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A SHORT ILLNESS

Mrs. Philbert Gase Answers the Call of the Death Angel

Died This Morning

At Eleven O'clock After a Short Illness-Funeral Monday Morning.

Elizabeth, wife of Philbert Gase, a prominent farmer living four miles east of the city, died this morning at 11 o'clock after a ten days' illness from a complication of diseases. The deceased was one of the best known women of this part of the county and the news of her death will be received with much sorrow. A particularly sad feature of the case is the she leaves a ten-day-old son and four other little sons, the eldest one not more than eight years of age. Since the birth of the babe Mrs. Gase has not shown the desired improvement, other complications arising, and gradually grew worse. Early this morning her condition was considered most serious, and it was known that she could not survive the day. She was about thirty-four years of age and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Spuller, both of whom died several years ago. She was born on the farm on which she and her husband, to whom she was married about ten years ago, went to housekeeping and her entire life has been spent in the county. She is survived by the heart-broken husband and five little sons, namely: Anthony, Clement, Edward, Irenis and Joseph. She also leaves the following sisters: Mrs. John Starost, Mrs. Mat Thomas, Mrs. John Steigmeyer, Mrs. Joe Meyers, Mrs. Mary Hackman, and Sister M. Fredericka of New York City. The funeral will be held Monday morning at 10 o'clock from the St. Marys Catholic church of this city, of which she was a faithful member. Burial in the St. Joseph cemetery.