

*Mary McCann*¹
(uxor Mary Wilson)

<i>Place Tried</i> Monaghan	<i>Date Tried</i> 5 March 1849
<i>Offence</i> larceny (stealing 2 geese) ^a	<i>Sentence</i> 7 years
<i>Prosecutor</i> Mills, Monaghan	<i>Previous Convictions</i> 1 – stealing fowls (3m, discharged), stealing butter (discharged)
<i>Gaol Report</i> good	<i>Surgeon's Report</i> good
<i>Station of Gang</i> Anson	<i>Class</i> not stated
<i>Other Information</i> 2 years on the town	
<i>Religion</i> Roman Catholic	<i>Literacy</i> read
<i>Marital Status</i> single	<i>Trade</i> housemaid, servant, plain cook
<i>Age</i> 21	<i>Native Place</i> Co. Monaghan
<i>Height</i> 5' 3¼", 5' 4"	<i>Complexion</i> fresh, fair
<i>Head</i> round	<i>Hair</i> dark brown, brown
<i>Visage</i> round	<i>Forehead</i> high
<i>Eyebrows</i> dark	<i>Eyes</i> dark
<i>Nose</i> small	<i>Mouth</i> small
<i>Chin</i> round	<i>Marks</i> face slightly freckled
<i>Family</i> mother Catherine; brothers James & John; sister Bridget	

14 April 1849	Received at Grangegorman Depot, Dublin at 5pm. ²
2 November 1849	Charged with disorderly conduct on the <i>Anson</i> ; sentence 10d SC. ³
16 November 1849	Charged with refusing to attend school on the <i>Anson</i> ; sentence 6m on probation in the separate apartments, Cascades FF. ³
9 August 1850	Contracted as PPH to John Case, William St, Hobart, 12m at £7 pa. ⁴
24 September 1850	Application for permission to marry John Wilson (<i>Layton</i> 3) (approved). ⁵
14 October 1850	Married as 24y, servant, spinster, to John Wilson, 28y, sawyer, bachelor, at St Joseph's RC Church, Hobart; witnesses John Case & N Case. ⁶
1 February 1853	Ticket-of-Leave granted. ³
June 1853	Mustered in Huon district, resident with husband at Recherche Bay. ⁷
14 June 1853	Husband John Wilson granted Conditional Pardon. ⁸
27 December 1853	Recommended for Conditional Pardon. ³
31 October 1854	Conditional Pardon approved. ⁹
5 March 1856	Free by servitude.



^a Offence given as cow stealing on Grangegorman prison register.

References

- ¹ AOT, CON 41/24 *Australasia* No.1054 (Mary McCann); AOT, CON 19/8 *Australasia* (Mary McCann); AOT, CON 15/6 *Australasia* No.146 (Mary McCann); NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1740 (Mary McCann)
- ² NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1740 (Mary McCann)
- ³ AOT, CON 41/24 *Australasia* No.1054 (Mary McCann)
- ⁴ AOT, CON 30/2 p.234 (Mary McCann)
- ⁵ AOT, CON 52/3 p.484 (John Wilson & Mary McCann)
- ⁶ AOT, RGD 37/9 1850/532 Hobart (John Wilson & Mary McCann)
- ⁷ AOT, POL 379/1 p.153 (Mary McCann)
- ⁸ AOT, CON 34/9 p.433 *Layton* 3 No.2632 (John Wilson)
- ⁹ AOT, CON 56/2 No.1605 (Mary McCann)