William Northausen

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Death has claimed another old identity of the Rushworth and Whroo districts in Mr William Northausen, who passed away at his residence, Murchison road, on Monday afternoon last.

Deceased, who was 53 years of age, had followed the occupation of a miner for many years, mostly at Whroo, and his death was attributable to the dreaded miner's phthisis.

For the last six or seven years, deceased had been incapacitated from work, and death must have been a release from all his sufferings.

He was very widely known and was held in the highest respect by all. A wife and a large family of children, are left to mourn his death.

Deceased, who was a prominent member of the Masonic Lodge, was accorded a Masonic funeral. Worshipful Bro. Dr J. V. Heily read the Masonic service, the prayer being read by Wor. Bro. J. McK. Brown.

The funeral service at the grave was conducted by the Rev. F. W. Wray.