

Mr William Drennan

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It is with regret that we record the death of Mr William Henry Drennan, husband of Mrs Drennan, licensee of the Exchange hotel, Rushworth, which sad event occurred early on Wednesday morning last.

Deceased was the only son of Dr Sir John Swanick Drennan, of Belfast, Ireland, and only arrived in the State some five or six years ago. He has only been resident in Rushworth some twelve months, during which time he has occupied the Exchange hotel with Mrs Drennan.

He has experienced but very indifferent health for some considerable time past, a fact which was largely responsible for his settling in Rushworth. For a time the change proved beneficial, but latterly he completely broke up, and the end was not long in coming.

Deceased, who was only 53 years of age, was of a quiet disposition, and during his short residence here made many friends.

The funeral takes place this (Friday) afternoon, being timed to leave his late place of residence at three o'clock.

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The remains of the late Mr W. H. Drennan, of the Exchange hotel, were interred in the Rushworth cemetery on Friday afternoon last, a large number of townspeople joining the funeral cortege.

The Rev. J. R. Walker performed the funeral obsequies.