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Dead River Lumber Cut

J. C. Brown, who has been operating on the upper Dead River for Hawley & McGraw, was in the city last Wednesday and reported a very successful season. About 25,000 feet of pine has been cut by the five camps, most of which has been banked at Silver River. The logs will be run down Dead River to the head of the great falls. There hoisters have been put in to load them on cars which will take them down to the South Shore line and then over the new Dead River RR., to a new Hawley mill at the mouth of the river. Mr. Brown has also cut about 10,000,000 feet near Michigamme which will also be brought to the new mill for cutting.

In conversation with a Mining Journal reporter Mr. Brown expressed the strong belief in the advantages of the Dead River site for future industrial development establishments at Marquette. "The bay is better sheltered by Presque Isle," he said, "than is Iron Bay in the front of the city. The river and marsh can easily be dredged out for an inner harbor and afford ample space for mills of all sorts. If Marquette ever becomes an industrial center I believe that all the plants will almost of necessity be located about the mouth of Dead River. Of course, a growth there means advancement for Marquette, for it is just without the city and would soon be annexed."

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