

AN OLD COLONIST'S DEATH

News was received in Perth to-day of the death of a very old colonist in the person of Mrs. Waldeck, who died at Walkaway at 2 o'clock this morning. Mrs. Waldeck came to Western Australia over 70 years ago when she was a girl, and her marriage to Mr. F. Waldeck was one of the first to take place in the colony. The late Mr. Waldeck will be recollected by many old colonists as a prominent foundation member of the Wesleyan Methodist Church in Western Australia. At the time of her death Mrs. Waldeck was living with her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Morrell, at Walkaway. She was 94 years of age, and leaves numerous descendants, including great grand children. Her surviving son is Mr. Joshua Waldeck, of Greenough, and her daughters are Mesdames S. C. Cooper, J. S. Maley, and Morrell.