Mrs John Peebles

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Residents of the district were shocked to learn yesterday of the sudden death of Mrs Peebles, relict of the late Mr John Peebles, of Wanalta.

Mrs Peebles was of delicate constitution of late years, but she was not confined to her bed in any way and she only as late as Tuesday last was in Rushworth transacting some business.

Therefore the news of her sudden demise came as a shock to her many friends and acquaintances. The cause of death was heart failure. Only last July her husband passed away, so that she did not long survive him.

Deceased, who was 59 years of age, and was widely known and highly respected throughout the district and the news of her death will be generally regretted.

She leaves a family of three sons (Messrs John, Thomas and James Peebles) to mourn their loss, and for them much sympathy is felt.

The remains will be interred in the Rushworth cemetery on Saturday (tomorrow) afternoon, the funeral cortege being timed to leave deceased's late residence at half past one o'clock.