

Mrs S. Anderson

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There passed away at her residence, High St., Rushworth, on Friday last, a very old identity of this district in the person of Mrs S. Anderson, relict of the late Geo. Anderson, who predeceased her about a year ago.

The deceased lady came out to Australia from the Island of Guernsey in the year 1860, when but 17 years of age, so she was a colonist of no less than 57 years. She was married to her husband in All Saints' church, Bendigo, on 10th June, 1862, and came to live in Rushworth, where she has resided ever since.

For some years past the deceased had not enjoyed the best of health, and her death was not quite unexpected.

She was a woman of sterling qualities, and was respected by all who knew her. For many years the deceased took a prominent part in the management of the local Benevolent and Dorcas Society, and her good work in this direction will be sadly missed.

She was a devout Protestant, and a leading member of St. Paul's Church of England, Rushworth.

She was 74 years of age at the time of her death, and leaves a family of ten children to mourn their loss, one of the boys (Jim) being on active service.

Her remains were interred in the Rushworth cemetery on Saturday afternoon, the Rev. Rowell officiating at the graveside.