

Anne Maria DELANEY - 2nd daughter of John and Eleanor McDermott
grand daughter of Denis Delaney and Judith Dormer
sister of Mary Eleanor, William , John and Michael Walter
born 1853 in Capetown. died 1889 Oamaru. R1500 aged just 36

As with sister, Mary Eleanor , she arrived in Auckland 10 January 1865 aged 12. After some 10 years in Golden Square and Melbourne, Victoria and 1 in Capetown, along with the rest of the family she sailed from Capetown to Melbourne on the Wigram and in 1865 on the Claud Hamilton from Melbourne to Auckland.

Not much is known of her early life but in 1873 aged 20 she married Nicholas Marsh. Ref. #1500. in Opotiki. and died Oamaru in 1889 just 36 years old.

Nicholas gave his occupation as Armed Constable and it is probable he was a friend of Anne's brothers.

It seems 20 was underage in those times and she had to have approval of her dad John Dormer. At this stage there is no record of children.

It is believed Nicholas Marsh remarried and was involved in a Retail Business in the South Island.

It appears that details re Death Cert. for John Dormer do not tally with details of the actual sons and daughters at the time of his death in 1898 but this could be result of registration mistakes as Eleanor predeceased John Snr.