John Covert, Veteran

Early pioneer, veteran of the Civil War, ex-coroner of Otsego County and excellent citizen of a genial nature is "Uncle" John A. Covert, known and respected by hosts of friends. Mr. Covert came to Gaylord from Cuyahoga County, Ohio, the same year the railroad reached here. He took up a homestead east of town on which he lived a number of years, but disposed of it to good advantage and moved to town. He relates many interesting anecdotes of pioneer life and has in his parlor a souvenir of his hunting days, two finely mounted deer heads. He owns a fine home on East Main Street, a half-tone of which is shown elsewhere, and is rounding out a useful and busy life in peace and plenty.



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