

Conrad Geisler

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Death has claimed another old and respected pioneer of Rushworth in the person of Mr. Conrad Geisler, who passed away at his residence, Moora road, Rushworth, on Tuesday morning at the age of 65 years.

Mr. Geisler has not been in good health for some time past, and he became seriously ill during the past week.

He was a native of Rushworth, and in his young days followed mining up till about 10 years ago. He has since done a little prospecting, but latterly had to give it up altogether.

He married a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Poppel. Of Rushworth, and leaves his widow and a family of 11 children -- three daughters and eight sons -- Maggie (Mrs. McAneny, N.S.W.), Florrie (Mrs. Gurner, Melbourne), Julia (Mrs. Cunneen, Melbourne), Conrad (Rushworth), Thomas (Melbourne), Frederick (N.S.W.), Harold, Frank and Ernest (Rushworth).

The late Mr. Geisler leaves a large circle of friends, who deeply regret his demise. He was a very old member of the local Lodge of the G.U.O.O.F.

The funeral took place yesterday (Thursday), the remains being interred in the Rushworth Cemetery, and were followed to the grave by the members of the G.U.O.O.F. and a large number of townspeople. The burial service was read by the Rev. F. Grist (Anglican).