Mrs Olivia Deslandes

Rushworth Chronicle

16 November, 1900

Mrs C. Deslandes expired at her residence, Whroo, on Friday last.

The deceased, who was 68 years of age, had resided in that mining centre almost continuously for 40 years.

She leaves a husband, four sons, and four daughters, all grown up, to mourn their loss.

The remains were interred in the local cemetery on Saturday. The Rev J. Ross officiated at the grave. Mr Medhurst had charge of the mortuary arrangements.

The Leader 17 November, 1900

DESLANDES. — On the 9th November, at Whroo, Olivia Mary, the beloved wife of Charles Deslandes and mother of C. G., K. A., T. E., A. A. Deslandes, aged 68 years.

The same death notice was published in The Age of 10 November, 1900. The commas are confusing. With eight children, surely it should have been displayed as C, G, K, A, T, E, A and A Deslandes.