John Dalcam

Rushworth Chronicle

22 April, 1892

A very old resident of Whroo died on Saturday evening last in the person of Mr John Dalcam.

The deceased has been a resident of Whroo for about 34 years.

His remains were interred in the local cemetery on Monday afternoon, the Rev. R. L. Reed officiating at the grave.

The deceased had been a member of the local Methodist Church for over 20 years.

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DEATH.

DALCAM.— On the 16th April, 1892, at his late residence, Whroo, John, the beloved husband of Mary Dalcam and dearly-loved father of Mrs A. Johnstone, of Adelaide, Mrs F. Stock and Mrs J. Brasher, both of Whroo. Aged 71 years and 6 months. AT REST.

Affliction long he bore,
Physicians were in vain,
Till God saw fit to give him rest
And eased him of his pain.
We would not wish him back again
To suffer ail earth's cares and pains;
No! rather would we kiss the rod
That points us to a loving God.
Oh, silent grave, to thee we trust
The precious part of earthly dust,
Guard it safely, sacred tomb,
Till we who love him ask for room.

[&]quot;Though lost to sight to memory dear."

[—]Inserted by his sorrowing wife and loving daughters, Mary Ann and Esther.