

# THE ORIGINAL SPRINGS

THE ORIGINAL SPRINGS HOTEL







# The Health Spot of the Mid-West

## Okawville

OPEN ALL YEAR Phone - 161

The Original Mineral Springs Hotel and Bath House at Okawville, Illinois, long famed as the ideal health resort of the Middle West offers the general public unequalled facilities for recuperation from overwork or illness through the medium of its world famous mineral water. Located in Washington County, Okawville is just 40 miles from St. Louis on Illinois paved highway No. 15, connecting through highway No. 13 at Belleville and then on through Muscouth and the picturesque Okaw River Valley.

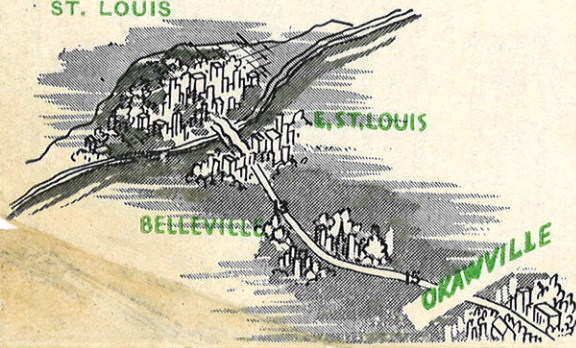
You will enjoy the fresh pure air at Okawville and the cool sweeping breezes that ensure a restful, refreshing sleep every night.

Since 1871 the mineral waters at Okawville have been world famous for their corrective action, and if you are rundown, tired, nervous, or just seeking a rest—a few days, or a few weeks, at Okawville will prove a real stepping stone to a healthier, happier life.

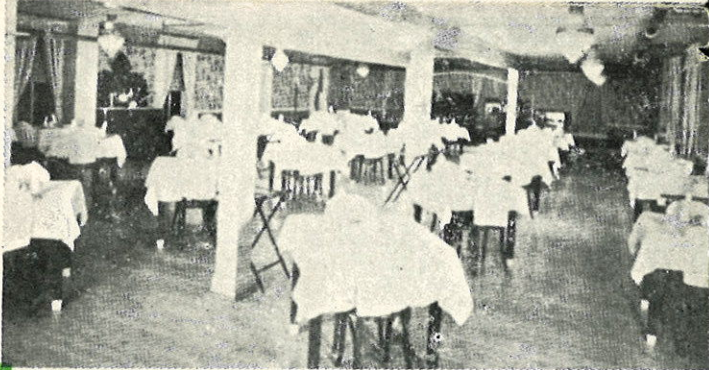
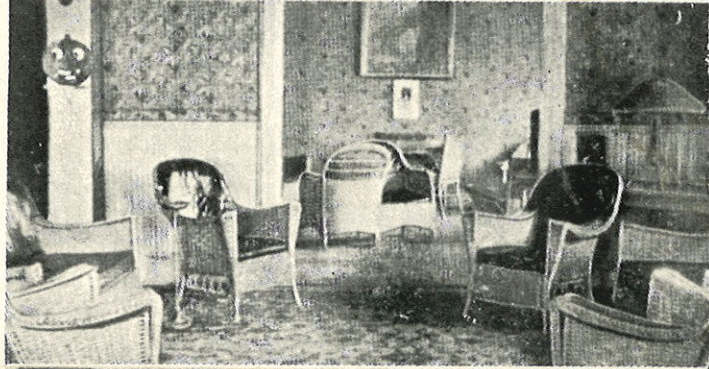
### Ask Your Physician About the Beneficial Results You May Expect Following a Visit With Us

Over 100,000 people have been treated in our institution for all sorts of Rheumatism, viz.: Arthritis, Neuritis, Sciatica, Lumbago, Inflammatory, Muscular and Gout. Our methods are approved by many of the most noted physicians and surgeons in Missouri and Illinois. These physicians send patients to us constantly. Both you and your physician are cordially invited to visit us and inspect our equipment and service. We have patients here all the time who can state the facts concerning their own progress. Your own physician's advice will be followed in the treatment of your case if he cares to suggest.

ST. LOUIS



**1 HOUR**  
from  
**St. Louis**  
Route 15 out of  
13 at Belleville  
Also  
Greyhound Bus  
or L & N Railroad



**Yes!** I am interested in the facilities you offer at the Original Springs Hotel.

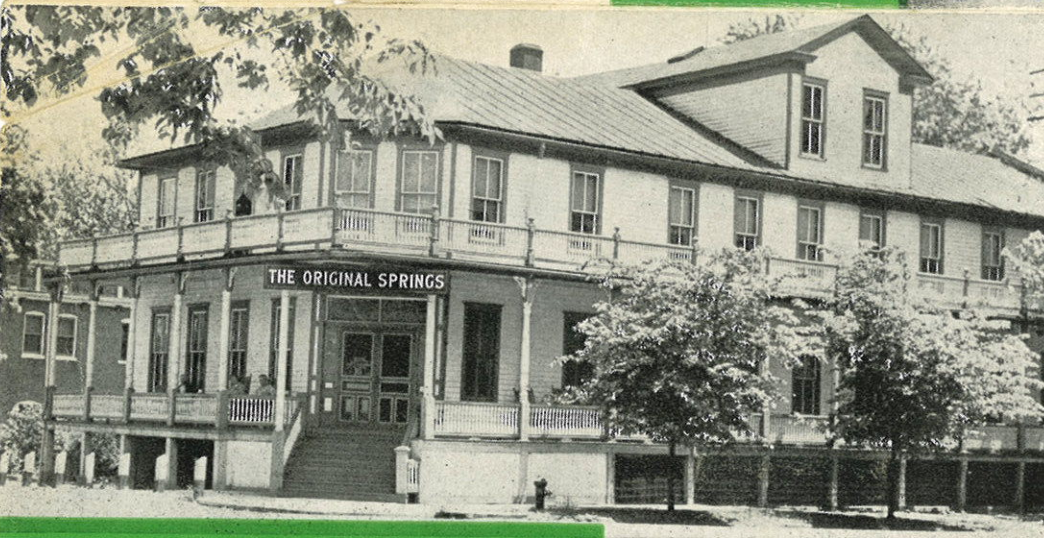
- What are your daily rates?
- What are your weekly rates?  
And what do they include?

Name.....

Address.....

City..... State .....

**EVERY CONVENIENCE of HOME—  
Plus absolute QUIET!**



# ORIGINAL MINERAL SPRINGS



# WATER

*Here's Where It Comes From - - - -*

*Over 100 years In Bussiness We go Back a longway*

*If your water doesn't taste good - Try ours.*

*Makes everything taste better!*

*Coffee - Tea - Soup -*

*Mixed Drinks - Etc.*



Many business groups discover their executives relax and unwind at Mineral Springs. Meeting and banquet facilities are available to make your holiday one to remember!



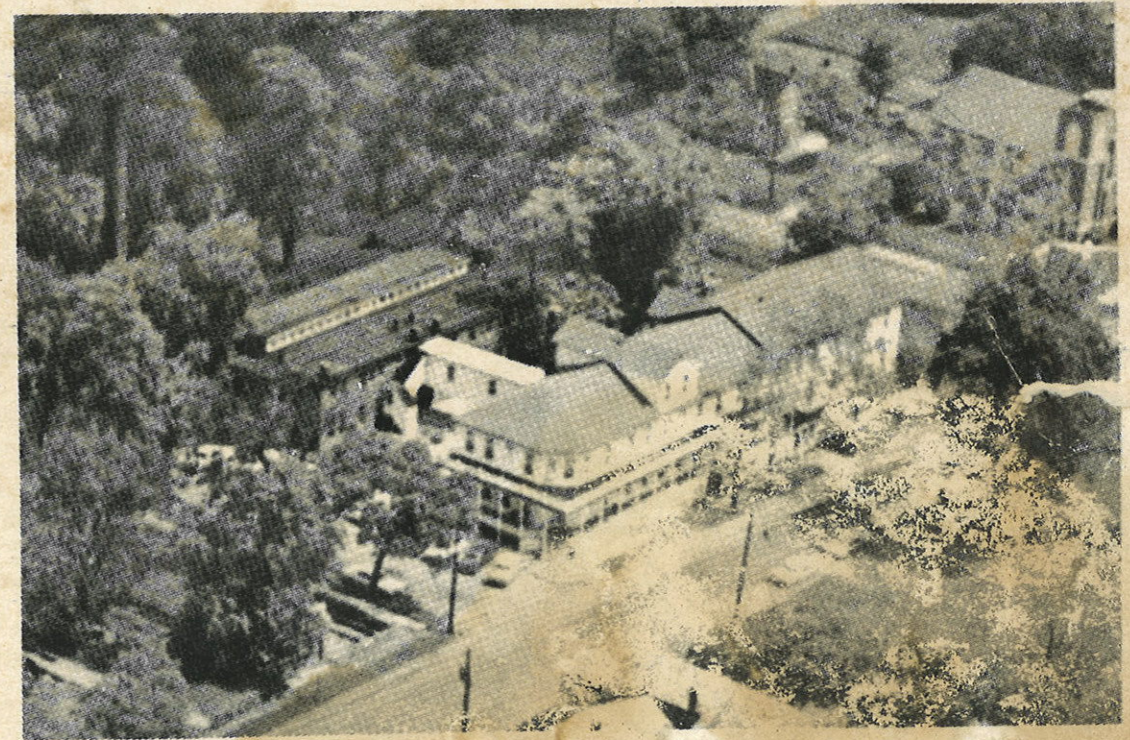
### THIS WAS OUR BEGINNING

In 1867, Rudolph Piegge, who lived and conducted a saddlery and harness shop on the grounds now occupied by the Original Hotel, noticed that water from his well differed from most of the water he had come in contact with. He called the attention of August Schulze and Dr. James McIlwain, Sr., to the fact, and they decided to have the water analyzed. Dr. McIlwain made some simple tests such as his equipment would permit and discovered magnesio in the water. He knew that there must also be sulphuric acid, for this is the only chemical that will hold magenesio in solution. Samples of the water were sent to Prof. Enno Sanders in St. Louis and his analysis showed very strong medicinal qualities.

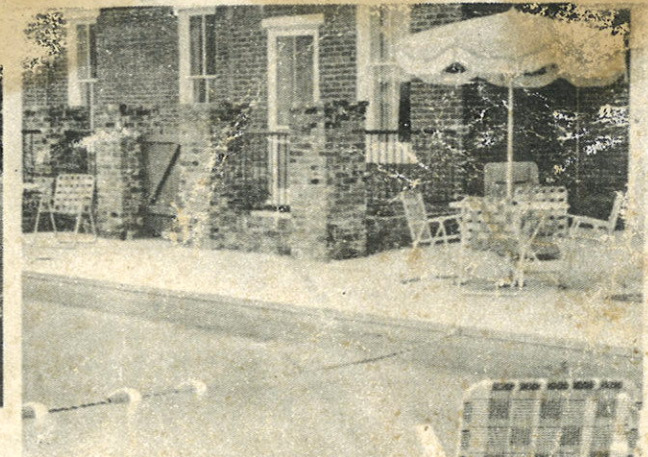
C. H. Kelle lived on a farm near town. Mr. Piegge knew that he had served in the famous

baths at Baden-Baden, Germany, before coming to this country. So he consulted him and together they decided to build a small bath house and treat rheumatism and other diseases in the way they were treated with the famous waters of Europe. Dr. McIlwain, Sr., was given charge of the medical end of the institution. The business thrived in a small way, and later was sold to Rev. J. F. Schferbaum, who erected a modern institution. Later he sold out to Schreiner Brothers and in 1892 the buildings burned. They were rebuilt during the fall and winter and with the additions since made constitute the present Original Hotel. (Excerpts from Magazine "Egyptian Hustler". Dated 1919.)

"Spend the rest of your life at the Original"



"Ah . . . this is living." Skilled, professional personnel make your Mineral Springs bath and Swedish Massage a memorable experience to tell your friends about.



Bathe, relax and get the sun tan of a good vacation in or around this beautiful outdoor pool. Heated from early spring to late fall.

### "The little Hot Springs of Illinois"

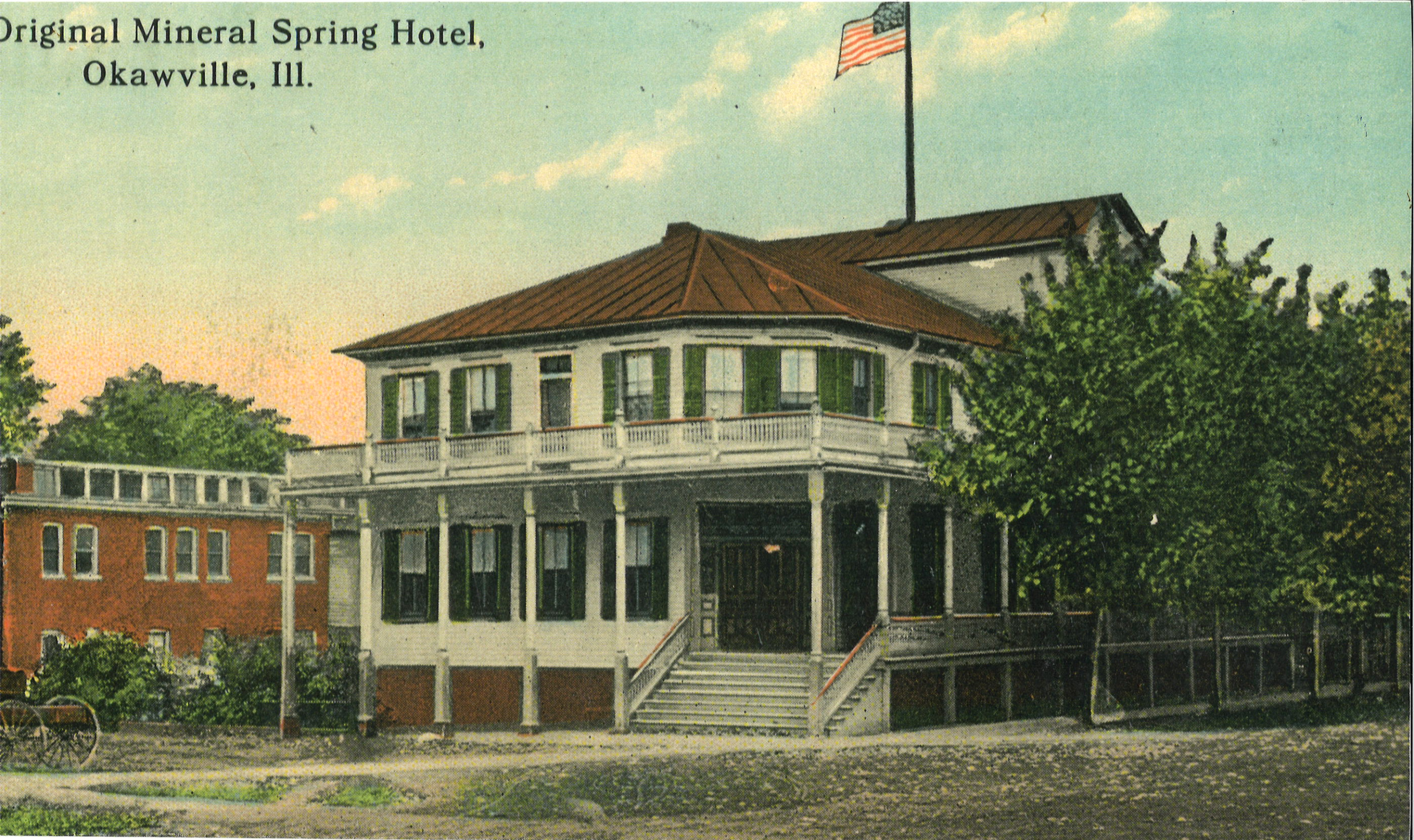
Registered on the National Register  
of Historical Places

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Okawville, Ill.



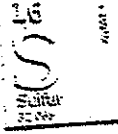


WATER HOUSE

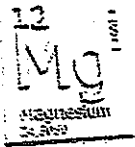
HOTEL

Our Minerals  
at  
The Original Springs Hotel

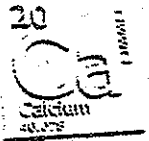
Many people know of the wondrous relaxation qualities that our Mineral Water provides. With a good soak, you can ease all of your worries and stress that life tends to pile on. But, did you know that the minerals found in our waters are also good for your health? It is all a science, we will break it down for you.



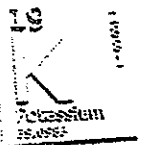
*Sulfur- Aides in production of collagen, cell structure, and artery walls. It is a part of Keratin which gives strength to hair, skin, and nails. Alleviates swelling caused by arthritis. Aides in easing effects of skin disorders such as: acne, warts, dandruff, eczema, and folliculitis.*



*Magnesium- Necessary for your muscles to contract and relax normally. Also necessary for your body to make protein and energy.*

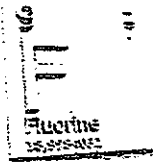


*Calcium- Crucial for bone health. Also fights fat and reduces risk for heart disease.*

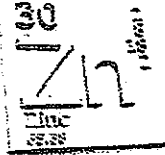


*Potassium- Aides in blood pressure regulation, heart & kidney disorders, anxiety & stress, muscle strength, metabolism, water balance, and nervous system.*





*Fluoride- Provides strength to teeth and enamel, helps prevent bone loss, and reduces acid production.*

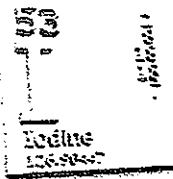


*Zinc- Aides in proper immune system functioning, digestion, and control of diabetes. Improves stress levels, energy, metabolism, and acne. Also aides in healing*

*wounds.*



*Manganese- Aides in healthy bone structure, bone metabolism, building essential enzymes for building of bones. Acts as a co-enzyme to assist metabolic progression in the body. Actively aides in forming connective tissues, absorption of calcium, a properly functioning thyroid, regulation of blood sugar levels, and metabolism of fats and carbohydrates.*



*Iodine- Essential in maintaining the function of the thyroid and parathyroid glands. Promotes general growth. Aides in metabolism, helps burn excess fat.*

*Sources: [www.livestrong.com](http://www.livestrong.com)  
[www.benefitof.net](http://www.benefitof.net)  
[www.organicfacts.net](http://www.organicfacts.net)  
[www.vitamins-nutrition.org](http://www.vitamins-nutrition.org)*

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**Water Analysis Report**

IL 62271

Invoice No. : 1281042  
Date Received : 01/07/2019  
Date Reported : 01/08/2019  
  
Lab Number : 57

Results For : ADAM RENNEGARBE

Location :

Sample ID : 2 SOUTH

pH	7.9
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) Est, ppm	707
Electrical Conductivity, mmho/cm	1.18
Cations / Anions, me/L	13.9 / 14.0

	ppm
Sodium, Na	94
Potassium, K	3
Calcium, Ca	106
Magnesium, Mg	54
Total Hardness, CaCO <sub>3</sub>	490
Nitrate, NO <sub>3</sub> -N	1.4 (SAFE)
Sulfate, SO <sub>4</sub> -S	49
Chloride, Cl	79
Carbonate, CO <sub>3</sub>	< 1.0
Bicarbonate, HCO <sub>3</sub>	523
Total Alkalinity, CaCO <sub>3</sub>	432
Aluminum, Al	0.02
Fluoride, F	0.26
Silica, SiO <sub>2</sub>	37.7
Total Iron, Fe	< 0.01

"<" - Not Detected / Below Detection Limit

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