 020 3, 140	3, 280 3, 950	202, 000 235, 000
January	4, 160 4, 000 7, 820	3, 140 3, 700	3, 500 3, 400 4, 780	215, 000 209, 000 265, 000
February March April	7, 580 27, 000	4,000 7,360	4, 870 15, 900	299, 000 946, 000
May June	58, 600 45, 600	17, 400 25, 300 6, 300	42, 700 31, 600 11, 900	2, 630, 000 1, 880, 000 732, 000
July	6, 100 4, 980	4, 320 4, 000	5, 000 4, 530	307, 000 270, 000
The year	58, 600		11, 300	8, 190, 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 Stanley, 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, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff on left bank installed May 2, 1921; read by W. L. Rose and R. E. Allan.

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 stage recorded during year, 2.96 feet at 7 p. m. May 21 (discharge, 939 second-feet); minimum discharge estimated, 55 second-feet December 18-27 during severe cold weather when stage-discharge relation was affected by ice.

1910–1913; 1921–1925: Maximum stage recorded, 4.4 feet May 29, 1921 (discharge, 1,850 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.84 foot September 7, 1924 (discharge, 41 second-feet).

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

DIVERSIONS.—A few ranch diversions for irrigation above station.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed slightly during year. Two well-defined rating curves were used, the first applicable December 2-15 and the second applicable April 13 to September 30; curve parallel to latter used December 31 to April 6; shifting-control method used April 8-12. Gage read to hundredths twice daily April 20 to June 30, somewhat irregularly at other times. Daily discharge determined by applying daily or mean daily gage height to rating table or by interpolation for days when gage was not read. Records fair.

Discharge measurements of Valley Creek at Stanley, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Dec. 2	Feet 1. 08 1. 14 2. 43 2. 57	Secft. 78. 3 78. 2 632 682	June 11	Feet 2, 12 2, 11 2, 30 1, 76	Secft. 429 417 544 270	Aug. 4 Aug. 6 Aug. 17 Sept. 20	Feet 1. 43 1. 39 1. 38 1. 24	Secft. 143 138 134 105

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Valley Creek at Stanley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day .	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
12 345			76 76 77 74 70	62 63 63 63 63	65 79 93 107 108	79 74 69 71 74	96 98 101 133 138	536 595 655 655 625	745 685 595 595 566	715 595 536 536 536	151 150 149 148 143	101 100 98 97 97
6			70 69 69 70 72	63 63 62 60 60	- 109 98 87 77 66	76 72 69 65 60	143 185 227 267 292	595 715 625 595 566	507 478 422 396 340	536 478 450 359 320	138 138 131 126 122	113 117 117 113 109
11 12 13 14 15		80	80 87 87 87 87	60 61 62 63 63	72 77 83 78 74	56 70 85 99 91	316 450 566 536 526	625 595 595 685 745	396 422 422 436 450	302 349 326 304 282	128 128 140 198 151	105 105 90
16	65	80	82 76	63 63 63 64 65	69 77 84 92 86	84 76 80 83 78	517 507 396 330 284	745 775 835 868 900	536 450 478 536 655	259 259 259	135 135 129 123 117	105
21 22 23 24 25			55	66 66 63 59	81 76 70 64 59	74 79 85 90 81	262 263 230 179 195	932 900 868 835 805	715 868 838 745 715	225	131 131 117 122 113	100
26		<u></u>	65 60	56 62 68 68 68 66	67 76 84	74 82 90 91 92 93	220 250 288 369 450	775 835 900 900 900 835	655 655 655 655 745	156 155 154 153	109 109 105 105 105 105	

Note.—Discharge estimated on basis of flow at other stations in Salmon River Basin Oct. 1 to Nov. 30. Dec. 1, 18-30, July 19-27, Sept. 14-19, 21-30. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Valley Creek at Stanley, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

[Drainage area,	176 square	miles]
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	Γ	Discharge in s	Run-off			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January February March April June June July August September	87	56 59 56 96 536 340 153 105	65. 0 80. 0 68. 2 63. 1 80. 6 78. 8 294 742 579 318 130	0. 369 . 455 . 388 . 358 . 458 . 448 1. 67 4. 22 3. 29 1. 81 . 739 . 585	0. 43 . 51 . 45 . 41 . 48 . 52 1. 86 4. 86 3. 67 2. 09 . 85 . 65	4, 000 4, 760 4, 190 3, 880 4, 480 17, 500 45, 600 34, 500 19, 600 7, 990 6, 130
The year	932		217	1. 23	16.78	157, 000

### 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 18 miles west of Clayton, Custer County.

Drainage area.—195 square miles (measured on topographic maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—May 3, 1921, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff on right bank; read by Herman Meissner and Ferris 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 from October 1, 1922, to September 30, 1924, reduced to datum established September 17, 1922; thereafter, all gage heights referred to datum established June 26, 1924.

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 not well defined at high stages, due possibly to a slight backwater effect from Salmon River when in flood. One channel at all stages.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 4.75 feet May 29 (discharge, 1,760 second-feet); minimum discharge probably less than 25 second-feet during frozen period in December.

1921-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 5.24 feet at 8 p. m. June 12, 1921 (discharge, 3,360 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.10 foot at 8 a. m. April 5, 1924 (discharge, 22 second-feet). 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 permanent after ice period. Rating curve well defined below 800 second-feet and extended above parallel to former curve. Gage read to half-tenths twice daily May 23 to July 23; once daily usually at other times. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily or mean daily gage height to rating table. Records March to August good except those for estimated periods, which are fair; record poor for December and September.

Cooperation.—Gage-height record furnished by Lowe & von Brecht.

Discharge measurements of Yankee Fork of Salmon River near Clayton, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage Dis- height charge		Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	
Dec. 3 Mar. 23 Mar. 24	Feet 1.97 1.05 .80	Secft. 44. 6 75. 9 50. 2	June 11 June 14 July 4	Feet 3. 20 3. 20 2. 80	Secft. 595 607 442	July 16 Aug. 4 Aug. 7	Feet 1. 92 1. 42 1. 37	Secft. 188 113 108	

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

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Yankee Fork of Salmon River near Clayton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Dec.	Mar.	May	June	July	Aug.	Day	Dec.	Mar.	May	June	July	Aug.
1 2 3 4 5	45			1, 080 939 873 753 699	516 476 438 438 402	123 123 123 110 110	16 17 18 19 20	} 40		1, 380	649 699 753 873 1,010	186 168 168 168 168	110 104 98 92 92
6 7	100			602 602 558 602 602	368 336 306 278 265	110 104 104 104 104 104	21 22 23 24 25		67 62 87	1, 580 1, 580 1, 580 1, 490 1, 400	1, 160 1, 400 1, 080 1, 010 873	168 168 160 152 144	92 92 92 92 92
11 12 13 14 15	40		873 1, 060 1, 240	602 602 602 602 602	265 252 228. 206 186	104 104 104 144 168	26		72	1, 400 1, 400 1, 580 1, 760 1, 580 1, 240	753 753 699 649 602	137 137 123 123 123 123	92

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of ice Dec. 3-22 and based on one discharge measurement, observer's notes, weather records, and by comparison with flow at near-by stations; estimated May 16-20 and Aug. 27-31 and based on comparative flow of Salmon River and Valley Creek at Stanley; interpolated May 14 and Aug. 5. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Yankee Fork of Salmon River near Clayton, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

[Drainage area, 195 square miles]

	D	ischarge in s	Run-off			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
December 3-22 March 23-26 May 13-31 June July August September	87 1,760 1,400 516 168	62 873 558 123	37. 8 72. 0 1, 400 776 238 104 • 75. 0	0. 194 . 369 7. 18 3. 98 1. 22 . 533 . 385	0. 14 . 05 5. 07 4. 44 1. 41 . 61 . 43	1, 500 571 52, 800 46, 200 14, 600 6, 400 4, 460

Estimated.

## 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, and 27 miles northwest of Stanley.

Drainage area.—180 square miles (measured on Forest Service maps).

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—September 6, 1921, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on right bank; inspected by A. L. Bunch and L. N. Wellman.

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, 5.0 feet occurred just prior to June 12 as determined on that day from fresh-water marks on gage house (discharge, about 2,800 second-feet); minimum.stage recorded, 1.20 feet October 10 and 11 (discharge, 72 second-feet). Lower discharge may have occurred during period of no record.

1921-1925: Maximum stage recorded during 1925; minimum stage, 1.08 feet at 1.00 p. m. November 13, 1922 (discharge, about 55 second-feet). Lower discharge probably occurred during period of no record.

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

DIVERSIONS.—None.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation practically permanent. Rating curve well-defined. Operation of water-stage recorder satisfactory except for two short periods; July record lost after removal from recorder. 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 poor.

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

Discharge measurements of Bear Valley Creek near Cape Horn, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	
June 12	Feet 2. 86 2. 35 1. 72	Secft. 802 514 203	Aug. 3	Feet 1. 53 1. 41	Secft. 149 130	

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Bear Valley Creek near Cape Horn, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	. Oct.	Nov.	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Day	Oct.	Nov.	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 34		84 97 90 99		585 510	} 150 144 141	106 106 104 101	16 17 18 19	76 76 76 76		1, 060 917 889 910	250 206 200	156 141 136 131	120 115 113 118
5 6 7 8 9	75	99 110 118 104		340	136 133 131 128 125	108 120 138 136 125	20	84 110 97 99 94		954 990 990 954 867	230	128 123 118 115 118	138 123 120
10	72 72 74 74 76		812 805 798	280 250	123 123 128 153 212	115 113 108 108 118	25 26 27 28 29	101 106 108 120 113		798 730 672 634 616	180	115 113 115 115 110	104 99 101
15	76		805	}	199	133	30 31	101 101		603	150	108 106	108

Note.—Discharge estimated on account of missing gage heights Oct. 1-9, July 3-11, 13-16, 18-31, Aug. 1, 2, and Sept. 23-26; based on comparison with flow of Deadwood River. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of Bear Valley Creek near Cape Horn, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

#### [Drainage area, 180 square miles]

	D	ischarge in s	Run-off			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November 1-8 June 12-30 July August September	120 118 1,060 585 212 138	72 84 603 106 99	85. 7 100 832 281 133 115	0. 476 . 556 4. 62 1. 56 . 739 . 639	0. 55 . 17 3. 26 1. 80 . 85 . 71	5, 270 1, 590 31, 400 17, 300 8, 180 6, 840

#### EAST FORK OF WALLOWA RIVER NEAR JOSEPH, OREG.

LOCATION.—In SE. 1/4 sec. 29, T. 3 S., R. 45 E., one-fourth mile above mouth, 1 mile below diversion dam of Enterprise Electric Co., 1 mile above Wallowa Lake, and 6 miles south of Joseph, Wallowa County.

DISCHARGE AREA.—Not measured.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—July 27, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff on right bank, 100 yards above bridge on road to power house; read by W. K. Wagner. Also auxiliary inclined gage at diversion dam 1 mile above.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from bridge 100 yards below gage, from plank across stream, or by wading.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Channel curved above and below gage. Bed of coarse gravel and boulders; practically permanent. Steep gradient. Banks are not overflowed except in extremely high water. Control 10 feet below gage, well defined.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period July 27, 1924, to September 30, 1925, 1.92 feet June 29 (discharge, 111 second-feet); minimum open-water stage, 0.72 foot March 31 and April 2 (discharge, 3.3 second-feet). During the cold periods in December and January, flow was estimated to have reached a minimum of 3.0 second-feet.

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

DIVERSIONS.—The penstock to power house of Enterprise Electric Co. diverts at dam 1 mile upstream.

REGULATION.—Operation of power plants affects flow, maximum effect being during low-water period; during extremely low-water periods in winter practically all flow at dam is diverted.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation changed April 15; affected by leaves on control October 21-31 and by ice during winter. Rating curves fairly well defined. Staff gage read to hundredths twice daily except during winter when it was read once a day. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily or mean daily gage height to rating table. Records good for open channel and fair during ice period.

Discharge over dam, length of crest of spillway being 21.6 feet, has been computed from weir tables for rectangular contracted weir, the application of which was checked by one discharge measurement, for the few days gage at dam was read. They indicate that inflow between dam and gaging station is 2 to 3 second-feet at low water and averages 17 per cent of flow at gaging station when flow at station is more than 15 second-feet.

Discharge measurements of East Fork of Wallowa River near Joseph, Oreg., during the years ending September 30, 1924 and 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
July 27	Feet 0. 97	Secfeet
1925 Mar. 20	. 2.84 1.02 1.75	4. 9 13. 7 81

Stage-discharge relation affected by ice.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of East Fork of Wallowa River near Joseph, Oreg., for the years ending September 30, 1924 and 1925

Day	July	Au	g. Sep	t.	Day	July	Aug.	Sept.	1	Day	July	Aug.	Sept.
3		9. 10	7. 7.	2   13 <sub>-</sub> 8   14 <sub>-</sub>	1924		9.3 8.5 9.7	7. 5 7. 2 8. 2	21 22 23 24	924		10 8.2 8.2 9.3 8.5	8. 9 6. 4 6. 1 5. 3 7. 8
6		10 10 9. 9.		8 18 <sub>2</sub> 19 <sub>2</sub>			_ 10	6. 4 7. 5 6. 4 7. 5 7. 5	27 28 29 30		9. 7 11 10 9. 7 10	8. 5 7. 5 7. 8 9. 3 9. 7 8. 9	6. 9 6. 9 8. 2 6. 9 6. 4
Day		Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1924-25 12 34 55		6. 4 6. 1 6. 1 6. 4 8. 2	15 16 13 12 12	10 9.7 9.7 8.5 7.8		7. 2 8. 9 12 15 11	5. 3 4. 8 5. 0 5. 4 5. 8	4. 0 3. 3 3. 6 5. 3 8. 2	12 8.9 12 16 18	65 65 60 56 50	90 76 75 65 65	18 18 18 17	13 9.2 11 12 14
6 7 8 9 10		6. 9 7. 5 6. 4 5. 8 7. 2	12 11 13 12 12	7. 5 7. 5 7. 5 7. 5 7. 5		10 8.2 10 8.9 8.2	5.8	6. 9 7. 5 8. 9 10 9. 3	26 27 24 23 22	43 42 35 34 39	63 59 63 56 49	17 17 16 16 14	14 12 11 11 10
11 12 13 14 15		7. 8 6. 9 6. 7 6. 9 7. 8	11 10 10 9 8. 2	8. 9 9. 7 11 10 9. 3		7. 5 7. 5 7. 5 5. 8 4. 8		16 21 18 18 19	25 24 26 31 34	44 41 42 42 43	49 50 49 46 43	14 14 14 18 17	10 11 11 8.9 10
16 17 18 19 20		8. 5 7. 8 8. 2 8. 2 6. 7	8.9 8.2 8.2 14 14			4. 8 5. 8 6. 9 5. 8 5. 8	4.4	17 18 16 16 14	43 44 50 57 59	43 43 53 57 73	44 43 41 38 34	17 16 16 14 13	11 10 9.6 12 12
21		7. 2 6. 4 7. 8 7. 8 8. 2	21 19 16 12 12	4.0		4.8 7.5 6.9 5.8 5.3		12 12 11 11 8.9	67 60 60 63 62	73 75 107 107 95	33 31 31 30 30	13 12 15 14 12	11 10 10 9.6 8.9
26		9.7 10 7.5 11 12 11	11 10 10 8. 2 11			6. 4 5. 6 4. 8	5. 0 5. 0 4. 4 5. 5 6. 1 4. 0	8. 6 8. 9 8. 3 8. 3 9. 6	60 62 62 65 63 70	103 100 103 109 100	29 27 25 24 23 20	12 12 11 11 11 12	8. 9 10 9. 6 10 10

Note.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice Nov. 11-14, 26-27, Dec. 6-10, Dec. 16 to Feb. 1, Feb. 10, and Mar. 8-25; discharge estimated from one discharge measurement and from climatic records. Discharge interpolated Feb. 27, Mar. 2 and 3. Braced figures represent estimated mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of East Fork of Wallowa River near Joseph, Oreg., for the years ending September 30, 1924 and 1925

	Discha	rge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
AugustSeptember	• 12 10	7. 5 5. 3	9.41 7.39	579 440
October 1924–25 November December	21 11	5. 8 8. 2	7. 78 12. 0 6. 33	478 714 389
January. February March. April May	15 6. 1 21	4. 8 4. 0 3. 3 8. 9	• 4. 0 7. 45 4. 75 11. 3 41. 2	246 414 292 672 2, 530
June July August September	109 90	34 20 11 8.9	64. 7 45. 2 14. 7 10. 7	3, 850 2, 780 904 637
The year	109	3.3	19. 2	13, 900

<sup>·</sup> Estimated.

Combined monthly discharge of East Fork of Wallowa River and Enterprise Electric Co.'s tailrace near Joseph, Oreg., for the years ending September 30, 1924 and 1925

36()	Discha	irge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
August 1924			14. 6	898
August September	14	12	12.8	762
1924-25				
October	18	12	13.6	836
November		14	17. 4	1,040
December	16		11.7	719
anuary	21		9. 61 12. 9	591 716
February	12	11 1	10.4	640
April		9.9	17. 3	1,030
May		14	46. 3	2, 850
une		40	69. 8	4, 150
[uly	95	25	50. 3	3,090
August	24	16	20.0	1, 230
September		14	16. 4	976
The year	114		24. 7	17, 900

Note.-Aug. 1-26, 1924, mean discharge of tailrace estimated at 5.2 second-feet.

#### ENTERPRISE ELECTRIC CO.'S TAILRACE NEAR JOSEPH, OREG.

LOCATION.—In SE. 1/4 sec. 29, T. 3 S., R. 45 E., 150 feet below power house of Enterprise Electric Co., one-fourth mile above point where channel discharges into West Fork of Wallowa River, and 6 miles above Joseph, Wallowa County.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—August 27, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Vertical staff on right wing wall of weir 150 feet below power house; read by Wayne K. Wagner.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made by wading or from plank placed across stream.

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CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Control is a 5-foot Cippoletti weir made from 2-inch plank, beveled at top and set in concrete.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during period of record, 0.62 foot at 12.15 p. m. April 10 (discharge, 9.4 second-feet); minimum stage, 0.34 foot August 31 and September 1, 1924 (discharge, 3.5 second-feet).

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

REGULATION.—Flow regulated by discharge through nozzle for impulse wheel in power house, but opening in nozzle is changed only about twice a day, minor variations in load being taken care of by deflection of nozzle.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent. Rating curve well defined. Staff gage read to hundredths twice daily except December 17 to March 22 and April 1-12, when only one daily reading was obtained. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table daily or mean daily gage height. Records good.

Water is diverted at dam on East Fork of Wallowa River into a conduit, 16 to 18 inches in diameter, and carried 1 mile to power house. After leaving power house the water follows a tortuous channel for a quarter of a mile and discharges into West Fork. Elevation of crest of dam above nozzle at power house is 1,160 feet.

Discharge measurements of Enterprise Electric Co.'s tailrace near Joseph, Oreg., during the years ending September 30, 1924 and 1925

Date	·	Gage height	Discharge
Sept. 28		Feet 0. 40	Secfeet 5.6
Mar. 20		. 45	
Do		. 45 . 45 . 57 . 41	5. 6. 5. 7 8. 2 4. 6

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Enterprise Electric Co.'s tailrace near Joseph, Oreg., for the years ending September 30, 1924 and 1925

Day	Aug.	⊸Sept.	1	Day		Aug.	Sept.		Day	ļ	Aug.	Sept.
1924 1		5. 4. 5. 4. 4. 5.	2   12_ 3   13_ 5   14_ 1   15_ 9   16_ 2   17_ 6   18_				5. 1 5. 8 5. 3 4. 3 5. 3 5. 1 5. 1 5. 1 5. 2	22 23 24 25 26 27 28	1924			4. 2 5. 8 6. 4 8. 0 5. 8 6. 0 4. 5 5. 8
Day		Nov.	3 20. Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	5. 8 Apr.	30	June		5. 6 4. 0 -	6.0
1924-25 1 2 3 4	6. 2 6. 6 6. 6 7. 3 5. 1	5. 1 4. 3 5. 3 6. 2 6. 0	5, 8 6, 0 5, 8 6, 0 6, 4	4. 9 4. 9 5. 3 4. 5 4. 9	5. 3 4. 2 4. 2 6. 2 6. 2	6. 2 6. 2 6. 2 6. 2 6. 2	6. 0 6. 6 6. 6 6. 6 5. 8	5. 1 4. 9 4. 5 5. 3 5. 6	5. 3 5. 3 5. 1 5. 6 5. 1	5. 3 5. 3 5. 3 4. 9 4. 5	5. 1 5. 3 5. 6	5. 8 4. 9 5. 3 5. 3 5. 3
6	6. 6 5. 6 6. 4 6. 6 5. 8	5. 8 5. 6 5. 3 4. 9 6. 0	5.8 4.5 6.0 6.4 6.2	5. 8 5. 8 6. 2 6. 2 5. 8	5.8 5.3 4.9 4.9	4.9 5.1 4.7 5.6 5.8	6. 2 5. 8 5. 8 6. 2 9. 4	4. 5 5. 3 5. 8 4. 7	5. 6 4. 7 5. 1 5. 8 5. 1	5. 3 5. 1 3. 9 4. 9	4. 5 5. 3 4. 3	4.7 5.3 5.8 6.0 5.8

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Enterprise Electric Co.'s tailrace near Joseph, Oreg., for the years ending September 30, 1924 and 1925—Continued

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
11	6. 2	5. 1	5. 6	4. 9	4.5	5. 8	7. 1	5. 3	5. 1	4. 9	5.8	5.8
12	4. 5	5. 8	5. 8	5. 3	4.5	5. 8	5. 8	5. 8	4. 9	4. 5	5.3	5.8
13	6. 0	5. 6	5. 3	5. 8	4.9	5. 8	6. 6	5. 3	5. 1	5. 3	5.8	4.5
14	5. 6	5. 8	5. 3	5. 8	4.9	5. 8	5. 6	5. 3	4. 5	5. 3	4.9	6.2
16	6. 0 5. 6	6. 0 5. 1	6.0 4.9	5. 8 5. 3	6. 2 6. 2	5. 8 5. 3	5. 6 5. 6	5. 1 5. 1	4. 7 5. 3	6. 0 5. 1	4.7	6. 2
17	6. 0	5. 6	4. 9	5. 8	4. 9	5. 8	5. 6	4. 5	5. 1	5. 1	5.3	6. 2
	6. 0	5. 3	4. 9	4. 9	4. 5	5. 3	5. 8	5. 1	4. 3	5. 3	5.3	6. 2
	5. 3	5. 3	5. 8	6. 2	6. 2	5. 8	4. 7	5. 1	5. 3	4. 5	5.3	6. 2
	5. 6	5. 1	5. 8	5. 8	6. 2	5. 6	5. 6	5. 3	5. 1	5. 3	5.8	5. 3
21	5. 6	5, 3	4. 9	5. 8	6. 2	5. 8	5. 8·	5.3	5.8	5. 3	5. 3	5. 8
22	5. 3	5. 1	5. 3	6. 2	5. 3	4. 9	6. 4	5.3	4.7	5. 3	5. 3	6. 0
23	5. 6	4. 7	4.9	5. 8	6. 2	5. 6	5. 6	5. 6	4. 5	5. 3	4. 7	6. 0
24	6. 2	5. 8	4.9	6. 2	5. 3	5. 3	5. 3	4. 5	4. 9	6. 2	5. 3	6. 0
25	5. 6	5. 8	4.9	4. 9	5. 8	5. 6	5. 6	4. 9	4. 7	5. 3	5. 6	6. 2
26 27 28	4, 9 5, 6 5, 3	5. 6 5. 3 5. 3	4.9 4.9 4.9	5, 8 6, 2 5, 8 5, 8	5. 3 6. 0 6. 6	5. 8 5. 8 6. 2	5. 1 5. 3 6. 0	5. 3 5. 1 5. 3	5. 1 4. 9 4. 7	4. 5 5. 3 5. 3	5.8 4:9 5.6	6. 2 4. 7 6. 2
29 30 31	5. 3 5. 6 5. 3	5. 3 4. 9	4.9 4.9 4.9	5. 8 5. 6 5. 8		5. 3 5. 8 6. 4	5. 8 5. 8	4.7 4.9 4.3	5. 3 4. 9	5. 3 5. 3 5. 3	5.3 4.9 5.3	6. 2 6. 2

Monthly discharge of Enterprise Electric Co.'s tailrace near Joseph, Oreg., for the years ending September 30, 1924 and 1925

Month	Discha	l-feet	Run-off in	
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
1924 August 27–31september	6. <del>6.</del> 8. 0	4. 0 4. 0	5. <b>06</b> 5. <b>3</b> 7	50 320
1924–25 October November		4. 5 4. 3	5. 80 5. 41	357 322
December anuary. February March	6. 4 6. 2 6. 6	4.5 4.5 4.2 4.7	5. 40 5. 61 5. 40 5. 69	33 34 30 35
April. May une	9. 4 5. 8 5. 8	5. 1 4. 3 4. 3	5. 99 5. 10 5. 05	350 314 300
ulyAugust	6. 2	3.9 4.3 4.5	5. 13 5. 28 5. 74	31: 32: 34:
The year	9.4	3.9	5.48	3, 96

#### CLEARWATER RIVER AT KAMIAH, IDAHO

Location.—In sec. 1, T. 33 N., R. 3 E., at former toll bridge in town of 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, 1925.

GAGE.—Chain gage attached to downstream handrail of bridge; installed May 30, 1911; read by Mrs. Elsie McCarty and Mrs. Lillian Nickel.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from downstream side of bridge.

Channel and control.—Bed 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, 14.1 feet May 20 (discharge, 59,800 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.3 feet October 21, 24-27 (discharge, 1,220 second-feet).

1910-1925: 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 probably 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 permanent; affected by ice December 20 to January 27. Rating curve fairly well defined below 50,000 second-feet. Gage read to tenths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Records fair.

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

Discharge measurements of Clearwater River at Kamiah, Idaho, during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
June 17	Feet 8. 24 8. 26	Secft. 17, 700 18, 500	Aug. 22. Sept. 14.	Feet 2. 67 2. 48	Secft. 1, 620 1, 320

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Clearwater River at Kamiah, Idaha, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept
1	1, 320 1, 430 1, 910 2, 770 2, 190	2, 050 2, 920 2, 920 2, 920 2, 920 3, 730	2, 190 2, 470 3, 080 3, 080 2, 770	2, 500	7, 160 6, 550 16, 600 13, 500 12, 700	4, 300 4, 510 4, 300 4, 100 5, 200	12, 700 13, 500 15, 300 18, 500 22, 200	25, 000 27, 000 28, 900 31, 000 33, 800	25, 600 25, 000 23, 800 20, 600 20, 000	12, 300 9, 540 9, 540 8, 140 6, 850	2, 330 2, 190 2, 330 2, 470 2, 330	1, 544 1, 544 1, 544 1, 66 1, 43
6 7 8 9 10	1, 910 1, 660 1, 540 1, 540 1, 430	3, 240 2, 770 2, 470 2, 470 2, 620	2, 620 2, 470 2, 330 2, 050 2, 050	)	10, 300 7, 480 6, 550 5, 450 4, 960	6, 850 6, 850 6, 550 6, 260 5, 710	22, 700 23, 800 25, 000 28, 900 32, 400	39, 500 44, 800 41, 800 34, 500 33, 100	17, 600 17, 100 15, 700 15, 700 18, 500	6, 850 6, 260 5, 710 5, 450 5, 200	2, 050 2, 050 1, 910 2, 050 1, 910	1,544 1,910 2,050 2,050 1,780
11 12 13 14 15	1,540 1,540 1,430 1,320 1,320	2, 330 2, 190 2, 050 1, 780 1, 910	2, 470 4, 300 4, 510 9, 540 7, 810	2, 300	4, 300 4, 300 3, 910 3, 560 3, 730	4, 960 4, 960 4, 510 4, 300 4, 100	35, 200 39, 500 41, 000 38, 800 35, 200	33, 100 35, 200 39, 500 45, 600 44, 800	18, 500 15, 700 16, 200 15, 700 16, 200	4, 960 4, 510 4, 300 3, 910 4, 100	1, 780 1, 780 1, 660 2, 050 3, 730	1,666 1,666 1,546 1,436 1,666
16 17 18 19 20	1, 320 1, 320 1, 320 2, 320	2, 190 2, 050 1, 780 1, 780 2, 470	6, 550 4, 100 2, 470 2, 470	8) 3) 34	3, 730 3, 400 3, 400 3, 240 3, 400	3, 910 4, 300 3, 910 4, 100 4, 510	40, 200 41, 800 38, 000 32, 400 29, 600	48, 000 49, 600 51, 200 52, 100 59, 800	18, 100 18, 100 17, 600 18, 100 20, 600	3, 910 3, 560 3, 400 3, 240 3, 240	2,920 2,330 2,050 1,910 1,910	1, 78 2, 62 2, 33 2, 05 2, 33
2122232425	1, 320 1, 320 1, 220	4, 100 6, 550 6, 550 4, 960 4, 100	1, 700	3, 800	3, 560 4, 100 4, 100 4, 730 4, 960	5, 710 6, 550 6, 850 6, 850 7, 160	25, 000 22, 700 23, 800 21, 600 20, 000	55, 500 52, 100 47, 200 43, 200 40, 200	20,000 18,100 17,600 15,300 14,000	3, 080 2, 920 3, 080 3, 080 3, 240	1,660 1,660 1,660 1,910 2,050	2, 33 2, 05 1, 91 1, 91 1, 66
26 27 28 29 30 31	1, 220 1, 320 1, 540 1, 910	3, 560 2, 920 2, 470 2, 330 2, 330	2, 500	3, 730 3, 910 4, 730 6, 260	5, 200 4, 730 4, 510	7, 810 7, 480 8, 480 11, 100 11, 900 12, 300	18, 500 18, 100 17, 600 19, 000 21, 600	35, 200 33, 800 34, 500 35, 900 35, 200 28, 900	13, 100 11, 500 11, 100 10, 700 11, 900	3, 240 2, 920 2, 620 2, 620 2, 620 2, 620	1,910 1,660 1,660 1,660 1,660 1,540	1, 66 1, 54 1, 66 1, 66 2, 33

Note.—Discharge estimated Dec. 20 to Jan. 27 and Apr. 15, based on weather records and flow in South Fork of Clearwater River near Grangeville. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

### Monthly discharge of Clearwater River at Kamiah, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

[Drainage area, 4,850 square miles]

•	I		Run-off			
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
Ogtober November December December February February March April May June July August September	6, 550 9, 540 6, 260 16, 600 12, 300 41, 800	1, 220 1, 780 3, 240 3, 910 12, 700 25, 000 10, 700 2, 620 1, 540 1, 430	1, 510 2, 950 3, 020 2, 880 5, 860 6, 140 26, 500 40, 000 17, 300 4, 740 2, 020 1, 830	0. 311 . 608 . 623 . 594 1. 21 1. 27 5. 46 8. 25 3. 57 . 977 . 416	9. 36 68 . 72 . 68 1. 26 1. 46 6. 09 9. 51 3. 98 1. 13 . 48	92, 800 176, 000 186, 000 177, 000 325, 000 1, 580, 000 2, 460, 000 1, 030, 000 291, 000 109, 000
The year	59, 800	1, 220	9, 560	1. 97	26. 77	6, 930, 000

#### CLEARWATER RIVER NEAR LEWISTON, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In NE. 1/4 sec. 28, T. 36 N., R. 5 W., three-eighths mile below dam site of Inland Power & Light Co., 3 miles east of the Eighteenth Street highway bridge at Lewiston, Nez Perce County, and 4 miles above mouth of river.

RECORDS AVAILABLE.—August 23, 1910, to October 31, 1913; October 2, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

DRAINAGE AREA. -9,640 square miles.

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GAGE.—Stevens continuous water-stage recorder on right bank at former Central Ferry site; reinstalled October 2, 1924; inspected by J. C. Stevens and employees of Inland Power & Light Co. From 1910 to 1913, gage was at datum about 1.3 feet higher than present gage. Zero of present gage at elevation 732.00 feet when referred to city of Lewiston datum; 733.33 feet when referred to United States Geological Survey bench marks at Lewiston as described in Bulletin 567; and 730.23 feet when referred to United States Coast and Geodetic Survey datum.

DISCHARGE MEASUREMENTS.—Made from highway bridge at Lewiston and Spalding.

CHANNEL AND CONTROL.—Bed composed of boulders and gravel. Two channels at extremely high stages. Control formed by well-defined gravel and boulder riffle; practically permanent.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage during year, from water-stage recorder, 16.1 feet from 3 to 6 p. m. May 20 (discharge, 87,900 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.45 feet October 25 and 26 (discharge, 2,100 second-feet).

1910-1913; 1925: Maximum stage recorded, 16.0 feet (17.3 feet present datum) May 28, 1913 (discharge, 98,800 second-feet); minimum stage and discharge recorded on October 25, 26, 1924. Actual maximum stage and discharge on May 28, 1913, was probably somewhat higher than was recorded as indicated by comparison with gage heights obtained at city of Lewiston pumping plant.

Crest elevation during flood of June, 1894, was 20.8 feet, present gage datum (discharge, about 136,000 second-feet), as determined by J. C. Stevens, who referred the high-water mark to the Central Ferry gage during investigations made in 1924.

ICE.—Stage-discharge relation affected by ice only for short periods during severe winters.

DIVERSIONS.—Practically none.

REGULATION.—None.

Accuracy.—Stage-discharge relation permanent; affected by ice December 20-26. Rating curve well defined below 50,000 second-feet and extended above. Operation of water-stage recorder unsatisfactory after May 30. At other times staff gage was read to tenths at irregular intervals. Daily discharge ascertained by applying to rating table daily or mean daily gage height. For periods water-stage recorder was in operation mean daily gage height determined by inspection of recorder graph. Records fair.

COOPERATION.—Gage-height record furnished by J. C. Stevens and Inland Power & Light Co. 1 16 16

Discharge measurements of Clearwater River near Lewiston, Idaho, during the years ending September 30, 1924 and 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis char		Date	Gage height	Dis- oharge
1924 Aug. 19 Aug. 21	Feet a 2. 91 a 3. 47		-ft. , 830 , <b>04</b> 0	1924 Sept. 13 Oct. 4	Feet 2.59 3.47	Sen . [t. 2, 180 1, 230

Determined from curve of gage-height relation between gage at Central Ferry site and the Eighteenth Street highway bridge at Lewiston, to which these measurements were referred when made.
 Made from boat at city pumping station.

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Clearwater River near Lewiston, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

								<del>,</del>	
Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug. Sept.
1		4, 780	7, 500			46, 600	Jan 000	19,1900	2,670
2	2, 580 3, 560	6, 900 6, 900	7, 500 8, 110			50, 900	}43, 000 40, 700	16,000 15,000	4, 300 2, 670 2, 580
4	4, 260	7, 200	8, 260			54, 400	10, 700	) 10,000	n 22/670
5	4, 520	8, 260	8, 110			57, 900	34, DOO	13,000	4, 300
6	3, 450 3, 040	8, 110 6, 460	7, 960			64, 200 71, 700	K	1	2,580 3,100
8 9	2,760	5, 470 5, 190	7, 200 6, 900			70, 800 63, 300	25, 000	10,000	3,890 3,800
10	2, 670 2, 580	5, 190	6,760		66, 000	58, 800	27,800	10,000	3,000
.11	2, 500	4, 920	6, 760			58, 800	h'	1	3, 500 3, 800
12	2, 420 2, 420	4, 650 4, 140	8, 260 10, 000		75, 500 78, 400	60, 600 65, 100	26,000	8,000	3,040 8,450 A
14 15	2, 340 2, 340	3, 780 3, 670	17, 200 17, 200	4, 920	72, 600 67, 000	70, 800 72, 600	Ϊ	6,900	2,700
16	2, 260	1	1			75, 500	25, 990	0,000	6,000
17	2, 180	4, 140 4, 140	14, 200 10, 400		69, 800 75, <b>500</b>	77, 400	}		4, 920 4, 100
18	2, 180 2, 180	3, 670 3, 450	6, 460 5, 190		73, 600 65, 100	77, 400 78, 400		6,000	4, 440 3, 950 8, 450
20	2, 180	5, 470	1		58, 800	84, 000	30,000	ll l	
21 22	2, 180 2, 180	10, 400 12, 000	<u> </u>		51, 700 47, 400	83, 100 84, 000	, , , ,	4,750	2,980 3,700 2,500
23	2, 180	16, 800	4,000		47, 400	75, 500	0,000	Į,	2,770
24 25	2, 180 2, 100	12,000 10,700	J		44, 900 39, 900	68, 800 64, 200	25, 200	5, 500	3, 040 3, 000 3, 090
26	2, 100	9, 690			37, 500	58, 800	21,000	J	8, 140 2, 670
27 28	2, 180 2, 340	9,050 8,420	4, 780 5, 470		36, 700 36, 000	54, 400 54, 400	}	າ 5, 200	3, 040 2, 940 2, 450
29	3, 040	8, 110	6, 460		36,700	56, 100	17,000	}	2, 850 2, 850 3, 300
31	3, 900 4, 140	8, 110	6, 900		39, 900	55, 200 48, 000	] 	4,650 4,600	2, 850
		l	l		'			1	

Note.—Discharge estimated or interpolated, based on comparative flow at Kamiah, Dec. 29-26, May 31, June 1, 2, 4-9, 11-23, 25-30, July 1, 2, 4-14, 16-29, 31, Aug. 1-12, 14-16, 18-21, 23, 25, 28, Sept. 7-11, 13-18, 20-25, and 27-30. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

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Monthly discharge of Clearwater River near Lewiston, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

#### [Drainage area, 9,640 square miles]

	1	Run-off				
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October 2-31	24, 520 16, 800 17, 200 78, 400 84, 000	2, 100 3, 450 36, 000 46, 600	2, 700 7, 060 7, 440 56, 700 65, 000 27, 600	0. 280 . 732 . 772 5. 88 6. 74 2. 86	0.31 .82 .86 4.59 7.77 3.19	161, 000 420, 000 443, 000 2, 360, 000 4, 000, 000 1, 640, 000
July		2, 500	8, 230 3, 830 3, 150	. 854 . 397 . 327	.98 .46 .36	506, 000 236, 000 187, 000

#### SOUTH FORK OF CLEARWATER RIVER NEAR GRANGEVILLE, IDAHO

LOCATION.—In SE. 14 NW. 14 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; and April 1, 1923, to September 30, 1925.

GAGE.—Vertical and inclined staff on right bank 150 feet below power house; installed January 8, 1924; read by power-plant operators.

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, 7.4 feet at 7 a.m. April 17 (discharge, 4,010 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.60 feet at noon December 25 (discharge, 58 second-feet).

1910-1916; 1923-1925: Maximum stage recorded, 9.7 feet (9.48 feet present datum) May 30, 1912 (discharge, 9,830 second-feet); minimum stage, 2.50 feet at 7 a. m. September 24, 1924 (discharge, 40 second-feet).

Ice.—Stage-discharge relation 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 permanent; affected by ice December 17, 18, 21-24, and 26. Rating curve well defined above 130 second-feet. Gage read twice daily; to half-tenths prior to August 22, to hundredths after that date. Two readings daily may not be sufficient from which to determine daily mean stage during periods of considerable diurnal fluctuation. Daily discharge ascertained by applying mean daily gage height to rating table. Record good.

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, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Mar. 8	Feet 3.86 5.04	Secft. 558 1,310	Aug. 21	Feet 2. 94 3. 10	Secft. 157 195

# Daily discharge, in second-feet, of South Fork of Clearwater River near Grangeville, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1	125 171 200 260 239	289 370 280 260 316	157 272 272 272 247 239	247 239 200 231 239	280 316 420 520 570	260 280 302 325 520	1, 260 1, 340 1, 600 1, 990 2, 780	2, 650 2, 650 2, 780 2, 910 3, 040	1, 790 1, 790 1, 790 1, 600 1, 600	1,110 970 850 730 620	200 239 231 208 193	144 128 117 106 114
6	182 171 131 138 148	239 216 193 193 208	208 182 189 128 178	208 208 193 200 200	520 470 370 370 325	595 570 545 520 470	2, 530 2, 650 2, 780 2, 910 3, 170	3, 170 3, 730 3, 730 3, 310 3, 170	1, 420 1, 600 1, 420 1, 420 1, 600	520 570 570 520 470	171 164 164 148 164	196 227 235 243 208
11 12 13 14	148 148 157 148 138	193 171 120 164 204	239 370 470 495 420	182 171 164 164 164	302 302 280 272 280	420 420 370 370 325	3, 170 3, 730 3, 450 3, 310 3, 170	3, 170 3, 170 3, 310 3, 450 3, 730	1,600 1,420 1,420 1,260 1,260	445 420 370 870 370	138 148 148 148 370 420	175 175 154 151 204
16 17 18 19 20	131 131 125 131	200 148 106 178 348	325 120 117 131	171 182 200 182 171	260 231 239 231 239	325 325 325 348 395	3, 590 4, 010 3, 590 3, 170 2, 910	3, 590 3, 730 3, 590 3, 590 3, 590	1, 510 1, 420 1, 260 1, 260 1, 260	348 325 825 316 280	280 193 171 164 148	227 247 200 231 260
21 22 23 23 24	131 131 131 103 106	370 790 570 370 289	150	171 164 208 220 208	272 260 272 302 280	520 620 675 675 702	2, 650 2, 780 2, 780 2, 410 2, 190	3, 450 3, 170 2, 910 2, 650 2, 530	1, 340 1, 260 1, 110 1, 040 970	272 280 370 325	188 138 154 243 220	243 21, 168 161 148
26	109 117 120 171 171 157	239 138 103 128 131	160 171 231 260 302 280	200 200 200 200 231 247	280 280 260	675 702 850 1, 180 1, 110 1, 110	2, 190 2, 190 2, 090 2, 090 2, 190	2, 190 2, 190 2, 090 2, 190 2, 190 1, 890	910 850 850 910 1,040	370 272 247 289 289 200	171 148 157 154 161 151	148 141 148 370 298

NOTE.—Discharge estimated Dec. 17-18, 21-24, and 26 based on observer's notes and weather records. Braced figures show mean discharge for periods indicated.

Monthly discharge of South Fork of Clearwater River near Grangeville, Idaho, for the year ending September 30, 1925

[Drainage area, 940 square miles]

130 110

	I	discharge in s	econd-feet		Ru	1-0ff
<b>Month</b>	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	Per square mile	Inches	Acre-feet
October November December January February March April May June July August September	260 790 495 247 570 1, 180 4, 010 3, 730 1, 790 1, 110 420 370	103 103 164 231 260 1, 280 1, 890 850 200 138 106	149 251 225 199 322 543 2, 690 3, 020 1, 330 446 190	0. 159 . 267 . 289 . 212 . 343 . 578 2. 86 3. 21 1. 41 . 474 . 202 . 205	0. 18 30 27 24 36 8, 70 1. 87 23 . 23	9, 160 14, 900 13, 800 12, 200 17, 900 33, 400 160, 000 186, 000 79, 100 27, 400 11, 700 11, 500
The year	4, 010		797	. 848	11.49	577, 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, 14 miles above Petaha Creek and 17½ miles north of Dayton.

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, 1924, to September 30, 1925.

Gage.—Vertical staff on downstream corner of left abutment; used since October 24, 1923; read by I. O. Hovrud.

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 ± 0.1 foot.

EXTREMES OF DISCHARGE.—Maximum stage recorded during year, 5.35 feet at 8.30 a. m. February 5 (discharge, 642 second-feet); minimum stage, 4.10 feet August 22 (discharge, 51 second-feet).

1913-1915; 1924-25: Maximum stage recorded February 5, 1925; 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.

DIVERSION.—Several small diversions for irrigation above station.

REGULATION.—None.

ACCURACY.—Stage-discharge relation changed during period February 6-15; affected by ice December 17-28. Rating curve used prior to February 5 well defined; curve used after February 16 fairly well defined. Gage read to hundredths once daily. Daily discharge ascertained by applying daily gage height to rating table. Shifting-control method used February 6-15. Records good.

Discharge measurements of Tucannon River near Pomeroy, Wash., during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Gage height	Dis- charge	Date	Gage height	Dis- charge
Feb. 5	Feet 5. 31 4. 62 4. 62	Secft. 609 192 178	July 14 Sept. 25	Feet 4. 17 4. 13	Secft. 68. 4 55. 0

Daily discharge, in second-feet, of Tucannon River near Pomeroy, Wash., for the year ending September 30, 1925

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	Мау	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
1 2 3 4	58 58 60 60	87 83 81 81 81	105 101 98 98 103	148 148 135 148 162	292 292 315 510 624	147 147 150 153 166	172 178 195 205 230	212 230 237 241 279	202 195 188 178 168	84 84 77 74 72	55 57 55 53 53	55 57 59 59 62
6	60 58 58 58 60	81 77 77 77 87 79	98 98 94 87 96	148 148 148 148 148	544 465 390 332 277	181 178 169 162 153	248 270 292 317 372	292 332 342 292 292	162 153 162 162 156	72 70 72 72 72 70	53 55 55 55 55	66 64 68 66 66

Daily	discharge,	in second-feet,	of Tucannon	River 1	near	Pomeroy,	Wash.,	for	the
ŭ	• ,	year ending	September 30,	1925	-Con	tinued			

Day	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
11 12 13	60 60 60	77 77 77	98 110 135	128 122 115	236 214 196	147 139 134	402 437 402	283 292 302	147 147 142	68 68 66	53 53 59	62 59
14 15	60 58	73 75	148 151	110 110	177 162	134 131	372 342	317 317	134 128	66 64	59 <b>59</b>	62 62 59
16 17 18 19	58 58	75 75 75 87 192	146	105 101 98 130 122	153 147 142 134 134	125 134 120 120 134	342 372 342 317 292	327 342 342 842 317	125 120 120 118 112	64 64 59 57 57	59 <b>57</b> 57 <b>55</b> 55	59 62 62 62 64
21	58 58 58	177 292 248 206 180	70	148 148 183 206 210	147 142 156 178 178	142 162 178 178 178	270 248 230 212 195	317 307 279 257 248	112 110 108 95 86	59 59 62 105 84	53 51 62 74 66	64 62 62 62 59
26	5.0	151 140 125 115 110	192 162 148	192 186 180 192 210 260	172 162 159	195 192 205 195 185 178	195 185 178 185 202	230 219 212 230 241 212	86 84 84 88 86	72 68 66 62 59 57	62 59 59 62 59 57	59 59 62 64 66

Monthly discharge of Tucannon River near Pomeroy, Wash., for the year ending September 30, 1925

35. (1	Discha	rge in second	-feet	Run-off in
Month	Maximum	Minimum	Mean	acre-feet
October	77	56	59. 8	3, 680
	292	73	115	6, 840
December	192 260 624	98 134	100 153 251	6, 150 9, 410 13, 900
March April	205	120	159	9, 780
	437	172	273	16, 200
MayJuneJulyJulyJulyJuly	342	212	280	17, 200
	202	84	132	7, 860
	105	57	68, 8	4, 230
August	74	51	57. 2	3, 520
September	68	55	61. 8	3, 680
The year	624		142	102, 000

#### MISCELLANEOUS MEASUREMENTS

Discharge measurements of streams in the Snake River Basin at points other than regular gaging station, made during the year ending September 30, 1925, are listed in the following table:

Miscellaneous discharge measurements in Snake River drainage basin during the year ending September 30, 1925

Date	Stream	Tributary to or divert- ing from—	Locality	Gage height	Dis- charge
Aug. 19	Snake River	Columbia River	Thompson ranch near Pingree, Idaho.	Feet 3, 24	Secft. 6, 330
30	do	do	NE. 14 sec. 6, T. 11 S., R. 20		a 48.0
6	Two Ocean Creek	Pacific Creek	E., 100 feet above confluence with Dry Creek, 1 mile northeast of Murtaugh, Idaho.  Midway between Two Ocean Lake and mouth, Wyo.	2. 70	29. 5

<sup>·</sup>Furnished by Idaho Power Co.

Miscellaneous discharge measurements in Snake River drainage basin during the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Date	Stream	Tributary to or dive	Locality	Gage height	Dis- charge
May 23,	Lowder Slough Creek .		Three-fourths mile below head near Ririe, Idaho.	Feet 3, 22	Secft. 348
June 3	do	do	do	2, 73 2, 29	206 115
13	do	do	do	2.17	97.6
July 6	do	do	do	2, 91 2, 57	250
12	do	do	do	2, 57	170
Aug. 3	do	do	do	2.66	193 162
Aug. 3	do	do	do	2. 54 2, 22	97.6
15	do	do	do	2. 28	113
22					51.3
Sept. 8		do	do	1. 68 1. 26	26. 6
June 7	l Creek		1 mile below head near Thornton, Idaho.	2. 43	4. 88 48. 4
10	do	do	do	2. 10	10.8
13 22				2. 11 3. 36	11.0 291
27	do	do	do	3, 40	296
July 6	do	do	do	3. 10	202
10	do	do	dodo	2. 67	96.5
14 18	do	do	do	2. 43 2. 82	55. 4 128
18 28	do	ao		2.82	76.5
Aug. 10	do	do	do		28. 4
14	do	do	do	2. 25 2. 06	29. 0 9. 39
June 5	do	do		2.06	9.39 47.8
	Moose Creek		Springs, Idaho.	2. 20	
Aug. 30	Squirrel Creek Canal	Squirrel Creek	Idaho.	2.04	39. 9 5. 10
Sept. 27	do	do	do		2.75
Aug. 6 Sept. 27	Conant Creek Canal	Conant Creek	do		28. 9 17. 2
May 19	Warm Springs Creek.		At mouth, near Pincock Hot Springs, Idaho.		13.8
June 29	do	do	do		12. 2 7. 62
July 31	do	do			6. 35
20	Market Lake Springs_		100 feet west of railroad, 2 miles north of Roberts, Idaho.		3. 99
29	do	do	do		3. 76
Aug. 21	do	do	railroad, 2 miles north of Roberts, Idaho.		2. 85
July 29 Aug. 28	Edwards pump canal. Aggregate surface in-		At head, I mile south of Idaho Falls, Idaho.  Between Shelley and Lower	<b></b>	. <b>74</b> 175
	flow.		Blackfoot Bridge gaging stations.		91
28	flow except Black- foot River.	do	Bridge and Clough gaging stations.		
Oct. 10	Spring Creek		miles southwest of Henry,		10.7
9	Little Blackfoot River.		mile southeast of Henry,		3.9
10	do		NE. ¼ sec. 9, T. 6 S., R. 42 E., 800 yards below post office of Henry, Idaho.		42.8
Apr. 29	Clark Cut		E., 7½ miles northeast of Henry, Idaho.	4.90	236
May 26	do	do	do	3. 92	120
July 7	do	do		2.60	33. 2
29 Sept. 24	do	do	do	1.70	3.5
Oct. 9	Lone Tree Springs	Little Blackfoot Riv	rer Sec. 5. T. 6 S., R. 42 E., 2	1.55	b 1. 2 b 3. 5
	Wilson Lake outlet		Idaho.		1.2
9	WILSON LAKE OUDEL	DIRCKIOOL KIVEL	To 11 miles nowth	(,	1.2

Estimated.

Miscellaneous discharge measurements in Snake River drainage basin during the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Dat	e	Stream	Tributary to or divert- ing from—	Locality	Gage height	Dis- charg
Oct.	9	Spring Creek	Blackfoot River	E., 12 miles northwest of	Feet	Secf
	9	Poison Creek	do	NE. 1/4 sec. 1, T. 5 S., R. 40 E., 1 mile north of Black-		8. 3.
July	11	Camas Creek	Mud Lake	northwest of Henry, Idaho. Sec. 19, T. 10 N., R. 38 E., at Jacoby ranch, 11 miles east of Dubois, Idaho.		64.
Aug.	$^1_{21}$	do	do			29. 27.
Dec.	6			NW. 14 sec. 36, T. 7 N., R. 35 E., at highway bridge, 5 miles southwest of Hamer, Idaho.		80.
Mar. Apr.	10	do	do	do		73. 158
Apr. May	8	do	do	do		104
Tune	20	do	do	do		161 108
	3Õ	lao	Q0	l		41.
uly	12 20	do	do	do		44.
une	20 3 27	Woods Hump ditchdo	Diverts from Camas Creek.	Sec. 21, T. 12 N., R. 38 E., 4 miles below head, 10 miles east of Spencer, Idaho.		<sup>3</sup> 50. 11. 7.
uly	11	do	do	ا ا		Dry. 26.
une	3₁	ditch.		Sec. 36, T. 12 N., R 38 E., 3 miles below head, 5 miles south of Kilgore, Idaho.	10	
uly	28	do	do	ao		Dry.
ug.	1	do	do	do		Dry.
ug. uly			do	do		Dry.
lug.	$^{1}_{21}$	do	do	do		4.
Іау	5		do do	Sec. 34, T. 9 N., R. 36 E., 4 miles north of Camas,		3. •.
une : uly	29	do	do	do		5. 3.
	10	do	do	do		3.
ug.	2	do	do			3. 2. 3.
une	20 30	Holly Water Users Canal.	do	dodododoNW. ¼ sec. 36, T. 7 N., R. 35 E., ¾ mile below Ray's Lake and 5 miles southwest of Hamer, Idaho. Sec. 28, T. 7 N., R. 35 E., at Jackett ranch, 8 miles west of Hamer, Idaho.		18.
Dec. Aar.	6	Spring Creek		Sec. 28, T. 7 N., R. 35 E., at Jackett ranch, 8 miles west of Hamer, Idaho.		9.
pr.	iŏ	do	do	or Hamer, 10auo. do		10. 8 8.
pr. Iay	7	do	do	do		9.
une	19 2	do	do	do		6. 6.
	30	do	do	do		6. 7. 7.
ıly :	30   11	do	do	do		. 7.
ec.	6	do	do	do		15. 7.
far.	10	do	do	do		7. 6 K
pr. Iay	7	do	do	d0do.		7. 5. 5.
une	19	do	do	do dodo		١, 3.
	30	do	ao	do		1.
	11	Lidy Hot Springs	Snaka River	Sec 2 TO N D 22 Tr 12		į.
.45•	•	may mor phings	DUAKE MIVEL	Sec. 2, T. 9 N., R. 33 E., 15 miles southwest of Du- bois, Idaho.		•

<sup>\*</sup> Estimated.

Miscellaneous discharge measurements in Snake River drainage basin during the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Date	Stream	Tributary to or diverting from—	Locality	Gage height	Dis- charge
Mar. 12	Portneuf River	Snake River	SW. 14 SW. 14 sec. 3, T. 8 S., R. 38 E., seven-tenths mile	Feet 0.89	Secft. 135
Apr. 1	do	do.	north of Pebble, Idaho.	1.00	126
жрг. 1	do	do	do	1.03	122
May 2	do	do	do	1.40	115
25	do	do	]do	2.06	132
July 31	do	do	do	2. 14 2. 89	88.1 108
July 2 8	do	do	do	2.44	128
27	do	do	do	1. 29	152
Sept. 23	do	do	do	1.03	103
Aug. 30	Dry Creek	do	north of Pebble, Idaho.  do		• 20.1
Nov. 2	Blue Lakes outlet	do	SW. ¼ SW. ¼ sec. 28, T. 9 S., R. 17 E., 200 feet below highway bridge at Blue Lakes ranch, 4 miles	. 95	<b>-211</b>
3.5 0			north of Twin Falls, Idaho.	0.4	704
Mar. 6 July 16	do	do	do	.84	184 201
July 16 Aug. 20	do	do	do	.95	196
30	do	do	do	. 96	a 225
Nov. 1			north of Twin Falls, Idaho.  do		a 479
Aug. 29 Nov. 1	Nicosa Conince	do	Coo 4 /D 0 C D 15 F &		4 603 4 230
			Sec. 4, T. 9 S., R. 15 E., 6 miles northeast of Buhl, Idaho.		
1	Niagara Springs diversions. Briggs Springs	Divert from Niagara Springs.	do		a 18. 7
Oct. 31		:	Sec. 3, T. 9 S., R. 14 E., at ford above ranch house, 5½ miles northwest of Buhl, Idaho.		a 125
June 6	do	do	do		4 117
Aug. 29 Oct. 31	Ranbury Springe	do do	Sec 33 T 8 S R 14 E		≈ 119 ≈ 101
			west of Buhl, Idaho.		
Aug. 28 Oct. 31	Por Conven Creek	do	do		• 114 • 277
			Sec. 28, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., below falls ¾ mile from Snake River, 8½ miles northwest of Buhl, Idaho.		a 282
May 31 July 14	Main canal Salmon	Salmon River Rec.	Sec. 7, T. 14 S. R. 15 E. 1	8.66	685
- 41, 11	Main canal, Salmon River Canal Co.	ervoir.	mile below head, 714 miles west of Rogerson, Idaho	5.00	000
14	do	do	Sec. 7, T. 14 S., R. 15 E., 1 mile below head, 7½ miles west of Rogerson, Idaho. Sec. 32, T. 13 S., R. 15 E., below head of lateral A, 6½ miles west and 2 miles	2.70	526
July 14	Lateral A, Salmon River Canal Co.	do	north of Rogerson, Idaho. Sec. 5, T. 14 S., R 15 E., at head, 6½ miles west and 2 miles north of Rogerson	3, 36	164
Oct. 30	Sand Springs	Snake River	Idaho. Sec. 17, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 6 miles southeast of Hager- man, Idaho.		<b>a</b> ∘98.9
June 4	do	do	do		ad 91. 3
Aug. 27	do	do	do		a • 100
27	sand Springs power	Thousand Springs, east and west chan-	Sec. 8, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 5 miles southeast of Hager-		a 542
Oct. 30	plant. Thousand Springs (east channel).	nels. Snake River	man, Idaho. On line between secs. 8 and 17, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 5 miles southeast of Hagerman, Idaho.	1. 57	a 550
Aug. 27	do	do	do		□ 579

<sup>Furnished by Idado Power Co.
Includes 6.97 sec.-ft. diversions.</sup> 

d Includes 15.5 sec.-ft. diversions.
Includes 19.6 sec.-ft. diversions.

Miscellaneous discharge measurements in Snake River drainage basin during the year ending September 30, 1925—Continued

Date	Stream	Tributary to or divert- ing from—	Locality	Gage height	Dis- charge
		mg nom—			<u> </u>
Oct. 30	Thousand Springs (west channel).	Snake River	miles southeast of Hager- man, Idaho.	Feet	Secft. <sup>a</sup> 254
Aug. 27 Oct. 29	Inflow into Thousand Springs (west channel).	(west channer).	do		46.8
Aug. 28 28	Springs	Snake River	Sec. 7, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 1,300 feet northwest of Thou- sand Springs (west chan- nel) and 4½ miles south-		a f 48, 2 a 120
	do		east of Hagerman, Idaho. Sec. 6, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 1,000 feet southeast of Bickel's house and 4 miles south- east of Hagerman, Idaho.		<b>41</b> . 9
Aug. 28 June 1	do		feet north of Bickel's house and 4 miles southeast of Hagerman, Idaho.		a 45.3 a f 18.2
Aug. 27, 28.			do	1	a 18. 8
May 29			Sec. 6, T. 8 S., R. 14 E., 2,100 feet northwest of Bickel's house and 4 miles south- east of Hagerman, Idaho.		a 53.9
			Sec. 1, T. 8 S., R. 13 E., below diversions, 3 miles southeast of Hagerman, Idaho.	1 1	4 57.0 4 128
May 29	do		do		a 130
Aug. 26 Oct. 29		1	sec. 36, T. 7 S., R. 14 E., and sec. 36, T. 7 S., R. 13 E., 3 miles southeast of Hager-		a 25. I
May 29	do	do	do		
Aug. 26 Oct. 29			Sec. 12, T. 7 S., R. 13 E., be- low diversions at State highway bridge, 2 miles northeast of Hagerman, Idaho.		4 160
May 28	do	do	do		e 63. 1
Aug. 26 Oct. 29	_		Sec. 12, T. 7 S., R. 13 E., 2 miles northeast of Hager- man, Idaho.		47.06 Dry.
May 28 Aug. 26	do	do	do		47.0 42.8
Aug. 26 Oct. 28			do	2, 81	4 638
Aug. 26 25			sec. 34, T. 6 S., R. 13 E., 4 miles north of Hagerman, Idaho.	2. 32 1. 70	4 688. 4 293
Apr. 2			NW. ½ NW. ½ sec. 5, T. 6 S., R. 15 E., at Gooding- Wendall highway bridge, ½ mile south of Gooding, Idaho.	1.06	35. 6
4 13	do l	do	do	2.04 1.81	147 118
May 18 July 9	West Canal	Little Wood River	About sec. 31, T. 1 N., R. 21 E., 6 miles north of Carey,	1. 62 1. 04	91. 1 76. 7
Oct. 28	Malad flumedo	Big Wood River	NW. ¼ NE. ¼ sec. 34, T. 6 S., R.13 E., above King Hill ditch, 4 miles north of Hagerman, Idaho.		4 780 4 929
Aug. 25 May 28	King Hill ditch	Malad flume	SE. ¼ sec. 28, T. 6 S., R. 13 E., 4½ miles north of Hag- erman, Idaho.	2. 78 2. 80	a 244
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Furnished by Idaho Power Co.

I Does not include one channel.

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Dat	е	Stream	Tributary to or divert- ing from—	Locality	Gage height	Dis- charge
Мау	8	Bull Run Creek	River.	Sec. 15, T. 43 N., R. 52 E., 300 feet below county high- way bridge, 5 miles north of Deep Creek, Nev.	Feet	Secft. 179
June May	22 8	Deep Creek	do	Sec. 4, T. 42 N., R. 52 E., 300 feet above county high- way bridge at Deep Creek,		31. 3 19. 9
Nov.	22	Boise River	Snake River	Nev. NE. ¼ sec. 4, T. 2 N., R 3 E., 2½ miles southeast of Bar- ber, Idaho.		93.0
	24 24	New York Canal	Boise River	NE. 4 sec. 32, T. 3 N., R. 3 E., 1 mile south of Barber, Idaho.	5. 42	78. 5 1, 180
Aug.	28	North Fork of Payette River.	Payette River	About sec. 36, T. 21 N., R. 3 E. 14 miles north of Mc-		8. 2
	31	do		Call, Idaho. SW. 1/4 sec. 31, T. 13 N., R. 4 E., one-half mile south of Cabarton, Idaho.		218
Dec.	3	do		Cabarton, Idaho. Sec. 29, T. 10 N., R. 3 E., 6½ miles north of Banks, Idaho.	1.92	308
Aug.		Lake Fork of Payette River.	North Fork of Payette River.	NW. ¼ sec. 13, T. 18 N., R. 3 E., 3 miles east of Mc-Call, Idaho.		30.6
	28	Gold Fork of Payette River.	do	above mouth of Flat		65.4
June	80	Center Irrigation Dis- trict Canal.	Gold Fork of Payette River.	of Roseberry, Idaho. Sec. 32, T. 16 N., R. 4 E., 175 feet below diversion head gate and 5 miles southeast of Roseberry. Idaho.		79. 2
Aug.	28	Big Creek	North Fork of Payette River.	of Roseberry, Idaho.  SE. 1/2 sec. 3, T. 13 N., R. 4 E., below diversion dam, 5 miles southeast of Cascade. Idaho.	} <b>-</b>	14.0
	28	Diversion canal	Big Creek	b miles southeast of Cascade, Idaho.  SE. 1/4 sec. 3, T. 13 N., R. 4 E., 5 miles southeast of Cascade, Idaho. Sec. 20, T. 8 N., R. 12 E., below outlet of Elk Lake, 26 miles east of Lowman.		3. 5
	17	South Fork of Payette River.	Payette River			58. 1
	16	do	do	Idaho. Sec. 31, T. 10 N., R. 11 E., at Grandjean ranger station, 22 miles northeast of Low-		211
	16	Canyon Creek (Roaring Fork).	South Fork of Payette River.	man, Idaho. Sec. 27, T. 10 N., R. 10 E., at mouth, 20 miles northeast of Lowman, Idaho.		58. 2
	14	Warm Spring Creek	dodo	of Lowman, Idaho. Sec. 9, T. 11 N., R. 10 E., above Bull Trout Lake, 23 miles northeast of Low- man, Idaho. Sec. 9, T. 11 N., R. 10 E., below Bull Trout Lake, 23		11.1
	14	do	do	Sec. 9, T. 11 N., R. 10 E., below Bull Trout Lake, 23 miles_northeast of Low-		10. 4
	13		do	miles northeast of Low- man, Idaho. Sec. 5, T. 9 N., R. 10 E., at mouth, 16 miles east of Lowman, Idaho.		100
	15 12	Tenmile Creek	do	About sec. 15, T. 9 N., R. 9 E., at mouth, 12 miles east		106 32, 2
	22	Clear Creek	do	of Lowman, Idaho. Sec. 27, T. 9 N., R. 7 E., at		43. 4
July	20		do	mouth, at Lowman, Idaho. SW. 1/4 sec. 8, T. 11 N., R. 7 E., 15 miles north of Low- man, Idaho.		156
Aug	23 3	Deer Creek	Deadwood River	Sec. 1, T. 12 N., R. 7 E., 22 miles north of Lowman, Idaho.		175 10. 8

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Date	Stream	Tributary to or divert- ing from—	Locality	Gage height	Dis- charge
Sept. 3	Middle Fork of Pay- ette River.	South Fork of Payette River.	Sec. 22, T. 12 N., R. 5 E., at Boiling Springs, 10 miles southeast of Cabarton,	Feet	Secft. 63. 9
4	do	do	Sec. 21, T. 9 N., R. 4 E., at mouth, 1½ miles southwest of Garden Valley, Idaho.		99. 9
3	Silver Creek	Middle Fork of Pay- ette River.	Sec. 30, T. 12 N., R. 6 E., 13		14, 2
17	North Side Canal of Emmett Irrigation District.	Payette River	ton, Idaho. Sec. 22, T. 7 N., R. 1 W., at Black Canyon Dam, 5½ miles northeast of Em- mett, Idaho.	21.90	236
17	South Side Canal of Emmett Irrigation District.	do	do	7. 63	53, 1
Aug. 9	Lost Creek	West Fork of Weiser River.	About sec. 17, T. 19 N., R. 1 W., 5 miles northwest of Tamarack, Idaho.		7. 1
June 12	Mesa Orchards Canal.	Middle Fork of Weiser River.	Sec. 14, T. 15 N., R. 1 W., 900 feet above end of flume and 1½ miles northeast of Mesa. Idaho.	.68	6. 2
July 20	do	do	do	. 99 1. 35	20. 2 34. 5
Aug. 8				1.02	27. 0
25	do	do	do	1. 03	26. 9
Sept. 4	do	\$do	do	. 80	19. 1
24	do	do	do	. 59	2.8
Apr. 29	Weiser Irrigation Dis- trict Canal.	Weiser River		2. 86	115
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July 20	do	d0	do	3.04	118 123
Aug. 6	do	do	do	3.38	111
25	do	do	do	2.83	64.1
Sept. 25	do	do	do	2, 74	52.3
20			do		61. 8
20	Marsh Creek	Middle Fork of Sal- mon River.	Above mouth of Cape Horn Creek; about sec. 9, T. 12 N., R. 11 E., 1½ miles southwest of Cape Horn, Idaho.		34, 5
20	Cape Horn Creek		At mouth; about sec. 9, T. 12 N., R. 11 E., 1½ miles southwest of Cape Horn, Idaho.		27.1
20	Beaver Creek	Middle Fork of Sal- mon River.	About sec. 35, T. 13 N., R. 11 E., 1 mile north of Cape Horn, Idaho.	.92	43.6
Aug. 8	Bear Valley Creek	do	About sec. 35, T. 13 N., R. 11 E., 1 mile north of Cape Horn, Idaho. Above Elk Creek, about sec. 3, T. 12 N., R. 9 E., 9 miles west of Cape Horn, Idaho.		44.1
3		Bear Valley Creek	About sec. 35, T. 13 N., R. 8 E., 14 miles west of Cape Horn, Idaho.		65. 7
8	do	do	40.		52. 7
8	do		At mouth, about sec. 3, T. 12 N., R. 9 E., 9 miles west of Cape Horn, Idaho.		64. 1
8	Fir Creek	do	At mouth, about sec. 32, T. 13 N., R. 10 E., 6 miles northwest of Cape Horn, Idaho.		14. 9

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