

Mrs. C. T. Berry

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The Grim Reaper has been busy in the town and district during the last two weeks and on Saturday claimed another in the person of Mrs. C. T. (Bessie) Berry, wife of Mr. C. T. Berry of Moora street, Rushworth.

This makes the third mother living in the town who has been taken from her family during the past two weeks.

The late Mrs. Berry was in her usual health until a week before her death when she suddenly became ill and was taken to Sister Beaumont's private hospital, Esmonde street. Although she received every care and attention she gradually sank and died on Saturday morning last.

The late Mrs. Berry was born at Toolleen, and was the fifth daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lonsdale. She was married to Mr. C. T. Berry in 1916 and after her marriage went with her husband to Whroo where they resided until about seven years ago when they came to live in Rushworth.

She was of a happy disposition and made many friends who are greatly shocked at her sudden death. A good wife and mother, her loss is greatly deplored.

She leaves her sorrowing husband and two daughters --- Dorrie, aged 13, and Phyllis, aged 11 years.

The funeral took place on Sunday last, and as evidence of the great respect she and her husband was held, was very largely attended.

The service at the graveside was conducted by Rev. F. G. Faram and Councillor W. Pook, who taught the late Mrs. Berry when a child at Sunday school at Toolleen, gave a short address on the good qualities of deceased.

The funeral arrangements were carried out by Mr. E. F. Anderson.