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<b>Dacre Street</b>		Named after Thomas Sydney Dacre (1883-1943).	Linwood	<p>Dacre, a barrister and solicitor, was instrumental in bringing about the amalgamation of North Linwood with the city of Christchurch in 1918. "All his life he was keenly interested in architecture and the development of the city. He roaded several blocks of land for building sites". He lived at 20 Linwood Avenue.</p> <p>Dacre Street is described as a "new" street in The Press in 1925.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1927.</p>		<p>"<a href="#">Advertisements</a>", The Press, 4 March 1925, p 16</p> <p>"<a href="#">Obituary, Mr T. S. Dacre</a>", The Press, 12 May 1943, p 5</p>	
<b>Dalgety Street</b>			Riccarton	<p>First appears in street directories in 1957.</p>			

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<b>DalGLISH Place</b>		Named after Douglas James DalGLISH (1901-1966).	Hoon Hay	<p>In a 145-acre housing subdivision planned by the housing division of the Ministry of Works. The land was purchased from the Church Property Trustees and the Loughnan estate.</p> <p>In 1968 the street names sub-committee of the council felt that as Halswell was named after a prominent English Queen's Counsel it would be appropriate to record the names of judges in street names there. Many of them had been QCs or KCs before appointment to the Bench.</p>	Alpers Place, Barrowclough Road, Callan Place, Fair Place, Haslam Crescent, Herdman Road, Leicester Crescent, McCarthy Street, Myers Place, Northcroft Road, O'Leary Street, Ostler Place, Salmond Road and Stanton Crescent.	"Judges' names", The Press, 17 September 1968, p 1	<p>"New Halswell subdivision", The Press, 8 December 1960, p 19</p> <p>"Hoon Hay subdivision provides 570 sections", The Press, 30 September 1964, p 1</p>

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<b>Dalkeith Street</b>		Named after Dalkeith, at 99 Hoon Hay Road.	Hoon Hay	This was a property farmed by the Weir family. Walter Henry Weir (1877-1935) was living there at the time of his death.  First appears in street directories in 1951.	Weir Place	" <a href="#">Deaths</a> ", The Press, 7 August 1935, p 1	" <a href="#">Obituary</a> ", The Press, 24 August 1935, p 25
<b>Dallas Street</b>	Edward Street	Formerly Edward Street. Named after Edward Mulcock (1837-1915).  Re-named Dallas Street. Named after William Dallas Bean (1865-1955).	Riccarton	Edward Street first appears in street directories in 1908. Mulcock owned the land where this street was formed.  Re-named Dallas Street on 27 September 1948.  Bean, a teacher of Southbrook, married firstly, in 1891, Thurza Ann Mulcock (1866?-1920), and later, in 1923, Thirza Olivia Thompson (1884?-1959).	Elizabeth Street, George Street, Maxwell Street and Peverel Street.	Information on naming of Edward Street supplied by Paul Mulcock in 2008 in an interview with Margaret Harper.  " <a href="#">Marriages</a> ", The Press. 21 January 1891, p 3  "Changes in Riccarton street names," The Press, 28 September 1948, p 6	<a href="#">The old schoolmaster's house, Belfast</a>  " <a href="#">Obituary</a> ", The Press, 4 August 1915, p 6

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Dalleys Lane		Named after the Dalley family.	Lyttelton	<p>William Henry Dalley (1837?-1913) was living on Voelas Road in 1894.</p> <p>Charles Thomas Dalley (1863-1919), a blacksmith and fitter, worked for the railways. He was living at the corner of Dalleys Lane and Voelas Street in 1900.</p> <p>Declared by the Lyttelton Borough Council to be a public street from 1 August 1898.</p> <p>First appears in street directories with residents listed in 1950.</p>		<p>“<a href="#">Advertisements</a>”, The Press, 18 June 1898, p 10</p>	<p>“<a href="#">Death</a>”, Star, 19 December 1894, p 2</p>

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<b>Dallington Terrace</b>	Continuation of River Road.	Named because it runs through the suburb of Dallington which, in turn, was named by Henry Joseph Campbell Jekyll (1844-1913) after a family estate in Northamptonshire.	Dallington	River Road from Dallington bridge to McBratneys Road was re-named Dallington Terrace by the Waimairi County Council in 1926.  First appears in street directories in 1928.	Dallington	<a href="#">Early Dallington</a> , p 10  " <a href="#">Burwood Progressive Association</a> ", The Press, 25 January 1926, p 6	<a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : D472  " <a href="#">Dallington</a> ", The Press, 4 January 1913, p 5
<b>Dalriada Street</b>		Named after Dalriada, a house on the corner of Blighs Road and St James Park Road (later St James Avenue). In 1912 the house was at 19 St James Park Road.	Papanui	Dalriada was the first two-storey dwelling built in Papanui. It was built by John Cooke, manager of the New Zealand Loan & Mercantile Company, in the early 1880s. In 1882 his wife gave birth to a son at Dalriada, Papanui. In 1884 Mrs Cooke, Dalriada, Bligh's Road, Papanui advertises in the Star for "a general servant, competent to undertake plain cooking". The family moved to		" <a href="#">Birth</a> ", Otago Daily Times, 24 February 1882, p 2  " <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ", Star, 30 April 1884, p 2  " <a href="#">Auctioneer's report</a> ", The Press, 22 April 1885, p 4  " <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ", The Press, 13 August 1885, p 4  " <a href="#">Property sale</a> ", The	" <a href="#">Local &amp; General</a> ", Star, 25 June 1889, p 3  " <a href="#">A good send off</a> ", Grey River Argus, 12 July 1889, p 2  " <a href="#">Marriages</a> ", The Press, 22 April 1912, p 1  " <a href="#">Obituary</a> ", The Press, 6 September 1920, p 5  <a href="#">G R Macdonald</a>

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				<p>Australia in 1889.</p> <p>For a time the property was let to the 4th Earl of Bantry (1854-1891) and then William Stuart Crichton (1851?-1933).</p> <p>In 1891 the property was sold to David Morrow (1837-1920), an importer of McCormack-Deering farm machinery. The estate was subdivided in 1928 and the house demolished in 1930.</p> <p>Name suggested by the Papanui Progress League in 1932.</p> <p>Officially named by the City Council in 1934 "after the Morrow estate from which the land was secured".</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1936.</p>		<p>Press, 24 January 1891, p 4</p> <p>"<a href="#">Advertisements</a>", Star, 12 December 1893, p 3</p> <p>"<a href="#">Papanui Progress League</a>", The Press, 21 January 1932, p 9</p> <p>"<a href="#">Papanui news</a>", The Press, 19 May 1934, p 8</p> <p>"<a href="#">City Council</a>", The Press, 19 June 1934, p 3</p> <p>"<a href="#">Papanui Progress League</a>", The Press, 21 June 1934, p 3</p>	<p><a href="#">dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: M648</p> <p>"<a href="#">Papanui news</a>", The Press, 5 July 1930, p 6</p>

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<b>Dalweny Lane</b>		Named after Dalweny, the Cracroft Wilson's family farm in Amberley.	Cracroft	The last 30 sections of the Cracroft Wilson family estate, at 60 Worsleys Road, were auctioned on 8 December 2007.  Named in 2004.	Cashmere	<a href="#">Spreydon/Heathcote Community Board agenda 7 September 2004</a>  <a href="#">Report of the Spreydon/Heathcote Community Board to the Council meeting of 23 September 2004</a>	"Cracroft sections sell fast", The Press, 12 December 2007, p C22  View the biography of <a href="#">John Cracroft Wilson</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a> .
<b>Dalwood Drive</b>		Named after Harold Pettman Dalwood (1893-1931).	Wigram	Dalwood was an indent merchant from Christchurch. He graduated from the Canterbury Flying School on 26 November 1917.  In the Wigram Aerodrome subdivision by Ngāi Tahu Property Ltd where the street names are either of aircraft or taken from the list of the first 100 students at the Flight School established by Sir Henry Wigram in 1917.  Named in 2010.	Wigram Skies	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 1 June 2010</a>	Great Britain, Royal Aero Club Aviators' Certificates, 1910-1950 as found on <a href="http://www.ancestry.com">www.ancestry.com</a>  <a href="#">The Canterbury (NZ) Aviation Co. Ltd: the first one hundred pilots</a>  <a href="#">Wigram Skies</a>

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<b>Dalziel Place</b>		Named after Jean Dalziel Mauger (1908-1996).	Woolston	Jean Mauger was the mother of developer, Warner Mauger. Named in 1997.		Information supplied in 2006 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.	
<b>Damien Place</b>			Bromley	Named on 15 March 1961. First appears in street directories in 1962.		Information on date of naming in a letter sent to the City Librarian from the Town Clerk dated 17 March 1961.	



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<b>Dampier Street</b>	Harper Street	Formerly Harper Street. Named after Henry John Chitty Harper (1804-1893).  Re-named Dampier Street. Named after Christopher Edward Dampier (1801-1871).	Avondale, Woolston	Harper Street first appears in street directories in 1887. Bishop Harper was the first Anglican Bishop of Christchurch 1856-1889.  Dampier Street is first mentioned in The Press in 1909 in a report of a meeting of the Woolston Borough Council.  Dampier was a lawyer and solicitor to the Canterbury Association. He arrived on the Phoebe Dunbar with the Association's documents. He had bought Rural Section 33, 50 acres on the "North Bank Avon, near (Barbadoes) Cemetery".		<a href="#">Province of Canterbury, New Zealand : list of sections purchased to April 30 1863</a> , p 1  "Rural Sections chosen", The Lyttelton Times, 8 March 1851, p 3  "News of the day", The Press, 10 December 1909, p 6	View the biography of <a href="#">Henry John Chitty Harper</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a> .  <a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : D39

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Daniels Road		Named after Joseph Daniel (1827?-1874) and his family.	Redwood	<p>Daniels Road is first mentioned in the Star in 1868 where it is called Daniels' Accommodation Road.</p> <p>Daniels Road is first mentioned in street directories in 1901. Edwin Daniel, a farmer and son of Joseph, is listed there living on the intersection of Daniels Road and Grimseys Road.</p> <p>Daniels Road first appears as a separate listing in 1903.</p>		<p>“<a href="#">Local and General</a>”, Star, 28 October 1868, p 2</p> <p><a href="#">Settling near the Styx River</a>, pp 169-172</p>	<p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: D42</p>

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<b>Daresbury Lane</b>	Korari Street	Formerly Korari Street. Named after korari, a native New Zealand flax plant, Phormium tenax.  Re-named Daresbury Lane. Named after Daresbury, a house in Fendalton Road with another entrance off Daresbury Lane.	Fendalton	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.  Named in 1892 when John Deans (1853-1902) split up 150 acres of the Deans Estate into 105 lots which were auctioned.  Korari Street first appears in street directories in 1911.  Re-named Daresbury Lane in 1962. Daresbury is a 50-room house, originally on 25 acres, built between 1897 and 1901 for George Humphreys (1848-1934).	Harakeke Street, Hinau Street, Konini Street, Matai Street, Puriri Street and Totara Street.	" <a href="#">News of the day</a> ", The Press, 7 December 1892, p 4  <a href="#">Fendall's legacy: a history of Fendalton and north-west Christchurch</a> , pp 121 & 157	<a href="#">Living with the past: historical buildings of the Waimairi District</a> , p 36  View the biography of <a href="#">John Deans</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a> .  " <a href="#">Obituary</a> ", The Press, 20 June 1902, p 2  <a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : H871  " <a href="#">Obituary</a> ", The Press, 8 March 1934, p 7

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<b>Daring Lane</b>		Named after the Daring, a 35 ton schooner.	Redcliffs	Continues the theme in the subdivision of naming streets after the small boats and scows that used to cross the Sumner bar from Lyttelton and deliver goods to Sumner and Ferrymead and up the Heathcote River. Named in 2003.	Gazelle Lane and Rifleman Lane.	<a href="#">Hagley/Ferrymead Community Board Agenda 3 September 2003</a>	<a href="#">New Zealand shipwrecks : 195 years of disaster at sea</a> , p 89
<b>Darjeeling Lane</b>		Named after Darjeeling, a district in the state of West Bengal in India.	Cashmere	One of the streets in Cashmere given the name of a place in India. Formed post-1997.	Bengal Drive, Chittagong Lane, Darjeeling Place, Delhi Place, Indira Lane, Jahan Lane, Lucknow Place, Nabob Lane, Nehru Place, Sasaram Lane and Shalamar Drive. Also Cashmere.	<a href="#">The Port Hills of Christchurch</a> , p 241	“Indians of Cashmere”, The Press, 18 July 2009, p D9

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<b>Darley Street</b>			Somerfield	Named in 1931 at the suggestion of the trustees in the estate of J. L. Scott.  First appears in street directories in 1936.		" <a href="#">General news</a> ", The Press, 20 October 1931, p 8	
<b>Darroch Street</b>	Wilson's Road	Formerly Wilson's Road. Named after William Marshall Wilson (1857-1936).  Re-named Darroch Street.	Belfast	Wilson subdivided Rural Section 1234, 27 acres on the "North Road, Waimakariri", land originally bought by J. E. Thacker, and Wilson's Road was formed.  Wilson had been born on Rural Section 430, 50 acres also on the "North Road, Waimakariri", land bought by his father, Robert Wilson (1818-1890), and R. G. Chaney. Wilson, a farmer, was also involved in establishing a glass factory at Chaney's Corner.  Darroch Street first appears in street directories in 1962.		<a href="#">Province of Canterbury, New Zealand : list of sections purchased to April 30 1863</a> , p 11 <a href="#">Settling near the Styx River</a> , pp 125-128  <a href="#">A history of the Belfast Schools, 1859-1978</a> , p 13	<a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : W603

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<b>Darvel Street</b>	Edinburgh Street	Formerly Edinburgh Street. Named after Edinburgh in Scotland.  Re-named Darvel Street. Named after Darvel Street in Kilmarnock, Ayrshire, Scotland.	Riccarton	Edinburgh Street first appears 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 1900.  Re-named Darvel Street on 12 May 1941 because there is an Edinburgh Street in Spreydon. A complaint had been made about the duplicate names in 1930. The new name continued the theme of naming Riccarton streets after places in Ayrshire, Scotland, from whence the Deans family originated.	Riccarton	<a href="#">Riccarton, the founding borough: a short history, Canterbury's founding settlement</a> , pp 87 & 150  “ <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ”, The Press, 2 August 1878, p 4  “ <a href="#">Athletics</a> ”, The Press, 29 April 1930, p 9  “ <a href="#">Freyberg Street</a> ”, The Press, 29 April 1941, p 8	

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<b>Date Crescent</b>		Named after John Date.	Halswell	Date was the Aidanfield Board chairman in 2006. Named in 2006.		<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board transport and roading committee agenda 26 May 2006</a>	
<b>Davaar Crescent</b>		Named after Davaar Island or Island Davaar, located at the mouth of Campbeltown Loch off the east coast of Kintyre in Argyll and Bute, Scotland.	Broomfield	Named to continue the Scottish theme of the Kintyre Estates subdivision. Named in 2012.	Kintyre Estates	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 16 October 2012</a>	

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<b>Dave Jamieson Lane</b>		Named after Dave Jamieson.	Middleton	<p>Jamieson was one of the most influential horticulturalists involved in the establishment of the gardens at Sunnyside. At his request the name David was changed to Dave, as this is the name he uses.</p> <p>A right-of-way in the second stage of a Ngai Tahu subdivision developed on the site of the former Sunnyside Hospital.</p> <p>Named in 2007.</p>	Linden Grove	<a href="#">Spreydon/Heathcote Community Board Agenda 18 September 2007</a>	



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<b>David Buist Crescent</b>		Named after David Noel Buist (1939-2009).	Halswell	<p>Buist served as a Christchurch city councillor 1989-2001.</p> <p>Named to honour his long-standing services to the district and to the city of Christchurch.</p> <p>Continues the theme of naming streets after local body politicians, one of several themes used in the subdivision.</p> <p>In Stage 6 of the Longhurst subdivision.</p> <p>Named in 2014.</p>	Longhurst	<p><a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 April 2014</a></p> <p><a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board 6 May 2014 agenda</a></p>	<p>"Always popular for attitude and caring nature", The Press, 4 July 2009, p D17</p> <p><a href="#">Longhurst</a></p>

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<b>David Palmer Street</b>		Named after David Maxwell Palmer (1937?-1993).	Marshland	Palmer, a lawyer, was a partner in the firm of Weston, Ward and Lascelles. He and Paul Temm QC represented Ngai Tahu in its claims before the Waitangi Tribunal. He was honoured with a tangi at Tuahiwi marae in recognition of his services and support to the tribe.  In the second stage of the Prestons subdivision. Named by Ngai Tahu, developer of the subdivision.  Named in 2014.	Prestons	<a href="#">Burwood/Pegasus Community Board supplementary agenda 7 July 2014</a>  <a href="#">Burwood Pegasus Community Board agenda 21 July 2014</a>	<a href="#">Prestons</a> "Mr David Maxwell Palmer", The Press, 15 October 1993, p 4
<b>Da Vinci Lane</b>		Named after Leonard di ser Piero da Vinci (1452-1519).	Burnside	Da Vinci was an Italian artist.  One of three streets running off Chateau Drive and given the name of an artist.  First appears in street directories in 1995.	Hogarth Lane and Matisse Place.		

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<b>Davis Place</b>			Woolston	First appears in street directories in 1946.			
<b>Dawe Street</b>			Mairehau	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.  Named on 24 June 1948.  First appears in street directories in 1950.	Emmetts block	Waimairi County Council minute book, January 1947-February 1949, pp 512 & 571 held at Christchurch City Council archives.  "Major housing development in the Shirley district", The Press, 31 March 1953, p 3	

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<b>Dawson Street</b>	David Street, Carter's Lane and Carters Street.	Formerly Carters Street. Named after James Carter (1862-1939).  Re-named Dawson Street.	Central city	Appears on an 1875 map as David Street.  By 1883 it is listed as Carter's Lane. It was taken over by the city council that same year becoming Carters Street. Carter, a carrier, was born on the ship Echunga. He is listed as a resident of the street in 1885.  Re-named Dawson Street officially on 27 September 1915 after a petition was received by Christchurch City Council asking that the name of Carter's Lane be changed.  Not recognised as a public street by the Christchurch City Council until 1960.		<p><a href="#">Plan of the city of Christchurch, Canterbury, New Zealand. 1875</a></p> <p>“<a href="#">City Council</a>”, Star, 26 June 1883, p 4</p> <p>"<a href="#">City Council</a>", The Press, 14 September 1915, p 4</p> <p>“<a href="#">General news</a>,” The Press, 28 September 1915, p 6</p> <p>"General news", The Press, 17 March 1960, p 12</p>	

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<b>Days Road</b>		Named after George Frederick Day (1827-1909).	Lyttelton	Day landed in Wellington and squatted at Day's Bay. He then went to Lyttelton and worked on developing the Sumner Road. His son, Joe, was a pilot who had a signal station on Cave Rock.  Declared by the Lyttelton Borough Council to be a public street from 1 August 1898.  First appears in street directories in 1928.		" <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ", The Press, 18 June 1898, p 10	<a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : D153  " <a href="#">Obituary</a> ", The Press, 26 August 1909, p 8  <a href="#">Canterbury Block Pre-Adamites</a>
<b>Daytona Place</b>		Named after the Daytona International Speedway in Florida.	Parklands	First appears in street directories in 1978.			

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<b>Deacon Street</b>		Named after Roger Deacon.	Halswell	Deacon was a brewer. In a later stage of the Longhurst subdivision where the streets are named after members of the Canterbury Militia of 1860. Named in 2012.	Longhurst	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 16 October 2012</a>	<a href="#">Christchurch Militia List 1860</a> "Advertisements", The Lyttelton Times, 6 June 1860, p 6 <a href="#">Longhurst</a>
<b>Deal Street</b>		Named after Gordon Powell Deal (1898-1957).	Wigram	Deal was the manager of a Southland sheep run. He graduated from the Canterbury Flying School on 8 June 1918.  In the Wigram Aerodrome subdivision by Ngai 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	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 4 September 2012</a>	Great Britain, Royal Aero Club Aviators' Certificates, 1910-1950 as found on <a href="http://www.ancestry.com">www.ancestry.com</a>  <a href="#">The Canterbury (NZ) Aviation Co. Ltd: the first one hundred pilots</a>  <a href="#">Wigram Skies</a>

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<b>Deans Avenue</b>	West Belt and West Town Belt. Also part of Rolleston Avenue for a time.	Named after the Deans family.	Riccarton	<p>Named by the Canterbury Association surveyors who laid out the boundaries of the original city within roadways called "belts" or "town belts". The other three Town Belts were re-named in 1904. The suggestion to re-name the West Belt, Deans Avenue was also made in 1904.</p> <p>Officially re-named "Deans's Avenue" by the Riccarton Borough Council in 1915. Appears in 1917 street directories as "West Belt, see Deans Avenue".</p> <p>West Belt from "Moorhouse Avenue to Fendalton and the Carlton bridge" was re-named Rolleston Avenue in 1905. In 1906 it is West Belt again.</p>	Avon River and Riccarton, also Bealey Avenue, Fitzgerald Avenue and Moorhouse Avenue.	<p><a href="#">Plan of the city of Christchurch (Selwyn county) Canterbury, New Zealand, 1883. Map</a></p> <p><a href="#">Riccarton, the founding borough: a short history, Canterbury's founding settlement</a>, various pages</p> <p><a href="#">The evolution of a city</a>, p 14</p> <p><a href="#">"Re-naming the Belts"</a>, The Press, 12 January 1904, p 6</p> <p><a href="#">"Borough Councils"</a>, The Press, 23 November 1915, p 5</p>	<p>View the biography of <a href="#">Jane Deans</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a>.</p> <p>View the biography of <a href="#">John Deans</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a>.</p> <p>View the biography of <a href="#">William Deans</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a></p> <p>"Chch can look better", The Press, 30 June 2005, p. A9</p>

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<b>Dearsley Street</b>		Named after William Dearsley (1821-1904).	Phillipstown	<p>Dearsley, a labourer, arrived in Lyttelton in 1855 on the Grasmere. He is listed in street directories living on Cashel Street where he had a small farm.</p> <p>Dearsley Street is first mentioned in the Star in 1884. Made a public street in 1894.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1900.</p>		<p>“<a href="#">Linwood Town Board</a>”, Star, 30 January 1884, p 4</p> <p>“<a href="#">Linwood Town Board</a>”, Star, 18 September 1894, p 4</p>	<p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: D185</p>
<b>Deavoll Place</b>		Named after Daniel Deavoll (1858?-1929).	Heathcote Valley	<p>Deavoll was a carpenter who lived at 123 Bridle Path Road. He named his son, Daniel Stanley Heathcote Deavoll (1898-1974).</p> <p>The family’s fourth generation was still resident in the Heathcote Valley at the time the street was named in 2003.</p>		<p><a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 6 August 2003</a></p>	<p><a href="#">The Port Hills of Christchurch</a>, p 138</p>



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<b>De Blöge Place</b>		Named by and after Frederick "Fred" Sidney Blogg (1922-2005).	Burwood	<p>Named in error as an historical family name of the developer, Fred Blogg. The correct name should have been Blogge.</p> <p>In later years residents requested a name change. Fred Blogg met with them and discussed the history of the name and convinced residents to keep it unchanged. (Interestingly, Blogg had little or no knowledge of his family history.)</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1981.</p>		<p>Information supplied in 2007 by Tim Baker in an interview with Margaret Harper.</p> <p>Extra information supplied in 2008 by Kevin Blogg in an interview with Margaret Harper.</p>	<p>"Foremost developer and donor", The Press, 22 October 2005, p D19</p>

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<b>De Courcy Place</b>		Named after John De Courcy Hanafin (1920-2006).	Avondale	<p>Hanafin was a Drainage Board member and Christchurch City councillor 1989-1992.</p> <p>The Christchurch Drainage Board owned an area of low-lying land in Avondale which they filled up with dredgings from the river so the land could be subdivided and built on.</p> <p>The Board named the streets formed there and former board and staff members of the Drainage Board were among those honoured in the naming of streets. At the time of naming it was intended to have 11 streets and cul-de-sacs in the new subdivision.</p> <p>Named on 21 November 1984.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1987.</p>	Gertrude Place, Hunt Lane, Mervyn Place, Ogilvie Place, Scoular Place and Waddell Lane.	<p>Information supplied in 2007 by Paul Baldwin, Christchurch City Council in an interview with Margaret Harper.</p> <p>"Board may restrict sewage flows", The Press, 29 November 1984</p>	<p>"Former councillor dies after crash", The star weekender, 21 July 2006, p A1</p> <p><a href="#">Christchurch swamp to city: a short history of the Christchurch Drainage Board 1875-1989</a>, p 90 &amp; pp 92-93</p> <p>"Subdivision auctioned", The Press, 20 February 1984</p> <p>"Property market", The Press, 2 June 1984</p>

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<b>Dee Street</b>		Named after the English River Dee.	Mairehau, St Albans	First appears in street directories in 1896. First mentioned in the Star in 1900 in a report of a meeting of the St Albans Borough Council. An opinion was read "from Messrs Duncan & Cotterill as to whether Tay Street and Dee Street were public roads".	Severn Street	" <a href="#">Borough Councils</a> ", Star , 26 June 1900, p 1	
<b>Deejay Lane</b>		Named after Desmond Joseph Soper (1919-1993).	Spreydon	Soper was a builder. Named in 2006.		<a href="#">Hagley/Ferrymead Community Board agenda 20 December 2006</a>	

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<b>Deepdale Street</b>		Named after Deepdale in Preston, Lancashire, England.	Burnside	About 1963 Waimairi County Council minuted a policy that all its streets be named after English place names.  In a subdivision by Maurice F. Carter Ltd.  First appears in street directories in 1964.		“Street names”, <a href="#">The Papanui Herald</a> , 17 April 1973, p 9  Information supplied in 2008 by Maurice Carter (d. 2011) in an interview with Margaret Harper.	“Maurice Carter leaves behind immense legacy”, <a href="#">The Press</a> , 10 May 2011, p A3
<b>Deerwood Lane</b>			Wigram	Continues the theme in the Broken Run subdivision of naming streets after high country farms.  Named in 2015.	Broken Run	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 16 December 2014</a>  <a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 3 February 2015</a>	

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<b>Defender Lane</b>			Redcliffs	<p>Leslie Egnot was one of the first women to helm an America's Cup yacht. She named streets in the Redcliffs subdivision to create an America's Cup theme.</p> <p>One of two smaller streets in the second stage of the development.</p> <p>Formed post-1997.</p>	Challenger Lane. Also Egnot Heights.	"Egnot opens subdivision", The Press, 2 October 1995, p 5	

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<b>Defoe Place</b>	Part of Cecil Street.	Named after Daniel Defoe (1660-1731).	Waltham	<p>Maps in street directories in 1983 show Cecil Street split into two, the section between Brougham Street and Shakespeare Road becoming Defoe Place and the section between Hastings Street and Brougham Street becoming Cecil Place.</p> <p>Defoe was the author of Robinson Crusoe and Moll Flanders. Probably named to continue the theme of “poets and writers” streets of Sydenham, Addington and Waltham named by a committee of the Sydenham Borough Council on 19 January 1880.</p>	Cecil Place		<p>Report of the street naming committee, Sydenham Borough Council minute book 1879-1880, p 217, held at Christchurch City Council archives.</p> <p>“<a href="#">Borough Council</a>”, Star, 20 January 1880, p 3</p>

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<b>De Havilland Street</b>		Named after the De Havilland Aircraft Company which was founded in 1920 by Geoffrey de Havilland.	Hornby	Named because it was formed near the RNZAF station at Wigram.  First appears in street directories in 1960. No residents are listed until 1964.			“Naming of streets in new subdivisions”, The Press, 1 November 1958, p 10
<b>De Lange Street</b>			Hornby	First appears in street directories in 1979.			
<b>Delaware Crescent</b>		Probably named after the state of Delaware, a state of the United States of America, which in turn is named after Thomas West, 3rd Baron de la Warr (1577-1618).	Russley	First appears in street directories in 1976.			

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<b>Delhi Place</b>		Named after the capital city of India, which from 1911 was named New Delhi.	Cashmere	One of the streets in Cashmere given the name of a place in India.  First appears in street directories in 1991.	Bengal Drive, Chittagong Lane, Darjeeling Place, Delhi Place, Indira Lane, Jahan Lane, Lucknow Place, Nabob Lane, Nehru Place, Sasaram Lane and Shalamar Drive.  Also Cashmere.	<a href="#">The Port Hills of Christchurch</a> , p 241	“Indians of Cashmere”, The Press, 18 July 2009, p D9
<b>Dellow Place</b>		Named after Albert Dellow (1906-1995).	Spreydon	Dellow, a building inspector for the Christchurch City Council, lived at 55 Evesham Crescent where this street was developed.  First appears in street directories in 1970.			



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<b>Deloraine Street</b>			Somerfield	Named on 29 March 1956. [An earlier name tentatively approved but not pursued was Delamain Street.]		"New street names", The Press, 2 April 1956, p 7	
<b>Denali Street</b>		Named after Denali National Park & Reserve in Alaska.	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		<a href="#">Knights Stream Park</a>
<b>Denley Gardens</b>		Named after Denis John Anthony Gilmour and his wife, Lesley Anne Gilmour.	Avonhead	The Gilmours lived at 66 Avonhead Road. They developed the street and the name combines their first names.  First appears in street directories in 1995.		Information supplied by Bede Cosgriff (d. 2011) in 2008 in an interview with Margaret Harper.	"The grandeur of trees", The Press, 20 March 2002, p 49

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<b>Denman Street</b>	Denham Street	Named after Edward Denham (1834-1925).	Sumner	Denham was a mayor of Sumner in the early 1900s. Sections for sale in Denham Street, “close to Lyttelton Road”, are advertised in the Star in 1905.  The street appears as Denham Street in 1906 street directories but the name was misspelt during a later street naming project.		<a href="#">Sumner-Redcliffs Historical Society</a> “ <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ”, Star, 21 November 1905, p 3	“ <a href="#">Obituary</a> ”, The Press, 10 February 1925, p. 10 <a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : D209
<b>Denniston Crescent</b>		Named after John Geoffrey Denniston (1890-1965).	Redwood	Denniston was a master at <a href="#">Christ’s College</a> 1912, 1919-1925.  One of the streets in Redwood formed on land belonging to <a href="#">Christ’s College</a> .  First appears in street directories in 1977.	Creese Place, Goodall Place, Jenkins Avenue, Lowry Avenue, Monteath Place, Murchison Avenue, Pyatt Place, Solomon Avenue, Strack Place and Wakelin Place.	“West-Watson Park”, The Press, 14 September 1957, p 4	

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<b>Dennitt Street</b>			New Brighton	First mentioned in The Press in 1912 when an auction sale there is advertised.  First appears in street directories in 1919.		" <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ", The Press, 14 September 1912, p 20	
<b>Denvir Street</b>		Named after John Denvir (1913-1973).	Strowan	Denvir was a soldier, prisoner-of-war and partisan leader during World War II. He worked for a time as a storeman in Christchurch.  Developed in a state housing subdivision in Bryndwr.  Named on 4 December 1944.  First appears in street directories in 1947.		" <a href="#">General news</a> ", The Press, 5 December 1944, p 4	View the biography of <a href="#">John Denvir</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a> .  "Obituary", Evening Post, 12 March 1973, p 5

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Derby Street	George Street	Formerly George Street. Named after George Gould (1823-1889).  Re-named Derby Street. Probably named after Derby, a city in the East Midlands of England.	St Albans	Gould was a merchant and philanthropist. His executors sub-divided his estate, Hambleton, in the 1890s and formed George Street. It ran from the present-day Onslow Street to Springfield Road.  George Street is first mentioned in The Press in 1891 when the executors of Gould's estate told the St Albans Borough Council that a road was to be made through his Hambleton property from Springfield Road to Onslow Street and asking on what terms the council would "accept the dedication".  First appears in street directories in 1896.	Onslow Street	<a href="#">St Albans: from swamp to suburb: an informal history</a> , pp 10-11  "St Albans", The Press, 17 March 1891, p 3  "Re-naming streets", The Press, 8 March 1904, p 5  Report of the street naming committee, Christchurch City Council, June 1903-October 1904, held at Christchurch City Council archives.	<a href="#">George Gould "In Memoriam"</a> , Star, 28 March 1889, p 2
				Re-named Derby Street on 7 March 1904. Among a number of streets re-named			

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				in 1904 and given the names of place-names in the United Kingdom.			
<b>Derek Anderson Place</b>		Named after Derek Andrew Anderson (1932-).	Halswell	Anderson was a Riccarton borough councillor for 24 years and a Christchurch city councillor for 6 years.  Continues the theme in the subdivision of naming streets after former councillors and community board members.  The last road to be constructed in the Longhurst subdivision.  Named in 2015.	Longhurst	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 14 July 2015</a>  <a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 4 August 2015</a>	<a href="#">Longhurst</a> “Road name approved”, Western News, 20 July 2015, p 3
<b>Derenzy Place</b>		Named after Thomas de Renzy Harman (1861-1950).	Avonhead	Harman was the founder of the legal firm Harman & Co. The street was named after several suggestions had been rejected by the Waimairi District Council as being unsuitable. Suggestions had included Ribena Place,		Information supplied in 2006 by Maurice Neate, developer and Ian White, former subdivisions officer and county surveyor for the Waimairi District Council in an	“Obituary”, The Press, 24 April 1950, p 8

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				<p>because the street was formed on land where berry fruits had been grown by the Harrow family, and Pleiades Place, because the grandfather of developer Maurice Neate had been born at sea on the ship Pleiades and been named after it. Derenzy Place was decided on as it was the middle name of the founder of the law firm which acted for the developers. De Renzy was the maiden name of his mother, Emma.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1991.</p>		<p>interview with Margaret Harper.  <a href="#">“Mr R. J. S. Harman”</a>,                      Star, 27 November 1902, p 3</p>	

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<b>Derrett Place</b>		Named after Selwyn Noel Ellison Derrett (b. 1908) and his wife, Valarie Zoraide Evelyn Derrett (1916-1991).	St Martins	Derrett was farming at 200 Fifield Terrace in 1950 and his wife was running the Wharema Convalescent Home in Opawa. The street was formed on a subdivision of their land.  First appears in street directories in 1950.			
<b>Derwent Street</b>		Named after the River Derwent, Cumbria.	Bryndwr	About 1963 Waimairi County Council minuted a policy that all its streets be named after English place names.  In a subdivision by Maurice F. Carter Ltd.  First appears in street directories in 1962.		“Street names”, <a href="#">The Papanui Herald</a> , 17 April 1973, p 9  Information supplied in 2008 by Maurice Carter (d. 2011) in an interview with Margaret Harper.	“Maurice Carter leaves behind immense legacy”, <a href="#">The Press</a> , 10 May 2011, p A3

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<b>Desmond Street</b>		Desmond is a first name popular with the Helmore family. Frederic Desmond Helmore (1882?-1934) served as a Lieutenant in the Royal Army Service Corps, Mechanical Transport Section in World War I. John Desmond Helmore (1913-1988) was the father of Desmond W. Helmore (1940-) who wrote <a href="#">Drawings of New Zealand insects</a> .	Merivale	This street was cut through land which was part of the Helmore Estate.  Described as a “newly-formed” street in The Press in 1921.  First appears in street directories in 1924.	Helmore Lane	Information supplied in 1997 by Miss Skellerup of Desmond Street in an interview with Margaret Harper.  “ <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ”, The Press, 26 November 1921, p 18	



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<b>de Thier Lane</b>		Named after Bret de Thier (1945-).	Richmond Hill	De Thier was one of New Zealand's most successful Finn-class yachtsmen. Walter de Thier (1883-1973) was his grandfather.  First appears in street directories in 1996.	De Thier Lane. Also St Andrews Hill.	<a href="#">The Port Hills of Christchurch</a> , p 51-52	<a href="#">Sumner to Ferrymead: a Christchurch history</a>
<b>Detroit Place</b>		Named after Detroit in the USA.	Addington	This cul-de-sac serves the Turner's car auction complex and the street is named because Detroit has a connection with the automobile industry. It has been host to some of the world's largest vehicle manufacturers. Chosen also because the name is short and complies with the Christchurch City Council's road-naming policy.  Named in 2007.		<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board Transport and Roading Committee agenda 25 May 2007</a>	

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<b>De Ville Place</b>		Named after the Statesman HQ de Ville car produced by Holden 1971-1974.	Burwood	The Statesman was the model of car owned by Frederick (Fred) Sidney Blogg (1922-2005). He was the roading contractor who developed the street,  First appears in street directories in 1981.		Information supplied in 2008 by Kevin Blogg in an interview with Margaret Harper.	"Foremost developer and donor", The Press, 22 October 2005, p D19
<b>Devon Street</b>	Devon Road	Named after Devon, a county in south-western England.	Sydenham	Mentioned in the source as a private road off Colombo Street South in 1880. Its formation was discussed at a meeting of the Sydenham Borough Council reported in the Star in 1880.  Devon Road first appears in street directories in 1887. Becomes Devon Street in 1916.  Not formally recognised as a public street by the Christchurch City Council until 1952.		Sydenham Borough Council minute book 1879-1880, p 242, held at Christchurch City Council archives.  <a href="#">"Borough Councils"</a> , Star, 6 July 1880, p 4  "Public Streets", The Press, 19 February 1952, p 8	

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<b>Devonport Lane</b>	Davenport Road	Named after William Henry Davenport (1822-1886).	St Albans	<p>Davenport was a grocer and tea merchant. He is listed in 1880 street directories living at St Alban's Road.</p> <p>Davenport Road is first mentioned in the Star in 1888.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1894.</p> <p>Becomes Devonport Lane in 1906.</p>		<p>"<a href="#">Magisterial</a>", Star, 24 January 1888, p 3</p>	<p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: D66</p> <p>"<a href="#">Accidents, inquests, &amp;c.</a>", Star, 19 May 1886, p 3</p>

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<b>Dewsbury Lane</b>	Little Queen Street and Dewsbury's Lane.	Named after Benjamin Dewsbury (1801?-1886).	Sydenham	<p>Little Queen Street is mentioned in the Star in 1879 and appears there as late as 1909.</p> <p>Dewsbury was a Methodist lay preacher. He arrived in Canterbury in 1863.</p> <p>Dewsbury's Lane is described in The Press in 1882 as "a narrow right-of-way between Battersea Street and Gladstone Street".</p> <p>First mentioned in street directories in 1887 so the street had two names for a time.</p> <p>Dewsbury's Lane was made a public street from 1 January 1888.</p>	Connal Street	<p>"<a href="#">Advertisements</a>", Star, 22 November 1879, p 2</p> <p>"<a href="#">Board of Health</a>", The Press, 16 December 1882, p 2</p> <p>"<a href="#">Sydenham Borough Council</a>", Star, 4 October 1887, p 4</p> <p>"<a href="#">Sydenham</a>", The Press, 22 December 1887, p 6</p> <p>"<a href="#">Advertisements</a>", Star, 13 November 1909, p 9</p>	<p><a href="#">The history of Methodism in New Zealand</a>, p 412</p> <p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: D258</p>

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<b>Deyell Crescent</b>		Named after Joseph Deyell (1867?-1936).	Sydenham	<p>The stables of J. Deyell and Co. were at the corner of Deyell Crescent and Strickland Street in 1940, the year it first appears in street directories.</p> <p>First mentioned in The Press in 1938 when an auction of sections in the estate of the late Joseph Deyell is advertised. Here it is referred to as "Deyell's" Crescent.</p>		" <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ", The Press, 17 February 1938, p 20	

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<b>Diamond Avenue</b>			Spreydon	<p>Named in 1928.</p> <p>The section which is at right-angles to Coronation Street was formed in March 1928. By July 1928 it linked up with Simeon Street. By October 1929 it linked up with Barrington Street. NB This section is now part of Coronation Street.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1930.</p>		<p>Information researched in 2000 by Barbara Moorhouse.</p> <p>"<a href="#">General news</a>", The Press, 20 November 1928, p 8</p>	
<b>Dick Tayler Drive</b>		Named after Dick Tayler (1948-).	New Brighton North	<p>Tayler won the 10,000 metre race at the 1974 Commonwealth Games in Christchurch.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1991.</p>		<p>"Tayler's hitch overshadows spelling glitch", <a href="#">The Star Midweek</a>, 1 February 2006, p A1</p>	

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<b>Dickens Street</b>	Charles Dickens Street	Named after Charles Dickens (1812-1870).	Addington	<p>Dickens was an English author.</p> <p>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>Originally intended to be Charles Dickens Street and this first appears in street directories in 1887.</p> <p>Becomes Dickens Street in 1894.</p>		<p>Report of the street naming committee, Sydenham Borough Council minute book 1879-1880, p 217, held at Christchurch City Council archives.</p> <p>“<a href="#">Borough Council</a>”, Star, 20 January 1880, p 3</p>	

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<b>Dickson Crescent</b>		Named after Euan Dickson (1892-1980).	Hornby	Dickson was an English-born World War I fighter pilot, a pilot with the Canterbury Aviation Company and, in 1920, the first person to fly across Cook Strait.  Named because it was formed near the RNZAF station at Wigram.  First appears in street directories in 1957.		Information supplied in 2008 by Richard Greenaway.	
<b>Digby Place</b>			Bromley	First appears in street directories in 1960.			



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<b>Dilworth Street</b>		Probably named after James Dilworth (1815-1894).	Riccarton	Dilworth was a farmer, investor, speculator and philanthropist.  First mentioned in The Press in 1901.  First appears in street directories in 1908.		“ <a href="#">Road Boards</a> ”, The Press, 13 September 1901, p 6	View the biography of <a href="#">James Dilworth</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a>  "Death of a well-known Auckland", Wanganui Herald, 27 December 1894, p 3
<b>Dinglebay Place</b>		Named after Dingle Bay in County Kerry, Ireland.	Casebrook	In the Glasnevin subdivision where all the streets are named after suburbs, localities or features in the vicinity of Dublin.  Named in 1998.	Glasnevin	“Aircraft bias to street names”, The Press, 1 April 1998, p 5  <a href="#">Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 1 April 1998</a>	
<b>Dinton Street</b>		Probably named after Dinton, a village in Wiltshire, England.	Russley	First appears in street directories in 1950.			

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<b>Disraeli Street</b>		Named after Benjamin Disraeli (1804-1881).	Sydenham, Addington	Disraeli was the Prime Minister of Great Britain 1868 and 1874-1880.  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.  “ <a href="#">Borough Council</a> ”, Star, 20 January 1880, p 3	
<b>Distribution Lane</b>		Named in keeping with the use of the site for distribution of goods.	Sockburn	In the Central Business Park, Racecourse Road.  Named in 2014.		<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 April 2014</a>  <a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board 6 May 2014 agenda</a>	

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<b>Division Street</b>		Named because it marked the boundary between the jurisdictions of the Riccarton Road Board and the Selwyn County Council.	Riccarton	<p>“The division road” is first mentioned in the Star in 1877 when the Avon Road Board discussed taking it over as a public road.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1904.</p>		<p>“<a href="#">Road Boards</a>”, Star, 1 March 1877, p 3</p> <p>“<a href="#">Selwyn County Council</a>”, Star, 27 September 1881, p 3</p>	
<b>Dobbs Street</b>		Named after Arthur Acheson Dobbs (1806-1875), Henry Dobbs (b. 1802), Joseph Dobbs and William Dobbs (d. 1875).		<p>Arthur Dobbs was a farmer of Piraki Street, Kaiapoi, Henry Dobbs was a farmer of Burnside, Upper Avon, Joseph Dobbs was a tailor of Fendall town and William Dobbs was a "laborer" of Coringa Station.</p> <p>In the 6th stage of the Longhurst subdivision where the streets are named after members of the Canterbury Militia of 1860-1861.</p> <p>Named in 2014.</p>	Longhurst	<p><a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 April 2014</a></p> <p><a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board 6 May 2014 agenda</a></p>	<p>"<a href="#">Advertisements</a>", The Lyttelton Times, 6 June 1860, p 6</p> <p><a href="#">Christchurch Militia List 1860</a></p> <p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: D322, D323</p> <p>"<a href="#">Death</a>", Nelson Evening Mail, 7 April 1875, p 2</p> <p><a href="#">Longhurst</a></p>

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<b>Dobson Street</b>		Named after Arthur Dobson (1841-1934).	Spreydon	<p>Dobson was city engineer for Christchurch and also a surveyor, geologist and explorer.</p> <p>Developed in a Government housing subdivision. Name submitted by A. Tyndall, Director of Housing Construction, at the suggestion of the Canterbury Centennial Historical Committee.</p> <p>Named in 1938.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1941.</p>		“ <a href="#">Street names chosen</a> ”, The Press, 8 November 1938, p 8	View the biography of <a href="#">Arthur Dudley Dobson</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a> .
<b>Dolamore Place</b>		Named after Norman William Dolamore (1928-2011).	Wainoni	<p>Dolamore developed the land where this street is formed.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1981.</p>		Information supplied in 2007 by Tim Baker in an interview with Margaret Harper.	

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<b>Dollans Lane</b>		Named after the Dollan family.	Central city	John Dollan (1842?-1907), a bootmaker of Madras Street, is mentioned in the Star in 1872.  James Ballantine Dollan (1866?-1944), a retired farmer, was living at 403 Madras Street, where this street was later formed, at the time of his death.  First appears in street directories in 1960.		“ <a href="#">Christchurch</a> ”, Star, 3 October 1872, p 3	“ <a href="#">Deaths</a> ”, The Press, 15 December 1944, p 1
<b>Domain Terrace</b>	Mill Road	Named Domain Terrace because it runs along the north boundary of the Spreydon Domain.	Spreydon	Mill Road first appears in street directories in 1902.  Re-named Domain Terrace which is first mentioned in The Press in 1915.	Spreydon Domain	“ <a href="#">Lady Liverpool Fund</a> ”, The Press, 9 November 1915, p 10	

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<b>Domett Street</b>	Goethe Street	Formerly Goethe Street. Named after Johann Wolfgang von Goethe (1749-1832).  Re-named Domett Street. Named after Alfred Domett (1811-1887).	Waltham	Goethe was a German playwright.  Goethe Street is first mentioned in The Press in 1886.  First appears in street directories in 1911.  Re-named Domett Street in 1917 at the request of residents. There was public dislike for German names during and after World War I. Domett was a journalist, politician, public servant, Premier and writer.		<p>“<a href="#">Advertisements</a>”, The Press, 29 September 1886, p 1</p> <p>“<a href="#">City Council</a>”, The Press, 30 January 1917, p 10</p> <p>“Would road by any other name stay as street”, <a href="#">Pegasus Post</a>, 12 July 1978, p 16</p>	<p>View the biography of <a href="#">Alfred Domett</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a>.</p> <p>“<a href="#">German street names</a>”, The Press, 26 September 1917, p 7</p> <p>“<a href="#">Street names</a>”, The Press, 13 September 1924, p 13</p>

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<b>Dominion Avenue</b>		May have been named after the Dominion Home Builders.	Spreydon	The building company built many of the homes in the street which is first mentioned in The Press in 1922.  First appears in street directories in 1924.  NB New Zealand had become a dominion in 1907.		" <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ", The Press, 27 May 1922, p 18  " <a href="#">Jones, McCrostie Limited, sale report</a> ", The Press, 27 November 1922, p 11	

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<b>Donald Place</b>	Kerr's Lane and Kerrs Lane.	Formerly Kerr's Lane and Kerrs Lane. Named after Sergeant-Major James Kerr (1834?-1879).  Re-named Donald Place.	St Albans	Kerr served with the Permanent Artillery. He lived at Inkerman Cottage, St Alban's Road and is listed in 1878 street directories living in St Alban's Road. His wife was Anne Williams Kerr (1836?-1900). She married Philipp Tisch in 1884 after her first husband's death.  Kerr's Lane first appears in street directories in 1894.  Re-named Donald Place on 1 September 1948 when 120 streets were re-named.		"Street names changed: City council approves final list", The Press, 24 August 1948, p 3	<a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : K105 (Here Kerr's dates of birth and death are wrong).  <a href="#">"Death of Sergeant-Major Kerr"</a> , Star, 1 March 1879, p 4  "New names for streets", The Press, 2 June 1948, p 3  "New street names", The Press, 24 July 1948, p 2



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<b>Donald Place</b>		Named after Dr William Donald (1815-1884).	Lyttelton	Donald was the first doctor in Canterbury and practised in Lyttelton for many years. Named in 1864.		<a href="#">The first 100 years : municipal government in Lyttelton</a> , p 16 <a href="#">The story of Lyttelton, 1849-1949</a> , p 62 "European place names", The Press, 19 February 1924, p 14	<a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : D365 [Obituary], The Otago Daily Times, 2 July 1884, p 2
<b>Doncaster Street</b>		Named after the Doncaster Racecourse, in Doncaster in the Midlands of England.	Sockburn	Named because it is near the Riccarton Racecourse. First appears in street directories in 1970.			
<b>Donegal Street</b>		Named after Donegal Street, a street in the business area of Belfast, Ireland.	Belfast	Named to continue the Irish theme of street names in Belfast. Named when the area was first subdivided in 1882.		<a href="#">A short history of Belfast, 1949</a>	

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<b>Donne Street</b>		Named after Lake Donne, a small fly-fishing lake in South Canterbury.		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.		<a href="#">Burwood/Pegasus Community Board agenda 21 September 2015</a>  <a href="#">Burwood/Pegasus Community Board minutes 21 September 2015</a>	
<b>Donnington Street</b>			Parklands	First appears in street directories in 1970 running off Beach Road.			
<b>Donovan Place</b>			Halswell	Continues the theme used in the Aidanfield subdivision of naming the streets after members of the Order of St John Of God.  Named in 2008.	Aidanfield	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 3 June 2008</a>	

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<b>Doppler Place</b>		Named after the Pulse-Doppler, a 4D radar system.	Wigram	In the Wigram Skies subdivision where the streets have an aviation theme.  Named in 2014.	Wigram Skies	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 July 2014</a>  <a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 15 July 2014</a>	<a href="#">Wigram Skies</a>
<b>Doreen Street</b>		Named after Doreen Frances Brown (1909-1996).	Aranui	Doreen Brown was the wife of Alfred Vernon Brown (1909-1995), a draughtsman at the Lands & Survey Department.  The street was named after her by the staff there in 1955.		“New streets in Christchurch”, The Press, 28 June 1955, p 6  Information supplied in 2005 by a member of the Spear family in an interview with Margaret Harper.	“Draughtsman to retire after 40 years’ service”, The Press, 27 August 1966
<b>Dorfold Mews</b>		Named after Dorfold Hall in Nantwich, Cheshire, England.	Avonhead	In the Hyde Park subdivision where the streets are named after stately homes of England.  First appears in street directories in 1991.	Hyde Park		

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<b>Doric Way</b>		Named after the Doric, the ship that took the first cargo of frozen meat from the Islington Freezing Works on 12 July 1889.		In the Waterloo Business Park subdivision. Named in 2015.		<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 17 November 2015</a>  “Road name approved”, Western News, 20 July 2015, p 3	<a href="#">Waterloo Business Park</a>
<b>Doris Faigan Lane</b>		Named after Doris Eileen Faigan (1926-1995).	Lyttelton	In the 1978 electoral roll she is listed as the wife of Garth Kingsley Faigan, a farmer, and living at Herbert Peak, Diamond Harbour.			
<b>Dormer Street</b>			Papanui	Referred to as a “new street” in The Press in 1913.  First appears in street directories in 1915. Diedrich Wilhelm Leonard Mehrrens (1882-1952), a carter, is the sole resident.  A Papanui war memorial street.	Tillman Avenue	“ <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ”, The Press, 25 January 1913, p 19	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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<b>Dornoch Lane</b>		Named after Dornoch, a village in the Scottish Highlands.	Yaldhurst	Named because Sir John McKenzie (1876-1955) was supposedly raised in Dornoch. However he was brought up in Yarrowalla, northern Victoria, Australia. When the street was named there was confusion with another Sir John McKenzie (1839-1901), a politician, who was raised in Dornoch. Named in 2012.	Sir John McKenzie Drive	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 30 October 2012</a>	View the biography of <a href="#">John Robert Hugh McKenzie</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a> .
<b>Dorset Street</b>	Park Street	Formerly Park Street. Named because of its proximity to Hagley Park.  Re-named Dorset Street. Named after Dorset, a county in South West England on the English Channel coast.	Central city	Park Street first appears in street directories in 1885.  Re-named Dorset Street on 7 March 1904. Among a number of streets re-named in 1904 and given the names of place-names in the United Kingdom.		“ <a href="#">Re-naming streets</a> ”, The Press, 8 March 1904, p 5  Minute book, Christchurch City Council, June 1903-October 1904 held at Christchurch City Council archives.	

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<b>Douglas Street</b>		Named after the Douglas Aircraft Company.	Wigram	In the Wigram Aerodrome subdivision by Ngai Tahu Property Ltd where the street names are either of aircraft or taken from the list of the first 100 students at the Flight School established by Sir Henry Wigram in 1917.  Named in 2010.	Wigram Skies	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 1 June 2010</a>	<a href="#">Wigram Skies</a>
<b>Dove Grove</b>		Named after Lindsay Allan Dove (1942-).	Westmorland	Dove, a real estate agent, was involved with the Westmorland subdivision and sold many of the houses built there. He was also one of the first people to build a home there.  Named in 2013.	Westmorland	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 17 September 2013</a>  <a href="#">Minutes of the Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 17 September 2013</a>  Information supplied by Lindsay Dove in an interview with Margaret Harper in 2015.	<a href="#">The Port Hills of Christchurch</a> , p 250

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<b>Dovedale Avenue</b>		Named after Dovedale, a village in Derbyshire.	Ilam	<p>Sarah Hodgkinson, née Mellor, (1825?-1895) was born in Dovedale. She and her husband Charles Hodgkinson (1826-1888) were employed at Ilam Hall, having been among the servants who sailed to Canterbury with the Hon. John Watts-Russell in 1858. Hodgkinson is described as a "gardener of Ilam farm" on the <a href="#">1860-1861 Christchurch Militia List</a>. He was the verger at St Peter's Anglican Church, Upper Riccarton 1861-1888.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1972.</p>	Ilam	<a href="#">Fendall's legacy: a history of Fendalton and north-west Christchurch</a> , p 50	<p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: H653</p> <p><a href="#">Christchurch Militia List 1860</a></p> <p>"<a href="#">Advertisements</a>", Lyttelton Times, 9 June 1860, p 6</p> <p>"<a href="#">Death</a>", Star, 21 December 1895, p 4</p>

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<b>Dover Street</b>	High Street	Named after the port of Dover in Kent, England.	St Albans	High Street first appears in street directories in 1896. Re-named Dover Street on 7 March 1904. Among a number of streets re-named in 1904 and given the names of place-names in the United Kingdom.		“ <a href="#">Re-naming streets</a> ”, The Press, 8 March 1904, p 5  Christchurch City Council minute book, June 1903-October 1904 held at Christchurch City Council archives.	
<b>Dow Square</b>		Named as an alternative to the spelling of the small fishing vessel, a dhow, and because the road is set out roughly in a square.	Hornby	Developed at 101 Awatea Road by Awatea Property Developments who wanted a small easily pronounced road name.  Named in 2014.		<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 July 2014</a>  <a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 15 July 2014</a>	



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<b>Downies Road</b>		Named after the Downey family.	Halswell	<p>Michael Downey (1820?-1898) and his wife, Fanny, were early settlers in Halswell. Their son, Michael Downey (1866-1938), also farmed in Halswell.</p> <p>The street names has had various spellings over the years: Downey's Road - 1960; Downey Road - 1964; Downie Road - 1966-; Downes Road - 1976; Downeys Road 1978; Downes Road - 1981. From then it is Downies Road.</p> <p>Downey's Road is first mentioned in The Press in 1916 when the regrading of the road was discussed by the Halswell County Council.</p>		" <a href="#">County Councils</a> ", The Press, 28 July 1916, p 3	" <a href="#">Deaths</a> ", The Press, 19 September 1898, p 1
<b>Downing Street</b>			Hoon Hay	First appears in street directories in 1951.		"Brave new life in the suburbs", The Press, 8 May 1993, p 9	

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<b>Drake Street</b>		Named after Sir Francis Drake (1540?-1596).	New Brighton	This name continues the theme of naming streets in New Brighton after British Admirals, explorers and fighting seafarers.  Named on 26 February 1964.  First appears in street directories in 1966.	Beresford Street	Date of naming supplied in 2000 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer for Christchurch City Council.	
<b>Draper Street</b>			Richmond	First mentioned in the Star in 1881 in an advertisement. In 1883 it is referred to as Draper's Street. No-one with the name of Draper lives nearby.  First appears in street directories in 1887.		“ <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ”, Star, 6 January 1881, p 2  “ <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ”, Star, 25 April 1883, p 1	

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<b>Drayton Drive</b>	Drayton Lane	Named after Agnes Leithead Drayton (1902-1986).	Mount Pleasant	<p>Agnes Drayton lived in a small two-bedroom cottage on a private right-of-way named Drayton Lane.</p> <p>One of four streets developed by Norfene Building Services, a company owned by Phillip Norton, “Swampy” Ferguson and Maurice Neate. Peter Foster joined the firm and in 1989 purchased all the real estate from the company.</p> <p>Drayton Lane first appears in street directories in 1968. Becomes Drayton Drive in 1991.</p>	Law Place, Ledger Lane and Luxton Place.	Information supplied in 2009 by Peter Foster in correspondence with Margaret Harper.	

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<b>Driftwood Lane</b>		Named because of its proximity to the beach.	Waimairi Beach	Named by developers, Linda and Phil Mauger. Named in 1996.		Information supplied in 2006 by Linda Mauger in an interview with Margaret Harper.  <a href="#">Meeting of the Burwood/Pegasus Community Board 4 June 1996</a>	
<b>Drummond Street</b>	Poulson's Lane		Sydenham	Formed in 1875 when a Mr Woodford purchased land here and subdivided it into twenty lots.  Re-named Drummond Street in 1889.  Due to an oversight the street remained in the original title until 1995 when the Council finally took ownership.		“ <a href="#">Sydenham Borough Council</a> ”, The Press, 17 September 1889, p 3  Sydenham Residents Group Newsletter, No 1, 1 February 1996  “‘Lost’ addresses”, <a href="#">The Christchurch Mail</a> , 27 April 1999, p 8	

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<b>Dryden Street</b>		Named after George Pickering Dryden (1837-1890).	Sumner	Dryden was elected to the Heathcote Road Board in January 1880, becoming chairman in February 1884.  Dryden Street appears on an 1874 map. Land in Dryden Street in the “Township of Wakefield, Sumner Bay” is advertised for sale in the Star in 1880.		<a href="#">Plan of the city of Christchurch, Canterbury, New Zealand, 1874</a>  “ <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ”, Star, 18 September 1880, p 2	<a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : D459
<b>Drysdale Street</b>			Bishopdale	First appears in street directories in 1977.			

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<b>Dublin Street</b>	Carlton Street	Named after Dublin, capital, county borough, and seaport of the Republic of Ireland.	Central city	<p>Carlton Street is first mentioned in the Star in 1879 in a report of a meeting of the Municipal Committee.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1885.</p> <p>Re-named Dublin Street on 7 March 1904 after amalgamation of St Albans with the city in 1903.</p> <p>Among a number of streets re-named in 1904 and given the names of place-names in the United Kingdom.</p>		<p>“<a href="#">Local and General</a>”, Star, 29 September 1879, p 2</p> <p>“<a href="#">Re-naming streets</a>”, The Press, 8 March 1904, p 5</p> <p>Christchurch City Council minute book, June 1903-October 1904 held at Christchurch City Council archives.</p>	<p>"More street naming", <a href="#">Pegasus Post</a>, 6 September 1978, p 10</p>

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Dublin Street		Named after the Archbishopric of Dublin.	Lyttelton	<p>One of the original streets of Lyttelton named in 1850 by <a href="#">Captain Joseph Thomas</a> (b. 1803?) and <a href="#">Edward Jollie</a> (1825-1894). The names were taken from bishoprics listed in <a href="#">Burke's Peerage</a>.</p> <p>First mentioned in <a href="#">The Lyttelton Times</a> in 1852 when 1/4 acre sections are advertised for sale there.</p>		<p><a href="#">Reminiscences of a surveyor, runholder and politician in Canterbury and Otago, 1841-1865</a>, pp 28-29</p> <p>"<a href="#">Advertisements</a>", <a href="#">The Lyttelton Times</a>, 7 August 1852, p 2</p>	<p>"<a href="#">Obituary</a>", <a href="#">The Press</a>, 9 August 1894, p 5e</p> <p>"<a href="#">Obituary</a>", <a href="#">Star</a>, 9 August 1894, p 1</p> <p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: J169 &amp; T144</p> <p>View the biography of <a href="#">Joseph Thomas</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a></p>

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Dudley Road		Named after the Venerable Archdeacon Benjamin Woolley Dudley (1805-1892).	Lyttelton	<p>Dudley was the purchaser of Rural Section 40, 50 acres “north-west of the town of Lyttelton”, and gave land as a site for a parsonage and endowment for a church in Dampiers Bay. From 1851-1859 he was the priest at the Lyttelton diocese.</p> <p>Declared by the Lyttelton Borough Council to be a public street from 1 August 1898.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1896.</p>		<p><a href="#">Province of Canterbury, New Zealand : list of sections purchased to April 30 1863</a>, p 2</p> <p>"<a href="#">Rural Sections chosen</a>", The Lyttelton Times, 15 March 1851, p 7</p> <p><a href="#">The Canterbury church property : articles</a></p> <p>"<a href="#">Advertisements</a>", The Press, 18 June 1898, p 10</p>	<p><a href="#">The Blain Biographical Directory of Anglican Clergy in the Pacific</a></p> <p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: D466</p> <p>"<a href="#">Obituary</a>", The Press, 30 August 1892, p 6</p>



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<b>Dudley Street</b>		Named after the Venerable Archdeacon Benjamin Woolley Dudley (1805-1892).	Richmond	First mentioned in The Press in 1909 when Rural Section 325, land owned by the Anglican diocese was subdivided. It is described then as a “new chain road”.  First appears in street directories in 1914.		<a href="#">The Canterbury church property : articles</a> “ <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ”, The Press, 26 January 1909, p 12  “Story of 700 acres of church property”, The Press, 25 February 1947, p 6	<a href="#">The Blain Biographical Directory of Anglican Clergy in the Pacific</a> <a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : D466  “ <a href="#">Obituary</a> ”, The Press, 30 August 1892, p 6
<b>Dufek Crescent</b>		Named after Rear Admiral George John Dufek (1903-1977).	Hornby	Dufek was US Operation Deepfreeze commander during the 1950s.  First appears in street directories in 1964.			

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<b>Duke Street</b>	Queen Street South		Central city	Land for sale in Queen Street South is first advertised in the Star in 1886.  First appears in street directories in 1887.  Re-named Duke Street on 7 March 1904.		“ <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ”, Star, 21 September 1886, p 2  “ <a href="#">Re-naming streets</a> ”, The Press, 8 March 1904, p 5  Christchurch City Council minute book, June 1903-October 1904 held at Christchurch City Council archives.	
<b>Dulles Place</b>		Named after John Foster Dulles (1888-1959).	Papanui	Dulles was US Secretary of State 1952-1959.  Named in 1959.		“Streets named and changed”, The Press, 1 September 1959, p 16	

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<b>Dunair Drive</b>		Named after Judy Blair, née Dunlop.	Burwood	Dunair is a combination of Judy Blair's maiden and married names, Dunlop and Blair. Blair, a well-known netball coach in the late 1960s, and her husband, Kevin, bought a horse paddock off New Brighton Road for their daughter's horse in the early 1980s and later subdivided the land.  First appears in street directories in 1993.		"Dunair Estates", The Press, 16 April 1997, p 19	
<b>Dunarnan Street</b>		Named after Dunarnan in Maherafelt, County Derry, in Ireland.	Avonside	In a government housing subdivision.  Named in 1945.  First appears in street directories in 1947.		" <a href="#">Health camp buildings</a> ", The Press, 11 September 1945, p 3	

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<b>Dunaverty Place</b>		Named after Dunaverty, a golf course in the Kintyre Pensinsula area in Scotland.	Broomfield	Named to continue the Scottish theme of street names used in adjoining subdivisions.  In Stage Two of the Masham Park subdivision by <a href="#">Enterprise Homes</a> .  Named in 2010.	Masham	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 4 May 2010</a>  “Scottish theme for street names”, Nor’west News, 26 May 2010, p 3	

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Dunbars Road	Eaglesomes Road		Halswell	<p>The north western half of Dunbars Road was originally Eaglesomes Road. Hugh and Florence Eaglesome were residents of Halswell in the 19th century. John and Isabella Eleanor Eaglesome (1862-1939) were also early residents of the area.</p> <p>Eaglesomes Road is first mentioned in The Press in 1877 in a report of a meeting of the Spreydon Road Board.</p> <p>Dunbars Road first appears in street directories in 1907.</p>	Eaglesome Avenue	<p>"<a href="#">Road Boards</a>", The Press, 28 February 1877, p 3</p> <p><a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda January 2001</a></p>	<p>"<a href="#">Obituary</a>", <a href="#">The Press, 18 December 1939, p 2</a></p> <p><a href="#">A short history of Halswell</a>, p 40</p>

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<b>Dundas Street</b>			Central city	<p>Taken over by the city council as a public street in 1886.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1896 with one resident listed, Mrs Emily Pavey.</p> <p>Not officially recognised as a public street by the Christchurch City Council until 1960.</p>		<p>“<a href="#">Municipal</a>”, Star, 5 October 1886, p 4</p> <p>"General news", The Press, 17 March 1960, p 12</p>	
<b>Dundee Place</b>			Spreydon	Named in 1955.		“Names chosen for streets”, The Press, 20 September 1955, p 15	
<b>Dunedin Street</b>		Named at the Ryan family’s request after the city of Dunedin.	Redwood	<p>Formed on land formerly owned by Frank Ryan (1886-1944). One of the Ryan children was a nurse who worked in Dunedin.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1960.</p>		Information supplied in 2006 by Mrs Eileen Thomson in an interview with Margaret Harper.	

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<b>Dunlops Crescent</b>				<p>This street sits partly over the original alignment of Dunlops Road.</p> <p>In a further stage of the Prestons subdivision developed by Ngai Tahu. Named in 2015.</p>	Dunlops Road. Also Prestons.	<p><a href="#">Burwood/Pegasus Community Board agenda, 15 June 2015</a></p> <p>"Polish settlers considered for Prestons street name", Pegasus Post, 15 June 2015, p 4</p>	<a href="#">Prestons</a>

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<b>Dunlops Road</b>	Lower Styx Mills Road	Named after William Dunlop (1834-1922).	Marshland, Spencerville	<p>Lower Styx Mills Road was re-named Dunlops Road in 1932.</p> <p>Dunlop, a farmer of Hillcrest Farm, had been chairman of the Avon Road Board and a member of the Selwyn County Council and also connected with various other local bodies.</p> <p>The 1910 source says he came to Marshland to live in 1877 in the early days of settlement, when the district had "no houses, churches or roads. It was practically an impenetrable swamp, and it was largely due to his efforts in having water races installed that the land was drained and roads formed".</p>		<p><a href="#">"Thirty years' public service"</a>, The Press, 9 July 1910, p 12</p> <p><a href="#">"County Councils"</a>, The Press, 27 October 1932, p 13</p>	<p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: D531</p> <p><a href="#">Settling near the Styx River</a>, pp 188-190</p>



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<b>Dunmurry Place</b>		Named after Dunmurry Hill near Dublin.	Casebrook	In the Glasnevin subdivision where all the streets are named after suburbs, localities or features in the vicinity of Dublin.  Named in 1998.	Glasnevin	<a href="#">Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 1 April 1998</a>	
<b>Dunn Street</b>	Dunn's Road and Dunn Road.	.	Somerfield	Dunn's Road is first mentioned in the Star in 1885.  First appears in street directories in 1902. Becomes Dunn Street in 1914.		" <a href="#">Fires</a> ", Star, 18 March 1885, p 4	
<b>Dunoon Place</b>			Woolston	Named on 22 March 1971.  First appears in street directories in 1977.		Information on date of naming in a letter sent to the City Librarian from the Town Clerk dated 24 March 1971.	

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<b>Dunrobin Place</b>		Probably named after Dunrobin Castle on the east coast of northern Scotland.	Avonhead	About 1963 Waimairi County Council minuted a policy that all its streets be named after English place names.  First appears in street directories in 1973.		“Street names”, <a href="#">The Papanui Herald</a> , 17 April 1973, p 9	
<b>Dunsford Close</b>		Named after an earlier street name, Dunsford's Valley Road.	Halswell	Continues the theme of previous stages in the Halswell Park subdivision and names streets after prominent citizens and identities from early Halswell.  Named in 2005.	Cridland Place, Hyde Place, James Hight Drive and Parklea Avenue.	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 12 April 2005</a>	
<b>Dunvegan Place</b>		Named after Dunvegan Castle on the Isle of Skye, historic home of the Clan Macleod.	Harewood	Mr and Mrs Macleod are shareholders in Nunweek Estates, developers of this subdivision. Their ancestral home is in the Isle of Skye.  Named in 1999.	Benmore Gardens, Berisdale Place, St Clair Close, Skyedale Drive and Talisker Place.	<a href="#">Fendalton/Waimairi Community Board agenda 4 May 1999</a>	

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<b>Durell Lane</b>		Named after Alfred Durell (1827?-1904).	Halswell	Durell was a gentleman of Kaiapoi. He arrived in Canterbury in 1853 and bought land in Kaiapoi. He had returned to England by the time of his marriage in 1862. His land in Kaiapoi was sold in 1889.  In a later stage of the Longhurst subdivision where the streets are named after members of the Canterbury Militia of 1860.  Named in 2012.	Longhurst	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 16 October 2012</a>	<a href="#">Christchurch Militia List 1860</a> " <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ", The Lyttelton Times, 6 June 1860, p 6 " <a href="#">Married</a> ", Lyttelton Times, 29 November 1862, p 5 " <a href="#">Local &amp; General</a> ", Star, 17 July 1889, p 3 " <a href="#">Mr A. Durell</a> ", The Press, 19 May 1904, p 5 <a href="#">Longhurst</a>
<b>Durham Street North and Durham Street South</b>	Durham Street. Enfield Street was incorporated into Durham Street.	Named after the bishopric of Durham.	Central city	One of the original streets of Christchurch named in 1850 by <a href="#">Captain Joseph Thomas</a> (b. 1803?) and <a href="#">Edward Jollie</a> (1825-1894). The names were taken from bishoprics listed in <a href="#">Burke's Peerage</a> .		<a href="#">Reproduction of Edward Jollie's 1850 map of the proposed city. Department of Lands and Survey, Christchurch. Historical Maps</a>	<a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : J169 & T144 " <a href="#">Obituary</a> ", The Press, 9 August

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				<p>First mentioned in <a href="#">The Lyttelton Times</a> in 1852 when 1/4 acre sections are advertised for sale there.</p> <p>The section north of Bealey Avenue was developed in 1929. A Mr Reid of Eversleigh Street requested that the new part be named Enfield Street because his family had come from Enfield, at one time in Middlesex, England and now part of Greater London. In 1933, residents asked the city council for the name to be changed to Durham Street.</p> <p>On 21 October 1985 the council resolved for the two separate sections (with Gloucester Street and Cashel Street in between) of Durham Street to be re-named Durham Street North and South. At the same time</p>		<p>"<a href="#">Advertisements</a>", The Lyttelton Times, 7 August 1852, p 2</p> <p><a href="#">Reminiscences of a surveyor, runholder and politician in Canterbury and Otago, 1841-1865</a>, pp 28-29</p> <p><a href="#">Early days of Canterbury</a>, p 27</p> <p><a href="#">The evolution of a city</a>, p 13</p> <p><a href="#">Old Christchurch in picture and story</a>, pp 50-51</p> <p>"<a href="#">General news</a>", The Press, 23 July 1929, p 8</p> <p>"<a href="#">City Councils</a>", The Press, 18 July 1933, p 14</p> <p>"Street names in Christchurch", The</p>	<p>1894, p 5e</p> <p>"<a href="#">Obituary</a>", Star, 9 August 1894, p 1</p> <p>View the biography of <a href="#">Joseph Thomas</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a></p>

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				a new piece of road from Cashel Street over the Bridge of Remembrance was formally named as Durham Street South.		Press, 6 December 1952, p 3 Z Arch 387, <a href="#">When the street was a village</a> , p 56 Information about the re-naming in 1985 supplied by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.	
<b>Durham Street North and Durham Street South cont.</b>	Blackheath Place was incorporated into Durham Street.	Named after Blackheath in south-east London.	Central city	Frank Hathaway Hitchings (1844-1921), a bricklayer, bought land there in 1876 and began building houses on it. He also built the first double-brick house at 63 Durham Street.  First appears in street directories in 1908. Incorporated into Durham Street in 1917.		"100 years of terraced housing celebrated", The Press, 22 November 1996, p 3 "Family history", The Press, 27 November 1996, p 2 "Historic charm", The Press, 19 October 2004, p C10	<a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : H620  " <a href="#">A working man astronomer</a> ", The Press, 1 August 1913, p 2  " <a href="#">Obituary</a> ", The Press, 23 September 1921, p 9

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<b>Dyers Road</b>	Palmers Road was incorporated into Dyers Road.	Named after the Dyer family.	Bromley	<p>Cornelius Dyer (d. 1890) was a dairy farmer of Ferry Road</p> <p>Dyers Road, Bromley first appears in the Star in an advertisement in 1901.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1906.</p> <p>On 24 May 1926 the council proposed changing the names of 29 streets. 21 streets only were re-named after protests from the public. Dyers Road was to have been re-named Barker Street.</p> <p>Dyers Road north of the intersection with Ruru Road was formerly Palmers Road. It is first mentioned in the Star in 1894 in a report of a meeting of the Avon Road Board. It is listed in street directories 1928-1955 as an</p>	Alport Place	<p>“<a href="#">Advertisements</a>”, Star, 28 March 1901, p 3</p> <p>“<a href="#">Avon</a>”, Star, 14 December 1894, p 4</p> <p>“<a href="#">Advertisements</a>”, The Press, 28 May 1926, p 17</p> <p><a href="#">Palmers of the wild east: from Kidderminster to New Brighton</a>, p 118</p>	<p>“<a href="#">Street names</a>”, The Press, 22 February 1926, p 10</p> <p>“<a href="#">Street names</a>”, The Press, 26 May 1926, p 11</p> <p>“<a href="#">Street names</a>”, The Press, 22 June 1926, p 10</p> <p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: P37</p>

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				"extension of Dyers Road". Edwin Palmer (1842-1918), son of Thomas and Mary Ann, farmed 99 acres by the Estuary and gave his name to this second Palmers Road.			
<b>Dyers Pass Road</b>	Governors Bay Road	Named after John Dyer (1828-1876).	Cashmere	<p>One of the oldest ways over the hills. The Maori used this way to travel to their villages and their pallisaded pa at Governors Bay.</p> <p>First used by Europeans as a horse track. Road formation was undertaken by the Provincial Government 1862-1863.</p> <p>Dyer bought Rural Sections 228, 442, 443 and 1874, all parcels of land in "Governor's Bay, Port Lyttelton".</p> <p>Dyers Pass Road is first mentioned in the Star in 1869 and first appears in</p>		<p><a href="#">Province of Canterbury, New Zealand : list of sections purchased to April 30 1863</a>, pp 6, 11, 40</p> <p>"<a href="#">Local and General</a>", Star, 18 May 1869, p 2</p> <p>"<a href="#">Place names</a>", The Star, 27 November 1920, p 9 (written by H. G. Ell)</p> <p><a href="#">The Port Hills of Christchurch</a>, pp 209 &amp; 211</p> <p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of</a></p>	

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				street directories in 1911 with a see ref. to Governors Bay Road, Heathcote. First appears with residents listed in 1914.		<a href="#">Canterbury biographies</a> : D568 <a href="#">Early fruitgrowing in Canterbury New Zealand</a> , pp 80-81	
<b>Eaglesfield Close</b>		Named after Eaglesfield, a small settlement in West Cumbria, England.	Westmorland	Named to continue the theme in the subdivision of naming streets after places in historic Westmorland in England, since 1974 part of Cumbria.  Named in 2013.	Westmorland	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 17 September 2013</a>  <a href="#">Minutes of the Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 17 September 2013</a>	
<b>Eaglesome Avenue</b>		Named after the Eaglesome family.	Halswell	The Eaglesomes were early settlers in the area. Hugh and Florence Eaglesome were residents of Halswell in the 19th century. John and Isabella Eleanor Eaglesome (1862-1939) were also early residents of Halswell.  Named on 31 January 2001.	Dunbars Road. Also Aidanfield.	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda January 2001</a>	<a href="#">A short history of Halswell</a> , p 40 “ <a href="#">Obituary</a> ”, The Press, 18 December 1939, p 2



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<b>Ealing Street</b>		Named after a London Underground station.	Redwood, Northcote	One of a group of streets named after London railway stations. The Main North Railway passes right by the area.  Named in 1955.	Aldgate Street, Camden Street, Fenchurch Street, Grosvenor Street, Lambeth Crescent, Paddington Street and Uxbridge Street.	“New streets in Christchurch”, The Press, 28 June 1955, p 6	

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Earl Street	Overend's Lane	Named after Dr James William Earle (1804?-1878).	Hillsborough	<p>Overend's Lane first appears in street directories in 1906. James Overend (1854?-1939), a tannery employee, is a resident.</p> <p>Re-named Earl Street in 1912.</p> <p>Earle emigrated on the Randolph in 1850. He bought Rural Section 44, 50 acres, Christchurch District, near Hills Road (later Port Hills Road). He practised medicine in Lyttelton, later moving to Opawa where he built The Grange.</p> <p>[Legend has it that the "e" was omitted by mistake.]</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1912.</p>	Grange Street	<p><a href="#">Province of Canterbury, New Zealand : list of sections purchased to April 30 1863</a>, p 2</p> <p>"<a href="#">Rural Sections chosen</a>", The Lyttelton Times, 15 March 1851, p 7</p>	<p><a href="#">Passenger list for the Randolph</a></p> <p><a href="#">Along the hills: a history of the Heathcote Road Board and the Heathcote County Council 1864-1989</a>, p 14 &amp; p 21</p> <p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: E13</p> <p>"<a href="#">Obituary</a>", Star, 22 June 1894, p 1 (Mrs Earle's obituary)</p>

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<b>Earnslaw Crescent</b>		Named after Mount Earnslaw in the Mount Aspiring National Park.	Bryndwr	One of several streets in the area named after scenic attractions in Otago. First appears in street directories in 1953.	Aorangi Road, Hollyford Avenue, Hooker Avenue, Lyall Place and Sealy Place.		
<b>East Ellington Drive</b>		Named after Edward Kennedy "Duke" Ellington (1899-1974). East was added as the road commences in the eastern part of the subdivision. The Community Board also felt the addition makes the name more distinctive.	Mairehau	Colorado Developments wanted a common theme of famous jazz musicians and members of the "Big Band" era for all the streets in their development off Hills Road. Named in 2005.	Cole Porter Avenue, Holiday Drive and Teagarden Close.	<a href="#">Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 6 April 2005</a>	

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<b>Eastern Terrace</b>			Beckenham, Sydenham	Runs along the bank of the Heathcote River. First mentioned in The Press in 1911 when land is advertised for sale there. First appears in street directories in 1916.		“ <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ”, The Press, 25 February 1911, p 15	
<b>Eastling Street</b>		Named after Eastling, near Faversham in Kent.	Bishopdale	About 1963 Waimairi County Council minuted a policy that all its streets be named after English place names. First appears in street directories in 1968.		“Street names”, <a href="#">The Papanui Herald</a> , 17 April 1973, p 9	
<b>East Stream Lane</b>		Named because it is adjacent to the East Stream.	Northwood	Named in 2006.		<a href="#">Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 6 December 2006</a>	
<b>Eastwood Rise</b>			Waimairi Beach	First appears in street directories in 1995.			

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Eaton Place			Central city	<p>The first sale of land adjoining Eaton Place was on 11 April 1874. The land belonged to Thomas Maberly Hassal (1834-1879), a merchant. He and other residents of the street paid towards the formation of the street.</p> <p>In 1876 a petition signed by several ratepayers was received, asking that the street be taken over by the council with a special rate to be levied for forming and metalling it.</p> <p>Eaton Place had been "channelled, formed and shingled" by 1880. This is mentioned in the Star in a report of a council meeting held on 5 April 1880.</p>	Hassals Lane	<p>"<a href="#">City Council</a>", The Press, 24 October 1876, p 2</p> <p>"<a href="#">City Council</a>", The Press, 7 November 1876, p 2</p> <p>"<a href="#">City Council</a>", Star, 15 July 1879, p 3</p> <p>"<a href="#">City Council</a>", Star, 6 April 1880, p 4</p> <p>"<a href="#">City Council</a>", Star, 19 July 1881, p 4</p>	

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				The city council formally took over the street on 18 July 1881.  First appears in street directories in 1883.			
<b>Ebbtide Street</b>		Named because it is on the inner side of the Southshore peninsula.	South New Brighton, Southshore	Named in 1956.  Lee Osborn, a resident of the street, said in 2012 that the street was named by her father.		“New street names”, The Press, 2 April 1956, p 7  “Couple’s shared passion”, The Press, 14 July 2012, supplement, p 33	
<b>Echelon Drive</b>		Named after an echelon, an arrangement of aircraft in which each one is slightly to the right or left of the one in front.	Wigram	In the Wigram Skies subdivision where the street names have an aviation theme.  Named in 2014.	Wigram Skies	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 July 2014</a>  <a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 15 July 2014</a>	<a href="#">Wigram Skies</a>

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<b>Eden Place</b>		Named after Sir Anthony Eden, later Earl of Avon, (1897-1977).	Bryndwr	Eden was British foreign secretary 1935-1938, 1940-1945 and 1951-1955, and prime minister 1955-1957.  One of a small group of streets named after politicians.  Named on 18 June 1946.  First appears in street directories in 1950.	Attlee Crescent, Bevin Street, Evatt Street and Truman Road.	Date of naming supplied in 2000 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.	

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<b>Edgeware Road</b>		Named after Edgeware Road in London and a railway station.	Edgeware, St Albans	<p>Originally an accommodation road i.e. a route for stock.</p> <p>Edmund Green is listed living at Edgeware Road in 1866.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1878 and appears on an 1879 map.</p> <p>[The name has been altered with the addition of another "e".]</p> <p>Named by William Henry Butler (1837?-1915), a bricklayer from Nottingham, at a public meeting held to name streets in the district about 1874. He built the first house in the street.</p>		<p>Z Arch 387, <a href="#">When the street was a village</a> , p 56</p> <p>"<a href="#">Claims to vote</a>", The Lyttelton Times, 9 April 1866, p 4</p> <p><a href="#">Plan of Christchurch and suburbs, 1879</a></p> <p>"<a href="#">Edgeware or Edgeware?</a>", The Press, 23 June 1934, 19</p> <p>"Naming of streets in new subdivisions", The Press, 1 November 1958, p 10</p> <p><a href="#">St Albans: from swamp to suburb: an informal history</a>, p 164</p>	



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<b>Edie Street</b>		Named after Oswald Leonard Adams Edie (1898?-1970).	Wigram	<p>Edie was a sheepfarmer from Arrowtown. He graduated from the Canterbury Flying School on 12 May 1918.</p> <p>In the Wigram Aerodrome subdivision by Ngai Tahu Property Ltd where the street names are either of aircraft or taken from the list of the first 100 students at the Flight School established by Sir Henry Wigram in 1917.</p> <p>Named in 2010.</p>	Wigram Skies	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 1 June 2010</a>	<p>Great Britain, Royal Aero Club Aviators' Certificates, 1910-1950 as found on <a href="http://www.ancestry.com">www.ancestry.com</a></p> <p><a href="#">The Canterbury Aviation Co: the first hundred pilots</a></p> <p><a href="#">Wigram Skies</a></p>

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<b>Edinburgh Street</b>			Spreydon	<p>First mentioned in The Press in 1899 in a report of a meeting of the Spreydon Road Board. A letter was read from Harman and Stevens stating that the forming and metalling of Edinburgh Street had been completed and they were now requesting that the Board take it over.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1902.</p>		“ <a href="#">Spreydon</a> ”, The Press, 17 April 1899, p 6	
<b>Edmond Street</b>	Edmonds Street.	Named because it is near the site of the former Edmonds Sure to Rise Baking Powder Factory.	Woolston	Edmonds Street is first mentioned in the Star in an advertisement in 1886. By 1893 it is Edmond Street.		<p>“<a href="#">Advertisements</a>”, Star, 2 February 1886, p 2</p> <p>“<a href="#">Advertisements</a>”, Star, 1 July 1893, p 7</p>	<a href="#">The legacy of Thomas Edmonds</a>

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<b>Edmonton Road</b>		Named after Edmonton, the capital of the Canadian province of Alberta.	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, Klondyke Drive, Prairie Place and Yukon Place.		
<b>Edmund Storr Road</b>		Named after Edmund Storr Halswell (1790-1874).	Halswell	Halswell was a member of the Canterbury Association.  The street names in the Milns Estate subdivision all have an historical connection with the Halswell area.  Named in 1999.	Forgan Lane, John Olliver Terrace, Lady Nugent Lane, Marsack Crescent, and William Brittan Avenue. Also Halswell and Milns Estate.	<a href="#">Report of the Riccarton/Wigram Community Board to the Council November 1999</a>	<a href="#">The Canterbury Association: a study of its members' connections</a> , p 49  <a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : H60

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<b>Edna Street</b>		Named after Edna May Muirson (1913-1986).	Avondale	Edna Muirson was the wife of Reginald Gordon Vivian Muirson (1913-1990), a builder.  First appears in street directories in 1962.	Glenrowan Place, Reginald Street, Sharlick Street, Vivian Street and Woolley Street.	Information researched during the 1970s by Guy Bliss, a teacher and local historian.  The Muirson's dates supplied in 2008 by Marie Shears, formerly Woolley.	
<b>Edron Place</b>		Named after Edna Millicent Clive (1917-2002) and Ron Clive.	Redwood	The land was developed and subdivided by <a href="#">Enterprise Homes</a> in the late 1970s. The Clives were orchardists who owned the land.  First appears in street directories in 1981.		Information supplied in 2005 by Judith Schroder in consultation with Bruce Hobbs who worked for <a href="#">Enterprise Homes</a> as a builder at the time of the development.	

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<b>Edward Avenue</b>	Edwards Avenue and King Edwards Avenue.	Named after King Edward VII (1841-1910).	Edgware	Edward Avenue first appears in The Press in 1903 when sections in the Croydon Estate are advertised for sale.  From 1908 it has the alternative name of King Edwards Avenue. By 1912 it is Edward Avenue.		“ <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ”, The Press, 9 December 1903, p 11	
<b>Edward Stafford Avenue</b>		Named after Edward William Stafford (1819-1901).	Halswell	Stafford was a runholder, provincial superintendent, premier and sportsman. He named the Halswell property he had bought in 1873, Landsdowne.  Named in 2001.		<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda January 2001</a>	View the biography of <a href="#">Edward William Stafford</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a> .

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<b>Edwin Ebbett Place</b>		Named after Flight Lieutenant Edwin Pattison Ebbett (1914-1953).	Wigram	The developers wished to recognise the history of the area and, in particular, the crash in 1953 of two Royal New Zealand Air Force de Havilland Devon aircraft which collided over Wigram Aerodrome. The planes were returning to Wigram after taking part in a fly-past of 27 service aircraft at the London to Harewood air race prizegiving ceremony at Christchurch International Airport. All seven on board the aircraft were killed, among them the pilot of NZ1810, Flight Lieutenant Ebbett.  Named in 2014.	Erling Ziesler Lane	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board 18 November 2014 agenda</a>	"Seven airman killed : two Devons crash near Wigram : collision after flypast", The Press, 16 October 1953, p 10  "New housing at Wigram encroaches on disaster site", The Press, 4 October 2014, p C6

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<b>Edwin Mouldey Track</b>	Scarborough No 2 Track and Mouldey's Track.	Named after Edwin Coxhead Mouldey (1842-1925).	Scarborough	<p>Formerly Scarborough No 2 Track and later Mouldey's Track and re-named Edwin Mouldey Track on 16 June 1980 because the former name was not popular with locals.</p> <p>Mouldey was a baker, confectioner and speculative builder. His family took up a 12-acre property at 112 Bridle Path Road in the 1870s. The track runs through land owned earlier by Mouldey.</p>		<p><a href="#">Early fruitgrowing in Canterbury New Zealand</a>, p 90</p> <p><a href="#">The Port Hills of Christchurch</a>, p 29</p>	<p>“<a href="#">Obituary</a>”, The Press, 15 April 1925, p 8</p> <p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: M679</p>

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<b>Effingham Street</b>	Berry Street	Named after Lord Howard Effingham (1536-1624).	North New Brighton	<p>Berry Street first appears in street directories in 1918.</p> <p>Re-named Effingham Street on 1 September 1948 when 120 streets were re-named. Re-named because there is a Berry Street in St Albans.</p> <p>Effingham was Commander-in-Chief of the English fleet against the Spanish Armada.</p> <p>This name continues the naval theme of street names in the North New Brighton area.</p> <p>Effingham Street was extended between Beach Road and Pacific Road in 1967.</p>		<p>"<a href="#">Duplication of names</a>", The Press, 8 February 1936, p 13</p> <p>"Street names changed: City council approves final list", The Press, 24 August 1948, p 3</p> <p>"Naval names for streets", The Press, 28 April 1967, 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>
<b>Egmont Place</b>			Bishopdale	First appears in street directories in 1972.			



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<b>Egnot Heights</b>		Named after Leslie Jean Egnot (1963-).	Redcliffs	Leslie Egnot was one of the first women to helm an America's Cup yacht. She named streets in the Redcliffs subdivision to create an America's Cup theme.  Named in 1995.		"Egnot opens subdivision", The Press, 2 October 1995, p 5	
<b>Elba Crescent</b>		Named after Elba Park in Sunderland, England.	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		<a href="#">Knights Stream Park</a>
<b>Elderwood Lane</b>			Edgware	Named in 2006.		<a href="#">Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 6 December 2006</a>	

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<b>Electra Place</b>		Named after the Lockheed Electra aircraft.	Hornby	Named in 1998, and formally by the Riccarton/Wigram Community Board in 1999, when the Wigram airbase was subdivided.		“Aircraft bias to street names”, The Press, 1 April 1998, p 5  <a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 3 February 1999</a>	
<b>Elgin Street</b>	Part of Fifth Street and also Bowen Street.	Formerly part of Fifth Street. The streets south of, and parallel to, Moorhouse Avenue were named in numerical order.  Re-named Bowen Street. Probably named after Sir Charles Christopher Bowen (1830-1917).  Re-named Elgin Street.	Sydenham	Fifth Street appears on an 1879 map. It does not appear in street directories.  The section of Fifth Street west of Colombo Street through to Durham Street was re-named Bowen Street in 1881. The council made this section a public street on 10 October 1892.  Re-named Elgin Street on 7 March 1904.	Coleridge Street	<a href="#">Plan of Christchurch and suburbs</a>  <a href="#">Sydenham : the model borough of old Christchurch : an informal history</a> , p 82  “ <a href="#">City Council</a> ”, Star, 10 May 1881, p 4  “ <a href="#">Special meeting</a> ”, Star, 11 October 1892, p 1  “ <a href="#">Re-naming streets</a> ”, The Press, 8 March 1904, p 5	View the biography of <a href="#">Charles Christopher Bowen</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a> .

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<b>Eliza Place</b>			Halswell	Continues the theme used in the Aidanfield subdivision of naming the streets after members of the Order of St John Of God.  Named in 2008.	Aidanfield	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 3 June 2008</a>	<a href="#">Mount Magdala : 80 years of care...with a short history of the institution</a>  <a href="#">Pitch your tents on distant shores: a history of the Sisters of Good Shepherd in Australia, Aotearoa/New Zealand and Tahiti</a>

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<b>Elizabeth Street</b>	The section of the street from Wainui Street to Matipo Street was formerly named Rockwood Street.	Named after Elizabeth Jane Relph, née Mulcock, (1863-1934).	Riccarton	<p>Elizabeth Mulcock was a daughter of Edward Mulcock (1837-1915), owner of the land where this street was formed.</p> <p>Elizabeth Street is first listed in street directories in 1904.</p> <p>Rockwood Street appears only on maps and not in street directories.</p> <p>Incorporated into Elizabeth Street on 14 May 1923. It still appears on a 1930 map running between Junction Road (Wainui Street) and Matipo Street.</p>	Dallas Street, George Street, Maxwell Street and Peverel Street.	<p>“<a href="#">Advertisements</a>”, The Press, 17 May 1923, p 14</p> <p><a href="#">Map of Christchurch 1930</a></p>	<p>“<a href="#">Obituary</a>”, The Press, 4 August 1915, p 6</p> <p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: M701</p>
<b>Ell Place</b>		Named after George Wardock Ell (1835?-1904).	Halswell	<p>Ell was a butcher, and later stockdealer, with a farm at Sabys Road in Halswell. He was the father of Henry George "Harry" Ell (1862–1934).</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1980.</p>			<p>“<a href="#">Advertisements</a>”, Evening Post, 27 October 1905, p 1</p> <p>View the biography of <a href="#">Henry George Ell</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a>.</p>

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<b>Ellesmere Street</b>		Named after Lake Ellesmere, a Canterbury lake and New Zealand's 15th largest lake, by area.		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.		<a href="#">Burwood/Pegasus Community Board agenda 21 September 2015</a>  <a href="#">Burwood/Pegasus Community Board minutes 21 September 2015</a>	
<b>Elmdale Lane</b>			Phillipstown	First appears in street directories in 1987.			

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Elm Grove	Wells Street and Elmwood Grove.	Wells Street was named after a resident, Mary Ann Wells (1837?-1909) who is listed in street directories as living there in 1906.	Linwood	<p>Formerly two streets: Wells Street which ran off Hanmer Street and Elmwood Grove which ran off Fitzgerald Avenue.</p> <p>Elm Grove first appears in street directories in 1909.</p> <p>“Wells’s Street, Avonville” appears in The Press in 1910 when land there in the estate of Mrs M. A. A. Wells is advertised for sale.</p> <p>In 1923 a petition was received by the City Council from the residents of Wells street, asking that the name of the street be changed to Elmgrove, and the Council agreed. The two blind streets were connected making a through street from Fitzgerald Avenue to Hanmer Street.</p>		<p>“<a href="#">Advertisements</a>”, The Press, 14 February 1910, p 12</p> <p>"<a href="#">Untitled</a>", The Press, 29 May 1923, p 2</p>	<p>“<a href="#">Fire at Avonville</a>”, Star, 10 August 1889, p 3</p>

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<b>Elmslie Grove</b>		Named after Alexander Elmslie Miln (1890-1967).	Halswell	Alexander Miln was a grandson of John Miln (1827-1900) and the only one of his descendants to be buried in the Halswell Cemetery.  This continues the street name theme of the first stage of the Miln's Estate subdivision.  Named in March 2000.	Milns Road	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda March 2000</a>	<a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : M442
<b>Elmtree Close</b>			Parklands	First appears in street directories in 1993.			

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<b>Elmwood Road</b>		Named because it runs through the suburb of Elmwood which, in turn, is named after Elmwood, the home built there in 1866 by Robert Heaton Rhodes (1815-1884).	Elmwood	First mentioned in the Star in 1891.		"Advertisements", Star, 12 December 1891, p 2	<p>“<a href="#">Deaths</a>”, Star, 2 June 1884, p 2</p> <p>“<a href="#">Makers of Canterbury</a>”, The Press, 16 August 1930, p 15</p> <p><a href="#">Heaton Rhodes of Otahuna: the illustrated biography</a></p>
<b>Elsom Lane</b>	Kent Lane	Formerly Kent Lane. Probably named because of its proximity to Kent Lodge Avenue.  Re-named Elsom Lane. Named after Charles Henry Elsom (1893-1979).	Avonhead	Kent Lane first appears in street directories in 1992.  Re-named Elsom Lane in 1993.  In 1955 Charles Elsom is listed living at 274 Yaldhurst Road where the lane was later formed. He was the proprietor of Elsom's Service Station.			



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<b>Elstow Place</b>		Probably named after Elstow in Bedfordshire, England.	Spreydon	First appears in street directories in 1973.			
<b>Elvira Court</b>		Named after the Elvira Poultry Farm.	Bishopdale	The farm was at 2 Isleworth Road in the 1950s. When formed, the street featured the latest concepts in suburban subdivision: footpaths on one side of the street, more berms and plantings, parking byways and "go slow" street architecture. First appears in street directories in 1993.		"Trees planted in subdivision" <a href="#">The Papanui Herald</a> , 17 July 1984, p 1	
<b>Elworthy Way</b>		Named after Commander John Churchill Elworthy (1907-1986).	Richmond Hill	Elworthy was a naval officer (retired) and farmer who lived at 35 Richmond Hill Road and later 116 Beachville Road. First appears in street directories in 1981.		<a href="#">Sumner-Redcliffs Historical Society</a>	"Obituary", The Press, 29 August 1986, p 20

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<b>Ely Street</b>	Princess Street and Salisbury Grove.	Named after an English cathedral city in Cambridgeshire.	Central city	Princess Street and Salisbury Grove were amalgamated to form Ely Street in 1909.  [In 1898 a petition from the residents of Salisbury Grove had been received by the City Council asking that the name be altered to Seddon Street. This was not done.]		“ <a href="#">City Council</a> ”, The Press, 29 November 1898, p 5  “ <a href="#">Street naming</a> ”, The Press, 3 November 1909, p 3	“ <a href="#">Street names</a> ”, The Press, 6 October 1909, p 6  “ <a href="#">Street names</a> ”, The Press, 13 September 1924, p 13
<b>Emerson Street</b>		Probably named after Ralph Waldo Emerson (1803-1882).	Addington	Emerson was an American essayist.  Probably named to continue the theme of “poets and writers” streets of Sydenham, Addington and Waltham named by a committee of the Sydenham Borough Council on 19 January 1880.  Appears on a 1912 map.		Report of the street naming committee, Sydenham Borough Council minute book, 1879-1880, p 217, held at Christchurch City Council archives.  “ <a href="#">Borough Council</a> ”, Star, 20 January 1880, p 3  <a href="#">Map of Christchurch shewing tram routes and public buildings</a>	

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<b>Eminence Drive</b>		Named after Eminence Developments Ltd, developers of the Groynes Park subdivision.		Eminence Investments Ltd is a group of Malaysian nationals from Sarawak state, working in conjunction with Groynes Development (2012) Ltd. Named in 2015.	Groynes Park	<a href="#">Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 14 October 2015</a> <a href="#">Shirley/Papanui Community Board minutes 14 October 2015</a>	<a href="#">Groynes Park</a>
<b>Emlyn Place</b>			Avondale	In a Paramount Homes subdivision. Named on 15 June 1960.		Information on date of naming in a letter sent to the City Librarian from the Town Clerk dated 20 June 1960.	

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<b>Emma Street</b>		Named after Lake Emma, one of the nine lakes in the Ashburton lakes.		<p>The development company chose a theme of Canterbury lakes, rivers, lagoons and other water bodies for the street names in the subdivision.</p> <p>In stage 1 of the Prestons Park subdivision on the south side of Prestons Road, opposite the Prestons subdivision.</p> <p>Named in 2015.</p>		<p><a href="#">Burwood/Pegasus Community Board agenda 21 September 2015</a></p> <p><a href="#">Burwood/Pegasus Community Board minutes 21 September 2015</a></p>	

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<b>Emmett Street</b>		Named after Arthur William Emmett (d. 1948).	Shirley	<p>Emmett was a dairy farmer whose herd of cows on his 100 acre farm in Quinns Road supplied milk to Shirley, Richmond, St Albans and Fendalton. He donated money for the stone fence around the Shirley Methodist Church. For many years his daughter, Ruth Emmett (1910-1987), ran a dairy in the block of shops opposite Shirley Intermediate School.</p> <p>Emmett's farm was 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".</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, p 512 &amp; 571 held at Christchurch City Council archives.</p> <p><a href="#">Shirley Methodist Church: one hundred years of Christian witness, 1866-1966</a>, p 13</p> <p>“Major housing development in the Shirley district”, The Press, 31 March 1953, p 3</p> <p>“Where city once met country”, The Press, 26 December 1981, p 11</p>	

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<b>Endeavour Street</b>		Named after the Endeavour, the first ship commanded by Capt. James Cook (1728-1779).	North New Brighton	Cook was an 18th century British explorer, navigator and astronomer.  This name continues the naval theme of street names in the North New Brighton area.  Named in 1967.		“Naval names for streets”, The Press, 28 April 1967, p 12	
<b>Endurance Lane</b>		Named after Endurance, the three-masted barquentine in which Sir Ernest Shackelton (1874-1922) sailed for the Antarctic.	Wigram	The developer chose Sir Ernest Shackelton's trans-Antarctic expedition 1914-1917 as the theme of the subdivision.  In the Eelco Wiersma subdivision at 141-185 Awatea Road.  Named in 2014.	James Caird Lane, Milano Lane, Platinum Drive, Vahsel Bay Place and Wiersma Lane.	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 July 2014</a>  <a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 15 July 2014</a>	

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<b>England Street</b>	Rolleston Street	Formerly Rolleston Street. Named after the Hon. William Rolleston (1831-1903).  Re-named England Street.	Linwood	Rolleston was a public administrator, politician, provincial superintendent and educationalist. For many years, following his marriage, he lived in this area and is buried at Avonside Parish Cemetery.  Rolleston Street is first mentioned in the Star in 1884 in a report of a meeting of the Linwood Town Board.  First appears in street directories in 1890.		<p>“<a href="#">Linwood Town Board</a>”, Star, 9 October 1884, p 3</p> <p><a href="#">History of the Avonside Parish District</a>, p 99-100</p> <p><a href="#">Gilby neighbourhood improvement plan</a>, p 9</p> <p>"<a href="#">Street naming</a>", The Press, 3 November 1909, p 3</p> <p><a href="#">Map of Christchurch shewing tram routes and public buildings</a></p>	<p>View the biography of <a href="#">William Rolleston</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a>.</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>

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				<p>There were various attempts to re-name the street. In 1909 it was to be re-named Seymour Street and this appears on a 1912 map. The Linwood Citizens' Association wrote asking for the name not to be altered and a petition was presented to the City Council. In 1926 Herbert Street was suggested.</p> <p>Re-named England Street on 1 September 1948 when 120 streets were re-named.</p>		<p>"<a href="#">Street names</a>", The Press, 22 February 1926, p 10</p> <p>"<a href="#">Street names</a>", The Press, 22 February 1926, p 13</p> <p>"Street names changed: City council approves final list", The Press, 24 August 1948, p 3</p>	
<b>Englefield Road</b>		Named after Charles William Englefield (1859-1937).	Belfast, Northwood	<p>Englefield and his family leased land on the corner of North Road and what became Englefield Road from the Church Property Trustees.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1962.</p>		<a href="#">A history of the Belfast Schools, 1859-1978</a> , p 14	



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<b>English Street</b>	School Road	Formerly School Road. Named because it runs past Riccarton Primary School.  Re-named English Street. Named after Henry English (1861?-1950).	Sockburn	School Road first appears in street directories in 1903.  Re-named English Street on 8 June 1948.  English was the headmaster of Riccarton Primary School 1891-1922.		Information on date of re-naming supplied in 2000 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.	<a href="#">Riccarton Primary School 125th jubilee celebrations</a> , p 9
<b>Ennerdale Row</b>		Named after Ennerdale Water, one of the smaller lakes in the Lake District of northern England.	Westmorland	Named to continue the theme in the subdivision of naming streets after places in historic Westmorland in England, since 1974 part of Cumbria.  Formed post-1997.	Westmorland	<a href="#">The Port Hills of Christchurch</a> , p 248	

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<b>Ensign Street</b>		Named after the Maitara Ensign, a newspaper first published in Gore, Southland.	Halswell	Named by the developer, Karl Scott (1910-1997). A journalist, he was employed by the Maitara Ensign in his first job. This newspaper was named after the Scottish newspaper the Northern Ensign and was first published on 10 May 1878.  First appears in street directories in 1958.	Oaklands	Information supplied in 2008 by Bede Cosgriff (d. 2011) in an interview with Margaret Harper.  <a href="#">A short history of Halswell</a> , p 99	<a href="#">Turf tufts and toe-weights</a>

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<b>Ensors Road</b>	Ensor's Road	Named after Edmund Henry Ensor (1840-1884).	Opawa, Waltham	<p>Ensor arrived in Canterbury in 1860 on the William Miles. At different times he shared ownership of several farms, worked as a land and estate agent and part-owned a flax mill. He is listed in street directories in 1864 living at Creek Cottage, Opawa.</p> <p>Ensor's Road first appears in the Star in 1877 in a report of a meeting of the Heathcote Road Board.</p> <p>Ensors Road first appears in street directories in 1892.</p>	Isabella Place, Rollseby Street and Rydal Street.	<p><a href="#">"The Heathcote Road Board"</a>, Star, 28 April 1877, p 2</p> <p>"Isabella Place", The Press, 14 July 1975, p 2</p>	<p><a href="#">"Shipping News"</a>, Lyttelton Times, 1 August 1860, p 4</p> <p><a href="#">Along the hills: a history of the Heathcote Road Board and the Heathcote County Council 1864-1989</a>, p 14</p> <p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: E132</p> <p><a href="#">"Latest Locals"</a>, Star, 23 October 1884, p 2</p> <p><a href="#">"Death of Mr E. H. Ensor"</a>, Star, 24 October 1884, p 2</p>

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<b>Enterprise Avenue</b>		Named to reflect the use of the subdivision.	Wigram	In the Waterloo Business Park subdivision. Named in 2014.	Waterloo Business Park	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 July 2014</a> <a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 15 July 2014</a>	<a href="#">Waterloo Business Park</a>
<b>Enticott Place</b>		Named after Dr. Thomas Oliver Enticott (1918-1999).	Huntsbury	From 1946 Dr Enticott was on the staff of the Cashmere Sanatorium and involved with the treatment of tuberculosis. The Sanatorium was converted to a geriatric hospital in 1956 and re-named Coronation Hospital. Dr. Enticott was appointed medical superintendent and served until his retirement in 1985. First appears in street directories in 1995.	Broad Oaks		“Chch doctor warned of Tb risk”, The Press, 28 October 1999, p 7 <a href="#">Up the hill: Cashmere Sanatorium and Coronation Hospital, 1910 to 1991.</a>
<b>Epping Place</b>		Named after Epping in Essex, England.	Burnside	First appears in street directories in 1957.	Gregan Crescent		

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<b>Epsom Road</b>		Named after the Epsom Racecourse in Epsom, Surrey, England or Epsom Lodge in Racecourse Road.	Sockburn	Epsom Lodge is advertised in The Press for sale in 1904.  Named because of its proximity to the Riccarton Racecourse.  First appears in street directories in 1903.		" <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ", The Press, 25 January 1904, p 12	
<b>Erewhon Terrace</b>		Named after Samuel Butler's book <a href="#">Erewhon or Over the Range</a> .	Hillsborough	The book is about Butler's life on his high country station Mesopotamia.  First appears in street directories in 1970.			
<b>Eric Adam Way</b>		Named after Eric Adam (1927-1999).	Linwood	Adam was a member of the Rangers AFC 1927-1999. He was involved as a player, coach and selector and held all the official positions in the club.  The Christchurch City Council honoured Eric Adam for his long-service to the Rangers and the		<a href="#">Hagley/Ferrymead Community Board Extraordinary Agenda 22 September 2010</a>  <a href="#">Report of the Hagley/Ferrymead Community Board to the Council Meeting of 2 December 2010</a>	"Eric Adam - 'Mr Rangers'", Christchurch Star, 14 January 2000, p B1

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				<p>community with the naming of the street.</p> <p>The street was created through the subdivision of 148A McGregors Road, formerly known as Eric Adam Park or Rangers Park. Freyberg Developers Ltd considered that the development should recognise the history of the site and its relationship with the local community over many years.</p> <p>Named in 2010.</p>			
<b>Erica Street</b>			Papanui	Named in 1959.		“New city street names”, The Press, 30 June 1959, p 5	

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<b>Erin Crescent</b>	Erin Place		Mairehau	Formerly Erin Place. Name approved on 29 March 1956. Becomes Erin Crescent in 1961.		“New street names”, The Press, 2 April 1956, p 7 “Clifton Bay recognised”, The Press, 17 March 1961, p 21	

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<b>Erling Ziesler Lane</b>		Named after Flight Lieutenant Erling William Ziesler (1922?-1953).	Wigram	The developers wished to recognise the history of the area and, in particular, the crash in 1953 of two Royal New Zealand Air Force de Havilland Devon aircraft which collided over Wigram Aerodrome. The planes were returning to Wigram after taking part in a fly-past of 27 service aircraft at the London to Harewood air race prizegiving ceremony at Christchurch International Airport. All seven on board the aircraft were killed, among them the pilot of NZ1811, Flight Lieutenant Erling Ziesler.  Named in 2014.	Edwin Ebbett Place	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board 18 November 2014 agenda</a>	"Seven airman killed : two Devons crash near Wigram : collision after flypast", The Press, 16 October 1953, p 10  "New housing at Wigram encroaches on disaster site", The Press, 4 October 2014, p C6



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<b>Ernest Adams Drive</b>		Named after Ernest Alfred Adams (1892-1976).	Lyttelton	Adams was the founder of Ernest Adams Ltd and a Christchurch city councillor 1953-1956.  Formed post-1997.			"Ernest Adams was a household name", The Press, 6 September 1976, p 13
<b>Ernest Gray Place</b>		Named after Ernest Gray (1832-1895).	Halswell	Gray arrived in Canterbury in 1853 on the Tasmania. He bought a large part of the Hoon Hay Valley (the Hoon Hay estate) from Henry Cridland and served on the Halswell Road Board.  Named in 2002.		<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda January 2001</a>  <a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 3 April 2002</a>	<a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : G363  "Obituary", Star, 15 July 1895, p 4
<b>Ernlea Terrace</b>		Named after Leonard Ernle Clark (1906-1964).	Cashmere	Clark's middle name is pronounced Ernlee so the "a" may have been added to ensure his name was pronounced correctly.  First appears in street directories in 1958.	Thorrington and Ernle Clark Reserve.	Information supplied in 2007 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.	"Death of Mr L. E. Clark, pioneer airman", The Press, 28 December 1964, p 12

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<b>Eros Place</b>		Named after Eros, the Greek god of love and sexual desire.	North New Brighton	One of a group of three streets with names taken from Greek mythology. First appears in street directories in 1973.	Leda Place and Pandora Street.		
<b>Errol Lane</b>			Huntsbury	First appears in street directories in 1977.			
<b>Esher Place</b>			St Martins	Named on 22 March 1971. First appears in street directories in 1977.		Information on date of naming in a letter sent to the City Librarian from the Town Clerk dated 24 March 1971.	
<b>Esk Place</b>			Aranui	Named in 1955.		“New streets in Christchurch”, The Press, 28 June 1955, p 6	
<b>Eskdale Place</b>			Halswell	First appears in street directories in 1995.			

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<b>Esplanade</b>	Sumner Esplanade		Sumner	<p>The name Esplanade appears on, and may have originated with, the 1874 “Working Plan of the Town of Wakefield” which is Deposit Plan 13.</p> <p>Sumner Esplanade first appears in the Star in 1883 when a house to let is advertised there.</p> <p>Sumner Esplanade first appears in street directories in 1910. Becomes Esplanade from 1918.</p>		<p>Information supplied by Dr John Wilson in 2009.</p> <p>“<a href="#">Advertisements</a>”, Star, 7 February 1883, p 1</p>	<a href="#">Sumner</a> , pp 42-43

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<b>Essex Street</b>	Old Stanmore Road and Gordon Street.	Named after Essex, a county in the East of England.	Phillipstown	Old Stanmore Road is first mentioned in the Star in 1870. Re-named Gordon Street in 1881. Re-named Essex Street on 7 March 1904. Among a number of streets re-named in 1904 and given the names of place-names in the United Kingdom.		<p>“<a href="#">Local and General</a>”, Star, 26 April 1870, p 2</p> <p>“<a href="#">Heathcote</a>”, Star, 20 April 1881, p 4</p> <p>Christchurch City Council minute book, June 1903-October 1904 held at Christchurch City Council archives.</p> <p>“<a href="#">Re-naming streets</a>”, The Press, 8 March 1904, p 5</p>	
<b>Establishment Drive</b>			Hornby South	In a commercial subdivision at 206 Shands Road by Calder Stewart Industries Ltd. Named in 2015.		<p><a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 September 2015</a></p> <p><a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board minutes 15 September 2015</a></p>	

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<b>Estuary Road</b>		Estuary is a Latin word: aestus meaning a tide.	New Brighton, South New Brighton	Estuary Road is first mentioned in the Star in 1874.  First appears in street directories in 1913.		" <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ", Star, 2 January 1874, p 4  " <a href="#">Duplication of names</a> ", The Press, 8 February 1936, p 13	<a href="#">Ōtākaro/Opawaho Estuary</a> from <a href="#">Tī Kōuka Whenua</a>
<b>Ethne Street</b>		Named after Ethne Mary Grenfell, née Jackman, (1904-1993).	Mairehau	Ethne Grenfell was one of the three daughters of John Jackman (1868?-1942), an accountant, and his wife Anne Ellen, née Newell, (1869?-1959). She was a descendant of early landowners, George Acheson Newell (1841-1918) and his wife, Martha Newell (1845?-1909).  The Jackman family owned a large property in Innes Road. Their land was later subdivided and three streets formed.  First appears in street directories in 1955.	Nancy Avenue and Norah Street.	<a href="#">St Albans: from swamp to suburbs: an informal history</a> , p 164  Z Arch 387, <a href="#">When the street was a village</a> , p 36	<a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a> : N66  " <a href="#">Death</a> ", The Press, 13 July 1909, p 1  " <a href="#">Obituary</a> ", The Press, 3 April 1918, p 8  " <a href="#">Obituary</a> ", The Press, 20 July 1942, p 6

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<b>Euphrasie Drive</b>		Named after Sister Mary of St Euphrasie "Ellen" Fennessy.	Aidanfield	<p>Sr M. of St Euphrasie Fennessy was the first Australian woman to enter the order and was Mother Superior of Mt Magdala in 1890.</p> <p>In stages 8 and 9 of the Aidanfield subdivision where all the street names 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 2011.</p>	Aidanfield	<a href="#">Riccarton/Wigram Community Board agenda 15 August 2011</a>	<p><a href="#">Mount Magdala : 80 years of care...with a short history of the institution</a></p> <p><a href="#">Pitch your tents on distant shores: a history of the Sisters of Good Shepherd in Australia, Aotearoa/New Zealand and Tahiti</a></p>
<b>Eureka Street</b>			Aranui	Named in 1955.		“New streets in Christchurch”, The Press, 28 June 1955, p 6	

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<b>Euston Street</b>		Named after Euston Road in the London borough of Camden.	Riccarton	It was the first street developed in the Shand subdivision.  First mentioned in the Star in 1908 when canaries for sale there are advertised.  First appears in street directories in 1908.	Shand Crescent	“ <a href="#">Advertisements</a> ”, Star, 18 July 1908, p 6	

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<b>Evans Avenue</b>	Withell Avenue	<p>Formerly Withell Avenue. Named after Charles Withell (1831-1916).</p> <p>Re-named Evans Avenue. Named after Edward Ratcliff Garth Russell Evans, the 1st Baron Mountevans of Chelsea (1881-1957).</p>	New Brighton	<p>Withell was an early settler in the Riccarton area and later a farmer at Brookside. He also owned land in New Brighton and lived on Union Street.</p> <p>Withell Avenue is mentioned in The Press in 1923 when sections are advertised for sale there.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1930.</p> <p>Re-named Evans Avenue on 1 September 1948.</p> <p>Evans was an Admiral who was commander of the British expedition to the Antarctic in 1913.</p> <p>This name continues the theme of naming streets in New Brighton after British Admirals, explorers and fighting seafarers.</p>	Beresford Street and Withell's Island.	<p>"<a href="#">Advertisements</a>", The Press, 31 March 1923, p 21</p> <p>"Street names changed: City council approves final list", The Press, 24 August 1948, p 3</p>	<p><a href="#">The Cyclopedia of New Zealand</a>, Vol 3, p 691</p> <p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: W653</p> <p>"<a href="#">Mr Charles Withell</a>", The Press, 20 December 1916, p 8</p> <p><a href="#">Evans of the Broke: a biography of Admiral Lord Mountevans</a></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>



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<b>Evans Pass Road</b>	Part of the Lyttelton-Sumner Road.	Named after Lieutenant Evans of HMS Acheron.	Sumner	<p>Development of the road began in September 1849 under the direction of <a href="#">Captain Joseph Thomas</a> (b. 1803?), chief surveyor for the Canterbury Association. He had thought to take the road over the hills at the back of Lyttelton but Evans, involved in mapping the coastline, suggested taking the road along the side of the hill towards the harbour entrance for about 2 miles so that it crossed the summit at only 640 feet, the lowest point on that side of the harbour. Much blasting and side cutting was necessary.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1957. Walter de Thier (1884-1973), a farmer, is the sole resident.</p>	Evans Pass	<p><a href="#">A history of the Port of Lyttelton</a>, p 21</p> <p>"Place names", The Star, 27 November 1920, p 9 (written by H. G. Ell).</p> <p>"Droitwich Street to be Stanbury Avenue", The Press, 11 November 1958, p 16</p>	<p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: E142</p> <p><a href="#">From port to plains: The Press supplement: Christchurch-Lyttelton road tunnel</a>, p 18</p>

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<b>Evatt Street</b>		Named after Dr. Herbert Vere Evatt (1894-1965).	Bryndwr	Evatt was the Australian Deputy Prime Minister 1946-1949. One of a group of streets named after politicians. Named on 18 June 1946. First appears in street directories in 1950.	Attlee Crescent, Bevin Place, Eden Place and Truman Road.	Date of naming supplied in 2008 by Bob Pritchard, subdivisions officer, Christchurch City Council.	"H. V. Evatt, 71, dies after long illness", The Press, 3 November 1965, p 21

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<b>Eveleyn Couzins Avenue</b>		Named after Eveleyn Charlotte Couzins (1896-1945).	Richmond	<p>Miss Couzins was a niece of Sir Ernest Andrews, the mayor of Christchurch 1941-1945. She acted as his mayoress and the street was named after her at his request.</p> <p>The street was formed on land that had previously belonged to Avebury House.</p> <p>In a government housing subdivision.</p> <p>Named in 1945.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1950.</p>		<p><a href="#">A house with a story: Avebury House</a>, p (7)</p> <p><a href="#">“Health camp buildings”</a>, The Press, 11 September 1945, p 3</p>	<p><a href="#">“Death of Miss E. C. Couzins”</a>, The Press, 20 June 1945, p 6</p>
<b>Evenwood Place</b>			Waimairi Beach	<p>First appears in street directories in 1995.</p>			

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<b>Everard Street</b>			Spreydon	<p>First mentioned in The Press in 1913.</p> <p>Part of the street disappeared when Barrington Mall was developed.</p> <p>Video Village of Barrington incorporated the Everard Street sign and original power pole in their shop development.</p>		<p><a href="#">"Sale of Spreydon sections"</a>, The Press, 23 January 1913, p 8</p> <p>"Street name lives on", Observer, 25 May 1998, p 10</p>	
<b>Everest Street</b>			Burnside	<p>First appears in street directories in 1962.</p>			
<b>Evergreen Place</b>		Named to be "in keeping with other streets in the area".	Parklands	<p>Parklands was established near the Bottle Lake forest and the street names have a "tree" theme.</p> <p>Named in 2002.</p>		<p><a href="#">Burwood/Pegasus Community Board agenda 13 May 2002</a></p>	

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<b>Eversleigh Street</b>		Named after Eversleigh, an estate in Springfield Road.	St Albans	<p>Edward Corker Minchin (1821-1899) sold his property, Eversleigh, North Town Belt, in 1863, and the sale of his household furniture and effects is advertised in The Press that year.</p> <p>Robert Buchanan Bennett (1857?-1939) subdivided his property, Eversleigh, in 1902 and the street was formed.</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1904.</p>		<p>“<a href="#">Advertisements</a>”, The Press, 25 April 1863, p 3</p> <p>"<a href="#">Advertisements</a>", The Press, 7 May 1902, p 11</p> <p>Z Arch 387, <a href="#">When the street was a village</a></p>	

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<b>Evesham Crescent</b>		Named after the Vale of Evesham in southern Worcestershire, England.	Spreydon	<p>The Lyttelton family owned property in the Vale of Evesham from as early as the 13th century. Their family seat is Hagley Hall in Worcestershire.</p> <p>Several streets in this area have names associated with the Lyttelton family because they were formed on Rural Section 76, 700 acres on the "Lower Lincoln Road, Heathcote Bridge" purchased by Frederick Spencer, 4th Earl Spencer (1798-1857) and Conway Lucas Rose (1817-1910).</p>	<p>Bewdley Street, Bredon Lane, Clent Lane, Frankleigh Street, Gleig Place, Glynne Crescent, Lyttelton Street, Stanbury Street (formerly Droitwich Street), Stourbridge Street, Sumner Street and Wychbury Street.</p> <p>Also Hagley Park.</p>	<p><a href="#">The Canterbury Association: a study of its members' connections</a>, p 67</p> <p><a href="#">Province of Canterbury, New Zealand : list of sections purchased to April 30 1863</a>, p 2</p> <p>"<a href="#">Rural Sections chosen</a>", The Lyttelton Times, 29 March 1851, p 6</p> <p><a href="#">The evolution of a city</a>, pp 9 &amp; 79</p>	<p><a href="#">A history of Canterbury</a>, Vol 1, pp 242-245</p> <p>"<a href="#">Suicide of Lord Lyttelton</a>", Evening Post, 22 May 1876, 2</p>

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				<p>Spencer's interest in the land was passed on to his nephew, the Hon. George William Spencer Lyttelton (1847-1913), the 4th son of George William Lyttelton, 4th Baron Lyttelton (1817-1876).</p> <p>First appears in street directories in 1958.</p>			
<b>Excalibur Place</b>		Named after the legendary sword of King Arthur.	Burwood	<p>Streets were given names associated with King Arthur and the Knights of the Round Table in this part of the Travis Country Estate.</p> <p>Named in 1997.</p>	<p>Gunwelloe Lane, Mullion Lane, St Keverne Close, Sedgemoor Close and Wedmore Close. Also Glastonbury Drive and Quantock Place. Also Travis Country Estate.</p>	<p><a href="#">Burwood/Pegasus Community Board agenda 24 November 1997</a></p>	

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Exeter Street		Named after the Archbishopric of Exeter.	Lyttelton	<p>One of the original streets of Lyttelton named in 1850 by <a href="#">Captain Joseph Thomas</a> (b. 1803?) and <a href="#">Edward Jollie</a> (1825-1894). The names were taken from bishoprics listed in <a href="#">Burke's Peerage</a>.</p> <p>First mentioned in <a href="#">The Lyttelton Times</a> in 1852 when 1/4 acre sections are advertised for sale there.</p>		<p><a href="#">Reminiscences of a surveyor, runholder and politician in Canterbury and Otago, 1841-1865</a>, pp 28-29</p> <p>"<a href="#">Advertisements</a>", <a href="#">The Lyttelton Times</a>, 7 August 1852, p 2</p>	<p><a href="#">G R Macdonald dictionary of Canterbury biographies</a>: J169 &amp; T144</p> <p>"<a href="#">Obituary</a>", <a href="#">The Press</a>, 9 August 1894, p 5e</p> <p>"<a href="#">Obituary</a>", <a href="#">Star</a>, 9 August 1894, p 1</p> <p>View the biography of <a href="#">Joseph Thomas</a> in the <a href="#">Dictionary of New Zealand Biography</a>.</p>



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<b>Exeter Street</b>	Part of Winchester Street.	Named after Exeter in the Southwest of England.	Merivale	<p>Winchester Street was formerly Princes Street and had been re-named earlier that year on 7 March 1904.</p> <p>Winchester Street from Andover Street to Carlton Road (later Carlton Mill Road) was re-named Exeter Street on 12 December 1904.</p> <p>Among a number of streets re-named in 1904 and given the names of place-names in the United Kingdom.</p>		<p>“<a href="#">Re-naming streets</a>”, The Press, 8 March 1904, p 5</p> <p>St Albans Borough Council minute book, 1 October 1904-13 June 1906 held at Christchurch City Council archives.</p>	<p>“<a href="#">Street names</a>”, The Press, 13 September 1924, p 13</p>
<b>Exley John Place</b>		Named after Exley John Barker.	Brooklands	<p>Barker worked the land off Lower Styx Road where this street was formed for thirty years. He and his wife, Lorna Marie Barker (d. 1996), lived at 10 Nirvana Street, Brooklands. John Barker was the original landowner and farmer.</p> <p>Named in 2006.</p>	Barkersfield Place and Lorna Lane.	<p><a href="#">Shirley/Papanui Community Board agenda 4 October 2006</a></p>	

