George Brice junior

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It becomes our painful duty to record the death of Mr G. Brice, jun., which occurred at his father's residence, Rushworth, on Wednesday morning last.

We mentioned a couple of issues since that Mr Brice had been injured while handling a horse, and as he had been spitting blood Dr Heily advised complete rest. To a young man of less than 30 years, however, confinement is irksome, and as soon as he found himself improving, he was out and about again.

The exertion brought on haemorrhage of the lungs in a severe form. Heroic treatment was adopted, with the result that the bleeding was stopped, and for a time hopes were entertained for his recovery. Dr Heily was in constant attendance on the sufferer, and even on Tuesday night hoped to bring him round.

Between 7 and 8 o'clock on Wednesday morning, however, he suddenly turned over and expired.

The deceased from his boyhood had maintained the respect of all with whom he came in contact, this being amply shown by the large assemblage which accompanied his remains to the grave.

The procession was headed by the Rushworth Brass Band, playing the "Dead March," and immediately in front of the hearse marched a strong contingent of brethren of the Waranga Lodge, G.U O.O.F., of which the deceased was also a member.

The burial service of the Roman Catholic Church was read at the grave by Mr L. Mullany, and the burial service of the Oddfellows' order was read by Bro. Muhlhan. The funeral arrangements were carried out by Mr G. Anderson.

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Mr G. Brice, jun., of Rushworth, while treating some horses early last week received a nasty wrench in the side, which caused him to spit a quantity of blood. Dr Heily advised him to remain in bed for a few days. On Sunday morning Mr Brice ruptured a blood vessel, and for some time his life was despaired of. Eventually the haemorrhage was allayed, and he is now, though very weak, getting on as well as can be expected.

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DEATH. BRICE.—On the 14th inst., at his father's residence, Royal Hotel, Rushworth, George, the eldest son of George G Brice, after a severe illness (in his 29th year). Deeply regretted by all who knew him.

That cheerful one's gone from our midst, That familiar voice is stilled;

A place is vacant in our home, Which never can be filled.