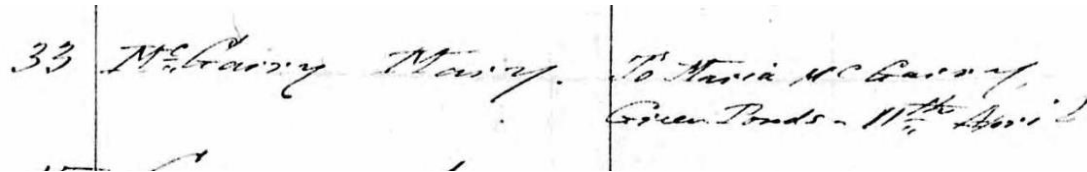


Mary McGARRY (1824-1896)

Mary was from Clare in Ireland, single, and a general servant when migrating to Tasmania in the 'Trade Wind' in 1858. Her age was stated to be 33 although she was probably much older. Mary was described as being of low size, short figure, light hair with a long nose. She was discharged on 11 April 1858 to Maria McGarry (1837-1901) of Green Ponds.



33 McGarry Mary. To Maria McGarry of Green Ponds - 11th April

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Maria was Mary's daughter and an unnamed father. Maria married Andrew James Dishington (1872-1914) in the Oatlands district on 15 May 1866. They had at least five children, the youngest died at four months of age at the Carrington Estate, Richmond. Andrew later became the licensee at the Junction Hotel at Lottah near St Helens. Maria and Andrew both died at Lottah; Maria on 8 October 1901 and Andrew in July 1914.

Mary died on 8 July 1896 also at Lottah. She was recorded as being aged 80 years and a widow. The cause of death was natural due to a decay of nature. Both Mary and Maria were buried in the St Helen's General Cemetery.



Headstone at St Helens General Cemetery