

Mrs Sarah West

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An old identity of the Rushworth district passed away on Thursday last 6th inst. in the person of Mrs Sarah West.

Deceased was the mother of Mr Thos. Collard and Mrs Jno. Hawking, of Rushworth, and was 78 years of age. For some years past she has been in very poor health and lately had become very feeble. She died in Melbourne, whither she had been taken some months ago as her relatives found it impossible to restrain her in a disposition to wander.

For many years deceased followed the calling of a nurse in midwifery, and gained for herself a very high reputation as a careful, kind and unassuming old lady.

Her remains were conveyed to Rushworth and interred in the local cemetery on Saturday afternoon last, the Rev. Mr Vian officiating at the grave.