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Baker, Mary Ann

(1834 - 1905)

Born	1 January, 1834, Berrico New South Wales Australia
Died	31 December, 1905, Mudgee New South Wales Australia
Occupation	Bushranger

Summary

Mary Ann Baker was the daughter of Charlotte, an Aboriginal woman, and James Brigg, 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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