

Son of Thomas Ryan

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A son of Mr Thomas Ryan, of Mount Scobie, aged about 14 years, while playing cricket with some boys about his own age, met with an accident that has since, we regret to say, proved fatal.

In the piece of wood which the little fellow was using as a bat was a rusty nail, the sharp point of which penetrated his knee while in the act of striking at the ball.

The wound was, to all appearances, of a trivial character, but blood poisoning set in, and, on the recommendation of Dr Heily, the little sufferer was removed to the Sandhurst Hospital, where he expired on the 21st inst.

The remains were interred in the Rushworth Cemetery yesterday.