[Graser, Valentine]

Death of Valentine Graser

It was with much regret that the people learned of the death of Valentine Graser which occurred in his home on Dansville street this morning, Wednesday, May 8. Deceased was 47 years of age.

Mr. Graser's death was caused by heart disease from which he had been a sufferer for the past two years. For the past year he has been growing gradually worse and was compelled to give up his work.

Deceased was in the cigar manufacturing business and conducted a shop at his home on Dansville street. He had been a resident of this town for many years, and was much respected and esteemed by a large circle of acquaintances.

He was married after coming to Cohocton to Miss Emma Wagner, who with three children, Jessie, Lottie and George are left to mourn his death, also three brothers, Edw. and George of Buffalo, and one in the west, and one sister in Illinois.

The funeral will be held Friday at 1 o'clock at the house and at 1:30 at the Universalist church.

Interment in Maple View cemetery.

Mr. Graser was an honored and popular member of the Odd Fellows' lodge of this place, who [sic] will attend the funeral in a body.

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