## Ellen Doody' (uxor Ellen Mílls)

Place Tried Co. Clare Date Tried 27 February 1849a

Offence sheep stealing Sentence 7 years

Prosecutor Mr Cody, Co. Clare

Gaol Report quiet

Surgeon's Report quiet

Class 2rd (see 2rd

Station of Gang Anson Class 3rd from 24 January 1850

Religion Roman Catholic Literacy neither read nor write
Marital Status single Trade housemaid, house servant

Age 21<sup>b</sup> Native Place Co. Clare Height 5' 2<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>", 5' 2" Complexion fair, freckled

Head oval Hair black
Visage oval Forehead medium

Eyebrows blackEyes blueNose sharpMouth smallChin smallMarks none

Family mother Catherine; brothers James & Teddy;

sisters Kitty, Mary & Margaret

27 March 1849 Received at Grangegorman Depot, Dublin at 10pm.<sup>2</sup>

4 September 1849 Put on Australasia sick list for obstipation (off 8 September, cured).3

18 October 1850 Contracted as PPH to Mary A Gormley, Murray St, Hobart, 12m at £7 pa.<sup>4</sup>
5 May 1851 Contracted as PPH to George Hislop, Cascade Rd, Hobart, 12m at £8 pa.<sup>4</sup>
11? November 1851 Contracted as PPH to Charles Driver, Argyle St, Hobart, 12m at £7 pa.<sup>4</sup>

18 May 1852 Mustered in Bothwell district.<sup>5</sup>

15 June 1852 To apply in 3 months for Ticket-of-Leave.<sup>5</sup>

27 June 1852 Affidavit for marriage licence made & subscribed to by Sydney Mills, resident at

Thorpe, bachelor, above 21y, to marry Ellen Doody, resident at Bothwell, spinster,

above 21y; application for marriage having been approved by the LG.6

19 October 1852 Ticket-of-Leave granted; not to reside in Hobart.<sup>5</sup>

27 September 1852 Mustered in Bothwell district.<sup>5</sup>

13 November 1852 Application for permission to marry Sydney Mills (*Agincourt*).<sup>7</sup>

14 December 1852<sup>d</sup> Daughter Elizabeth Mills, labourer's child, born at Bothwell; baptised 26 September

1853 at St Joseph's RC Church, Hobart; sponsors James Toole & Elizabeth O'Neill.<sup>8</sup>

27 December 1852 Married as 23y, housemaid, to Sydney Mills, 24y, farm labourer, at Bothwell

Presbyterian Church; witnesses Mary Harrow & George Davis.9

24 January 1854 Recommended for Conditional Pardon.<sup>5</sup>

16 May 1854 Husband Sydney Mills granted Conditional Pardon. 10

19 December 1854 Conditional Pardon approved (issued at Hobart 5 November 1855).<sup>11</sup>
13 July 1855 **Daughter** Martha Mills, labourer's child, born at Veterans Row, Hobart.<sup>12</sup>
23 August 1855 Daughter Martha Mills, 3w, labourer's child, died at Veterans Row, Hobart.<sup>13</sup>

27 February 1856 Free by servitude.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>a</sup> Date given as 5 March 1849 on Irish transportation register.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>b</sup> Age given as 22y on *Australasia* sick list.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>c</sup> This is likely to have been Charles Henry Driver, husband of Judith Hourigan (qv).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>d</sup> Date given as 23 December 1853 on baptism record.

## References

- <sup>1</sup> AOT, CON 41/24 Australasia No.670 (Ellen Doody); AOT, CON 19/8 Australasia (Ellen Doody); AOT, CON 15/6 Australasia No.57 (Ellen Doody); NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1700 (Ellen Doody); NAI, TR9 p.10 (Ellen Doody)
- <sup>2</sup> NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1700 (Ellen Doody)
- <sup>3</sup> AJCP, ADM 101/6 Australasia Sick List (Ellen Doody)
- <sup>4</sup> AOT, CON 30/1 pp.142, 233 & 297 (Ellen Doody)
- <sup>5</sup> AOT, CON 41/24 Australasia No.670 (Ellen Doody)
- <sup>6</sup> AOT, NS 1463/1 No.16 (Sydney Mills & Ellen Doodey)
- <sup>7</sup> AOT, CON 52/5 p.323 (Sydney Mills & Ellen Doody)
- 8 AOT, RGD 33/30 1852/33 Bothwell (female Mills); AOT, NS 1052/8 p.208 (Elizabeth Mills)
- 9 AOT, RGD 37/11 1852/4 Bothwell (Sydney Mills & Ellen Doody)
- <sup>10</sup> AOT, CON 33/83 Agincourt No.19308 (Sidney Mills)
- <sup>11</sup> AOT, CON 56/2 No.1789 (Ellen Doody)
- <sup>12</sup> AOT, RGD 33/6 1855/334 Hobart (Martha Mills)
- <sup>13</sup> AOT, RGD 35/5 1855/159 Hobart (Martha Mills)