

## A FARMER'S SHOW HOLIDAY.

### Motoring Fatality on Kellor-road

#### Bet Bet Councillor Killed.

While driving his family in a motor car from Timor West to the Royal show on Monday afternoon Cr. Frank Herbert Brown, a Timor West farmer, and a well-known citizen of Bet Bet shire, met with an accident, which ultimately resulted in his death.

Cr. Brown was driving a Dodge car, which he learned to drive about four months ago. With him were three of his children—one a young woman, and the others a boy and girl still at school—and a young one-armed returned soldier. While travelling down Spring Hill, along the Kellor-road at about 4 p.m., some seven miles from Melbourne, he endeavored to pass a second car which a lady was driving. As he drew to the side of the road a rear wheel of his car broke, and the spokes flew out from the hub, with the result that the car was completely overturned. All the passengers were thrown clear with the exception of the unfortunate driver, who was pinned beneath portion of the car, and badly injured in the region of the chest. His companions were all bruised and scratched to some extent, but escaped serious injury. A passing motorist took the party to the residence of Dr. M. J. Ryan, on Mount Alexander-road, Moonee Ponds, where they were treated for their wounds. Dr. Ryan then ordered the removal of the injured man to Nurse Cannon's private hospital in Moonee Ponds, where, however, he succumbed to his injuries yesterday afternoon. Meanwhile the remainder of the party stayed with a relative in Moreland-road.

The body of the deceased man was removed to the Morgue, where an inquest will be held.

Cr. Brown, who was 53 years of age, was a widower with four children. For a long time he has been a member of the Maryborough Hospital committee.