

Mark Webster

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An old man named Mark Webster, better known as "Jack", who for some years has eked out a precarious living at Whroo in mining and as sexton of the local cemetery, died somewhat suddenly on Monday morning last.

Messrs C. Frank and C. Cameron having occasion to go to the old man's hut in the morning, heard him groaning and broke open the door. Before further assistance could be obtained he expired.

Dr Heily, who had known the old fellow for a long time certified that the cause of death was general debility and break-up of the system, and it was therefore not considered necessary to hold an inquest.

The remains were interred in the Whroo Cemetery on Monday afternoon.

The plaque in the middle of the cemetery indicates Mark Webster was 70 years of age.