

# William Shakespeare Hall jr.

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## Biography

**William Shakespeare Hall jnr.** was the youngest child of Shakespeare and Hannah Hall. He died aged only four months, in 1879.

William was born on 8 or 9 September 1878 in Cossack.<sup>[2]</sup> The family notice in the Perth newspaper *The Inquirer and Commercial News* of 16 October gives his birth date as the 9th,<sup>[2]</sup> and the family gravestone at Cossack says the 8th.<sup>[1]</sup> It is presumed that the former source has the correct date.

He died on 19 January 1879.<sup>[1]</sup>

## References

- [1] Hall family gravestone<sup>1</sup>, Cossack Cemetery.
- [2] Family Notices<sup>2</sup>, *The Inquirer and Commercial News*, 16 October 1878, p2.

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<sup>1</sup>[https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Hall\\_family\\_grave\\_close-up,\\_Cossack\\_Cemetery.jpg](https://commons.wikimedia.org/wiki/File:Hall_family_grave_close-up,_Cossack_Cemetery.jpg)

<sup>2</sup><http://nla.gov.au/nla.news-article65955283>