

Mr James Collard

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We regret very much to have to record the death on Monday afternoon of James Collard, of Moora Road.

The deceased, who was a native of Talbot and only 34 years of age, came to Rushworth 24 years ago and has resided here ever since.

About seven years ago he married Mr G. Mathers' eldest daughter, who is left with two children to mourn their loss, and much sympathy is felt for them in their bereavement.

The deceased, who followed the occupation of a miner, was very much liked and respected for his many good qualities.

Death was caused by failure of the heart's action during an attack of typhoid fever.

The remains were interred in the local cemetery on Tuesday afternoon, the following being a considerable one. The Rev. J. Weir officiated at the grave. Mr Anderson had charge of the funeral arrangements.