

Charles MARTIN

Edward MARTIN was born on 17 March 1857 at Corard, County Fermanagh, Northern Ireland, the son of **Patrick MARTIN and Rose Anne BLEAKLEY**. The family came to Australia where Patrick MARTIN appears to have died at Korong Vale in 1871 aged 73. Rose Anne MARTIN died at Korong Vale on 22 December 1898 aged 68.

Edward MARTIN married **Honora Frances O'TOOLE** in Victoria in 1890 and spent his life farming in Victoria including many years at Pompapiel. A number of records refer to them living at 'Fermanagh' Pompapiel.¹ Edward MARTIN died on 10 December 1940 at Pompapiel aged 83 and was buried at Inglewood Cemetery.

Charles MARTIN was born on 25 April 1893 at Korong Vale, Victoria the second son of **Edward MARTIN and Honora Frances O'TOOLE**.

Charles MARTIN married **Mary Constance MALONE** at Inglewood in 1918.

Electoral records show them living in Mitiamo in 1949 and by 1958 when Charles MARTIN was 65 years old, they were living at 33 Keck Street Bendigo. They were still in Keck Street in 1974 when Mary Constance MARTIN died on 12 December 1974 aged 85.

Charles MARTIN died in Bendigo on 8 June 1989 aged 96. At the time of his death he was living in Golden Square. Both Charles and Mary are buried in Bendigo Cemetery, Lawn 2, grave no 44405.

According to the 1977 Electoral Roll, an Eileen Mary MARTIN was living with them at 33 Keck Street Bendigo. It is not known what connection she was to them. Perhaps she was a niece or other relative? Aged 63, she died on 26 July 2001 and is buried in Bendigo Lawn Cemetery, grave no 56554.

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C Martin "Fermanagh" Pompapiel

33 Keck St Bendigo



¹ Bendigo Independent 1 November 1915; Advocate 7 April 1938