

Mrs Marian Smith

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We regret to have to record the death of Mrs Marian Smith, a sister of Mr P. McInnes, farmer, Merrigum road, which sad event occurred on Sunday morning last at her brother's residence.

Deceased, who was 83 years of age, came to the colony in 1852 and took up her residence at Portland. In the following year she married Mr W. Smith, farmer, who died some 35 years ago. Her brothers then purchased some land for her at Creswick, where she resided until six years ago, when, becoming too old to manage the farm, she came to reside with her brother here.

Deceased was of a very kindly disposition and was beloved by all who knew her.

The remains were interred in the Rushworth cemetery on Tuesday, the Rev. J. Weir performing the burial rites. Mr Anderson had charge of the mortuary arrangements.