

## WHITFORD, Thomas

Variations :

Alias :

Ship	Date arrived (Sydney)
John Barry	17 January 1836

## Shipping indent(s)

Fiche	Page	Reel	Shelf	Type
716	3		X638	Printed
721	3		X639	Printed

Trial (place, date)	Prev conv	Offence	Sentence
Central Criminal Court 6 March 1835	Nil	Picking pockets	7 years
Notes: Source = printed indent			

Age	Marr/S	Child'n	Relig	Educ	Native place	Country
18	S		Prot	R & W	Bath	England
Notes: Source = printed indent						

Trade or calling	Height	Complexion	Hair	Eyes
Printer's boy	5' 4 hlf	Dark	Dark brown	brown
Tattoos: TW JW MW, anchor inside lower right arm, JW TW MW inside lower left arm, five dots back of left hand.				
Other features: scar outside left eye, another outer corner of same eyebrow, scar back of left wrist.				
Notes: Source = printed indent				
Other arrival info (eg ships musters & papers):				

## Assignment

With C&F Wilson Paterson 1836/37 as per Muster, definitely at Tocal April 1837 (see 'other' below)	
At Tocal: 1836/37	Tocal occupation:

## Freedom (year, details)

<b>T.O.L.</b>	41/864 Maitland 3 April 1841 on recommendation of the Sydney Bench December 1840, 4/4159 [reel 940]
<b>C.O.F.</b>	42/1716, 30 September 1842, 4/4377 [reel 1012].

## Colonial crime &amp; secondary punishment

Date	Offence	In service of	Punishment
1836 Apr	Neglect of work	C&F Wilson	25 lashes
1836 Sept	Pilfering		75 lashes
Sources: see 'other' below			

## Colonial Secretary's correspondence

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## NSW muster

1837	Age 18, with C&F Wilson, Paterson
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## Colonial marriage

Date	Place	To whom	BDM index reference
Permission to marry:			

## Death

Date	Place	Age	BDM index reference

## Timeline

Date	Event
1836 Jan	Arrived Sydney and probably assigned to C&F Wilson Tocal
1837 Apr	At Tocal when he made a deposition about the killing of Costigan by Lyons
1841 Apr	TOL Maitland
1842 Sept	COF

## Other (source, details)

<p>SR. Colonial Trials and Records, Benches of Magistrates 1832-36 X708 Return of Convicts Tried at Paterson [reel 662]:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 5 April 1836, 25 lashes for neglect of work, assigned to C&amp;F Wilson</li> <li>• (as Thomas Wilford, John Barry 1835 – no such person or ship to NSW) 20 September 1836, 75 lashes for pilfering, accused by Edward Murphy, overseer [Tocal connection].</li> </ul> <p>Was at Tocal in April 1837 when he made a deposition re the killing of Costigan by Lyons – for details and transcript see the data sheet for Bernard Lyons.</p> <p>SR, Newcastle Gaol Entrance Book 1840, 2/2007 [reel 756]. Thomas Whitford, John Barry 1836, from London, Protestant, printer, #133 admitted to Newcastle Gaol 8 February 1840 from Paterson, to be forwarded to HP Barracks, disposed 'other stations to Sydney' 14 February 1840. [possible colonial offence]</p>
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## Keywords

Lashes, Hyde Park Barracks
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**General information**

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