

6th April 1915

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PROCEEDINGS of INQUIRY ^{into}

held upon the body of

Anna Maria Brown

at Ballarat

Received at the Crown Law Offices,

7th April 1915

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J. Fraser J.P.
Deputy Coroner.

MAGISTERIAL INQUIRY.

VICTORIA,
Southern BAILLIWICK,
To Wit.

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A MAGISTERIAL INQUIRY on behalf of our Sovereign Lord the King
taken at *Ballarat* in the *Southern*
Bailiwick of Victoria, this *sixth* day of *April*
in the year of our Lord One thousand nine hundred and *fifty* before
the undersigned *John Fraser* Esquire, one of
His Majesty's Justices of the Peace in and for the said Bailiwick, upon view of
the body of *Anna Maria Comb*
then and there lying dead.

Having duly inquired when, where, how, and by what means the said
Anna Maria Comb ^a come by her *SA*
death, I say that the said *Anna Maria Comb*
died at *303 Muedinium St. South*
Ballarat in the said
Bailiwick on the *sixth* day of *April* 1915.
from *Natural Causes*

As witness my hand this
sixth day of *April* 1915

John Fraser, J. P.

CORONER'S INQUEST.

VICTORIA, TO WIT.

This Deponent*

*William Edward Davies*on his oath saith, I am a *legally qualified medical practitioner*residing at *Ballaarat** Christian and
Surname in
full.*WED**Anna Maria**JH.*

I was called in this morning to see *Mrs Coomb* of *303* *JH.*
Wendernere St S.
Coomb

When I arrived at the house about 10.30^{AM} nobody was at home *JH.*
 but I made my way into the front room where Mrs Coomb
 was lying in bed. She was dead.

She was lying in a natural position as if she had died
 easily and peacefully. Nothing in the room appeared to be
 disturbed and as she was an aged woman I conclude
 she died of natural causes

*WED Davies*Taken and Sworn before me the *sixth* dayof *April* 1905 at *Ballaarat**John Fraser, JH.*

Coroner.]

CORONER'S INQUEST.

VICTORIA, TO WIT.

* Christian and
Surname in
full.

This Deponent* David Comb
 on h ~~is~~ oath saith, I am a Gardener
 residing at 303 Drummond Street South
Ballarat

The deceased Anna Maria Comb was my mother. She had been ailing for many years and has been confined to bed during the last twelve months. I asked her to have a doctor attend her & she refused. She would not consent to be taken to the hospital. I attended her in her illness. She became seriously ill on the 6th April and I went for Mr. Davies, who came at once and found my mother dead. According to documents in my possession her age would be 72 years. She suffered for many years from spinal & stomach troubles.

David Comb.

Taken and Sworn before me the sixth day
 of April 1905 at Ballarat
John Fraser
 Coroner.

CORONER'S INQUEST.

VICTORIA, TO WIT.

This Deponent*

on h *is* oath saith, I am a *Police Constable*
 residing at *504 Ascat, St. Ballant*

* Christian and
 Surname in
 full.

I have known the deceased
 Anna Maria Cornb, (who is
 an old pensioner) for about
 seven years. She was confined
 to her bed to my knowledge for
 about twelve months. During
 that time she has been looked
 after by her son, David Cornb.
 The son told me she would
 not have a doctor, and
 objected to being taken to
 the Hospital. In my opinion
 there are no suspicious
 circumstances connected with
 her death.

A. L. Stewart
Const 4828

Taken and Sworn before me the *seven* day
 of *April* 1905 at *Ballant*
John Fraser, JP.
 Coroner.