

Christian Bertram

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OBITUARY.

During the past week two very old identities of the Rushworth district have passed away.

On Friday morning last Christian Frederick Bertram, father of Mrs Chas. Allen, died at the latter's residence at the advanced age of 93 years. Deceased was at one time a resident of Costerfield, where he was well known. For years past, however, he has resided with his daughter, as stated, and towards the end became very feeble indeed. He was also father of Mr L. Bertram and Mrs Jno. Ayers, both of Rushworth. The remains were interred in the local cemetery on Saturday afternoon.

The second death was that of Mr Lochie Fraser, of Moora Road, Rushworth, who some time back was conveyed to the Mooroopna Hospital, where he was still an inmate at the time of his death on Friday last.

Deceased suffered with gastritis, and the actual cause of death was heart failure.

He was a native of Inverness, Scotland, and was a very old colonist. He also had passed the allotted span, having reached the age of 77 years.

He leaves a widow and grown up family to mourn his death. His remains were interred in the Mooroopna cemetery, the Rev. Father Kean conducting the funeral service.