

*Catherine McAleer*¹
(uxor Catherine Peacock)

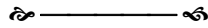
<i>Place Tried</i> Co. Tyrone	<i>Date Tried</i> 29 December 1848
<i>Offence</i> shoplifting clothing	<i>Sentence</i> 7 years
<i>Prosecutor</i> Love, Co. Tyrone	<i>Previous Convictions</i> 3 – stealing a frock (4m), stealing potatoes (4m), trespassing (2w)
<i>Gaol Report</i> improving	<i>Surgeon's Report</i> bad
<i>Station of Gang</i> Anson	<i>Class</i> 3 rd from 18 February 1850
<i>Other Information</i> 4 months on the town	

<i>Religion</i> Roman Catholic	<i>Literacy</i> neither read nor write
<i>Marital Status</i> single	<i>Trade</i> country servant, housemaid
<i>Age</i> 20 ^a	<i>Native Place</i> Omagh, Co. Tyrone
<i>Height</i> 4' 11 ³ / ₄ " , 4' 11 ¹ / ₂ "	<i>Complexion</i> fresh, fair, slightly freckled
<i>Head</i> round	<i>Hair</i> brown
<i>Visage</i> narrow	<i>Forehead</i> high
<i>Eyebrows</i> brown	<i>Eyes</i> light hazel
<i>Nose</i> large	<i>Mouth</i> large
<i>Chin</i> large	<i>Marks</i> small scar on left cheek
<i>Family</i> father John (farmer); mother Ann (both in America)	

14 April 1849	Received at Grangegorman Depot, Dublin at 5pm. ²
1 March 1850	Contracted as PPH to Patrick Birch, Melville St, Hobart, 12m at £7 pa. ³
24 April 1850	Contracted as PPH to Patrick Birch, Melville St, Hobart, 12m at £7 pa. ³
30 April 1850	To Brickfields Hiring Depot, Hobart. ⁴
10 May 1850	Mustered in Launceston district. ⁴
25 November 1850	Charged by her master Mr Atkinson with being absent without leave; sentence 1m HL, Launceston FF. ⁴
3 December 1850	Illegitimate child stillborn at Launceston FF. ⁴
29 December 1851	To John Windsor, Launceston. ⁴
16 January 1852	Application for permission to marry Thomas Peacock (<i>Canton</i>); referred 23 January to woman (approved 3 February). ⁵
27 January 1852	To Launceston FF, then to C Moore, Launceston. ⁴
23 February 1852	Married as 22y, spinster, PPH, to Thomas Peacock, 36y, bachelor, TL, at St John's CE Church, Launceston; witnesses WH Reynolds & Cleary Horney. ⁶
2 August 1852	Son Robert Peacock, shoemaker's child, born at Launceston. ⁷
8 February 1853	Ticket-of-Leave granted. ⁴
29 November 1853	Husband Thomas Peacock granted Conditional Pardon. ⁸
3 May 1854	Daughter Elizabeth Ann Peacock born at Longford; baptised 4 June 1854, at Holy Trinity RC Church, Westbury; sponsors Thomas Owen & Ann Sides. ⁹
7 June 1854	Mustered at Longford, resident with Mr Boyd, school house. ¹⁰
28 July 1854	Daughter Elizabeth Ann Peacock, 3m, bootmaker's child, died of croup at Longford. ¹¹
15 August 1854	Moved to Launceston district from Longford district. ¹⁰
11 May 1855	Mustered from Launceston, resident with Mr Coode[?], Carrick. ¹⁰
29 December 1855	Free by servitude.
c1856	Daughter Mary Jane Peacock born. ¹⁹
c1857	Son Robert Peacock, 5y, died. ¹⁹

^a Age given as 18y on Grangegorman prison register.

- 25 December 1858 **Son** John William Peacock born at Longford; baptised 2 October 1859 in parish of Holy Trinity RC Church, Westbury; sponsors William King & Ann Hewit.¹²
- 13 October 1860 **Son** William Peacock, shoemaker's child, born in Longford district.¹³
- 15 April 1861 Son John William Peacock, 2y, shoemaker's child, died of rash in Longford district.¹⁴
- c1861 Moved with family to VIC.¹⁹
- c1861 **Son** Robert Peacock born in VIC.¹⁵
- c1863 **Daughter** Rose Ann Peacock born in VIC.¹⁹
- 1865 **Son** Thomas William Peacock born at Melbourne, VIC.¹⁶
- 1865 Son Thomas William Peacock, 7m, died at Carlton, VIC.¹⁷
- cJanuary 1867 **Daughter** Catherine Peacock born at Dunolly, VIC.¹⁸
- 30 April 1867 **Died** of pneumonia at Eddington, VIC, 38y, labourer's wife; buried 1 May in Dunolly Cemetery, VIC.¹⁹
- 1 May 1867 Inquest held at *Cosgrove's Hotel*, Eddington, VIC; verdict died of inflammation of the lining membrane of the heart.²⁰
- 1868 Daughter Catherine Peacock, 10m, died in VIC.²¹



References

- ¹ AOT, CON 41/24 *Australasia* No.1056 (Catherine McAleer); AOT, CON 19/8 *Australasia* (Cath^e McAleer); AOT, CON 15/6 *Australasia* No.149 (Catherine (McAleer); NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1743 (Catherine McAleer)
- ² NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1743 (Catherine McAleer)
- ³ AOT, CON 30/2 p.137 (Catherine McAleer)
- ⁴ AOT, CON 41/24 *Australasia* No.1056 (Catherine McAleer)
- ⁵ AOT, CON 52/5 p.365 (Thomas Peacock & Catherine McLeary); AOT, CON 52/3 p.356 (Thomas Peacock & Catherine McAleer)
- ⁶ AOT, RGD 37/11 1852/1045 Launceston (Thomas Peacock & Catherine McAleer)
- ⁷ AOT, RGD 33/24 1852/3617 Launceston (male Peacock)
- ⁸ AOT, CON 34/9 p.553 *Canton* No.1555 (Thomas Peacock)
- ⁹ AOT, NS 1052/14 1854 No.30 (Elizabeth Peacock)
- ¹⁰ AOT, POL 491/1 (Catherin McLearn/McLeor *ux* Peacock)
- ¹¹ AOT, RGD 35/23 1854/440 Longford (Elizabeth Ann Peacock)
- ¹² AOT, NS 1052/15 1859 No.91 (John William Peacock)
- ¹³ AOT, RGD 33/38 1860/1518 Longford (William Peacock)
- ¹⁴ AOT, RGD 35/30 1861/604 Longford (John William Peacock)
- ¹⁵ VIC Birth Record 1881/6847 (Robt Peacock)
- ¹⁶ VIC Birth Record 1865/10010 (Thomas William Peacock)
- ¹⁷ VIC Death Record 1865/9505 (Thomas William Peacock)
- ¹⁸ VIC Birth Record 1867/1845 (Catherine Peacock)
- ¹⁹ VIC Death Certificate 1867/989/5323 (Catharine Peacock)
- ²⁰ PROV, VPRS 24/P0000 1867/126 (Catherine Peacock)
- ²¹ VIC Death Record 1868/1762 (Catherine Peacock)