

Dam Engineering Brings Comments

"Mighty small, looks to me."

"Can't you see that the water has been let out?"

"Look, see that little swirl of sticks and rubbish? That's where the valve is."

"What's going to be done with this bank?"

"I don't know—paper says that the state has appropriated about two hundred shruvs and eighty-fi—Say! Look at those ducks, will you? Must be stopping over looking for food."

The above bit of conversation and others similar to it were overheard last Sunday afternoon between various visitors to the lake under construction at the bottom of the hill. Lynchburgers turned out *en masse* Sunday, probably in hopes of seeing some "high water." This latter wish was disappointed, however, as the officials in charge of the work had opened the drainage valve, thus taking care of the unusual flow resulting from the extraordinary rainfall occurring most of last week.

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