

Mrs Sally Hicks

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It is with regret that we record the death of Mrs S. Hicks, wife of Mr John Hicks, of Carag Carag, which sad event took place on Monday morning last under very sudden circumstances.

It would appear that deceased, who was 73 years of age, had suffered indisposition for some considerable time but was apparently much better for some days previous to her death. She got out of bed on Monday morning, and, having aroused one of the girls, was proceeding to dress when she fell back on the bed dead.

With her husband, deceased came to the district many years ago, they being amongst the very earliest settlers, consequently she was known and respected far and wide, and there was a large attendance of mourners at the funeral, which took place in the Rushworth cemetery on Wednesday afternoon, the Rev. F. C. Vian officiating.

Mrs Hicks was a prominent member of the Methodist Church and took a leading part in any movement instituted for the advancement, and her services will be greatly missed in this direction.

She leaves a grown-up family of eight children, who are left to mourn their loss together with a sorrowing husband.

Rushworth cemetery records include one Sally Hicks.