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## Editorial

As 1988 is a special year, we are planning to celebrate it ty improving and upgrading the journal, and suggest a special effort from each branch.

Choose the issue in which you would like to make your contribution (not all in December 1988 please!) and provide a short background history of settlement in your region, along with a selection of articles, book reviews, photographs, cemeteries etc, and, most important, local sources for genealogical research. We think that this is a great idea and hope that you will too. We also welcome any ideas or sketches for a new cover. Let us know if you would like any further information. We will be pleased to help in any way we can. A very Happy Christmas and New Year to all readers.

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His Excellency General Sir Phillip Bennett, A.C., K.B.E., D.S.D., Governor of Tasmania, has kindly agreed to be our new patron.

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### A DAY OR TWO CHECKING ST CATHERINE'S HOUSE RECORDS

#### by Tom and Ann Lello

If you ever feel a visit to St Catherine's House in London would be an interesting, exciting experience, think again. The excitement wears off rapidly and the interest is continually disrupted by the efforts of large numbers of other researchers who will jump your 'spot' on a reading table quickly and without any beg-your-pardons.

Don't let me put you off though. The rewards are there to find if you can only last the distance; but you should be prepared for the search with the right equipment and not be daunted by the enormous number of books you will need to check to obtain your information.

I found the best way to get to St Catherine's was to go via the underground to Holburn Station and walk down the Kings Way to St Catherine's which is close to Australia House. I reckoned this was the best way because there was an excellent coffee shop on the way where we could fortify ourselves for the coming battle.

Entry to St Catherine's is free. The only contact you will have with the security people at the entrance will be when they hand you a slip of paper warning you about pickpockets and hand-bag thieves. There are signs all over the building warning that your wallet could be in someone elses pocket if you do not take care, and when you think about it, the crowded conditions would attract people who might consider they have more right to your property than you, if you are careless enough to let them.

There are three distinct sections in the rambling building, one each for births, deaths and marriages; and the registers which are stacked three high in open steel cupboards are large and heavy and are jammed quite tightly together. Between the shelves are sloping double sided reading tables, just big enough on each side for the volumes. There is little room between the tables and cupboards and the reading areas are totally insequence for the number of people using the facilities.

The volumes are arranged in quarters and there will be several volumes for each quarter, depending on the number of events taking place at that time and whether or not the volumes are copies of the originals which are handwritten or have been printed by computer.

Each entry will provide basic information only, the surname, first Christian name and possibly an initial for any other name, the parish in which the event was registered and the registration number. Sometimes the registration district name does not convey much to the reader as occasionally the old 'hundred' names are used and these can no longer be found on a modern map. However, a code is included in the registration number which will sometimes help you locate the county in which the registration took place. It is stressed that these numbers are not always of assistance, as often the reference number is used for more than one county, especially in Wales.

From 1837 to 1851, Roman numerals were used. From 1852 Arabic numerals followed by a letter were used and from 1946 the code was changed again. I have managed to obtain a copy of the codes used.

The proper equipment to take is a reasonable sized note pad and several pencils. Ink pens are not permitted. I recommend that under no circumstances should handbags or purses be taken in and only sufficient cash in a pocket for train/bus fares and something to eat.

The ventilation system at St Catherine's is poor and even on a chilly day it will not be long before the coats were coming off and discarded. Once again the risk of theft.

When you take a book from the shelf you need somewhere to put it down and space is hard to find. When you return a book to the shelves, there is no guarantee that you will find your space still vacant when you return to the desk, and there are few apologies given either. Many of the researchers are lawyers checking births etc. to prove wills or properties and other matters and they are quite assertive, although not half as bad as some of the professional researchers who will tell you in no uncertain terms what they think of you. One such woman told Ann that "... Australians are a .... nuisance."

If you need help, you should not ask one of the other researchers unless they can answer you quickly. They are often being paid for their time and will resent the interference. You can get advice from the staff who are quite helpful. It is best to ask the security people at the front door first and they will direct you.

After you have found the long lost relative, you must fill out the appropriate form and join the queue at the cashier's desk. If you pay at the counter, it will cost you five pounds for a full Certificate of Birth, Marriage or Death, or double that if it is applied for by post. In one of those strange anomalies found in public service areas, I applied for one certificate and was charged five pounds even when I pointed out the postage was to Australia. The certificate arrived by air mail in good time.

When the records become available in Tasmania, it might be as well to hire someone to go to the cashier on a regular basis and lodge applications on our behalf. The costs will be halved, and we could pay a commission to whoever did the work for us.

5t Catherine's closes at 4.30 and an attendant will walk round telling you to close your books and put them away. One of the ladies was quite loudly assertive and actually took the book from one man who was trying to copy a few words to save a return trip. So keep an eye on the time!

The premises are open from 8.30 am and a full day is enough to provide you with lots of information and often a first class headache as well.

There is no generalisation of names and it might be necessary to search for variations in separate sections of the index. My name, for example, could be spelt Lello, Lallo, Lillo, Liello and others, and to find the lot we would have had to search for a lot longer than we had time for. We did have some success and managed to get some 2-3 thousand names from 1837-1984.

Marriage records after 1911 provided the surname of the spouse. Death records commenced to give the age of the person concerned after 1865. After 1911 the surname of the mother was given for births. The extra small amount of information was helpful in some cases.

You will not get a date of birth, marriage or death from the indexes. You will get the quarter in which theevent was registered. This can be misleading. If a person was born or married or died in late March, the event might not be registered until April and would be listed in the next quarter.

Despite all these problems, we found the visits fruitful. In the first instance we did not intend to do as much work as we did, but the weather and other factors combined to make it possible. We have now been able to put together a lot of names and dates which were not completely clear before and our tree is growing nicely as a result.







## The Human Error

by Clifford Bratt

(Reprinted by kind permission of the Manchester and Lancashire FHS - Apr 1982)

From time immemorial, the human error has manifested itself in numerous writings but, perhaps more so, in the making of transcriptions and copies. Possibly the monks of old, crouching in their cells or sitting in draughty cloisters, their task the copying of lengthy documents, were far more accurate in their work than we are today. One can well imagine their carful deliberation as they cut their quills to the desired shape and fineness, slowly working away when time was not a premium. These tasks were performed to a standard and perfection which now, regrettably, has been more or less lost. Examination of a great many handwritten documents has convinced the writer that errors therein were minimal. In fact, only in one large manuscript containing several thousand words was an error discovered. This was the duplication of four consecutive words. They were "on the Feast of" and did not affect the reading or intent; rather the error gave emphasis.

By the time the advent of Parish Registers was reached in 1538, the mode of caligraphy had undergone considerable change, much of which did not improve its legibility. An Act passed in 1598 ordered that parchment registers should be purchased by each parish, and that all names should be entered therein from the beginning, but "especially since the first year of her Majesty's reign". It is for this reason that so many registers begin in 1558, the transcriber indolently complying with only the last part of the injunction, but omitting to copy the first twenty years of the original register. What happened to the previous entries is anyone's quess as few of the original paper registers are now in existence. Also it was ordered that entries should be made as before, on Sundays, but in the presence of both wardens. Each page was to be subscribed by them as well as by the minister and finally, it was provided that the churchwardens of each parish should, within a month after Easter each year, transmit to the diocesen registry a transcript of the register entries for the preceding year. By this means it was hoped, among other things, to eliminate deception and the human error.

Many clergymen holding livings were not resident and failed to see that these orders were carried out and often they were brought to task by their bishops. Despite the fact that transcripts were supposed to be scrutinised and signed by the church wardens, it was often left to the parson who reduced the work by omitting such detail in the transcripts so that there are frequently discrepancies between them and the registers. As time went on and the population increased, there were naturally more christenings, marriages and burials and at times an incumbent would be called upon, at

short notice, to perform the act of baptism upon a sick child not expected to survive. Consequently details were perhaps scrawled upon scraps of paper, irretrievably lost or omitted to be entered in the registers.

It is noted in 1883 the files of the Bishop's Transcripts were described as a "lamentable picture of episcopal negligence, parochial parsimony and official rapacity". Fortunately, some clergy were more orderly and punctillous than others.

This leads us to 1837 when it became compulsory for all births, deaths and marriages to be registered. During the first year or so quite a number of persons evaded this measure which accounts for some omissions. However, it is only fair to state that the collection of the many millions of entries housed at the General Registry is most impressive but, nevertheless, there are omissions and cases of human error, some of which may still be corrected.

A friend of mine, a member of the Sussex FMS has, over a period of time, drawn attention to various discrepancies in the Indexes at St Catherine's House. His surname is INCH and this has appeared in various forms including LUCK, JUCK, INCL and SUCH, while the surname CAMDEN was indexed as CALMDEN. He has taken up the matter with the Registrar General and has been successful in having these "human errors" amended. He strongly advises that all persons making out certificates should ensure that the surnames are either typed or printed in block capitals to eliminate graphical errors.

The writer has also come across "human errors" in the International Genealogical Index prepared by the Mormons. Such errors discovered are invariably wrong date or parish. Any entries found on a microfiche should be carefully compared with the appropriate parish register.

To sum up. If you feel certain that the name you are researching should, but does not appear in a register, never omit to compare the register with the Bishop's Transcript and think of alternative spellings which could be brought about by local accent, mis-spelling or perhaps by indecipherable handwriting. Also, if you are unable to locate the entry you require in the indexes at the G.R.O., make a point of trying some alternatives.

Unfortunately, the "human error" will always be with us but, if you have sufficient evidence to prove that a birth, marriage or death should be in the GRO indexes, do not hesitate to write to the Registrar General, who will have the matter investigated and, if satisfied beyond reasonable doubt, have the indexes amended.

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE by Neville Jetson

During the past few months, there has been an outstanding Increase in the quantity, quality and diversity of research aids being added to the branch libraries around the state. This surely must be a reflection on the dedicated leadership being shown by branch chairmen and their committees. Congratulations to them and to those hard working members who support them.

In an effort to further publicise the Society and enhance its reputation nationalde, a new board has been established. One of its aims is to develop and co-ordinate the marketing of research materials being produced by the branches. It is hoped that all branch publications etc will be published under the Society logo but still ensuring that the proprietorship of the branch producing the material is acknowledged and that (unless a joint publication) the particular branch derives full financial benefit for its efforts. In other words, it is hoped that the efforts of individual branches will promote the image of the Society as a whole.

A few weeks ago, State Co-ordinators of Research, Tamiot and Library Boards met and for the first time for many years ALL branches were represented. There was a very fruitful exchange of ideas and common policies were formulated. These are to be presented to the State Executive for consideration and, if approved and implemented, should further promote the concept that branches form the Genealogical Society of Tasmania Inc.

The publication of research notes, tombstone inscriptions, births, deaths and marriages reports etc currently being undertaken by individual branches, besides providing a source of revenue, is making available valuable research material to genealogists throughout Australia. Again those assisting with such projects are to be thanked and congratulated.

I am sure all members appreciate the work being done by those hardworking southern members who produce our journal. The Editor has raised
the question of its format and would appreciate comment from members.

If you have any ideas for a new format, cover design, new features etc,
Audrey would be pleased to hear from you. Also if you are satisfied
with the present publication, a letter or word of appreciation from
time to time would not be misplaced. A journal is the life blood of a
Society and regular reviewing so that the best needs of members are
met, makes the Society a more vibrant body. However, members must make
their needs known.

Finally, may I thank members for their support and wish all the compliments of the season. For a New Year's Resolution - 1988 bi-centennial year - let each member endeavour to introduce a new member to our ranks.

#### LIST OF MICROFICHE & MICROFILM RECORDS HELD AT THE MAIN GST LIBRARY, BELLERIVE

International Genealogical Index: 1984 UK & misc fiche 1982 other countries

NSW from State Archives:

Returns of the colony 1822-57 (part of a set of 176 fiche)

Series Convict Indents

Convict Assignment Registers 1788-1842

Registers of Tickets of Leave 1824-7

Naturalization Index 1834-1903

Registers of Convicts' applications to marry 1825-51

Index to Convict Indents 1837-42

Pre-1900 Index to Civil Registers of Birth, Marriage & Death

Unassisted passengers arriving 1826-53

Passengers departing 1816-25

Index to land grants 1788-1865 and selected registers

Registers of naturalization

Musters and other papers 1824-5

NSW Parish Registers 1787-1856

Baptisms, marriages and burials with index

includes C of E; Presbyterian; Methodist; Independent;

Unitarian; Baptist and Roman Catholic

Victoria :

Index to Early Church Records 1837-1853 fiche

(includes C of E; RC; Wesleyan; Presbyterian; Independent Index to Registry of Births, Deaths & Marriages 1853-95

Deaths and Marriages to 1913

Wise's Victorian PO Directories 1868-1900 (broken sequence)

Queensland;

Index to Civil Registry of Deaths 1856-99

Marriages 1856-99

Births 1856-69

Church records of Baptisms & burials 1829-1856

marriages 1839-1856

<u>Tasmaniai</u> (miscellaneous holdings)

Cyclopedia of Tas with index

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m'film

Family Registry: Worldwide (Gen Soc of Utah) updated from time to time.

United Kingdom: Leeds Patriot (newspaper) Yorkshire 1831-2 m'film Federation Fam Hist Soc Strays Index (deaths etc outside native place)

Essex Soc for FH Handbook 1987

fiche

West Australian Register of Births, Deaths & Marriages

fiche

# News from Branches

#### HUON:

One step forward for our library is the extended opening hours which are 1.30pm- 4.30pm Sat and 10-12 am on the first Wed of the month.

All office bearers are efficient and keen.

Guest speakers at branch meetings have been very interesting and a guided tour of the Allport Collection by Geoffrey Stilwell, a local from the Huon area, is planned for the night of the Nov meeting.

Fundraising is on the up. Alternately trade table and raffles are held on meeting nights. A raffle is organised to be held at the Huon Show. At present we are negotiating with the Huon Council for 3 rooms at the front of the hall instead of one at the rear. If negotiations are success ful, it will mean more elbow grease and paint to get them ready. We are also making tapes of elderly citizens talking about local history and life when they were young. These are most interesting and will be beneficial in the future.

Our library will be open on Dec 19 and closed over Christmas and New Year, reopening Feb 3, 1988. We would like to wish all a Happy and Holy Christmas.

We are at present indexing birth, death and marriages for 1967, 68, 69 from the Mercury.

ANDREA RAWLINS

#### DEVONPORT:

For some months past, members have been hopeful of finding a new and more accessable home for their library. In spite of all efforts, realisation of such hopes now seems further away than ever. The library will close for 1987 on Fri 11 Dec, reopening Wed 20 Jan 1988.

Latest Victorian indexes added to the library include Marriages and Deaths 1896-1913 on microfiche and Wise's Victorian Post Office Directory 1884-5. New at the Mersey Regional Library. Tasmanian Electoral Rolls are now available on microfilm. There are also four small short-lived local newspapers including the Devon Herald (Latrobe) and Coastal News (Ulverstone).

We would like to wish all members the joys and blessings of Christmas and the New Year.

#### LAUNCESTON:

Library hours are extended during daylight saving. Wed 7-9 pm, Tue 10am-2pm, Sat 2-4pm or by appointment by phoning the Librarian Mrs Wilson, 448602. Fund-raising: the total raised is \$243.

Index of Examiner: Copies of Vol 1 are now available. \$15 + postage.

Vol 2 \$20 "

Vol 3 will be available end Feb. \$20±

Closing date for Members Interest Directory is December.

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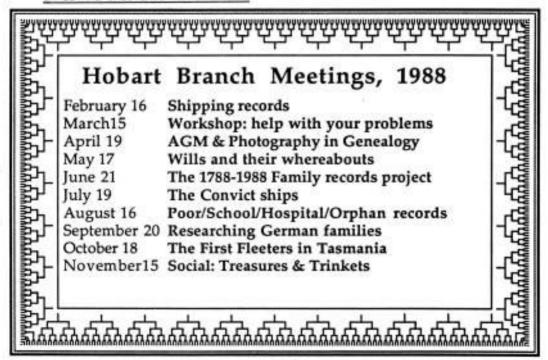
Attendance at our October meeting was lower than usual but a successful 'Think Tank' on fund-raising ventures should eventually boost our bank halance.

Our hopes of purchasing a Reader Printer with bi-centennial assistance will be possible by uniting with Launceston Branch in the sale of their venture. Our members have pledged their support. The Committee will follow up one idea of conducting an Autumn Fashion Parade.

A most successful genealogy course organised by the Adult Education Dept. and conducted by Michael McLaren, Margaret Strempel and Vernice Dudman has resulted in some of the participants becoming members. Another course is being considered.

By the time this goes to print, we will have had our final meeting for 1987. This is to take the form of "A Scottish Nicht" with Anne Ralston being our guest speaker. Members are encouraged to dress accordingly and supper to include some Scottish fare. I believe a piper will be in attendance.

The changeover of our library accommodation has been postponed till recess between 28 Nov and 26 Jan 1988 when we re-open. CHRISTMAS GREETINGS TO EVERYONE!



# John Herbert

### Convict to Settler

by Ray Bassett

At the Old Bailey Session beginning on Wednesday 21 April 1784, 17 year old John Herbert, a native of London, was indicted for stealing one silk handkerchief, valued at one shilling, the property of John Thompson. The offence had occurred on 5 April and the boy had been caught by a witness. The sentence was transportation for seven years.

John was kept a prisoner on the hulk 'Censor' which was moored in the port of London. When the First Fleet was assembled at Deptford on the River Thames, it moved down the coast to Portsmouth, picking up the convicts along the way. John Herbert was one of the 208 male convicts who sailed on the 430 ton 'Scarborough', the second largest transport of the fleet. After many setbacks, the fleet set sail for New South Wales on 13 May 1787 at 4am.

John spent sometime working in the settlement at Port Jackson. Later he went to Norfolk Is where he was employed by the government as a constable. While on Norfolk Is, he had a family to Hannah Bolton. She had arrived in Sydney on the 'Lady Juliana' of the second fleet, and had gone to Norfolk Is almost immediately on 7 August 1790.

In the Norfolk Is muster of 1807, John Herbert was working 12 acres of land and was growing wheat and maize. At this time the Government made plans to remove the Norfolk Islanders to Van Diemens Land. The 'Minstrel' newly arrived from England was one of the vessels used to transport the settlers.

In 1813 John Herbert, with two of his children, James (aged 17) and Elizabeth (aged 13) were amongst the sixty three passengers who embarked on the 'Minstrel'. The evacuees were to receive from 40-80 acres of land each, in an area south of Launceston. The land had been inspected by Gov. Macquarie in 1811 and named Norfolk Plains. Many of the allotments were along the South Esk and Lake Rivers.

When the vessel arrived in Launceston in 1813, the Government supplied the settlers with axes, shovels, nails and hoes. Their goods were loaded onto carts hauled by oxen and they set out for their future home.

Sixteen convicts assisted the settlers in building log and turf huts. The furniture consisted of a rough beach or table, blocks of wood for seats, perhaps a bed and always a chest or box. Most of the cooking was done outside. John and James Herbert each received 50 acres along the South Esk River. Their closest neighbours were Richard Sydes, William Roach, John

Knowland, Thomas Sellick and the White family. Some of the first farmers in this district later known as Pateena, were also First Fleeters. The men were soon occupied in clearing the land and hunting kangaroos, emus, and wild ducks. The women carried water, collected wood, gathered native roots and plants for medicine and started small logged gardens.

The Port Dalrymple Land and Stock Muster of 1820 noted that John Herbert was growing wheat and had 30 acres under pasture. He also owned sixty head of cattle. The Herberts remained friends with the Stevens, Cox, Saltmarsh, Jordan and other Norfolk Is families who had settled in the area.

John Herbert's surviving grand-daughters were Susannah Herbert who married Charles Robinson and later John Williams; Mary Herbert who became the wife of William Holgate of Longford and Susan Chapman who married John Goodyer of Ravenswood. There were four generations of the Herbert family when John died at Longford on 19 November 1846.

Descendants married into the families of Ralph, Wise, Ballard, McGiveron, Smith, Millwood, Hill, Carter, Bassett and Dudman. Present day descendants have the following surnames: Brimble, Griffiths, Forbes, Mickleborough, Hughes, Marston, Swain, Glover, Scarson, Farquhar.

(Persons knowing or believing themselves to be members of the above families, please contact Geoff Herbert (ph 004-252561; Ray Bassett (ph 003-445607) or Ivan Badcock (ph 004-261503 for further information.)



### FAMILY HISTORY AWARD

The winner of this award was : Stewart and Ellen Smillie by Maree Ring, Hobart.

Other entries were:

Macquarie Family History by Annette Macquarie, Hobart

Lilydale by Marita Bardenhagen, Launceston

Norfolk Broads, England to Van Diemen's Land by Thelma McKay and Barbara

Fuller, Hobart

From Convicts to Settlers - by Irene Schaffer, Hobart

All are at the Bellerive library for perusal by anyone interested.

We would like to thank all who entered their manuscripts for this award. It is in itself an achievement to have brought research projects to this level of presentation.

Sincere thanks to Maureen and Stacey Bellette for their co-ordination of this project over recent years.

#### AUSTRALIAN ARMY RECORDS

#### A Valuable Resource

by Ken Read

In the course of researching a number of family lines, I discovered that some family members had served in the army, and that some had given their lives for their country.

I decided to write to the Army, and found that these enquiries are dealt with by the Central Army Records Office in Melbourne. The responses I have received have been very interesting, as they have either told me when someone was killed or given details of their service, and I have chosen two of them to illustrate the type of response you may expect and also how to formulate your enquiry.

My grandfather, Thomas William Atwell survived the war and died on 24 July 1965 when I was a boy of 9 years. I knew he had been in the First World War, but nothing else. My cousin, Lynn Thomas Joseph, was only a name on a chart. I believed he had died in the war but that was about all I knew.

#### Procedure:

When writing to the Army, you must always state your relationship to the person, or they will write back to ask for it. If the person was killed in the war, there is usually no problem getting information. Where someone survived, you need to indicate when the person died, as the army quite correctly insists on the permission of the serviceman concerned where he is still alive.

I asked questions of the following type in each enquiry I made, which may serve as a guide to others:

- 1. date and place of enlistment
- age at enlistment
- next of kin nominated
- dates and places of service
- 5. when they went overseas
- when and where killed
- 7. medals awarded
- 8. any other details of a personal nature that could be released to me.

#### Responses:

In the case of my grandfather, I received a typewritten reply which answered the matters I had asked about, and also a nice surprise. He had not received an 'Anzac Commemorative Medallion', and his nearest living relative was entitled to accept it on his behalf. As a result, my grandmother received this medallion. In the case of my cousin, I was given photocopies of the original documents held by the army and which contained the information I had requested. As you can see from the copies in this article, they are very informative and provide a lot of detail.

The Attestation Form gives details of age, enlistment, next of kin etc. The Casualty form tells of some of the troop movements and when Lynn lost his life.

I believe these documents speak for themselves.

The form entitled "Australian Imperial Force", which lists the issuing of medals to Lynn or his family, illustrates the extent that people went to in noting the sacrifice of those who were killed in the course of their duty. This includes photographs of the grave sent to the family and other items of interest to the family of the dead servicemen.

The reading of my grandfather's service details, particularly the discovery that he was wounded at Gallipoli on 25 April 1915, has made Anzac Day extremely meaningful to me. So whether you want to find out when a family member died in the forces, or how one of your people was involved in the making of history, the army is a very exciting source. Also noteworthy, is the fact that the information provided by the army is given to you at no charge! The response time for a full reply is 10-12 weeks, although you receive an acknowledgement almost immediately.

REMEMBER; clearly state your relationship to the person and give their full name to assist the army to find the right person for you. The address is:
Central Army Records Office,
GPO Box 1032R
Melbourne. 3001.

### GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH IN NORTH WEST ENGLAND

(Cheshire, Derbyshire, Lancashire & Staffordshire) Complete Family Trees or Single Items Researched Please write (including 2 I.R.C's) to:-

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#### EXTRACTS FROM THE VICTORIAN POLICE GAZETTE 1856

## Contributed by Helen Harris (continued)

A warrant has been granted by the Melbourne Bench against one JOSEPH SKATES for unlawfully taking or causing to be taken away, on 9th inst.. SUSANNA JENKINSON, an unmarried girl, under the age of sixteen years, against the will and consent of her father, John Jenkinson, residing at Moonee Ponds. Skates is about 22 yrs of age, 6 ft 8½ in high, light complexion, dark hair and whiskers, rather long features, turns out one foot very much when walking, has a large wart on back of right hand, an Englishman, is accustomed to sawing; wore, when last seen, a plaid jumper. He was in Van Diemen's Land for some time, and his wife and her friends now reside there; he has also some relations residing at Moonee Ponds. The girl is 14½ yrs of age, 5 ft 2½ in high, swarthy complexion, very stout, dark brown hair and eyes, speaks with a rather broad English accent; wore a Tuscan bonnet, black lace veil, black silk mantle, brown alpaca frock and cloth boots. She took with her several brooches, rings and dresses. Ten Pounds reward on apprehension of Skates offered by Mr Jenkinson. Information to the Detective Office, Melbourne. Melb. 11 Oct 1855.

Information is requested respecting a gentleman named John <u>JEFFREY</u> or <u>JEFFERSON</u> who arrived in Melbourne in October 1852 by the Mobile, Capt Ponsonby, from Liverpool; was known at the Commercial Inn, Little Bourke St, Melb. It was said that he was acquainted with a person named McFIE residing in Welling St, Collingwood, and with the Captain of the ship Tasmania, with the latter of whom it is thought he made a voyage to Launceston or Hobart Town. It has been reported that he died in Hobart Town. He was formerly a large ship builder at Quebec. Information to the Detective Police Office, Melb. 8 Oct 1855.

31 Aug 1855.

ELLIOTT, Robert alias <u>HILLIARD</u>, b 1814 Eng, 'Jupiter', no date, 7 yrs, as Hilliard. Ballarat 1854, 5 yrs. Ticket for Leigh district, 11 Sept. <u>YOUNG</u>, Charles, b 1820 Essex, 'Nelson' 1838, 7 yrs. Melb 1855, 3 yrs. Ticket for Leigh district, 25 Sept.

FRANCIS, James, b 1805 Suffolk, 'Woodford' 1828, life. Conditional Pardon 1837/B. Grant sessions 1854, 5 yrs. Ticket for Belfast district, 25 Sept.

MILES, Richard T. alias William CARTER, b 1826 Fulham, 'Theresa' 1845, 7 yrs as Carter. Castlemaine 1853, 5 yrs. Ticket for Wangaratta, 25 Sept. EDWARDS, James, b 1825 Surrey, 'Isabella' 2nd 1842, 10 yrs. Melb 1852, 6 yrs, ticket for Kilmore district, 2 Oct.

WALSH, Patrick, b 1826 Liverpool 'Cressy', 1842, 7 yrs. Carisbrook 1855, 3 yrs. Ticket for Hexham district, 2nd Oct.

GREEN, John alias Francis GARDENER, b Newcastle on Tyne 1825, 'Lord Goderich' 1841, 7 yrs as Gardener. Melbourne 1854, 5 yrs. Ticket for Seymour district, 9 Oct, Absconded 4 Dec.

<u>BROWNE</u>, Robert alias <u>DAGULESS</u>, Robert, b 1826 Norwich, 'Moffat' 3rd, 1842 7 yrs extension of 3. Heathcote, 1854, 7 yrs. Ticket for Portland district, 9 Oct.

JONES, Edward alias Edward <u>GURNEY</u>, b 1827 London, 'Asiatic' 1843, 7 yrs. Under Gurney. Heathcote 1854, 7 yrs. Ticket for Wangaratta district, 9 Oct. <u>BIRD</u>, David, b 1811, Somersetshire, 'Argyle' 1827, 14 yrs. Melb 1853, 5 yrs. Ticket for Heidelberg district, 22 Oct.

ROBINSON, Thomas alias Patrick RYAN, b 1826 Sydney, 'British Sovereign' 1841, 7 yrs under Ryan. Melb 1853, 5 yrs. Ticket for Melb, 23 Oct. SEYMOUR, James alias SHEA, b 1814 London, 'Georgiana' to Sydney 1829, 7 yrs under Shea. Reconvicted 1838 7 yrs, 'Gov Philip' to VOL from Norfolk 1844, same name. Melb 1852, 6 yrs. Ticket for Belfast district 23 Oct.

TAYLORE, George alias William BROWN, b 1816 Staffordshire, 'Marion' 1844
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8ROWN, Henry, b 1829 London, 'Joseph Soames' 1845, 10 yrs. Castlemaine
1854, 4 yrs. Ticket for Swan Hill district, 19 Nov.

PORTER, James, b 1822, London. 'Mangles' 1839, 10 yrs. Melb 1852, 8 yrs. Ticket for Kyneton district, 19 Nov. Absconded 14 Jan 1858.

EDWARDS, Joseph b 1824 Buckingham, 'Marquis of Hastings' 1st, no date, 14 yrs. Ballarat 1854, 5 yrs. Ticket for Bacchus Marsh district, 19 Nov. JEFKINS, William alias BARFOOT, b 1826 Nottingham, 'Runnymede'

1839, 10 yrs as Barfoot. Melb 1854, 7 yrs. Ticket for Bacchus Marsh district 19 Nov.(Perhaps <u>JENKINS??</u>)

CHATUYN, John b 1829 Birmingham, 'Duchess of Northumberland' 1842, 7 yr. Melb 1853, 4 yrs. Ticket for Heidelberg district, 19 Nov.

PRATT, Edward alias Edward PEARSON, b 1824 Sydney, 'Layton' 4, 1841, 7 yr under Pearson. Bendigo 1854, 7 yrs, ticket for Kyneton district 27 Nov. FINNEY, Charles, b 1821 Leicester, 'Coramandel' 2nd, 1838, 15 yrs.

Bendigo 1855, 3 yrs. Ticket for Wangaratta district, 4 Dec.

JOHNSONE, William alias Michael WOOD, b 1832 London, 'Pestongee Bomanjee' 1845, 10 yrs, under Wood. Ballarat 1854, 5 yrs. Ticket for Gisborne district, 11 Dec.

WELLEHAM, William alias Joseph RIDGE, b 1831 Weymouth, 'Rodney' 1850, 7 yrs under Ridge. Melb 1855, 3 yrs. Ticket for Kyneton District, 18 Dec. HERBERT, Henry alias HALLAM alias WILLIAMS, b 1823 Leicestershire, 'Elphinstone' 1st, no date, 7 yrs under Hallam. Castlemaine 1853, 6 yrs, ticket for Kyneton district, 18 Dec.

BENNETT, William alias <u>HOLLAND</u>, b 1821 S. America, 'Marion'1, no date, 10 yrs under Holland. Castlemaine 1852, 8 yrs. Ticket for Kyneton district 18 Dec.

KELLY, James b 1826 London, 'Anson' 1844, 10 yrs. Castlemaine 1854, 7 yrs. Ticket for Belfast district 18 Dec. BURLEY, George, b 1820 Birmingham, 'Moffat' 2nd 1837, 14 yrs. Ballarat 1853, 6 yrs. Ticket for Heidelberg district, 18 Dec.

MIDDLEDITCH, William, b 1826 Hobart, 'Shamrock' to Victoria 1850, free. Melb 1854, 5 yrs. Ticket for Heidelberg dist, 18 Dec.

HOLDEN, James, b 1816 Burton, 'David Clarke' 1842, 10 yrs. Castlemaine 1854, 6 yrs. Ticket for Kyneton dist, 18 Dec.

<u>WHITE</u>, John, b 1822 Ireland, 'Salween' from Calcutta 1847, 7 yrs. A soldier in 1st Fusileers in India and transported from the regiment. Melb 1855, 3 yrs. Ticket for Kyneton dist, 18 DEc.

SLATER, Henry alias Thomas GOOSEY, b 1827 Eng., 'Elphinstone' 3rd, 1842.

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GALLAGHER, John, b 1827 Belfast 'Neptune' 1850, an exile. 15 yrs. Melb 1854, 5 yrs. Ticket for Kyneton dist, 24 Dec.

HENNESSY, James alias LEONARD, b 1819 London, 'Isabella' 1842, 7 yrs. under Leonard. Bendigo 1854, 7 yrs. Ticket for Kyneton district, 24 Dec. KING, John, b 1823 Eng., 'Eden' 1842, 7 yrs. Geelong 1853 5 yrs. Ticket for Wangaratta dist. 24 Dec.

HARRISON, William, b 1816 Lancashire 'Cressy' 1840, 7 yrs. Melb 1852, 6 yrs. Ticket for Leigh district, 24 Dec.

PORTER, Thomas, b 1809 London, 'Strathfieldsaye' 1831, 7 yrs. Ballarat 1855, 3 yrs. Ticket for Leigh district, 24 Dec.

MACMITCHELL, Thomas, b 1828 Ireland, 'Ratcliffe' 1846, 7 yrs. Melb 1853, 7 yrs. Ticket for Wangaratta dist, 24 Dec.

### PRISONERS DISCHARGED FROM PENAL DEPT

MURPHY, John, discharged 12 May 1856. Had served 3 yrs for being illegally at large from VDL, tried 12 May 1853 at Melb dist court. 15 May.

## ESCAPED PRISONERS (See also Ticket of Leave Holder)

MARTIN, Francis, charged with assaulting Joseph Best in Warrenheip Forest. Born London of Irish parents, 28 yrs. Is anexpiree from VOL and a great drunkard. Absconded and supposed to have gone to N.Zealand. 17 Jan. McSORLEY, Thomas, escaped from Pentridge, b 1828 Tyrone, transported from Ireland 1845 per Ratcliffe. Was in the police in VOL at Port Esperance and Westbury districts, was in police either at Castlemaine or Ballarat about 3 yrs ago, has since been living at Mr Dewey's, farmer about 9 miles from Port Fairy, next to Mr McGuire's station and may return there. He was formerly a cook at a station nr Mr Clarke's Jackson's Creek. 17 Jan. 7 Feb: additional infor. Shot a man while in police force in Vic for not showing his licence, for which he recd a sentence of 3 or 6 months. Arr Adelaide 1853 on 'California', convicted Ballarat 1855 of wounding with intent.

FREEMAN, George. Escaped from Yarra Bend Lunatic Asylum, prisoner forwarded there from Pentridge. Arr 'Isabella' 1842, life, conditinal pardon 1854. Tried Melb 1854, 7 yrs. 10 Aprl.

HOPKINS, Francis, absconded from Pentridge, b London 1828, 'Runnymede' 1840. Buninyong, 5 yrs. 4th Sep.

#### WARRANTS ISSUED

PERKINS, John. Warrant granted by Stanley Tasmania Bench for arrest for breaking and entering. Perkins aged 38, formerly owner of barque Mazeppa of Melb. Married Irish emigrant who was employed at some public house there. 25 Sept.

MISSING FRIENDS (information requested by Chief Sec's Off)

HAGAN, Mary, who sailed from Liverpool to Hobart May 1829 under sentence
of Transportation for 7 yrs and was living in Hobart 1836, is enquired
for at the instance of her daughter, some property having fallen to her.
5 June

ROBINSON, George, aged 14, left VDL for goldfields about 3 yrs ago, not been heard of for last two yrs. 5 June.

<u>CARR</u>, John. Information requested on behalf of relatives. Left Hamilton in Tasmania about 18 mths ago to proceed to the diggings, and it is said that since that time he has been sentenced in Melb to 2 yrs imprisonment for robbery. His wife is now in the service of the Rev Mr Wright, Chaplain, Hamilton. 28 Feb.

This list is of Tasmanians whose names appeared in the Victorian Police Gazette in 1856. Helen is currently working on 1857-8 and comments "from 1859 the Gazettes are indexed so people could check the material themselves although it would have to be done at the State Library or Laverton Public Records Office."

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### INDEX OF SURREY PROBATE INVENTORIES 16th-19th CENTURIES:

is now available. Compiled by Joan Holman and Marion Herridge and published by the Domestic Buildings Research Group (Surrey). The main index gives deceased persons names in alphabetical order in each parish with date of inventory, location and full reference number. The personal name index lists deceased persons by surname in alphabetical order with christian names and parishes.

6000 refs, 200 pages. Price inc postage, 7.60 pounds (air) 5.85 pounds (surface). Obtainable from D.B.R.G. (Surrey), 8 Grove Ave, Epsom, Surrey, KT17 4DT.

## IMMIGRATION DEPOSIT JOURNALS:

We note from the September 1987 issue of Descent (Vol 17, Pt 3) that members of the Society of Australian Genealogists have completed indexing from the Immigration Deposit Journals in the NSW State Archives, for the years 1853-62. These record monies deposited in the colony by persons wishing to sponsor the immigration of a nominated person or persons. Details are often given about sponsored immigrants is name, age, occupation, address, nationality, ship arrived on and date of arrival.

Send \$2 per name, time period and a self-addressed envelope to Pastkeys, PO Box 116, Rockdale, NSW, 2216.

### INDEX OF MARINERS & WATERMEN OF HAMPSHIRE:

Mrs Beryl Young, Editor of 'Generation' (Gen Soc of Qld) writes:"Mrs P. Cleal has asked me to contact the major societies in Australia with news of her index of Mariners and Watermen of Hampshire.
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Given the itinerant habits of mariners and watermen (who never seemed to be at home on census night), this index may prove to be of assistance to members.

The index covers the period 1750-1850, and information will be drawn from baptism, marriage and naval records (which give place of birth). Enquiries please, to Mrs P.E. Cleal, 42 Fifth St, Portsmouth, Hampshire, Eng, POI 5NA, including 3 IRC's per name.



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## TAGHA - Tasmanian Aboriginal Genealogical and Historical Assoc. (PO Box 42, Rokeby, Tas. 7019, Ph. 002-478176)

Extracts from Third Newsletter, Editor Rod Drysdale

#### National Language Policy Success

Thanks to the hard work put in by Aboriginal people across Australia, there is now a policy in place which recognizes Aboriginal languages. It points to the needs of Aboriginal people and their right to preserve these very old and important languages.

It is not generally known in the non-Aboriginal community that there were 500 difference languages spoken across Australia at the time of white settlement. This wast number has now been reduced to about 140 which represents a massive loss to markind of a great cultural treasure.

### Briggs Family Reunion a Success

The reunion was held at the Latrobe Memorial Hall in November 1986 and was a great success. The event drew members from South Australia and Victoria and all of Tasmania.

The organizer, Mrs Molly Hamilton, deserves full credit for the success. She did much of the work herself; organized the hall, eats, visits to Dolly and Thomas Johnson's house at Frogmore, speakers at the meeting, lunch venues etc.

Dalrymple Mountgarret "Dolly" was the grand daughter of the Tasmanian Aboriginal Chief Mannalargenna. Her mother Woretermoeteyenner, married George Briggs, a sealer, sailor who was said to be a "native of the colony" (probably born in NSW to English parents).

## TACHA Reunites Family

One of the most rewarding things anyone can do is to help someone find lost family. TAGHA has just completed helping a Tasmanian woman now living in Victoria to do just that. The young Aboriginal worman was placed in the care of a non-Aboriginal lady as a very young child. She only recalls visits from her now deceased grandfather and one other relative, who she recalled tried to help her when she was young. As she grew, she lost contact with all family and later moved to Victoria where she married, has a family and works.

TAGHA managed to locate many of her missing relatives who have since been reunited with her here in Tasmania. Tracing lost relatives is one of the many undertakings which TAGHA has taken on. This service is carried out on the understanding that relatives, once contacted, may not wish to meet with the enquirer for their own reasons and this request is upheld.

## Are you a Descendant of Stephen White and Margaret (Peggy) Vass?

The first known record of Stephen White and his wife Peggy can be found in the book "Narrative of a Residence on the Island of Tristan D'Acunha in the South Atlantic Ocean" which is held in the Tasmanian State Library. Page 315 mentions Stephen as being "the last and youngest of our party" and states that he was a survivor of "The Blendenhall" Indiaman wrecked on a neighbouring island. White married Peggy on the Island where they had their first child (pp 316,338). A painting exists in the National Gallery Canberra, which depicts a scene on Tristan D'Acunha in which Stephen and Peggy appear.

The couple left the island and Stephen took Peggy, who was of Portugese-Indian descent, to England where they had a further four children. They arrived in Tasmania in June 1832 on the 'Rubicon'. The following year they had their first child in Tasmania. Charlotte, at Sorell.

Children to the marriage were as follows:

- Stephen b. Tristan D'Acunha in 1822
- 2. Margaret b. England 1824
- 3. Sarah b. England 1826
- 4. Ann b. England 1828
- 5. William b. England 1831
- 6. Charlotte Matilda, Sorell, 1833
- 7. James Henry, Forcett, 1835
- B. Frances, Forcett, 1837
- 9. Amelia (Emily) Barbara, Forcett, 1839.

Marriages of the above are as follows:-

- Stephen m Catherine Daley 1875
- 2. Ann m Charles Tatnell 1843
- 3. Margaret m Thomas Daws 1850
- 4. William m Charlotte Murphy
- 5. Charlotte m ?Brogan (lived Vic)
- 6. Frances m Joseph Nicholls
- 7. Amelia m Frederick Lester.

Sarah d aged 15 years in 1841, James Henry's history is not known.

## CAN YOU HELP?

Information requested on George and Ann Burgess.

Several enquiries have been received from people seeking to confirm Aboriginal descendancy from George and Ann Burgess (nee Haines). Research has shown that the couple came to Tasmania on the 'Royal Saxon' in 1842 from England with two of their children. A daughter, Sarah Ann, married a Henry Johnson in 1877 at Deloraine. There is no evidence to date confirming Aboriginal background. However, family members from different branches insist there is.

A photo of Ann and Henry Johnson is included to assist anyone who may have information which could be helpful. Sarah Ann was born at Deloraine in 1860, a brother Henry was born at Launceston 1848 and a sister Mary Ann in 1852 at Launceston. Others include Louisa, Elizabeth and Charles.



HENRY JOHNSON and SARAH ANN (Nee BURGESS)

# Family Reunions

#### LETHBORG FAMILY:

A reunion is being planned for Sunday (Easter) 3 Apr 1988 at 10am at the Myrtle Park Recreation Ground, Tasmania (half way between Launceston and Scottsdale) commencing 10am.

John <u>LETHBORG</u> arrived on 'Marion 2' as a convict in 1844 for stealing. Ho served seven years and was freed in 1850.

John was married twice. First time in London to Esther <u>RICHARDSON</u>; they had two children John Charles and Elizabeth Esther, and after he was released he was married to Charlotte <u>WATTS</u> and their children were:-

Samuel (1857) m Mary Ann REID (1877, Evandale, Tas)

Charlotte (1859). N.M.

Sarah (1861) m Daniel NEWMAN (1882) Launceston, Tas.

Ellen (1863) m Thomas REEVES (1882) Ringarooma, Tas.

Richard (1865) m Caroline Alice BRYANT (1889) Scottsdale, Tas.

Arthur Thomas (1867) m Mary REEVES (1890) Barrington, Tas.

Julia (1869) m John REEVES (1889) Barrington, Tas.

Allan John (1871) m 1. Christina Maria MOORE (1892) Barrington, Tas

2. Mary Ann JOHNSON (1892) Deloraine, Tas.

William (1873) m 1. Alice Mary BUTWELL (1896) Launceston, Tas.

2. Laura Lavinia ELSON (1920) Launceston, Tas.

Peter Joseph (1875) m Vida Stephens <u>KENNEDY GRAY</u> (1900) Latrobe, Tas. Stepson James <u>WHEATLEY</u> (1879) m Amy Ranson <u>DOWNIE</u> (1900) Ltn, Tas.

If you know or think you may be a descendant please contact Mrs Dorothy Wright, 9 Key St, Kings Meadows, 7249 (ph 003-441016). Any information would be appreciated, and you are welcome to come.

Bring your own picnic lunch. There will be tea rooms at the park and refreshments in the hall.

#### WRIGHT FAMILY:

On the Labour Day weekend, March 12-14 1988, the Victorian descendants of Joseph and Eleanor Wright (nee Gott) are holding a family reunion in the Traralgon area. Joseph was transported to Australia on the First Fleet, Eleanor arrived on the Second Fleet. One of their sons (Joseph) married Sarah Griggs and they went to VDL to live in 1812. They settled in the Datlands area and had a family of at least 8 children: Sarah (1812), Joseph (1814), John (1816), James (1818), Eleanor (1820), Thomas (1822), Robert (1825), Eliza (?). The sons James and Thomas eventually travelled to S.A. and Vic. The other children are believed to have descendants living in Tas today. It is planned that a book be published for the reunion. Anyone interested in obtaining further details should contact Mr J.F. Power, 24 Pollock Ave, Traralgon, 3844.

#### PECK±FROST FAMILY

Descendants of Joshua Peck and Mary Frost will be holding another family reunion on Australia Day, 26 Jan 1988, the venue being the Myrtle Park Picnic Ground.

Joshua was a convict transported to Australia arriving 26 Jan 1788. His wife Mary Frost came on the second fleet also as a convict. Their children were born in NSW, Norfolk Is and Tasmania.

All descendants are invited to attend, commencing 10 am. Details from Mr R. Peck, 17 Martin Place, Kings Meadows, 7249, or Mrs K. Grice, 31 Ernest St, Kings Meadows.

#### FIRST FLEETERS REUNION

All descendants of those who came on the First Fleet are invited to a reunion at Myrtle Park Picnic Ground on Australia Day, 26 Jan 1988. Commences 10 am - please bring your own food and drink.

To claim you are a descendant, you are required to bring a pedigree chart, to be handed in for reference to the organisers. No other such reunion is being held in Tasmania on that day.

Bring any information you may have on your First Fleeter, as there may be people who are tracing the same family there. Mrs K. Grice, 31 Ernest St. Kings Meadows. 7249.

#### WARRY FAMILY SOCIETY:

The Society was founded in Australia in 1985; the President is Michael Warry, 91 Boland St, North Rockhampton, Qld 4701, and the Secretary is June Goodwin (nee Warry), 84 Galsworthy St, Holland Park, Brisbane, Qld, 3121.

The Warry family are planning a major reunion to celebrate the bi-centennial year 1988, and ALL Warry families and descendants are invited to contact either the above for details.

Most Warry families in Australia are descended from Stephen Warry of Chard, Somerset, Eng., who d in 1530 leaving his will which was proved in the Episcopal Consistory Court (Bishop's Court) at Wells.

We are also interested in contacting other one-name researchers and onename societies in Australasia with the idea of forming a One-Name Society



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# The Trouble with Names

by A. Ralston

The trouble is that in Scotland, they had English forms and Gaelic forms and alternate spellings which were often interchanged. As for pet-names, nick-names, shortened forms ... these were used as well, especially if there were already five Margarets in the family and six Andrew Ralstons in the district. Nick-names, not usually appearing in official records, were quite personal and distinguished one James Jrown from another - 'Long' Brown, 'Big' Jim, 'Young' James and so on.

Names appearing in birth and baptismal registers, might differ from those used by that person when recording other events for various reasons. Sometimes the informant of a birth or death, for example, was simply a messenger who might have got his facts muddled, hence Maud Mildred Gibson, as she was always known, was registered by the minister a few days after her birth as Mildred Maud Gibson. Sometimes the informant or records clerk got the dates wrong too, especially in the cases of deaths where details (such as where the deceased was born, number of dead and alive issue and marriage details were required) often were approximated simply because the informant really didn't quite know the true details. At times, the accent of the informant caused the records clerk to record quite strange spellings so Marion Freeberg grew up to be Mary Anne Freeborough alias Marian Freebairn alias Mary Fairburn. Matters were especially difficult when the records clerk was barely literate and the informant quite illiterate, thus when Beth Dun married Bill Kerr, their marriage was recorded as Elspeth Downe and Wm Carr. On their christening records, their names were spelt Elizabeth Dunn and William Ker.

The problem with spelling of names isn't confined to Christian names, those of properties, towns and surnames are just as variable but generally approximate the spoken word (if your accent is right!). There are deliberate cases of spelling change, such as 'posh Aunt Isobel Stuart', who adopted the Stuart spelling because she didn't want to be associated with 'those Stewarts who had offended her some eons ago' and anyway it sounded more French. Mind you many families have had an 'Aunt Isobel' who has provided great problems for later genealogists and it would serve her right if she got left off the family tree. The Macgregor surname was outlawed and owners of this surname adopted other surnames such as Grier and Grierson among many others, not remotely like Macgregor, in order to save their lives. Some quite ancient names are downright embarrassing, such as King Eystein 'The Fart' and Malcolm 'The Maiden' although the meanings of these descriptive names are open to variable interpretations and along with nick-names certainly add more colour to our ancient relatives.

So if you can't find cousin Belle under Isabel, perhaps she was Annabel and Juno may turn out to be great Uncle Jack! Here's a list to help.

#### MEN

NAME GAELIC MAY BE KNOWN AS Adam (Adhamh) Albert. (Albert) Al. Bert. Birtie (Bert is also short for Egbert & Robert) Alexander (Alasdair) Alex, Sandy (Ailean) Alan, Allen, Al, Len, Allane Allan. Andrew (Aindrea) Andro, Andr. Andy, Drew (Aonghas) Gus, (Gus also used for Augustus, Gustavius) Angus Archibald. (Gilleasburg) Arch, Archie, Gil, (more commonly short for Gilbert) Arthur (Artair) Art. Barry (Barra) Bartholomew (Parlan) Bart. Benjamin (Beathan) Ben. Charles (Tearlach) Chas. Christopher (Gillecriosd) Chris. Colin (Cailean) Col. David (Daibhidh) Dave. (Domhnull) Don. Donald Duncan (Donnochadh) Ewen -(Eobhann, Eoghan) (Frang) Frank Francis. Gavin (Gabhan) Gaven Galvin, Gavin, George. (Seoras, Deorsa) Geo. Henry (Eanruig) Harry, Hnv., Hv. Hugh, Hew (Acidh, Uisdean, Huisdean) James (Seumas) Jacobus, Js., Jim John (Iain, Eoin) Jon, Johne, Jno, Juno, Jack Malcolm (Calum) Mal. Matthew (Mata) Matt. Neil (Nea 11) (Tormoid, Tormod) Norm. Norman

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Ronald, Ranald (Raonull) Ron.

Rory, Roderick (Ruairidh) Rod, Roy (Ruadh) Thomas (Tomas, Tamhas) Tom, Tam Walter (Bhaltair) Wal, Wally, Walt William (Uilleam) Will, Bill, Wm.

#### WOMEN

Agnes (Una) Senga, Ann, (rarely Nan or Nancy) Ann (Anna) Hannah, Anne, Annie (rarely Nancy) (Anabladh, Barabal) Annabel, Annabelle, Belle, see Ann Annabella Beatrice (Beitiris) Betty, Bette, Bestie, Trixie Interchangeable with Elizabeth, see below Bessie Betsy Betty (Beitidh) interchangeable with Elizabeth see below Catherine, Katherine (Catriona) Katy, Cathy, Kate (Ceit)
Christina (Cairistiona) Christian, Christiana, Christin, Christine, Tina Christina Eleanor (Eilronoir) Elinor, Ellen, (rarely Helen) (Ealasaid) Eliza, Eliz., Elisabeth, Bessie, Betty, Betsy, Elizabeth Beth, Liz, Lisa, Elspeth, Egidia (very rare)

Euphemia, Euphemie (Apirig, Eighrig) Effie, Phemie Flora (Fiornaghal, Floraidh) Flo. Fiona. Fi.

### WOMEN

NAME GAELIC MAY BE KNOWN AS

Grace (Giorsal) Grizel, Grisel

Hannah, (Una) Hannay, see Ann & Agnes, Anna commonly interchanged Helen Ellen (Eilidh) frequently interchanged with Nelly (Neilli) Nel

Isabella (Iseabal) Isobel, Isabel, Isabelle, Belle, interchangeable with Elizabeth

Jane, Jean (Sine) interchangeable with Joan. Sometimes short for Janet, Jonet

Janet (Seonaid) Jonet, Jan, Janette, Jannet

Jessie (Sesi) Jessica Lilias (Lileas) Lily (Lili)

Louisa, (Liusadh) Lucy

Margaret (Mairghread, Peigi) Meg, Peggy, Margt., interchanged with Margery (Marcail) Marjory (Marsali) and rarely Mary.

Marion, Muriel (Muireall) Marion, Maryanne, more rarely Mary

Mary (Mairi, Moire, Muire) Marie, Haria, Molly, Moira, see also

Margaret and Marion, may be short for Maryanne.

(Milroad) Milly interchangeable with Mayor Mayor

Mildred (Milread) Milly interchangeable with Maude Nancy Nan, Ann, Nance, see Ann and Agnes

Sarah (Mor, Morag) Sally (Morag, Salaidh) Sara, Sarate, Sal

Sophia, (Beathag) Bethia, Sophie, Phie, Beth Susan (Siusaigh, Siusan) Susannah, Sue, Suzie Una Gaelic name for Winifred, Hannah and Agnes

P.S. Not to mention Latin forms of names ......

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# Book Reviews

#### THE FEDERATION OF FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETIES GUIDES

The Federation of Family History Societies publishes three sets of small typescript guides (20-40 pages, stapled) for 'Genealogists, Family and Local Historians'. The price varies from 75p to 2 pounds plus about one pound airmail overseas. They would all be helpful to those wanting to work out where to go and how to save time on a genealogical visit to the United Kingdom, and some contain background information useful to genealogists staying at home. In 1986 all were available from:

Federation of Family History Societies, 17 Foxles Rd, Hailey Green, Halesowen, West Midlands 863 1DX

A series from J.S.W. Gibson covers the following topics:

- A simplified Guide to Probate Jurisdictions: Where to look for wills
- . The Hearth Tax, Other Later Stuart Tax Lists and the Assoc. Oath Rolls
- Census Returns 1841-1881 on Microfilm; A directory to Local Holdings.
- Record Offices: How to find them: Street maps, railway and bus stations, etc.
- Bishops' Transcripts and Marriage Licences: A guide to their location and indexes
- . Quarter Sessions Records for Family Historians: A select list
- . Land Tax Assessments 1690-1950
- Marriage, Census and Other Indexes for Family Historians:
   Amalgamates and updates earlier indexes and includes privately run 'Specialist Indexes'
  - . Where to Find the International Genealogical Index (UK)

A series from Eve McLaughlin covers the following topics:

- St Catherine'S House: How to find and obtain certificates of birth, marriage and death
- The Censuses: Their Use and Interpretation: What they contain and where they can be seen
- Parish Registers: Modern transcripts and indexes
- Annals of the Poor; Various documents concerning the poor ancestor
  - <u>Illegitimacy</u>: In parish registers. Bastardy bonds. Assize rolls. Checking family traditions. Victorian attitudes.
  - . Somerset House Wills from 1858
  - <u>Wills Before 1858:</u> Probate. Intestacy. Locating Wills.
     Glossary.

A booklet from M.E. Bryant Rosier:

\* . <u>Index to Census Registration Districts:</u> Eng and Wales only. Cross references Public Records Office materials and microfilm reels. 165 The three booklets marked with an \* were sent for review. Each is packed with information and gives good value for its low price.

1887-1987: THE FRIENDLY YEARS: THE FRIENDS SCHOOL Hugh Campbell

As part of its centenary celebrations, the Friends School in Hobart has produced an attractive 179 page record of the first century of its existence. The book contains at least one historical fact about each of the hundred years and, on the facing page, someone's reminiscence about most of them. Inevitably there is more detail about the last quarter of a century. There are many half-tone photographs of groups and individuals; for most of the early ones, no names are given.

In the main, genealogical interest in this book would be limited to people connected with the school or with the Society of Friends. It would be an excellent supplement to the history of an old scholar; and since so many names are mentioned in passing, there is a good chance of finding one of those interesting snippets of information that round out the story of an ancestor's life.

Hugh Campbell

COASTAL PASSENGERS TO PORT PHILLIP 1843 by I. Hughes.

Available from author, GPO Box 519 AA, Melb., Vic. 3001. \$15 + postage. This useful addition to shipping records is one of a series compiled by the author, and lists dates of ships and names of passengers arriving at Port Phillip from Australian and overseas ports during 1843. Other volumes in this series cover similar Port Phillip records for 1839, 1840, 1841 and 1842. Overseas traffic to Port Phillip is listed in the following volumes:

Passengers to Port Phillip from Scotland 1839-51

" " Liverpool

" Commonwealth and Foreign Ports 1838-51

" Southern Eng & Ireland 1839-42, 43-48, 49-51

The complete series is available for \$70 + postage or volumes may be obtained separately.

A. Hudspeth

## GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH IN VICTORIA REASONABLE RATES

S.A.E to Sandra Motteram, 4/14 Erindale Avenue, Elsternwick, 3185 Victoria.

## Members' Queries

"<u>WANDERER</u>": arrived Hobart Town, 13 Feb 1855. Are there any known diaries, papers or reports on this voyage?

Miss D.M. Castles, 12 Bay View Rd, Napier, N.Z. (Researching Lowe family)

#### 1. PROSS :

James, b c1815, transported per 'Bardaster' in 1836. He married Anna Maria (or Hannah) <u>WHITE</u> in Hobart in 1838. He was a Police Constable in Hobart and Brighton and later licensee of the 'Golden Cross' in Hobart. Anyone researching this family please contact Mrs Kate Bottger, see below.

#### 2. WINCH :

Ambrose arr Hobart on the 'Beulah' in 1851 with his wife Mary Ann nee ILSLEY and seven children. Three children born in Hobart. The ninth son Alfred Luckman = Mary Ann HARWOOD in 1881.

### 3. GREEN:

b c1821, he m Elizabeth Jane <u>JOHNSON</u> 5 Aug 1852 in Hobart. Seven daughters were b including Henrietta, Lil, Fan and Emma then a son Harry. Henrietta m William <u>PROSS</u> in 1881. Anyone researching this family please contact. Mrs Kate Bottger, Moreton Villa, 12 Carbora St, Mansfield. Qld. 4122

#### 1. CROCKER:

Henry and family (which included Sampson Davis Colman), from Eng 1842.

#### HAINSWORTH: AINSWORTH:

Thomas and wife Mary Jane nee BATTYE, from Eng 1854, ss 'Merrington'.

#### 3. CHICK:

Portsmouth, Eng. Launceston, Tas. (from Eng 1828)

#### 4. FITZMAURICE:

Ireland - Deloraine, Chudleigh, Devonport, Tas.

Any descendants please contact Mrs F. Fitzmaurice, 3 Wright St, E.Devonport.

#### GREEN: LANGDON

John Green, m Harriet Rebecca Langdon at the United Church of England and Ireland at Alport, Cygnet, Franklin, Huon in 1867. John aged 22, labourer, parents unknown, and Harriet being 19. Harriet was the third daughter of John and Sarah Langdon. John and Harriet Green had the following children; Alfred Henry b1867, Sarah Ann b1869 m Edward <u>BELBIN</u> in 1891, and my grandfather Edwin George b1881 and m Daisy <u>ROBINSON</u> 1916. These families all eventually lived at Hobart. The Belbin family lived at Ashfield St, Sandy Bay as late as 1922. Grateful for any information or contact with descendants.

Judy Gibson, 9 Warwick Place, Kingsmeadows. Tas. 7249.

#### SHUTE:

William, farming in Frankford district in 1880's probably b March, Cambridgeshire. Marr Elizabeth <u>WILSON</u>, daughter Agnes m Edwin <u>CLEMENTS</u>.

Ross Brown, 47 Haldane St. Mt Claremont, W.A. 6010.

#### BUTLER:

Seeking information re parents and grandparents of George, Robert, William, John, Myra and girl child Butler. All believed to be b after 1833. Mother's name Eliza or Elizabeth. Robert's first 2 children were George and Eliza (were they named after their grandparents?) Grandparents believed to have left Melbourne 1832-3 for Tasmania until 1850, then moved to Goulburn, NSW. Robert m at Forbes, NSW. His marriage cert. lists birthplace as Tasmania but no parents names. Mrs Keith Butler, "Derra Derra", Grenfell, NSW, 2810.

#### MILLS:

William PACKETT known as William MILLS, convict, sentenced 1838, Lewes, Sussex, arr Hobart 1839, per convict transport 'Layton'. No further information known. The name MILLS may have been used subsequently and there may be MILLS descendants. Any info please to R. Packett, 108 Laura Ave, Belmont, Vic. 3216.

#### CAMPBELL: PARKER: RHODES:

Mary CAMPBELL md William PARKER at Kilcronaghan, Co.Derry, Ire. 1854 and migrated on "Dithona" which left Plymouth Dct 1854, arr. Portland, Vic. Jan 1855. William drowned on voyage. Mary Jane PARKER was born to Mary at Portland, June 1855. In 1874 Mary Jane md William RHODES at Stawell. Any descendants please? Mrs J.L. McKenzie, 4 Goodhart Place, Sandy Bay, Tas. 7005.

#### MEADOWS:GEARY:WHITFIELD:

Euphemia A.F. MEADOWS md James GEARY 1896, Vic. In 1911 Euphemia md Paul WHITFIELD. Any descendants please contact Mrs. J.L. McKenzie, 4 Goodhart Place, Sandy Bay, Tas. 7005

#### CARROLL:BAULCH:

Vincent Laurence son of James CARROLL and Mary McCARTHY, md 1901, Vic. Louisa BAULCH dtr of Charles and Lucy PALMBY. They had three daughters. Any descendants please contact Mrs. J.L. McKenzie, 4 Goodhart Place, Sandy Bay, Tas. 7005.



#### GOLDEN WEDDING

MANION:PATMORE: On Oct 6, 1880, at St Joseph's Church, Hobart, by the Rev Dean Woods, by special licence, P.J. Manion, third son of the late P. Manion, 2nd Batt, 14th Regt, to Matilda Patmore, second daughter of the late Josiah Patmore and great grand-daughter of the late Jacob Gangee, sergeant of marines, whose marriage at Government House in 1803 was the first celebrated in Hobart. Present address Weld St, Beaconsfield. (From Mercury, Hobart, of 6 Oct 1930, Contributed by Joyce D'Shea)

# Cemetery List

### Datlands United Cemetery (contd from last Journal)

3070	MORRISON	Ann, d of Andrew Morrison, b at Springfield, Oatlands, 1 Aug 1885, d Longford 6 Dec 1976.
		Also Mary FERGUSON, eldest dtr of Andrew Morrison, b
		St Peters Pass, 22 Dec 1878, d Melbourne 29 Aug 1976
3055	MORRISON	Andrew, of St Peters Pass, b 16 Feb 1832, d 28 Sep 1906
3054	MORRISON	Mrs Andrew, of St Peters Pass, d 21 May 1898, aged 49
3071	MORRISON	Askin, 8 Oct 1959 at St Peters Pass, Oatlands, Askin,
3071	HOMETOON	eldest son of the late Andrew Morrison
2005	MOSEY	Harriet, w of Francis, d 14 Apr 1880, aged 60.
		Also Francis, d 9 Feb 1881 aged 63
3012	NEWMAN	John, d 28 (?) Jul 1887 aged 87
3098	NICHOLAS	Henric Vernon, s of James and Mary, d 13 Oct 1958 aged 2y
1104	NICHOLS	Mary Ann, w of Thomas, d 29 Aug 1877 aged 72.
		Also Thomas, d 6 Apr 1882 in his 81st yr. (Also has black marble slab inscribed: Grateful Appreciation to our Forbears for our Heritage in Australia)
2020	OLIVER	James. See Agnes Nancy WDDDS
3126		을 계획하여 20kg et
	PATTERSON	Catherine, See Catherine JONES
3024	PATTERSON	Colin, b at Glenorchy, Argyleshire, Scotland, d 27 Mar 1894 age 65.
		Also Catherine, relict of above, b Glenorchy, Scotland, 26 Mar 1852, d 20 Nov 1913.
		Also Mary Ann Paterson, d of the late Colin and Catherine Paterson, d 26 Jan 1920 age 89
3154	PAUL	G.L. Temporary marker, old, no further details
3045	PAYNE	Joseph John, d 15 May 1916 aged 37
2037	PENNICOTT	가입니다 하는 아이들에 보면 하게 하고 있었다. 그 전문에 내려왔다. 그 그 그리고 있어요? 그 사가 되었다. 이 그 이 어머니는 것이 없어 있다. 그리고 있다.
2047	PENNICOTT	네 마음하는 어디를 지어 되어 있어지만, 모든 맛있다면 생각을 꾸어져서 아이지 않다. 그리고 가게 어려면 하는데 맛있다면 하는 것이다고 아니라 아니라 아니라 아니라 아니라 아니다.
2073	PENNICOTT	Alice May. See Alice May HARE
2042	PENNICOTT	~ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^ ^
2041	PENNICOTT	3.3   3.4   3.5
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3119	PENNICOTT	Bertie Frederick, h of Kathleen, f of Lynden, d 11 Jan 1986 aged 62
2058	PENNICOTT	Caroline. See William Pennicott Adam HEASLIP
3162	PENNICOTT	Edith Lucy, w of John, d 21 1950 aged 52.
27.00	CLINATOO	Also John, h of above, d 6 Jul 1970 aged 74
2075	PENNTCOTT	Eric. Two wooden markers:
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		No further details
2046	PENNICOTT	Ernest. Metal marker, no further details
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2045	PENNICOTT	를 하면 없는 사가 없다면 다 가는 사람들은 사람들은 사람들이 되었다면 하는 사람들이 되었다면 하는데
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3163	PENNICOTT	Gerald, and Stephen, h and s of Lind, f and bro of Andrew and Tania, drowned 3 Aug 1969 aged 32 and 6 y		
3120	PENNICOTT	H. Marker only, no further details		
2039	PENNICOTT	J. Metal marker, no further details		
3140	PENNICOTT	Leila Martha, w of W.H. (Mick) Pennicott, m of Maurice and Kevin, d 27 Sep 1963 aged 69		
3177	PENNICOTT	Lindsay John. Wooden marker, no further details		
2043	PENNICOTT	Lionel. Metal marker, no further details		
2038	PENNICOTT	Mary, w of Adam, d 21 Sep 19? aged 85. Footstone: M.P.		
3121	PENNICOTT	Reginald. Marker only, no further details		
2040	PENNICOTT	Rupert Garnett (Guy). Son of George and Annie, d 16 Mar 1924 aged 25		
2072	PENNICOTT	Sarah Eleanor, w of Richard, d 16 Feb 1951 aged 73		
2048	PENNICOTT	W. Two metal markers above slab - other marker reads: A. Heaslip. No further details. See William PENNICOTT Adam HEASLIP		
3141	PENNICOTT	William H. (Mick), h of Leila, f of Maurice and Kevin d 24 Aug 1971, aged 79		
3013	PENNYCUICK	James, b at Pennycuick, Scotland, 17 Oct, d 22 Jun 1888 at Spring Hill in his 89th yr Also Janet Pennycuick, b 19 Jan 1808, d 28 Oct 1892.		
3128	PICKETT	Also Annie Pennycuick, b 25 Aug 1815, d 11 Oct 1895 Connie Rosina May, d 27 Sep 1935 aged 31 (or 34). Also Henry W., h of above, d 31 Oct 1957 aged 50. Late 40th Batt.		
3029	PRESNELL	Thomas, d 18 Jun 1887 aged 58.  Also the wife of Thomas, d 25 Ju 1899 aged 61.  Also Robert, s of above, d 14 Aug 1918 aged 47		
3058	PULFORO	Alex and Rhonda. Note reference on entry for Alexander WILSON		
3075	PULFORD	Thomas J.J., d 22 Jan 1948 aged 70		
		Also Gertrude M., d 19 Feb 1948 aged 61. Father and mother of Alex and Ronda Pulford, grandparents of Tommy and Valerie Pulford		
1009	PUNSHON	Eva Agnes, w of Alfred , d 18 May 1918 aged 31.		
		Also Stephen Ayson BUMFORD d 2 Jul 1932 aged 73		
2002	QUINLAN	Mary, see Mary Quinlan BOMFORD		
2095	RAMSAY	P.M. (AIF stone): 10975 Gunner P.M. RAMSAY, 5 Field Artillery Brigade, 3 Aug 1973, age 7? H of Lorna, f of Doreen and Joan		
3172	REID	M.H. Temporary marker, new grave. Son visited cemetery during transcription and added following: Maurice Herbert, d Aug 1981, f of James, Rex, Eric, Austin and		
		Dawn, aged 74		

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3181	REID	Stephen, d 6 Sep 1975, aged 6 days (twin son of James and Helen. Died at Royal Hobart Hosp (info given by his mother who visited during transcription). Marker only.
3174	ROONEY	John Richard. Died 9 Nov 1954 aged 58
1079	SALMON	Christopher, h of Mebel Isabel, d 25 Feb 1942 in his 76th yr
1101	SALMON	Leslie V., d 17 Mar 1877 aged 2.
		Also Irene Mary Salmon, d 20 Oct 1880 age 1yr.
		Also Colin Gordon Salmon, 40th Batt, killed in action 28 (chipped), buried at Heilly France
1074	SALMON	Thomas, d 30 May 1868 aged 61.
	2010/35259	Also Mary, relict of above, d 25 Jan 1879 aged 67
1075	SALMON	Thomas, d 5 May 1847 aged 67.
		Also Elizabeth, relict of the above, d 25 Nov 1849, aged 67. Removed from St Davids Ground, Hobart, 6 Jun
3159	SCOTT	Albert (Jack), h of Gladys E., d 19 Oct 1958 aged 72.
		Also Gladys E., wife of above, d 25 Sep 1979 aged 84
1016	SCOTT	Alex, d 3 Jun 1935
1019	SCOTT	Alexander, d at Spring Valley, 21 Jun 189 aged 71.
		Also Lieut William Robert, fourth son of above, killed in France in action on 29 Sep 1917 aged 27
3102	SCOTT	Alice Maud, our mother, d 30 Nov 1938 aged 51.
		Also James George, our father, d 27 Feb 1958 aged 72.
3077	SCOTT	Amelia, w of J.B., d 20 Sep 1934, aged 80.
		Also James Byers, d 5 Oct 1957 aged 87
1040	SCOTT	Annie, w of Joseph W.H., d 31 Jul 1940 aged 84 2nd stone: same plot:
		Sarah, w of Joseph W.H., d 28 May 1951 aged 74
1017	SCOTT	Beryl Jean, w of Alex, m of Robert, Duncan, Betty, Jean. Died 20 Oct 1955
1020	SCOTT	Catherine, w of Alexander, d 23 Apr 1885 aged 54
3158	SCOTT	Isabella Byers, w of Amos J., b 24 Jun 1873 d 21 Dec 1946
1034	SCOTT	Janet, see Janet BYERS
3144	SCOTT	Janet Louisa, d 1 Nov 1973, w of Ray, m of Val, Lindsay and Myra
3173	SCOTT	Kenrick Cecil Clyde, h of Doris Ira, d 7 Mar 1979, aged 77
3148	SCOTT	Kylie, temporary marker (old), no further details
3097	SCOTT	Margaret. Metal cross, small grave, no further details
3103	SCOTT	Margaret Grace, w of Sydney Keith, d 22 Nov 1971 aged 63
1018	SCOTT	Martha, d 20 May 1925 aged 62
3145	SCOTT	Raymond Leslie, d 8 Nov 1978, h of Janet, f of Val, Lindsay and Myra
3157	SCOTT	Sidney Amos, h of Ruth Joan, f of John, Wayne and Ross, d 21 May 1951 aged 35.
		Also Ruth Joan, w and m of above, d 16 May 1969 aged 54

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3103	SCOTT	Sydney Keith, h of Margaret Grace, d 28 Jul 1979 aged 82
3104	SCOTT	Sylvia Elizabeth Mona, w of William Arthur, d 30 Dec 1951 aged 53
3142	SCOTT	Walter, h of Gwen, d 17 Mar 1976 aged 85
1035	SCOTT	William, d 10 Aug 1908 aged 60.
		Also Sarah Scott, d 13 Oct 1932 aged 83
3105	SCOTT	William Arthur, h of Sylvia, b 1 Jan 1892 d 24 Aug 1981
3064	SMITH	Margaret, see Wilfred John Sturegon BARWICK
3081	SMITH	Marjorie (Betty), w of Reginald C., m of Eleanor and Barry, d 21 Jul 1943 aged 33
2077	SMITH	Reginald Clyde, h of Nancy, f of Eleanor, Barry, Gregory and Susan, d 5 Aug 1980
3101	SOUTHWOOD	Isabella M.M., w of William E., d 14 Oct 1944, aged 63.
		Also W.E., h of above, d 28 Feb 194 aged 74
3015	SPENCER	James, d 10 Jul 1885 aged 66.
		Also Marion, relict of above, d 8 May 1909 aged 79.
		Also Thomas Hamilton, s of above, d 4 Oct 1943 in 70th yr
3094	STEEDMAN	George, h of Julia, d Mt Seymour, 11 Apr 1918 in the 80th y: of his age.
		Also James, eldest son of George and Jul, accidently drowned in the Franklin, West Coast, 4 Nov 1895 in the 51st yr of his age.
		Also John Archibald, 3rd s of George and Julia, d suddenly
3079/8	30 STEEDMAN	at Oyster Cove, 30 Dec 1911 in the 42nd yr of his age Julia, w of George, d at Mt Seymour, 30 Nov 1923 aged 75 Suddenly.
		Also Susan Steedman, dtr of above, d 24 Nov 1925 aged 45
3064	STURGEON	Wilfred John, see Wilfred John Sturegon BARWICK
2008	TABART	Margaret. See James MITCHELL
3004	TAPP	Clara A.P., d 28 Mar 1904 aged 41 (in fenced plot with John Charles Tapp)
3022	TAPP	Eric Brian, h of Betty Barbara, d 25 Mar 1978 in 81st yr, f of John and Dennis
3005	TAPP	John Charles, b 30 Apr 1825, d 30 Aug 1875, aged 50.
		Also Herbert Valentine TAPP, grandson of above, b 11
		Mar 1895, d 12 Jun 1902 aged 7y 3m.
		Also Annie Amelia, relict of above, d 20 Jun 1905 aged
		69. (In fenced plot with Clara A. P. Tapp)
3033	TAPP	John Charles Valentine, d Datlands, 8 Aug 1933, aged 75.
		Also Caroline Elizabeth, w of above, d 12 Dec 1953 aged 85.
		Also Marjorie Eileen, d of above, d 17 Uct 1962
	THOMAS	Arthur H., s of late William and Elizabeth, d 23 Mar 1967
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2080 1076	THOMAS	Emma, w of Rev James, Wesleyan Minister, who d Deloraine

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2081	THOMAS	J. McD. (AIF stone): 10986 Driver J. McD. Thomas,
		2 Div Ammunition Column, 30 Jan 1964 aged 74.
		Eldest son of the late William and Margaret Elizabeth
2033	THOMAS	Sarah Ann, d 20 Mar 1903 aged 63. A good mother.
		Also John, relict of the above d 13 Jul 1911 aged 76
2050	THOMAS	William, h of E. Thomas, d 12 May 192 aged 65. "A kind and loving father".
		Also Margaret Elizabeth, w of above, d 24 Jan 1961, age 97
3167	TIBBALS	Phillip George, h of Edith Isabelle, d 7 Nov 1977, aged 79. Columbaria
3025	TREANOR	Emma, w of James, d 5 Aug 1891 aged 28.
		Also James, h of above, d 22 Apr 1907 aged 78
3017	TREANOR	Henry James, s of James and Emma, d 25 Dec 1885 aged 5m
2065	TREMAYNE	John, d 18 Jun 1939 aged 88
3027	TURNBULL	Elizabeth, w of John, d 1 Oct 1890 aged 64.
		Also John, h of above, d 15 Oct 1898 aged 73
3030	TURNBULL	Robert, d 7 Aug 1905 aged 65.
		Also Anne, relict of above, d 17 Jul 19 aged 79
3026	TURNBULL	Robert William, eldest son of Robert and Isabell, d 30 Jul 1895 aged 19.
		Also Clifton Conrad Norman, youngest s of above, d 23 Nov 1895 aged 9m
3044	TWEEDIE	Henry Vietch, h of Mary, d 28 May 1902 aged 66
3161	UNDY	Hilda Alice, w of Albert Thomas, d 6 Sep 1966 aged 69
3160	UNDY	Albert Thomas, h of Hilda Alice, d 28 Nov 1962 age 78
3156	UNDY	Alice, w of late William, d 26 1938 age 86
3175	WAGNER	Gordon Theodore, d 22 Jul 1981 aged 73, h of Adeline Alice, f of Colleen, June, Robert and Errol, loved Pa of all the grandchildren
3146	WAGNER	Jennifer KaYe, d of Lois and Owen, sister of Suzanne, d 12 Dec 1970 aged 17
3176	wagner	Robert, h of Alice Margaret, d 24 Dec 1960 aged 78, f of Gordon, Reita and Austin
3039	WEEDING	Albert, no further details
2035	WEEDING	Allan, h of Ellen, d 28 Mar 1919 aged 52
2092	WEEDING	Alma Elizabeth Rose, w of John S., m of Malcolm, Gwen and Ken, d 9 Sep 19
2019	MEEDING	Andrew, d 12 Oct 1894 in his 31st yr
5088	WEEDING	Arthur, no further details
2090	WEEDING	Charles, ditto
3019	WEEDING	Charles Robert, d 21 Jul 1917 aged 82.
		Also Charlotte, d 26 Oct 1921 aged 86. "Honour thy father and mother"

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2089	WEEDING	D.H. (AIF stone) TX2804 Pute D.H. Weeding, Salvage Service, 13 Apr 1980, aged 6. Husband of Vera, f of Shirley, Janet and David
3020	WEEDING	Daniel, d 11 Sep 1897 aged 24
3023	WEEDING	Ellen M.E. See Edward ESPIE
2022	WEEDING	George, d 9 Apr 1926 aged 62.
VV 0100040	IN COTHER ANALYS	Also Oliver, d 28 Jan 1942 aged 87. Sons of the late James and Jane Weeding, Weedington.
3040	WEEDING	George, no further details
3057	WEEDING	Isaline, d 22 Jan 1952.
		Also Robert, d 11 Oct 1957
2069	WEEDING	Isabella F., d 27 Jan 1943, aged 84.
		Also Jame Weeding, d 28 Jul 1945 aged 88
		Also (second side) Mary Weeding, 4th dtr of the late James and Jane Weeding, d 18 Aug 1946 aged 75
2024	WEEDING	James, b 1849 d 1935.
		Also Elizabeth, his wife, b 1851 d 1926
		Also Lyndon Weeding, b 1880-d 1948
		Also Archibald Weeding, b 1884 d 1887
		Also Jeanette E. Weeding, b 1887 d 19
		Also Dorothy A. Weeding, b 1892 d 192
2021	WEEDING	Jane, w of James, d 10 Sep 1899 in her 68th yr.
		Also James, d 28 1916 in his 90th yr
2094	WEEDING	Joan May, w of Trevor, m of Angela, J, Lyn and Jan d 10 Apr 1980 aged 52
2071	WEEDING	John, of Weedington, youngest s of late James and Jame, d 25 Mar 1950 aged 77.
		Also Kate Isabel, w of above, d 25 Feb 1977 aged 92
3041	MEEDING	Roy, no further details
2036	WEEDING	Sarah, w of John, d 2 May 1914 in her 34th yr
2070	WEEDING	Susan H., youngest d of late James and Jane Weeding,
		of Weedington, d 17 Apr 1947 aged 70
3008	WEEDING	Susanne, d 18 Apr 1886 in her 70th yr
2091	WEEDING	Sydney, d 15 Feb 1945 aged 67.
. 30.00.00		Also Mary, his w. d 7 Aug 1945 aged 62
3021	WHITE	Agnes Easton, w of John F., Snr, d 1 Feb 1897 aged 68
3018	WHITE	Christina, no further details
1014	WICKHAM	Catherine H., w of Samuel. d 27 Nov 1946, aged 74.
1014	ALCOHOLD !	Also Samuel, h of above, d 26 Mar 1959 aged 79
2074	WIGGINS	Clarice May, 22.5.1975 no further details
2093	WIGHTON	Ivy May, no further details
3003	WIGHTON	Robert, d 11 Aug 1871
3059	WILSON	(oop)er. Small metal cross on unmade grave.
3033	WALSON	Full transcript: (00).7ER WILSON, agedM

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1050	WILSON	A.D., no further details
1061	WILSON	Agnes, d 7 Dec 1888 aged 93.
		Also James, her h, d 21 Jan 1851, aged 66, buried in Uphall Churchyard, Scotland
1069	WILSON	Agnes, w of J.W., b at Crichton, Scotland, 1 May 1853, d at Ponsonby Park, 29 Jan 1921 aged 67 . " Loving mother"
1067	WILSON	Agnes Margaret, w of T.J., d 23 Jul 1947 aged 66
1022	WILSON	Alexander, d 22 Jun 1932 aged 69
3116	WILSON	Alexander, of Netherton Parattah, d 29 Jan 1931, aged 61.
		Also Jessie, his w, d 20 Jun 1977, aged 95
3063	WILSON	Alexander, h of J., d 23 Mar 1919 aged 59.
		Also Julia Gertrude, w of above, d 10 Mar 1945 age 85
3058	WILSON	Alexander (son) Our Uncle 1888-1964 aged 76. Erected by Rhonda and Alex <u>PULFORD</u>
1047	WILSON	Alfred Robert, only s of Claude and Annie, d 26 Jan 1951 aged 13y
3061	WILSON	Arol, 28 Oct 1920. Small metal cross, no further detail
1025	WILSON	Catherine, w of Thomas, d 23 Jun 1898. Also Thomas, d 13 Jan 1907 aged 85
1046	WILSON	Claude, h of Anne, f of Alfred (dec) and Dorothy, d 1 Sep 1978 aged 69
1027	WILSON	David, d 14 Nov 1935, eldest s of late Thomas and Katherine of Overton, Mt Seymour, aged 87. Born in Scotland
1063	WILSON	David, immigrated to Tas in 1855 from Midlothian,
		Scotland, d at Crichton, 23 Feb 1901 aged 76
1055	WILSON	Doris Eileen, d 13 Oct 1971 aged 68.
		Also Robert Cameron, d 14 Mar 1977 aged 74
		Also Mary, w of James of Ponsonby Park, d 14 Feb 1946, in her 66th yr.
		Also James, of Ponsonby Park, d 10 Jun 1948 in his 71st yr
3031	WILSON	Duncan, b 17 Aug 1882 d 27 Jul 1905
3112	WILSON	Eda Merle, d 30 May 1930, aged 2½ y
3137	WILSON	Edith Emily, w of H.V. Wilson, d 3 Oct 1955 aged 63
		2nd stone, same plot:
1051	WILSON	Henry Veitch, h of Edith E., d 2 Apr 1959 aged 67 Eileen Madge, w of Archie, m of Kevin, d in law
		Sandra, and little grandchildren Stuart, Chritopher, Tracey, d 25 Nov 1969 aged 51

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1054	WILSON	Elizabeth Ann, w of D.W., b Bristol, Eng. 27 Dec 1877 d Ponsonby Vale, Whitefoord, 17 Jul 1958.
		Also David Neil, h of above, d 2 Feb 1965 aged 87
3060	WILSON	Elsie, small metal cross, no further details
3127	WILSON	Elsis Jame, d of Jame and David, d 7.5.1975, in her 85th yr
3096	WILSON	Eric Thomas, d 23.1.1977, aged 41. H of Beverley Frances, f of Geoffrey, Mark, Timothy, Jo-Ann and Michelle. "Spike"
3114	WILSON	Ethel Angeline, w of late William, d 29 Jul 1969
3155	WILSON	Fred, my h, d 3 Mar 1922 aged 37
1053	WILSON	G.T., (AIF stone): 969 Pvte G.T. Wilson, 49 Batt., 3 Jan 1968 aged 73. Missed by wife Clara and sons
1059	WILSON	George, came to this colony from Mid Lothian, Scotland 30 Aug 1855, d Ponsonby Vale, 5 Mar 1882 aged 49
1057	WILSON	George, b at Ponsonby Vale, 13 Jun 1879, accidently killed at Crichton, 25 Sep 1913 aged 34. (verse implies sudden death)
1078	WILSON	George, arr this colony from Ratho, Scotland, in 1831, d at Mt Seymour, 27 Mar 1874, aged 70.
		Also Marian, relict of above, d Glenorchy, 22 Feb, aged 83
3009	WILSON	Harold Andrew, only s of Andrew ≥nd Harriet, d 17 Mar 1887 aged 2y 3m
3073	WILSON	J.A. (AIF stone) 2930 Pvte J.A. Wilson, Machine Gun Details, 1 Dec 1954 age 62
1070	WILSON	James, of "Ashgrove", d 18 Jul 1877 aged 42.
		Also George Ebenezer, Ashgrove, d 7Apr 1871 aged 12m Also John Thomas, "Braidwood", d 22 Oct 1874 aged 5m. His sons
1028	WILSON	James, h of Emily Isabella, d 17 Nov 1912 aged 51.  Also Alfred Ernest, s of above, killed in France, 23 Apr 1918 aged 24  2nd stone, same plot:
	Emily Isabe	ella, our m, wife of late James, Woodstock, Mt Seymour, d suddenly 21 Oct 1930 aged 58
3078	WILSON	James, d 9 Dec 1927 aged 76
3125	WILSON	John, h of Isabella, d 7 Sep 1922, aged 66.
		Also Isabella, w of above, d 5 Nov 1934 aged 79
1077	WILSON	John, arr this colony from Ratho, Scotland, 1833 and d Mt Seymour, 3 Feb 1877 aged 75
1049	WILSON	June Isabel, w of Don, m of Stephen and Jennifer, d 2 Mar 1962 aged 35
3179	WILSON	Leslie Chrichton, d 22 Jul 1979 aged 72, h of Rita, f of Barbara, Elizabeth, Lance and Sally

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3001	WILSON	Margaret, b Ratho, Scotland, d at Braes Antil Ponds 20 Nov 1896 aged 72.
		Also Alexander, d 15 Nov 1906 aged 83
1064	WILSON	Mary, immigrated from Scotland in 1855. Born 17 Jan 1830 d 28 Mar 1910 aged 80
1032	WILSON	Pearl, w of late Thomas, d 2 May 1979 in 81st yr
1030	WILSON	Percy Henrie, h of Ann, f of Isabel(la?) and Peter. 8 3 Oct 1902 d 23 Jan 1963. S of James and Isabella.
3048	WILSON	Queenie Irene, b 6 Oct 1898 d 28 May 1926. William Norman in same plot.
3180	WILSON	Reg. Buried about 13 Mar 1983 aged 72. No marker, information given by local resident during trans- cription
1062	WILSON	Robert. Immigrated to Tas in 1855 from Midlothan, Scotland, and d at Crichton, 11 Feb 1897 aged 69
1001	wilson	Rosa Margaret, w of James E., d 28 Feb 1954 aged 54. Also James Ernest, h of above, d 22 Feb 1958 aged 73. Late 40th Batt 1914-18
3123	WILSON	Sydney Edward, h of Gladys Beryl, f of Lindsay, Malcolm, Tony, Judith and Barney d 19 Feb 1977 age 79
1348	WILSON	Thelma Christobel, w of Cyril, m of June and Marcus d 15 Jul 1964 aged 60
3062	WILSON	T.J. 1907 B <sup>DR</sup> T.J. Wilson, 4 XAMTMB, d of wounds 16.1.18 age 25, AIF
3084	WILSON	Thomas, h of Agnes and youngest son of late Alxander and Margaret of Ratho Scotland The Braes Antill Ponds Tas., d 22 Nov 1929 aged 63. Also Agnes, w of above, d 2 Aug 1936 aged 67
1042	WILSON	Thomas, d 8 Oct 1927 at Dunmoor Mt Seymour age 68
1058	WILSON	Thomas. Immigrated to Tas 1855 from Midlothian, Scotland, d at Ponsonby Park 18 Mar 1924 aged 88
1031	WILSON	Thomas Henry, h of Pearl, d 23 May 1963 aged 74
1066	WILSON	Thomas J., of Crichton, h of Agnes M., d 15 Oct 1933 aged 54
3083	WILSON	Vera E., w of Norman E., of Tunbridge, d 28 Aug 1947 aged 47
		Also Norman E., h of above, d 7 Mar 1980 aged 83.  Parents and Allan and Noel
3113	WILSON	W., (AIF stone) 3106 Pvte W. Wilson, 40 Batt, 8 Jun 1966 aged 74
1015	WILSON	William, d at Mt Seymour, 26 Nov 1886 aged 39.  Also Margaret, w of above, d 21 Oct 1926 in her 76 yr
3068	WILSON	William, d 30 Jun 1956 aged 97. Also Key Wilson, his sister, d 1938

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1068	WILSON	William John. H of late Agnes, b at Overton, Mt Seymour, 4 Feb 1856. D at Ponsonby Park, 7 Nov 1935
3047	WILSON	William Norman. 5 of David and Jane, d 18 Aug 1889, aged 27.
		Also David, b Edinburgh, Scotland, 17 Sep 1854, d 12 Oct 1914.
		Also Jame, w of above, d 28 Apr 1954, aged 94.
		Also Tassie Maud, d of above, b 28 Apr 1888, cremated in Perth, WA, 5 Jan 1962.
		Queenie Irene Wilson in same plot
3069	WILSON	William Thomas, d 9 Mar 1912, aged 93.
		Also Janet, w of above, d 14 Jun 1902, aged 83
3115	WILSON	Zeaferious Myra, w of Charles William, d 8 Aug 1980 aged 81
2020	WOODS	Agnes Nancy, w of N.A. Woods, d 5 May 1906 aged 86.
		Also James OLIVER, br of above, d 10 Apr 1904, aged
		Also Mary MEABURN, sister of above, d 10 Apr 1925 aged 87
2049	YOUNG	M. Metal marker, no further details
3007	ZANTUCK	Henry, d 2 Apr 1869 aged 6y 9m.
		Also Louise, d 30 Jun 1876 aged 9y 6m

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\*: Russell James of 120 Frederick St, Launceston, writes:
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marriages and deaths dating back to 1766. I copied the details out and
mave included them below. Seeing the reference to Bushby and the fact
that the book came from a deceased estate in the Conara area I believe the
information may be relevant to Tasmania. I have paraphrased some of the
wording but what appears in quotation marks is verbatim.

Book Title: Sermons on the Doctrines and Duties of Christianity - Londo 1828

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'st page. Isaac Streeter b 12.2.1766
            Sarah "
                             16.9.1774
            Isaac & Sarah m 15.10.1795
            David Streeter b 17.7.1796
            Martin "
                             6.4.1798
            Edmund "
                             11.8.1799
            Edward "
                             1.1.1801
            Benjamin
                             10.9.1802
            Michael
                             21.1.1804
            Mary
                             26.10.1805
            Elizabeth "
                             25.4.1807
            Sarah
                             5.11.1808
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2nd page.
            Jane
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            George
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            Francis
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            Martin
                           m 20.5.1819
            David & Edmund m 30.11.1822
            Mary Streeter m 15.10.1824
            "Deaths of the Famley"
3rd page.
            Benjamin d aged 2y 4m 1805
            John Slade d 26 Aug 1805 aged 73
            Elizabeth Streeter d 17 Dec 1807 aged 7m
            Jane Streeter d 20 June 1813 aged 2y 7m
            David Streeter Legg Broke 16 Sep 1817
            Edward Streeter (snr) d 2 Mar 1821 aged 87
            David Streeter upset in the boat 23 Apr 1824
            John Streeter son of Martin and Susanne Streeter d 1 Mar 1827
                aged 1y 10m
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