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Workmates mourn for victims of crossing smash

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FOR VICTIMS OF CROSSING SMASH

Workmates at A.R.C. Engineering, Albion and the Eta Factory, Braybrook this week convey sympathy to relatives of the victims of a level crossing smash last Saturday.

The fatality occurred when a car carrying six adults and three babies was struck by a diesel locomotive on the Woodend-Tylden road about half a mile from Woodend. Two adults and two children were killed.

William Debrincat, 21 years, of Glindon Avenue, Sunshine, who was killed, was an employee of A.R.C. His brother Samuel, 24, whose two infant sons were killed, is also an A.R.C. employee. Samuel received a broken leg and broken arm.

Mrs, Carmen Haber, 24, of Westmoreland Road, North Sunshine, was employed at the Eta Factory. She died of injuries in Kyneton Hospital. Her husband John, 20, is an A.R.C. employes. His injuries were minor.

Mr. Samuel Debrincat's wife Pauline, 23, received a broken arm and shock. The others injured were Dennis Debrincat, 17 and Samuel Haber, two years, son of John and Carmen Haber.