

John George Steinert was born at Obergeis, near Hersfeld, Hesse-Cassel, Germany, on November 11, 1855. He came to this country in his thirteenth year and attended the public schools of Tamaqua, Pa. In September, 1876, he entered the Mission House of the Reformed Church, near Cheboygan, Wisconsin, and from September 1880, to May 25, 1882, he was a student in the theological seminary of the Northwestern Synod of the Reformed Church.

Upon concluding his studies he was sent to Centre Point, Indiana, where he organized a congregation and at which place he was ordained in the ministry on July 16, 1882.

He served congregations in Snakeroad and Poland, Indiana; Humboldt, Dry Branch, Four Mile and Rattle Snake, Nebraska, until some time in 1888 when he removed to Indianapolis, Indiana. From the latter city he came to Detroit as the successor of the Rev. Mr. Schneck. His ministry in Detroit covered three years after which he traveled to Germany for the express purpose of meeting a sister who was born after he left that country and whom he had never seen.

Mrs. Steinert died on Nov. 2, 1929 at Breiningsville, Pa. The Rev. Mr. Steinert is now (Jan., 1931) in his 76th year, has retired long since from active life and is living quietly at the home of Mrs. G. W. Moeller, a sister-in-law, in Breiningsville, Pa.



Mr. Steinert passed away on June 7, 1932, at Breiningsville, Pa., Route 2, at the age of 76 years, 6 months and 26 days. He was buried from his late home, in the cemetery adjoining the Trexlertown Church, on Saturday afternoon, June 11, 1932.





Mr. John G. Steinert.

1855-1929.