

George ADAMS (1837-1908?)

George was a 'Trade Wind' immigrant. Described on ship's records as aged 20 (born about 1837), single, Church of England, could read and write, born Buckinghamshire and a labourer. George was sponsored by James Amos, Gala Mill, Swan Port. George was discharged from the Quarantine Station, Impression Bay on the evening of 30 March 1858 to Mr Amos, of Swan Port.

George was believed to be the son of William Gates Adams (1799-1869) and Elizabeth nee Quartermaine (1798-1874). He was born on 16 March 1837 at Great Brickhill, Buckinghamshire. In the 1841 and 1851 England Census the Adams family were living at Church End, Brickhill.

It is doubtful George remained in Tasmania and likely he went to Victoria. A researcher on *ancestry.com* has his death in Hobart but it is possible this is the George Adams, the Tattersall's King as he was born about 1837 – not a passenger on the 'Trade Wind' – he travelled with his family to Australia.

A George Adams born 8 May 1837, Newport Pagnell, Milton Keynes Borough, Buckinghamshire died 16 June 1908 in Melbourne, aged 71. He was buried in the CE Section at the Springvale Botanical Cemetery.