

*Elizabeth Mulcolney*<sup>1</sup>  
(*uxor Eliza Parker, Elizabeth Francis*)

<i>Place Tried</i> Co. Clare	<i>Date Tried</i> 27 February 1849 <sup>a</sup>
<i>Offence</i> stealing 2 geese	<i>Sentence</i> 7 years
<i>Prosecutor</i> unknown, Co. Clare	<i>Previous Convictions</i> none – stealing a petticoat & shirt (2m)
<i>Gaol Report</i> quiet	<i>Surgeon's Report</i> middling
<i>Station of Gang</i> Anson	<i>Class</i> not stated
<i>Religion</i> Roman Catholic	<i>Literacy</i> neither read nor write
<i>Marital Status</i> single	<i>Trade</i> laundress, servant
<i>Age</i> 21 <sup>b</sup>	<i>Native Place</i> Co. Clare
<i>Height</i> 5' 1"	<i>Complexion</i> fair
<i>Head</i> round	<i>Hair</i> light brown, fair
<i>Visage</i> oval	<i>Forehead</i> medium
<i>Eyebrows</i> brown	<i>Eyes</i> dark hazel
<i>Nose</i> medium	<i>Mouth</i> medium
<i>Chin</i> medium	<i>Marks</i> small dark mole under left eye, another near right nostril
<i>Family</i> brother Pat (in America); sisters Mary, Margaret, Peggy, Ann, Ellen & Catherine	

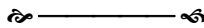
27 March 1849	Received at Grangegorman Depot, Dublin at 10pm. <sup>2</sup>
10 September 1849	Put on <i>Australasia</i> sick list for dysentery (off 29 September, sent to Hobart Hospital). <sup>3</sup>
7 October 1851	Contracted as PPH to James Luckman, Collins St, Hobart, 12m at £8 pa. <sup>4</sup>
1 December 1851	Charged at Brickfields Hiring Depot with disobedience of orders; sentence 6d SC, Cascades FF. <sup>5</sup>
12 January 1852	To John Norton, Colville St, Hobart. <sup>5</sup>
28 January 1852	To Brickfields Hiring Depot, Hobart. <sup>5</sup>
31 January 1852	To Isaiah Hurst, Forest Rd, Hobart. <sup>5</sup>
20 March 1852	To Brickfields Hiring Depot, then to John White, <i>Help Me Through the World</i> , Liverpool St, Hobart. <sup>5</sup>
23 March 1852	Not eligible for Ticket-of-Leave. <sup>5</sup>
29 June 1852	To apply in 2 months for Ticket-of-Leave. <sup>5</sup>
9 November 1852	Ticket-of-Leave granted. <sup>5</sup>
15 November 1852	Application for permission to marry Maurice Brown, free; name given as Eliza McConroy. <sup>6</sup>
7 December 1852	Application for permission to marry Maurice Brown, free; referred 11 December to woman, has she any objection? <sup>6</sup>
16 December 1852	Application for permission to marry James Faynard, free; referred to woman for correct name of ship; name given as Eliza Conroy. <sup>7</sup>
21 January 1853	Not to reside in Hobart district. <sup>8</sup>
3 February 1853	To Charles Lewis, New Norfolk district. <sup>8</sup>
24 February 1853	To Hamilton. <sup>8</sup>
15 April 1853	Application for permission to marry William Parker, free <sup>c</sup> (approved 20 April). <sup>9</sup>

<sup>a</sup> Date given as 1 March 1849 on Irish transportation register.

<sup>b</sup> Age given as 23y on *Australasia* sick list.

<sup>c</sup> This is most likely to have been William Parker transported on the *HMS Tortoise*, tried at Cumberland Assizes on 20 February 1841 for larceny, sentence 10 years, 21y, nailor, NP Cumberland, single, Certificate of Freedom 18 September 1851, assigned in Oatlands and Bothwell districts. There are other possibilities, but these are less likely.

16 May 1853	<b>Married</b> as 23y, servant, to William Parker, 35y, plasterer, at St Peter's CE Church, Hamilton; witnesses Cornelius Keleher & Bridget Keleher. <sup>10</sup>
June 1853	Mustered in Hamilton district, resident at Hamilton. <sup>11</sup>
22 October 1853	Ticket-of-Leave revoked for failing to report to district PO in June. <sup>12</sup>
December 1853	Mustered in Hamilton district, resident with husband at Hamilton. <sup>11</sup>
June 1854	Mustered in Hamilton district, resident with husband at Hamilton. <sup>11</sup>
29 July 1854	Mustered at Brighton, resident with husband at Hamilton. <sup>13</sup>
29 September 1854	Tried at Brighton PC charged with misconduct in not proceeding according to her pass & being in Pontville & not reporting her place of abode; admonished. <sup>14</sup>
1855	Mustered at Hamilton, resident below post office, Hamilton. <sup>13</sup>
June 1855	Mustered in Hamilton district, resident with husband at Hamilton. <sup>11</sup>
27 February 1856	Free by servitude.
29 February 1856	Certificate of Freedom to Hamilton for collection. <sup>5</sup>
1858	Husband William Parker occupier of a house & land (<1 acre) at Clyde St, Hamilton. <sup>15</sup>
8 June 1860	Received at Hamilton Gaol charged with making use of indecent language; fined 5s (discharged 9 June, fine paid). <sup>16</sup>
12 July 1882	Husband William Parker, 64 or 67y, bricklayer, died of diarrhoea at Her Majesty's Gaol; buried 5 August <sup>d</sup> in pauper section, Cornelian Bay Cemetery, Hobart. <sup>17</sup>
29 April 1883	<b>Married</b> as 40y, housekeeper, widow, to James Francis, 60y, labourer, widower, at St Stephen's RC Church, Hamilton; witnesses Thomas McConnell & Elizabeth McConnell. <sup>18</sup>
8 March 1888	Husband James Francis, 73y, labourer, died of kidney & bladder disease in Hamilton district. <sup>19</sup>
12 March 1890	Admitted to New Town Invalid Depot from Hobart district (discharged 9 April to service). <sup>20</sup>
22 April 1890	Admitted to New Town Invalid Depot from Hobart district (discharged 1 September 1891 at own request). <sup>20</sup>
13 April 1893	<b>Died</b> of bronchitis at New Town Charitable Institution, 68y, widow; buried 14 April in RC Section, Cornelian Bay Cemetery, Hobart. <sup>21</sup>



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<sup>d</sup> The burial occurred about 3 weeks after he died – perhaps as he died in gaol his body was used for medical purposes (ie, dissection) prior to burial.

## References

- <sup>1</sup> AOT, CON 41/24 *Australasia* No.1030 (Elizabeth Mulcolney); AOT, CON 19/8 *Australasia* (Elizabeth Mulcolney); AOT, CON 15/6 *Australasia* No.127 (Elizabeth Mulcolney); NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1711 (Elizabeth Mulconroy); NAI, TR9 p.10 (Eliz Mulconey)
- <sup>2</sup> NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1711 (Elizabeth Mulconroy)
- <sup>3</sup> AJCP, ADM 101/6 *Australasia* Sick List Case No.18 (Eliz Mulconey/Mulconroy)
- <sup>4</sup> AOT, CON 30/1 p.309 (Eliza Mulconroy)
- <sup>5</sup> AOT, CON 41/24 *Australasia* No.1030 (Elizabeth Mulcolney)
- <sup>6</sup> AOT, CON 52/5 pp.19 & 20 (Maurice Brown & Eliza McConroy)
- <sup>7</sup> AOT, CON 52/5 p.396 (James Faynard & Eliza Conroy)
- <sup>8</sup> AOT, POL 516/1 (Eliza McCundey)
- <sup>9</sup> AOT, CON 52/6 (William Parker & Eliza McCauley)
- <sup>10</sup> AOT, RGD 37/12 1853/965 Hamilton (William Parker & Eliza Mulcolney)
- <sup>11</sup> AOT, POL 295/1 (Eliza McCundy)
- <sup>12</sup> *Hobart Town Gazette*, 25 October 1853 p.1026 (Elizabeth Mulcolney)
- <sup>13</sup> AOT, POL 294/1 (Eliza/Elizabeth McCundy/McCulcolney)
- <sup>14</sup> AOT, LC 53/5 p.172 (Eliza McAuley)
- <sup>15</sup> *Hobart Town Gazette*, 28 May 1858 p.820 (William Parker)
- <sup>16</sup> AOT, POL 301/2 (Elizabeth Parker)
- <sup>17</sup> AOT, RGD 35/10 1882/278 Hobart (William Parker); SRCT CB Pauper Section A No.137 (William Parker)
- <sup>18</sup> AOT, RGD 37/42 1883/916 Hamilton (James Francis & Elizabeth Parker)
- <sup>19</sup> AOT, RGD 35/57 1888/330 Hamilton (James Francis)
- <sup>20</sup> AOT, POL 709/4 pp.63 & 144 (Elizabeth Francis)
- <sup>21</sup> AOT, RGD 35/14 1893/326 Hobart (Elizabeth Frances); SRCT CB RC Section C No.34 (Elizabeth Frances)