

# THORPE WELL COMPANY

2340 SIXTH AVENUE  
DES MOINES, IOWA

*Randy  
Cramer*

R-1-B

Drilled for Water Works at Garner, Iowa

Well is located \_\_\_\_\_ miles N-E-S-W and \_\_\_\_\_ miles N-E-S-W from 9' West of north well - *Note for loc*

in the \_\_\_\_\_  $\frac{1}{4}$  \_\_\_\_\_  $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 30 Township 96 N Range 23 W

Drilling started \_\_\_\_\_ 19\_\_\_\_ Completed June 18, 19 57

Well No. \_\_\_\_\_ Kind of Well \_\_\_\_\_ Depth 325 Size hole started 16 in.

Finish 8" G. P. M. 270 Static Head 16' 6" Pumping level from surface 77'

Water was first encountered at 165 in lime rock Approx. Amt. \_\_\_\_\_ Temp. 50

Remarks \_\_\_\_\_

(GIVE DETAILS OF PERFORATED PIPE AND SEALS)

RECORD OF PERMANENT PIPE					TEMPORARY PIPE	
SIZE PIPE	AMOUNT OF PIPE	DEPTH TO BOTTOM OF PIPE	DEPTH TO TOP OF PIPE	MAKE OF PIPE	SIZE PIPE	AMOUNT
10"	82	82	0	40# P.E.	16"Z	19' 6"
8"	70'	147'	77'	Threaded & coupled		

Driller \_\_\_\_\_ From Surface to \_\_\_\_\_ feet

Driller \_\_\_\_\_ From \_\_\_\_\_ feet to \_\_\_\_\_ feet

Driller \_\_\_\_\_ From \_\_\_\_\_ feet to \_\_\_\_\_ feet

AMOUNT IN FEET	KIND OF SOIL OR FORMATION (BE SPECIFIC)	TOTAL DEPTH FEET
3	Fill dirt	3
20	Sandy yellow clay	23
25	Shale	48
7	Fine sand & gravel	55
24	Shale	79
14	Lime rock	93
3	Lime rock & shale	96
14	Lime rock	110
10	Shale & lime rock	120
21	Shale	141
24	Lime rock	165
18	Lime rock - sandy	183
22	Lime rock	205
15	Lime rock - sandy	220
10	Brown lime rock	230

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IOWA GEOLOGICAL SURVEY  
In Cooperation with U. S. Geological Survey

8640

RECORD OF WELL

Location: 9' W. OF NORTH WELL

Town: GARNER (NE) (SW) : County HANGOCK

sec. 30 T. 96 N., R. 23 W. CONCORD Twp.


Well name and number \_\_\_\_\_

Owner GARNER CITY WELL (1957) Address \_\_\_\_\_

Tenant \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Contractor THORPE WELL CO. Address DES MOINES, IOWA

Drillers \_\_\_\_\_

Drilling dates COMPLETED JUNE 18, 1957

Well data:

Altitudes: Drilling curb \_\_\_\_\_ feet; Land surface \_\_\_\_\_ feet

Determined by \_\_\_\_\_

Topographic position \_\_\_\_\_

Total depth: Reported 325 feet, Measured \_\_\_\_\_ feet

Drilling method \_\_\_\_\_

Hole and casing data .82' OF 10" CASING 0-82'

70' OF 8" CASING 70-147'

Original depth to water 16'6" above ft. below \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Source of data \_\_\_\_\_

Sources of water: Principal \_\_\_\_\_

Others \_\_\_\_\_

Production Data

Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Static water level 16' 6" \_\_\_\_\_  
 Measuring point \_\_\_\_\_  
 Pumping water level 77 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Yield (g. p. m.) 270 \_\_\_\_\_  
 Duration of pumping \_\_\_\_\_  
 Specific capacity \_\_\_\_\_

Pump Data

Type pump \_\_\_\_\_ Column diameter and length \_\_\_\_\_  
 Cylinder or bowls diameter and length \_\_\_\_\_  
 Suction pipe \_\_\_\_\_ Airline \_\_\_\_\_  
 Power \_\_\_\_\_ Production \_\_\_\_\_ g. p. m. for \_\_\_\_\_ hours per day  
 Use of water \_\_\_\_\_

Dissolved constituents and properties (in parts per million except as indicated)

Date sampled \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sampled by \_\_\_\_\_  
 Silica (SiO<sub>2</sub>) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Iron (Fe) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Manganese (Mn) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Calcium (Ca) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Magnesium (Mg) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Potassium (K) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sodium (Na) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Carbonate (CO<sub>3</sub>) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Bicarbonate (HCO<sub>3</sub>) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Sulfate (SO<sub>4</sub>) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Chloride (Cl) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Fluoride (F) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Nitrate (NO<sub>3</sub>) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Dissolved solids \_\_\_\_\_  
 Hardness (as CaCO<sub>3</sub>) \_\_\_\_\_  
     Total \_\_\_\_\_  
     Grains per gallon \_\_\_\_\_  
     Noncarbonate \_\_\_\_\_  
 Alkalinity (as CaCO<sub>3</sub>) \_\_\_\_\_  
 pH \_\_\_\_\_  
 Specific conductance \_\_\_\_\_  
     (micromhos at 25°C) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Temperature (°F) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Analysis No. \_\_\_\_\_

Laboratory Data

Well No. **W 8640** Sample range 0 - 325 No. of samples 68  
 No. of dupls. and cond. 60 fair Washed range 79 - 325  
 Samples prepared by R. Valente Date 10/8/57  
 Logged by NORTHUP Date 10/16/57  
 Correlations by \_\_\_\_\_ Date 10/16/57

Log of Garner Town Well (1932)  
 225' and additional anticipated  
 strata through the Maquoketa fm.

<u>Formation</u>	<u>Thickness (ft.)</u>	<u>Depth Range (ft.)</u>
No samples		0 - 79
<u>Devonian system</u>		
Lime Creek formation (dolomite)		79 - 125
Shell Rock formation		
No samples		125 - 139
dolomite and limestone		139 - 155
Cedar Valley formation (mostly dolomite, some limestone)		155 - 225 T.D
<u>Additional anticipated strata -</u>		
Cedar Valley formation (same as above)		225 - 315
<u>Ordovician system</u>		
<u>Maquoketa formation</u>		
Ft. Atkinson dolomite	20	315 - 335
Elgin cherty dolomite	110	335 - 445
Galena formation (dolomite in upper part, limestone in lower part)		445 -

Handcock

6/6/57

MEMORANDUM

To: H. G. Hershey  
From: C. N. Brown  
Re: Garner well and call from young Tom Thorpe

He called with reference to going to top of Maquoketa (65 feet deeper) to get more water. I told him that this was a possibility.

Tom Thorpe

6-6-1957

11:30

Garner =

shale - 55'  
 Lime - 77  
 shale 93  
 shale 96  
 SL - ls 110  
 shale 120  
 ls 141  
 165 10"  
 Sdy ls (Dol) - 183  
 Gr ls 205  
 Ls - Sdy 220  
 Be Lincoln 230  
 G + Sdy Dol 249  
 Hd - Ch 250

cong.

21' Static

160 gpm

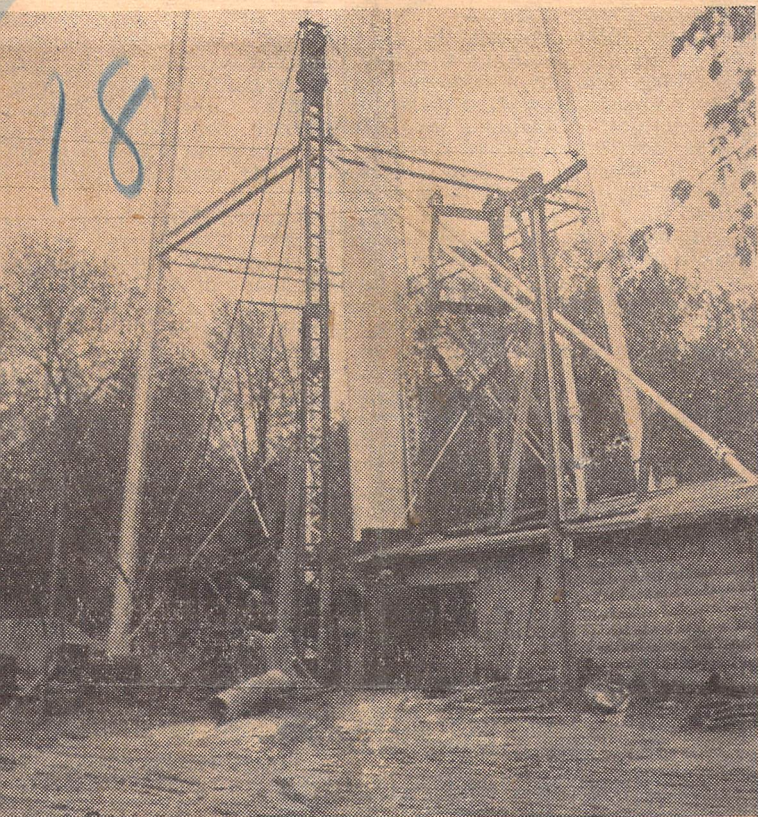
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(- 315 = Top Megacretaceous  
from our forecast.)

MAY 22 1957

# Garner Is Getting New Well



Yes, Garner is getting a new well, and as pictured above the well-digging firm is in the process of getting it dug — two employees of the firm are checking some part of the diggings along with Art Jass, waterworks commissioner. The cost of the well is estimated somewhere in the neighborhood of \$4,000 — as the cost per foot till they hit rock is \$14.00; then it will be \$9.00 per foot thereafter. They will have to continue their digging until they strike a good water vein — at least, one that will produce 300 gallons per minute.

The present well provides 265 gallons per minute, so as soon as the new well is completed, the town of Garner will be adequately supplied with water — it is felt it will take another week or so to get the new well in production.

The town of Garner uses on the average (winter days and all), 225,000 to 250,000 gallons of water. When it is hot and dry; then this goes up to 325,000 to 350,000 used in a day. So you can determine how long the one pump must run to keep the town supplied for just one day — so please use the water conservatively until the other pump goes into operation. The standpipe and tower of our town has a capacity of some 100,00 gallons.