

John Schroeder
27th WI Infantry, Company D

Born: April 9, 1835 in Mecklenburg, Germany, brother of Joachim Schroeder of 27th WI Infantry, Company D

Immigration: 1853

1858 June 12: Married to Johannah Goldenstaedt

Enlisted: August 15, 1862 from Mishicot, WI

Discharged: November 18, 1863 for disability

Died: September 16, 1924

Buried: Saxonburg Cemetery, Mishicot

Gravesite: 2-1-W: "Jno Schroeder/Co. D/27th Wis. Inf"

Stone: Military

"History of Manitowoc County Wisconsin", by Dr. L. Falge, 1911-1912, v.2, p.250-251.

John L. Schroeder, who is now living retired after a long and successful career as an agriculturist, has been a resident of the town of Mishicot for more than forty-five years, and is the owner of a highly cultivated farm of one hundred acres on sections 31 and 32. Mr. Schroeder is a native of Germany, having been born in Mecklenburg, April 9, 1835, a son of John and Fredericka Schroeder, who left the fatherland in 1853 with their eight children. . . Embarking in a small sailing vessel, the little party of emigrants spent seven weeks on the ocean, and after a rough voyage landed at New York city, from whence they came west by train to Chicago, where they remained during the winter. In April, 1854, they resumed their journey, taking a boat to Two Rivers, Wisconsin, where the father and two sons commenced working in the sawmill. Later they secured land on section 29, Mishicot township, which was all covered with heavy timber, and during the severe winter that followed these sturdy pioneers suffered greatly from the cold, the rude little log cabin affording but scant shelter from the elements. However, all were of the robust type for which the citizens of the fatherland are well known, and they continued to live on the land, clearing the timber and breaking the ground for crops, and finally put it into an excellent state of cultivation. This property remained the homestead of the parents during the rest of their lives. They were faithful members of the Lutheran church of Mishicot. John L. Schroeder received his education in the common schools of his native land and remained at home with his parents until he was eighteen years of age. He married in 1858 and in 1861 moved to the town of Two Creeks, where he resided for four years, and then came to his present farm, at that time a tract of sixty acres of wild land, to which he later added forty acres. He was engaged in clearing and cultivating this property until 1899 and in that year retired from active pursuits, although he is still living on the homestead. On June 12, 1858, he was married to Johannah Goldenstaedt, of Holstein, Germany, daughter of August and Margaret Goldenstaedt."



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Headstone supplied by _____
Vermont Marble Company,
Proctor, Vermont,
Contract dated Mar 1891.

Headstones Provided for deceased Civil War Veterans,
1879-1903