

CHINA

Descendants of Samuel Louie Goon and his wife, Mary Ellen Maher, are active within the Bendigo Chinese community today and the Lougoon family operates contracting and viticulturist businesses near Eaglehawk.

Many generations of the Lougoon family have lived and worked in the Eaglehawk district.

Samuel Louie Goon arrived in the Colony in 1879. He worked as a miner and market gardener. In 1890 he married local lass Mary Ellen Maher.

Mary Ellen Maher

Born Myers Flat

Died 1943 Myers Flat

Samuel Louie-Goon

Born Canton China

Died 1935 Myers Flat

Both buried plot 212 section C2 Eaglehawk monumental cemetery

2nd Generation:

Percy William born 1893 Eaglehawk - died 1952 Bendigo aged 59 years buried grave 445M Eaglehawk

Albert Roy born 1898 Eaglehawk - died 1975 Bendigo aged 76 years

Rosina Florence born 1900 Eaglehawk - died 1968 Bendigo age 68 years

Gladys Myrtle born 1903 Eaglehawk

Twins: Vincent Henry born 1906 Eaglehawk

& Francis Leonard born 1906 Eaglehawk - died 1979 Sebastian aged 72 years

Frances Merle born 1910 Eaglehawk

Eileen Mary born 1912 Eaglehawk

Douglas Lyle born 1919 Eaglehawk