

## Maurice Leslie TUCKER

19-4-1876 to 5-7-1883

Biography as published in 1985 & 1995

Maurice Leslie was the fourth child and son of Annie and John Tucker and was born at *Eldon House*. The following month his first cousin Christina Jessie Raggatt was born at Carchap, Victoria. His grandparents were Rachel and Ewen McDonald and great-grandparents were Christina and Donald McLean.

Maurice was the second child of the family to bear that name. The first-born, who lived three days, was Maurice Hugh. Maurice had passed his seventh birthday when, according to his death certificate, he died of bronchitis, five months after the birth of his sister Lucy. He was the third child of Annie and John to die in the first twelve years of their marriage. Maurice is buried in the family cemetery at Sandergrove.

- SOURCE : This biography was from page 73 of "History of Ewen & Rachel McDonald & Descendants" by Jill McDonald which was originally published in 1985. It was republished as part of "The History of Donald & Christina McLean and Their Descendants" in 1995.
- COLONIALISTS : Christina and Donald McLean and their ten children migrated from Argyllshire to South Australia in 1837. This was in the earliest years of the colony. The McLeans initially settled near Adelaide where they grew the first wheat crop in SA. Then in about 1840 they pioneered the Strathalbyn area. There are now well over 20,000 descendants spread across Australia and elsewhere.
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