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Wausau Law & Land Association

EXPERIMENTING.

The city water department has concluded to forego the flushing of mains for the present, and is experimenting in another direction. A piece of two inch pipe, removed from a certain section of town, that had lost about two-thirds of its carrying capacity by reason of the vegetable growth that effects the whole system, has been attached to a kerosene barrel, and river water will be allowed to run through it for a time. The barrel has been placed in the river near the old Plummer mill and a partition has been so placed in it that the force is reduced to about equal that of the water flowing through the city's mains. The object of this experiment is to determine whether or not river water will in time kill the vegetable germs of this growth. It is said that the water in the river contains little if any oxide of iron, which is the food of the vegetation found in the mains. It is a law of nature that when nourishment to plant or animal life ceases, death ensues and if any method can be determined for killing the objectionable growth mentioned, it is thought that flushing will afterwards remove the dead matter.

Certain parties have given their solution of the water problem in this way: Let the city build a crib in the river, near its intake pipe. Fill this with charcoal or some other absorbing substance, that will thoroughly filter the river water of all impurities, the crib to be connected with pipes from the station. Let the water so filtered be pumped through the mains for several weeks at a time, at certain intervals in the year, to be followed by energetic flushing. While river water is naturally warm it is argued that in flowing through the pipes, laid as they are at quite a depth in the ground, it would become cooled. Those who advance this theory think that while the plant life of this growth might not be destroyed in a year and removed in that period, it would be in time, and the experiment would be worth trying. The cost of building the crib would be small, and some good might result from it.

The city water comes from practically the same source as does that of the river, yet the oxide of iron in the latter is absorbed by its exposure to the air. The city of Superior, Wis., some time ago found in its water system a difficulty similar to that confronting Wausau people. The people of that town began experimenting, with the result that a new plan of pumping water was adopted. Superior's water is now pumped high in the air, comes down in a spray in a large tank and is then pumped through the mains. The action of the air kills the growing properties of the oxide of iron, and the result, it is said, is that the water mains of that city are now free from themselves of their vegetable growth. There is a curious condition attached to this problem. Water charged with this matter must, to give life to this plant, be flowing continually, or in continuous motion. The growth in a pipe filled with this water and plugged at both ends will cease, but let the water again flow through it and plant life will again commence. Although it is a perplexing problem which theories alone do not solve.

SMITHS WEDDED.

At the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. Smith on Fourth street Thursday afternoon at four o'clock their daughter, Mary Emily, was united in marriage to Dr. Joseph Franklin Smith, of Chicago, Dr. Rev. S. N. Wilson performing the ceremony. The nuptial knot was tied beneath an arch of smilax and white sweet peas, banded with palms and the room's decorations were palms, ferns and cut flowers. The attendants were the Misses Laura and Marie Millard, of Milwaukee, and the wedding was a quiet one, only relatives and a few friends being present.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Smith. She was born and grew to womanhood in this city and is a graduate of the Wausau high school and of the Wisconsin University. She is a young lady of sterling qualities of mind and character and is known to nearly all our citizens. The groom, though a stranger, is a fine appearing young man and has risen in his profession to assistant to the head physician of the Rush medical college. The bride completed a course of study for trained nurse at the Cook county hospital and it was at that time that they first met. After the wedding ceremony the young couple departed for Saint Ste. Marie and will indulge in a pleasure trip down the lakes before going to Chicago, where they will make their home.

Those present at the wedding from out of town were: Mrs. E. J. Lambert, Merrill; Mrs. C. S. Ashmun, Wausau; Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Millard and daughters, of Milwaukee.

EXPECT NEW GUNS.

Co. G, of this city, hopes to receive new Krag-Jorgensen rifles very soon as well as other equipment. They were not expected before fall but the government is making every effort to supply the regular army with the new Springfield rifles. The governor has telegraphed that the regular army has been ordered to supply the regular army with the new Springfield rifles. The governor has telegraphed that the regular army has been ordered to supply the regular army with the new Springfield rifles.

Wm. Morgand, of Green Bay, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. P. C. Hart. Mr. Morgand is eighty years of age and a man who has seen much of the dark side of this country's history. He served in both the Mexican and Civil wars, and spent eight years in his country's service. He came to Green Bay when that town was but a trading post and has made it his home ever since.

Last week Secretary of State Wm. Froelich, accompanied by the Liesner Bros., was in Athens, and the four gentlemen invested in some fine Marathon county land. Through Damon & Chesak they bought thirteen 40's in the town of Bern. The land is timbered and the gentlemen purchased it as an investment, realizing that Marathon county land is advancing rapidly in price.—Athens Record.

THOUGHT HE WAS HELD UP.

On July 3d an unknown man called at the American Express Co.'s office and presenting a card bearing the name of A. L. Peterson, which called for the delivery of a package, the same was given to him. A few days later a traveling salesman called at the office and made inquiries in regard to the same package, proving by letters, credentials, etc., that he was A. L. Peterson, working for a cutlery firm of St. Paul, and that the package contained about \$42 worth of sample pocket knives. Since then officials have been trying to locate the man that received the package, and were unsuccessful until a few days ago when they ran on to a clue. A man named Peterson, working at the Manser mill at Kelly, has been selling knives of late, his supply appearing unlimited. It was also learned on Tuesday last that he had sold some knives to Jos. Lucia in this city. A warrant was sworn out and the officers made a search for him. At about nine o'clock in the evening a man answering the description given by the express company was seen loitering about in the vicinity of the post office and Sheriff Chellis arrested him. He attempted to get away and when the officer laid hands on him he yelled "Help" at the top of his voice and soon drew a large crowd around him. He was taken to the Adams house but Mr. Lucia failed to identify him as the man wanted and he was let go. He afterwards explained that he was born and raised on a farm near Marshfield and this was his first visit to a city of the size and importance of Wausau. He had spent a great deal of his spare time in reading dime novels which told of daring hold-ups and of the traps and snares of a large city that catch the unsophisticated. When the officer approached him he thought himself in the hands of a Jesse James and in his fright cried for help. He further stated that the lesson would be a valuable one to him.

It was later learned that the Peterson wanted had left town in the afternoon on a freight train that he lived at Thorpe and was probably headed that way and in response to a telegram he was arrested there Thursday and brought back to Wausau.

Peterson was brought before Justice Jones on Saturday, and from the evidence offered, was bound over to circuit court in the sum of \$800 bail, which he was unable to furnish. Later he gave intimation of a desire to plead guilty, and yesterday morning appeared before Judge Silverthorn and in answer to his plea was given a sentence of two years in the Wausau prison, the third day of July of each year to be in solitary confinement.

THE COUNTY SCHOOL.

Prof. R. B. Johns, principal of the Marathon County Agricultural school, will leave in a few days for a tour through the country. The object of this is to talk over school matters with parents and convince them, if possible, that the above named school is the proper place for their children's educational training.

The attendance in this department the past year was twenty-one, in the domestic science department, fifty-nine. About three-fourths of the boys will return in the fall and finish their course and it is certain that this force will be greatly increased by new students as will also the domestic science department. The accommodations of the school are for 120 students but 200 can be taken care of. It is quite likely that numerous improvements will be made about the buildings and grounds this fall and additional equipment installed. It has been proposed to add complete apparatus for a dairy, to be driven by an electric motor. This will give classes practical lessons in butter making. As the patronage of the school increases from year to year other things will be added so that in a few years we will have one of the most complete schools of its kind in the country, and consequently a greater interest manifested in its welfare by the people at large.

OPENS SEPT. 7.

The Marathon County Training School for Teachers will open for the fifth year's work Sept. 7, with indications of an attendance up to the limit. The board has decided to limit the number of students to be accommodated to sixty, and already quite a few applications have been made. The board warns those who desire admission to the school to enroll promptly that they may not be crowded out before the opening. It is quite likely that some who will apply may not be qualified, in which event room will be made for more likely students.

It is now four years since the school was established—the pioneer in Wisconsin—and that it is fulfilling its mission is manifested by the graduates turned out who have materially raised the standard of Marathon county's force of teachers. The "Marathon Plan" is being adopted by other counties of the state, which are wise enough to see its advantages, and will be universal throughout the state within a few years.

The training school is now located in the new county school building, where the quarters are more commodious and the equipment fuller and better. The same force of instructors, Mr. Wells and Miss Bohrer, who have been so successful in the past, have been retained, and everything augurs well for better work and consequently better results.

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EXPERIENCE GAINED.

Stevens Point entertained a street fair last week and its eye teeth out, and it is quite likely the citizens of that burg want nothing more to do with carnival associations. Wausau has prided by the experience of other towns and has promptly turned down all such propositions when presented, and it might be well had Stevens Point done the same. In speaking of the rowdism that prevailed there Wednesday evening, when salt, sugar, flour, black and red pepper were thrown, the Journal says: "Beside the throwing of various offensive substances the smart set took disgusting liberties with parties entirely unknown to them. Clothing was pulled and torn, hats were thrown off in the dirty streets and unprotected women were 'accidentally' embraced by unknown men. The proceedings were simply an exploitation of the old experience that some people cannot be 'funny' without getting gay." It is also evident that the usual number of "skin game" grafters have infested the Point during the week, for the Journal further says: "Several characters have been recognized by the chief and detectives Flynn and Mulvey and have responded to an impressive request to move on." In another article the same paper says: "Shell games, Monte and wheel games of the most flagrant type are running without the least attempt at concealment."

A REGULAR AND WELCOME MEDICAL VISITOR.

When a physician has demonstrated that, in addition to possessing rare skill in his specialty, he is worthy of the implicit confidence and esteem of all as a professional gentleman in every respect, the welcome extended to him is one of double meaning.

Professionally and socially Dr. L. M. Turbin of Chicago, has won his way to the confidence of our entire community and his monthly trips to Wausau are now looked forward to with undisguised pleasure.

The doctor has cured many of our friends of neighbors of desperate chronic maladies which, for long periods, baffled medical aid.

He confines his practice to all chronic, organic, nervous and special diseases of both men and women, and his methods of treatment embrace all that is latest and best in modern advanced science which can be applied to the cure of diseases in his particular branch of practice.

Those who need the most cultivated skill should read his announcement and note the date of his visit to Wausau.

Dr. Turbin will be in Wausau, Tuesday, August 11th, at the Bellis Hotel.

AN IDEAL FARMING SECTION.

Nowhere can a man with little money do as much as he can in Northern Wisconsin. Land is cheap; he has a fine home market at highest prices for all he can raise; his fuel can be had simply by the using of the axe, everything on the land in the shape of cordwood, ties, posts or logs bring cash, and in addition, the various industries incident to the pine and hardwood forests furnish him steady employment through the winter at remunerative wages.

Sheep men are looking toward Northern Wisconsin as a region where a fine quality of both wool and mutton can be successfully produced. Several carloads of sheep from Montana and other states have been placed on ranches here, and sheep raising has become one of the permanent industries.

The winter feeding seasons are practically the same as in Illinois, and the food required for sheep is much more cheaply grown on this land.

Our reporter has returned from Northern Wisconsin, and his report of the same is well worth looking into by those who are seeking improved or unimproved lands, from which to make a home. Nature has indeed been lavish in the distribution of her resources in this locality. Climate, timber, soil, water, cheap transportation and convenient market—all are here, and everything combines to make it an ideal place for diversified farming.—Des Moines (Iowa) Daily News.

Low Rates Northwest.

In addition to the low rates to California and return, August 1 to 14, low round-trip rates to Portland, Seattle, Tacoma, Victoria and Vancouver will be in effect on the same dates. For complete information about rates and train services see the nearest agent of Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway, or write to E. A. Miller, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

A young man representing the state board of barber examiners (if that be the name for it) has been in the city and called on all the barbers, leaving them blank for application for license. While we have heard little adverse criticism of the law in Wausau, yet the barbers of Milwaukee are dissatisfied with it and are talking of pooling their interests and fighting it. Instead of paying their dollar to the board for a license they propose to put it into a fund to be used in opposing the measure.

The town clerk of the town of Bern has posted notices in his town, warning all owners of dogs to keep the latter tied up on their premises hereafter. Any dogs found running at large on the highways may be shot without further notice to their owners.

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