

THE outcome of the Grass Valley reservoir project, by which it is expected to supply water for the large valley of splendid land at Newcastle, owned by the Newcastle Reclamation company, will be watched this year with a great deal of interest by the people of southern Utah. This is a project which included the driving of a tunnel through the mountain for more than a mile, the construction of a large reservoir dam, the making of many miles of canal and some gigantic cuts and fills. This is the first season that the reservoir has been put to use, and as yet there is little or no water in the lake, the moisture being in the form of snow and ice in the mountains. If this project proves successful the future of the town of Newcastle, as well as of the company that is behind the undertaking, will be assured. If this reservoir project should fail, its effects would doubtless be quite disastrous to the company, as well as to the entire undertaking. It is certainly hoped that the fullest expectations of the engineers and the directors of the company will be realized.

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