



DR. REINER ROEHRE.

DR. R. ROEHRE, superintendent of the International Ultramarine Works, near Rossville, was born in Bonn, Germany, in 1851, was educated in Bonn, Leipsic and Freiburg, and from the University of Freiburg he took the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in 1879. In 1884, he came to America and took charge of the construction and operation of the International Ultramarine Works which are the largest of the kind in America. Before coming to America Dr. Roehre made himself acquainted with the manufacture of ultramarine and the machinery required for a large plant and was able to construct the works with all the latest improvements for the manufacture and handling of its large output.

The extensive buildings are a net-work of railroads on which all the material is handled by cars at the lowest possible cost of production. Much of the success of the business is due the skill and experience of the doctor, and the output of this factory exceeds that of all other ultramarinefactories in the United States combined.

The doctor was married in 1882 to Miss Annie Ditt- rich of Saxony. They have five children, one boy Ru- dolph, and four girls, Katharine, Gertrude, Emma and Charlotte.