

(BURIED RUSHWORTH) Child of Neil Neilson

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A 2-year-old child, the son of Mr. Neil Neilson, hotelkeeper, at Whroo, was drowned on Monday evening while playing with an older brother on the bank of a dam opposite to the hotel.

An alarm was given when the child fell in, but when assistance arrived the body was out of sight, and some time elapsed before it was recovered by grappling with a sapling to which a hook was attached. All efforts to restore animation proved fruitless.