Born c1798 Surrey, England

Ship Atwick from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Servant

Biography

Servant to Wardell. Probably also known as William Callem in the 1832 Census.

George Edwin CAMERON

Born c1801 Yorkshire, England Ship Parmelia from London, England Arrival date and place 1 June 1829 Swan River Colony Occupation Seaman/Labourer

Susan GOOCH

Born c1816 Suffolk, EnglandShip Egyptian from London, EnglandArrival date and place 28 December 1831 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Eliza Matilda; born 1843; Perth

Biography

Worked for his passage on the 'Parmelia'. Married February 1843. Susan was daughter of John and Maria Gooch. Employed in the Civil Engineer's Dept on his arrival. George died 5 January 1845.

Henry CAMFIELD

Born 1799 England
Ship Caroline from London, England
Arrival date and place 12 October 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Farmer/Postmaster General/Magistrate

Annie BREEZE nee BREEZ

Born England Ship Shepherd from London, England Arrival date and place 4 August 1838 Swan River Colony Occupation Governess for Rev. Mitchell

Biography

Came in with two servants. His grant was 5533 acres 'Burswood on Swan' and 'Clayton Farm' on Helena River. In 1830 Henry went with Ensign Dale on an expedition east of the Avon River and also accompanied Stephen Henty and JS Roe on the 'Sally Ann' to Doubtful Island Bay in 1835. Married 19 December 1840 (Middle Swan). Annie was the Mistress and Founder of Native School, Albany, at Middleton Beach and her own home. Henry was the Resident Magistrate at Albany 1848-1860. Henry died 11 October 1872 at Albany and his wife returned to England.

Peter, Private (698) CAMPBELL

Born c1805 Nilston, County Renfrew, Scotland

Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony

Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

By trade a calico printer. Initially stationed at Fremantle. Departed the Colony in 1840 for India and then after seven years returned to England.

Thomas CAMPBELL

Born c1794 Northumberland, England

Ship Orelia from Hobart, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 12 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Servant

Biography

Servant of William Bolton. Departed per 'Osprey' in 1844 for Van Diemens Land.

William Marcus, Lieutenant CAREW

Born c1827 Ship Isabella from Hobart, Van Diemens Land Arrival date and place 28 February 1831 Swan River Colony Occupation Lieutenant 63rd Regiment

Mrs CAREW

Born UnknownShip Isabella from Hobart, Van Diemens LandArrival date and place 28 February 1831 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

William; born 1826; (arrived 'Merope')

Daughter; born 1830

Born in colony

Eliza Jane; born 1832; Perth

Biography

Eldest son William (b1826) arrived on the 'Merope' in 1833. William was in charge of a Sergeant and twenty men at Albany. Was granted 1920 acres and Perth Town Lot A11. Wife died in India 1842.

Born Unknown

Ship Harriet from Rio de Janeiro

Arrival date and place 10 March 1835 Swan River Colony

Biography

Granted 213 acres Avon Lot J in March 1841.

Born c1803

Ship Isabella from Hobart, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 29 December 1835 Swan River Colony

Occupation Farmer

Biography

Granted 3000 acres in Avon district, fee simple in 1841 of Lot M and other lots in 1845. Appointed JP 1837. Visited England 1841 - returning 1843. Member of York Agricultural Society 1844. Departed per 'Emperor of China' January 1849 bound for London.

Daniel, Private (578) CARMODY

Born c1805 Parish of St Munchin, Limerick, Ireland
Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land
Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony
Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

By trade a currier. Convicted in 1838 for being drunk - sentenced to 20 days imprisonment. Initially stationed at Perth. Discharged in England 16 July 1847 after serving 20 years with the Regiment.

William CARPENTER

Born c1793 England

Ship Hooghly from London, England

Arrival date and place 12 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Labourer

Biography

Labourer to Peel. Died 29 October 1831 - an accident in gaol.

William CARROLL

Born 1804 Cork, Ireland
Ship Egyptian from London, England
Arrival date and place 13 February 1830 Swan River Colony
Occupation Indentured Labourer

Ann CARROLL

Born 1804Ship Egyptian from London, EnglandArrival date and place 13 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony Mary Ann; born 27 June 1830; Perth Richard William; born 18 June 1833; Perth

Biography Indentured Labourer to Shadwell.

Alfred CARSON

Born 25 August 1809 Devon, England
Ship Sterling from Gothenberg, via Portsmouth
Arrival date and place 4 June 1831 Swan River Colony
Occupation Carpenter/Millwright/Inventor

Anna HUNT

Born 1811 Ship Cygnet from London, England Arrival date and place 27 January 1833 Swan River Colony Occupation Servant

Children of family

Born in colony George; born 01 December 1835; Middle Swan Alfred; born 27 April 1837; Herne Hill Frances; born 1839 Thomas; born 1842 Mary Ann; born 1843 Harriet; born 1844; Upper Swan

Biography

Married for a first time on 5 January 1835 at Perth to Anna Hunt. Anna died 21 July 1850. Alfred married a second time to Ann Coombs 18 February 1851. His first wife was servant to Mr Harris and was illiterate. He was a servant to Marshall McDermott who chartered the 'Sterling'. He extracted gas from blackboys for lighting his house in 1849. Installed Rottnest Lighthouse machinery in 1851. Cheriton Mill in 1855. Applied to lease land at Greenough in 1859. Erected Perth's first pipe organ in Wesley Church in 1875. Installed first steam driven press for the 'West Australian' in the 1880's. Alfred Carson died 6 September 1888. Ann (second wife) died 20 June 1869.

Daniel CARTER

Born 1806 Hereford, England
Ship Marquis of Anglesea from London, England
Arrival date and place 23 August 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Agriculturist

Elizabeth CARTER

Born 1803 Hereford, EnglandShip Marquis of Anglesea from London, EnglandArrival date and place 23 August 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

William

Daughter

Biography

Departed the Colony 20 March 1830 per 'Gilmore' bound for New South Wales.

Thomas, Dr CARTER

Born Unknown

Ship Medina from London, England

Arrival date and place 6 July 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Doctor

Biography

Arrived with two servants - John Johnson & JT Peacock (Pocock.) Departed the Colony 1842 per 'Lady Emma.' Returned per the 'Janet' 1843.

Thomas CARTER

Born 1806 Northroppe, Norfolk, England Ship Edward Lombe from London, England Arrival date and place 24 August 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation Farmer

Biography

Thomas Carter is not the Dr Thomas Carter who arrived in the 'Medina' 6 July 1830. Thomas Carter and Charles Leroux ran the 'Halfway House' to York, and a store in Perth 'Leroux, Carter and Co'. The partnership was bankrupted in 1834 and Leroux returned to England (October 1834). Thomas Carter started farming in York, bought back the 'Halfway House' in 1838. By 1839 had four sources of income: Capital from sale of Northam property, his salary as Manager of Gwambygine, flock-keeping and rent from 'Halfway House'. Formed a partnership with his brother Henry who arrived in the ship 'Prima Donna' 6 June 1849. In 1856 he returned to England - Refer the 'Carter Brothers of Norfolk; early Pioneers in WA' by Anne Carter. He was unmarried.

Michael, Private (207) CASEY

Born c1804 St Munchins, Limerick, Ireland

Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony

Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

Listed as a labourer. On arrival he was stationed at Augusta. Departed with the Regiment 1840. Discharged 17 November 1843 in England.

Charles CASS

Born 1782 Bristol, England
Ship Protector from London, England
Arrival date and place 26 February 1830 Swan River Colony
Occupation Wool Stapler/Fellmonger

Children of family

Arrived with parent

Charles Jnr; born 1812; Bristol England

William Bowles; born 1812; Bristol England

Biography

Wife Ann died prior to 1830. Charles came out as one of Latour's party expecting to establish a business as a tanner, wool stapler and fell monger. William departed the colony per 'Governor Burke' for Sydney in 1833. Charles and his son Charles worked as shipwrights during the 1830's. Charles Cass senior died 18 May 1840.

William CATO

Born Unknown

Ship Rockingham from London, England

Arrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

(Mrs) CATO

Born Unknown Ship Rockingham from London, England Arrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

Biography

Arrived with wife and five children. Wife and children departed 17 January 1831 per 'Eagle' for Van Diemens Land.

Charles CHAPMAN

Born c1807

Ship Calista from London, England

Arrival date and place 5 August 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Indentured Servant

Biography

Servant to Isaac Jecks. Departed the Colony in 1841 on the ship 'Truelove' - bound for South Australia.

Born c1809 Wiltshire, England

Ship Egyptian from London, England

Arrival date and place 13 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Yeoman

Biography

Arrived with brothers Henry and James and sister Ann. Among the first settlers at Augusta and then moved to the Vasse district. Bought a property for export of timber from the Vasse. Company formed December 1849. George returned to England.

Henry CHAPMAN

Born c1798

Ship Jess from Mauritius

Arrival date and place 1 October 1834 Swan River Colony

Occupation Cook

Biography

Probably a boatman in 1836 Census. Henry died at Northam on 14 December 1867.

Henry CHAPMAN

Born c1805 Wiltshire, England Ship Egyptian from London, England Arrival date and place 13 February 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation Yeoman

Biography

Arrived with brothers James and George and sister Ann. Married Amelia Glindon on 30 December 1840 at Fremantle. Amelia (born c1818) arrived per the 'Westmoreland' on 2 January 1840. They reared orphaned niece and nephew Amelia and William Curtis. Settled at Augusta and then in the Vasse district. Was a farmer at 'Inlet Park' and built a flour mill. Henry died 17 August 1859. His widow carried on the farm and employed ticket- of-leave men between 1866 and 1867. Amelia died 27 March 1886 at Vasse.

James CHAPMAN

Born c1803 England Ship Egyptian from London, England Arrival date and place 13 February 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation Yeoman

Biography

Arrived with brothers George and Henry and sister Ann. Granted 1200 acres with brother Henry. They took up Lot 10 at Augusta and farmed at Vasse in partnership (Sussex Location 2). Applied to be the Schoolmaster at Vasse on 14 November 1834. Built a house and kept a store at Vasse. James died 26 November 1870 at Busselton.

Thomas George CHAPMAN

Born 17 March 1825 Cambridgeshire, England
Ship Giraffe from London, England
Arrival date and place 30 December 1835 Swan River Colony
Occupation Shepherd

Biography

Thomas was brought out by the Children's Friend Society and was employed by the Government Resident at Bunbury for about twenty years. Thomas married Selina Gardiner (born 1830) on 7 January 1849. Selina arrived in the ship 'Trusty' 1842 with her parents Reuben and Anne. Selina died 11 January 1874 (buried at Bunbury) and Thomas died 17 May 1897 at Donnybrook.

Cleophas CHAPPELL

Born c1807 London, England Ship Eliza from London, England Arrival date and place 5 March 1831 Swan River Colony Occupation Carpenter

Biography

Carpenter with Morrell. Departed per the 'Sally Ann' 28 May 1836 for Van Diemens Land.

Jesse CHEVERIL (CHIVRELL)

Born c1807 Wiltshire, England Ship Warrior from London, England Arrival date and place 12 March 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation Shepherd

Elizabeth CHEVERIL (CHIVRELL) nee SOPP

Born c1810 Wiltshire, EnglandShip Warrior from London, EnglandArrival date and place 12 March 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Charlotte; born 1828

Daughter; born 1830; died on voyage

Born in colony

Charles; born 1831; Perth John; born 17 October 1832 Elizabeth Ann; born 1835 Sarah; born 1838 Aaron; born 1840; stillborn York Alfred; born 1843 Emma; born 1845 Aaron; born 1846 Caroline; born 1847; Woodside, died 1848 Matilda; born 1849; York George; born 1853

Biography

Arrived with Frances Henry Byrne. Working as a shepherd for Brockman at York in the 1837 Census. By 1840 had acquired land at York and advertised sheep for sale in 1844. Jesse died in 1884 at the age of 77 years.

Alexander CHEYNE

Born c1785

Ship James Pattison from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 June 1834 King George's Sound

Occupation Captain

Biography

Sold his commission for two hundred pounds remission on purchase of land. Bought Albany Lot A21 on 15 October 1834. Appointed a JP and Director of Works at Albany. Departed in November 1835 per 'Caledonia' for Van Diemens Land and returned in June 1848 per 'Arpenteur' from South Australia.

George CHEYNE

Born c1795 Scotland Ship Sterling from Gothenberg, via Portsmouth Arrival date and place 4 June 1831 King George's Sound Occupation Agriculturist, Merchant, Whaler

Grace CHEYNE nee MELVILLE

Born c1797 Scotland Ship Sterling from Gothenburg, via Portsmouth Arrival date and place 4 June 1831 King George's Sound

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Emily Jane TRIMMER; born 1827 (adopted)

Biography

Considered to be one of the builders of the town 'Albany'. Brought out prefabricated house from Sweden and also Swedish servants. Granted 16,600 acres. Involved in the sandalwood trade 1847. Magistrate between 1838 and 1840. Opened the first flour mill at Albany in 1858. Brought out the Moir and Muir families. Returned to Scotland c1860. Emily could have been the daughter of William Trimmer. There is an article on George Cheyne in the RWHS 'Journal and Proceedings' Vol IV - Part 3. Cheyne died at Kirk Loch on 5 June 1869 in his 79th year. He is buried in New Churchyard, Lochmaben, Dumfries, Scotland.

John CHEYNE

Born c1806 Scotland Ship James Pattison from London, England Arrival date and place 19 June 1834 King George's Sound Occupation Settler

Ann CHEYNE nee FORESTER

Born c1809 EnglandShip James Pattison from London, EnglandArrival date and place 19 June 1834 King George's Sound

Children of family

Arrived with parents

John William St Leger; born 1834; Albany

Born in colony

Son; born 1835

Daughter; born 1837

Peter CHIDLOW

Born c1803 Shropshire, England Ship Eliza from London, England Arrival date and place 5 March 1831 Swan River Colony Occupation Labourer

Biography

Labourer for Morrell. Died 18 July 1837 at Northam. Went to Northam in 1836 with brother William Chidlow & Morrell. Peter was murdered by natives at 'Katrine' which he leased.

William CHIDLOW

Born c1807 Shropshire, England Ship Eliza from Cape of Good Hope Arrival date and place 8 May 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation Labourer

Mary WOODWARD

Born c1818 Worcester, EnglandShip Hooghly from London, EnglandArrival date and place 12 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Mary Ann; born 13 July 1846; Northam Susannah Sarah; born 1849; Northam Ellena; born 1851; Northam William John; born 1851; Northam Julia Emma; born 1854; Northam Alice Jane; born 1858; Northam

Biography

Departed London on the ship 'Rambler' which was wrecked near Cape Town. Travelled on to the Swan River Colony per the 'Eliza' with his brother Peter. Married in Perth 11 April 1844 to Mary Woodward daughter of James & Sarah. Worked for Morrell at 'Springfield Farm' at Northam. 'Chidlows Wells' was named after the Chidlow brothers. Mary died 12 July 1866 at Northam and William died 6 June 1879.

Thomas John CHIFFINCH

Born Unknown

Ship Rockingham from London, England

Arrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Steward

Biography

Thomas drowned 6 December 1830 - he fell overboard whilst trying to retrieve a hat for one of the Mews children.

Charles CHILCOTT

Born c1801 Cornwall, England
Ship Marquis of Anglesea from London, England
Arrival date and place 23 August 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Agriculturist

Mary CHILCOTT

Born c1805 Ship Marquis of Anglesea from London, England Arrival date and place 23 August 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Charles; born 1822

Longford; born 1825

May; born 1827

Lydia; born 1828; died April 1831

Biography

Arrived with brother William. Granted 2800 acres. Sailed for Van Diemens Land per the 'Eagle' 23 May 1831.

William CHILCOTT

Born Unknown

Ship Marquis of Anglesea from London, England

Arrival date and place 23 August 1829 Swan River Colony

Biography

Accompanied Edward Picking on an exploration. Sworn in as a special constable in 1831.

John CHIPPER

Baptised 02 March 1806 Sussex, England
Ship Caroline from London, England
Arrival date and place 12 October 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Indentured Labourer

Mary CHIPPER nee WHIDBY

Born c1809 Sussex, EnglandShip Caroline from London, EnglandArrival date and place 12 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Thomas; born 14 June 1831; Guildford Richard William; born 07 April 1833; Perth Stephen James; born 29 May 1835; Perth Mary Jane Olive; born 29 July 1837; Perth George Fred Whidby; born 1843; Perth Jane Frances; born 1845; Perth John Charles; born 1847; Perth Henry Edward; born 1849: Perth

Biography

John married 22 April 1829, Williams, England. Indentured to Henty. Was attacked by natives on the York Road and he was severely wounded. Early in 1834 he jumped from a six metre rock at Greenmount now known as 'Chippers Leap'. First paid police constable between 1843 and 1850. John died 29 January 1871 at Perth and Mary died 28 October 1878 at Perth.

George CHRISTMASS

Born 22 January 1798 Hertfordshire, England
Ship Calista from London, England
Arrival date and place 5 August 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Indentured Servant

Elizabeth CHRISTMASS nee WEST

Born c1800 EnglandShip Calista from London, EnglandArrival date and place 5 August 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Charles; baptised 25 December 1822; Holwell, Hertfordshire, England Ruth; born 21 November 1824; Holwell, Hertfordshire, England William; born 06 November 1826; Holwell, Hertfordshire, England

Born in colony

George; born 28 September 1829; Fremantle Elizabeth; born 18 March 1831; Fremantle (died June 1831)

Biography

George and Elizabeth married 22 August 1822, Wallburton, Sussex, England. The family had come from Holwell, in the county of Hertfordshire, near London, England to become pioneer settlers in the Swan River Settlement. Hardship and tragedy lay ahead. Within eighteen months of being in Fremantle a daughter Elizabeth was born and in the same year mother, baby Elizabeth and sister Ruth would all die due to diphtheria. Wife Elizabeth died 4 November 1831 at Fremantle. The youngest son George junior died in 1838. By the late 1840's George owned some of the best agricultural land in the district which he called 'Grass Valley' (later known as the 'Wattles'). Son William departed for the Eastern Colonies per the 'Queen of Netherlands' on 10 March 1853. In 1871 George purchased the Farmers Home Hostel (now the Shamrock Hotel). He took up residence there, became blind and died a month before his 82nd birthday in 1879. George purchased for son Charles a farm in the district known as 'Jurendine'. He married Hannah Martin whose parents William and Lucy Martin arrived aboard the 'Hooghly' in February 1830. They raised 16 children, 6 sons and 10 daughters, leaving 1000 acres to each of his 5 remaining sons on his death in 1893. His eldest son George died a few months before him.

Born c1810 England

Ship Unknown

Arrival date and place Swan River Colony

Occupation Labourer

Biography

Living in Albany in the 1836 Census. Labourer in Plantagenet District.

Charles Blisset CHURCHMAN

Born c1790 London, England Ship Protector from London, England Arrival date and place 26 February 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation Captain/Agriculturist

Biography

Brother of Mrs Joshua Gregory. Granted 5666 acres and selected Canning Loc 32 of 5,559 acres, which was bequeathed to Juliana Dane, Francis Gregory and Lucy Auline and subsequently was sold to Thomas Buckingham. Charles died of apoplexy and was buried 25 May 1833 at East Perth Cemeteries.

Arthur CLAPP

Born c1806 Cornwall, England **Ship** Gilmore from London, England **Arrival date and place** 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony **Occupation** Farm Servant

Children of family

Born in colony

Arthur; born 1844; Perth Thomas; born 1845; Perth Mary; born 1847; Perth

Biography

Arthur arrived as a servant to RG Meares. Bought Perth Town Lot V33 in 1835 and was listed as an agricultural labourer in the 1837 Census. Married March 1843 at Perth to Jane Crampton (born 1821). Jane arrived on the ship 'Diadem' 10 April 1842. Farmed on his own account by 1845. Departed for South Australia March 1849 per the 'Arpenteur'. His wife and children followed him in September 1850 per the 'Daphne'.

Born Unknown

Ship James Pattison from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 June 1834 King George's Sound

Children of family

Born in colony

Joseph Alfred; born 15 August 1842

Biography

Had first child in 1842 - to wife Mary. Left for Eastern Colonies per 'Merope' on 7 October 1852.

Ralph CLARENCE

Born c1812

Ship Quebec Trader from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 April 1834 Swan River Colony

Occupation Storekeeper

Biography

Assigned Perth Town Lot X4 28 May 1834. Departed the Colony 8 November 1837 on the 'Hero' for Mauritius and London.

William Nairne CLARK

Born c1802 Scotland
Ship Eliza from London, England
Arrival date and place 5 March 1831 Swan River Colony
Occupation Lawyer & Notary Public

Mary Elizabeth LOCKYER

Born c1813 Somerset, EnglandShip Hooghly from London, EnglandArrival date and place 12 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Charles; born 03 December 1838; Fremantle (died dysentery 1838)

Ann Catherine; born 22 May 1836; Perth

William Graham; born 21 May 1839; Perth

Biography

Married Mary Elizabeth Lockyer on 14 January 1833 at Fremantle. Was a Lawyer and Notary Public from Edinburgh. In partnership with Spyers. Was granted 4600 acres in Avon on 7 August 1832 and 300 acres at Rottnest on 6 July 1831. Spyers farmed at Canning and Clark as Public Notary at Fremantle. On 16 August 1832 was involved in notorious duel with GF Johnson - the latter died of wounds. William was the proprietor of the 'Swan River Guardian' from 1836-8. He went to King George's Sound per the ship 'Jolly Rambler'. Between 1840 and 1842 explored the region between King George's Sound and Kojonup. He went to Perth once more, but departed for Van Diemens Land on 29 November 1848 per the 'Waterlily'. William died at Hobart in 1854 at the age of 50 years.

Henry CLARKE (CLACK)

Born 1805 Cambridgeshire, England

Ship Calista from London, England

Arrival date and place 5 August 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Indentured Servant

Biography

Indentured servant to Isaac Jecks. Assigned Town Lots in Fremantle. Departed the Colony 29 November 1848 in the ship 'Waterlily' bound for South Australia.

Born Unknown

Ship Eagle from Launceston, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 24 April 1833 Swan River Colony

Occupation Crew of Eagle

Born c1818

Ship An American Whaler from London, England

Arrival date and place Swan River Colony

Occupation Shop Boy

Biography

Departed September 1838 per 'Shepherd' for Batavia.

Born c1796

Ship Hero from London, England

Arrival date and place 11 November 1835 Swan River Colony

Occupation American Seaman

Biography

It is believed Thomas died in Pinjarra 23 January 1864.

Baptised 10 October 1774 Bubwith, Yorkshire, England
Ship Cygnet from London, England
Arrival date and place 27 January 1833 Swan River Colony
Occupation Banker

Children of family

Arrived with parent

Michael; baptised 7 June 1804; England (arrived Tranby)

James Smith; born c1806; England (arrived Tranby)

Charles Foster; born 12 May 1812; England

Biography

Arrived with his son Charles Foster. His wife (Elizabeth SMITH) who he married 15 February 1798 at Finningley, Nottingham, England remained behind in England - it is not known if she was alive at this time. Other children were: Barnard, Deborah, Michael, James Smith, William Wilberforce, Charles Foster, Edward Ellis. He was senior partner in the Howden and Selby Bank and of Clarkson, Schofield and Clough. The bank suspended payments in 1830. He had a strong association with the Methodist Movement. Barnard Clarkson and the Hardey families. Organised the migration of settlers to the Colony in the ship 'Tranby' in which Barnard's sons Michael and James had preceded his arrival. He went to 'Wilberforce' in the York district with his son Michael. Barnard died on 13 April 1836 at York.

Charles Foster CLARKSON

Born 12 May 1812 Yorkshire, England
Ship Cygnet from London, England
Arrival date and place 27 January 1833 Swan River Colony
Occupation Yeoman

Hannah Eliza LEEDER

Born 06 March 1818 Edmonds, Suffolk, EnglandShip Rockingham from London, EnglandArrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Elizabeth Smith; born 01 January 1838; Perth Hannah Eliza; born 09 August 1840; Perth William Wilberforce; born 10 January 1843; Perth Edward Winteringham; born 24 June 1845; Perth Henry James; born 16 September 1847; Perth Joseph Charles; born 01 September 1849; Perth Robert Leeder; born 06 September 1851; Perth

Biography

Married Hannah 2 March 1837 at Perth. Charles was a Perth storekeeper in 1843. He built the first two storey house on the Perth waterfront. Had the 'Commercial Inn' in 1844. He went to the Eastern Colonies with his family in April 1838 per the 'Lord Hobart' and returned 4 June 1841 per 'Kilmaura'. Charles died at the Victorian Goldfields Ballarat 16 December 1853 of TB. His wife Hannah remarried John Enoch Hammond on 11 October 1858. Hannah (Hammond) died 15 October 1901. Born c1806 Yorkshire, England Ship Tranby from Hull, England Arrival date and place 3 February 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation Farmer & Pastoralist

Biography

James arrived with brother Michael. Son of Barnard Clarkson who arrived later on the 'Cygnet' with Charles Foster Clarkson (James's younger brother). He was a gentleman farmer and pastoralist and shared property with brother Michael. The York property was sold in 1836. James temporarily left the Colony in and returned in 1854 per 'Struan' from the Eastern Colonies. He lived on part of Lot A at Peninsula Farm. In 1860 he qualified as a Juror. He was active in the Methodist Church and taught Sunday School. James was unmarried and died 20 December 1872.

Michael CLARKSON

Baptised 07 June 1804 Bubwith, Yorkshire, England
Ship Tranby from Hull, England
Arrival date and place 3 February 1830 Swan River Colony
Occupation Supt. Convict Hiring Station

Jane DRUMMOND

Born c1813 Perthshire, ScotlandShip Parmelia from London, EnglandArrival date and place 1 June 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Deborah Wilberforce; born 08 November 1834 Barnard Drummond; born 11 December 1836 James Smith; born 11 April 1839 Michael Thomas; born 1841; Perth, died 1848 Edward Ellis; born 1844; Toodyay Sarah; born 1846; Toodyay William Bell; born 1848: Toodyay

Biography

Michael arrived with brother James Smith Clarkson. Married 5 November 1833 (Perth Register) to Jane Drummond who arrived with parents James and Sarah. Michael's father Barnard Clarkson arrived on the 'Cygnet' 27 January 1833 with Michael's younger brother Charles Foster Clarkson. Granted Swan Location 4 of 205 acres at Guildford and Avon Location J of 18,261 acres called 'Wilberforce'. His father Barnard later went to live with him on this property and he died at York in 1836. 'Wilberforce' was sold to Hamersley in 1839. Michael became the Superintendent of Toodyay Convict Hiring Station in 1851. He was the Asst. Superintendent at Mt Eliza in 1852. He was a farmer at 'Nunyle' Toodyay. In 1857 leased 'Mt Anderson' and was a committee member of the Toodyay Agricultural Society. Michael died 2 March 1871 at Toodyay and his wife Jane also died at Toodyay on 19 July 1905.

Thomas CLAYER

Born c1807 Lancaster, England Ship Wanstead from London, England Arrival date and place 30 January 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation Mariner/Boatman

Mary HALLAM

Born c1809 Nottingham, England Ship Wanstead from London, England Arrival date and place 30 January 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation Servant

Children of family

Born in colony William Charles; born 01 July 1832 Harriet Sara; born 27 August 1835 Matilda Ann; born 25 November 1837 Frederick; born 26 July 1841; Perth Joseph; born 1843; Perth

Biography

Thomas married Mary Hallam 20 August 1831 at Perth. Mary was a 21 year old servant to Wittenoom. Thomas was a Swan River boatman. Was granted 40 acres. He went to the Eastern Colonies and returned on 6 February 1853 per 'Jane'. He then went to South Australia per 'Adeona' and returned again on 29 November 1858. He left for South Australia again and returned in July 1875 on the 'Geffrard'. Qualified as a juror in Perth in 1860. Thomas Clayer died in South Australia in 1880. There is a memorial to him in East Perth Cemeteries.

Thomas CLEAVER

Born Unknown

Ship Eagle from London, England

Arrival date and place 25 January 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Bailiff

Biography

Thomas came out to act as land bailiff for Latour. This venture failed and he left for Van Diemens Land per the 'Eagle' 23 May 1831. He was granted 200 acres of land claimed for bringing clothing, a gun and gunpowder.

John CLELAND

Born c1796 Glasgow, Scotland Ship Marquis of Anglesea from London, England Arrival date and place 23 August 1829 Swan River Colony Occupation Schoolmaster

Biography

Granted 1373 acres. John was a carpenter and builder and had a temporary appointment as a surveyor in 1829. He was a commissariat clerk and storekeeper until 1831. He was the first Colonial Government schoolteacher 18 October 1830 and opened a private school at Fremantle 1834 and later at Guildford. John was discharged from the government service for being drunk. He departed the Colony per the 'Shepherd' on 29 March 1837 bound for Mauritius.

James, Corporal (571) CLIBBORN

Born Calovin?

Ship Caroline from Hobart, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 25 February 1835 Swan River Colony

Occupation Corporal 21st Regiment

Biography

James was a weaver when he enlisted. Departed the Colony with his Regiment and died in India 12 June 1843.

John, Private (377) CLIFFORD

Born c1805 Mitchelstown, Cork, Ireland
Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land
Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony
Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

On arrival John was stationed at Kelmscott. Went with Regiment to India 1840. On 23 February 1847 he was discharged with permission to reside in India and stated his intention to reside at Chinsurah.

Raphael CLINT

Born 1811 Hereford, England Ship Calista from London, England Arrival date and place 5 August 1829 Swan River Colony Occupation Clerk - Surveyor General's Dept

Biography

Appointed to Surveyor General's Office in 1829. In December 1831, Raphael accompanied Ensign Dale surveying the Stirling Range area. Departed for Van Diemens Land in July 1832 on the 'Mary Ann'. He must have returned, as he proposed bringing stock from New South Wales on 23 May 1834 in return for a land grant. By 1846 he was at Toodyay on Dr R Foley's grant with stock. He also applied for a Parkhurst boy to assist him. Raphael eventually settled in Sydney where he worked as an engraver until his death in 1849. Further Reading: WA Explorations

Henry CLINTON

Born Unknown

Ship Emelia & Ellen from Bombay, India

Arrival date and place 18 March 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Captain

Biography

Henry arrived with wife and daughter (names unknown). Henry drowned 1831. He was part owner of the ship 'Emelia & Ellen' with Captain Rae. He and his partner had many debts and after Clinton's death, Rae sold the vessel to the government. There were disputes regarding the debts. His wife and daughter left the Colony on 2 July 1831 per 'Nimrod'.

Patrick CLINTON

Born Unknown

Ship Sulphur HMS from London, England

Arrival date and place 1 June 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Private 63rd Regiment

Biography

Patrick was stationed in the Colony between 1829 and 1834. Was at Augusta in 1831.

Henry CLULOW

Born c1797 Staffordshire, England
Ship Minstrell from London, England
Arrival date and place 20 January 1830 Swan River Colony
Occupation Carpenter/Wheelwright

Olive (Ann) CLULOW nee PLANT

Born c1799 Staffordshire, EnglandShip Minstrell from London, EnglandArrival date and place 20 January 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Elizabeth; born 17 January 1823; England James; born 19 February 1824; England Mary Ann; born 12 February 1826; England Thomas; born 01 June 1828; Derbyshire, England

Biography

Henry was indentured in England on 16 September 1806 as a carpenter and wheelwright. Henry and Olive married 1 July 1822, England. Henry Clulow only completed a couple of years work at the Colony when he fell ill and died 27 October 1832 at Fremantle. His funeral service was held at Fremantle and he was buried at the Alma Street Cemetery. His widow Olive remarried on 16 November 1841 to William Holmes. Henry and Olive had four children. A letter written by Henry's brother William on 21 January 1830 from Blackshaw farm near Leeks in England, describes how difficult conditions were in England at the time. 'Sales of livestock were many, people were out of work and wages were going down - we had such a hard winter, on the eve of 14 January frost and snow. We was thinking that taking your family out to this promised land was great. I suppose that you know something about seafaring life now?'

Jane Eliza COATES nee COATES

Born c1821 England

Ship James Pattison from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 August 1834 Swan River Colony

Biography

Arrived with brother William - sent out with the Children's Friend Society. Married Edward John Harold Byfield 7 June 1841 at Perth. He arrived on the 'Westmoreland' in 1840. Edward was the licensee of the 'Prince of Wales' Inn at Mahogany Creek. Edward died 29 January 1863 and after his death Jane carried on with the lease until her second marriage to James Gregory (Dorman) on 3 October 1863. She had two more children Henry Dorman born in 1864 and Mary Eliza born 1867. Jane died 29 August 1872.

William COATES

Born 24 August 1824 England Ship James Pattison from London, England Arrival date and place 19 August 1834 Swan River Colony Occupation Goat Herder

Children of family

Born in colony John; born 1851 William; born 1853; Chidlow Mary Jane; born 1855; Guildford Sarah; born 1856; Guildford George Frederick; born 1858; Mahogany Creek Arthur Edward; born 1860; Northam District Eliza; born 1861; Mahogany Creek Anne; born 1863; Carringa Rosa; born 1863; Carringa Martha Sophia; born 1868; Swan

Biography

Married Sarah King on 11 August 1849 at Guildford. He and his sister Jane Coates arrived with the Children's Friend Society. Was a goat herder for Stirling, then was a farm labourer for the Resident Magistrate Whitfield and Wittenoom. Between 1845 and 1850 was a pit sawyer in the Wooroloo district. In 1850 he acquired land and built a wayside inn at 'Carrings' and farmed there until the railway was build in 1884. In 1860 he had the licence of the '19 Mile' at York. William died 27 January 1888 at Perth. His wife Sarah died 18 December 1910 at Northam.

James COCKBURN

Born England

Ship Unknown

Arrival date and place Swan River Colony

Occupation Agricultural Labourer

Mrs COCKBURN

Born Unknown

Ship Unknown

Arrival date and place Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Son;

Biography

James arrived with wife and son. Listed in the 1837 Census.

John COCKER (CROCKER)

Born c1799

Ship Medina from London, England

Arrival date and place 6 July 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Servant

Biography

Servant to George Williams. In 1834 he was living at Guildford. On 17 June 1867 he applied for poor relief.

Charles COCKETT

Born Unknown

Ship Gilmore from London, England

Arrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Indentured servant

Biography

Charles was an indentured servant to Peel.

James COCKMAN

Born c1808 South Mimms (Barnett)
Ship Calista from London, England
Arrival date and place 5 August 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Indentured Servant

Mary Ann ROPER (ROPPER)

Born c1803 Esther, Devonshire, England
Ship Atwick from London, England
Arrival date and place 19 October 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Ladies Maid - to L. Leake

Children of family

Born in colony Harriett; born 23 February 1832; Fremantle John James; born 06 January 1834; Fremantle Ellen; born 19 October 1837; Perth Mary Jane; baptised 11 April 1841; Perth Amelia; born 29 September 1843; Perth Sarah Ann; born 09 February 1847; Perth James Samuel; born 28 July 1850; Perth

Biography

James Cockman (an indentured servant to merchant George Leake) and Mary Ann Roper (a ladies maid) were married by the Reverend JB Wittenoom on 15 March 1830 at Fremantle. In November 1830, James' indenture to George Leake was cancelled, enabling him to make an application to the Colonel Secretary for permission to select and occupy a lot in Fremantle (Lot 139) on which his dwelling was built. Following the birth of their third child in October 1837, the family moved to a new house in Perth - Lot V29 in William Street, between Wellington and Murray Streets. James developed skills in the art of thatching, resulting in work, particularly from the new settlers his occupation in 1841 was recorded as a Thatcher. By 1844 James and Mary Ann had 7 children. George Shenton entered their life - he arrived in the Colony in 1833 and was later to take up 640 acres of land in Wanneroo around a lake. James, Mary Ann and their family moved to Wanneroo in 1852 where he worked for George Shenton. One can visualize the feelings of Mary Ann with her young family of seven whose ages ranged from 18 to 2 years old, cooking on an open fire. No medical or health nearby, lack of formal education, no roads, winching water from a well. The first home at Wanneroo was just 2 rooms (wattle and daub). By 1858, James had accumulated one hundred pounds to buy 45 acres from George Shenton. He with the help of his older son John and young Sam who was then 8 years old set about building a more substantial home. 'Cockman House' as it is called today. Limestone walls, timber pit sawn for the rafters, windows and floor boards with then a shingle roof. They were self sufficient, lived off the land - the low lying marshy country was excellent for growing of vegetables, cows, pigs - wild duck, kangaroo and fish were in abundance nearby. The Home was built with a high gable room designed to allow a cooler home and easier run off during heavy rains - shingle roof - sheoak 10" x 4" nailed over the jarrah rafters. This roof was many years later replaced with corrugated iron. By 1876, all of James and Mary Ann's children were married, and with the exception of Samuel (the youngest) had moved away from home. Samuel and his wife Emma Jane (Edwards) formerly of Gingin, married in 1876 and continued to live in the house where they raised 13 children. James Cockman died in 1877, aged 69 years and Mary Ann in 1901 (94 years). Ruby Backshall (nee Cockman) the youngest in this generation was to live on in the house with her husband Albert V Backshall and family of six, together with Ernest John Cockman (her brother) who never married. Cockman House was occupied by descendants of James and Mary Ann, until it was purchased by the City of Wanneroo in 1989 and restored as a 'Pioneers Home'.

George COLDSTOCK

Born Unknown

Ship Cygnet from London, England

Arrival date and place 27 January 1833 Swan River Colony

Biography

Little is known about George. He is recorded as departing for Van Diemens Land on the 'Thistle' in July 1833.

Henry Laroche COLE

Born c1809 Leicester, England Ship Marquis of Anglesea from London, England Arrival date and place 23 August 1829 Swan River Colony Occupation Labourer/Lime Burner

Emma READ

Born c1818 Gillingham, Dorset, EnglandShip Rockingham from London, EnglandArrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

Biography

Henry worked for the Fremantle Harbour Master from October 1829 to November 1831. The 1832 population census has him listed as single, aged 25 years and his occupation as a lime burner, whether he worked for himself or someone else is unknown. He married Emma Read, 15 August 1837 at Perth. Emma was the daughter of George and Elizabeth Read - this marriage produced no children. He witnessed a land memorial between Mark Read and William Shenton in 1837. With his wife Emma, Henry signed a petition for a Methodist minister's stipend in 1840, this may have been with some influence from his brother-in-law - Mark Read, as there is nothing to suggest Henry was a practising Methodist. Henry left the colony for a short period and went to England 1843. Henry, who was later known as 'Old King Cole' owned the United Services Hotel on land that extended from St. George's Terrace to Bazaar Terrace, from 1844 to 1854, and then later on again in 1863 to 1865. He enjoyed public life and was elected to the committee to arrange the foundation celebrations in 1844, appointed to the Perth Town Trust in 1848 and became chairman in February 1850. By all accounts Henry led a chequered and sometimes controversial life and no doubt caused distress to some people along the way. Henry died at Albany 19 March 1866 aged 57 years and although Emma was still alive there was no mention of her in his will. Emma died 3 May 1905.

John, Private (553) COLEMAN

Born Killoran, Galway, Ireland
Ship Caroline from Hobart, Van Diemens Land
Arrival date and place 25 February 1835 Swan River Colony
Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

John was a labourer when he enlisted. Went to India with the Regiment and died in India, 27 June 1844.

John COLEMAN (COLMAN)

Born c1802 Lincolnshire, England
Ship Calista from London, England
Arrival date and place 5 August 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Indentured Servant

Children of family

Born in colony

Sarah; born 08/1840; Henley Park

Biography

Married Ann. Indentured servant to Isaac Jecks. Was recorded in 1837 as a Labourer at Dempster's Farm.

ALEXANDER (Dr) COLLIE

Born c1793 Insch, Aberdeenshire, Scotland Ship Sulphur HMS from London, England Arrival date and place 8 June 1829 Swan River Colony Occupation Surgeon - 63rd Regiment

Biography

Dr Collie was born in Aberdeenshire in the parish of Insch in 1793 on a farm known as 'Wantonwalls'. On his arrival he was allotted 1,500 acres on the left bank of the Swan and later in 1831 he received 5,000 acres at Albany. In 1829 in company with Lieutenant Preston, ROYAL NAVY., he explored the southwest and discovered and named the Collie and Preston Rivers. He was a great hiker. In 1830 reports of sickness were coming from the unfortunate Peel settlement at Clarence and Collie was sent to investigate. He found there had been 28 deaths and considerable amount of disease. He reported the food was bad, there was no nursing assistance, there was polluted water supply, an injudicious use of alcohol, and general incompetence of the Manager (Thomas Peel). In 1831 Collie was made a JP and appointed the first Govt Resident at Albany. His letters disclose he had a trying time. He suffered from what he called 'asthma' but it was most probably pulmonary tuberculosis, for it gradually wore him out and he died in 1835 of this lung complaint. He urged what has since become fulfilment 'Colonists in great, great numbers. WA will be populous, will be fertile, will be a land overflowing with milk and honey, before Sydney, before Van Diemens Land'. In 1831 he was appointed Colonial Surgeon to succeed Dr Simmons. He built the best house in Perth at that time situated on the site of the present Presbyterian Church, St Andrews. It cost five hundred pounds including outhouses. He gave up the idea of marriage because of his poor health. Dr Alexander Collie decided to return to England per the 'Zebra', but died at Albany en route on 11 November 1836. He is commemorated in a brass plaque in Perth pavement for the year 1835.

Born Unknown

Ship Gilmore from London, England

Arrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Indentured Servant

Biography

James was an indentured servant to Thomas Peel. Departed the Colony on the 'Waterwitch' in 1839 bound for England via South Australia.

Samuel COLLIER (COLLYER)

Born c1809

Ship Hooghly from London, England

Arrival date and place 12 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Indentured Servant

Biography

Indentured servant to Thomas Peel. Samuel died 17 July 1830 of scurvy at Clarence - aged 20 years.

Adam COLLINS (COLLINGE)

Born Unknown

Ship Eliza from London, England

Arrival date and place 5 March 1831 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parent

Child; born c1825

Child; born 1826

Biography

Adam arrived with 2 children per the Eliza. On 30 May 1831 he left with 2 children on 'Cornwallis' for Mauritius.

John Edward COLLINS

Born c1811

Ship Edward Lombe from London, EnglandArrival date and place 24 August 1830 Swan River ColonyOccupation Messenger

Children of family

Born in colony

Emma; born 1845; Perth - died 1847

Biography

Married Mary Jane Anderson on 1 May 1842 at Perth. Mary arrived on the 'Ganges' in October 1841. John died 1846 and daughter Emma died 1847. Daughter Emma's death is recorded as Hokin. Mary Jane Anderson remarried Thomas Hokin on 2 April 1850 and had three more children to Hokin - William born 1848, David born 1850 and Emma Jane born 1852.

Robert COLLINS

Born c1798 Devonshire, England
Ship Atwick from London, England
Arrival date and place 19 October 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Innkeeper

Georgiana COLLINS

Born c1804 Hampshire, EnglandShip Atwick from London, EnglandArrival date and place 19 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Georgiana; born 1825; London, England

Born in colony

Mary; born 1843

Biography

Wife Georgiana was a nurse. Departed per the 'Edward Lombe' 12 April 1831 for Mauritius. Returned 10 February 1832 per the 'Bee'. Robert Collins died 4 April 1844. Wife G (or daughter) left the Colony per 'Rosanna' 5 January 1845 for South Australia.

Edward Gascoyen COLLINSON

Born c1810 Hackney, London, England
Ship Nancy from London, England
Arrival date and place 9 January 1830 Swan River Colony
Occupation Clerk in Surveyors General's Office

Mary Lucille BIRKETT

Born c1813 Velore, East Indies Ship Protector from London, England Arrival date and place 26 February 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation Midwife

Biography

Married Mary Lucille Birkett (daughter of James & Josephine) who arrived on the Protector on 23 November 1833 at Perth. Clerk in Surveyor General's Office and then employed by Lionel Samson at Fremantle. Land grants included Avon Location L - 1280 acres and Perth Town Lots 03, X1, X5, S17 and L63-5. His wife was a midwife in 1839. He left the Colony 12 January 1842 per 'Elizabeth' and returned in 1844 per 'Velocity' from Sydney. Departed again in December 1846 per 'Joseph Albino'. His wife departed in January 1848. Born c1814 Hampshire, England

Ship Unknown

Arrival date and place 19 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Carpenter

Biography

John Collison was employed by Thompson and Trimmer.

Stephen, Private (587) COLLOHAN

Born Birr, Ireland

Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony

Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

Stationed at York in 1833. Departed the Colony with his Regiment to India. Stephen died in India on 29 July 1842 at the Regimental Hospital.

John COLLYER

Born c1811

Ship Calista from London, England

Arrival date and place 5 August 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Shepherd

Biography

John was a shepherd for Latour. Worked as Fisherman. Departed the Colony for Van Diemens Land per the 'Thistle' on 27 November 1831.

William COLVIN

Born c1798 England
Ship Protector from London, England
Arrival date and place 26 February 1830 Swan River Colony
Occupation Indentured Servant

Esther Mary COLVIN

Born c1802 Ship Protector from London, England Arrival date and place 26 February 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation House Servant

Children of family

Born in colony Isabella; born 1832; died 1834 Elizabeth; born 1834; Perth

Biography

Indentured servants to Bickley and Earl and later employed by Major Nairn. Their cottage in Hay Street was sold in 1838. Departed in March 1836 for Van Diemens Land per the 'Elizabeth' and later moved to Victoria where William was a carrier and by 1856 was a storekeeper at Geelong, Victoria. William died 27 February 1881 in Victoria.

Michael, Private (645) CONDRON

Born Unknown

Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony

Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

Michael was discharged in the Colony July 1840.

John, Private CONNOLLY

Born 15 September 1800 Cootehill County, Monaghan, Ireland
Ship Sulphur HMS from London, England
Arrival date and place 8 June 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Private 63rd Regiment

Mary SPICE

Baptised 13 July 1815 Burwash, East Sussex, EnglandShip Hooghly from London, EnglandArrival date and place 12 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

William; born 27 July 1834; Perth Jane; born 28 February 1836; Swan Charles; born 27 May 1837; Swan John; born 26 April 1839; Upper Swan Eliza; born 13 September 1841; Upper Swan Robert; born 5 August 1845; Upper Swan James; born 9 May 1847; Upper Swan Joseph; born 9 May 1847; Upper Swan Mary; born 13 April 1849; Upper Swan

Biography

Married Mary 20 September 1831, at Perth, Swan River Colony. Mary came with her parents Saul and Sarah Spice. John served in the 63rd Regiment of Foot for 14 years, 230 days and was discharged in WA on 30 April 1834 at his own request. His character reference 'A well conducted soldier'. He served in Portugal, England, Ireland and the Swan River Colony. He is also recorded as 'Colonial Messenger'. He and his wife went farming at Upper Swan/Henley Brook. He and three other soldiers took up land at the 'Great Lakes' (Joondalup) - 184½ acres. His name is perpetuated in the suburb of Connolly (Shire of Wanneroo). Connolly was killed when he was thrown from his horse on a thundery night on 24 March 1852. He is buried at 'All Saints' Henley Brook, Upper Swan. His widow Mary farmed at Bindoon and Greenough, W.A. Mary died 30 January 1892 at Greenough.

Edward, Private (387) CONNORS

Born c1807 Parish of Tulla, Co Clare, Ireland
Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land
Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony
Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

On arrival Edward was stationed at Albany. Departed on the 'Ellen' 6 March 1835. In June 1835 he was drunk while on guard and imprisoned for 60 days. Departed with the Regiment in 1840 to India. Edward was discharged at Chatham, England 8 August 1848.

Born c1810 Tipperary, Ireland
Ship Warrior from London, England
Arrival date and place 12 March 1830 Swan River Colony
Occupation Servant

Biography

Michael was a servant to Burges. Intended leaving the Colony in 1835 but was still here in 1840.

Michael, Private (427) CONNORS

Born c1805 Bally Hahill, Limerick, Ireland
Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land
Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony
Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

Michael was by trade a labourer. Initially stationed at the Murray River and was discharged in 1847 in England.

Michael, Private (430) CONNORS

Born Rathkeal, Ireland

Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony

Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

Formerly a labourer from Limerick, Ireland. Departed the Colony with the Regiment. Michael died in India on 3 January 1846.

John, Private (274) CONWAY

Born c1806 St Michael's, Limerick, Ireland
Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land
Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony
Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

John was stationed at Mt Eliza, Perth and Fremantle. Sentenced to 20 Days imprisonment for being drunk on duty. Departed with the Regiment to India in 1840. John was finally discharged in England 29 December 1843.

Michael, Sergeant (512) CONWAY

Born Unknown

Ship Caroline from Hobart, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 25 February 1835 Swan River Colony

Occupation Sergeant 21st Regiment

Biography

Michael drowned at King George's Sound 4 December 1835.

Bate COOK

Born England

Ship James Pattison from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 June 1834 King George's Sound

Occupation Labourer

Biography

Bate was a labourer at Perth in the 1837 Census.

Benjamin COOK

Born 27 August 1807 Kent, England
Ship Gilmore from London, England
Arrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Indentured Servant

Diana (Dinah) COOK nee CRAMPTON

Born c1808 Kent, England
Ship Gilmore from London, England
Arrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation

Children of family

Arrived with parents Mary Ann; born 16 April 1829; Kent, England (died 1829)

Born in colony

Mary Ann; born 1831 Eliza Jane; born 17 November 1832 Esther Maria ; born 20 December 1833 Elizabeth; born 28 December 1835; Guildford Stephen; born 12 April 1837; Swan River Colony Thomas; born 9 October 1838; Swan River Colony John; born 27 August 1840 Frederic; born 16 June 1842 Charlotte; born 12 December 1844; Perth Ellen Sophia; born 25 August 1847; Perth

Biography

Benjamin was an indentured servant to G Dunnage. First child Mary Ann died 15 December 1829 at Clarence. Benjamin was released from his bond on Dunnage's departure from the Colony. Diana died in Perth 1851 and Benjamin died 24 April 1870 at Guildford.

Edward COOK

Born c1800

Ship Marquis of Anglesea from London, England

Arrival date and place 23 August 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Sawyer

Biography

Edward was a sawyer in Latour's party.

Elijah COOK

Born c1811 Wiltshire, England
Ship Drummore from Cape of Good Hope
Arrival date and place 1 February 1831 Swan River Colony
Occupation Shepherd / Tanner

Sarah FARRELL

Born c1813

Ship Emelia and Ellen from Bombay, India

Arrival date and place 18 March 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Servant

Children of family

Born in colony

Mary Ellen; born 16 September 1838; York (died in 1839)

Biography

Elijah was the son of Jeremiah and Mary Jane Cook. He was a shepherd in the Avon district. Married 20 November 1837 at Guildford. Sarah and daughter were killed by natives in January 1839. Elijah died 11 June 1861 at Chapman Valley.

Henry COOK

Born Unknown Ship Rockingham from London, England Arrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

Mrs COOK

Born UnknownShip Rockingham from London, EnglandArrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

<u>Children of family</u> Arrived with parents Eliza; born c1805; England Mary Anne; Thomas George; born 1816; England Phillip Frederick Augustus; born 1826; England

Biography

The family 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 in April 1831 from the effects of these conditions. No record can be found in any English County of births or marriages of the Cook family. The family remained in the Colony. Daughter Eliza married William Thacker on 4 October 1838 at Guildford. Son Thomas George married Cecelia Nicholson at Toodyay in 1843. Phillip worked as a labourer and applied for an inn licence in 1850. Was a farmer between 1880 and 1889.

James COOK

Born c1804 Ship Hooghly from London, England Arrival date and place 12 February 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation Farmer

Children of family

Born in colony Mary Ann Ridley; born 1845 Elizabeth; born 1846 Frances (Fanny Amelia); born 1847; Perth Amelia; born 1848 Lucy; born 1851; died 1861 (York)

Biography

James married 6 July 1846 Amelia Ridley (born c 1810) (nee Collins). Amelia was the widow of Edward Ridley. Amelia arrived per the 'Simon Taylor' on 20 August 1842. James was listed in York census in 1859 as a farmer. He employed four ticket-of-leave men.

Jeremiah COOK

Born c1790 Kennett, Wiltshire, England
Ship Drummore from Cape of Good Hope
Arrival date and place 1 February 1831 Swan River Colony
Occupation Indentured Servant

Mary Jane COOK nee SUTTON

Born 1791 Wiltshire, England Ship Drummore from Cape of Good Hope Arrival date and place 1 February 1831 Swan River Colony Occupation Servant

Children of family

Arrived with parents Elijah; born c1811; England Charlotte; born c1813; England Jane; born c1814; England Henry; born c1817; England Phoebe; born c1819; England Sarah; born c1822; England John; born c1826; England Elizabeth; born c1828; England Mary Ellen; born c1829; England Harriet; born c1830; England

Biography

Sailed from England 25 June 1830 to the Cape of Good Hope on the ship 'Margaret', and then to the Swan River Colony on the ship 'Drummore'.

Jeremiah and Mary and seven of their children were omitted from the 1832 census, along with the Tanner household. Only Elijah, Sarah and Phoebe were recorded. Mary was convicted of theft in 1832. Jeremiah died 12 April 1831. Mary remarried 26 August 1832 to Henry Randall, who had arrived on the ship 'Nancy' in 1830. Elijah was employed by J. Fleay at York. Elijah's wife Sarah and daughter were killed by natives in 1839. Mary and daughters remained employed by Tanner as Cook and housemaids. Mary died in 1848 at York.

John Taylor COOKE

Born c1810 Yorkshire, England
Ship Lotus from London, England
Arrival date and place 6 October 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Carpenter, Builder & Contractor

Mary Anne MORGAN

Born c1814 Somersetshire, EnglandShip Minstrell from London, EnglandArrival date and place 20 January 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Nathaniel William; born 20 January 1838; Perth

Henry John; born 15 July 1839; Northam

Biography

John Taylor Cooke went to Albany in the 1830's. Married Mary Ann Morgan on 28 September 1836 (Perth Register) daughter of Abraham and Mary Morgan. John selected land at Katrine near Northam, later 'Newleyine' also near Northam. Established a flour mill in the Colony. Had the Wayside Inn and Post Office at Katrine. Bought land at Arrino on the Irwin River and invested in a mining property. Nathaniel had five sons and 3 daughters. Henry had nine children. Formed a cattle station at Mt Singleton and explored much of the Pilbara region before John Forrest. Nathaniel discovered and named 'Marble Bar', discovered copper at Whim Creek and found gold in Nullagine, owned Ethel Creek Station and Roy Hill. John Taylor Cooke died at 'Newleyine' aged 67 years on 7 December 1875 and Mary Anne died 12 May 1886.

Lancelot Taylor COOKE

Born 10 December 1810 Middlesex, EnglandShip Gilmore from London, EnglandArrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Cook

Biography

Lancelot was the Government schoolteacher at Fremantle in 1831. By 1836 he was employed by local storekeeper Mrs Pace. In 1857 he was a schoolmaster at Vasse and in 1860's he was a tutor to Alfred Bussell's children. Lancelot died 18 April 1878 at Perth (the Mt Eliza Invalid Depot).

Born Unknown

Ship Nancy from London, England

Arrival date and place 9 January 1830 Swan River Colony

Biography

Robert arrived and departed per the 'Nancy' 1830. Came back on the 'Merope' 23 March 1833 from Van Diemens Land. Was in partnership with Thomas Martyn at Fremantle. The partnership dissolved in May 1840.

William Fitz COOK

Born c1792 Essex, England Ship Rockingham from London, England Arrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation Gardener

Biography

William was indentured to Peel. Leased 'Dalkeith' 9 October 1841.

Robert COOMBES

Born Unknown

Ship Rockingham from London, England

Arrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

Sarah COOMBES

Born Unknown

Ship Rockingham from London, England

Arrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony

Biography

Robert arrived with wife and four children. Names of children not known. He was convicted of stealing from Johnson's house and was transported to Sydney via the 'Comet' on 23 September 1830. Wife and family departed per the 'Edward Lombe' 13 April 1831.

Born c1785

Ship Hooghly from London, England

Arrival date and place 12 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Gardener

Biography

James died 26 May 1830 at 'Clarence' of dysentery.

Born c1811 Suffolk, England
Ship Hooghly from London, England
Arrival date and place 12 February 1830 Swan River Colony
Occupation Indentured to Levey

Biography

James married the widow of Joshua Andrews. Appointed a Police Constable on 19 March 1841 at Albany. In 1847 he secured the contract for supplying rations for the Kojonup military post. He set up as a storekeeper and bought 50 acres at Plantagenet district in 1850.

John Colin COOPER

Born c1805

Ship Edward Lombe from London, England

Arrival date and place 24 August 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Clerk & Surveyor

Biography

Selected 800 acres in the Murray district. He applied for a ferry licence in 1830 at Guildford. Licensee of an Inn in 1832. John departed the Colony in April 1840 bound for South Australia per the 'Minerva'.

Joseph COOPER

Born c1796 Gloucestershire, England Ship Warrior from London, England Arrival date and place 12 March 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation Blacksmith & Miller

Elizabeth COOPER nee WRIGHT

Born c1795 Essex, EnglandShip Warrior from London, EnglandArrival date and place 12 March 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Elizabeth Ann; born May 1821; London, England Rebecca; born 1823; London, England Joseph; born 1825; London, England Mary Ann; born 1829; London, England

Born in colony

Maria; born 01 November 1832; Thomas Cleland; born 07 May 1835; Fremantle James; born 15 February 1838; Pinjarra

Biography

Joseph was granted 675 acres on the Murray River (East Coolup). The grant was relocated down stream from Pinjarra. The family established a mill 'Coopers Mill' on an island at the mouth of the Murray River. Joseph was tragically killed in November 1847 when he was thrown from the bullock cart in which he was travelling and was crushed by one of the wheels passing over him. He died before reaching Fremantle. The family is well documented in Ronald Richard's book 'Mandurah and the Murray'.

William COOPER

Born c1801

Ship Hooghly from London, England

Arrival date and place 12 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Carpenter

Biography

William died after only three months in the Colony. He died of dysentery 18 May 1830 at Clarence and was buried 19 May 1830.

William COOPER

Born c1786 Ship Dart from Mauritius Arrival date and place 21 November 1833 Swan River Colony Occupation Labourer

Sarah COOPER nee CAREY

Born c1808 Ship Dart from Mauritius Arrival date and place 21 November 1833 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

William Carey; born 25 December 1829

Born in colony

Sarah Ann; born 1833; Perth

Biography

William died 27 July 1834 at Fremantle and Sarah senior died 27 January 1836 also at Fremantle.

Anthony CORNISH

Born c1821 Birmingham, England
Ship James Pattison from London, England
Arrival date and place 19 August 1834 Swan River Colony
Occupation Farmer/ Miller/Publican

Rebecca COOPER

Born c1823 London, EnglandShip Warrior from London, EnglandArrival date and place 12 March 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

William; born 13 June 1844; Fremantle Mary Ann; born 27 June 1846; Pinjarra Elizabeth; born 1849; Pinjarra Andrew; born 1852; Fremantle Hamlet; born 07 January 1853; Fremantle Anthony; born 1857; Fremantle Jane Rebecca; born 1859; Pinjarra

Biography

Anthony Cornish was a versatile man who conducted many successful businesses. He was a brick maker, builder, miller, trader, publican, farmer, land owner, and was active in civic affairs. Anthony married Rebecca Cooper (19 years) on 4 May 1843 at St John's Anglican Church, Pinjarra. He was in partnership with his brother-in-law Nicholas Paterson who had married Anthony's widowed sister Jane Green. They operated many businesses ventures, the first of which a lightering and boat hire business in Fremantle and later as part owners of the barques 'Hamlet' and 'Swan' and ran cargoes of sandalwood to Singapore and Mauritius. Anthony Cornish erected many buildings in Fremantle including the Port Mill, Essex Street (in 1996, restored & developed into 8 dwelling units) the Freemasons Hotel, South Terrace (in 2004, now the Sail & Anchor brewery). He farmed at Pinjarra leasing part of Singleton's estate, Dandalup farm. Some years later (1856) Cornish and Paterson paid 3000 pounds for 10,000 acres of this farm which they renamed 'Creaton'. With the help of convict labour he erected many fine homes for the two families on this property. His other building achievements in Pinjarra included substantial homes for other residents, his own family home 'Hampstead' situated on the river, several bridges over the waterways, between Pinjarra and Fremantle and St. John's Anglican Church (in which graveyard he is buried, with his wife Rebecca and other members of the Cornish and Paterson families). Anthony Cornish died at Pinjarra on 22 August 1871 aged 50 years and his wife Rebecca died at 'Hampstead' Pinjarra on 18 December 1883 (59 years). Three of their four sons were pioneers of the Kimberley's. William and Hamlet Cornish were members of the Murray Squatting Co. who in 1880 pioneered 'Yeeda Station' on the Fitzroy River south of the yet to be proclaimed town of Derby. Son Anthony was a member of the Kimberley Squatting Co. who pioneered 'Liveringa Station' further south east on the Fitzroy River, where at 25 years of age he was killed by a native in December 1882.

Phillip, Private CORRIGAN

Born Unknown

Ship Marquis of Anglesea from London, England

Arrival date and place 23 August 1829 Swan River Colony

Occupation Private 63rd Regiment

Isabella CORRIGAN

Born Unknown Ship Marquis of Anglesea from London, England Arrival date and place 23 August 1829 Swan River Colony Occupation Charwoman

Children of family

Born in colony

Thomas; born 12 September 1829; Perth

Biography

Phillip was stationed at Kelmscott. Owned Perth Lots V11, V12 and W49. His house in Perth when he vacated it, was used to house sick aborigines.

Patrick, Private (519) COSTELLOE

Born c1807 Burrishocane, Tipperary, Ireland Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

Patrick was by trade a labourer. Initially stationed at Perth. Departed the Colony with the Regiment for India in 1840. Discharged to an outpension on 26 September 1848.

Christopher, Private (585) COSTIGAN

Born St Catherine's Parish, England Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

Christopher was stationed at Augusta in 1833. Departed with the Regiment to India in 1840. Died in India 13 September 1844 leaving a widow Catherine.

John COULSTON

Born c1784 Ship Success HMS from London, England Arrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony Occupation Ship's Steward/Butler

Mary COULSTON

Born c1798 Ship Success HMS from London, England Arrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

John B; born 1830

Biography

Appears in the 1836 Census in Perth as a Butler.

John COUSINS

Born c1790 Maidstone, Kent, England
Ship Gilmore from London, England
Arrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Indentured Servant

Mary COUSINS

Born c1794 Gondhurst, Kent, EnglandShip Gilmore from London, EnglandArrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Mary Elizabeth; born 1816; Christchurch Parish, Blackfriars, Surrey, England Anne Catherine; born c1821; Southwark, London, England John Isaac; born c1825; St George's Parish, Camberwell, Surrey, England William Australis; born 22 April 1828; Lambeth Parish, Surrey, England

Biography

Lieutenant - late of East India Company or the Royal Navy. Had land at Rottnest in 1831 (the land was later resigned). He was a Fremantle fisherman. Child Mary died of typhus in 1833. John went to South Australia in May 1848 per the 'Arpenteur'. Wife was a storekeeper at Perth. Mary died 20 November 1863. Son John married Emily Ann Lockyer daughter of James and Ann in November 1844.

William COUTES

Born Unknown

Ship Unknown

Arrival date and place Swan River Colony

Occupation Indentured Servant

Biography

William was an indentured servant to Gallop. Departed the Colony per the 'Eagle' 17 January 1831 for Van Diemens Land.

Born Unknown

Ship Edward Lombe from London, England

Arrival date and place 24 August 1830 Swan River Colony

Biography

Charles departed the Colony per the 'Thistle' with Stephen Henty on 27 November 1831.

George Stanyford Francis, Dr COWCHER

Born 1794 Nettly, Hampshire, England
Ship Medina from London, England
Arrival date and place 6 July 1830 Swan River Colony
Occupation Doctor

Sarah Frances COWCHER nee BARKER

Born 1787 Sth Hayling, Hampshire, EnglandShip Medina from London, EnglandArrival date and place 6 July 1830 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Sarah Frances; baptised 6 September 1815; Nursling, Hampshire, England George Stanyford; baptised 26 November 1817; Nursling, Hampshire, England Emma Augusta; baptised 6 January 1820; Nursling, Hampshire, England Charles; baptised 04 August 1822; Nursling, Hampshire, England John William; baptised 17 March 1825; Nursling, Hampshire, England Eliza Anne; baptised 07 July 1828; Nursling, Hampshire, England Susan Medina; born 02 June 1830; At Sea ship 'Medina'

Born in colony

Henry; born 17 April 1834; Guildford

Biography

Doctor Cowcher was to have settled in South Africa, but on advice he decided to come and try his luck at Swan River. When he arrived at Fremantle, he applied for a doctor's position with the Colony in Fremantle - this was not successful. He then went to Guildford to live and was granted 1700 acres on the assessment of the value of articles that were brought to the Colony. The allotments offered were: 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, and 75 situated on the Helena River. Lot No 75 was swapped for Lot 15 which was situated on the Swan River. This was used to run a ferry service across the Swan River. With this ferry service, Dr Cowcher was given the rights to operate the Guildford Ferry and to receive ferry tolls for a period of twelve months from May 1831. As a concession to his reduced circumstances he was not required to pay rent for the ferry licence. The service was put into operation about the end of June 1831, it travelled between a landing on the riverbank at the end of Bridge Street, Guildford to the opposite bank below James Dodd's House. On the 8 April 1831, Dr GSF Cowcher wrote a letter for permission to build a hotel in Market St., Guildford - called the 'Guildford Hotel'. It was facing the river with French windows at both sides (it had seven rooms). After about three years in 1834 Dr Cowcher and family moved to Fremantle to live, where they remained until his death on 16 May 1840 - he was buried at Alma Street, Cemetery. His wife Sarah carried on until her death on 2 December 1876 and was buried at Skinner Street Cemetery in Fremantle. The boys then moved onto Pinjarra and then to the Williams district as farmers.

Nathaniel COWELL

Born c1791
Ship Marquis of Anglesea from London, England
Arrival date and place 23 August 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Builder

Elizabeth COWELL

Born c1792 Ship Marquis of Anglesea from London, England Arrival date and place 23 August 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Nathaniel; born 1819 John; born 1821

Frederick; born 1823

Eliza; born 1825

Phoebe; born 1827

Felix; born 01 July 1829; at sea

Biography

Granted 7406 acres. Bought Town Lots at Fremantle.

Joseph COX

Born Unknown Ship Sulphur HMS from London, England Arrival date and place 8 June 1829 Swan River Colony Occupation Seaman/Sailmaker

Eliza COX

Born UnknownShip Sulphur HMS from London, EnglandArrival date and place 8 June 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Thomas; born 26 October 1829; Garden Island

Biography

Joseph and family departed the Colony in September 1832. Location dues on Perth Lot Y43 were unpaid.

Samuel COX

Born c1797 Surrey, England
Ship Rockingham from London, England
Arrival date and place 14 May 1830 Swan River Colony
Occupation Shipwright

Biography

Granted 200 acres in Canning district. Shipwright and builder of flats for horse ferry work. In 1832 was in partnership with Mews. Departed per the 'Dispatch' for Mauritius in 1848. Samuel returned to the Colony and died 15 July 1879 at Thompsons Lakes.

Daniel, Private (309) COYLE

Born c1800 Parish of St Patricks, County Down, Ireland
Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land
Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony
Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

Enlisted 4 February 1824. By trade a bleacher. Initially stationed at Albany. Embarked for Hobart on 21 September 1835 and then to India with the Regiment. Daniel was discharged at Chatham, England 26 March 1846.

John CRAIGIE

Born c1807 Perth, Scotland Ship James Pattison from London, England Arrival date and place 19 August 1834 Swan River Colony Occupation Baker

Children of family

Born in colony

Mary; born 03 June 1843; Albany Jane; born 04 March 1845; Albany Son; born 17 March 1847; Albany

Biography

Purchased land in St. George's Terrace in May 1831. Was in the Mounted Police at Guildford in the 1836 Census. Married Margaret Walker (born c1821) at Albany on 25 August 1842. Margaret arrived at Albany in 1841. At Albany he was Manager of Symer's property in 1840. Between 1843 and 1847 was a publican and involved in whaling with John Thomas and Solomon Cook. **Born** c1795

Ship Protector from London, England

Arrival date and place 26 February 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Carpenter & Wheelwright

Biography

Employed by H.E. Hall. James departed the Colony in November 1830 per the 'Cleopatra' for Van Diemens Land.

John Benjamin CRANE

Born 31 January 1796 Rainham, Kent, England
Ship Gilmore from London, England
Arrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Indentured Servant

Elizabeth Matilda CRANE

Born c1804 EnglandShip Gilmore from London, EnglandArrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

James; born 1822; Rainham, Kent, England Hannah; born 1824; Rainham, Kent, England Frances; born 1826; Rainham, Kent, England Sarah Ann; born 1828; Rainham, Kent, England

Biography

Married 1821 England. John and Elizabeth Crane and their four small children were aboard the first of Peel's ships, the 'Gilmore', when it sailed from England. The Cranes would have initially lived at Clarence with Peel's other indentured settlers. By 1831, Crane was living in Perth, where he was awarded the contract to cut a canal through a neck of land at Burswood. In the 1832 census John Crane was listed as a brick maker and labourer with Levey. John is recorded as making bricks where the Queens Gardens are today. On 6 January 1838, in a submission to the Governor proposing the first causeway across the flats east of Perth, Crane was named as a contractor. In 1839, a contract was let to John Crane for 250 pounds to build a canal around the riverside fringe of what is now the W.A.C.A. He was granted Guildford town Lot 50 on 10 March 1841, and also Perth Lot W20 on 8 September 1841. On 4 May 1842, the Causeway Committee accepted two tenders for the completion of the much discussed Causeway across the flats. One was from John Crane for 385 pounds for the embankment connecting the bridges. John later became the toll keeper on the Causeway. John was a carter and innkeeper in the 1850's and later a victualler. In 1850 he owned 20 acres in the Cockburn district and 45 acres in 1866. On the 23 July 1852, John Crane purchased Perth Lots E1 and E2 on the corner of Adelaide Terrace and Howick Streets from Lionel and William Sampson. Elizabeth Crane died in 1866 aged 65 years and John Benjamin Crane died on 30 October 1881, both in Western Australia.

Born Unknown

Ship Ephemina from Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 9 October 1829 Swan River Colony

Biography

Departed the Swan River Colony per 'Swan River Packet' for Van Diemens Land on 16 July 1831.

Owen CRAWLEY

Born Unknown

Ship James Pattison from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 June 1834 King George's Sound

Occupation Servant

Biography

Brought out as an orphan by the Children's Friend Society. Apprenticed to Henry Watt who was a farmer at Albany. May have departed the Colony a few month's later with his master.

Andrew Barnard CREAGH

Born c1820

Ship Hero from London, England

Arrival date and place 22 August 1837 Swan River Colony

Occupation Gentleman

Biography

Andrew drowned after only one month in the Colony on 28 September 1837 at Fremantle.

William, Private (788) CREAR

Born c1808 Touliff, Perthshire, Scotland
Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land
Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony
Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

William died as a result of an accident in the Colony 19 August 1834.

Born c1810 Essex, England Ship Lotus from London, England Arrival date and place 6 October 1829 Swan River Colony Occupation Groom & Servant

Biography

Intended leaving the Colony in December 1834.

James CRICHTON

Born c1815

Ship Joshua Carroll from

Arrival date and place 2 November 1836 Swan River Colony

Occupation Medical Officer

Biography

Colonial Surgeon 1836-1843. He was a medical officer with the 51st Regiment stationed in the Colony between 1840 and 1847. He married Matilda Souper (born 1821) who arrived per the 'Sterling' 14 March 1841 on 6 September 1842. She died six days later on 12 September 1842. James visited India per the 'Champion' 18 June 1842 and returned by the same ship. He was granted eighteen months leave of absence and departed for England per the 'Trusty' on 26 January 1843.

William CRIDDLE (CRITTAL)

Born 18 November 1804 Ightham, Kent, England
Ship Caroline from London, England
Arrival date and place 12 October 1829 Swan River Colony
Occupation Indentured Servant to a Solicitor (Stone)

Elizabeth THOMAS

Born 26 November 1820 Bristol, England
Ship Eleanor from London, England
Arrival date and place 23 December 1837 Swan River Colony
Occupation Servant

Children of family

Born in colony Ann; born 1842; Toodyay William; born 1844; Toodyay Thomas; born 1846; Toodyay Susanna; born 1846; Toodyay Henry; born 1850; Toodyay Mary; born 1850; Toodyay Mary; born 1855; Port Gregory James; born 1857; Victoria District Sarah; born 1859; Greenough Eliza; born 1861; Greenough Emily; born 1862; Greenough George; born 1864; Greenough

Elizabeth Phoebe; born 1870; Greenough

Biography

William Crittal arrived at Swan River as an indentured servant to Alfred Hawes Stone, a solicitor, who planned to become one of the 'Landed Gentry' under James Stirling. Several years later Stone's dream was lost and William was released from his indentures to survive on his skills and experience in building and in agriculture. The evolution of the Colony led William to Toodyay where he married Elizabeth (Betsy) Thomas around 1840. Elizabeth was one of a group of young people who were sponsored, as trained servants, to the Colony by the 'Children's Friend Society'. She arrived with her brother Samuel. In 1842 William built the Toodyay Police Barracks which was the first public building in Toodyay. The couple leased property to farm but drought and a depression in the Colony crushed their dreams of independence. In 1851 these difficult times put the family, with 5 children, on the road to the Irwin River working for Lockier Burges herding sheep north to a new part of the Colony. Mary, the sixth of the Criddle children, is the first recorded birth in the Register of Births in Geraldton. In the years that followed William and Elizabeth worked for the Burges family and were rewarded with the opportunity to become yeoman farmers on the fertile Greenough Flats. The humble servants and their 14 children, became stalwarts of that community then extended to the Chapman Valley and other parts of the State. Many families are linked to the original Criddle including the Connolly family, the Brand family and the Cook family. The family tree is huge and touches most of the old Western Australian population. The beginnings of it are recorded in the publication 'William and Elizabeth Criddle -Alternatives at Swan River' by Roy Criddle.

John CRISP

Born c1791 Suffolk, England Ship Gilmore from London, England Arrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony Occupation Victualler & Carpenter

Martha CRISP nee THOMPSON

Born c1792 Suffolk, EnglandShip Gilmore from London, EnglandArrival date and place 15 December 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Arrived with parents

Martha; born 1821; Suffolk

Robert; born 1821

Francis; born 1826

John; born 1824; drowned 1832

Elizabeth; born 1826

Biography

John married Martha Thompson 24 January 1819 at Ipswich, Suffolk, England. They brought in a nursemaid Mary Thomson (who married Strudwick). Employed by JR Phillips in 1834. John died 31 December 1837 at Fremantle. Martha carried on the business as a boarding housekeeper. Martha died at the home of her son-in-law Anton Helmich 12 June 1870 at Perth.

John CROCKER (CROKER)

Born c1801 Middlesex, England

Ship Nancy from London, England

Arrival date and place 9 January 1830 Swan River Colony

Occupation Servant

Biography

John was a servant to Lieutenant Bull and Wood. He was a shoemaker. Transferred Perth Town Lot to Guildford residence Town Lot 36 in 1832.

John CROOK

Born c1818

Ship James Pattison from London, England

Arrival date and place 19 August 1834 Swan River Colony

Occupation Labourer

Biography

Appears as a labourer in the 1836 Census. Was working for Adam Armstrong in 1846. Tried and convicted for stealing half a gallon of wine from Armstrong. John departed the Colony in December 1846 on the 'River Chief' for South Australia.

William Connor (John) CRUSE (CRUZE)

Born c1802 England
Ship Nancy from London, England
Arrival date and place 9 January 1830 Swan River Colony
Occupation Carpenter

Janet (Jessie) DEWAR

Born c1817 ScotlandShip Warrior from London, EnglandArrival date and place 12 March 1830 Swan River Colony

Biography

Indentured to Lieutenant Bull and Wood. William married Janet Dewar 12 April 1836 at Perth. William was an Upper Swan farmer and flour miller at 'Ellensbrook'. He retired to West Guildford. In 1860 he qualified as a juror having four hundred pounds real estate. He bought Swan Locations 382, 430, 432 & 438 between 1864 and 1870 at Bullsbrook totalling 180 acres and held pastoral leases of 9200 acres. Employed 26 ticket-of- leave men between 1856-1873. William died 8 September 1874 at Guildford and Janet died 13 March 1888 also at Guildford.

Richard CULLYER

Born c1823

Ship Giraffe from London, England

Arrival date and place 30 December 1835 Swan River Colony

Biography

Brought out by the Children's Friend Society. Indentured to Collins. Absconded in 1838 and his indentures were cancelled.

James, Private (478) CURRAN

Born Dunass?

Ship Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens Land

Arrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony

Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

Stationed at Albany in 1833. Charged with assault in May 1838. Departed with his Regiment to India and died at Calcutta, India on 2 October 1840. His next of kin was widow Eliza from County Clare, Ireland.

Mark J, Captain Royal Navy CURRIE

Born c1796 Surrey, England Ship Parmelia from London, England Arrival date and place 1 June 1829 Swan River Colony Occupation Harbourmaster, Fremantle

Jane Eliza CURRIE

Born c1798 Middlesex, EnglandShip Parmelia from London, EnglandArrival date and place 1 June 1829 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony Jane Eliza; born 27 January 1830

Mark Riddell; born 17 August 1831; near Guildford

Biography

Mark served as Harbourmaster and Postmaster 1829-1830. The Currie home 'Crawley' was built on the present site of the University of Western Australia. Between 1831 and 1832 was Auditor for the Government. Wife was assigned 2560 acres in the Plantagenet district. In 1832 he was appointed Secretary to Executive and Legislative Council. Departed for England on HMS 'Sulphur' 12 August 1832 to resume his naval career. A copy of his wife's diary which is considered a valuable historical document, is in the Battye Library.

Anthony Barnabus CURTIS

Born 1794 London, England Ship Medina from London, England Arrival date and place 6 July 1830 Swan River Colony Occupation Shipowner & Trader

Susannah GLINDON

Born c1815Ship Fanny from BataviaArrival date and place 1 March 1835 Swan River Colony

Children of family

Born in colony

Mary Ann Amelia; born 08/1837; died 09/1837 Anthony; born 28 December 1838; Fremantle William Glindon; born 23 February 1841; Fremantle Amelia Harriett; born 28 September 1842; Fremantle

Biography

Anthony was baptised 27 April 1800 at St Martin in the Fields, London. England. He developed a business as shipowner and trader with Mauitius and East Indies. He bought the 'Fanny' from the Henty's in 1835, the 'Lady Stirling' from Scott c1836 and also bought the 'Vixen' in 1840. Built the 'Black Swan'. Anthony had a butchering business in 1834 and an inn called the 'Stag Head's Inn'. He began whaling in 1839 with Scott and established a brewery at Fremantle. Married 2 June 1836 at Fremantle to Susannah Glindon (born 1815). Anthony Curtis died 11 January 1853 at Fremantle.

Mary CURTIS nee BISHOP

Born c1765 London, England Ship Fanny from Launceston & King George Sound Arrival date and place 20 February 1834 Swan River Colony Occupation Retired Shop Keeper

Children of family

Arrived with parent

Poll Susannah; baptised 28 October 1812; London, England

Biography

Mary Curtis was a shopkeeper in London when her husband died. They had married 29 September 1782 at St. James, Westminster, London when Mary was seventeen years old. Their five children were born in London. After William died she sold his carpenter's tools and used the money to open a shop in London. Son Anthony joined the Royal Navy at 12 years of age and visited the Colony in the early days. He returned to the Colony on the ship 'Medina'. Her son Anthony Barnabas Curtis sent for her and her daughter (his sister) Poll Susannah, to come to the Colony.

Anthony was a ship-owner and trader between Mauritius and the East Indies. He purchased the ship 'Fanny' in 1835. He was a merchant and importer. Mary lived in a cottage provided by Anthony in Fremantle until he died on 11 January 1853. She then lived with her son-in-law Edward Back at Fremantle and Rottnest Island. The cottage they lived in at Rottnest, is now known as Cottage K on Thompson's Bay. Conditions were very cramped so Captain Back her son-in-law wrote to the Colonial Secretary, to request that she be allowed to occupy a small room at Government House, Rottnest.

In 1857 Edward Back and his family returned to Fremantle and Mary returned and lived with them. When she died she was the oldest person in the Colony. Her death was reported in the Perth Gazette 'Her death was not caused by disease or decay but from shock occasioned when portion of her dress caught on fire'. Mary Curtis died on 14 April 1861 at Fremantle. She was buried in the Alma Street Cemetery, Fremantle. Mary was a strong and courageous woman to the last, a truly remarkable pioneer.

James (John), Private (435) CUSACK

Born Athboy, IrelandShip Jane from Hobart, Van Diemens LandArrival date and place 9 September 1833 Swan River Colony

Occupation Private 21st Regiment

Biography

James died in India 11 September 1845 at the Regimental Hospital, India.