

Standard Form For Members of the Legislature

Name of Representative Christophe, John (Johann) Senator _____
Represented Dubuque County, Iowa

1. Birthday and place 2 May 1832 Bavaria, Germany

2. Marriage (s) date place

Anna Maria Schwegler 1855 Iowa

3. Significant events for example:

A. Business _____

B. Civic responsibilities _____

C. Profession Farmers; brewery business

4. Church membership Catholic

5. Sessions served 10th General Assembly 1864

6. Public Offices 13th General Assembly 1870
On 1 Feb 1872 selected in a special election to succeed the late Martin
Kaler until 31 Dec. 1873

A. Local Justice of the Peace in Dyserville 1862-1866; Dubuque County of
Superintendent of Schools in 1860

B. State _____

C. National _____

7. Death 30 Aug 1883 Dyserville; buried St. Thomas Xavier Catholic Cemetery, Dyserville, Iowa

8. Children Anna; Rosa; Valentine; Cecilia; Aggie; John Andrew
(deceased in 1872); Elisabeth (deceased in 1874); Pauline (deceased in 1876); Joseph (deceased
in 1873)

9. Names of parents Michael and Anna Barbara (Aunt) Christoph

Christoph, John J.

10. Education

11. Degrees

12. Other applicable information

Answer

- Held nearly every township office*
- *Came to America in 1844 and in 1846 settled in Dubuque County, Iowa where he resided until his death*
- *He was engaged for 5 years in the brewing business in New Orleans, Iowa*
- *He owns 415 acres of land in 1880*
- *His wife was born in October 19 Jan 1835, died 16 Mar 1891, also buried in St. Martin's Roman Catholic Cemetery, Dyersville, Iowa*

Petersburg, Greeley, Forestville, Delaware county; and Ward's Corners, Buchanan county. The route will be surveyed to Summitville, thirty miles farther, when a temporary suspension will ensue.

—We have all the High School books—see our price list.

GROSVENOR & HARGRE.

—Mr. John Christoph died Saturday night, and was buried in the Catholic cemetery at Dyersville this morning. He had been ill for several weeks. He was a native of Bavaria and 51 years of age. He cultivated a farm in the vicinity of Dyersville since 1846 and was for five years a brewer at New Vienna. He was a member of the Iowa legislature from 1863 to 1873. He married Anna Maria Schwerzler in 1855. She and five children survive him.

—Miss C. B. Parker, (late pupil at Leipzig) teacher of the piano forte and voice culture. Rooms in Facade building.

—The public schools open to-day for the winter term after a two months' vacation, that has afforded needed rest to teachers and pupils. There is no harder work on the pupils than the acquiring of an education, and it is only equalled by that of the teachers in imparting it. Almost the same corps of teachers will take charge of the schools. Miss Hattie E. Greenhow succeeds Miss Annie Sage, resigned as teacher, being assigned to the primary department of the First Ward. Miss Ella B. Richards is Miss Karrick's successor as first assistant principal of the Third Ward school, Miss Hollingsworth becoming second assistant principal, and Miss Emma Mueller teacher in D room. Miss Clark is changed from the First to the Third Ward. The rule adopted by the Board of Education about a year ago allowing scholars in the High School to select and pursue such studies of the High School course as they desired, omitting the remainder, has been rescinded by the Board of Education. Hereafter, scholars who are given permission to take special studies, shall do so only at the commencement of the term or at the time of entering the High School: and they shall not be allowed to select

Publishers' A

The publishers of THE TIMES are interested in announcing to the people of this Territory the appointment of Mr. Theo. Freer as managing editor of the Union-Gazette, as managing department. Mr. Freer is recommended in the leading papers of the West Union and elsewhere. He has proven himself worthy of the confidence of the public. Mr. Freer is experienced in the newspaper business and thoroughly understands the business of the press. THE TIMES commend him to the full confidence of the public. He is prompt and obliging, and is a valuable and honorable in all his dealings.

Interested in F

Such leading men as Mr. Thomas F. Nevins, of the Fire Department, Mr. J. H. Thompson, Esq., of Philadelphia, Pa.; Thos. W. Williams, of Albany, N. Y., and others, have all given their fallible cure, St. Jacob's, and recommend it.

First in

Kees & Sullivan, of New York, have just received a large stock of goods, with more to come, of every shade and pattern of every kind of summer and winter wear. Neckties, handkerchiefs, gingham, silks and ribbons, laces, notions and all other kinds of goods. They have brought to the city the lowest prices is the motto of the day.

—Gold head canes, Knights & Co.'s.

Lumber

Reed has just received a large stock of good cull lumber that will float in the water, or be burned. He has the same amount of dry lumber at the same price.

School



1880 United States Federal Census

Name: **John Christoph**
 Home in 1880: New Wine, Dubuque, Iowa
 Age: 48
 Estimated birth year: abt 1832
 Birthplace: Bav
 Relation to head-of-household: Self (*Head*)
 Spouse's name: Mary
 Father's birthplace: Bav
 Mother's name: Barbara
 Mother's birthplace: Bav
 Neighbors:
 Occupation: Farmer
 Marital Status: Married
 Race: White
 Gender: Male
 Cannot read/write:
 Blind:
 Deaf and dumb:
 Otherwise disabled:
 Idiotic or insane:

Household Members:	Name	Age
	<u>John Christoph</u>	48
	<u>Mary Christoph</u>	45
	<u>Rosa Christoph</u>	14
	<u>Valentine Christoph</u>	11
	<u>Cecilia Christoph</u>	8
	<u>Agatha Christoph</u>	5
	<u>Barbara Christoph</u>	75
	<u>Henry Meyer</u>	21
	<u>Anny Meyer</u>	24

Source Citation: Year: 1880; Census Place: New Wine, Dubuque, Iowa; Roll: T9_328; Family History Film: 1254338; Page: 394, 100
 Enumeration District: 163; Image: 0611.



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- **ID:** I03458
- **Name:** John CHRISTOPH
- **Sex:** M
- **Title:** Honorable
- **Birth:** 2 MAY 1832 in Strollfeld, Oberfalz, Regensburg Bairn, Bav., Ger.
- **Death:** 30 AUG 1883 in Dyersville, Dub., IA
- **Burial:** 1883 St. Francis Cath. Cem., Dyersville, Dub., IA (Dyers.Hist.Bk)
- **Reference Number:** 3467

Father: [Michael CHRISTOPH](#) b: ABT 1802 in Strollfeld, Oberfalz, Regensburg Bairn, Bav., Ger.
Mother: [Anna BARBARA DEML](#) b: 3 MAY 1805 in Hapassenreid, Western Ger.

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Marriage 1 [Anna Marie SCHWETZLER](#) b: 1835 in Tyrol, Austria

- **Married:** 1855 in Iowa

Children

1. [Anna B. CHRISTOPH](#) b: 22 JUL 1856 in IA
2. [Elisabeth CHRISTOPH](#) b: 23 SEP 1858 in IA
3. [William CHRISTOPH](#) b: AFT 1860 in IA
4. [Caroline CHRISTOPH](#) b: AFT 1860 in IA
5. [Theresa CHRISTOPH](#) b: AFT 1860 in IA
6. [John Andrew CHRISTOPH](#) b: 14 MAY 1864 in IA
7. [Rose CHRISTOPH](#) b: 1865 in IA

8.  [Valentine J. CHRISTOPH](#) b: 9 JAN 1869 in Dyersville, Dub., IA
9. [Cecilia \(2\) CHRISTOPH](#) b: 15 SEP 1871 in IA
10. [Joseph CHRISTOPH](#) b: 17 AUG 1873 in IA
11.  [Agatha CHRISTOPH](#) b: 1874 in IA
12. [Pauline CHRISTOPH](#) b: 22 DEC 1875 in IA

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2. [Elizabeth Christoph](#) b: ABT 1858 in Iowa c: 23 SEP 1858 in St. Boniface Catholic Church - New Vienna, D
3. [Anna Maria Christoph](#) b: ABT 1860 c: 10 OCT 1860 in St. Boniface Catholic Church - New Vienna, Dubuq
4. [Carolina Christoph](#) b: ABT 1861 c: 27 OCT 1861 in St. Boniface Catholic Church - New Vienna, Dubuque (
5. [John Christoph](#) b: ABT 1864 in Iowa
6. [Rosa Christoph](#) b: ABT 1866 in Iowa
7. [Valentine Christoph](#) b: ABT 1869 in Iowa

Sources:

1. Title: 1870 U.S. Census - New Wine Township, Dubuque County, Iowa
Repository:
Media: Census
Text: Age 36
2. Title: Martha Muessig
Repository:
Note: <http://worldconnect.rootsweb.com/cgi-bin/igm.cgi?op=GET&db=gransee>
Media: Electronic

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