

Mary Dougall ID4590 per *Emma Eugenia* 1842

Mary Dougall aged 23

Perth Circuit Court September 1841

Theft

7 years transportation

Gaol report – Character despicable – convicted before.

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The prisoner's mother prays for her removal to the Penitentiary but no grounds are stated.

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Sailed in the *Emma Eugenia* for Van Dieman's Land

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1<sup>st</sup> Application

Widow Margaret Dougall

149 South Street

Perth

Unto The Right Honourable Sir James Graham Her Majesty's Secretary of State for the Home Department.

28th September 1841

The Petition of the undersigned in habitants of the City of Perth and surrounding vicinity.

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That MARY DOUGALL daughter of the deceased DAVID DOUGALL Weaver in Perth, was tried at the Circuit Court of Justisary held at Perth on the 21<sup>st</sup> September current for the crime of theft and sentenced to seven years transportation.

That the said MARY DOUGALL is about 23 years of age the only child, stay and hope of her mother who is 67 years of age.

That the said MARY DOUGALL's mother is most anxious that her daughter be sent to a Penitentiary where she would be well looked after , moral and religious instructions set before her, and where she would have opportunity of repentance and reformation and every chance of her returning reclaimed and becoming a good member of society.

May it therefore please your Honour to take the forgoing Petition under your consideration and cause the said MARY DOUGALL be placed in a Penitentiary there to undergo her sentence and the Petitioner's as in duty bound will ever pray.

Forset Frew – Minister

Alexander Watson – Minister

William Thomson –MD

David Rathay – Student

71 further signautes.

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2<sup>nd</sup> Application ( By Keith:The same as the 1<sup>st</sup> Application but with a different date)

29<sup>th</sup> September 1841

The prisoner's mother again prays for her removal to a Penitentiary  
but no grounds are given

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