

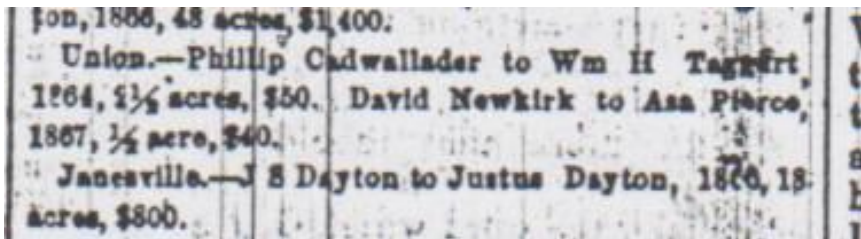
Levi Leonard's diaries: 1857

Wednesday May 27; cold and cloudy; came up to Evansville; made a bargain with Mr. Ordway for a pair of boots Kipper price \$5.00; went down with A. J. West for dinner; got buttons for vest; Came up to Williams and Uncle Levi; heard from S. J. Taggart (?); came down; Phillips paid \$60 on land; came home; Palmer's friends came.

Married. At the residence of the bride's father, Nov. 1st at 10 o'clock, A. M. by the Rev. C. M. Morehouse, OSMAN AXTELL, of Rutland and AMELIA, youngest daughter of John Taggart, Esq., of Evansville. November 2, 1860, p. 4, col. 5, Janesville Daily Gazette, Janesville, Wisconsin

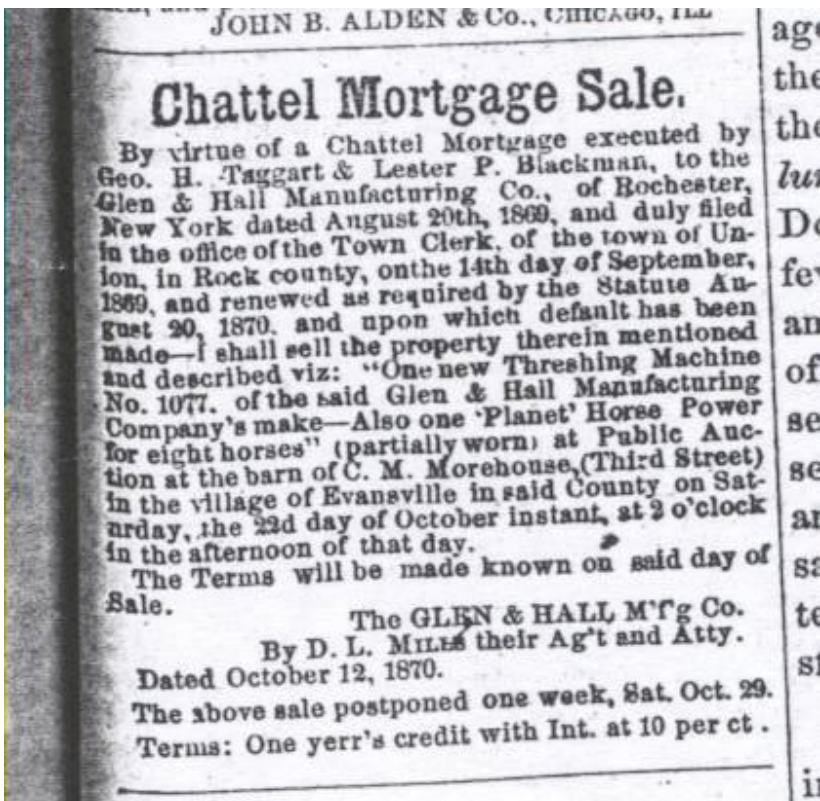
Married. At the residence of the bride's father, Nov. 1st, by the Rev. C. M. Morehouse, Wm. M. RICHARDSON, of Wyoming, Wis., and Miss S. Jennie TAGGART, of Evansville.

November 2, 1860, p. 4, col. 5, Janesville Daily Gazette, Janesville, Wisconsin



Union, 1866, 48 acres, \$1,400.
Union.—Phillip Cadwallader to Wm H Taggart,
1864, 2 1/2 acres, \$50. David Newkirk to Asa Pierce,
1867, 1/2 acre, \$40.
Janesville.—J S Dayton to Justus Dayton, 1866, 18
acres, \$800.

August 17, 1867, Janesville Gazette, P. 1, Janesville, Wisconsin



JOHN B. ALDEN & CO., CHICAGO, ILL.

Chattel Mortgage Sale.

By virtue of a Chattel Mortgage executed by Geo. H. Taggart & Lester P. Blackman, to the Glen & Hall Manufacturing Co., of Rochester, New York dated August 20th, 1869, and duly filed in the office of the Town Clerk, of the town of Union, in Rock county, on the 14th day of September, 1869, and renewed as required by the Statute August 20, 1870, and upon which default has been made—I shall sell the property therein mentioned and described viz: "One new Threshing Machine No. 1077. of the said Glen & Hall Manufacturing Company's make—Also one "Planet" Horse Power for eight horses" (partially worn) at Public Auction at the barn of C. M. Morehouse, (Third Street) in the village of Evansville in said County on Saturday, the 22d day of October instant, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon of that day.

The Terms will be made known on said day of Sale.

The GLEN & HALL M'fg Co.
By D. L. MILES their Ag't and Atty.
Dated October 12, 1870.

The above sale postponed one week, Sat. Oct. 29.
Terms: One yerr's credit with Int. at 10 per ct.

1, Evansville, Wisconsin

October 19, 1870, Evansville Review, p. 1, col.

Mr. William Richardson, a very prominent citizen of Richland City, was instantly killed on the 13th. In attempting to spring upon a timber elevated about six feet up on 2 upright points for the purpose of seasoning lumber, the entire frame work gave way, throwing him on the ground with much force, the timber striking him on the head and fracturing his skull, causing instant death. -- Exchange

Mr. Richardson was a son-in-law of Mr. Levi Taggart, of Evansville. We think Mr. Richardson lived in Wyoming Valley instead of Richland City, as above. A telegram informed the friends here of the casualty and who joined the bereaved family, by the Saturday night train one week ago.

April 26, 1871, Evansville Review, p. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

s- —Miss Hattie Alice Taggart,
d daughter of Wm. H. Taggart, aged
g 19 years, died on Tuesday, Febru-
n- ary 25th, after an illness of two
d weeks. Her funeral immediately
p followed that of Mrs. Wilder's, at
ill the Baptist church.

March 5, 1873, Evansville Review, p. 1, col. 4,
Evansville, Wisconsin

Mrs. Abby, wife of A. B. Culver, Esq., died at her home in Michigan, a telegram of which was received by her brother here, Mr. W. H. Taggart, Monday noon. Mrs. Culver was a daughter of Mrs. Levi Taggart, of this place.

October 27, 1875, p. 3, col. 2, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mr. Geo. Taggart, who has been with Mr. Stearns a long time, is about opening a harness shop in the building adjoining Winston and Woodbury's store.

January 31, 1877, Evansville Review, p. 3, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Winston & Sons'.
—Mr. Geo. Taggart is having more work in the harness line than he can possibly get off, with his present help. The times are not favorable for any great demand for harness stock, but his work recommends itself, and he experiences no difficulty in selling all he can manufacture. He keeps all kinds of harness trappings for sale. Next door to Winston & Woodbury.

August 22, 1877, Evansville Review, p. 3, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

goods. Willis Hughes & Co. mous ext
—Dr. T. E. Taggart of Cincinnati. has and thirt
been visiting mother and friends here the years, er
past week. He is $\frac{1}{2}$ brother to Miss Hat- war, the
tie Taggart, our efficient post office clerk. Such is t
From his size and ~~au~~irdupois, one would stitution.
not see why he should be called $\frac{1}{2}$ brother. prise, it
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June 12, 1878, Evansville Review, p. 3, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mr. Monshaw has vacated the room, a door or two East of the Review Office to be occupied by Messrs Millspaugh & Taggart, a new firm. Mr. Monshaw takes rooms over E. Robinson's clothing store where he will continue the horse millinery business.

June 19, 1878, Evansville Review, p. 3, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mr. and Mrs. George Taggart Celebrate Their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary.

A company of about fifty persons assembled, on March 29th, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. George Taggart, about three miles southwest of Evansville, to celebrate one of those anniversaries that so seldom occur, the "golden wedding" day of the host and hostess. Of the company present, there was one who attended the first wedding,—Mrs. Minerva Warren, of Iowa, a sister of the bride. After a time spent in social chat, the company were called together, when Mr. and Mrs. Taggart were made the recipients of a number of beautiful presents, among which were a pair of gold-bowed spectacles for each; a set of silver knives and forks; a set of silver tablespoons; a beautiful box, carved by an absent piece; an elegant easy chair; an autograph album, besides other articles. Following this, came the reading of two poems, one written by Mrs. Jennie T. Huntsman, of La Porte, Indiana, a niece of the hostess, and read by Dr. Taggart, of Cincinnati; the other written by Mrs. Schaclock, of La Porte, and read by Mrs. O. V. Tullar. Afterward came adjournment to the table, where everyone seemed anxious to do his share toward disposing of the good things so amply provided. Soon after came the "good byes," and all left, wishing that "Uncle George and Aunt Jane" may spend many more years with us.

The following are the poems read upon this happy occasion:

THE GOLDEN WEDDING DAY.

We greet with joy, with mirth and song
The happy bridal day,
Enthroned and crowned, through all its hours,
Love holds his sovereign sway,
While Hope and Promise strew with flowers
The bright and shining way.

A jeweled cup with nectar filled,
A vision of delight,
A garden fair, whose blossoms rare
Shall know no change or blight,
And over all a cloudless sky,
Forever pure and bright.

Oh fair spring time of youth and love!
It's memory is sweet;
But richer far the trust and faith
Which guides the weary feet
Through thorny ways, through darksome days,
When cloud and tempest meet.

Where Summer's flowers, through all her bowers,
Their wealth of fragrance shed;
Where Autumn, clad in royal robes,
His golden harvest spread;
Through smiles and tears, through hopes and fears
Life's chequered pathway led.

Clear voices sang, sweet laughter rang
Around the household hearth;
Love's amulet was richly set
With gems of priceless worth;
Two jewels rare, two blossoms fair
Have an immortal birth.

The evening's close brings calm repose,
The sunset's gilding ray,
Life's gathered sheaves, its falling leaves,
More lowly in decay;
It's crowning joy without alloy,
It's golden wedding day.

C. L. SHACKLOCK.

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Golden Wedding

On Saturday, March 29th, the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Taggart assembled at their home to celebrate their Golden wedding day. There were about fifty relatives present, all but three of whom are residents of this county. Mrs. Minerva Warren, the only remaining sister of Mrs. T. was from Iowa, and a nephew and niece from Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mrs. O. V. Tullar made a few very appropriate and touching remarks in behalf of the friends, in presenting the gifts with which they had remembered the occasion. The gifts consisted of a pair of gold bowed spectacles for each, a set of silver table spoons; a set of silver knives and forks, a beautiful box, carved by an absent niece; a very nice easy chair, and an autograph album.

Following this came the reading of two poems, one written by Jeannie T. Huntsman, of La Porte, Ind., and read by Dr. Taggart, of Cincinnati, the other was written by Mrs. Shacklock, of La Porte, a friend of the family and read by Mrs. O. V. Tullar. Afterwards came a sumptuous repast, which was kindly provided by the ladies.

At the table was noticed the venerable Levi, the only remaining brother of a large family. Mrs. Warren, the sister, was present at their first wedding. Soon came the well wishes and "good byes," when the company dispersed to their various homes, feeling it were good to be there.

April 9, 1879, The Citizen Review, p. 2, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

Inscribed to George and Jane H. Taggart, on the 50th Anniversary of their wedding.

Ah! wrinkled brows that once were fair,
And thin and gray the shining hair,
Yes, time has brought them age and care,
Our dear old friends.

But Harvest brings the garnered sheaves,
And Autumn bears the brightest leaves,
And Age the richest blessing weaves,
Of all lifes years.

For them the reaping time is here;
Fields we've tilled with many a tear,
Spread golden fruitage far and near,
Fair "Harvest home".

Deep passion then has lost its pride,
And gentler, purer hopes abide;
May age be doubly sanctified,
With Trust and Peace.

For fifty years the path has spread
Blossom and thorns beneath their tread,
While memory its fragrance shed,
Of youth's bright morn.

Not every lifetime treads the way,
Through chill December and fair May,
To reach the golden wedding day,
Toward life's calm eve.

Children and friends have gathered round
Their hearts and home; and always found
Shelter and welcome. Love profound
Has grown with years.

Two blossoms from the household band
Faded together; hand in hand
They sought the mystic morning land,
At childhood's dawn.

The sunset reaches towards the west,
Yet life is spared to others blest, [rest,
And friends should wish sweet peace and
Till day may close.

No sigh shall greet the twilight ray,
When true lives slowly pass away;
They are more lovely in decay,
Than e'er in prime.

"At evening time it shall be light",
For cloud and storm are ended quite,
And sunset floods with glory bright,
And rest is near.

J. T. H.

April 9, 1879, p. 2, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

On Monday, Mr. Casler of Rutland moved into Mrs. Evans' house on Main Street. Mr. Casler now carries the mail between Evansville and Edgerton. Mr. Taggart who formerly carried it, being obliged to give up the route on account of ill health.

August 6, 1879, Evansville Review, p. 3, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mr. A. B. Culver of Ionia, Mich. Is visiting friends near Evansville. Mr. Culver is a son-in-law of Mr. Levi Taggart, and his little daughter is living with her grandparents. Mr. Culver is an old newspaper man and of course called at the Review office.

August 6, 1879, Evansville Review, p. 3, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Miss Hattie Palmer now does the honors at the Post office, vice Miss Taggart, who has occupied the position for the last four years and a half in a manner highly satisfactory to the general public. Miss Palmer will doubtless do likewise.

September 1, 1880, Evansville Review, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Order Your Watches, Chains, Jewelry of all kinds, fishing tackle, revolvers &c. of me and you will save money.
Irvin Taggart

April 14, 1880, Evansville Review, p. 3, col. 5, Evansville, Wisconsin

1880 Industrial Census of village of Evansville:

Millsbaugh & Taggart, a harness and saddle shop; \$1,500 capital; 5 employed; 10 hour day; \$1.50 paid skilled labor per day.

Mrs. Hattie Newman and her mother, Mrs. Harriet Taggart, of Cooksville, were very welcome visitors amongst their many relatives and friends in this place last week. Their only regret being that they must part with them, as they took their departure for Frederick, D. T., yesterday, where their many friends may address them in future. We wish them deserving success.

July 3, 1883, Enterprise, p. 1, col. 7, Evansville, Wisconsin

A Narrow Escape.

Dr. J. H. Taggart, of Yuma, Arizona, who is visiting parents and friends in this, his early home, was a caller at this office and thus described his narrow escape from death: He was occupying a piece of property which was willed to a desperado called Russian George, whose real name was George Angelo, provided he paid the debts that were against the property; this he refused to do, and the property was sold by the probate court, Dr. Taggart being the purchaser. Angelo still claimed the property and Mr. T. told him he could have it by refunding what he had paid out on it, which he still refused to do. The property consisted of two houses and a lot; one of the houses the doctor used as residence for himself and family, the other being occupied by a tenant and the Dr.'s office. On the evening of Feb. 22d, Angelo went to the house occupied by the tenant and ordered them out or he would tear the roof from over their heads, going also to the house of the doctor and calling him to the door told him he wanted possession of his property. After some words Angelo went away, but about 6 o'clock the next morning he was seen carrying books, etc., out of the Dr.'s office. The doctor put his pistol in his pocket and went to the office, where he was met by Russian George, who swung his revolver in a threatening manner, telling the doctor to go away or he would shoot him. To avoid trouble the doctor turned to go, but when only a short distance away Russian George came bounding toward him with a club in one hand and a revolver in the other, and when within about five feet of the Dr. he dropped his club and shot, the ball passing through the right hand and into his body on the right side at the sixth rib, passing through his body and coming out on the left side near the tenth rib. Then the doctor drew his revolver and shot the desperado through the bowels, causing his death in about twenty-four hours. The coroner's jury decided that he came to his death by a shot from a revolver in the hands of Dr. J. H. Taggart in self-defence.

August 14, 1883, Enterprise, p. 4, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

I. A. TAGGART,
 Keeps a good line of
Silver and Plated Ware, Watches,
Clocks and Jewelry
Repairing Done Neatly and Cheap.
 At C H Spencers Clothing House.
 Evansville, March 21, 1881.

Mr. Nelson R. Taggart, a cousin of Mr. Wm. Taggart, whom the relatives had not heard from for fifteen years, arrived in town Sunday morning from Nebraska, and walked from the depot to the Commercial House and asked for something to eat and a place to rest, and said he wished to go out to Wm. Taggart's, but was not able to walk. Word was sent to Mr. T., who came in after him and took him to his (William's) home, about two miles from town, in his buggy. The excitement of the journey and the anxiety to reach his destination must have kept the sick man alive, for as soon as he reached the house he began to decline, and died at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Mr. Nelson Taggart was a single man about forty-two years of age. His disease was consumption. The funeral will be held at Wm. Tag-

September 2, 1884, Enterprise, p. 1, col. 4, Evansville, Wisconsin

The funeral of Mr. Nelson R. Taggart, which was held Wednesday forenoon was largely attended. Quite a number of the G. A. R. boys were in attendance, Mr. T. having been a member of an Illinois post.

September 6, 1884, Enterprise, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

—Dr. T. E. Taggart, of Cincinnati Ohio. Better known as Tomp. when an Evansville boy, kindly favors us with a handsomely bound volume of the annual report of the board of education of that city of which he has been a substantial and very highly respected member for several years. We enjoy the receiving of these tokens of the success of our once Evansville boys many of whom have become self made men of prominence and notariety through their first teacings at the Evansville Seminary, which is still continueing its good work to-day.

October 7, 1890, The Tribune

Mr. George Taggart has sold his house and lot on Brooklyn Avenue, to Mr. Ed Hines.
March 10, 1891, Evansville Review, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

DE TATAT. ad
—The skating on the pond, last week, was good and the boys enjoyed it hugely, despite the biting cold. Will Taggart came near getting a "ducking," Thursday night. Skating into the middle of the pond he found the ice thin and tender, and at every stroke, his skates cut through, but finally reaching firm ice, saved himself by a partial wetting. The air was very cold and the boys held their breath in momentary expectation of seeing Will make a fatal plunge.

November 24, 1891, Evansville Review, p. 1,

Evansville, Wisconsin

Mrs. I. A. Taggart has two sisters, Mesdames Grove and Layton, visiting her from LeMars, Iowa. They are sisters of the Tullar men. They expect to remain until the 13th inst. In the meantime, two brothers with their families, will come to visit the old home and make the fiftieth wedding anniversary of father and mother, a happy time, when the whole family, expect to be present save one son whose distance from home precludes an attendance.

January 5, 1892, Evansville Review, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

A. B. Culver, a relative by marriage to Wm. H. Taggart and whose daughter is an inmate of the latter's family, spent several days in town last week, taking the daughter with him to visit another daughter in Milwaukee. Mr. Culver has traveled a good many years for a heavy eastern paper hanging house.

December 27, 1892, Evansville Review, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mr. A. I. Taggart, jeweler of this place, received the sad tidings by telegram yesterday that his brother, Dr. J. H. Taggart, of Yuma, Arizona, died on Sunday, Feb. 5, 1893, of a tumor on his spleen. The deceased is well known in this place, this being the home of his boyhood. He was about 45 years of age. It is yet unknown whether his remains will be brought here or not.

The Tribune, February 7, 1893, p. 1, col. 4, Evansville, Wisconsin

The remains of Dr. J. H. Taggart who died last week in Yuma, Arizona, were received here Monday. He was buried from Potter's undertaking room, Tuesday, at ten o'clock the Masonic fraternity, of which he was a member taking charge of the funeral obsequies.

The Evansville Review, February 14, 1893, p. 1, Evansville, Wisconsin

DR. J. H. TAGGART

DIED SUNDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 5, 1893

A LONG STRUGGLE WITH DISEASE -- SHORT SKETCH OF HIS LIFE -- A GOOD AND USEFUL CITIZEN.

After months of suffering, Dr. Taggart has finally succumbed, and is now at peace. Death occurred at half-past 10 o'clock last Sunday evening.

His sickness dates from the middle of May, 1892, and has therefore lasted nearly nine months. A complication of disorders, mainly of the spleen culminating in an abscess, was the immediate cause of death. A less robust constitution would have yielded long ago. Through all the weary months of last summer he struggled, sometimes the end seeming very near, and again recovering sufficiently to sit up and converse with relatives and friends. His devoted wife has been his constant attendant, and during the long vigil has scarcely been out of call. The doctor's brother was with him during a part of last summer, but returned home when it seemed as if recovery was possible. The patient's condition during the hot months was kept very comfortable by means of ice, wet sheets, and fans, which entailed an immense amount of labor upon those in attendance. During most of the time Mrs. Taggart has had the assistance of her cousin, Mrs. Lucy Taggart of Los Angeles.

When death came, it found Dr. Taggart in such a reduced and emaciated condition as to bear slight resemblance to him when in health. The end was comparatively painless.

Those who recollect Dr. Taggart as he appears 18 or 20 years ago well remember his fine appearance. Tall and well proportioned, his weight must have been 225 pounds. In his younger days he was quite an athlete. His mind was proportioned to his body. Possessed of a natural liking for study and research, he was thoroughly informed on all subjects of interest and the arts and sciences. That disease and death should claim him at an age which is designated the prime of life is a matter for great sorrow.

HIS EARLY LIFE

James H. Taggart was born in Cortland, New York, September 16th 1836. His parentage was of Scotch stock, his ancestors having seen service and hardships in the wars of the Pretender during 1745-46. While yet a child his parents removed to Wisconsin, where young Taggart went to the common schools.

He very early evinced decided literary tastes and read everything which was within his reach. On gaining maturer years, he went to Laporte, Indiana, and studied medicine with his uncle, Dr. Higday, remaining several years. His course was completed at Rush Medical College, Chicago. After graduating, young Taggart commenced practice at Rolling Prairie, Ind., and afterwards at LaPorte. While there in the course of his practice he became

acquainted with Miss Leach, whose mother he was called to attend. The acquaintance developed with the result that Dr. Taggart and Miss Martha J. Leach were married in 1864.

Afterwards they removed to Tampico, Whiteside county, Illinois, where the Doctor again took up practice. Several years of the unavoidable exposure in that rigorous winter climate told upon his health, and he found himself compelled to seek a milder locality. In 1876, Dr. and Mrs. Taggart went to San Bernardino, Cal., and spent the summer with a cousin, Chancellor G. Taggart, and wife. In the fall of the same year Dr. Taggart paid a visit to Yuma and became satisfied that the dry climate would be suitable to him. His wife joined him a few months later and their residence here has since been continuous. Much of the time he has been Territorial Prison Physician, resident physician for the Southern Pacific Railroad Co., and county physician. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity and the A.O.U.W. In politics he was a staunch supporter of the Union during the war, and of the principles of the Republican party.

The body of Dr. Taggart will be laid by the side of his parents in the cemetery at Evansville, Wisconsin. Yuma Arizona, Times. Reprinted in The Enterprise, February 17, 1893, p. 1, col. 5, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mr. William Taggart has sold his handsome five seated bus which he purchased during the last campaign to Mr. Jonathan Weaver.

October 24, 1893, Evansville Review, Evansville, Wisconsin

curious : Jour- sh it as f "The) which an and nge, a richest prop- dozen justice is all, loafers ry dog urch, a a thing who is or who a few of the o langhs girl who late tea at about	before us. School Report. Report of Intermediate Department of Evansville public school for the month ending Oct. 30, 1894. Number of pupils enrolled 50. Average daily attendance 48. Names of those neither absent nor tardy. Elsie Benedict, Lucy Burns, Eddie Call, Bessie Cole, Mamie Dohancy, Flora Dennis, Maud Gibbs, May Loomis, John Lemmel, Bay Potter, Beulah Smith, Della Thompson, Fannie Thompson, Cora Taggart, Flora Taggart, Alice VanWormer, Winnie VanVleck, Maude Winn, Elsie Moore, Clayton Roby, Gus Roby, Bessie Stevens, Josephine Scho- field, Earl Smith, Anna VanWormer, Sybil Bigelow, Hazel Bly, Nellie Bend- ing, Edna Bennay, Angie Dubey, Grace Fessenden, Willie Goodnough, Laura Hoyt, Stella Magee. MAGGIE GULLIES, Teacher	takes the --Qui this Fri well cov --The charact final pa --The day No Forces. --Mrs Michig pleasan --Mr. he was Manufa --Do Center. Were k ago. --If v ready right of man sh
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November 9, 1894, The Enterprise, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

Wm. Taggart and family have returned from Madison occupying the family residence on Main Street.

October 13, 1896, The Tribune, p. 1, col. 5, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mrs. Mattie Taggart of Arizona who has returned from an extended visit to friends in Connecticut, is the guest of her brother in law, I. A. Taggart, having arrived Tuesday evening.

The Badger, p. 1, col. 2, July 13, 1901, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mr. Geo. Taggart has been engaged as janitor of the public school vs. Jas. Powles resigned.

July 23, 1901, The Tribune, p. 3, col. 5, Evansville, Wisconsin

Mr. I. A. Taggart has purchased a lot of Mrs. Hawley on Main Street for \$700.
Enterprise, p. 1, col. 2, January 10, 1902, Evansville, Wisconsin

I. A. Taggart has purchased a lot on W. Main St. of Mrs. Hawley. Mr. Taggart expects to build a handsome residence in the near future.
January 25, 1902, The Badger, p. 1, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

A. Taggart has sold the lot north of J. W. Morgan's residence on First St. to Rev. H. Sewell for \$850.
April 29, 1902, The tribune, p. 3, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

The masons have begun work on A. I. Taggart's house on Main Street.
July 25, 1902, Enterprise, p. 1, col., 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

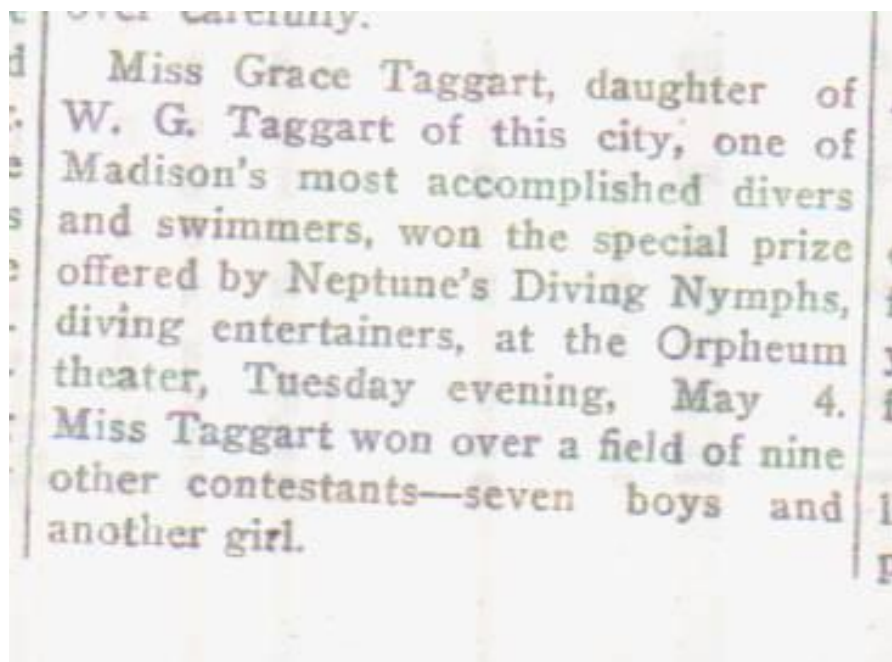
George Taggart and family went to Chicago Tuesday morning for a visit.
August 7, 1902, Evansville Review

Irvin Taggart is having his new residence shingled.
August 29, 1902, Enterprise, "From the Tribune" Evansville, Wisconsin

Marathon Taggart left Wednesday noon for Spring Green to pay his brother and family a visit.
August 22, 1903, Badger, p. 1, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

Hiram Taggart of Wyoming Valley, Wis., is the guest of his brother, M. C. Taggart.
March 19, 1904, The Badger, p. 1, col. 3, Evansville, Wisconsin

A shooting gallery has recently been opened on the north side of Main street in the old red front building where Bill Taggart was running a popcorn stand.
January 18, 1911, p. 1, col. 4, Enterprise, Evansville, Wisconsin



May 13, 1915, Evansville Review, p. 5, col. 2, Evansville, Wisconsin

A Pioneer Gone.

William A. Taggart quietly passed to the home beyond yesternorn, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Tullar, aged 80.

Another one of the early pioneer settlers of Wisconsin has been called. Coming to this state in 1845, he made a home near Evansville on a farm, on which he has always resided. Born in New York Sept. 21, 1827, he would soon have reached his fourscore years.

Five years after coming to this state he was married to Miss Loretta Arnold, and she was a faithful wife to him till about thirteen years ago. when death claimed her. Since then his home has been with his only daughter on the farm. Besides her, a sister, Mrs. Charlotte Greenman, is left.

For some time Mr. Taggart's health has been failing incident to old age, but he has loyally kept up till the last. As a citizen and neighbor, he was highly respected for his honesty and integrity of purpose, and he leaves behind a monument of many virtues which will always be remembered.

The funeral will be held from his late home tomorrow afternoon, the Rev. T. W. North officiating.

man.

Names of pupils in the sixth grade neither absent nor tardy during the month of February:

Lester Bowker, Calvert Cain, Jerry Durner, Claude Doughty, Fanny Gabriel, Dorothy Harte, Grace Haylett, Ava Holmes, Reba Johnson, Marion Jones, Lucile Miller, Lloyd Rowley, Percy Weaver, Miles Tullar.

Names of pupils whose standings in all studies were 90 per cent or above: Fanny Gabriel, Dorothy Harte, Grace Haylett, Calvert Cain.

Names of pupils whose average was 90 per cent or above: Dorothy Harte, Calvert Cain, Grace Haylett, Marion Jones, Audrey Franklin, Lloyd Rowley, Carol Evans, Lauren Knapp, Fanny Gabriel, Grace Taggart, Dorothy Richmond. The two standing the highest were Grace Haylett and Fanny Gabriel.

March 11, 1909, The Evansville Review, "School News", Evansville, Wisconsin

G. C. Taggart has just received his certificate for increase of pension, less than thirty days from time of application, said papers were made out by J. M. Cole. This is the quickest one on record here we are informed.

September 28, 1910, Enterprise and Tribune, p. 1, col. 4, Evansville, Wisconsin

We understand the Gillies store room, formerly occupied by the late A. I. Taggart, has been leased by Mr. Wm. Standish, who will put in an up to date moving picture show. The floor will be raised, a stage, 12 by 24, built, a first class operating room and ticket booth. Comfortable opera house chairs will be installed together with a complete equipment of every kind.

Feb. 6, 1913, Evansville Review, p. 5, col. 2,

Evansville, Wisconsin

DEWEY-TAGGERT

Mr. Dave Dewey, of Malta, Illinois, and Miss Cora Taggert, of this city, were united in marriage at Sycamore, Ill., last Thursday afternoon.

After the wedding the bride and groom returned to the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. George Jordon, where a wedding supper was served in their honor, the table decorations being pink and white.

After the supper the happy couple left for a short honey-moon, after which they will be at home to their friends at the home of the groom at Malta, Ill.

The bride is Miss Cora Taggert, one of the well known Taggert twins, (Pinkey), as she has been always known to her friends, to distinguish her from her Sister, (Bluey), and is a daughter of Mr. George C. Taggert, of this city, having been raised and educated in Evansville where she has many friends who will wish her well.

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OBITUARY

RISSA TAGGERT
1851-1925

Rissa Taggert was born March 4, 1851, departing this life at her Evansville home Friday, February 13, 1925. The deceased was the daughter of William and Velvina Taggert who were among the earliest settlers of Rock County and made her home in her childhood on her father's farm, three miles west of Evansville. Receiving a good education, she became a school teacher and taught in the country schools until her marriage with John Tullar, himself a school teacher, October 27, 1874. Soon after their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Tullar settled on a farm, where they lived happily, moving to this city fifteen years ago, when they purchased their present home on West Church street.

Owing to a good education and natural qualifications as a leader, Mrs. Tullar was elected a member of the City Board of Education, a place she held until about 5 years ago, when she retired from public life.

Ever taking an interest in public and benevolent affairs Mrs. Tullar was for many years connected with the Methodist Episcopal church and as a member of the Eastern Star, where she served a term of Worthy Matron and did much to help in the establishing and work of that order.

Mrs. Tullar was a woman of clear vision and fairness of purpose, qualifications which won the respect and confidence of all who knew her and the results of her work in the educational and benevolent circles of this city will long be felt.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, at the Methodist Episcopal church, Rev. F. P. Hanaman, officiating.

The pall-bearers were, N. R. Buckley, Asa B. Fellows, J. S. Pullen, Fred Franklin, P. D. Pearsall, and W. S. Spratler.

Interment was in Maple Hill cemetery.

Those left to mourn her loss are her husband and several nieces and nephews.

Those from out of town who attended the funeral were: Gordon Richardson, Crandon; Miles Tullar Lennox, So. Dak., Mrs. Frank Newman, Mrs. Fred Tullar and son, Miles Chetek; Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Meyers and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Meigs, Janesville; Miss Angie Greenman, Chicago.

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Card of Thanks

We take this measure to thank all those who so kindly assisted us during the illness of our beloved wife and relative, Mrs. Rissa Tullar, both with words of sympathy and acts of kindness. Especially do we wish to thank those who so kindly contributed flowers and cars for funeral purposes.

John Tullar and Relatives.

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and Mrs. Walter Speer, Brogneau; and Mrs. Cecil Speer, Janesville.

**MRS. L. TAGGERT
IN 85TH YEAR** AUG

Mrs. Laura Taggert, 257 West Main street, a life-long resident of this vicinity, celebrated her 85th birthday Wednesday. She was guest of honor at a family dinner given Sunday at the home of her brother, Walter D. Tullar, 413 South Madison street.

Mrs. Taggert was born July 29, 1846 in a log cabin in Green county and was graduated from the Evansville seminary. Following her marriage, she lived on a farm southwest of the city for nine years moving to Evansville many years ago. Mrs. Taggert has a wide circle of friends here who wish her many more years of good health and happiness.

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some 600 voted out of 2,500 men and women employed were cast for the union, shows that the large majority were satisfied with working conditions.

Respectfully yours,
J. H. T. S.

AUCTION SALE

I will sell at public auction at the Laura Taggart home at 257 W. Main street, on October 6, 1934 commencing at 1:30 p.m. sharp the following described household goods:

Base burner coal stove, majestic range, heater, oil stove, dressers,

beds, bedding, bookcase, parlor set, chest of drawers, rugs, tables, chairs, rockers, desk clock, regulator, stands, couch, lawn mower, dishes, radio, refrigerator, garden tools, vacuum cleaner, sewing machine, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

Terms: Cash.

W. D. Tullar, Adm., William Fineran, Auct., W. L. Courtright, Clerk.

The total supply of grain and mill feeds available for feeding is about three-fourths of the amount fed last year and two-thirds of the average amount fed during the last 5 years.

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Well-known Evansville twins, age 73, Miss Flora Taggart, left, and Mrs. Cora Tobin have been making frequent trips to Mercy hospital to visit the husband of the latter, Michael Tobin, 80, a patient here for several weeks. The sisters are identical twins.

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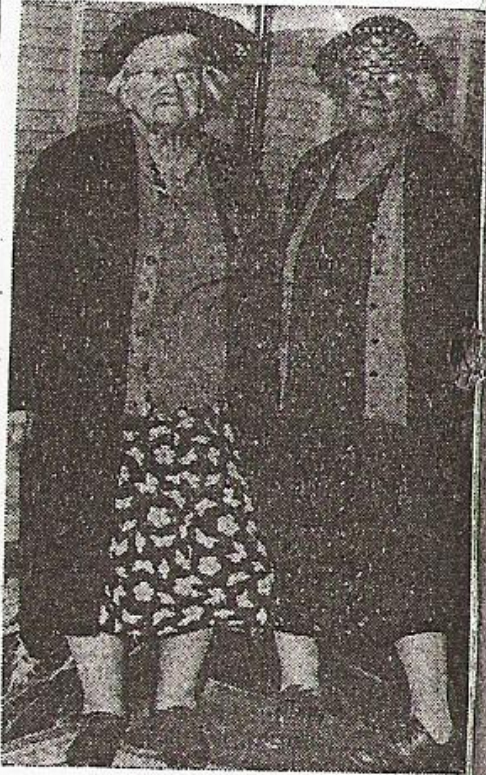
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Evansville's best known twins, who celebrated their 75th birthday this week. Left, Miss Cora Taggart; right, Mrs. Michael Tobin.

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