

George Isaiah Gamber, (18 Apr 1845 – 29 Nov 1926), Duncannon Record, December 1, 1926

George Isaiah Gamber, aged 81 years, 7 months and 11 days, died at his home in Market Street shortly after 7 o'clock Monday morning, following a ten-day illness caused by a stroke.

Deceased was a son of **Cyrus I.** and **Anna (Swartz) Gamber** and was born at New Buffalo April 18, 1845, his parents removing to this community where he was employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for fifty years, being placed on the retired list in 1912, having entered the service when a lad at Cove Station where he was engaged in sawing wood for locomotives. At this time the right of way had but a single track and wood was used exclusively for firing boilers. Later he was transferred to track work, and remained in that part of the service to the time of his retirement. He was endowed with a jovial manner and congenial spirit that won him many friends among his associates and employers. He was a good citizen with countless friends who will learn with regret that his long and useful life as at last been terminated. He was a member of the P. R. R. Voluntary Relief and of the United Brethren Church.

He is survived by his widow and the following children: **Mrs. Jennie Belton**, of Philadelphia, **Mrs. Myrtle McCoy** and **Samuel I. Gamber** of this place; **Frank Gamber**, of Harrisburg, and **Mrs. Amanda Reed** of Baltimore, Md., are surviving brother and sister. He is also survived by eighteen grandchildren and twenty-four great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at his home Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. J.F. Snyder, pastor of the United Brethren Church, officiating. Interment will be made in the Lutheran cemetery.

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