

**Rosetta Parr (Rosa) RULE (1852-1927)**

Rosa was born on 2 February 1852 in Poplar, Middlesex, England. She was aged 6 and was able to read when migrating to Tasmania on the 'Trade Wind' in 1858 with her parents, Thomas (1827-1904) and Mary nee Nash (1833-1907) and three siblings.

Rosa married William Talbot Tilley (1857-1933) in Hobart on 2 February 1879. Rosa and William had six children. At least two of the children moved to Victoria.

William was killed on 19 June 1933, aged 76, after a collision on his bicycle with a milk cart. The driver of the cart was charged with manslaughter as the horse attached to the milk float was driven in a culpable, reckless and negligent manner. Their second eldest daughter, Violet Emily Grace (1884-1899) died at Waratah, Tasmania, at the age of 15, because of falling after slipping on a board covered with frozen snow.

Rosa died at Fairfield, Victoria on 14 January 1937, aged 84. She was buried at the Preston General Cemetery.

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