

Mrs J. McLarty

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DEATH OF MRS MCLARTY.

The death took place on Wednesday afternoon last of Mrs McLarty, wife of Mr J. McLarty, of Girgarre East, under very sad circumstances, after but a few hours' illness.

It appears that deceased took ill at 3 o'clock in the morning and Dr Heily was soon on the scene. He found that she was suffering from convulsions, and as she showed no signs of improvement, Dr Christie's services were also invoked, but upon the latter's arrival he found that the poor woman had just succumbed.

Deceased seemed to be in good health on Tuesday, when she expressed a wish to be present at the laying of the foundation stone of the Presbyterian church at Tatura, and generously offered to drive Mrs Johnston there to witness the ceremony, little thinking that about that time she would be crossing the bar into the great unknown.

She was quite a young woman, being but 37 years of age, and was only married in October last.

She was held in very high esteem throughout the district, and regret is general at her untimely demise. The utmost sympathy is felt for the bereaved husband.

The funeral is timed to leave deceased's late residence this (Friday) afternoon, at one o'clock, and will reach the Rushworth cemetery at three.