

George ADDISON (1840-?)

George Addison was a 'Trade Wind' immigrant. Ship's records detail he was aged 17, single, Wesleyan, could read, Suffolk, groom and labourer. George was sponsored by Henry Cook of Hobart Town and was discharged from the Quarantine Station, Impression Bay on 25 March 1858 to Mr H Cook of Elizabeth Street.

George was born about 1840 in Bardwell, Suffolk, England, baptised on 5 April 1840. His parents are probably David Addison (1814-) and Ann nee Bradstreet (1817-)

George was in Tasmania in 1861 as the *Mercury* of 18 June 1861 (p2) reported George Addison, a groom, formerly in Mr Moore's employ was a witness in an inquest to the death of a man supposed to be John Burrridge who was burnt to death. No other information could be found for the 'Trade Wind' George Addison and it is likely he left Tasmania sometime after 1861.

There was another George Addison living in Tasmania ; he was born in Scotland rather than Suffolk, England so not the same as the George who migrated on the 'Trade Wind'..