

Note about Thomas Sampey – Colin Turner, England

Good afternoon Thomas Sampey was born

1833 Chelsea London Uk son of Micheal Sampey born County Mayo Ireland

Mother Mary Clark born London Uk

Thomas married Mary Ann Eldridge 1851

Chelsea london her father Allen Eldridge was

Drill Sargent Grenadier Guards.

Thomas left Mary about eight months later

and joined 12th lancers.

Mary Ann Sampey nee Eldridge married

Edward Rowlands a year later then emigrated to New Zealand most likely because of Mary Ann's bigamy.

Thomas married Emma Harris from Somerset thou he stated he was single and his age was also a bit suspect.

Thomas had a brother Micheal who served with a 56th foot regiment and became a pensioner guard in Australia he left what he had on his will to Thomas after passing away .

Thomas had following Sisters Mary Ann

Elizabeth and Sara

Mary Ann had a daughter 1847 illegitimate

Maria Sampey she is my Great Great Grandmother

Mary Ann's sister Elizabeth died and Mary Ann married her former husband John Gellett illegally.

Post note

Thomas was continually in trouble with the law after he arrived in Australia and passed

Away 1897 .

Regards Colin Turner

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