

John Sinnett

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DEATH.

SINNETT.—At Rushworth, on the 31st of August, from inflammation of the lungs, John, eldest beloved son of the late P. and E. Sinnett. Aged 22 years. Well known as late partner of Crown Cross Reef. Deeply regretted by all who knew him.

Thou art gone, dearest Jack,
The sweet Saviour has called thee
Away to the home in the heavens above.
Thou art gone far away,
Where no voice can recall thee,
Though deep was our grief
And fond was our love.

No Sinnetts are listed in the cemetery records at Whroo or Rushworth. There are Synnotts at Rushworth, but no John. It is possible that the body was buried elsewhere but the custom of the time was to mention this if it occurred. He may be buried at Rushworth, and not recorded. If the burial place of parents P. and E. Sinnett could be found, this may provide a clue.