

**THE FATAL GUN ACCIDENT  
AT ST. ALBANS.**

Mr. W. M. Clark, J.P., held a magisterial inquiry at the Footscray Court-house on Friday afternoon touching the death of J. H. Burrows (second son of Mr. J. G. Burrows, chief reader of *The Argus* staff), who was found dead the previous day near the 13-mile post gates, St. Albans, on the Mount Alexander railway line.

The magistrate found a verdict to the effect that the young man accidentally shot himself whilst getting through the fence dragging his gun after him.

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