

Mary E. Durst
Death of Mrs. J. H. Durst

As briefly announced in these columns last week Mrs. J. H. Durst, wife of the cashier of the Citizens' Bank of Monroe, died at her home in that city very suddenly at 11 o'clock on Wednesday of last week. Although deceased had been in poor health for several years her death came as a surprise to her relatives and friends. Her maiden name was Mary E. Isely and she was born in Washington township October 18, 1860, and was married to Mr. Durst October 7, 1886. Her husband and three children, Bessie, aged 13, Letha, aged 10, and Willis, 8, survive her. She was a woman highly respected for her many good qualities, and until illness prevented she was active in religious and social circles, but always finding time to make her home one of pleasure to her family and herself.

Besides her immediate family she leaves a mother, Mrs. David Stuckey of Milwaukee and four sisters, Mrs. Alice Haack of Milwaukee, Mrs. Carrie Confer, Mrs. Louise Gnagi and Mrs. Annie Wettengel, all of Monroe, and a brother, Dr. John Isely of Milwaukee. The funeral was held from the residence Saturday, being conducted by Rev. George W. Case of the M. E. church. . The remains were escorted to Greenwood cemetery by a large concourse of sorrowing relatives and friends.