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Rev. Samuel T. Wagner was born in Spring Township, in 1846, the son of **Samuel** and **Elizabeth (Tressler) Wagner**. He attended the public schools, and graduated from Mercersburg College, of which Dr. E. E. Higbee was then president, in 1874, and in the postgraduate course in theology in 1878. Between the two courses he was principal of an academy in Iowa, 1874-75. He had also taught two terms in Perry County prior to that. He served several pastoral charges in Pennsylvania until 1905, and since then has had no regular appointment, being classed as retired. He has several times served as president of Classis, and one year as president of the Pittsburgh Synod. For fifteen years he was a member of the board of directors of St. Paul's Orphan Home, now located at Greenville, Pa. He resides at Alinda, Perry County.

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