

Thanks so much for the info!!! Elbert's daughter, Annie, is buried in Old Union Cemetery in Kansas City, MO. I found her grave a few years ago. I grew up there but have lived in Independence for 35 years. How are you related to the Sutphens? Are you a distant cousin? Do you know who William's parents were? Or if there is a family tree or book about the family? Or pictures? Do you know anything about William's wife, Elizabeth Dennis? Thanks again for the your time and for answering so soon!!! I have forwarded your info to some other cousins. Have a great day. Mary

COMPANY H,  
*Killed.*—Capt Julius F Randolph, Corporal J W Young, H O Brayton, W S Cadin, B F Chilcote, W E Moon, F L Sutphen, J Watkins, A Weatherbee.  
*Wounded.*—Sergt. Paul Halverson, face seriously; Corporal W A Stearns, hand; Corp T Krutzen, leg; Wm Black, leg, badly; Thomas Beaver, arm; A S Baker, arm; R G Brown, head; O F Buchan, leg and foot; J Cook, arm; Thomas Dally, hand; J W Eskow, leg; E L Edwards, both legs; J Everett, int. arm; S Foss, face; Jerry Grover, shoulder; L O Iversen, arm and side; O W Moore, leg; A McCollum, leg; James Plackett, shoulder; A F Stancliff, leg; George W Stone, leg, W T Turner, knee and hip; J Thompson, foot; J T Vanhousen, head; J White, abdomen; J G Wall, thigh; corporal E H Heath, wounded and missing.  
*Missing.*—D C Edwards, W McIntosh, V W Garay, J A Weatherbee, O M Davis.

September 10, 1862, p. 2, Janesville Gazette, Janesville, Wisconsin



1858 Map of Evansville shows E. S. Sutphen shop near the depot on East Main Street.

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Theodore L Sutphen ,</b>
<b>Residence:</b>	Evansville, Wisconsin
<b>Enlistment Date:</b>	24 April 1861
<b>Distinguished Service:</b>	DISTINGUISHED SERVICE
<b>Side Served:</b>	Union
<b>State Served:</b>	Wisconsin
<b>Unit Numbers:</b>	3082 3082
<b>Service Record:</b>	Enlisted as a Private on 24 April 1861 Killed <a href="#">Company H, 2nd Infantry Regiment Wisconsin</a> on 24 April 1861. Killed <a href="#">Company H, 2nd Infantry Regiment Wisconsin</a> on 28 August 1862 in Gainesville, VA

**American Civil War Regiments Record**

<b>Regiment:</b>	2nd Infantry Regiment WI
<b>Date Mustered:</b>	02 July 1864
<b>Regiment Type:</b>	Infantry
<b>Enlisted Died of Disease or Accident:</b>	10

**Officers Died of Disease or Accident:** 228  
**Enlisted Killed or Mortally Wounded:** 0

[List of Soldiers](#)

### **Regimental History**

Second Infantry WISCONSIN  
(3-YEARS)

Second Infantry. -- Cols., S. Park Coon, Edgar O'Conner, Lucius Fairchild, John Mansfield; Lieut.-Cols., Henry W. Peck, Duncan McDonaid, Thomas S. Allen, George H. Stevens, William L. Parsons; Maj., George H. Otis.

This regiment was organized in May, 1861, and was mustered in June 11, with a numerical strength of 1,051. It left the state on June 20 and was the first regiment of three years men to appear in Washington.

It was brigaded with three New York regiments under command of Col. W. T. Sherman, Col. Coon being detached for staff duty. The regiment participated in the first battle of Bull Run, losing 30 killed, 125 wounded and 65 missing.

It was transferred from Col. Sherman's command to that of Brig. Gen. Rufus King, commanding a brigade consisting of the 5th and 6th Wis. and 19th Ind. infantry. Co. K was detached permanently and organized as heavy artillery, a new Co. K being mustered.

Later Gen. King was succeeded by Col. Lysander Cutler and from Dec., 1861, the history of the regiment is merged with that of the famous "Iron Brigade" until it was detached in May, 1864, its loss being the greatest in proportion to numbers of any regiment engaged in the Civil war.

### **Regimental Soldiers and History:**

The "Iron Brigade" consisted of the 2nd, 6th and 7th Wis., 19th Ind. and 24th Mich. At Bull Run the 2nd regiment bore the brunt of a determined onset by "Stonewall" Jackson's entire division on the Warrenton pike until the brigade could be moved into position and the enemy repulsed. The brigade held the line of battle until the army had passed on the road to Centerville, and was in a later engagement on the Warrenton and Sudley roads.

It stormed the enemy's position at South Mountain, the 2nd leading on the left of the road and the 6th and 7th on the right, routing the enemy. At Antietam the brigade dislodged the enemy after a severe conflict. At Fredericksburg it held an exposed position, subject to heavy artillery fire.

At Gettysburg the regiment led the marching column and was the first to meet the enemy, (Heth's division), advancing upon it and receiving a volley that cut down over 30 per cent of the rank and file. Dashing upon the enemy's center, the 2nd held it in check until the brigade came into line, when the enemy was routed.

At Chancellorsville, the Wilderness, Gaines' Mill, Cold Harbor, Petersburg, and in numerous skirmishes, the "Iron Brigade" added new luster to the Union army, the 2nd Wis. bearing well its part.

The regiment became so reduced in numbers that it was permanently detached from the brigade May 11, 1864, and employed as provost guard of the 4th division, 5th army corps until June 11, when it was sent home, the last company being mustered out July 2, 1864.

The members who joined subsequent to its original organization were organized into an independent battalion of two companies June 11, 1864, under command of Capt. Dennis B. Dailey. The battalion was assigned to provost duty, took part in the advance and assault on Petersburg and the skirmishes at Yellow house, was transferred to the 1st brigade, 3rd division for guard and picket duty; fought at Hatcher's run; and on Nov. 30 was transferred as Cos. G and H to the 6th Wis., with which it remained until mustered out.

To its original number was added by recruiting, drafting and reenlistment 215, making a total of 1,266. The death loss was 261; missing, 6; desertions, 51; transferred 134; discharged, 466; leaving 348 to be mustered out.

Source: The Union Army, vol. 4

### **Battles Fought**

Fought at Lower Machodoc, VA.

Fought at Sulphur Springs, VA.

[Fought on 18 July 1861 at Blackburn's Ford, VA.](#)

[Fought on 21 July 1861 at Bull Run, VA.](#)

Fought on 15 July 1862.

Fought on 04 August 1862 at Beaver Dam, VA.

Fought on 06 August 1862 at Beaver Dam, VA.

Fought on 06 August 1862 at Mattaponi Run, VA.

Fought on 20 August 1862 at Catlett's Station, VA.

Fought on 21 August 1862 at Rappahannock Station, VA.

Fought on 22 August 1862.

Fought on 26 August 1862 at White Sulphur Springs, VA.

Fought on 28 August 1862 at Gainesville, VA.

[Fought on 30 August 1862 at 2nd Bull Run, VA.](#)

Fought on 02 September 1862.

[Fought on 14 September 1862 at South Mountain, MD.](#)

[Fought on 17 September 1862 at Antietam, MD.](#)

Fought on 23 September 1862.

[Fought on 13 December 1862 at Fredericksburg, VA.](#)

Fought on 06 January 1863.

Fought on 29 April 1863.

[Fought on 03 May 1863 at Chancellorsville, VA.](#)

[Fought on 09 June 1863 at Beverly Ford, VA.](#)

Fought on 09 June 1863 at Lexington, VA.

[Fought on 01 July 1863 at Gettysburg, PA.](#)

[Fought on 03 July 1863 at Gettysburg, PA.](#)

Fought on 07 November 1863 at Morrisville, VA.

Fought on 05 May 1864.

[Fought on 05 May 1864 at Wilderness, VA.](#)

[Fought on 10 May 1864 at Spotsylvania Court House, VA.](#)

Fought on 15 May 1864.

Fought on 15 May 1864 at North Anna River, VA.

Fought on 20 June 1864.

Fought on 19 August 1864.

Fought on 21 August 1864.

[Fought on 27 October 1864 at Hatcher's Run, VA.](#)

## American Civil War Soldiers Record

about Theodore L Sutphen

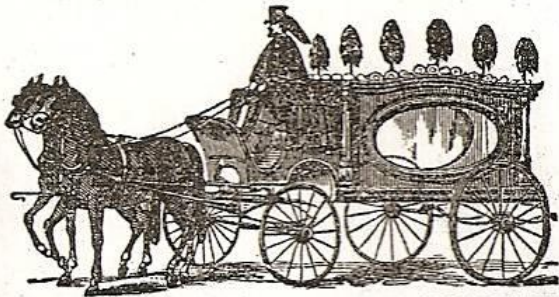
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## COFFINS! COFFINS!

I have resumed the Cabinet business at  
my old stand, on the East side of town,  
and will do all kinds of

### CABINET WORK,

to order. Shall keep a good assortment

**Coffins and Caskets,**  
constantly on hand.

*My Hearse is now Ready for Use.*

Repairing done Promptly.

**Call & Leave Your Orders.**

E. S. SUTPHEN.

Evansville, Aug. 21, 1875.

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August 1875, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

Ad. February 16, 1876, E. S. Sutphen to do cabinet work - also had a line of coffins and a hearse.

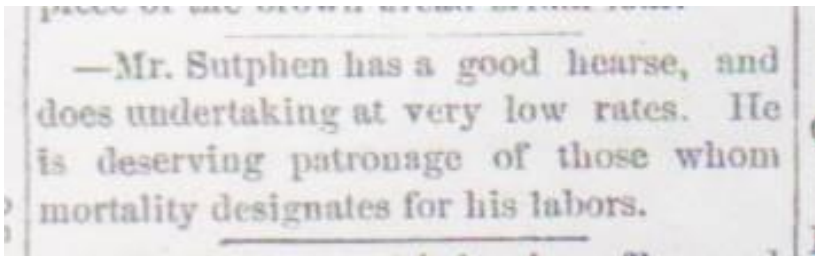
February 16, 1876, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

—Mr. Sutphen passed our office  
the other day with his new hearse,  
—the first time we have noticed it  
on the street. He was taking a cof-  
fin to inclose the last remains of our  
townsman, Mr. H. L. Jones, who  
was removed to Johnstown for in-  
terment.

The hearse, although presenting  
an unfavorable appearance, deeply  
rolling in the mud, is as fine looking  
carriage of the kind as one seldom  
sees, in places more pretentious than  
Evansville.

March 15, 1876, Evansville Review, p. 2, col. 1,

Evansville, Wisconsin



August 30, 1877, Evansville Review, p. 3, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mr. Sutphen and wife had a little understanding among themselves, and she agreed to go and visit a sister in Waushara county. He repaints his front yard fence, and she is expected to return this week.

June 2, 1880, Evansville Review, p. 3, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mr. Sutphen is having his shop on Main Street turned into a dwelling house.

Page 5, June 2, 1883, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

## Wisconsin Deaths, 1820-1907 Record

about [Albert S Sutphen](#)

<b>Name:</b>	<b>Albert S Sutphen</b>
<b>Death Date:</b>	08 Mar 1884
<b>County:</b>	Rock
<b>Volume:</b>	01
<b>Page #:</b>	0139
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<b>Index Volume:</b>	-
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<b>Sequence #:</b>	380363
<b>Level Info:</b>	<i>Wisconsin Vital Records Death Index.</i>


DIED -- Saturday March 8, '84, of heart disease, E. S. Sutphen, aged 76 years. Uncle Sutphen was one of the early settlers of Evansville, who was always very highly respected by all. For many years during the early settlement of this place, he was the only undertaker in this vicinity, owning and running a small furniture shop in the same building where he died. He has long been a leading member of the Baptist church from which he will be greatly missed, as well as by the entire community. He has been a great sufferer from some time past, requiring watchers night and day which duty has been performed to a great extent by members of the T. L. Sutphen Post which was named after his son, he being the first soldier killed from this place at the breaking out of the rebellion. The funeral was held Sunday at the Free Baptist Church which was very largely attended. Rev. A. J. Marshall officiating. And thus passeth away one after another of our early settlers whence no man knoweth, but undoubtedly to a better existence, where age and infirmities are unknown over which we should rejoice instead of mourn.

March 11, 1884, Enterprise, p. 1, col. 6, Evansville, Wisconsin

Elbert S. Sutphen was a native of York State. His father having died while he was yet young, he was put out to service, to learn the cabinet and undertakers trade, of his grandfather who then lived in Moravia, Cayuga Co. Being a young man of kindly genial spirit, he soon won many friends, among whom was Miss Elizabeth Lee, whom he afterwards married, and soon after moved to Milan in the same State. A family of seven children was born to them, two of them dying before coming west. In the year 1852, they came to this place, where for

twenty years the deceased remained a permanent resident, following the trade learned in his youth for a livelihood, At this time the failing health of his companion made it necessary for them to seek a change of climate. They removed to California but no permanent benefit came of the change, and she died after a year's lingering sickness. A year later he returned to Evansville where four months later he married the widow Vanderburgh with whom he lived until his death which occurred, March 8th, 1884, at the age of 76. He was a man of remarkable self-control amiable in spirit, and obliging in manner. In habits he was strictly temperate, and though not presuming to claim a place among the most active moral supporters, he gave a willing support to all that was calculated to promote public morals and religions. It fell to him and his companion to bear the first sad shock of bereavement felt by the citizens of Evansville, when the war of the rebellion began. His son Theodore L. Sutphen being among those slain at the first battle of Bull Run. A son and two daughters with his widowed companion are left to mourn his loss.

March 15, 1884, The Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

<p>RILL</p> <p>elected lodge, night,</p> <p>•</p> <p>stop- e left er in com- ent a spital, y who s ago, sports</p>	<p>Mr. Charles Sweeny intends to leave Stebbinsville for a position as "brakeman" on the N. W. R. R.</p> <hr/> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Correction.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>EDITOR REVIEW:</b></p> <p>The REVIEW of March 15, under the head of Obituary, conveys a wrong impression, if left without a correction, which I here make based on my own authority, and from the records of the War Department. The comrades who were present at Gainsville, Virginia, August 28, 1852, will recall to mind that T. L. Sutphen, Co. H., 2d Rgt. Wis. Inf., was mortally wounded during that battle, and had crawled to a fence near the road where he died before morning. This fact may be learned from one of his company, William Mc Intosh of Lodi, Columbia county, Wisconsin, who was with him when he died, taking his personal effects, sent them to his father. The 1st Battle of Bull Run was fought July 22st, 1861. This fact I presume will not be questioned. Theodore's death was 13 months and seven days later.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">E. S. WILLIAMS.</p> <p>Washington, D. C.</p>	<p>entri our be s custo in n</p> <p><b>I.</b></p> <p>Curt</p> <p><b>Al</b></p> <p><b>SI</b></p> <p><b>PAT</b></p>  <p>Oper</p> <p>Sig your not be vision</p> <p><b>inse</b></p>
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March 28, 1884, Evansville Review, p. 3, col. 5, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mrs. Sutphen has purchased the property known as the Wiggins house near the Seminary where she will make her future home.

The Tribune, p. 1, November 24, 1888, Evansville, Wisconsin

**STATE OF WISCONSIN, COUNTY COURT FOR  
ROCK COUNTY, IN PROBATE.**

**NOTICE** is hereby given that at a regular term of the County Court to be held in and for said county at the Court House, in the City of Janesville in said County, on the First Tuesday being the 7th day of February 1893, at 9 o'clock A. M. the following matter will be heard and considered; the application of J. E. Coleman to admit to probate the last will and testament of Ruth E. Sutphen, late of the village of Evansville in said county, deceased.

Dated January 7, 1893.

By the Court:  
**A. W. DIBBLE,** Atty. for Estate. **JOHN W. SALE,** Judge.  
First pub. Jan. 9th 1893.

January 10, 1893, Evansville Review, p. 1, Evansville, Wisconsin