

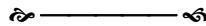
*Margaret Kinnealy*¹
(uxor Margaret Foster)

<i>Place Tried</i> Co. Cork	<i>Date Tried</i> 17 March 1849
<i>Offence</i> stealing a shirt	<i>Sentence</i> 7 years
<i>Prosecutor</i> unknown, Co. Cork	<i>Previous Convictions</i> 2 – stealing carrots (2m), stealing goats (2m)
<i>Gaol Report</i> quiet, clean	<i>Surgeon's Report</i> quiet
<i>Station of Gang</i> Anson	<i>Class</i> 3 rd from 6 February 1850
<i>Religion</i> Roman Catholic	<i>Literacy</i> read, neither read nor write
<i>Marital Status</i> single	<i>Trade</i> nursemaid, housemaid
<i>Age</i> 18 ^a	<i>Native Place</i> Co. Cork
<i>Height</i> 4' 8½", 5' 4½"	<i>Complexion</i> fresh, fair
<i>Head</i> round	<i>Hair</i> brown
<i>Visage</i> round	<i>Forehead</i> high
<i>Eyebrows</i> brown	<i>Eyes</i> light hazel
<i>Nose</i> short	<i>Mouth</i> medium
<i>Chin</i> short, round	<i>Marks</i> none
<i>Family</i> none	
19 April 1849	Received at Grangegorman Depot, Dublin at 9:30am. ²
7 August 1849	Put on <i>Australasia</i> sick list for cynanche (off 1 September, cured). ³
26 September 1849	Put on <i>Australasia</i> sick list for cynanche (off 2 October, cured). ³
c1852	To Brickfields Hiring Depot, Hobart. ⁴
9 March 1852	To Alexander Orr, New Wharf, Hobart. ⁴
19 March 1852	To Brickfields Hiring Depot, Hobart. ⁴
5 April 1852	To John Turner, Sandy Bay. ⁴
7 April 1852	To Brickfields Hiring Depot, Hobart. ⁴
22 April 1852	To Thomas Yates, Elizabeth St, Hobart. ⁴
27 April 1852	To Brickfields Hiring Depot, Hobart. ⁴
29 April 1852	Absconded from the service of Thomas Yates of Elizabeth St, Hobart. ⁵
3 May 1852	Charged at Brickfields Hiring Depot with disobedience of orders & refusing to work whilst in service; sentence 10d SC. ⁴
5 May 1852	To Cascades FF, Hobart. ⁴
14 May 1852	To John M Short, Battery Point. ⁴
25 May 1852	Tried at Hobart PC charged with absence without leave from the service of John M Short, Battery Point this morning having left her master's house open; admonished & discharged, returned to her service at her master's request. ⁶
10 June 1852	To Brickfields Hiring Depot, Hobart. ⁴
18 June 1852	Contracted as PPH to Richard Alsbrook, Battery Point, ^b 12m at £7 pa. ⁷
3 July 1852	Tried at Hobart PC charged by her master Richard Alsbrook, Battery Point with absence without leave from her service from 8pm until 10:05pm on 2 July; sentence 1m HL, Cascades FF. ⁶
7 July 1852	Charged at Cascades FF with having a dirty apartment; sentence 3d bread & water. ⁸
26 October 1852	To apply in 3 months for Ticket-of-Leave. ⁴
27 November 1852	To A Mills, New Town. ⁴
8 February 1853	Ticket-of-Leave granted. ⁴

^a Age given as: 17y on Grangegorman prison register and description list; 20y on *Australasia* sick list.

^b Address given as Goulburn St, Hobart on PPH employment register.

5 May 1853	Absconded from her authorised place of residence. ⁹
9 May 1853	Charged with being absent from her authorised place of residence since 5 May; not to reside in the district of Hobart. ⁴
13 May 1853	Tried at Hobart PC, brought up from 11 May on remand at Cascades FF, charged with absence without leave from her authorised place of residence in Liverpool St, Hobart for 11 hours on the night of 10 May; sentence 3m HL. ¹⁰
5 September 1853	Ticket-of-Leave revoked for misconduct. ¹¹
13 December 1853	Illegitimate daughter Catherine Kinnealy born at Brickfields Nursery, Hobart. ¹²
8 March 1854 ^c	Illegitimate son John Kinnealy born at Brickfields Nursery; baptised 10 March 1854 at St Joseph's RC Church, Hobart; sponsor Mary Sheehan. ¹³
5 July 1854	To Hobart Hospital. ⁴
6 June 1855	To Cascades FF, Hobart. ⁴
29 December 1855	To Cascades FF, Hobart. ⁴
17 March 1856	Free by servitude.
24 March 1856	Certificate of Freedom collected. ⁴
7 July 1856	Married as 25y, spinster, to William Foster, 40y, labourer, at St George's CE Church, Battery Point; witnesses Adam Wilson & Mary Norton. ¹⁴
13 July 1875	Husband William Foster, 75y, ^d labourer, died of consumption at his residence near Hobart Wood Yard, Old Wharf, Hobart; buried 16 July in RC section, Cornelian Bay Cemetery, Hobart. ¹⁵
17 August 1881	Admitted to New Town Invalid Depot from Hobart district (discharged 7 April at own request). ¹⁶
6 May 1898	Died of senilis at New Town Charitable Institution, 74y, ^e pauper; buried 7 May in RC section, Cornelian Bay Cemetery, Hobart. ¹⁷



^c It is impossible that Margaret gave birth to children three months apart. Either Catherine and John were the same child or the date of birth or mother's name was incorrectly recorded for one of them. There were no other possible convicts who could have been their mother.

^d Age given as 65y on burial record.

^e Age given as 67y on burial record.

References

- ¹ AOT, CON 41/24 *Australasia* No.364 (Margaret Kinnealy); AOT, CON 19/8 *Australasia* (Margt Kinnealey); AOT, CON 15/6 *Australasia* No.97 (Margaret Kennealy); NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1851 (Margaret Kenneally)
- ² NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1851 (Margaret Kenneally)
- ³ AJCP, ADM 101/6 *Australasia* Sick List (Margaret Kenneally)
- ⁴ AOT, CON 41/24 *Australasia* No.364 (Margaret Kinnealy)
- ⁵ *Hobart Town Gazette*, 4 May 1852 p.379 (Margaret Kinnealy)
- ⁶ AOT, LC 251/2 (Margaret Connelly/Kinneally)
- ⁷ AOT, CON 30/1 p.362 (Mary Kenneally)
- ⁸ AOT, CON 138/1 (Margt Kinneally)
- ⁹ *Hobart Town Gazette*, 10 May 1853 p.388 (Margaret Kennealy)
- ¹⁰ AOT, LC 247/22 (Margaret Kinnealy)
- ¹¹ *Hobart Town Gazette*, 6 September 1853 p.772 (Margaret Kinnealy)
- ¹² AOT, RGD 33/5 1854/412 Hobart (Catherine Kinnellen); AOT, NS 1052/8 p.223 (John Kinneally)
- ¹³ AOT, RGD 33/5 1854/761 Hobart (John Kinnealleer); AOT, NS 1052/8 p.223 (John Kinneally)
- ¹⁴ AOT, RGD 37/15 1856/228 Hobart (William Foster & Margaret Kinnary)
- ¹⁵ AOT, RGD 35/8 1875/2861 Hobart (William Foster); SRCT CB RC Section A No.65 (William Foster)
- ¹⁶ AOT, POL 709/3 p.58 (Margaret Foster)
- ¹⁷ AOT, RGD 35/68 1898/333 Hobart (Margaret Foster); SRCT CB RC Section A No.65 (Margaret Foster)