

*Eliza Mullam*<sup>1</sup>  
(*uxor Eliza Walker*)

Place Tried Kings Co.	Date Tried 2 April 1849 <sup>a</sup>
Offence stealing 20 yards of linen	Sentence 7 years
Prosecutor Mr Parker, Tipperary	Previous Convictions 1 – breaking windows (2m)
Gaol Report quiet	Surgeon's Report indifferent
Station of Gang not stated	Class not stated

Religion Roman Catholic	Literacy neither read nor write
Marital Status single	Trade housemaid, country servant
Age 16 <sup>b</sup>	Native Place Co. Tipperary
Height 5' ¾", 5' 2"	Complexion ruddy, freckled; fair
Head round	Hair red, brown
Visage broad	Forehead high
Eyebrows red	Eyes hazel
Nose medium	Mouth large
Chin round	Marks none
Family mother Mary; sisters Mary & Catherine (all at Kings Co.)	

21 May 1849	Received at Grangegorman Depot at 9pm. <sup>2</sup>
14 September 1849	Put on <i>Australasia</i> sick list for bronchitis (off 18 September, cured). <sup>3</sup>
20 September 1850	Contracted as PPH to Horace Cooley, Cascade Rd, Hobart, 12m at £8 pa. <sup>4</sup>
18 January 1851	Contracted as PPH to Horace Cooley, Cascade Rd, Hobart, 12m at £7 pa. <sup>4</sup>
14 April 1851	Contracted as PPH to Robert Jordan Jones, Park St, Hobart, 12m at £8 pa. <sup>5</sup>
5 June 1851	Contracted as PPH to James Callon, Murray St, Hobart, 12m at £8 pa. <sup>4</sup>
4 July 1851	Tried at Hobart PC charged with absence without leave from the service of Mr Beaumont, Macquarie St, Hobart from about 12pm until 5pm on 3 July when she surrendered; sentence 14d HL, <sup>c</sup> Cascades FF, being her first offence. <sup>6</sup>
14 July 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with talking in the yard; admonished. <sup>7</sup>
6 August 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with disorderly conduct in the dormitory; sentence 3d SC & to sleep in the separate apartments so long as she may remain in the building. <sup>7</sup>
21 August 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with disorderly conduct; sentence 48h SC & 14d separate treatment. <sup>7</sup>
31 August 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with not cleaning her apartment; sentence 48h bread & water. <sup>7</sup>
8 September 1851	Charged at Cascades FF, brought up from 6 September before the Visiting Magistrate, with disorderly conduct, talking in the separate apartments; sentence 14d SC. <sup>7,8</sup>
23 September 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with singing; sentence 48h SC. <sup>7</sup>
29 September 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with talking in the dormitory this morning; admonished, to sleep in the separate apartments until further orders. <sup>7</sup>
6 October 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with committing nuisance in her bed; sentence to sleep in the separate apartments. <sup>7</sup>
11 October 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with loud talking at work; sentence 48h bread & water. <sup>7</sup>
16 October 1851	Absconded from the service of Mr Payne, Hampden Rd, Hobart. <sup>9</sup>
23 October 1851	Tried at Hobart PC, brought up from 20 October on remand to inquire whose service she is in, charged with absence without leave from her service from 16 October until

<sup>a</sup> Date given as 5 April 1849 on Irish transportation register.

<sup>b</sup> Age given as: 15y on Grangegorman prison register; 24y on Irish transportation register.

<sup>c</sup> Sentence recorded as 1 month on her conduct record.

	apprehended in Murray St, Hobart at 10pm on 19 October; sentence 4m HL, Cascades FF, recommended to be hired in the interior north of Hobart. <sup>6</sup>
19 December 1851	Charged at Cascades FF with disorderly conduct; sentence 14d separate treatment & 48h bread & water. <sup>7</sup>
1 January 1852	Charged at Cascades FF with not attending her work; sentence 48h bread & water. <sup>7</sup>
7 January 1852	Charged at Cascades FF with talking at work; sentence 3d bread & water. <sup>7</sup>
27 January 1852	Charged at Cascades FF with neglecting her work; sentence 48h bread & water & credit stopped until conduct reported favourable. <sup>7</sup>
2 March 1852	Charged at Cascades FF with neglecting her work when mess woman; sentence 7d cleaning yards. <sup>7</sup>
17 March 1852	Charged at Cascades FF with insolence; sentence 48h bread & water, 10d detained. <sup>7</sup>
29 March 1852	To Brickfields Hiring Depot, Hobart. <sup>8</sup>
30 March 1852	To Joseph Pedder, Clarence Plains. <sup>8</sup>
12 May 1852	To Brickfields Hiring Depot, Hobart. <sup>8</sup>
13 May 1852	To William S Sharland, New Norfolk. <sup>8</sup>
13 August 1852	Contracted as PPH to Revd John A Manton, New Norfolk, 12m at £9 pa. <sup>10</sup>
26 August 1852	To Brickfields Hiring Depot, Hobart. <sup>8</sup>
6 September 1852	To George Grey, Richmond. <sup>8</sup>
19 October 1852	To apply in 3 months for Ticket-of-Leave. <sup>8</sup>
11 November 1852	To Cascades FF, Hobart. <sup>8</sup>
12 November 1852	To James Turnbull, New Norfolk. <sup>8</sup>
26 November 1852	To Cascades FF, Hobart. <sup>8</sup>
27 November 1852	To J Brown, Macquarie St, Hobart. <sup>8</sup>
8 January 1853	Application for permission to marry Thomas Walker, FS ( <i>Sir Robert Peel</i> ); referred 12 January to man for certificates as to ability to support a wife (approved 26 January). <sup>11</sup>
25 January 1853	Ticket-of-Leave granted. <sup>8</sup>
14 April 1853	<b>Married</b> as 20y, servant, spinster, to Thomas Walker, 26y, miller, bachelor, at St Joseph's RC Church, Hobart; witnesses George Carlile & Johanna Grady <sup>d</sup> . <sup>12</sup>
6 June 1853	Witness with husband Thomas Walker at marriage of Bridget Kearney ( <i>qv</i> ) & Robert Wheeldon at Hobart. <sup>13</sup>
12 July 1853	Recommended for Conditional Pardon. <sup>8</sup>
December 1853	Mustered in Hamilton district, resident with Walter A Bethune, <i>Dunrobin</i> . <sup>14</sup>
16 May 1854	Conditional Pardon approved. <sup>15</sup>
10 November 1854	Mustered in Hamilton district, resident at <i>Dunrobin</i> . <sup>16</sup>
20 October 1855 <sup>e</sup>	<b>Daughter</b> Mary Jane Walker, constable's child, born at Longford; baptised 27 April 1856 at St Joseph's RC Church, Hobart; sponsors John Sheils & Mary Sheils. <sup>17</sup>
2 April 1856	Free by servitude.
20 November 1857	<b>Daughter</b> Sarah Eliza Walker, labourer's child, born at Hamilton; baptised 18 July 1858 at St Joseph's RC Church, Hobart; sponsors John Sheen & Mary Sheen <sup>f</sup> . <sup>18</sup>
28 July 1858	Husband Thomas Walker appointed a police constable at Brighton (previously a police constable at Hobart & Longford in 1855 & 1856). <sup>19</sup>
29 January 1859	Husband Thomas Walker resigned from police force. <sup>19</sup>
25 February 1861	<b>Son</b> Thomas Walker, shepherd's child, born at Hamilton. <sup>20</sup>
27 October 1862	<b>Son</b> William Walker, shepherd's child, born at Hamilton. <sup>21</sup>
20 March 1864	Son William Walker, shepherd's child, 1y 4m, died of organic disease at Hamilton. <sup>22</sup>
21 August 1864	<b>Daughter</b> Margaret Walker, shepherd's child, born at Hamilton. <sup>23</sup>

<sup>d</sup> This may have been Johanna Gready (*qv*), but this has not been confirmed and Johanna was married by this time.

<sup>e</sup> Date given as 20 August 1855 on baptism record.

<sup>f</sup> These were possibly the same sponsors as for Mary Jane Walker's baptism.

5 August 1866      **Son** Joseph Walker, labourer's child, born at Macquarie St, Hobart.<sup>24</sup>  
31 March 1887      Daughter Mary Jane Walker married Charles Manuel at 63 Bathurst St, Hobart.<sup>25</sup>  
18 October 1887    Husband Thomas Walker, 61y, labourer, died of congestion of the lungs at Bathurst  
St, Hobart; buried<sup>§</sup> 21 October in at Cornelian Bay Cemetery, Hobart.<sup>26</sup>



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<sup>§</sup> No other persons were listed as being buried with Thomas, however he lies in a double grave. Also, on the map for the grave at SRCT, Eliza's name is written on the plot. So, perhaps she was buried there and her burial record has been lost. No death record for her has been found.

## References

- <sup>1</sup> AOT, CON 41/24 *Australasia* No.1035 (Eliza Mullam); AOT, CON 19/8 *Australasia* (Eliza Mullane); AOT, CON 15/6 *Australasia* No.138 (Eliza Mullane); NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1886 (Eliza Mullane); NAI, TR9 p.45 (Eliza Mullam)
- <sup>2</sup> NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1886 (Eliza Mullane)
- <sup>3</sup> AJCP, ADM 101/6 *Australasia* Sick List (E Mullane)
- <sup>4</sup> AOT, CON 30/2 pp.77, 279 & 328 (Eliza/Julia Mullane/Mullain)
- <sup>5</sup> AOT, CON 30/1 p.177 (Eliza Mullane)
- <sup>6</sup> AOT, LC 251/2 (Eliza Mullane)
- <sup>7</sup> AOT, CON 138/1 (Eliza Melane/Milane/Millane/Malay)
- <sup>8</sup> AOT, CON 41/24 *Australasia* No.1035 (Eliza Mullam)
- <sup>9</sup> *Hobart Town Gazette*, 21 October 1851 p.893 (Eliza Mullam)
- <sup>10</sup> AOT, POL 521/1 (Eliza Mollane)
- <sup>11</sup> AOT, CON 52/5 p.509 (Thomas Walker & Eliza McLane)
- <sup>12</sup> AOT, RGD 37/12 1853/700 Hobart (Thomas Walker & Eliza Mullane)
- <sup>13</sup> AOT, RGD 37/12 1853/734 Hobart (Thomas & Eliza Walker)
- <sup>14</sup> AOT, POL 295/1 (Eliza Milain)
- <sup>15</sup> AOT, CON 56/2 No.634 (Eliza Mullar)
- <sup>16</sup> AOT, POL 294/1 (Ellen Mullans)
- <sup>17</sup> AOT, RGD 33/33 1855/1069 Longford (Mary Jane Walker); AOT, NS 1052/8 p.306 (Mary Jane Walker)
- <sup>18</sup> AOT, RGD 33/35 1857/717 Hamilton (Eliza Walker); AOT, NS 1052/9 p.54 (Sarah Eliza Walker)
- <sup>19</sup> AOT, POL 324/3 (Thomas Walker)
- <sup>20</sup> AOT, RGD 33/39 1861/1201 Hamilton (Thomas Walker)
- <sup>21</sup> AOT, RGD 33/40 1862/733 Hamilton (William Walker)
- <sup>22</sup> AOT, RGD 35/33 1864/214 Hamilton (William Walker)
- <sup>23</sup> AOT, RGD 33/42 1864/920 Hamilton (Margaret Walker)
- <sup>24</sup> AOT, RGD 33/9 1866/8687 Hobart (Joseph Walker)
- <sup>25</sup> AOT, RGD 37/46 1887/346 Hobart (Charles Manuel & Mary Jane Walker)
- <sup>26</sup> AOT, RGD 35/11 1887/1015 Hobart (Thomas Walker); SRCT CB CE Section H No.92 (Thomas Walker)