

## John Shewan

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DEATH.

SHEWAN —On the 29th inst., at his residence, "Nuggetty," Rushworth, John, beloved husband of Margaret Shewan, father of D.J., H.W., L.J., D.E., P.T., and I.M., and brother of D. and A. Shewan.

"A patient sufferer at rest."

OBITUARY

It is with feelings of regret that we chronicle the death of Mr John Shewan, of Nuggetty Gully, Rushworth, the sad event taking place at his late residence on Tuesday afternoon.

Deceased was a native of St. Arnaud but came to Rushworth with his father, the late Mr James Shewan, when he was but four years of age. For the greater part of his life he followed the vocation of a miner, with the usual consequences ---- miner's complaint.

It was to the dreaded miner's consumption that he fell a victim, but although he was ill for a considerable period he was only confined to his bed for about a fortnight prior to his death.

Deceased was a man very highly respected and regret is general at his early demise, he being but 49 years of age. He was a married man, and leaves a wife and six children to mourn his death.

The remains were interred in the local cemetery yesterday afternoon, the Rev. F. W. Wray conducting the funeral arrangements.

The Oddfellows Lodge, of which deceased was an old member, was well represented, and led the funeral cortege to the grave, Bro. H. G. Brice reading the lodge's impressive burial service.