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Ian Place			Bishopdale	First appears in street directories in 1976.			
Ibsley Lane		Probably named after Ibsley in Hampshire.	Bexley	First appears in street directories in 1977.			
Ida Street			New Brighton	The formation of Ida Street was discussed by the New Brighton Borough Council in 1915. First appears in street directories in 1920.		“New Brighton” , The Press, 16 March 1915, p 3	
Idaho Place		Named after Idaho, a state in the Pacific northwest region of the USA.	Burwood	In a subdivision where all the streets were given American placenames. First appears in street directories in 1981.	Michigan Place, Oregon Place, Seneca Place, Tucson Place, Utah Place, Wichita Place and Yellowstone Crescent.		

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Idris Road	Hackett's Road was incorporated into Idris Road.	<p>Named after Cader Idris, a mountain in Wales.</p> <p>The section from Blighs Road to Wairarapa Road (later Wairakei Road) was formerly Hackett's Road. Named after Samuel Hackett (1823?-1904).</p>	Bryndwr, Fendalton, Strowan.	<p>Continues the Welsh theme of street names in Bryndwr.</p> <p>Idris Road is first mentioned in The Press in 1882 when land in the vicinity is advertised for sale.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1894, running from Fendalton Road to Glandovey Road only.</p> <p>Hackett's Road is first mentioned in The Press in 1871. First appears in street directories in 1894. Abraham Hackett (1854?-1921), a gardener and son of Samuel, is listed as a resident.</p> <p>In 1906 Hackett's Road becomes part of Idris Road.</p>	Bryndwr, Glandovey Road, Jeffreys Road and other Welsh names in the Fendalton/Bryndwr area.	<p>Fendall's legacy: a history of Fendalton and north-west Christchurch, p 77</p> <p>"Riccarton", The Press, 7 September 1871, p 3</p> <p>"Advertisements", The Press, 14 July 1882, p 4</p>	

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Ikamatua Lane			Sydenham	First appears in street directories in 1977.		Beckenham: a suburb of Christchurch, New Zealand , p 16	
Ilam Road	Part of Ilam Road was formerly named Webb's Road.	Named after Ilam, the home of the Hon. John Charles Watts-Russell (1825-1874). Webb's Road was named after William Webb, jnr.	Ilam, Upper Riccarton, Bryndwr, Burnside.	First mentioned in The Press in 1873 when the Riccarton Road Board invites tenders for "forming and gravelling the Ilam Road between Riccarton and Fendalltown". It was the carriage drive into Watts-Russell's home and a private road until 1900 when it first appears in street directories, stretching from Riccarton Road to Burnside Road (later Memorial Avenue) only. Webb's Road is first mentioned in The Press in 1877 when it is reported that the Riccarton Road Board	Ilam	" Advertisements ", The Press, 26 February 1873, p 4 The old cottage at Ilam, built by J. C. Watts-Russell in 1856 Fendall's legacy: a history of Fendalton and north-west Christchurch , p 52 "Riccarton", The Press, 14 April 1877, p 5 Waimairi County Council, minute book, 1931-1936, p 308, held at Christchurch City Council archives. " Streets renamed ",	" The Riccarton coach goes by ", The Press, 4 December 1937, p 21 Celebrating 150 plus years at Riccarton , p 12 View the biography of Elizabeth Rose Rebecca Watts Russell in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography .

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				<p>had discussed “inviting tenders for forming Webb’s Road from the Fendalton Road to the river”.</p> <p>Webb’s Road was the section of Ilam Road from the Wairarapa Stream (almost opposite where Jellie Park is now) to Wairarapa Road (later Wairakei Road) and first appears in street directories in 1894. Webb, jun. was a farmer.</p> <p>It was a "continuation of Ilam Road" 1934-1953 in street directories, but was actually re-named Ilam Road by the Waimairi County Council on 8 February 1933.</p>		The Press, 9 February 1933, p 15	

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Ilfracombe Place		Named after Ilfracombe in Devon, England.	Burnside	In a subdivision by Maurice F. Carter Ltd. First appears in street directories in 1966.		Information supplied in 2008 by Maurice Carter (d. 2011) in an interview with Margaret Harper.	“Maurice Carter leaves behind immense legacy”, The Press, 10 May 2011, p A3
Impala Place		Named after the model of car named Chevrolet Impala.	Sockburn	In a Blogg Brothers Ltd subdivision and named by them on 20 May 1968. One of them probably owned an Impala.		Information supplied by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council in 2010.	"Foremost developer and donor", The Press, 22 October 2005, p D19
Indira Lane		Named after Indira Gandhi (1917-1984).	Cashmere	Gandhi was Prime Minister of India 1966-1977 and 1980-1984. One of the streets in Cashmere given the name of a place in India. First appears in street directories in 1987.	Bengal Drive, Chittagong Lane, Darjeeling Place, Delhi Place, Jahan Lane, Lucknow Place, Nabob Lane, Nehru Place, Sasaram Lane and Shalamar Drive. Also Cashmere.	The Port Hills of Christchurch , p 241	“Indians of Cashmere”, The Press, 18 July 2009, p D9

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Industry Avenue		Named to reflect the use of the subdivision.	Wigram	In the Waterloo Business Park subdivision. Named in 2014.	Waterloo Business Park	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 July 2014 Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 15 July 2014	Waterloo Business Park
Inglis Street		Named after John Inglis (1822-1884).	Phillipstown	Inglis was the manager of Matheson's Agency. He was also associated with the establishment of primary school education. He died in England where he had gone for medical treatment. First appears in the Star in 1883 when building sections in Inglis Street are advertised for sale by John Inglis, Land & Estate Agent. First appears in street directories in 1898.	Mathesons Road	" Advertisements ", Star, 25 July 1883, p 2	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : I15 "Deaths", The Press, 24 October 1884, p 2 "Obituary", Star, 24 October 1884, p 4

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Ingoldsby Street		Named after Thomas Ingoldsby, the alias of the Rev. Richard H. Barham (1788-1845).	Sydenham	Ingoldsby wrote The Ingoldsby Legends, The Jackdaw of Rheims and The Hand of Glory. 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. First appears in street directories in 1916.		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	
Ingrid Street		Named after Ingrid Robyn Taylor.	Parklands	Ingrid Taylor is a solicitor and daughter of Malcolm Taylor, a partner in the legal firm of Taylor Shaw. Malcolm Taylor was a member of the syndicate which developed this subdivision. First appears in street directories in 1977.	Kirsten Place	Information supplied in 2004 by Linda Mauger in an interview with Margaret Harper.	

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Innes Road	Innes's Road	Named after David Innes (1830-1865).	Mairehau, St Albans	<p>Innes was a sheep-farmer and owned the Pareora and Holme Stations. He later owned Springfield, a house on 25 acres off Papanui Road.</p> <p>First mentioned in the Star in 1876 when land for sale in Innes's Road is advertised.</p> <p>Innes Road first appears in street directories in 1887.</p>	Springfield Road	<p>The early Canterbury runs, p 188</p> <p>The station years: a history of the Levels, Cannington and Home Station, with special attention to the upper regions of the Pareora River, where they joined, pp 167 & 176</p> <p>"General news", The Press, 20 December 1943, p 4</p> <p>"Advertisements", Star, 1 May 1876, p 2</p>	<p>"Death", Lyttelton Times, 27 December 1865, p 3</p> <p>"From Erin's Isle to Papanui, Mr John Joyce continues his story", The Star, 8 March 1919, p 8</p> <p>St Albans: from swamp to suburb: an informal history, p 79</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: 122</p>
Innisfree Place		Named after Innisfree, a fictional village in Ireland.	Northwood	<p>In a group of streets given Irish place names.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1993.</p>	Connemara Drive, Kildare Street and Monaghan Street.		

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Innovation Avenue		Named to reflect the use of the subdivision.	Wigram	In the Waterloo Business Park subdivision. Named in 2014.	Waterloo Business Park	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 July 2014 Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 15 July 2014	Waterloo Business Park
Inverell Place		Named after HMNZS Inverell.	North New Brighton	HMNZS Inverell was one of four Bathurst Class minesweepers which were a gift to the New Zealand Government from the Australian Government in 1952. This name continues the naval theme of street names in the North New Brighton area. First appears in street directories in 1977.		Information supplied in 2008 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.	

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Inwoods Road		Named after Arthur John Inwood (1850-1932).	Parklands	First appears in street directories in 1903. Inwood, a labourer, is listed as a resident.		North New Brighton, 1953 , p 7 Burwood All Saints' Church 1877-1977 , p 16	Inwood family "Deaths" , The Press, 6 July 1932, p 1
Iraklis Close		Named after the NZ Cup winning racehorse, Iraklis.	Templeton	Named by local horse trainer Jack Carmichael and Peter Petersen of the Templeton Residents' Association. Locals had asked that the names of prominent pacers and trotters be used because of the numerous training establishments in the area. Developed by Suburban Estates Ltd. Named in 2005.		Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 12 April 2005	

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Irene Street		Named after Irene Goodman (1945?-).	Burwood	Irene Goodman was a daughter of Leonard Goodman (1912-1956) who owned a market garden in Queensbury Street. Named in 1956.	Goodman Street and Reaby Street.	“New street names”, The Press, 2 April 1956, p 7 Burwood All Saints' Church 1877-1977 , p 42	"Trees of the east: big beauties", The Press, 3 August 2013, supplement, p 32
Ironwood Lane		Named after the Ironwood Golf Course in Hinckley, Ohio.	Shirley	The streets in the Fairway Park subdivision are named after American golf courses. It is near the Shirley Links, at the Christchurch Golf Club. Named in 2002.	Baltimore Green, Birkdale Drive, Fairway Drive, Falconridge Place, Pepperwood Place, Ridgewood Place, Wild Dunes Place, Wildhawk Lane and Wilmington Place.	Burwood/Pegasus Community Board agenda 17 June 2002	
Iroquois Place		Named after the Iroquois aircraft.	Wigram	Named informally in 1998 and formally in 1999, when the Wigram airbase was subdivided.		“Aircraft bias to street names”, The Press, 1 April 1998, p 5 Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 3 February 1999	

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Isabella Place	Part of Ensors Road	Named after Isabella Maria Ensor, née Le Fleming, (1830?-1900).	Waltham	Isabella Ensor was the wife of Edmund Henry Ensor (1840-1884). Their daughter, also named Isabella, died aged 7 months in 1865. Named in 1975.	Ensors Road	"Isabella Place", The Press, 14 July 1975, p 2	" Shipping News ", Lyttelton Times, 25 August 1860, p 4 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : E132 " Death ", The Press, 13 January 1865, p 3 " Latest Locals ", Star, 23 October 1884, p 2 " Deaths ", Star, 1 December 1900, p 5 [Official records give her first name as Isabella.]
Ishwar Ganda Boulevard		Named after Ishwar Ganda (1945-2012).	Halswell	Ganda was a former Paparoa County councillor, Christchurch City councillor, and a sitting Riccarton-Wigram Community Board member at the time of his death.	Longhurst	Riccanton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 April 2014 Riccanton/Wigram Community Board agenda 6 May 2014	"Respected councillor fought for 'little people'", The Press, 7 April 2012, p C15 Longhurst

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				<p>Named to honour his long service to the district and the Christchurch.</p> <p>Continues the theme of naming streets after local body politicians, one of several themes used in the Longhurst subdivision.</p> <p>In Stage 6 of the Longhurst subdivision.</p> <p>Named in 2014.</p>			
Isitt Lane		Named after Leonard Monk Isitt (1891-1976).	Wigram	<p>Sir Leonard Isitt was a military aviator and leader and aviation administrator. He was based at Sockburn for a time after serving in World War One (1914-1918).</p> <p>Continues the aviation theme of street names used in the Wigram Skies subdivision.</p>	Wigram Skies	<p>Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 July 2014</p> <p>Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 15 July 2014</p>	<p>View the biography of Leonard Monk Isitt in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography.</p> <p>Wigram Skies</p>

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Islay Place		Named after Islay, the southernmost island of the Inner Hebrides of Scotland.	Woolston	In a subdivision where the streets have all been given the names of islands off the west coast of mainland Scotland. There are two main groups: the Inner and Outer Hebrides. First appears in street directories in 1977.	Arran Crescent, Bute Street, Jura Court and Jura Place and Staffa Street.		
Isleworth Road		Named after Isleworth, an ostrich farm on Harewood Road.	Bishopdale	Isleworth was owned by John Thomas Matson (1845-1895). He was an auctioneer who carried on a business founded by his father, Henry. He imported the first ostriches and llamas into Canterbury and farmed them at Isleworth and Springfield in Papanui Road. Many ostrich bones were discovered on the site when this land was sold	Springfield Road	Early New Zealand families , p 135 Birds, beasts & fishes: the first hundred years of the North Canterbury Acclimatisation Society , p 105 Burwood All Saints' Church 1877-1977 , p 74 "The Ostrich Farm" , Star, 16	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : M251 "Obituary", Star, 15 April 1895, p 3 "Ostrich farming an early industry", The Papanui Herald , 23 November 1966, p 4

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				and subdivided. First appears in The Press in 1893 when the Papanui Bone Mill, on Isleworth Road, is advertised for sale. First appears in street directories in 1906.		June 1891, p 4 “ Advertisements ”, The Press, 10 May 1893, p 8	
Islington Road		Named after the New Zealand Refrigerating Company's Islington Freezing Works.		In the first stage of a large subdivision, the Waterloo Business Park, developed on the former Freezing Works' site. Names proposed for the site reflect the history of the site and the locality, to honour the pioneering spirit of the Freezing Works and the fact it provided employment for over 100 years. Named in 2013.	Waterloo Business Park	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 17 September 2013 Minutes of the Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 17 September 2013	A history of the New Zealand Refrigerating Company , p 102 & 107 Waterloo Business Park

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Istana Place			Burwood	Named in 1997.		Burwood/Pegasus Community Board agenda 3 November 1997	
Iti Place		Iti means: small.	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	
Ivan Jamieson Place		Named after Andrew Ivan Robert Jamieson (1921-2005).	Christchurch Airport	Jamieson was the manager of Christchurch International Airport 1958-1975. He later served on the airport board into the 1990s. First appears in street directories in 1995.			"Mr Jamieson joins aviation authority", The Press, 29 November 1983, p 3 "Former manager of Chch Airport honoured", The Press, 1 June 1998, p 2 "Airport mentor", The Press, 3 September 2005, p. D13

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Iversen Terrace		Named after Andreas Christen "Kit" Iversen.	Waltham	<p>Iversen was city land surveyor during the 1970s and worked hard on the subdivision developed on the site of what had been the gas works. The developer, a friend of Iversen, proposed the name to thank him for his hard work.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1987.</p>		Information supplied in 2007 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.	<p>Requiem for a Gasworks, pp 35-36</p> <p>“Gasworks lots sell fast”, The Press, 7 August 1985, p 9</p>

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Jack Hinton Drive		Named after John Daniel "Jack" Hinton (1909-1997).	Addington	<p>Hinton served in the Middle East and in Greece during World War II and won the Victoria Cross.</p> <p>Rugby league identity Bill Whitehead suggested the street name. The street goes past what was Rugby League Park and Addington Park of which Hinton was a member. He regularly came to rugby league night at the trots and had also played league with Mr Whitehead's late father.</p> <p>Named in 1997.</p>	Jack Hinton Reserve	<p>“Bid to name drive after war hero”, The Christchurch Star, 6 August 1997, p 5</p> <p>“War hero honoured”, The Press, 4 September 1997, p 5</p> <p>"Anzac Dr perfect memorial site", Christchurch Mail, 22 August 2013, p 4</p>	<p>“Last surviving VC holder passes on”, The Press, 30 June 1997, p. 1 & 3</p> <p>"It's big, it's bold, it's \$32m", The Press, 9 May 1998, p 6</p>

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Jackmin Lane		Named after Jack Bettridge (1900-1960) and his wife, Min.	Burwood	<p>The Bettridges were well-known landowners in the area. Jack Bettridge built the family's eight-bedroom house in Burwood Road in the 1940s. He and his wife brought up ten children there.</p> <p>The street name was suggested by the Bettridges' daughter, Dorothy Hutchins.</p> <p>Named in 2009.</p>		<p>Burwood/Pegasus Community Board agenda 16 March 2009</p> <p>“Burwood landowners immortalised in street sign”, Pegasus Post, 19 July 2009, p 9</p>	

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Jacko Lane		Named after Jack "Jacko" Lawrence (1950-2008).	Waltham	Lawrence oversaw numerous property developments in the area, particularly in King Street, Jordan Street and Lismore Street. He was a great supporter of the Sydenham Rugby Club. His two sons, Jason and Ryan, are committed to keeping his legacy going. In a Shalamar Development. Named in 2015		Spreydon/Heathcote Community Board agenda 1 December 2015	Extra information supplied in 2015 by Jason Lawrence, Jack Lawrence's son.
Jackson Quay			Lyttelton	First mentioned in street directories in 1878.			
Jacksons Road	Jackson's Road	Named after Charles Jackson (1837-1916).	Fendalton	Jackson moved to Fendalton in 1887 building his home, Hollybank, at what later became 5 Jacksons Road. In the Star in 1890 his wife advertises for a general servant at		The Papanui story: special historical issue. Christchurch, 1976. G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury	"Deaths", Star, 28 November 1898, p 2 "Pioneer settlers", The Press, 22 September 1902, p 5 "From Erin's Isle to Papanui, Mr John

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				<p>Hollybank, Fendalton, “the first house over the railway crossing”.</p> <p>Jackson’s address is given in street directories as Fendalton Road until 1898 when Jackson’s Road first appears. He is listed from 1900 as living there with his sons, Frederick George (1865-1898) and Gilbert (1872-1937).</p> <p>His brother was James Jackson (1834-1919) who opened the Seven Oaks Butchery on the corner of North Road and Horner Street in Papanui in 1866.</p> <p>Becomes Jacksons Road in 1901.</p>		<p>biographies: J11a “Advertisements”, Star, 19 July 1890, p 2</p>	<p>Joyce continues his story”, The Star, 8 March 1919, p 8</p> <p>“Obituary”, The Press, 8 September 1919, p 10</p>
Jacksons Road	Upper Jacksons Road, Lower Jacksons	Named after the Reverend Thomas Jackson (1812-1886).	Lyttelton	Jackson was bishop-designate of Lyttelton in 1851. He remained for less than a month before		<p>Lyttelton: port and town : an illustrated history, p 22</p> <p>"Advertisements",</p>	<p>Thomas Jackson: bishop designate of Lyttelton</p> <p>Report by the first</p>

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	Road, Jacksons Terrace.			<p>being recalled to England.</p> <p>Jacksons Road is first mentioned in The Lyttelton Times in 1852 when 1/4 acre sections are advertised for sale there.</p> <p>Jacksons Terrace was declared by the Lyttelton Borough Council to be a public street from 1 August 1898. This became a part of Hawkhurst Road after the construction of the 1964 road tunnel.</p>		<p>The Lyttelton Times, 7 August 1852, p 2</p> <p>“Advertisements”, The Press, 18 June 1898, p 10</p> <p>"European place names", The Press, 19 February 1924, p 14</p>	<p>Bishop Designate of Lyttelton submitted to the Archbishop of Canterbury, England</p>

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Jacobs Street		Named after Henry Jacobs (1824-1901).	St Albans	<p>Jacobs was the first headmaster of Christ's College and dean of Christchurch Cathedral.</p> <p>One of three streets named in 1923 and formed on land that had been originally owned by the Anglican diocese. Sales of land were made for "increased revenue for Diocesan purposes".</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1925.</p>	Carrington Street and Gosset Street.	<p>St Albans: from swamp to suburb: an informal history, p 20</p> <p>The Canterbury church property : articles, p 35</p> <p>"Story of 700 acres of church property", The Press, 25 February 1947, p 6</p>	<p>The Blain Biographical Directory of Anglican Clergy in the Pacific</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: J35</p> <p>"Obituary", Star, 7 February 1901, p 1</p> <p>Henry Jacobs: a clergyman of calibre: including the reminiscences of Mary Thompson</p>
Jacques Way		Named after Jacques Delamain.	Yaldhurst	<p>Delamain was the son of James Delamain who carried on the family cognac business.</p> <p>In the Delamain subdivision.</p> <p>Named in 2007.</p>	Delamain	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board Transport and Rooding Committee agenda 29 June 2007	Delamain cognac

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Jadewynn Place		Named after the English translation of the developer's name.	Halswell	The developer is of Chinese descent, and the name was chosen out of respect for his father. Named in 1994.		Riccarton/Wigram community board meeting, 6 April 1994	
Jahan Lane		Named after Shahab Uddin Muhammad Shah Jahan I (1592-1666).	Cashmere	Jahan was the builder of the Shalimar Gardens in Lahore, Pakistan. One of the streets in Cashmere given the name of a place in India. A right of way developed by Emerson Construction at 41 Shalamar Drive. Named in 2007.	Bengal Drive, Chittagong Lane, Darjeeling Place, Delhi Place, Indira Lane, Lucknow Place, Nabob Lane, Nehru Place, Sasaram Lane and Shalamar Drive. Also Cashmere.	Spreydon/Heathcote Community Board agenda 18 September 2007 Spreydon/Heathcote Community Board minutes 18 September 2007	

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James Caird Lane		Named after the James Caird, a small boat used by Sir Ernest Shackelton during his trans-Antarctic expedition 1914-1917.		Shackelton named his boat after Sir James Key Caird (1837-1916), a Dundee jute manufacturer and philanthropist, whose sponsorship had helped finance the expedition. The developer chose the expedition as the theme of the subdivision. In the Eelco Wiersma subdivision at 141-185 Awatea Road. Named in 2014.	Endurance Lane, Milano Lane, Platinum Drive, Vahsel Bay Place and Wiersma Lane.	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 July 2014 Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 15 July 2014	

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James Hight Drive		Named after James Hight (1870-1958).	Halswell	<p>Hight was a university professor, educational administrator, and historian. He was born in Halswell.</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, Hyde Place and Parklea Avenue.	Riccarton/Wigram community board agenda 12 April 2005	View the biography of James Hight in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography .
James K Baxter Place	Part of Strickland Street.	Named after James Keir Baxter (1926-1972).	Addington	<p>Baxter was a poet, postman, teacher, dramatist, writer and social critic.</p> <p>Named on 21 May 1973.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1976.</p>		Date of naming supplied in 2002 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.	View the biography of James Keir Baxter in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography

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James Street	James Terrace	Named after James Pepperell (1859?-1911).	Redcliffs	<p>Pepperell, a wool-classer, was a Woolston farmer and a member of the Redcliffs land syndicate that subdivided the land where this street is formed.</p> <p>James Terrace first appears in street directories in 1910. Becomes James Street in 1914.</p>		Sumner to Ferrymead: a Christchurch history , p 207	The Port Hills of Christchurch , p 78

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Jameson Avenue	Part of McFaddens Road. Also Jameson Street.	Named after George Jameson (1850-1934).	St Albans	<p>Jameson lived at 116 McFaddens Road in a large house named Ellerton. For a time he was secretary and general manager of the New Zealand Co-operative Association in Christchurch.</p> <p>His father, James Purvis Jameson (1824-1896), was the mayor of Christchurch in 1871.</p> <p>Jameson Street first appears in street directories in 1947. Becomes Jameson Avenue in 1950.</p>	Ellerton		<p>"Obituary", The Press, 15 May 1934, p 17</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: J60</p>

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Janal 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	
Jane Deans Close		Named after Jane Deans (1823-1911).	Riccarton	Jane Deans was an early Riccarton settler and community leader. Formed post-1997.			View the biography of Jane Deans in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography

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Janet Street		Named after Janet Rosemary "Jan" Parkin (1949-).	Upper Riccarton	Jan Parkin is the daughter of Joseph Irvine Colligan (1910-1965), chairman of the Waimairi County Council 1960-1965. Named in 1961. First appears in street directories in 1964.		Information supplied in 2004 by Aileen Colligan (d. 2010) in an interview with Margaret Harper. Waimairi County Council minutes book, 1961, CH357/50, p 1093, held at Christchurch City Council archives.	"Obituary, Mr J. L. Colligan was Waimairi chairman", The Press, 3 July 1965, p 16
Janice Place		Named after Janice Macleod, née Moore.	Mount Pleasant	Janice Macleod is the daughter of Samuel James Moore (1898-1978) of B. Moore & Sons Ltd. He was a member of Cannon Estate Ltd, the company which subdivided Cannon Hill. First appears in street directories in 1970.	Brigid Place, Challis Place, Clementine Lane, Freeman Street, Hatherly Lane, Hilltop Lane, Michael Avenue, Osmond Lane and Roland Lane.	"Cannon Estate thirty years in development", The Press, 23 August 1989, p 49	"Prominent Chch builder dead", The Press, 2 February 1978, p 8

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Janie Parkhouse Drive		Named after Jaynie Margaret Hudgell, née Parkhouse, (1956-).	North New Brighton	Jaynie Hudgell is a swimmer who won a gold medal in the 800m freestyle event at the 1974 Commonwealth Games in Christchurch. [The Council decided to amend the spelling of her name in the street name.] First appears in street directories in 1990.		“Editorial”, Avenues , Issue 15, May 2005, p 07	
Jarnac Boulevard		Named after Jarnac in France.	Yaldhurst	Jarnac is near the cognac area of France. In the Delamain subdivision. Named in 2007.	Delamain	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board Transport and Rooding Committee agenda 29 June 2007	Delamain cognac
Jarrow Place		Probably named after Jarrow, a town in the north-east of England.	Halswell	In the Oaklands subdivision. First appears in street directories in 1968.	Oaklands		

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Jasmine Place			Hornby	One of the partners in the development company, Enterprise Homes , is a keen gardener. The streets in the Awatea Gardens subdivision all have the names of flowers. In the first stage of the subdivision. Named in 2000.	Awatea Gardens, Begonia Lane, Clematis Place, Protea Place and Robinia Place.	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 2 February 2000	
Jasper 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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Jean Batten Place		Named after Jean Gardner Batten (1909-1982).	Burwood	<p>Jean Batten was a famed New Zealand pioneer aviatrix.</p> <p>Named in 1978 to continue the aviation theme of street names in the area.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1981.</p>	Kingsford Street, Mascot Place, Moncrieff Place, Tasman Place, Ulm Place and Viscount Place.	Information on date of naming in a letter sent to the City Librarian from the Town Clerk dated 19 April 1978.	View the biography of Jean Gardner Batten in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography .
Jebson Street			Mairehau	<p>Developed on farmland previously owned by Arthur William Emmett (d. 1948) and sold after his death. Part of the land was bought by the government for a state housing area "laid out on modern town-planning lines". It was referred to as Emmetts Block.</p> <p>Named on 24 June 1948.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1950.</p>	Emmetts block	<p>Waimairi County Council minute book, January 1947-February 1949, pp 512 & 571 held at Christchurch City Council archives.</p> <p>“Major housing development in the Shirley district”, The Press, 31 March 1953, p 3</p>	

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Jed Lane			St Albans	A private right-of-way named in 1967.		“Naval names for streets”, The Press, 28 April 1967, p 12	
Jefferson Close		Named after the Jefferson National Forest in Virginia, USA.	Halswell	In the Knights Stream Park subdivision where streets have been named with a common theme of World Heritage sites and national and major parks around the world. Named in 2012.	Knights Stream Park	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 3 April 2012 Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 3 April 2012	Knights Stream Park
Jeffreys Road		Named after Charles Alured Jeffreys (1821-1904).	Fendalton, Strowan	Jeffreys owned the 200 acre Bryndwr estate. First appears in street directories in 1894.	Bryndwr, Glandovey Road, Idris Road and other Welsh names in the Fendalton/Bryndwr area.	Fendall's legacy: a history of Fendalton and north-west Christchurch , pp 74-76	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : J85

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Jellicoe Street		Named after John Henry Rushworth Jellicoe, 1st Viscount Jellicoe (1859-1935).	South New Brighton	<p>Jellicoe was the First Sea Lord and commander in chief of the British Grand Fleet. He was also Governor-General of New Zealand 1920-1924.</p> <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 1919.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1928.</p>	Beresford Street	<p>New Brighton: a regional history, 1852-1970, p 137</p> <p>“The “Washing-up” Bill”, The Press, 3 November 1919, p 6</p>	Governor-General of Aotearoa, New Zealand

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Jenkins Avenue		Named after Edward "Sned" Jenkins (1874?-1956).	Redwood	Jenkins taught at Christ's College 1900-1935. One of the streets in Redwood 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 1976.	Creese Place, Denniston Crescent, Goodall Place, Lowry Avenue, Monteath Place, Murchison Avenue, Pyatt Place, Solomon Avenue, Strack Place and Wakelin Place.	"Not happy on staff names", The Papanui Herald , 13 March 1973, p 7	College! : a history of Christ's College , p 414
Jennabelle Lane		Named after the developer's two daughters, Jennifer and Annabelle.	Halswell	Both trained their ponies and horses in this area when they were representing Canterbury in many competitions. In the Te Repo Oaks subdivision. A private right-of-way named in 2010.		Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 23 November 2010	

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Jennifer Street		Named after Jennifer Anne Mayne, née Cox, (1945-).	Bryndwr	Jennifer Mayne's father was Leslie Ballantyne Cox (1899-1967), once a ploughman in Rakaia and later a roading contractor in Christchurch. Cox established his business in 1927 and his obituary says "he formed many of the streets in Christchurch". Much of his early work was done with horses and drays. First appears in street directories in 1948.		Information supplied in 2009 by Jennifer Mayne in an interview with Margaret Harper.	"Obituary", The Press, 29 July 1967, p 20
Jerrold Street North/Jerrold Street South	Boundary Road, Douglas Jerrold Street and Jerrold Street West. Brights Road and Hamilton Street were	Formerly Boundary Road. An informal or brief name for the boundary between the city council and Sydenham borough or the Sydenham borough and the	Addington	Boundary Road is an alternative name. The marriage of Robert Brown and Mary Ann Clarke, 5 July 1888, took place at the house of Mr. John Thompson Brown, Boundary Road, Sydenham. Formerly Douglas		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	Sydenham: the model borough of Christchurch: an informal history , p 21

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	incorporated into Jerrold Street.	Spreydon borough. Jerrold Street was named after Douglas William Jerrold (1803-1857).		<p>Jerrold Street. 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>Jerrold was an English humorist and playwright.</p> <p>Suggestion made to shorten name to Jerrold Street in 1889.</p> <p>Hamilton Street appears on an 1879 map.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1887 running off Selwyn Street. Becomes part of Jerrold Street in 1950.</p> <p>Bright's Road first appears in street directories in 1894, running off Lincoln Road. In 1909 it is incorporated into Jerrold</p>		<p>1880, p 3</p> <p>"Local and General", Star, 20 January 1880, p 2</p> <p>"Borough councils", The Lyttelton Times, 17 September 1889, p 3</p> <p>"Sydenham Borough Council", Star, 17 September 1889, p 4</p> <p>Plan of Christchurch and suburbs, 1879</p>	

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				Street.			
Jervois Street		Named after Sir William Francis Drummond Jervois (1821-1897).	New Brighton	<p>Jervois was a military engineer and Governor of New Zealand 1883-1889.</p> <p>A section for sale in Jervois Street is advertised in the Star in 1885.</p> <p>Formed in 1890.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1926.</p>		<p>“Advertisements”, Star, 1 October 1885, p 2</p> <p>“New Brighton Notes”, Star, 28 August 1890, p 3</p>	View the biography of William Francis Drummond Jervois in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography .

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Jessons Road		Named after the Jesson family.	Harewood	<p>John Jesson (1826-1900), a farmer of Harewood, arrived in Lyttelton in 1855 on the Joseph Fletcher. He is buried at St. James Anglican Church, Harewood.</p> <p>Two of John Jesson's sons, Private Leslie Jesson (1885-1915) and Private Ernest Harold Jesson (1881-1916), were killed in action during World War I (1914-1918).</p> <p>Edward Jesson (1835-1907), also a farmer of Harewood, arrived in Lyttelton in 1858 on the Strathallan.</p> <p>Jesson's Road is described as a "newly opened up road" in The Press in 1879.</p>		<p>Settling near the Styx River, p 44</p> <p>"Advertisements", The Press, 14 November 1879, p 3</p> <p>"News for women", The Press, 2 April 1935, p 2</p> <p>"Blood, bullets and bravery inspire student's ANZAC speech", Nor'west News, 4 May 2015, p 4-5 [This article implies that Jessons Road is named after the two soldiers. However it had been named by 1879.]</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: J108</p> <p>"News of the day", The Press, 13 August 1900, p 4</p> <p>"Mr J. E. Page", The Press, 20 September 1907, p 10</p>

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				Members of the Jesson family were living on Jesson's Road as late as 1935.			
Joe Burns Place		Named after a local identity of the Wigram area.	Wigram	First appears in street directories in 1993.		"More themes in street names", The Christchurch Mail , 23 February 1999, p 6	
Johanna Lane			Dallington	Named in 1978. First appears in street directories in 1980.		Information on date of naming in a letter sent to the City Librarian from the Town Clerk dated 19 April 1978.	

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John Annan Street		Named after John Annan.		<p>Annan was the third Paparua County Engineer appointed in 1973.</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>	Longhurst
John Campbell Crescent			Middleton	<p>In the first stage of Linden Grove, a Ngāi Tahu subdivision developed on the site of the former Sunnyside Hospital.</p> <p>Named in 2007.</p>	<p>Albion Lane, Benjamin Mountfort Close, Levinge Lane, Linden Grove Avenue, Pavilion Crescent, Spruce Lane, The Oval, The Wickets, The Willows, Thomas Cane Lane and Yew Tree Lane.</p> <p>Also Linden Grove.</p>	Spreydon/Heathcote Community Board agenda 17 July 2007	

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John Monck Lane		Named after John Stanley Monck (1845-1929).	Redcliffs	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, Harry Fergus Lane, Melleray Place, Omeo Crescent, Ophir Lane and Serenata Lane. Also Moncks Bay.	Meeting of the Hagley-Ferrymead Community Board, 2 July 1997 Kildare Estate	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : M506 "Obituary", The Press, 4 September 1929, p 4 "Stanley Monck of Moncks Bay, pioneer farmer, sportsman", The Press, 28 February 1976, p 11

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John Morel Place		Named after John McInroe Vincent Morel (1917-1996).	Parklands	<p>Morel was a sawmiller and the owner of the mill which extracted and milled timber from the Bottle Lake plantation and the Hospital Board plantation for 40 years. He vested land and paid for road intersection improvements in the area to reduce accidents involving logging trucks.</p> <p>Named by the family associated with Alpine Sawmills Limited which had previously occupied the site.</p> <p>Named in 1999.</p>		<p>“Sawmiller honoured”, The Christchurch Mail, 16 February 1999, p 15</p> <p>“John Morel Place subdivision”, The Press, 15 November 2000, p 24</p> <p>Burwood/Pegasus Community Board agenda 1 February 1999</p>	

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John Olliver Terrace		Named after John Ollivier (1812-1893).	Halswell	<p>Ollivier arrived in Lyttelton in 1853 on the John Taylor. He selected land on the Lower Lincoln Road opposite where the Mt Magdala Asylum was later built.</p> <p>The street names in the Milns Estate subdivision all have an historical connection with the Halswell area.</p> <p>Named in 1999.</p> <p>[The name of the street is incorrect, missing the second “i” in Ollivier’s name].</p>	Olliviers Road. Also Halswell, Edmond Storr Road, Forgan Lane, Lady Nugent Lane, Marsack Crescent and William Brittan Avenue. Also Milns Estate.	<p>“Obituary”, The Star, 1 August 1893, p 1</p> <p>Report of the Riccarton/Wigram Community Board to the Council November 1999</p>	<p>The Cyclopedia of New Zealand. Vol 3, p 93</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: 069</p> <p>“Makers of Canterbury”, The Press, 17 May 1930, p 13</p> <p>“Excerpts from a letter”, Halswell Courier, Vol 4, No 6, p 14</p>

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John Paterson Drive		Named after John Charles Paterson (1927-2010).	Halswell	<p>Paterson was a pioneer in the agricultural industry in New Zealand. He was instrumental in many trade missions world-wide and also in the promotion of New Zealand agricultural products, particularly seeds, in China and Asia.</p> <p>There is a brass plaque within the subdivision off Springs Road acknowledging him.</p> <p>This street was created to give access to eight new lifestyle blocks.</p> <p>Named in 2002.</p>		<p>“New street names selected”, Christchurch Western Mail, 10 July 2002, p 2</p>	<p>"A career of integrity built from the shop floor", The Press, 20 March 2010, p C13</p>

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Johns Road	Tisch's Road. Also Waimak Road	Formerly Tisch's Road. Named after Philipp Tisch (1819-1892). Re-named Johns Road. Named after James Johns (1836-1903) and his family.	Belfast, Harewood, Northwood	Tisch was a farmer. Tisch's Road is first mentioned in The Press in 1878 when land for sale there is advertised. James Johns and his brother, Frederick, bought Tisch's farm about 1874. Waimak Road, running off Harewood Road, first appears in street directories in 1903. Becomes part of Johns Road in 1960.	Devonvale Estates	" Advertisements ", The Press, 19 June 1878, p 6 A short history of Belfast, 1949 Settling near the Styx River , pp 109-118 "100-year link with Belfast broken", Christchurch Star, 28 July 1977, p 30	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : J117 & T273 " Deaths ", The Press, 11 July 1892, p 1 (Here his name is spelt wrongly). "News of the day", The Press, 2 November 1903, p 4h

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Johnson Street		Named after Samuel Johnson (1709-1784).	Sydenham	Johnson was an English writer. 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. First appears in street directories in 1887.		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	
Joiners Lane		Named because for thirty years there was a building and joinery factory, belonging to T. H. Alexander, on the site where the street was developed.	Papanui	Named in 2008.		Shirley/Papanui Community Board traffic works committee agenda 18 February 2008	

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Jollie Street		Named after Edward Jollie (1824-1894).	Linwood	<p>Jollie was an assistant to Captain Joseph Thomas (b. 1803?) and a surveyor for the Canterbury Association.</p> <p>In a group of three streets named after early Canterbury personalities. The name was recommended by the Canterbury Centennial Historical committee.</p> <p>In a state housing subdivision in Smith's block.</p> <p>Named in 1938.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1942.</p>	Nalder Place and Thomas Street.	" General news ", The Press, 20 December 1938, p 10	<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>

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Jordan Street	John Street	Named after William Joseph Jordan (1879-1959).	Sydenham	John Street first appears in street directories in 1892, running off Brougham Street. Re-named Jordan Street on 1 September 1948 when 120 streets were re-named. Jordan was a painter, soldier, politician and NZ high commissioner in London where he had once been a policeman.		“‘Lost’ addresses”, The Christchurch Mail , 27 April 1999, p 8 "Street names changed: City council approves final list", The Press, 24 August 1948, p 3	View the biography of William Joseph Jordan 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
Josephine Crescent			Aidanfield	In stages 8 and 9 of the Aidanfield subdivision where all the names are those of former Sisters of the Good Shepherd Order and former residents of the Good Shepherd Sisters Home at Halswell. Named in 2011.	Aidanfield	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 August 2011	Mount Magdala : 80 years of care...with a short history of the institution Pitch your tents on distant shores: a history of the Sisters of Good Shepherd in Australia, Aotearoa/New Zealand and Tahiti

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Joy Street			Shirley	In a Blogg Brothers Ltd subdivision. First appears in street directories in 1957. Formally named in 1960.		Information on date of naming in a letter sent to the City Librarian from the Town Clerk dated 20 June 1960.	"Foremost developer and donor", The Press, 22 October 2005, p D19
Joyce Crescent		Named after The Most Rev. Edward Michael Joyce (1904-1964).	Ilam	Developed by William Cosgriff (1922-1993). First appears in street directories in 1952.		Information supplied in 2008 by Bede Cosgriff (d. 2011) in an interview with Margaret Harper.	"Death of Bishop Joyce at age of 59", The Press, 29 January 1964, p 14
Joyce Street		Named after John Joyce (1839-1899).	Lyttelton	Joyce was a partner in the legal firm of Joyce & Salter and member of parliament for Lyttelton 1887-1890 and 1893-1899. Upper Joyce Street is mentioned in The Press in 1898; Joyce Street in 1912. Joyce Street first appears in street directories in 1928.		" Advertisements ", The Press, 18 June 1898, p 10 " Lyttelton ", The Press, 16 April 1912, p 8	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : J229 " Obituary ", Star, 2 December 1899, p 9 The story of Lyttelton, 1849-1949 , p 214

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Jubilee Street		Named after the Queen's Jubilee Memorial Home in Woolston.	Woolston	<p>In 1887 the Charitable Aid Board purchased a section of six acres at Woolston, belonging to Mr Hawker, as a site for the Jubilee Memorial Home. The Home was for the “aged poor” and was built to commemorate Queen Victoria’s 50th anniversary on the British throne (1887). It was opened in 1888 and has now been disestablished.</p> <p>Jubilee Street was named in 1889.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1890.</p>		<p>"Local & General", Star, 7 October 1887, p 3</p> <p>"Local & General", Star, 24 January 1888, p 3</p> <p>"Local & General: the Jubilee Home", Star, 3 November 1888, p 3</p> <p>"Local & General: the Jubilee Home", Star, 30 November 1888, p 3</p> <p>"Woolston Town Board", The Press, 2 July 1889, p 6</p>	<p>Jubilee Home and Hospital, 1888-1988</p> <p>Jubilee Memorial Home for the aged, Woolston</p>

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Judge Street			Woolston	First mentioned in The Press in 1909 in a report of a meeting of the Woolston Borough Council. First appears in street directories in 1912.		“Borough Councils” , The Press, 25 June 1909, p 3	
Julius Terrace	Harper Terrace	Formerly Harper Terrace. Named after Henry John Chitty Harper (1804-1893). Re-named Julius Terrace. Named after Churchill Julius (1847-1938).	Richmond	Harper Terrace is first mentioned in The Press in 1912. First appears in street directories in 1914. Bishop Harper was the first Anglican Bishop of Christchurch 1856-1889. Formed on land originally owned by the Anglican church. Benjamin Oakes Moore (1888?-1953), a builder, is one of the first two residents listed. Re-named Julius Terrace in 1918 because of the duplication of Harper		The Canterbury church property : articles “Advertisements” , The Press, 13 June 1912, p 11 "Story of 700 acres of church property", The Press, 25 February 1947, p 6 “General news” , The Press, 29 January 1918, p 6	View the biography of Henry John Chitty Harper in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography . View the biography of Churchill Julius in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography “Great churchman” , Evening Post, 2 September 1938, p 10 “Street names” , The Press, 13 September 1924, p 13

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				Streets in Christchurch. Bishop Julius was the second bishop 1890-1925 and Archbishop of New Zealand 1922-1925.			
June Gardens			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	
Juniper Place			Burnside	First appears in street directories in 1981.			

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Jura Court and Jura Place		Named after Jura, an island in the Inner Hebrides of Scotland.	Woolston	In a subdivision where the streets have all been given the names of islands off the west coast of mainland Scotland. There are two main groups: the Inner and Outer Hebrides. Jura Crescent was named on 15 December 1969. Jura Place first appears in street directories in 1977.	Arran Crescent, Bute Street, Islay Place and Staffa Street.	Information on date of naming in a letter sent to the City Librarian from the Town Clerk dated 24 March 1970.	
Jutland Street	Government Road	Formerly Government Road. Re-named Jutland Street. Named after the Battle of Jutland.	North New Brighton	The Battle of Jutland, in 1916, was the largest naval battle of World War One (1914-1918). This name continues the naval theme of street names in the North New Brighton area. Re-named in 1922. First appears in street directories in 1928.		“Borough Councils” , The Press, 21 November 1922, p 11	

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Kahikatea Lane		Named after the kahikatea trees of which there are some very fine examples in nearby Riccarton Bush.	Riccarton	Developed at 94 Matai Street. The developer left the naming of the right of way to the purchasers of the first allotment in the subdivision. Proposed names had a connection with Riccarton Bush. Named in 1998.		Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 2 September 1998	
Kahu Road			Riccarton	The gates to Riccarton House were originally in Straven Road. In May 1926 the driveway was shortened and the gates moved to Kahu Road. First appears in street directories in 1928. Mrs Edith Deans is one of the three residents listed.		"Riccarton gates: old landmark moved" , The Press, 6 May 1926, p 11	
Kaikainui Lane		Named because it is adjacent to the Kaikainui Stream.	Northwood	Named in 2006.		Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 6 December 2006	

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Kain Avenue		Named after Flying Officer Edgar James “Cobber” Kain (1918-1940).	Strowan	<p>Kain was a distinguished New Zealand pilot during World War II killed in a flying accident.</p> <p>[The source says it was originally to have been named Tasman Avenue but that a street of that name already existed in Waimairi County. In 1936, two new streets in the "Hill's subdivision, Shirley" were named after "the two famous navigators, Cook and Tasman" by the Waimairi County Council. However, there is no Tasman Avenue in street directories in 1940. A Tasman Street, off Hills Street in Mairehau, is listed in street directories 1950-1955 with no residents listed.]</p>		<p>"General news", The Press, 29 October 1936, p 8</p> <p>"General news", The Press, 23 July 1940, p 8</p> <p>"Street named after air ace", The Press, 8 August 1940, p 8g</p>	View the biography of Edgar James Kain in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography .

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				In a Government housing subdivision. Named in 1940.			
Kairos Street		Kairos is an ancient Greek word meaning the right or opportune moment.	Cashmere	In a subdivision by Worsley Prestige Ltd. at 358 Worsleys Road. Named in 2007.	Khloris Way	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 11 September 2007	
Kaiwara Street		Named after the Kaiwara Station in the Culverden area.	Hoon Hay	In a subdivision where the streets are named after rivers or properties in North Canterbury. First appears in street directories in 1962.	Ferniehurst Street, Greta Place, Kaiwara Street, Molesworth Place, Palmside Street and Tekoa Place.	“Country’s influence”, The Press, 11 November 1964, p 30 "More themes in street names", The Christchurch Mail , 23 February 1999, p 6	
Kaniere Avenue		Named after Lake Kaniere, a lake on the West Coast of the South Island.	Hei Hei	In a subdivision where the streets are named after West Coast lakes and reservoirs. Formed post-1997.	Kumara Place, Marymere Place, Moeraki Place and Okuku Place.		

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Kaplan Avenue		Named after a propellor-type water turbine widely used throughout the world in high-flow, low-head power production.	Islington	Formed near the Islington substation. First appears in street directories in 1962.		Information supplied by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.	
Kapuka Lane			Halswell	In a subdivision at 28 Kennedys Bush Road by Contract Construction. Named in 2015.		Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 September 2015 Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 15 September 2015	

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Kapur Road		Named after Kapur, a timber commonly used in Sarawak.		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
Kaputone Place		Named after Kaputone Creek, a tributary of the Styx River.	Belfast	First appears in street directories in 1977.		Settling near the Styx River , p 99 Restoring and protecting Kaputone Creek: developed by Christchurch City Council and the residents of Belfast	
Karaka Place			Somerfield	Named in 1966. First appears in street directories in 1970.		Information on date of naming in a letter sent to the City Librarian from the Town Clerk dated 13 December 1966.	

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Karen Lane			Beckenham	Formed in 1976. First appears in street directories in 1979.		Beckenham: a suburb of Christchurch, New Zealand , p 16	
Karitane Drive		Named after the Karitane Baby Hospital on Cashmere Road which, in turn, was named after Sir Truby King's original home, a cottage in Karitane, Otago.	Cashmere	Albury Cottage, on the Cashmere Hills, was chosen to be the Christchurch Karitane Baby Hospital in 1918. It was opened that year with no formal ceremony because of the influenza epidemic. Karitane Drive first appears in street directories in 1968.		“ Women’s corner ”, The Press, 27 May 1918, p 2 “ Plunket Society ”, The Press, 21 December 1918, p 2	View the biography of Frederic Truby King in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography .
Karnak Crescent		Named after Karnak, a racehorse.	Russley	Frederick "Fred" Sidney Blogg (1922-2005) was the roading contractor who developed the street. He owned Karnak. First appears in street directories in 1978.		Information supplied in 2008 by Kevin Blogg in an interview with Margaret Harper.	"Foremost developer and donor", The Press, 22 October 2005, p D19

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Karo Street		Named after the karo tree, a small New Zealand native tree.	Fendalton	The Housing Department asked the Waimairi County Council to name the street. It decided that Karo Street was “a name which would not be confused with any other in Christchurch”. Named in 1941.		" General news ", The Press, 18 December 1941, p 4	
Karos Lane		Named after karos, a small shrub or tree.		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

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Kathleen Crescent		Named after Kathleen Mary Corbett, née Fahey (1948-).	Hornby	Kathleen Corbett was the daughter of John James Fahey and Beatrice Mary Fahey, née Kent, of 466 Main South Road, Hornby. The street was named after her because she was the first baby born there after the land was subdivided. First appears in street directories in 1972.		“Doug celebrates 50 years with NZ Post”, Western News, 22 July 2013, p 10	
Katrine Drive		Named after Loch Katrine, a lake in the Lake Sumner Forest Park.		The development company chose a theme of Canterbury lakes, rivers, lagoons and other water bodies for the street names in the subdivision. In stage 1 of the Prestons Park subdivision on the south side of Prestons Road, opposite the Prestons subdivision. Named in 2015.		Burwood/Pegasus Community Board agenda 21 September 2015 Burwood/Pegasus Community Board minutes 21 September 2015	

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Kauri Street		Named after the <i>Agathis australis</i> , commonly known by its Māori name of kauri.	Riccarton	<p>Named to continue to commemorate the Deans' efforts to conserve the native forest trees in Riccarton. The naming was also designed to showcase the Maori names of trees.</p> <p>Appears on a 1912 map.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1916.</p>		Map of Christchurch shewing tram routes & public buildings, 1912	<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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Kawaka Street	Mata Street	Formerly Mata Street. This means green. Re-named Kawaka Street.	Riccarton	Mata Street was 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". Re-named Kawaka Street on 30 January 1945 because Mata Street was too similar to Matai Street. Kawaka Street first appears in street directories in 1946.		“ General news ”, The Press, 18 June 1940, p 6 Date of re-naming supplied in 2000 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.	

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Kawharu Street		Named after Sir Ian Hugh Kawharu (1927-2006).	Marshland	Sir Hugh was an academic and paramount chief of the <u>Ngāti Whātua</u> Māori tribe. In the second stage of the Prestons subdivision. Named by Ngāi Tahu, developer of the subdivision. Named in 2014.	Prestons	Burwood/Pegasus Community Board supplementary agenda 7 July 2014 Burwood Pegasus Community Board Agenda 21 July 2014	“Ngati Whatua leader was a man of wisdom and knowledge”, New Zealand Herald, 20 September 2006 Prestons
Kea 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	
Kearneys Road	Kearney’s Road		Linwood	First mentioned in The Press in 1906. First appears in street directories in 1913.		“ Advertisements ”, The Press, 11 August 1906, p 16	

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Keebles Lane	Keeble's Road and Keebles Street.	Named after Captain Samuel Keeble (1842-1909).	Lyttelton	<p>Keeble, a customs officer, lived at 47 Dublin Street, Lyttelton, near where the lane was formed.</p> <p>Keeble's Road was declared by the Lyttelton Borough Council to be a public street from 1 August 1898.</p> <p>Keebles Street first appears in street directories in 1981. Becomes Keebles Lane in 1987.</p>		<p>“Advertisements”, The Press, 18 June 1898, p 10</p>	<p>“Captain Keeble”, The Press, 10 May 1909, p 7</p> <p>“Keebles lived there”, The Press, 16 July 2010, p A14</p>

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Keene Street		Named after Arthur Herbert Keene (1899-1984).	Wigram	<p>Keene was a law student of Island Bay, Wellington. He graduated from the Canterbury Flying School on 6 June 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 2012.</p>	Wigram Skies	<p>Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 28 February 2012</p> <p>Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 28 February 2012</p>	<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</p> <p>Wigram Skies</p>

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Keighleys Road		Named after William Keighley (1836-1919).	Bromley	First appears in street directories in 1908. Keighley, a builder, is the sole resident. From Linwood Avenue to Bromley Road was formerly part of Bromley Road and became part of Keighleys Road on 19 June 1963.		Date of re-naming supplied in 2003 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : K37

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Keith Street		Named after Ian Herbert Neill Keith (1898-1978).	Wigram	<p>Keith was a student from Napier. He graduated from the Canterbury Flying School on 12 April 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 2012.</p>	Wigram Skies	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 30 October 2012	<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</p> <p>Wigram Skies</p>

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Keller Street	Leighton Street	Named after Helen Adams Keller (1880-1968).	Avonside	<p>Sections for sale in Leighton Street are advertised in the Star in 1908.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1909.</p> <p>Re-named Keller Street on 1 September 1948 when 120 streets were re-named.</p> <p>Helen Keller was a deaf-blind woman who became a role model for millions of people. She visited Christchurch in 1948.</p>		<p>Early Dallington, p 10</p> <p>“Advertisement”, Star, 20 August 1908, p 3</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>“Miss Helen Keller: visit to Christchurch likely”, The Press, 11 June 1948, p 2</p> <p>"Miss Keller welcomed", The Press, 7 August 1948, p 2</p> <p>“Keller birthday marked”, Christchurch Mail, 11 July 2007, p 2</p>

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Kellys Road	Kelly's Road	Named after Francis Kelly (1834-1909).	Mairehau	Kelly owned a dairy farm there. Tenders were called for the formation of Kelly's Road in 1877. Kellys Road first appears in street directories in 1905.		" Avon Road Board ", The Press, 17 August 1877, p 3	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : K52
Kendal Avenue	Kendal Street	Named after Kendal, a town in the Lake District.	Burnside	Blogg Brothers Ltd. built "half of the streets in the Wairarapa riding including Kendal Avenue and Springbank Street". Kendal Avenue was one of the first streets in the South Island to have underground reticulation of power and telephone cables. Kendal Street first appears in street directories in 1960. Becomes Kendal Avenue in 1962.	Gregan Crescent	"Early county days", The Papanui Herald , 13 July 1971, pp 1 & 7	"Foremost developer and donor", The Press, 22 October 2005, p D19

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Kenilworth Street		Probably named after Kenilworth, in Warwickshire, England.	Addington	Sections for sale in Kenilworth Street are advertised in the Star in 1908. First appears in street directories in 1910.		" Advertisements ", Star, 16 May 1908, p 5	
Kenmure Drive			Huntsbury	Continues the theme in the Broad Oaks subdivision of naming streets after English villages and localities. Named in 1998.	Broad Oaks	Spreydon/Heathcote Community Board agenda 17 November 1998	

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Kennaway Road		Named after the Kennaway family.	Woolston	<p>William Kennaway (1796-1868) bought Rural Section 122, 100 acres on the "South bank Heathcote River near Steam-wharf". His sons, William Kennaway (1832-1918) and Laurence James Kennaway (1834-1904) emigrated on the Canterbury, arriving on 31 October 1851. Their younger brother, Walter Kennaway (1835-1920), arrived in 1853.</p> <p>The road was named by the developer, Warner Mauger. The Tunnel Road now bisects what was their property.</p> <p>Formed post-1997.</p>	Barton Street	<p>Province of Canterbury, New Zealand : list of sections purchased to April 30 1863, p 3</p> <p>"Rural Sections chosen", The Lyttelton Times, 26 April 1851, p 3</p> <p>"Laurence Kennaway, of The Barton, and his brothers", The Press, 19 March 1977, p 14</p> <p>Naming information supplied in 2006 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.</p>	<p>Sir Walter Kennaway</p> <p>"Walter Kennaway", Star, 26 June 1909, p 4 [This article says Walter Kennaway was the son of J. H. Kennaway which a descendant, Di Pritchard, said in 2016, is incorrect.]</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: K66, K67</p> <p>"Garland-Hillsborough's first family", The Press, 10 January 1976, p 10</p>

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Kennedy Place	Kennedy Crescent		Hillsborough	<p>Kennedy Crescent first appears in street directories 1955.</p> <p>The southern section was re-named Kennedy Place and the central unformed section was "stopped" on 24 April 1963. The northern section became part of Grange Street. Jarden Place was originally suggested as a name for the northern section.</p>		Information on date of naming of Kennedy Place in a letter sent to the City Librarian from the Town Clerk dated 29 April 1963.	
Kennedys Bush Road	Quarry Road and Paterson Avenue.	<p>Formerly Quarry Road. Named because it is the route to the Halswell Quarry.</p> <p>Also named Paterson Avenue. Named after Edward Paterson (1870?-1956).</p> <p>Re-named Kennedys Bush</p>	Halswell, Kennedys Bush	<p>Originally a track which was used by bullock drays to draw firewood etc. out of Kennedy's Bush and Hoon Hay Bush.</p> <p>Quarry Road first appears in street directories in 1903. By 1914 it has the alternate name of Patersons Avenue. Paterson, a</p>		<p>"Place names on Port Hills-Akaroa Summit Road", The Star, 20 November 1920, p 10</p> <p>The Port Hills of Christchurch, pp 170, 177, 208</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury</p>	The Port Hills of Christchurch , pp 263-264

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		Road. Named after Thomas Kennedy (1819-1881).		<p>quarry manager, is a resident.</p> <p>The two names both appear in street directories until 1958 when it becomes just Paterson Avenue. Kennedys Bush Road first appears in street directories in 1939.</p> <p>Paterson Avenue appears in street directories until 1970 when it is incorporated into Kennedys Bush Road. Kennedy purchased eleven hectares of native forest there in 1856.</p>		<p>biographies: K82</p> <p>“Mr Kennedy of Kennedy’s Bush Road”, Halswell Courier, Christmas 1957, pp 5- 6</p> <p>“Round about Kennedy’s Bush”, Halswell Courier, Vol 4, No 7, August 1958, p 20</p>	

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Kenners Lane	Goat Alley and Kenner's Lane	Goat Alley is an early informal name. Re-named Kenners Lane. Named after John Kenner (1820-1892).	Lyttelton	Goat Alley was an early informal name that does not appear in street directories but is mentioned in the Star in 1885. Kenner's Lane was declared by the Lyttelton Borough Council to be a public street from 1 August 1898. First appears in street directories in 1900. Kenner was a carter and coal merchant who owned several properties in this area. He was also a Lyttelton borough councillor. In 1890 he is listed as living in Coleridge Street.		The first 100 years : municipal government in Lyttelton , p 15 " District Court ", Star, 11 December 1885, p 3 " Advertisements ", The Press, 18 June 1898, p 10 " European place names ", The Press, 19 February 1924, p 14	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : K84 " Death ", Star, 23 November 1892, p 2 " News of the day ", The Press, 24 November 1892, p 4

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Kensington Avenue		Named after Kensington, a district of west and central London, England within the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea.	Mairehau	Named because it runs off Westminster Street. First appears in street directories in 1923.	Westminster Street		
Kent Lodge Avenue		Named after Kent Lodge, a boys' school at 35 Yaldhurst Road established by John Harkness (1853-1938).	Avonhead	Edward Turton (1805-1889) built a house on the site in the 1860s. The land was flat and without vegetation and the house was called Barewood. Trees were planted, grew and a new name was given to the property, Ringwood. In 1871, Turton sold the property to John Tucker Ford (1828-1910) who lived there for about 21 years. In 1897, John Harkness, who had been the first	Harkness Place and Ringwood Place.	" Late advertisements ", Star, 17 December 1903, p 3 " Advertisements ", Star, 28 May 1904, p 7 " Obituary ", The Press, 19 August 1910, p 8 " The Riccarton coach goes by ", The Press, 22 January 1938, p 17 Barewood to Kent Lodge: a history of	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : C821, H170. Also F236 & T475 " Personal ", Grey River Argus, 21 September 1910, p 5 " Mr John Harkness ", Evening Post, 10 October 1938, p 11 "The remains of a seventeen-roomed house", The Christchurch Star, 19

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				<p>rector at Waitaki Boys' High School, bought Ringwood and established a school which he called Kent Lodge. It was for sale again in 1903 and the new owner began subdivision of the land in 1904. Harkness went to Cheltenham, Gloucester, England, and died there in 1938.</p> <p>The property was purchased by Frederick Cross (1841-1910), founder of Fred Cross and Sons, wine and spirit merchants, who left it to his son, also a liquor merchant, Charles Edward Cross (1876-1943). Charles owned the house until it burnt down in 1932.</p> <p>The brick replacement is listed in the 1950 Wise's</p>		the property and people at Lot 397, Riccarton, Christchurch	<p>September 1932, p 1</p> <p>“Yaldhurst fire”, The Christchurch Times, 19 September 1932, p 10</p> <p>“Kent Lodge destroyed by fire”, The Press, 19 September 1932, p 13</p> <p>“Mr C. E. Cross dead: was prominent in trotting affairs”, Star, 17 September 1943, p 6</p> <p>“Obituary”, The Press, 18 September 1943, p 6</p>

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				street directory as being at 274 Yaldhurst Road. First appears in street directories in 1966.			
Kent Street			Sydenham	Kent Street was developed off the end of Caton Street. First mentioned in The Press in 1892 when moves were made to develop it into a public street. First appears in street directories in 1904.		“ Sydenham Borough Council ”, The Press, 11 October 1892, p 3 “ Sydenham Council ”, The Press, 4 August 1893, p 3	
Kenwyn Avenue		Named after Ken and Winston Nicholls, two sons of the developer.	St Albans	Formed on 5 acres of land off Mays Road owned by Percy Stanley Nicholls (d. 1974), a land agent. A Papanui war memorial street. First appears in street directories in 1950.	Tillman Avenue	Information supplied in 2006 by Eileen Thomson in an interview with Margaret Harper.	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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Kenyalang Avenue		Named after the kenyalang, the state bird of Sarawak.		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
Keoghs Lane		Named after the Keogh family.	St Albans	Mrs Mary Keogh (1851-1921) was living at 143 Caledonian Road at the time of her death. First appears in street directories in 1928. Patrick Keogh (1867?-1940), a butcher, is then living at 143 Caledonian Road.		Z Arch 387, When the street was a village	
Keppel Street	Sparshott Street	Formerly Sparshott Street. Named after Lucy James Hawkes, née	New Brighton	Lucy Hawkes was the wife of James George Hawkes, an auctioneer, who split up much of the land in central New		“ New Brighton ”, The Press, 29 June 1891, p 6 New Brighton monthly magazine ,	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : H317 “ Death ”, The Press,

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		<p>Sparshott, (1833?-1918).</p> <p>Re-named Keppel Street. Named after Augustus, Viscount Keppel (1725-1786).</p>		<p>Brighton in the late 1870s.</p> <p>Sparshott Street was formed in 1890 and is first mentioned in The Press in 1891. It does not appear in street directories.</p> <p>Re-named Keppel Street at a special meeting of the New Brighton Council on 12 August 1907.</p> <p>Keppel was an admiral in the British navy.</p> <p>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</p>		<p>Vol 1, No 11, 1 September 1907, pp 1 & 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>A history of Anglican ministry in New Brighton, p 5</p> <p>New Brighton: a regional history, 1852-1970, pp 28 & 137</p>	<p>22 October 1918, p 1</p> <p>“Plan shewing area affected by proposed New Brighton Loan”, Z Arch 201</p> <p>Deeds that won the Empire</p>

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				patriotic and emphasised the fact that New Brighton was a seaside suburb.			
Kereru Lane	46A-F Matai Street West	Named after the kereru, the native wood pigeon which is seen in this area each year.	Riccarton	Named in 2002.		“New street names selected”, Christchurch Western Mail , 10 July 2002, p 2	
Keri Place			Hei Hei	First appears in street directories in 1960. Keri Place was at first considered to be in Hornby. Hornby streets are not listed separately until 1960. It was later listed in Hei Hei.			
Kerrs Road	Peter Kerrs Road	Named after Peter Kerr (1814?-1877).	Avonside, Linwood	Peter Kerrs Road was an early informal name. The Kerrs were associated with the horse racing industry for several generations.	The Sandhills, Kerrs Reach and Wildwood Avenue.	Burwood All Saints' Church 1877-1977 , p 1 “ The Heathcote Road Board ”, Star, 28 April 1877, p 2	" Fatal Accident ", Star, 26 April 1877, p 2 "Town and Country", The Lyttelton Times , 27 April 1877, p 2 " News of the day ",

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				Kerr's Road appears in a report in the Star of a meeting of the Heathcote Road Board in 1877. Becomes Kerrs Road which first appears in street directories in 1914.		" Pilgrim days ", Timaru Herald, 19 November 1910, p 2	The Press, 27 April 1877, p 2 Along the hills: a history of the Heathcote Road Board and the Heathcote County Council 1864-1989 , p 14 "Early Christchurch", The Star, 24 June 1922, p 19 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : K109 Early Christchurch and Canterbury : newspaper clippings, ca. 1923-1950 , Vol 1, p 106

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Kershaw Place			Richmond	<p>Developed in a subdivision of the Flesher's block, Richmond.</p> <p>First mentioned in The Press in 1944.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1946.</p>		<p>“Advertisements”, The Press, 5 August 1944, p 7</p>	
Keswick Street		Named after William Keswick (1835-1912).	Woolston	<p>Keswick was a China-based businessman and a British politician. He established a branch of Jardine Matheson & Co. in Japan in 1859. He was a trustee and executor of the will of Sir Harry Smith Parkes (1828-1885), a diplomat in China who owned Rural Section 37, 50 acres in Opawa. The two families were related by marriage.</p> <p>In 1895 the executors sold Parkes' land to the Liberal Government for</p>	Mackenzie Avenue. Also Roimata.	<p>Information researched by Richard Greenaway.</p> <p>Province of Canterbury, New Zealand : list of sections purchased to April 30 1863, p 2</p> <p>“Rural Sections chosen”, The Lyttelton Times, 8 March 1851, p 3</p> <p>Map of Christchurch shewing tram routes</p>	

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				a workers' settlement, Roimata. Shown on a 1912 street map. First appears in street directories in 1924.		& public buildings, 1912	
Ketton Place		Named after Ketton, a village and civil parish in Rutland in the East Midlands of England.	St Albans	Named because it is near Rutland Street. First appears in street directories in 1970.			

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Kevin Street		Named after Kevin John Blogg.	Hoon Hay	<p>Blogg is the son of Frederick "Fred" Sidney Blogg (1922-2005), the roading contractor who developed the street.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1952 as Kelvin Street and appears as Kevin Street in 1953. An error had been made in the paperwork and this was later corrected at the insistence of Fred Blogg.</p>		Information supplied in 2008 by Kevin Blogg in an interview with Margaret Harper.	"Foremost developer and donor", The Press, 22 October 2005, p D19
Kew Place			Mairehau	Named in 1959.		"Chester Street West or Cranmer Terrace?", The Press, 28 April 1959, p 7	

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Keyes Road	Park Road	Formerly Park Road. Named because it runs next to reserve land which later became the Municipal Golf Links and Rawhiti Domain. Re-named Keyes Road. Named after Sir Roger Keyes, (1872-1945).	New Brighton	Park Road first appears in street directories in 1911. Re-named Keyes Road on 1 September 1948 when 120 streets were re-named. Keyes was appointed Admiral of the Fleet in 1930. This name continues the theme of naming streets in New Brighton after British Admirals, explorers and fighting seafarers.	Beresford Street	"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
Khloris Way		Named after Khloris, the goddess of flowers.	Cashmere	In Greek mythology she was associated with spring flowers and new growth. In a subdivision by Worsley Prestige Ltd. at 358 Worsleys Road. Named in 2007.	Kairos Street	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 11 September 2007	

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Kibblewhite Street	Herring Bay Road and part of Richmond Terrace.	Named after Frederick Kibblewhite (1879-1955).	New Brighton	<p>Herring Bay Road is first mentioned in The Press in 1907.</p> <p>First appears in street directories running “off right side of Richmond Terrace” in 1917.</p> <p>Incorporated into Richmond Terrace in 1920.</p> <p>Kibblewhite Street first appears in street directories in 1950.</p> <p>Kibblewhite was a partner in a firm which was agent for Overland cars and a mayor of New Brighton during World War I.</p>	Owles Terrace and Union Street.	<p>"New Brighton Borough Council", The Press, 17 July 1907, p 6</p> <p>“Borough Councils”, The Press, 9 November 1920, p 3</p> <p>“New Brighton’s early mayors closely involved with area”, Pegasus Post, 19 March 1975, p 2</p> <p>New Brighton: a regional history, 1852-1970, pp 64 & 65</p> <p>The Estuary of Christchurch: a history of the Avon-Heathcote estuary, its communities, clubs, controversies and contributions, p 173</p>	

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Kidson Terrace		Named after Charles Kidson (1867-1908).	Cashmere	Kidson was an art teacher, artist, craftsman and sculptor and lived in the Dyers Pass Road locality. First mentioned in The Press in 1911 when sections are advertised for sale there. First appears in street directories in 1912.		The Port Hills of Christchurch , pp 217-218 “ Advertisements ”, The Press, 29 May 1911, p 11	View the biography of Charles Kidson in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography . “ Obituary ”, Star, 2 October 1908, p 3
Kieran Grove			Aidanfield	In stages 8 and 9 of the Aidanfield subdivision where all the names are those of former Sisters of the Good Shepherd Order and former residents of the Good Shepherd Sisters Home at Halswell. Named in 2011.	Aidanfield	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 August 2011	Mount Magdala : 80 years of care...with a short history of the institution Pitch your tents on distant shores: a history of the Sisters of Good Shepherd in Australia, Aotearoa/New Zealand and Tahiti

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Kilbrannan Close		Named after Kilbrannan Sound. It separates the Kintyre Peninsula of Scotland from the island of Arran.	Broomfield	Named to continue the Scottish theme of the adjoining Kintyre subdivision. In the Masham Park subdivision. Named in 2009.		Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 10 March 2009	
Kilbride Gardens		Named after the Kilbride family.	Halswell	The Kilbrides were well-known market gardeners in the district. The name was suggested by a Mr Fensom, a Halswell resident with knowledge of the district. Named in 2003.		Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 6 August 2003	
Kildare Street		Named after Kildare, a town in County Kildare, Ireland.	Belfast, Northwood	In a group of streets given Irish place names. First appears in street directories in 1981.	Connemara Drive, Innisfree Street and Monaghan Street.		
Kilkivan Lane		Named after Kilkivan graveyard near		In Stage 6 and 7 of the Kintyre Estates subdivision, where		Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 17 March	

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		Campbeltown, Kintyre Peninsula, Argyll, Scotland.		streets are named after names and features in the locality of Kintyre in Scotland. Named in 2015.		2015 Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 17 March 2015	
Kilmarnock Street	Stafford Street was incorporated into Kilmarnock Street.	Named after the town in Ayrshire where the Deans family originated. Stafford Street was named after Edward William Stafford (1819-1901).	Riccarton	Kilmarnock Street is first mentioned in The Press in 1878 when 30 acres of land in the Riccarton Estate was subdivided and advertised for sale. First appears in street directories in 1906, running from the West Belt (later Deans Avenue) to Station Road (later Mona Vale Avenue) only. Stafford Street was incorporated into Kilmarnock Street on 27 September 1948. Stafford was Premier of New Zealand 1856-1861, 1865-1869 and		“ Advertisements ”, The Press, 2 August 1878, p 4 “Changes in Riccarton street names” The Press, 28 September 1948, p 6	View the biography of Edward William Stafford in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography .

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				1872. Stafford Street first appears in street directories in 1902. It ran from Straven Road to Station Road (later Mona Vale Avenue).			
Kilmore Street		Named after an Irish bishopric, Kilmore, near Cavan.	Christchurch Central	One of Christchurch's original streets named in 1850 by Captain Joseph Thomas (b. 1803?) and Edward Jollie (1825-1894). The names were taken from bishoprics listed in Burke's Peerage . John Robert Godley lived at Killegar Park, in County Leitrim, near Kilmore Cathedral. First mentioned in The Lyttelton Times in 1852 when 1/4 acre sections are advertised for sale there.		Reproduction of Edward Jollie's 1850 map of the proposed city. 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 The evolution of a	G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : 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 .

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						city , p 13 Early days of Canterbury , p 27 Old Christchurch in picture and story , pp 50-51 “Street names in Christchurch”, The Press, 6 December 1952, p 3	
Kilmuir Lane		Named after Kilmuir, a village on the Isle of Skye.	Harewood	The Skyedale subdivision was formed on land once part of the property of Ross Jason Macleod. His ancestral home was on the Isle of Skye and all the street names in his subdivision have their origins there. Named in 2004.	Applecross Lane	Fendalton/Waimairi Community Board agenda 31 August 2004	

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Kiltie Street		Named by Joseph Irvine Colligan (1910-1965).	Upper Riccarton	<p>Colligan, a hairdresser, was chairman of the Waimairi County Council 1960-1965. His cousin, Charles "Charlie" Gibson, lived at 40 Waimairi Road, opposite where Kiltie Street was formed. He was a member of the Caledonian Pipe Band, members of which wore a kilt when performing.</p> <p>Named in 1961.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1964.</p>		<p>Information supplied in 2004 by Aileen Colligan (d. 2010) in an interview with Margaret Harper.</p> <p>Waimairi County Council minutes book, 1961, CH357/50, p 1093, held at Christchurch City Council archives.</p>	<p>“Obituary, Mr J. L. Colligan was Waimairi chairman”, The Press, 3 July 1965, p 16</p>

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Kim Place		Named after Kim Novak (1933-).	Dallington	Kim Novak was one of America's most popular movie stars in the late 1950s. One of two streets named by Harry Morgan, a draughtsman with the Ministry of Works. First appears in street directories in 1957.	Ava Place	Information supplied in 2005 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.	
Kimbolton Lane			Huntsbury	Formed post-1997.	Broad Oaks		
Kimbrace Place			Belfast	The streets in the subdivision are named after South Island high-country runs. First appears in street directories in 1993.	Hossack Close, Pentland Drive, Shenley Avenue, Stable Way and Wendon Mews. Also Pentland.	“Landcorp to launch new subdivision”, The Press, 2 October 1990, p 24	

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King Edward Terrace		Named after King Edward VII (1841-1910).	Woolston	First appears in street directories in 1908. [In 1985, because of the Woolston Cut flood relief development, the council proposed that this street should disappear. This did not happen.]			"Street-name changes proposed in Woolston", The Press, 4 October 1985, p 5
King Street			Sydenham	First mentioned in the Star in 1879 when it is reported that a deputation from Sandridge told a meeting of the Sydenham Borough Council there was a sand hole in King Street 4 feet deep.		"Sydenham Borough Council" , Star, 4 March 1879, p 3	
Kingfisher Lane			Southshore	Developed by A. A. Debenham and Peter Clarkson. Named in 1978.		"Council not involved in subdivision", Pegasus Post, 1 November 1978, p 3	

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Kingsbridge Drive		Named after the King family who farmed on Travis Road, Burwood.	Burwood	King family members were George Robson King (1868-1945), his wife, Mary Ann "Polly" King, née Stevens, (1874-1958) and their daughter, Alice Maud Mary "Maudie" King (1899-1974). For many years, people passing by on the tram to North Beach would see the words M. A. King on the barn door. According to street directories, Maudie King was a dairy farmer at 88 Travis Road until 1970. She owned a large number of dogs which she fed on bread and milk.		Information supplied in 2007 by Ian and Norma Dixon in an interview with Margaret Harper. Meeting of the Burwood/Pegasus Community Board 4 June 1996	" Deaths ", The Press, 3 September 1945, p 1
				The street was named by Denis Whittington, the developer of the Brooker subdivision, at the suggestion of the Ryan brothers.			

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				Named in 1996.			
Kingsford Street	Kingloch Street and King Street were amalgamated to form Kingsford Street.	Named after Sir Charles Kingsford Smith (1897-1935).	Burwood, Dallington	<p>In 1895 the Avon Road Board was asked to metal a further portion of King Street, Windsor. King Street first appears in street directories in 1907, running from New Brighton Road to Mundys Road.</p> <p>Kingloch Street first appears in street directories in 1913, running from New Brighton Road to Alice Street.</p> <p>The two streets were amalgamated and re-named Kingsford Street by the Waimairi County Council on 8 February 1933 when the problem of duplicate names was addressed with a number of streets.</p> <p>Kingsford Smith was</p>	<p>Jean Batten Place, Mascot Place, Moncrieff Place, Tasman Place, Ulm Place and Viscount Place.</p> <p>Also Windsor.</p>	<p>"Road Boards", Star, 14 September 1895, p 5</p> <p>Waimairi County Council, minute book, 1931-1936, p 308, held at Christchurch City Council archives.</p> <p>"Re-naming of streets", The Press, 6 September 1932, p 7</p> <p>"Streets renamed", The Press, 9 February 1933, p 15</p>	

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				<p>Australia's greatest pioneer aviator. He and his co-pilot, Charles Ulm had made the first trans-Tasman flight from Sydney to Christchurch on 10 September 1928.</p> <p>Begins the aviation theme of street names in the area.</p>			

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Kingsley Street	Third Street	Formerly part of Third Street. The streets south of, and parallel to, Moorhouse Avenue were named in numerical order. Re-named Kingsley Street. Named after Charles Kingsley (1819-1875).	Sydenham	Third Street is first mentioned in the Star in 1873. Does not appear in street directories, only maps. On a 1879 map it is shown running from Harper Street (later Orbell Street) to Gasworks Road (later Waltham Road). From Hawford Street to Gasworks Road was re-named Kingsley Street. 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. Kingsley was the author of The Water Babies, Westward Ho etc.	Battersea Street	<p>“The Ferry Road Drain”, Star, 30 December 1873, p 3</p> <p>Plan of Christchurch and suburbs, 1879</p> <p>Sydenham : the model borough of old Christchurch : an informal history, p 82</p> <p>Report of the street naming committee, Sydenham Borough Council minute book 1879-1880, pp 217 & 315, held at Christchurch City Council archives.</p> <p>“Borough Council”, Star, 20 January 1880, p 3</p>	

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				Kingsley Street first appears in street directories in 1887.			
Kinleys Lane			St Albans	First appears in street directories in 1966.			
Kinloch Street		Probably named after Kinloch Rannoch, Perthshire in Scotland.	St Albans	First mentioned in the Star in 1908 when a property is advertised for sale there. First appears in street directories in 1909.		“Where to sell” , Star, 25 April 1908, p 7	

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Kinnaird Place		Named after Kinnaird, a house in Lincoln Road.	Hillmorton	Peter Duncan (1838-1907), a blacksmith, manufacturing engineer and founder of P & D Duncan Ltd., built the house in 1880 on 5 acres of land leased from the Church of England. The property, in turn, was named after a castle near Duncan's Brechin birthplace. At the time of his death he was living at a neighbouring property, Airdmhor. From the 1920s, Kinnaird was owned by David Bain of D. M. Bain & Sons until it was subdivided in the 1940s. Named in 1955.		<p>"Names chosen for streets", The Press, 20 September 1955, p 15</p> <p>"Along the road to Halswell", The Press, 11 September 1976, p 15</p>	<p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: D511</p> <p>"Obituary", The Press, 2 July 1897, p 5</p> <p>"Mr Peter Duncan", The Press, 5 February 1907, p 7</p> <p>View the biography of Peter Duncan in the Dictionary of New Zealand Biography. Airdmhor Montessori</p>
Kinrara Place			Halswell	First appears in street directories in 1981.			

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Kinsella Crescent		Named after Sister St Canice "Anne" Kinsella (1911-1990).	Halswell	<p>Sister Kinsella worked in New Zealand 1967-1973.</p> <p>The street names in the Aidanfield subdivision are those of former Sisters of the Good Shepherd Order and former residents of the Good Shepherd Sisters' Home at Halswell.</p> <p>Named in 2001.</p>	Aidanfield	<p>Biographical information supplied in 2007 by Fraser Faithfull, archivist with the Good Shepherd Provincialate in Abbotsford, Victoria in correspondence with Margaret Harper.</p> <p>Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 31 January 2001</p>	<p>Mount Magdala : 80 years of care...with a short history of the institution</p> <p>Pitch your tents on distant shores: a history of the Sisters of Good Shepherd in Australia, Aotearoa/New Zealand and Tahiti</p>

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Kinsey Terrace	Alexandra Terrace	<p>Formerly Alexandra Terrace. Named after HM Queen Alexandra (1844-1925), consort of Edward VII.</p> <p>Re-named Kinsey Terrace. Named after Sir Joseph Kinsey (1852-1936).</p>	Clifton	<p>Alexandra Terrace first appears in street directories in 1941.</p> <p>Re-named Kinsey Terrace on 1 September 1948 when 120 streets were re-named.</p> <p>Kinsey was the founder of Kinsey & Co. a shipping firm. He acted as attorney for Captain Scott, and later, Sir Ernest Shackleton. The Scotts stayed at Kinsey's home, Te Hau O Te Atuaa at 14 Kinsey Terrace, while in Christchurch in 1910, and from there Scott set off to the Antarctic. Kinsey was a keen gardener and his rockery was made of stone brought to New Zealand from Mount Erebus.</p>		<p>"Street names changed: City council approves final list", The Press, 24 August 1948, p 3</p> <p>"Charm and history", The Press, 17 February 1999, p 43</p> <p>"Historic house to be lost", The Press, 18 June 2005, p A2</p> <p>The Port Hills of Christchurch, pp 61-62</p>	<p>"Obituary", The Press, 6 May 1936, p 12</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>"Obituary", The Press, 6 May 1936, p 12</p>

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Kintyre Drive		Named after Kintyre, a peninsula situated on the south west coast of Scotland.	Broomfield	First appears in street directories in 1995.			
Kinver Place			Spreydon	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.	
Kipling Street	Mansfield Street and Hawkesbury Street.	Formerly Mansfield Street. Named after Kate Hickman Peacock, née Mansfield, (1835?-1894). Re-named Hawkesbury Street. Named after the Hawkesbury district in NSW,	Addington	Kate Peacock was the first wife of the Hon. John Thomas Peacock (1827-1905). Mansfield Street was developed through his property and named in 1899. Re-named Hawkesbury Street the same year, when the street was officially formed by the Sydenham Borough Council. Peacock was born in the Hawkesbury		<p>“Sydenham”, The Press, 10 January 1899, p 3</p> <p>“Death”, Star, 21 August 1894, p 2</p> <p>“Borough Councils”, Star, 22 August 1899, p 1</p> <p>“Local and General”, Star, 5 October 1909, p 2</p> <p>“Street naming”,</p>	<p>“The Hon. J. T. Peacock” The Press, 21 October 1905, p 4</p> <p>G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies: P234</p> <p>Report of the street naming committee, Sydenham Borough Council minute book 1879-1880, pp 217, held at Christchurch</p>

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		Australia. Re-named Kipling Street. Named after Rudyard Kipling (1865-1936).		district, New South Wales. Re-named Kipling Street in 1909. Kipling was an author and Nobel Laureate in Literature in 1907. He visited Christchurch in 1891, calling in at Coker's Hotel. Probably re-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.		The Press, 3 November 1909, p 3 "Just so, Mr Kipling", The Press, 7 February 2005, p A4	City Council archives. " Borough Council ", Star, 20 January 1880, p 3 " Rudyard Kipling ", Star, 4 November 1891, p 4 " Street names ", The Press, 6 October 1909, p 6 " Street names ", The Press, 13 September 1924, p 13

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Kirkwood Avenue	Carleton's Road and Carleton Road.	Formerly Carleton's Road and Carleton Road. Named after John Carleton (1840-1894), and his wife, Ann, of Ilam Farm. Re-named Kirkwood Avenue. Named after Archibald McKirdy Kirkwood (1863?-1935).	Upper Riccarton	Carleton's Road is shown on an 1864 map. The Carletons lived in a two-storey cob cottage and Carleton Road was originally the road into their property off Clyde Road. It was later connected through to Ilam Road and re-named Kirkwood Avenue by the Waimairi County Council on 8 February 1933. Kirkwood is a resident. Hannah Carleton (1878?-1969) married Archibald Kirkwood in 1908.		Riccarton, formerly central Avon Road District "Marriages", Star, 11 January 1909, p 3 Fendall's legacy: a history of Fendalton and north-west Christchurch , p 50 Waimairi County Council, minute book, 1931-1936, p 308, held at Christchurch City Council archives. "Re-naming of streets", The Press, 6 September 1932, p 7 "Streets renamed", The Press, 9 February 1933, p 15	"List of immigrants per Huntress", The Press, 23 April 1863, p 4 G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : C125 "Deaths", The Press, 3 September 1894, p 3 "Deaths", The Press, 24 January 1935, p 1

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Kirner Street		Named after Alexander Kirner (1912-1991).	Burwood	Kirner was a poultry farmer of 212 Burwood Road whose land was subdivided to form the street. First appears in street directories in 1968.			
Kirsten Place		Named after Kirsten Taylor.	Parklands	Kirsten Taylor is a daughter of Malcolm Taylor, a partner in the legal firm of Taylor Shaw. He was a member of the syndicate which developed this area. First appears in street directories in 1993.	Ingrid Place	Information supplied in 2004 by Linda Mauger in an interview with Margaret Harper.	
Kitchener Place		Named after Horatio Herbert Kitchener, the Earl of Khartoum, usually known as Lord Kitchener (1850-1916).	Opawa	Kitchener visited Christchurch in 1910. First mentioned in The Press in 1945. First appears in street directories in 1947.		“ Births ”, The Press, 20 March 1945, p 1	“ His arrival in Christchurch ”, The Press, 22 February 1910, p 7

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Kite Lane		Named because kite-flying is an activity regularly seen on the Avon/Heathcote Estuary.	Woolston	A right-of-way adjoining the Estuary. Developed at 1035 Ferry Road by J. Blennerhassett. 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	
Kiteroa Street		Kiteroa means: the long view.	Cashmere	First appears in street directories in 1995.			
Kittyhawk Avenue		Named after a type of aeroplane.	Wigram	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 2012.	Wigram Skies	Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 28 February 2012 Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 28 February 2012	Wigram Skies

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Kivers Lane		Named after Charles Kiver (1816-1882).	Central city	Kiver, a baker and grocer, owned the building on the corner of Cashel Street and Kivers Lane from January 1860. First appears in street directories in 1981.			G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies : K211 “ Deaths ” The Press. 14 January 1882, p 2
Klondyke Drive			Hornby South	The street names in this business subdivision have a Canadian theme. First appears in street directories in 1995.	Anchorage Road, Calgary Place, Canada Crescent, Edmonton Road, Prairie Place and Yukon Place.		
Knight Place	Knight Street	Named because the street runs off Princess Street.	Riccarton	In a development by the Ngāi Tahu Property Group. Knight Street was named in 2000. Re-named Knight Place.		Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 1 March 2000	

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Knightsbridge Lane		Named after the Knight family.	Aranui	The Knight family were early settlers in Aranui. The mother, Charlotte Knight (1842-1907), had a very large family – supposedly 24 in number – and, as well, she had a long battle with the New Brighton Tramway Company which wanted to stop the family from using their tram line (later Pages Road). First appears in street directories in 1980.	Pages Road	New Brighton scrapbooks, 1847-1940 Charlotte Knight Aranui centennial: souvenir programme “New Brighton signposts to the past”, Pegasus Post , 19 February 1975, p 2	“ A tramway blocked ”, Star, 15 May 1893, p 1 “ A New Brighton feud ”, Star, 22 March 1899, p 3 “ Obstructing the tram cars ”, Star, 17 January 1902, p 2 “ Deaths ”, Star, 23 December 1907, p 3
Knowles Street		Named after Canon Francis Knowles (1830-1916).	Mairehau, St Albans, Strowan.	Knowles was an Anglican diocesan secretary, registrar and treasurer. He arrived on the Travancore in 1851 and became the vicar of St. Mary’s Anglican Church, Merivale, 1872-1876. One of a number of streets with names with		St Albans: from swamp to suburbs: an informal history , p 20 Province of Canterbury, New Zealand : list of sections purchased to April 30 1863 , p 6 The Canterbury	The Blain Biographical Directory of Anglican Clergy in the Pacific “ Obituary ”, The Press, 12 September 1916, p 5

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				<p>Anglican associations, chosen when the Church Property Trustees sold their land. This was the first subdivision of Rural Section 243f, 100 acres in Papanui Road.</p> <p>Formed in 1906.</p> <p>First mentioned in the Star in 1907 when first-class building sites there are advertised for sale.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1908. Extended to Rutland Street in 1913.</p> <p>Final stretch to Philpotts Road was completed early 1950s.</p>		<p>church property : articles, p 43</p> <p>“Advertisements”, Star , 29 July 1907, p 2</p> <p>"Story of 700 acres of church property", The Press, 25 February 1947, p 6</p> <p>“Naming of streets in new subdivisions”, The Press, 1 November 1958, p 10</p>	

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Knox Street		Named after nearby Knox Church which in turn is named after the leader of the Protestant reformation in Scotland, John Knox (1514?-1572).	Central city	Runs from Bealey Avenue past Knox Presbyterian Church. First appears in street directories in 1981.			
Koareare Avenue		Named after koareare, the edible rhizome of the raupo, also known as the New Zealand bullrush.		Named in 2015.	Knights Stream Park	"Proposed road names for Knights Stream Park", Western News, 14 December 2015, p 5	Knights Stream Park

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Kohunga Crescent		Kohunga is a variety of harakeke or flax grown in the subdivision.	Marshland	In a further stage of the Prestons subdivision developed by Ngāi Tahu. Named in 2015.	Prestons	Burwood/Pegasus Community Board agenda 15 June 2015 "Polish settlers considered for Prestons street name", Pegasus Post, 15 June 2015, p 4	Prestons

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Konini Street	Konini Road	Named after the konini, the New Zealand native tree fuchsia.	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>Konini Road first appears in street directories in 1909.</p> <p>Konini Street appears on a 1912 map.</p>	Korari Street (re-named Daresbury Lane), Harakeke Street, Hinau Street, Matai Street, Puriri Street and Totara Street.	<p>"News of the day", The Press, 7 December 1892, p 4</p> <p>"Important sale of property", The Press, 20 September 1907, p 4</p> <p>Map of Christchurch shewing tram routes & public buildings, 1912</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>
Koreke Lane		Named after koreke, the now extinct New Zealand quail.		Named in 2015.	Knights Stream Park	"Proposed road names for Knights Stream Park", Western News, 14 December 2015, p 5	Knights Stream Park

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Koromiko Street	Rata Street		St Martins	<p>Rata Street is first mentioned in The Press in 1914 when land is advertised for sale there. The advertisement says one day Rata Street “will be the main thoroughfare from Gamblin’s Road to Hill’s Road”.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1922.</p> <p>Re-named Koromiko Street in 1943 because of confusion with Rata Street in Riccarton.</p> <p>Another suggestion was that it be re-named Huia Street.</p>		<p>“Advertisements”, The Press, 18 April 1914, p 17</p> <p>“Duplication of names”, The Press, 8 February 1936, p 13</p> <p>"General news", The Press, 2 February 1943, p 4</p> <p>“General news”, The Press, 23 February 1943, p 4</p> <p>“General news”, The Press, 16 March 1943, p 4</p>	

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Korowai Street		Named after Korowai, the first neighbourhood developed in the Prestons subdivision. This, in turn, is named after korowai which are Maori cloaks.	Marshland	In the second stage of the Prestons subdivision. Named by Ngāi Tahu, developer of the subdivision. Named in 2014.	Prestons	Burwood/Pegasus Community Board supplementary agenda 7 July 2014 Burwood Pegasus Community Board agenda 21 July 2014	Prestons

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Kotare Street	Pukako Terrace was incorporated into Kotare Street.		Fendalton	<p>An offer by Mr J. Deans to construct a road through the Riccarton Road Board's property to connect Clyde Road with Puriri Street was considered by the Board in 1909. The Riccarton Road Board office was in Clyde Road.</p> <p>Kotare Street is described as a "new" street in The Press in 1927 when the "5th part of the eighth subdivision of the Riccarton Estate" is advertised for sale by auction.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1929.</p> <p>The section from Clyde Road to Puriri Street was named Pukako Terrace 1929-1972 when it became part of Kotare Street.</p>		<p>“Riccarton's future”, Star, 29 January 1909, p 4</p> <p>"Sale of Riccarton sections", The Press, 24 March 1927, p 10</p>	

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Kotzikas Place		Named after Kypros Kotzikas (1944-).	Wigram	Kotzikas is managing director of United Fisheries. First appears in street directories in 1987.	United Fisheries building		"Exporter profile: meet Kypros Kotzikas", The Independent, 16 February 2005, p 19 "Gone fishing", The Press, 3 May 2014, p C2-C3
Kowhai Terrace	Part of Rata Street.		St Martins	A section of Rata Street was re-named Kowhai Terrace in 1926. First appears in street directories in 1928.		"Heathcote County Council" , The Press, 9 October 1926, p 16	
Kruger Road		Named after Kruger National Park in South Africa.	Halswell	In the Knights Stream Park subdivision where streets have been named with a common theme of World Heritage sites and national and major parks around the world.	Knights Stream Park		Knights Stream Park

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Kumai Place		Named after a galloper, Kumai.	Sockburn	Formed on a subdivision of the Riccarton Racecourse. First appears in street directories in 1993.		"More themes in street names", The Christchurch Mail , 23 February 1999, p 6	
Kumara Place		Named after Kumara, a town on the West Coast of New Zealand.	Hei Hei	In a subdivision where the streets are named after West Coast lakes and reservoirs. Formed post-1997.	Kaniere Avenue, Marymere Place, Moeraki Place and Okuku Place.		
Kydd Lane			Hornby	Developed at 40B Shands Road. Named in 2000.		Riccartern/Wigram Community Board agenda 31 May 2000	
Kyle Street		Named after Herbert Seton Stewart Kyle (1873-1955).	Riccartern	Kyle was a veterinarian and mayor of Riccarton 1925-1927 and 1955-1968 and Reform Party member of parliament for Riccarton 1925-1943. Named in 1938. First appears in street directories in 1946.	Seton Street	" General news ", The Press, 29 March 1938, p 8	"Death of Mr H. S. S. Kyle", The Press, 6 January 1955, p 10

