

land in the village of Mount Moreland, viz. 5 Block D. He did not ever claim this. By Sep. 1873 his heirs had not claimed it either and it was liable to forfeiture to the Government under Law 4, 1872.

Banger settled in Durban and carried on his trade as both a carpenter and a joiner. In Aug. 1851 he married Sarah Ann Dicken, the daughter of William Dicken*. By the end of 1852 they were living on lot 12 Block D, Smith Street. They were still on this property in 1866.

Banger died in 1869. By July 1870 his widow was married to a Mr Joseph Crampton, and in 1879 was living in Stanger Street, Durban.

CHILDREN

George Henry (May 1852, ?Dbn – 22 Jan. 1879, Isandhlwana) unmarried. George was a saddler in Pmb. in the late 1870s. At the time of the Anglo-Zulu War he was in the N.M.P.

William Roe (Oct. 1853, ?Dbn – Apr. 1926, Pmb.) m. 25 Feb. 1899, Clydesdale M.S., Sarah Houston. She might have been Sarah Annie Kate, d. of J.S. Houston, and the grand-daughter of John Houston*, who was baptised in Nov. 1875 at Springvale M.S. William was farming at Upper Umkomanzi by 1894. When he married he was described as a tradesman of 'Wheeler's Farm'. He was later a blacksmith on the S.A.R.

John Joseph (July 1855, ?Dbn – 19 Sep. 1903, Dundee) m. (1)

m. (2) 25 Apr. 1892, Dbn, Emily Maria Georgina Morse (born c. 1874).

m (3) Eveline Patience Radford (c. 1876, Barkly East, Cape – 12 Dec. 1909, Mooi River), d. of James Radford of Barkly East and Mrs Kane of East London.

John was a carpenter, and living at Umgeni near Dbn by 1894. He died in an accident. His widow m. William Moirs(?) Reynolds, a blacksmith, on 1 Mar. 1905.

Mary Jane (born Mar. 1857, Dbn) m. May 1877, ?Pmb., Thomas Allen (c. 1854, Yorks. – 27 Nov. 1888, Pmb.), son of Christopher Allen (c. 1823–1871) and his wife Jane (born Nixon) of Pmb., formerly of Hunton, Yorks.

Annie Randle (born Dec. 1858, ?Dbn) m. Dec. 1879, Pmb., Michael Allen (born c. 1851, ?Yorks.), son of the above Christopher and Jane.

Eliza Emma Bacon (born 6 June 1861, ?Dbn)

m. (1) Sep. 1881, Pmb., William Tarboton, son of Henry Tarboton*.

m. (2) June 1898, Pmb., Edwin Ernest Simpson (c. 1863 – Aug. 1913, Pmb.). Simpson was a chemist.

Evan Lillington or Wellington (born Apr. 1864, ?Dbn) died young?

Emily Martha (born Dec. 1866, Dbn) m. Jan. 1892, Dbn, Charles Crawford (born ?Scotland). Crawford was a

boiler-maker and plater who came from Scotland in 1887 and worked for Wade & Dorman on the construction of the Dbn Town Hall.

Susan Jane (10 Oct. 1868, Dbn – Aug. 1960, ?Dbn) m. June 1890, Dbn, Walter Edward Shackelton, son of Samuel Edward Shackelton*.

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BARAGWANATH, John

Born c. 1811, Wales.

Sea captain. Baragwanath had served ten years in the Royal Navy, and was an out-pensioner of Greenwich Hospital when he emigrated to Natal. He and his wife Wilmot (born c. 1820, Cornwall), and four children sailed on the *Lady Bruce*. A fifth was born on board ship.

Baragwanath carried with him to Natal letters of introduction to Lt. Charles Lewis Griffin of the 45th Regiment, from Griffin's father and uncle, with both of whom Baragwanath had served in the Navy. However, when he arrived in Natal he found that Lt. Griffin had been posted to the eastern frontier in the Cape.

In about June/July 1850, within a month or two of landing, Baragwanath wrote to the Secretary to Government stating he had been told by the Surveyor General, Dr Stanger*, that a signal post and lighthouse were to be established on the Bluff, and that someone was wanted to take charge of them. He said that with his experience at making and repairing signals and attending to binnacle lamps as quarter-master's duties in Her Majesty's service, he would be qualified for the post. In an undated letter to Stanger, written between 28th Aug. and 7 Sep. 1850, he enclosed