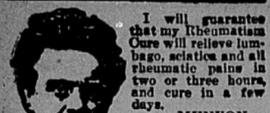


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HILL DOES AND DOESN'T

Engineering Expert Says He Knows and Then Says He Doesn't Know About Water Supply.

His Report Unsatisfactory to the Water Committee—Will Go Ahead Regardless.

Gist of Mr. Hill's Report—Officer Kurz Reinstated—The Town Clock Project.

The city council has lost considerable faith in experts. When the water question came to a point last spring where it was apparent that something must be done, in order to avoid the mistake of the past the council determined to employ the best consulting engineer obtainable, regardless of expense. Now, after much delay, the engineer, Mr. Hill, of Cincinnati, has sent his report by mail instead of coming here again, as promised, and the report has been made public. To say that this report is unsatisfactory is putting it mildly. It is like the story of the cow that was an excellent milker, but invariably kicked the bucket over and spilled the milk.

At an adjourned meeting of the council, held Monday evening, Chairman Benson, of the water committee, presented Mr. Hill's report. That is, he offered visible evidence that it was in his hands, but he did not think it was worth reading, as it covered twenty typewritten pages. He gave a brief outline of its contents, and read a letter explanation demanded by the committee, in which Mr. Hill said there was no way of determining to a certainty the quantity of water the gravel beds would furnish. Mr. Benson said the committee had determined to arrange for the pumping of water from the new supply well for the winter, and that in the spring the committee would go ahead with the gallery system, putting in several hundred feet at first and then pumping for an indefinite period to determine whether or not the supply would hold out.

It is wholly impossible by any method with which I am acquainted to determine from a superficial examination the extent and capacity of an underground water service, and with the best information from such limited tests as are sometimes applied, it is still a difficult matter to resolve all doubts in a satisfactory manner. It is possible (from the best tests) to be mistaken upon the extent and probable yield through a long period of drought or the ground water source, and the error usually occurs in imparting an excess capacity to such sources of water supply.

The facts obtained from the experimental work conducted during the summer are as follows: The total amount of water pumped from the test well from July 24 to Sept. 21 inclusive was 38,796,682 gallons, an average of 645,500 gallons per day. During this interval of time from the data submitted, the water level in the test pump well was lowered from an elevation of 87.78 to an elevation of 73.93, or 13.85 feet.

The total rainfall reported since July 24 aggregates 6.03 inches, and applying this to the area embraced in the investigation, viz., 1,267.4 acres, and allowing an absorption of 40 per cent by the sand and gravel overlying the rock and under the top soil of clay, the absorbed rainfall within the field of observation amounts to \$9,955,837 gallons, or more than twice the pumpage from the test pump well for the interval of time during which the rainfall was reported.

From information obtained during the past sixty days I do not deem it safe to assume a water field tributary to the Long farm [where the test well is located] larger than six square miles, or 3,840 acres, in area, and a mean reduction of the water level over the whole field of three feet during the four dry months of the year. This area and loss of water level when reduced to the total voids in the sand and gravel, and a percentage of water accounted for by pumping, represents a net average capacity of 1,651,810 gallons per day of twenty-four hours.

health last April and May, which resulted from the general use of polluted water from the public mains, should never again be permitted to establish itself in the city, and you will be justified, from the standpoint of self-protection and humanity, in an reasonable outlay to avoid the loss of life and suffering which afflicted your city last spring."

Mr. Hill recommends the development of the present gravel bed supply by either enlarging the present well or laying a gallery north and south not exceeding 2,000 feet. The expense he estimates at \$15,600. KURZ REINSTATED. Mr. Fisher, of the committee on police, reported that he had investigated further the case of Officer Kurz, and that while he found several who objected to him as a police officer, many others upheld him, especially in his action in handling the man whom he pounded with his club, for which action he was suspended. Mr. Fisher favored placing him on duty again. Mr. Good also upheld the officer and favored his reinstatement, but the committee on police, Messrs. McGuire and Kreuzer, vigorously opposed his reinstatement, and Mr. Kreuzer presented a petition from fifty-five southside residents asking that he be not allowed to serve on the force. The argument became quite warm and it was evident that a considerable feeling existed on the part of some. The police committee made the point that the policemen should be upheld in their dealings with the tramp element. On the adoption of the report favoring Officer Kurz's reinstatement Messrs. Benson, Fisher, Good, Harris and Henry voted "aye," Messrs. Kreuzer and McGuire voting "no. The officer was therefore reinstated.

FAVOR A TOWN CLOCK. Dr. Harris presented a resolution instructing the mayor to appoint a committee of three, with the mayor, to interview the county supervisors to see if some plan can not be evolved for the purchase of a clock for the court house tower. Messrs. Harris, Henry and Good were appointed as such committee. The committee was also instructed to take up the matter of securing quarters for the city officers in the court house basement.

Mayor Pierce, in this connection, said the ladies of the City Federation of Clubs were working with a view of placing electric lights on the court house, and were willing to help defray the expense if the council and the supervisors would co-operate. This matter was also referred to the committee to confer with the ladies and the supervisors.

OTHER PROCEEDINGS. One of the objects of the adjourned meeting was the opening of bids for furnishing fuel to the city water and lighting plant for the coming year. But one bid, that of the Marshall Coal & Ice Company, was received, and the council did not see fit to accept that. The water committee was authorized to purchase coal of whom it saw fit for the next six months. The coal men are evidently in a position where they need not enter into competition to secure business, as there is at present a market for all the fuel they can obtain.

The plat of the Electric addition was again presented by the owners and was accepted after an alley was added. On motion of Mr. Fisher, the Great Western will be notified to erect gates at the Center street and Third avenue crossings. It was reported that the gates for the Center street crossing of the Northwestern and Iowa Central had been ordered and are now in transit. The money necessary for the opening of Ketchum street, under condemnation proceedings, was voted to the sheriff to be paid to the property owners. The land was appraised at \$230, and the costs amounted to about \$25.

The contract for enlarging the Third avenue police station was awarded to Mr. J. F. Atkinson, at a price of \$250.

AMUSEMENTS.

A Poor Show Greeted With a Fine House—The Same Old Story. As poor a show as any one could possibly desire and as good a house as Manager Speers could possibly wish for the best kind of a production, was for the record at the Odeon Monday night, when there was presented a sensational comedy only a barn-storming affair called "The Pay Train." The play was very much on the blood and thunder order, with hair-breadth escapes that pleased only the gallery. It was the same old story—a good house when least merited.

Real Estate Transfers. Carrie A. Atkinson and husband to Josephine Carlson, three acres in Timber Creek township, \$500.

Herman H. Wolcott to Daniel Bruck-lacher, thirty acres in LeGrand township, \$4,000.

S. A. Belknap and wife to Edward Yocom, half of lot 3, block 3, Vanceleve, \$500.

A. M. Van Schaick to Louis Landstrom, lot 5, block 2, VanSchaick's addition, \$200.

C. C. Buck and wife to J. Giffert Gutekunst, lots 10, 11 and 12, block 31, State Center, \$550.

Joseph Schilling to J. Giffert Gutekunst, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 31, State Center, \$200.

C. C. Buck and wife to John Gutekunst, lot 9, block 31, State Center, \$50.

Joseph Schilling and wife to John Gutekunst, lot 4, block 31, State Center, \$70.

Anna Cole and husband to Frank Brennecke and A. W. Heald, north half of lot 5, block 2, Anson's second addition, \$1,200.

John Davis to David Rankin, lot 15, block 24, Gilman, \$250.

STOCK OF GOODS SEIZED

Sheriff Takes Charge of Goods in E. W. Stubbs' Economy Shoe Store.

Attachment Secured in Favor of J. H. Augustine on Overdue Notes Held by Him.

Sheriff Also Attaches Balance of the Tremont Furniture for Mrs. Mary Wagner.

Considerable surprise has been occasioned by the closing of the Economy shoe store, owned by E. W. Stubbs, by Sheriff McPherson, who acted under an attachment secured by J. H. Augustine. Mr. Stubbs has been doing a good business during the time that he has conducted the store, but had become involved financially prior to his engaging in business in this city. The attachment was secured on notes aggregating \$460. One of these was for \$100 loaned to Mr. Stubbs by Mr. Augustine, and another was a note given by Mr. Stubbs to the Oregon Land company and purchased by Mr. Augustine.

Sheriff McPherson removed the greater portion of the stock or enough to cover the amount of the Augustine indebtedness, and left the balance in the room for Mr. Stubbs or other interested parties to do with as they saw fit. Mr. Stubbs, however, has suddenly abandoned hope of re-opening the business, and went to Chicago Monday evening to accept a good position that had been offered him there.

A second attachment suit was filed this afternoon in the district court by Bentley & Olmstead, of Des Moines, who allege that it has sold the defendant boots in large quantities and that there is a balance due the said plaintiff on account to the amount of \$1,050. Also that the defendant has disposed of his property in whole or in part, with intent to defraud his creditors, and that he has absconded, so that ordinary process can not be served upon him.

HAS THE WHOLE THING. Sheriff McPherson now has in his custody the whole of the Tremont furniture and fixtures. Under the Brown & Miller attachment just that portion of the furniture in the building was seized. The goods in the Tremont rooms over the Woodard & Gray, Schobert and Hopkins stores were not taken under the landlord's attachment. Today, however, Mrs. Mary A. Wagner, wife of the former landlord, secured an attachment on the balance, to secure payment of a note for \$500 given by Mr. Wilson at the time the hotel was sold by the Wagners. The attachment runs against both G. W. Wilson and Mary A. Wilson, his wife.

WAS A COSTLY BLOW.

Waterloo Man Who Struck Miss Still Fined Fifty Dollars. The Waterloo Courier of Monday evening has the following to say concerning the result of the trial of George Schmus, of that city, for assaulting Miss Jessie Still, of this city, the particulars of which appeared in these columns. The Courier says:

"The case of George Schmus, who was arrested Friday night, charged with disturbing the peace, and the story of whose troubles was told in the Daily Courier Saturday, was brought up before Justice John A. Mears at 9 o'clock this morning.

"By agreement the second information against the prisoner, sworn to Saturday afternoon on the charge of assault and battery with intent to commit great bodily injury, was changed to assault and battery.

"The young woman in the case, Miss Jessie Still, who claimed to have been injured by the blow in her face struck by Schmus while the two were out walking, was taken to her home at Marshalltown Saturday afternoon by a friend of the family. It is said she is still in a high nervous and hysterical condition when she entered the car here, and that she fainted several times before the train reached Marshalltown. Word from there this morning says she is quieter now and improving rapidly.

"Little testimony was introduced in the case this morning, beyond the admission of Schmus that he struck the girl. He claimed that he only slapped her with his open hand, and the testimony of Mrs. Strunk seemed to bear out this statement.

"Further it was stated by Schmus' attorney that he had only accented the girl for the payment of a bill for a jacket and when she refused to attempt to take the jacket from her, she then called him a name and he slapped her."

The Times-Republican was misinformed Monday regarding the parentage of Miss Still and the Robert P. Still, of No. 8 Court street, mentioned as being the father of the girl, is not the daughter of Mrs. Scott Weakley, who resides near the extreme end of South Fourth street. The young woman is at her mother's home now.

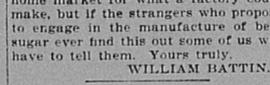
OBITUARY.

Nash. Sylvester S. Nash, aged 55, died this morning at about 2 o'clock at the Soldiers' Home hospital after an extended illness with Bright's disease and other complications. The deceased had been a member of the Illinois National Guard in the civil war, he was a corporal of Company E, Seventy-fifth Illinois infantry, enlisting August 14, 1862, at Dixon, Ill., and discharged June 12, 1865. He was a native of Rhode Island, having been born at Greenwich, January 1, 1835. He leaves an invalid married sister, Susan I. Nash, aged 75, a resident of Route's Point, N. Y. Before coming to the Home Corp. Nash was a member of Council Bluffs Lodge No. 71, A. F. and M. A. of the chapter, commandery and Eastern Star, of that city. Word was sent this afternoon to the blue lodge this morning asking as to the disposition of the remains. A reply was to the effect that the remains be sent to his old home and they will leave on the Colorado special this evening.

Send a Delegate. A beet sugar convention is called to be held at Mason City on Oct. 18, which should be attended by a number of Marshall county citizens for profit- Men looking for locations for profit-

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HE WANTS TO KNOW

Voter and Tax Payer Asks Some Pointed Questions in Local Politics.

Has Republican or Democratic Official Been More Economical—Auditor's Figures.

The following letter, which carries the signature of a well known resident of Timber Creek township, is given publication in these columns for the sake of the information a reply to its questions may bring to the voters of Marshall county.

Editor Times-Republican: I wish to say that I have been a subscriber to your twice-a-week paper for many years and like it very much. I am a republican. I have always voted the good old ticket straight, but there is one thing that is bothering me and I wish your paper would help me out on it. It is just this: Some fellows came down our way working for the reelection of the present incumbent to the office of sheriff of our county, and they told us that we ought to vote for him in the interests of economy. They said that the present sheriff had cost the county several thousand dollars less than the former sheriff did, who was a republican. Now, I'm a republican, and did not swallow this story, but I'd like to know the facts. I'm a taxpayer and believe in honest government. I have nothing against Mr. McPherson personally, and if he is running his office much cheaper than other sheriffs have done, I'd like to see him get the credit for it, and if he isn't I want to know that, too, so as I can tell just how big — liars those democrats were that told me the story.

We republicans in this township are all pretty well satisfied with things in general, including politics and the part our party is taking, and if I'm any judge we'll all vote the ticket straight from governor down to coroner. Yours, A VOTER.

Timber Creek Township. The point raised was something that we could not, from our own knowledge, answer, so the editors of this paper applied to the auditor's office for a comparative statement of the expenses of the sheriff's office under the republican sheriff, Mills, and the present democratic incumbent. It is as follows:

Editor Times-Republican: The records of this office show the expenses of the sheriff's office for the last four years to be:

W. D. MILLS. 1896.....\$ 9,208.71 1897.....\$ 8,884.96

Total.....\$18,093.67 J. W. McPHERSON. 1898.....\$ 6,614.08 1899 (nine months).....\$ 7,729.74

Total.....\$14,343.82 Oct. 17, 1899. F. W. HARGRAVE.

It will be seen that the actual expense of the office for one year and nine months under a democratic sheriff has exceeded the expense of Mr. Mills' entire term of two years by \$241.55. Estimating the expense for the next three months to be in proportion to that of the first nine of this year would swell the difference to \$1,181.96 in favor of Mr. Mills, the republican official. Mr. Mills' term is the only one used, as he is the only salaried sheriff we have had prior to Mr. McPherson.

The records in the auditor's office do not sufficiently itemize these accounts to enable one to make a detailed comparison and we do not know that the showing should exercise a very great influence in the pending contest, but it is certainly such as to give no foundation for the campaign story our friend refers to. We are inclined to believe from the figures that the men who told that story are just the kind of liars our Timber Creek voter suggests them to be.

BREAKFAST ON DRINK.

Coffee Makes Many Dyspeptics. "Coffee and I had quite a tussle. Two years ago I was advised by the doctor to quit the use of coffee, for I had a chronic case of dyspepsia and serious nervous troubles, which did not yield to treatment. I was so addicted to coffee that it seemed an impossibility to quit, but when I was put on Postum Cereal Food Coffee there was no trouble in making the change, and today I am a fit woman."

"One of the lady teachers in our public schools was sick and nervous. Frequently the only thing she took for breakfast was a cup of coffee; I urged her to try leaving off the coffee and use Postum instead. I went so far as to send her a sample from my box and give her directions. She now uses nothing but Postum Food Coffee and told me a short time ago that she was perfectly well."

"It is easy to make good Postum, once a person becomes accustomed to it. I put four heaping teaspoons to the pint of water and put the Postum in thin muslin bags, drop the bag into the water and after it comes up to a boil see that from that time on it boils fifteen or twenty minutes; then use good cream and you have a drink that would be relished by the queen." Mrs. Lizzie Whitaker, Kilder, Mo. Postum is sold by all first-class grocers at 15 and 25 cents per package.

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