

missionary, leaving Gleiss alone in his labors, which were greatly blessed.

On the 20th day of November, 1869, the second German Baptist church in Texas was organized at Cedar Hill, in Washington county, and called Cedar Hill church. About this time Rev. F. Keisig arrived from London, and became pastor of Cedar Hill church. From these small beginnings, and through many trials and discouragements, the German Baptists in Texas have steadily advanced to a strong and prosperous body of consecrated Christian workers in the great Baptist brotherhood of Texas. They now have sixteen churches and twelve pastors, with a total membership of eight hundred. Every church has its own meeting-house, and ten of them own also parsonages for the use of the pastor; and every church has a Sunday-school. The following is a complete list of the churches, with their location and date of organization:

GERMAN BAPTIST CHURCHES IN TEXAS.

NAME.	PLACE.	COUNTY.	ORGANIZED.
Ebenezer.....	Greenville.....	Washington	1861
Cedar Hill....	Cedar Hill....	Washington	1869
Lebanon.....	Harwood.....	Gonzales	1876
Houston.....	Houston.....	Harris	1879
Elm Creek....	O'Daniel.....	Guadalupe	1883
Brenham.....	Brenham.....	Washington	1884
Bethel.....	King.....	Coryell	1886
Cottonwood...	Moreville.....	McClellan	1884
Denton.....	Denton.....	Denton	1886
Kyle.....	Kyle.....	Hays	1886
Waco.....	Waco.....	McClellan	1890
Dallas.....	Dallas.....	Dallas	1891
Canaan.....	Coryell City..	Coryell	1891
Salem.....	Needville.....	Fort Bent.....	1893
Blue Mount...	Blue Mount...	Denton	1894
Hurnville....	Henrietta....	Archer	1894