Hinsby, Henry (1816-1888)

Sponsored: Anne Cox (Norfolk, housemaid)



Hinsby was a pharmacist in Elizabeth Street, Hobart. Henry Hinsby was born on 31 August 1816, Halesworth, Suffolk; died 30 November 1888, Hobart. He arrived Tasmania on 31 October 1835. Death notice *The Mercury*, Saturday 8 Dec 1888, p4: Hinsby. On 30 November at 67 Elizabeth Street, Henry Hinsby, chemist, aged 72 years.

Obituary, *The Mercury*, Tue 8 Dec 1888, p4. Mr H Hinsby, the well-known chemist of Elizabeth-street, and one of our oldest colonists, passed away on the

30th ult. At the age of 72 years. Mr Hinsby has for nearly half a century resided in the colony. Some 30 years ago he entered into business for himself, carrying it on successfully for a time, and then he entered into partnership with the late Mr Calvert, the firm trading under the style of Hinsby & Calvert. On Mr Calvert's retirement Mr Hinsby again assumed the sole control of the business, and carried it on until his death. He was twice married, his second wife survives him. His children are all grown up.

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Henry Hinsby, Chemist and Druggist, Hobart Town applied for Immigrant Bounty Tickets on 26 August 1856.