

Robert Smith

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We regret to have to record the very sudden death of Mr Robert Smith, of Rushworth.

The deceased retired to rest at about 11 o'clock on Tuesday night, apparently in his usual state of health.

His brother, upon awakening in the morning, proceeded to arouse him, but found that life was extinct, death having evidently taken place a few hours previously.

A magisterial enquiry was held yesterday by W. Wigg, Esq., J. P., and a finding was recorded in accordance with the medical testimony that the cause of death was apoplexy.

Deceased was the brother of Messrs F. and W. Smith, of Rushworth and Murchison, chemists, and was a very old resident of the former town.