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The death of W. W. Eastman occurred some time during the night. He had been suffering for fifteen weeks past from a general breakdown following an attack of grippe. Yesterday evening after supper he was out in the yard talking with the neighbors but retired a little earlier than usual as he complained of not feeling very well. This morning he was found dead in his bed. While this was a great shock to the family, yet they are thankful he could pass away so easily without suffering.

Mr. Eastman was born in Wales, Erie county, New York, seventy-nine years ago the first of last February. He came to Wisconsin in 1848 and settled near Magnolia, Rock county, where his home was until a few years ago.

He was married February 20, 1855, to Miss Anne E. Dunbar of Albany, who survives him, together with two children, S. B. Eastman, and Mrs. Linda Collier of Evansville, and three grandchildren.

Mr. Eastman served in the army during the Civil war for three years and sixteen days as a member of the 33rd Wisconsin Volunteers. He was a member of T. L. Sutphen Post No. 41, G. A. R. of this city.

The funeral will be held at the home on Cherry street Saturday afternoon at two o'clock and will be in charge of Rev. C. H. Myers of the Free Baptist church of which Mr. Eastman had been a regular attendant.

Mr. and Mrs. Eastman have made their home in Evansville for the past nine years and have made for themselves many good friends here.

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Captain.—A. Z. Wemple, of Bradford.
1st Lieut.—W. L. Scott, of Bradford.
Sergeants.—J. H. Stickles, Center, orderly; 2d, K. Tanner, Milton; 3d, A. C. Babcock, Magnolia; 4th, E. W. Burnham, Shopiere; 5th, L. B. Pierce, Union.
Corporals.—1st, Charles Hoyt, Clinton; 2d, John Eastwood, Union; 3d, S. P. Hayner, Rock; 4th, Wesley Wright, Johnstown; 5th, Henry C. Eldridge, Union; 6th, Oliver Crowther, Bradford; 7th, Herbert Whitford, Milton; 8th, Mathias Crall, Center.

Janesville, WI

August 22, 1862, p. 6, Janesville Daily Gazette,

Evansville Planing Mill. The subscriber having leased the entire interest in the Planing Mill and Sash Factory, of Preston, Eastwood & Co., intends to add new machinery and be pre in preparation at all times to do first-class work. A continuation of former patronage is earnestly solicited. Shop foot of Main Street. John Eastwood. Evansville, Sept. 1st, 1866.

September 4, 1866, Evansville Citizen, p. 4, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

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August 22, 1862, p. 6, Janesville Daily Gazette,

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Wisconsin Regimental List of Service Men in Civil War; U. S. Sharp Shooters, 1st Reg. Co. G

—Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sweet of Le Roy, Minn., who were visiting relatives and friends in this place and vicinity received the unfortunate news by telegram Saturday that their home was destroyed by a cyclone, necessitating their immediate return. Mr. Sweet was one of the first to enlist in the Berdans Sharp Shooters when the civil war broke out, from Union Village north of this place, and served faithfully and well in the same company with our townsmen Jarome Demic and J. H. Elwood. They had only been here since Thursday and were visiting their aunt Mrs. Henry Bevier when the sad news arrived. It is with much regret that their many friends learn of their great loss and sudden necessity of return. We note a mention of their loss in the Evening Wisconsin of Saturday last.

September 29. 1894, Enterprise, p. 1, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

Grand Army of the Republic Record 33

Personal War Sketch of

James Henry Elwood who was born the 23 day of October A. D. 1831 in Union County of Livingston, state of N. Y. Enlisted Sept. 1861 at Madison, Wis. as private in Co. G. 1st Regt. U. S. Sharp Shooters. Discharged Sept. 23, 1864 at Petersburg, Va. By reason of expiration of service. First battle was the Siege of York Town. Also engaged in seven days battle before Richmond in Aug. 1862. I was engaged in ? was detailed to drive regimental baggage wagons. Confined in hospital in fall of 1863 at Alexandria Heights, VA. The battle of Gettysburg was the most important work of my service. Some of my most intimate comrades: Wm. Stewart; Lieutenant [Frank E.] Marble; [Caleb] Nels Jacobs; Richard Blodgett; Henry Shafer. I certify that the sketch of my war service as above written is true as I verify believe. Date, Dec. 24, 1906. James Henry Elwood. We certify that Comrade James Henry Elwood joined T. L. Sutphen Post. No. 41, Department of Wisconsin.

Last Saturday afternoon James Henry Ellwood died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lyman Johnson, in this city of heart failure at the ripe old age of 78 years.

Mr. Ellwood was born in New York state, coming to Wisconsin in 1851, settling in Reedsburg. In 1852 he was married to Miss Sarah Johnson, and soon moved to Mitchell, Ia., where they resided six years. At the end of that time returned here and purchased a farm in the town of Union, having resided there and in Evansville ever since, except the years spent in the south in the service of his country, having served from 1861 to 1864, and passed through the scathing fire of the battles of Bull Run and the Wilderness.

He was a man of strong integrity, public spirited and always interested in educational affairs, or any enterprise

having for its object the public good. He is survived by his wife, three daughters, Mrs. August Freuchen, Mrs. Lyman Johnson and Mrs. Freedus Johnson of Evansville; one son, D. Ray Ellwood of Fairchild, Wis., two brothers, Samuel of Iowa, and Thomas of Michigan; and one sister who resides in Neillsville, Wis.

Funeral services were held from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Johnson on Garfield Avenue, Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. J. L. Webster officiating. The pall bearers were all comrades of the local G. A. R. of which he was a member and the interment was at Maple Hill Cemetery.

February 24, 1909, The Enterprise and The Tribune, p. 1, col. 7, Evansville, Wisconsin

[Note this surname is also spelled Elwood]

Nelson Everson

Old Comrade Gone to His Reward.

Nelson Everson died at his home in this city, on Wednesday, July 27th, 1910, after an illness of some months duration. Mr. Everson was born in Jefferson county, New York, on Oct. 15th, 1839. He came to Wisconsin when a lad; at the age of 21, in response to his country's call for help, he enlisted in the 18th Wisconsin at Portage, and served until mustered out in 1865.

He was united in marriage in 1864 to Miss Emily Rogers and is survived by his wife, one daughter Mrs. Ella Howard and grand-son Donald Howard of Chicago. Also two brothers, John of Oxford, and Alexander of Elroy. The funeral services were held from the late residence, on the east side, on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. T.W. North officiating. Miss Fannie Powles rendered the song service. The pall-bearers were members of the T. L. Sutphen Post G. A. R., of which the deceased was an honored member. Interment was made in Maple Hill cemetery. Undertaker W. F. Biglow had charge of the funeral.

August 3, 1910, The Enterprise and Tribune, p. 1, col. 6, Evansville, Wisconsin

MARCUS E. FISH.

The death of Mr. Marcus Fish, which occurred on Saturday morning, Aug. 30, 1884, though not unexpected, is mourned by his parents, his comrades in the Post, the friends of his childhood and all others who knew him, alike, for his upright honorable life was admired by all.

Marcus E. Fish was born in New York State in March, 1847, came to this place two years afterward and has resided here ever since, excepting the time he was in the army, and a short time he spent in California for his health.

He enlisted in company with L. B. Beebe and Eugene Bullock in the fall of 1864 in Battery G. 2d Ill's Lt. Art. and went into camp at Springfield, Ill., where they remained a short time and were then sent to join the army of Tennessee, and were shortly afterward engaged in the battle at Nashville. From that point they marched to Eastport, Miss., where for six days all the provision they had was a portion of the corn which the horses unhesitatingly shared with them, and during that time Marcus was greatly enfeebled and took a severe cold which settled upon his lungs, which was the beginning of the disease that caused his death. After spending a month at that place they were ordered by boat to Cairo, where Marcus met his cousin, Mr. Hook, who now resides near Oregon, who urged him to go to the hospital, but he was anxious to remain with the company and would not give up. Mr. Beebe promised to take the best care of him he possibly could under the circumstances and he went with him to Vicksburg, but there was compelled to leave the company and go to the hospital, from which place he was soon afterward discharged as being unfit for service.

His comrades state that his army life was as pure and christian-like as was his home life; that he never engaged in anything that would belittle him or that he would have been ashamed to do at home, and was always ready to perform all duties assigned to him during his army life while in health.

The funeral was held at 3 o'clock Sunday at the house, conducted by Rev. H. Sewell, and at the M. E. church at 3:30, where T. L. Stephen Post took charge of the exercises. Forty-three members of the Post were present. The flowers contributed by sympathetic friends were beautiful and abundant and showed, as did the large attendance at the funeral, the high esteem in which the deceased was held by our citizens.

James A. Flowers:

CRUSHED UNDER THE WHEELS

Mr. James A. Flowers was killed at the coal shed here at about 15 minutes to twelve o'clock, Tuesday night, but falling beneath a coal box car he was riding down the incline track of the coal shed to the track below. The car was without a properly working break, a fact he probably was not aware of when he climbed upon it, hence he could not control its motion and it went crushing down upon the cars that already stood upon the track and the sudden concussion threw him off, falling forward the car passed over his body crushing in his head and producing instant death.

Mr. Charles Lowery was at work with him and the moment he heard the crash called out to Mr. Flowers but receiving no reply went to his assistance and found him midway beneath the car, dead. He notified the depot men and sent for the Co.'s surgeon, Dr. Quivey, but he had passed beyond all human skill, for his skull was broken and a heavy wheel of the car lay upon his right leg. His body was taken to the freight house, and at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning Justice of the Peace, W. S. Smith summoned a jury and held an inquest. The jurors were M. V. Pratt, G. S. Plaisted, C. E. Wood, D. M. Rowley and Wm. Stevens. The jury visited the spot, examined several witnesses, and brought in a verdict that James A. Flowers came to his death by falling off a coal box car of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad Company, on the night of Tuesday, May 31; and that said railraod company was derelect in not having suitable and efficient breaks upon their car, and were in a measure responsible for the death of Mr. Flowers. (We have not the jury's verdict and are unable to state its verbatim. Ed. Rev.)

The remains were properly taken care of by the Co.,'s agent, Mr. P. H. Noel, and placed in Undertaker Potter's hands for interment. His funeral was held at the M. E. church Thursday, and he was buried in G.A.R. memorial lot in the cemetery, with all the care and consolation that order could bestow. He leaves a wife and two children in poor circumstances.

Friday, June 3, 1887, Weekly Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

Salmon W. Foster,

Salmon W. Foster, son of Warren and Phoebe (Garfield) Foster.

BURIAL: Maple Hill Cemetery Lot O-1-209-8

MILITARY: Joined Co K, 40th Wisconsin Infantry at Madison, May 9, 1864.

Died U. S. General Hospital, Memphis Tenn, July 11, 1864 of Chronic Diarrhea.

Ephraim France

IN MEMORIAM.

At the meeting of T. L. Sutphen Post, October 22d, 1885 in answer to the question: Has any comrade died since our last meeting? Comrade Jones arose and said: Comander and Comrades:—"I rise to make formal announcement of what every comrade knows, that since our last meeting, Comrade Ephraim France has been mustered into the Grand Army on high.

He died Saturday, Oct. 10th, 1885, and was buried with honors Monday Oct. 12.

Comrades: I pronounce no eulogy on comrade France. His life was a better eulogy than I can present. His unfailing good nature, his strict integrity, his faithful performance of every duty assigned him by the Post, or by the World, his interest in the Post, and his regular attendance on its meetings; his love and care for his family, as demonstrated on so many occasions; these are his eulogy, and present an example it well becomes us to emulate.

And may we not also learn a lesson from his adherence to, and exemplification of, those principles that bind us in comradeship? Who that knew him has not remarked the fraternal spirit in which he met and greeted every member of our order, from the highest to the lowest. Did a comrade desire succor and support in time of trial, his hand was ever outstretched, his words were words of cheer. Did the widow and the fatherless need assistance, his purse was open, his charity abundant and unrestrained. Did disloyalty and treason seek the light; his denunciation of the viper showed that, in the heart, the honor of his country found a defender.

Comrade France was born in Ross township, Monroe Co., Pa., March 23, 1841. He came to Wisconsin in 1849, with his parents, and settled on the farm where his mother and sisters now live. In August 1864 he enlisted, as a private, in Co F., 42d Regt., Wis. Vol. Inf., from which he was discharged in June 1865, by reason of the close of the war. March 1st 1868 he married Miss Antoine'te

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I met Comrade France on the street on Saturday, one week before he died. To the salutation "Hello Eph., are you well and happy, today?" he replied—"I am always happy, but I don't feel first-rate today, I guess I have caught cold." It was too true. The next day he was quite ill; and he continued to grow worse till a few minutes before one o'clock, on Saturday, came the bugle call to summon him to join the ranks of that great army of comrades who are camped on the "Beautiful Hills" just on the other shore, and he answered "Here!"

October 30, 1885, Evansville Review, p. 2, col. 4, Evansville, Wisconsin

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Grand Army of the Republic
Record 20

Ephraim France who was born the 23 day of March A. D. 1841 entered the U. S. Service sept. 10, 1864 at Madison, Wis as private in Co. F. 42 Regt. Wis. Vol. Inf. Discharged June 20, 1865 by reason of I lose ? was confined in hospital at Davis, Ill. from Dec. 1, 1864 until discharged June 20, 1865. The following are some of my most intimate comrades. John Burgess, Hugh Allen, Albert Hook, William Aller. I have never fully recovered from my sickness and after feel that my army trouble may never leave me as good in health as I was prior to my enlistment.
January 2, 1890.

Albert Freehoff

VETERAN SOLDIER

ANSWERS ROLL CALL

Last Monday there was laid to rest in the Maple Hill Cemetery one of the old veterans of the civil war, few of whom remain, in the person of Albert Freehoff, a veteran who participated in twenty-one battles while following the flag in the sixties, and who, although a German, was patriotic to the core.

Mr. Freehoff has been a widower since October, 1911, and he is survived by six children, as follows: Mrs. Ed. Ahare, of Magnolia; George, of Porter; Charles, of Minneapolis; Mrs. Mary Watts, of Dearwood, Minnesota; Mill Ella, Williston, North Dakota, and Mrs. Emma Sorg, of Waverly, Iowa.

The deceased had lived in this locality for a great many years and was a man who was respected by all who knew him.

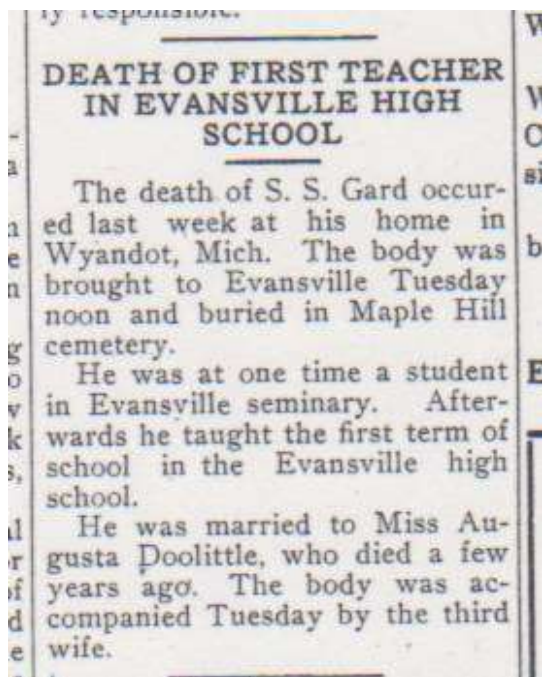
The funeral was held at the Baptist church in this city, the Rev. Dr. Pearce officiating.

March 21, 1918, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

Samuel S. Gard

Mr. Samuel Gard, who some four years and a half since married a daughter of Mr. Daniel Doolittle, of this place, and after living with her a few weeks, left for parts unknown until Sunday last, when he appeared, took his faithful bride again and are now on their way to a home in the West.

July 8, 1868, Evansville Review, p. 4, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin



September 25, 1913, Evansville Review, p. 4, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

JAMES E. GLEAVE

Grand Army of the Republic Personal War Sketch

James E. Gleave, who was born the 19 day of July A. D. 1841 in England. First enlisted Aug. 9, 1861 at Janesville Wis. as private in Co. F – 13 Regt. Wis. Inf. Discharged on or about the 1st to the 15 of June 1862 at Lawrence, Kan. On account of sickness supposed to be consumption. Enlisted again in Co. L, 1st Wis. Heavy Art. And discharged therefrom about July 10th 1865. Held office in said Bat. Gun Sergeant. Final discharge was on account of close of war. First was sick in Janesville, Wis. with measles soon after first enlistment in 1861. Again was sick in hospital at Fort Scott, Kan. In spring of 1862 also at Lawrence, Kan. And again at hospital at Leavenworth, Kan. During my second enlistment was sick at Fort Lyons, Va. Capt. F. F. Stevens was my Capt. In 13 Regt.; First Sergt. Chas Stank; 2nd Sergt. Jerome Briggs. Second enlistment, Capt. P. H. Ray; Lieu. Edwin Goodwin; First Sergt. James Stewart. But my health would not permit in first enlistment. Think my sickness in Janesville before left state (sickness measles) was the whole cause of my poor condition until after I came home and recovered of same. Then I re-enlisted. Health was some better but I was compelled to go to the hospital once. I certify that the sketch of my service as above written is true as I verify believe. Date Nov. 1st. 1906; signed, James E. Gleave. We certify that Comrad James E. Gleave joined T. L. Stuphen Post. No. 41, Department of Wisconsin.

Darwin Glidden

Mr. Darwin H. Glidden passed quietly away on Wednesday evening, Aug. 13, 1902, of cancer. He was born in Orleans Co., N. Y., June 14, 1835 and came to Wisconsin when but five years of age. In the War of the Rebellion he enlisted in Company B of the 11th Wisconsin volunteer Infantry and was wounded at the battle of Vicksburg, May 22, 1863. On his recovery he was transferred to the veteran corps and served until Sept. 1864. He then went to Clermont, Iowa where he remained until the fall of 1866 when he returned to Brooklyn.

Mr. Glidden was married in 1865 to Elizabeth Thomson of Madison, who died May 23, 1869. July 10, 1870, Mr. Glidden was married to Jennie M. Doolittle, who now survives him. He moved to this city in the fall of 1894 where he resided until his death.

The deceased was member of the M. E. Church, joining in 1869 at Brooklyn, Wis., and has always been a most faithful worker therein. He was a member of the T. L. Sutphen Post in this city and his presence will be greatly missed by the comrades of this society. Mr. Glidden served several terms as Alderman of this city which office he held until his health called for his resignation from this body.

Mr. Glidden has been a great sufferer for the past two years, and death, no doubt to him, was a blessing, as his sufferings at times were intense. The deceased was a man whom it was a pleasure to meet, always making it pleasant and agreeable to everyone in his company and his taking away will be mourned by all who knew him.

Besides his wife, he leaves one daughter, Mrs. Ida May Libby, of this city, and two sons, Burton H. of Brooklyn, and Ezra A. who resides at home, also three sisters, Mrs. Reuben Palmer of Brookins, S. D., Mrs. Hulet Story of Milton, Wis., and Mrs. James Devine of Northville, S. D., and three brothers, Wilbur of Britt, Iowa, Adelbert, of Brookins, S. D., and Daniel of Brooklyn, Wis., to deeply mourn his loss.

The funeral services will be held at the late home at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon. Interment in the cemetery in this city.

August 14, 1902, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

Dr. E. L. Graves

DR. GRAVES DIES AT 93; NATIVE OF ROCK COUNTY

Dr. E. L. Graves, 93, formerly of Rock county, one of the last of Chicago's Civil war veterans, died Saturday at a nursing home there. Dr. Graves was a practicing dentist until a few months ago and founder of the tooth powder company bearing his name.

He was born in Fulton, Feb. 13, 1844, and lived a number of years near Milton. He studied dentistry and practiced in Magnolia, Albany, Janesville, and Edgerton, going from there to Chicago about 60 years ago. He married Etta Crawford, Magnolia, who died 29 years ago.

Dr. Graves served with the celebrated Eagle regiment, the 8th Wisconsin Volunteers, and was decorated many times for bravery. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Ada Blaine, Chicago; a son, Walter D. Graves, Seattle, Wash., three grandchildren; and one great grandson. One grandson works on a newspaper in Honolulu.

Dr. Graves was one of the last four members of U. S. Grant Post No. 28 G. A. R. Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Tuesday in a chapel on Michigan avenue and burial was in Elmwood cemetery, Chicago. His late wife was a half sister of William and Oliver Brown, Evansville, and Mrs. Adria Cain, Caledonia, Ill.

The Civil war played a prominent part in the life of Dr. Graves' wife. She was the late Etta Crawford, the daughter of a Civil war veteran, the step-daughter of a Civil war veteran and she herself married a Civil war veteran. Her father's name was Sam Crawford, Magnolia. He was a member of the 22nd Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry and died at Nashville, Tenn., in 1862, leaving his wife and two small daughters in Magnolia. Mrs. Graves' mother later married another Civil war veteran, Wilson Brown, also of Magnolia, who returned there after the war. Wilson Brown was the father of William and Oliver Brown, Evansville, and Mrs. Adria Cain, Caledonia, Ill.

William R. Green

J. M. EVANS.
✓ Mr. Wm. R. Green is confined to his bed and is rapidly failing from disease which was undoubtedly contracted during his army services. The citizens of this place and vicinity, as far as requested have kindly signed a petition to the Commissioner of Pensions to have his pension case, which is now before the department, made special, and it is hoped that an early action in this direction may be obtained to relieve his sufferings in a measure during his few remaining days in this world.

January 9, 1891, *The Enterprise*, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Alonzo Halstead

✓ DIED—Monday Jan. 4, '92, of consumption, Mr. Alonzo Halstead aged 55 years. Mr. Halstead came from Penn. to Wis. when quite a young man and settled in Oregon from which place he moved here several years since and was married to Miss Julia Powers whom he leaves with four children to mourn their sad loss of a kind, industrious husband and father. They have the deepest sympathy of their many friends in this their sad bereavement. The funeral will be held at the house on North Madison St. at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning under the auspices of the G. A. R. Rev. J. Scholfield officiating clergyman. All members of G. A. R. are requested to meet at hall at 9 o'clock a. m.

January 8, 1892, *The Enterprise*, p. 4, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

Dr. L. B. Beebe has just succeeded in getting an increase of pension for Alonzo Halstead, deceased, amounting to \$17 per month, this is a very liberal pension, but came too late to benefit the worthy veteran, as Mr. Halstead was summoned to "bivouac among the dead: ere it reached him. The amount will be made payable to the order of his widow. Thus helping her to some of the comforts due a soldier's widowed wife.

April 5, 1892, *Evansville Review*, Evansville, Wisconsin

Jerry Ham

Jerry Ham was born in Schoharie, N. Y., 73 years ago, but moved with his parents to Pennsylvania when six months old. After the death of his mother he came to Wisconsin when seventeen years of age with his father and two sisters and made his home in Dayton until about thirty years of age, since when he has resided in Union.

Mr. Ham was a member of the famous 8th Wisconsin Regiment, enlisting August 27, 1861, and after serving three years he enlisted again and served until the close of the war.

He took part in forty battles and skirmishes. Among the more important were the battles at Corinth, Tuka and Jackson, also in the assault on Vicksburg. The 8th Wisconsin was the regiment that carried the great eagle known as Old Abe.

Mr. Ham is survived by his wife and nine children, Mrs. Sylvia Bullock and Emmet of Evansville, Gus of Belleville, and James of Beach, N. D., by his first wife, also Carley, Kate, Maud, Emily and Addie, who with their mother reside at the home.

The funeral service was held yesterday afternoon at the Union church and was in charge of Rev. J. L. Taber, pastor of the church. A very large number of old friends were in attendance to pay the last tribute to the memory of their friend. Interment in Maple Hill Cemetery.

April 25, 1912, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

Civil War Record of Jerry Ham from Muster and Descriptive Roll:

Jerry Ham, rank, Private, Born in the state of New York, age 26, a farmer, single, Enlisted, September 11, 1861 in Madison Wisconsin by Capt. Este, term of service, 3 years.

Blue Eyes, black hair, dark complected, height 6 ft. Muster into service, September 11, 1861, Madison, Wisconsin, B. F. Whom: Maj. Brooks, Town of Residence, Exeter, Green County, Town where credited, Exeter, Green County. Was in the Battle of Fredricktown, Mo. Mo October 21, 1861, Island No. 10, April 1864, Farmington, Miss, May 9, 186; Corinth, Miss, May 28, 1862, Isaka, Mis, Sept. 19, 1862, Corinth, 28th Col. 31, & , Jackson, Miss. May 14, 1862, Assault on Vicksburg, Miss, May 22, 1863, Ft. De Russy, La, April 1864; Pleasant Hill, La, April 5, 1864, Mansura & Yellow Bayou, La, Mar. 1864; Lake Chicot, Ark, June 6, 1864; Abbeville, Miss, May 23, 1864; Promoted to Corp. July 1st 1865.

Jerry Ham, Vet. Vol., Corp. August 27, 1861, Camp Randall, by Capt. Estee, 3 years enlistment, September 11, 1861, mustered in at Camp Randall, Reenlisted February 29, 1864 at camp in field by Lt. T. A. Fellows. March 9, 1864, Vicksburg, Miss, to date, February 29, 1864. Mustered out Sept. 5, 1865.

M11/64 Ab. Without leave. M12/64 to M6/65 & BM 12/64 & Bm2/65. Ab. In Div, ? Corps. M7/65. Ab. Div. Hd.Qrs. BM6/65. Prom. Corp. July 1/65 VM" Mus. Out with Col. As Corp. Sept. 5, 65, Demopolis, Ala. D. B. Was in battle Fredericktown, Mo. Ox. 21, 61; [Island #10](#), Apr. 62, Farmington, miss, May 9, 62; Corinth, Miss, May 28/62, Iuka, Miss. Sept. 19/62; Corinth 2nd, Oct. 3 & 4/62; Jackson, Miss, May 14/63 Assault on Vicksburg, Miss, May 22/63; p Fort De Russy, La, Apr/64; Pleasant Hill, La, Apr 9/64; Mansura & Yellow Bayou, La, May /64, Lake chicott, Ak. June 6/64, Abbeyville, Miss. Aug. 23/64.

Regiment:	8th Infantry Regiment Wisconsin
Date of Organization:	13 Sep 1861
Muster Date:	5 Sep 1865
Regiment State:	Wisconsin
Regiment Type:	Infantry
Regiment Number:	8th
Officers Killed or Mortally Wounded:	6
Officers Died of Disease or Accident:	2
Enlisted Killed or Mortally Wounded:	53
Enlisted Died of Disease or Accident:	219
Regimental Soldiers and History:	<p>List of Soldiers</p> <p>Regimental History</p> <p>Eighth Infantry WISCONSIN (3-YEARS)</p> <p>Eighth Infantry. -- Cols., Robert C. Murphy, George W. Robbins John W. Jefferson, William B. Britton; Lieut.-Cols., George W. Robbins John W. Jefferson, William B. Britton, James O. Bartlett, Duncan A. Kennedy.</p> <p>This regiment, known as the "Eagle Regiment" was organized Sept. 4, 1861, with a numerical strength of 973. It was mustered in Sept. 13 and left the state Oct. 12 for the lower Mississippi.</p> <p>It took part in the actions at Greenville, Island No. 10, Farmington, Corinth, Iuka, Henderson's Hill, Pleasant Hill, Cloutierville, Bayou Lamourie Atchafalaya River, Lake Chicot, Jackson, Haynes' Bluff, Vicksburg Richmond, La., and</p>

Nashville.

The general commanding at Farmington, in general orders, said, "The Badger State may feel proud to have the honor of being represented by so gallant a regiment as the 8th Wisconsin."

Gen. Sherman highly complimented the regiment for doing "its whole duty in the camp, on the march and in battle," for "Peculiar courage and gallantry at Jackson and throughout the siege of Vicksburg," and for other services.

The original strength of 973 was augmented to a total enrollment of 1,643. Losses by death 255, missing 3, desertion 60, transfer 41, discharge 320. It was mustered out at Demopolis, Ala., Sept. 5, 1865, with 964 men.

Source: The Union Army, vol. 4

Battles Fought

[Fought on 9 May 1862 at Farmington, MS.](#)

[Fought on 28 May 1862 at Corinth, MS.](#)

Fought on 12 Sep 1862 at Iuka, MS.

[Fought on 13 Sep 1862 at Iuka, MS.](#)

Fought on 14 Sep 1862 at Iuka, MS.

[Fought on 19 Sep 1862 at Iuka, MS.](#)

[Fought on 3 Oct 1862 at Corinth, MS.](#)

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[Fought on 20 Dec 1862 at Holly Springs, MS.](#)

[Fought on 22 May 1863 at Vicksburg, MS.](#)

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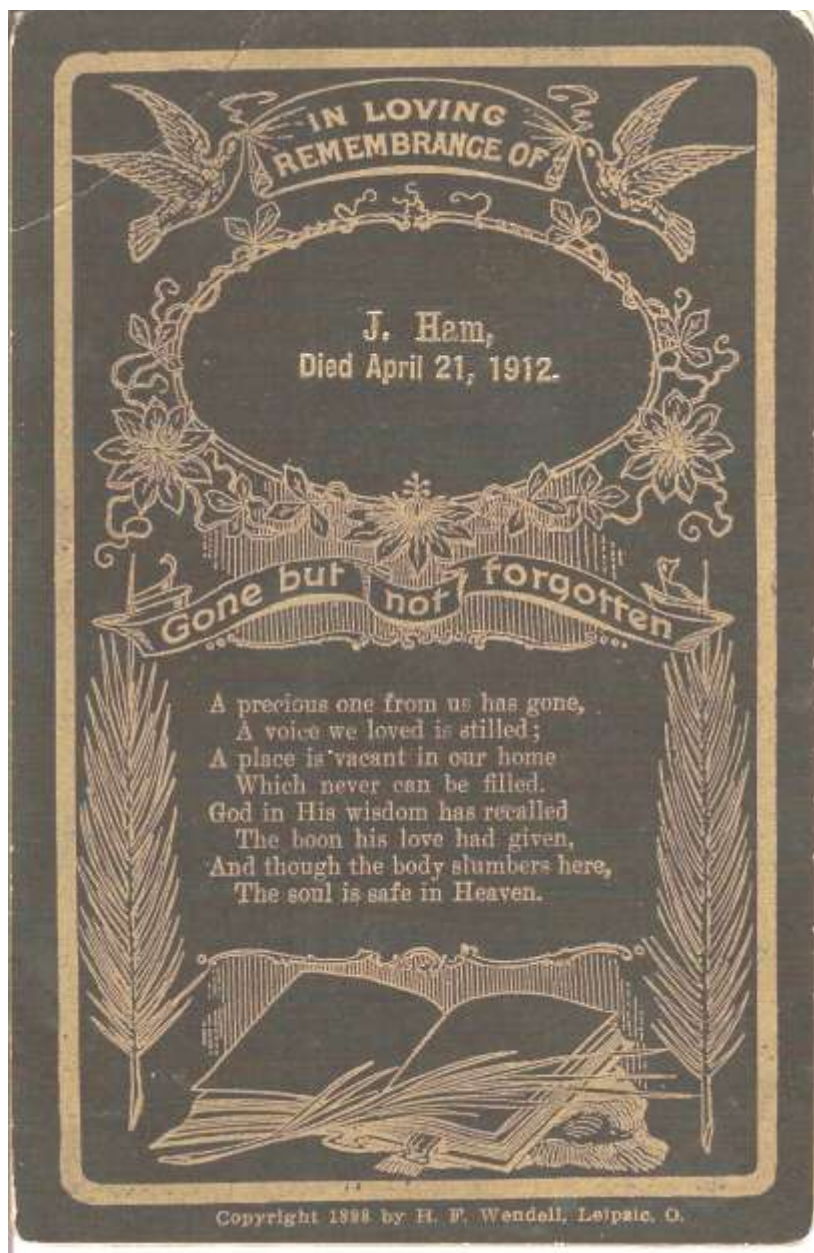
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Name:	Jerry Ham
Residence:	Exeter, Wisconsin
Enlistment Date:	27 Aug 1861
Rank at enlistment:	Corporal
State Served:	Wisconsin
Survived the War?:	Yes
Service Record:	<p>Enlisted in Company H, Wisconsin 8th Infantry Regiment on 27 Aug 1861.</p> <p>Mustered out on 05 Sep 1865 at Demopolis, AL.</p>
Sources:	<p>Roster of Wisconsin Volunteers: War of the Rebellion</p> <p>GAR Dept of Massachusetts 1866-1947 (Sargent)</p>



HENRY HAMILTON

For Sale – My residence, known as the Henry Hamilton place. It will be sold at a bargain. Call and get price.
Geo. Rodd

February 12, 1884, The Enterprise, p. 4, col. 5, Evansville, Wisconsin

Levi Leonard to Henry W. Hamilton, lots 1, 2, and 3 in block 2, in Leonard and Mygatt's addition to Evansville, \$400.

September 10, 1884, Janesville Gazette, Buying and Selling Transfers of Rock County Real Estate"
Janesville, Wisconsin

Henry W. Hamilton recently bought three lots in Leonard & Mygatt's addition, for \$400. Property in the vicinity of the Park is rapidly changing hands, and another season will see a number of new residences in that vicinity.

September 13, 1884, Enterprise, p. 1, col. 4, Evansville, Wisconsin

—Mr Henry Hamilton, who has been with Col. G. W. Hall's show for the past three weeks returned Sunday morning apperantly satisfied with his show experience but reports that the Col. is doing a profitable business.

September 24, 1887, The Tribune, p. 1, col. 4, Evansville, Wisconsin

Henry W. Hamilton to Sarah A. Martin, part of lot 3 In block 2, of Leonard & Mygatt's addition to Evansville, \$700.

August 1, 1888, Janesville daily Gazette, p. 4, Transfers of rock County Real Estate. Janesville, Wisconsin

Mr. H. W. Hamilton was elected street commissioner, J. M. Ballard, sexton, and F. M. Crow, A. A. Snashall and E. J. Ballard, members of the board of health, at the last meeting of the village board.

April 20, 1895, The Badger, p.1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

H. W. Hamilton of this city claims the unique distinction of being the fourth man to enlist in the state of Wisconsin in response to President Lincoln's call for 75,000 volunteers to put down the rebellion.

In April, 1861, Mr. Hamilton was living in Baraboo, but the week previous to his enlistment had been working in Rockton, Ill., a few miles from Beloit.

The evening of the day that the telegraph announced the exciting news that the President had called for volunteers, Mr. Hamilton, a mere youth, instantly formed his war-like resolution, and the following morning at an early hour was standing before the little semi-military office in Beloit, where Mr. Thomas Northrup took the names of the applicants in the order in which they came.

William Stone and James Quinn of Beloit, and Philip Morse of Newark, Ill. had preceded Mr. Hamilton by a few minutes. Mr. Northrup above referred to afterwards become First Lieutenant Co. F. 1st Wisconsin three months volunteers. Mr. Hamilton believes himself to be the last one of the group now living.

The record of the old soldier who saw active service in the civil war is a most honorable one, but to be one of the first in the great state of Wisconsin to answer the call of the Great Emancipator is, indeed, a rare distinction.

Mr. Hamilton is proud of the fact and well he may be.

October 12, 1911, Evansville Review, p. 1, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

Suffering a stroke of paralysis early Wednesday, Henry Hamilton, 90, one of the three surviving members of the local post of the G. A. R., is sinking rapidly at the Hotel Central. He still remains unconscious and little hope is held for his recovery. His son, William Hamilton, arrived from Baraboo Wednesday morning. Mr. Hamilton participated in the Memorial day exercise here last Saturday.

June 4, 1931, Evansville Review, p. 1, col. 5, Evansville, Wisconsin

THOMAS HARVEY

As doubts have been expressed about Mr. Thomas Harvey having served in the army and having a discharge therefrom, we wish to say in his behalf that upon the 12th day of January 1901 we saw and read an honorable discharge given Mr. Harvey from his service in the civil war of '61 to '65, and he is entitled to a pension.

January 15, 1901, p. 3, col. 3, The Tribune, Evansville, Wisconsin

[note: the editor of the Tribune, Caleb Libby, was also the veterans pension agent in Evansville, Wisconsin.]

George Hayward

**GEORGE HAYWARD
DIES AT B E R L I N**

George Hayward, aged 92, died Wednesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. G. D. Wood, Berlin, Wis. Funeral services will be held in Berlin and the remains will be brought to Evansville for burial Saturday. Rev. O. W. Smith will conduct short services at the cemetery Saturday morning at 11 o'clock.

Mr. Hayward was an early settler, coming from Vermont as a young man, and farming near Cooksville. He served his country in the Civil War, and was afterward a loyal member of the L. T. Sutphen post, G.A.R. After the war, he moved into Evansville, living on Madison street until after the death of his wife he went to live with his only daughter, Mrs. Jennie Wood in Berlin. As a carpenter he had a share in building Evansville. He is survived by his daughter, Jennie Wood, and a son Julian, who with his family,—a son and two daughters, lives in Virginia, Minn. Harry Hayward is a nephew.

July 17, 1924, p. 1, col. 5, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

Amos Hoisington

DIED at the hospital, Evansville, Indiana, December 18th, 1863, AMOS HOYSINGTON, of Magnolia, belonging to Co. D., 13th Reg't W. V., aged 23 years.

January 29, 1864, p. 22, col. 1, Janesville Weekly Gazette, Janesville, Wisconsin

Cassius C. Howard

OBITUARY

Cassius C. Howard was born September 20, 1845, in Herkemerr County, New York, moving to Wisconsin with his parents in 1848, settling in Magnolia, where he lived until 1900, at that time moving to Madison, having been appointed Messenger Clerk in the office of the State Board of Control; being appointed to that office by Governor La Follette.

His health failing him, in 1908, he resigned and moved to Evansville, where he has since made his home.

Mr. Howard served in the Civil War as a member of the Forty-second Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry.

He was married to Mary A. Robson of Magnolia, January 1, 1867, she departing this life, September 4, 1916. To this union was born two children, Jesse M. Gillman of this city and Howard of Madison.

Mr. Howard answered the last roll call last Tuesday at the home of his daughter Mrs. Fred Gillman. The interment will be in Maple Hill Cemetery this afternoon, the Rev. William Bird, of Magnolia, officiating.

November 11, 1920, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

Magnolia News

Betty Ann Eubanks

Phone: 882-5132



When Cassius C. Howard was but three years of age, his father, Nathaniel B. Howard, purchased 240 acres on section 22 of Magnolia Township, Wisconsin being yet a territory. Sixty acres of this original purchase was deeded to Cassius. Father, Nathaniel's residence was built in 1847 by Joseph Prentice, but was made a home by Mr. N. B. Howard in 1848. Cassius was the eldest son of a family of eleven children.

Cassius, came with his parents from Herkimer, Co., N.Y. and when nineteen years of age enlisted in the 42nd Wisconsin Infantry and served with them un-

til the close of the War. His father, Nathaniel B. had taken an active part in the war, paying bounties out of his own pocket to induce volunteers to enlist. Two of his sons and one son-in-law served their country during this period. The son-in-law was killed in battle.

Cassius C. Howard married Miss Alice Rolson of Magnolia Township, December 31, 1867 and is said to have had one child, Jessie. Cassius followed the example of his father and was Republican politically. Besides the 60 acres in section 22, Cassius owned and resided in a house in Section 15 in Magnolia.

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ALVA BEACH HUBBARD

Alva Beach Hubbard was born Nov. 8th, 1834, in Windham, New York. At the age of two, removed with his parents to Mount Morris where he grew to sturdy young manhood, working on the farm summers and attending district school winters. When 18 years of age he enjoyed two terms of high school in the village, acquiring that thirst for reading which remained with him throughout his life. When 19 years of age, or in October, 1853, he came, with his parents, to Wisconsin, stopping in Spring Prairie. The next year, November, 1854, he removed to Lacon, Ill., and followed railroading until July, 1857, when he came back to Spring Prairie, helped with the harvest, going to Windham, N. Y., the last of October, where on the 7th of the month he married Miss Clara Force, returning with his bride to Spring Prairie and engaging in farming until the call of his country caused him to enlist in Co. I, 28th Wisconsin Infantry. he served with honors for three years, until the close of the war, and was mustered out in October, 1865, returning gladly to the farm. In the spring of 1871 he went to Minnesota and took up a homestead in Brown county. Helped to organize the township, the school district and built the first school house. Was superintendent of the first Sunday school and a charter member of the Congregational church he helped organize, serving in some official capacity until he sold out, coming to Evansville. A year later, in July, 1897, he moved to Mentour, Iowa, and bought a home, but returned shortly to Wisconsin where he resided continuously until his death, which took place April 2nd, 1923, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Carrie E. Bestor. His wife having preceded him in death four years, there remains to mourn his passing two daughters: Mrs. Carrie E. Bestor of Evansville and Mrs. Helen Z. May of Bloomington, Ill., and one son, Clifford W. Hubbard of Omaha, Neb. There are also ten grandchildren. For the last years of his life Mr. Hubbard was afflicted with deafness, hearing only by the aid of a speaking trumpet, and with near blindness; still he delighted to talk with friends, especially of the stirring times immediately preceding and during the Civil War. Always intensely patriotic, he could not brook slighting remarks regarding the flag of his country. Religion and patriotism were close akin with him. Naturally he was a member of the local Congregational Churching, coming by letter. Always he carried his church letter with him. The funeral took place from the home of Mrs. Carrie E. Bestor on Third street Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. O. W. Smith of the Congregational church officiating. Beside the many relatives and friends gathered to pay him honor was the little group of Civil War veterans, a pitiful remnant of the Grand Army of the Republic, who with representatives of the American Legion Post, laid the body to rest in the cemetery. Hail and farewell, comrade and brother.

April 5, 1923, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin