

Tasmanian Ancestry

Volume 5

No. 3

September 1984

ISSN
0159-0677

Approved by Australia Post
Publication No. 11828/84

\$3.00

THE GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY OF TASMANIA
G.P.O. Box 640G, Hobart, Tasmania, Australia. 7001
PATRON: The Honourable Sir Angus Bethune

STATE COUNCIL EXECUTIVE

Presidents:	Mr D. Forrest, 004-31 1882	Executive Members:	
Vice Presidents:	Mr N. Chick, 002-28 2083	Mr B. Gennohm	002-44 3751
	Mr R. Peck, 003-44 2784	Mr J. Williams	004-36 3182
Gen. Secretary:	Mr N. Nicholas, 004-31 3993	Mrs I. Harris	004-24 3373
Treasurer:	Mr G. Rapley, 003-44 2118	Mrs S. Bally	002-64 1395
		Mrs L. Watson	002-44 2504
		Mrs J. McKenzie	002-25 3709
		Mrs T. Sharples	002-47 6313
		Mrs S. Johnson	002-43 7486
		Mrs P. O'Toole	003-44 8393

PUBLICATIONS BOARD

Co-ordinator: Mrs J. McKenzie
4 Goodhart Place
Sandy Bay 7005
Editor: Mrs A. Hudspeth
002-43 9403

LIBRARIES BOARD

Chief Librarian: Mrs T Sharples
002-47 6313

RESEARCH BOARD

Co-ordinator: Mrs L. Watson
44 High St
Bellerive 7018

MEMORIALS BOARD (T.A.M.I.O.T.)

Co-ordinator: Mrs S. Johnson
6 Kent St
Lindisfarne 7015

BRANCHES OF THE SOCIETY

BURNIE - PO Box 748, Burnie, 7320

Chairman: Mr J. Williams
Secretary: Mrs V. Whittle
004-31 5590

HOBART - GPO Box 640G, Hobart, 7001

Chairman: Mr E. Hardinge
Secretary: Mrs G. Cunningham
002-44 3557

HUON - RSD 3735, Ranelagh, 7108

Chairman: Mrs E. Woolley 002-66 0263
Secretary: Miss S. Fletcher

DEVONPORT - 92 Tarleton St, E Devonport
7310

Chairman: Mrs I. Harris
Secretary: Miss H. Anderson
004-27 8997

LAUNCESTON - 31 Ernest St, Kingsmeadows

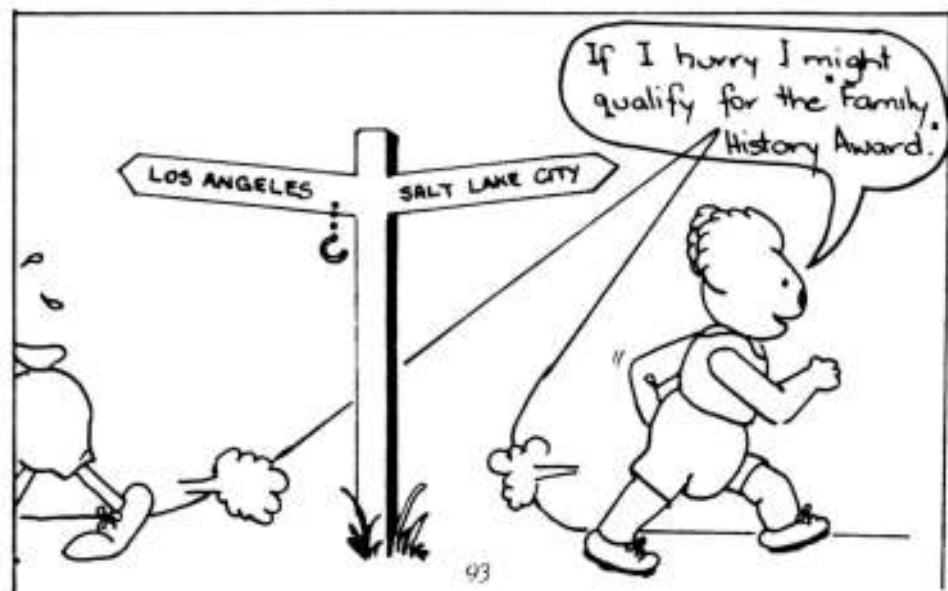
Chairman: Mr J. Grunnell
Secretary: Mrs K. Kane
003- 44 7309

MEMBERSHIP SECRETARY: Miss H. Anderson, 92 Tarleton St, E. Devonport, 7310.
Phone: 004-27 8997

Contents

<u>VOLUME 5 No.3</u>	<u>Page No</u>
Editorial	94
Tasmanian Ancestry - A Complete Index	95
Cemetery List - Sidmouth	99
1983-4 Annual Report	105
New Members	109
Convict Identikit	111
Wesley Vale Methodist Church Centenary	112
Letters to the Editor	114
Public Library as Genealogists Resource	115
Book Review	118 & 138
Library Notes	119
Exchange Journals	120
N.W.Post 1908 Index	121
Members Queries	122
The Old Gowler Road Cemetery	129
Family History Award	131
Common Interest Groups	133
Sydney Morning Herald - B,D & M Index	135
Northern Cemetery Transcriptions	136
News from Branches	139

N.B. Would members please not address mail to 3 Percy St, Bellerive, as there is no mail box there. The postal address is GPO Box 640G, Hobart, Tas. 7001



Editorial

All the articles in this issue have been contributed by Burnie, Devonport and Launceston branches, who made an enthusiastic response to our request for specifically "Northern" copy. We were delighted to have so much good material sent in. There was more than we could use at one time, and the remainder will be published in subsequent issues. Thank you all very much indeed for helping us to make the journal more representative of the State-wide nature of our Society.

The last edition promised an Index to previous major articles in Tasmanian Ancestry. At the last moment this was not included. We apologise. You will find it in this issue. Photocopies of previous articles can be obtained from the Despatch Officer.

PLEASE NOTE: The opinions expressed in the articles in this journal are not necessarily those of the Editorial Panel nor of the Genealogical Society of Tasmania.

JOURNAL PRODUCTION

Editor: A. Hudspeth Associate Editor: J. Bugg
Editorial Panel: L. Carpenter, C. Hook, R. Manser

DEADLINE DATES: FOR Journal are:- 1 Feb, 1 May, 1 Aug, 1 Nov

Australian Ancestry Research

*Mrs Ettie Pullman, Dip.F.H.S.
Member of A.A.G. & R.A.
QUALIFIED GENEALOGIST
Specializing in Victorian Records*

*30 Silver St
Cheltenham Vic 3192
(03) 584 6474*

TASMANIAN ANCESTRY - A COMPLETE INDEX

OF MAJOR ARTICLES

Vol 1 No 1
June 1980

1. Land alienation & Early Settlers in Huon Valley Pt 1 by D.F. Clark
2. Relatively Speaking by Neil Chick - Analysing & Recording Degrees of Relationship
3. The TAMIOT Project by J.R.Wall - Including list of cemeteries transcribed
4. Premaydena Civil Cemetery Transcription

Vol 1 No 2
Sept 1980

5. Land Alienation & Early Settlers in Huon Valley Pt 2 by D.F. Clark
6. Papers, Procedures & Painless Extraction by Georgina Chick - The job of the Society's Registrar
7. Inquest at Evandale by Leonie Carpenter - Inquest of a John Abberton
8. The Heron Mystery by F. Travers - An account of the Heron family in Australia
9. Tasmanian Origins of the Dowling Family of Colac, Vic. by B. Eagle
10. Watch Well - Beaugarde by J. Graney - Some mysteries in researching the Beaugarde family
11. How Do I Begin My Family History? by L. Watson
12. Cemetery Transcription - Swansea Presbyterian Bream Creek

Vol 1 No 3
Dec 1980

13. Publish Your Efforts by R. Watson - The importance of preserving your genealogical information
14. George & Delia McDonald by H. Anderson - An account of their lives in VDL
15. Cemetery Transcription Standards by N. Chick
16. John Raulings, Convict, by M. Brown - His life in VDL
17. Thomas William Field 1817-1881 by J. Graney

Vol 2 No 1
March 1981

18. A Droll Story by S. Surkevicius - An account of research into the Best family
19. Denholm Connections by B. Dillon
20. Of Grandparents & Grandchildren by G. Chick - Some fortunate discoveries in researching the Lette Family
21. Tasmanian Placename Changes by S. Waters - including

INDEX OF MAJOR ARTICLES

2.

Vol 2 No 1
contd

a list of changes

22. Cemetery Transcription - St Martins Anglican,
Dunalley & Sassafrass BaptistVol 2 No 2
June 1981

23. English Surnames & Their Origins by J. Marrison

24. Back to the Farm by G. A. Boyce - A New Zealander's
visit to his Tasmanian ancestors'
property

25. Grice family Reunion by K. Grice

Vol 2 No 3
Sept 1981

26. Early Churches of VDL by R. Watson

27. Some Thoughts on Diaries by J. Daley

28. Producing Family Histories by G. Wesley Johnson -
Details on how to proceed

29. English Surnames & Their Origins Pt 2 by J. Marrison

30. Much from Little by A. Best - Research into the
Liddies from Scotland31. Och Ye Remind Me of Florence by D.M. Castles - A New
Zealander's lucky find32. Parish Records of Tasmania - Inventory Pt 1 by
N. Chick - A list of church records
in Tasmanian ArchivesVol 2 No 4
Dec 198133. My Christmas Tree by M. Ogden - from the Berkshire
Family History Society34. Some Genealogical Resources at Public Record Office,
Vic.Vol 3 No 1
March 1982

35. Using Tasmanian Archives by J. Matysek

36. A Second Honeymoon? by R. Manser - A visit to the
Circular Head district in search
of Fergusons & Smiths

37. French Family Reunion - Information

38. St David's Park by Leonie Carpenter - Its history
1804-198239. Cemetery Transcription - Church of England Cemetery,
Old Beach & MethodistVol 3 No 2
June 1982

40. Land Records of Tas. by J. Marrison

41. A Song of Circular Head Municipality by A.J. Wood

42. "Advice to Emigrants" from the VDL Almanac 1832

43. Pioneers of the Blue Tier Mountain by Kathleen Burns

44. Cemetery Transcriptions - Franklin Village St.
LeonardsVol 3 No 3
Sept 198245. Using Newspapers as Sources of Genealogical Data by
N. Chick

INDEX OF MAJOR ARTICLES

3.

- Vol 3 No 3
contd
46. Launceston's Local History Room
47. French/Badcock Reunion & Grice Family Reunion
48. Cemetery Transcription - Broadmarsh
49. Robert Webber of Piermont by F. Travers
50. Relatively Quiet by D.Gear - A visit to St Catherine's House in London
51. Miners of the Blue Tier by K. Burns
- Vol 3 No 4
Dec 1982
52. The British Army in Tasmania - M.Austin
53. Hunting in Germany - I. Hunt
54. University of Tasmania Archives - S. King
55. Highways & Byways ... - A members story of her research in Tasmania - M.Mackenzie
56. Cemetery - Montagu, Tas
- Vol 4 No 1
March 1983
57. Mostly About Kew - T. Sharples
58. Reading About Tas. History - W. Neilson
59. Life Wasn't Meant to be Easy - B. Rolls
60. Cemetery - Southport
61. Cemetery Hunting - S.Johnson - Cemeteries in the Southport area
- Vol 4 No 2
June 1983
62. English Research - Ups & Downs by J. Morrison
63. The Day We Lost Grandpapa by D. Gear - Another Experience of St Catherine's
64. William Calvert - S. Foster
65. Cemetery - Lower Marshes, Datlands
- Vol 4 No3
Sept 1983
66. Across the Strait (Victorian Pub Records Off) - by B. Denholm
67. Hobart Baptist Burials
68. Datlands Burials
69. A Convict Maid - C.Griffin
70. My Instant Tree by M. Ogden - a reader's success with micro records
- Vol 4 No 4
Dec 1983
71. Last Chance to See Blyth by J. Morrison - An English research experience
72. Cemetery - Datlands
73. Alternative Medicine - T. Sharples
74. Convict Women in VDL by P. Tardif
75. Tracing Scottish Ancestors

INDEX OF MAJOR ARTICLES

4.

- Vol 5 No 1
March 1984
76. International Genealogical Index - N. Chick
77. A Visitation of Heralds by D. Gear - An experience
in the Society of Genealogists
in London
78. Opening Private Doors - R. Goodger (A New Zealander
finds family roots in Tasmania)
79. Use of Pre-Printed Charts by L. Watson
- Vol 5 No 2
June 1984
80. Equestrian Surgeon - Account of voyage of convict
ship to VDL in 1844.
81. Zeehan Memories by E.M. Harrison
82. Baptist Register of Rev Dowling, Launceston, 1840-1867
83. Indexing Births, Deaths & Marriages by J. O'Shea
84. Australian Archives by T. Sharples

GENEALOGY RESEARCH SERVICE CENTRE

- * Australian & British ancestry traced
- * Chief researcher Janet Reakes, Dip FHS, thirteen years experience
- * LIBRARY facilities open by appointment (Major holdings: the Birth Death & Marriage records of Tasmania, Convict records, shipping records. Many other records including NSW Probate indexes 1800-1982, IGI)
- * FAMILY TREE CLASSES taught throughout metropolitan Sydney. One-day seminars taught in country areas.
- * CONSULTATION service provided to cover problem areas.
- * NSW CERTIFICATE SERVICE. Why wait 10 wks to receive a certificate? We will lodge and collect your NSW cert for \$1 plus cost of the certificates and a SELF ADDRESSED LONG ENVELOPE to return the cert. Three weeks wait. We will also lodge priority certs (same day) at an extra \$6 plus cost of certificate and SAE.
Any certificates required for the 1900s must be accompanied by a signed authority for us to collect and deposit on your behalf. Make cheques payable in total to us and we will pay the Registrar General.
- * We also provide many other services to the genealogist. Please send SAE for a pamphlet of full range of services.

GENEALOGY RESEARCH SERVICE CENTRE

160 Johnston Road
BASS HILL, NSW. 2197
(02) 727 0824

Cemetery List

SIDMOUTH AULD Kirk (Presbyterian) CODE:BE 05

Location: In grounds of church, west side Tamar River, north of Batman Bridge. Turn off Batman Hwy about 1km west of bridge and go north to Sidmouth. Cem is back towards bridge on river front, about $\frac{1}{2}$ km.

Grid Ref: Lands Dept 1:100000 Tamar Map Sheet (8215), 919E 374N

Jurisdiction: Church, board; Cemetery, Pastor & Mr Wright

UPkeep: Voluntary Status: open

Opened: 1845, earliest monument 1840

Monuments: 83 when transcribed October 1983.

Burial Reg: from 1936 onwards, kept by Mr D.A.Wright, "Glendale", Sidmouth, Tasmania. 7251

<u>Ref No</u>	<u>Surname</u>	<u>Details</u>
03024	ANDERSON	Janet, relict of the late Capt Thos Anderson of the 1st Regt. Foot, died 30 May 1845, aged 60 yrs.
02008	ARTHURS	May, wife of Clement Frank ARTHURS, died 8 Mar 1953. <u>Also</u> Clement Frank ARTHURS, died 3 July 1957.
03023	ATKINSON	Henrietta Agnes, see Charlotte Annie GARRETT.
01001	BENNETT	Alfred, husband of Lillian BENNETT, died 24 May 1956, aged 86. <u>Also</u> Lillian Hester, died 14 March 1964 aged 90.
01014	BENNETT	Norman Ernest, son of E and P BENNETT, died 18 July 1944, aged 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ yrs.
01013	BENNETT	Phoebe Elsie, 27 Mar 1908-25 Jan 1981, wife of Ernest Thomas, mother of Alfred, Allan, Peter, Allyne, Ernest, Norman (dec).
02007	BERRY	Charles Henry William, died 28 May 1965, aged 80. <u>And</u> Myrtle Annie, his wife, died 16 Jul 1965, aged 79.
01025	BINNY	John Murray, Nigerian Civil Service, son of Major General W.H. BINNY I.S.C., 13 Apr 1930, aged 42. <u>Also</u> Hilda Mary, wife of John Murray BINNY, died 21 Sep (19)75, aged 89.
01015	BRENNER	William Arthur, husband of Amy Lillian BRENNER, died 1 Jul 1943, aged 36.
02003	BRODIE	Agnes, died 5 Oct 1955, aged 89.
02001	BRODIE	Beryl Charles, wife of Matthew, mother of Marie, Ann, Jennifer and Michael, died 5 Jun 1978, aged 77.
02002	BRODIE	Matthew, husband of Beryl, father of Marie, Ann, Jennifer & Michael, died 25 Nov 1966, aged 63.

SIDMOUTH AUL D KIRK ..2

01006 BROWN Evelyn Maud, wife of W.A. BROWN, died 4 Apr 1929 aged 50.
also William Andrew BROWN, died 11 Nov 1941, age 68.

03009 BROWN John Frederick, died 31 May 1892, aged 22 yrs.
Also Amelia, mother of above, died 30 Dec 1902, aged 55.
Also William Maxwell (sic) Jnr, died 10 Nov 1868 aged 14 yrs.

03001 BROWN Thomas, died 25 May 1844, aged 18 months.

03013 CHAMBERLEN Eliza, died 10 Mar 1892, aged 73.
Also Bessie, died 1 Jun 1891 aged 36.
Also Frances Sophia, died 1 Jan 1893, aged 42.
 Daughters of above.

03021 CLARK John Redman, husband of Emma CLARK, died 6 May 1908 aged 48.

03016 CLAY Lucy, wife of the late Fredrick CLAY, died 8 Jan 1943, aged 78.

02004 COLEMAN Thomas Charles, husband of Ruth Edna COLEMAN, accidentally killed 22 Aug 1947, aged 27 yrs.

01024 CROSS Winifred Mary, died 1 Sep 1939, aged 43.

00012 CRUSE Geraldine May, wife of James R. CRUSE, !! Sep (19)81, aged 52. Plaque.

00014 CRUSE James Ravenshaw, husband of Geraldine May CRUSE 1 Apr (19)82, aged 50. Plaque.

03018 DAVIS Oibia, husband of Florence DAVIS, died 8 Jun 1936 aged 55.

01007 ELLIOTT Roy Dudley, husband of Nellie Agnes, father of Glen, born 10 Sep 1899, died 15 Sep 1981.

01005 ELLIOTT William, husband of Elizabeth ELLIOTT, died 7 Jul 1942, aged 73.
Also Elizabeth ELLIOTT, died 26 Sep 1953 aged 85.

02011 FIELDWICK Jordan Transvaal, died 5 Jun 1973, aged 72.
Also Olive Margaret FIELDWICK, died 21 Jan 1980 aged 71.

03014 FORBES James H., my husband, died 24 Jun 1925, aged 75.

03005 GARRET Mary Catharine, died 26 Feb 1855, aged 54.
Also John GARRETT, Husband of above, died 15 Mar 1867 aged 80.

03023 GARRETT Charlotte Annie, died 22 Jul 1861, aged 24 yrs, 3rd daughter of Rev J. GARRETT.
Also James Grant, his only son, died 12 Jun 1866 aged 19 yrs.
Also Jane McDowall GARRETT, his spouse, died 20 Jan 1868, aged 51.
 (contd)

SIDMOUTH AULD KIRK ...3

03023 GARRETT
cont'd Also Henrietta Agnes, his 5th daughter, died 21 Jun 1873 aged 32, wife of J.R. ATKINSON, buried Queensland.
Also Rev James GARRETT A.M., died 2 Sep 1874, aged 82.
Also Ada Milvain, his 4th daughter, wife of T.R.V. THOMPSON, died 23 Aug 1883 aged 44.

02005 GRAHAM John, husband of Amy GRAHAM, died 21 Aug 1948, aged 65.
Also Amy Marion, wife of above, died 6 Feb 1965.

03019 GRANT Sydney Percy, husband of Daisy M. GRANT, died 1 Apr 1939 aged 79.

01002 HARRIS Dorothy Ida, wife of Harry T. HARRIS, died 27 Sep 1955 aged 47.
(plaque - A.I.F.) TX 13831 Craftsman H.T.HARRIS, Corps of Elec & Mech Engrs, 21 May 1974, aged 66.

01018 HARRIS Francis (Frank) , M.M., late 40th Battalion 1914-1918 husband of Alice HARRIS, died 31 Oct 1947, in 53rd yr.
Also Alice HARRIS, died 8 Jul 1971.

01019 HARRIS Georgina, died 17 Dec 1941, aged 73.
Also Henry James HARRIS, my husband, died 14 Jul 1932, aged 67. (Monument in book format)

01027 HEWENS Dean Thomas, son of Edmund and Noeleen, 8 Aug 1968, aged 10½ months.

02010 HEWITT Estelle, daughter of late Harry and Agnes HEWITT, died 3 Jan 1974, aged 87.

00002 HICHMAN Alan Leslie, son of Jim and Phoebe, brother of Susan and Lindsay, died 2 Jun 1979, aged 18. Plaque.

03004 HINDS Mabel E., our mother, died 26 Jun 1922, aged 44.
Also John T. HINDS, our father, died 25 Jan 1931 aged 56.

01012 HINDS William, husband of Amy HINDS, died 26 Jun 1947, aged 66.
Also Amy Margaret, wife of above, died 8 Nov 1971, aged 90.

00003 HOME Audrey May, wife of Herbert George HOME, mother of Evelyn & Charles, died 25 Sep 1975, aged 81. Plaque.

00006 HOME Herbert George, husband of Audrey May HOME, father of Evelyn and Charles, died 21 Jul 1980, aged 85. Plaque

02006 HUDSON Thomas William, husband of Joyce, father of David and Elaine, died 15 Feb 1970, aged 67. Father of Peter.

01009 JARMAN Adeline Elizabeth, wife of the late Roddam JARMAN, died 10 Aug 1952 in her 87th year.

SIDMOUTH AULD KIRK ...4

03015 JARMAN Adeline Sophia, see Adeline Sophia ROBINSON.

01008 JARMAN Arnold Alfred, died 28 Mar 1965

01011 JARMAN Edward E., husband of Minnie, father of Maureen Laraine, Nerida, Jean & Gailene, died 9 Jun 1975 in his 70th year.

03022 JENSEN Antionette Christine, died 10 Oct 1879, aged 6 yr 10 months.
Also Antonius Christian, died 17 Oct 1879, aged 12 years. Children of Anton and Christine JENSEN.

01030 JOHNSTON Henry, son of William and Annie JOHNSTON, died 4 Apr 1879, aged 2 yrs 10 mnths.

01017 KELB Betty, our daughter and sister, accidentally drowned 9 Aug 1942, in her 16th year.

01016 KELB Gregory James, a husband and father, died 17 Jun 1968, aged 81.

01029 LUTWYCHE Brereton, my husband, died 23 Jul 1904, aged 72.
Also Helena, daughter of above, died 15 May 1888 aged 16 years.
Also baby boy six weeks old.

02013 McDONALD Albert William, died 7 Jun 1961.

03025 McINTOSH Donald, headstone broken and illegible/faint :
 In loving memory of
 C^LD McINTOSH
 ON THE
 E 1860, of his age.
Also Donald McINTOSH, died 1 Sep 1850/1860, aged 67. (A family researcher has added: Donald McINTOSH died 1 Sep 1822, Mary Maria died 1824, Alexander died 1860.)

00001 McINTYRE Ronald John, 1914-1981, husband of Leila, father of Elizabeth and Rosalind. Plaque.

03020 MACROSTIE Nofurther details.

00004 MAINWARING, D.L. 1891-1979. Lest we forget. Plaque.

00007 MAINWARING R.M. 1891-1982. Lest we forget. Plaque.

02009 MILNER Name in concrete surround - no details.

01010 MOORE Albert Edward, died 8 Aug 1945, aged 78.

03017 MOORE Jesse Amuel, died 13 Jul 1931.
Also Lucy MOORE, 22 Sep 1931.

03012 MOORE John, died 21 Dec 1901, aged 68.
Also Thomas Lefroy MOORE, died 9 Apr 1900, 18 yr.

03026 MOUBRAY Euphemia, wife of William MOUBRAY, died 1 Mar 1840, aged 55.

03027 MOUBRAY William Sen, died 9 Nov 1850, aged 66.

SIDMOUTH AULD KIRK ...5

03007 OWEN Mary A., wife of Thomas OWEN, died 21 Jun 1926, aged 75.
Also Thomas OWEN, husband of above, died 3 May 1933, aged 85.
Also Ellen C. OWEN, died 11 Oct 1891, aged 17.
Also David E. OWEN, died 11 Jul 1896, aged 6½ yrs.
Also Thomas E. OWEN, died 15 Apr 1904, aged 22.

00011 PINNINGTON Kevin H., son of Nancy and Nin, brother of Rodney, Dean and Phillip, died 1 Sep 1974 aged 21 yrs. Plaque.

03028 PORTER Edwin, my husband, died 31 Oct 1923, aged 39.

03011 PORTER Jane M., died 12 Sep 1938 patient sufferer at rest.
Also John Arthur PORTER, died 23 Feb 1958. Mother and father.

03003 PORTER William, my husband, died 7 Oct 1904, aged 58.
 "Father is gone ..."
Also Louisa PORTER, died 22 Jan 1888, aged 11 yr.
Also William John PORTER, died 20 Nov 1885, aged 4 yrs 3 months.

00009 PUGH Henry B., husband and father, 16 Dec 1976, aged 75. Plaque.

00010 PUGH Phyllis Mary, wife of Henry B.PUGH, mother of Merle, Vonda, Nancy and Audrey, 15 Aug 1975, aged 73. Plaque.

03002 REID James, died at Richmond Hill, 22 May 1863, aged 69.
Also his three sons:-
 James, accidentally drowned 1 Oct 1843, aged 23.
 Thomas, accidentally drowned 19 Apr 1847, aged 22.
 Henry Gray, accidentally killed by a fall from a cart 1 Jan 1855, aged 33.
Also Annabella, wife of the late James REID Snr Richmond Hill, West Tamar, died 31 Dec 1868 aged 71.

03015 ROBINSON Adeline Sophia, only daughter of A.E. JARMAN and mother of Thelma and Joan, died 2 Mar 1948 in her 41st year.

00005 SMITH Edward Alexander, 4 Nov (19)77, aged 40, husband of Joy, father of Andrew, Graham and Dale, son of E.A. SMITH, Liverpool, Eng. Plaque.

00008 SMITH Walter Xerxes, died 19 Jun 1978, aged 76. Plaque.

03023 THOMPSON Ada Milvain, see Ada Milvain GARRETT.

01004 TIFFIN Amelia Maria, our mother died 10 Sep 1945, in her 74th year.
Also Arthur John TIFFIN our father, died 23 Jan 1951 in his 80th year.

SIDMOUTH AULD KIRK ...6

- 01023 WESTWOOD Alice May, died 27 Jan 1952, aged 79.
Also Joseph Ernest WESTWOOD, died 15 Sep 1952
aged 80. Our mother and father.
- 03006 WESTWOOD Elizabeth, died 1 Nov 1902, aged 62.
Also Thomas WESTWOOD, died 19 Feb 1909, aged 68.
Our parents.
- 02012 WESTWOOD Jack Elliott, husband of Violet Grace WESTWOOD
died 18 Sep 1958.
- 01026 WESTWOOD Rex William, my husband and our father, died
29 Aug 1958, aged 61.
- 00013 WHITE Ellen Joan, daughter of Ellen and Albert WHITE
died 23 Apr 1975, aged 53. Plaque.
- 01022 WILL Alexander, died 31 May 1882, aged 52.
- 01021 WIVELL Nathaniel Dennis, husband of Winifred WIVELL, died
3 Jul 1926, aged 61.
Also Winifred WIVELL, died 18 Apr 1949 aged 73.
- 01020 WRIGHT David C., died at sea 15 Jun 1908.
Also Annie B., wife of above, died 3 Oct 1937 aged
78.
Also Vernon C. WRIGHT, killed 9 Jul 1953, Trevallyn
Dam, aged 34.
Also Hilda B. WRIGHT, born 1893, died 1954.
Also Herbert C.N. WRIGHT, husband of Hilda, born
1888, died 1974.
- 01028 WRIGHT Eric Milroy, husband of Kathleen and father of Ian,
Marilyn and Bruce, died 19 Oct 1973, aged 57.
- 01003 WRIGHT Lionel John, 22 Mar (19)54. Child size.



NOTES cont'd

Journal news-scout Sheila Procter has been rummaging in other newspapers and found these queries:

The Australian author Russell Braddon received the following letter from London and wonders if anyone knows who Private Burke was.

'Australian' 6.7.84

Dear Mr Braddon, I am writing to you via Collins your publishers, in the hope that you can help me do an Australian family a good turn. There is a grave in a Liverpool cemetery near to where my grandparents are buried. It would be quite neglected if it weren't for the care my daughter and I give it. It is the conventional serviceman's headstone: 2362 Pte F.P.Burke, Australian Imperial Forces, 18th Bn Australian Infantry, died February 15, 1919. Aged 25. I would like to send pictures of his grave to any of his family and relatives in Australia, but do not know how to go about finding them; neither do I know any Australian newspapers. There is no Australian consul in this part of the country. Mrs Sheila Dixon, Fernhill Lodge, 2a Highfield, Sale, Cheshire, M33 3DN, England.

Statement of Assets & Liabilities as at 31.3.84

Cash at Bank - General Funds:

State Council	3767.31
Hobart Branch	1470.73
Launceston Branch	654.98
Burnie Branch	313.14
Devonport Branch	380.52

- Library Funds:

State	855.26
Launceston	346.67
Burnie	365.06
Devonport	54.13

Total cash on hand	<u>8207.80</u>
--------------------	----------------

Library Inventories:

State Library		
Furn & Fittings	2682.00	Replacement value
Machinery	7950.00	do
Office Equip	1512.00	do
Books, Microfiche		
etc	7246.00	do
Expendables	280.00	do
Launceston Library	3372.00	
Burnie Library	7970.00	
Devonport Library	<u>689.00</u>	

Total Library Holdings	<u>31,701.00</u>
------------------------	------------------

Contingent Liability

Impending purchase of combination microfilm, microfiche reader and printer towards which the \$1500 Tasmanian Government Grant will be put, \$3807.

Geoffrey Rapley - State Treasurer

Audited by G. Pauson

English Researcher

RICHARD P. WHITTINGTON
39 Heathway, Erith, Kent, DAB 3LZ,
England

Genealogical research undertaken in London repositories and home counties.

1983/84 ANNUAL REPORT Contd

It was with some trepidation that I accepted the election of President of our Society at the last Council meeting, aware of the difficulties the Society had been through and also knowing the problems associated with the Chairman and Secretary living a long way away from the capital city. However, the co-operation and support which has been provided by everyone of the members of the executive during this year, has made the task an interesting and enjoyable one. No President can lead an organisation without the support of his executive and I am proud to particularly acknowledge the close liaison and dedicated effort from Norm Nicholas our Executive Secretary, and Geoff Rapley our Treasurer. I feel that a far more confident inter-relationship has developed between the branches as they have been developing and this is due to better communication and co-operative attitudes.

I am very pleased to welcome Huonville as the fifth branch in our society and I am sure that the enthusiasm which has been shown in getting started will carry through the early development stages of their branch to establish a strong branch.

I am pleased to have been able to visit each branch during my term of office although the Launceston trip was to the special meeting for Mrs Elizabeth Simpson's visit. More visits such as these will help to further weld the branches of the society together.

We were privileged to have Mrs Elizabeth Simpson as a guest speaker at Hobart and Launceston in June last year. Mrs Simpson is a fellow of the Society of Genealogists, London, and a world renowned genealogist and presented most interesting lectures which were very well received.

Another visitor to our island was Mr Dean Boundy, President of the South Australian Genealogy and Heraldry Society Inc. Dean toured our state with his wife and spoke on South Australian activities.

The amount of work which the society could become involved with is enormous. As you will all appreciate, if we worked too hard, we would become competitors with the State Archives. However, that is not our job, but we can complement the work and records of the archives and in doing so, provide information to more remote areas of the state for the benefit of our members and the public.

The recent release of microfilm records of pre-1900 Births, Deaths & Marriages to Regional Libraries will be of great value to northern branches of the society (and to the public). The methods of storage and retrieval of information are now becoming more important. Microfiche and film records are excellent and easy to use.

Any organisation which generates and thrives on mountains of paper and huge card index systems is a prime target for computerisation, so genealogy is rapidly moving into the age of the computer in Australia. The potential for the application of computers in our information system is great, other Australian Societies are already becoming very involved in computer use to record, sort and index data for processing into microfiche.

The year has shown steady progress for the society and continued growth in membership and the extent of activities. Membership has increased from 436 members at 31 March 1983 to 639 members at 31 March 1984, a 46% increase and growth has spread fairly evenly.

Insurance

I am pleased to advise that the society has taken out Public Liability Insurance to the extent of \$250,000. I question is this enough? If a claim against the society exceeds this amount, I pay and you pay out of our own pockets. For this reason, the branches have been advised about Incorporation of the society and I have strongly recommended application for Incorporation without delay.

Government Grant

Mrs Lillian Watson applied on behalf of the society for a financial grant from the Division of Recreation for a microfilm/fiche reader-printer for our State Library. This application was successful and a grant of \$1500 was provided. Hobart Branch and Hobart Library are contributing an amount at least equal to the grant and the executive has allocated up to \$1,000 from state funds for purchase of the unit. A Minolta reader/printing has now been purchased and is operational in the library. I am sure that much benefit will be obtained from this.

The Journal

The production of our quarterly journal *Tasmanian Ancestry* has been carried on by the Publications Board. The executive recently provided more than \$700 to purchase a new electric typewriter to obtain good typing uniformity and with the new smaller format we believe the publication will be even better.

Our treasurer has succeeded in obtaining sales tax exemption for our journal and for GST information pamphlets and has recouped sales tax payments made for earlier journal publications.

Family History Award

The society established a Family History Award in 1983 for the person or persons producing the best family history submitted for judging. The award was in two sections - one for a hard bound published book and one for a manuscript entry. The winners have been determined and this will be part of

the report by the Convenor of the Award Committee.

Libraries

Following a full reassessment of branch property held in our libraries etc, the society has upgraded insurance and now has full library cover with T.G.I.O.

Library officers have been active in upgrading reference information and their activities will be reported on separately.

Tamiot

Our Tombstone inscriptions group has been very active in each branch and has recorded a vast amount of historical information during this last year.

Research

We have not had a State Research Board this year, however Hobart branch has had a research team who have dealt with written queries from all over the world. In this, they have done an excellent job and a vast amount of work. This coming year, I want to see a State Research Board officially recognised as such. A lot of queries have also been handled by the branches. Congratulations must also go to the Launceston branch for the compiling and publishing of the 1983 Research Directory - a 60 page publication of names being researched by members.

The Future

The G.S.T. has now become a member of the Australasian Federation of Family History Organisations. This will open up many further avenues for information in the future for all our members but we are expected to do our share in return.

There are so many things to do and I am sure each branch has its own proposals. With the autonomy existing in our society it is more than ever necessary that we now ensure that communication between branches is increased, to avoid duplication of effort and to consolidate the work that is already being done.

How much are we going to get involved with Australia's Bi-Centennial Activities? How quickly can we become computerised? Is it too early yet? We must think positively. The advances made during this year have shown that we can develop effectively when we work together.

Let us keep working with that in mind.

Douglas S. Forrest - President

New Members

As at 31 July 1984

ADAMSON, Mrs M.M. Tas
ALLAN, Mr & Mrs R.W.
BAILEY, Mrs W
BANKS, Dr M.R.
BARTLETT, Mrs A.M.
BEARDWOOD, Mr C.R.
BESWICK, Mr N.
BISSETT, Misses M & B
BRACKEN, Mr T.R.
BROWN, Mrs M.L.
BROWN, Mrs R.M.
BURTON, Mrs G.
CAMERON, Mr & Mrs D.
CAMPBELL, Mrs L.D.
CANTWELL, Mrs J.T.
COOPER, Mr E.R.
CORCORAN, Mr D.R.
CROOKS, Mrs E.A.
CUNNINGHAM, Mr B.L.
DAVIS, Mrs F.
DICK, Mrs M.
DUNIAM, Mr & Mrs G.D.
EDWARDS, Mrs G.H.
ELLIOTT, Mr & Mrs D.M.
GARDNER, Mr & Mrs G.K.
GOODE, Ms S.R.
GOODWIN, Miss T.J.
GORE, Mrs P.
GREEN, Mr K.A.
GROVES, Mrs B.F.
HALTON, Mr & Mrs C.J.T.
HARRIS, Mrs D.M.
HART, Mrs A.J.
HASSELL, Mrs J.A.
HOLSTEIN, Mrs M.L.
HUGHES, Ms E.M.
JENSEN, Mr & Mrs M.
JOHNSON, Ms K.A.
JONES, Mrs G.J.
JONES, Mr K.G.
JONES, Mrs P.C.
KANE, Mrs K.
KAUFMAN, Mrs I.M.
KAY, Misses Z & N
KELLY, Mr & Mrs L.W.

LUCAS, Mr E.G. Tas
LUNSON, Mrs J.M.
McRAE, Mrs K.B.
MANKTELOW, Mr & Mrs P.J.
MARTIN, Mrs M.H.
MILLINGTON, Mrs G.
MULLOCK, Dr & Mrs W.R.M.G.
MUNRO, D.M.
NICHOLS, Mrs M.
O'BRIEN, Mr J.R.
OWENS, Mr K.J.
PATMORE, Mrs B.A.
PAUL, Mrs H.D.
PETERS, Mrs M.A.
PRICE, Mrs P.E.
READ, Mr M.V.
REID, Mrs L.
RICHLEY, Mr & Mrs L.
ROGERS, Mr V.C.
SAINTY, Mr & Mrs R.A.
SARGENT, Miss M.
SCOTT, Mr S.D.
SHAW, H.M.
TALBOT, Mrs A.P.
TAWAKE, Mrs Y.A.
THOMPSON, Mr G.D.
TURNER, Mrs M.E.
TURNER, Mr R.J.
TYLER, Mr A.A.
VENUS, Miss E.E.
VINCENT, Mrs L.
WEBB, Mrs E.
WHITCOMBE, Mrs G.
WHITEHEAD, Mrs E.
WHITE, Mr & Mrs C.
WILSON, Miss J.L.
WOOLLEY, Mrs J.D.

N.S.W.

DAVIDSON, Mrs S.M.
DONALDSON, Mr J.H.
HARPER, Mr C.H.
HART, Mrs M.
HELLSTROM, Mrs J.N.
MARTENS, Mrs D.J.

NEW MEMBERS Cont'd

VIC

BENBOW, Mrs J.I.
JOYNER, Mrs B.
MOONEY, Mr & Mrs K.H.
NESBIT, Mrs D.
SENIOR, Mrs L.
TASSELL, Mrs G.M.
WOOLVEN, Mrs D.

QLD

ABEL, Mrs D.M.
HUXLEY, Mrs J.L.

S.A.

RIVERS, Mrs L.

N.Z.

RIDLER, Mr A.E.
THWAITES, Mrs R.S.

* * *



Notes

Mr Dennis Pearce of Wayside, Roman Rd, Twyford, Winchester, Hants, UK, writes:
I am writing as custodian of the Wakelin Index of Britons dying overseas. This index was begun by George Wakelin, a founder member of the Hampshire Genealogical Society who unfortunately died about two years ago. I have greatly expanded the index and now have something like 10,000 names, but there are many more that could be added. I wonder if you could help me in one or more of the following ways:-

1. Send me details of your own forbears who were born in Great Britain and who for some reason died on the high seas or abroad.
2. Send me details of any person you come across in books etc who was born in UK
3. Collect from your local newspaper obituary notices and news items of recent deaths of British immigrants, visitors etc.
4. Send me details of publications of Family History Societies, Archival groups etc that contain such information. Or better still send me copies of such items.
5. Tell any fellow Family Historians about the index and ask them to help too.

Convict Identikit

John BADKIN - Description per convict record.

Age: 27	Eyebrows: Arched, wide apart
Complexion: Dark	Eyes: Hazel
Head: Square	Nose: Straight, sharp pointed, inclines to right cheek
Hair: Dark brown	Mouth: Medium-thin lips
Whiskers: Large black	Chin: Broad
Face: Broad, oval	
Forehead: High, narrow on temples	

Tried at Surrey A/S on 6 August 1827. Given life for stealing in a dwelling house. Left a wife and one child in Native Place, Hoxton. Her name Frances Badkin. Last occupation - a Carman. Arrived on the "William Miles" in 1828. Married in 1847.

Descendants with the Badkin name still in Tasmania.

Mrs Elizabeth Douglas of Devonport kindly sent us this fascinating item. The identikit photograph was produced by her nephew Mr A. Swinton.





WESLEY VALE METHODIST CHURCH CENTENARY

APRIL 24th 1966

The witness of Methodism in the Wesley Vale area seems to have begun in 1865.

At that time, a building was in existence on private land owned by a Mr Sampson ANDREW, one of two pioneers of Wesley Vale. It is possible that Mr Andrew was responsible for the naming of this area, for it appears that he had a lively interest in the Methodist Church. This first building could not have been of good material because it was rebuilt five years later.

The Advocate of May 21st 1926 records some reminiscences of Mrs Alexander FINDLAY on the occasion of the jubilee celebrations.

"I remember the first Church at Wesley Vale. The seats were made of blocks of wood with boards nailed across them, and the reading desk was of sawn timber. The church had been opened a few months before I came to live in the district, and the Rev. George HAYWARD's farewell service comes clearly to mind. His text was "Finally my brethren, farewell". There were many sad hearts that day, for Mr Hayward was popular among all who knew him.

After the donation of the land by Mr Andrew, a committee was formed comprising Messrs Isaac STOTT, James STOTT, Joseph STOTT, William CLARKE, William BANFIELD, John PIPER, Eli CLARK, Robert LOCK, William NIBBS, Alexander FINDLAY, James SPURR. These, with the assistance of others, cleared the ground on Christmas Day 1865 and the little bush chapel was opened in May. It is reported that on that day Elizabeth CLARKE and Francis CRAWFORD were married in the chapel by Rev Hayward, the happy couple walking from their homes to the Chapel and back again. It is interesting to note that the eldest daughter of Mr and Mrs Crawford was the first to be married in the present church. She was united in matrimony with Mr Alfred MAYNARD of Ulverstone. During this service another daughter (later Mrs MILTON of Ulverstone) was baptised. The original Trustees of the first building were as follows: Robert DOVER, Robert LOCK, Eli CLARK, William NIBBS, William BANFIELD, Isaac STOTT, Joseph STOTT, C. DEWHURST, Alexander FINDLAY. These were appointed three years after the opening of the Church.

It is recorded that this building was replaced in 1870. The

Wesley Vale Methodist Church Centenary contd

The new building was erected by a Mr William GADSBY and cost 133 Pounds. It only lasted 18 years for in 1888 Mr John WRIGHT built the present church for 290 Pounds. He moved the older church to his own property to be used as a hall.

Extracts from the diary of Mr Alexander Findlay throw light upon this period of time.

Thursday 1st Dec 1887

At 3.00 pm went down to the chapel to a meeting to arrange about the building of a new one. John Wright's tender of 240 Pounds accepted.

Thursday 15th Dec 1887

Carting stones with the horses along with Y. SANKEY for the new chapel.

Friday 23rd Dec 1887

Went to cart stones for the new chapel. J. BROWN, J. PEARCE and self. Only took one load before rain stopped us.

Thursday 29th Dec 1887

Another fine day, had our picnic on the beach for the Sunday School children. All seemed to enjoy themselves very much. I was at Quarterly Meeting and got back in time to drive the team home.

Sunday 29th April 1888

All of us went to Sunday School then to the service in our new chapel which was opened today by Rev Mr LINDSAY and Rev J. POLKINGHORNE, a good attendance.

It was some time after the opening of the church before the Trustees could afford the purchase of an organ; during this time the singing was ably led by Mr Robert PIPER. A choir begun by Mr Elvin STOTT assisted in the leading of the worship for many years. It became so large that the pulpit had to be moved to the side to allow enough room for the choir to be seated. The first World War caused the disbanding of the choir and a new one was formed after the war.

The Wesley Vale church seems rather like the traditional English village church set in the midst of lush green farms scattered for some miles in every direction. The beauty of the countryside is reflected in the beauty of the interior of the church, which was altered during the ministry of the Rev J.L. COUSINS. Much change has taken place since that day when Sampson Andrew carried on his back a bag of wheat from the rail head at Deloraine to Wesley Vale. Many harvests have been reaped since that first crop of wheat.

Letters to the Editor

May I introduce myself? I am the author of "Tracing your Origins" published in Australia by Methuen in July 1983. I am more than a little overwhelmed by its success - reflected not only in sales figures but by a number of letters from fellow-genealogists in Australia and New Zealand. It has, of course, also been published in Canada and the USA with similar results.

However, you are much further away and it is not so easy for readers to make personal contact with me by phone or mail if they want help with a really difficult problem - as they frequently do in North America.

I am so impressed by the way in which Australians and New Zealanders have been buying my book that I would like to offer to help them in return. Will you be kind enough to advise your members that I am available for advice about UK and Irish sources (the areas covered by the book) - without any charge, of course!

I am not sure just what I am letting myself in for in making this offer, but feel I must make this friendly gesture to my readers "down under". I make only two stipulations:

- . be sure, before you write, that the information you need is not in the book,
- . send me three International Reply Coupons to cover the return airmail postage, and enclose a self-addressed airmail envelope.

Ancestor-hunting is such an exciting and addictive hobby, that distance should not prevent us helping each other. Your help in passing on my offer to your members will be much appreciated. "

Angus Baxter, 5 Katherine St, POB 655, Lakefield, Ontario, K0L 2H0, Canada.

* * *

"I wish to thank the Society for the assistance provided to me in researching the life and work of the Rev. Henry Dowling.

In response to the insertion in the June issue of the Ancestry of the 'Baptist Register', I have received numerous letters and phone calls as members and readers have responded to the request for information on the persons listed in the Register. One letter came from NSW. Apart from dates, I have been directed to specific publications.

For those interested, it is expected that the December issue of Tasmanian Historical Research Association's Proceedings will include a copy of my lecture on the Life and Work of the Rev Dowling as given at the August meeting of the Association. Further, a book of approx 100 pages is expected to be released next year on the first Baptist church in Hobart. The book with the title "Strict and Particular" will tell of the fortunes of early Baptists in the colony and give special emphasis to Dowling."

Laurie Rowston, 3 Portsea Place, Hobart. 7018.

THE PUBLIC LIBRARY AS A GENEALOGIST'S RESOURCE

By Trina Moule, Reference Librarian
Hellyer Regional Library

Have you thought about using your library in your genealogical research? Sooner or later you will probably find it useful. Public library service used to be the responsibility of local councils, which resulted in varying levels of service. In this state, it is now the responsibility of the State Library of Tasmania, who provide a high and comparatively even level of service throughout the state.

Local areas are served by branch libraries, which are grouped together in five regions, with their headquarters in the larger towns and cities. It is one of the responsibilities of professional staff in each region to develop a Reference and Local History Collection for that region and to back this up by obtaining material from elsewhere when it is not held in the region.

The main historical resources are those in the State Library Headquarters in Hobart. The Tasmanian Collection comprises books and other publications relating to Tasmania. It is a "deposit collection" which means that items in it may not be removed from the collection and therefore cannot be made available for use elsewhere.

Also housed in State Library headquarters is the State Archives Office. Their main function is to collect and organise old government records from all sources. Some private collections are also housed there. The Archives Office is not part of the State Library system although the two work closely together.

The resources in these collections are vitally important for genealogy and local history and to make them more accessible there is an active micro-filming policy for the more heavily used items. Runs of newspapers or sets of records are filmed and the films copied and sold to libraries and commercial users. A Regional library can choose to purchase the film as part of their collection, in the same way as they select and purchase books.

The historical collections of the regions vary. The older regions, based in Launceston and Burnie, have fairly extensive

collections. The Local History Room in Launceston contains early material donated to the city library and extensive indexes have been developed and maintained thanks to voluntary work by local historians, as well as that of Local History Room staff. The Southern regions have less extensive collections, but Hobart resources are geographically more accessible to them.

There are many types of material you may need to pursue your research. A first step might be to check on research which has already been carried out. If a family or district history has already been published, your library staff should be able to help you check this through their catalogues and bibliographies. Through the requests and inter-library loan systems they will be able to obtain copies of most publications if the library does not already hold them. This applies not only to Tasmanian books, but also to those published elsewhere in Australia or overseas. The basic books for beginning genealogists, and some genealogical directories will be held in many reference collections and may also be available for loan.

Many queries will require you to check newspapers for accounts of events, including births, deaths and marriages. We are fortunate that the Mercury has been filmed and is available in the larger regions. Some of the early local newspapers have also been microfilmed, as has the Hobart Town Gazette. Your library can help you identify the paper you need and locate libraries who hold sets of it. We can also identify local papers in other States and tell you which libraries hold them, which may be helpful for interstate searches. Copies of identified items in newspapers can be obtained provided you can give all the details. The charge for such copying varies from 5c for a photocopy to several dollars for a photographic copy from a tightly bound newspaper

Many queries require access to Government Archives. Much of this material is available only in the Archives Office, but we are fortunate that the Registrar General's Records of births deaths and marriages prior to 1900 have been microfilmed. They are already available in Burnie and Devonport and should soon be in Launceston. However, if you are planning to use one of these libraries, it would be wise to ring first, as they may be running a booking scheme to rationalise use of equipment and avoid delays.

How to go about the research may be a problem for some. It is often a good start to join a local group who share enthusiasm.

Public Library as Genealogist's Resource

Most libraries cater for this information need by maintaining a file of contacts in local groups of all sorts. The local genealogy group should be no exception. Many genealogical societies run workshops and seminars for their members. Other courses are held by Adult Education bodies. You may find that library staff are willing to participate in these ventures by making meeting rooms available or by giving short talks about the library's resources and systems.

So if you haven't tried your library yet, why not see what they can do. It might prove useful.



VINCE FAMILY REUNION

A Family Reunion is being planned in February 1985, to celebrate the arrival of William and Sarah VINCE, who arrived 15th February 1835 aboard the "Sarah". Their children were:

Harriet	who married	Thomas WILLIAMS
Elizabeth Maria	"	Daniel ANDERSON
Robert Stephen	"	Elizabeth ANDERSON
Hannah	"	Alexander MACKIE
Emma		-
John Simons	"	Louisa Haines
Edward		-
Henry Morris	"	Mary Ann BROOKER
Julia Ann		-
Alice	"	Alfred PRIESTLEY
Emma Rebecca		-
William		

Following his wife's death, William married Sarah WARD. Their children were: Sarah Julia and three others who died shortly after birth.

To anyone descended from any of these couples, we extend an invitation to attend.

Please contact:- Mrs T. McKay, 55 Auburn Rd, Kingston, Tas. or Mr C. Vince, 4/539 Main Rd, Montrose, Tas.

CLERK OF THE HOUSE — THE REMINISCENCES OF HUGH MUNRO HULL 1818-1882

by Lucille V. Andel, 203pp, illustrations, genealogical tables, reference notes, bibliography and index.

* * * * *

Hugh Munro Hull was the eldest son of George Hull, an English army officer, who arrived in Tasmania in 1819 as King's Bonding Warehouse Keeper. George Hull had a grant of 2650 acres at Tolosa, near O'Brien's Bridge, Glenorchy. The homestead, built in 1821, was demolished in 1966, the site now being occupied by two storey flats.

Hugh Munro Hull had a fine record of public service, as Clerk to Sir George Arthur, Keeper of Records, Statist, Police Magistrate at Bothwell and Hamilton, Clerk of the House of Assembly.

Hull held many honorary positions, including Fellow of the Royal Society and secretary of the Tasmanian Public Library. He published "Kalendars" and Guides to Tasmania, statistical summaries, the Statute Index, and many lectures and papers.

The book includes "The Reminiscences" commenced in 1846 (when Hull was 46 years old) in response to a request from his son for an account of his life in Van Diemen's Land; and extracts from the Private Journal taken from his diary kept from 1837.

This is an interesting social history, dealing with everyday life in the colony including:

- . a boy's fear of the black natives on the Launceston road;
- . the Hull's first home, a wooden building on the site of the Tasmanian Museum, with gum trees and a potato garden and dense bush in Macquarie St;
- . relatively high salaries of the civil establishment equal to those paid 100 years later (but then, unlike the poorly paid proletariat the recipients could afford to pay wages to several servants);
- . high risks of death from consumption, typhoid, scarlet fever, cholera, diphtheria, and in childbirth, and the primitive remedies such as bleeding, morphia and calomel;
- . the claim that the convict gangs did not kill themselves with over work.

There are some odd and macabre anecdotes about convict burials, the Daly family, Dr C and his dead son, and the Lunatic Asylum which are stranger than fiction.

The reference notes, painstakingly compiled by the author, on almost 200 names of characters of the day, alone are worth the price of the book. Available from 33 Minerva Av, N.Salwyn, 3104, \$15.95 inc postage.

Bernard Denholm

Library Notes

by Theo Sharples

While it's not usually comfortable to find oneself bursting at the seams, nevertheless it's happening in all the branch libraries just now. One of the reasons for this at Bellerive is the fact that our collection of journals, mostly acquired by exchange with other societies, is constantly growing larger. Arrangements have been made recently to exchange with the Devon and the Glasgow and West of Scotland Family History Societies. One of our Victorian members, Mr Arch Hamilton, has donated a year's subscription to Investigator the journal of the Geelong Historical Society, beginning with the issue of March 1984. The first issue received indicates that, for people with Victorian interests, this will be a useful acquisition. Thank you, Mr Hamilton.

A suitable inscription on whatever monument marks my last resting place on this earth, may well be the exhortation I am always making: "Don't overlook the usefulness of journals in research". Rosemary Rendel has contributed a useful article entitled Catholic records in the Sussex Family Historian March 1984. A summary of a talk on Quaker records appears in Journal of the Bristol and Avon F.H.S. Spring 1984. For people with Lancashire and Cheshire interests, the North Cheshire Family Historian, May 1984, has interesting articles on the new Greater Manchester Record Office, by Rhoda Clarke and on Lancashire and Cheshire wills, by Colin Beaver.

We have begun an indexed file of unwanted certificates at Bellerive. These are the parts of the page you don't need when you get a photocopy of something you do need from the Registrar-General's pre-1900 records at Archives Office. They could well include someone else's wanted ancestor, so if you have any unwanted ancestors to dispose of, give them to John Marrison on meeting nights or hand them in at the library.

Four Devonport ladies recently made \$250 profit at a cake stall held to aid library funds. We understand they haven't felt like looking at cakes since!

STOP PRESS

Extra Library Hours : From Wednesday 3rd October, the G.S.T. Library at Percy St will be open each week from 7-9 pm

EXCHANGE JOURNALS

- ABGA NEWSLETTER (Australian Biographical & Genealogical Record. Jan 1984 No 2.
CAMBRIDGESHIRE FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY JOURNAL Feb 1984. Vol 4 Nos 5 & 6.
CLEVELAND FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY JOURNAL Apr 1984, Vol 2 No 6
CAMBRIDGESHIRE FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY MEMBERS INTERESTS DIRECTORY 1984.
CUMBRIA FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY Newsletter No 30. Feb 1984
DELICHON URBICA (Journal of FHS of MARTIN) Vol 2 Serial No 6. April 1984
DERBYSHIRE FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY Dec 83 Issue 27.
Descent (Journal of Society of Australian Genealogists) Vol 14 Part 1 Mar 84
FAMILY HISTORY NEWS & DIGEST (Journal of Federation of FHS) Vol 4 No 2 Sep 83
Vol 4 No 3 Apr 84
GENEALOGISTS MAGAZINE (Journal of the Society of Genealogists London. Vol 21
No 5 March 84.
HERTFORDSHIRE PEOPLE BULLETIN (Hertfordshire Family & Population History
Society) No 20 1983, No 21 1984.
IBIS LINKS (Journal of Griffith Genealogical & Historical Society) Apr 84 No 6
INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR BRITISH GENEALOGICAL & FAMILY HISTORY NEWSLETTER
Vol 5 No 1 Jan-Mar 84
INVESTIGATOR (Magazine of Geelong Hist. Society) Vol 19, No 1
MACQUARIE FAMILY HISTORY FOUNDATION NEWSLETTER No 2 Feb 84, No 3 June 84.
MY ISA (Journal of Family History Society) Mar 84 and May 84
NATIONAL TRUST OF AUSTRALIA (TASMANIA) NEWSLETTER No 89, June 1984
NORTH CHESHIRE FAMILY HISTORIAN (Journal of North Cheshire F.H. S. Vol 11 No 1
NORTHUMBERLAND & DURHAM FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY Vol 9 No 1, Spring 84.
NOTTINGHAMSHIRE FAMILY HISTORY SOCIETY Vol 4, No 6. Jan 1984
THE PAST FINDERS (Cairns Branch, Genealogical Society of Qld) Vol 1, No 5
PROGENITOR (Quarterly Journal of Genealogical Society of N.T. Mar 84 Vol 3, No 1
Queensland family historian (Journal of Queensland FHS) Vol 5 No 2 & 3
SUSSEX FAMILY HISTORIAN (Journal of Sussex FHS Group) Vol 5, No 8, Vol 6, No 1
TIMESPAN (Journal of Nepean FHS) No 14, Mar 84.
VLAAMSE STAM (Journal of FHS Belgium) Nos 1,2,3 & 4
WESTERN ANCESTOR (Journal of West Australian Genealogical Society) Vol 2 No 10
WILTSHIRE FHS JOURNAL Spring 1984, No 13
YORKSHIRE ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY FAMILY HISTORY & POPULATION STUDIES SECTION
THE 1788-1820 GAZETTE April 84 No 83, June 84, No 84.



THE NORTH WEST POST 1908 INDEX

As a source of information on the past, a newspaper is an unrivalled primary source, but probably as full of inaccuracies as its modern day counterpart. The North West Post would be no exception. Established in April 1887 at Devonport it ran until 1916. It is currently available at the Archives Office Hobart, and at the Hellyer Regional Library, Burnie on microfilm.

As with all old newspapers, it is different in style and layout to modern newspapers and for the beginner the prospect of finding anything in it is daunting as well as time consuming. But if you have North West Coast ancestors your searches will most likely be rewarding.

Several years ago, as a private research project (punishment might be a more suitable word), I began to index events of use to family historians.

There are very few paid birth advertisements during this year. Fortunately, there are considerably more death notices and a few marriage notices as well. Funeral notices were published amongst the advertisements and often doubled as death notices as well. The bulk of the deaths are recorded as district news and as obituaries. At the time I was using unbound copies of the papers, and I was able to photocopy some of the more lengthy articles including the descriptions of weddings with their descriptions of the bridal finery and the lists of who gave what (one way of seeing that each guest outdid the other in the way of a gift?)

The index is in two parts. The first is an alphabetical listing of each name recorded with a code to identify the type of event recorded. Entries which do not have a code are generally of little interest but may be of use in establishing a life span for instance. Each entry is accompanied by the date that it appears in the paper.

The second part of the index consists of typewritten or photocopy material sorted into chronological order. This material may be the lengthy wedding report as mentioned, an inquest, an obituary or a potted history of a town or village eg historical notes on *Kintred*, *Forth, Don* or agricultural

information on such places as Central Castra, South Road, Gawler or Preston. Many of these articles list the early landholders together with the 1908 owners. Affiliation cases are also reported but are not as numerous as in some earlier years.

The obituary for Mrs J E Crooke is interesting in that it shows what may sometimes be gleaned from a newspaper item even though in this case it is a little vague:

Mrs J E Crooke, aged 84 years, relict of the late Mr J E Crooke of Bacchus Marsh, and mother of Mr J R Crooke, of Aspendale-park, died at her residence, Moonlyong, Mentone, on Thursday. She was born in Tasmania, and was a daughter of the late Mr William H. Athorn, a sergeant-major of the Royal Artillery, Woolwich Arsenal, who was afterwards superintendent of the military stores in Tasmania where he arrived by sailing vessel Jupiter, about the year 1823. (11 Feb 1908)

One of my favourite items appeared as a Public Notice:

I, Sarah Fitzpatrick, if not claimed by Francis Fitzpatrick in fourteen days, will be married again. (Signed) Sarah Fitzpatrick, Thirlstane, Tasmania, August 28, 1908.

Anyone requiring a search to be made of this index may do so by writing to the Secretary of the Devonport Branch and enclosing two 30c stamps to cover return postage and photocopy of entry should one be found.

A start has been made on the year 1907 but progress is slow at present due to lack of access to the material.

Members' Queries

JENNINGS or JENNER

James, 27, married Nov 21, 1853, at Oatlands, to Julia AHERN (or HERON) 26, Ticket of Leave. Issue: Jane (b 1854), Sarah (b 1856), Fanny, Julia, Elizabeth. Places of birth unknown.

Any information please to Mrs P. Rogerson, 10 Pile St, Bardwell Park, NSW.

MEMBERS QUERIES

MILLINGTON

Arthur, and his wife Mary Ann (SAXTON) sailed from Scot. (?) arriving Tas 1853 with their children Emma (b 1846), Harriet (b 1849), Elizabeth (b 1851). Children born in Hobart were: Henry (1853), Arthur (1855), George (1857), Mary Ann (1859) and Alice (1861). ARthur who was a milkman died 1864 aged 45, and his wife died in 1866 aged 45. The children are believed to have been placed in foster homes.

Would like to contact any descendants/persons of this name. Reply please to Mr F.A. Matulick, 89 Cowra Street, Renmark, S.A. 5341

DATES

Charles, married Ann Eliza JACKSON 1849. Had 7 sons, 5 daughters. These children and their children married into the following families: HALL, PAGE, GRIMSEY, BURGESS, HARRIS, HANNIGAN, BENNETT, LUCAS, SMITH, LYNSKEY, ALBURY, ALLEN, AYERS, GRIGGS, COUMEADOW, THORPE, WALLIS, CORWELL, NEWBON, SCHMIDT, RODMAN, ROMMON plus many more Huon Valley families. Any help appreciated, write to Mrs C. Rodway, 57 Balook St, Lauderdale, Tas. Ph: 48 6639.

OSBORNE

Recently given a photo album containing many photos unnamed but believed to be of the Osborne family as a label on the inside cover states the album was a 23rd birthday present to Violet ELIZABETH OSBORNE from her friend FLORRIE PAGE. The year was 1885. Any help in identification would be appreciated. Mrs C. Rodway, 57 Balook St, Lauderdale. Ph 48 6639

WATKINS

George, m 1843 ? Jane ILES/EYLES/HYLES. Children George, Louisa, Benjamin John, Sarah Jane, Jane Margaret, Augustus Frederick, James, William Henry, Charles Arthur EYLES. Any help would be welcomed. Mrs C. Rodway, 57 Balook St, Lauderdale, Tas. Ph. 48 6639

MOREY

Abraham, husband of Anne BARBER, arrived Launceston on 'Arab', 1842. Children: George m Leah LARCOMB, William m Amelia LESTER, Elizabeth m George CHAFFEY, Abraham m Ellen MITCHELMORE, Abel m Mary WELLDARD, Jacob m Ann LEWIS, Mary unmarried, Harriet m Samuel WELLDARD, Maria m Peter MITCHELMORE. Information requested on 1. English village where Abraham Snr born; 2. Kate Lewis (nee DREW), step mother-in-law of Jacob; 3. Rachel Sweetman (nee LEWIS), sister-in-law of Jacob; 4. Elizabeth CHAFFEY (nee MOREY) m George CHAFFEY 1858; 5. Descendants of Abraham Morey Snr. Please write to Mrs A. Sligo, 32 Martin St, Elwood, Vic 3184.

TERRY

Thomas , married 1834, Parish Trinity County Buckingham (Holy Trinity)
Frances CREW. Known issue: John Vincent b 1836, Hobart.
Any other information please? Mrs P. Rogerson, 10 Pile St, Bardwell Park,
NSW. 2207

CONNELL, FENTON, BUTTON, HOGARTH

Contact is wanted with anyone researching or having the following names in
their trees. CONNELL, John m Mary ANGELL at Southwark, London. Also lived
Ware, Herts. Children: Jeremiah, Samuel, John, Matthew, Benjamin and
Timothy. Some of these and/or descendants emigrated to Australia in 19th
Century. Timothy m Elizabeth KIRKBY, arrived Launceston 1843. Children
Henry (came 1833, m Mary KAY of Launceston), Emma and husband Edwin
DITCHAM came 1850's. Other children may also have come.
Other family names are FENTON, BUTTON, HOGARTH. Another CONNELL of interest
is the T. Connell of the Old Melbourne Hotel. Also interested in KIRKBY,
KNIGHT of Launceston and Robert GIBSON of "Pleasant Barks" and
UNDERWOODS of Sydney, Tasmania. All replied to. G. Kirkby, 5 Lesney St.,
Maryhill, Dunedin , N.Z.

ANDREWS/BALDWIN

Edward ANDREWS m Margaret BALDWIN 1841. Bothwell. Information needed on
children if any. Ms J. Monigatti, 119 Waiora Rd, West Heidelberg, Vic 3081.

ANDREWS/CURTAIN

Edward ANDREWS remarried Catherine CURTAIN, Oatlands. 1852. Issue:-

1. Charles Edward b1853
 2. Catherine Maria b1855. Married Francis KEARNEY 1877
 3. Hannah b1857. Known also as Anna.
 4. Edward Charles b1863, d 1940. Married Ann? Had daughter Eileen & grand-
daughter Edna.
 5. Elizabeth Sarah b1867. (Believe Edward and Catherine had 8 children.
Searching for remaining 3 and any information concerning descendants.)
- Ms J. Monigatti, 119 Waiora Rd, West Heidelberg, Vic 3081.

ANDREWS/EARLY

Charles ANDREWS and Catherine EARLY. Daughter Catherine Elizabeth b1869
Bothwell. Searching for information re mother and daughter. J.Monigatti,
119 Waiora Rd, West Heidelberg, Vic. 3081.

OLIVE

I wish to enquire re John OLIVE who was witness at the wedding of Robert
GOOBY to M. BLAKE on 18.9.1820, in Hobart Town. (This is mentioned in
Appendix to Bigge Report). Any information would be gratefully received.
B.J. Olive, 8 Surfers Parade, Thirroul, NSW. 2515.

Members Queries

VENUS

Robert Ernest (1850-1935). Brought from Tunbridge Wells by Henry Reed as his butler; sailed on 'Sabraon' from England and on 'Derwent' from Melbourne arriving Launceston 1873. Married Elizabeth Mary GREEN (1850-1892) at St Paul's Church, Cleveland St, Launceston in 1877. She was the daughter of Serjeant of Police John William GREEN (d 1882) who had fought in India, and in the Afghan and Sikh Wars. He emigrated to Launceston in 1857. Robert VENUS became Resident Overseer of the Invalid Depot, Paterson St, Launceston, 1879-1890. Any information please, to Miss E.E. Venus, 8/30 Ratho St, Lenah Valley, Tas. 7008

HILDEBRAND/HILDERBRAND/HILDERBRANDT

Information required of families in Tasmania and N.S.W.. Arthur, Charles, Margaret, Henry, Phyllis. Sarah died NSW 1891 - father Thomas, mother Eliza. Seavers married Louise F. BARNES 1872. Anna married Jacob HAUB 1894. Any descendants? Mrs V. J. Ayers, 39 Trevitt Rd, North Ryde. NSW 2113.

MAGUIRE (McGUIRE)

Edward and Harriet (nee BUCKLAND) married Westbury 1857, sons Edward (b 1858), William (b 1860), Charles (b 1862), Charles (b 1862), Charles Benjamin (b 1867). William m Elizabeth JOHNSTON 1880 at Latrobe. Information on death and burial of Edward and Harriet sought. Mr C.T. McGuire, 529 Thompson Rd, Norland, Vic. 3214.

JOHNSTON

William Johnston convict 1843-1852, m Ann CAREY at Campbell Town 1854, daughter Elizabeth b 1862.

Both McGuire and Johnston families believed to have gone to Latrobe together. I am looking for William and Ann Johnston's death and place of burial. Mr C.T. McGuire, 529 Thompson Rd, Norland, Vic. 3214.

CLAYDON, MAYER, HEMPHILL, BUTLER, STRAWBERRY

Robert and Jane CLAYDON, Otlands (1850-1900), also Harriet and Albert MAHER, Otlands (1850-1900) could also be in Cleveland area. Martha and Hugh HEMPHILL, Longford, (1830-1920), BUTLERS (parents of Walter), Sheffield. STRAWBERRY, Maria daughter of Edward and ? m Walter BUTLER of Sheffield. Anything on the earlier families. All letters answered. Mr and Mrs W. Perkins, 33 Faulkner Rd, Ravenswood, Tas. 7250.

MEMBERS QUERIES

MURPHY

Eduard, Private 99th Regt. in the 1850's, transferred to 12th Regt. 1855. Names of known children born to Eduard and Martha (FINCH): Frederick James b 1852; John Francis b 1856; Henry b 1862. Eduard Murphy was an artist and examples of his work held at the W.L. Crowther Library, Maritime Museum in Hobart, Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery and one in Mitchell library, Sydney. Contact with any relatives sought or any known facts please. J.I. Tate, 14 Mudgway Place, Palmerston North, New Zealand.

BOON

Edwin, b 1831, m ? Louisa FRENCH (b 1837). Issue: Joseph, Arthur, Alice, Angelina, Isabella, Eva, Percy and Annie (twins), Ernest, Henry, Maurice, Rosa, Lillian, Charles, Hilda. Information on Edwin please. Mrs Pat Hughes, 50 Eyles Drive, East Ballina, NSW, 2478.

BALDWIN

John b 1839, married Sarah COVENTRY (b 1844) in 1862. Lived in Wattle Grove and Woodbridge. Issue; Herbert, John, Ruth, William (our line), Esther. Information required on arrival of John from England. Mrs P. Hughes, 50 Eyles Dr., East Ballina, NSW. 2478.

TOWNSEND

John, b?, m Agnes TURLEY ?. Issue: John, Henry, William, James, Thomas, Elizabeth (our line), Charles, George, Benjamin. Please contact Mrs P. Hughes, 50 Eyles Drive, East Ballina, NSW. 2478.

BARRETT

John, emancipist timber merchant (Brisbane St, Launceston), farmer (Turners Marsh). Researching his 12 children and descendants, but would like to hear from anyone with accurate information on his origins, or who is a descendant. Mrs Guenda Webb, 3/51A Campbell St, Launceston.

ALLCOCK

Johanna, b Campbell Town, to John and Mary Ellen (formerly WALSH) in 1858. Also had sisters Martha, Mary Ellen, Matilda, Johanna and one sister alive in 1912. Any reader researching or with information on this family please contact Mr P. Webb, 3/51A Campbell St, Launceston.

QUERIES

NOBES

William, married Margaret REGAN or RYAN in 1855, at Bothwell. Children were William b.1856, Mary b.1860, Ann b.1864 (m James BRANDUM). Any information please to Mrs M. Duniam, Maubanna, Tas. 7321

BIRD

Richard, b Norfolk or Suffolk, c1828. Married Ann CHASTON at Reydon, Suffolk 1852. Travelled by "Solway" and "Black Swan" to Launceston, Tas, 1862. Children Hannah, Walter, Ann, Martha, Arthur, Harriet, Asa, Abraham, Edgar, Alla. Died 1906 Penguin, Tas. Richard's birthplace and date particularly but any information or correspondence with descendants welcomed. Mrs M. Hart, 20 Bonview St, East Ballina, NSW. 2478.

REID

William, possibly b Scotland c1849. Married Mary Catherine OVERELL, 14.3.1872 in the house of Mr E.A. CHALMERS, Bagdad, Tas. Children: Hilda, Camilla, William, Ena, Norman, Robert, Alma. Worked Kimberley, Merseylea, Railton as head ganger on railway early 1900. Died 1918 Devonport Tas. Birthplace and date needed, date of arrival and ship, parents' names, or correspondence with descendants. Mrs M. Hart, 20 Bonview St, East Ballina, NSW. 2478.

SPURR/PITSTOCK

Rodney (Rosny) Metcalf SPURR (m Louisa PITSTOCK) came to NZ from Tasmania before 1876. Headmaster at Mt Somers and at other NZ schools. Retired to farmlet in Okains Bay, NZ, in 1876. Known children were Ernest Walter, Aubrey, Edith and Percy Ronald (1877-1924). Two children were school age in 1877. Would be glad of any information on either side of family. Was Rodney (Rosny) son of Rev Thos. SPURR? Ms J.Spurr, 4 Savage St, Kainga, Chch 9, N.Z.

McFADYEN, CLELAND, JACKSON, FLEMING

Any information on these names please. John and Mary McFADYEN came to Victoria from Scotland in 1800's (?). Mary remarried a CLELAND. James McFADYEN (a son) came to Tasmania and married a Maud Lillian JACKSON in Launceston in 1905. Her father was William JACKSON AND her mother's name before marriage was Lillian FLEMING. Any information please to Mrs S. Calvert, 57 Blessington St, South Arm, Tas. 7022.

Here I lie at the Chancel door
Here I lie because I'm poor:
The further in the more the pay
But here I lie as warm as they.

QUERIES

JOHNSTONE/JOHNSON/JONES

Date of death wanted for JOHNSTON, John Edwin, Burnett St, Hobart, Baker at the Asylum (now Royal Derwent Hospital) New Norfolk, in 1921, and his wife Sophia Elizabeth nee JONES.

Also, were the following people related to the JOHNSTONS and if so, when did they die?

JOHNSTON, Gussie, N.Norfolk

JOHNSTON, Walter Frederick, N.Norfolk

JOHNSTON, John Thomas, Humphrey St, Hospital Cook.

JONES, Charles Henry, asylum attendant

JONES, James Francis, Montague St, asylum attendant (Mrs Johnston's brother?)

JONES, Henry, Bluegum Swamp, N.Norfolk, labourer

JONES, Henry, Snr, Black River, farmer.

Any help please, Miss P. Jones, Box 5418CC, GPO Melbourne, Vic 3001.

PLANE

Mortimer Plane b c1817 Horsey, Norfolk, m Hannah? Both died in Hobart 1885 and 1908 and were buried at Cornelian Bay. Their 5 children born in England arrived with them; William Mortimer (m Annie WHITE 1878 in Hobart,) James (m Isabel ROUNTREE 1872 in Hobart), John M. (m Jeanette ARMSTRONG 1870 in Hobart), Edward Rye (m Louisa KINGSHOTT 1871 at New Town and later Euphemia CAIRNS), Agnes Laura (m George SIMS 1875 in Carlton, Vic). They may have had a sixth child, Georgianna b c1861 in Hobart and died 1923 in Hobart. Any information please to Mr Brian Carney, 20 Stanley St, Ulverstone Tas 7315.

REES/REECE

Margaret , b c1821, England, m Samuel DAVIS 1839 Launceston. They had 12 children; Samuel, Anna, Edwin Charles, John, Matthew, Alice Louisa, Rosetta, William, May, Marion, Ada Emily, Amy. Margaret died 1897 Launceston. Any info please to Mr Brian Carney,, 20 Stanley St, Ulverstone, Tas. 7315

CANN

Thomas , m 1860 Hobart to Jane ALLEN from Cork, Ireland. They had about 10 children including Jane (m Joseph GREEN), Frances, Sarah Jane (m James HEWSON), Mary (m Ada BARKER) and Charles. Thomas Cann may also have married Mary or Charlotte? and had three other children: Charlotte (m George ROWLEY), Henry (m Mary Ann COULSON) and Ann.
Any information please to Mr Brian Carney, 20 Stanley St, U'stone, Tas.

Mrs A. Holland, 62 Jenson St, Hughes, ACT, 2605, wants to contact descendants of RILEY, DELANEY, CARTWRIGHT, MYCOCK (Kurrajong 1832) CLUNE, RUSSELL (Sydney 1880) and O'LOUGHLIN, HAYES (Tas 1856).



THE OLD GAULER ROAD CEMETERY

Helen Anderson

On the 13th August 1904, Andrew McCulloch was laid to rest at the age of 57, after a long and lingering illness. He was "buried in a private piece of ground which is situated close to the roadside on the old Gawler road, being a portion of the farm on which he has resided. Here are also buried his father and mother and other near relations. This spot was selected years ago when the country around was in dense bush and roads impassable."

None of the Memorials in this small cemetery are old, although several commemorate events that happened last century. Many are modern and represent modern taste in headstones, but the burial ground is neat and tidy and well cared for.

There is a certain oddity about the layout, accentuated by the removal of the little wooden church, perhaps as long ago as a decade. Narcissus and snowdrops and clumps of violets are scattered about and the quiet is disturbed only by the cawing of ravens and the bleatings of lambs. The burial ground is surrounded on three sides by a hawthorn hedge.

Two graves are recent and have, as yet, no headstones. Two others are marked only by rusting iron-work and I suspect that the larger of these is the last resting place of my maternal great grandfather, Henry Burt and his first wife, Harriet Orchard.

Whenever the McCulloch's are mentioned in reference to the history of Gawler they are coupled with the Burt's. Henry's right to burial in this private place is as father-in-law to three McCullochs.

The McCullochs - James and his wife Rosanna McMaster and eight children came to Tasmania from Scotland per the 'Montmorency' in 1855. A month or so earlier Henry and Harriet Burt and six children disembarked from the 'Fingal' at Launceston. Both families lived for a time in the Westbury district and may have met there.

In March 1859, as a party of nineteen, the McCulloch family journeyed by bullock wagon to a 500 acre block at the Gawler, becoming the pioneer settlers of that district.

The beautiful country surrounding this burial ground is a testimonial to the courage and dedication of this pioneer family.

GAULER ROAD PRIVATE CEMETERY(Transcribed 21.7.1984 by Louise Richardson & Helen Anderson)

<u>Ref No</u>	<u>Surname</u>	<u>Details</u>
0001	STONE5	Charles H., died 4 Feb 1943 age 69 Also Agnes, died 6 Sep 1952 age 75
0002	McCULLOCH	Leslie J., 1883-1947 Louisa A.S., 1889-1976 Lance, Agnes & Lily
0003	McCULLOCH	Ernest, born 15 May 1885, died 4 Aug 1960 Also his wife Elsie, b 11 Apr 1886, d 7 Oct 1973
0004	McCULLOCH	James, d 4 Apr 1892, aged 83 Also Rosanna, d 5 Apr 1873, aged 64 Also Jane, d 22 Mch 1891, aged 79 Original settlers of Gawler
0005	McCULLOCH	Horace, d 9 May 1897 aged 13 months Also Andrew, d 11 Aug 1904 aged 57 Also Agnes Gordon, d 21 Apr 1933 aged 79 Also Herbert, d 17 Apr 1942 aged 52
0006	McCULLOCH	Andrew, d 24 June 1959 aged 80 Late A.I.F.
0007	McCULLOCH	John, d 22 June 1896, aged 61 Also Margaret, d 8 Jan 1906, aged 73
0008	TRIPP	William Percival, d 21 Mch 1956 aged 78 Also Eliza Margaret, d 7 Apr 1966, age 78
0009	BURT	Henry A, d 29 June 1938, aged 62 Also Ruby X., d 6 June 1969, aged 82
0010	STEWART	Herbert Colin, h of Geraldine, f of Tanya, Colin, Karen. Born 27 May 1936 , accid- ently killed 1 Sep 1974
0011	STEWART	James Simon, d 7 Apr 1964, aged 73 Also M yrtle, d 6 Feb 1982, aged 90
0012	STEWART	John H, 4027 Sgt 47 Batt AIF, MM. Born 2 Feb 1893, d 27 Feb 1964
0013	STEWART	Mary Ann, 1869-1900 Also John, 1858-1916 Also Donald Simon, grandson of above. Accidentally killed 23 June 1950 age 24 yr
0014	LAWSON	Cyril (Sid), died 18 Dec 1953 aged 51 Also Mary Ida, d 26 Jly 1975 aged 68
0015	McCULLOCH	Susan M., wife of J.H. McCulloch, d 3 Oct 1928 aged 55

continued.

GAULER ROAD PRIVATE CEMETERY

0015 contd	McCULLOCH	Also John G.G., son of above, d of wounds at Tobruk, 18 May 1941 age 29 Also Kathleen, his wife, 1912-1939 Also James H., d 22 Jly 1964 age 91
0016	McCULLOCH	James, d 19 Nov 1918, age 78 Also his wife MaryEliza, d 23 Jly 1919, aged 75
0017	McCULLOCH	John William, aged 1 day Also George Gilbert, aged 6 days Born 26 Feb 1911, twin sons of JH & SM McCulloch
0018	ANDERSON	Neil James; son of Arthur & Hester Anderson, d 5 Oct 1937, age 9 months
0019	McCULLOCH	Peter, d 18 May 1926, age 74 Also Margaret, d 3 Jan 1948, age 84
0020	McCULLOCH	Frank, age 6 yrs Also baby Ross Sons of Bernice & Bruce McCulloch

FAMILY HISTORY AWARD

The results of the 1984 Family History Award were announced at the meeting of the Hobart branch on 17 July 1984.

Winner of the book section was the entry by Mrs Thais Mason entitled 'From chains to freedom. Vol 1: A history of the Garth Bellett family 1788-1982'

The manuscript section was won by Mrs Annette Macquarie with her entry 'Henry Pearce, (1813-1901) and his descendants'.

Our congratulations are extended to Mrs Mason and Mrs Macquarie and our thanks to all the entrants who helped make this, our first award, such a success.

All of the books submitted become the property of the Society and have a bookplate indicating that they were accepted as an entry for the Family History Award. It is intended to display the entries at each of the Branch Libraries in turn.

The Society extends its sincere thanks to the three judges for their valuable efforts and no small part of their spare time. The judges, each expert in their own field, were an archivist, a specialist librarian and a journalist, who were chosen to provide a balanced judging panel. The judges' assessments and comments on the entries remain confidential.

While there was much to commend the entries, there were also some common faults in presentation. In most cases adequate indexes and bibliographies were conspicuous by their absence. Both of these are essential in works of this nature since it may often be necessary for the author, the reader or other interested family members to refer to sources of information. All source references must be exact. It is not sufficient to say that the source is, e.g. 'the Archives Office of Tasmania'. One must name the exact document, giving any reference numbers and including page numbers where appropriate. If sources cannot be found, say so. Generally, illustrations were used to advantage but some were physically in the wrong place. They should be near the text to which they refer.

Pedigrees should be accurately set out. In some cases this was not done and names, dates or places were incorrectly given. In a family history as in other works of reference, accuracy is of prime importance since inaccurate statements not only mislead the reader but also waste the researcher's time if he attempts to pursue that particular line of enquiry. It should be noted that there is a distinct difference between a fact and a deduction.

A point in favour of several of the entries was the way in which the facts were made interesting by weaving them into a readable story. One way to achieve this is to include anecdotes and other material that gives human interest to the factual foundation of the story. Setting the story against the social background of the times may add further interest.

Theo E. Sharples - Convenor
Family History Award Committee

Here lies the body of Jonathan Pound
Who was lost at sea and never found.

Common Interest Groups

COMMON INTEREST GROUPS

Fellowship of First Fleeters

Descendants of William ROBERTS (Scarborough 1788) and Kezia BROWN (Neptune 1790), attended a Family Muster at the Windsor Community Hall on 12 August 1984. Children of William and Kezia Roberts were William (unmarried), Mary - Richard HOLLAND, 9 children, Sarah m Thomas SILK, 12 children, James m Elizabeth John, 9 children, John m 1st Elizabeth CARLISLE, 7 children and 2nd Lucy BAYLIS, no issue, Robert m Elizabeth BOOTLE, 8 children, Maria m Henry Forrester no issue, Harriett m 1st William HEYWOOD, no issue known and 2nd Thomas YOUNG, no issue, Ann m John PRIMROSE, 12 children, Edward m Mary GOUGH, 12 children.

Additional family names are - 2nd generation; Pendergast, Melville, Hudson, Lane, Windred, Rhodes, Templeton, Byram, Moses, Thomson, Bootle, Anderson, Ezy, Everingham, Eggleton, Swords, Davis, Douglas, Moore, Dunstan, Webster, Miller, O'Brien and Ogg. 3rd generation: Freeman, Buttsworth, Eather, Tebbutt, Murry, Jackson, Robertson, Farlow, Cuneen, Somers, Bellden, Richardson, Pearce, Oruitt, Byers, Denning, Braithwaite, Kentwell, Johnston, Abrams, Lambert, Bulley, Elliott, White, Buchanan, Bedford, Chamberlain, Onus, Stephenson, Abigail, Elvin, Henderson, Allen, Rae, Graham, Bowra, Gracie, Hutcheson, Shorrocks, Naughton, Reeves, Fletcher, Underwood, Cowan and Packer.

For further information and for details of joining the William Roberts-Kezia Brown Family Association, contact Shirley Harper (02)344 8437, Jean Chambers (02)929 2216.

Fellowship of First Fleeters - Melbourne

"I am writing on behalf of the Interim Committee of the newly formed First Fleeters Fellowship, Melbourne. Like the Sydney Fellowship, all our members are descendants from First Fleet arrivals in Australia and we have formed with the approval and support of the Sydney group.

The purpose of this letter is to advise you of our existence and encourage your interest in the formation of a similar fellowship in Tasmania.

Several of our members have strong family connections with Tasmania and its history, and we would be happy to provide information and assistance if required, for anyone wanting to trace their descendants and other branches. "

Mrs Helen O'Brien, Interim Committee Member, 19 Wellington St, Brighton, Vic. 3186, to whom enquiries may be directed.

COMMON INTEREST GROUPS

Tasmanian Historical Research by A.K. Hudspeth

Everyone with an interest in Tasmanian history is indebted to this association, which has kept the flag flying for many years. As well as holding monthly meetings with guest speakers on a variety of topics, the association produces quarterly its Papers and Proceedings which constitute a valuable reference for many aspects of Tasmanian life in former times.

The annual subscription is \$18 which includes 4 issues of the Papers and Proceedings. New members are entitled to the full volume for the year in which they join, irrespective of the date of joining. Meetings are held on the second Tuesday of each month at 8pm at the Tasmanian Museum and Art Gallery. The Association's annual lecture, given by a distinguished historian, is held in Launceston as well as Hobart.

The Association has published a number of books, most of which are now collectors' items, eg Knopwood's Diaries and the journals of George Augustus Robinson, the 'conciliator of the Aborigines'. Still available are Joan Brown's excellent book on nineteenth century Social Welfare, 'Poverty is not a Crime' (a bargain at \$7 for members) and the diary of Charles O'Hara Booth, Commandant of the Point Puer settlement for convict boys, at a reduced price of \$24 for members.

The Association wants to widen its membership base. Would you consider joining and enabling it to expand its activities? Applications to the Hon Secretary, PO Box 441, Sandy Bay, Tas, 7005, or enquiries at Tasmanian Collection, State Library, Murray St, Hobart.

Calendar of Forthcoming Events

9 October Dr K.T.H. Farrer

'Sizar Elliott, a transient Tasmanian'

13 November Prof Michael Roe

'Herbert Gepp and Tasmania during the 1920's'

* * * *

New Family History Groups

Gwydir Family History Society - This society was formed on 23 May 1984 at Moree NSW. The Hon Secretary is Mrs Elli Cruickshank of "Kirkland", Moree, NSW. Tel (067) 540254

Coffs Harbour Family History Society - PO Box J42 Coffs Harbour Jetty, NSW, 2450. Tel (066)53 3315. This Society was formed on 21 July 1984. The General Secretary Mrs Julie Turnbull-Wilson, writes: "I would be grateful if you could inform all family history groups in your State of our desire to be of assistance to their members, should

Common Interest Groups contd

they have research enquiries in our area. It has been decided that a fee of \$2 per enquiry would be charged for non-members."

The Genealogical Society of Tasmania sends its best wishes to both these new societies, with whom it will be exchanging newsletters.

SYDNEY MORNING HERALD - Births, Deaths & Marriages
by Ken Read

Malcolm R SAINTY and Keith A. JOHNSON have compiled an index of all notices relating to births, deaths and marriages that appeared in the Sydney Morning Herald over the period from 18 April 1831 to 30 Sept 1853.

Each name appearing in a notice is included together with the event to which it related eg inclusion of a father's name at his daughter's wedding. The names appear in 4 large volumes with black covers.

Vol 1 18 Apr 1831 to 30 Jul 1842
Vol 2 1 Aug 1842 to 31 Dec 1847
Vol 3 1 Jan 1848 to 30 June 1851
Vol 4 1 Jul 1851 to 30 Sep 1853.

This source helped me identify the parents (or at least the fathers) of one set of g-g-g-grandparents.

I had obtained their wedding certificate from NSW but it only gave me their names, date and place of marriage. The page that helped me had 21 entries, two are reproduced below.

Shadforth - Robert William
Youngest son of Col Shadforth
of Adelaide Cottage, Darling-
hurst. Married 16.9.1844 at
St James Ch. to Marianne
PERING, 3rd dau of Capt
Hollingworth R.N.

Shalless - John
Builder of Margaret Place
Marriage of his brother
Henry Shalless qv on
20.4.1846 to Jean T.
ROBERTSON qv

The Index is very accessible during the academic year as the Tasmanian University Library opens from 9am-10pm Mon-Thurs

9am- 6pm Fri

1pm- 6pm Sat & Sun

It is also on the shelves of the Serials Section of the State Library of Tasmania.

CEMETERY TRANSCRIPTIONSBY NORTHERN RESEARCHERS

Our TAMIOT researcher, Pat O'Toole, with the help of members of our Society, has been very busy finding cemeteries throughout Tasmania. Some of the Carr Villa cemetery have been transcribed, but all the information is available at the Carr Villa office during working hours. They also have records of Cypress Street cemetery and Charles Street cemetery, and are most helpful in their office. Here are some of the cemeteries so far recorded:-

Apslawn (formerly known as Llandaff, on east coast)			
Avoca	Bagdad	Barton	Beaconsfield
Bicheno	Blackwood Ck		Boobyalla Private (NE coast)
Bracknell (Uniting & C of E)	Branxholm	Bridport	
Cambridge (Uniting)			
Campbell Town (St Lukes Anglican and C of E and Presbyterian)			
Kirklands	Carrick (C of E)	Chudleigh	
Conara (C of E 1892 and General)		Cleveland	
Constitution Hill		Cornwall (Catholic & General)	
Cranbrook (E Coast)		Cressy (Holy Trinity, Methodist)	
Cullenswood	Deloraine	Devonport (cemetery on Bluff)	
East Devonport (St Paul's Pioneer Park)	Falmouth		
Evandale	Frankford (St Saviours C of E)		
Fingal (Catholic and C of E)	Franklin Village		
George Town (St Mary Magdalene & Anglican in Ann St)			
Gladstone	Glengarry	Hadspen (C of E and Methodist)	
Irishtown	KIndred	Kempton (St Marys C of E 1839 & Kempton (C of E, Congregational & Catholic)	
Karoola (Catholic)	Lebrina	Lefroy	
Longford (Methodist, Christ Church, C of E & War Memorial)			
Lillico	Lake River (St Marks C of E)		
Latrobe (C of E)	Mountain Vale (nr Liffey)		
Mount Hicks (Methodist)	Mathinna	Melton Mowbray (All Saints & C of E)	
Mole Creek	Nabowla	Nile	Oatlands (Old Anglican & C of E)
Perth (General & C of E)		Pipers R.	
Relbia	Railton (Catholic, C of E, Uniting)		
Rokeby (St Matthews)		Ross (Ang, Cath and C of E)	
Sidmouth	Sassafras (Bapt & Uniting)		
St Leonards (C of E)		Scotsdale (Ellesmere & Stronach)	
Smithton	Sprent	Stanley (Lawn & General)	
St Helens	Tunnel	Tea Tree	Tunbridge
Windermere	Westwood	Westbury	Whitemore
Zeehan .			

Also Flinders Island (Lady Barron, Whitemark, Wybalenna)

Cemetery Transcriptions cont'd

*Pioneer Cemetery at Alice Springs, Memorial Plaques at Avers
1848, Isle of Man (Irish Sea), Isle of Man Memorial of Gods
Age, Christian.*

Kaye Kane

NOTES cont'd

1985 BRITISH FAMILY HISTORY CONFERENCE

Wiltshire Family History Society will be hosting the Federation of Family History Societies Third British Family History Conference from 19-23 Apr 1985, at Dauntsey School, West Lavington, Wiltshire. The theme of the conference will be "Migration". Further information from Wiltshire FH^S 1985 Conference, 17 Baskerville Rd, Swindon, SN3 5DB, UK.

MONUMENTAL INSCRIPTIONS OF YOUNG, NSW

The Heraldry and Genealogy Society of Canberra Inc, have written to tell us of their new publication on the Monumental Inscriptions of Young, containing 2735 transcriptions. Historical notes are included. 117 pp. Available in soft cover for \$10 plus \$1.75 postage and packing. Payment with order to H & G S Canberra Inc, GPO Box 585, Canberra, ACT 2601.

OFFERS OF RECIPROCAL HELP

Mr Michael J. Werry, of 91 Boland St, North Rockhampton, Queensland, 4701, offers to research in North Queensland in return for research in the pre 1800 Births, Deaths and Marriages Register, Hobart State Archives.

Mr Anthony Wilcox, M.A., M.Phil., FRSA, of 73 Bridgewater Rd, Ipswich, Suffolk, IP 29QG, UK, writes: "I am hoping that by joining your Society I might be put in touch with members who might be interested in mutual aid. In return for some research at the Archives Office of Tasmania, I could offer research at County record offices here. I am frequently at the Suffolk R.O. here in Ipswich, and also in Cambridge and Norwich. Other possibilities would include Chelmsford (Essex), Portsmouth (Hants) and Lichfield and Stafford (Staffordshire) as well as Worcester, Hereford and Gloucester to which I go about once a year.

Mr Wilcox is researching the life of James ROSIER/ROZIER, a convict who arrived in Tasmania on the 'Phoenix' in May 1822, and has copies of documents in Tasmanian Archives relating to the granting of conditional and free pardons in 1835 and 1841 (Con 23/3 and Con 31/34). He would like photocopies of any further documentation and, in particular, information about assignment. James Rosier was first assigned in 1822 - to whom? In 1825 he was employed by someone called "Talbot".

GENEALOGICAL RESEARCH DIRECTORY - MID 1984 Ed

A Key Work for Worldwide Family History Research

Edited by K.A.Johnson & M.R.Sainty

Undiscounted price: soft cover \$13.50, hard cover \$17 (approx)

I've never had any success using Genealogical Research Directories in the past so I've tended to see them as lists of other people's names for use by other people. At the same time, I recognised that, for the lucky ones directories, potentially represented a great savings in research costs - particularly for those with overseas research. I suspected that the large Australian content of early editions tended to regionalise reader support. It seemed to me that to achieve true international status directories would have to attract more support from sister ex-colonies with large pools of European descended settlers, such as America, Canada, New Zealand and South Africa. European countries, too, would need to be encouraged to participate further.

I'm pleased to say that the latest edition of the Genealogical Research Directory does just that. The mid-1984 edition has now 3360 contributors in fifteen countries researching over 50,000 names. The expanded international coverage, in my case, means I am now able, for the first time, to correspond with Canadian researchers with similar interests. Future European contribution will be further encouraged by the appointment of additional regional agents for the 1985 edition.

Readers familiar with previous directories will find the research section easy to understand. New features added to this edition are:

- . a list of worldwide major Genealogical Societies, their library hours, membership fees and details of journals or newsletters (with good coverage of American and Canadian societies);
- . a list of major genealogical tours and conferences 1984 - 1988;
- . a feature article by Elizabeth Simpson on the Poor Law of England;
- . an extensive selection of overseas professional researchers advertised.

I recommend this latest edition of the Genealogical Research Directory to all members. If the standard of presentation continues to improve Messrs Johnson & Sainty may well find they have a potential Genealogical "Widsen" on their hands (the hardback review copy supplied by the Editors seems far sturdier and practical for use, especially for libraries, than the soft back version, so it is probably worth paying the extra cost).

John Marrison

News from Branches

HOBART BRANCH by Cecil Hardinge

In parallel with world trends, our branch continues to grow with new friendships being bonded.

It is with sincere regret that we note the death of Sue Waters, a foundation member, who continually gave a helping hand. Our sympathy is extended to both her husband and father.

Stacey Bellette is acting minute secretary from July to November while Ted enjoys an overseas trip. Thanks Stacey.

Attendances at all meetings have been very good, no doubt our guest speakers have contributed to this.

Mr George Deas Brown, our guest speaker at the August meeting, has invited members as a group to visit Narryna House. An invitation too good to miss! Day and time to be announced at a later meeting.

At the suggestion of Roger McLennan, the committee is investigating material which may constitute a kit of informative papers, books, charts etc for beginners. The cost of the kit will be kept to a minimum and hopefully will soon be available.

It is always pleasing to receive suggestions from members wanting to help the branch better its service to all members. If you have any ideas which could help others, put pen to paper.

The branch is gradually creating its own records many of which are worthwhile maintaining for future reference. In order that our history is available for future members, we require the services of an 'archivist' - any offers please write via GPO Box 640G.

Our library continues to purchase items to benefit our increasing number of members and visitors. We are still hoping to obtain larger premises.

HOBART CALENDAR

- | | |
|---------|--|
| Sept 18 | Armed Forces Records |
| Oct 16 | What We Have Found and Where - This topic was transferred from
the August meeting |
| Nov 20 | Please see details at end of Devonport Branch News |

All meetings are held at Rosny College at 8 pm.

N.B. HOBART BRANCH

The November meeting of Hobart Branch will be held at Clarence Football Club corner of Petchey and King Sts, Bellerive. This will be a social evening instead of the normal meeting at Rosny College, with a short business meeting, a guest speaker and a light supper will be served. It is hoped that members will take advantage of this opportunity to meet and talk with other members at this last meeting for 1984. There will be a charge of \$2 per head to cover expenses. Ample parking is available.

November 20, 1984, 8pm.

LAUNCESTON BRANCH by Kaye Kane

Meetings are held on the 1st Tuesday of each month at the Kings Meadows High School, starting at 7.30pm.

Our library hours are Wednesday 2-4pm and Saturdays 1-4pm. For any further information you can contact the Librarian or acting Librarian.

September meeting - Mr Hawley Stancombe.

The Registrar is now Mrs P. Harris, 8 Greenway Ave, Norwood .

DEVONPORT BRANCH by D. Bardenhagen

Tamot Report - We are now 3/4 through Ulverstone cemetery and are working through Sheffield burial register. We will be joining Launceston to work on Deloraine cemetery as soon as these have been completed.

HUONVILLE BRANCH by Enid Woolley

We have been very busy photocopying Births, Deaths and Marriage records of the Mormon Church from 1949 onwards, and card-indexing them.

PERSONAL

Susan Waters, who died in a plane accident on 17th June, was a founder member of our Society, and helped to produce some of the early journals. An article of hers on place name changes in Tasmania is listed in the Index. Sue was a historian who helped many others to appreciate Tasmanian history. We offer our sympathy to her husband and father.

We wish an early recovery to Mr Geoffrey Stilwell, well known to many of our members as the Curator of Special Collections, and as one of the judges of our recent Family History Award.

Congratulations to Vice President Neil Chick, and his wife Ann, on the birth of a son Phillip.

SOCIETY PUBLICATIONS AND SALES

TASMANIAN ANCESTRY (International Standard Serial Number 0159-2677) is the official journal of the Society, and is published quarterly in March, June, September and December. News, articles of interest or scholarship, research notes and queries are welcomed. Each issue is priced at \$3 to non-members. Current issues are free to members and some back copies are obtainable for \$2.

QUERIES of members are published free and those of non-members at \$1 each.

CORRESPONDENCE. Due to the enormous increase in correspondence, we cannot guarantee letters will be answered unless return postage is included. Notices of change of address will not be acknowledged.

C.I.T. RESEARCH NOTE SERIES (ISSN 0159-9445) gives detailed attention to particular research problems.

Now available:

- 'Archives & Family History Societies in the U.K.' 30c
- 'Civil Registration' 60c
- 'In Search of Irish Ancestry' \$1
- 'Research Planning, Evidence and Evaluation' 30c

C.I.T. RESEARCH BROCHETS now available:

- | | |
|--|--|
| 'Cemeteries in Tasmania' 30c | 'Tracing Family History is Exciting! Let's Begin' 50c |
| 'Genealogical Records in England and Wales' 50c | 'Tracing Original Home of Early Australian Immigrants' 30c |
| 'Records in Tasmania' 30c | 'When & How to Secure Professional Help & How to Use It' 30c |
| 'Suggestions for Storage of Genealogical Material' 20c | |
| 'Scottish Research' 50c | |

CHARTS

- 8, 9, 12 & 13 generation pedigree charts 80c \$1.50, \$1.25 and \$1.25 resp.
- Standard 3 generation pedigree charts (approx foolscap size) 10c each/5 for 40c
- Family group charts (A4 size) 8c each (2 types) (IB & Tax)
- Family group charts (foolscap size) 10c each (Tax) or 3 for 40c
- 3 generation portrait display chart \$4.50
- Ornate semi-circular beige display family chart \$3.50
- 7 generation display family tree chart \$3
- 9 generation pedigree chart \$1.50
- Display chart showing names of all officials, novelists, seamen to arrive with first fleet to Botany Bay 1788 \$3.40

BOOKS

- 'Genealogical Research Directory 1983' - An Index to 2089 people and the family names they are researching \$10.90 (members) \$11.95 (non)
- 'Genealogical Research Directory 1982' - International edition 39.50 (members) \$10.95 (non)
- 'Compiling your Family History' - W. Gray \$3.00
- 'Roots & Branches - Errol Lee - Starlett approx \$5.20
- 'Congress Papers of Third Australasian Congress on Genealogy & Heraldry, May 1983' \$12
- 'English Parish Register Transcripts' by N.J. Vion Hall. A list of all known transcripts of English parish registers held in Australian libraries. \$6.20

JOURNAL

Family History News & Digest - from the Federation of Family History Societies. This is published in England but gives an outline of what is happening in many places. It is a quarterly journal which we obtain in bulk and sell to our members for \$2.80 + postage. A list of those who wish to receive copies is at the GFT Library, Hellenrive, to which names can be added. Only a few extra copies are ordered each quarter.

Branches can obtain any of the Above for resale or orders can be placed through Despatch Offices. PLEASE ADD POSTAGE.

Photocopies of articles in earlier issues of Tasmanian Ancestry can be supplied.

MEMBERSHIP IN THE GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY OF TASMANIA

Is open to all interested in Genealogy, whether resident in Tasmania or not. Assistance is given to help trace overseas ancestry as well as Tasmanian.

Dues are payable each year by April.

Rates of subscriptions are as follows:

Members	\$15.00
Joint Members (Any Two persons at one address)	\$20.00
Corporate Members	\$20.00
Student, Pensioner or unemployed over 6 mths	\$10.00

Membership entitlements include receipt of the Society's Journal, TASMANIAN ANCESTRY. (NOTE: If Air-mail postage to overseas members is required extra costs will need to be paid)

Members are entitled to free access to the Society's Libraries, and reduced rates for purchase of certain other publications. Access to the libraries of some other societies has also been arranged on a reciprocal basis, and an Accommodation Register arrangement with other states can be used by researchers.

Application for Membership forms can be obtained from Branch or GST Secretary and can be returned with appropriate dues to a Branch Treasurer, or sent from out of state to the GST Treasurer c/- Box 640G, G.P.O., Hobart 7001. Dues will also be accepted at Branch General Meetings or at the Library.

The Central Library is at 3 Percy Street, Bellarive, and some branches also have a library. Access is free to members but all users of the International Genealogical Index (U.K., Cent. Europe, Misc which contains data for Australia etc) are asked for a small fee. Books, journals from various genealogical societies, index to transcribed tombstones, register of family names and family charts are at the library and books and notes may be purchased here.

Donations to the Library Fund (\$2 & over) are an allowable tax deduction. Gifts of family records, books, maps, photographs etc are most welcome.

Research is handled on a voluntary basis in each branch. Simple queries from members and the public will be answered upon receipt of postage and envelop. A register of Member's research interests is kept in a card file and reference to this file will be made for distant members. Cemetery transcription index may also be helpful. Non-members may obtain data from this index and have their family names entered in this file for \$3. Duplication of research is often avoided by so doing.

A list of members willing to undertake record-searching on a PRIVATE basis can be obtained if records outside the GST library are required. The Society takes no responsibility for such private arrangements.

Advertising for TASMANIAN ANCESTRY is accepted with pre-payment. \$15 per quarter page in one issue, or \$40 for 4 issues; \$60 for 1/2 page and \$100 for a full page in 4 issues.

CLERICAL ASSISTANCE is always required as all branches transcribe cemetery and tombstone records. Branch officers or TAMTOT co-ordinators would welcome offers of help, the tasks are simple and often increase friendships. The Society's Librarian also welcomes similar assistance, phone 002-476313, and such tasks can often be done at home.

Library Hours 3 Percy Street, Bellarive: Wednesday 9.30 - 11.30; Saturday 1.30 - 4.30, or by arrangement.