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Mr and Mrs Samuel Tarrant of the Rosedale Orchard, and their family, have the sympathy of their large circle of friends here, and in other parts of the colony, in the bereavement of their daughter, Miss Eliza Emmaline (Tissie) Tarrant, who breathed her last on Tuesday morning at the early age of 18 years. The deceased had been a great sufferer for the past 12 months, but especially since she was bedridden for some four months ago after undergoing amputation of the leg, necessitated by an affection of the knee, which defied the skill of the most eminent of the medical men of the metropolis and elsewhere. Nothing that parental attention and professional skill could do to alleviate her sufferings and prolong her life was spared, and it affords a measure of consolation to her relatives that she was fully aware of the critical nature of her condition, and quite resigned to and prepared for, the change from life to eternity. The deceased, when in health was what could be truthfully be called a fine girl, being of good physique and complexion, engaging in manner, and of lovable disposition, and the appreciation in which she and her family was held, was evinced by the unremitting attention of friends and neighbours throughout her illness. The funeral took place on Wednesday, and was attended by a goodly gathering of mourners, besides those comprised among her relatives and more immediate friends.