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# OBITUARY

## MR. W. BRADFORD KILLED ON BIRTHDAY

Mr. Wally Bradford, a well known and respected resident of Braybrook, and a very old employee of the Sunshine Harvester Works, was fatally injured on Friday evening last at about 6.30 p.m., when he was struck by a motor car at the corner of Melon Street and Ballarat Road, Braybrook, not far from his home. The news of the death of such a popular personality was received with great regret by a large circle of friends, and a sad feature of the accident was that Friday last was the 63rd birthday of the deceased.

The late Mr. Bradford was a veteran of the Boer War and also the last war. He was employed at the old Braybrook implement works before that establishment was taken over by the late Hugh Victor McKay, and carried out his duties as a painter right up to the evening of his death.

Deceased leaves a widow to mourn her great loss. The funeral, largely attended, took place on Monday last to the Footscray Cemetery, and the burial service was read by the Roman Catholic priest at Footscray. Walter A. Warne had charge of the funeral arrangements.

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