George Jenkins

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An old resident on this place, named George Jenkins, died at his residence on Tuesday evening. Seventeen years ago he was mining, but not being able to make money he took a situation as assistant to Mr Stewart, storekeeper, in whose employ he remained till he met with an accident by falling out of a cart he was driving. After recovering from the injuries he received he took a situation with Dr Heily, where he continued till about twelve months ago,

when he went to reside at Main Gully.

Soon after leaving the doctor's he was taken ill with dropsy, and has been getting worse day by day, till Tuesday, when he expired in his seventy-fourth year. He will be buried today.

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The remains of Mr George Jenkins, whose death was recorded in our last [edition], were followed to the grave on Thursday afternoon by a number of friends, and on Sunday a funeral sermon was preached by the Rev. Mr Short at the Church of England.