

J. M. Owen moved into the Commercial House early Monday morning, later J. M. Patterson moved into Mr. Owen's house, and as we were going home to tea, saw a team unloading goods into Mr. Patterson's house, and it was not a first rate day for moving, either.

August 26, 1882, Evansville Review, p. 3, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

ad. D. M. ROWLEY, real estate agent, sold  
hat to George S. Stiles, W. B. Patterson's  
ye. farm on the prairie, 120 acres, for \$6,500.  
ern This is considered one of the best farms  
ion in the town of Union. Mr. Patterson will  
ion move to this city. Mr. Rowley can al-  
and ways find buyers for good farms.  
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April 14, 1883, Evansville Review, p. 3, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

for it.  
Wm. B. Patterson, by real estate  
agent Rowley, sold his farm, consisting  
of 120 acres, last Friday, to Geo. S.  
Stiles for \$6500. This is a choice farm  
located about two miles west of town.  
Mr. P. expects to make Evansville his  
future home.

April 17, 1883, Enterprise, p. 1,  
col. 5, Evansville, Wisconsin

Transfers of Real Estate week ending April 14.

Charles J. Jenkins to C. F. P. and Lucia S. Pullen, -100 acres in w ½ ne ¼ Section 31, Union, \$1,450.

William Wilcox to James K. Johnson s1/2 nw ½ section 21, Union, \$1,200.

Wm. B. Patterson to James Miles, 10 acres in section 29, Union, \$450.

April 15, 1885, Janesville Daily Gazette, p. 4, Janesville, Wisconsin

Mr. Wm. B. Patterson and Wm. Tewksbury returned from Gettysburg, D. T., last Wednesday, looking hale and hearty, and we are informed will go back with their families to their new found homes as soon as convenient.

October 31, 1885, The Enterprise, Evansville, Wisconsin

[Note: D. T. is the Dakota Territory]

The funeral of Mrs. Sarrah Patterson, the mother of Frank and our late townsmen, the late Nelson Patterson was held at the home of the former, Saturday. Mrs. Patterson was a nonogenarian of a little more than ninety years. Her funeral was largely attended by old acquaintances and neighbors on "the prairie."

February 16, 1892, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

Marvin Patterson is home from the West, and shaking hands with his many old friends here. He is looking well and hearty and tells us that he has given up his position as operator and will remain at home during the winter.

December 9, 1892, Enterprise, "Jug Prairie" news, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mrs. Harriet Patterson has moved back into her residence on the corner of Church and First streets, after spending the winter with her daughter on the prairie.

March 24, 1893, Enterprise, p. 4, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mrs. Harriet Patterson starts tonight for a visit with her son Charles at East Pierce, S. Dak.

October 26, 1894, Enterprise, p. 1, col. 1, Evansville, Wisconsin

OBITUARY DIED: At her home on Jug Prairie, Jan. 20, Mrs. Frank Patterson, aged 72 years. The funeral occurred this morning, the Rev. Schwartz officiating. The interment was made at the Stone School House cemetery. The deceased leaves a husband and three sons.

January 23, 1897, The Badger, Evansville, WI

Messrs. Lawrence and Hiram Patterson, while at Monroe, recently purchased an elegant monument which they will have placed on their family lot. The Monroe Monument works, having the largest stock in this state, affords a good opportunity for purchasers to make a selection. Messrs. Patterson obtained an elegant monument, and are satisfied they got a bargain.

August 29, 1907, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mrs. Emma Patterson and two sons will leave tomorrow morning for a visit of a week to relatives at Debello and Baraboo.

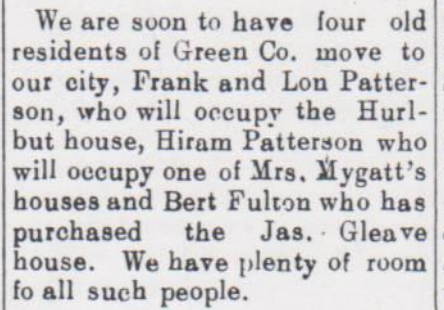
March 10, 1900, The Badger, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

A. L. Patterson and wife expect soon to return to this city to live. We will be glad to have them back.

March 17, 1900, The Badger, p. 1, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mr. Will Patterson left this morning with his family for their new home in Blue Springs, Neb. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson leave behind them in Evansville, many warm friends who regret their departure exceedingly, but who wish them abundant success in their new home.

March 31, 1900, The Badger, p. 5, Col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin



We are soon to have four old residents of Green Co. move to our city, Frank and Lon Patterson, who will occupy the Hurlbut house, Hiram Patterson who will occupy one of Mrs. Mygatt's houses and Bert Fulton who has purchased the Jas. Gleave house. We have plenty of room for all such people.

December 22, 1900, p. 1, col. 4, The Badger, Evansville, Wisconsin

W. R. Patterson and wife to Kittie D. Snashall, pt. se 12/4, nw ¼, Sec. 27, Union \$400.

March 15, 1901, Janesville Daily Gazette, "Real Estate Transfers, p. 1, Janesville, Wisconsin

Guy Patterson has bought out Emery & Searles grocery stock and we believe he will make a successful businessman as his morals and principles are of the best.

June 1, 1901, The Badger, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

A. L. Patterson has been quite ill with rheumatism since he returned from Nebraska ten days ago.

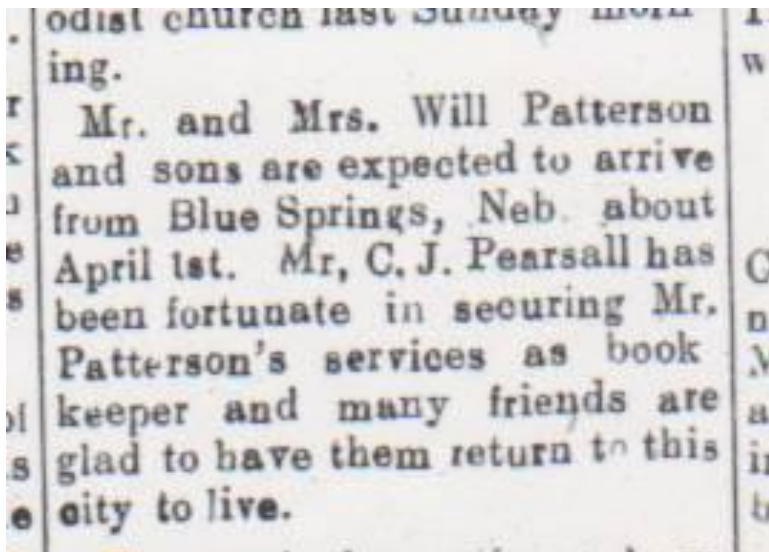
November 30, 1901, The Badger, p. 1, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

Postmaster E. M. Patterson's son Leroy, of Union, aged 9 years, died of pneumonia, Friday night. Leroy was an uncommon bright boy of his age, performing nearly all of the work in the office there, and is a sad loss to his parents, who have the deepest sympathy of their many friends. The funeral occurred Monday.

The Tribune, March 4, 1902, p. 3, col. 4, Evansville, Wisconsin

Lyle Patterson left Wednesday for Minnesota where he has purchased a farm and will make his home. Mrs. Patterson will leave in about a week. The best wishes of a large circle of friends accompany them.

March 8, 1902, The Badger, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin



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Mr. and Mrs. Will Patterson  
and sons are expected to arrive  
from Blue Springs, Neb. about  
April 1st. Mr. C. J. Pearsall has  
been fortunate in securing Mr.  
Patterson's services as book  
keeper and many friends are  
glad to have them return to this  
city to live.

March 15, 1902, The Badger, p. 1, col. 4,

Evansville, Wisconsin

Mr. W. G. Patterson began duties as a book-keeper for the D. E. Wood Butter Co., on last Monday morning.  
April 3, 1902, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

E. M. Patterson, of Union, has purchased Mr. Wm. Cleveland's residence on Second street, where he will move Nov. 1st.

September 12, 1902, Enterprise, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin  
(Petterson in the article)

Mrs. A. L. Patterson went to Baraboo, Tuesday, for a visit with her son Marvin and family.

August 15, 1903, The Badger, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mrs. A. L. Patterson is at her home again for a few days before giving possession to the Lloyds, who have rented her town farm for a year. She will soon go to Green Bay, to reside with her son, Dr. Leon J. Patterson, who is a successful dentist in that city.

April 9, 1904, Badger, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

## OBITUARY

Mrs. H. B. Lay died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Rose Patterson, on Wednesday morning, Dec. 28, 1904, aged 85 years. She had been spending the holidays at this home and was found at rest when she was called in the morning. She will be remembered by the older citizens and the residents of Jug Prairie, but for several years past she has lived a quiet life here in town, her advanced age confining her more closely. She was the mother of five children: Charles, who died about five years ago, Herbert and three daughters, Mesdames Patterson and Ethan Allen, and Mrs. Lee of Loup City, Nebraska.

The funeral services will be held from the home of Mrs. Patterson, this afternoon at 1:30.

Saturday December 31, 1904, The Badger, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mrs. Charlotte Wood Lay, who died Dec. 28, was born in Walpool, Suffolk county, England, 1819. The funeral was held from her residence Saturday afternoon last. The Rev. Harlan officiating, taking for his text "Prisoners of Hope." The deceased is survived by four children, a husband and three children having preceded her to the home beyond.

January 5, 1905, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin



### Mrs. Patterson Breaks Her Hip.

Mrs. Harriet Patterson, mother of Mrs. Frank R. Greatsinger, fell in the yard of the latter's home, 369 Euclid Avenue, Monday morning, and broke her hip. As Mrs. Patterson is 82 years of age, the injury is quite serious. Medical aid was summoned instantly and the sufferer has been made as comfortable as possible.

Mrs. Patterson was out in the front yard at the Greatsinger home and was standing on the lawn when a little dog came along and caught hold of her skirt. She turned to drive the animal away, and in turning lost her balance and fell heavily on her side. The hip bone snapped and the shock of the fall was severe.—Beloit Free Press.

Mrs. Patterson has resided in this city for many years, and moved to Beloit only a few weeks ago. Her many friends are greatly grieved to learn of the misfortune that has befallen her.

May 20, 1905, The Badger, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mrs. Guy Patterson has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Anna Garlick in Beloit, this week.

October 7, 1905, Badger, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

The Methodist coffee at the home of Mrs. Eleanora Patterson, last Thursday afternoon, was a success, socially and financially.

October 14, 1905, The Badger, p. 1, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mrs. Marvin Patterson and little daughter returned to Baraboo, Wednesday, having paid a short visit to local relatives.

October 28, 1905, The Badger, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Zala Bladwin of Madison has sold what is known as the Rev. Walter McFarlane residence on First Street, to Wm. R. Patterson.

January 23, 1906, The Tribune, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Guy Patterson has rented the Fish farm just north of town.

February 24, 1906, The Badger, p. 4, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Guy Patterson takes the position as egg and butter buyer in the Grange store, which was recently vacated by Fred Franklin.

November 29, 1906, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mrs. **Elnora Weaver Patterson** was born in the town of Union, Rock county, Wisconsin, March 20, 1859 and died at Evansville, April 27, 1907. She had always enjoyed good health to within a few months of her death and to the community the seriousness of her trouble was scarcely realized.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson were married on the first of January 1880 and until 1901 made their home in the town of Brooklyn, when they moved to this city where they have since resided. She leaves a husband and aged father, and two brothers and many friends to mourn the loss that death has caused.

Mrs. Patterson was a faithful member of the Methodist church, a sister most tenderly beloved. We shall great miss her from our working force. She was always willing to do her part and to bear her share of any of the burdens or responsibilities of the church. A patient and faithful toiler has gone to her reward.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. T. W. North officiating.

"How sweet the hour of closing day,  
When all is peaceful and serene:  
And when the sun, with cloudless ray  
Sheds mello lustre o'er the scene  
Such is the Christian's parting hour  
So peacefully he sinks to rest:  
When faith, endued from heave with power  
Sustains and cheers his languid breast."

May 2, 1907, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

**Mrs. Elnora Patterson** died at her home on East Main Street, last Saturday noon, April 27, 1907. But few realized the seriousness of her condition; she was taken ill about five weeks ago and last Friday an operation for gallstones was performed and she seemed to be on the road to recovery; but shortly before noon on Saturday she was taken very much worse and did not survive an hour.

Elnora Weaver was born in the town of Union, Rock County, Wis., March 20, 1859. She was married to Mr. L. A. Patterson, Jan. 1, 1880. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson lived in the town of Brooklyn, Green County until 1901, when they moved to Evansville, where they have since resided. She leaves a husband, an aged father and two brothers to mourn the loss that death has caused.

Mrs. Patterson was a faithful member of the Methodist church and a sister tenderly loved. She will be missed from the working force in the church. She was also a member of the local Woman's Relief Corps and has held the office of chaplain for several years, and was one of the most active members of that order.

Hers was a character beautiful and noble, and the purity and unselfishness of her life was felt not only in the home circle but by all with whom she came in contact. To the bereaved husband and relatives, a large circle of sorrowing friends extend their deepest sympathy.

The funeral services were held from the late home at one o'clock this Tuesday afternoon, the Rev. T. W. North officiating. The Woman's Relief Corps attended in a body. Her remains were buried in the Stone School House cemetery, on Jug Prairie.

May 3, 1907, Enterprise, p. 3, col. 6, Evansville, Wisconsin

## **The Final Hours Were Peaceful**

**William A. Patterson** died at the home of his son Edwin, Monday afternoon, aged 82 years.

Mr. Patterson came to this country in the forties and located in Dodge county. He was born and raised in Vermont and possessed all the strength and vigor of a youth acclimated in that rugged New England state. Soon after his residence in this state he was married, and to that union three children were born, two of whom, sons, are living, one Edwin of this place and Myron of South Dakota.

For some time past Mr. Patterson has not been feeling well, owing more to his advanced age than anything else, and on Saturday afternoon he fell asleep, from which he never roused, but peacefully and slowly passed away.

The funeral was held from his late home yesterday afternoon and the remains interred in Maple Hill cemetery.

July 11, 1907, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

Edwin Patterson has rented his farm to Frank Cushman and will move to town about the first of March.

February 24, 1909, The Enterprise and The Tribune, p. 1, col.2, Evansville, Wisconsin

Guy Patterson has quit his job in the store and purchased the oil business from John Reilly, which he will look after in the future. Mr. Patterson will be found a careful and reliable man in this work, and we predict he will give satisfaction to both patrons and the company.

March 31, 1909, The Enterprise and The Tribune, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Guy Patterson has sold his lot on Garfield Avenue between the residence of Clint Scofield and H. W. Hamilton to Will Blakeley who will begin the construction of a house thereon this fall. It is understood the consideration was \$650. October 26, 1911, Evansville Review [note: 132 Garfield is the address of Blakeley's house.]

June Patterson, daughter of W. G. Patterson, and who has been very ill, is now getting along very nicely.

February 1, 1912, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

Lyle Patterson residing on Second street is reported as very sick with pneumonia.

January 21, 1915, Evansville Review, p. 5, col. 1, Evansville, Wisconsin

## G LYLE PATTERSON CALLED TO THE BEYOND

### Death Caused by Pneumonia

Archie Lyle Patterson answered the final summons at 11:15 Tuesday night, following the suffering of a week and one day with pneumonia. He was taken sick first a week ago Sunday night, after returning home from church, and was in a dangerous condition from the very first.

He was born July 28, 1875, on the Patterson farm four miles west of this city. His early education was in the district school, and later in the Evansville seminary. He was married December 11, 1897 to Miss Bernice Lloyd of Evansville. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson have always made their home in this vicinity, living on the farm until about three years ago, when they moved into town. Mr. Patterson was the manager for the Evansville Produce company. He was one of the most regular attendants at the services of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Besides the wife he leaves a daughter, Marie, age 11, and a son, Athol, age 7, his mother, Mrs. A. L. Patterson, and three brothers, Marvin and William of this city, and Leon of Green Bay.

The funeral will be held tomorrow, Friday afternoon at two-thirty, at the home on Second street, and will be in charge of the Rev. C. E. Coon, pastor of the Methodist church. Mr. Patterson will be laid to rest beside the body of his father, in Maple Hill cemetery.

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January 28, 1915, Evansville Review, Evansville,

Wisconsin

M. E. Paterson of Baraboo has moved onto the farm recently purchased by him from Frank Thomas. Frank Thomas has bought a farm in Barron county where he will move.

March 5, 1914, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin



**MRS. A. L. PATTERSON DIES  
AT HOME OF HER SON**

Mrs. A. L. Patterson passed away at 2:30 Saturday morning at the home of her son, W. G. Patterson, in this city. She had only been sick for about three weeks, but had been in failing health for sometime before. She had lived in Evansville and the vicinity for many years and was well known to a large number of people.

Her maiden name was Anna C. Palm. Had she lived until the fifteenth of October, she would have been just 68 years of age. She was born and her girlhood home was in the state of Pennsylvania, where she lived until married to A. L. Patterson, when she came west in 1866, locating on a farm in Green county. Here Mr. and Mrs. Patterson lived until fifteen years ago when they moved to Evansville. Mr. Patterson died thirteen years ago. Since that time Mrs. Patterson has made her home with her children, the most of the time in this city. She was a regular attendant at the Methodist Episcopal church and was interested in its work. The funeral was held at the W. G. Patterson home Monday afternoon and was in charge of the Rev. Chas. E. Coon, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church. The burial was in the Maple Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Patterson is survived by three sons, Marvin and W. G. Patterson of this city and Dr. Leon Patterson of Green Bay. She also leaves two brothers, Alex Palm and Lemuel Palm, both of Titusville, Pa. Mr. Alex Palm came to Evansville to attend the funeral and is spending a few days here with his sister's children.

September 30, 1915, Evansville Review, Evansville,

## AUCTION SALE

We will sell at public auction, on the Edwin Patterson farm, situated one and one-fourth miles southwest of Evansville, Friday, March 7, beginning at 1:00 o'clock sharp, the following described property:

Nine head of cattle, consisting of five cows due to freshen this spring, three heifers springing, one yearling bull.

Horses: One gelding six years old, mare three years old, mare twelve years old, two-year-old colt, yearling colt. A quantity of hay in barn.

The machinery to be sold consists of manure sperader, disc harrow, shoe drill, drag, mower, wagons, riding plow, corn planter, with fertilizer attachment, gasoline tank, kerosene tank, hay rack.

Terms of Sale: All sums of ten dollars or under, cash; on all sums over ten dollars six months' time will be given on good bankable notes with interest at the rate of six per cent.

Chas. Webb & Sons, Props.,  
D. F. Finnane, Auctioneer.

## OBITUARY

### LAURENCE A. PATTERSON

After suffering from a stroke of paralysis for several weeks, Lawrence A. Patterson died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Barnum, at 8:00 o'clock Monday morning.

Born in the town of Brooklyn, July 21, 1855 he received his education in the schools of Dane County.

At his marriage to Miss Elenora Weaver, of Brooklyn, in 1880 the young couple moved to a farm close to Evansville for a number of years, finally retiring and moving into this city, where they made their home until the death of Mrs. Patterson, eighteen years ago, since which time he has made his home with his daughter, Mrs. Barnum.

Mr. Patterson was what is known as a "Good Citizen" standing up for every move that was progressive and for the good of his country, state or city, firm in his convictions and fair in his judgments.

The deceased was a member of the Methodist church for many years and the funeral services were held under the supervision of the pastor of that church, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Charles Barnum, yesterday at 2:00 p. m., the interment being in the Brooklyn township cemetery.

He is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Charles Barnum, his grandson, Rolland Barnum, and one brother, Will, all of Evansville.

September 24, 1925, Evansville Review, p. 4, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin



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## MARVIN PATTERSON MOTORIZES HIS FARM

Maryin Patterson has long been known as one of Rock Countys' most progressive farmers, always keeping up to date with the latest ideas of the Agricultural Colleges and modern methods, believing it pays in these days of high priced hired help and farm machinery.

Acting along this line last week he purchased of the McCormick Implement Co., of this city, a large "Farm-all" Mc Cormick-Deering tractor which is made so it can be used for any kind of farm work, such as cultivating, plowing, mowing and harvesting and can be used under the belt besides, to furnish power for sawing or grinding.

With the tractor he purchased the tools which are made to go with it, in the shape of a seven foot cut mower, ten foot cut grain binder, a two row cultivator and an eight foot tandem disc. For plowing he will use the plows which he already has, which can be adjusted to the hitch of this tractor.

While the initial investment of this tractor and its accompanying machines was around \$1500, the great saving of hired help and the ability to get certain classes of farm work cleaned up quickly, when the soil is in fit condition, will doubtless make it a paying investment.

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May 19, 1927, Evansville Review, p. 1, col. 2, Evansville,

## MASTER PRODUCTION AT CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH FRI. NIGHT

Judging from the satisfactory rehearsals and the opening of a most successful advance ticket sale, the pageant, "In An Antique Shop," to be presented at the Congregational church Friday night, promises to be one of the most outstanding home talent productions of the season.

The cast of approximately 35 persons is being coached by Mrs. M. L. Harned, Janesville, who directed the production at the First Congregational church there last December. The reading accompanying the pageant will be given by Mrs. Arthur Devine and the accompanying musical numbers will be rendered by a quartet with solos by Mrs. W. A. Dake, Mrs. V. A. Axtell, and Gerald Anderson. Miss June Patterson will be the pianist.

One of the features of the evening will be a colonial dance presented by little Betty Groh. Committees have been at work on the production for the past several weeks under the general chairmanship of Mrs. John Baker and Mrs. Lloyd Hubbard.

February 20, 1930, Evansville Review, p. 1, col. 5, Evansville, Wisconsin



## FORMER LOCAL BOY BUYS HOME PRODUCT IN FOREIGN COUNTRY

W. Daryl Patterson, former local boy who is in command of the S. S. Marinduque in the government coast and geodetic survey, recently purchased a can of peas from the army commissary in Manilla which were packed by the Garden Canning company here. The label on the can read, "Toboggan Brand of Wisconsin Peas packed by the Garden Canning company, Evansville, Wis."

Mr. Patterson's work has taken him to Zamboanga, Jolo, which is the smallest "walled in" city in the world. While on the Sula islands he called upon the Sultan, was most graciously received, and was permitted to take his picture with Mrs. Patterson and the wife of one of the officers.

March 27, 1930, Evansville Review, p. 1, col. 5, Evansville, Wisconsin

## LOCAL GIRL AWARDED MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP AT LAWRENCE COLLEGE

Miss June Patterson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Patterson, 306 South First street, who completed a three-year course in music at Lawrence college, Appleton, last year, has been awarded the Mu Phi Epsilon music scholarship.

The prize was given at the seventy-third commencement exercises held there Monday by the Pi chapter of the Mu Phi Epsilon sorority of which Miss Patterson is a member.

Miss Patterson studied public school music at Lawrence and expects to return this fall to obtain the degree of Bachelor of Music. She was graduated from the Evansville high school with the class of 1926 and has a wide circle of friends here who extend to her their congratulations for her remarkable achievement.

June 12, 1930, Evansville Review, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

## DARYL PATTERSON VISITS HOME TOWN

Daryl Patterson, former Evansville boy who has been stationed at the Philippine islands as captain of the United States Coast survey ship, "Marinduque," for the past two years, arrived here Saturday for a short visit with friends and relatives enroute to Washington, D. C. He is making the trip overland by automobile.

Before going to the Philippines, Mr. Patterson spent five years in Alaska making coast surveys. He will return to Alaska July 1 to collect material for a book concerning coastwise navigation. Mr. Patterson has been visiting his mother, Mrs. E. M. Patterson, who now resides in Janesville.

May 28, 1931, Evansville Review, p. 8, col. 4, Evansville, Wisconsin

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## OPAL JUDD BRIDE OF HARLEY A. PATTERSON

Married Saturday in Methodist  
Parsonage at Freeport, Ill.;  
Making Home Here

Miss Opal Eleanor Judd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Judd, Madison, former Evansville residents, became the bride of Harley A. Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Patterson, 114 North Second street, at a ceremony performed at 11 a.m. Saturday in the Methodist parsonage, Freeport, Ill., by the Rev. C. A. Bloomquist, pastor.

The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Knapp, this city. The bride wore a rust colored dress with brown accessories and the bridesmaid brown attire with matching accessories.

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## OPAL JUDD BRIDE OF HARLEY A. PATTERSON

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Following the ceremony, the newly weds enjoyed a short wedding trip returning to Evansville Sunday evening. They are making their home in the late Frank Butts' house at 25 South Second street.

The bride was graduated from the Evansville high school in 1928 and from the Madison Business college in 1930. She has since been engaged in stenographic and general office work at Madison. The groom, who also attended the Evansville high school, was graduated from the Milo Bennet Linotype school, Toledo, O., in 1925 after which he was employed for two years with the Milwaukee Trade Press and for several years with the Antes Press of this city.

The Review and its employees join with a large circle of friends in wishing Mr. and Mrs. Patterson much happiness in their married life.

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October 25, 1934, Evansville Review, pp 1 & 8, Evansville, Wisconsin

# FARMERS INSURANCE COMPANY REELECTS

Local Firm Now has 1300 Policy  
Holders With Six Million  
Dollars in Force

At its annual meeting held here last week in the G. A. R. hall, the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance company of the Town of Union re-elected officers, chose two new directors, and changed its name to the Union Mutual Fire Insurance company. The officers for the ensuing year have been announced as follows:

Fred Miller, president; Ed J. Ellis, vice president; C. H. Whitmore, secretary and treasurer; and Lyman Gillies, Charles Miller, Lee Barnard, and Victor Tullis, directors. The two new directors are W. G. Patterson, Evansville, and Harry Hook, Brooklyn.

January 13, 1938, Evansville Review, p. 1, Evansville, Wisconsin

## WILLIAM PATTERSON DIES HERE SUNDAY

(Continued from page one)

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson retired from farming in 1902 and moved to Evansville where they purchased the home on South First street in which Mr. Patterson died.

Two daughters were born to the couple. Mrs. Patterson died here Feb. 24, 1929 and since that time Mr. Patterson had made his home with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Courtier. He was very active until recently walking four blocks to the business district of the city nearly every day.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Clyde Courtier and Mrs. George Morrison, both of Evansville; five grandchildren, and five great grandchildren.

December 8, 1938, Evansville Review



Mr. and Mrs. John Thurman, who have lived in Mrs. C. D. Doolittle's house on North Madison street will move to the Fred Franklin house on West Church street early in March. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Patterson who have been residing in the Franklin house will move into their new home which is nearing completion on Garfield avenue.

A group of grade and high school

January 19, 1939, Evansville Review, p. 5, col. 6, Evansville, Wisconsin

## STROKE FATAL TO EVANSVILLE WOMAN

### Mrs. Marvin Patterson Succumbs Tuesday Following Illness Of Five Weeks

Stricken with a stroke following a critical illness of five weeks, Mrs. Marvin Patterson, 72, prominent resident of the community, died at 8:15 p.m. Tuesday in her home at 433 South First street. She had been in failing health for the past four years.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Friday in the Congregational church with the Rev. Grant V. Clark, pastor, officiating. Burial will be made in Maple Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Patterson, formerly, Miss Letetia Frances Finn, daughter of the late William and Margaret Page Finn, was born on a farm in Albany township,

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who after his death became Mrs. Lyman Johnson.

Mr. Brigham taught the term of November, December, January, February, and March and the following term May, June, and part of July seems to have been taught by Julia Hosley who later became Mrs. William Gillies, mother of Mrs. Harry Spooner.

"Charles Sweet was the next teacher and Marion Randolph taught the following term of May, June, and July, and again Mr. Sweet taught the winter term of 1876-77. My oldest sister is registered there as 17 years of age and I remember she was married on New Year's eve, 1876 and we left for Texas the following morning, 1877.

"The enrollment has many names familiar unto the present day. I note with much interest on the visitors' register of Nov. 26, 1875 the name of Charles VanHise and the following remarks are recorded—'Mr. VanHise made a few brief remarks to the scholars commending them for their quietness and good recitations. He also made the remark that their improvement depended just as much upon themselves as upon the teacher. He told them that an education is worth striving for as it is the great groundwork of society.'

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## OLD TIMES REVIEWED BY FORMER RESIDENT

### Mrs. Hattie Patterson Relates Interesting Incidents of Early School Days

The Review is this week in receipt of another interesting letter from Mrs. Hattie S. Patterson, Janesville, former Evansville resident who interestingly describes the early days of Evansville and Union. The historical account of Mrs. Patterson forwarded to Mrs. Fred Hansen reads as follows:

"Since mailing my former letter to you I have resurrected the 'Teacher's Daily Register' which I mentioned and find the first teacher to record therein was Locke Brigham, only son of the late Dr. Brigham who was resident physician in this locality for many years. He married Ada Elwood

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ing registered as a visitor and on May 23, 1876 Josephine Sweet was a visitor. "Among the pictures I mentioned I also found six pictures I had taken of the floats, band, etc., at the time of the big homecoming celebration for the World war boys. Evansville made a gala day of that occasion and the floats were very elaborate and lovely. I remember that the school children of the lower grades formed a living flag in the parade. I think I'll enclose these pictures and if I can locate a photographer that can print from the plates of the old Union pictures I shall be glad to pass them along. My old camera was a plate camera instead of the more modern film kodaks. And I have all of these old negatives.

"Again I am taxing you with a lengthy narration. Like the brook—I go on forever once I get started. Will say adieu now with the best regards to any inquiring friends and to the Review. Signed—Hattie S. Patterson.

August 10, 1939, Evansville Review, p. 1 & 8,

## October Bride



—Helgesen Studio.

**MRS. WILBUR W. PATTERSON**

At an informal wedding in the parsonage of the Dubuque Baptist church with their parents as attendants, Eva Lynn B. Whaley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn A. Whaley, Janesville, and Wilbur Wood Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Patterson, Evansville, were married at 10 a. m. Sunday by the Rev. Walter E. Ulrich.

A reception for 30 guests was held in the Monterey hotel, Janesville, Sunday afternoon. Dinner was served at a table centered with white chrysanthemums, ivory tapers and bridal favors. Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Guy Patterson, Marcia, Philip and Clifford Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Patterson, and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Patterson, all of Evansville; Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Dougherty and Burton Clifford, Rockford; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whaley, Whitewater; and Percy Whaley and Katherine Olson, Beloit.

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## Brothers-In-Law Meet In Australia

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The Leon Patterson family has decided that the world is small after all. They received word from the government recently that their son Bill had reached an overseas country safely.

However, they were not sure of the country until a few days later when they got a message from their daughter Mrs. Clair Ehle, Chicago, stating that she had a letter from her husband, who they know is in Australia, in which he said that Bill had telephoned him and they are only a few miles apart and expected to meet very soon, which they did on Mothers' Day.

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May 20, 1943, Evansville Review, p. 1, col. 5, Evansville, Wisconsin

## Betty Patterson To Wed Sgt. John Lowrey

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Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Patterson, 257 W. Main street, Evansville, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Betty, to Sgt. John Lowrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Lowrey, 1454 N. Loftus avenue, Chicago. Because Sgt. Lowrey has been serving in the European area for the past 20 months, no date has been set for the wedding.

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Evansville Review, May 31, 1945, Evansville, Wisconsin

## Former Local Woman Dies In Janesville

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**Mrs. Hattie Patterson, 73,  
Succumbs Monday After  
Long Illness**  
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Mrs. Hattie S. Patterson, 73, former Evansville resident, died at 2:30 p.m. Monday in Mercy hospital. An invalid for seven years, she suffered a stroke several weeks ago and had been cared for at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Brown, 729 Prospect avenue, Janesville, before she was taken to the hospital Monday morning.

Funeral services were held at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Evansville Baptist church, the Rev. C. W. Bloedow, pastor, officiating. Burial was in the Maple Hill cemetery. The Hattie Patterson guild of the Baptist church met at the church at 1:45 p.m. to attend the services in a body.

The former Hattie Mae Strong was born in the town of Union May 23, 1871, but moved to Austin, Tex., with her parents when a small child. She was educated there but met and married Edwin M. Patterson of Ashippun in Dodge county while visiting a sister who resided in Wisconsin, and they later located in Evansville where they made their home for many years.

While she was a resident of Evansville Mrs. Patterson was active in the First Baptist church and Sunday school, the Parent Teachers' association, the Afternoon club, the W.C.T.U. and the Royal Neighbors of America. She was a woman of keen intelligence and deeply respected and loved by all who knew her. A Baptist church guild, the Hattie Patterson guild, was named in her honor. During the seven years she was confined to a wheel-chair, she kept up a wide correspondence with her many friends, among them servicemen in the United States and overseas.

Mr. and Mrs. Patterson moved to Janesville 15 years ago where he died Jan. 11, 1939.

Survivors are two sons, Lt. Com. W. D. Patterson, Honolulu, and C. A. Patterson, Wisconsin Dells; a daughter, Mrs. William Brown, Janesville; 10 grandchildren; one great-grandson; and a sister, Mrs. W. V. Laurane, Houston, Tex.

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April 26, 1945, Evansville Review, p. 1, col. 4, Evansville, Wisconsin

## Lois J. Weary To Wed William N. Patterson

Mr. and Mrs. Russell L. Weary, 23 South First street, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lois Jean Weary to William N. Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon S. Patterson, Brooklyn. Both young people are students in the University of Wisconsin.

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May 2, 1946, Evansville Review, p. 8, col. 4,



# Audrey J. Anderson Weds Leon Patterson

Ceremony Is Read By The Rev.  
Mr. Tomlinson Saturday  
In Fulton Church

Miss Audrey Jane Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Anderson, Edgerton, became the bride of Leon G. Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Patterson, Evansville, in a candlelight ceremony at 8 p.m. last Saturday in the Congregational church at Fulton with the Rev. Wilbur Fisk Tomlinson, officiating. The church was decorated with flowers.

The bride who approached the altar with her father, wore a white satin gown with oval neckline, long sleeves pointed at the wrists, fitted bodice and long train. Her fingertip veil was held with a tiara of seed pearls, and she wore a pearl necklace. Her bouquet was comprised of white lilies.

The bridesmaid was Miss Mary E. Jensen, Chicago, a classmate of the bride. She wore a pastel green floor length dress with scalloped neckline and short sleeves. Her headdress was fashioned of the same material as her dress and her lace mitts were pink. She carried pink roses. Stanley Sachs, Madison, was the best man and the ushers were Calvin Anderson, brother of the bride; Harry and Robin Patterson, brothers of the groom, and Jack Krull. Miss Ruth Carnahan, Chicago, sang "I Love You Truly," and "Always," accompanied by Miss Lou Raymond, Fulton, who also played the marches. Both Mrs. Jensen and Mrs. Patterson, Sr., wore aqua dresses and corsages of red roses.

The Edgerton Masonic temple which was lighted with candles, was the scene of the reception where there were

as guests from Edgerton, Fulton, Evansville, Chicago, Madison, Janesville, Beloit, and Evanston, Ill. A three tier wedding cake with yellow roses as decorations enhanced the beauty of the bride's table.

The groom, who has been engaged in farming near Evansville since he was graduated from the local high school, entered the armed forces today. Mrs. Patterson was graduated from the Edgerton high school in 1944 and the Michael Reese school of nursing in Chicago in 1947. She is now assistant night supervisor at the hospital.

January 20, 1949, Evansville Review, p. 5,

col. 2-3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mr. and Mrs. Claire Ehle and children recently moved here from Stoughton and are residing with Mrs. Ehle's grandfather, W. G. Patterson on South First street. Mr. and Mrs. Byron Dripps and son, who have been residing in the Patterson home are moving to Minneapolis where the former has been transferred by his company. Mrs. Dripps is a daughter of Mr. Patterson.

July 21, 1949, Evansville Review, p. 1, Evansville, Wisconsin

# Mark Anniversary



**MR. AND MRS. J. NORUM**

**EVANSVILLE** — Mr. and Mrs. Jens Norum, Sr., Evansville, observed their 54th wedding anniversary quietly Sunday.

Mrs. Norum is the former Anna Haakenson, Cooksville. They were married Mar. 5, 1896, and have lived in this area ever since, retiring and moving into Evansville nine years ago. Mr. Norum is 80 and Mrs. Norum is 73.

They have five daughters, a son, 28 grandchildren, and 11 great-grandchildren. Their daughters are Mrs. Ole Norby, Mrs. Harley Brunsell, Mrs. Lester Patterson, and Mrs. Earl Valentine, all of Evansville, and Mrs. Archie Leeder, Janesville. Their son is Jens, Jr., Evansville.

Wisconsin State Journal, March 6, 1950, p. 5, Madison, Wisconsin

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Patterson and son, Clifford, are spending some time in California, where they are guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Patterson and daughter, Caryl.

January 25, 1951, Evansville Review, "Locals", Evansville, Wisconsin



## Harry Patterson, 23, Is Injured In Fall

### Evansville Youth Remains In Critical Condition In Madison Hospital

Harry Patterson, 23, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Patterson, remains in a critical condition in the Wisconsin General hospital in Madison suffering from injuries sustained last Thursday night in a fall down a hay chute on the W. G. Patterson farm north of the city.

Harry was doing the evening farm chores, and, while putting down the hay from the top of the barn, slipped and fell headlong 20 feet to the cement floor below. He has undergone two operations on his skull since the accident but has not regained consciousness.

November 1, 1951, Evansville Review, p. 1, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

Lawns Memorial Park, Janesville.

### Mrs. Guy Patterson

Mrs. Guy Patterson, 79, Evansville, died in a Stoughton nursing home Tuesday afternoon, Nov. 24, after a long illness.

Mrs. Patterson, the former Cora Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wood, was born Sept. 24, 1880, near Evansville. She was married to Guy Patterson in 1903. She was a member of the Methodist Church.

Surviving are her husband; five sons, Lest, Phillip and Clifford, of Evansville, Wilbur, of Chippewa Falls, and Harley, of Madison; two daughters, Miss Marcia Patterson, Madison, and Mrs. Herbert King, New Auburn; and 10 grandchildren.

Services were held at 2 p.m. Friday in the Roderick-Ward Funeral Home, the Rev. James Saunders, Stoughton Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Maple Hill cemetery.

December 3, 1959, p. 4, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

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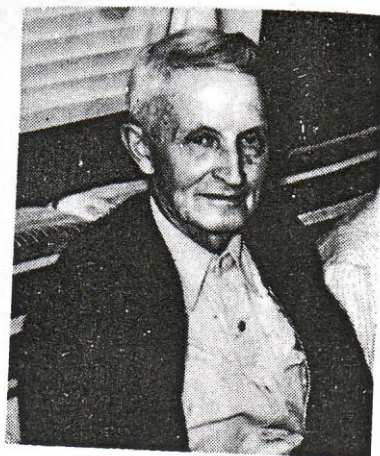
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Guy Patterson, long time resident of Evansville, will observe his 90th birthday on Thursday, May 12. He was born in Utica, Neb. in 1876 and came to Evansville with his parents when he was two years old. He returned to Nebraska for a few years but came back to Evansville when he was 17 and has lived here continuously since that time. He and his late wife, the former Cora Wood of Evansville, celebrated their golden wedding before her death in 1959.

Back in the early 1900's Mr. Patterson purchased a grocery store from Emery and Searles which he operated for three years. After that he was employed in the clothing department of the "Economy" store.

In 1909 he bought an oil business from the late John Riley and continued in that business until he retired several years ago and his sons, Lester and Philip took over the business and are operating it now on a much larger scale. Mr. Patterson recalls that he delivered kerosene and axle grease in a horse drawn vehicle for many years.

In addition to his sons, Lester and Philip of Evansville, he has a son, Harley in Madison; a son, Wilbur, Chippewa Falls; a daughter, Miss Marcia Patterson, Madison; a daughter, Ruth Mrs. Herbert King, New Auburn; 11 grandchildren and three great grandchildren. A son, Clifford, died about two years ago.

The members of his family will assemble at the home of Miss Marcia Patterson in Madison on Sunday, May 8 for a birthday celebration. 1966

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# Evansville Grandmother To Mark 90th Birthday

EVANSVILLE—One of Evansville's senior citizens who has 70 great grandchildren will celebrate her 90th birthday Saturday, Oct. 1. <sup>1966</sup>

Mrs. Jens Norum Sr., will be at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Patterson, at 326 Garfield Ave., where friends and relatives may call Saturday afternoon.

The former Anna Haakenson was born in Norway on Oct. 1, 1876, and came to the Cooksville area with her parents at the age of three. She attended rural Evansville schools and was married to Jens Norum Sr., on March 5, 1896. Mr. and Mrs. Norum farmed in the Evansville area most of their lives with the exception of a few years when they lived near Janesville. Mrs. Norum now resides at the Skaalen Home in Stoughton.

She is a member of the Cooksville Lutheran Church and has been active in its Ladies Aid and Altar Guild.

Besides Mrs. Lester Patterson, she has four other daughters, Mrs. Ole Norby and Mrs. Harley Brunsell, Evansville; Mrs. Archie Leeder, Janesville, and Mrs. Earl Valentine, Bangor, Mich., A son, Jens Jr., also resides in Evansville.

She has two brothers, John and Benjamin Haakenson, Evansville, and three sisters, Mrs. Carl Erickson and Mrs. Ed Julseth, Evansville, and Miss Hilda Haakenson, Eau Claire. In addition to her 70 great grandchildren, there are 26 grandchildren.

## Mothers Meet Monday

Kindergarten children will demonstrate their new language program and new toys, many of which were ordered through "Creative Playthings," at the



MRS. JENS NORUM SR.

first Kindergarten Mothers meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday, in the auditorium. Following the children's departure, a movie on kindergarten age children will be shown. Each room will elect officers and a social hour will follow.

## Evansville Briefs

Mrs. Ethel Thurman, former Evansville resident, has returned from a two-week stay in Stoughton Hospital and is now residing at 613 Hamilton St., Stoughton.

The Magnolia Advent Christian Church will serve its annual chicken supper beginning at 5 p.m. Tuesday.

Mrs. Richard Hatlen, Rte. 2, Evansville, phone 882-4330, is Evansville news correspondent. Agent is Paul Dooley 103 W. Main St., phone 882-4639, between 6 and 7 p.m. if paper is not delivered.

The Evansville PTO meeting, formerly scheduled for Oct. 6, has been postponed until Oct. 20.