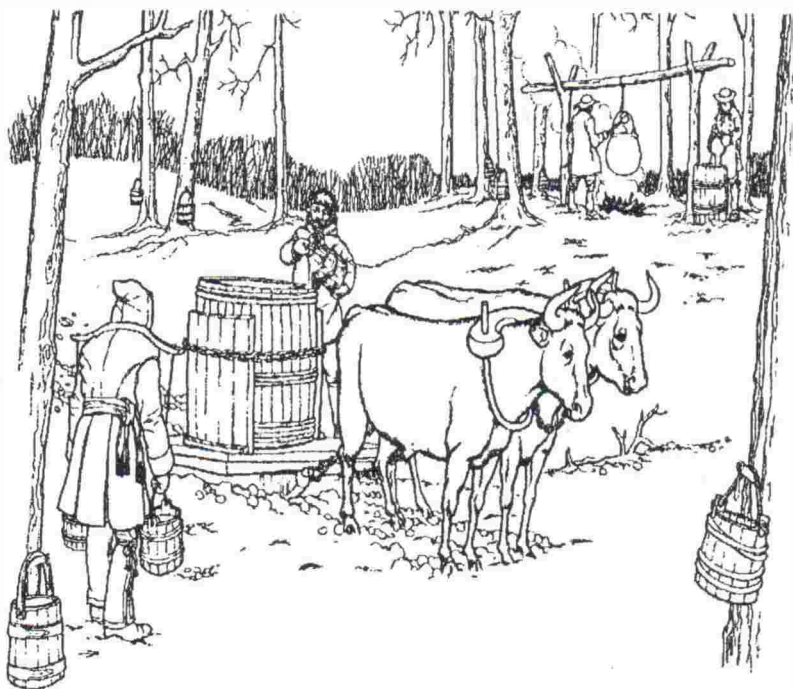


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Fees 98/99: Membership Single \$18; Family \$25  
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There is a research fee of \$10 plus SAE for any enquiries requiring research, with additional charges for large amounts of photocopying and/or postage. Enquiries should be clear and concise.

Please direct all enquiries to The Secretary, PO Box 767, Morwell, 3840, and mark the envelope "Research Query".

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# HAPPY NEW YEAR



Not much news from over the Christmas /New Year break but following are things you may find of interest.

Thanks to Kay Lay for wearing the vice president's cap. Unfortunately Kay is unable to continue this role. The position is now vacant so if you are interested let the committee members know.

Our group now has a home page thanks to Sally Shine who has set it up for some sort of members' interest will probably go onto it and Sally would like to hear from anyone who objects to having their name and address put onto the internet. Having your contact details on it any correspondence regarding your interests will go straight to you rather than Sally getting everyone's mail. If you don't want details on the net let myself or Sally know.

The homepage can be accessed at

<http://members.net-tech.com.au/shine/sally.htm>

Sally can be e-mailed [shine@net-tech.com.au](mailto:shine@net-tech.com.au)

or [sshine@bigfoot.com](mailto:sshine@bigfoot.com)

**The AIGS will be opening for our members on Sunday 7th February.** This should be a great chance for some research, or just a look around, so get in touch with someone to find out the time and travel arrangements and be there. Florence will be speaking about the AIGS tonight.

## 1999 MEETING DATES

January 28th	April 22nd	July 22nd	Oct 28th
February 25th	May 27th	Aug 26th	Nov 25th
March 25th	June 24th	Sept 23rd	

LIST OF CERTIFICATED TEACHERS ON THE 31ST DECEMBER, 1860, WITH THE SITUATIONS HELD BY THEM UNDER THE BOARD.

No.	Name.	Classification.		Whether employed in a National School.	If so, where, and in what capacity.
		Division	Class.		
MALES.					
1	Fitzgerald, John*	1	I.	Yes	Acting Assistant Teacher, Model Schools
2	Whyte, Patrick	1	I.	Yes	Assistant Teacher, Model Schools
3	Jones, Henry	2	I.	Yes	Ditto
4	Matthew, William†	2	I.	Yes	Teacher, Colac
5	Smith, Alexander M.	2	I.	Yes	Teacher Model Schools
6	Johnston, James Hay	3	I.	Yes	Teacher, Belfast
7	Menzies, John	3	I.	Yes	Assistant Teacher, Model Schools
8	Phelan, Henry†	3	I.	No	
9	Bryant, William	1	II.	Yes	Teacher, Hawthorn
10	Cantwell, William†	1	II.	No	
11	Connell, Michael	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, Lancefield
12	Cox, William	1	II.	No	
13	Harrington, Peter	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, Creswick
14	Healey, John*	1	II.	No	
15	Hughston, Johnston*	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, Heathcote
16	Hurly, Thomas*	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, Red Hill, Ballaarat
17	Jackson, Richard	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, Mortlake
18	Lee, John	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, Tower Hill Lake
19	Martin, Charles†	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, Ballaarat
20	Mathers, George*	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, Camperdown
21	Matthews, Thomas*	1	II.	No	
22	Mattingley, Charles	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, Wangaratta
23	Meagher, Thomas*	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, Whroo
24	Millie, Alexander	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, Bacchus Marsh
25	Messervey, George	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, Chapel-street, Prahran
26	O'Neill, James*	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, Seymour
27	Reynolds, James*	1	II.	No	
28	Wilcox, James Leonard	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, Avoca
29	Willmott, William	1	II.	Yes	Ditto, King-street, Melbourne
30	Wright, Robert*	1	II.	No	
31	Blanche, John F.	2	II.	Yes	Ditto, Tarraville
32	Buchanan, William P.†	2	II.	No	
33	Conly, James	2	II.	Yes	Ditto, Bell-street, Collingwood
34	De Mornay, A. A.	2	II.	No	
35	Dimpsey, William Thomas*	2	II.	No	
36	Dunbar, Charles J. T.†	2	II.	Yes	Ditto, Portland
37	Forster, George J.*	2	II.	Yes	Ditto, Tullamarine
38	Hannon, James	2	II.	No	
39	Henderson, William	2	II.	No	
40	Howes, Florance†	2	II.	Yes	Ditto, Woodford
41	Kavanagh, Patrick*	2	II.	No	
42	Kyle, James	2	II.	No	
43	Lewellyn, Thomas*	2	II.	No	
44	Lomax, Benjamin*	2	II.	Yes	Ditto, Church's Flat
45	Main, John	2	II.	Yes	Ditto, East Collingwood
46	Main, William F.	2	II.	Yes	Ditto, Castlemaine
47	Mattingley, Albert	2	II.	Yes	Ditto, Errol-street, Melbourne
48	Metcalfe, George	2	II.	Yes	Assistant Teacher, Geelong
49	Morony, Michael*	2	II.	No	
50	Macadam, George R.	2	II.	Yes	Probationary Assistant, Gisborne
51	McAllister, John*	2	II.	No	
52	McKay, George G.	2	II.	Yes	Teacher, Yangery
53	McLeish, William	2	II.	Yes	Ditto, Warrnambool
54	Nicholson, Joseph†	2	II.	Yes	Ditto, Brown Hill, Ballaarat
55	Scott, George	2	II.	Yes	Ditto, Pentridge
56	Sharples, John†	2	II.	Yes	Ditto, Sandridge
57	Templeton, John†	2	II.	Yes	Assistant Teacher, North Collingwood
58	Templeton, Thomas*...	2	II.	No	
59	Thomas, Richard P.	2	II.	Yes	Teacher, Dennington

No.	Name	Classification		employed in a National School	If so, where, and in what capacity.
		Division	Class.		
MALES—continued.					
60	Baker, John*	1	III.	Yes	Teacher, Wyndham
61	Burt, Walter F.	1	III.	No	
62	Case, W. H.	1	III.	No	
63	Calder, William	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Horsham
64	Christopherson, John A.	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Oxford-street, Collingwood
65	Clark, David G.	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Eltham
66	Cook, William	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Emerald Hill
67	Cooper, Irie	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Hexham
68	Craig, Matthew	1	III.	No	
69	Crawford, F. S.	1	III.	No	
70	Dale, Edward P.*	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Tarravongee
71	Derrick, Joseph H.	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Richmond
72	Donovan, James	1	III.	No	
73	English, John James*	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Sale
74	Gilchrist, Daniel†	1	III.	No	
75	Hall, John H.*	1	III.	No	
76	Hand, Thomas†	1	III.	No	
77	Higginbotham, William*	1	III.	Yes	Assistant, Lennox-street, Richmond
78	Hughes, John†	1	III.	Yes	Teacher, Belvoir
79	Ingram, Robert*	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Rochford
80	Leete, Frederick	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Belmont
81	Lemmon, Benjamin	1	III.	No	
82	Marshall, Theophilus*	1	III.	No	
83	Miller, John G.*	1	III.	No	
84	Morrison, Simon†	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Maddingley
85	Molteno, Frederick†	1	III.	No	
86	Owen, George	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Wangoom
87	Potter, Thomas	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Heidelberg
88	Puckey, John	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Taradale
89	Ross, James	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Madeline-street, Melbourne
90	Ross, William	1	III.	No	
91	Taylor, Benjamin*	1	III.	No	
92	Thompson, Thomas†	1	III.	No	
93	Webb, James W.*	1	III.	Yes	Ditto, Cambridge
94	Wood, Leonard	1	III.	No	
95	Baker, John†	2	III.	No	
96	Bedford, Joseph†	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Cape Bridgewater
97	Begg, Robert	2	III.	No	
98	Bell, Robert	2	III.	No	
99	Booth, Nelson	2	III.	No	
100	Burston, David†	2	III.	No	
101	Carter, John H.	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Benalla
102	Cox, Ross†	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Kyneton
103	Dredge, Dennis R.*	2	III.	No	
104	Dunne, William H.†	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Korkuperimul
105	Fisher, Marmaduke W.*	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Dunkeld
106	Gleeson, John*	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Duneed
107	Gooch, Robert	2	III.	Yes	Assistant Teacher, Model Schools
108	Grant, John†	2	III.	No	
109	Grant, Thomas W.†	2	III.	No	
110	Groves, George W.†	2	III.	No	
111	Hayes, James*	2	III.	No	
112	Heming, Samuel	2	III.	Yes	Teacher, Woodend
113	Higgs, John†	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Plenty
114	Holt, John†	2	III.	No	
115	Kennan, Thomas†	2	III.	No	
116	Lewis, James*	2	III.	No	
117	Lawson, Charles P.	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Back Creek, Amherst
118	Lauder, Abraham†	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Balmoral
119	Lazarus, Samuel†	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Seafield
120	Manson, David T.	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Echuca
121	McKeegan, James	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Newtown, Geelong
122	Morgan, George†	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Pascovale
123	O'Malley, Charles†	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Modewarre
124	Packe, Herbert	2	III.	No	
125	Packe, Charles Lewis ...	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Campbell's Creek
126	Popplewell, Benjamin...	2	III.	No	
127	Porter, Zadock	2	III.	No	
128	Ryland, David B.	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Forest Creek
129	Simpson, James†	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Heywood
130	Sloss, Quintin*	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Rose-street, Collingwood
131	Smith, Matthew†	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Bullock Creek, Sandhurst
132	Smyth, Ralph*	2	III.	No	
133	South, George*	2	III.	No	
134	Steel, William†	2	III.	No	
135	Streeton, Charles*	2	III.	No	
136	Walker, Joseph F.	2	III.	Yes	Ditto, Lennox-street, Richmond

## NEWSLETTER NOTES

Look in the September '98 issue of *Quondam* (Toora & District) if you are interested in the history of **Toora Cemetery**.



The October '98 newsletter of the **Yarram Genealogy Group** contains various articles on things local to their area.

*Reflections* (Bass Coast), Sept '98, continues **Burials in the Parish of Hobart Town**.

The Leeton Family History Soc. Inc newsletter of June-July 1998 is a special edition recognising the **early Italian settlers** in that area.

*The Port Fairy Genealogical News* (September) wraps up the series of **People Eligible to Vote ... Galway 1832-7**. In the September and October issues **Land Grants 1788-1809, Pigot's Directory ... , Killaloe Marriage License Bonds 1680-1720, 1760-1762 and Scottish Records** are continued and in the October issue you will also find an article on **Changes in Tasmanian Place Names**.

*The Mail* (Descendants of Convicts), Nov-Dec 1998, has articles on **Convict Records in the G.S.V Library, Researching your Publican Ancestors and Lincolnshire Convicts on the Prison Hulks Early 1832**

The newsletter from the Port Phillip Pioneers Group, Aug-Sep 1998 has an interesting article on **Richmond**.

*The Pivot Tree* (Geelong), Oct 1998, includes an article on **Welsh Research** and information on the **Leopold (Kensington) Cemetery 1860-1996** as well as a listing of **stray certificates**.

In the Kerang & District's October newsletter there is a map of the **Old Kerang Township 1873**, lots of history on the people and places and a **history of Koroop**.

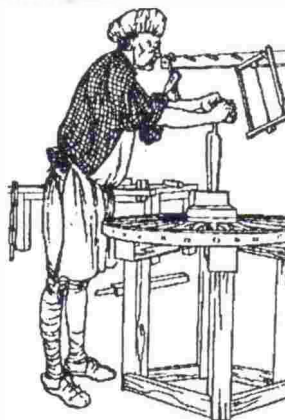
The topic in the 'Getting Started' section of *Australian Family Tree Connection* November, is **Researching in N.S.W.** In the December issue the 'Getting Started' topic is **Starting New Zealand Research.** There is also a **Newbies Guide to the Internet.**

*Bridges & Branches*, Nov 1998, from the Echuca Moama group has an article on **Moama cemetery.** A list of names from the **Boer War Memorial, Echuca** is included as is an article on the **Belbins**, a pioneer family of the area.

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## COLONIAL OCCUPATIONS FINAL

Sharman	Shearman; cutter of woolen cloth
Sizer	One who applies size to textiles
Slatter	Slater; one who covers houses with slate
Slaymaker	Maker of reeds or slays for looms
Soyer	Sawyer; sawer of wood
Stokiner	Maker or weaver of stockings
Sutler	One who supplies an army with provisions
Tanner	Tanner of animal skin
Taper	Candlewick maker or seller
Tawer	One who taws (makes hide into leather without tannin)
Thirdbororough	Tithing man or deputy constable
Tinker	An itinerant mender of kettles and pans
Todd	Fox hunter
Tripper	Dancer
Vitner	Wine merchant
Webber	Weaver
Wheelwright	Builder of wagon wheels
Whitcher	Maker of chests
Whittawer	One who taws skin into white leather





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Gippsland Crematorium Register	1985-1995	\$15.00
Gippsland Crematorium Transcriptions	1985-1995	\$15.00
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Moe Cemetery Register	1891-1996	\$20.00
Moe Cemetery Transcriptions 2 vols	1881-1997	\$30.00
Toongabbie Cemetery Register	1872-1995	\$15.00
Toongabbie Cemetery Transcriptions	1873-1994	\$15.00
Trafalgar Cemetery Register	1887-1995	\$15.00
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Walhalla Cemetery Transcriptions	1869-1995	\$15.00
Willow Grove Cemetery Register & Transcriptions	1898-1993	\$15.00

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Hazelwood Cemetery Transcriptions	1879-1995	\$15.00
Moe Cemetery Register	1891-1996	\$10.00
Moe Cemetery Transcriptions	1881-1997	\$15.00
Toongabbie Cemetery Register	1872-1995	\$ 8.00
Toongabbie Cemetery Transcriptions	1873-1994	\$ 7.00
Trafalgar Cemetery Register	1887-1995	\$ 8.00
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