

Gleadow, John Ward (1801-1881)

Sponsored: William Saul (Norfolk, farm labourer)



JW Gleadow born Kingston upon Hull, Yorkshire, England and died 25 August 1881, Launceston. John Ward Gleadow founded the firm Parker, Alfred Green & Co. It was known initially as Gleadow, Ritchie & Parker. Gleadow was admitted as an attorney of his Majesty's Court of King's Bench at Westminster on 11 June 1823, and a solicitor of his Majesty's High Court of Chancery on 19 June 1823. Mr Gleadow came to Tasmania early in 1826, and was duly admitted and enrolled as a barrister, attorney, solicitor, and proctor of the Supreme Court of Tasmania on 7 March 1826. Mr Gleadow practised in Launceston for some years on his own account. Gleadow was a member of the Legislative Council from 1851 to 1856, when he resigned. In 1866 he was elected as member for Morven, but retired in 1869 owing to ill-health. (*Daily Telegraph*, Thursday 11 March 1926, p4: One Hundred Years Launceston Legal Firm's Record a Century of Continuous Practice.)

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J W Gleadow, landowner, Evandale applied for Immigrant Bounty Tickets.