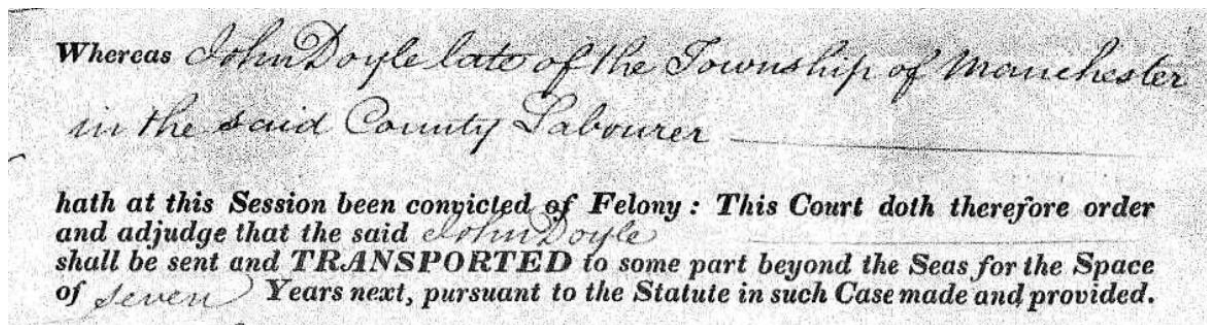


DOYLE

John Doyle was born around 1816¹ in Manchester, England. He was convicted on the 9 April 1832² for stealing, for this crime he was sentenced to seven years transportation to Australia. He left on the ship *Planter* on the 13 June 1832.³ When he arrived at Sydney Cover on the 13 October 1832,⁴ he was assigned to William Barnes in the district of Patterson in the Hunter River area of New South Wales.⁵

John was granted his ticket of leave 2 October 1837⁶ and his certificate of Freedom 29 December 1841.⁷



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John Married Ann Graham on the 5 August 1845,⁹ at this stage it is uncertain of how many children were born to John & Ann but seven are known.

John Doyle 23 September 1844 - 27 January 1845 and is buried in the Glebe Cemetery, Maitland.¹⁰ George Doyle 15 December 1845 - 6 June 1911.¹¹ John, Ann and George moved to Queensland, prior to the birth of Ann Jane in Ipswich 21 July 1848 - 18 October 1928.¹² Ann Jane Married George Edward Bird 13 April 1868¹³ and are both buried in the Moggill Cemetery,¹⁴ Henry Edward 26 July 1851 - 30 June 1920,¹⁵ James 20 October 1853,¹⁶ John James 2 May 1856 - 14 June 1905,¹⁷ and Francis (Fanny) 12 December 1860 - 25 December 1926.¹⁸

Around 1856, the family moved to Moggill. After settling in Moggill, John tried his hand as a farmer of various crops including bearded wheat,¹⁹ but the crop he was best known for was tobacco, which was reported to be well regarded,²⁰ and he was also involved in the timber industry.²¹

Not long after settling in the Moggill area, the Doyle's had a large involvement in the social activities such as sports days,²² ploughing competition,²³ as well as boat trips for the Hibernian Society for the celebrations of St Patrick's day.²⁴ These boat trips were from Brisbane & Ipswich to Doyle's Wharf, which was located at the junction of Pullen Pullen Creek and the Brisbane River, where John Doyle first acquired land, 47 Acres on Pullen Pullen Creek.²⁵ Doyle Wharf was used frequently by Steamers from Brisbane and Ipswich.

Ann died on 17 May 1897 and John died on the 24 March 1898, both are buried in the Moggill Cemetery. Unfortunately, their graves are now unmarked, due to the removal of their head stones. John James Doyle is also buried at Moggill Cemetery.²⁶

Their son George (22) married Julia Splain (21?) on 1 February 1868,²⁷ and settled in Rafting Ground Road, Brookfield. They were said to have raised nine children, eight of which are known.

George 28 April 1869 – 30 March 1902.²⁸ Records show that George Doyle, who became a Police Officer was born at Moggill Creek, Brookfield, this was hotly disputed by his Father, who stated that he was born at his Grandfather's residence at Pullen Pullen creek on the above date. George Doyle and Mr Dahlke were said to have been murdered by bush rangers on Easter Day, 1902 at Lethbridge Pocket, near the head of the Warrego River and there is a monument to George Doyle and Mr Dahlke locate in the Tamrookum Cemetery, only a few kilometres outside of Beaudesert. Legacy of George Doyle was the naming of a Police Vessel "George Doyle" on 30 June 1995, in recognition of his service as a police officer.



"GEORGE DOYLE"

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Maurice William 30 September 1870 – 5 January 1937³⁰, and Graham 4 May 1877 – 10 January 1944³¹, both served as members of the Indooroopilly³² and Moggill Shire council for many years. Henry Edmund 20 December 1872 – 11 October 1947,³³ Emily 12 September 1874 – 17 February 1876,³⁴ Amy 12 February 1879 – 6 December 1954,³⁵ Catherine 20 January 1882 – 10 April 1944,³⁶ Ernest Edward 29 August 1884 – 9 August 1915.³⁷

¹ Australian and New Zealand, Find a Grave Index, 1800s-Current.

² Australian Convict Transportation Register – Other Fleets & Ships, 1791-1868

³ Australian Convict Records Index, 1787-1867

⁴ New South Wales, Australia, Convict Index, 1788-1842

⁵ New South Wales, Australia, Settler and Convicts lists 1787-1834

⁶ New South Wales, Ticket of Leave 1810-1869

⁷ New South Wales, Certificates of Freedom 1810-1814, 1827-1867

⁸ Lancashire, England, Quarter Sessions Records & Petitions 1648-1908

⁹ Birth Death & Marriages, New South Wales, Registration Number 532/1843 V1843532 27C

¹⁰ Birth Death & Marriages, New South Wales, Registration Number 2647/1844 V18442647 28

¹¹ Birth Death & Marriages, New South Wales, Registration Number 2491/1845 V18452491 31A & Birth Death & Marriages Queensland, Registration Number 1911/B/14201

¹² Birth Deaths & Marriages, Queensland, Registration Numbers Q1854/BBP/284 & 1928/B/5925

¹³ Birth Deaths & Marriages, Queensland, Registration Number 1868/B/2359

¹⁴ Brisbane City Council Cemetery Location, Website

¹⁵ Birth Deaths & Marriages, Queensland, Registration Numbers Q1854/BBP/673 & 1920/C/3309

¹⁶ Birth Deaths & Marriages, Queensland, Registration Number 1854/BBP/883

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 - ¹⁸ Birth Deaths & Marriages, Queensland, Registration Numbers 1861/B/428 & 1926/C/4192
 - ¹⁹ Trove, Telegraph, Monday 25 November 1872 P2
 - ²⁰ Trove, Queenslander, Saturday 25 Jan 1868 P10, The Courier Thursday 18 December 1862 P5
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 - ²² Trove, Queensland Times, Ipswich & General Advertiser Saturday 2 March 1872 P2, Queensland Times, Ipswich & General Advertiser Thursday 21 March 1872 P4
 - ²³ Trove, Brisbane Courier, Thursday 21 October 1869 P2
 - ²⁴ Trove, Queensland Times, Ipswich Herald and General Advertiser, Tuesday 19 March 1872 P3, Trove Telegraph, Thursday 13 March 1873 P2, Queensland Times, Tuesday 19 March 1872 P3
 - ²⁵ New South Wales, Australia, Land Records, 1811-1870
 - ²⁶ Brisbane City Council Cemetery Location Website
 - ²⁷ Birth Deaths & Marriages, Queensland, Registration Number 186/B/2315
 - ²⁸ Birth Deaths & Marriages, Queensland, Registration Numbers 1869/B/9792 & 1904/C/3670
 - ²⁹ Queensland Water Police, ©2009 John Rice
 - ³⁰ Birth Deaths & Marriages, Queensland, Registration Numbers 1870/B/11744 & 1937/C/385
 - ³¹ Birth Deaths & Marriages, Queensland, Registration Numbers 1877/C/4091 & 1944/B/64703
 - ³² Trove, Telegraph, Thursday 15 February 1906 P3, Telegraph, Saturday 13 July 1918 P29, Telegraph, Wednesday 21 May 1924 P5
 - ³³ Birth Deaths & Marriages, Queensland, Registration Numbers 1873/B/15290 & 1947/B/13866
 - ³⁴ Birth Deaths & Marriages, Queensland, Registration Numbers 1874/B/17902 & 1876/B/10462
 - ³⁵ Birth Deaths & Marriages, Queensland, Registration Numbers 1879/C/4372 & 1955/B/5752
 - ³⁶ Birth Deaths & Marriages Queensland, Registration Numbers 1882/C/5358 & 1944/C/1529
 - ³⁷ Birth Deaths & Marriages Queensland, Registration Numbers 1844/C/6888 & 1915/C/2766