

WORK PROCEEDS AT OWYHEE DAM

300 Men Renew Activities on Big Project; Tunnel Depths Taken

NYSSA (Special)—Work on the Owyhee dam is proceeding at full speed, concreting having been resumed by the General Construction company on February 23, after the midwinter layoff on account of cold weather.

About 300 men are employed on this feature of the project, and it is expected that the structure will rise rapidly during the coming months.

Relief Fund Helps

The passage by congress of legislation providing funds for the reclamation program assures continuation of construction on schedule.

Tunnel No. 1 is in 3100 feet at Connolly's end and 3300 feet at Shea's end.

Tunnel No. 5 is in 6600 feet at Shea's end and 4375 feet at Magoffin's. Soft ground and some water

has impeded progress at this portal.

Survey Distribution

Surveys for the distribution system of the project have been carried on throughout the winter.

Canal location has reached a point opposite the Sleep ranch near Ontario on the Mitchell Butte division and has reached Succor Creek on the Succor Creek division.