

**Rushworth Chronicle**

**20 March, 1891**

**DEATH.**

STRAWHORN.—In affectionate remembrance of Andrew Strawhorn, Senior, who died at Janefield Farm, Rushworth, on Tuesday, 10th March, 1891, at five minutes past eight o'clock, in his 67th year.

Precious Father, he has left us!  
Left us, yes, for evermore;  
But we hope to meet our loved one  
On that bright and happy shore.

**GONE, BUT NOT FORGOTTEN.**

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**DEATH OF MR ANDREW STRAWHORN.**

On Tuesday evening last, about 8 o'clock, Mr Andrew Strawhorn of Burrumboot East, near Rushworth, passed away to join the great majority. His decease was not unexpected, he having been a sufferer from a cancer in the jaw for the last twelve months, and during the last week or two had scarcely been able to take any nourishment, consequent on the swelling of the face caused by the disease, which is supposed to have been contracted through a broken tooth and smoking.

Last July he underwent an operation at Kyneton, performed by Dr Duncan, and for a few months seemed to have entirely recovered, but the disease again made its appearance in a more malignant form, and he succumbed as stated on the 10th instant.

The deceased gentleman was one of the most respected in the district, and one about whom the words, "honest man," could be truthfully said.

He leaves a large circle of friends both in this district and at Kyneton.

He was a native of Ayrshire, Scotland, and came to this colony in the stirring times of '52, being first engaged as manager on Dr. Hope's station, at Horsham, afterwards, in 1857, moving to Kyneton, where he remained for about 15 years as a successful farmer, making a host of friends by his genial and kindly nature.

In 1872 the family removed to their present location, and soon became known throughout the district by the open and hospitable manner in which the house was kept, it being a rendezvous for friends far and near. As a breeder of prize stock and competitor in the show ring he was well known, numerous testimonials of all sorts proving the quality of his stock. Mr Strawhorn, at the time of his death, was about 67 years of age, and leaves a widow and grown-up family of four sons and five daughters well provided for.

His remains were interred in the Rushworth cemetery yesterday afternoon, and followed to their last resting place by a large number of friends, Mr Gilsenan conducting the funeral service, the arrangements in connection therewith being carried out by Messrs Coy & Anderson.

On Tuesday evening Mr. Andrew Strawhorn, for the past 15 or 16 years a large farmer and breeder of prize stock at Moora near Rushworth, died. The deceased gentleman was a native of Ayrshire, Scotland, and was well connected. He leaves a wife and large grown-up family. The cause of death was cancer in the jaw, supposed to have been contracted through smoking. The deceased was about 60 years of age.