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Haast Street		Named after Sir John Francis Julius von Haast (1822-1887).	Linwood	<p>Haast was provincial geologist 1861-1868 and founder of the Canterbury Museum. His home, Gluckauf, was in the Avonside area.</p> <p>Haast Street is first mentioned in the Star in 1873 in a report of a meeting of the Heathcote Road Board and first appears in street directories in 1887.</p> <p>[In 1917 the residents of Haast Street asked the council to re-name the street as it had a German name. This was not done.]</p>		<p>"Road Boards", Star, 15 September 1873, p 3</p> <p>History of the Avonside Parish District, p 55</p> <p>"German street names", The Press, 26 September 1917, p 7</p>	<p>View the biography of Johann Franz Julius von Haast in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography.</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: H1</p> <p>"Death of Sir Julius von Haast", Star, 16 August 1887, p 2</p>
Hackthorne Road	Thornhill Crescent was incorporated into Hackthorne Road.	Named after Hackthorn Hall, the home in Hackthorn, Lincolnshire, England of the Cracroft family.	Cashmere	<p>Sir John Cracroft-Wilson (1808-1881) was a judge, farmer and politician. His mother was Elizabeth Cleminta Wilson, née Cracroft.</p> <p>The Dictionary of New</p>	Cashmere and Shalamar Drive.	<p>"Irrigation", Star, 29 January 1898, p 8</p> <p>The Port Hills of Christchurch, p 210</p> <p>"Advertisements", The Press, 23 August 1913, p</p>	<p>The Cyclopedia of New Zealand. Vol 3, p 93</p> <p>View the biography of John Cracroft Wilson in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography.</p>

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				<p>Zealand Biography says Wilson “conducted himself as a self-conscious descendant of the landed Cracrofts of Hackthorn, Lincolnshire.”</p> <p>Hackthorne Road is first mentioned in the Star in 1898 in an advertisement.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1908.</p> <p>[An “e” was added at the end of the name.]</p> <p>Thornhill Crescent is first mentioned in The Press in 1913.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1928 running off 126 Hackthorne Road. Still being referred to in The Press in 1935. Later incorporated into Hackthorne Road.</p>		19 "Obituary", The Press, 30 September 1935, p 12	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: W599</p>

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Hadleigh Lane		Named after Hadleigh in Suffolk.	Westmorland	Named to continue the theme in the subdivision of naming streets after places in historic Westmorland in England, since 1974 part of Cumbria. Named in 2005.	Westmorland	Report of the Riccarton/Wigram Community Board to the Council meeting of 21 April 2005	
Hagley Avenue	Part of Lower Lincoln Road, re-named Lincoln Road, from Moorhouse Avenue to Riccarton Avenue.		Central city	Lincoln Road first appears in the Star in 1868 in an advertisement and in street directories in 1880, running from Tuam Street to the South Town Belt (later Moorhouse Avenue). In 1922 residents petitioned the Christchurch City Council for the name to be changed to Hagley Avenue. This was done in 1924. In 1928 the Riccarton Borough Council asked yet again for the name to	Brockworth Place. Also Hagley Park.	" Advertisements ", Star, 15 May 1868, p 3 " Street names ", The Press, 28 March 1922, p 2 " Street names ", The Press, 13 September 1924, p 13 " Street names ", The Press, 15 May 1928, p 5 " Confusion in street names ", The Press, 30 May 1928, p 8 "A rocky road to firm success", The Press, 16 March 1977, p 11	" The Hagley Park roads ", Star, 16 June 1879, p 3

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				be changed as they felt there was confusion with Hagley Street in Riccarton which had been named first. Residents of Hagley Avenue presented a petition and the request was declined. The Riccarton Borough council was asked to change the name of Hagley Street instead.			

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Haig Place		Could have been named after Field Marshall Douglas Haig, 1st Earl Haig of Bemersyde (1861-1928).	Woolston	<p>Developers could have mistakenly assumed that nearby Marshall Street, a much older street, was named after George Catlett Marshall Jr. (1880-1959, an American military leader, Chief of Staff of the Army, Secretary of State and the third Secretary of Defence. His name was given to the Marshall Plan. Those responsible for naming Haig Place may have thought this name continued the military theme.</p> <p>Named in 1959.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1962.</p>	Marshall Street	“Chester Street West or Cranmer Terrace?’, The Press, 28 April 1959, p 7	

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Haineswood Lane		Named after Derek John Haines (1929-1999).	Sockburn	This 12-house subdivision, developed by Haines, a farmer, was built on the former grounds of Huntley homestead. Named in 1996.		“Haineswood Lane: homes of tradition”, The Press, 5 June 1996, p 45	Huntley House
Halberg Street		Named after Murray Gordon Halberg (1933-).	Dallington	Halberg was a distance runner and Olympic champion. In a group of streets named after athletes. Named in 1955.	Landy Street, Lovelock Street, Porritt Place and Snell Place.	“New streets in Christchurch”, The Press, 28 June 1955, p 6 “Street naming practices”, The Press, 1 June 1957, p 4 “General news. Athletic streets”, The Press, 22 September 1960, p 12	

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Halcyon Way		Named after the halcyon, a mythical breed of kingfisher.	Cashmere	<p>The developers also felt the name conveyed messages of “calm, peaceful, tranquil, happy, joyful, carefree and prosperous”.</p> <p>As it is a right-of- way, it was the city council’s policy to name it a Lane. However the developers felt Halcyon Way flowed better.</p> <p>Named in 2013.</p>		Spreydon/Heathcote Community Board 3 September 2013 agenda	

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Halkett Street	Lumbs Lane was an alternate name.	Formerly Lumbs Lane. Named after John Lumb (1819?-1909) and his wife, Eliza (1839?-1904). Re-named Halkett Street. Probably named after Peter Alexander Halkett (1820?-1885).	Central city	In 1875 the city surveyor was instructed to prepare an estimate for the forming and draining of Halkett Street, the property of a Mr Halkett, Halkett, a Commander in the Royal Navy, owned several Town Reserves. He died in Devon, England. The street also had the alternative name of Lumbs Lane which first appears in street directories in 1887.		“ Advertisements ”, The Press, 10 January 1872, p 4 “ City Council ”, The Press, 24 August 1875, p 2 “ Municipal Council ”, Star, 12 October 1875, p 2 “ Fires ”, Star, 12 September 1888, p 3	“ Fire ”, Star, 2 February 1883, p 3 “ Fires ”, Star, 2 September 1884, p 3 “ Adjudications in bankruptcy ”, The Press, 18 December 1884, p 2 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H 33 “ Deaths ”, The Press, 4 August 1909, p 1

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				<p>John and Eliza Lumb owned several properties in the street. He went bankrupt in 1884. His son, Francis John Lumb (b. 1864?), a stonemason, is listed in street directories living in Lumbs Lane in 1887.</p> <p>Halkett Street first appears in street directories in 1890.</p>			
Halley Place		Named after Kevin Noel Halley (1929-1996).	Avonside	<p>Halley was a Justice of the Peace and friend and workmate of the Ryan family.</p> <p>Named by Mary Catherine Ryan (1892-1978), wife of William Nicholas Ryan (1885-1950), a contractor.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1977.</p>		Information supplied in 2008 by Jack Ryan, in a letter to Margaret Harper.	

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Halligan Place			Belfast	Named in 1973.		“New street”, The Papanui Herald , 25 November 1973, p 16	
Halliwell Avenue	Halliwell Street	Named after Stanley Livingstone Revill Halliwell (1900-1974).	Papanui	<p>The avenue was developed on cherry orchard land previously owned by the Sisson family. Halliwell, a dentist, lived in a house there built by Frank Sisson.</p> <p>Halliwell Street was re-named Halliwell Avenue on 21 February 1962.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1960.</p>		<p>Papanui Heritage Group</p> <p>Information on date of naming in a letter sent to the City Librarian from the Town Clerk dated 26 February 1962.</p>	
Halls Place	Halls Road		Middleton	Halls Road first appears in street directories in 1908.			

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Halsey Street		Named after Admiral Sir Lionel Halsey (1872-1949).	South New Brighton	<p>This name continues the theme of naming streets in New Brighton after British Admirals, explorers and fighting seafarers.</p> <p>First mentioned in The Press in 1918.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1924.</p>	Beresford Street	<p>"Commercial", The Press, 25 March 1918, p 9</p> <p>Information supplied by Richard Greenaway in 2008.</p>	

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Halswell Junction Road		Named because it runs through the suburb of Halswell which, in turn, is named after Edmund Storr Halswell QC (1790-1874).	Halswell, Hornby, Islington	Halswell was a government officer in New Zealand for a short time and also a member of the management committee of the Canterbury Association. He arrived in New Zealand in 1841 and was appointed Commissioner of Native Reserves. First mentioned in The Lyttelton Times in 1861 when tenders were called for building a culvert there.	Halswell	" Advertisements ", The Lyttelton Times, 27 April 1861, p 7	The Canterbury Association: a study of its members' connections , p 49
Halswell Road	A continuation of Lincoln Road. Days Road was incorporated into Halswell Road.	Named because it runs through the suburb of Halswell which, in turn, is named after Edmund Storr Halswell QC (1790-1874).	Halswell, Hoon Hay, Kennedys Bush	Halswell was a government officer in New Zealand for a short time and also a member of the management committee of the Canterbury Association. He arrived in New Zealand in 1841 and was appointed Commissioner	Halswell	" Commercial ", The Lyttelton Times, 1 January 1862, p 4 "57 years in double harness", Halswell Courier , Vol 2, No 6, July, 1956, p 8 & 10 "A rocky road to firm success", The Press, 16	The Canterbury Association: a study of its members' connections , p 49

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				<p>of Native Reserves.</p> <p>“The Halswell Road” is first mentioned in The Lyttelton Times in 1862 when the sale of a farm is reported there.</p> <p>Days Road first appears in street directories in 1925. Incorporated into Halswell Road in 1973.</p>		March 1977, p 11	
Halton Street	Halton Road	Named after Halton, a house on Norman’s Road.	Strowan	<p>Halton was named after Lady Halton, Salop, England, the estate of Joseph Ick, father of Charles Thomas Ick (1827-1885). Ick, an auctioneer, was the mayor of Christchurch in 1879 and 1880. From 1870 he lived on Papanui Road.</p> <p>Halton Road is first mentioned in The Press in 1886.</p> <p>Arthur Taylor, a tea expert, is living at Halton</p>	Tillman Avenue	<p>Information about the connection with Lady Halton researched in 2002 by Ben France-Hudson.</p> <p>“Advertisements”, The Press, 20 March 1886, p 4</p> <p>“Avon”, Star , 22 November 1894, p 1</p> <p>“Advertisements”, Star, 14 December 1896, p 3</p> <p>“Advertisements”, The Press, 28 August 1920, p 18</p> <p>“Street extensions”, The</p>	<p>Charles Thomas Ick</p> <p>“The late Mr Ick”, The Press, 28 April 1885, p 2</p> <p>“Death”, Star, 28 April 1885, p 2</p> <p>Chairman's report to the water supply and works committee, Christchurch City Council, 14 November 1945, held at Christchurch City Council archives.</p>

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				<p>in 1890, the year Halton Road first appears in street directories.</p> <p>Not made a public road until after 1894. Halton in Halton Road is mentioned in the Star in 1896.</p> <p>Becomes Halton Street in 1920. Extended through to St Andrews Terrace in 1927.</p> <p>A Papanui war memorial street.</p>		Press, 8 November 1927, p 7	
Halwyn Drive			Hornby	First appears in street directories in 1991.			

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Hamill Road		Named after George Orr Hamill (1855?-1914).	Halswell	<p>Hamill, an estate agent, was in partnership with Henry Hedge (1848?-1898). He bought Crisis Lodge, which was on the site of what is now Hornby Mall in 1896, and subdivided the property into 50 sections. He was declared bankrupt in 1904.</p> <p>The streets in the Longhurst subdivision are named after local identities and homesteads in the locality.</p> <p>Named in 2012.</p>	Longhurst	<p>Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 3 April 2012</p> <p>Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 3 April 2012</p>	<p>"News of the day", The Press, 23 July 1904, p 7</p> <p>Longhurst</p>
Hamilton Avenue	<p>Hamilton Road and Hamilton Street.</p> <p>Tay Street was incorporated into</p>	<p>Named after the Rev. Canon Thomas Albert Hamilton (1849-1937).</p> <p>Tay Street was incorporated in Hamilton Street.</p>	Ilam	<p>Hamilton was the vicar of St. Barnabas Anglican Church 1899-1919.</p> <p>Hamilton Road was formed on glebe land (ie. land belonging to a parish). It was originally planned to build St</p>	Braco Settlement	<p>Fendall's legacy: a history of Fendalton and north-west Christchurch., p 59</p> <p>"Deaths", Star, 4 October 1909, p 3</p> <p>"Superb residential sites", The Press, 19 March</p>	<p>"Obituary", The Press, 18 January 1937, p 10</p> <p>The years that are past</p> <p>Fendall's legacy: a history of Fendalton and north-west Christchurch, p 91</p>

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	Hamilton Street.	Named after the River Tay in Scotland.		<p>Barnabas Anglican Church in Clyde Road but it was felt that this would be too far away from the existing settlement.</p> <p>The “old St Barnabas vicarage block in Clyde Road” as it was known was subdivided in 1921 and Hamilton Road formed.</p> <p>A request for the dedication of Hamilton Street was received by the Waimairi County Council in 1924. It became Hamilton Avenue in 1927 at the request of the Addington Burgesses’ Association after there had been confusion with Hamilton Street (later Jerrold Street) in Addington.</p> <p>Tay Street first appears in street directories in</p>		<p>1921, p 10</p> <p>"Advertisements", The Press, 5 April 1921, p 12</p> <p>"County Councils", The Press, 26 August 1924, p 7</p> <p>"General news", The Press, 5 August 1926, p 10</p> <p>"County Councils", The Press, 18 October 1927, p 13</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: H88</p>

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				1900, running off Ilam Road, through Lothian Street to Chilcombe Street. A death notice in the Star in 1909 says it was in the Braco Village Settlement. Incorporated into Hamilton Street in 1928.			
Hamish Place			Westmorland	First appears in street directories in 1993.	Westmorland		
Hammersley Avenue		Named after R. A. Hammersley Ltd., sawmilling and flourmilling engineers.	Shirley	The business was situated on the Hills Road-Shirley Road corner, now the site of the Shirley Shopping Centre. Robert Arthur Hammersley (1870-1933), an engineer, is listed living at 138 Shirley Road in 1914. First appears in street directories in 1958.	Hammersley's Corner	"New name for school", The Press, 13 August 1983, p 8 'On Parade': Shirley Boys High School, the first fifty years , p 100	Map of Christchurch and environs "Obituary", The Press, 20 March 1933, p 15

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Hammersmith Drive		Named after Hammersmith in London.	Wigram	Hammersmith has historical significance to the Sisters of Nazareth who had owned the land where this street was formed and they requested this name. The Order of the Sisters of Nazareth is based in Hammersmith. Named in 2003.		Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 29 October 2003	
Hammond Street				Developed in the subdivision of Hancock's block. In a government housing subdivision and developed off Barrington Street to give access to the state houses to the north-west of Howard Street. Named in 1938.		" General news ", The Press, 5 April 1938, p 10 " State housing schemes ", The Press, 18 August 1938, p 10	

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Hampshire Street		Named after Hampshire, a county in England on the south coast of England on the English Channel.	Aranui	In an area where all the streets are named after places in the county of Hampshire. There is a Christchurch city and a River Avon in Hampshire, England. Named in 1955.		“New streets in Christchurch”, The Press, 28 June 1955, p 6.	
Hampton Place	Hampton Road		Burnside	Hampton Road first appears in street directories in 1953. Becomes Hampton Place in 1995.			
Handel Place			Northwood	Developed by Belfast Developments Ltd and Styx Developments Ltd. The developers “chose names suitable for the length of the road rather than trying to establish a common theme throughout the subdivision”. Named in 2000.		Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 29 March 2000 Report of the Shirley/Papanui Community Board to the Council 19 April 2000	

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Handley Crescent		Named after Cyril David Handley (1897-1932).	Wigram	Handley was a farmer of Wanganui. He graduated from the Canterbury Flying School on 12 May 1918. In the Wigram Aerodrome subdivision by Ngāi Tahu Property Ltd where the street names are either of aircraft or taken from the list of the first 100 students at the Flight School established by Sir Henry Wigram in 1917. Named in 2010.	Wigram Skies	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 1 June 2010	Great Britain, Royal Aero Club Aviators' Certificates, 1910-1950 as found on www.ancestry.com The Canterbury (NZ) Aviation Co. Ltd: the first one hundred pilots Wigram Skies
Hands Road	Hand's Road	Named after Charles Hand (1840?-1920) and his wife Rebecca Hand (1845?-1922).	Middleton	Hand was a surfaceman/labourer and a resident of the street in 1906, the year it first appears in street directories.		Beyond the city: the land and its people, Riccarton, Waimairi, Paparua , p 88	Riccarton, the founding borough: a short history, Canterbury's founding settlement , p 24 "Deaths", The Press, 16 October 1920, p 1

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Hanmer Street		Named after Humphrey Hanmer (1827-1892).	Linwood	<p>Hanmer was born at Hanmer in Flintshire, England.</p> <p>He is listed in street directories in 1890 as a resident of Sumner. He lived there during his retirement. His brother, Thomas, gave his name to the district of Hanmer.</p> <p>Hanmer Street is first mentioned in the Star in 1868 and first appears in street directories in 1887.</p>		<p>"Advertisements", Star, 12 October 1868, p 3.</p> <p>Gilby neighbourhood improvement plan, p 9</p>	<p>"Obituary", The Canterbury Times, 29 December 1892, p 31</p> <p>"Suicide", Star , 27 December 1892, p 3 (This obituary says wrongly that the Hanmer Plains district is named after him).</p>
Hannah Place		Named at the Ryan family's request after Hannah Mary Ryan (1934?-2003).	Redwood	<p>Hannah Ryan's father, Frank Aloysius Ryan (1886-1944), owned the land where this street was formed.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1964.</p>		Information supplied in 2006 by Mrs Eileen Thomson in an interview with Margaret Harper.	

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Hanover Place			Ilam	<p>Henry Alfred Leslie "Harry" Vale (1889-1988), a Christchurch heating engineering pioneer, purchased 11 acres of land there in 1910 and later laid out and developed 4 acres of gardens at 203 Ilam Road. The property extended from Ilam Road to Waimairi Road.</p> <p>The street was formed on a subdivision of his land.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1972.</p>	Gothic Place, Tudor Avenue and Tuirau Place.	Information supplied in 2009 by John Vale, Harry Vale's nephew, in an interview with Margaret Harper.	<p>"Old property sold", The Press, 21 February 1976, p 18</p> <p>"Obituary", The Press, 6 June 1988, p 3</p>

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Hanrahan Street	Part of Allan Street.	Named after the Right Rev. Monsignor Thomas Hanrahan (1885?-1963).	Upper Riccarton	<p>Allan Street was in a dog-leg shape and included what is now Newnham Terrace. Allan Street is mentioned in The Press in 1910 (spelt Alan Street) and first appears in street directories in 1914.</p> <p>Hanrahan Street first appears in street directories in 1952.</p> <p>Hanrahan was initially based in a small cottage in Peer Street and went on to found St. Teresa's Roman Catholic Church in Puriri Street. He was the first Roman Catholic parish priest in Riccarton from 1923.</p>	Newnham Terrace	<p>Riccarton, the founding borough: a short history, Canterbury's founding settlement, p 123</p> <p>"Advertisements", The Press, 26 February 1910, p 16</p>	<p>"Parish priest honoured", The Press, 21 June 1940, p 3</p> <p>"Obituary", The Press, 27 August 1963, p 17</p>

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Hansons Lane		Named after John Edward Hanson (1840-1920).	Upper Riccarton	Hanson opened the Riccarton Store in 1869 on the corner of Riccarton Road and the present Hansons Lane. First appears in street directories in 1903.		G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H143 “Reminiscences of Mr J. E. Harris”, The Star, 9 December 1919, p 6	“ Death ”, The Press, 18 November 1920, p 1 “ The Riccarton coach goes by ”, The Press, 4 December 1937, p 21 “ The Riccarton coach goes by ”, The Press, 15 January 1938, p 17
Happy Home Road		Named after Happy Home, the farm there owned by James George Francis (1907-1962).	Westmorland	The farm had been named by earlier owners and was sold to James Francis in the 1940s. First appears in street directories in 1953.	Westmorland	The Port Hills of Christchurch , p 248	“Obituary”, The Press, 13 September 1962, p 10 “Planning strategy needed”, The Press, 3 July 1998, p 16

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Harakeke Street		Harakeke means: flax.	Riccarton	<p>Named to commemorate the Deans families' efforts to conserve the native forest trees in Riccarton. The naming was also designed to showcase the Maori names of plants.</p> <p>Named in 1892 when John Deans split up 150 acres of the Deans Estate into 105 lots which were then auctioned.</p> <p>Referred to as "formed and opened up" in The Press in 1898.</p>	Korari Street (re-named Daresbury Lane), Hinau Street, Konini Street, Matai Street, Puriri Street and Totara Street.	<p>"News of the day", The Press, 7 December 1892, p 4</p> <p>"News of the day", The Press, 3 September 1898, p 7</p>	<p>View the biography of John Deans in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography.</p> <p>"Obituary", The Press, 20 June 1902, p 2</p>
Hardwicke Street			Sumner	Land in Hardwicke Street in the "Township of Wakefield, Sumner Bay" is advertised for sale in the Star in 1880.		" Advertisements ", Star, 18 September 1880, p 2	
Hardy Street	Thomas Street	Formerly Thomas Street. Named after Thomas Raine (1820-	New Brighton	Thomas Street does not appear in street directories but land for sale there is advertised in	Beresford Street	<p>"Advertisements", Star, 29 September 1885, p 2</p> <p>New Brighton: a regional history, 1852-1970, pp 28</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: R21</p>

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		1907) of Rainestown. Re-named Hardy Street. Named after Admiral Sir Thomas Masterman Hardy (1769-1839).		the Star in 1885. Re-named Hardy Street at a special meeting of the New Brighton Council on 12 August 1907. Harry Hawker (1868-1947), a councillor 1905-1909, had suggested that New Brighton street names be changed to the names of British sea captains who had fought in the 18th and 19th century - a gesture linking Christchurch with the home country, was patriotic and emphasised the fact that New Brighton was a sea side suburb. Hardy was famed as Nelson's flag captain at the Battle of Trafalgar in 1805.		& 137 New Brighton monthly magazine , Vol 1, No 11, 1 September 1907, pp 1 & 4 "Borough Councils", The Lyttelton Times , 14 August 1907, p 3 "News of the day", The Press, 14 August 1907, p 6	Deeds that won the Empire

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Hare Street		Named after Canon Francis Augustus Hare (1845-1912).	Ilam	Hare was a master and also chaplain at Christ's College 1877-1912 and headmaster 1889-1893. One of the streets in a subdivision formed on land belonging to Christ's College . First appears in street directories in 1950.	Corfe Street, Godfrey Place, Holderness Place, Parr Place, Sayers Crescent, Tripp Place, Tyndale Place and Worthy Street.		The Blain Biographical Directory of Anglican Clergy in the Pacific “ Death of Canon Hare ”, The Press, 27 July 1912, p 12 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H159
Harewood Road		Named because it runs through the suburb of Harewood which, in turn, is named after Lord Henry Thynne Lascelles, the 3rd Earl of Harewood (1797-1857).	Harewood, Bishopdale, Papanui	Lascelles was a member of the Canterbury Association from 1848. First mentioned in The Lyttelton Times in 1851. Shown on an 1866 map at Church Corner. The Harewood section first appears in street directories in 1887.	Harewood	“ Rural Sections chosen ”, The Lyttelton Times, 1 March 1851, p 6 Map of province of Canterbury, New Zealand. 1866	The Canterbury Association: a study of its members' connections , p 63

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Hargest Crescent	Taylor Street and Taylor Crescent.	Formerly Taylor Street, later Crescent. Probably named after Jeremy Taylor (1613-1677). Re-named Hargest Crescent. Named after Brigadier James Hargest (1891-1944).	Sydenham	Taylor was the author of Holy Living and Holy Dying. One of the “poets and writers” streets of Sydenham, Addington and Waltham named by a committee of the Sydenham Borough Council on 19 January 1880. Taylor Street is first mentioned in the Star in 1882 and first appears in street directories in 1887. Becomes Taylor Crescent in 1935. Re-named Hargest Crescent on 1 September 1948 when 120 streets were re-named.		Report of the street naming committee, Sydenham Borough Council minute book 1879-1880, p 217, held at Christchurch City Council archives. “ Borough Council ”, Star, 20 January 1880, p 3 “ Advertisements ”, Star, 1 August 1882, p 3 “ City Council ”, The Press, 2 July 1935, p 16 “Street names changed: City council approves final list”, The Press, 24 August 1948, p 3 “‘Lost’ addresses”, The Christchurch Mail , 27 April 1999, p 8	View the biography of James Hargest in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography . “New names for streets”, The Press, 2 June 1948, p 3 “New street names”, The Press, 24 July 1948, p 2
				Hargest was a farmer, military leader and politician.			

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Hargood Street	Hargood's Road and Hargoods Street.	Named after James Davis Hargood (1820?-1868).	Woolston	<p>Hargood was a market gardener of Ferry Road, Woolston.</p> <p>Hargood's Road first appears in the Star in 1877 in a report of a meeting of the Heathcote Road Board.</p> <p>Re-named Hargoods Street in 1892.</p> <p>Becomes Hargood Street in 1962.</p>		<p>“The Heathcote Road Board”, Star, 28 April 1877, p 2</p> <p>“Local & General”, Star , 6 February 1892, p 3</p> <p>“Street name changes”, The Press, 23 February 1962, p 19</p>	<p>Along the hills: a history of the Heathcote Road Board and the Heathcote County Council 1864-1989, p 14</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: H163</p> <p>“Fatal accident”, The Press, 25 April 1868, p 2</p>

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Harker Street	Swinchatt Street	May be named after Thomas Henry Harker (1871-1952).	Spreydon	<p>Both Swinchatt Street and Harker Street are mentioned in The Press in 1915.</p> <p>Swinchatt Street was re-named Harker Street formally by the Spreydon Road Board in 1911 although Harker Street had appeared in the Star in 1902.</p> <p>Harker was a manager and also a well-known athlete and swimmer.</p> <p>Harker Street first appears in street directories in 1926.</p>		<p>“Advertisements”, Star, 15 February 1902, p 5</p> <p>“Road Boards”, The Press, 11 March 1911, p 6</p> <p>"Advertisements", The Press, 27 March 1915, p 15</p>	“Obituary”, The Press, 2 May 1952, p 8

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Harkness Place		Named after John Harkness (1853-1938).	Avonhead	Harkness was the headmaster of Waitaki High School and later Kent Lodge School in Riccarton. First appears in street directories in 1981.	Kent Lodge Avenue and Ringwood Place.		“ The Riccarton coach goes by ”, The Press, 15 January 1938, p 17 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H170 [Here his name is incorrectly given as Harkess.]
Harlech Mews			Avonhead	In the Hyde Park subdivision where many of the streets are named after stately homes of England. First appears in street directories in 1991.	Hyde Park		

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Harling Avenue		Named after Carl Harling (1841?-1926).	Hillmorton	Harling was a master at Christ's College 1888-1904. One of the streets in the area formed on land owned by Christ's College . First appears in street directories in 1972.	Bean Street, Bidwell Place, Charles Upham Avenue, Grigg Place, Neave Place, Warren Crescent and West-Watson Avenue.	"West-Watson Park", The Press, 14 September 1957, p 4	College! : a history of Christ's College , p 213 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H174a
Harmans Road	Cavendish Road was incorporated into Harmans Road.	Named after Richard James Strachan Harman (1826-1902).	Lyttelton	First appears in street directories in 1887. Cavendish Road was made a public street on 3 February 1891. Incorporated into Harmans Road in 1912.		The first 100 years : municipal government in Lyttelton , p 15 "Lyttelton Borough Council", The Press, 18 December 1890, p 3 "News of the day", The Press, 1 October 1912, p 6	"Obituary", The Press, 27 November 1902, p 5 "Mr R. J. S. Harman", Star, 27 November 1902, p 3 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H178

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Harman Street		Named after Richard James Strachan Harman (1826-1902).	Addington	<p>Harman arrived in Canterbury in 1850 on the Sir George Seymour. He was a member of the Provincial Council and later became deputy superintendent. He was also a civil engineer and estate agent.</p> <p>In 1878 Harman is listed in street directories as living in Windmill Road (later Antigua Street). At the time it was thought that Sydenham would become a fashionable area.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1887.</p>	Crohane Street	The evolution of a city , p 20	<p>“Obituary”, The Press, 27 November 1902, p 5</p> <p>“Mr R. J. S. Harman”, Star, 27 November 1902, p 3</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: H178</p>

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Harmony Lane		Named because the owners of property there felt their situation on back sections gave them a feeling of peace, harmony and security.	Woolston	A right-of-way at 97A Mackworth Street developed by J. and J. Macey and T. and J. Worthington. Named in 2010.		Hagley/Ferrymead Community Board agenda 2 June 2010 Minutes of a meeting of the Hagley/Ferrymead Community Board held on 2 June 2010	
Harold Street	Aynsleys Alley No 4 and Aynsley Street.	Formerly Aynsleys Alley No 4 and Aynsley Street. Named after Hugh Percy Murray-Aynsley (1828-1917). Re-named Harold Street.	Sydenham	Aynsleys Alley No 4 was re-named Aynsley Street in 1889. Murray-Aynsley probably owned the land where this street was formed. Re-named Harold Street on 1 September 1948 when 120 streets were re-named.	Murray Aynsley Hill	“ Sydenham Borough Council ”, The Press, 17 September 1889, p 3 "Street names changed: City council approves final list", The Press, 24 August 1948, p 3	“New names for streets”, The Press, 2 June 1948, p 3 “New street names”, The Press, 24 July 1948, p 2

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Harold Denton Place		Named after Harold Ernest Denton (1893?-1975).	St Albans	Denton was a city councillor 1938-1944, 1956-1959 and 1962-1968. Formed in 1972 and contains city council housing for pensioners. First appears in street directories in 1974.	Denton Park	“Consideration of area scheme”, The Press, 23 February 1972, p 18 "New cottages opened", The Papanui Herald , 10 October 1972, p 7 City housing news	“Obituary”, The Press, 4 January 1975, p 14
Harper Avenue	Park Road and North Park Road	Formerly Park Road and North Park Road. Named because it runs alongside Hagley Park. Re-named Harper Avenue. Named after George Harper (1843-1937).	Central city	Joseph Cornish Helmore (1832-1920) constructed a road through his land which was named Park Road, then North Park Road. These names do not appear in street directories because they had no residents. J. C. Helmore advertises in the Star in 1883 for his spectacles lost in North Park Road. Re-named Harper Avenue. Harper was chairman of	Helmore Lane	" The Hagley Park roads ", Star, 16 June 1879, p 3 “ Advertisements ”, Star, 24 March 1883, p 2 " Long service ", The Press, 9 May 1931, p 14 " To commemorate the work of Mr George Harper ", The Press, 11 May 1931, p 11 “ Changes in old place names ”, The Press, 28 January 1936, p 17	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H186 “ Mr Joseph C. Helmore ”, Ashburton Guardian, 27 December 1920, p 5 “ Life of service ended ”, The Press, 13 March 1937, p 16

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				the Christchurch Domains Board. On 8 May 1931, at the annual general meeting of the Christchurch Domains Board, Henry Kitson moved “that North Park Road between Carlton Bridge and Fendalton Bridge be re-named Harper Avenue as a compliment to the retiring chairman and his early family associations with Canterbury”. The proposal was confirmed at a city council meeting on 18 May 1931.			

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Harris Crescent		Named after William Chambers Harris (1842-1885).	Papanui	<p>Harris was the third headmaster of Christ's College.</p> <p>One of the Papanui streets developed on land belonging to Christ's College. 500 houses were planned for the 80 acre block.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1953.</p>	Blanch Street, Bourne Crescent, Condell Avenue, Flower Street, Hudson Street, Merton Place, Moreland Avenue, Richards Avenue and Tothill Place.	Papanui Heritage Group "Papanui's newest shopping centre", The Papanui Herald , 16 January 1959, p 4	" Obituary ", The Press, 9 June 1885, pp 2-3 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H227

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Harrison Street	Harrison's Road	Named after Francis Harrison (1815?-1887).	Mairehau	<p>Harrison, a farmer, owned a property off Warrington Street.</p> <p>Harrison's Paddock and Harrison Street are first mentioned in The Press in 1882 when land there is advertised for sale.</p> <p>Harrison Street was private property, owned by the Tramway Board and used for parking trailers in a siding until 1928, when local residents asked the council for its formal dedication as a street.</p>	Carrick Street and Francis Avenue.	<p>St Albans: from swamp to suburbs: an informal history, p 17</p> <p>"Advertisements", The Press, 22 November 1882, p 4</p> <p>"Road formation: meeting of property owners", The Press, 26 April 1928, p 11</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: H232</p> <p>Charlotte Howard & Charlotte Thompson: a colonial saga, p 22</p> <p>"General news", The Press, 13 December 1927, p 10</p>

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Harrow Street	William Street	Named after Harrow, a town in the London Borough of Harrow, North-West London.	Phillipstown	William Street first appears in street directories in 1896. Re-named Harrow Street on 7 March 1904. Among a number of streets re-named in 1904 and given the names of place-names in the United Kingdom.		“ Re-naming streets ”, The Press, 8 March 1904, p 5 Christchurch City Council minute book, June 1903-October 1904 held at Christchurch City Council archives. “ Street names ”, The Press, 2 September 1930, p 12	
Harrowdale Drive		Named after Cecil Charles Harrow (1887?-1974).	Avonhead	Harrow was one of the first raspberry growers in Christchurch. After World War I he bought 20 acres of land at 46 Nortons Road where he planted five acres of raspberries. First appears in street directories in 1968.	Glenharrow Avenue		"Founder of jam factory dies", The Press, 2 February 1974, p 19

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Harry Ell Drive		Named after Henry George “Harry” Ell (1862-1934).	Cashmere	Ell was a prohibitionist, parliamentarian 1899-1919, conservationist and an advocate of the establishment of a string of reserves along the Port Hills. First appears in street directories in 1990.			View the biography of Henry George Ell in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography . "Death of Mr H. G. Ell", The Press, 28 June 1934, p 10

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Harry Fergus Lane		Named after Harry Fergus Smith (1905-1972).	Redcliffs	Smith, son of one of the three brothers who founded Smith & Smith Ltd., was the father of developer, Sue Blakely. Named in 1997 when its name was approved for the Kildare Estate subdivision off Glenstrae Road. The council wrote to the developers, Jerry and Sue Blakely of the Coley Park Trust, "congratulating them on excellent choices of names adequately reflecting the history of the area".	Avery Place, John Monck Lane, Melleray Place, Omeo Crescent, Ophir Lane and Serenata Lane. Also Kildare Estate	Meeting of the Hagley-Ferrymead Community Board, 2 July 1997 Kildare Estate	
Harrys Way		Named after Harry Harris.	Redwood	Harris had a long connection with part of the property being subdivided. In the Redwood Springs subdivision. Named in 2001.		Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 6 June 2001	

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Harston Place		Named after Neville Forsyth Harston (1898-1986).	Wigram	<p>Harston was a clerk from Napier. He graduated from the Canterbury Flying School on 25 March 1918.</p> <p>In the Wigram Aerodrome subdivision by Ngāi Tahu Property Ltd where the street names are either of aircraft or taken from the list of the first 100 students at the Flight School established by Sir Henry Wigram in 1917.</p> <p>Named in 2010.</p>	Wigram Skies	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 1 June 2010	<p>Great Britain, Royal Aero Club Aviators' Certificates, 1910-1950 as found on www.ancestry.com</p> <p>The Canterbury (NZ) Aviation Co. Ltd: the first one hundred pilots Wigram Skies</p>

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Hart Street	Ashbourne Place and Henley Street.	<p>Formerly Ashbourne Place. Named because it was in the area of Ashbourne.</p> <p>Re-named Henley Street. Named after Francis William Henley (1854?-1933).</p> <p>Re-named Hart Street. Named after Thomas Hart.</p>	Woolston	<p>Ashbourne Place is first mentioned in the Star in 1882 in a funeral notice for Frederick Henley, son of Francis.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1892.</p> <p>Re-named Henley Street in 1908. Henley was a carrier and member of the Woolston Borough Council from 1898. He was also a resident of the street.</p> <p>Re-named Hart Street on 31 July 1922 because there was a Henley Street in St Albans. Hart, a carpenter, is listed as a resident of the street in 1922. At the time of his death in 1933, his son, Richard D. Henley, was living at 16 Hart Street.</p>	Ferry Road. Also Ashbourne.	<p>“Advertisements”, Star, 16 January 1882, p 2</p> <p>“Woolston”, The Press, 1 April 1908, p 4</p> <p>“Two Henley Streets”, The Press, 18 July 1922, p 12</p> <p>“General news”, The Press, 1 August 1922, p 6</p> <p>“Advertisements”, The Press, 29 March 1933, p 17</p>	<p>The Cyclopedia of New Zealand, Vol. 3, p 393</p> <p>“Street names”, The Press, 13 September 1924, p 13</p>

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Hartley Avenue	St Andrews Terrace	Formerly St Andrews Terrace. Named because of its proximity to St Andrew's College. Re-named Hartley Avenue. Named after Leonard Brannon Hart (1874-1960).	Strowan	St Andrews Terrace is first mentioned in The Press in 1924 when land for sale there is advertised. First appears in street directories in 1927. Re-named Hartley Avenue in 1938 because of confusion with St Andrews Square. Hart lived at 2 Hawthorne Street in Papanui and in 1936 he was a branch manager for Abels Ltd. His property was subdivided to form the street plus its extension. A Papanui war memorial street.	Tillman Avenue	" Advertisements ", The Press, 8 March 1924, p 20 " General news ", The Press, 8 November 1938, p 8 Christchurch City Council, minutes of Bylaws, Finance and Departmental committee's report, 7 November 1938 held at Christchurch City Council archives.	" Street extensions ", The Press, 8 November 1927, p 7 Chairman's report to the water supply and works committee, Christchurch City Council, 14 November 1945, held at Christchurch City Council archives.

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Hartnell Place			Avonside	In a government housing subdivision. Named in 1945. First appears in street directories in 1947.		“ Health camp buildings ”, The Press, 11 September 1945, p 3	
Harts Creek Lane		Named after Harts Creek, a contributing creek to Lake Waihora.	Northwood	Harts Creek is a good fly fishing stream. Named at the suggestion of Diana, Lady Isaac (1921-2012) who was involved with the Clearwater Development. Named in 2000.	Mayfly Lane and Rotoiti Lane.	Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 6 September 2000	
Harvard Avenue		Named after the Harvard aeroplane.	Wigram	A name from the old airbase preserved when the land was subdivided in 1998 to form the Wigram subdivision. First appears in street directories in 1987.		“Aircraft bias to street names”, The Press, 1 April 1998, p 5	

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Harvey Terrace	Windsor Terrace	Named after Patrick Harvey (1880?-1949).	Richmond	<p>Land for sale in Windsor Terrace is advertised in the Star in 1893. Windsor Terrace first appears in street directories in 1896 as a “continuation of Draper Street”.</p> <p>Re-named Harvey Terrace on 1 September 1948 when 120 streets were re-named.</p> <p>Harvey, a teacher, was the secretary of the SINZ Motor Union and a long-time resident of the street.</p>		<p>“Advertisements”, Star, 23 September 1893, p 4</p> <p>Information about the naming of Harvey Terrace supplied in 2007 by Allan Williamson in an interview with Margaret Harper.</p> <p>"Street names changed: City council approves final list", The Press, 24 August 1948, p 3</p>	<p>“New names for streets”, The Press, 2 June 1948, p 3</p> <p>“New street names”, The Press, 24 July 1948, p 2</p>
Hasketts Road		Named after John Haskett (1840?-1894).	Yaldhurst	Haskett is listed on the Avon electoral roll of 1880-1881 as a farmer of Yaldhurst. He also worked as a carter for the Templeton Road Board.		<p>Settling near the Styx River, p 88</p> <p>"Templeton", The Press, 13 February 1894, p 2</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: H277</p>

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Haslam Crescent		Named after Alec Leslie Haslam (1904-1997).	Hoon Hay	<p>Haslam was a lawyer and judge. He graduated from Canterbury University in 1926.</p> <p>In a 145-acre housing subdivision planned by the housing division of the Ministry of Works. The land was purchased from the Church Property Trustees and the Loughnan estate.</p> <p>In 1968 the street names sub-committee of the council felt that as Halswell was named after a prominent English Queen's Counsel it would be appropriate to record the names of judges in street names there. Many of them had been QCs or KCs before appointment to the Bench.</p>	Alpers Place, Barrowclough Road, Callan Place, Dalglish Place, Fair Place, Herdman Road, Leicester Crescent, McCarthy Street, Myers Place, Northcroft Road, O'Leary Street, Ostler Place, Salmond Road and Stanton Crescent.	"Judges' names", The Press, 17 September 1968, p 1	<p>"New Halswell subdivision", The Press, 8 December 1960, p 19</p> <p>"Hoon Hay subdivision provides 570 sections", The Press, 30 September 1964, p 1</p>

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Hassals Lane		Named after Thomas Maberly Hassal (1834-1879).	Waltham	Hassal lived at The Oaks in Opawa. First appears in street directories in 1892.			G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H289 “ Deaths ”, Star, 6 October 1879, p 2 “ News of the day ”, The Press, 7 October 1879, p 2 “ Funeral of Mr T. M. Hassal ”, Star, 9 October 1879, p 3
Hastings Street East/Hastings Street West	Gordon Street and Andrew Street.	Formerly Gordon Street and Andrew Street. May have been named after two Sydenham Borough councillors of the time. Re-named Hastings Street and later Hastings Street East and	Sydenham	The purchase of Gordon Street was discussed at a meeting of the Sydenham Borough Council in 1882, reported in the Star. Andrew Street is also mentioned in a report in the Star of another meeting of the Council in 1879. Gordon Street first appears in street directories in 1887,		“ Sydenham Borough Council ”, Star, 24 October 1882, p 4 “ Borough Council ”, Star, 23 September 1879, p 3 “ Street naming ”, The Press, 3 November 1909, p 3 “ General news ”, The Press, 6 June 1916, p 6 “ Sydenham Borough Council ”, Star, 11	“ Street names ”, The Press, 6 October 1909, p 6 “ Street names ”, The Press, 13 September 1924, p 13 “‘Lost’ addresses”, The Christchurch Mail , 27 April 1999, p 8

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		West. Darwin Street was named after Charles Robert Darwin (1809-1882).		running off Waltham Road; Andrew Street appears the same year running off Colombo Street. Gordon Street was re-named Hastings Street in 1909. Andrew Street was re-named Hastings Street in 1916. Darwin Street is first mentioned in the Star in 1883 in a report of a meeting of the Sydenham Borough Council. First appears in street directories in 1887. Re-named Hastings Street in 1916. It became Hastings Street East and West in 1991.		September 1883, p 4 “ General news ”, The Press, 6 June 1916, p 6	

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Hatfield Place		Named after Hatfield House in Hertfordshire, England.	Avonhead	In the Hyde Park subdivision where the streets are named after stately homes of England. First appears in street directories in 1991.	Hyde Park		
Hatherly Lane		Named after Rohan Hatherly Philp Wills (b. 1947?).	Mount Pleasant	Wills, a solicitor, was a director of Cannon Estate Ltd which developed the subdivision where this street is formed. His father, Eric Philp Wills (1905-1968), was one of the original members of the syndicate which bought the 111 acres of the Cannon Estate in 1956. First appears in street directories in 1987.	Brigid Place, Challis Place, Clementine Lane, Freeman Street, Hilltop Lane, Janice Place, Michael Avenue, Osmond Lane and Roland Lane.	“Cannon Estate thirty years in development”, The Press, 23 August 1989, p 49	

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Hatton Court		Named after Hatton Garden, a street and area near Holborn in London.	Northwood	In the Hampton Grange subdivision where the streets are named after streets near Hampton Court Palace near London. Named in 2004.		Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 3 March 2004 Report of the Shirley/Papanui Community Board to the Council meeting of Thursday 25 March 2004	
Haughey Drive		Named after the Haughey family.	Mairehau	The Haughey family's dairy farm was the first large farm in the area. Charles Haughey (1816?-1912) was a farmer of Hill's Road, Marshland. Named in 2005.	Rostrevor Place	Shirley/Papanui Community Board Agenda 3 August 2005	" Obituary ", Star, 5 December 1912, p 1
Havana Gardens		Named after Havana in Cuba.	Shirley	The streets in the Clearbrook Palms subdivision are named after places in Florida or the Caribbean. Named in 2003.	Cayman Close, Laguna Gardens, Montego Close, Palm Drive and Sanctuary Gardens.	Report of the Shirley/Papanui Community Board to the Council 29 March 2000 Shirley/Papanui Community Board Agenda 30 April 2003	

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Havelock Street		Named after Sir Henry Havelock (1795-1857).	Phillipstown	<p>Havelock was a British general.</p> <p>One of a group of four streets named after English military commanders.</p> <p>Named in 1898. Formed by John Connal in Rural Section 347.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1900.</p>	Clive Street, Marlborough Street and Wellington Street.	<p>"Linwood", The Press, 25 January 1898, p 3</p> <p>"Street names", The Press, 2 September 1930, p 12</p>	
Hawdon Street		Named after the Honourable Joseph Hawdon (1813-1871) and his son, Arthur Joseph Hawdon (1844-1920).	Sydenham	<p>Hawdon was an explorer in Australia and a runholder in Australia and New Zealand. He lived in New Zealand from 1863 and was appointed a member of the Legislative Council by the Stafford ministry of 1866. He died in Christchurch.</p> <p>Arthur Hawdon, his eldest son, was the first elected councillor for</p>		<p>"Advertisements", Star, 21 October 1875, p 2</p> <p>"Sydenham Borough Council", Star, 22 January 1878, p 3</p> <p>Plan of Christchurch and suburbs, 1879</p> <p>"Obituary", The Press, 5 April 1920, p 6</p>	<p>Joseph Hawdon: the first overlander</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: H310</p>

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				<p>Selwyn County.</p> <p>Hawdon's Railway Paddock, 20 acres of land belonging to Arthur Hawdon, "adjoining the Christchurch Railway Station", is advertised for sale in the Star in 1875. That this land was part of Joseph Hawdon's estate is mentioned in the Star in a report of a meeting of the Sydenham Borough Council held in 1878.</p> <p>The street appears on an 1879 map.</p>			
Hawford Street		Named after Hawford, the home there of Dr John Shearing Willis (1807-1869).	Opawa	<p>Willis emigrated as surgeon-superintendent on the Isabella Hercus in 1851 and took up Rural Section 38, 100 acres on the "River Heathcote, near Christchurch Quay". He built a house in 1860 which he named Hawford. In 1882 his</p>	Flinders Street. Also Bowenvale and Scotts Scenic Reserve.	<p>Province of Canterbury, New Zealand : list of sections purchased to April 30 1863, p 2</p> <p>"Rural Sections chosen", Lyttelton Times, 8 March 1851, p 3</p> <p>"Road Boards", Star, 25</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: W546</p> <p>By-ways of history & medicine: with special reference to Canterbury, New Zealand, pp 352-354</p>

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				<p>son, Charles Frederick Tracy Willis (1855?-1902), sold off part of the land known by then as the Village of Hawford. Charles Willis was living there in 1885 when a child was born to him and his wife.</p> <p>It was later the home of John Flinders Scott (1876-1941).</p> <p>Hawford Road first appears in the Star in 1881 in a report of a meeting of the Road Board.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1892.</p> <p>[The plan for a single line of houses along the river frontage was approved by the City Council in 1951.]</p>		<p>July 1881, p 4</p> <p>“Advertisements”, Star, 13 April 1882, p 2</p> <p>“Birth”, Star, 25 March 1885, p 2</p>	<p>The Port Hills of Christchurch, pp 117 & 170</p> <p>“Obituary”, The Press, 30 July 1941, p 8</p> <p>From glasshouses to the Port Hills: the story of John Flinders Scott, p 29</p> <p>“Hawford Road subdivision”, The Press, 3 July 1951, p 8</p>
Hawke Street	Hawkes	Formerly Hawkes Street. Named	New	Hawkes, an auctioneer, married Sarah Jane		“ Supreme Court: in bankruptcy ”, Star, 10	G R Macdonald dictionary of

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	Street	<p>after James George Hawkes (b. 1832).</p> <p>Re-named Hawke Street. Named after Edward Hawke, 1st Baron Hawke of Towton (1705-1781).</p>	Brighton	<p>Herbert in 1852. She died in 1853 and he married Lucy James Sparshott in 1854. They emigrated to Canterbury on the Victory in 1859.</p> <p>He gave the land on which St Faith's Anglican Church and vicarage now stand on 9 January 1880. He was declared bankrupt in 1886. His date and place of death are unknown.</p> <p>Hawkes Street is first mentioned in the Star in 1889. Formed in 1890.</p> <p>Re-named Hawke Street at a special meeting of the New Brighton Council on 12 August 1907. Baron Hawke was an admiral and later First Lord of the Admiralty in the Royal Navy.</p> <p>Harry Hawker (1868-1947), a councillor 1905-</p>		<p>August 1886, p 3</p> <p>"New Brighton Notes", Star, 26 September 1889, p 2</p> <p>"New Brighton Notes", Star, 28 August 1890, p 3</p> <p>"Correspondence", Star, 9 May 1896, p 4</p> <p>"Borough Councils", The Lyttelton Times, 14 August 1907, p 3</p> <p>"News of the day", The Press, 14 August 1907, p 6</p> <p>New Brighton monthly magazine, Vol 1, No 11, 1 September 1907, p 1 & 4</p> <p>"Naming of streets linked with early efforts to popularise seaside resort", Pegasus Post, 5 March 1975</p> <p>New Brighton: a regional history, 1852-1970, pp 28</p>	<p>Canterbury biographies: H317</p> <p>"Plan shewing area affected by proposed New Brighton Loan", Z Arch 201</p> <p>"Old New Brighton", Star, 29 April 1922, p 8</p> <p>"Early New Brighton", Star, 20 May 1922, p 6</p> <p>Deeds that won the Empire</p>

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				1909, had suggested that New Brighton street names be changed to the names of British sea captains who had fought in the 18th and 19th century - a gesture linking Christchurch with the home country, was patriotic and emphasised the fact that New Brighton was a seaside suburb.		& 137	

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Hawkesbury Avenue		Named after the Hawkesbury district, New South Wales, Australia, birthplace of The Honourable John Thomas Peacock (1827-1905).	St Albans	Peacock named his Christchurch home, Hawkesbury. First appears in street directories in 1902. First mentioned in The Press in 1904 when “magnificent building sites, being a subdivision of the Hawesbury Park Estate” are advertised for sale. Hawkesbury Avenue is described as a “new chain street running through the block”.	Browns Road, Mansfield Avenue and Peacock Street.	“ Advertisements ”, The Press, 9 April 1904, p 11 “ Advertisements ”, Star, 6 October 1906, p 8 “ General news ”, The Press, 20 December 1943, p 4 “An enclave of wealth and power”, New Zealand Historic Places, September 1997, pp 16-19	" The Hon. T. J. Peacock ", The Press, 21 October 1905, p 4 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: P234

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Hawkhurst Road	Salt's Gully	An early informal name for the area was Salt's Gully. Named after Eli Salt (1817-1893). Re-named Hawkhurst Road. Named after Hawkshurst in Kent, England.	Lyttelton	Salt arrived in Lyttelton on the Sir George Seymour in December 1850. He was a bricklayer and built the first house in Salt's Gully. Salt's Gully first appears in the Star in 1876 in a report of a meeting of the Lyttelton Borough Council. Re-named Hawkhurst Road. Hawkhurst was Lord Lyttelton's country seat in Kent. Hawkhurst Road is first mentioned in the Lyttelton Times in 1857. Salt's Gully and Hawkhurst Road are both mentioned in street directories in 1872.	Flimwell Lane. Also Hagley Park.	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : S19 " Advertisements ", Lyttelton Times, 11 April 1857, p 9 " Municipal Council ", Star, 7 June 1876, p 2 " Advertisements ", The Press, 18 June 1898, p 10 Lyttelton: port and town : an illustrated history , p 30 The first 100 years : municipal government in Lyttelton , p 15 " European place names ", The Press, 19 February 1924, p 14	" Deaths ", The Press, 7 August 1893, p 3 "More than just four walls", Bay-Harbour News , 12 April 2006, p. 33

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				Hawkhurst Road was declared a public street on 1 August 1898. Appears on its own as a listing in street directories from 1892.			

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Hawkins Road	Also known as Hawkens Road.	Named after the Hawken family.	Marshland	<p>Henry Hawken (1823?-1876) arrived at Lyttelton on the Accrington in 1863 with his wife and four children.</p> <p>He leased the first block of land on the Marshland swamp at the corner of Hawkins Road and Prestons Road, naming it Worthy Vale, sometimes spelt Worthevale. He built one of the first two sod huts in the district.</p> <p>His son, Edward John Hawken, died in 1908 aged 59. He lived at Worthy Vale Farm.</p> <p>Another son, Mark Hawken, died in 1912 aged 52 years. His funeral left his residence, Worthy Vale, Hawken's Road, Marshland.</p>		<p>"Advertisements", The Press, 26 August 1878, p 3</p> <p>"Road Boards", Star, 13 January 1881, p 3</p> <p>"Deaths", The Press, 5 June 1908, p 1</p> <p>"Deaths", The Press, 5 October 1912, p 1</p> <p>"Advertisements", The Press, 5 October 1912, p 17</p> <p>Settling near the Styx River, pp 158-159</p> <p>"From a bog to the market garden of New Zealand", The Sun, 25 March 1933, p 17 [Many of the details are wrong in this article, especially about the origins of Hawkins Road, but it provides interesting information about the development of the Marshland area.]</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: H318</p> <p>"Has lived 57 years in the Marshland district", Early Christchurch and Canterbury : newspaper clippings, ca. 1923-1950. Vol 1, p 69 & 103-104</p>

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				Hawkins Road was formed in 1878. Hawkins Road is first mentioned in a report in the Star in 1881 of a meeting of the Avon Road Board so the street had dual names for a time.			
Hawkshead Way		Named after Hawkshead, a village halfway between Coniston Water and Windermere near the northern edge of Esthwaite Water.	Westmorland	Named to continue the theme in the subdivision of naming streets after places in historic Westmorland in England, since 1974 part of Cumbria. Named in 2013.	Westmorland	Riccanton/Wigram Community Board agenda 17 September 2013 Minutes of the Riccanton/Wigram Community Board minutes 17 September 2013	
Hawthornden Road		Named after Hawthornden, a large house there.	Avonhead	John Drummond Macpherson (1829-1894) bought the land for £375.00. In 1863 tenders were called by S. C. Farr, Architect & Surveyor, for the erection of a		“ Advertisements ”, Lyttelton Times, 20 June 1863, p 6 “ Riccanton Road Board ”, The Press, 14 March 1893, p 6 “ Advertisements ”, The	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : B860, Mac253 & Mac386 The architecture of Samuel Charles Farr

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				<p>dwelling there.</p> <p>From 1893-1899 it was run as Hawthornden School for Girls by Sarah Jane McKee (1842-1937, widow of the Rev. David McKee (d. 1880).</p> <p>Hawthornden Road was named in 1893 by the Riccarton Road Board at the suggestion of Sarah McKee.</p> <p>Hawthornden Road is first mentioned in the Star in 1896 in a report of a meeting of the Riccarton Road Board.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1912.</p>		Press, 16 March 1893, p 1	<p>(1827-1918), pp 24-25, p 152</p> <p>"Obituary", The Press, 5 October 1894, p 5</p> <p>"Obituary", Evening Post, 9 August 1937, p 14</p> <p>[For sale], The Press, 17 April 1991, p 55</p>
Hawthorne Street	Brighton Street and Schmidt's Road	<p>Formerly Brighton Street for a short time only.</p> <p>Also formerly named Schmidts</p>	Strowan	<p>Named Brighton Street by John Bligh (1838-1896), possibly to publicise the fact he was establishing Blighs Gardens at New Brighton. Brighton Street</p>		<p>"Road Boards", Star, 4 June 1880, p 3</p> <p>"Advertisements", The Press, 6 November 1880, p 4</p> <p>"Local and general", Star,</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: B523, G398</p> <p>"Fatal accident on the tramway", Star, 1</p>

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		<p>Road. Named after William (Wilhelm) Schmidt (1832-1894).</p> <p>Re-named Hawthorn (later Hawthorne) Road and later Hawthorne Street. Named after the Hawthorne Nursery of John Greenaway (1831-1880) situated on 5 acres there.</p>		<p>never appears in street directories but is mentioned in the advertisement in The Press in November 1880 when Bligh subdivided his land and it was auctioned. The land is described as having frontages on "the Papanui Road, Bligh's Road, Nursery Road (later Watford Street) and Brighton Street".</p> <p>Also formerly named Schmidt's Road. Schmidt was the proprietor of Barrett's Hotel and built the New Zealander Hotel at 76 Madras Street. In retirement, he lived on the corner of Papanui Road and where Schmidt's Road was developed. He is listed in street directories as living on Papanui Road in 1878. His funeral is</p>		<p>31 August 1882, p 2</p> <p>"Advertisements", Star, 26 January 1888, p 2</p> <p>Studies on pioneer Canterbury nurserymen, p 25</p> <p>"From Erin's Isle to Papanui, Mr John Joyce continues his story", The Star, 8 March 1919, p 8</p> <p>"Street name changes", The Press, 23 February 1962, p 19</p> <p>Information on date of re-naming of Hawthorne Street in a letter sent to the City Librarian from the Town Clerk dated 26 February 1962.</p>	<p>December 1880, p 3</p> <p>"Local & General", Star, 23 August 1894, p 3</p>

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				<p>mentioned in the Star in 1894.</p> <p>Schmidt's Road first appears in street directories in 1887 and is also an address in an advertisement in the Star in 1888.</p> <p>Hawthorn Road is first mentioned in the Star in 1880 in a report of a meeting of the Avon Road Board. So the street appears to have alternate names for a time.</p> <p>Hawthorn Road first appears in street directories in 1892. It later becomes Hawthorne Road and was officially named Hawthorne Street on 21 February 1962.</p>			

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Hay Street			Bromley	First mentioned in The Press in 1904. First appears in street directories in 1906.		" Advertisements ", The Press, 14 January 1904, p 8	
Haynes Avenue		Named after Mary Jane "Jennie" Ballantyne, née Haynes, (1869-1952) of the family of Herbert, Haynes & Co. of Dunedin.	Upper Riccarton	The family of William Ballantyne (1864-1934) and his wife, Mary Jane, lived on a one hundred acre farm there 1896-1946. Their family home, Nydfa, was in Hansons Lane. William Ballantyne and his older brother, Josiah, both married daughters of Daniel Haynes. Josiah married Jessie Montgomery Haynes in 1886; William married Mary Jane (Jennie) Haynes in 1891. First appears in street directories in 1952.	Ballantynes Avenue. Also Nydfa.	" Marriages ", Star, 26 January 1886, p 2 " Marriage ", Star, 17 September 1891, p 2	Ballantynes : the story of Dunstable House 1854-2004 , pp 33-34 " Obituary, Mr William Ballantyne ", The Press, 12 September 1934, p 5 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : B92

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Hazeldean Road			Sydenham, Addington	First mentioned in the Star in 1873. First appears in street directories in 1878.		" Magisterial ", Star, 20 March 1873, p 2	
Hazelwood Way			Northwood	Developed by Belfast Developments Ltd and Styx Developments Ltd. The developers "chose names suitable for the length of the road rather than trying to establish a common theme throughout the subdivision". Named in 2000.		Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 29 March 2000 Report of the Shirley/Papanui Community Board to the Council 19 April 2000	
Heachem Lane		Named after Heachem in Norfolk, England.	Harewood	The Chilvers family, who owned the land where this lane was formed, originally came from Heachem. Named in 2001.	Chilvers Way	Fendalton/Waimairi Community Board agenda 5 June 2001	

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Head Street			Sumner	First mentioned in the Star in 1880 when land in Head Street in the “Township of Wakefield, Sumner Bay” is advertised for sale.		“ Advertisements ”, Star, 18 September 1880, p 2	

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Heathcote Street	Sumner Place and Buxton's Lane were incorporated into Heathcote Street.	<p>Named after Sir William Heathcote (1801-1881).</p> <p>Buxton's Lane was incorporated into Heathcote Street. Named after Captain Thomas Buxton (1821-1900).</p>	Woolston	<p>Heathcote was a member of the Canterbury Association from 1848.</p> <p>Heathcote Street is first mentioned in the Lyttelton Times in 1856 and first appears in street directories in 1887.</p> <p>Buxton and the Dancing Wave are mentioned in the Star in 1869. In 1890 street directories he is living at Regent Street, Woolston.</p> <p>Sumner Place is first mentioned in the Star in 1884. Incorporated into Heathcote Street in 1922.</p> <p>Buxton's Lane first appears in street directories in 1892. Incorporated into Heathcote Street in 1928.</p>		<p>"Advertisements", Lyttelton Times, 12 January 1856, p 8</p> <p>"Lyttelton", Star, 20 March 1869, p 2</p> <p>"General news", The Press, 14 February 1922, p 6</p>	<p>The Canterbury Association: a study of its members' connections, p 53</p> <p>"Obituary", Star, 28 February 1900, p 1</p> <p>"Deaths", Star, 28 February 1900, p 3</p> <p>"Obituary", The Press, 28 February 1900, p 3h</p> <p>"Street names", The Press, 13 September 1924, p 13</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: B1058</p> <p>Centenary, 1857-1957: St John the Evangelist, Woolston</p>

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Heather Place	Heather Street		Mairehau	Heather Street first appears in street directories in 1957. Becomes Heather Place in 1962.			

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Heathfield Avenue	Heathfield Road	Named after Heathfield, the property of William Cuddon (1834-1924).	Mairehau	<p>Land belonging to Cuddon, a brewer and maltster, was sub-divided into 32 sections in 1913 and auctioned.</p> <p>A house was built there for Geoffrey Ernest Fitzhardinge Kingscote (1889?-1949), an accountant, and his wife, Florence Agnes Placida Kingscote, née Humphries, (1889-1975), ready for Kingscote's return from serving in the army during World War One. The house was demolished in 2000.</p> <p>Heathfield Road is first mentioned in The Press in 1913. Is Heathfield Avenue in a death notice in The Press in 1917.</p>		<p>Fendall's legacy: a history of Fendalton and north-west Christchurch, pp 114-115</p> <p>“Advertisements”, The Press, 17 April 1913, p 12</p> <p>“Deaths”, The Press, 14 September 1917, p 1</p>	<p>The Cyclopedia of New Zealand. Vol 3, p 291</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: C861</p> <p>“Obituary”, The Press, 10 June 1949, p 8</p> <p>Living with the past: historical buildings of the Waimairi District, p 46</p> <p>“\$1.7m house to be demolished”, The Press, 9 June 2000, p 1</p>
				First appears in street directories in 1918.			

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Heathglen Avenue			Parklands	The suburb was established near the Bottle Lake forest and the street names have a "tree" theme. First appears in street directories in 1976.	Ashwood Street, Four Elms Place, Pinaster Place, Radiata Avenue, Sequoia Place and Sophora Place.		
Heaton Rhodes Place		Named after Robert Heaton Rhodes (1861-1956).	Cashmere	Rhodes was a lawyer, runholder, stock breeder, politician, horticulturist, philatelist and philanthropist. Formed on a subdivision of land belonging to the Rhodes Memorial Convalescent Home in 1968. First appears in street directories in 1972.		Rhodes on Cashmere: a history of the Rhodes Memorial Convalescent Home, 1886-2001 , pp 122, 145, 152	View the biography of Robert Heaton Rhodes in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography .

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Heaton Street		Named after Robert Heaton Rhodes (1861-1956). His grandmother's maiden name was Theodosia Maria Heaton.	Strowan	<p>Rhodes opened up his land for development in 1914. At the time he stipulated that houses built there cost at least £3000 and be “of a certain style”.</p> <p>Tenders are invited for “the erection of a house in Heaton Street” in an advertisement by architect B. J. Ager in The Press in 1915. No. 146 was the first house built in the street.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1916.</p> <p>After the land was acquired for Elmwood Park, Heaton Street was extended through to Strowan Road.</p>	Allister Avenue Circuit Street, and Heaton Rhodes Place. Also Elmwood.	<p>“Advertisements”, The Press, 3 August 1915, p 11</p> <p>“Residence resplendent in mature grounds”, The Press, 11 May 1994, p 47</p>	<p>Heaton Rhodes of Otahuna: an illustrated biography</p> <p>View the biography of Robert Heaton Rhodes in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography.</p>

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Hebe Lane		Named after the hebe, a plant native to New Zealand.		A plant grown in the subdivision. The Groynes Park subdivision was developed by Eminence Investments Ltd, a group of Malaysian nationals from Sarawak state, in conjunction with Groynes Development (2012) Ltd. Named in 2015.	Groynes Park	Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 14 October 2015 Shirley/Papanui Community Board minutes 14 October 2015	Groynes Park
Heberden Street	Heberden Road		Sumner	On the original plan of the Town of Wakefield 1874. Heberden Road is first mentioned in the Star in 1883.	Wakefield Town	Sumner-Redcliffs Historical Society “ Local & General ”, Star, 4 December 1883, p. 3	

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Hedge Close		Named after Henry Hedge (1848?-1898).		Hedge, a dealer, drowned in the Rangitata River in 1898. He was in partnership with George Hamill (1855?-1914). A Fulton Hogan subdivision. The streets in the Longhurst subdivision are named after local identities and homesteads in the locality. Named in 2012.	Longhurst	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 3 April 2012 Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 3 April 2012	" Fatal accident at Rangitata ", Star, 13 June 1898, p 1 Longhurst
Heidi Place			Broomfield	First appears in street directories in 1983.			

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Hei Hei Road	Hei Hei Settlement Road	Named because the street runs through the suburb of Hei Hei.	Hei Hei	<p>Hei Hei means: noise, disturbance, storm, dust, or, in modern useage, fowl.</p> <p>The area was subdivided as poultry farms for returning veterans from the 1914-1918 war suffering from tuberculosis. These farms failed because the land was shingly and poor.</p> <p>Hei Hei Settlement Road is first mentioned in The Press in 1929.</p> <p>Hei Hei Road was at first considered to be in Hornby. Hornby streets are not listed separately until 1960.</p>	Hei Hei	<p>Maori-Polynesian comparative dictionary</p> <p>"Land for soldiers", The Press, 22 February 1921, p 10</p> <p>"Sad soldier settlers", NZ Truth, 15 March 1924, p 5</p> <p>"Had no brains", Evening Post, 3 April 1924, p 9</p> <p>"County Councils", The Press, 10 July 1929, p 6</p>	" Local and General ", Evening Post, 8 September 1921, p 6

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Helanca Avenue	Helanca Street	Named after helanca, a nylon fabric.	Wainoni	The only occupant of the street for the first few years was Dominion Yarns & Fabrics Ltd. Named in 1966. First appears in street directories in 1968.		Information on date of naming in a letter sent to the City Librarian from the Town Clerk dated 13 December 1966.	
Helius Way		Named after Helius, a Greek mythological character.	Cracroft, Cashmere	Helius means the sun. In a subdivision by Worsley Prestige Ltd. at 358 Worsleys Road. Named in 2006.		Riccarton/Wigram Community Board transport and roading committee agenda 26 May 2006	
Helmores Lane	Helmores Road	Named after Joseph Cornish Helmore (1832-1920).	Merivale	Helmore, a solicitor, arrived in Canterbury in 1862 and built his house Millbrook (now at 59 Rhodes Street) on a 50 acre block. He also constructed a road through his land which later became Harper Avenue. He built the bridge at the end of Helmores Road in 1864	Harper Avenue. Also Little Hagley Park and Millbrook Reserve.	A city of bridges over the Avon and Heathcote Rivers in Christchurch , pp 82-84 “ Heathcote Road Board ”, The Press, 5 January 1865, p 3	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H416 “ Mr Joseph C. Helmore ”, Ashburton Guardian, 27 December 1920, p 5 “ Obituary ”, The Press, 27 December 1920, p 7 The Cyclopedia of New

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				<p>which opened up the area for subdivision. It is now of historical interest as one of the few remaining examples of the art of timber bridge construction. It was badly damaged in the earthquakes of 2010/2011.</p> <p>Helmores Road is first mentioned in The Press in 1865 in the annual report of the Surveyor presented to the Heathcote Road Board. He reported that the sum of 14 shillings had been spent on the road.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1894. Becomes Helmores Lane in 1960.</p>			Zealand , Vol 3, p 245

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Helmsdale Street		Probably named after Helmsdale, a small fishing village in the north-east of Scotland.	Burwood	First appears in street directories in 1970.			
Hemingford Place			Halswell	First appears in street directories in 1995.			
Hemingway Place		Named after Ernest Miller Hemingway (1899 -1961).	Brooklands	<p>Hemingway wrote The Old Man and the Sea and was also an avid fisherman.</p> <p>In a subdivision at 346A Lower Styx Road by Smith Developments Ltd adjoining the southern portion of Seafeld Park.</p> <p>The names chosen all have a connection with the sea.</p> <p>Named in 2001.</p>	Calypso Place, Nautilus Place and Seabrooke Drive.	Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 21 November 2001	

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Hemsworth Mews		Named after Hemsworth Street in London, England.	Casebrook	In the Regents Park subdivision. Named to continue the theme of street names connected with London. Developed by Maurice F. Carter Ltd. Named in 2002.	Regents Park	Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 4 September 2002	"Maurice Carter leaves behind immense legacy", The Press, 10 May 2011, p A3
Hendersons Road		Named after William Henderson (1830?-1902).	Hoon Hay	Henderson was one "of those engaged in farming or allied enterprises" who had roads named after them. He farmed at Creekside, Hendersons Road and was a member of the Halswell Road Board. Henderson's Road is first mentioned in The Press in 1878 when tenders were invited for its formation. First appears in street directories in 1930.		The Port Hills of Christchurch , p 262 " Advertisements ", The Press, 1 June 1878, p 5 " Local & General ", Star, 1 July 1891, p 3	" Obituary ", Star, 2 October 1902, p 3 A short history of Halswell , p 89

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Hendon Street	Park Lane	Probably named after Hendon, a place in the London Borough of Barnet.	Edgware	Park Lane first appears in street directories in 1906. Re-named Hendon Street in 1916 at the request of residents and other ratepayers.		" City Council ", The Press, 1 August 1916, p 10	" Street names ", The Press, 13 September 1924, p 13
Henley Green		Named after Henley-on Thames, a town and civil parish on the River Thames in South Oxfordshire, England.	Northwood	In the Hampton Grange subdivision where the streets are named after streets near Hampton Court Palace near London. Named in 2004.		Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 3 March 2004	
Hennessy Place		Named after Patrick Hennessy (1869?-1959).	Spreydon	Hennessy, a platelayer with the Christchurch Tramway Board and later a market gardener, lived at 155 Lyttelton Street. He gave a large area of land there for the building of pensioners' flats. Named in 1960.		"Obituary", The Press, 9 November 1959, p 15 "Names for new streets", The Press, 22 September 1960, p 14	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H440

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Henridge Place		May have been named after the developers, Stuthridge, and because the land was previously used as a hen farm.	Avonhead	Developed at 130 Hawthornden Road. Named in 1998.		Fendalton/Waimairi Community Board agenda 3 February 1998	

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Henry Street		Named after Henry Wilson.	Waltham	<p>Wilson was the fourth son of William Barbour Wilson (1819-1897), nurseryman, businessman and local politician, and his wife, Elizabeth. He married Charlotte Cox of Featherston. He was in the hardware trade in Christchurch for a number of years and died in England.</p> <p>In a subdivision of Rural Section 48, land owned by William Wilson (1819-1897). Henry Street appears on an 1874/75 Deposit Plan.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1913.</p>	Barbour Street, Charles Street, Grafton Street, Grenville Street, Laurence Street, Short Street and Williams Street.	<p>Plan of suburban property (Rural Section 48) situated on the Ferry Road near the East Town Belt belonging to William Wilson Esq., Deposit Plan 27 1874/75. Map held by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.</p> <p>[The land, 200 acres in Ferry Road, had originally been purchased by G. Draper and his son-in law, James Edward FitzGerald (1818?-1896).]</p> <p>“Rural sections chosen”, Lyttelton Times, 15 March 1851, p 7</p> <p>The descendants of John and Mary Gebbie, p 15</p>	<p>The descendants of John and Mary Gebbie, p 15</p> <p>View the biography of William Barbour Wilson in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography.</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: W620</p> <p>“William Wilson – landowner and early nurseryman”, The Press, 20 May 1978, p 13</p>

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Henry Wigram Place		Named after Sir Henry Francis Wigram (1857-1934).	Hornby, Wigram	Wigram was mayor of Christchurch 1902-1903 and also the founder of the private flying school at Sockburn in 1916. First appears in street directories in 1987.		“Aircraft bias to street names”, The Press, 1 April 1998, p 5	View the biography of Henry Francis Wigram in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography . G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: W463a
Herbs Place	Herbs Lane	Named after Herbert Francis Arnold Anthony (1907-1984).	Cashmere	Anthony was a glazier who also owned a market garden there. Des Petherbridge bought the land and sub-divided it, forming the lane. First appears in street directories in 1991 as Herbs Lane and becomes Herbs Place post-1997.			
Hercules Street			Shirley	First appears in street directories in 1948.			

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Herdman Road		Named after Alexander Lawrence Herdman (1869-1953).	Hoon Hay	<p>Herdman was a lawyer, politician and judge.</p> <p>In a 145-acre housing subdivision planned by the housing division of the Ministry of Works. The land was purchased from the Church Property Trustees and the Loughnan estate.</p> <p>In 1968 the street names sub-committee of the council felt that as Halswell was named after a prominent English Queen's Counsel it would be appropriate to record the names of judges in street names there. Many of them had been QCs or KCs before appointment to the Bench.</p>	Alpers Place, Barrowclough Road, Callan Place, Dalglish Place, Fair Place, Haslam Crescent, Leicester Crescent, McCarthy Street, Myers Place, Northcroft Road, O'Leary Street, Ostler Place, Salmond Road and Stanton Crescent.	"Judges' names", The Press, 17 September 1968, p 1	<p>View the biography of Alexander Lawrence Herdman in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography.</p> <p>"New Halswell subdivision", The Press, 8 December 1960, p 19</p> <p>"Hoon Hay subdivision provides 570 sections", The Press, 30 September 1964, p 1</p>
Hereford Street		Named after the bishopric of Hereford.	Central city	Named by surveyors Captain Joseph Thomas (b. 1803?) and Edward		Reproduction of Edward Jollie's 1850 map of the proposed city.	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies:

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				<p>Jollie (1825-1894). One of the original streets of Christchurch named in 1850. The names were taken from bishoprics listed in Burke's Peerage. First mentioned in The Lyttelton Times in 1852 when 1/4 acre sections are advertised for sale there.</p>		<p>Department of Lands and Survey, Christchurch. Historical Maps "Advertisements", The Lyttelton Times, 7 August 1852, p 2 Reminiscences of a surveyor, runholder and politician in Canterbury and Otago, 1841-1865, pp 28-29 Early days of Canterbury, p 27 The evolution of a city, p 13 Old Christchurch in picture and story, pp 50-51 "Street names in Christchurch", The Press, 6 December 1952, p 3</p>	<p>J169 & T144 "Obituary", The Press, 9 August 1894, p 5e "Obituary", Star, 9 August 1894, p 1 View the biography of Joseph Thomas in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography.</p>
Heritage Lane			Halswell	First appears in street directories in 1993.			

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Heron Street		Named after the heron, a sea-bird that frequents the south shore.	Southshore	One of six streets running in alphabetical order from north to south intersecting Rockinghorse Road. Named in September 1955.	Caspian Street, Godwit Street, Penguin Street, Plover Street and Tern Street.	“Names chosen for streets”, The Press, 20 September 1955, p 15 New Brighton a regional history 1852-1970 , p 121	
Hewitts Road	Hewitt's Road	Named after James Hewitt (1838-1919).	Merivale	Hewitt bought six acres in Papanui Road in 1872, part of Rural Section 52, from John Toft Wingfield. Hewitt's Road was developed through this land in 1875. First mentioned in the Star in 1884 when a house is advertised for sale there. First appears in street directories in 1887.		Province of Canterbury, New Zealand : list of sections purchased to April 30 1863 , p 2 “ Rural Sections chosen ”, The Lyttelton Times, 15 March 1851, p 7 “ Advertisements ”, Star, 19 November 1884, p 1 "Rangi-Ruru School", The Press, 29 June 1968, p 5	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H503

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Hewlings Street		Named after Samuel Hewlings (1820-1896).	Shirley	Hewlings was a surveyor. One of three streets named after surveyors. First appears in street directories in 1955.	Boys Place and McIntyre Street. Also Hewlings Stream.	Fendall's legacy: a history of Fendalton and north-west Christchurch , p 91 “Would road by any other name stay as street”, Pegasus Post , 12 July 1978, p 16	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H508 “ Obituary ”, <i>Star</i> , 25 February 1896, p 2
Heyders Road		Named after Walter Frank Heyder (1869-1956).	Brooklands	Heyder was a gunsmith of Spencerville. His father was George Heyder (1829-1899) who owned land at Burwood. Named in 1928.	Poulton Avenue	“ County Councils ”, <i>The Press</i> , 17 October 1928, p 3	Early days of Canterbury , p 143 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H515
Heywood Terrace		Named after Heywoods, the home of George Bowron (1806-1891) on the East Belt (later Fitzgerald Avenue).	Richmond	Bowron bought Rural Section 33, 50 acres on the "North Bank Avon, near Cemetery", in 1851. He was Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, of Deeds and Deputy Commissioner of Stamps. He named his house, Heywoods, and farm, The Heywood, after Sir Benjamin		Province of Canterbury, New Zealand : list of sections purchased to April 30 1863 , p 1 “ Rural Sections chosen ”, <i>The Lyttelton Times</i> , 8 March 1851, p 3 Bealey Avenue: Christchurch's North Town Belt , pp 52-53 Avonside Parish leaflet,	Burwood All Saints' Church 1877-1977 , p 7 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : B629 & H519 Rangiora: the passing years and people in a Canterbury country town , p 120 “ Death ”, <i>Star</i> , 10

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				<p>Heywood, a friend of his in England, and his family. His son, George Bowron jnr. (1838-1915) farmed The Heywood, and later Banner Downs, Fernside, in partnership with Samuel Heywood (1839-1896).</p> <p>George Ivall Heywood (1859-1892) was the son of Joseph Martin Heywood (1832-1904), a carrier, and probably a relation of Samuel Heywood. He is listed in street directories 1887-1890 as living where Heywood Terrace was later formed. Moritz Bowron (1845?-1933) is listed in street directories as a neighbour of George Heywood in 1890.</p> <p>First mentioned in The Press in 1893 when building sites in</p>		<p>May 1930, pp 3-4, held at Anglican Archives</p> <p>"Advertisements", The Press, 14 September 1893, p 8</p> <p>"European place names", The Press, 8 January 1924, p 8</p>	<p>February 1891, p 2</p> <p>"Local & General", Star, 10 February 1891, p 3</p> <p>"News of the day", The Press, 29 January 1896, p 5</p>

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				Heywood Terrace are advertised for sale after the Heywood Estate was subdivided into 221 sections. First appears in street directories in 1896.			
Hidcote Place		Named after Hidcote Manor Garden, located in the village of Hidcote Bartrim, near Chipping Campden, Gloucestershire, England.	Burnside	First appears in street directories in 1981.			
Hideaway Gate		Named after a milkers' gate there which was "hidden away" at the end of the street.	Parklands	The developers also wanted to market The Limes subdivision as a haven to come home to after a day at work. Developed by Brian Gillman Ltd. Named in 2002.	Limes Avenue, Milkens Gate, Oasis Grove and Seclusion Lane.	Burwood/Pegasus Community Board agenda 15 July 2002 Information supplied in 2009 by Victoria van Loenhout.	

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High Street	Sumner Road and Lower High Street.	<p>Formerly Sumner Road. Named after the bishopric of Sumner.</p> <p>Re-named Lower High Street and later High Street. Probably named after a street in Oxford, England, The High, as Christchurch itself was named after the college in Oxford.</p>	Central city	<p>Sumner Road was named by surveyors Captain Joseph Thomas (b. 1803?) and Edward Jollie (1825-1894) and is one of the original streets of Christchurch named in 1850. The names were taken from bishoprics listed in Burke's Peerage.</p> <p>The 1850 map shows it originally ran from Hereford Street to St Asaph Street. An 1874 map shows Sumner Road extending as far as the East Belt (later Fitzgerald Avenue).</p> <p>By 1875 this section has been re-named Ferry Road; by 1890 it has been re-named Lower High Street.</p>		<p>Reproduction of Edward Jollie's 1850 map of the proposed city. Department of Lands and Survey, Christchurch. Historical Maps</p> <p>Reminiscences of a surveyor, runholder and politician in Canterbury and Otago, 1841-1865, pp 28-29</p> <p>Early days of Canterbury, p 27</p> <p>The evolution of a city, p 13</p> <p>Old Christchurch in picture and story, pp 50-51</p> <p>Studies on pioneer Canterbury nurserymen, p 147</p> <p>"General news", The Press, 15 July 1919, p 6</p> <p>"Street names", The Press, 2 September 1930,</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: J169 & T144</p> <p>"Obituary", The Press, 9 August 1894, p 5e</p> <p>"Obituary", Star, 9 August 1894, p 1</p> <p>View the biography of Joseph Thomas in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography.</p>

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Highbury Place	Baxter Place	Formerly Baxter Place. Named after George Lionel Baxter (1872-1955). Re-named Highbury Place. Named after Highbury, a place in the London Borough of Islington.	Avonside	Baxter, an orchardist, was living at 84 Retreat Road in 1943. The street was formed on land in between 80 and 86 Retreat Road. Baxter Place appears in street directories in 1947. Re-named Highbury Place in 1948.			

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Highgate Avenue		Named after Highgate, a multi-turreted, two-storeyed, 24-room house at 71 Rossall Street.	Merivale	<p>Highgate was once regarded as one of the stately homes of Christchurch. In street directories of 1928 it was owned by Francis Norton, Netherlands Vice-Consul. It was later divided into flats and the street formed on its section. The house was demolished in 1973 and town houses built on its site.</p> <p>First mentioned in The Press in 1941 when, on account of the trustees in the estate of the late Norton Francis, 6 “glorious building sites situated in Highgate Avenue and Rossall Street, Merivale” are advertised for sale.</p> <p>Highgate Avenue first appears in street directories in 1943.</p>		<p>“Advertisements”, The Press, 26 April 1941, p 16</p> <p>“‘Stately’ home demolished”, The Press, 27 November 1973, p 18</p>	

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Highlight Lane		Named after Highlight, a pony.	Heathcote Valley	Highlight is the name of the Heathcote Valley Riding School's first pony. Named in 2003.		Hagley/Ferrymead Community Board agenda 3 September 2003	
Highpeak Place		Named after Highpeak, a high country station located at the head of the Selwyn River.	Halswell	The streets in the Broken Run subdivision are all named after high country stations. Named by the developers, Brian Gillman Ltd. Named in 2005.	Broken Run, Cromdale Place, Glen Arrife Place, Grassington Lane, Longspur Avenue and Ryton Way. Also Broken Run.	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 12 July 2005	
Highsted Road	Highsted's Road	Named after John Kirby Highsted (1817-1871).	Casebrook, Bishopdale	Highsted was a farmer of Harewood Road. Highsted's Road is first mentioned in the Star in 1870. Highsted Road first appears in street directories in 1901.		Settling near the Styx River , pp 59-60 " Local and General ", Star, 9 August 1870, p 2	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: H552

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Hillary Crescent		Named after Sir Edmund Percival Hillary (1919-2008).	Upper Riccarton	In a block of 28 acres bought by the government for state housing in 1953. The land was formerly owned by Pyne, Gould Guinness Ltd and was in Curletts Road between Blenheim Road and the Main South Road. Named on 10 August 1953. Hillary climbed Mount Everest in 1953.	Tensing Place	Minutes and report of meeting of Housing Committee of the Paparua County Council held on 10 August 1953. “General news”, The Press, 15 September 1953, p 8	"New state housing block", The Press, 30 January 1953, p 6
Hillbourne Street		Named after Edward Hilbourne. [His name has been mis-spelt in the street name.]	Halswell	Hilbourne was a chemist of Sumner Road. In the 6th stage of the Longhurst subdivision where the streets are named after members of the Canterbury Militia of 1860-1861. Named in 2014.	Longhurst	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 April 2014 Riccarton/Wigram Community Board 6 May 2014 agenda	Christchurch Militia List 1860 “ Advertisements ”, Lyttelton Times, 9 June 1860, p 6 Longhurst

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Hillmorton Street	Sutherland's Road, Sutherland Road and Sutherland Street.	Formerly Sutherland's Road, Sutherland Road and Sutherland Street. Named after Donald Sutherland. Re-named Hillmorton Street. Named because it runs through Hillmorton which, in turn, is named after Hill Morton Farm, the property of John (sometimes known as Jacob) Twigger (1817-1885).	Middleton	Sutherland's Road is first mentioned in the Star in 1891 when Mr Sutherland asked the Halswell Road Board "to shingle Sutherland's Road". Sutherland is the sole resident of the street in 1896, the first year it appears in street directories. Becomes Sutherland Road in 1900 and later Sutherland Street. Re-named Hillmorton Street in 1948.	Hillmorton	" Local & General ", Star, 1 July 1891, p 3	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : T489 "Deaths", Star, 9 November 1885, p 2

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Hills Road	O'Connors Road was incorporated into Hills Road.		Edgware, Mairehau	<p>Tenders were called for the formation of Hill's Road in 1877.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1887.</p> <p>O'Connors Road first appears in street directories in 1939.</p> <p>Incorporated into Hills Road in 1952.</p>		“ Avon Road Board ”, The Press, 17 August 1877, p 3	

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Hillsborough Terrace	Victoria Road	Formerly Victoria Road. Named after HM Queen Victoria (1819-1901). Re-named Hillsborough Terrace. Named because it runs through the suburb of Hillsborough which, in turn, was named after the dairy farm of Edward Garland (1824-1893).	Hillsborough	Victoria Road first appears in street directories in 1918. Re-named Hillsborough Terrace on 1 September 1948 when 120 streets were re-named.	Hillsborough	"Street names changed: City council approves final list", The Press, 24 August 1948, p 3	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : G47 "Deaths", Star, 30 January 1893, p 2 "Obituary", Star, 10 September 1908, p 3 [Obituary of Mrs Edward Garland] "New names for streets", The Press, 2 June 1948, p 3 "New street names", The Press, 24 July 1948, p 2

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Hilltop Lane		Named because it runs to the top of Cannon Hill.	Mount Pleasant	Named by the developer, Cannon Estate Ltd. First appears in street directories in 1964.	Brigid Place, Challis Place, Clementine Lane, Freeman Street, Hatherly Lane, Hilltop Lane, Janice Place, Michael Avenue, Osmond Lane and Roland Lane.	“Cannon Estate thirty years in development”, The Press, 23 August 1989, p 49	
Hillview Road	Hills View Road		Phillipstown	Hills View Road first appears in street directories in 1890.			

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Hinau Street		Named after the hinau, a tall forest tree native to New Zealand.	Riccarton	<p>Named to commemorate the Deans families' efforts to conserve the native forest trees in Riccarton. The naming was also designed to showcase the Maori names of trees.</p> <p>Named in 1892 when John Deans (1853-1902) split up 150 acres of the Deans Estate into 105 lots which were auctioned.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1913 running off Clyde Road.</p>	Korari Street (re-named Daresbury Lane), Harakeke Street, Konini Street, Matai Street, Puriri Street and Totara Street.	" News of the day ", The Press, 7 December 1892, p 4	<p>View the biography of John Deans in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography.</p> <p>"Obituary", The Press, 20 June 1902, p 2</p>

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Hindess Street		Named after John Henry “Jack” Hindess (1937-2010).	Halswell	Hindess was a survey cadet with Osborn & Co., the survey firm carrying out the subdivision where the street was developed. Developed in 1961 by Andrew James Cunningham, a farmer of 250 Halswell Road. First appears in street directories in 1964.		Information supplied in 2014 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.	
Hinemoa Street			Spreydon	Developed by Maurice Buckley Ryan (1878?-1940), a contractor. First appears in street directories in 1936.		“Street creator’s green touch”, The Press, 2 April 2005, p D23	“Choice Spreydon sections”, The Press, 15 February 1936, p 3

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His Lordships Lane		Named after His Lordship's Hotel.	Central city	There was originally an eating house called His Lordship's Larder on this site. In 1880 the wine and spirit licence was held by William Henry Messenger of Lichfield Street. His Lordship's is first mentioned in the Star in 1882 in an advertisement. Named in 2006.		" Advertisements ", Star, 2 March 1882, p 4 Hagley/Ferrymead community board 20 December 2006	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : M352
Hoani Street	Union Street		Northcote, Papanui	Union Street first appears in street directories in 1906. Re-named Hoani Street on 1 September 1948 when 120 streets were re-named.		"Street names changed: City council approves final list", The Press, 24 August 1948, p 3	"New names for streets", The Press 2 June 1948, p 3 "New street names", The Press, 24 July 1948, p 2

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Hobson Street		Named after Captain William Hobson (1792-1842).	Woolston	Hobson was a naval officer and the first Lieutenant Governor of New Zealand. First appears in street directories in 1941. New Zealand had celebrated its centenary in 1940.			View the biography of William Hobson in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography .
Hockey Lane		Named because the street leads to Porritt Park where hockey is played.	Wainoni	First appears in street directories in 1995.			
Hockey Street		Named after the Hockey family.	Bishopdale	The family were early settlers in the Papanui area. Both Arthur and Frederick Hockey farmed on Harewood Road. Frederick William Hockey (1883?-1961), a farmer, sold land for state housing in the Harewood Road-Wairakei Road area in 1955. Named in 1961.		The Papanui story: special historical issue , p 1 Settling near the Styx River , p 49 “Street names approved”, The Press, 20 May 1961, p 14	

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Hogarth Lane		Named after William Hogarth (1697-1764).	Burnside	Hogarth was a major English painter, printmaker, pictorial satirist, social critic and editorial cartoonist. One of three streets running off Chateau Drive and given the name of an artist. First appears in street directories in 1995.	Da Vinci Lane and Matisse Place.		
Hoihere Place		Hoihere means: lacebark.	Parklands	In the Tumara Park subdivision where Maori names were chosen for all the streets. Developed by Ngāi Tahu Property Group Ltd. Named in 2004.		Burwood/Pegasus Community Board agenda 26 April 2004	

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Holbrook Way		Named after Holbrook in Derbyshire, England.	Westmorland	Named to continue the theme in the subdivision of naming streets after places in historic Westmorland in England, since 1974 part of Cumbria. Named in 2005.	Westmorland	Report of the Riccarton/Wigram Community Board to the Council meeting of 21 April 2005	
Holcombe Place	Halcombe Place		Somerfield	Halcombe Place first appears in street directories in 1947. Becomes Holcombe Place in 1948.			
Holderness Place			Ilam	One of the streets in a subdivision formed on land belonging to Christ's College and given names of members of the school staff or those associated with the school. First appears in street directories in 1991.	Corfe Street, Godfrey Place, Hare Street, Parr Place, Sayers Crescent, Tripp Place, Tyndale Place and Worthy Street.		

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Holiday Drive		Named after Billie "Lady Day" Holiday (1915-1959).	Mairehau	Colorado Developments wanted a common theme of famous jazz musicians and members of the "Big Band" era for all the streets in their development off Hills Road. Named in 2005.	Cole Porter Avenue, East Ellington Drive and Teagarden Close.	Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 6 April 2005	
Holland Street			Avonside	Named in 1938. First appears in street directories in 1940.		" General news ", The Press, 5 April 1938, p 10	

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Holliss Avenue		Named after John "Jack" Chell Holliss (1900-1968).	Cashmere	<p>Hollis was an architect in partnership with P. Leonard in the firm of Holliss & Leonard. He was a member of the Heathcote Borough Council, serving as chairman 1961-1964. He designed large Christchurch buildings: the port buildings at both Christchurch and Lyttelton, the steamer-express building terminal at Lyttelton and the Amuri Motors parking building.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1964.</p>			<p>"Obituary", The Press, 27 July 1968, p 12</p> <p>Along the hills: a history of the Heathcote Road Board and the Heathcote County Council 1864-1989, pp 201, 221, 231, 260</p>

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Holly Road		Named after the holly hedges planted around the property of George Gordon (1823-1875).	Merivale, St Albans	<p>Holly Road was subdivided by Edward Corker Minchin (1821-1899) in 1875 and it was only 30 ft wide for many years. Gordon was the first town clerk of Christchurch. The last of the holly bushes was not removed until 1972.</p> <p>First mentioned in The Press in 1872 where it is referred to as being "lately formed".</p> <p>Appears in street directories as early as 1878.</p>		<p>Z Arch 387, When the street was a village</p> <p>"Road Boards", The Press, 3 December 1872, p 3</p> <p>"Holly Road to lose its holly", The Press, 14 March 1972, p 1</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: G277 & M463</p> <p>"Death", Star, 10 November 1875, p 2</p> <p>"Holly Road planter", The Press, 8 April 1972, p 12</p>
Hollybank Lane				<p>Named at the request of the developer of the subdivison.</p> <p>Named in 2015.</p>		Lyttelton/Mt Herbert Community Board agenda 20 May 2015	

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Hollyford Avenue		Named after the Hollyford Track in Fiordland National Park.	Bryndwr	One of a number of streets in close proximity named after scenic attractions in Otago. First appears in street directories in 1953.	Aorangi Road, Earnslaw Crescent, Hooker Avenue, Lyall Place and Sealy Place.		
Holmwood Road		Named after Holmwood, the home there of Robert Wilkin (1820-1886).	Merivale	Wilkin bought land there in 1859 and his stables and racing stud were where Holmwood Road is now. First mentioned in The Press in 1880 when “53 beautiful villa sites adjoining Mr Wilkin’s residence at Holmwood” are advertised for sale in The Press. First appears in street directories in 1894. [Members of the Wilkin family are listed living here as late as 1957.]	Holmwood	Fendall’s legacy: a history of Fendalton and north-west Christchurch , “ Advertisements ”, The Press, 7 October 1880, p 3 “ Births ”, Star, 30 July 1885, p 2	“Obituary”, The Lyttelton Times , 21 June 1886, p 6 “ Obituary ”, Star, 21 June 1886, p 4 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : W479 Men of mark of New Zealand , pp 224-225 A history of Canterbury , Vol II, p 105

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Holy Family Court			Addington	One of five access ways within the Nazareth complex. The names used all have a connection with the former Nazareth House. Named in 2015.	Larmenier Court, St Basils Court, St Josephs Court and St Marys Court	Spreydon/Heathcote Community Board agenda 5 May 2015 Spreydon/Heathcote Community Board minutes 5 May 2015	
Homersham Place			Burnside	First appears in street directories in 1993.			
Honeyfield Close			Westmorland	Named to continue the theme in the subdivision of naming streets after places in historic Westmorland in England, since 1974 part of Cumbria. Named in 2013.	Westmorland	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 17 September 2013 Minutes of the Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 17 September 2013	
Honeysuckle Place			Northcote	Named by the developer Warner Mauger and his wife (Rookwood Holdings). First appears in street directories in 1991.		Papanui Heritage Group	

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Hood Street	Ann Street	Formerly Ann Street. May have been named after a member of James George Hawkes' family. Re-named Hood Street. Named after Viscount Alexander Hood (1724-1814).	New Brighton	Ann Street was formed in 1890 but does not appear in street directories. Re-named Hood Street at a special meeting of the New Brighton Council on 12 August 1907. Hood was an admiral in the British navy. Harry Hawker (1868-1947), a councillor 1905-1909, had suggested that New Brighton street names be changed to the names of British sea captains who had fought in the 18th and 19th century - a gesture linking Christchurch with the home country, was patriotic and emphasised the fact that New Brighton was a seaside suburb.		<p>“New Brighton Notes”, Star, 28 August 1890, p 3</p> <p>“Borough Councils”, The Lyttelton Times, 14 August 1907, p 3</p> <p>“News of the day”, The Press, 14 August 1907, p 6</p> <p>New Brighton monthly magazine, Vol 1, No 11, 1 September 1907, pp 1 & 4</p> <p>New Brighton: a regional history, 1852-1970, pp 28 & 137</p> <p>[This has the former name as Avon Street. This is incorrect.]</p>	<p>“Plan shewing area affected by proposed New Brighton Loan”, Z Arch 201</p> <p>Deeds that won the Empire</p> <p>“Early New Brighton”, The Star, 20 May 1922, p 8</p>

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Hooker Avenue		Named after the Hooker Range/Hooker Glacier/Hooker River in the Southern Alps which in turn were named by Johann Franz Julius von Haast (1822-1887) after Sir William Jackson Hooker (1785-1865), a botanist.	Bryndwr	One of several streets in close proximity named after scenic attractions in Otago. First appears in street directories in 1953.	Aorangi Road, Earnslaw Crescent, Hollyford Avenue, Lyall Place and Sealy Place.	The Reed dictionary of New Zealand place names , p 209	

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Hoon Hay Road		Named because it runs through the suburb of Hoon Hay which, in turn, was named after Hoon Hay Farm in the village of Hoon in Derbyshire, England, the family home of Captain Wickham Talbot Harvey (1829?-1889).	Hoon Hay	<p>Captain Harvey and his wife arrived in Canterbury on 21st October 1852 on the Duke of Portland, and took up Rural Section 491, 50 acres "above Hoon Hay". Harvey appears on the electoral roll for the district of Christchurch in 1853. He is described as a "gentleman of Hoon Hay Bush". He later returned to England.</p> <p>The Concise Oxford Dictionary of English Place-Names gives the meaning of hoon as hill or mound, and hay as enclosure (in modern form, hay is our word hedge).</p> <p>First mentioned in the Lyttelton Times in 1858.</p>	Hoon Hay	<p>Province of Canterbury, New Zealand: list of sections purchased to April 30, 1863, p 12</p> <p>"Electoral roll of the district of Christchurch July 5th 1853", The Lyttelton Times, 16 July 1853, p 8</p> <p>"Hoon Hay – name and history", The Press, 13 February 1954, p 6</p> <p>"Hoon Hay, tranquil valley of the Port Hills", The Press, 27 June 1970, p 6</p> <p>The Port Hills of Christchurch, pp 251-252</p> <p>"Provincial Council", Lyttelton Times, 20 February 1858, p 3</p>	<p>"Shipping news", Lyttelton Times, 23 October 1852, p 6</p> <p>"Deaths", The Hampshire Advertiser (Southampton, England), 13 March 1889, p 2</p>

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Hope Street			Shirley	Named in 1955.		"New streets in Christchurch", The Press, 28 June 1955, p 6	
Hopkins Street	Halfway Place and Coronation Street.	Formerly Halfway Lane and Coronation Street. Named to commemorate the coronation of Edward VII (1841-1910) in 1902. Re-named Hopkins Street. Named after Joseph Harrap or Harrop Hopkins (1837-1910).	Woolston	Halfway Place first appears in street directories in 1894 as a blind street running off Ashbourne Street (later part of Ferry Road). Coronation Street first appears in The Press in 1903 when the road surveyor advised the Woolston Borough Council that at present there were no funds available for the "assistance or construction" of Coronation Street.	Woolston	" Woolston Borough Council ", The Press, 23 March 1903, p 4 " General news ", The Press, 14 February 1922, p 6 "Old New Brighton", The Star, 29 April 1922, p 8 "Little slice of history", The Press, 4 October 2006, p E1	"Shipping intelligence", Lyttelton Times, 1 April 1863, p 4 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H745 " Obituary ", The Press, 1 April 1910, p 9 " Street names ", The Press, 13 September 1924, p 13 "Old resident recalls day of horse-drawn steam fire engines", Christchurch Star-Sun , 30 April 1956, p 11

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				<p>Re-named Hopkins Street in 1922.</p> <p>Hopkins arrived in Canterbury on the Roman Emperor in 1863. He kept a store on Ferry Road called Hopkins Emporium and also built the first hotel in New Brighton.</p> <p>[Some records spell his middle name as Harrop; others as Harrap.]</p>			

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Horatio Street		Named after Horatio Henwood (1833-1919).	Central city	<p>Henwood was a carpenter of Antigua Street, Christchurch. He built the first railway station in Christchurch.</p> <p>Horatio Street was owned by him in 1874. Appears on an 1879 map and was taken over by the city council in 1883.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1883.</p>		<p>“City Council”, Star, 25 August 1874, p 3</p> <p>"Advertisements", Star, 13 January 1877, p 2</p> <p>Plan of Christchurch and suburbs, 1879</p> <p>“City Council”, Star, 12 June 1883, p 4</p> <p>“Street names”, The Press, 2 September 1930, p 12</p> <p>“Demolition of early hotel”, The Press, 23 December 1954, p 6</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: H464</p> <p>“Deaths”, The Press, 4 October 1919, p 1</p>
Horizon Heights		Named because it looks over the horizon.	Redcliffs	First appears in street directories in 1995.			

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Hornbrook Street	Hornbrook Lane	Named after Major Alfred Hornbrook (1814-1898) and his wife, Sarah Frances Anne Hornbrook, née Hewit, (1830?-1913).	Waltham	<p>Hornbrook owned Risingholme and Mrs Hornbrook ran a boarding-school at the corner of Wilsons Road and this street.</p> <p>Hornbrook Street is first mentioned in The Press in 1886. It is listed as Hornbrook Lane in street directories from 1892. Becomes Hornbrook Street in 1930.</p>	Major Hornbrook Road	<p>Sumner to Ferrymead: a Christchurch history, p 111</p> <p>"Advertisements", The Press, 23 November 1886, p 3</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: H756</p> <p>The Port Hills of Christchurch, p 90-92</p>

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Horner Street		Named after William Horner (1833-1905) and his wife, Mary.	Papanui	<p>Horner was the first blacksmith in Papanui. From 1873 he lived in a 16-roomed homestead on Papanui Road, an early Canterbury prefabricated house. He sold off most of the 50 acres originally with this property.</p> <p>Horner Street is first mentioned in the Star in 1880 in an advertisement.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1887.</p>	Frank Street, Loftus Street, Mary Street, Proctor Street and Wyndham Street.	“ Advertisements ”, Star, 8 October 1880, p 2	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: H765</p> <p>“William Horner”, Star, 7 August 1905, p 3</p> <p>“Tea Caddy homestead relic of bygone era”, The Press, 30 May 1962, p 2</p>
Hornsby Street		Named after Harry Reginald Hornsby (1907-1983).	Bishopdale	<p>Hornsby was the headmaster of Christ's College 1951-1957 and 1958-1963.</p> <p>Formed on land belonging to Christ's College.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1964.</p>			<p>“Obituary”, The Press, 3 March 1983, p 3</p>

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Horotane Valley Road		Named because it runs through the Horotane Valley.	Heathcote Valley	Named by John Flinders Scott (1876-1941), a pastoral farmer, who subdivided land in this area. First mentioned in The Press in 1933.		" Advertisements ", The Press, 7 October 1933, p 23 Sumner to Ferrymead: a Christchurch history , p 207	" Obituary ", The Press, 30 July 1941, p 8
Horseshoe Lake Road		Named because it runs around the western side and northern side of Horseshoe Lake.	Shirley	First mentioned in the Star in 1879 in a report of a meeting of the Avon Road Board. First appears in street directories in 1903.		" Road Boards ", Star, 27 February 1879, p 3	

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Horton Place		Named after Edward Beath Horton (1910-1985) and his wife, Mona Louisa Grace Horton (1914-2004).	Avondale	Horton was a builder of nearby 54 Breezes Road in 1958. He and his wife were former owners of the site where this street was developed. Their names are shown on the subdivision plan that developed Pembroke Street. Named on 21 February 1962.		Information supplied in 2009 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council. “Street name changes”, The Press, 23 February 1962, p 19	
Hossack Close		Named after Hossack Station, near Hanmer Springs.	Belfast	The streets in the subdivision are named after South Island high-country runs. First appears in street directories in 1993.	Kimbrace Place, Pentland Drive, Shenley Avenue, Stable Way and Wendon Mews. Also Pentland.	“Landcorp to launch new subdivision”, The Press, 2 October 1990, p 24	
Hounslow Street			Ilam	First appears in street directories in 1962.			
Howard Street	Havard Street		Spreydon	The Spreydon Borough Council did not know why Havard Street was named, saying it was the		“ Advertisements ”, The Press, 3 October 1905, p 8 “ Borough Councils ”, The Press, 13 January 1912, p	

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				<p>early form of Harvard, the name of the founder of the American University and that there was a Havard, a hero of an Icelandic saga about 1000 years ago.</p> <p>Havard Street “between Simeon Street and Wilderness Road” (Barrington Street) first appears in The Press in 1905 when building sites there are advertised for sale.</p> <p>Havard Street never appears in street directories.</p> <p>Renamed Howard Street in 1912 at the request of residents.</p>		<p>6</p> <p>“Untitled”, The Press, 24 January 1912, p 8</p>	
Howe Street	Lucy Street	Formerly Lucy Street. Named after Lucy James Hawkes, née Sparshott,	New Brighton	Lucy Hawkes was the wife of James George Hawkes, an auctioneer who split up much of the land in central New		<p>“Advertisements”, The Press, 5 December 1884, p 4</p> <p>“New Brighton Notes”,</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: H317</p> <p>“Death”, The Press, 22</p>

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		(1833?-1918). Re-named Howe Street. Named after Lord Richard Howe (1726-1799).		Brighton in the late 1870s. Lucy Street is first mentioned in The Press in 1884 when land is advertised for sale there. It does not appear in street directories. Re-named Howe Street at a special meeting of the New Brighton Council on 12 August 1907. Howe was a British admiral. Harry Hawker (1868-1947), a councillor 1905-1909, had suggested that New Brighton street names be changed to the names of British sea captains who had fought in the 18th and 19th century - a gesture linking Christchurch with the home country, was patriotic and emphasised the fact that		Star, 28 August 1890, p 3 “Early New Brighton”, Star, 20 May 1922, p 6 New Brighton monthly magazine , Vol 1, No 11, 1 September 1907, pp 1 & 4 “Borough Councils”, The Lyttelton Times , 14 August 1907, p 3 “ News of the day ”, The Press, 14 August 1907, p 6 A history of Anglican ministry in New Brighton , p 5 New Brighton: a regional history, 1852-1970 , pp 28 & 137	October 1918, p 1 “Plan shewing area affected by proposed New Brighton Loan”, Z Arch 201 Deeds that won the Empire

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				New Brighton was a seaside suburb.			
Hubbard Drive		Named after Geoffrey Charles Hubbard.	Wigram	<p>Group Captain Hubbard was Wigram Base commander November 1976-December 1979.</p> <p>Named to continue the theme in the Wigram Skies subdivision of naming streets after people involved in the air force in New Zealand. There are a number of streets named after former RNZAF Wigram Base commanders.</p> <p>Named in 2013.</p>	Wigram Skies	<p>Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 6 August 2013</p> <p>Minutes of the Riccarton/Wigram Community Board 6 August 2013</p>	<p>Wigram: the birthplace of military aviation in New Zealand</p> <p>Wigram Skies</p>

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Hudson Street		Named after Herbert Hudson (1876-1960).	Bryndwr	Hudson was a tutor and housemaster at Christ's College 1906-1940. One of the Papanui streets developed on land belonging to Christ's College . First appears in street directories in 1960.	Blanch Street, Bourne Crescent, Condell Avenue, Flower Street, Harris Crescent, Merton Place, Richards Avenue and Tothill Place.	Papanui Heritage Group	"Obituary", The Evening Post, 25 January 1960, p 9
Huggins Place		Named after John William Huggins (1891-1986).	Edgware	Huggins was the Christchurch City Council health officer during the 1940s. First appears in street directories in 1960.		Information supplied in 2005 by Mrs Daisy Greenaway in an interview with Margaret Harper.	
Huia Street			Riccarton	One of the street names chosen in 1940 for the State housing subdivision between Riccarton Road and Blenheim Road. The names were selected "as far as possible for their appropriateness".		" New streets named ", The Press, 18 June 1940, p 6	

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Hulbert Street		Named after Charles Partridge Hulbert (1841-1926).	Linwood	Hulbert, a hatter and mercer, was the mayor of Christchurch 1884 and 1885. During his mayoralty the Worcester Street bridge was built. First appears in street directories in 1917.		Information researched by Richard Greenaway in 2008.	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H843 “ Obituary ”, The Press, 24 June 1926, p 11
Hulverstone Drive		Named after Hulverstone on the Isle of Wight.	Avondale	In a subdivision between the Avon River, west of the Bower Bridge and the northern end of the Avondale Golf Course of a 50 acre farm formerly belonging to Stewart Clendinning Hampton (1908-1993). Developed from 1969 by Merrit-Beazley Homes Ltd. All the streets are named after places on the Isle of Wight. Named on 16 June 1975. The legal process for	Binstead Place, Calbourne Lane, Chale Lane, Cowes Street, Cowper Place, Culver Place and Thorness Street.	"Big Wainoni subdivision", The Press, 20 June 1969, p 1 “Streets named”, Pegasus Post , 9 July 1975, p 8 Woolston Burwood Expressway	

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				stopping Hulverstone Drive was completed by August 1999. The physical stopping took place in February 2000 in conjunction with the construction of the bridge.			
Humboldt Street	Jacobs's Lane	Formerly Jacobs Lane. Named after Jonathan Jacobs (1803?-1877). Re-named Humboldt Street. Named after Alexander von Humboldt (1769-1859).	Sydenham	Jacobs arrived at Lyttelton in 1855 on the Grassmere. He and his wife moved to Waltham in 1863, living in what later became known as Jacobs's Lane, an informal name for the street. Mrs Jacobs died at her home at 23 Humboldt Street in 1898. Named Humboldt Street in 1887. One of the "poets and writers" streets of Sydenham, Addington and Waltham named by a committee of the Sydenham Borough		<p>“Local and General”, Star, 3 March 1898, p 3 [Obituary of Mrs Anne Jacobs]</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: J37</p> <p>Report of the street naming committee, Sydenham Borough Council minute book 1879-1880, p 217, held at Christchurch City Council archives.</p> <p>“Borough Council”, Star, 20 January 1880, p 3</p> <p>“German street names”, The Press, 26 September</p>	

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				<p>Council on 19 January 1880.</p> <p>Humboldt was a German scientist. [For a time, due to anti-German feeling during World War I, the name was Anglicised to Humbolt.]</p>		1917, p 7	
Hume Street		Named after David Hume (1711-1776).	Sydenham	<p>Hume was a writer on religious topics. One of the “poets and writers” streets of Sydenham, Addington and Waltham named by a committee of the Sydenham Borough Council on 19 January 1880.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1892.</p> <p>Approval was given by the council for the street to be extended to Eastern Terrace in 1957.</p>		<p>Report of the street naming committee, Sydenham Borough Council minute book 1879-1880, p 217, held at Christchurch City Council archives.</p> <p>“Borough Council”, Star, 20 January 1880, p 3</p> <p>“Council news in brief”, The Press, 3 September 1957, p 7</p>	

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Humphreys Drive	Estuary Road	Re-named Humphreys Drive. Named after George Humphreys (1848-1934).	Woolston	<p>Humphreys was the founder of the firm of wine and spirit merchants, Fletcher Humphreys.</p> <p>Unemployed men worked on forming Estuary Road from 1933 and Humphreys contributed financially to its development.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1950 as Humphries Drive and as a "continuation of Linwood Avenue". Becomes Humphreys Drive in 1953.</p>		<p>Sumner to Ferrymead: a Christchurch history, p 207</p> <p>"Unemployment", The Press, 9 January 1933, p 8</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: H871</p> <p>"Obituary", The Press, 8 March 1934, p 7</p>
Hunt Lane		Named after Hugh Peter Hunt.	Avondale	<p>Hunt was chief engineer with the Christchurch Drainage Board 1981-1989.</p> <p>The Christchurch Drainage Board owned an area of low-lying land in Avondale which they</p>	De Courcy Place, Gertrude Place, Mervyn Drive, Ogilvie Place, Scoular Place and Waddell Lane.	<p>Information supplied in 2007 by Paul Baldwin, Christchurch City Council in an interview with Margaret Harper.</p> <p>"Board may restrict sewage flows", The Press,</p>	<p>Christchurch, swamp to city: a short history of the Christchurch Drainage Board 1875-1989, pp 92-93</p> <p>"Subdivision auctioned", The Press,</p>

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				<p>filled up with dredgings from the river so the land could be subdivided and built on.</p> <p>The Board named the streets formed there and former board and staff members of the Drainage Board were among those honoured in the naming. At the time of naming of the streets it was intended to have 11 streets and cul-de-sacs in the new subdivision.</p> <p>Named on 21 November 1984.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1987.</p>		29 November 1984	<p>20 February 1984</p> <p>"Property market", The Press, 2 June 1984</p>

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Hunter Terrace		Named after Charles Hunter (1876?-1965).	Cashmere	<p>Hunter was a cartage contractor of 62 Colombo Street.</p> <p>Named in 1947 at the suggestion of the Heathcote County Council. The chairman Cr F. W. Freeman said that "the present creditable appearance of the street was due in great measure to the efforts of Mr Charles Hunter whose property is served by the road. It was only right that the street be named after him".</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1950. The name was not officially recognised by the Christchurch City Council until 1960.</p>		<p>"General news", The Press, 1 February 1947, p 6</p> <p>"Names for new streets", The Press, 17 March 1960, p 15</p>	

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Huntingdon Place		Named after Huntingdon, a market town in Cambridgeshire, England.	Avonhead	In the Hyde Park subdivision where many of the streets are named after stately homes of England or English place names. First appears in street directories in 1991.	Hyde Park		
Huntsbury Avenue	Dry Bush Road	Named because it runs through Huntsbury. The city section was formerly named Dry Bush Road.	Cashmere, Huntsbury	Huntsbury Avenue was formed when the Huntsbury Estate was subdivided and sections sold in 1924. Dry Bush Road became part of Huntsbury Avenue on 22 October 1942.	Huntsbury	“ Advertisements ”, The Press, 30 April 1924, p 6 “Access to the hills”, The Press, 30 August 1952, p 3	“ Useful work for the unemployed ”, The Press, 21 January 1927, p 13

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Hurley Street	Avon Street		Central city	<p>In a report in the Star of a council meeting held on 5 April 1880, Avon Street has been "channelled, formed and shingled".</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1880.</p> <p>Re-named Hurley Street on 1 September 1948 when 120 streets were re-named.</p> <p>[It was suggested by a resident in 1985 that the street be re-named Avon Way. This was not done.]</p>		<p>"City Council", Star, 6 April 1880, p 4</p> <p>"Street names changed: City council approves final list", The Press, 24 August 1948, p 3</p>	<p>"New names for streets", The Press, 2 June 1948, p 3</p> <p>"New street names", The Press, 24 July 1948, p 2</p> <p>"Hurley Street", The Press, 4 October 1985, p 5</p>

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Huron Street		Named after Lake Huron, the second largest of the Great Lakes in Canada.	Wainoni	<p>One of a number of streets in a subdivision between Ottawa Road, Pages Road and Cuffs Road given Canadian place names.</p> <p>Named because Canadian engineers and workers lived in the area while working for Henry J. Kaiser Co of USA and building the Lyttelton road tunnel. Houses were built for them by Fletcher Construction. After the tunnel was opened in 1964, the Canadians went home and their houses were sold to locals.</p> <p>OR</p>	Baffin Street, Niagara Street, Ontario Place, Quebec Place, Vancouver Crescent and Winnipeg Place. See also Ottawa Road.	<p>“Chester Street West or Cranmer Terrace?”, The Press, 28 April 1959, p 7</p> <p>Information supplied in 2005 by Tim Baker in an interview with Margaret Harper.</p>	“Tunnel’s first blast celebrated”, The Press, 22 July 2011, p A7
				<p>The streets were named because they were near Ottawa Road.</p> <p>Named in 1959.</p>			

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Hurricane Way		Named after the Hurricane, the first monoplane fighter produced by Hawker. It was available at the beginning of World War II.	Wigram	In a further stage of the subdivision of Wigram Base. Continues the theme of naming the streets after military aircraft. Named in 2000.		Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 6 September 2000	
Hurst Place			Parklands	First appears in street directories in 1977.			
Hurst Seager Lane		Named after Samuel Hurst Seager (1855-1933).	Clifton	Seager was a builder, draftsman, architect, town planner. From 1902, at The Spur, Sumner, he created a unique residential development of timber cottages in a garden setting. First appears in street directories in 1981.		"More themes in street names", The Christchurch Mail , 23 February 1999, p 6	View the biography of Samuel Hurst Seager in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : S153 The Spur, Sumner, the property of S. Hurst Seager

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Hurunui Street		Named after the Hurunui River.	Cracroft	In a subdivision where the streets are named after rivers and sheep stations in North Canterbury. First appears in street directories in 1964.	Opihi Street, Pahau Street, Waiau Street and Waipara Street.	"Country's influence", The Press, 11 November 1964, p 30 "More themes in street names", The Christchurch Mail , 23 February 1999, p 6	The Port Hills of Christchurch , p 242
Hurutini Way		Named after the Ngai Tahu name for Knights Stream.		Named in 2015.	Knights Stream Park	"Proposed road names for Knights Stream Park", Western News, 14 December 2015, p 5	Knights Stream Park
Hussar Place		Named after the 14th King's Hussars, a cavalry regiment in the British Army.	Hornby	Named because it runs off Mathers Road. John Mather (1843-1921) was at one time a captain with the 14th King's Hussars. First appears in street directories in 1973.	Fusilier Place and Mathers Road.		

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Hussey Road		Named after Reginald Francis Hussey (1914-1985).		Hussey was a market-gardener. He developed the road off Gardiners Road. The land had been formerly owned by his father, Charles Vivian Leopold Hussey (1878-1949).		Information supplied in 2014 by Derek Hussey, son of Reginald.	
Hutcheson Street		Probably named after Francis Hutcheson (1694-1746).	Sydenham	<p>Hutcheson was a philosopher.</p> <p>Probably named to continue the theme of “poets and writers” streets of Sydenham, Addington and Waltham named by a committee of the Sydenham Borough Council on 19 January 1880.</p> <p>First mentioned in The Press in 1882 when two sections were sold there.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1887.</p>		<p>“Auctioneers’ Reports”, The Press, 25 August 1882, p 2</p>	<p>Report of the street naming committee, Sydenham Borough Council minute book 1879-1880, p 217, held at Christchurch City Council archives.</p> <p>“Borough Council”, Star, 20 January 1880, p 3</p>

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Huxley Street	Mona Street	Formerly Mona Street. Mona appears to have been an early name for the Isle of Man. Re-named Huxley Street. Named after Thomas Henry Huxley (1825-1895).	Sydenham	A decision had been made by the council to name the street Mona Street. Residents petitioned against this: the name had never been agreed to at a public meeting, there was only one native of the Isle of Man resident in the street, and the name Milton Street had been asked for by petitioners. The Sydenham Borough Council was asked to alter the name in accordance with their resolution to name streets after popular authors, a decision made by a committee of the Sydenham Borough Council on 19 January 1880.	Sandridge	Sydenham Borough Council minute book 1879-1880, pp 217 & 341, held at Christchurch City Council archives. " Borough Councils ", Star, 14 September 1880, p 4 " Advertisements ", The Press, 15 September 1880, p 4	

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				<p>Mona Street was re-named Huxley Street in 1880.</p> <p>Huxley was a biologist and science educationist.</p>			
Hyde Place		Named after the William Hyde.	Halswell	<p>The William Hyde was an immigrant ship which arrived in Lyttelton on 5 January 1852.</p> <p>Continues the theme of previous stages in the Halswell Park subdivision and names streets after prominent citizens and identities from early Halswell.</p> <p>Named in 2005.</p>	Cridland Place, Dunsford Close, James Hight Drive and Parklea Avenue.	<p>Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 12 April 2005</p> <p>[This has the date of arrival of the William Hyde wrong.]</p> <p>“Shipping news”, The Lyttelton Times, 7 February 1852, p 5</p>	

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Hythe Lane		Named after Hythe, a small coastal market town on the south coast of Kent.	St Martins	In a subdivision in St Martins where placenames from Somerset were used. [No other streets in the vicinity are named after places in Somerset.] Named on 16 June 1975. First appears in street directories in 1977.		"Streets named", Pegasus Post , 9 July 1975, p 8	