Barclay Wood (1846-1891)

William was born in October 1846 in Bristol, Gloucestershire. He was aged 9½ when migrating to Tasmania with his family on the 'Trade Wind' in 1858.

Barclay married Emma Louisa Morris on 18 September 1871, at Meningie, South Australia. Barclay was occupied in Meningie as a storekeeper, keeper of the public pound and licensed to officiate as salesman of cattle impounded there. Barclay and Emma had five children. A grandson became well known for his musical abilities – Phillip Barclay Wood (1907-1954).

Barclay died on 7 May 1891 in Adelaide, aged 44.