



George Albert Stearns

Hampton Falls, NH, 1843 - Long Island, NY, 1916



Luego de graduarse en Harvard y enseñar en Estados Unidos, llegó a la Argentina en 1870 junto a su esposa Julia Adelaida Hope y su pequeño hijo. A partir de 1871 fundó y dirigió la escuela normal de Paraná y la escuela modelo para las prácticas. Confeccionó los planes y programas para las escuelas normales de todo el país. Al mismo tiempo tuvo que defender el edificio de la escuela durante las luchas del caudillo Ricardo López Jordán y sus montoneras. En 1872 murieron su esposa y su hijo mayor de fiebre tifoidea. En 1876 regresó definitivamente a Estados Unidos.



After graduating from Harvard and teaching in the United States, he arrived in Argentina in 1870 with his wife Julia Adelaide Hope and his young son. In 1871, he founded and directed the Paraná Normal School and the Model School for Practices. He drew up plans and programs for the teacher training schools throughout the country. At the same time, during the uprising of the caudillo Ricardo López Jordán and his montoneras, Stearns had to defend the school building. In 1872 his wife and his eldest son died of typhoid fever, and in 1876 he returned to the United States for good.