

William Armstrong

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The death took place on Wednesday afternoon last, at his late residence, Murchison Road, Rushworth, of Mr William Armstrong, an old and very highly respected resident.

Over thirty years ago deceased came to Rushworth and under took the management of Glasgow House store for the late Mrs E. Mumford. On that lady relinquishing business he opened up a business on his own in Moora street, and this is still carried on by his sons.

Up till a short time back deceased was, notwithstanding his extreme age (89 years), a familiar figure about the town, and a couple of years ago it was a common thing to see him driving around in the spring cart, always in a standing position.

He was a fine old fellow, and, although he ran a good long course, his many friends will learn with regret of his demise.

He leaves a large family of grown-up sons and daughters to mourn his death. The funeral takes place this (Friday) afternoon, at three o'clock.

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The funeral of the late Mr W. Armstrong took place on Friday afternoon last, when his remains were followed to their last resting-place, the Rushworth cemetery, by a large number of mourners. The funeral service was read by the Rev. H. Richardson, who also conducted a memorial service in the Methodist church on Sunday evening last, which was well attended and of a most impressive character.