

Samuel Neil A TALBOT

Born c1799 England

Ship Caroline from London, England

Arrival date and place 12 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Comm & Sec of Board of Council & Audit

Biography

Samuel arrived with servants Guy Maple, William and James House. Was granted 6,040 acres which he selected in the Helena district. Had Fremantle Lot 336 in 1830 and Perth Lot C7 in 1829. Was in the party that explored the Collie River in 1830. Went to Van Diemens Land in 1830 and returned with sheep. Departed the Colony in 1840 per the 'Scout'.

Thomas, Private TALLON

Born Unknown

Ship Sulphur HMS from London, England

Arrival date and place 8 June 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Private 63rd Regiment

Biography

Worked on the Government Gardens on Garden Island. Promoted to Corporal in 1830.

William TANNER

Born 25 April 1801 Wiltshire, England

Ship Drummore from Cape of Good Hope

Arrival date and place 1 February 1831 Swan River Colony

Occupation Agriculturist

Hester TANNER nee VIVEASH

Born 12 February 1804

Ship Drummore from Cape of Good Hope

Arrival date and place 1 February 1831 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

William Afric; born 18 September 1830; At Sea

Born in colony

Oriel Viveash; born 11 May 1832; Swan River

Mary Ellen; born 11 July 1833; Swan River

Henry Charles Baskerville; born 30 June 1835; Tasmania

Eliza Hester Hannah; born 1839; Swan River

Biography

William and Hester transferred to the ship 'Drummore' in Africa. Gentleman agriculturist, granted 35,000 acres, selecting 5000 acres in the Swan District in 1831. Land at Fremantle - Lots 280, 289 in 1831, Guildford Lot 96 in 1833 and Perth Lot D14 in 1831. Went to England in 1836 and returned on the 'Britomart' in 1838. Was very influential in the Colony. Ill health caused him to return to England in 1844. William died 9 June 1845 in England and Hester died 21 July 1846 (possibly England).

Daniel TAPPER

Born 16 December 1798 London, England

Ship Rockingham from London, England

Arrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Boatman

Ann TAPPER nee NORRIS

Born c1804 Child Oakford, Dorset, England

Ship Rockingham from London, England

Arrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Lucy; born c1823

Cornelius; baptised 06/1828; Dorset, England

Frederick; born c1828

Born in colony

Sarah; born 16 August 1830; Clarence

John; born 07 August 1833; Fremantle

Mary Anne; born 07 April 1836; Fremantle (died 11 April 1838)

Biography

Daniel and Ann married in Child Okeford, Dorset, England in 1823. Daniel Tapper and his wife Ann were among the 172 passengers who arrived on the 'Rockingham' in May 1830. When the 'Rockingham' arrived a strong gale was blowing and the ship was wrecked off the coast. The passengers lived in the sand hills at Clarence until September 1830 when they were taken to Fremantle. Daniel took up his old trade as a boatman. A daughter Sarah was born at Clarence. Daniel Tapper died in 1847. His son John was also a boatman when he died in 1895.

Samuel Thomas TAPPER

Born Unknown

Ship Minstrell from London, England

Arrival date and place 20 January 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Labourer

Biography

Samuel was a labourer for Dempster at York. In the Plantagenet district working as a shepherd in 1841.

William TAUNTON

Born c1818

Ship Britomart from London, England

Arrival date and place 5 December 1838 Swan River Colony

Biography

Intended leaving the Colony in 1839.

Henry TAYLOR

Born c1805 England

Ship Marquis of Anglesea from London, England

Arrival date and place 23 August 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Gardener

Biography

Henry was a gardener with Latour.

James TAYLOR

Born Unknown

Ship Shepherd from London, England

Arrival date and place 4 August 1838 Swan River Colony

Occupation Whaler

Biography

James departed per the 'Elizabeth' September 1840 for New South Wales.

Jervis, Private (829) TAYLOR

Born c1814 Scotland

Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony

Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

Jervis was stationed at Albany in 1833. Departed for India with the Regiment. Volunteered for the 10th Regiment 13 October 1847.

Patrick TAYLOR

Born 02 March 1807 Montrose, Scotland

Ship James Pattison from London, England

Arrival date and place 18 June 1834 King George's Sound

Occupation Farmer

Mary Yates BUSSELL

Born 6 December 1805 England

Ship James Pattison from London, England

Arrival date and place 18 June 1834 King George's Sound

Children of family

Born in colony

Mary Margaret; born 1838

Catherine Louisa; born 1839

John; born 1841

Campbell; born 1842; Busselton

Christina Capel; born 1844; Albany (died 1847)

Frances (Fanny) Jane; born 1848; Albany

Biography

Albany Lot S101 in 1834. Married Mary Yates Bussell 18 September 1837 at Fremantle. Gentleman farmer at 'Candyup' Plantagenet - established an orchard and held pastoral leases. Chairman of Quarter Sessions 1853. Patrick died at Albany 30 December 1877 and Mary Yates Taylor died 20 March 1887 also at Albany. Patrick Taylor's house is still standing and is a historical tourist attraction in Albany.

Robert, Private (465) TAYLOR

Born Fullow, Cheshire, England

Ship Sir John Rae Reid from Hobart, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 9 July 1835 Swan River Colony

Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

Robert departed with his Regiment to India. Died at Dinapore, India 7 October 1842.

Henry (D) TERRY (TERRE)

Born c1808 Surrey, England

Ship Minstrell from London, England

Arrival date and place 20 January 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Labourer

Biography

Henry appears in the 1832 Census. Had Perth Lot W10 in 1833.

Anne TEW nee TEW

Born Unknown

Ship Warrior from London, England

Arrival date and place 12 March 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Servant

Biography

Servant to Graham. Departed per the 'Cornwallis' on 20 August 1833.

Richard THACKER

Born c1803 Bristol, England

Ship Minstrell from London, England

Arrival date and place 20 January 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Labourer

Biography

Richard Thacker drowned 21 October 1837 - Fremantle Burial Register.

William THACKER

Baptised 25 December 1802 Middlesex, England

Ship Amity from New South Wales

Arrival date and place 25 December 1826 King George's Sound

Occupation Convict/Agricultural Labourer

Eliza COOK

Born c1805 England

Ship Rockingham from London, England

Arrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Sarah Ann; born 1846; Upper Swan

William; born 1848; Middle Swan-died 1848

Frances; born 1850; Upper Swan

Phillip; born 1852; Upper Swan

Fanny; born 1854; Middle Swan

Elizabeth; born 1856; Middle Swan

William David; born 1858; died 1858

Agnes; born 1859; Middle Swan

May; born 1863; Middle Swan

Biography

William Thacker had been transported to New South Wales on the fifth voyage of the ship 'Asia' and was sent to King George's Sound as a crown prisoner on the 'Amity'. He completed his period of transportation 8 December 1830 and became a free man. He was sworn in as a special constable by William Nairne Clarke on the 29 May 1831. The next trace of him is on the passenger list of the 'James Pattison' arriving from England via Albany - 1834. There is no record of where William joined the ship, but it is questionable if he would have waited in Albany all that time. William is listed in the WA Census of 1837 and at that time he is leasing a small area of land at the head of the river at Albion Town.

He married Eliza Cook on 4 October 1838 at Guildford - she was the daughter of Henry Cook. With her father and brothers and perhaps two sisters, Eliza arrived on the Rockingham in 1830 under the Thomas Peel Scheme. The ship ran aground during a storm, and as Peel had made no provisions for shelter, food or water, the conditions were horrific.

It is thought Mrs Cook died from the effects of these conditions. No record can be found in any English County of births or marriages of the Cook family. One brother Phillip, is recorded on ships as born in Brighton, but there is no record of it in England.

James THATCHER

Born c1796 England

Ship Buffalo HMS from Portsmouth, England

Arrival date and place 13 September 1833 King George's Sound

Occupation Mariner

Biography

James appears as a labourer in the 1836 Census at Albany.

Joseph THEY

Born Unknown

Ship Unknown

Arrival date and place Swan River Colony

Christiana ROBERTSON

Born c1801 Scotland

Ship Lotus from London, England

Arrival date and place 6 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Widow of John

Biography

Joseph and Christiana married 3 April 1834 at Fremantle. This was Christiana's second husband. Joseph They died in 1836. Christiana then married for a third time to Alfred Alexander Davies on 10 April 1837. Christiana died 25 June 1843.

John THIRLLEEN

Born c1804

Ship James Pattison from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 August 1834 Swan River Colony

Occupation Labourer

Biography

Steerage Passenger. John died 10 September 1834 at Perth.

John THOMAS

Baptised 02 March 1787 Laugharne, Carmarthen, South Wales

Ship Gilmore from London, England

Arrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Cabinet Maker

Mary Ann HOKIN nee BIRT

Born c1790 Hampshire, England

Ship Parmelia from London, England

Arrival date and place 1 June 1829 Swan River Colony

Biography

Married 22 May 1833 at Fremantle - second marriage for both. John married Mary Ann Hokin a widow whose husband had been drowned eighteen months earlier in a boating accident on the Swan River. This union was of very short duration as John was convicted with several others of having plundered the wreck 'Cumberland' and was transported to Van Diemens Land per the government schooner Ellen on 25 March 1835. He died in the Launceston hospital and was buried on 28 October 1839 having served four and a half years of his seven year sentence. Mary Ann died in 1876 aged 88 years.

John Thomas THOMAS

Baptised 02 March 1787 Laugharne, Carmarthen, South Wales

Ship Gilmore from London, England

Arrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Cabinet Maker

Jenefer (Jane) THOMAS nee COOKE

Baptised 27 December 1789 Warleggan, Cornwall, England

Ship Gilmore from London, England

Arrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

John; born 19 May 1815; Laugharne, South Wales

James Frederick; born c1818

William Walker; baptised 20 May 1821; Exeter, Devon, England

Jane; baptised 23 November 1823; St Pancras. London, England

Born in colony

Clarence Gilmore; born 16 February 1830; Clarence (died 2 May 1830)

Biography

John was baptised as a FOXON. John, Jenefer and family came to the Swan River Colony under the ill-fated scheme aboard the *Gilmore*, arriving on 15 December 1829. Like many other pioneer families they encountered terrible hardship and tragedy, but endured.

On 16 February 1830 Jenefer (Jane) died 13 April 1830 at Clarence as a result of childbirth with their fifth child. In vain the family endeavoured to keep the child alive but he succumbed to dysentery at the age of three months and was also buried at Clarence.

John remarried Mary Ann Hokin 22 May 1833, a widow whose husband had been drowned eighteen months earlier in a boating accident on the Swan River. This union was of very short duration as John was convicted with several others of having plundered the wreck *Cumberland* and was transported to Van Diemens Land per the government schooner 'Ellen' on 25 March 1835. He died in the Launceston hospital and was buried on 28 October 1839 having served four and a half years of his seven year sentence.

In spite of these tragic events the rest of the family ultimately prospered. The brothers became ship-owners, trading round the coast also to Singapore and Mauritius and also acquired numerous properties in and around Fremantle. Another blow was dealt when James was drowned in a shipwreck just off the port in 1848. John (Jnr) and his wife, Elizabeth (nee Cooper) at one time owned 4,000 acres and the homestead known as Ravenswood Hall on the Murray River between Mandurah and Pinjarra. They also owned the Albert Hotel (latterly known as the Southern Cross & Commercial) in Fremantle. It was here on 10 March 1871 that the first Council meeting was held. John was a member of the earlier Town Trust and had served five terms as Chairman. Jane married Henry Gray a merchant of Greenough and Geraldton in Perth on 22 August 1843.

Samuel THOMAS

Born c1822 England

Ship Eleanor from London, England

Arrival date and place 23 December 1837 Swan River Colony

Occupation Apprentice

Biography

Brought out with the Children's Friend Society with his sister Elizabeth. Apprenticed to Lionel Lukin. Apparently had a bad leg which caused him great difficulty. Admitted to the Colonial Hospital several times.

William Charles THOMAS

Born 10 October 1812 Devon, England

Ship Sterling from Gothenberg, via Portsmouth

Arrival date and place 12 October 1833 King George's Sound

Occupation Stonemason /Bricklayer

Mary THOMAS nee WOODROW

Born 13 December 1813 Devon, England

Ship Sterling from Gothenburg, via Portsmouth, England

Arrival date and place 12 October 1833 King George's Sound

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Betsie; born c1833; At Sea

Born in colony

Mary Ann; 08/1835; Albany

Louisa; born 1836; Albany

Elizabeth; 03/1837; Albany

Emma; born 1839; Albany

Georgiana; born 1843; Albany (died 1844)

Helen; born 1846; Albany (died 1850)

William Henry; born 30 December 1849; Albany

Hannah Amelia; born 1850; Albany

Thomson; born 1854; Albany

George; born 07 May 1856; Albany

Biography

William Charles Thomas and his wife Mary Woodrow, arrived in the Swan River Colony on the Sterling in 1833. Their eldest daughter was born during the voyage and another eight girls and two boys were born in Albany. When William first arrived he was a servant/bricklayer. In 1841 he was made a Police Constable at Albany but in 1843 was again working as a stonemason. He was involved in many buildings at Albany including St. John's Church of England rectory. William died of consumption in Albany on the 1 November 1867 at the age of 55 years. Mary also died in Albany on the 13 August 1895 aged 81 years.

Douglas THOMPSON

Born c1798 Middlesex, England

Ship Atwick from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Agriculturist

Biography

Explored the Avon Valley with Ensign Dale, George Fletcher Moore and Sheridan in 1831. Assigned and selected 1000 acres at Swan River and 37,000 acres at Avon River. Cousin of Spencer Trimmer. Douglas drowned in the Swan River 17 June 1835.

James THOMSON

Born c1806 Scotland

Ship Drummore from Cape of Good Hope

Arrival date and place 1 February 1831 Swan River Colony

Occupation Carpenter

Margaret THOMSON

Born c1807 Ayrshire, Scotland

Ship Drummore from Cape of Good Hope

Arrival date and place 1 February 1831 Swan River Colony

Biography

Carpenter with Yule. James Thomson drowned in the river July 1836. Margaret then married James Jones 20 July 1839 at Guildford. Margaret died 3 December 1850 at Guildford.

John THOMPSON

Born Unknown

Ship Dart from Mauritius

Arrival date and place 20 December 1834 Swan River Colony

John (George) THOMPSON

Born c1813 Yorkshire, England

Ship Tranby from Hull, England

Arrival date and place 3 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Indentured Servant

Mary Ann DODDS

Born c1820 England

Ship Rockingham from London, England

Arrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Anne Jane; born 1855; York

Mary Alice; born 1857; York

Biography

John paid his own way out as a 16 year old indentured servant and therefore was entitled to a grant of land. Selected 20½ acres in the Swan District. Indentured to Clarkson. Married Mary Ann Dodds c1855 - daughter of James and Jane. John died May 1886 at West Guildford.

John Robert, Corporal (655) THOMPSON

Born c1803 Clomel, Tipperary, Ireland

Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony

Occupation Corporal 21st Regiment

Elizabeth SPICE

Baptised 14 September 1817 Burwash, Sussex, England

Ship Hooghly from London, England

Arrival date and place 12 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Sarah Jane; born 14 February 1837; Upper Swan (Elizabeth's daughter)

John Robert Jnr; born 08 December 1840; Guildford

Alfred Saul ; born 10 February 1842; Swan

Ellen Frances Mary; born c 1844; Kojonup

Biography

John Robert Thompson enlisted in the 21st Regiment in Ireland. He was a sergeant and came out to Australia in charge of convicts. Married 25 September 1837 at Guildford. He went to Kojonup in the 1840's and was discharged in the Colony 31 July 1840. Was a farmer and grazier at Bindoon 'Spring Mount' with pastoral leasehold in 1850. Later he was a publican and employed nine ticket-of-leave men on occasions. He had a Roman Catholic wife and he converted to RC in December 1852. John died at Bindoon 13 April 1887 and Elizabeth died 16 August 1895 at New Norcia.

Robert THOMSON

Born c1791 Tweeddale, Scotland

Ship Atwick from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Magistrate

Caroline Frances (Lady) THOMSON nee LEDIARD

Born c1787 Scotland

Ship Atwick from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Marianne Amelia; born 6 December 1815

Eleanor Frances; born 1819

Adelaide; born c1820

Laura; born c 1822

Henry Octavius; born c1823

Alfred T; born 1824

Francis George; born 1825

Flora

Robert; born c 1827

Mary; born c1828

Charles L;

Born in colony

Horace; born 1834

Isabella; born 1836

Biography

Robert and Caroline married 28 December 1813 in London, England. Arrived with eight children. Three of their daughters arrived later on the ship 'Egyptian'.

Selected 1,100 acres and took 100 acres at Rottnest. Worked the Salt Lakes at Rottnest. Transferred the 1000 acres from the Swan district area to Rottnest. Licence for the Fremantle Ferry 1831-1832.

On 22 November 1831 he stated that three of his young daughters would arrive on the next ship - in that same letter he stated he was moving his family from Fremantle to Rottnest.

Lady Caroline died 2 December 1863 at Mandurah.

Robert went to Kangaroo Island South Australia after his wife died and he died 11 January 1865.

Richard THORNE

Born c1797 Winchester, England

Ship Lotus from London, England

Arrival date and place 6 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Servant

Biography

Richard was a servant of Latour. Had Perth Lot D2 in 1830. Convicted of plundering the wreck 'Cumberland' and transported to Van Diemens Land for seven years and an extra seven years for another offence.

Benjamin THORPE

Baptised 02 March 1800 Buildwas, Shropshire, England

Ship Eliza from London, England

Arrival date and place 5 March 1831 Swan River Colony

Occupation Labourer

Jane THORPE nee HILL

Baptised 06 May 1804 Sheinton, Shropshire, England

Ship Eliza from Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 5 March 1831 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Edwin; baptised 25 July 1825; Buildwas, Shropshire, England

Ann; baptised 29 July 1827; Buildwas, Shropshire, England

Mary; baptised 13 December 1829; Buildwas, Shropshire, England

Born in colony John; born 29 October 1832; Fremantle

Ebenezer; born 01 April 1835; Fremantle

Jane; born 29 August 1837; Fremantle

William; born 10 April 1844; Fremantle

Elizabeth; born 05 May 1847; Fremantle

Biography

Benjamin was aged 31 when he and his wife Jane and three children arrived in Fremantle in 1831. He was listed as a labourer and indentured to John Morrell, a builder. He is mentioned in the 1832 and 1837 Census for Fremantle. His occupation was listed as carpenter, then stone mason, later farmer. On 28 April 1841 he lost Lot 375 at Fremantle as it converted to the Crown due to non improvement. In 1847 he moved to the Pinjarra district where his wife Jane died from apoplexy on 18 May 1867 aged 61 years at 'Jim Jam' at Pinjarra. This property belonging to her son-in-law James Beacham. Benjamin died 20 February 1870 of old age and debility in Fremantle.

George THORPE

Born 1800 Yorkshire, England

Ship Orelia from Hobart, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 12 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Mariner

Biography

George was assigned Perth Town Lot H1. Vacated the land to quit the Colony.

Thomas THURKLE

Born c1803 London, England

Ship Orelia from Mauritius

Arrival date and place 19 May 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Crew on 'Orelia'

Elizabeth PETTIT

Born 9 February 1817 London, England

Ship Gilmore from London, England

Arrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Juliet Elizabeth; born 05 August 1833; Perth

Nathaniel Frederick; born 30 June 1835; died 19 May 1836

Catherine; born 14 March 1837; Perth

George Western; born 20 March 1840; Perth

Thomas Albert; born 26/4/1842; Perth

Sarah Ann; born 28 June 1844; Perth

Biography

Thomas and Elizabeth married 11 June 1832 at Fremantle. Thomas was an expirree from Van Diemens Land (Certificate of Freedom)1828/104. Had Fremantle Lots 335 and 347. Elizabeth died 2 April 1846 of cancer and Thomas died in 1855 at York.

John THWAITES

Born c1805 England

Ship Protector from London, England

Arrival date and place 26 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Millwright

Biography

John was a servant to Worrall. Applied to leave the Colony but was opposed by Worrall.

John TICHBON

Born 01 June 1791 Pevensey, Sussex, England

Ship Hooghly from London, England

Arrival date and place 12 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Labourer & Gardener

Elizabeth TICHBON nee TAYLOR

Born 04 June 1810 Salehurst, Sussex, England

Ship Hooghly from London, England

Arrival date and place 12 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

William Henry FOSTER; born 14 July 1810; Salehurst, Sussex, England

Mary Ann FOSTER; born c1821; Sussex, England

Henry TICHBON; born 1827; Sussex, England

Born in colony

Matilda; born 04 May 1832; Perth

Biography

Elizabeth was the widow 'FOSTER'. John arrived with Elizabeth and two children from a previous marriage and his son Henry. Had land at Perth- Lot D7 in 1832. Elizabeth died 8 May 1867 at Perth and John died 14 December 1874 also at Perth.

Henry TILLEY

Born Unknown

Ship Unknown

Arrival date and place Swan River Colony

Occupation Servant

Biography

Henry was a servant to Henty. Departed per the 'Thistle' with Henty 27 November 1831 for Van Diemens Land.

John TOMKINS

Born c1803 Leicestershire, England

Ship Protector from London, England

Arrival date and place 26 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Carpenter/Wheelwright

Biography

John worked for GT Darby. Appears in the 1836 Census as a carpenter in the Swan District. In partnership with James Jenkinson.

Francis TOMLINS

Born c1812

Ship Wanstead from London, England

Arrival date and place 30 January 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Servant / Shoemaker

Biography

Francis was a servant to Latour. Land at Fremantle Lot 133 in 1830.

Thomas TOMSETT

Born c1803

Ship Caroline from London, England

Arrival date and place 12 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Servant

Biography

Thomas was a servant to Alfred H Stone. Farm labourer on the Canning. Thomas drowned 23 February 1830.

John Robert TOMSON

Born c1804

Ship Atwick from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Carpenter

Eliza TOMSON

Born c1809

Ship Atwick from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Son; born 1840

Emma Louisa; born 1849; Perth

Louisa Elizabeth; born 1852; Perth

Sarah Eliza; born 1854; Perth

Mary Ann; born 1859; Perth

Henry James; born 1864; Perth

Biography

Had Perth Lot O9 in 1833. Employed by Trimmer and Thompson at Upper Swan in 1841. Eliza died 5 January 1850 - East Perth Cemeteries. John Robert then married Sarah Ann Bilson Syred at Perth 26 February 1850. John Robert died 27 March 1877 and Sarah died 23 November 1890.

Charles Francois TONDUT

Born c1816 Macon, France

Ship Harmony from Unknown

Arrival date and place King George's Sound

Occupation Vigneron

Caroline (Ann) JACKSON

Born c1824 England

Ship Eleanor from London, England

Arrival date and place 23 December 1837 Swan River Colony

Occupation App. Charles Harper

Children of family

Born in colony

Eulallie Francoise; born 15 October 1842; Perth

Ferdinand; born 15 June 1844; Perth

Charles Nicholas; born 07 July 1846; Perth

Victor; born 7 November 1848; Perth

Francois Augustus; born 07 March 1851; Perth

Mary; born 6 December 1853; Perth

Jane; born 21 July 1856; Perth

Amelia (Emilie) Mary; born 03 August 1858; Perth (died 1859)

Louisa Jane; born 04 December 1859; Perth

George; born 1861; Perth, died 1862

George Albert; born 02 December 1864; Perth

John Charles; born 09 January 1867; Perth

Biography

Charles deserted from a French Whaler the 'Harmony' in 1836. He walked to Perth with Charles Langoulant. Married 3 November 1841. Caroline was apprenticed to Charles Harper at Toodyay.

Caroline is listed as being brought out by the Children's Friend Society but she came with her father the Reverend Nathaniel Jackson and her mother Harriet Jackson. Her father was an Anglican Minister at Albany. He befriended her future husband Charles Tondut. Her fiance William Page attempted to murder her in August 1839 (the story of the court case is in the book - 'The Children's Friend Society').

Charles had a vineyard in South Perth called 'Clydesdale Park'.

Caroline died 7 August 1887 and Charles died at South Perth 21 June 1898.

Further Reading: 'The Children's Friend Society' and 'That The Way it Was' Elizabeth Dyson.

John Foss TONKIN

Born 10 May 1811 Plymouth, Devon, England

Ship Warrior from London, England

Arrival date and place 12 March 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Carpenter

Dinah EDWARDS

Born 02/1818 Coleford, Gloucestershire, England

Ship Hooghly from London, England

Arrival date and place 12 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Mary; born 02 July 1837; Upper Swan

Richard; born 28 August 1838; Upper Swan

Elizabeth; born 10 November 1840; Upper Swan

Henry William; born 18 April 1842; Upper Swan

Sarah; born 22 July 1844; Upper Swan

John Edward; born 20 August 1846; Upper Swan (died infancy)

Edward Matthew; born 18 September 1848; Upper Swan

Son ?; born 1850

Edwin; born 18 April 1851; Upper Swan

Baby Unnamed; born 1853; Fremantle

Maria; born 17 February 1855; Fremantle

Luke; born 08 June 1858; Fremantle

Biography

Arrived with his uncle - John Hole Duffield on the Warrior. John Foss Tonkin was then 18 years of age. John Foss Tonkin was indentured to Lionel Samson of Fremantle to build a timber mill. In the early 1830's he left Fremantle for the Upper Swan area where he was working with Richard Edwards, a brick and tile maker.

John Foss Tonkin worked with the Edwards building, a two storeyed house on the estate of Henley Park. He married Dinah Edwards on 26 December 1836 at St Matthews Church, Guildford. They had eleven children with most of their children surviving to adulthood. They lived in the Upper Swan area in the early years of their marriage, which was closer to Dinah's parents Richard and Elizabeth.

In 1837 their first home was 'Clear Hills' and then in 1848 they moved to 'Wisewoods' the properties belonging to her father. Later on in their marriage (1851) they moved to Fremantle, where they lived in South Terrace. He was a red headed man with blue eyes and a likeable personality, with a reputation of being a storyteller. Much loved by all, including the natives of the area who were fascinated by the colour of his hair.

His son Edward Matthew Tonkin inherited his attributes. John Foss and Dinah along with Edwards were worshippers at the All Saints Church in Upper Swan.

Dinah died 5 May 1885, aged 67 years, at the residence of their youngest daughter Maria Tapper. John Foss died 11 January 1896 also at the home of Maria.

William TOOMEY

Born c1804

Ship Gilmore from London, England

Arrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Servant

Biography

William was indentured to Gahan. Settled in York and managed 'Yangedine'. Returned to England where he died in the 1860's.

Henry TOWNSEND

Born c1814 Devon, England

Ship Sterling from Gothenberg, via Portsmouth

Arrival date and place 12 October 1833 King George's Sound

Occupation Farmer & Grazier

Children of family

Born in colony

Henry James; born 13 February 1848; Albany

Ada; born 1849; Albany

Biography

Land at Albany Lot B6 in 1833. Farmed at King River and Tenterden. Married on 17 November 1846 to Jane Susannah Tonkin at Candyup. Henry died at Tenterden 21 January 1877. Wife and daughter Ada departed on the 'Oceania' in January 1850 and it is said they were lost at sea.

Henry TRIGG

Born 30 June 1791 Gloucester, England

Ship Lotus from London, England

Arrival date and place 6 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Builder & Lay Preacher

Amelia TRIGG nee RALPH

Born 12 December 1791 Sandwich, Kent, England

Ship Egyptian from London, England

Arrival date and place 28 December 1831 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Eliza; born 1814; Deal, England (arrived with mother)

Harriet Mary; born 1816; London, England (arrived with mother)

Emma; born 1820; Hertford, England (arrived with mother)

Jane; born 1822; Hertford, England (arrived with mother)

Amelia; born 1824; Hertford, England (arrived with mother)

Henry; born 1826; Hertford, England (arrived with mother)

William; born 1828; Hertford, England (arrived with mother)

Born in colony

Stephen; born 28 September 1832; Perth

Susannah; born 02 June 1834; Perth

Biography

Henry and Amelia married at Canterbury in 1813 in England. His occupation has been given as builder, carpenter, and owner of barges on the river Thames. On 1 June 1829 Henry farewelled his wife and seven children to leave Portsmouth on board the 'Lotus' as a free settler arriving at Fremantle October 1829. Henry wrote seven letters (in the Batty Library) to his wife Amelia detailing early life in the settlement and giving advice on the impending voyage of his family.

Had Fremantle Lot 22 in 1833 and Lot 52 in 1832. Perth Lots F19, G4, L14 in 1829 and G5 in 1834. Amelia arrived on 28 December 1831 in the 'Egyptian' under Captain Lilburn. The first Census ((1832) gives details of the Trigg family. Henry Trigg was appointed Superintendent of Public Works by Governor Stirling in 1838. He built a single room dwelling on land between Bazaar Street and St George's Terrace in time for his family's arrival. He supervised many early public buildings e.g.. The Barracks, the gaol and the causeway across the Swan River as well as the foundation stone for the first lighthouse on Rottnest Island. He had extensive land holdings in the Swan District, Murray River and Large Lakes. Henry was actively involved in the Anglican and Wesleyan churches in the early days.

He founded the first Congregational church in a chapel on William Street in 1846 and his wife Amelia Trigg, supported him in many associated activities. Six of Henry's and Amelia's children remained in the colony. Daughters Emma and Jane left the Colony in the 1840's.

Amelia died 7 April 1873 at the age of 82 years and Henry aged 90, died 15 February 1882 at Perth. Both are buried in the East Perth Cemeteries. Henry Trigg is commemorated with a plaque in St George's Terrace, near Sherwood Court, bearing the year 1851. Two areas in Perth carry his name - Trigg Beach and Trigg's Island. A stained glass window in Trinity Church celebrates his contribution to the church.

Arthur TRIMMER

Born c1806 Ealing, London, England

Ship Atwick from London, England

Arrival date and place 25 April 1831 Swan River Colony

Occupation Agriculturist

Mary Ann SPENCER

Born c1818 Dorset, England

Ship Buffalo HMS from Portsmouth, England

Arrival date and place 13 September 1833 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Ellen (Helen) Spencer; born 15 June 1837; York

Mary Ann; 03 May 1839; York

Sophie Jane; born 26 December 1841; Albany

Richard Arthur; born 11 July 1843; Albany

Blanche; born 15 November 1845; Albany

Jessie Emily; born 26 December 1847; Albany

Lucy Anne; born 29 July 1850; Pootenup

Octavius Sarah Grace; born 07 March 1853; Albany

Edward Algernon; born 1856; Albany, died 1856

Biography

Was allocated 15,200 acres with his brother William and took the land in the Avon district. Arthur married Mary Ann 18 April 1836 at Albany - she was the daughter of Sir Richard and Lady Ann Spencer. Arthur was a gentleman farmer at York. Arrived at Perth per the 'Caledonia' 4 July 1836 from King George's Sound. Arthur died 7 March 1877 and Mary Ann 24 died August 1886.

Spencer TRIMMER

Born 22 December 1803 Ealing, London, England

Ship Atwick from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Agriculturist

Biography

Brothers Arthur and William arrived on the second voyage of the 'Atwick'. In partnership with cousin Douglas Thompson - allocated 39,693 acres took 1000 acres in the Swan district. Had Guildford Lot 14 in 1830. Wellington Loc 17 in 1839 - 640 acres. He explored the Avon River with Bland and Agett in 1834. Spencer died 29 December 1843 at Albany of heart disease.

William, Lieutenant TRIMMER

Born c1796 Ealing, England

Ship Atwick from London, England

Arrival date and place 25 April 1831 Swan River Colony

Occupation Army Lieutenant - Half pay

Biography

Late of His Majesty's 17th Regiment of Foot. Brother of Arthur and Spencer Trimmer. Arrived with brother Arthur, another brother Spencer arrived earlier. Selected 15,200 acres with his brother Arthur. Daughter Emily Jane (born 1828) arrived with George and Grace Cheyne on the 'Sterling' in 1831. William drowned 31 December 1835 in the Swan River. Left his estate to his mother and his daughter Emily. Emily then married Andrew Moir at Albany in 1848.

Alexander TROTTER

Born c1796 Portsea, England

Ship Wanstead from London, England

Arrival date and place 30 January 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Mariner

Biography

Granted 40 acres of land. Intended leaving the Colony in October 1833.

John TRUSLOVE

Born 25 April 1793 Warwickshire, England

Ship Skerne from Liverpool, England

Arrival date and place 17 January 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Sawyer

Rebecca TRUSLOVE nee GIBBS

Baptised 18 February 1801 Ashow, Warwickshire, England

Ship Skerne from Liverpool, England

Arrival date and place 17 January 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Elizabeth (Betsy); born 1823; Warwickshire, England

John Gibbs; born 11 July 1827; Ashow, Warwickshire, England

Eliza; born 1829; Ashow, Warwickshire, England

Born in colony

Henry Alexander; born 15 June 1833; Fremantle (died 1833)

Helen Susannah; born 21 December 1834; Fremantle

Edward Thomas; born 21 June 1838; Fremantle

Biography

John's first wife was Mary Ann Wilkinson - he married her 7 May 1816 at Gransborough, England. She died 29 April 1824 at Birdingbury, England. Married for a second time on 25 December 1826 in England. John and Rebecca Truslove sailed for the Swan River Colony on the 'Skerne' arriving at Fremantle in January 1830. Children with them were Betsy from his first marriage, John Gibbs and Eliza. Indentured to John Butler. John Truslove worked for W Nairn at Canning. He obtained Lot 239 Bay St Fremantle on 27 July 1831 and four more children were born. John died of tetanus in 1846 at Fremantle. His wife Rebecca married a second time to William Taylor in 1854. His son John Gibbs married Charlotte Hannah Gee on 16 February 1849 and they had a family of fifteen children.

John TUCKER

Born c1805

Ship Lotus from London, England

Arrival date and place 6 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Millwright

Biography

John arrived with Latour's party. Fremantle Lot 233 in 1830. Departed per the 'Cleopatra' 23 November 1830.

James TUCKEY

Baptised 1816 Cocking, Sussex, England

Ship Rockingham from London, England

Arrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Ferryman & Farmer

Mary Ann Ester FORSTER

Born c1821

Ship Eleanor from London, England

Arrival date and place 23 December 1837 Swan River Colony

Occupation Apprentice

Children of family

Born in colony

John; born 6 October 1842 (at sea off Borneo)

Matilda Hester; born 1844; Mandurah

Charles; born 1846; Mandurah

Helen; born 1849; Mandurah

James; born 1851; Perth

Biography

Mary was brought out by the Children's Friend Society. In 1841 she was apprenticed to Mr Lamb at Fremantle. On 7 December 1841 at Fremantle she married James Tuckey, son of John Tuckey. Went to the eastern colonies with wife and children in 1852 on the 'Merope'. Wife and Helen

returned per the 'Gem' in 1862'. He returned on the same ship later that year. Applied for Augusta Lots in 1866. James died at Mandurah in February 1895, his wife Mary Ann died in June 1895.

John TUCKEY

Baptised 01 November 1789 Cocking, Sussex, England

Ship Rockingham from London, England

Arrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Indentured Servant/Farmer

Children of family

Arrived with parents

James; baptised 1816; Cocking, Sussex, England

Charlotte; born 23 July 1818; Cocking, Sussex, England

Biography

John Tuckey came to the Colony as widower. His first wife Mary died August 1820. He arrived as an indentured servant to Thomas Peel. His two children James and Charlotte accompanied him. After a gruelling time at Clarence following the grounding of the Rockingham, the family followed Thomas Peel to Mandurah and struggled to make a living on his 50 acres. Had Guildford Lot 117 in 1834. He endured, and Tuckey descendants still live in Mandurah today. John married Elizabeth Wadey (widow). His son James married Mary Anne Esther Forster on 7 December 1841 at Fremantle and had five children. Charlotte married Thomas Eacott on 2 July 1839 at Mandurah and had ten children. John died on 4 May 1872 at Mandurah, Western Australia.

Henry TULLY

Born c1796 England

Ship Buffalo HMS from Portsmouth, England

Arrival date and place 13 September 1833 Swan River Colony

Occupation Labourer & Sawyer

Biography

Henry was a farmer and grazier in Plantagenet - in the 1836 Census was listed as a Sawyer. Had Albany Town Lot 85 in 1834. Henry died in 1868.

James TURIN

Born Unknown

Ship Unknown

Arrival date and place Swan River Colony

Occupation Servant

Biography

Appears on the 1837 Census - Gardener for J Harris at Strelley in the Swan.

Frederick TURNER

Born c1799 London, England

Ship Eliza from London, England

Arrival date and place 5 March 1831 Swan River Colony

Occupation Carpenter

Sarah TURNER

Born c1806 Essex, England

Ship Eliza from London, England

Arrival date and place 5 March 1831 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

John; born 1824; Essex, England

Alfred; born c1826; Calais, France

Biography

Frederick was a Midshipman in the Royal Navy from 1807 to 1816. Selected 1500 acres in the Avon district. Perth Lots E8 in 1831 and Perth A24 in 1832. Frederick left per the 'Socrates' for Van Diemens Land in May 1839. Sarah departed per the 'Jean' to join her husband in May 1840.

James Woodward TURNER

Born 30 January 1780 London, England

Ship Warrior from London, England

Arrival date and place 12 March 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Merchant/Builder/Surveyor

Maria TURNER nee ROCKLEY

Born 6 September 1791

Ship Warrior from London, England

Arrival date and place 12 March 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation (Second wife)

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Ann Elizabeth; born 21 August 1811; England

Thomas; born 29 August 1813; England

George; born 1816; England

Selina; born 1817; London, England

John; born 18 October 1819; England

Maria; born 1822; England

Sarah; born 11 May 1823; England (Arrived 'Eleanor')

James Augustus; born 1827

Biography

Maria was James Turner's second wife. James Woodward Turner at the age of 51, arrived on the 'Warrior' with his family and group at the mouth of the Swan River. On arrival they were disappointed to learn that there was not sufficient land available to meet their grant entitlement anywhere in the settlement. They sailed to Cape Leeuwin on the 'Emily Taylor' dropping anchor at Flinders Bay on the 2 May 1830. After a few days of exploring the area it was decided that it seemed a likely place for a settlement and all agreed it showed potential so the town of Augusta was born.

Had Augusta Lot 24 in 1833 and Lot 3 in 1834. Also had Albany Lot B39 in 1834 and Albany S48 in 1833. Governor Stirling who accompanied them, duly returned to Fremantle with the promise of support for the new settlement but this was not forthcoming and the tiny settlement suffered.

James Woodward Turner in the meantime erected 'Albion House' near the Blackwood River. A builder by trade he designed and shipped from London the materials he needed to build a house. Crops were planted but the climate proved to be too wet and most of the seed either washed away or rotted in the ground. The supply ships became fewer. If it wasn't for the odd whaling ship that called in they could not have lasted very long.

The Government abandoned the settlement in April 1841. Most resettled at the Vasse but the Turners stayed on hoping to make a go of it. They started to build their own ships with the help of a shipbuilder and traded timber from 'Turnwood' to other ports along the coast. February 1850 saw the last of the Augusta's pioneers sail away on the 'Bee'.

James Woodward Turner passed away on 13 June 1862 at Perth and rests in the East Perth Cemeteries. (Daughter Sarah arrived on a later ship 'Eleanor' 1838.)

James Allen TWINE

Born 27 January 1813 England

Ship Cygnet from London, England

Arrival date and place 27 January 1833 Swan River Colony

Occupation Servant

Mary Anne BUCKLEY nee STURGES

Born c1809

Ship Britomart from London, England

Arrival date and place 5 December 1838 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Henry James; born 28 May 1841;

Alfred George; born 16 June 1844; Swan

Biography

James was a servant of Joseph Harris. Married the widow Mary Anne Buckley 6 July 1840 at Guildford. Mary died 16 November 1885 and James died at Toodyay 8 November 1905 aged 92 years.

David TWINEY (TURNEY)

Born Unknown

Ship Unknown

Arrival date and place Swan River Colony

Occupation

Biography

Land assignment of 10 acres at Rottneest in June 1832.