

*Honora McInerhenry*¹

<i>Place Tried</i> Co. Clare	<i>Date Tried</i> 27 February 1849 ^a
<i>Offence</i> stealing a cotton quilt	<i>Sentence</i> 7 years
<i>Prosecutor</i> unknown, Co. Clare	<i>Previous Convictions</i> none – breaking glass (1m), stealing potatoes (7d), escaping from hospital (1m)
<i>Gaol Report</i> quiet	<i>Surgeon's Report</i> quiet
<i>Station of Gang</i> Anson	<i>Class</i> 3 rd from 24 January 1850
<i>Other Information</i> tried with Mary Carmody (<i>qv</i>)	
<i>Religion</i> Roman Catholic	<i>Literacy</i> neither read nor write
<i>Marital Status</i> single	<i>Trade</i> nurse girl, housemaid
<i>Age</i> 15 ^b	<i>Native Place</i> Co. Clare
<i>Height</i> 4' 10", 4' 9½"	<i>Complexion</i> fresh, fair
<i>Head</i> round	<i>Hair</i> black
<i>Visage</i> round	<i>Forehead</i> medium
<i>Eyebrows</i> black	<i>Eyes</i> brown
<i>Nose</i> short	<i>Mouth</i> large
<i>Chin</i> round	<i>Marks</i> none
<i>Family</i> father John; brothers Thomas & John; sisters Mary & Peggy	
27 March 1849	Received at Grangegorman Depot, Dublin at 10pm. ²
20 December 1850	Charged at Cascades FF with disorderly conduct; sentence 3m HL, Cascades FF. ³
16 January 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with tearing her clothes; sentence 10d SC. ³
1 April 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with disobedience of regulations; admonished. ⁴
4 April 1851	Charged at Cascades FF, brought up from 1 April before the Visiting Magistrate, with having an apron improperly in her possession (concealed); sentence 3m HL, Cascades FF. ^{3,4}
25 April 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with disorderly conduct; sentence separate treatment. ⁴
30 June 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with breach of regulations, having an additional blanket; sentence to sleep in separate apartments 3w. ⁴
4 July 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with altering her petticoat; sentence 2d SC & 14d separate treatment. ⁴
28 July 1851	Sponsor at baptism of Margaret Scanlon, daughter of Bridget Scanlon (<i>qv</i>), at Hobart. ⁵ Charged at Cascades FF with disorderly conduct; sentence to be kept in separate treatment when not at labour. ⁴
15 September 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with disorderly conduct; sentence 24h bread & water & clean apartment. ⁴
8 January 1852	Tried at Hobart PC, brought up from 31 December 1851 & 3 January on remand at Brickfields Hiring Depot to make inquiry & for trial before the Visiting Magistrate, charged with absconding from Cascades FF; sentence 6m HL, Cascades FF. ^{3,6}
9 January 1852	To Cascades FF, Hobart. ³
12 January 1852	Charged at Cascades FF with tearing her jacket; sentence 48h bread & water. ⁴
5 February 1852	Charged at Cascades FF with not performing her work at spinning; sentence 3d bread & water. ⁴
20 February 1852	Charged at Cascades FF with spoiling her work; sentence credit stopped 40d. ⁴
30 March 1852	Charged at Cascades FF with saturating the wool with oil; sentence 3d SC. ⁴

^a Date given as 28 February 1849 on Irish transportation register.

^b Age given as 18y on Grangegorman prison register and Irish transportation register.

7 May 1852	Charged at Cascades FF with disorderly conduct; sentence 3d SC & 14d separate treatment when not at labour. ⁴
14 May 1852	Charged at Cascades FF with talking at labour; sentence 3d bread & water. ⁴
30 June 1852	Contracted as PPH to Thomas Ball, Macquarie St, Hobart, 12m at £7 pa. ⁷
23 November 1852	Tried at Hobart PC, brought up from 22 November on remand at Cascades FF, charged with absconding from the service of Mrs Thomas Ball, Macquarie St, Hobart on 5 July & remaining at large until apprehended on 21 November in a bad house at Argyle St, Hobart in bed with a male pass-holder; sentence 18m HL, recommended not to enter service in Hobart. ^{3,6}
21 January 1853	Charged at Cascades FF with trafficking; sentence 14d credit stopped. ⁸
17 February 1853	Charged at Cascades FF with disobedience of orders; remanded for tomorrow. ⁸
4 March 1853	Charged at Cascades FF with giving yard to Catherine Kearnes (<i>qv</i>). ⁸
17 March 1853	Charged at Cascades FF with talking in her apartment. ⁸
16 July 1853	Charged at Cascades FF with using improper language; sentence 3d SC & report at expiration of sentence. ⁸
19 July 1853	To be brought before the Superintendent at Cascades FF; to be discharged to [?]. ⁸
19 September 1853	Charged at Cascades FF with talking during labour hours; sentenced to be employed at the wash tub. ⁸
27 October 1853	Charged at Cascades FF with leaving the ranks at muster & talking; sentence 14d confined to apartment with only 1h exercise. ⁸
c1854	To Ross FF. ³
1 February 1854	To Bertram Nathan, Launceston. ³
14 February 1854	Charged with being absent without leave; sentence 6d SC, Launceston FF. ³
20 February 1854	To Bertram Nathan, Launceston. ³
3 April 1854	Charged with insolence & neglect of duty; sentence 10d SC, Launceston FF. ³
17 April 1854	To Henry Graham, Launceston Hospital. ³
30 June 1854	Charged with being absent without leave; sentence 4m HL, Launceston FF. ³
14 October 1854	To Charles Thompson, Launceston. ³
9 December 1854	Application for permission to marry Thomas Boswell (free); woman must serve 6 months without offences. ⁹
3 January 1855	Charged with having a man concealed in her bedroom for improper purposes; sentence 9m HL. ³
9 January 1855	To Launceston FF. ³
15 February 1855	To Cascades FF, Hobart. ³
18 July 1855	To Queen's Orphanage, New Town. ³
27 October 1855	Charged with insolence to the Superintendent at Queen's Orphanage; sentence 1m HL, Cascades FF. ³
27 February 1856	Free by servitude. Certificate of Freedom collected. ³



References

- ¹ AOT, CON 41/24 *Australasia* No.1045 (Honora McInerhenry); AOT, CON 19/8 *Australasia* (Honora McInerhenry); AOT, CON 15/6 *Australasia* No.126 (Honora McInerhenry); NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1707 (Honora McInerhenry); NAI, TR9 p.11 (Honora McInerhenry)
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- ³ AOT, CON 41/24 *Australasia* No.1045 (Honora McInerhenry)
- ⁴ AOT, CON 138/1 (Norah McNulty/McNalty/McCarthy)
- ⁵ AOT, NS 1052/8 p.143 (Honora McHenry)
- ⁶ AOT, LC 251/2 (Ann McEnery/Honora McInerhenry/McInerhenry)
- ⁷ AOT, CON 30/2 p.152 (Honora McTruity)
- ⁸ AL&MFA, Beattie Papers, Record Book Women's Punishments 1852-1854, pp.113, 114, 116, 122 & 125 (Hannah/Honora McMaherty/McInerhenry/McInherly/McInherery/McNalty/McEnroy)
- ⁹ AOT, CON 52/7 p.35 (Thomas Boswell & Norah McNally)