

OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF – JO DAVIESS COUNTY

Kevin W. Turner, Sheriff



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Type of Incident: Traffic Crash Fatality	Date: 07/26/2020	Time: 5:02 AM
Location: Hwy 20 West approximately 1/4 of a mile west of Oldenburg Lane, Galena		

Persons Involved

Name	Address	Age
Jacob R Thomas	Iowa Falls, IA	50

Arrests

Name	Address	Age	Charges

Narrative

On 07/26/2020 at approximately 5:02 AM, a Jo Daviess County Deputy came upon a crash involving a black 2010 Harley Davidson motorcycle. The crash was located on Hwy 20 West approximately 1/4 of a mile west of Oldenburg Lane. Prior to the crash, the motorcycle was travelling westbound on Hwy 20 West when it veered off the roadway to the west and struck a tree. The male driver of the motorcycle was pronounced dead on the scene. There was not a passenger on the motorcycle. The name of the deceased is being withheld until proper family notification. This crash remains under investigation.

Update The male driver was identified as Jacob R Thomas of Iowa Falls, IA.

Investigating Agency

Agency: Jo Daviess County Sheriff's Office	Officer:
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Assisting Agencies

Galena Police Dept	Galena Fire Dept	Jo Daviess County Coroner	Galena Ambulance
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Sheriff	Command 
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