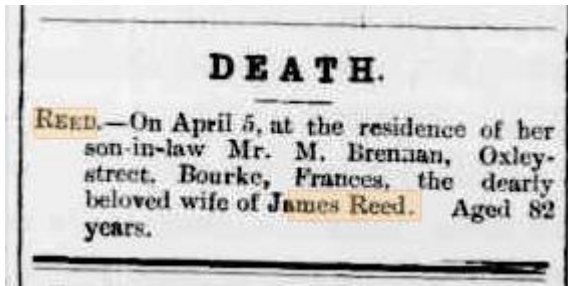
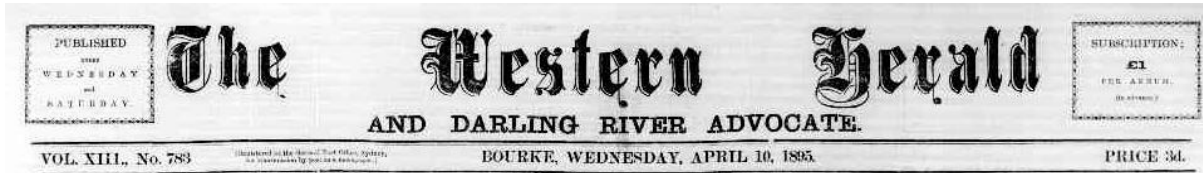




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Another old identity has passed away.

On Friday evening last Mrs. Frances Reed, wife of Mr. James Reed, died at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. M. Brennan, Oxley-street, at the ripe old age of 82 years. Mr. and Mrs. Reed were married in England in 1830, and came to the colony three years later, in the ship 'Earl Grey the First.' They came to Bourke in 1862, and have resided in the district ever since. The old couple had 12 children, and at the present time have 85 grand children and 40 great grand children. Mr. Reed is still living, being 87 years of age, but, we regret to say, is in feeble health. He belonged to the 80th regiment. The funeral of the late Mrs. Reed took place on Sunday afternoon last, when a large number of residents followed her remains to the grave.

