

Thomas Trevarthen house – 518 Dewey Avenue – 1908

Introduction/Miscellaneous Information:

Thomas Trevarthen was born on May 27, 1838, in Crowan, Cornwall, England. He came to the United States and Jo Daviess County with his parents when he was just four years old.

He was the son of William H. Trevarthen (January 2, 1813 – July 1, 1884) and Jane Bastian Trevarthen (September 19, 1815 – January 15, 1910).

Thomas had three sisters. They were as follows:

Mary (Mrs. William) Lethlean (May 20, 1836– February 15, 1924). She and her husband lived in Council Hill, Wisconsin and Apple River.

Philippa J. Trevarthen (June 20, 1846 – October 21, 1913). She never married and always lived in the Council Hill area.

Elizabeth Trevarthen (May 1854 – April 15, 1906). She never married. She lived in the Council Hill area all her life.

Thomas had five brothers. They were as follows:

Henry Trevarthen (December 26, 1840 – 1864). Could not find any information on him other than his mention in an obituary and ancestry.com.

John Trevarthen (August 8, 1843 – April 22, 1918). He spent most of his adult years with his wife and family in Iowa after serving in the military.

Joseph Trevarthen (1850? – September 22, 1881). He never married as he died at a young age. There are many mentions of him in his early age as he was a partner in the Galena business “Bennett and Trevarthen” which was a stationery and newspaper store which also included wallpaper, frames and various holiday goods.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 20, 1920 – brother Frank's illness

Frank Trevarthen who was taken suddenly ill on Tuesday evening at his home on North Park Ave., of this week is now improving slowly and is able to sit up for a short time.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 30, 1930 – brother Frank's illness

Frank Trevarthen has so far recovered from his recent illness that he is able to be over town again

Galena Daily Gazette – March 14, 1930 – brother William H "George" illness

W. H. Trevarthen is a patient in the Madison General hospital at Madison, Wis. Mrs. Trevarthen is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Orville Andrews at Jefferson, Wis., where she may visit her husband more often.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 21, 1930 – brother's death

DEATH OF W. H. TREVARTHEN

William H. Trevarthen of Scales Mound, brother of Frank Trevarther of Galena, passed away at the General Hospital in Madison this morning at ten o'clock.

Mr. Trevarthen was a well known resident of Jo Daviess County and was also very well known in Galena. He was a member of Galena Lodge No. 882 B. P. O. Elks.

The funeral announcement will be published later.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 27, 1930 – brother's death

Obituary.

The funeral of W. H. Trevarthen was held Sunday afternoon at two at 2 o'clock from the Methodist church, Rev. H. L. Brett officiating. Burial was made in the Scales Mound cemetery. Mr. Trevarthen died at the Madison General Hospital at Madison, Wis., on Friday morning at 9:47 o'clock. He was born in Guilford Township, Council Hill, Ill., on May 21st, 1858, the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Trevarthen. On Oct. 27th, 1886 he was married to Mary Elta Lupton of Council Hill. In 1892 he purchased and moved to a farm two miles west of Scales Mound which his son now lives on. In 1924 he moved to Scales Mound where he has lived until his death. Mr. Trevarthen is survived by his wife, four daughters; Mrs. C. O. Andrews of Jefferson, Wis.; Mrs. Alfred Knuckey

and Vera Trevarthen of Scales Mound; Mrs. Leo Werner from near Elizabeth; and one son, George of Scales Mound. He also leaves one brother Frank of Galena and nine grandchildren. Out of town relatives attending his funeral were: Misses Ethlyn and Anita Trevarthen of Galena; Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Scott and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Luthlean, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luthlean, Joe Luthlean and Mrs. Olive Lethlean of Apple River; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fay and Art Johlin of Rockford; Mr. S. T. Napper of Norfolk, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. Mike Harvey and Raymond Trevarthen of Hazel Green; Mr. and Mrs. Tony Lethlean of Chicago; and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Lupton and son of Council Hill.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 27, 1932 – brother Frank's accident

GALENA MAN INJURED

Frank Trevarthen, a veteran resident of North Park Avenue, fell out of an apple tree in a neighbor's yard this morning and received bruises and a few minor cuts. A physician was called. No serious injuries could be found.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 23, 1933 – brother Frank's death

FRANK TREVARTHEN IS TAKEN BY DEATH

Frank Trevarthen, a veteran resident of Galena, passed away at his home on North Park Ave., at 5:30 o'clock this morning after a lingering illness, though he has only been in bed for several days prior to his death.

The deceased was born in Guilford township April 8, 1856 and was united in marriage on Jan. 7th, 1892 with Miss Mary Bell of Council Hill. They resided on a farm in Council Hill township until 1910 when Mr. Trevarthen retired and moved to Galena. He was a man of friendly disposition, kindly in manner, a good neighbor and a loving husband and father.

Surviving is his widow and two daughters, Miss Ethelyn at home and Miss Anita who is teaching at Elizabeth. He is the last of his immediate family of eight brothers and sisters.

The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon, the time and place of services to be announced later.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 25, 1933 – brother Frank's death

FUNERAL OF FRANK TREVARTHEN

The funeral of Frank Trevarthen was held this afternoon at the Uehren & Furlong Chapel, the services being very largely attended, for Mr. Trevarthen was a man well known and well liked in the community.

There was an abundance of flowers as silent testimony of the esteem in which the deceased was held. Rev. Lyman Howes, rector of Grace church officiated. Two selections were sweetly sung by Miss Ada Eustice, with Miss Catherine Norris presiding at the organ. These hymns were "Sweet Hour of Prayer," and "Jesus Lover of My Soul."

Burial was made in Greenwood cemetery, the following acting as bearers: Darius S. Hunkins, Albert Bastian, G. W. Scott, John A. Bingham, V. E. Maeder and Wallace Ford. Mrs. Frank E. Read and Miss Alice Turner attended the flowers.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 4, 1934 – Dewey house for rent

For Rent—An 8 room modern house with garage, 518 Dewey Ave. Inquire of Joe Trevarthen, R 1, box 36, Galena, Ill.—Adv.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 11, 1934 – new tenant on Dewey

Albert Sincock has moved from the Bergman property on Dewey avenue to the Trevarthen home on the same street.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 15, 1935 – new tenant on Dewey

Al Sincox and family have removed their household goods from the Trevarthen house on Dewey Avenue to Freeport where Mr. Sincox will resume his former position in a foundry.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 28, 1940 – son Joseph's illness

Joseph Trevarthen who has been ill for some time entered the Ennis hospital in Shullsburg Thursday and is now a patient there. His daughter, Mrs. Lee Hellickson and children of Elmhurst, Ill., arrived Saturday to spend some time at the Trevarthen home near here.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 18, 1940 – son Joseph's death



Galena Daily Gazette – son Joseph's death/obit

OBITUARY

Joseph F. Trevarthen

Joseph F. Trevarthen passed away at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, May 18th, at Shullsburg, Wis., after an illness extending over the past four months.

Mr. Trevarthen was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen and was born July 2, 1887, at Council Hill, Ill. He received his early education in the district school of Millbrig, Ill., later attended Epworth College, Epworth, Ia.

On Feb. 8, 1911, he was united in marriage with Mary C. Sheean at Freeport, Ill. They resided on the Trevarthen homestead at Council Hill for three years, then bought the Sheean farm in Guilford township where he has resided ever since. Two daughters blessed this happy union, Mary, Mrs. Leo Hellickson of Elmhurst, Ill., and Marjorie, a student at the University of Dubuque, whom, with his wife, survive. He also leaves to mourn his passing, three grandchildren, Roy, Dorothy and Marie Ann, of whom he was exceptionally fond; also two brothers, Harry of Galena, Ill., and Raymond of Hazel Green, Wis.; three sisters, Mrs. Grace Hensley, East St. Louis, Ill.; Mrs. Mae Taylor, Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. Jennie Harvey, Hazel Green, Wis., and eight nephews and three nieces. He was preceded in death by his parents and one brother, William.

Mr. Trevarthen was a kind hearted man with a personality that won him many friends. He was a devoted husband and a loving considerate father. His friends were many, loyal and true as was shown when he was so seriously ill, seven blood transfusions were given to prolong his life and many more friends were waiting to give their blood that his life might be spared, but God saw differently and called him home Saturday morning, when, without a struggle he passed peacefully away.

The funeral rites were held Monday afternoon from the Furlong Funeral Chapel at 1:30 o'clock, Rev. P. R. McMahan, pastor of the M. E. church officiating. During the services Mrs. Harvey Carr and Albert Williams sang three favorite selections of Mr. Trevarthen's, "The Old Rugged Cross," "In the Garden," and "Beautiful Lights of Home." They were accompanied by Mrs. Albert Williams.

The casket bearers were Vernon Scott, Alvin Davis, Henry Schumacher, Stanley Davis, John Hesselbacher and Frank Bastian.

The following young men carried the floral offerings, Carl B. Schoenhard, George Trevarthen, Ralph Schoenhard, Alden Knuckey, Burl Lathlean and Burnell Bastian.

Interment was made in the Scales Mound cemetery.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 26, 1942 – family farm sale to daughters

COUNCIL HILL FARM SOLD

At a Partition sale held Thursday, the Trevarthen farm consisting of 320 acres, located in Council Hill township, was sold to Jenny Harvey, May Taylor, and Grace Hensley at 23.35 an acre. State's Attorney Eaton had charge of this Master In-chancery sale.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 30, 1943 – family farm for sale

FOR SALE OR RENT:—The Trevarthen farm of 320 acres. Terms reasonable. See Ike Harvey, Hazel Green, Wis. 45w3*

Galena Daily Gazette – June 12, 1947 – daughter Jennie’s death

**Mrs. I. J. Harvey Dies;
Funeral Held Saturday**

Mrs. Jennie Harvey, 65, passed away at the family home at Hazel Green, Wis., Wednesday, June 4, at 4 p. m. after an illness of about three years. Mrs. Harvey was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen and was born at Council Hill on Feb. 23, 1882. She was united in marriage to Isaac J. Harvey at Livingston, Mont., Sept. 29, 1908, at 7 o'clock p. m. at the home of Mr. Harvey's uncle, John Harvey. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. J. Badcon of the First M. E. church of that city. For three years the young couple made their home on a ranch at Clyde Park, Mont., and then returned to Hazel Green, Wis., where they have since resided.

Four children were born to this union, two sons and two daughters, two of whom died in infancy. Mrs. Harvey is survived by her husband, one son Thomas James, who resides on the home farm north of Hazel Green, one daughter Mrs. Robert (Roberta) Wisko of Rosiclare, Ill., four grandchildren, Robert Wayne Wisko, Thomas James Jr., Mary Jane and Lois Jean Harvey; two sisters, Mrs. Ira L. Hensley of East St. Louis, Ill., and Mrs. Malcolm Taylor of Detroit, Mich.; two brothers, Harry Trevarthen of Galena and Raymond Trevarthen of Hazel Green. She was preceded in death by two children, Helen Grace and John Isaac, her parents and two brothers, William and Joseph Trevarthen.

She was a member of the Methodist church, the women's Society of Christian Service and Hazel Wood Chapter Order of Eastern Star and always took an active part in these organizations as long as her health permitted. The large number of relatives and friends who are bereaved at the passing of Mrs. Harvey feel a distinct and irreparable loss. She loved her home and family and her many friends were always graciously welcomed in her home and made to feel free to partake of her bounteous hospitality. Her philosophy of life was one of kindness, patience, helpfulness and loving devoted service to those she loved. Through her long illness she was patient to the utmost. She was devotedly cared for by her husband and children and other relatives and friends and all that loving hands could do, was done. She has gone from our midst but the sweet influence of her good life shall live on.

Information from Ancestry.com

1841 England census

Name Thomas Trevarthen (spellings corrected)

Age 3

Estimated Birth Year abt 1838

Gender Male

Civil parish Crowan

Hundred Penwith

County/Island Cornwall

Country England

Household members

Name Age

William Trevarthen 25

Jane Trevarthen 25

Mary Trevarthen 5

Thomas Trevarthen 3

William "Henry" Trevarthen 1

1860 U.S. Census

Name Thomas Trevarthen (spellings corrected)

Age 22

Birth Year abt 1838

Gender Male

Race White

Birth Place England

Home in 1860 Guilford, Jo Daviess, Illinois

Post Office Avery

Dwelling Number 3671

Family Number 3806

Occupation Farm Hand

Inferred Father William Trevarthen

Inferred Mother Jane Trevarthen

Household members

Name	Age
William Trevarthen	47
Jane Trevarthen	45
Mary Trevarthen	23
<u>Thomas Trevarthen</u>	22
Henry Trevarthen	20
John Trevarthen	18
Philipa J Trevarthen	13
Joseph Trevarthen	10
Elizabeth Trevarthen	7
Frank Trevarthen	5
William "George" Trevarthen	2

1880 U.S. Census

Name Thomas Trevarthen

Age 41

Birth Date Abt 1839

Birthplace England

Home in 1880 Council Hill, Jo Daviess, Illinois, USA

Dwelling Number 7

Race White

Gender Male

Relation to Head of House Self (Head)

Marital Status Married
Spouse's Name Mary Trevarthen
Father's Birthplace England
Mother's Birthplace England
Occupation Farmer

Household members

Name	Age
Thomas Trevarthen	41
Mary Trevarthen	25

1900 U.S. Census

Name Thomas Trevarthen (spellings corrected)
Age 61
Birth Date 1838
Birthplace England
Home in 1900 Council Hill, Jo Daviess, Illinois
Street Dalingiemt
Race White
Gender Male
Immigration Year 1839
Relation to Head of House Head
Marital Status Married
Spouse's Name Mary Trevarthen
Marriage Year 1880
Years Married 20

Father's Birthplace England
Mother's Birthplace England
Years in US 61
Naturalization Naturalized
Occupation Farmer
Can Read Y
Can Write Y
Can Speak English Y
House Owned or Rented Own
Home Free or Mortgaged Mortgaged
Farm or House F

Household members

Name	Age
<u>Thomas Trevarthen</u>	61
Mary Trevarthen	45
Jennie Trevarthen	18
Grace Trevarthen	16
Joseph Trevarthen	13
May Trevarthen	11
Harry Trevarthen	9
Raymond Trevarthen	1
John Hull	28

1920 U.S. Census

Name Thomas Trevarthen (spellings corrected)

Age 78

Birth Year abt 1838

Birthplace England

Home in 1920 Galena Ward 4, Jo Daviess, Illinois

Street Dewey Avenue

House Number 519

Residence Date 1920

Race White

Gender Male

Immigration Year 1842

Relation to Head of House Head

Marital Status Widowed

Father's Birthplace England

Mother's Birthplace England

Native Tongue English

Able to Speak English Yes

Home Owned or Rented Owned

Home Free or Mortgaged Free

Naturalization Status Naturalized

Able to read Yes

Able to Write Yes

Household members

Name Age

Thomas Trevarthen 78

Mary E Trevarthen 31

Marriage record:

Name Thomas Trevarthen

Gender Male

Marriage Date 25 Mar 1880

Marriage Place Jo Daviess, Illinois, USA

Spouse

Mary Dower

Michigan Death Record

Name Thomas Trevarthen

Gender Male RaceWhite

Marital Status Widowed Death Age 90

Birth Date 27 May 1838 Birth Place Cornwall England

Death Date 5 May 1929

Death Place Detroit, Wayne, Michigan, USA

Father William Trevarthen Mother Jane Bastian

File Number 114371

Michigan, U.S., Death Records, 1867-1952 for Thomas Trevarthen

Certificates, 1921-1945 > 632: Wayne (Detroit), 1929

WRITE PLAINLY WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
Division of Vital Statistics
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

1 PLACE OF DEATH
County Wayne
Township _____
Village _____
City Detroit (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

2 FULL NAME Thomas Trevarthen
a) Residence No. 8827 Rathbone St. Ward _____
(Usual place of abode) (If non-resident give city or town and state)
Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. 1 mo. 6 How long in U. S., if of foreign birth? 86 yrs. mo. 6 da.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX male 4 Color or Race white 5 Single, Married, Widowed or Divorced (WRITE the word) Widower

6a If married, widowed or divorced
HUSBAND of Mary Dower
(or) WIFE of _____

6 DATE OF BIRTH May 27 - 1838

7 AGE Years 90 Months 11 Days 8 If LESS than 1 day... hrs. OR... min.

8 OCCUPATION OF DECEASED
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Farmer 19
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)
(c) Name of employer Retired 20 yrs.

9 BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (state or country) Cornwall - England

10 NAME OF FATHER William Trevarthen

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (city or town) (state or country) Cornwall England

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Jane Custian

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (city or town) (state or country) Cornwall England

14 Informant Ms. M. E. Taylor
(Address) 8827 Rathbone

15 Filed _____ 19 _____ Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH (Month, day and year) May 5 1929

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from May 1st 1929 to May 5 1929 that I last saw h. a. alive on May 5 1929 and that death occurred on the date stated above at 2:00 a.m.
The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Lobar Pneumonia 101A
(duration) _____ yrs. _____ mo. _____ da.
CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary) (duration) _____ yrs. _____ mo. _____ da.

18 Where was disease contracted _____
If not at place of death? _____
Did an operation precede death? no Date of _____
Was there an autopsy? no
What test confirmed diagnosis? clinical
(Signed) Louis T. Baird, M. D.
May 5 1929 Address 1384 W. Venice
*State the Disease Causing Death, or in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means and nature of injury, and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal, or Homicidal.
(See reverse side for further instructions.) 1329

19 PLACE OF BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Salina - Ill. Date of Burial May 5 1929

20 UNDERTAKER Henry Otahl Address Detroit

Civil War Soldier's Record (he served from 1861-1865)

Name Thomas Trevarthen

Enlistment Date 13 Aug 1862

Enlistment Rank Private

Muster Date 4 Sep 1862

Muster Place Illinois

Muster Company F

Muster Regiment 96th Infantry

Muster Regiment Type **Infantry**
Muster Information **Enlisted**
Muster Out Date **10 Jun 1865**
Muster Out Place **Nashville, Tennessee**
Muster Out Information **Mustered Out**
Side of War **Union**
Survived War? **Yes**
Residence Place **Council Hill, Illinois**
Title **Illinois: Roster of Officers and Enlisted Men**

From publication on the infantry

HISTORY

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OF THE

NINETY-SIXTH REGIMENT

ILLINOIS VOLUNTEER INFANTRY,

PUBLISHED UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE

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CHARLES A. PARTRIDGE.

CHICAGO:

1887.

Corporal John Rodden.—Age 20; born in Jo Daviess County, Ill.; farmer; enlisted from Irish Hollow; promoted to Corporal in January, 1865; participated in all of the engagements of the command except Lookout Mountain; at Chickamauga was slightly wounded in the hip, but not disabled; m. o. with Regiment. Is farming near Galena, Ill.

Corporal Andrew Hindman.—Age 18; born in Pittsburgh, Pa.; enlisted from Sinsinawa; promoted to Corporal; wounded in the right leg at Rocky Face Ridge, and in the shoulder at Resaca, May 15, 1864; m. o. with Regiment. Is reported to have died since the war.

Corporal Anton Schap.—Age 18; born in Germany; blacksmith; enlisted from Mill Creek; promoted to Corporal; was wounded in the right leg at Rocky Face Ridge; m. o. with Regiment. Resides in Schappsville, Ill.

Corporal Thomas Trevarthan.—Age 23; born in England; miner; enlisted from Council Hill; promoted to Corporal; never missed a battle; had a bullet through his cartridge box at Chickamauga, and a slight wound in the hip and his sleeve cut at Rocky Face Ridge, and a slight wound in the face at Resaca; was never in hospital; m. o. with Regiment. Is farming at Council Hill, Ill.

From Find-A-Grave:

Name Thomas Trevarthen

Gender Male

Birth Date 27 May 1838

Birth Place Crowan, Cornwall Unitary Authority, Cornwall, England

Death Date 5 May 1929

Death Place Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan, United States of America

Cemetery Grant Hill Cemetery

Burial or Cremation Place Council Hill, Jo Daviess County, Illinois, United States of America

Has Bio? Y

Father William Trevarthen

Mother Jane Trevarthen

Spouse Mary Trevarthen

Children William T. Trevarthen; Sarah Jane Harvey; Grace Dower Hensley; Mary Estelle Taylor; John Raymond Trevarthen; Harry Samuel Trevarthen; Joseph F Trevarthen

Thomas Trevarthen's grave marker – Grant Hill Cemetery



Family grave marker – Miners Chapel Cemetery



Father William's grave marker – Miners Chapel Cemetery



Mother Jane's grave marker – Miners Chapel Cemetery



Wife Mary and son William's grave marker – Grant Hill Cemetery



Daughter Jennie's grave marker – Hazel Green Cemetery



Daughter Grace's grave marker – Greenwood Cemetery



Son Joseph's grave marker – Scales Mound Twp. Cemetery



Daughter Mae's grave marker – Oak Ridge Cemetery



Son Harry's grave marker – Greenwood Cemetery



Son John Raymond's grave marker – St. Francis de Sales Cemetery



House Pictures/Information:

518 Dewey Ave

Parcel Number: 22-100-413-00

Historic Function: Domestic - Single Dwelling

Current Function: Domestic - Single Dwelling

Construction Date: 1900-1909 (c1908)

Architect:

Builder:

Developer:

Original or Significant Owner: William Trevarthen (retired farmer)

Areas of Significance: Architecture,

Category: Domestic, Single Dwelling

Structural:

Stories: 2

Form or Plan: gabled ell

Foundation: Limestone

Style: ,

Exterior: aluminum siding

Roof Material: asphalt shingles

Roof Type: Cross gable

Windows: Windows are original or historic wood 1/1 double-or single hung; Picture; round arch; with molding; stained glass transom.

Porch:

Modification: Slightly Altered







Francis “Frank” Trevarthen (April 3, 1856 – February 23, 1933). He lived in Council Hill and later in Galena with his wife and family.

William H. “George” Trevarthen (May 21, 1858 – March 21, 1930). He and his wife and family lived in the Council Hill area.

Thomas was married to Mary Dower on March 25, 1880, in East Galena. They settled on a farm in Council Hill, and they eventually moved with their family to Galena.

Mary Dower Trevarthen (May 18, 1855 – May 8, 1916) was the daughter of Thomas and Grace Dower and had eight siblings.

Thomas was a Civil War veteran serving in the military from 1861 to 1865. He was a member of the Ninety-Sixth Regiment of the Illinois Volunteer Infantry, Company F. He enlisted from Council Hill and obtained the rank of Corporal. He never missed a battle and despite a few injuries he was never hospitalized during his war service.

Thomas Trevarthen’s occupation was as a miner in his early years, but most of his time was as a farmer.

Thomas and Mary lived their earlier years in the Council Hill and Millbrig area. They bought the property on Dewey Avenue in Galena and built their house there in 1908.

Thomas and Mary Trevarthen had seven children – four sons and three daughters. They were as follows:

William Thomas Trevarthen (January 6, 1881 – July 11, 1898). He died young tragically in a farm accident.

Sarah Jane “Jennie” (Mrs. Ike) Harvey (February 28, 1882 – June 12, 1947). She and her husband and family lived in Montana for a while, but lived mostly in Hazel Green, Wisconsin.

Grace D. (Mrs. Ira) Hensley (April 22, 1884 – April 4, 1964). She and her husband and family lived in Wisconsin, Illinois and eventually moved to East St. Louis.

Joseph T. Trevarthen (July 27, 1886 – May 18, 1940). He and his wife and family lived most of their lives in the Council Hill area.

Mary Estelle “Mae” (Mrs. Malcolm) Taylor (January 5, 1889 – February 2, 1978). She lived for many years in Council Hill and Galena, but after she married, she and her husband and family lived in Detroit.

Harry Samuel Trevarthen (April 10, 1891 – June 22, 1978). He and his wife and family lived most of their lives in the Council Hill area.

John “Raymond” Trevarthen (December 31, 1898 – March 5, 1974). He and his wife and family lived most of their lives in the Council Hill and Galena areas.

Thomas Trevarthen died on May 5, 1929, while living with his daughter Mae in Detroit. He was almost 92 years old. He is buried in Grant Hill Cemetery in Council Hill, Jo Daviess County, Illinois. At the end of this document are pictures of his grave site as well as those of his family who are buried there as well.

On the following pages are excerpts from newspaper articles about Thomas and his family members. After that is information from ancestry and find a grave websites, and then there are pictures of the house on Dewey Street (which are more recent and not older pictures).

**Galena Daily Gazette – November 6, 1865 – brother John
returning home from military duty**

Return of Soldiers.

The boys from this County who enlisted last fall in the 96th Regiment, and when that Regiment was mustered out, were transferred to the 21st Ill., arrived home last Saturday. They were mustered out at Victoria, Texas, on the 15th of October, arrived at Springfield on the 31st and were finally discharged on the 3d inst. They number fifty-nine men and are as follows:

J. A. Abel,	John D. Stone,
Edward Hagus,	Wm Williams,
Wm. Barr,	Moses Rees,
Louis Eckhard,	Samuel Carson,
John Fritz,	Frederick, Miller,
Godfrey, Hoffman,	Nathan Jones,
Phil. Kostenbader,	George Farr,
Valentine Kruder,	H. N. Bates,
Charles Lankan,	John Spore,
G. H. Rombild,	J. D. Russell,
Charles Sager,	Jonn Spoor,
Edward Brown,	W. A. Scott,
Chris. Deurstein,	John Trevarthen,
Geo. Evans,	Bernhard Weirich
Andrew Havenstreet,	Sebastian Weber,
W. J. Irwin,	Henry Wayman,
Solomon Kilmer,	Christian, Kuntz,
Wm. Lee,	George Miller,
Louis Pharo,	J. B. Jackson,
S. C. Sanderson,	Henry Lowry,
John Schrader,	Robert Reynolds,
Wm. Stidworthy,	James Fielding,
Valentine, Schmitt,	Wm. Calvert,
Frank Toller,	James Westwick,
G. H. White,	Lucian Sanford,
Robert Wilson,	R. L. Root,
Robert Virtue,	John Bennett,
James Miller,	David Spore,
Wm. Wilson,	W. H. Scott,

The following order from the Colonel commanding the Regiment will show the esteem in which these men were held at Headquarters :

HEADQ'RS 21st ILL. VET. INFANTRY, }
CAMP STANLEY, TEXAS, }
October 8, 1865. }

Special Order No. 91.

As a number of men of this Regiment are about to be mustered out the Colonel commanding takes this method to thank them for their uniform good conduct since they were transferred to this Regiment, and hopes they do not leave it with any bitter recollections, but will feel that the time spent in the 21st Illinois has been a time of pleasant associations ; and although *you* have been brought a long way from home he hopes you may arrive there in safety and good health ; and when you lay aside the garb of the soldier and assume the duties of the Citizen he thinks you will do all that good and true Citizens can to preserve the peace for which the country has paid such a great price, and at the same time do nothing that will destroy or efface the name you have earned as soldiers. Wishing you every prosperity through life he bids you farewell.

By Command of.
W. H. JAMISON.
Lieut. Col. Comd'g, 21st Ills.
W. A. Davis',
First Lieut. Acting Adjt.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 12, 1876 – brother John visiting in area

Mr. John Trevarthen, one of the substantial farmers of Hardin Co., Iowa, and a former resident of Jo Daviess, returned to his home at Union, last week, after a visit of several days to relatives and friends in this county.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 9, 1876 – father's fair awards

**PREMIUM LIST OF JO DAVIESS
COUNTY FAIR.**

The following is a list of the premiums awarded at the Jo Daviess County Agricultural Society held in the city of Galena, Sept. 26th, 27th, 28th and 29th, 1876 :

CLASS A, NO. 2.

CROSSES AND NATIVES.

W Trevarthen, best bull 3 yr	8 00
Geo S Avery, 2d best do	4 00
W Weigley, best bull 2 yrs	6 00
W Trevarthen, 2d best do	3 00
M Annetts, best bull calf,	4 00
Geo S Avery, 2d best do	2 00
Jno Mathews, best cow 4 yrs old,	6 00
Peter Marsden and sons, 2d do	3 00
Josiah Vincent, best cow 3 yr old,	6 00
W Trevarthen, 2d best do	3 00
H B Chetlain, best heifer 2 yr old,	6 00
John Mathews, 2d best do	3 00
Peter Marsden and sons, best heifer 1 yr and under,	6 00
Jno Mathews, 2d best heifer 1 yr and un- der,	3 00
W Trevarthen, best heifer calf,	4 00
Peter Marsden and son 2d best do	2 00

Galena Daily Gazette – June 27, 1878 – father's property sale

Trevarthen, Wm et ux, to Thomasine Par-
kins, May 1, 1876 ; lots 5 and 6, block 14, and
lot 11 and part of 14, in block 13, town of
Council Hill.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 24, 1878 – father's fair stock

STOCK DEPARTMENT.

At noon to-day there were one hundred and sixty-eight entries in the stock department, and it is expected that before the hour of closing the books to-morrow forenoon, every stall and pen on the grounds will be occupied. The display of thoroughbreds is very fine, and among the more notable exhibits of this department, are herds from the farms of R. S. Norris, S. S. Brown, Wm. Trevarthen, of West Galena, and John Matthews of the Ames Branch stock farm, Darlington. The justly celebrated stallions Post Boy and French Jo, owned by the Hickman Bros., are on exhibition, also an imported Norman, owned by Messrs. Shipton & McGrath, of Elizabeth, and several others worthy of special mention.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 25, 1879 – father visiting brother John

Mr. Wm. Trevarthen, of Guilford, was here for a few days, visiting his son John and numerous acquaintances in this vicinity.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 6, 1879 – brother Joseph's business advertisement

Bennett & Trevarthen have one of the finest display of holiday goods ever shown in the city.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 17, 1880 – brother John visiting home

John Trevarthen and wife, of Union, Iowa, are visiting the parents of Mr. T., in Guilford township.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 3, 1880 – father purchases farm property

Mr. William Trevarthen, of Guilford, has bought the old Mark Leekley homestead, at Council Hill. It contains 280 acres, and was bid off at auction for \$7,100. Mr. Chas. Leekley, who has been living on the place for some years, will soon move to his farm near LeMars, Iowa. He will sell his personal property at auction on Friday of this week.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 1, 1880 – wedding announcement

TREVARTHEN-DOWER.

Married, at the residence of Mr. Thomas Dower, in East Galena, Thursday, March 25, 1880, Mr. Thomas Trevarthen, of Guilford, and Miss Mary Dower, the Rev. Cochran officiating. The bridesmaids were Miss Lavinia Ivey and Miss Amanda Neuschwanger; the groomsmen, Mr. Frank Trevarthen, brother of the groom, and Mr. Wm. Dower, brother of the bride. The bride wore "dregs of wine" cashmere, trimmed with silk; wreath of orange blossoms, bridal veil, white bow and gloves. The bridesmaids wore dresses like that of the bride, peach colored bows and white gloves. The groom and attendants wore the customary black with white vests and gloves. The ceremony, a very impressive one, was performed at half-past four o'clock, in the presence of forty or more assembled guests. After hearty congratulations had been extended, the company repaired to the dining room, where a bountiful supper was served, under the able supervision of the bride's mother. The rooms were tastefully decorated with evergreens and flowers, and presented an inviting appearance. The evening was sociably spent alike by young and old, enlivened by vocal and instrumental music. Toward the close of the evening, Mr. Henry Fiddick made a neat and appropriate speech. In behalf of the groom and bride, he thanked the guests for their attendance and many beautiful presents, and in the name of the guests gave thanks for the generous hospitality with which they had been treated. The following is a list of the presents:

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Galena Daily Gazette – April 1, 1880 – wedding announcement

The groom, handsome gold ring; Thomas Dower, a purse of \$100 and a White sewing machine; Mrs. F. Dower, a bureau and silver castor; Mr. Trevarthen, clock; Mrs. Trevarthen, teapot; Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox, set of glassware and sauce dishes; Wm. Dower, china set; Samuel Dower, silver teaspoons; Joseph Dower, silver cakestand; Susie Dower, glass set; Sadie Dower, goblets; Joseph Trevarthen, album; Frank Trevarthen, chromo; Geo. Trevarthen, chromo; Miss F. Trevarthen, glass cakestand; Miss L. Trevarthen, syrup pitcher; William Laithlan, clock shelf; Henry Bastian and wife, chromo; Wm. Fiddick and wife, dozen linen napkins, one-half dozen handkerchiefs; Henry Fiddick and wife, linen table cloth; Miss E. Wilcox, wash bowl and pitcher; Samuel Dower, glass fruit dish; Jas. Dower, trio of fancy chickens; Miss M. Dower, bread plate; James Dower, Jr., glass set; Robert Pool and wife, toilet set; Mrs. Powell, silver napkin rings; Mrs. T. Ivey, one dozen napkins; Miss L. Ivey, china teacups and saucers; Miss H. Ivey, glass water pitcher; Susan Roberts, silver butter dish and tidy; Miss R. Bennett, fancy tidy; Mrs. Neuschwanger, tidy; Miss A. Neuschwanger, set china plates; Mrs. Tippet, glass fruit dish; Jos. Tippet, silver butter knife; Miss J. Berryman, silver teaspoons; John Berryman, silver napkin ring; Mr. Meusel, glass bread plate. W. W.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 25, 1881 – father’s illness

Mr. Wm. Trevarthen, father of Joseph Trevarthen, of this city, is lying dangerously ill at his residence in Guilford township.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 26, 1881 – father’s illness

Mr. Wm. Trevarthen is said to be some better to-day, and strong hopes of his recovery are entertained.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 2, 1881 – brother John visiting father

Council Hill Station, January 31.—Mr. John Trevarthen, of Whiten, Grundy county, Iowa, arrived here Saturday morning to see his father, Mr. William Trevarthen, of Guilford township, who has been in a very precarious condition but is now apparently improving.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 2, 1881 – father's illness

Mr. William Trevarthen had another bleeding spell from the lungs this forenoon, which makes the third attack of the kind since he has been sick. PICKET.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 12, 1881 – father's illness

Wm. Trevarthen, Esq., of Guilford, whose illness was announced several days ago, is in such a low state that his physician entertains no hope of his recovery.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 22, 1881 - father's illness

Mr. Wm. Trevarthen, of Guilford, is still quite feeble, although he seems a little better the last three or four days.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 29, 1881 – brother Joseph's illness

Mr. Joseph Trevarthen, of the firm of Bennett & Trevarthen, returned home from Freeport, last evening, where he has been visiting for some time past, for the benefit of his health.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 23, 1881 – brother Joseph's business partnership dissolved

Dissolution of Partnership.

The firm of Bennett & Trevarthen, news dealers, was this day dissolved by mutual consent, by the retirement of Mr. Joseph Trevarthen, who has been suffering from ill health of late. The large business which the firm have built up will hereafter be conducted in the name of Mr. Bennett, who is now sole proprietor of the establishment.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 12, 1881 – brother Joseph and father take trip for health reasons

Mr. Joseph Trevarthen, formerly of the news and stationery firm of Bennett & Trevarthen, took the train this morning for Wyoming, whither he goes for the benefit of his health. He was accompanied by his father, Wm. Trevarthen, Esq., who is also an invalid.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 23, 1881 – death of brother Joseph

Death of Joseph Trevarthen.

Intelligence was received in this city this afternoon, of the death last night, at Laramie City, Wyoming, of Joseph Trevarthen, son of Wm. Trevarthen, of Council Hill, and recently a partner with John T. Bennett, in the stationery and news business in this city. The deceased left Galena a week ago last Monday for Wyoming, in company with his father, for the benefit of his health which had become very much impaired. He was a genial, honorable and popular young man, and the news of his untimely death

will be received with unbounded regret by his many warm friends in this County. Mr. Trevarthen was born in Council Hill, and at the time of his death was about 28 years old. He was a nephew of the Mrs. Wm. Fiddick and John Fiddick, of this city. The bereaved father started this morning from Laramie City for Council Hill, with the remains of his son. The date of the funeral will be announced to-morrow.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 29, 1881 – brother Joseph's funeral

Funeral of the Late Joseph Trevarthen.

The funeral of the late Joseph Trevarthen, took place at 10 o'clock yesterday forenoon, from the M. E. Church at Council Hill Station, and was attended by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends. The funeral sermon was preached by the Rev. Mr. Cochrane, who paid a fitting and worthy tribute to the virtues of the deceased. The remains reposed in a metallic case which was literally covered with flowers, mementoes of affection from friends of the departed. The remains were tenderly borne to the cemetery near the church, and consigned to the grave. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Lynn I. Harris, J. S. Baume, T. G. Wonderly, Conrad and Fred Haase, and Webb Taylor.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 24, 1883 – father's illness

William Trevarthen, a very old and highly esteemed citizen of this county, is said to be lying at the point of death, at his home on East Fork. The sick man is the father of the late Joseph Trevarthen, and brother-in-law of Wm Fiddick, Esq., of this city.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 28, 1883 – sister Elizabeth's sanity

Adjudged Insane.

Miss Elizabeth Trevarthen, aged 28 years, residing in the township of Guilford, was yesterday afternoon adjudged insane, at an inquisition before his honor Judge Rowley, of the county court. The unfortunate young lady was consigned to the custody of relatives until arrangements can be made to send her to Elgin for treatment.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 12, 1883 – grand jury duty

Grand Jury List.

The following named have been appointed Grand Jurors for the February term of the Circuit Court:

Patrick Mead, Apple River.
Geo W Schmeck, Berreman.
Thomas Trevarthen, Council Hill.
John McIntyre, Derinda.
John M Miller, Dunleith.
Paul Kertz, East Galena.
John S Young, Elizabeth.
Frederick Patchio, Hanover.
John M Powers, Menominee.
C J Puckett, do.
Jacob Troxell, Pleasant Valley.

John W Williams, Rush.
John Funston, Rice.
Geo L Dow, Stockton.
John Rogers, Scales Mound.
William Stadel, Thompson.
John Dugan, Vinegar Hill.
John L Jones, Woodbine.
Andrew McCormick, Warren.
S E Waldo, Wards Grove.
Richard Gross, West Galena.
Philip Brunner, do

Galena Daily Gazette – July 1, 1884 – father's death

Another Old Settler Gone.

Mr. Wm. Trevarthen, one of the pioneers of Jo Davless county, died at his home in Guilford this morning. Deceased was born in Cornwall, Eng., and at the time of his death was 71 years and 6 months old. He came to this country in 1842 and almost directly to this county, settling in Guilford, where he has since resided. He leaves a widow and seven children, four sons and three daughters. The funeral will be held on Thursday at one o'clock, from the family residence.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 30, 1884 – brother Frank's farm damage

Twenty tons of hay, the property of Frank Trevarthen, residing in Guilford township, near Council Hill, were destroyed by lightning last Monday.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 2, 1884 – father's estate

Executrix' Notice.

Estate of William Trevarthen, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed executrix of the last will and testament of William Trevarthen, late of the county of Jo Daviess and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that she will appear before the county court of Jo Daviess county, at the court house in Galena, at the September term, on the third Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 22nd day of July, 1884.

JANE TREVARTHEN, Executrix.

W. Spensley, Attorney.

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Galena Daily Gazette – February 23, 1885 – visiting in Galena

Thos. Harris, David Laird, Ira Smart Wm. Bell, Jesse Green, Thos. Trevarthen and Joseph Thompson, leading citizens of Council Hill, were on our streets today.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 1, 1885 – new house in Council Hill

Mr. Thomas Trevarthen, of Council Hill, has erected a fine new residence, the main building being 22x32 feet, with wing 18x20 feet. The house is 20 feet high, with bay windows and fine porches.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 30, 1886 – horse death

Mr. Thos. Trevarthen, a farmer who resides in Council Hill township, had a fine three-year-old colt killed by lightning Saturday morning.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 8, 1886 – horse/barn

Mr. Thos. Trevarthen, of Council Hill, whose barn was recently struck by lightning and a valuable horse killed, was insured in the Forest City Fire and Lightning Insurance Co., and wishes to publicly thank the company for the prompt payment in full of his loss in the horse and barn.

**Galena Daily Gazette – September 8, 1886 – veteran registry
(partial list only)**

The Veterans' Register.

The following is a list of the names and the post-office addresses of the veterans who registered at headquarters during the reunion:

W H Tippett, A, 96 Ill, Galena.
A M Long, G, 3d Mo. C, Woodbine, Ill.
David Schlager, G, 3d, Mo. C, Woodbine.
C H Barrows, G, 45 Ill, Waverly, Iowa.
Thos Trevarthen, F, 96 Ill, Council Hill.
Lloyd Wardell, E, 96 Ill, Hanover.
Henry Birknell, F, 96 Ill, Galena.
C W Meyer, F, 12 Ill, do
Thompson Leekley, D, 45, Ill, do
Theodore Hopp, A, 96 Ill, Schappville, Ill.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 21, 1887 – picnic/croquet

Picnicers.

One of the largest and most enjoyable picnics of the season was held last Wednesday on the beautiful picnicing grounds at Millbrig, near the mill of Wm. Bell & Co. It was a royal occasion in the way of pleasure to all who availed themselves of the privilege to attend. Various games and amusements were the order of the day and were participated in and enjoyed by both young and old. Messrs. John Dallyn, of Vinegar Hill, and Thomas Trevarthen, of Council Hill, won fresh laurels and demonstrated very clearly that they were the champion croquet players.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 20, 1888 – birth of twins?

Note: there is no mention of twins or any child with this birthdate in his or his wife's obituary, so not sure if this is another family – or if they did not survive?

Mr. Thomas Trevarthen, of Council Hill, is the proudest and happiest man in Jo Daviess county. Twins—a boy and a girl—arrived at his home, on Friday, March 16. They and the mother are doing well.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 25, 1888 – visiting in Galena

Mr. Thos. Redfearn and Mr. Thos. Trevarthen, of Council Hill, were in the city Wednesday.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 7, 1889 – birth of daughter Mae

Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen, of Council Hill township, presented her husband on Saturday evening with a beautiful little daughter.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 13, 1889 – wife's illness

Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen, of Council Hill, who has been seriously ill, is convalescing.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 2, 1889 – visiting in Galena

Thos. Trevarthen, of Council Hill, was in town to-day.

**Galena Daily Gazette – September 12, 1889 – veteran's reunion
(partial list only)**

THE ROLL OF HONOR.

The Veterans Who Registered at the Elizabeth Reunion.

The following veterans registered at headquarters at the Elizabeth reunion. The list includes 200 names but does not represent all who were present, as there were quite a number who failed to register:

Chas Shaw, I 96.....	Elizabeth.
Calvin Turner, A 96.....	Savanna.
Simon Singer, D 8 Cav.....	Galena.
Jos Bower, F 12.....	Galena.
Thos Trevarthen, F 96.....	Gouncil Hill.
G E Foyt, A 33 Wis.....	Galena.
Jno P Schartz, A 2, N Y.....	Galena.
Otho Morris, I 96.....	Galena.
Nick Hubacher, A 15.....	Galena.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 1, 1889 – trading in Galena

Among others who did trading in Galena Thursday were Andrew J. McCormick, of Sweet Home; Wm. Thomas, of Hazel Green; E. S. Wartnaby, of White Oak Springs; August Westphal, of Hanover; Mrs. U. S. Clay and Mrs. S. S. Parker, of Stockton; Messrs. George and Thos. Trevarthen, of Council Hill;

Galena Daily Gazette – January 10, 1890 – wagon damage

The Franklin street crossing on Main street is in a bad condition. The front axle of Thos. Trevarthen's wagon was broken to-day by the jump in the gutter and yesterday the springs of two buggies were broken at the same place. The

Galena Daily Gazette – May 26, 1890 – murder trial/witness

SHOT DEAD.

John Quillam Murdered on
Main Street Saturday Night.

PARTICULARS OF THE TRAGEDY.

The Murderer a Young Stranger--Funeral
of the Victim.

Four murders in one year, to the month, is the unenviable record which Jo Daviess County presents to the world. It has been a matter of congratulation among court officials and other good citizens that the May term of court was to be an exception to its three predecessors, inasmuch that no murder trial would stain the records. But at the eleventh hour another murderous shot has been fired, another victim has fallen and another individual is held to answer for steeping his hands in the life-blood of another. But the stage on which the tragedy was enacted is a new one. Instead of in the remote country districts, it has been the case with every murder committed in the county for more than thirty years, it occurred on the public thoroughfare of Galena, almost in the heart of the city and before the Saturday evening bustle had subsided.

The victim was John Quillam, a young man 23 years of age, the second son of William Quillam, living near Fourth street, on the East Side, and a brother-in-law of E. C. Smedley, president of the National Iron Works of Dubuque. The murderer is a beardless stranger of nineteen, giving the name of Vinton Ross, and who has been in the neighborhood for several weeks, calling under the alias of John Dixon. The unfortunate victim was employed at the National Iron Works in Dubuque and about 8 o'clock Saturday evening came over on a freight train to spend Sunday with his parents. He stopped at the water-works for a few minutes to see his younger brother. Happening to fall in with some companions, they crossed to Main street and visited several saloons. Finally at an up-town saloon they met young Ross, who was in company with a young fellow named Harry Whippe, living in Galena. After some words in the saloon, Quillam and his companion went out and a few minutes later Ross followed. Young Whippe made some remark to Quillam which was answered by a blow on the eye. In the meantime Ross and one of Quillam's companions

were arguing in the doorway, when Quillam stepped up and struck Ross on the neck with his fist. Without a word Ross whipped out his revolver and shot. The ball entered Quillam's breast and the unfortunate young fellow staggered backward, clasping his hand to his wound. As he fell he was caught by his companion, who held him while the blood gushed from his mouth and nose and from the wound in his breast. He never spoke but once after being shot.

"My God! He's shot. Run for a doctor," exclaimed his companion, and the dying man murmured inarticulately "It's no use, I'm done for." He could say no more, for the life-blood gushed in great quantities from his mouth and nose, stifling his words. The spot where the shooting occurred was on the corner of Main and Perry streets and a big pool of blood marked the spot where he fell. From there he was borne in the arms of his companions to the City Hotel office, where he was laid on a cot and where life left him, within five minutes after the fatal shot was fired. Dr. H. T. Godfrey arrived just as he was making his last gasp. The body was removed to the undertaking establishment of Armbruster & Ross, near by, where it was prepared for burial and where it remained until the inquest was held. The bullet entered the upper part of the breast, exactly in the centre, and piercing the sternum, took a diagonal course through the aorta and right lung. It lodged about three inches below the right shoulder-blade in the back, just beneath the skin, and was cut out by the undertaker next morning. The bullet was from a 38 calibre revolver and the wound was large enough to admit a man's finger. So close was the range that the powder burned the victim's clothes.

WILD EXCITEMENT

followed the shooting, and within a few minutes a crowd of several hundred men and boys were on the spot. The murderer stood immovable with the smoking weapon in his hand, until seized by ex-Alderman Owens, who delivered him up almost immediately to Officer Bohlen. "You don't need to handcuff me," he said when arrested, "I'll go, I did it in self-defense. He had no business to hit me." He was taken quietly and quickly by the officer to the city prison and locked up, before many realized what had happened. The crowd in the streets grew, and before ten minutes had elapsed hundreds of men were surging in front of the hotel where lay the dead body, while many more gathered around the prison.

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Galena Daily Gazette – May 26, 1890 – murder trial (continued)

When the news reached the street that Quillam was dead angry exclamations were heard on every hand and many a dark suggestion of lynching was heard. Had there been one bold spirit in the crowd to take the lead, the murderer would never have reached the jail.

State's Attorney Hodson realized the importance of getting the prisoner to a more secure place and demanded his delivery to Sheriff McDonald. When it was learned that he was to be moved the crowd made for the Toombs, all anxious to see the prisoner and many ready to take him from the law. While they poured down Hill street and onto the Market Square Sheriff McDonald and other officials quietly took the prisoner out and up Perry street, to Bench, and thus to the jail, where he was soon safely lodged.

Word of the tragedy was sent to Quillam's family and his distracted brother and father were soon on the scene, and they were objects of general pity as they gave free vent to their feelings in the

Ross be held for murder. The developments at the inquest were about as related above, but were furnished by one witness. William Crowley and James R. Brown, both railroad men and friends of Quillam, R. E. Calderwood, Dr. H. T. Godfrey and Sheriff McDonald were examined without adducing any evidence as to the circumstances that led to the killing. Harry Whippo was the most important witness and his story of the circumstances occurring before the shot were as above related. Whippo is a Galena boy and had fallen in with Ross that evening and the two were to have left for Omaha at 11 o'clock that night

excess of their grief. "My God! It will kill his poor mother," was the only tangible exclamation of the father as he bent over the lifeless body of his boy.

Coroner Perry was telephoned and arrived Sunday morning, when a jury was summoned and the inquest was held in the undertaker's office. The members of the jury were H. H. Swett, M. G. Hughes, A. Riegers, Wm. Kloth, H. Gronner and O. B. Upson. After hearing the testimony they rendered a verdict declaring that deceased had come to his death by a bullet wound inflicted by one Vinton Ross, and recommending that

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Galena Daily Gazette – May 26, 1890 – murder trial (continued)

THE MURDERER

was seen in the jail Sunday morning, and in response to many questions told the subjoined story of himself and of the killing. He is a fine featured and well built young man, apparently two or three years older than he claims to be, and the marks of dissipation are already visible on his face. He was excited and nervous, but told a straightforward story. He said: "My name is Vinton Ross, I am 19 years old and I came here about two months ago from Pemberton, Shelby county, Ohio. I was born and raised there, attending school until my father died, when I was fifteen. My mother died before him and I have no relatives but a step-mother and two half-sisters, who live there. I have worked at painting and paper hanging. Came here directly from home and went to Millbrig on a freight train the day I reached Galena. There I met Thomas Trevarthen with whom I engaged to work. I worked with him until Saturday, when he paid me what was due, about \$16, and I came to Galena with him, intending to leave for Omaha that night. I had been in Galena several times before and once had soaked my revolver for \$1.25. Tom Bastian took out the revolver and kept it until Saturday, when I got it from him as I was going away. I left my clothes at Trevarthen's, intending to send for them later. In the evening I met Mr. Whippo and we went up town together.

Went into a saloon and had a few drinks and I walked to the lunch counter. After eating I was picking my teeth with my knife when a fellow who was with the man I shot came up and said "You'd better put up that knife. We don't want any of that around here." I had never seen any of them before, but laughed and put away the knife. A little later I was again picking my teeth, when the same fellow approached and said, "G—d d—n you, will you douse that knife." He took a cheese-knife from the counter and poked it at me, to scare me I suppose. I put away the knife again and said, "If you fellows want a treat come on," as I thought that's what they were after.

Whippo said, "you're a d—n fool if you treat. They've set you for a dead mark," and I didn't treat. Shortly afterward they went out and in a few minutes we went out too. They were standing outside and Whippo said to the man I shot, "Don't say anything to him. He's loaded," and the other fellow hit him.

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Galena Daily Gazette – May 26, 1890 – murder trial (continued)

Then the one who had talked to me before came up and dared me to fight, I told him I didn't know him and had nothing against him and wouldn't fight. While we were arguing the man I shot came up and hit me under the ear. I pulled my revolver and shot him. I didn't think I had killed him. I shot in self-defense. The officers told me I had \$10.80 when arrested. That was all I had except the revolver.

"Did you give your right name when you hired with Mr. Trevarthen," he was asked.

"No, they called me Johnnie Diston."

"What led you to adopt an alias?"

"I don't know. It was a mere fancy."

"Had you ever been in trouble before?"

"I never was locked up before in my life, and never before harmed any one."

"Why did you carry a revolver?"

"I carried it as any one naturally would going on a journey—for self protection."

"Have you given any other false name since coming here?"

"I gave the name of John Diston and gave my right name to the officer last night. I never used another."

When Ross had concluded his story to the reporter Sheriff McDonald, who stood by, remarked, "That corroborates Whippo's story as to the killing, in every particular."

Although sentiment was altogether against the murderer Saturday night and Sunday morning, it is now admitted that he had some provocation, but it is argued that in a public street with many abroad, and when neither of those who he alleges assailed him had weapons of any kind, that he should not have been so quick in drawing a gun. The worst point against Ross is that he gave a false name on coming here, and it is predicted that it will be found that he has been in hiding for other crimes. It is also argued against him that a man of his trade, he being a paper-hanger, and an expert one according to Mr. Trevarthen—would not go into the country to work for low wages as a farm laborer at a season when men of his trade were most in demand. The belief is held by many that this is not the first crime of which Ross is guilty.

He has no friends nor means and if he pleads not guilty on the ground of self-defense, as he stoutly affirmed that he would, his defense must be conducted by an attorney appointed by the court.

THE MURDER TRIAL.

Vinton Ross Testifies in His Own Behalf.

The Trial Drawing Rapidly to a Close.

The circuit court room has held to-day such a crowd of onlookers as only a murder trial can draw. The Ross case is nearing the jury rapidly and the testimony will probably all be in before court adjourns to-night. The prosecution's witnesses had all been examined and the defense begun at 11 o'clock to-day. There were several ladies in the court room, and John Quillam's father, mother and sisters were attentive listeners to the testimony this afternoon.

While quite a number of witnesses have been examined the bulk of the testimony had no direct bearing on the circumstances of the murder, and the verdict must hinge on the testimony of four witnesses—Harry Whippo, Jas. Brown, Will Crowley and Ross himself.

Thomas Trevarthen, for whom Ross worked under the alias of John Distin, gave testimony favorable to the defendant, inasmuch as he said he had seen nothing in his behavior but what was good. Ross hired with him in February and worked faithfully until his time was out on the 24th of May. He paid him off that day and saw him last on the evening before the shooting.

Joe Bastian, of Council Hill, testified to having taken Ross' revolver out of pawn and giving it to him between 7 and 8 on the night of the murder.

Vinton Ross was acquitted of murder by a jury assembled in the office of the Galena Hotel last night. The murder trial was the topic of conversation and argument waxed so warm that it was decided to form a jury and try the case. Landlord Sughroue presided and no less a personage than the foreman of the late grand jury acted as clerk. After each one present told his version of the crime and the attorneys made their pleas, the judge delivered his charge, the jury retired and on the second ballot acquitted the prisoner.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 6, 1890 – son's accident (Willam is older one and Joseph the younger one)

Cut With a Corn Knife.

Two children of Thomas Trevarthen, of Council Hill, aged 7 and 4 years, were at play Monday afternoon when the elder accidentally struck the other with a corn knife which he held in his hand. The sharp blade penetrated the knee-joint, making a wound which will never heal, the knee-pan being permanently injured. Dr. Kittoe was quickly summoned and made the child as comfortable as possible, but the unfortunate little fellow will be a cripple for life.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 11, 1890 – son Joseph's injury

The little son of Thomas Trevarthen, of Council Hill, who was cut on the knee by a corn-knife the other day has undergone an operation at the hands of Dr. E. R. Kittoe by which it is hoped to make the limb serviceable once more.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 14, 1890 – accident/injury to Thomas and his mother

Injured in a Runaway.

The aged mother of Thomas Trevarthen, of Council Hill, was badly injured in a runaway accident Wednesday evening. She and her son were in an open vehicle driving from their home to Council Hill Station, when just as they were on the steepest part of the decline, the breeching-strap broke, frightening the horse, which was a young animal and he dashed down the hill at a break-neck rate, demolishing the vehicle after throwing out both its occupants. Mr. Trevarthen was not severely injured but his mother was badly bruised and was stunned by the fall. She was attended last night by Drs. Godfrey and Kittoe, of Galena.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 15, 1890 – injury updates

The injuries suffered by Mrs. Trevarthen in the runaway accident Wednesday evening will result in her permanent disablement, if indeed they do not hasten her death. Her injuries consisted of a deep cut on the knee, affecting the knee-pan, and the dislocation of three ribs, which were broken from both the spine and sternum. The lady is 73 years of age and the shock of the accident alone was sufficient to prostrate her. Her son Thomas escaped better, his injuries consisting of the dislocation of the thumb and a finger of one hand and a cut under the chin. Only a week ago one of his children suffered an injury to the knee which threatened to cripple him for life, but he is improving nicely. Dr. Kittoe attended Mrs. Trevarthen again to-day.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 20, 1890 – accident article

FROM COUNCIL HILL.

Correspondence of the Galena Gazette:

Council Hill, Aug. 19.—A serious runaway accident occurred at Council Hill Station on the evening of the 13th, in which Grandma Trevarthen and her son Thomas miraculously escaped instant death. Thomas was taking his mother home, after making his family a pleasant visit, and while descending the station hill the harness became detached from the shafts, allowing the buggy to run against the horse, causing him to become uncontrollable, and he dashed down the hill at break-neck speed. They were thrown from the buggy with violent force on to the railroad crossing at the depot, and were found insensible by parties who immediately came to their assistance. The old lady received internal injuries from which it was feared she would not recover, but at the present writing hopes are being entertained by Dr. Kiltoe, her attending physician, and others, that she will ultimately recover. The unfortunates were taken to the hospitable home of J. B. Parkins, Esq., where Mrs. Trevarthen will be necessitated to remain for several weeks. Mr. Trevarthen was not so seriously injured, he having received a dislocated thumb and one leg badly cut, together with being badly shaken by the fall, but is at present able to be out.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 22, 1890 – mother's injury update

Mrs. Trevarthen, who was injured at Council Hill last week, has so much improved that she was removed to her home to-day from J. B. Parkins' house, where she had been since the accident.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 30, 1890 – another horse accident

A SERIOUS RUNAWAY.

Thomas Trevarthen Has Another Accident.

Thomas Trevarthen, of Council Hill, is having more than his share of misfortunes just at present. Two weeks ago he and his aged mother were badly injured in a runaway accident near that station, and only a week before his little boy was cut with a corn-knife so badly that it was feared he would be crippled for life. Last night Mr. Trevarthen experienced another runaway. He was driving home from Galena about 6 o'clock when the breaking of a bolt, just as he was at Hughlett's bridge, north of the city, allowed the single-trees to drop on the horse's heels. They plunged forward and ran only about forty rods when Mr. Trevarthen was thrown out. He was stunned by the fall and was to all appearances dead when found, but revived after a little. Louis Schaber and G. W. Redfearn happened to be on the road at the time and hastened to his assistance. He was taken home in Mr. Redfearn's wagon and medical assistance summoned. Several ribs were found broken and he had suffered other injuries of a lighter nature. The horses did not run far, being brought to a halt by the overturning of the wagon.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 6, 1890 – injury updates

Thos. Trevarthen, who was injured in a runaway accident last week is rapidly recovering. His aged mother, who suffered serious injuries some weeks ago, is also improving.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 11, 1891 – birth of son Harry

A young gentleman arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Trevarthen, of Council Hill, last night.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 8, 1892 – marriage of brother Frank

A HAPPY BRIDAL.

Wedding of Miss Mary Bell and Mr. Frank Trevarthen.

The pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. William Bell, at Millbrig, was the scene of an auspicious wedding Thursday evening, when their daughter, Mary Isabel, became the wife of Mr. Frank Trevarthen.

The ceremony was solemnized in the presence of a large and brilliant assemblage of invited guests. It began promptly on the stroke of seven, when the wedding party entered the tastefully decorated parlors to the inspiring music of Mendelssohn's wedding march, which was artistically rendered by Mrs. W. M. Jackson. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. S. J. Yundt, rector of Grace church, the beautiful and impressive ring service of the Episcopal church being used. The bride was given away by her father. The bride was attired in an elegant costume of cream silk. She was attended by her sister, Miss Ida Bell, and Miss Trevarthen. Messrs. George Bastian and Will Bell supported the bridegroom.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the congratulations of the company were bestowed upon the happy young couple and a pleasant and social time and a bounteous feast followed. The bride was the recipient of a large number of elegant presents. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Fiddick, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Fughlett, Mrs. John Fiddick, Mrs. W. M. Jackson and Miss Etta Fiddick, of Galena, and Mrs. Wilde and daughter, of Sioux Rapids, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Trevarthen were driven to the city and took the midnight train on the Central for St. Louis. They will make a tour of the South, after which they will go to housekeeping on the farm of the groom in Guilford township.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 15, 1892 – host of social/supper

The social and supper given by the Epworth League of Millbrig on the evening of March 10th was a complete success. It was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Trevarthen, and despite bad weather and roads there was a large attendance. A pleasing program of songs and recitations was admirably carried out. The Millbrig Quartette, composed of Messrs. R. G. Newsom, Herbert Dallyn, B. L. and T. A. Birkbeck rendered several excellent selections. After the music and literary exercises a sumptuous supper was served. The guests attested their appreciation of

the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Trevarthen by a unanimous vote of thanks.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 3, 1893 – brother buys family farm

Frank Trevarthen has bought the Trevarthen homestead farm in Council Hill for \$13,000.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 10, 1893 – family at world's fair

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trevarthen and the Misses Phillipae and Lizzie Trevarthen were visitors at the world's fair last week.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 10, 1894 – trip to Wisconsin

Thomas Trevarthen and Will Bethel called on friends at Platteville and Lancaster last week.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 28, 1894 – visiting in-laws in Galena

Mr. Thomas Trevarthen and wife came over from Council Hill and spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dower.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 6, 1894 – daughter Grace visiting in Apple River

One of our future young ladies, Miss Grace Trevarthen has returned home after an extended visit with relatives at Apple River.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 24, 1895 – daughter Grace illness

Grace Trevarthen, daughter of T. Trevarthen, is very sick.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 24, 1896 – social host

There is to be a "Who Am I" sociable under the auspices of the Asbury League at Milbrig, Tuesday evening, Feb. 4, at the commodious home of Mr. Thomas Trevarthen. An interesting program will be rendered and a social lunch will be served for a tax of ten cents. A hearty welcome will be extended and every effort will be made to insure those who attend an enjoyable evening.

Galena Daily Gazette - April 22, 1896 – school board position

The school election in this town on Saturday, the 18th inst, passed off quietly, no opposition being made anywhere. A. W. Liddle was elected director in District No. 5. Gilbert Manley was elected at the Rock school house; at Millbrig, George Zeal was elected to succeed himself, and Thomas Trevarthen was elected to fill vacancy. We are surprised and pained

Galena Daily Gazette – June 27, 1896 – well drilled for water

J. S. Stover has drilled a well for Thos. Trevarthen of Council Hill and obtained an excellent flow of water.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 26, 1897 – convention delegate

Mr. T. Trevarthen was a delegate to the convention held in Galena last week.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 17, 1897 – creamery director

MILLBRIG.

At the annual election of creamery officers held May 3rd, the old board was re-elected, Mr. T. Trevarthen taking the place of the late Geo. Zeal. The board now consists of the following gentlemen: President, Wm. Bell, Sr., secretary, Wm. Stacy; treasurer, K. A. Neusom; directors, T. Birbeck, Geo. Mann, John Graham and T. Trevarthen. The secretary's report shows that the past year has been a fairly good one in the creamery business and several thousands of dollars has been brought into the country through this medium. Mr. Turpin is making a fine grade of butter but the demand of this grade is greater than he can supply.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 26, 1897 – picnic/horse race

RARE FIELD DAY SPORT.

Annual Harvest Picnic of St. Michael's Church Proves an Unqualified Success.

Dr. P. F. Kittoe's pony, with ebony cheeked Fred Gross astride won the one mile running race, Thos. Trevarthen's horse taking second prize.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 6, 1897 – soldier's reunion

Mr. and Thos. Trevarthen attended the soldiers' reunion at Stockton last Thursday.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 27, 1898 – host of sleighride/party

A Trip to the Country.

The pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Trevarthen near Council Hill was the center of attraction for a very large party of their friends Wednesday evening. A merry party from Galena were among those present. With the exception of Mr. and Mrs. A. Childs the Galena party was made up of the clerks from John Fiddick's store as follows: Misses Mary Fritz, Emma Tohill, Anna Kraus, Lizzie Maxeiner and Katie Keating, Messrs. Frank Hughlett, Will Cogan and Joseph Brown. About seventy-five persons were in attendance and a most delightful evening was spent in playing such games as "Miller Boy," "Scissors", etc. To the Galena party the sleighride was one of the most enjoyable features of the occasion.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 11, 1898 – visiting Galena

James P. Walsh and Thos. Trevarthen of Council Hill were guests at the Lawrence House Thursday night.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 3, 1898 – hogs for shipment

Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill brought in a number of fine hogs for shipment to-day. A large number of hogs came in to day from various parts of the country. The best price paid was \$3.70 per hundred weight.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 16, 1898 – list of soldiers – Thomas and brother John

NOT THE ONLY DISTRICT.

Ford School in Guilford Was Patriotic.

There appeared in the last week's GAZETTE an item from Derinda that the rural Kellar school district in that township furnished eleven soldiers, who attended school in that district, for the Union army during the war. Now there is a rural district out here in the township of Guilford that can knock that all hollow. District No. 2, known as the Ford school, sent nineteen of its patriotic boys to fight for the Union. Here are the names:

Wm. Curtis,	Geo. Curtis,
C. Rouse,	E. Wilson,
F. Shap,	J. Rodda,
S. Bastian,	J. Bastian,
T. Bastian,	T. Trevarthen,
J. Trevarthen,	S. Singer,
Wm. Trudgian,	H. Kearns,
O. Kearns,	J. Gear,
J. H. Pooley,	Wm. Combellick,
J. Hill.	

Three of those boys never came back to their homes again. Six were wounded, but not a one was taken prisoner by the rebs. One teacher, Jos. Leekley, also died on the field of battle.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 28, 1898 – business in Galena

Thomas Redfearn and Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill transacted business in Galena to-day.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 11, 1898 – son William's accident/death

WM. TREVARTHEN KILLED.

Is Struck by a Falling Haypole
This Forenoon and Expires
Almost Instantly.

The Sad Accident Occurs in the Pres-
ence of His Family Who are Nearly
Prostrated With Grief.

A terribly sad accident occurred on the farm of Thomas Trevarthen about six miles northeast of this city this forenoon by which his son, William, was instantly killed.

The young man was assisting in stacking hay in the field and had charge of the hay fork which transfers the hay from the ground to the stack. The machinery of the fork was supported by two long poles fastened together at the top and held in position by guy ropes. While pulling up a load of hay one of the guy ropes suddenly snapped, allowing the poles to fall forward. From some reason the young man failed to notice that the poles were falling in time to make his escape and was struck on the side of the head with fearful force, knocking him to the earth with great violence. Those standing near rushed to his assistance and his father raised him to a sitting posture, but he was limp and unconscious and showed no signs of life. All efforts made to resuscitate him proved unavailing and it soon dawned on the horror-struck parents that their boy was dead.

He had received the force of the blow on the side of the head, lacerating the scalp and splitting his chin. It also appeared that his neck was broken and that death had been almost instantaneous. He was nearly eighteen years of age and a young man most highly esteemed among a wide circle of acquaintances. The deeply afflicted family are not alone in their sorrow. The whole community is greatly shocked by his sudden and untimely death. He carried a policy of insurance for \$1,000, in the New York Life which he had taken out about a year ago.

The funeral will be held to-morrow (Tuesday) afternoon at 3 o'clock from his late home in Council Hill.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 13, 1898 – son William's funeral

The funeral of William Trevarthen, who met death last Monday forenoon under a falling haypole, was held at the family residence near Millbrig on Tuesday afternoon, Rev. O. J. Simmons, pastor of the M. E. church at Council Hill, officiating. Interment was made in the Grant Hill cemetery. A very large attendance at the solemn services bore silent witness to the high regard in which the young man was held in the community. A number attended from Galena.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 26, 1898 – son William's death/letter

OBITUARY.

William T. Trevarthen.

William Thomas Trevarthen, the eldest son of Thomas and Mary Trevarthen, was born at Millbrig, Ill., January 6, 1881. The time and manner of his sad and sudden death will be long remembered by his relatives and friends. On the morning of July 11, 1898, he, with his father, younger brothers, and John Hull who is in the employ of Mr. Trevarthen, went to the hayfield. All went well until about 10:30 a. m., when the haypoles, which they were using, fell, striking Willie, resulting in instantaneous death. It was an awful moment! The horror-struck father was at his side instantly, but too late to get the shortest message from the beloved son. Mr. Trevarthen held Willie in his arms while a message was dispatched to bring a vehicle and to inform the mother of the dreadful accident. It was but a short time before there were neighbors and friends gathered at the home to do what could be done for the sorrow-stricken family. Willie's death was, indeed, a shock to the entire community. He was an energetic young man, ambitious to make the best of everything about the beautiful home and farm, and a favorite in a large circle of friends. The day previous to his death he attended all the services of Asbury church and it was remarked by his friends that he looked particularly well and seemed joyous and happy. Little did we think when we

left the evening service that in a few short hours we would see him resting in the eternal sleep. Willie was a tall, manly youth for his years, of pleasing appearance and courteous manner, tenderly loving his home, his parents, sisters and brothers. Of a quiet and modest disposition, yet ever ready to greet his friends with a sincere and cordial welcome and a cheery hospitality.

The funeral services were held at the family residence July 12th at 8 o'clock, Rev. O. J. Simmons conducting them. A very appropriate and comforting address was given founded upon the beautiful passage of scripture, "Cast thy burden on the Lord and He shall sustain thee." Three hymns were sung by friends of the deceased. After the services the remains were taken to Grant Hill cemetery and tenderly laid to rest. The cortege was one of the longest ever seen in this vicinity. The beautiful white casket was covered with floral offerings, which was especially appropriate as Willie was a great lover of flowers and often wore a beautiful blossom on the lapel of his coat. At the cemetery the members of the Sunday school marched in a body, carrying the flowers which could not be placed on the casket, leaving them at his grave. Words at a time like this are utterly inadequate to express one's sympathy, but on this occasion the friends expressed their feelings in action and did all that could be done for the comfort and convenience of the family, for which Mr. and Mrs. Trevarthan desire to return their heartfelt thanks. FRIEND.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 12, 1898 – business visit in Galena

Wm. Thomas of Hazel Green, W. H. Roberts of Scales Mound, Charles Keller of Guilford, Joseph Longbotham of Platteville, Frank Trevarthan of Scales Mound and Thos. Trevarthen of Council Hill were business callers in this city on Thursday last.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 31, 1898 – year end death list

July 11.—Wm. Trevarthen killed by a falling hay derrick near Council Hill, aged 18 years.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 31, 1898 – birth of son John Raymond

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill are the proud parents of a fine baby boy who arrived at their home at an early hour this morning. Mother and child are doing well.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 10, 1899 – business in Galena

Richard Hogan, Mr. and Mrs. John Laird and Thomas Trevarthen were business callers in this city on Monday last from Council Hill.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 11, 1899 – horse sale

Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill recently sold to Mrs. William Fiddick of this city a very fine driving horse for which he received a neat sum of money.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 13, 1899 – visiting Galena after trip to Wisconsin

Thomas Trevarthen, one of the substantial farmers of Council Hill township, was in Galena Tuesday afternoon enroute home from a couple of weeks' visit with friends at Sparta and La Crosse, Wis. While at Sparta he was the guest of Mr. Thomas Hobson, a member of THE GAZETTE family and one of the most widely known and esteemed citizens in that section of the Badger state. While at LaCrosse Mr. Trevarthen spent several days as the guest of Henry Combellick who is nicely situated in business there.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 24, 1900 – attends graduation with daughters Jennie and Grace

T. Trevarthen and daughters Jennie and Grace attended the graduating exercises at Hazel Green Friday evening.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 24, 1900 – visits with friends

Miss Grace Trevarthen returned home from Galena Saturday, after spending several days with friends and relatives in that city.

Mrs. Thos. Trevarthen visited with friends at Scales Mound this week.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 29, 1900 – soldier's reunion

COUNCIL HILL.

Messrs. Gray, Temperly and Trevarthen, old soldiers attended the reunion in Chicago Monday.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 28, 1900 – sister-in-law's death

Thomas H. Trevarthen and sister of Council Hill have returned from Whitten, Iowa, where they were called to attend the funeral of their brother John's wife.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 19, 1900 – sister-in-law's death

OBITUARY.

Mary Jane Alderson.

Mary Jane Alderson was born in Benton, Lafayette county, Wisconsin, July 23, 1844, and died at her home in Whitten, Iowa, Sept. 22, 1900, being 56 years, 1 month and 29 day old. In 1847 she came with her parents to Council Hill, Ill., near Galena. On Sept. 11, 1869, she was married to John Trevarthen, and in 1871 she came with her husband to Grundry county, Iowa. To this union was born two children, both of whom died in infancy. All these years of married life she has been truly a helpmeet and a friend beloved. Being a woman of broad sympathies and charitable feelings, she has endeared herself to the many who are her friends. She leaves her husband, a son with his wife and two children, one sister and two brothers to mourn her untimely demise.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 24, 1901 – visiting in Galena

Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill was a guest at the Lawrence House on Tuesday of this week.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 29, 1901 – grand jury jail review

The grand jury would respectfully report that they have examined the jail and inquired into the care and management of the prisoners therein. They would report that they find the jail clean and the prisoners well provided for. They would however recommend that the jail be made more secure by protecting the windows in the same with bars or otherwise in order to prevent prisoners from being able to escape therefrom as readily in case they should work their way out of the ce'ls or corridors.

Signed; Henry W Koehler, Foreman. C B Doran and Louis Fablinger Clerks, Thos Trevarthen, George Dittmar Sr, George Edwards, Samuel H Miller, Michael Nolan, J H Perry, L J Johnson, Chas Phillips, John Heer, W H Toms, C J Schaftmayer, J H Levins, Herman Handfelt, W J White, Geo Specker.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 1, 1901 – soldier's reunion (partial list)

List of Old Soldiers and Sailors
Who Attended the Reunion
at Stockton.

Jacob Bowden, E, 147 Ill.
H. Miller, G, 72 Ill.
Joe Vick, H, 96 Ill.
T. Davey, Co. E, 96 Ill.
J. Arnold, A, 48 Ill.
O. H. Olmstead, G, 31 Mo. cav.
Edw. Weirick, G 1 Pa. batt., Stockton.
T. Trevarthen, F, 96 Ill., Galena.
B. F. Keene, B, 25 Ohio, Hanover.
Owen Hughes, I, 96 Ill., Woodbine.
L. Wessinger, G, 42 Ill., Lena.
Alfred Bowden, K, 12 Ill., Hanover.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 17, 1901 – father-in-law's bday

Mr. Thomas Dower of this city celebrated his 83d birthday by holding a family picnic on the fair grounds on Friday afternoon. The members of the party were the daughters and sons of him who was thus honored, and included the following-named persons: Mr. J. W. Wilcox of Scales Mound; Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen, Mrs. Albert Bastian, Mrs. Herman Kuchemann, Joseph, William and Samuel Dower. These and their families were present, each individual contributing a share to the season of real enjoyment of an appropriate nature.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 22, 1901 – visit in Scales Mound

Thomas Trevarthen and wife, highly honored people residing on a large farm of their own near Millbrig, had an enjoyable visit with 'Squire J. W. Wilcox last Tuesday.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 5, 1901 – trip with daughter Jennie

Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill township, and daughter, Miss Jennie took their departure to-day over the Burlington for various points in southern Wisconsin to visit friends, among them being Thomas Hobson, an old veteran of the civil war who resides near Cassville. Mr. Trevarthen is also an old soldier and participated in lots of hard service with Mr. Hobson.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 24, 1902 – mother's family article

MAY PROVE A NEW RECORD.

Claims of Bastian Family to
Greatest Longevity Not Like-
ly to be Disputed.

Combined Ages of Four Brothers and
Two Sisters Living Within a Radius
of Two Miles Total 508 Years.

Galena, which has been famous for so many things, may safely lay claim to possessing a family whose combined ages for the number comprising the same exceed that of any other family of like size. The Chicago papers contain this morning the portraits of the four male members of the Bastian family referred to, whose ages exhibit the striking total of 343 years, the individual ages being: John, 93; Stephen, 90; Thomas, 81 and Henry 77 years. Two sisters, Mrs. Jane Trevarthen, aged 85, and Mrs. Philpa Fiddick, aged 80, complete the family and bring the grand total to 508 years, making the average age for the group nearly eighty-five years. All enumerated enjoy fair health and look forward to many more years of life. They descend from a line of hardy ancestors and like many of the pioneers of this section were born in Cornwall, England. It is doubtful if a duplicate of this record for longevity can be presented by any other city in the country. Stephen is the father of John Bastian, landlord of the Logan House, with whom he resides.

Of the four brothers referred to above Stephen and Thomas came to this county in the spring of 1840. They sailed from Falmouth, England, on the "Royal-Adelaide" and after many weeks landed at the port of New York. From there they made the journey across country by canal and road to the Ohio river, then down that stream to the Mississippi and up the Father of Waters to Galena, where they arrived in the month of May. They immediately purchased a quarter section of land in East Galena on which they lived for many years. Later their pa-

rents and the rest of the family came over to America and also settled in East Galena, and on the family homestead the parents died, the father, John Bastian, in 1867, at the age of 84, the mother eight years prior at the age of 71. They were buried in East Galena near Miner's Chapel. John Bastian, the father, thus referred to, was the son of one John Bastian, who was born, lived and died in the Parish of Crowan, Cornwall. He was a farmer and died rich in years.

The Bastian family are thus to be numbered among the pioneer settlers of this county having lived here for more than three score years. They have been substantial people, good citizens and neighbors and have done their full share in the upbuilding of the lead region. Their lives have covered the progress of the century. They came to this country when there were few railways and fewer conveniences. They have lived to witness the marvels which make life more livable but their long lives indicate that modern utilities and improvements are not essential to longevity. Robust constitutions and normal living have no doubt contributed to lengthen their spans of life beyond that vouchsafed to the majority of mankind.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 18, 1902 – soldier's reunion (partial)

The following is the registry:
Wm. Vincent, captain, Co. A, 96th Ill., Galena.
George S. Avery, major, 3 Mo. Cav., Galena.
S. S. Berthick, private, Co. K, 96th Ill. Belmont, Wis.
Thomas H. Hodson, private, Co. E, 15th Ill., Galena.
Thomas Trevarthen, private, 96 Ill., Council Hill.
Otho Morris, pri., Co. I, 96 Ill., Galena.
John Edwards, private, Co. D, 45 Ill., Galena.
James Hicks, private, Co. K, 96 Ill., Warren.
George Foyt, private, Co. A, 83 Wis., Galena.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 23, 1902 – cemetery trustee

The owners of lots in Grant Hill cemetery met a couple of days ago to the number of twenty-five and proceeded to clean up the grounds, thus greatly improving the appearance of the place. A business meeting was also held and five trustees were elected as follows: R. M. Spensley, J. F. Leekley, K. A. Newsom, Thomas F. Birkbeck and Thomas Trevarthen.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 20, 1902 – family trip to Freeport

Landlord John Bastian and wife of the Logan House and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill returned last evening from Freeport where they spent three days with relatives and friends and incidentally attended the fair and carnival that were in progress there during the week. They state that the fair was a great success in every particular.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 19, 1902 – visitor from Wisconsin

Mr. Thomas Hobson of Sparta, Wis, is visiting his old comrade, Thos. Trevarthen at Millbrig and other friends in the neighborhood.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 12, 1902 – GAR officer

Officers Elected.

E. D. Kittoe Post at their regular meeting elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

Commander—Wm. Rippin.
Senior Vice Commander—T. H. Hodson.
Junior Vice Com.—Valentine Smith.
Quartermaster—Simon Singer.
Surgeon—Dr. H. T. Godfrey.
Chaplain—T. G. Drenning.
Officer of the Day—Lewis Shaber.
Officer of the Guard—Geo. Foyt.
Inside Guard—Otto Morris.
Outside Guard—Geo. LePert.
Trustees—Wm. Vincent, Thos. Redfearn,
Fred Leekley.
Judge Advocate—Geo. S. Avery.
Representative to State Encampment—
Thomas Trevarthen.
Alternate—Wm. Vincent.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 10, 1903 – visit in Apple River

Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill, has been spending the past several days visiting relatives and friends at Apple River.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 19, 1903 – business visit in Galena

Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill, was a business visitor in the city today.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 13, 1903 – host church social

A church social was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen in Council Hill township last Tuesday evening which was attended by nearly two hundred people. Music and song and refreshments in abundance made the occasion a notably enjoyable one.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 8, 1903 – trip to California

GO TO CALIFORNIA.

Several Galena People Take Their Departure ToDay.

A party of Galena people and others from this vicinity took their departure on the Illinois Central 12:28 train this afternoon for Los Angeles and San Francisco, Cal. Among these were Mrs. Williams of Hazel Green, William Plath, who has been visiting here and whose home is in California, William Dower and daughter of East Galena, Thomas Trevarthen and wife of Council Hill, William Tamblyn of Lupton, George Calle, Sr., and Capt. William Vincent of this city. A large party from Warren and neighborhood passed through here on the Central morning train bound for the same destination. The round trip to Los Angeles and back costs only \$50 and the ticket is good to return until October 15. Tickets at this rate can be purchased until August 14. The object of these low rates is to accommodate old soldiers who may desire to visit the National G. A. R. encampment to be held at San Francisco from August 17 to 22, inclusive.

**Galena Daily Gazette – September 28, 1903 – return from
California**

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill and Will Dower of East Galena arrived home on Saturday evening from a two months' sojourn on the Pacific coast during which they attended the National G. A. R., meeting at San Francisco. All three returned in good health and greatly pleased with their trip, but, nevertheless, Mr. Trevarthen thinks there is no place quite like home near old Galena.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 8, 1903 – business in Savanna

Thomas Trevarthen was in the city for a short time today while enroute to his home in Council Hill from a business visit at Savanna.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 7, 1903 – visiting with daughter Grace and son Joseph

Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill was among the numerous business visitors in the city on Saturday. Mr. Trevarthen accompanied by his daughter, Miss Grace, and son, Master Joseph, recently visited his old-time friend and comrade, Thomas Hobson, at Sparta, Wis. While there Mr. Trevarthen witness the marriage of a daughter of Mr. Hobson, Miss Cornelia Hobson, with Mr. Cyrus Pogue, a highly respected and progressive young man of that neighborhood. Mr. and Mrs. Pogue are a popular young couple and have a legion of friends to wish them a long, happy and prosperous married life. Though

Galena Daily Gazette – January 12, 1904 – death of uncle

OBITUARY.

John Bastian.

The funeral rites to the memory of the late pioneer settler of this county, John Bastian, were observed from the family residence in Guilford township to the Union Methodist church near by at one o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Bastian has long been a member of that church and will be greatly missed as a member of the congregation. The attendance of friends and neighbors at the services was large, a number being present from Galena, thus attesting in a silent manner the high regard and respect in which the venerable pioneer was held during his long and useful life. The services were conducted by Rev. D. F. Hardy of Council Hill who delivered a deeply impressive and instructive funeral sermon during which he paid fitting tribute to the many noble qualities of mind and heart of the subject before him. Numerous beautiful floral tokens of love from kindly hands were in evidence. At the conclusion of the services at the house and church the remains were conveyed to Miner's Chapel cemetery where they were gently laid to their final repose.

John Bastian died at the family home in Guilford township on Sunday evening, Jan. 9th, 1904. He was born in Crowan, Cornwall Co., England, Sept. 11, 1809, and died on Jan. 9th, 1904, aged 94 years, 3 months and 28 days. He married Ann Holman, who survives him, in England and came to this county in 1841. Part of his earlier life was spent in mining, at the same time clearing and cultivating the land on which he built the comfortable home in which he died.

He reared a large family of children, ten of whom grew to manhood and womanhood. Five of these have preceded their father to the grave. John who died in 1901; Mary Hocking in 1893; Thomas, who was killed in a boiler explosion in Nevada some years ago; Hester Swaney and Elizabeth Sincor were both married on the same day and both died at the age of 28 years, leaving young families.

Those who survive are: Sampson of Council Hill, Frank, of Tombstone, Arizona, and William, Annie and Orlando who reside at home. He is also survived by two brothers, Thomas of East Galena, and Henry of Guilford, and by two sisters, Mrs. Jane Trevarthen of Guilford, and Mrs. William Fiddick of Galena. When Mr. Bastian came to America they were eight weeks on the voyage. They came by way of the Hudson river and Erie canal to Buffalo and then by team from Chicago to Galena. Like all other pioneers he suffered many hardships and inconveniences that can hardly be comprehended in this luxurious age. He has always been a strong and vigorous man and until very recently has suffered very few of the ailments peculiar to old age. His face was round, plump and rosy with scarcely a wrinkle and with his snowy hair was indeed a beautiful old man. He was tenderly cared for in his last illness by his sons and daughter, Annie, and granddaughter, Charlotte Hocking, who have been untiring in their care of him and his aged wife who has been an invalid from paralysis since last spring.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 15, 1904 – GAR officer

**E. D. KITTOE POST
HOLDS INSTALLATION.**

Also Makes Arrangement for Annual Chicken Pie Supper.

At a regular meeting of E. D. Kittoe Post, G. A. R., was held at post headquarters on Thursday evening and among other business transacted the installation of officers for the ensuing term was held. Following is the present official roster.

Commander—William Rippin.
Senior Vice—Thomas H. Hodson.
Junior Vice—George Foyt.
Quartermaster—Simon Singer.
Surgeon—Henry T. Godfrey.
Adjutant—John Norton.
Chaplain—William Vincent.
Officer of the Day—Lewis Shaber.
Officer of the Guard—George LePert.
Inside Guard—Otho Morris.
Outside Guard—William Fisher.
Judge Advocate—George S. Avery.
Trustees—James F. Leekley, Thomas Redfean, Valentine Smith.
Sergeant Major—James F. Leekley.
Quartermaster Sergeant—Wm. Whippo.
Delegate to State Encampment—Thomas Trevarthen.
Alternate Delegate—John Norton.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 2, 1904 – trip to Springfield/GAR

G. A. R. State Encampment.

John Norton and Thos Trevarthen have returned from Springfield where they were in attendance at the annual state encampment of the G. A. R., as delegates from E. D. Kittoe Post.

They report a very large attendance at the encampment. During their visit at the Capital city many points of interest were visited and one in particular dear to every soldier of Illinois and that the war museum in the capital building wherein are preserved the regimental flags behind which they fought during the Civil War.

The encampment in 1905 will be held at Rockford which will enable the greater number of the veterans residing in northern Illinois to attend.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 24, 1904 – trip to Darlington/fair

Thos. Trevarthen drove down to Darlington with his fine span of horses in order to take in the Big White Fair this week.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 27, 1904 – trip with daughter

Mr. Thomas Trevarthen and daughter, Jennie, returned to-day after a pleasant overland trip to various points in Wisconsin. They visited Beloit and also attended the Mineral Point fair. They enjoyed the trip very much. Mr. Trevarthen says a beautiful new school building is being erected at Mineral Point at a cost of \$50,000.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 31, 1904 – daughter Mae's trip

Miss Mae Trevarthen is at home after having spent several weeks with relatives at Scales Mound.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 9, 1904 – soldiers escort

The body of Robert Allen, who was killed on the railroad between this city and Dubuque on Wednesday night was taken to Dubuque last evening, his brother of that city coming over for the same. Allen was an old soldier, having seen service in the Civil war, and as a mark of respect to their departed comrad the local post delegated a number of their body to escort the corpse to the train last evening. Those who performed this sad duty were: Commander, William Ripplin, Thomas Trevarthen, John Norton, Simon Singer and George LePert. It is understood that the funeral services were held this afternoon, interment being made in Dubuque.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 14, 1904 – wife/daughter trip

Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen and Miss Grace, are visiting relatives and friends in Kansas City.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 20, 1904 – visiting Galena

Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill was a Galena visitor this morning.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 27, 1904 – visiting with family

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Trevarthen and daughter, Miss Grace, were in the city to-day.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 26, 1904 – son Joseph to college

Thomas Trevarthen of Millbrig was in the city during the day. His son Joseph in company with Charles Bartell of Vinegar Hill left on the noon train for Epworth, Iowa, where they will enter a business college. Reuben

Galena Daily Gazette – March 24, 1905 – son/daughter visiting

Joseph and Grace Trevarthen of Council Hill were with friends in this village last Tuesday.

The Galena Tribune – June 22, 1905 – daughter visiting Galena

Miss Jennie Trevarthen of Council Hill is visiting friends in Galena

The Galena Tribune – August 16, 1905 – soldier's reunion (partial)

The following is a continued list of the veterans, who registered at headquarters on Tuesday.

Ills.				
J. Recker	..	..	E	7
Cav.				
T. Trevarthen	..	..	F	96
chf.				
Wm Tippett	..	..	A	96
chf				
T. E. Moore	..	..	I	96
Ills				
J. Leekley	..	..	D	45
Ills				

Galena Daily Gazette – September 23, 1905 – trip to Denver/GAR

Thos. Trevarthen and Party Return From G.A.R. Encampment.

Mr. Thomas Trevarthen and two daughters, Grace and Jennie, Mr. Samuel Dower and wife of Scales Mound, and Mrs. Emeline Kucheman of Galena, have returned home from attending the National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic held at Denver, Colo. The party also visited a number of points of interest in that state. Mr. Trevarthen was a member of the famous old 96 Reg. of Ill. which was recruited in this vicinity, and he had the pleasure of meeting thirty-six of his old comrades of this regiment. The attendance at the encampment was between 150,000 and 200,000, the largest number of visitors that the city of Denver ever entertained at one time.

The Galena Tribune – December 2, 1905 – trip to Wisconsin

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill have returned home from a trip through the central and northern part of Wisconsin.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 15, 1906 – GAR officer

OFFICERS ELECTED

By E. D. Kittos Post, G. A. R. at Recent Meeting.

The Annual business meeting of E. D. Kittos Post No. 502 G. A. R. was held on Thursday evening last, at which time the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Com. – Wm. Ripplin.
Sr. V. – Thos. H. Hodson.
Jr. V. – Valentine Smith.
Surg. – Dr. Geoffrey.
Chap. – Wm. Vincent.
Adj. – John Norton.
O. Day – James F. Leckley.
O. Guard – Otto Morris.
Serg. M. – Henry M. Cogan.
Q. M. Serg. – Geo. Lepert.
Delegates to State Encampment – Thomas Trevarthen; Alt., Thos. H. Hodson.

Meet at Wilbey Hall at 2 and 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon in each month. Officers enstalled by Past Commander Geo. S. Avery, mastering officer.

It was decided to the have chicken pie supper Feb. 8th, 1906.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 2, 1906 – visiting Galena

Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill was a Galena visitor to-day.

The Galena Tribune – March 17, 1906 – mother's illness

Mrs. William Trevarthen, an aged lady residing in Council Hill, is seriously ill.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 18, 1906 – daughter winters in Galena

Miss Grace Trevarthen who has been spending the winter in Galena has returned home.

The Galena Tribune – April 18, 1906 – sister Elizabeth's death

FUNERAL IS HELD

Remains of Miss Elizabeth Trevarthen Are Laid in the Tomb.

The funeral of Miss Elizabeth Trevarthen was held from her late home on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock and was largely attended, many being present from Scales Mound, Council Hill and Galena. Services were conducted by Rev. Storer of the Council Hill M. E. church, who spoke appropriately of the lovely character and useful life of the departed. Several beautiful selections were rendered by a quartet composed of Wallace Ford, Sherman Lupton, Mrs. Amos Ford and Mrs. Lupton.

The beautiful white casket that was almost hidden from view by the profusion of flowers was carried by four nephews and two cousins of the deceased, Joseph Trevarthen, Henry, Joe and George Lethlean, Orlando and Wilbur Bastian.

Among those who attended from this city were John Fiddick, Mr. and Mrs. John Bastian and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Horning, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Pascoe, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kucheman, Mrs. Jos. Dower and Joe Tippet.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 26, 1906- sister's death/tribute

The Late Miss Elizabeth Trevarthen.

Permit me, Mr. Editor, to occupy a small space in your valuable paper to speak of the merits of the late Miss Elizabeth Trevarthen who departed this life on Easter day and was laid to rest in the Union cemetery, near the church of that name on Tuesday, the 17th of April, 1906. She was the youngest daughter of William and Jane Trevarthen, who came to Jo Daviess county in the early days and settled in the neighborhood known as East Fork, which place has been the parental home of the members of the family ever since. Her father dying some 20 years ago and the majority of her brothers and sisters marrying and leaving home, the decedent, with her aged mother, and a sister lived in company with their brother, Frank, and his family until her death. She was gifted with an amiable disposition and a loving, kind heart, and

was respected by all who knew her. During her young life it was the privilege of the writer to be intimately acquainted with her, and it gives him great pleasure to testify of the regard and sincere friendship that not only existed between the families, who were near neighbors, but also for the personal esteem and kindly remembrance he has for her womanly and Christian virtues that was so manifest to all. But why should we regret the loss of our friends. They are only gone before, where they will meet and receive a glad and joyous welcome from the dear ones waiting on the other side, and will help to swell the chorus and add to the number who will be ready to receive and welcome us. Then let us live in hope as this short life with all of its disappointments and sorrows pass so swiftly away that we too ere long will share the pleasures and joys of their company forever in that eternal home of joy and rest. A FRIEND.

The Galena Tribune – April 27, 1906 – visiting Galena

Thos. Trevarthen, of Council Hill,
was in the city yesterday.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 12, 1906 – trip to Galesburg/GAR

**Several From Galena Attend State
G. A. R. Encampment.**

Capt. Wm. Vincent, Thos. Murry and Thos Trevarthen of Council Hill departed Monday afternoon for Galesburg where they will attend the G. A. R. encampment.

Galesburg is gay with decorations and the thousands of visiting comrades are assured of the heartiest welcome. Every train brings large delegations and already the hotels are crowded.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 15, 1906 – sister Elizabeth's obituary

OBITUARY.

Elizabeth Trevarthen.

Elizabeth Trevarthen was born in Guilford township in May, 1854, and died April 15, 1906, aged 52 years. She was of a happy, cheerful disposition, gentle and considerate of all. She was especially fond of children and was never more happy than when doing something for their amusement or comfort. She had the rare faculty of knowing what to do at the right time. She was always ready to help in time of sickness or sorrow and many a home in the neighborhood has been brightened and many a care lessened by her tender and gentle assistance in times of sickness and death. Her's was a social nature. She enjoyed herself among old and young. She dearly loved to help and if there was a wedding, picnic, or party, or a children's party she always entered into the preparations with keen enjoyment. She united with the M. E. church early in life, was always a consistent member and gave every worthy cause her personal and financial support. She was a devoted daughter. Several times she has nursed her aged mother through a critical illness, and once

when an accident in a runaway almost proved fatal. Lizzie was the youngest daughter of William and Jane Trevarthen. Her father and brother, Joseph, preceded her to the grave about twenty years ago. Besides her aged mother she is survived by four brothers and two sisters: Thomas of Council Hill, John of Eldora, Iowa; W. H. of Scales Mound, and Frank who lives on the homestead. Mrs. William Lethlean of Monticello, Wis., and Philippa at home. Her funeral was held from her late home on Tuesday, April 17, services conducted by Rev. Mr. Storer of the M. E. church. It was largely attended, many being present from Council Hill, Scales Mound and Galena. Several beautiful selections were rendered by a quartet composed of Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Lupton, Wallace Ford and Mrs. Amos Ford. The beautiful white casket that seemed so appropriate for one who had lived such a pure and lovely life, was almost hidden from view by the profusion of beautiful flowers, and was carried by four nephews and two cousins: Joseph Trevarthen, Henry, Joseph and Geo. Lethlean, Orlando and Wilbur Bastian. They laid her to rest in beautiful Miners cemetery. C. P.

The Galena Tribune – May 16, 1906 – business in Galena

**Thos. Trevarthen of Council Hill
did business in our burg yesterday.**

Galena Daily Gazette – June 22, 1906 – soldier's reunion (partial)

The Old Soldiers and Sailors of Jo Daviess County held their annual meeting on Thursday June 21st 1906 at Stockton. The people of that thriving village had made ample preparation to receive the old veterans in a manner worthy of the occasion and in the spirit of patriotism and friendly greeting for which that town is noted, and rendered a program for the entertainment of the soldiers and their friends, and the public in general, that was truly enjoyed by all who attended the meeting. The town was tastefully decorated in becoming designs of mottoes, flags and bunting, and the residents vied with each other to make it an enjoyable and entertaining meeting for all.

John Shenky, I, 96th Ill, Hanover.
Gottlieb Stadel, F, 96th Ill, Schapville.
Daniel Summers, K, 96th Ill, Warren.
Thomas Trevarthen, F, 96th Ill, Galena.
Nicholas Thain, E 21st Ill, Derinda.
W H Tippet, A, 96th Ill, Galena.
T Upson, I, 96th Ill, Farley, Wis.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 23, 1906 – wife/daughters visiting

Mrs. Thos. Trevarthen and daughters May and Grace, of Council Hill were shoppers in the city to-day.

The Galena Tribune – July 11, 1906 – business in Galena

Thos. Trevarthen of Council Hill transacted business here today and spent a few hours with his old friend Wm. Harker.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 14, 1906 – wife/son trip to Iowa

Mrs. Thos. Trevarthen and son Ray-
mon of Council Hill and Mrs. Newman
Scott and three children of Apple
River leave this evening for Meriden,
Ia., to visit relatives.

The Galena Tribune – August 16, 1906 – Republican delegate

The following is the list of dele-
gates appointed to attend the con-
vention:

Council Hill—Thos. Trevarthen,
Jonathan Coulthard, John Spencer.

**Galena Daily Gazette – August 17, 1906 – return from GAR
meeting**

The Central trains from Chicago last night were late owing to extra equipment which they carried, which presumably was being sent north to bring back the crowds who are at Minneapolis. The Limited from Minneapolis this morning was over two hours late. It brought home a part of the Galena contingent consisting of Cap. J. H. Vincent, Geo. Lepert, Val. Schmidt, Frank Murry and Thos. Trevarthen, all of whom report that they had a fine time despite the heat. Although the old soldiers are passing the G. A. R. received many additions at the Minneapolis meeting, which was a surprise to the officers of the organization. Illinois led in the parade. The investigating period follows hard upon the investing period.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 5, 1906 – daughters visit Galena

The Misses May and Jennie Trevarthen visited their friend Miss Eva Blackstone in this city last Wednesday.

The Galena Tribune – September 6, 1906 – wife/daughter in Galena

Mrs. Thos. Trevarthen and daughter, Jennie, of Council Hill were in Galena today.

The Galena Tribune – September 27, 1906 – daughter starts job

Miss Grace Trevarthen has accepted a position at Hughlett, Mann & Wickler's dry goods store.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 26, 1906 – daughter's illness

Miss May Trevarthen, whose home is at Council Hill, is quite ill at Shullsburg, where she is attending school. Her mother has gone to her bedside.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 8, 1906 – trip with son to Wisc.

Thos. Trevarthen and son Harry of Milbrig returned home last evening from a visit in Sparta, Wis. They spent Thanksgiving with Mr. Trevarthen's old friend Thos. Hobson.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 31, 1907 – son visiting Galena

Attorney Campbell of Galena and Joseph Trevarthen of Council Hill were with us for a short time last Tuesday afternoon.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 8, 1907 – host of sleighride party

Sleighting Party.

About ten of Galena's young people enjoyed a sleighride Thursday evening to the home of Thomas Trevarthen at Council Hill, where a most pleasant evening was spent. The merry party returned to the city at 1:30 a. m., after having the usual joyous experience of sleighing parties in getting on the wrong road, nearly tipping over, etc. Those who composed the party were:

Albert Hoelting, Chester Mathey, Albert Heid, Alfred Kucheman, Harry McLaughlin, Ira Hensley, Annie Dwyer, Annie Kraus, Bertha Heid, Millie Vohs and Grace Trevarthan, Mrs. Emeline Kucheman.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 21, 1907 – soldier's reunion/committee

The following named comrades were announced as selected to serve on the executive committee for the ensuing year:

Wm. Rippin, Galena.
Matthew Gault, Elizabeth.
R. P. Drake, Warren.
M. J. Platt, East Dubuque.
Wm. H. Price, Apple River.
W. B. Bachelder, Stockton.
John R. Lamb, Hanover.
Thomas Trevarthen, Council Hill.
Charles Robinson, Berreman.
Henry Winter, Hanover.
William Vincent, Galena.
J. A. Adams, Scales Mound.

The following is the official registry.

Civil War Veterans.

(partial list)

Thomas Redfearn, sgt, C, 45th Ill, Inf, Galena, Ill.

James F. Leekley, pri, C, 45th Ill. Inf, Galena, Ill.

Geo. E. LePert, pri, C, 186th Ohio, Galena, Ill.

William Rippin, pri, F, 12th Ill. Inf, Galena, Ill.

Thos. Hobson, pri, I, 96th Ill. Inf, Sparta, Wis.

Thos. Trevarthen, pri, F, 96th, Ill. Inf, Council Hill, Ill.

John Edwards, pri, D, 45th Ill. Inf, Galena, Ill.

J. A. Adams, pri, B, 45th Ill. Inf, Scales Mound, Ill.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 9, 1907 – piano purchase

Thos. Trevarthen of Council Hill recently purchased a new Schiller upright piano.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 27, 1907 – sister's accident

**Council Hill Lady Meets Accident
at Fair Grounds Thursday.**

Miss Philippa Trevarthen of Council Hill was quite seriously injured in an accident at the fair grounds on Thursday afternoon, when she was knocked down and run over by two of the running horses. Miss Trevarthen, in company with some other ladies, was crossing the race track near the cattle sheds, when the accident occurred. The gate being open, and there being no watchman on duty, the ladies did not take the precaution to see if there was any danger. As Miss Trevarthen stepped onto the track, she was struck by one of the horses which was in the running race, and knocked down. The second horse also ran over her, but the jockey on the third horse, ran his horse into the fence in order to save the lady from further injury.

Miss Trevarthen received a number of bad bruises, one of her ankles also being broken. She was brought to the city in a carriage where medical attendance was procured, and later in the day she returned to her home. A message from her home this morning stated that she was resting as easily as could be expected, and that no serious results were anticipated. That Miss Trevarthen was not more seriously injured or else killed outright, is a matter of congratulation, when the manner in which the accident occurred is considered.

The jockey who turned his horse out to avoid running over Miss Trevarthen was Chris Anderson of Boscobel. Anderson was slightly injured by running into the fence, one leg being bruised. The horse was owned by Frank Lampert of Boscobel, and with another driver, won the race.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 9, 1907 – sister's lawsuit

Times: Suit has been commenced by Philippa Trevarthen, against the Jo Daviess County Agricultural Society, for injuries received by her, on the grounds, during the last fair, the damages claimed being \$1,000.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 27, 1907 – trip to Wisconsin

Thos. Trevarthen of Council Hill left today for Sparta, Wis., to spend a few days with his comrad, Mr. Hobson.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 16, 1907 – host of social

A social was held at the home of Thos. Trevarthen of Council Hill Wednesday evening, about one hundred partaking of supper.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 24, 1908 – GAR officer

E. D. Kittoe Post Elects Officers.

E. D. Kittoe Post No. 502 G. A. R. at a regular meeting held immediately after the close of the installation exercises of E. D. Kittoe Circle No. 82 Ladies of the G. A. R. Past, Post Commander George S. Avery publicly installed the Post officers elect for the present year as follows:

Commander—Wm. Ripplin.

Senior Vice Commander—Thos. H. Hodson.

Junior Vice Commander—Geo. E. Foyt.

Surgeon—H. T. Godfrey.

Chaplain—Wm. Vincent.

Adjutant—John Norton.

Quartermaster—Simon Singer.

Officer of the Day—Louis Schaber.

Officer of the Guard—Ottho Morris.

Patriotic Instructor—Wm. Whippo.

Judge Advocate—Geo. S. Avery.

Delegate to State Encampment—Thomas Trevarthen.

Alternate Delegate to State Encampment—Frank Murry.

Sergeant Major—Valentine Smith.

Trustees—Geo. S. Avery, Valentine Smith, Thomas Redfearn, H. M. Cogan.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 5, 1908 – daughter's trip to California

Miss Grace Trevarthen, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill left on Wednesday morning for Long Beach, Cal., where she will visit the Sam Dower family.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 11, 1908 – another daughter's trip to California

Word has been received from Miss Jennie Trevarthen of Council Hill that she has arrived at Los Angeles, Cal., where she is making an extended visit with her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. James Dower.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 22, 1908 – almost accident

Narrowly Escaped Injury.

Mr. Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill who was in the city today had an exceedingly narrowly escape from serious injury this noon. Mr. Trevarthen was standing at the corner of Guggenheim's clothing store when a mass of ice and snow weighing several pounds fell from the room striking the walk but a few inches away. Mr. Trevarthen was considerably startled by the incident, but doubtless was thankful that the ice struck the walk instead of himself.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 5, 1908 – lot purchase on Dewey/plans to build

Mrs. David May has sold a lot on Dewey Avenue owned by her to Mr. Thomas Trevarthen of Council Hill who expects to build on the same this spring.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 20, 1908 – trip to Quincy/GAR

Thomas Trevarthen and William Vincent have gone to Quincy to attend the state encampment of the G. A. R.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 7, 1908 – relative falls at house

The friends of Mrs. Eliza Bastian of Dewey avenue will be sorry to learn that the lady was the victim of quite a serious accident on Wednesday while visiting at the home of Thomas Trevarthen

at Council Hill. Mrs. Bastian was in the act of carrying a number of plates to the pantry from which steps lead to the cellar. Mrs. Bastian, not knowing that the stairs were there and it being somewhat dark, was precipitated down to the cellar floor. A broken plate struck her on the head inflicting quite a severe injury and she was also somewhat bruised as the result of the accident.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 18, 1908 – soldier's reunion

Jo Daviess County Soldiers and Sailors and Other Comrades Have Enjoyable Meeting.

The roster of veterans and members from visiting circles follow:

(partial list)

Chas Hatter, Galena.
Wm. Whippo, Galena.
Ed. Rubeno, Galena.
Edward Clark, Galena.
Geo. W. Marfield, Galena.
T. E. Reynolds, Galena.
Thos. Trevarthen, Galena.
Hugh Owens, Galena.
Wm. Tippett, Galena.
John Pattison, Galena.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 25, 1908 – reunion exec committee

On motion of comrade J. B. Howard, it was ordered that the same comrades appointed on the executive committee last year act as such committee for the ensuing year, said executive committee chosen is as follows: Comrades William Rippin, Galena; Matthew Gault, Elizabeth; R. P. Drake, Warren; M. J. Platt, East Dubuque; Wm. H. Price, Apple River; W. B. Bachelder Stockton; John R. Lamb, Hanover; Henry Winter, Hanover; Thomas Trevarthen, Council Hill; Charles Robinson, Berreman; Capt. Wm. Vincent, Galena, and J. A. Adams, Scales Mound.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 6, 1908- marriage of daughter Jennie

WEDDED AT LIVINGSTON, MONT.

**Marriage of Miss Jennie Trevarthen
and I. J. Harvey Solemnized,**

Livingston, Montana, Oct. 3, 1908.—One of the swellest functions of the season occurred at the home of Harvey and Tregloan on South Yellowstone avenue, Livingston, Montana, on September 29, when Isaac John Harvey, formerly of Cuba City, Wis., and Miss Jennie Trevarthan of Council Hill, Ill., were united in marriage by the Rev. J. A. Badeon of the First M. E. church of this city. The bride, attended by Miss Jane Austin, and the groom, by Charles Lester Harvey, met under the beautiful wedding canopy in the reception room, just as the clock chimed the hour of six. After the impressive ceremony of the Episcopal church was read, a wedding supper was served by Mesdames Harvey and Tregloan. The table was beautifully decorated in pink and white sweetpeas and cut flowers, while the color scheme of pink and white was artistically carried out in the lighted candles which adorned the table. The happy couple are spending their honeymoon in Helena, the state capital, after which they will be at home at the Harvey and Tregloan ranch at Clyde Park. The bride is a native of Wisconsin where her childhood and girlhood have been spent, while the groom, also a native of Wisconsin is a rising young stockman of the Shield River Valley where he has many friends and well wishers for his success.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 12, 1908 – new sidewalk on Dewey

A cement walk is being erected in front of the new residence of Thos. Trevarthen on Dewey Avenue.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 19, 1908 – move into new home

Mr. Thomas Trevarthen and family have removed from Council Hill to their fine new residence which has just been completed on Dewey avenue.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 30, 1908 – mother visiting

Mrs. Jane Trevarthen of Council Hill visited her sister, Mrs. William Fiddick and her son; Thomas Trevarthen, in Galena during the past few days. Mrs. Trevarthen is 94 years old and the venerable lady bids fair to see many more years. She has also just returned from a few weeks visit at Apple River.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 14, 1908 – GAR officer/event

TO OBSERVE LINCOLN'S BIRTHDAY

E. D. Kittoe Post and Ladies' Circle
G. A. R. to Celebrate Event.

At a regular meeting of E. D. Kittoe Post, No. 502 on Thursday evening last the following officers were elected to-wit:

Commander—W. M. Ripplin.
S. V. Com.—Thos. H. Hodson.
J. V. Com.—Geo. E. Foyt.
Q. M.—Simon Singer.
Chap.—Wm. Vincent.
Surgeon—H. T. Godfrey.
O. D.—Geo. E. LePert.
O. G.—Otho Morris.
Judge Advocate—Francis Murray.
Patriotic Instructor—Wm. Vincent.
Trustees—Geo. S. Avery, Valentine Smith and Thos. Readfearn.
Rep. to State Encampment—Thos. Trevarthen.
Alternate—John Edwards

On motion it was decided by the post to observe the 100th anniversary of Lincoln's birthday on February 12, 1909.

Comrades Simon Singer, John Edwards and Thos. Trevarthen were instructed to invite the members of E. D. Kittoe Ladies' Circle, No. 83, to attend the next meeting of the post to assist in making proper arrangements for the observance of said day.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 14, 1908 – Elizabeth campfire

Messrs. Thomas Hodson, William Murray, Thomas Trevarthen, William Vincent and George LePert were at Elizabeth on Saturday night in attendance upon a camp fire. The gentlemen report a thoroughly enjoyable evening.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 5, 1909 – son's operation

Master Raymond Trevarthen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen underwent a successful operation at St. Mary's hospital Thursday for the removal of an abcess located behind an ear.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 26, 1909 – soldier's reunion meeting

The executive committee of the Old Soldiers and Sailors Association of Jo Daviess county met at the court house in Galena, April 24th, 1909. Comrade William Rippin, chairman, presiding.

Comrades, M. J. Platt, East Dubuque.

R. B. Renwick, Warren.

W. B. Bachelder, Stockton.

E. C. Coombs, Hanover.

John R. Lamb, Hanover.

Henry Winter, Hanover.

Jasper Johnson, Hanover.

William Rippin, Galena.

William Vincent, Galena.

Thomas Trevarthen, Galena.

Thomas H. Hodson, Galena.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 15, 1909 – damage to farm in storm

The wind was quite heavy during the rain storm last night around Council Hill and vicinity. A windmill on the farm of Thomas Trevarthen was blown down. The windmill was practically a new one.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 18, 1909 – trip to GAR convention

Miss Nellie Brunner represents E. D. Kittoe Circle, No. 82, at the state convention held at Aurora, Ill., May 18, 19 and 20. Among members of the G. A. R. Post attending are Capt. Vincent, Peter Grosbeck and Thos. Trevarthen.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 25, 1909 – soldier's reunion

HANOVER ENTERTAINS
SOLDIERS AND SAILORS.

The following is a list of those registered:

(partial list)

E. M. Babkus, Lieut F 17th Ill Cav Stockton.
John Hoffman, Priv G 42 Ill Inf Savanna.
Thos Trevarthen, Priv F 98th Ill Inf Galena.
Thos Hobson, Priv I 98th Ill Inf Sparta, Wisconsin.
Stephen Roberts, Priv E 16th Ill Inf Hanover.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 8, 1909 – trip to Wisconsin

Capt. William Vincent and Thomas Trevarthen have returned from a visit of several days at Sparta, Wis.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 11, 1909 – visiting in Apple River

Thomas Trevarthen went to Apple River this afternoon to visit friends.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 8, 1910 – electricity at house

The residences of C. Lehner and Thomas Trevarthen on Dewey avenue, have been wired for electricity. The T. A. Harris residence is now being wired.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 12, 1910 – visiting aged mother

Thos. Trevarthen went to Council Hill today to see his aged mother who is quite ill. The lady is 95 years old.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 15, 1910 – mother's illness

Mrs. Trevarthen of Council Hill, a sister of Mrs. Wm. Fiddick is seriously ill with pneumonia and on account of her advanced years, fears are entertained as to her recovery.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 17, 1910 – mother's death/obituary

DEATH CALLS PIONEER LADY

**Mrs. Jane Trevarthan Dies at
Home in Council Hill at Age
of 95 Years.**

Decedent was Resident of County for
Over Sixty Years and was a
Native of England.

One of Jo Daviess county's pioneer residents passed into the life beyond on Saturday afternoon, when Mrs. Jane Trevarthen died at her home in Council-Hill township. A continuous resident of this county for over sixty years, the deceased was widely known in this section, and like a sheaf of ripened wheat, her life was garnered by that never wearying reaper, death.

Jane Bastian was a native of Cornwall, England, at which place she was born on Sept. 19, 1815. In young womanhood she was united in marriage to William Trevarthen and with their three small children, the couple braved the dangers of a journey to a foreign land, and emigrated

to the United States. They came directly to Galena, and ultimately settled on a farm six miles east of the city, where both resided up to the time of their deaths. Mr. Trevarthen died some twenty-six years ago, since which time, the mother had been tenderly and lovingly cared for by her children.

Mrs. Trevarthen was the mother of nine children of whom, Joseph, Henry and Elizabeth, preceded her to the grave. The surviving children are two daughters and four sons, Mrs. Mary Lethlain, Miss Phillipa, John, Frank, William and Thomas. She also leaves nineteen grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the old home this afternoon, Rev. A. D. Klontz of Council Hill officiating. Those who attended from the city were John Bastian, S. J. Hughlett, and Thomas Trevarthen.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 25, 1910 – mother's will/probate

The will of Mrs. Jane Trevarthen of Council Hill has been filed for probate. Mrs. Trevarthen divided her estate among her children, after making a special bequest of six thousand dollars for her daughter, Miss Phillipa Trevarthen.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 5, 1910 – daughter's sleighride

LOST IN THE SNOW DRIFTS

Galena Sleighriding Party Has Thrilling Experience.

A party of Galena young ladies have gained a very extensive acquaintance with the topography and geography of the western end of Jo Daviess county since Friday afternoon. Bundled into a big bus, they started out yesterday afternoon for the Miller home at East Dubuque where they had been invited to spend the evening. Budd Beil went along as driver and the distance between Galena and their destination was covered in the time between 5:00 and 10:30 p. m.

On the way home, however, the Galenians got lost in the deep deep drifts and "kiss-me-quicks" of Dunleith township and it was after nine o'clock this morning before they reached their respective homes. Among those who were present, as the society functions say, were:

Grace and May Trevarthen, Hattie, Hazel and Zue Manuell, Mariam Newhall, Alice and Della Atkinson, Ethel Reed and Mariam Ginn, Mrs. Richard Manuell.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 18, 1910 – train accident

PASSENGER TRAIN WRECKED

Accident Occurs to Illinois Central
Chicago--Fort Dodge Express
in Galena To-Day.

NO ONE KILLED OR INJURED

Escape of All is Considered Remarkable
Considering Extent of
the Smashup.

The Chicago-Ft. Dodge Express on the Illinois Central road was wrecked at one o'clock this afternoon a short distance west of the Meeker street viaduct. Two cars, the baggage and express cars, were overturned, the tender of the second engine was reduced to a mass of twisted iron, and the track torn up for a distance of several yards. The wrecker was sent for immediately, and every effort is being made to clear the track as quickly as possible, this being the main line of the Illinois Central.

That none of the passengers or train crew were injured or even killed outright, is little short of miraculous. The real cause of the accident

is not known, although it is believed that the front trucks of the mail car jumped the tracks, while the train was rounding the curve, a short distance east of the viaduct. This may have happened by reason of a defective flange, as the train was slowing down on account of coming into the city. Just west of the viaduct, the wheels struck a switch which caused the tender of the second engine, and the mail and baggage cars to be hurled over onto their sides, a distance of eight or ten feet from the main line. The track was badly torn up and of the entire train, only the first engine, and the two rear cars remained on the rails.

Mr. J. B. Howard Sr., who was returning from Chicago where he was in attendance upon a convention of gas manufacturers was a passenger on the train as was Sheriff Meffley, and Thomas Trevarthen, who are congratulating themselves that they escaped without a scratch. The gentlemen were seated in the first coach back of the baggage car, which remained on the rails while the baggage car turned over on one side.

Another extremely fortunate phase of the accident was that the Northwestern passenger which is due to leave the local station at one o'clock was delayed a minute or two. The delay, which was seemingly trivial in itself, without doubt, meant escape from injury or even death to the passengers on that train, for had it left the station on schedule time, it would have reached a point directly in the path of the on-coming Central. In fact, the tender and a part of the mail car of the wrecked train were thrown across the track of the Northwestern.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 26, 1910 – wedding anniversary

30TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Trevarthen Principals in Happy Event.

A most enjoyable event occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen on Dewey avenue on Friday evening which will be long associated with pleasant memories by those present. It happened that on March 25, 1880, occurred the marriage of Thomas Trevarthen and Miss Mary Dower, and the thirtieth anniversary of that momentous event was not allowed by their friends to pass without proper observance.

Accordingly, relatives and friends to the number of about twenty went to their home last evening, and while their coming had not been heralded in advance, the guests were speedily assured that they were none the less welcome. The evening was spent in a most delightful manner. The gathering were:

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kuchemann, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hinz, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hornung, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bergman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trevarthen, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buchan, Miss Susie Roberts, Mrs. Emeline Kuchemann, Charles Kuchemann, Miss Lucile Kuchemann, and Albert Gray.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 25, 1910 – trip to Freeport/GAR

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen returned this afternoon from Freeport where they attended the encampment.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 26, 1910 – daughters visiting

Miss Grace and May Trevarthen of Galena were in our midst with relatives and friends last Saturday and Sunday.

**Galena Daily Gazette – June 28, 1910 – marriage of daughter
Grace**

WEDDED IN THE MONTH OF ROSES

Miss Grace Trevarthen and Ira Hensley Take Nuptial Vows.

The marriage of Miss Grace Trevarthen and Mr. Ira Hensley was solemnized at four o'clock this afternoon, the ceremony being performed by Rev. E. K. D. Hester of the Methodist Episcopal church, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Trevarthen on Dewey Avenue, only the immediate relatives of the families being present. The bride was attired in a cream serge traveling suit. She is a highly esteemed young lady and has made many friends who extend best wishes for a long and happy wedded life. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hensley of this city and is an energetic and highly regarded young man, who holds a responsible position with the Galena Iron Works at Platteville.

Mr. and Mrs. Hensley depart for the East this evening and upon their return will be at home to their friends at Platteville, Wis.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 25, 1910 – funeral of war comrade

Thomas Trevarthen attended the funeral of John Rodden at Rodden station on Saturday afternoon. Mr. Trevarthen and Mr. Rodden were members of the same company during the war.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 1, 1910 – trip to Platteville w/ Grace

Thomas Trevarthen accompanied his daughter, Mrs. Hensley to Platteville for a visit today.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 6, 1910 – visiting daughter Jennie

Mr. Thomas Trevarthen has returned from a two month's visit at Clyde Park, Bozeman and Livingston, Montana.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 29, 1910 – trip to Wisconsin

Mr. Thomas Trevarthen and brother George returned last evening from Sparta, Wis.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 12, 1910 – GAR officer

E. D. KITTOE POST OFFICERS

Elected For Ensuing Year at Regular Meeting.

At the regular meeting of E. D. Kittoe Post, G. A. R. last week the following officers for the ensuing year were elected:

S. V. Com.—Thomas H. Hodson.
J. V. Com.—George Foyt.
Surgeon—Henry T. Godfrey.
Chaplain—Kirby Smith.
Q. M.—Thos. E. Moore.
O. D.—Henry. M. Cogan.
O. G.—Otho Morris.
Color-bearer—Francis Murry.
Representative to State Encampment—Thomas Trevarthen, alternate, T. E. Moore.
Trustees—George S. Avery, Valentine Smith, Thos. Redfearn.
Judge Advocate—John Edwards.
Patriotic Instructor—Wm. Vincent.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 31, 1910 – daughter's visit

Miss May Trevarthen went to Platteville this afternoon to spend New Year's with her sister, Mrs. Ira Hensley.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 9, 1911 – son Joseph's marriage

Miss M. [redacted] and Joseph F. Trevarthen were married at Freeport Wednesday. They will reside on the Trevarthen farm at Millbrig and will start housekeeping as soon as they return from their honeymoon trip in Chicago.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 9, 1911 – family visits

Mrs. Ira Hensley journeyed to Milbrig today for a few days visit with her brother Joseph Trevarthen, enroute to her home in Platteville, after a few days visit with her mother Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen of this city.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 27, 1911 – visit to Platteville

Mrs. Thos. Trevarthen and son Raymond returned from Platteville today after spending Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hensley.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 3, 1911 – wife visits son's family

Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen went to Milbrig this morning where she will visit her son and wife on their farm near that place.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 24, 1911 – building barn on Dewey

Thomas Trevarthen is erecting a new barn in his lots on Dewey avenue.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 3, 1911 – barn to be moved

Will Remove Barn.

A complaint signed by Otto Morris, a resident on Dewey avenue was read in which the complaintant objected to a barn that was being erected by Thomas Trevarthen on lot 89. On motion, this matter was referred to the mayor, health officer and city attorney with power to act. Later, this morning, the officers investigated the matter and ordered Trevarthen to move the barn back five feet on the lot which will be done. There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 20, 1911 – business in Apple River

Thomas Trevarthen is in Apple River on business.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 18, 1911 – birth of grandson

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harvey of Clyde Park, Montana, welcomed a son to their home on July 12th. Mrs. Harvey was formerly Miss Jennie Trevarthen of this city.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 18, 1911 – soldier's reunion (partial)

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS REUNION AT WARREN

Vick Temperly, Co. H, 2nd, Ill. Art
P. E. Groesbeck, Co. D, 37th Ill.
Inf.
John Foster, Co. H, 96th, Ill., Inf.
Capt. Wm. Vincent, Co. A, 96th,
Ill. Inf.
Thos. Redfearn, Co. C, 45th Ill.
Inf.
George Foyt, Co. A, 33rd Wis. Inf.
Thos. Trevarthen, Co. F, 96th Ill.
Inf.
Thos. E. Reynolds, Co. I, 96th Ill.
Inf.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 4, 1911 – family visit in Wisconsin

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen and family are visiting friends and relatives in Platteville.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 8, 1911 – elk shipment

Thomas Trevarthen of Galena received two quarters of an Elk shipped him from Whitehall, Mont., this morning. This is probably the first Elk ever shipped to Galena, although there have been several deer shipped in.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 21, 1911 – death of friend at house

DIED WHILE ON A VISIT

Mrs. John W. Newson Expires Suddenly in Galena.

Mrs. John W. Newson of Milbrig, died suddenly at 3:30 o'clock this morning at the residence of Thomas Trevarthen on Dewey avenue where she was visiting.

Mrs. Newson came to Galena yesterday and a short time after her arrival, she became sick and gradually grew worse until death relieved her of her sufferings.

Mary Ellen Swinbank was born in Shullsburg, Wis., on January 1st, 1862 and was consequently past 49 years of age. Besides her husband, she is survived by five brothers and two sisters, William, Thomas Joseph Swinbank of Shullsburg, George of Milbrig and Charles of New Diggings, Mrs. A. W. Hicks of Benton and Vic Swinbank of Shullsburg.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 2, 1912 – illness

Thomas Trevarthen who has been quite ill at his home on Dewey avenue is reported somewhat improved

Galena Daily Gazette – January 10, 1912 – GAR officer

The following officers were installed
by Past Commander M. J. Platt:

Com.—Geo. S. Avery.
S. V. C.—Thos. H. Hodson.
J. V. C.—Geo. Foyt.
Surg.—H. T. Godfrey.
Chap.—W. K. Kittoe.
G. M.—T. E. Moore.
O. D.—H. M. Cogan.
O. G.—Otho Morris.
Color Bearer—Frank Murray.
Representative to state encampment—Thomas
Trevarthen.
Alternate—T. E. Moore.
Adjt.—John Norton.
Trustees—George S. Avery, Valentine Schmidt
Thos. Redfearn.
Judge Advocate—John Edwards.
Patriot Ins.—Wm. Vincent.
J. M. Sarg.—Thomas Trevarthen.
Sarg. Magor—John Edwards.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 12, 1912 – illness

Thos Trevarthen who is under
the care of a trained nurse and suf-
fering from pneumonia at his home
on Dewey avenue, is reported but
little improved.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 26, 1912 – voting ballot entry

WEST GALENA--- Official Ballot for West Galena Township, Jo Daviess County, Illinois, for

DEMOCRAT TICKET	REPUBLICAN TICKET
For Supervisor: JOHN A. MEUSEL	For Supervisor: WILLIAM H. WISE
For Township Clerk: W. S. HANSING	For Township Clerk:
For Collector: EDMUND SCHUMACHER	For Collector: EDWARD H. KRUEGER
For Assessor: MICHAEL McMANUS	For Assessor:
For Commissioner of Highways, District No. 3: EDWARD W. FICKBOHM	For Commissioner of Highways, District No. 3: JOHN R. DAYTON
For Justice of the Peace: J. H. E. SANDERS	For Justice of the Peace: THOMAS TREVARTHEN
For Justice of the Peace: N. M. HUBACHER	For Justice of the Peace: GEORGE N. RUST
For Constable: AUGUST WHIPPO	For Constable: GEORGE SEUBERT
For Constable: H. H. MILLER	For Constable:

Galena Daily Gazette – April 3, 1912 – vote results

Justice of the Peace.	
J. H. E. Sanders, Dem.	379
Thomas Trevarthen	259
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Sander's Plurality	120

Galena Daily Gazette – May 31, 1912 – Memorial Day honors

<p>IN MEMORY OF SOLDIER DEAD Memorial Day Services Held at Post Headquarters.</p>	<p>The committee appointed to decorate the graves of the soldier and sailor dead for Greenwood and the German cemeteries were Capt. Wm. Vincent, Thomas Hodson, J. Hilgert and Thomas Trevarthen. For the old city and East side cemeteries, Valentine Smith, John Mahood John G. Saltzer, Wm. Allendorf and John Norton.</p>
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Galena Daily Gazette – July 8, 1912 – son Joseph's illness

Joseph Trevarthen of Council Hill is ill with appendicitis at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen on Dewey avenue.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 8, 1912 – sister-in-law's illness

Mrs. Inos. Trevarthen of Galena is caring for her sister, Mrs. Albert Bastian, who is quite ill.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 17, 1912 - son Joseph's illness

Joseph Trevarthen has recovered from an attack of appendicitis and has returned to his work on the farm.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 24, 1912 – birth of granddaughter

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Trevarthen are the proud parents of a baby girl born July 15th.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 31, 1912 – daughter-in-law's illness

Miss Anna Manuell, a trained nurse from Chicago is caring for Mrs. Joseph Trevarthen, who has been quite seriously ill. Miss Manuell formerly taught our village school.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 22, 1912 – son/daughter to picnic

A party who drove from Galena to attend the Harvest Home picnic in Hazel Green Wednesday were Mrs. John Cummins and daughter Blanche of Chicago, Miss Bernice Trevarthen of Scales Mound, Mrs. Wm. Kuchemann, Misses Mae Trevarthen, Eliza Vincent, Agnes Mathey, Ora Hensley and master Raymond Trevarthen.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 3, 1912 – tax sale certificate

STATE OF ILLINOIS }
Jo Davies County, } SS.
Notice of the expiration of time of
Redemption from Tax Sale.
To all unknown owners and all
persons interested: Take notice. At
a special sale of real estate made in
pursuance to law, under and by
virtue of a judgment rendered
against the same, for delinquent
general taxes interest and costs
due and unpaid thereon, duly made
in the county of Jo Daviess and State
of Illinois, purchased on the 7th day
of March, A. D. 1911, the following
described real estate in Jo Daviess
county, Illinois, to-wit:
Lot number 89, E. side of Gratiot
street, city of Galena, for the delin-
quent general taxes, interest and
costs levied and assessed thereon
for the year 1910 and previous years
and said real estate was list-
ed, assessed and taxed for said
taxes in the name of unknown.
The time allowed by law for
the redemption of said real es-
tate from said sale and purchase will
expire on the 7th day of March A.
D. 1913.
THOMAS TREVARTHEN,
Owner of tax sale certificate.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 21, 1912 – wife/son visit family

Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen and son Ray-
mond are spending a few days with rel-
atives in Apple River.

**Galena Daily Gazette – January 10, 1913 – daughter Grace
illness**

Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen returned to-
day from Benton where she has been
spending the past several days with her
daughter, Mrs. Ira Hensley, who is ill.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 5, 1913 – birth of granddaughter

Born Tuesday Feb. 4th to Mr. and Mrs. I. Harvey residing near Hazel Green, a daughter. Mrs. Harvey will be remembered as Miss Jennie Trevarthen formerly of this city.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 27, 1913 – heart illness

Thomas Trevarthen suffered an attack of heart failure at his home at about eight o'clock this morning. The attack came on rather suddenly for a few minutes before Mr. Trevarthen was in his usual health and was up and around. For some time his condition was considered quite serious but this afternoon he is much improved.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 29, 1913 – illness update

The condition of Thomas Trevarthen is reported improving.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 3, 1913 – son Raymond's illness

Master Raymond Trevarthen is recovering at his home on Dewey avenue from a very sore hand caused by blood poisoning resulting from a blister.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 12, 1913 – relative drowning accident

**EMBANKMENT GIVES WAY;
THOS. H. SHEEAN DROWNS**

**Well Known Young Farmer Victim
of Sad Accident Near Tuttle's
Mill Saturday Evening.**

WAS MEMBER OF FISHING PARTY

**Falls Into Hole, Swims Out But is
Taken With Cramps--Rescue
Effort Fails.**

Thomas H. Sheean, of Gullford, met death by drowning in the Galena river one mile north of Tuttle's Mill or what is known as Horse Shoe Bend, at 5:30 Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Sheean was a member of a fishing party comprising his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Trevarthan, Mr. and Mrs. John V. Schoenhard, Harry Trevarthen and John Duerr.

Sheean was standing on a shelving bank and was reaching into the water with a rake, and whether the ground caved in or his foot slipped is not known but from as near as could be ascertained, the earth gave way and he was plunged into a hole about ten or twelve feet deep. He started to swim from the hole to the shallow shore on the opposite side, and when in the middle of the river he was evidently taken with cramps and started to go down. The screams of the women when the accident occurred brought the male members of the party who were about fifty to one hundred yards up the stream to the scene.

Trevarthan and Schoenhard went into the water to rescue their comrade but owing to heavy shoes, clothing and the temperature of the water they were unable to do so and the victim went down for the third time. It was with difficulty that Trevarthan and Schoenhard were rescued by Duerr. Within five minutes of the time of the accident the body was recovered by the means of a rake and brought to the shore.

Every effort was made to revive him until the arrival of Dr. George H. Tyrrell of Scales Mound a short time later. The doctor then worked over the body for three hours but it was of no avail as the waters had claimed another victim.

Mr. Sheean was about 36 years of age and was married last November 19th, to Miss Lena Duerr of Gullford. Other immediate relatives are Mrs. Joseph Trevarthan and Mrs. John Schoenhard and three uncles of this city, namely, Mr. David, Thomas and John Sheean.

This makes the fourth death in this family within three years. The mother passed away three years ago, a brother, David, two years ago this spring and the father last September.

The funeral services will be held from his late home on the old homestead in Gullford, which he owned, tomorrow, Tuesday, morning at ten o'clock. Interment will be made in the Scales Mound cemetery.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 19, 1913 – daughter Grace visiting

Mr. and Mrs. I. Harvey and children of Hazel Green, Wis., spent Sunday at the Trevarthen residence on Dewey avenue.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 28, 1913 – surprise 75th bday party

SURPRISE OLD COMRADE

G. A. R. Members and Others Honor
Birthday Anniversary of
Thomas Trevarthen.

One of the most surprised men in Galena last evening was Mr. Thomas Trevarthen. When he arrived home at supper time, he found twelve of his gentlemen friends, who had assembled to help him celebrate his seventy-fifth birthday anniversary.

At seven o'clock a delicious three-course supper was served in the dining room, which was prettily decorated in the national colors and cut flowers. These decorations were very appropriate as Mr. Trevarthen and the majority of his guests are members of the G. A. R. Each person was presented with a flag pin as a souvenir of the occasion.

Later in the evening some of the children in the neighborhood serenaded the old veterans, and sang old war songs, which more than pleased everyone present. As a grand finale the young and old sang "America" under a large American flag, and altogether this was one of the most enjoyable affairs that the gentlemen have attended for some time.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 18, 1913 – soldier's reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen went to Stockton today to attend the Soldiers' Reunion.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 24, 1913 – plans for winter trip

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen and daughter, Miss Mae, and son, Raymond, expect to leave about August 20th, for California where they will spend the winter.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 1, 1913 – daughter's anniversary

A very pleasant evening was spent at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Harvey, of Hazel Green, Monday evening, Sept. 29th, in honor of their fifth wedding anniversary. At eight o'clock a four-course dinner was served in the dining room; the decorations being purple and white. The evening was spent in music and games. They were the recipients of many rich and useful presents. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bryant and Mr. and

Mrs. James Harvey of Hazel Green, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Williams, of North Hollow, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Harvey, of Fairview; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Harvey, of Jenkynsville; Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hensley, of Galena; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Trevarthen and brother Harry of Scales Mound, and Edgar Bryant, of Hazel Green. At twelve o'clock the guests departed to their respective homes, withing Mr. and Mrs. Harvey may live to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 9, 1913 – son Harry visiting Galena

Mr. Harry Trevarthen of Council Hill was seen on our streets recently.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 20, 1913 – sister Phillipa's death

DIED AT APPLE RIVER

Phillipa Jane Trevarthen died Saturday morning a 3 o'clock at the home of her sister Mrs. Lethlean in Apple River.

The funeral services were held this afternoon at Apple River at 2 o'clock. The remains will be brought to Galena Tuesday morning on the 9:20 train and interment made at Minor's cemetery.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 21, 1913 – sister Philipa's death

FUNERAL SERVICES ARE HELD

In Memory of the Late Miss Philipa
Jane Trevarthen.

The funeral of Philipa Jane Trevarthen was held from the home of her sister, Mrs. Lethlean at Apple River at two o'clock Monday afternoon and the body was brought to Galena this morning and taken to Minor's cemetery. Short committal services were held at the grave and a hymn was sung by a choir composed of former neighbors and friends of the deceased. Rev. Mr. Griswold of Apple River had charge of the services at Apple River and also in Galena. Six nephews of Miss Trevarthen acted as pall bearers, namely, George, Joseph and Henry Lethlean, George, Joseph and Henry Trevarthen.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 23, 1913 - sister Philipa's death

Philipa Jane Trevarthan.

Philipa Jane Trevarthan was born in Guilford township June 20, 1846. She was a resident of her native township until the death of her mother, January 1910, when she went to Apple River to make her home with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Lethlam. About forty years ago she was converted and joined the Union church on the Council Hill circuit, and continued in its fellowship until her death Oct. 18, 1913. Miss Trevarthen was of a quiet and unassuming nature, a constant reader of the Bible and a lover of religious books. After an illness of six weeks she was called to join that unnumerable company of blood-washed to be forever with the Savior whom she loved. We feel what is our loss is Heaven's gain. She leaves to mourn her departure, one sister, Mrs. Wm. Lethlam, four brothers, Frank and Thomas of Galena, Ill., John of Eldora, Iowa and William H. of Scales Mound, Ill.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 11, 1914 – family farm people move

Mr. J. Trevarthen is moving his goods to the James Sheean farm in Guilford recently purchased by Mr. Sheean's daughters, Mrs. Schoenhard and Mrs. J. Trevarthen. We understand that Harry Trevarthen will continue to rent the Trevarthen farm assisted by his brother Raymond and his sister Miss Mae as housekeeper.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 17, 1914 – return from California

Thomas Trevarthen and son Raymond returned from their trip to California to-day. Mrs. Trevarthen and daughter, Miss Mae are expected tomorrow as they stopped enroute for a visit with friends.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 26, 1914 – party for daughter Grace

FAREWELL PARTY IS HELD

Upper Dewey Avenue Ladies Gather
in Honor of Mrs. Ira Hensley.

About twenty ladies of upper Dewey avenue gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. Trevarthen Wednesday afternoon to hold a farewell party in honor of Mrs. Ira Hensley, who will soon depart for Hillsboro, Ill., to join her husband and where they will make their future home. The affair was a complete surprise. During the afternoon Mrs. Nettie Luscombe in behalf of the ladies made a fine presentation speech and handed Mrs. Hensley a solid silver spoon. Mrs. Hensley responded expressing her appreciation and many thanks to her neighbors for so kindly remembering her. At 6 o'clock a bounteous repast was served, the table just groaned under the good things that were placed upon it, as the upper Dewey avenue ladies are fine caterers. At a late hour all dispersed for home wishing Mrs. Hensley prosperity in her new home.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 28, 1914 – soldier's/Grant's bday

Old Soldiers Registered.

The following veterans of the civil war registered at E. D. Kittoe Post, G. A. R., headquarters on Grant's birthday:

(partial list)

John Norton Co. B, 90th Ill., Inf.,
Galena.

James Wales, Co., B, 90th Ill
Inft., Galena.

Thomas Trevarthen, Co., F, 96th
Ill. Inft., Galena.

Geo. S. Avery, Maj., 3rd Ill. Cav.,
Galena.

James Hicks, Co. K, 96th Ill.,
Warren.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 22, 1914 – soldier's reunion

**SOLDIERS AND SAILORS
MEET AT ELIZABETH**

(partial list)

Valentine Schmidt, 77; Co. F, 96
Ill. Inf.
Louis Schaber, 76; Co. D, 7 Ill.
Cav.
James F. Leekley, 68; Co. C, 45
Ill. Inf.
Thos. Trevarthen, 76; Co. F, 96
Ill. Inf.
Jacob Bucher, 72; Co. E, 45 Ill.
Inf.

**Galena Daily Gazette – September 21, 1914 – trip to visit
daughter Jennie in Hazel Green**

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen
were guests at the I. Harvey home
at Hazel Green Sunday.

**Galena Daily Gazette – November 24, 1914 – daughter Grace
visiting**

Mrs. Ira Hensley of Hillsboro, Ill., is a
guest at the home of her parents Mr.
and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen on Dewey
Avenue.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 3, 1915 – fall/injury

Thomas Trevarthen is confined to his
home as the result of a bad fall on a
walk.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 16, 1916 – son Harry's marriage

WEDDED AT HIGH NOON

Marriage of Miss Frances Einsweiler
and Mr. H. S. Trevarthen
is Solemnized.

Miss Frances Einsweiler was married today noon, precisely at 12 o'clock, to Harry S. Trevarthen of Council Hill. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Einsweiler. The home had been beautifully decorated for the occasion with white narcissus and ferns. The bride was becomingly gowned in a dress of white crepe de chine and bride and bridegroom stood beneath a canopy of flowers as the bride's pastor, the Rev. G. D. Heuver, read the ceremony. Only the nearest relatives of the parties who married were present.

Miss Kathleen Einsweiler, a sister of the bride and Raymnod Trevarthen, a brother of the groom, were the attendants.

After the service the invited guests enjoyed an excellent dinner.

The bride is held in the very highest esteem by all who know her and the groom is also very well spoken of. He is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen, who reside on Dewey avenue.

After a trip to Aurora the bride and groom expect to move on a farm near Council Hill.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 28, 1916 – son Harry's marriage

Mr. Harry Trevarthen has taken unto himself a wife and judging by the noise we heard down in that direction Monday evening, his neighbors are happy over it, a genuine old fashioned charivari. Well we too are glad and extend to Mr. and Mrs. Trevarthen our hearty congratulations.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 5, 1916 – wife's illness

The condition of Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen, who is very seriously ill at her home on Dewey avenue was about the same today.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 6, 1916 – wife's illness

Mr. Harry Trevarthen and wife were called to Galena Monday by the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. T. Trevarthan.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 10, 1916 – wife's death/funeral

FUNERAL OF MRS. T. TREVARTHEN

**Services Held This Afternoon and
Interment Made at Grant Hill.**

The funeral of the late Mrs. Thomas Trevarthan was held this afternoon at the family home on Dewey avenue at one o'clock, Rev. A. D. Klontz of Poplar Grove officiating and paying a beautiful tribute to the life of the deceased. A choir composed of Mrs. P. J. Warren, Mrs. Adelbert Jeffrey, J. C. Boevers, and T. E. Reynolds sang "Nearer My God to Thee" and "Jesus Lover of My Soul" and Mrs. Jeffrey and Mrs. Warren sang as a duett "A Perfect Day."

Interment was made in Grant Hill cemetery by six nephews of Mrs. Trevarthan, namely, Thomas Dower, Charles Kuchemann, Clyde Bastian, Wm. Wilcox, George Lethlane and George Trevarthan.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 12, 1916 – wife's death/thank you

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy at the death of our beloved wife and mother. Also for the many beautiful flowers.

THOMAS TREVARTHEN AND FAMILY.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 6, 1916 – wife's memory/letter

Mrs. Thomas Trevarthen.

In memory of Mrs. Mary Trevarthen, who departed this life on May 8th, 1916. She was the wife of Thomas Trevarthen of Dewey Avenue, Galena, Ill. I have had the pleasure of an acquaintance with the late Mrs. Trevarthen ever since her young womanhood, and can testify to her sterling qualities both as a mother, wife and friend. She early in life became a member of the Methodist Episcopal church and in all her activities gave her highest endeavor and support to the principals of true womanhood and unselfish interests in her duties to her husband and family. She leaves to mourn her death a bereaved husband and six grown-up children, as well as many near relatives and intimate friends who will sadly miss and not soon forget her kindness and sympathy for all. A Friend

Galena Daily Gazette – August 14, 1916 – illness

Thomas Trevarthen is reported very ill at his home on Dewey avenue.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 4, 1916 – visiting daughter Grace

Thomas Trevarthen has arrived home from Hillsboro, Ill., where he spent several weeks visiting at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ira Hensley. While there Mr. Trevarthen met Howard Ives, a well known former Galenian, who is connected with a zinc manufacturing plant at Hillsboro which employes a large force of men. Mr. Trevarthen had a very pleasant visit but prefers the city of the hills as his home town.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 1, 1916 – Halloween pranks

Excitement on Dewey Avenue.

Celebrations of Hallowe'en were very numerous on Dewey avenue. In fact it was a wild night while it lasted. Some of the grown-up boys who participated were not satisfied with harmless pranks. They first proceeded up the street where they "commandeered" an old four wheeled rig owned by L. S. Richards. Tearing off the seat and box they ran the wheels down the street and placed them on top of a barn owned by Thomas Trevarthen. Nearby an attempt was made to pull over a shed. Chair swings and gates were carried away. In the meantime a resident of the street fired two shots from a gun while a crowd of youngsters ran back and forth throwing corn, cabbage stumps, etc. To be chased was the sport of the game and for a while fun ran riot. Suddenly the form of a policeman hove in sight and there was a scramble to escape as the blue coat appeared. The big boys made

leaps for their lives and dashed up the hill in the darkness. But the little tricksters were caught with the goods and a crowd of about seventeen of them were lined up around the officer under the arc light. Cold shivers ran down the backs of some of them while several anxious mothers came to the rescue of their "little innocents." While the officer was giving some kindly advice one little girl fearing she would miss something in the excitement chimed in, in her squeaky voice: "Mr. Policeman, I rang two door bells." At this all joined in a laugh and the Hallowe'en celebration came to an end on that street.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 20, 1916 – daughter Jennie and family visiting in Galena

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Harvey, son Thomas and daughter Miss Roberta of Hazel Green spent Sunday with Thomas Trevarthen on Dewey avenue.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 14, 1916 – trip to Scales Mound/mention of son Joseph's illness

Comrade Thomas Trevarthen of Galena, was in town last Tuesday afternoon. His son Joe is still in one of the Mayo brothers hospitals at Rochester, Minn., in a precarious condition.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 18, 1916 – daughter Mae visiting son Joseph at Mayo Hospital.

Miss Mae Trevarthen went to Rochester, Minn., Saturday to see her brother Joseph who is in Mayo Bros., Hospital. She was accompanied by her niece Mary Sheean Trevarthen.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 24, 1917 – GAR officer

The following Post and Circle officers of the G. A. R. were installed Tuesday afternoon by Past Commander Moses Reese of Warren:

E. D. Kittoe Post No. 502.

Commander—G. S. Avery.
Senior Vice Commander—T. H. Hodson.
Junior Vice Commander—H. M. Cogan.
Surgeon—W. K. Kittoe.
Chaplain—John Edwards.
Adjutant—John Norton.
Quartermaster—T. E. Moore.
Officer of the Day—Lewis Schaber.
Patriotic Instructor—Wm. Vincent.
Quarter master Sergeant — Thos. Trevarthen.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 25, 1917 – son Joseph home from Mayo Clinic

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Trevarthan have returned from Rochester, Minn. Mr. Trevarthen was one of the Mayo brothers patients for about two months and feels much better than when first treatments were given him. We understand he goes back in a month or so, for a short time, for a little more special care when it is hoped he will be a cured man.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 6, 1917 – family visits/illness

Miss Mae Trevarthen returned Monday night from a visit with her sister, Mrs. I. Harvey near Cuba City who is slowly recovering from pneumonia. Miss Trevarthen was accompanied by Mrs. Harvey's two children, Roberta and Thomas who will visit at the Trevarthen home on Dewey avenue.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 28, 1917 – visiting daughter Grace

Thomas Trevarthen and daughter Miss Mae will return this evening from a month's visit at Hillsboro and Chicago, Ill.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 24, 1917 – son Raymond visiting

Raymond Trevarthen of Hillsboro, Ill., is in Galena visiting relatives and friends.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 22, 1917 – soldier's reunion

SOLDIERS' REUNION A GREAT SUCCESS

Apple River Does Itself Proud in
Welcoming Old Soldiers
and Sailors.

NEXT REUNION IN GALENA

All in Attendance Report Day of
Much Pleasure Due to Apple
River's Hospitality.

The Annual Soldiers' and Sailors' Reunion of Jo Daviess county held at Apple River all day Thursday, June 21, and during the evening was a decided success in every particular. In fact it was a great day for the veterans who just had the times of their lives meeting old time friends and battlefield comrades. They were shown every respect and courtesy possible by the people of that pretty town and nothing was too good for the "boys" of '61-65.

Those From Galena.

Those present from Galena were:
Veterans.

Geo. S. Avery.
John H. Foster.
Thos. H. Hodson. .
T. E. Reynolds.
Louis Schaber.
Thos. Trevarthen.
Robt. Kilpatrick.
Otho Morris.
Wm. Scheerer.
T. E. Moore.
Leo. Heit.
H. M. Cogan.
Sampson Bastian.
John Norton.
Wm. Vincent.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 29, 1917 – soldier's reunion exec
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The executive committee chosen for the ensuing year were Thomas E. Moore, chairman, and Comrades Thomas E. Reynolds, Kirby Kittoe. H. M. Cogan, William Tippet, John Norton, Otho Morris, John H. Foster Louis Schaber, Thomas Trevarthen, Leo Heit, Capt. William Vincent and Sampson Bastian. The officers of the association and the Sons of Veterans Camp, being U. S. Grant Camp No. 45, and the Ladies' Circle of Galena, being E. D. Kittoe Circle No. 82 were added to the executive committee on motion.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 6, 1917 – trip to Wisconsin

Thomas Trevarthen left for Madison, Wis., this morning for a visit. He will also go to Sparta, where the soldiers' camp is located and to other points in the Badger state.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 20, 1917 – family visitor

Miss Vera Trevarthen returned to her home in Scales Mound Saturday after several days' visit at the home of Thomas Trevarthen on Dewey avenue.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 12, 1917 – trip to Warren/fair

Thomas Trevarthen went to Warren to attend the fair today. A number of others will attend tomorrow.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 12, 1917 – daughter Grace visiting

Mrs. Ira Hensley of East St. Louis is visiting her father, Thomas T. Trevarthen and sister, Miss Mae Trevarthen.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 15, 1917 – visit to family farm

Thomas Trevarthen went to his farm near Millbrig today.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 18, 1917 – daughter Jennie visiting

Mrs. Ike Harvey of Hazel Green is visiting her father Thomas Trevarthen in Galena.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 7, 1917 – daughter Mae hosts church group

Entertains Teacher and Sunday School Class.

Miss Mae Trevarthen entertained the teacher, Mrs. William Hurst, and the members of the Sunday School Class of the M. E. Sunday School at her home on Dewey Avenue Tuesday evening. A few hours were spent by the guests in doing Red Cross Knitting while they chatted. Refreshments were served at 10 o'clock.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 6, 1918 – winter trip to East St. Louis

Thomas Trevarthen and daughter Miss Mae, have returned from East St. Louis where they spent several months.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 22, 1918 – brother John's death

DEATH OF JOHN TREVARTHEN

**Former Jo Daviess County Resident
Dies at Eldora, Iowa.**

John Trevarthen, a former resident of Jo Daviess county, died at his home in Eldora, Iowa, at 12 o'clock Saturday, April 20, death being due to a complication of diseases. He is survived by a wife, son one sister Mary of Apple River and three brothers, George of Scales Mound, and Thomas and Frank of this city.

The funeral services were held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Eldoro.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 28, 1918 – birth/death of granddaughter

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trevarthen Monday, Aug. 19, but only lived a short time. At present Mrs. Trevarthen is getting along nicely but for a couple of days was quite seriously ill.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 16, 1918 – daughter's illness

Miss May Trevarthen is recovering from an attack of the "flu" at her home on Dewey avenue.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 28, 1919 – return from winter trip

Thomas Trevarthen and son Ray returned from St. Louis Saturday night where they spent the past winter. Mr. Trevarthen's daughter returned about a week ago. Mr. Trevarthen is in good health and is glad to be back among his old neighbors and friends again and he is being heartily welcomed.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 6, 1919 – military guests at dinner

Guests From Overseas.
Miss Maye Trevarthen entertained at a supper Thursday evening at her home on Dewey avenue in honor of Miss Ann R. Manuell and Malcolm Taylor, both recently returned from overseas service, the former as a nurse and the latter with the Canadian army.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 29, 1919 – picnic/croquet champion

CENTENARY PICNIC JOYOUS SUCCESS

Methodist Outing at Fair Grounds
Thursday is Largely Attended.
Results of Contests.

The big Centenary picnic at the Fair grounds held all day Thursday was attended by a majority of the Methodists of the city, it being a thoroughly enjoyable affair. During the morning games were played while the little ones found enjoyment in three big swings. Thomas Trevarthen proved the champion croquet player with James Cowling second. At noon a picnic dinner was served to many who could only spare the time to come out for dinner. After the feed the athletic program was started. It was a howling success, the funniest event witnessed in a long time. Following is the result of the contests;

Galena Daily Gazette – September 16, 1919 – trip to Apple River

Thomas Trevarthen was among the many Galenians who attended the soldiers' welcome at Apple River today.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 29, 1919 – corn from farm

EARS OF CORN OVER FOOT LONG

Thomas Trevarthen Brings Some Specimens From Hazel Green.

From all quarters this year come reports of super abundant corn crops. Thomas Trevarthen has just returned from a visit at the home of his son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Harvey at Hazel Green where he assisted Mr. Harvey in hauling in his crop of corn from the field. Mr. Trevarthen said he never saw such an abundant crop of corn as it was this year. Not only on Mr. Harvey's farm but where ever you go. 'There was one ear,' said Mr. Trevarthen, "picked at random in the Harvey field that measured 14 inches and another 12 inches and on each ear there were over 1000 kernels.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 10, 1919 – winter renter at Dewey

Albert Gray has purchased the Ritter residence on Broadway now occupied by Charles K. Rouse. Mr. Gray will take possession in the spring. Mr. Gray sold his residence to Joseph Ortscheid who will take possession January first.. In the meantime Mr. Gray will move to the house of Thomas Trevarthen on Dewey avenue. Mr. Trevarthen and daughter, Miss Maye, will depart shortly for the south.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 14, 1920 – winter trip to St. Louis

Miss Mae E. Trevarthen left today for East St. Louis, Ill., where she will make an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Ira Hensley.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 9, 1920 – sister Mary's illness

Thomas Trevarthen went to Apple River today to visit his sister, Mrs. Mary Lethlain, who is very ill with pneumonia.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 11, 1920 – trip to Warren/fair

Thomas Trevarthen was among the many from Galena who attended the Warren fair Friday. Unlike Thursday the weather was fine and a very large crowd was on the grounds. Miss Volara Romaza Nel-

Galena Daily Gazette – September 20, 1920 – soldier's reunion

Registry of Veterans of Civil War.
Galena.
Major G. S. Avery, 3rd Mo Cav.
John Benninger, 96th Ill Inf.
Thos. H. Hodson, 15th Ill Inf.
Thos. E. Reynolds, 96th Ill Inf.
Thos. Trevarthen, 96th Ill Inf.
Chris. Spoor, 21st Ill Inf.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 27, 1920 – family visit in Elizabeth

Joseph Dower and wife of East Galena, Mrs. William Hudson and two children and Thomas Trevarthen of Galena spent last Wednesday here at the home of relatives.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 30, 1920 – tree trim on property

L. M. and Will Bergman trimmed a tree on the Trevarthen property near Dewey Avenue and got a cord and a half of wood just from the limbs. The amount of wood from the tree was surprising and at the present price of wood they were well paid for their labor although it was no easy job.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 8, 1920 – GAR officer

E. D. KITTOE POST G. A. R. ELECTS

Major George S. Avery Named for Commander Coming Year.

At a recent meeting of E. D. Kittoe Post G. A. R., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Commander—Geo. S. Avery
Sen. Vice Comm.—Thomas H. Hodson
Jun. Vice Comm.—Henry M. Cogan
Surgeon—W. K. Kittoe
Chaplain—Wm. Tibbet
A. M.—T. E. Moore
O. D.—Louis Shaber
Pat. Instructor—T. E. Reynolds
Ins. Guard—Leopold Switzer
Representative—T. E. Reynolds
Alternate—T. E. Moore
Qm. Sarg.—Thomas Trevarthen
S. Major—T. E. Reynolds

Galena Daily Gazette – January 27, 1921 – trip to Hazel Green

Thomas Trevarthen and daughter Miss Mae, spent the day at Hazel Green, Wis., assisting Mr. I. Harvey to properly celebrate his birthday. Mr. Harvey is a son-in-law of Mr. Trevarthan and has a birthday each year on that account.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 4, 1921 – surprise shower – after daughter Mae's marriage

Entertain Sunday School Class.
Saturday night, April 2, Mrs. F. E. Pegg and Mrs. E. B. Heron entertained Miss Miriam Brewster's M. E. Sunday School class, of which they are members, at the home of the latter, 910 S. Park Ave.
The event was in the nature of a post-nuptial surprise shower for Mrs. Malcolm E. Taylor, each guest bringing a suitable gift. The gifts were presented with a bouquet to the guest of honor by little B'Ann Heron who was becomingly dressed as a miniature bride.
For several hours games and guessing contests occupied the time and at eleven o'clock a two course supper was served.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 11, 1921 – dinner guest/war veterans

Six O'Clock Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Bergman entertained at a six o'clock dinner on Saturday evening at their home on Dewey avenue. Those present were Messrs. Obadiah Taylor, Thomas Trevarthen, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison B. Virtue and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Simmons. After the dinner a very pleasant social hour was spent.

A coincidence was noted in the fact that veterans of three wars were at the gathering they being: Mr. O. Taylor and Mr. Trevarthen of the Civil war; Mr. Bergman of the Spanish American war and Mr. M. Taylor, Mr. Virtue and Mr. Simmons of the world war.

Galena Daily Gazette – April 27, 1921 – birth of granddaughter

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Trevarthen of Council Hill are the proud parents of a daughter born Wednesday, April 20th.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 6, 1921 – 83rd bday party in East St Louis

Galeniens at East St. Louis Party

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hensley, formerly of Galena, entertained fifteen guests at their home known as the Maple Grove, on the Collingsville Road in East St. Louis in honor of Mrs. Hensley's father, Thomas Trevarthen, of this city who was 83 years old May 29th. This was rather a reunion as ten former Galeniens were present. They were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Baggermann, Leopold Schweitzer, Mr. and Mrs. Moran, Thomas Moran and son, and Miss Julia Moran.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 30, 1921 – soldier's reunion (partial)

Registry of Civil War Veterans
From Galena:
William Tippet, Co. A. 96 Ill. Inf.
Thomas H. Hodson, Co. E. 15th Ill. Inf.
Thomas E. Reynolds, Co. I. 96, Ill. Inf.
John Norton, Co. B. 90 Ill., Inf.
Louis Schaber, Co. D. 7 Ill. Cav.
Simeon Spencer, Co. F. 96 Ill. Inf.
Thomas Trevarthen, Co. F. 96 Ill. Inf.
James F. Leekley, Co. C. 45 Ill. Inf.
From Stockton:

Galena Daily Gazette – July 30, 1921 – swimming pool party

The young and old delight to bathe in the Jennings' Grove swimming pool. Friday the oldest bather in the person of Thomas Trevarthen, donned his bathing suit and took a plung. Mr. Trevarthen is over 84 years old, a war veteran and a good swimmer too. He showed the youngsters a few aquatic stunts that made them open their eyes.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 19, 1921 – trip to Wisconsin

Thomas Trevarthen went to Hazel Green today. Mr. Trevarthen and his daughter and son-in-law. Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm E. Taylor have been at Hazel Green for some time where they are taking care of the farm of Mr. Harvey, who with Mrs. Harvey, is on an auto trip to Yellowstone Park.

Galena Daily Gazette – December 6, 1921 – GAR officer

G. A. R. POST ELECTS OFFICERS

Major George S. Avery is Again Chosen Commander.

The regular meeting of E. D. Kittoe Post, G. A. R., the following officers were elected:

Com.—Geo. S. Avery.
S. V. Com.—Thos. H. Hodson.
J. V. Com.—T. E. Reynolds.
Adjt.—John Norton.
Q. M.—T. E. Moore.
Surg.—W. K. Kittoe.
Chap.—Wm. Tippet.
O. Day—Lewis Schaber.
Pat. Ins.—T. E. Moore.
O. Guard.—Leo Schweitzer.
S. M.—Thomas Trevarthen.
Q. M. S.—T. E. Reynolds.
Representative to Statte Eencampment—Thomas Trevarthen.
Alternate—T. E. Reynolds.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 31, 1922 – sister Mary's illness

Thomas Trevarthen has departed for Apple River to visit his sister, Mrs. Mary Lethlain, who is ill.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 23, 1922 – temp move to Detroit

Thomas Trevarthen and daughter, Mrs. Malcolm Taylor, are packing their household goods on Dewey Avenue preparatory to their removal to Detroit, Mich., where they will join Mr. Taylor who is employed in a Detroit auto plant.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 16, 1922 – return from Detroit

Thomas Trevarthen and daughter, Mrs. E. M. Taylor have returned to Galena from Detroit where they have spent a number of months. Mr. Trevarthen has also visited relatives at St. Louis, Mo.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 22, 1922 – leasing Dewey home

Albert Bastain of Council Hill has leased the Trevarthen residence on Dewey Avenue and the family will occupy the same shortly after the removal of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dower to their new home on Broadway.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 25, 1922 – trip to DesMoines/GAR

Thomas Trevarthen has gone from Galena to Des Moines to attend the annual convention of the G. A. R. as representative of E. D. Kittoe Post of this city.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 16, 1922 – family reunion

FAMILY REUNION AT COUNCIL HILL

Event Held in Honor of Mr. and Mrs. S. Dower of California.

Last Wednesday, Oct. 11th, was very pleasantly spent by a number of relatives and friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bastian of Council Hill. The event was a family reunion held in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dower of Long Beach, Calif. The day was spent in visiting and talking over old times. A fine dinner and supper was served by Mrs. Bastian, which all enjoyed.

The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Dower, Long Beach, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dower, Thomas Trevarthen, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kuchemann and daughter, Lucille, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kucheman and daughters, Marion and Mildred of Galena, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Redfern of Warren, Ill.

Galena Daily Gazette - October 26, 1922 – birth of grandson

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trevarthen, a son who has been named Thomas Harry, in honor of his grandfather.

Galena Daily Gazette – November 2, 1922 – winter trip to St Louis

Thomas Trevarthen left this afternoon for East St. Louis, Ill., where he will spend the winter with his daughter, Mrs. Ira Hensley.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 8, 1923 – GAR officer

Joint G. A. R. Installation.
An open meeting of E. D. Kittoe Post No. 502, G. A. R., and Ladies Circle No. 82, G. A. R., was held Saturday afternoon at Post Headquarters for the purpose of installing the officers of both these organizations for the ensuing year. The officers of E. D. Kittoe Post were installed by Past Commander Moses Reese of Warren, with Louis Schaber, Officer of the Day. Those installed were:

Com.—Geo. S. Avery.
S. V. C.—Thos. H. Hodson.
J. V. C.—T. E. Reynolds.
Surgeon—W. K. Kittoe.
Chap.—Wm. Tippett.
Adjut.—John Norton.
Q. M.—T. E. Moore.
O. Day—Louis Schaber.
Pat. Ins.—T. E. Moore.
O. G.—Leopold Switzer.
Sgt. Maj.—Thomas Trevarthen.
Qm. Sard.—Simon Spencer.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 5, 1923 – illness

Owing to a slight attack of illness, Thomas Trevarthen, who was to have left Tuesday morning for Milwaukee to attend the G. A. R., encampment was unable to go. However, Mr. Trevarthen has recovered from the attack and is able to be around the same as usual.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 10, 1923 – trip to Apple River

Thomas Trevarthen is visiting at
Apple River.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 11, 1923 – trip to Hazel Green

Thomas Trevarthen went to Ha-
zel Green for a visit with relatives
today.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 14, 1924 – GAR officer

Then followed installing of the
officers of E. D. Kittoe Post by the
Circle President Lou F. Holtkamp,
Sister Etta Shaber acting for her
father as officer of the day:

Com.—Thomas H. Hodson.
S. Vice—Sebastian Webber
J. Vice—T. E. Reynolds.
Surg.—W. K. Kittoe.
Chap. Wm. Tippet.
Adj.—John Norton.
Q. M.—T. E. Moore.
O. or Day—Louis Shaber.
Post Instructor—T. E. Moore.
Officer Guard— Leopold Sweltzer
Sarg. Maj.—Simon Spencer.
Q. M.— Sarg.—Thomas Trevar-
then.
Delegate to Encampment —John
Norton.
Alternate—Louis Shaber.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 20, 1924 – sister Mary's death

Mrs. Mary Trevarthen Lethlean was born in Cornwall, England, May 20, 1836. She came with her parents to America when she was five years of age, and grew to womanhood near Galena. She was married to William Lethlean, Nov. 5, 1858, and for a few years resided on a farm at Council Hill. Later they moved to Guilford and again back to Council Hill where they lived until 1881, when they purchased a farm in Monticello, Wis., and moved there. In 1910 they came to this village where they have since resided. Seven children were born to them, all of them are living except one son, Frank, who died Jan. 22, 1907. The surviving children are Henry, George and Mrs. Newman Scott of Monticello, Wis., Mrs. George Scott of Primghar, Ia., Thomas of Chicago and Joseph at home. Besides the husband and children there remain eleven grandchildren, three brothers, Thomas of St. Louis, Md., Frank of Galena, George of Scales Mound, Ill., and a host of friends to mourn the loss of this good woman, kind friend and neighbor. Mrs. Lethlean was converted when 15 years of age in the Union Methodist church in Guilford township and united with the M. E. church, remaining a member of the same throughout all the years of her life. Many times she expressed to her

friends her great joy and comfort in the services of the Lord. During her last illness, which was of a few days duration, she expressed her readiness and willingness to go to her Saviour, as she felt that her work was finished. She passed peacefully away, Friday morning, Feb. 15, 1924. Funeral took place Sunday afternoon from the M. E. church, Rev. W. S. Feldwisch officiating. The church was filled with relatives and friends. The pastor delivered a sermon to the living, showing the beauties of a Christian life, admonishing all to prepare for the day when they pass to the world beyond. The casket carriers were her sons and grandsons. The flower girls were Misses Jean Beall, Annie White, Sadie Dimmick and Mrs. J. W. Stephenson. The lives have the sympathy of all in the husband and children and other relatives of wife and mother. The family returns thanks for the kind acts shown them during the illness and death of their loved one.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 15, 1924 – birth of grandson

Born, a son to Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm E. Taylor at Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Taylor was formerly Miss Mae Trevarthen of Galena.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 14, 1925 – GAR officer

The following officers of the Post were installed by Mrs. Lou. F. Holtcamp, president of E. D. Kittoe Circle with Miss Etta Shaber, taking the place of her father as Officer of the day:

Com.—Thos. H. Hodson.
S. Vice.—Christian Spoor.
J. Vice.—T. E. Reynolds.
Sergt.—W. K. Kittoe.
Chap.—Wm. Tippett.
Adjt.—John Norton.
O. M.—T. E. Moore.
O. R.—Louis Shaber.
Pat. Inst.—T. E. Moore.
O. G.—Oregon Belden.
Sergt. Maj.—Siemon Spencer.
Qm. Sgt.—Thos. Trevarthen.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 5, 1925 – birth of granddaughter

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trevarthen on Tuesday, Jan. 27. Mrs. Trevarthen is being cared for at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Einsweiller, in Galena. Mother and child are doing well.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 29, 1925 – tenant move from Dewey

Albert Bastian is removing from the Trevarthen house on Dewey Avenue to the Anguin residence on the East Side which he recently purchased.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 14, 1925 – tenant move into Dewey

Circuit Clerk Leo E. Allen will move his family shortly, from the Schmohl apartments to the Thomas Trevarthen residence on Dewey Ave.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 29, 1925 – visiting in Galena

Thomas Trevarthen who has been making his home at Detroit and later spending several weeks at Hazel Green is now visiting relatives and friends in Galena for a few days.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 27, 1925 - visiting family & friends

Thomas Trevarthen and daughter, Mrs. Ira Hensley, will return to their home in East St. Louis to-morrow after a visit of several weeks in Galena and vicinity with friends and relatives. Mr. Trevarthen especially enjoys his visits with old friends and army comrades in this county where he resided for 84 years and was four years old when he arrived here from England. Mr. Trevarthen is remarkably active for a man of his age. He served in the Civil War three years and for eight years aided in developing the silver mines of the west. He surely was one of those sturdy pioneers who done much toward the upbuilding of this great country. It is believed Mr. Trevarthan holds the record for having resided in this vicinity longer than many other persons now living.

Galena Daily Gazette – January 21, 1926 – GAR officer

The following officers of the Post were installed by Lou F. Holtkamp, president of E. D. Kittoe Circle, Mrs. Jennie Atchinson acting as officer of the day:

Com.—Thos. H. Hodson.
S. Vice—T. E. Reynolds.
J. Vice—John Spoore.
Serg.—W. K. Kittoe.
Chap.—Wm. Tippett.
Adjt.—John Norton.
O. M.—T. E. Moore.
O. R.—Louis Shaber.
Pat. Inst.—T. E. Moore.
O. G.—Oregon Belden.
Sergt. Maj.—Siemen Spencer.
Om. Sgt.—Thos. Trevarthen.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 10, 1926 – back visiting in Galena

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Taylor and two children and Thomas Trevarthen of Detroit, are visiting at the L. M. Bergman home on Dewey Ave.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 21, 1926 – surprise bday party

Friends Honor Thomas Trevarthen.
Seven auto loads of friends of Thomas Trevarthen "dropped in" on him last evening while he was visiting at the home of his son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Harvey near Hazel Green. They took Mr. Trevarthen by surprise but did not best him by any means for he was equal to the occasion and gave every one a hearty greeting. Cards were played for several hours, then a big feast that had been provided by the guests, was served. It was three o'clock this morning when the party adjourned but Mr. Trevarthen who is close to the ninety mark on life's journey was out about town early this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey will drive to Galesburg Saturday with Mr. Trevarthen on the first lap of his journey to St. Louis where he will spend the winter. At Galesburg he will be met by auto by Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hensley with whom he will make his home for the next six months.

Galena Daily Gazette – March 16, 1927 – son Raymond's marriage

Raymond Trevarthen was united in marriage with Miss Fern Otterbaum of Happy Corners, Wis., on Tuesday, March 1. Mr. Trevarthen is a prosperous young farmer. The young couple will be at home to their friends on the old homestead.

Galena Daily Gazette – February 29, 1928 – family farm changes

COUNCIL HILL.

Parties who are moving this Spring from one farm to another are certainly having a hard time. The roads are either several inches deep in mud or when colder, frozen and rough. Raymond Trevarthen is moving to a farm on the turnpike. This year will be the first time there hasn't been a member of the Trevarthen family on the home farm.

Mr. Pozeman has rented the Trevarthen farm for the coming year.

Galena Daily Gazette – August 4, 1928 – tenant changes on Dewey

Circuit Clerk Leo E. Allen and family, who have been occupying the Thomas Trevarthen residence on Dewey Avenue, will move into Quinten H. Blewett's modern dwelling on South Prospect street, September 1st.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 1, 1928 – visiting in Galena

Thomas Trevarthen of East St. Louis was in Galena today. Mr. Trevarthen is among the very oldest civil war veterans now living. Old comrades and friends were glad to meet him again.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 5, 1928 – Apple River family visit

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Scott and sons enjoyed having with them on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Lethlean of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. I. Harvey, son, Tom and daughter, Roberta of Hazel Green, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. George Scott and son, Delbert of Primghar, Ia., Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Trevarthen, and George and Vera of Scales Mound, and Thomas Trevarthen of Detroit, Mich. the latter is already passed his 90th milestone. He is a veteran of the Civil War.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 7, 1928 – visiting in Galena

Thomas Trevarthen is visiting relatives in Galena after an extended visit at St. Louis and Detroit.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 12, 1928 – visiting with family

COUNCIL HILL.
We had the pleasure of meeting our old friend Mr. Thomas Trevarthan last Tuesday, who with Mr. and Mrs. L. Harvey was on their way to visit his son Joseph. Mr. Trevarthen who is over ninety years old, looks well. He boasts of the fact that if he is spared to vote at the Presidential election this fall, he will have voted for seventeen presidents.

Galena Daily Gazette – September 20, 1928 – visiting with family

Thos. Trevarthen is visiting his brother W. H. Trevarthen and family.

Galena Daily Gazette – October 2, 1928 – daughter's anniversary

**Celebrate Twentieth Wedding
Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Harvey celebrated their 20th wedding anniversary at their home on the Cuba City road Saturday night by a family reunion of members of both sides of the family. Mrs. Harvey was formerly Miss Jennie Trevarthen. Among those attending from a distance were, Thomas Trevarthen, Mrs. Harvey's father, also her sisters, Mrs. Ira Hensley of St. Louis, and Mrs. Malcolm Taylor of Detroit.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 6, 1929 – death/obit/funeral

NOTICE LADIES CIRCLE, G. A. R

The members of the E. D. Kittoe Ladies' Circle, G. A. R., will meet at the Uehren & Furlong Chapel at 8 o'clock this evening to hold services in memory of Comrade Thos. Trevarthen.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 7, 1929 – death/obit/funeral

A contrast in soldier funerals took place in Galena today when Thomas Trevarthen aged 92, a Civil war veteran, and Herman Wienen, aged 38, a World war veteran, were buried from the same undertaking parlors.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 7, 1929 – death/obit/funeral

THOMAS TREVARTHEN FUNERAL IS HELD THIS AFTERNOON

The funeral services honoring Thomas Trevarthen, Galena's 91 year old Civil War Veteran were exceptionally well attended Tuesday afternoon, commencing at two-thirty o'clock at Uehren and Furlong's Chapel. Rev. T. Atkey Brewster of the Methodist Episcopal church officiated, speaking of the exceptional life of the deceased, and of his good nature and ability of always looking upon the bright side of life.

Mrs. Emil Bader and Miss Ada Eustice sang "Jesus Lover of My Soul" and "Crossing the Bar." The American Legion provided a military escort for the cortege comprising, Color bearer H. B. Grimm, Color Guard, Leo E. Allen, William Foecking, Firing Squad, W. J. Ehrler, Commander, T. A. Simonds, Cecil McPhillips, Antone Tahn, Thomas Albert, Earl Alevander, Earl Gill and Harry Weber.

At Grant Hill cemetery, members of the G. A. R. who attended in a body conducted their services followed by salutes by the Firing Squad and "taps" by Earl Mavis, after prayer by Rev. Dr. Brewster. The following nephews acted as bearers, Charles Kuchemann, Harry Wilcox, George Trevarthen, Clyde Bastian, George Lethlain.

Last evening the G. A. R. and Woman's Circle conducted services at the Furlong Chapel.

Those from out of town attending the services were Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Harvey, Hazel Green, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Spensley, St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Taylor, Detroit, George Trevarthen, Scales Mound, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hensley, East St. Louis and Newsome Taylor, Detroit.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 8, 1929 – death/obit/funeral

Word was received of the death of Mr. Thomas Trevarthen at the home of his daughter in St. Louis, Mo. Mr. Trevarthen was over ninety years old, was one of the few civil war veterans remaining. After his marriage he settled on a farm near Council Hill and lived here until his family were grown up when he moved to Galena. He was a kind friendly man and a good neighbor, and was much loved by his family.

Galena Daily Gazette – May 11, 1929 – death/obit/funeral

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our kind friends who so graciously assisted at the time of our bereavement. Also those who donated their cars.

The Trevarthen Family.

Galena Daily Gazette – June 25, 1929 – soldier's memorial

Whereas: It has been the will of the Supreme Commander of all armies to remove from our ranks and from our society and companionship here to that eternal camping ground beyond the dark and dreary river of death, to that peaceful and happy country where wars are unknown, the following Comrades of this Association, who have departed this life during the past year and since our last reunion, to-wit:

Thomas Trevarthen of Co. F, 96th Ill. Inf., Civil War, of Galena.

Isaac Wilcox of Co. A, 140th Ill. Inf., Civil War, of Elizabeth.

Harvey G. Wilson, Co. A, 96th Ill. Inf., Civil War, of Hanover.

Edward Reubeno, Co. 3, 96th Ill. Inf., Civil War, of Galena.

Simeon Spencer, Co. F, 96th Ill. Inf., Civil War, of Galena.

J. A. Adams, Co. B, 45th Ill. Inf., Civil War, of Galena.

John Brinninger, Co. G, 39th Ill. Inf., Civil War, of Pleasant Valley.

Ben Brinninger, Co. G, 39th Ill. Inf., Civil War, of Warren.

Nicholas Perschang, Co. K, 17th Mo. Inf., Civil War, of Hanover.

George E. Anschutz, Co. D, 8th Ill. Cav., Civil War, of Warren.

Joseph Mears, Co. K, 16th Wis. Inf., Civil War, of Warren.

George L. Nash, Ensign in Navy, World War, of Galena.

Herman Weiman, Co. D, 356th U. S. Inf., World War, of Galena.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

That in the demise of these our departed Comrades, our Association has been bereft of that comradeship that is formed by the meeting and association in camp, and on the march and on the great battlefields of our Grand Republic, a country that has never surrendered or known defeat in any of its wars, and whose flag still proudly floats as the grand emblem of liberty bequeathed to us by our Revolutionary Fathers:

That in life these, our departed comrades were true and tried both in their country's wars and in civil life. That in the demise of these Comrades we are again reminded of the uncertainty of this life, and we pledge ourselves to hold the lives and memory of these, our departed Comrades, in kind and grateful remembrance.

RESOLVED: That this tribute of respect be spread upon the records of this Association.

Heiko B. Grimm

Moses Rees

Committee on Necrology.

Galena Daily Gazette – July 2, 1929 – death/memorial

IN MEMORIAM OF THOMAS TREVARTHEN

With the passing of Thomas Trevarthen, another of our oldest, most widely known, and highly respected citizens was taken from this community.

Mr. Trevarthen was, in many respects, a rather unusual character. He was of that sturdy English stock whose singleness of purpose, persistency, and indomitable will have made, and kept, the English people and nation in the dominating position they have so long occupied. Though Mr. Trevarthen's antecedents were English, he was very much an American—so much so that he did not hesitate to take up his musket in the cause of his country when its very life was threatened by secession; and for three long years he faced the enemy's bullets, the privations of camp and march, and the dangers of disease in the cause of his country; and, by his bravery and fortitude and devotion to his country and to duty, he has left his family a most precious heritage, and to his fellow citizens an example well worth emulating.

Mr. Trevarthen was a most kindly and sociable man; and to know him was to be his friend. In his latter years, he liked to review, in retrospect, those stirring times and strenuous days, and to recount the episodes, and sometimes humorous happenings of those days; and he could relish a good story, and appreciate a joke, even when the joke was on himself; and, for these social qualities, he was universally loved. He had the happy faculty of looking on the bright side of life, and, if the "Hoosier Poet" is right, "that the

man worth while is the man who can smile when everything goes dead wrong," then "Tommy" (as he was affectionately called) was very much "worth while." This genial nature and happy outlook upon life was not only manifest to his wide circle of friends, but he was the "pal" and companion of his family, and, after the death of his wife, he made his home with his children, and, for a number of years, spent his winters with his daughter, Mrs. Ira Hensley at East St. Louis, and during the summer he visited his daughter, Mrs. Malcolm Taylor at Detroit, Mich., and his other children in the vicinity of Galena, Ill., and it was beautiful to observe the real bond of love and affection that characterized the relation between Mr. Trevarthen and his children—they would endeavor to anticipate and gratify his slightest wish, and he would treat them as equals in age and as "pals."

Mr. Trevarthen almost reached the unusual age of ninety-two years, and was active, and in full possession of his faculties to the last.

In 1886, he was united in marriage with Mary Dower, and this was a most happy union, but his helpmate and life's companion preceded to the Great Beyond in 1916. To this union seven children were born: Willie, who died in 1898; Mrs. Ike Harvey of Hazel Green, Wis.; Mrs. Ira Hensley of East St. Louis, Ill.; Mrs. Malcolm Taylor of Detroit, Mich.; and Joseph, Harry and Raymond of Galena, Ill., who survive to mourn his passing, besides two brothers, Frank of Galena, and George of Scales Mound, Ill., a number of grandchildren, and a host of friends.

A Friend.