

SONTER FAMILY SHEETS



FAMILY GROUP CHART

Compiled by: *TEAR4 BRONNE*

Date: *2003*

ID Number:

Husband: *SOUNTER/SALTER/SANTER SENTER DAVID*
 Birth Date: *1799/1803* Place: *SUSSEX ENGLAND*
 Baptism Date: *26 DEC. 1799* Place:
 Marriage Date: *16. 12. 1830/5* Place: *SHANE SUSSEX ENGLAND*
 Death Date: *26. Nov 1873* Place: *PARAMATTA NSW*
 Burial Date: Place: *ST. PAULS CEMETERY CARLINGFORD*
 Other partners: *NSW WITH HEADSTONES* wid/div/sep
 Occupation: *AGRICULTURAL LABOURER*
 Father: *SANTER ROBERT = DIED 17.3.1840 AGE 87*
 Mother: *FRICER FRANCES [100% CONFIRMED?]*
 Other: *LEFT ENGLAND FROM GRAVESEND ARRIVED AUSTRALIA 6. 11. 1835 ON MAIL COAST*

Wife: *CHANDLER EMMA*
 Birth Date: *APRIL 1813* Place: *SUNDER'S KENT ENGLAND*
 Baptism Date: Place:
 Marriage Date: Place:
 Death Date: *11. AUG 1838* Place: *CARLINGFORD NSW*
 Burial Date: Place: *ST PAULS CEMETERY CARLINGFORD*
 Other partners: *WITH HEADSTONES* wid/div/sep
 Occupation: *KENTISH DAIRY MAID*
 Father: *CHANDLER EDWARD*
 Mother: *KNOWLTON SARAH*
 Other:

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1 F	EMMA	7 MAY 1831	KENT ENG	N. M.		DIED OF TYPHOID	6. 11. 1838	AT SEA.
2 M	EDWARD	1832	KENT ENG	SARAH JANE MITCHELL	1851	PARAMATTA. NSW	1. 12. 1878 6. 9. 1913	CARLINGFORD NSW [ENABED?] CARLINGFORD NSW
3 M	DAVID	1833	KENT ENG	SUSANNAH. MARTIN	28. 12. 1869	RYDE NSW	27. 5. 1927 17. 12. 1919	PORT MACQUARIE. NSW 2. DD GUY
4 M	WILLIAM	1836	SUSSEX ENG	SARAH BOWERMAN	1856	PARAMATTA NSW	23. 9. 1906 16. 12. 1921	PARAMATTA NSW CARLINGFORD NSW
5 M	ROBERT	1837	SUSSEX ENG	MARTHA BOWERMAN	1860	PARAMATTA NSW	1905	RYDE. NSW
6 M	SAMUEL	1840	PARAMATTA. NSW	FANNY DAWSON		ROCHAMPTON QLD	30. 4. 1909	HALBURY NSW
7 F	HARRY	28. FEB 1842		JONATHAN M. JORDAN	1874	PARAMATTA NSW	26. 7. 1932	RYDE. NSW
8 F	CAROLINE	8. DEC 1843		WILLIAM. SHIELDS	1887	PARAMATTA NSW	14. 5. 1929	RYDE. NSW
9 F	HARRIET	15. OCT 1845		THOMAS. SHIELDS	1870	PARAMATTA NSW	29. 4. 1929	ROSFORD NSW
10 M	JAMES.	25. JAN 1849		SUSANNAH HILDON	1871	PARAMATTA NSW	30. 7. 1908	AGERSBY NSW CARLINGFORD NSW
11 M	JOHN	21. JUN 1850		N. M.			5. 4. 1871	POLE FROM HOESE
12 F	SARAH	17. OCT 1852		JOSEPH HENRY SHIELDS	1870	PARAMATTA NSW	9. 8. 1944	HOARSBY NSW
13 F	JANE	18. JUN 1853		JOHN MORRIS/GRIDDON	1872	PARAMATTA NSW	4. 4. 1936	RYDE NSW.

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ID Number:

Husband: *DAVID*

Birth Date: _____ Place: _____

Baptism Date: _____ Place: _____

Marriage Date: _____ Place: _____

Death Date: _____ Place: _____

Burial Date: _____ Place: _____

Other partners: _____ wid/div/sep

Occupation: _____

Father: _____

Mother: _____

Other: _____

Wife: *EMMA*

Birth Date: _____ Place: _____

Baptism Date: _____ Place: _____

Marriage Date: _____ Place: _____

Death Date: _____ Place: _____

Burial Date: _____ Place: _____

Other partners: _____ wid/div/sep

Occupation: _____

Father: _____

Mother: _____

Other: _____

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1 M	<i>GEORGE</i>	<i>27. APR 1855</i>		<i>ANN LOVISA HOBBS</i>	<i>1879</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW</i>	<i>6.12.1943</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW</i>
2 F	<i>MARTHA</i>	<i>11. JAN 1857</i>		<i>WILLIAM HENRY THOMSON</i>	<i>1872</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW</i>	<i>27. 2. 1934</i>	<i>HAMPSHIRE</i>
3 M	<i>STEPHEN</i>	<i>7. DEC 1859</i>	<i>PENNINGTON HILLS NSW</i>	<i>SARAH DORMAN</i>	<i>1851</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW</i>	<i>3.12.1929</i>	<i>CARLINGFORD NSW</i>
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7 F	<i>HANNAH</i>	<i>1847</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW</i>	<i>GEORGE FOX</i>	<i>1876</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW</i>		
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INCOMING PASSENGERS' LIST

Reference: #1292

Extracted by: TERRY BOWING

Place:

Date: 2003.

Name of ship: MAITLAND

Port of embarkation: GRAVESEND ENGLAND

Date of embarkation: 24. JUNE 1838

Port of arrival: SYDNEY

Date of arrival: 6. NOVEMBER 1838

Shipping line:

Master: MARSHALL BAKER.

Type of ship: BARQUE

SURGEON JOHN. SMITH.

Tonnage: 648

BUILT 1810 CALCUTTA. 125 FT (OLD BLACKWALL FRIGATE)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Name	Class	Occupation	Sex	Age	SMW	Nationality	Other
SAUNTER. DAVID	ASSISTED Gov	FRAM LABOURER	M	35. 1838	R.W.	SUSSEX	SON OF ROBERT
" EMMA		DARY WOMAN		25 MARRIED	C/E REMO	SAUNDERS HGV	DAUGHTER EDWARD CHANDLER
" EDWARD				6 YEARS		SUSSEX & ENGLAND	
" DAVID				4 YEARS AGE		"	
" WILLIAM				2 YEARS APRIL		"	
" ROBERT				11 MONTHS		"	
" EMMA		DIED ON BOARD 10. JULY 1838		7 YEARS		"	TYPHUS SCARLET FEVER

SHIP ARRIVED IN SYDNEY UNDER QUARANTINE
DETAINED AT HANLEY COUS Twenty three days

ACTION

Copy of document ☐

Diary, journal, log ☐

Newspaper account ☐

Illustration of ship ☐

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FAMILY GROUP CHART

DAVID SONTES' BROTHER

Compiled by: TERRY BROWNE

Date: 2003

ID Number:

Husband: SONTES EDWARD

Birth Date: 1832 Place: KENT ENGLAND

Baptism Date: Place:

Marriage Date: 1851 Place: PARRAMATTA NSW

Death Date: 6. 9. 1913 Place: BALLINA NSW

Burial Date: Place:

Other partners: /TIMBER CUTTER/SANYER/GOLD/ROSEACRE/ wid/div/sep

Occupation:

Father: SONTES DAVID

Mother: CHANDLER EMMA

Other:

Wife: MITCHELL SARAH JANE

Birth Date: 1830 Place: HAWKES BURY RIVER NSW

Baptism Date: Place:

Marriage Date: Place:

Death Date: 1. 12. 1898 Place: BALLINA NSW

Burial Date: Place:

Other partners: [SNAKE BIT] wid/div/sep

Occupation:

Father: MITCHELL MICHAEL [JAMES]

Mother: GRANT JANE

Other:

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1 F	EMMA	6. 6. 1852	PARRAMATTA NSW	WILLIAM MUNRO.	1877	RICHMOND RIVER	26. 8. 1945	DUNOON VICTORIA NSW
2 M	JAMES.	24. 11. 1853	PARRAMATTA NSW				15. 5. 1925	BALLINA NSW
3 F	MARILDA	10. 12. 1855	PARRAMATTA, NSW	RICHARD TYLER	1882		15. 6. 1896	WARDEN NSW
4 F	MARTHA JANE	18. 6. 1859	ROSEHILL VIA HISHORE	RICHARD JAMES STONE	1879	RICHMOND RIVER	15. 6. 1952	BALLINA NSW
5 F	MARY LUCY	3. 9. 1860	"	WILLIAM STONE	19. 11. 1879	BALLINA NSW	23. 10. 1932	EAST BALLINA NSW
6 F	RUTH MARY	1864	BALLINA NSW	JOHN BURKE	27. 10. 1882	LISMORE	3. 8. 1933	BALLINA NSW
7 F	CAROLINE	1867	"	WILLIAM GLEESON	15. 2. 1888	LISMORE		
8 M	DAVID RATHOR	5. 11. 1869	"	FLORENCE GLEESON	15. 2. 1888	LISMORE	25. 6. 1960	NEW ZEALAND
9 F	WINIFRED	28. 8. 1876	"	ROBERT JACOB SIMMONS	20. 8. 1898	"	10. 6. 1955	BALLINA NSW
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ID Number:

Husband: SOUTER SONTGER DAVID
Birth Date: 1834 Place: ^{HONT.} ENGLAND
Baptism Date: Place:
Marriage Date: 28.12.1869 Place: RYOG NSW # 8415
Death Date: 17.12.1919 Place: PORT MACQUARIE NSW
Burial Date: Place: PM C/E 2.00.59 AGE 88
Other partners: wid/div/sep
Occupation: TIMBER CUTTER
Father: SONTGER DAVID
Mother: CHANDLER EMILY [EMMA]
Other: ARRIVED AUSTRALIA 6.11.1838 "MANTLAND"

Wife: MARTIN SUSANNAH
Birth Date: 25.9.1841 Place: ¹⁸⁵⁰
Baptism Date: Place:
Marriage Date: Place:
Death Date: 27.5.1927 Place: PORT MACQUARIE NSW
Burial Date: Place: PM C/E 2.00.60 AGE 80
Other partners: wid/div/sep
Occupation:
Father: MARTIN FREDERICK MARRIED 1844
Mother: BOWERMAN MARY ANN 262/29 ST JOHN'S
Other: PARRAMATTA NSW

Sex	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
M	HABEL	1870		GEORGE H. WALTON		SYDNEY NSW		
1M	SILAS SYDNEY	1871	#13484 PARRAMATTA NSW				5.5.1919	PORT MACQUARIE NSW
2M	DAVID ARTHUR	1873	" #16350	EMILY S. REYNOLDS	1895	RYOG NSW		
3M	ERNEST HAVELOCK	1875	"	JANET MALLCOH	1896	PORT MACQUARIE	1941	NENTOWN NSW
4M	FREDERICK ALBERT	16.7.1877	#1925 PORT MACQUARIE	ELLEN AGNES SHARNEY	1898	PORT MACQUARIE	1925 20.9.1908	PORT MACQUARIE
5M	EARL HASTING	13.6.1879	" #21280	LAVINA CLAPSON	1899	PORT MACQUARIE	15.2.1965 12.5.1968	PORT MACQUARIE
6M	HAMILTON STERNES	30.10.1883	" #20157	AMY MAY CLAPSON	1916	PORT MACQUARIE		
7M	ALWIN BAILEY	c. 1885	"	N. M.			7.2.1896	HISTORICAL PORT MACQUARIE
8F	ETHEL EMERSON	10.4.1887	"	ALFRED B. EDWARDS	1914	PORT MACQUARIE		
9F	TIRILA MAUD	23.7.1889	" #23413	LAVENLAN CAMPBELL	1911	PORT MACQUARIE		
10	CHARLOTTE BEATRICE	1892	" #29845	ARTHUR B. STAPLES	1910	MARRICKVILLE NSW		
11	FLORENCE A. CHANTLER	24.3.1891		WILLIAM SCOTT	1897	PORT MACQUARIE [QUEENSLAND]		
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EDWARD
DIED 1913
BALLIN
JAMES SOURCE
DIED 1908
RYOG
PARENTS
DAVID & EMILY



FAMILY GROUP CHART

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Husband:	SONTER DAVID ARTHUR		
Birth Date:	1873	Place:	PARAHATTA NSW
Baptism Date:		Place:	
Marriage Date:	1895	Place:	RYDE NSW
Death Date:	JUNE 1959	Place:	GRAFTON BASE HOSPITAL
Burial Date:	4. JUNE 1959	Place:	MES 86
Other partners:	wid/div/sep		
Occupation:			
Father:	SONTER DAVID		
Mother:	MARTIN SUSANNAH		
Other:			

Wife:	REYNOLDS EMILY S.		
Birth Date:	1877	Place:	PARAHATTA NSW
Baptism Date:		Place:	
Marriage Date:		Place:	
Death Date:		Place:	
Burial Date:		Place:	
Other partners:	wid/div/sep		
Occupation:			
Father:	REYNOLDS JAMES MARRIED 1874		
Mother:	Aikin CATHERINE PARAHATTA NSW		
Other:			

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1M	HAROLD A	1895	SWANSEA NSW					
2M	ERIC WALTER	1897	RYDE NSW	AUDREY VANDING EDWARDS	1939	HAVERLEY NSW		
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ID Number:

Husband: Sontes Frederick A. Macquarie
 Birth Date: 1877 Place: Port Macquarie NSW
 Baptism Date: _____ Place: _____
 Marriage Date: 1898 Place: Port Macquarie
 Death Date: 20.8.1908 Place: Port Macquarie
 Burial Date: _____ Place: _____
 Other partners: _____ wid/div/sep
 Occupation: _____
 Father: Sontes David
 Mother: Martin Susanah
 Other: _____

Wife: Sharkey Ellen Agnes
 Birth Date: 1874 Place: Port Macquarie NSW
 Baptism Date: _____ Place: _____
 Marriage Date: 1898 Place: Port Macquarie
 Death Date: 1925 Place: Port Macquarie NSW
 Burial Date: _____ Place: _____
 Other partners: _____ wid/div/sep
 Occupation: _____
 Father: Sharkey Henry Married 1869
 Mother: Matheson Isabella Macquarie River NSW
 Other: _____

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1 F	Islet m	1904	Pr. macq	Foster, Leonard A.	1932	Kempsey		
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Compiled by: *Chloe Shannon*

Date: *2003*

ID Number:

Husband: *Sonter EARL Hastings Eli*

Birth Date: *1880* Place: *PORT MACQUARIE NSW*

Baptism Date: Place:

Marriage Date: *1899* Place: *Port Macquarie*

Death Date: *12.5.1968* Place: *Port Macquarie*

Burial Date: *13.5.1968* Place: *P.M. Meth. 6 N 02*

Other partners: wid/div/sep

Occupation:

Father: *SONTER DAVID*

Mother: *MARTIN SUSANNAH*

Other:

Wife: *Chapson Lavinia*

Birth Date: *1879* Place:

Baptism Date: Place:

Marriage Date: *1899* Place: *Port Macquarie*

Death Date: *15.2.1965* Place: *PORT MACQUARIE*

Burial Date: *16.2.1965* Place: *P.M. Meth. 6 N 01*

Other partners: wid/div/sep

Occupation:

Father: *Chapson James*

Mother: *Williams Annie Marie*

Other: *"Clapson file"*

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1M	<i>ELI JAMES</i>	<i>1900</i>	<i>PT. MACQ</i>	<i>ESTELLA ROWSELL</i>	<i>1920</i>	<i>PORT MACQUARIE</i>	<i>25.6.1956</i>	<i>P.M. C/E 1102</i>
2M	<i>VICTOR CLAUDE</i>	<i>1902</i>	<i>PT. MACQ</i>	<i>ALICE MAY PEAD</i>	<i>1925</i>	<i>WYALONG NSW</i>	<i>28.7.1996</i>	<i>WAVENHOP 4.C.16</i>
3F	<i>Annie L</i>	<i>1906</i>	<i>PT. MACQ</i>	<i>ARTHUR F. J. PORTER</i>	<i>1929</i>	<i>TAREE NSW</i>	<i>10.7.1975</i>	<i>WAVENHOP 4.C.17</i>
4F	<i>Olivene AMY</i>	<i>1911</i>	<i>PT. MACQ</i>	<i>WILLIAM JOHN STATHAM</i>	<i>1939</i>	<i>PORT MACQUARIE</i>	<i>7.11.1984</i>	<i>P/M 17-BA 54 10 51</i>
5							<i>5.11.1972</i>	<i>AN 8.H.21</i>
6							<i>8.11.1996</i>	<i>WAVENHOP NSW AC 89</i>
7							<i>12.8.1998</i>	<i>F 10516 C/S AC 86</i>
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Husband: Sontes Hamilton S RANSLEY
 Birth Date: 30-10-1883 Place: PORT MACQUARIE NSW
 Baptism Date: _____ Place: _____
 Marriage Date: 1916 Place: Port Macquarie
 Death Date: _____ Place: _____
 Burial Date: _____ Place: _____
 Other partners: _____ wid/div/sep
 Occupation: _____
 Father: SONTES DAVID
 Mother: MARTIN SUSANNAH
 Other: _____

Wife: Chapson Amy MAY
 Birth Date: _____ Place: _____
 Baptism Date: _____ Place: _____
 Marriage Date: 1916 Place: Port Macquarie
 Death Date: 24-10-1947 Place: URUNGERA NSW
 Burial Date: 26 OCT 1947 Place: _____
 Other partners: _____ wid/div/sep
 Occupation: _____
 Father: Chapson James
 Mother: Williams Annie Marie
 Other: "Chapson file"

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1M	Reginald MACK	1916	Port Macq	MADGE BENNETT	1937	BELLINGEN NSW		
2F	IRIS ANNIE	1918	Portland	CECIL STANLEY HEINTZ	1937	COFFS HARBOUR		
3M	JOHN		PM					
4F	NANCY		PM	BARNETT				
5F	BERYL		PM	WORMSLEY				
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Husband: <i>EDWARDS ALFRED E</i>	
Birth Date:	Place:
Baptism Date:	Place:
Marriage Date: <i>1914</i>	Place: <i>PORT MACQUARIE NSW</i>
Death Date:	Place:
Burial Date:	Place:
Other partners: wid/div/sep	
Occupation:	
Father:	
Mother:	
Other:	

Wife: <i>SOMER ETHEL EMERLYN</i>	
Birth Date: <i>10.4.1877</i>	Place: <i>PORT MACQUARIE NSW</i>
Baptism Date:	Place:
Marriage Date:	Place:
Death Date:	Place:
Burial Date:	Place:
Other partners: wid/div/sep	
Occupation:	
Father: <i>SOMER DAVID</i>	
Mother: <i>MARTIN SUSANNAH</i>	
Other:	

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1F	<i>ANNIE M.</i>	<i>1915</i>	<i>PORT MACQUARIE</i>					
2F	<i>DAPHNE MAUD</i>	<i>1916</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>GEORGE LYNE FEARNSIDE</i>	<i>1938</i>	<i>GOSFORD NSW</i>		
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ID Number:

Husband: Campbell Lauchlan

Birth Date: _____ Place: _____

Baptism Date: _____ Place: _____

Marriage Date: 1911 Place: Port Macquarie

Death Date: _____ Place: _____

Burial Date: _____ Place: _____

Other partners: _____ wid/div/sep

Occupation: _____

Father: _____

Mother: _____

Other: _____

Wife: Sontes Tirika MAUD

Birth Date: 1889 Place: Port Macquarie

Baptism Date: _____ Place: _____

Marriage Date: 1911 Place: Port Macquarie

Death Date: _____ Place: _____

Burial Date: _____ Place: _____

Other partners: _____ wid/div/sep

Occupation: _____

Father: Sontes DAVID

Mother: MARTIN SUSANNAH

Other: _____

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1 F	Ethel M	1912	Port Macquarie	Blythe, Horace W	1935	Port Macquarie		
2 F	Isobel Coral	1918	Portland	Tout, Harold Mathew	1940	Port Macquarie		
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Compiled by: CAROL SHALAMAY
TERRY BROWNE

Date: 2003

ID Number:

Husband: SCOTT WILLIAM

Birth Date: 11.9.1868 **Place:** KINCUMBER NSW

Baptism Date: **Place:**

Marriage Date: 24.5.1897 **Place:** PORT MACQUARIE NSW #3990

Death Date: 25.3.1924 **Place:** UPPER EUNGA NSW

Burial Date: **Place:** EUNGA CEMETERY

Other partners: wid/div/sep

Occupation:

Father: SCOTT WILLIAM HENRY JACKSON

Mother: MAXWELL MARY ANN

Other:

Wife: SONTOR FLORENCE ADELING CHANTLER

Birth Date: 24.3.1881 **Place:** BLACKMAN'S POINT NSW

Baptism Date: **Place:**

Marriage Date: **Place:**

Death Date: 17.8.1942 **Place:** KEMPSEY NSW

Burial Date: **Place:** EUNGA CEMETERY

Other partners: wid/div/sep

Occupation:

Father: SONTOR DAVID

Mother: MARTIN SUSANNAH

Other:

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
M	WILLIAM GOSFORD	23.1.1898	PORT MACQUARIE #6396	HILDA IONE WATKINS KENNEDY EILEEN MACQUARIE	1931 1920	PORT MACQUARIE TARBE NSW		
M	ERIC CORNELIUS	1.5.1899	"	CONSTANCE S. MACKEOUGH KATHLEEN J. WAREFIELD	1920 1929	TARBE NSW POODINGTON NSW		
F	AILEEN FLORENCE	13.1.1901	"					
M	JOHN DAVID	9.3.1902	"	SYLVIA J. IRELAND	1927	TARBE NSW	20.3.1985	LAURISTON NSW
M	CYDDE AUSTRALIA	15.12.1904	"	EILEEN M. L. STYLES	1931	PORT MACQUARIE	1932	PORT MACQUARIE NSW
F	CHLORINE LEVINA	12.12.1906	"	PERCY C. HORDAKER	1924	BELLINGEN NSW		
F	DELLA CLARKE	3.9.1907	"	LESLIE R. ALEXANDER	1927	KEMPSEY NSW		
F	MARY ANN	21.4.1911	TARBE NSW	HAROLD M. PARTRIDGE	1930	PORT MACQUARIE NSW		
M	FREDERICK	19.3.1915	"					
F	IRIS BELL	24.6.1917	PORT MACQUARIE #36141					
F	GRACE DOREEN	1919	"	LESLIE MACLEAY SIMPSON	1938	KEMPSEY NSW		
F	FLORENCE ADELING SONTOR	13.4.1920	"					
F	SADIE	1924	UPPER EUNGA	ALLAN WILLIAM CONNORS	1943	KEMPSEY NSW		

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" DAVID SONTERR BROTHER "

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FAMILY GROUP CHART

Compiled by: TERRY BROWNE

Date: 2003.

ID Number:

Husband: SONTERR WILLIAM.

Birth Date: 1835 Place: SUSSEX ENGLAND

Baptism Date: Place:

Marriage Date: 1856 Place: #182.43. PARAMATTA NSW #17817

Death Date: 16.12.1921 Place: CARRINGFORD NSW

Burial Date: Place: C/O CHURCH

Other partners: wid/div/sep

Occupation:

Father: SONTERR DAVID

Mother: CHANDLER EMMA. [EMMA]

Other: ARRIVED IN AUSTRALIA 6.11.1838 HATLAND

Wife: BOWERMAN SARAH nee PARADISE

Birth Date: Place:

Baptism Date: Place:

Marriage Date: Place:

Death Date: 23.9.1906 Place: #10130 PARAMATTA NSW

Burial Date: Place:

Other partners: wid/div/sep

Occupation:

Father: WILLIAM

Mother: MARY

Other:

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1M	WILLIAM. J.	1857	#6807 FIELD OF MARS RYDE NSW	N. M.			1872	#5952 PARAMATTA NSW #29130
2M	DAVID. HENRY	1858	"	THIRZA. E. BATCHELOR	1885	#4602 PARAMATTA NSW	1942	PARAMATTA NSW #1723
3F	MARIETTA. S. ADA	1861	"	THOMAS SAMUEL GILBERT	1882	#1102 PARAMATTA NSW	1925	PARAMATTA NSW #10714
4M	SAMUEL ROBERT	1862	#11816 PARAMATTA NSW	ALICE. M. BAILEY	1894	#5883 PARAMATTA NSW	1936	LIVERPOOL NSW
5M	EDWIN ARTHUR	1865	#12981	BRIDGET ELLEN				
6F	JOSEPHINE. E. [A]	1868	#14273 PARAMATTA NSW	GEORGE. A. BOWERMAN	1889	#4367 GRANVILLE NSW		
7F	MARY JANE	1870	#16626 RYDE	JAMES M. GROVES.	1889	#2779 PARAMATTA NSW		
8F	EDITH. A.	1872	"	WILLIAM STEVENS	1890	#6088 PARAMATTA NSW		
9M	JOHN. CLIFTON	1874	#17123 PARAMATTA NSW	ALCOCKE DAWSON	1899	#1111 PARAMATTA NSW	1937	#21250 GRANVILLE NSW
10M	WALTER NORMAN	1877	#18530 PARAMATTA NSW	AMELIA DENNISON JANE WHITE	1918	#1677 PARAMATTA NSW	1937	PARAMATTA NSW #4281
11F	ETHEL. MAY	1880	#12095 PARAMATTA NSW	ASH. J. FISHBURN	1903	#4287 PARAMATTA NSW	1943	NORNSBY NSW
12M	NORACE. A.	1882	#14200 CUMMERBURN	SARAH. BLACKLEY	1906	#7965 PARAMATTA NSW	1931	#16764 REDFERN NSW
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Date: *2003*

ID Number:

Husband: *SONTER DAVID HENRY*

Birth Date: *1858* Place: *RYDE NSW*

Baptism Date: Place:

Marriage Date: *1885* Place: *PARRAMATTA NSW*

Death Date: *1942* Place: *PARRAMATTA NSW*

Burial Date: Place:

Other partners: wid/div/sep

Occupation:

Father: *SONTER WILLIAM* *MARRIED 1856 PARRAMATTA NSW*

Mother: *BOWERMAN SARAH*

Other:

Wife: *BACHELOR THIRZA E*

Birth Date: Place:

Baptism Date: Place:

Marriage Date: Place:

Death Date: Place:

Burial Date: Place:

Other partners: wid/div/sep

Occupation:

Father:

Mother:

Other:

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1M	<i>WILLIAM D.</i>	<i>1886</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #17006</i>	<i>GEORGINA M HILLIER</i>	<i>1915</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #11716</i>		
2M	<i>FRANCIS J.</i>	<i>1888</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #10511</i>	<i>HILDA S. WALKER</i>	<i>1919</i>	<i>PEAK HILL NSW #3047</i>		
3F	<i>EMMIE M.</i>	<i>1889</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #18452</i>	<i>RICHARD H. JEFFERAY</i>	<i>1908</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #5627</i>		
4M	<i>DAVID H.</i>	<i>1891</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #10479</i>	<i>HENRIETTA F. C. JOHNSON</i>	<i>1917</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #13690</i>		
5M	<i>WALTER STEPHEN</i>	<i>1893</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #10783</i>	<i>GERTRUDE M. SARGENT</i>	<i>1913</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #12089</i>		
6	<i>GEORGE L.</i>	<i>1899</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #11400</i>	<i>GLADYS R. WILLIAMS</i>	<i>1922</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #4252</i>		
7	<i>ALFRED J.</i>	<i>1903</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #53324</i>	<i>N. M.</i>			<i>1905</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #5349</i>
8	<i>SARAH I. D.</i>	<i>1906</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #21620</i>	<i>SYDNEY T. L. MACLEOD</i>	<i>1924</i>	<i>PARRAMATTA NSW #11956</i>		
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ID Number:

Husband: *SONTER ROBERT*

Birth Date: *12. 1837* Place: *SUSSEX/KENT ENGLAND*

Baptism Date: _____ Place: _____

Marriage Date: *1860* Place: *PARAMATTA NSW*

Death Date: *1905* Place: *RYDE NSW*

Burial Date: _____ Place: _____

Other partners: _____ wid/div/sep

Occupation: _____

Father: *SONTER DAVID*

Mother: *CHANDLER EMMA.*

Other: _____

Wife: *BOWERMAN MARTHA*

Birth Date: *1834* Place: *PARAMATTA NSW*

Baptism Date: _____ Place: *ST JOHN'S C/E 87.18*

Marriage Date: _____ Place: _____

Death Date: _____ Place: _____

Burial Date: _____ Place: _____

Other partners: _____ wid/div/sep

Occupation: _____

Father: *BOWERMAN THOMAS*

Mother: *MARY*

Other: _____

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1 F	MARTHA ADA	1862	<i>#11533</i> PARAMATTA NSW	GEORGE H. PILBEAT	1885	<i>#2595</i> PARAMATTA NSW		
2 F	PHOEBE A.	1864	<i>#12535</i> PARAMATTA NSW	JAMES CARTS	1888	<i>#4552</i> PARAMATTA NSW		
3 M	SAMUEL D. C.	1868	<i>#114394</i> PARAMATTA NSW				1929	<i>#19572</i> AVONUE NSW
4 M	JOHN ANDREW	1871	<i>#15422</i> PARAMATTA NSW	KLACQVUS DANIEL	1899	<i>#4111</i> PARAMATTA NSW	1922	<i>#5999</i> ST LEONARDS NSW
5 F	EVALINE SUSANNAH	1879	<i>#20765</i> PARAMATTA NSW	WILFRED C. SMITH	1903	<i>#24412</i> SYDNEY NSW		
6 M	ROBERT E	1866	<i>#12516</i> PARAMATTA NSW				1926	<i>#21872</i> RYDE NSW
7 F	AMY ELIZABETH	1876	<i>#18101</i> PARAMATTA NSW	NATHAN E. HANCOCK	1894	<i>#5893</i> PARAMATTA NSW		
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Date: 2003.

ID Number:

Husband: *SONTER GEORGE.*

Birth Date: *27. APR. 1855* Place: *PARAMATTA NSW*

Baptism Date: _____ Place: _____

Marriage Date: *1878* Place: *PETERSHAM NSW.*

Death Date: *6.12.1943.* Place: *RYDE NSW*

Burial Date: _____ Place: _____

Other partners: _____ wid/div/sep

Occupation: _____

Father: *SONTER DAVID*

Mother: *CHANDLER EMMA.*

Other: _____

Wife: *MOBBS. ANN LOUISA.*

Birth Date: *1856* Place: *PARAMATTA. NSW* #6672

Baptism Date: _____ Place: _____

Marriage Date: _____ Place: _____

Death Date: *1903* Place: *PARAMATTA. NSW*

Burial Date: _____ Place: _____

Other partners: _____ wid/div/sep

Occupation: _____

Father: *MOBBS. ISAAC MARRIED 1853*

Mother: *BELLAMY ANN PENNANT HILLS*

Other: *NSW*

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1M	<i>HERBERT ARTHUR</i>	<i>1878</i>	<i>PARAMATTA NSW</i> #19949	<i>ELIZA B FORB</i>	<i>1918</i>	<i>HARRICKVILLE NSW</i> #5625	<i>1928</i>	<i>NORTH SYDNEY NSW</i> #18706
2F	<i>ALICE LOUISA</i>	<i>1880</i>	<i>PARAMATTA NSW</i> #21677	<i>N. M</i>			<i>1881</i>	<i>PARAMATTA. NSW</i> #6033
3F	<i>EVA E.</i>	<i>1886</i>	<i>RYDE NSW</i> #18192	<i>HENRY T. T. BEVAN</i>	<i>1904</i>	<i>PARAMATTA NSW</i> #1910		
4M	<i>GEORGE STANLEY</i>	<i>1881</i>	<i>PARAMATTA NSW</i> #14187	<i>AUBIE M. HAINES.</i>	<i>1905</i>	<i>CHATSWOOD NSW</i> #4936	<i>1939</i>	<i>CHATSWOOD NSW</i> #12340
5F	<i>EMMIE GERTRUDE</i>	<i>1883</i>	<i>CENTRAL CROSSLAND</i>	<i>EDWARD J. HAYES</i>	<i>1912</i>	<i>NEWTON NSW</i>	<i>1915</i>	
6I	<i>LENNIE M.</i>	<i>1888</i>	<i>RYDE NSW</i> #2013					
7F	<i>HELEN</i>	<i>1891</i>	<i>PARAMATTA NSW</i> #10608	<i>NEVILLE D NORMAN</i>	<i>1910</i>	<i>PARAMATTA NSW</i> #13104		
8F	<i>LAVRA</i>	<i>1893</i>	<i>PARAMATTA NSW</i> #10642	<i>HARVEY SHEPHERD</i>	<i>1911</i>	<i>CHATSWOOD. NSW</i>		
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Date: *2003*

ID Number:

Husband: *RAY GEORGE.*

Birth Date: _____ Place: _____

Baptism Date: _____ Place: _____

Marriage Date: *1876* Place: *PARAMATTA NSW #3874*

Death Date: _____ Place: _____

Burial Date: _____ Place: _____

Other partners: _____ wid/div/sep

Occupation: _____

Father: _____

Mother: _____

Other: _____

Wife: *SOMTER HANNAN*

Birth Date: *1847* Place: *PARAMATTA NSW #1435 3A.*

Baptism Date: _____ Place: _____

Marriage Date: _____ Place: _____

Death Date: _____ Place: _____

Burial Date: _____ Place: _____

Other partners: _____ wid/div/sep

Occupation: _____

Father: *SOMTER DAVID*

Mother: *CHANDLER EMMA.*

Other: _____

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1M	<i>GEORGE</i>	<i>1879</i>	<i>PARAMATTA NSW</i>	<i>N. L.</i>			<i>1880</i>	<i>PARAMATTA NSW #1908</i>
2M	<i>EDWIN</i>	<i>1882</i>	<i>PARAMATTA NSW</i>	<i>KATIE H. C. HAZLEWOOD</i>	<i>1913</i>	<i>RYOB NSW #350</i>		
3F	<i>HANNAN</i>	<i>1884</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>HARRY H. HAZLEWOOD</i>	<i>1913</i>	<i>BURWOOD NSW #1571</i>		
4M	<i>OWEN</i>	<i>1886</i>	<i>" "</i>	<i>MABEL CLIFTON</i>	<i>1913</i>	<i>BURWOOD NSW #570</i>		
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DAVID SONTNER BROTHER

FAMILY GROUP CHART

Compiled by: TERRY BROWNE

Date: 2003

ID Number:

Husband: SONTNER JAMES.

Birth Date: 1849 Place: RYDE NSW #1005/34

Baptism Date: Place:

Marriage Date: 1871 Place: PARRAMATTA NSW #3162

Death Date: 1908 Place: RYDE NSW #11261

Burial Date: Place:

Other partners: wid/div/sep

Occupation:

Father: SONTNER DAVID

Mother: CHANDLER EMMA.

Other:

Wife: MIDSON SUSANNAH.

Birth Date: Place:

Baptism Date: Place:

Marriage Date: Place:

Death Date: 1930 Place: HORNSBY NSW #5217

Burial Date: Place:

Other partners: wid/div/sep

Occupation:

Father: MIDSON EDWARD

Mother: HARRIST

Other:

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
1M	FRANK EDWARD	1871	PARRAMATTA NSW #15471	DEBORAH S. CLARKE	1895	RYDE NSW #3501		
2M	LESLIE.	1873	PARRAMATTA NSW #16534	ROSIE. SCHULTZ	1896	ST. PETERS NSW #3565		
3M	CHARLES.	1875	PARRAMATTA NSW #17342	ADA PRATLEY	1900	RYDE NSW #7560		
4F	ELIZABETH	1878	PARRAMATTA NSW #19761	HERBERT P. FOX	1897	NEWTON NSW #5932		
5M	HENRY CHATTON	1880	PARRAMATTA NSW #21740				1941	HORNSBY NSW #5447
6M	JAMES	1890	PARRAMATTA NSW #20285	NELLIE DUBOIS	1910	CHATSWOOD NSW #3217		
7M	WILLIAM ARTHUR	1884	CENTRAL NEWCASTLE NSW #18926					
8F	PHOEBE A.	1888	" #19265	WILLIAM B COSTELLO	1912	YASS NSW #16657		
9M	VICTOR JOSEPH	1882	CENTRAL NEWCASTLE NSW #12333					
10	LUCY	1886	" #18310	IV. M			1895	RYDE NSW #10118
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DAVID SONTES BROTHER
FAMILY GROUP CHART

Compiled by: TERRY BROWNE

Date: 2003

ID Number:

Husband: SONTES STEPHEN

Birth Date: 1859 Place: PARAMATTA NSW #11011

Baptism Date: Place:

Marriage Date: 1881 Place: PARAMATTA NSW #3331

Death Date: 1929 Place: MARRICKVILLE NSW #21634

Burial Date: Place:

Other partners: wid/div/sep

Occupation:

Father: SONTES DAVID

Mother: CHANDLER EMMA

Other:

Wife: DORMAN SARAH

Birth Date: 1865 Place: PARAMATTA NSW #13050

Baptism Date: Place:

Marriage Date: Place:

Death Date: 1918 Place: DRUMMOYNE NSW #9057

Burial Date: Place:

Other partners: wid/div/sep

Occupation:

Father: DORMAN JOSEPH MARRIED 1852/29.1.81

Mother: MOBS. SARAH. ST MATTHEW'S PROTESTANT

Other: WINDSOR NSW

Sex M/F	Children	When Born	Where Born	Married to	When Married	Where Married	When Died	Where Died/Buried
	WALTER JAMES	1883	CENTRAL CUMBERLAND NSW #155120	N. M.				
1 M	ALBERT NATHAN	1885	CUMBERLAND NSW #17400	AMY I. BEAVER	1914	PARAMATTA NSW #16175		
2 M	PHILLIP J.	1886	" #18650	JOHN C. HATTINGS	1905	ROOFORN NSW #1716		
3 F	MARGARET G.	1886	" #19500	WILLIAM T. BELLAMY	1905	PARAMATTA NSW #2135		
4 M	SILAS C.	1890	PARAMATTA NSW #10411	EMILY T. SONTES	1914	PARAMATTA NSW		
5 M	ERNEST J.	1892	PARAMATTA NSW #10617				1893	CENTRAL CUMBERLAND
6 M	CLIFFORD C.	1901	RYDE NSW #16529	AMY B. DAVIES	1926	BELLINGEN NSW 2622		
7 M	STEPHEN DAVID	1881	CENTRAL CUMBERLAND NSW #14059	CLARA J. MOBS	1908	RYDE NSW #5366		
8 M	AMOS J.			N. M.			1897	RYDE NSW #13416
9 F	SARAH D.			N. M.			1899	RYDE NSW #15059
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MR. DAVID SONTER, SEN.
 PMW SAT. 20-12-1919 P.M. C3-4

Death claimed another worthy old citizen on Wednesday last, when Mr. D. Sonter, sen., passed away at his residence, Hibbard, aged 88 years. Deceased was born in England, and came to Australia with his parents when a child. His early years were spent at Parramatta, and when he was still a youth he had charge of an eight-horse team engaged in the carrying trade to the western districts. This was before the days of railway extension over the Blue Mountains, and the young teamster used to load up with supplies for the western stations, and make the long trek back to the city carrying wool, hides, &c. The life was not devoid of incident, as it was the time when Ben Hall, Frank Gardiner, and their merry men kept life from becoming too monotonous to travellers. Mr. Sonter never suffered any harm at their hands, as they were generally after bigger game than teamsters, but he could relate many incidents of their lawless adventures in those far off days. Mr. Sonter married Miss Susannah Martin, of Parramatta, and, quitting the road, he followed for a time the life of an orchardist. Tiring of that, he came in a sailing vessel to this district in the early days of the timber industry, going to work for Fagan Bros. at Camden Haven. When Mr. J. Hibbard established his mill at Hamilton Mr. Sonter entered his service, being engaged to fall timber for the mill. Eventually he started carting firewood for the town, and for many years past he had been engaged in that work, which he only relinquished a month or two prior to his death. He was steady and reliable, and very punctual in carrying out his contracts with householders. And he was no decrepit old wreck playing at work, but hale and hearty almost to the last, and looked 25 years younger than his age. He was indeed a marvellous old man, of a type that we fancy is nearly extinct, although we still have some old veterans surviving amongst us, we are pleased to say. Like most men whose lives have been little troubled by bodily ailments, Mr. Sonter's break-up was sudden and complete when it did occur. Deceased's wife

survives him, as do also eight of their 11 children, viz., Messrs. David, Eli, and Stephen Sonter (Port Macquarie), Havelock (Sydney), Mrs. W. Scott (Heron's Creek), Mrs. A. Edwards (Hamilton), Mrs. L. Campbell (Koree Island), and Mrs. A. Staples (Hibbard). We extend our sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

The funeral took place on Thursday, and was largely attended, the remains being interred in the Church of England section of the West Port Macquarie cemetery. The Rev. H. B. Madden conducted the funeral service.

PHN 5 19-5-1917
 SONTER.—In loving memory of my dear husband, who departed this life August 20th, 1908.

Just when his life seemed brightest,
 Just when his hopes were best,
 He was taken from this world of sorrow
 To a home of eternal rest.

Inserted by his loving wife and children.

SONTER.—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, FREDERICK, who passed away August 20th, 1908, aged 31 years.

Life's dream, with again he'll see,
 And the evening bells will toll,
 And there will be no parting
 When those pearly gates unfold.

Inserted by his loving parents, sisters, and brothers.

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Obituary

Mr. Earl Hastings Eli Sonter

The death occurred at Hastings District Hospital on Sunday of Mr. Earl Hastings Eli Sonter, 88 years, of Young Street, Wauchope.

The late Mr. Sonter was a very well known resident and businessman in Wauchope over a long period of years.

He was predeceased by his wife, Lavinia, three years ago; also a son, James, some years before.

He is survived by a son Vic, of Wallace Street, Wauchope, as well as two daughters—Annie (Mrs. Arthur Porter, Port Macquarie) and Olivene (Mrs. W. J. Statham, Bonny Hills)

After a 3.30 p.m. service at Port Macquarie Methodist Church yesterday (Monday), burial took place in Port Macquarie cemetery.

PH NEWS 21.7.1975
**DEATH OF
ELI SONTER**

An aged and respected identity of Wauchope died at the weekend.

He was Mr. Victor Claude (Eli) Sonter, of 4 Charles St., Wauchope.

He is to be buried in Wauchope cemetery following a 3 p.m. service this afternoon.

Sons of deceased live in the district and two of his daughters are Mrs. Arthur Porter, of Port Macquarie, and Mrs. Bill Statham, of Wauchope.

M.H. NEWS SATURDAY
Obituary.
JUNE 4, 1927
MRS. D. SONTER.

AN old and respected resident of Hibbard, in the person of Mrs. D. Sonter, passed away at her residence there on Friday last in her 81st year. Before marriage to her late husband, Mr. David Sonter, who died in 1919, the late Mrs. Sonter was a Miss Susannah Martin, of Parramatta. With her husband the work of tending an orchard occupied attention in early married life. Later the late Mr. and Mrs. Sonter came to Camden Haven, where the former was in the employ of Messrs. Fagan Bros. When the saw-mill was established at Hamilton (now Hibbard), by the late Mr. John Hibbard, the Sonter family came and settled there, where they have resided ever since, and where many of the family were born. There were ten children of the marriage, eight of whom survive, viz., Messrs. Havelock and Eli (Sydney), David (Port Macquarie), Stephen (Blackman's Point), and Mesdames W. Scott (Smithtown), A. Edwards (Hibbard), L. Campbell (Koree Island), and A. Staples (Hibbard).

We extend our sympathy to the bereaved family.

The remains were laid to rest in the Church of England portion of the West Port Macquarie cemetery on Saturday afternoon, Canon Gray officiating.

M.H. NEWS. FRIDAY 7/11/27
MRS. M. SONTER

On Friday, 24th October, the death occurred of Mrs. Mark Sonter, of Urunga. She leaves a sorrowing husband and five children to mourn the loss, viz., Mex (Urunga), John (Bankstown), Iris (Mrs. McIntyre, Crowdon), Nancy (Mrs. Barnett, Tarce), Deryl (Mrs. Wormsly, Tarce).

Surviving brothers and sisters are, Messrs William Clapson (Collaroy), James Clapson (Ashfield), Lydie (Mrs. S. Staples, Moorland), Annie (Mrs. A. Staples, St. Peters), Lavinia (Mrs. E. Sonter, Warchope), Ethel (Mrs. J. Elford, Ashfield), and Olive (Mrs. F. Delves, Ashfield).

M.H. NEWS. SATURDAY 26.2.1944
MRS. M. A. SONTER.

The death occurred early on Saturday morning at the residence of her father in Prince Street, Grafton, of Mrs. Alice Maud Sonter, wife of Mr. David Arthur Sonter, a well-known Grafton identity (says the Grafton "Daily Examiner").

Deceased, who was 61 years of age, had been ailing for some time and underwent a major operation at the Grafton Base Hospital a few months ago from which she never recovered.

The funeral, which left Sander's Funeral Chapel after service by Rev. A. J. Bingley, yesterday afternoon for the Methodist portion of the Grafton cemetery, was largely attended.

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MR. D. H. SONTER

A well known resident of Port Macquarie some thirty to forty years ago in the person of Mr. David Arthur Sonter died recently in Grafton Base Hospital at the age of 86 years.

He came here from Parramatta, and for the past 31 years had lived at Grafton.

Mrs. A. Staples, Senr., of Hibbard, Mrs. Ethel Edwards (Hibbard), Mrs. Maud Campbell (Koree Island), are sisters of deceased; Mr. E. Sonter (Wauchope) and Mr. Mack Sonter (Urunga) are brothers.

Deceased was a well known sporting identity—a footballer, runner, and sailing enthusiast.

Later he owned and trained successfully several race horses.

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DEATH NOTICES *Page 27*

SONTER, Christopher James, September 10, 1983 (suddenly), dearly loved son of Joan and Leon, loving brother and brother-in-law of Wayne, Karen and Jean Hainaut, Robyn and Garry Burton, fond uncle of Emilia and loving grandson of Mrs. Alice Cutler. Aged 25. In God's Care.

SONTER. — The relatives and friends of the late CHRISTOPHER JAMES SONTER are respectfully invited to attend his funeral to leave St. Thomas Anglican Church, Port Macquarie after a service appointed to commence at 2.00 p.m. tomorrow (Thursday) September 15, 1983, for the Port Macquarie cemetery.

HASTINGS DISTRICT
 FUNERAL SERVICE

18 Gordon Street,
 Port Macquarie.
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M.H. NEWS 5/7/1941
OBITUARY

MR. H. SONTER.

The death occurred in Prince Alfred Hospital, Sydney, on 17th June, of Mr. Havelock Sonter, aged 66 years, the cause of death being pneumonia.

The deceased was the third eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. D. Sonter, of Hibbard, and was born at Parramatta. He came to the Hastings River in infancy. He was married to Miss Janet Malcolm. He was engaged in the timber mill at Hibbard until in his early thirties, when he went to reside in Sydney.

The late Mr. Sonter was a keen follower of football, and refereed matches all over the district.

He is survived by a widow, and three brothers and four sisters, viz., Messrs. David Sonter (Grafton) Eli Sonter (Wauchope), Steve Sonter (Bellingen), Mesdames F. Scott (Eungai), L. Campbell (Beechwood), A. Edwards and A. Staples (Hibbard). Two brothers predeceased him.

The remains were interred in the Methodist portion of the Rookwood Cemetery.

M.H. NEWS 28.9.1983
OBITUARY

Mr C. J. Sonter

A Port Macquarie man, Christopher James Sonter, died in Sydney on September 10, at the age of 25 years.

He was the son of Leon and Joan Sonter of Kadina Crescent, Port Macquarie.

The late Christopher Sonter was employed as a commercial pilot licence examiner with the Department of Aviation.

An accomplished guitarist, Chris Sonter was also a very keen water skier.

He is survived by his parents, his brother Wayne Sonter (Telegraph Point) and sister Mrs Karen Hainaut (Cairns) and Mrs Robyn Burton (Port Macquarie).

Interment took place at the Port Macquarie Cemetery after a service at St. Thomas' Anglican Church by Reverend Geoff Smith on September 15.

The pall-bearers were Wayne Sonter, Colin Baldwin, Graham Medaris and Col Wright.

Funeral arrangements were made by Hastings Funeral Service.

M.H. NEWS Monday 11 Oct 1982
 SONTER, Estelle.— October 9, 1982, at her residence River Street, Telegraph Point. Beloved wife of Eli James Sonter (deceased). Dearly loved mother and mother-in-law of Reginald and Thelma (Laurieton), Joseph and Melba (deceased) (Sydney), Norman (deceased), Joy and Eric Bain (Port Macquarie), Maurice (Telegraph Point), Bazil and Joan (Port Macquarie), Barry and Rita (Port Macquarie), Noel and Lyn (Telegraph Point), Garry and Shirley (Port Macquarie). Loved grandmother, great grandmother, great, great grandmother of their families. In God's care. For funeral details please phone 83 1266.

THE OLD ★★★★★



Sonter's original four bus fleet in 1951.

AND THE NEW ★★★★★



The latest in bus technology. The latest 6 bus additions to Sonter's fleet of vehicles.

Sonters Pty Ltd — a growing concern.

Six magnificent new additions to the Sonters bus fleet paraded down the main street of Laurieton early last week, after the biggest day on record at the Wauchope Motor Registry Office.

Two extra officers from Kempsey were required to complete the registration which, alone, amounted to \$30,000.

The buses themselves are valued at \$1.3 million, and include two 5 star coaches, a 53 seat, air conditioned semi-coach, a 57 seat, air conditioned route vehicle and two 61 seat route vehicles representing the latest designs in bus construction.

The six new additions

have boosted Sonters bus fleet to 21 vehicles, 12 of which have been purchased in the past three years, a far cry from the small four bus business purchased by Reg and Thelma Sonter on September 17, 1951.

The business was originally purchased from a Mrs Webber and the service was known as the Laurieton Bus Service.

For the first three years Reg and Thelma operated this small business under the then new name of R.J. and T.J. Sonter and lived in a tent on the site at 60 Bold Street, Laurieton.

Operations were started with 4 old buses, 1 car and a lot of enthusiasm (plus a hard work). The business grew quickly but, lacking the necessary funds in

desperate need of a larger bus, one vehicle (35 seats) was cut in half and a section added to it, in order to make the bus a 48 seater.

In 1953 the first new vehicle was purchased at great expense. It was a 20 seat Fargo, constructed by the company "pressed metal" in 1954. The original house was built on the site in Bold Street.

Reg and Thelma had three sons (Peter, Glen and Kevin) during those early years. Up until 1961 Thelma also drove the buses, as well as looking after the bookwork.

In 1961 Reg and the boys actually built their own bus completely — a Austin 20 seater. In 1964 the Marine Section was established and combined

with the Buses to utilise staff during slack times and school holidays.

In 1968 new and larger buses were purchased to accommodate the growing needs of the business. Some 41 vehicles have been turned over since business operations commenced (providing jobs for many local people).

The company name Sonters Pty Ltd is a family company and was registered 1973. Plans for a new depot, visualised some 5 or 6 years ago were brought to fruition at the start of the year, with the completion of the new bus and coach depot at Hoschke Road Laurieton.

Sonters Pty Ltd now have many branches of business and the bus and

coach operations will now trade under the new name of Sonters Travelways.

It is interesting to note that Sonters Travelways are now carrying the 'third' generation of school children on today's buses.

The two new five star coaches purchased by Sonters represent the ultimate in luxury bus technology. Each has a 350 hp turbo charged motor and are fully carpeted throughout.

An electronically controlled air conditioning system provides maximum passenger comfort with ducted heating located on the floor. Tap water comes from a refrigerated unit situated on the roof.

The coaches contain a toilet, a bunk for the

driver, comfortable reclining seats and are video equipped with a large screen and individual control dials for video sound or music.

The purchase of these luxury buses has resulted in a demand for bookings up to 12 months in advance.

Peter Sonter believes these bookings can be attributed to the top of the range equipment Sonters' Trackways of Laurieton can now provide prospective travellers.

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COMMUNITY SERVICE

DIVISION OF COWPER (1908).

No., Name in Full, Place of Living, Occupation and Sex of each Elector.

- 881 Rowsell, Joseph Davis, Telegraph Point, timber dealer, M
 882 Rowsell, Letitia Anne, Stony Creek, Telegraph Point, home duties, F
 883 Rowsell, Martha, Cogo, Rolland's Plains, home duties, F
 884 Rowsell, Mary Jane, Telegraph Point, home duties, F
 885 Rowsell, Olona, Telegraph Point, home duties, F
 886 Rowsell, Percy John, Telegraph Point, contractor, M
 887 Rowsell, William, Henry's Flat, Rolland's Plains, farmer, M
 888 Ruthven, John Lowry, Port Macquarie, grazier, M
 889 Ryan, Annie Emily, Fernbank Creek, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 890 Ryan, Charles Henry, Telegraph Point, timber-getter, M
 891 Ryan, Elizabeth, Telegraph Point, home duties, F
 892 Ryde, Matilda Charlotte, Telegraph Point, home duties, F
 893 Ryan, Michael Joseph, Fernbank, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 894 Ryde, Benjamin, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 895 Ryde, Elizabeth, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 896 Ryde, Thomas, Telegraph Point, farmer, M
 897 Ryde, Thomas John, Tacking Point, Port Macquarie, farmer, M
 898 SAWTELL, Ebenezer Arnold, Port Macquarie, musician, M
 899 Sawtell, Ellenor Eliza, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 900 Scheerle, Heinrich, Port Macquarie, engineer, M
 901 Scheerle, Rebecca Susannah Maria, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 902 Scott, Florence, Fernbank, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 903 Scott, William, Fernbank, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 904 Seaman, James, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 905 Sharkey, Katherine, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 906 Shearer, Annie Elizabeth, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 907 Shearer, Thomas, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 908 Sheather, Charles Henry, Port Macquarie, fisherman, M
 909 Sheather, Charlotte, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 910 Sheather, Edward Albert, Port Macquarie, fisherman, M
 911 Shelton, James, Smith's Creek, Telegraph Point, teamster, M
 912 Shelton, Julia, Smith's Creek, Telegraph Point, home duties, F
 913 Shelton, William, Smith's Creek, Telegraph Point, teamster, M
 914 Shields, John, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 915 Shubert, Florence Ethel, Allandale, Rolland's Plains, home duties, F
 916 Shubert, Frederick, Allandale, Rolland's Plains, dairyman, M
 917 Sidebottom, Annie, Haytown, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 918 Sidebottom, William, Haytown, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 919 Sidebottom, William Henry, Haytown, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 920 Sinclair, William Thomas Ryan, Port Macquarie, fisherman, M
 921 Single, Henry, Port Macquarie, mail contractor, M
 922 Single, Isabella, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 923 Skimmings, Mary, The Hatch, Telegraph Point, home duties, F
 924 Slade, Rachel, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 925 Slade, William Arthur Hardy, Port Macquarie, bank manager, M
 926 Smith, Abraham William, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 927 Smith, Edward Harold, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, mill hand, M
 928 Smith, George, Haytown, Port Macquarie, clerk, M
 929 Smith, Herbert, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 930 Smith, John, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 931 Smith, Kate Annie, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 932 Smith, Keziah, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 933 Smith, Mary Ann, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 934 Smith, Rose Elizabeth, Telegraph Point, home duties, F
 935 Smith, Steven, George, Telegraph Point, labourer, M
 936 Smith, Williams, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 937 Soares, Eva Sophia Cathcart, Rolland's Plains, home duties, F
 938 Soares, Manoel James, Rolland's Plains, farmer, M
 939 Souter, David, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, carter, M
 940 Souter, David, junior, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, labourer, M

M signifies male; F signifies female.

SUBDIVISION OF PORT MACQUARIE (1908).

No., Name in Full, Place of Living, Occupation and Sex of each Elector.

- 941 Souter, Eli, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 942 Souter, Ellen Agnes, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 943 Souter, Hamilton Stephen, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 944 Souter, Janet, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 945 Souter, Lavinia, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 946 Souter, Silas Sydney, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 947 Souter, Susanna, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 948 Spence, Elizabeth, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 949 Spence, Kate Mabel, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 950 Spence, Michael Mervyn M., Port Macquarie, labourer, M
 951 Spence, Norman Hastings, Port Macquarie, clerk, M
 952 Spence, William Andrew, Port Macquarie, auctioneer, M
 953 Spokes, Charles, Rolland's Plains, teamster, M
 954 Spokes, Edward William, Brill Brill, Rolland's Plains, M
 955 Spokes, Frank Walter, Rolland's Plains, teamster, M
 956 Spokes, George, Rolland's Plains, labourer, M
 957 Spokes, Harriet, Rolland's Plains, home duties, F
 958 Spokes, James, Rolland's Plains, farmer, M
 959 Spokes, James, junior, Rolland's Plains, labourer, M
 960 Spokes, Janet, Rolland's Plains, home duties, F
 961 Spokes, John Edward, Rolland's Plains, farmer, M
 962 Spokes, John L., Rolland's Plains, farmer, M
 963 Spokes, Maria, Rolland's Plains, home duties, F
 964 Spokes, Rhoda May, Rolland's Plains, home duties, F
 965 Stacy, Elizabeth, Ballengarra, Rolland's Plains, home duties, F
 966 Stacy, Fitz Roy, Ballengarra, Rolland's Plains, farmer, M
 967 Stacy, Herbert Maitland, Ballengarra, Rolland's Plains, farmer, M
 968 Stacy, Ida Vowell, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 969 Stacy, Walter Robert, Port Macquarie, timber-broker, M
 970 Staples, Ann, Fernbank, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 971 Staples, Arthur Benstead, Brill Brill, Rolland's Plains, farmer, M
 972 Staples, Asa James, Fernbank Creek, Port Macquarie, farmer, M
 973 Staples, Lydia, Fernbank, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 974 Staples, Solomon, Fernbank, Port Macquarie, carpenter, M
 975 Staples, William, Rolland's Plains, farmer, M
 976 Staples, William Thomas, Port Macquarie, baker, M
 977 Steele, Isabella, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 978 Steele, James John, Port Macquarie, factory manager, M
 979 Stevens, Laura Rose Aquilla, Ballengarra, Telegraph Point, home duties, F
 980 Stevens, Robert, Maria River, Telegraph Point, labourer, M
 981 Stevens, William, Ballengarra, Telegraph Point, farmer, M
 982 Stewart, Ann Murray, Ballengarra, Rolland's Plains, home duties, F
 983 Stewart, Charles Alexander, Ballengarra, Rolland's Plains, farmer, M
 984 Stewart, Clement, Wilson's River, Rolland's Plains, farmer, M
 985 Stewart, Duncan, Port Macquarie, storekeeper, M
 986 Stewart, Elizabeth Ann, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 987 Stewart, Elizabeth Ellen, Rolland's Plains, home duties, F
 988 Stewart, George, Telegraph Point, labourer, M
 989 Stewart, Hannah, Rolland's Plains, home duties, F
 990 Stewart, Henrietta Kate, Wooderson's, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 991 Stewart, Hugh, Rolland's Plains, teamster, M
 992 Stewart, John Thomas, Hamilton, Port Macquarie, storekeeper, M
 993 Stewart, Mary Ann, Smith's Creek, Telegraph Point, home duties, F
 994 Stewart, Robert Oliver, Rolland's Plains, farmer, M
 995 St. John, Henry, Norwood, Telegraph Point, farmer, M
 996 St. John, Jessie Cameron, Norwood, Telegraph Point, home duties, F
 997 St. John, Violet Jessie, Norwood, Telegraph Point, home duties, F
 998 Stiles, Anne Louisa, Fernbank, Port Macquarie, home duties, F
 999 Stiles, Henry, Blackman's Point, farmer, M
 1000 Stiles, Mary Ann, Fernbank, Port Macquarie, home duties, F

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No.	Surname of each Elector.	Christian names of each Elector at full length.	Sex.	Place of Living.	Occupation.
576	Schweicker	George	M	Port Macquarie	farmer
577	Scott	Fluence	F	Fernbank	domestic duties
578	Scott	Williams	M	Fernbank	labourer
579	Seaman	James	M	Port Macquarie	labourer
580	Sharkey	Katherine	F	Port Macquarie	domestic duties
581	Sharp	Matthew	M	Globe	timber-getter
582	Shenar	Thomas	M	Port Macquarie	labourer
583	Shields	John	M	Port Macquarie	labourer
584	Skirramings	Mary	F	The Hatch	domestic duties
585	Skirramings	Samuel	M	The Hatch	farmer
586	Slade	Rachel	F	Port Macquarie	domestic duties
587	Slade	William Arthur Hardy	M	Port Macquarie	bank manager
588	Smith	Abraham William	M	Hamilton	labourer
589	Smith	Alice	F	Port Macquarie	domestic duties
590	Smith	Allen	M	Glenewen	farmer
591	Smith	Edward Harold	M	Hamilton	mill-hand
592	Smith	Florence May	F	Hamilton	domestic duties
593	Smith	Herbert	M	Hamilton	labourer
594	Smith	Kate Annie	F	Hamilton	domestic duties
595	Smith	Keziah	F	Hamilton	domestic duties
596	Smith	Mary Ellen	F	Glenewen	domestic duties
597	Smith	William	M	Hamilton	labourer
598	Sonter	David	M	Hamilton	carpenter
599	Sonter	David, junior	M	Hamilton	labourer
600	Sonter	Ell	M	Port Macquarie	labourer
601	Sonter	Frederick Albert	M	Hamilton	mill-hand
602	Sonter	Havelock	M	Port Macquarie	labourer
603	Sonter	Silas Sydney	M	Hamilton	labourer
604	Sonter	Ellen Agnes	F	Hamilton	domestic duties
605	Sonter	Janet	F	Hamilton	domestic duties
606	Sonter	Lavinia	F	Hamilton	domestic duties
607	Sonter	Susanna	F	Hamilton	domestic duties
608	Spence	Elizabeth	F	Port Macquarie	domestic duties
609	Spence	Kate Mabel	F	Port Macquarie	domestic duties
610	Spence	Lillian Emily	F	Port Macquarie	nurse
611	Spence	Norman Hastings	M	Port Macquarie	clerk
612	Spence	William Andrew	M	Port Macquarie	auctioneer
613	Staples	Ann	F	Fernbank	domestic duties
614	Staples	Asa James	M	Fernbank Creek	farmer
615	Staples	Lydia	F	Fernbank	domestic duties
616	Staples	Solomon	M	Fernbank	carpenter
617	Stewart	Duncan	M	Port Macquarie	storekeeper
618	Stewart	Elizabeth Ann	F	Hamilton	domestic duties
619	Stewart	Henrietta Kate	F	Wooderson's	domestic duties
620	Stewart	John Thomas	M	Hamilton	storekeeper
621	Stiles	Anne Louisa	F	Fernbank	domestic duties
622	Stiles	Henry	M	Blackman's Point	farmer
623	Stiles	Mary Anne	F	Fernbank	domestic duties
624	Stiles	William	M	Hamilton	labourer
625	St. John	Henry	M	Hastings River	farmer
626	Strutt	Caroline	F	Port Macquarie	domestic duties
627	Strutt	Henry	M	Port Macquarie	labourer
628	Strutt	Louisa Charlotte	F	Hamilton	domestic duties
629	Strutt	Samuel	M	Port Macquarie	carter
630	Strutt	Samuel, junior	M	Holland's Plains	teacher
631	Strutt	Thomas	M	The Hatch	labourer
632	Stykes	George	M	Hamilton	labourer
633	Stykes	Mary Lane	F	Wanchope	domestic duties
634	Swan	Thomas	M	Wanchope	farmer
635	Swan	Thomas William	M	The Hatch	labourer
636	Swan	Thomas, junior	M	Wanchope	labourer
637	Sykes	Charles	M	Port Macquarie	labourer
638	WILLEFSEN	Guader	M	Port Macquarie	miner
639	Thomas	Charles Mortimer	M	Port Macquarie	clergyman
640	Thomas	Mary Adelaide	F	Warburton, Port Macquarie	domestic duties
641	Thompson	Mathew James	M	Port Macquarie	farmer
642	Thompson	Maud Mary	F	Orange Grove	domestic duties
643	Thurling	Rebecca Mary	F	Port Macquarie	domestic duties
644	Thurling	Samuel	M	Port Macquarie	labourer
645	Tolhurst	Edwin	M	Port Macquarie	labourer
646	Tolhurst	Henry	M	Port Macquarie	farmer
647	Tolhurst	Mary Ann	F	Hamilton	domestic duties
648	Tolhurst	Martha	F	Hamilton	domestic duties
649	Tonkin	Mary Azling	F	Port Macquarie	fruitster
650	Treloar	Henrietta	F	Port Macquarie	domestic duties

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No.	Surname of each Elector.	Christian names of each Elector at full length.	Sex.
651	Trotter	Charles Donald	M
652	Trotter	Ernest William	M
653	Trotter	John	M
654	Trotter	Norman John	M
655	Tuffin	Emma Florence	F
656	Tuffin	Robert James	M
657	Turner	Alfred John	M
658	Turnham	John Thomas	M
659	VICARY	Frank	M
660	Vovil	Michael	M
661	WADE	Andrew	M
662	Wade	Isabella	F
663	Walker	Edward Martinale	M
664	Wallace	Charles William	M
665	Wallace	Charlotte Eva	F
666	Wallace	George Vivian	M
667	Ward	William Cyril	M
668	Ward	Johanna	F
669	Warren	William Gordon	M
670	Warders	Eliza	F
671	Warders	Mary	F
672	Warders	Thomas	M
673	Welsford	Mary Margaret	F
674	Welsh	Samuel Henry	M
675	Welsh	Thomas	M
676	Wesley	Caroline	F
677	Wesley	Edith	F
678	Wesley	Edward	M
679	Wesley	Hephzibah	F
680	Wesley	Thomas Edward	M
681	Wesley	William	M
682	Wesley	Arthur Cyrus	M
683	Wesley	Edgar	M
684	Wesley	Fanny	F
685	Wheeldon	John Robert	M
686	Wheeldon	Lillian Eva	F
687	Wilkins	Henry Thomas	M
688	Wilkinson	George	M
689	Williams	Rebecca	F
690	Williams	William Edward	M
691	Wilson	Elizabeth	F
692	Wilson	George	M
693	Wilson	George Francis	M
694	Wilson	Isabella Cameron	F
695	Wilson	Lelia	F
696	Wilson	Lelia May Ruth	F
697	Wilson	Margaret	F
698	Wilson	Mary	F
699	Wilson	Oliver Ruby Macquarie	M
700	Windsor	Antia	F
701	Windsor	Florence	F
702	Windsor	Henry Watt Cory	M
703	Windy	Maria	F
704	Windsor	Yanosh	F
705	Womersley	Annie Jane	F
706	Woodlands	Samuel Frank	M
707	Woodlands	Cordelia	F
708	Woodlands	Eliza Ann	F
709	Woodlands	Elizabeth	F
710	Woodlands	Elizabeth	F
711	Woodlands	Isleot	F
712	Woodlands	John	M
713	Woodlands	Richard	M
714	Woodlands	Samuel	M
715	Woodlands	Susannah	F
716	Woodlands	Thomas	M
717	Woodlands	Maria	F
718	Woods	Herbert Jane	F
719	Woods	Charles Edward	M
720	Woolford	Emily Marie	F
721	Woolford	Benjamin	M
722	Wrigley	Charles Wrigley	M
723	Wrigley	James	M
724	Wrigley	Jessie Meado	F

M signifies Male.

THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

STATE OF NEW SOUTH WALES.

DIVISION OF COWPER.

SKILLION FLAT POLLING-PLACE.

ROLL of Persons entitled to Vote under the Commonwealth Franchise Act of 1902.

No.	Surname of each Elector.	Christian names of each Elector at full length.	Sex.	Place of Living.	Occupation.
1	BOOTH	Ethel Milda	F	Corangula	domestic duties
2	Booth	John William	M	Corangula	farmer
3	Booth	Marcus Milton	M	Corangula	labourer
4	Booth	Salina Matilda	F	Corangula	domestic duties

No.	Surname of each Elector.	Christian names of each Elector at full length.	Sex.
52	Kerr	John	M
53	Kerr	Julia	F
54	Kerr	Margaret	F
55	Kerr	Richard	M
56	Kesby	Edward	M
57	Kesby	George James	M
58	Kesby	Henry	M
59	Kesby	John	M
60	Kesby	Margaret	F
61	Kesby	Phoebe	F
62	M'CARTHY	Mary Ann	F
63	M'CARTHY	Michael Joseph	M
64	Mainey	Ann	F
65	Mainey	John	M
66	Mainey	Margaret	F
67	Mainey	Margaret	F
68	Mainey	Margaret Josephine	F
69	Mainey	Maria	F
70	Mainey	Mary	F
71	Mainey	Michael	M
72	Mainey	Timothy	M
73	Mainey	William	M
74	Mainey	William, junior	M
75	Mainey	William Peter	M
76	Mansfield	Henry Harold	M
77	Mansfield	Isabella Jane	F
78	NELSON	Francis George	M
79	Nelson	Mary	F

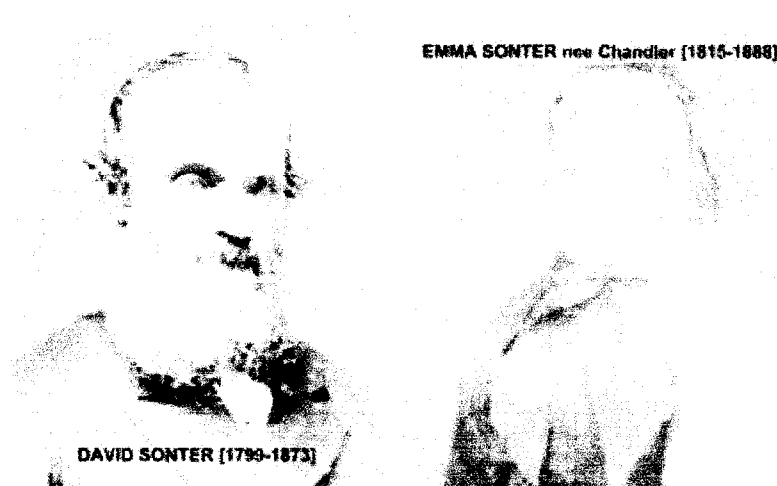
SAUNTER/SONTER FAMILY

IN AUSTRALIA



FROM SUSSEX, ENGLAND TO NSW, AUSTRALIA 1838 EMIGRANT/PIONEER FAMILY

CONNECTIONS TO BALLINA PIONEERS see Edward Saunter/Sonter
son of David



DAVID SONTER [1799-1873]

EMMA SONTER nee Chandler [1815-1888]

History - Ancestry - Descendancy:

The origin of the English surname, **SAUNTER** is derived from the Old French "sanz terre" which means "without land". Variants of this name are Santer, Samter and Senter, the nickname of King John. As soldiers and followers of their King many a battle was fought against the French, some of the followers may have settled in France, whilst others would have returned to England. The Saunters, being of French origin, have originally travelled to England during the Norman Conquest with William, Duke of Normandy in 1066.

A John Sancherre and John Sanzherre are recorded in 1260 Assize Rolls of Cambridgeshire and other spellings such as Sanherre, Sauthere appeared in 1275 Lincolnshire documents. During the French Revolution period an Antoine Joseph Santerre (born 17520 a wealthy brewer of the Faubourg Saint-Antoine, was appointed in June 1792, Chief in Charge of the National Guard of Paris. On the 10th August, 1792, he served against the Verdeans, was arrested after the defeat and released after the Thermidor. He died 1809. (Reference: M.J. Sydenham "The French Revolution" University paperbacks)

From "Sanzterre" several different spellings have been noted of the family name in Australia from SAUNTER to

SOUTER/SALTER finally SONTER. AUSTRALIAN SONTER FAMILIES MOSTLY DESCEND FROM DAVID SAUNTER/SONTER who emigrated with wife Emma nee Chandler and children in 1838 onboard the "Maitland".

Connections of Sarah CHANDLER sister of Emma Chandler/Saunter who had married James ROBARDS in Kent England and emigrated onboard "Cornwall" 1839 are the families of HORNER AND DAYMAN - Hornsby Shire pioneers and some Dayman relatives ventured to the Richmond River area. Descendant: Raymond Dayman now in Western Australia in the year 2001. John ROBERTS/ROBARDS brother of James Robards emigrated onboard "Maitland" 1838. **Harriett CHANDLER** sister of Emma Chandler/Saunter married **Richard RANSLEY** and emigrated 1839. Descendants are in **Queensland.** **Jane CHANDLER** sister of Emma Chandler/Sonter married **William CLOUT** and settled South Coast of New South Wales, Australia and cousins **Timothy and Eliza WILLIS** also emigrated c1839.

Other Saunter relatives went to Canada and United States. [Canadian descendant 2001-MARGARET SAUNTER, EDMONTON, ALBERTA,CANADA].

HOCKLEY family connections: <http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.com/~hockley/homepage.htm>

SAUNTER Ancestry: The patriarch of the Saunter family in Sussex, England was THOMAS SAUNTER B:1685,(died 1765) married MARY BRIANT in Udimore,Sussex,England- ISSUE: 8

SAUNTER MARY born c1817 - Mary Saunter married Henry JARMAN emigrated onboard "*Westminster*" arriving 27th June, 1838 in Australia. Settled Gerringong area South Coast NSW - some descendants moved from South Coast in the 1880s to Richmond River area. GENEALOGY FROM GERRINGONG - <http://www.ozemail.com.au/~johngrah/>

Son of Thomas - DAVID SAUNTER born 1732 (died 1797) married ANN HYLAND son ROBERT SAUNTER born 1763 Beckley. Robert Santer/ Saunter was a soldier/beadle in Northiam, Sussex and used a whip to keep children under control and the parish clear of stray dogs and tramps.and possibly a church warden for St Marys Church, Parish of Beckley [to be confirmed]. Frances nee FRIGGER born in Kent, gave birth on 26th December, 1799 to a 7th child - **DAVID**, in Beckley, Sussex, England. Robert Saunter died 17.03.1849 (AGED 87 YEARS) - Northiam, Sussex, England Entry No.791 Northiam,Sussex. Issue: 8 children.

Son of Robert Santer/Saunter:- David Saunter married Emma Chandler daughter of Edward and Sarah nee Knowlton/Knowlden (a Kent farming family) at Snave,England 16.12.1833 (records found by MAVIS SAUNTERS, distant cousin to Sonter families in Australia and Saunters living in Battle, Sussex, England to-day). (LDS records 1830 marriage incorrect - true entry sighted in Snave register)

On the 24th June, 1838 **DAVID SAUNTER** (agricultural labourer) and wife **EMMA nee CHANDLER** (a Kentish dairy maid) with children **EMMA** born 7th May,1831 -**EDWARD** born 1832 in Kent - **DAVID** born 1833 in Kent - **WILLIAM** Born 1836, Sussex and **ROBERT** born 1837, Sussex - left Gravesend England on the ship "*Maitland*" sailing to Australia. Emma did not survive the journey due to contracting Typhoid en route, was thrown overboard. On arrival at Watsons Bay. 6th November, 1838 the ship,crew and passengers were ordered to be quarantined. The "SICK" at SPRING COVE and the HEALTHY families lived in tents on the heights above MANLY COVE (an area used as Quarantine station -1986) until clearance was given by the authorities. (Refer to Quarantine Book). After Clearance **DAVID SONTER AND FAMILY** travelled to the Parramatta area, found work in the timber industry, then moved on to the FIELD OF MARS area, where they "squatted" in 1840 on unsurveyed land at Pennant Hills area-worked as timber cutters - then in 1858 was the legal owner of his property in the Field of Mars now called West Epping. The land David owned and worked as an orchard is now West Epping Park area near the Cnr.Midson and Ray Streets, West Epping and where Epping Bowling Club is to-day (1999). Ray Street is named after George Ray who married Davids daughter Hannah also the "Hannah Ray" Grevillia plant is named after Hannah.

Children born in Australia: **Samuel SONTER**.1840 Parramatta Died in Walgett 30.04.1909- Field of Mars births: **Mary SONTER** 28.02.1842 died 26.04.1932 as Mary JORDAN - **Caroline SONTER** 8.12.1843, died 14.05.1929 as Caroline SHIELDS - **Harriet SONTER** 15.10.1845,died 29.04.1929 as Harriet SHIELDS - **James SONTER** 25.1.1849,married Susannah Midson - died 30.07.1908, Carlingford - **John SONTER** 21.6.1850,died 05.04.1871 (fell from horse returning from Church) - **Sarah SONTER** 17.10.1852, died 09.08.1944 as Sarah SHIELDS Hornsby Shire pioneers - **Jane SONTER** 18.6.1853,died 04.04.1936 as Jane MOBBS/ GLIDDON - **George SONTER** 27.4.1855,died 06.12.1943, Carlingford - **Martha SONTER** 4.1.1857, died 27.02.1934 as Martha THOMPSON and **Stephen SONTER** 7.12.1859 at Pennant Hills (today Carlingford) died 03.12.1929, Carlingford. Married 1880 Sarah Dorman. Issue: 10? 1.Stephen David Sonter m 1908 Clara Jane Mobbs Issue: Doris Esme Sonter m William Richard Bevan - see Ballina connection on Brown-McLeod page. (10).Clifford C Sonter [1901-1955] (parents Stephen & Sarah Sonter Carlingford). Died Coffs Harbour - 2002 descendants Tracey & Matthew Knight Qld. Email: jesnat@froggy.com.au |

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families connected

Pioneers in Australia:

David Sonter Senior, Epping NSW, Australia - Hornsby Shire pioneer. Issue: 17 children



EDWARD SONTER settled 1863-South Ballina and Keith Hall near

Ballina, Northern NSW - Ballina & District Pioneer.

WILLIAM SONTER married Sarah Bowerman (daughter of Mary nee Partidge Bowerman - Richard Partridge & Mary nee Greenwood - First Fleeters daughter.)

William & Sarah settled in Isabella Street, PARRAMATTA, NSW - Parramatta pioneer - Sawyer by trade. (Spelling of name varies - on marriage registration Salter. On childrens registrations Souter)



ROBERT SONTER settled EPPING area, NSW. Hornsby Shire pioneer

Samuel Sonter, followed the gold discoveries in Queensland area near Rockhampton then back to Walgett, New South Wales, where he died 1909. Married Fanny Dawson in Rockhampton, Qld.

DAVID SONTER JUNIOR, married Susannah Martin (First Fleeter John Martin's - granddaughter) ventured to Camden Haven in 1875 then settled c1879 Hamilton near Port Macquarie NSW. Sawyer by trade.



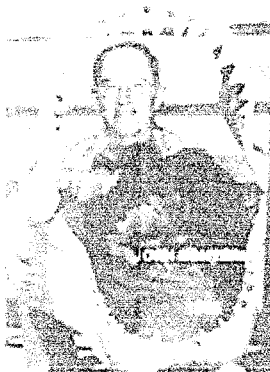
GEORGE SONTER and **STEPHEN SONTER** settled Field of Mars - Hornsby Shire pioneers - 2001 Stephen Sonter descendant is Tracy Knight.

The original Emma Sonter nee Chandler bore a total of 17 children. She was 45 years old when Stephen the seventeenth was born in 1859. **DAVID SONTER** died 26th November, 1873 and **Emma** died 11th August, 1888 at Carlingford and their headstones can still be seen in the St. Pauls Church cemetery, Carlingford, NSW Australia.

The children married into the **HAZELWOOD, EYLES, MARTIN, BOWERMAN, JORDAN, WOOD (QLD) SHIELDS** (William, Thomas & Joseph Shields) **MIDSON, MOBBS, GLIDDON, THOMPSON, DORMAN, CLARKE AND MITCHELL** FAMILIES.

ORIGINAL GENEALOGY RESEARCH OF ALL FAMILIES BY ROSS SONTER, Dundas, 1983 - descendant, Owen Sonter, Epping and ALAN LEMON (deceased) Heathcote NSW - Wife Vera Lemon gave Research Records to Latter Day Saints. check out website for families. www.familysearch.org

Ancestry Information on SAUNTER family supplied by English 2001 Descendant Mavis Saunters, Sussex, England .



SONTER PHOTOS SUPPLIED BY **JOHN SONTER**, Albion Park Rail, NSW. Australian Descendant through William Sonter, John Clifton Sonter, Joseph Sonter.

Article by Margaret Kennedy nee Sonter, Ballina NSW, - Australian: descendant through William Sonter, Samuel Robert Sonter, and Kilner Sonter - connected to the Hockley family

HOCKLEY CONNECTIONS IN ENGLAND : and HOCKLEY CONNECTIONS IN AUSTRALIA: Click onto Ephraim Hockley from Cambridgeshire England to Australia.
<http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.com/~hockley/homepage.htm>

created by relative Margaret Kennedy, Ballina

SONTER FAMILY CONNECTIONS TO STUBBS/WOODS:

Edward SAUNTER born 1836, Kent, England son of **David SAUNTER** (of Sussex, England) and **Emma** nee

CHANDLER (born 1815 Kent, England) emigrated 1838 from Gravesend, England with family as a child. Married 16.6.1851, in Parramatta, Sarah Jane MITCHELL born 1830 daughter of Michael (known as James) MITCHELL and Jane nee GRONO Hawkesbury River Pioneer families. Edward and Sarah moved from Field of Mars area, near Epping NSW to Northern New South Wales after the birth of Emma, John and Matilda. (Spelling of name varies from Saunter/Souter/Sonter)

Children born: 1. Emma SONTER, born 6.6.1852, Parramatta, baptised Wesleyan church, Dundas NSW



Australia. Married 1877 William MU NRO. typographical errors on NSW BDM registration transcripts

4258/1877 MUNRO WILLIAM SOUTER EMSUF EMSUF RICHMOND RIVER

Emma MUNRO nee Sonter died 26.8.1945 at Dunoon, near Lismore, Northern NSW . Issue: Jessie Munro 1878 ,Claude L Munro 1879 - Amy W Munro 1881 - William E Munro 1882 - Austin L Munro 1884 - Catherine V Munro 1886 - Donald M Munro 1889 - Vida Munro 1890 - Allen V Munro 1892 -Norman E Munro 1894 - Ray D 1899 and more ?

Could there be a connection to the Munro emigrants? From the James Moran Ship webpage - Passengers Listed: www.acay.com.au/~gsm/JamesMoran.html The 3 brothers MUNRO (#47,48,49) - Alex, James and William, all house carpenters from Kincardine were employed by Mr. Scope at Liverpool NSW (West of Sydney). Their sister Anne (#67) went to work for Mrs. McLeay in Sydney for £10 p.a. and keep. Another Alexander MUNRO (#19) of Tongue, apparently used his the wrong way! He had a job at £45 p.a. with rations, but was "expelled the building for refusing." (which I think means he was thrown out of the building trade?). William MUNRO (#21) went to work for Mr. Glanville for £25 p.a. plus rations, on a property at St Vincent, 100 miles south of Sydney. His son Donald worked on Richard Scougell's property at Dalyell near Cassilis NSW, for £35 p.a. plus keep. For further information on William's family try the Berry Historical Society NSW.

2. James SONTER [1853-1925] born 24.11.1853,Parramatta area. James recorded on 1890-91 Richmond River Electorate, Ballina South freehold. Died 15.5.1925 Ballina.



3. Matilda SONTER [1855-1895] born 10.12.1855,Parramatta area. Married 1882 Richard TYLER. TYLER nee Sonter died 15.6.1895, Wardell,near Ballina.

4. Martha Jane SONTER [1859-1952] born 18.6.1859, Rosehill via Lismore. Married 1878 Richard James STONE. Martha STONE nee Sonter died 15.6.1952, Ballina

5. Mary Lucy SONTER [1860-1932] known as LUCY born 3.9.1860, Rosehill via Lismore. Married William STONE son of Henry and Mary Ann Stone nee Monks, Shoalhaven River Pioneer family who had moved to Richmond River area. 10 children born). Lucy STONE nee Sonter died 23.10.1932, and is buried in Roman Catholic section of East Ballina Cemetery.

LUCY SONTER & WILLIAM STONE

[1860-193] ----- [1858-1897]



Lucy SONTER born 3.9.1860 at Rosehill via Lismore ,daughter of Sarah nee MITCHELL and Edward Saunter/Souter/SONTER from Parramatta, married 19.11.1879 at Ballina, a William STONE born 15.1.1858 Kiama NSW, son of Henry and Mary A Stone nee MONKS (name change to Dennitt) who was born in Dublin, Ireland,(died 1870 Death Reg.no: 70-05688), her parents were Michael MONKS and Christina nee FOX and married Henry STONE in St.Marys Sydney 18.10.1841). Stone family had moved to the Richmond River area, Northern NSW from the south, Shoalhaven River area. Lucy nee Sonter/Stone died 23.10.1932 in Ballina.Buried in Roman Catholic Section of East Ballina cemetery.

Lucy and William STONE settled in German Creek, Northern NSW and parented 10 children.

DESCENDANTS:

SONTER/STONE/CHASELING/ATTEWELL:

1.EMMY STONE born at German Creek on 4th July, 1880 (daughter of Lucy nee SONTER and William STONE) married on the 5.2.1908 at her parents home at German Creek,



THOMAS ATTEWELL son of Kezia nee WOODS and Samuel Robert ATTEWELL born on Hardwood Island (Clarence River) on 4th July, 1871 and moved to the Richmond River with the family when he was about nine years old. The best man was Thomas ELLIS partner Mary Attewell, and bridesmaid, Miss.Winifred GOULD - whose brother Howard later married Emmas sister Martha STONE in 1910.

Joseph ATTEWELL bought a parcel of land from father-in-law William STONE and became a cane grower and hauled cane for other farmers. Four children born:

1. Ivy ATTEWELL born 12.12.1908 married George TULLY 16.6.1969 and settled in Wardell - children: Beverley, Bruce, Gwen and Allan. Quotes regarding school day events (1914-1922) by Ivy TULLY nee ATTEWELL written in the Empire Vale

School Centenary book of 1991. Rita TULLY married Keith JOHNSTON (Empire Vale) and moved to Sydney in 1960. 3 children: Pamela married a YEATES, Janice, and Edna. Mrs. Rita Sykes/ Johnstone/ Tully gave her reminiscences as quotes for 1917-1924 for the Empire Vale School Centenary book.

2. William Samuel ATTEWELL born 6.5.1910 married Evelyn PAGE in 1936 Empire Vale. Children: Geoffrey William Attewell 20.3.1937 married 4.10.1958 Lorraine Beverley WILLIAMS from Ballina. Two sons born: Stephen Geoffrey 17.9.1959 and Allan Paul 25.7.1961 and settled Wardell where the boys went to school.

Geoff and Bev Attewell had bought a store from Parry and Edwards formerly known as BARTLETT's Cash Store in Sinclair Street, Wardell in September, 1958, a month before they were married. September, 1972 they purchased an additional business from neighbours Bob and Pearl Duthie, thus adding a newsagency to their portfolio.

In December, 1991 Geoff and Bev retired after being in business for 33 years at the same location in Wardell. The newsagency shop has since been demolished allowing for their house which was next door to be extended. Their sons Stephen and Allan attended Wardell school, then Ballina High.

The Attewell family had farmed in Empire Vale area since before the turn of the century. Geoff started school at Empire Vale then completed primary education at Wardell Public School and further education completed at Lismore High.

Valerie Evelyn ATTEWELL 17.10.1940 married John GIBSON 29.8.1964. Living in Sydney 1985. Children: Petria Anne Gibson 19.5.1966, Nerilee Jane 16.9.1968. 3. Betty Anne ATTEWELL 17.6.1942 married Richard Barry CHUTE 28.4.1961, Living in Lismore 1985. Michelle Jane Chute born 9.10.1962, Robyn Louise Chute 21.4.1964 and Lisa Jane 28.2.1968. 4. Lynnette May 3.5.1947 married Malcolm LOWE 10.6.1967 and she worked for the Wardell Telephone Exchange in 1967 her children are Maree Anne Lowe Attewell 3.4.1968 and Michael James LOWE 20.8.1970, who attended Wardell School. 1985 living in Ballina.

William Samuel ATTEWELL - lived at 1 Carlisle Street, Wardell and died 8th September, 1985., 75 years old.

3. Elsie Mildred 28.4.1913 Empire Vale married Athol Frederick CREIGHTON 19.2.1938 in the Methodist church, Ballina. children born 1. Noel Henry CREIGHTON, 20.4.1941, Lismore married Necia ROBINSON (Noel worked for BHP as a clerk), 4 children born : Brette Richard 25.5.1964 Lismore, Shane Louis 10.11.1965, Lismore and Kent Creighton 27.3.1969.. Moved to Wollongong and had Taryn An-Maree 22.4.1974. Elsie Creighton was still in Wollongong in 1985.

2. Milton Joseph born in Ballina 26.11.1942 married Janice Ann HUTLEY in Lismore Anglican church 29.9.1964 and was an electrical engineer in Milton NSW in 1982., 4 children. 3. Kayleen Mary 20.8.1947 Lismore married Joseph Adam SPINELLI in Wollongong., had 3 children in Canberra ,ACT area.

4. Myrtle Emmie 8.9.1919, Ballina married Raymond Howard ELLIOTT 5.9.1942 Ballina-died 14.6.1949. Two children of first marriage. Myrtles second spouse was Maurice John EGGE of Drummoyne, Sydney area NSW.

During the lifetime of Joseph and Emmy ATTEWELL, on their property in Empire Vale, they celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary on the 2nd February, 1958 with all the family and grandchildren. Joseph died 25th April, 1961 and his wife Emmy remained on the property until her death on the 24th August, 1970

Thank you to Doris nee Attewell LUMLEY for photos and information.
[M.KENNEDY]

2. Lucy Adeline STONE 1881 married W. KELLETT. - 3. Sarah Ann STONE I 1883 married F. FRAZER born 1879. - 4. William II John O STONE - born 1885 spouse: Theresa ? born 1889

5.Winifred STONE 1886 married John Bernard MAINEY. (born 1880 -

6.Olive STONE 1888 married J.HOFF.-

7.Martha STONE 1890, married 1910 in Ballina, Howard GOULD son of James & Susan Gould from Rous. GOULD Children: James, William GOULD (died 1989) married a Doreen? ,daughter Barbara had children named Leif, Naomi and Torben. A Charmaine GOULD, daughter of James and Margaret GOULD, a fourth generation of the GOULD family attended Empire Vale Public School in 1991 and sister Kimberley 1992. - Doris GOULD married Alan WILSON 1936; children: Patricia, Ray, Denise and Alan . Patricia Wilson is Director of the Ballina Cluster of Schools (1991). Doris Wilson nee GOULD lives in the Ballina Ex.Servicemens Home in the year 2000

8.David J.M. STONE 1892-1968 married Sarah CROZIER, no issue

DAVID STONE & SARAH CROZIER

David James Stone was the eight child of Lucy nee Sonter (daughter of an 1838 English emigrant born in Kent, England 1832 named Edward Sonter and Sarah Mitchell, son of David Sonter Hornsby Shire NSW, Australia pioneer) .Son of William Stone, born 1892, German Creek., Northern New South Wales, Australia.William Stone was son of a Henry and Mary Ann born 1857 in Kiama. Lucy Sonter married William Stone in 1879 and parented 10 children. In 1897 William died leaving Lucy to raise her 10 children.

In 1914 when war broke out David James STONE and his brother Joseph STONE enlisted in the Army at Lismore August, 1915 along with cousins and friends of the area. David was 23 years old.Trained at Ennoggerah Camp.David became shipboard boxing champion on the long sea voyage to Europe. Trained in the Middle East, and fought in France and Belgium. Major General Cox praised Pvt.D.J.Stone for his bravery as a stretcher bearer at Mocquit Farm. Wounded in action and sent to a hospital in England to recuperate. On returning home, he worked on the family farm at Empire Vale. (German Creek renamed Emigrant Creek and finally Empire Vale due to the outbreak of World War I).

In 1922 married a Sarah CROZIER, daughter of Robert and Alice CROZIER nee ROBERTS who had moved to Purdies Lane, Empire Vale in 1916. In the late 1950s David and Sarah moved to Ballina where he established a real estate business. David died in 1968 after an illness of 5 years. (no issue).

PVTE.D.J.STONE - No: 3506 - WWI 9th Battalion - 1892-1968

WAR HEROES: www.cwgc.org "LEST WE FORGET"

9.Joseph H STONE 1894 married a Mary (Molly) SIMPSON

Children: 1.Lorraine STONE married Maurice MOYLAN (2 children born)of Empire Vale, (Maurice Living in Moylans Lane, Empire Vale in the year 2000 friends with June Westren sister of deceased wife Lorraine who often visits him for holidays) Mary married Neville O'CONNOR of Empire Vale (5 children) - 2.June STONE daughter of Joseph Stone married Wally WESTREN and lives at 14 Arcadia Avenue,Gymea Bay.2227 NSW, Australia, the year 2001. 1 child: Dianne MOORE living in Sydney 2001. - 3.Fay STONE married Jack CHILCOTT and lived in Brisbane in the year 2000. - 4.Alisa STONE married Joe BOYLE - 5.Lucy STONE married Don McIVER. no issue.

Lucy nee Sonter/Stone died 23.10.1932 in Ballina.Buried in Roman Catholic Section of East Ballina cemetery.

6. Ruth Mary SONTER born 1864 Ballina. Married 27.10.1882 John BURK(E) son of Michael and Bridget Burke, Tipperary Ireland. Ruth nee Sonter Burke died 3.8.1933 Randwick, buried Woronora Cemetery. John died 1936[ref.Diane Hilan, Bagot St.Ballina]

5. Caroline SONTER born 1867 Ballina. Married 15.2.1888 William LEESON (on Boorman page) a double wedding with brother David at German Creek.

6. David Arthur SONTER born 5.11.1869. Married 15.2.1888, Florence Leeson.- David Arthur Sonter died 25.6.1960 in New Zealand.

7. Winifred SONTER born 28.8.1876, Ballina. Married 20.8.1898 Robert Jacob SIMPSON son of Pearson SIMPSON Ballina Pioneer Family Uralba & Pimblico area. Winifred SIMPSON nee Sonter died 10.6.1955, Ballina.

Dorothy SONTER born 1894 daughter of Winifred, married Alfred James CHRISTENSEN (Christiansen?) born 1892 of Alfred and Catherine. (Dorothy died 11.3.1958 - daughter Evelyn is alive in the year 2001: Evelyn WOODS nee CHRISTIANSEN living in Caroon Retirement Village, Rous Road, Goonellabah., NSW, Australia.

OCCUPATION OF EDWARD SAUNTER/SONTER: Timber cutter/Sawyer/gold prospector.

Edward and Sarah selected German Creek area in 1863 when the 1861 Robertson Land Act gave permission for purchase of land. Edward built his hut at Keith Hall, German Creek area.

Edward spent most of his time prospecting for gold on his beachfront property., and many a time there would be bags of gold dust in the house but no flour with which to bake.[Ref.Eileen Boorman by Dorothy Southwell - Ballina Library, local studies room] - E.BOORMAN nee Stone

Trips to Sydney were taken by the girls to cash in the gold dust so as to buy provisions. One such trip was recorded in the North Star newspaper 14.10.1876. "Miss Sonter arrived from Sydney on the ship "Platypus" 7.10.1876.

Sarah SONTER nee MITCHELL died 1.12.1878 due to snake bite, her tombstone is in the Pioneer Memorial Wall, Pioneer Park, East Ballina near Shaws Bay.

Sarahs sister Matilda EYLES nee MITCHELL born 1834, married in 1853 to John EYLES, Pennant Hills, NSW and had several children, Alexander, William, James, Reuben, John S, and Charles Eyles; married Edward SONTER. John EYLES had died 17.7.1878 Ballina.

The marriage of Matilda Eyles nee Mitchell and Edward Sonter took place in Ballina on the 18.5.1881.

Edward was recorded in 1885 as having 626 and 1/2 acres in Ballina South area, Post Town of holding Ballina, and stock - 5 horses and 50 cattle in the name of Edward SOUTER and in the 1890 Electoral Roll No.4777 freehold property Ballina Edward SONTER.

Matilda SONTER (Mitchell/Eyles) died 11.4.1913 in Ballina and her tombstone is in the Pioneer Memorial Wall, Pioneer Park, East Ballina near Shaws Bay.

Edward SONTER died 6.9.1913, Ballina and is buried in the Lighthouse Hill cemetery, East Ballina, Northern NSW, Australia.[mrk2000]

Article by Margaret Kennedy nee Sonter, Ballina connected to Edwards brother William. Edited by Robin HILAN, Ballina. NSW connected to Winifred Sonter.

STUBBS - 1802 'COROMANDEL' CONNECTIONS

William STUBBS born c1767 England and Sarah WINGATE born c1774 England married in St Annes church, Soho, London 27.5.1796 and emigrated with his family in 1802 on the ship "Coromandel". William Stubbs was a tailor by trade. William Stubbs drowned in the Hawkesbury River 29.5.1805.

A second marriage for Sarah STUBBS nee Wingate took place in St Johns church, Parramatta on the 16th November, 1806 to a James PAYNTER (who had been a carpenters mate on the ship "Sirius" after being discharged

from the "*Ardent*" 1786-1787. He then worked as an artificer on Norfolk Island in 1791). **Four (4) children of the STUBBS marriage:**

1. William STUBBS II born 13.11.1796 Soho, London, England married MARY-ANNE ROGERS 26.4.1819, Windsor, NSW and died 2.1.1852 on the Ovens goldfields . Issue: 9 children

2. Sarah Mary STUBBS c1798 England married Thomas (Yarwood) alias WOODS 12.08.1822 at Windsor NSW. Thomas Woods Died 17.08.1837 Issue: 12 children. [Descendants: Ballina Pioneer Connections] 2nd sp: John CHASELING 20.02.1850. No issue.

3. Elizabeth STUBBS born 12.12.1800 England married Jeremiah SULLIVAN, Windsor 26.4.1819 and died 7.12.1873 MacDonald River. Issue: 1. James Sullivan c1821 .

4. Keturah STUBBS born 31.03.1804 Portland Head, NSW married 17.08.1821 St. Matthews Windsor, George EVERINGHAM - descendant of Matthew Everingham First Fleeter . Ventured North to Ulmarra. Keturah EVERINGHAM died in Ulmarra, North Coast area 29.3.1880. Issue: 12 children. - [Descendants: Ballina Pioneer Connections]. 9th child ARTHUR EVERINGHAM married 1900 Sophia MULHEARNE, at BALLINA, NSW. Australia.

STUBBS/WOODS CONNECTIONS.

2. SARAH MARY STUBBS born c1798 England married on the 12th August, 1822 at Windsor, NSW, Australia **THOMAS (YARWOOD)(alias) WOODS** born c1796, Chester, England . Thomas had been a convict sentenced at Chester, Spring assises England, 18.4.1814. Death commuted to transportation for Life-but indifferent-first offence and good health. Sailed on the "*Indefatigable*". Ticket of Leave granted 31.1.1819 and permission to marry granted 4.7.1822. 1822 census recorded Thomas as being a landholder in Lower Portland, NSW, Australia. Twelve children born of this marriage:

1. William Woods 29.2.1819 Lower Hawkesbury and died pre. 1825.

2. Sarah Woods 10.11.1821 Portland Head married a Thomas GREENTREE 16.10.1838, died 13.11.1877 Lower Hawkesbury. [Greentree descendants-Ballina Pioneer connections]

3. Elizabeth Woods 8 10 1822, Lower Hawkesbury married Samuel PERCIVAL 18.9.1843 St. Albans and died 21.7.1844. Issue: No.1. Samuel PERCIVAL Jnr. born 1855 married 1879 Margaret ARMSTRONG , Shoalhaven. No.2 John PERCIVAL married 1887 in Ballina. Reg. no. 7053 Susannah SUMMERS. John Percival died 1910, Ballina. Reg. 12372 [BALLINA PIONEER]

4. Keturah Woods 24.5.1824, Lower Hawkesbury married James BUTTERWORTH 5.5.1843 and died 19.11.1905 Leichhardt, Sydney. NSW

5. Mary Woods born 4.11.1826 Lower Portland Head, NSW d: 14.09.1828, Lower Portland Head. NSW.

6. Thomas WOODS 8.12.1828 married Ann Jane SMITH 7.2.1850 died 2.8.1905 Windsor, [2001 descendant email: ROS CHAPMAN, Mosman NSW]

7. Eliza WOODS 6.3.1831 married a John Joseph SMITH 20.10.1847 and died 4.4.1883 at Tamworth

8. William James 27.9.1833 married Annie KEENAN (Gannon) 5.3.1857 died 24.6.1915 Pyree. [2001 descendant : is Beverley Mills . Lennox Head. 2478] [Descendants: Ballina Pioneer connections - **see Story below**]

9. Rebecca Woods bpt. Yarwood, 28.10.1835 died 1838

10. Sophia Matilda WOODS 7.12.1837 married Robert MILLER St. Albans and died 3.5.1911 Newtown. Child no.2 Thomas MILLER m Charlotte ROBERTS. [BALLINA PIONEERS] [2001 descendant: Pamela Rudgley, Alstonville NSW]

11. Keziah 1840. KEZIAH WOODS , born 15th January, 1840 at Lower Portland Head on the Hawkesbury River, NSW, Australia married 24.4.1865 at Pittown SAMUEL ATTWELL , born in Bradmore, Nottingham, England in 1841 and emigrated to Australia aged 22 years on the ship "*Sirrocco*" in 1863. Samuel & Kezia Attwell had 13 children: - Samuel - Sarah - George - Joseph 1871 Grafton Reg. no: 6779 - Annie 1873 Maclean Reg. no: 11430 - Rebecca Attewell -

[Descendant Year 2001 : Daphne Codrington. 5/46-48 Rous Rd.Goonellabah 2480] - John - Eliza, - Albert - Robert, - William - Mary (Polly) - Clara. [BALLINA PIONEERS]

SAMUEL & KEZIA nee Woods ATTEWELL FAMILY



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12. Mary Woods born 1842 Leeds Vale married Matthew James CHASELING born 1858 died 26.8.1915 Leeds Vale. [Ballina pioneer connections]

STUBBS/WOODS CONNECTIONS: Stories to email: Ros CHAPMAN <mailto:roschapman@ozemail.com.au>.

The Connection of Attewell, Chaseling and Woods families

by Beverley Mills, Lennox Heads NSW Australia.

Mary WOODS, born 1842, the youngest child of **Thomas WOOD (s) (Yarwood)**, and **Sarah Mary nee STUBBS** married **Matthew James CHASELING** - her step fathers son! . On February 20th, 1850 **John CHASELING** had married **Sarah Mary WOODS (nee Stubbs)**, widow of **Thomas WOODS**. Sarah being 52, and John 50.

Matthew James Chaseling was the second youngest son of **John CHASELING** and **Ann nee EVERINGHAM** - Descendant of **Matthew Everingham, First Fleeter**. Matthew Chaseling inherited his fathers property "Rose Hill" and later came into possession of "Australian Farm" . On September 29, 1885, **Matthew James CHASELING** purchased Australian farm from **John George ATTEWELL**.

Mary and Matthew James CHASELING had 15 children, the **eleventh child** being **Amy Mildred CHASELING**, born 10th March 1879, at Leeds Vale. She was married at the home of the grooms uncle, 200 Fraser St., Dulwich Hill, Sydney, to her cousin, **John George ATTEWELL**, on the 22nd November, 1911. John was born on the 8th October, 1882 at German Creek, near Empire Vale, the son of **Kezia (nee WOODS)** and **Samuel Robert ATTEWELL**.

They had two children **Elma Violet May**, formerly **Rogers nee Attewell**. 1912, and **Doris Eveline (Attewell) LUMLEY** born 1915. They lived on the Attewell family farm, which was left in Johns fathers will to John and his younger brother, William. John bought Williams share and worked the property until his death. Amy died on the 26th June 1943 at Ballina Hospital, and her Obitiary is in the Methodists under the title of "Came to Richmond River 31 years ago" . John died on the 19th of July 1944. Kezia was **Joseph Augustus Woods** aunt, his father **William James** and sister **Mary Woods** was the youngest sister, also **Josephs** aunt. **Joseph Augustus Woods** married **Sarah Jane Nichols** on the 28th December, 1881 at **Terara, South Coast, NSW**. Their second child **Alice Maude Alberta Woods** was born on the 9th of November, 1883 at German Creek, NSW. They travelled on the "*Tomki*", a ship that was wrecked at Ballina on its next Voyage. It is believed that **Joseph** was engaged in the growing of sugar in that area for

a period of less than two years. Their departure from German Creek was apparently the result of crop failure, caused by severe frosts finally settled in Tuncester near Lismore. [by BEVERLEY MILLS nee Forrester a granddaughter of Thomas Woods (YARWOOD) through a son William James Woods - being brother to Kezia Woods - daughter of Thomas Woods, who married Samuel Attewell of German Creek now Empire Vale area. Thomas Woods + Sarah Stubbs = William James Woods + Annie Gannon/Keenan? = 2001 descendants]

ENGLISH ATTEWELL RESEARCHER - Looking for Eliza Attewell (one son who went to live with her sister Maria) & Maria Attewell - If anyone can help contact:- Kath Attewell (nee Salt) - email: kath.attewell@virgin.net

**Researching: SALT - North Staffs Moorlands
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CHADWICK - North Staffs
BUCKLEY - North Staffs
AUSTIN - North Staffs**

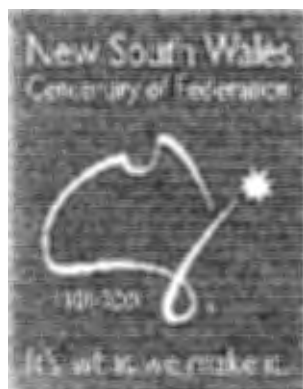
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PIONEERS OF THE RICHMOND RIVER Photos

BALLINA NORTHERN NSW. AUSTRALIA PIONEERS REGISTER PROJECT

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