

Elizabeth Millward

POLICE NUMBER 344 ¹	LITERACY neither read nor write
TRIAL DATE 12 August 1840	AGE ON EMBARKATION 48
TRIAL PLACE Warwick Summer Assizes	AGE ON ARRIVAL 48
OFFENCE stealing 6 shillings from the person	HEIGHT 5'
SENTENCE 15 years	COMPLEXION fresh
GAOL REPORT convicted before of felony and 18 times in prison, prostitute	HEAD oval
PREVIOUS CONVICTIONS once 6 months for stealing a gown, 20 times in prison before for being disorderly	HAIR light brown
SURGEON'S REPORT quiet	VISAGE full
ON THE TOWN 2 years	FOREHEAD high
MARITAL STATUS widow	EYEBROWS light brown
CHILDREN 4	EYES light blue
FAMILY 4 children all dead	NOSE long
NATIVE PLACE Birmingham, England	MOUTH wide
TRADE ON EMBARKATION prostitute	CHIN dimple
TRADE ON ARRIVAL servant of all work	MARKS slightly pockpitted

c1793	Born at Birmingham, Warwickshire, England. ²
12 August 1840	Tried at Warwick Summer Assizes, Warwickshire, England indicted for larceny in stealing 6 shillings from the person; sentence 15 years transportation. ³
5 April 1841	Departed Woolwich, England on the <i>Rajah</i> . ⁴
19 July 1841	Arrived at Hobart on the <i>Rajah</i> . ⁴
c24 July 1841	Upon arrival at Hobart, sent to Cascades Female Factory, Hobart; not immediately assigned. ⁵
24 September 1841	Charged with being absent all night without leave from her service and drunk; in the service of Stump; sentence 1 month at the wash tub at Cascades Female Factory, Hobart.
26 November 1841	Charged with being drunk in the service of Stump; sentence 1 month at the wash tub at Cascades Female Factory, Hobart.
31 December 1841	Mustered at Launceston ⁶ Female Factory. ⁷
2 March 1842	Charged with being absent without leave from the service of Brown; sentence 1 month's hard labour at Cascades Female Factory, Hobart. ³
30 June 1842	Charged at the Police Court, Hobart on the complaint of her master with misconduct in absenting herself without leave yesterday; in the service of Mr Barrett; sentence 1 month hard labour in the separate working cells at Cascades Female Factory, Hobart. ⁸
18 November 1843	Charged at the Police Court, Hobart by her mistress with being drunk and absent without leave yesterday; in the service of Mrs Elson, ⁹ Davey Street, Hobart; sentence 1 month hard labour at the wash tub at Cascades Female Factory, Hobart. ¹⁰

¹ TAHO, CON40/1/8 p.39 No.344 [image 41] (Elizabeth Millward); TAHO, CON19/1/1 p.235 [image 121] (Elizabeth Millward); ML, CY 1282 p.151 (Elizabeth Millward); ML, CY 1197 p.156 (Elizabeth Millward); ML, CY 958 p.443 (Elizabeth Millward)

² TAHO, CON19/1/1 p.235 [image 121] (Elizabeth Millward)

³ TAHO, CON40/1/8 p.39 No.344 [image 41] (Elizabeth Millward)

⁴ AJCP, ADM 101/63 *Rajah*

⁵ ML, CY 1282 p.143 (Elizabeth Millward); ML, CY 1274 p.260 (Elizabeth Millward)

⁶ This may have been erroneously recorded as Launceston; it was probably meant to be Cascades Female Factory.

⁷ AJCP, HO 10/51 p.381 No.344 Elizabeth Millward)

⁸ TAHO, AC480/1/1, 30 June 1842 (Elizabeth Millward)

⁹ On the lower court record, this name looks like Gibson.

¹⁰ TAHO, AC480/1/1, 18 November 1843 (Elizabeth Millward)

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7 February 1844	Classified as a 2 nd class probation pass-holder; gazetted 9 February. ¹¹
29 March 1844	Charged with being absent without leave from the service of Sproul; sentence 14 days' solitary confinement. ³
31 July 1844	Hired in private service as a probation pass-holder to John Tollard, Launceston. ¹²
21 August 1844	Hired in service as a probation pass-holder to Josias McAllen, West Tamar. ¹³
31 August 1844	Promoted from a 2 nd class to a 3 rd class probation pass-holder; gazetted 6 September. ¹⁴
3 September 1844	Charged with being drunk in the service of McAllen; sentence 7 days in solitary confinement. ³
24 October 1844	Charged with being absent without leave from the service of Anderson; sentence 3 months hard labour at Launceston Female Factory. ³
26 December 1844	Hired in private service for 1 month as a probation pass-holder to James M Stephenson, <i>Mowbray</i> . ¹⁵
4 March 1845	Hired in private service for 1 month as a probation pass-holder to Henry Gunn, Launceston. ¹⁶
7 March 1845	Charged with being drunk in the service of Gunn; sentence 10 days in solitary confinement at Launceston Female Factory. ³
11 November 1845	Hired in private service for 3 months as a probation pass-holder to Charles Brumby, Norfolk Plains. ¹⁷
3 March 1846	Charged at the Police Court, Longford with misconduct; remanded. ¹⁸
4 March 1846	Brought up at the Police Court, Longford charged with misconduct in being found in a hut with a man named Edward Kirk ¹⁹ on the premises of Mr Toosey, Cressy; admonished. ²⁰
1846	At the Hiring Depot, Launceston. ²¹
16 March 1847	Charged with drunkenness in the service of Pineo; sentence 2 months hard labour at Launceston Female Factory. ³
25 June 1847	Charged with misconduct in the service of Gregg; sentence 6 weeks hard labour at Launceston Female Factory. ³
26 August 1847	At Launceston. ³
15 November 1847	Charged with misconduct in the service of Pyke; sentence 2 months hard labour at Launceston Female Factory. ³
17 February 1848	Charged with drunkenness in the service of Wigmore; ²² sentence 1 month hard labour at Launceston Female Factory. ³
13 November 1848	Application for a Ticket of Leave. ³
29 November 1848	Ticket-of-Leave granted; gazetted 5 December. ²³
13 December 1848	Charged with being out of her district without a pass; reprimanded. ³
16 February 1850	Charged with being drunk; fined 5 shillings. ³
9 September 1850	Charged with being drunk; fined 5 shillings. ³

¹¹ *Hobart Town Gazette*, 9 February 1844 p.204 (Elizabeth Millwood)

¹² *Hobart Town Gazette*, 9 August 1844 p.941 (Elizabeth Millwood)

¹³ *Hobart Town Gazette*, 23 August 1844 p.1010 (Elizabeth Millwood)

¹⁴ *Hobart Town Gazette*, 6 September 1844 p.1074 (Elizabeth Millwood)

¹⁵ *Hobart Town Gazette*, 14 January 1845 p.49 (Elizabeth Millward)

¹⁶ *Hobart Town Gazette*, 1 April 1845 p.442 (Elizabeth Millwood)

¹⁷ *Hobart Town Gazette*, 9 December 1845 p.1502 (Elizabeth Milward)

¹⁸ TAHO, LC362/1/6 (Elizabeth Milwood)

¹⁹ Edward Kirk (free) was charged at Longford on 7 March 1846 with a breach of 7 Sec. 8 Vic. No.14; plea guilty; fined £5 and costs 1/6 (TAHO, LC362/1/6).

²⁰ TAHO, LC362/1/6 (Elizabeth Milwood)

²¹ AJCP, HO 10/39 p.495 (Elizabeth Millward)

²² This name is difficult to read so may not be Wigmore.

²³ *Cornwall Chronicle*, 9 October 1848 p.224 (Elizabeth Millward)

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29 November 1850	Charged with being an idle and disorderly person etc; sentence 3 months hard labour at Launceston Female Factory, and Ticket of Leave to be revoked. ³
24 December 1850	Ticket of Leave revoked. ³
17 May 1853	At Cascades Female Factory, Hobart. ³
3 June 1853	At infirmary. ³
4 July 1854	At Cascades Female Factory, Hobart. ³
22 June 1855	At infirmary. ³
12 August 1855	Free by servitude. ³