

The Australian Women's Register

Entry type: Person
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Baker, Mary Ann

(1834 - 1905)

Born 18340507, Berrico outstation, Gloucester New South Wales Australia

Died 19050422, Mudgee New South Wales Australia

Occupation Bushranger

Summary

Mary Ann Baker was the daughter of Charlotte, an Aboriginal woman, and James Bugg, a convict shepherd. It was Baker who helped the notorious Captain Thunderbolt (Fred Ward) to escape imprisonment on Cockatoo Island, and who accompanied him in his outlaw life in northern New South Wales.

Published resources

Edited Book

200 Australian Women: A Redress Anthology, Radi, Heather, 1988,
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