

## **Neva Memorial Acoustic Sculptures.**

### Surviving Women.

**Ellen Galvin** from Limerick was born around 1816 and was sentenced to 7 years for vagrancy in April 1834. Ellen's mother and sister drowned on the *Neva* and she also had another sister in the convict depot in Cork. She married William Lawrence at Cressy, Tasmania on Oct. 29, 1838 and was freed in 1841 (Cert. No. 1042/1841).

**Rose Ann Hyland** was born around 1812 and was from near Castlewellan, County Down. She was convicted in June 1834 of larceny. She married Thomas Dorkins (Dorking) at Campbell Town, Tasmania on October 24, 1836 and was freed in 1841 (Cert. No 410/1841).

**Mary Slattery** was born around 1813 in Tralee, County Kerry and sentenced to seven years for larceny at her trial in Galway in January 1834. There is no record of marriage and she was buried at Longford, Tasmania on April 20, 1838.

**Rose Ann Dunn** was born around 1814 at Kings Court, County Cavan and sentenced to 7 years for vagrancy in 1832. On October 26, 1835 she married William Mears at Longford, Tasmania and was freed in 1849 (Cert. No 170/1849).

**Ann Cullen** was born around 1812 at Ballinrylee, near Roscrea, Queens County and was sentenced to life at the Kildare Summer Assizes in 1834 for cow stealing. She married William Howard in St. John's Church, Launceston on March 13 1844 and received her ticket-of-leave on December 17. There is a record of Anne Cullen's daughter Mary, aged 3 years being admitted to the Queen's Orphanage, Hobart on January 22 1840 and being discharged on February 9, 1845 (ref: SWD28 p 13.)

**Margaret Drury** was born in 1812 at Corbally, near Elphin, County Roscommon and sentenced to 7 years for larceny (from the house of her aunt) at the Cavan Spring Assizes of 1833. She married Peter Robinson, a crew member of the *Neva* at St John's Church, Launceston on January 12, 1836. She was released in 1840 (Cert. No 204/1840). Margaret's descendants in Australia have been traced.