

*Mary Tully*<sup>1</sup>  
(nee *Mary Brady*, uxor *Mary Nash*)

<p>Place Tried Co. Meath Offence stealing cloth from a shop Prosecutor Mr Lang of Drogheda Gaol Report middling Station of Gang Anson</p>	<p>Date Tried 14 July 1848<sup>a</sup> Sentence 7 years Previous Convictions 2—stealing money (2m &amp; 6m) Surgeon's Report indifferent Class 3<sup>rd</sup> from 18 February 1850</p>
<p>Religion Roman Catholic Marital Status married Age 36<sup>b</sup> Height 4' 11", 5' Head round Visage round Eyebrows brown Nose small Chin small Family father James; mother Biddy; brother Thomas; husband Patrick (prisoner in this colony 7 years since);<sup>c</sup> daughter Mary (15y, on board); son Owen<sup>d</sup> (8y, on board)<sup>e</sup></p>	<p>Literacy neither read nor write Trade housemaid, servant, laundress Native Place Co. Meath Complexion sallow, fair Hair dark, black Forehead high Eyes dark Mouth small Marks none</p>
<p>3 July 1843                      Husband Patrick Tully tried at Cavan for receiving; sentence 7y transportation.<sup>2</sup> 21 November 1843            Husband Patrick Tully arrived in VDL, prisoner on the <i>Orator</i>.<sup>2</sup> 19 August 1847                Husband Patrick Tully, PPH, accidentally killed at Jerusalem by the falling of a tree.<sup>2</sup> 21 July 1848                    Received at Grangegorman Depot, Dublin at 10am.<sup>3</sup> 13 March 1849                 Daughter Mary Tully, 15y, &amp; son Owen Tully, 7y, received at Grangegorman Depot, Dublin.<sup>3</sup> 17 July 1849                    Daughter Mary Tully, 15y, put on <i>Australasia</i> sick list for ophthalmia (off 22 July, cured).<sup>4</sup> 4 October 1849                 Son Owen Tully, 8y, &amp; daughter Mary Tully, 15y, admitted to Male &amp; Female Schools, Queen's Orphanage, New Town.<sup>5,6</sup> 8 May 1850                      Contracted as PPH to John Goodman, Bathurst St, Hobart, 12m at £7 pa.<sup>7</sup> 6 June 1850                      Tried at Hobart PC, brought up from 4 June on remand, charged with absence without leave from the service of John Goodman, Liverpool St, Hobart &amp; with being drunk on 3 June; sentence 7d SC &amp; returned to her service.<sup>8</sup> 21 August 1850                 Daughter Mary Tully discharged from Female School, Queen's Orphanage, New Town to be apprenticed to Hugh Cassidy, Richmond.<sup>5</sup> 10 March 1851                 Contracted as PPH to Hugh Cassidy, Richmond, 12m at £7 pa.<sup>9</sup> 7 December 1851               Mustered in Richmond district.<sup>10</sup> 23 December 1851              Ticket-of-Leave granted.<sup>10</sup> 27 March 1852                 Son Owen Tully discharged from Male School, Queen's Orphanage, New Town to his mother.<sup>6</sup> 4 June 1853                      Tried at Richmond PC, house servant, charged with misconduct in keeping a disorderly house; sentence 3m HL and not to reside in Richmond or Hobart.<sup>10,11</sup></p>	

<sup>a</sup> Date given as 17 July 1848 on Irish transportation register.

<sup>b</sup> Age given as 43y on Grangegorman prison register.

<sup>c</sup> Transported on the *Orator*.

<sup>d</sup> Name given as Pat on indent, but otherwise always referred to as Owen.

<sup>e</sup> Husband Patrick Tully was listed as only having one child when transported in 1843, so perhaps Pat/Owen was born after his father was transported. Or perhaps Mary was not Patrick's child as her name was later given as Mary Brady, whilst Pat/Owen retained his father's surname.

6 June 1853	To Cascades FF, Hobart.
9 June 1853	Charged at Cascades FF with secreting 2oz wool; sentence 48h bread & water. <sup>12</sup>
16 June 1853	Charged at Cascades FF with not performing her work; admonished. <sup>12</sup>
2 July 1853	Charged at Cascades FF with inattention to work & shouting; sentence to serve full time. <sup>12</sup>
14 September 1853	Not to reside in district of Hobart (amended to any district south of Oatlands on 29 September). <sup>10</sup>
16 September 1853	To her Ticket-of-Leave. <sup>10</sup>
30 June 1854	Tried at Oatlands PC charged with being drunk in the public street; fined 5s. <sup>13</sup>
11 July 1854	Mustered in Oatlands district. <sup>10</sup>
3 August 1854	Application for permission to marry Thomas Nash ( <i>Lord Auckland 2</i> ) (approved 9 August <sup>§</sup> ). <sup>14</sup>
16 September 1854 <sup>h</sup>	<b>Married</b> as 30y, house servant, widow, TL, to Thomas Nash, 29y, servant, bachelor, TL, at St Paul's RC Church, Oatlands; witnesses Francis Green & Margaret Waters. <sup>15</sup>
23 October 1854	Husband Thomas Nash absconded. <sup>16</sup>
14 November 1854	Husband Thomas Nash's Ticket-of-Leave revoked. <sup>16</sup>
15 December 1854	Husband Thomas Nash tried at Campbell Town PC charged with misconduct in neglecting to report his residence on his arrival in the district on 23 October; TL having been revoked, returned to the government. <sup>16,17</sup>
20 February 1855	Husband Thomas Nash's Ticket-of-Leave restored. <sup>16</sup>
14 July 1855	Free by servitude.
14 February 1856	Husband Thomas Nash received Certificate of Freedom. <sup>16</sup>
15 September 1889	<b>Died</b> of bronchitis in Westbury district, 72y, labourer's wife. <sup>18</sup>



<sup>f</sup> Voyage given as 3 on register of convict permissions to marry.

<sup>§</sup> Date given as 15 August 1854 on conduct record.

<sup>h</sup> Date given as 30 September 1854 on register of convict permissions to marry.

## References

- <sup>1</sup> AOT, CON 41/24 *Australasia* No.363 (Mary Tully); AOT, CON 19/8 *Australasia* (Mary Tully); AOT, CON 15/6 *Australasia* No.188 (Mary Tully); NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1271 (Mary Tully); NAI, TR8 p.248 (Mary Tully)
- <sup>2</sup> AOT, CON 14/27 *Orator* No.14223 (Patrick Tully); AOT, CON 33/47 *Orator* No.14223 (Patrick Tully)
- <sup>3</sup> NAI, Prisons 1/9/4 No.1271 (Mary Tully)
- <sup>4</sup> AJCP, ADM 101/6 *Australasia* Sick List (Mary Tully)
- <sup>5</sup> AOT, SWD 28/1 p.35f (Mary Brady)
- <sup>6</sup> AOT, SWD 28/1 p.26m (Owen Tully)
- <sup>7</sup> AOT, CON 30/1 p.233 (Mary Tully)
- <sup>8</sup> AOT, LC 251/2 (Mary Tully)
- <sup>9</sup> AOT, CON 30/2 p.128 (Mary Tully)
- <sup>10</sup> AOT, CON 41/24 *Australasia* No.363 (Mary Tully)
- <sup>11</sup> AOT, LC 445/2 (Mary Tully)
- <sup>12</sup> AL&MFA, Beattie Papers, Record Book Women's Punishments 1852-1854, p.182 (Mary Tully/Tully)
- <sup>13</sup> AOT, LC 390/3 (Mary Tully)
- <sup>14</sup> AOT, CON 52/7 p.324 (Thomas Nash & Mary Tully)
- <sup>15</sup> AOT, RGD 37/13 1854/1277 Oatlands (Thomas Nash & Mary Tully); AOT, NS 1052/6 No.48 (Thomas Nash & Mary Tully)
- <sup>16</sup> AOT, CON 33/82 *Lord Auckland* 2 No.19130 (Thomas Nash)
- <sup>17</sup> AOT, LC 83/12 p.315 (Thomas Nash)
- <sup>18</sup> AOT, RGD 35/58 1889/1381 Westbury (Mary Nash)