

## DESERTERS A –C POTTED HISTORY

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ABUSSON FA = Hambledon; Hampshire; 1842; 13.9.63; 1.2.66; desert.; 2WR; Otahuhu; 731 transcribed by R Stowers

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ACKER John

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ACKER John = 15.4.64; desert.; 3WR(CTC); 1225 transcribed by R Stowers

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ADSHEAD George Edward

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ADSHEAD George Edward = 1841; 1.9.63; AM (CTC); Star o India '63; desert.; 2WR(CTC); 1WR(CTC); Melbourne; 170 transcribed by R Stowers

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AGER Frederick

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AGER Frederick = London 1844; 29.1.65; 1.3.66; desert.; 2WR; Alexandra; 1355 transcribed by R Stowers

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AGNEW William

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William AGNEW departed Melbourne 09 October 1861 "City of Hobart" age 29 married Country Ireland arrived Otago. Source PROV VPRS 948 Number 12241 LDS Film 0284488

William AGNEW 1867-74 Glenalpine Bruce Electoral Roll

AGNEW William = Pte 3rd Waikato Regiment Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

AGNEW William = Private 3rd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 252

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ALLEN Henry

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Henry ALLEN Volunteers and Militia men who received the NZ Medal War 1860-1870 Gudgeon T.W. Defenders of NZ 1887

Henry ALLEN lots of shipping via Melbourne

Henry ALLEN Auckland Provincial Highway Rolls 1863-1870

Search The New Zealand Medal to Colonials by R Stowers page 97

ALLEN Henry = Pte 3rd Waikato Regiment Deserted Imperial Medal Not Issued AD 37/25-1 [AD 37/25-1 a full box of paper but could not locate reference to Henry Allen. Located a list of 1649 Military Pensioners names with address, lots of letters written in Maori by Maori pensioners requesting medals etc. and a photograph of military pensioner W Heslop in uniform Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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ALLEN John

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ALLEN John = desert; 2WR (CTC); 1141 transcribed by R Stowers

ALLEN John = desert.; 2WR (CTC); 1142 transcribed by R Stowers

ALLEN William Samuel

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ALLEN W Samuel; Private; New Plymouth; Also Taranaki Militia; Waireka 28/3/1860, Kaihihi 12/10/186, Kaitake 24/3/1864; Gazette 1871; Issued 24/2/1873; 23; AD32/2083; Medal possibly named to Taranaki Militia. (Source The New Zealand Medal to Colonials by R Stowers New Zealand Wars 1845-1872 page 81)

SEARCH Agency AD Series 32 Item 2083 Medal Issue

W S ALLEN Volunteers and Militia men who received the NZ Medal War 1860-1870 Gudgeon T.W. Defenders of NZ 1887 & W S ALLEN Land application to Naval & Military & NZ Land Forces Land claims Commission AJHR 1882 Section H17 Year 1882 page 9

William Samuel ALLEN married WHEELER 1865 Folio 0558

William Samuel ALLEN Wills (Land Records) New Plymouth date 21 August 1889 Document type Transmission Document Number R21/35 & 43/457 Place Mangorei District Occupation Farmer page 03 & 01 Document Copy Old Volume – Unable to be photocopied

William Samuel ALLEN Probate records Place Mangorei Occupation Farmer Death date 21 August 1889 Court New Plymouth Probate No. 286 Filed Date 02 November 1889 Type Will Archives of NZ Wellington

ALLEN William Samuel = Pte Taranaki Rifles Volunteers AD Series 32/2086 & AD 36/3 15 Pte William Samuel ALLEN Pte Taranaki Rifles Volunteers Mahuetahi, Kautake, Manutahi Appl. – (1870-1870) Awarded 1871. Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

ALLEN William Samuel = Tipperary; 1836; 17.12.64; 9.6.66; 2086; 15; TRV; Wellington; desert.; TMS; Taranaki transcribed by R Stowers

AMBROSE

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AMBROSE = Thomas Waterford?; 13.6.66; Orpheus?; (12.62, deserted Orpheus 929/3359 ?); VFR? Transcribed by R Stowers

AMIDON David

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AMIDON David = Wiskenstaa?; Washington; 1839; 29.1.64; 4.1.67; desert.; TMS.; Melbourne; 811 transcribed by R Stowers

ANDERSON Thomas (Henry) or Thomas Henry ANDERSON

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Deserters - A few Forest Rangers deserted. The circumstances for their absences are not known but the wait for titles of land grants and disillusionment over their land grants may have been contributing factors. The eight known deserters were Thomas Anderson, William Bourke, William Cochrane, James Dunn, William Hartland, William Humphries, Moses McDonald, John Murray and possible George Vart. (Source A History of the Forest Rangers during the New Zealand Wars "Forest Rangers" by R Stowers page 288)

ANDERSON Thomas Henry; Private, No 3 Coy "Parnell"; Oxford Terrace, Christchurch; Lower Wairoa 9/1863; Gazette 1879. 1888; Issues 23/10/1879' Receipted 23/11/1879, 4/2/1888; 2703, 2878; AD32/1890; AD1: 1887/3222; Possibly 2 medals issued. (Source The New Zealand Medal to Colonials by R Stowers New Zealand Wars 1845-1872 page 27-28)

SEARCH Agency AD Series 32 Item 1890

SEARCH Agency AD Series 1 Item 1887/3222

SEARCH Gazette 1879 & 1888

Thomas Henry ANDERSON War Graves Records Historic/Maori Wars Cemetery Waikumete Source Archives Ref 1A Series 76/16-8 Died 28 November 1930 Age 85 years Archives NZ Wellington & lots of other information

ANDERSON Thomas = 57th 2499 WO 100/18 Page 292 NZ War Medal 57th Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

ANDERSON Thomas = 1695 WO/100/18 Page 453 NZ War Medal MT Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

ANDERSON Thomas Henry = Auckland Rifle Reference AD32/1890, AD 36/3 2703, AD36/3 2878, AD1: 79/710, AD1: 80/1698 (Roll A), AD1: 88/446 (Roll) AD1: 98/1703 Pte Auckland Rifle Vols. Lower Wairoa Drury Appl. 1879 (1879-11) Medal & Land Claim, Awarded 1879 (possible never received this medal) Apl. 1888 (1888-98) Awarded 1888 Receipt 1888 Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

ANDERSON Thomas (Henry) = 1.8.64; 13.6.66; ARV?; 12.6.1899?; Kihikihi?; desert.; AD23/13; 2FR; 8 transcribed by R Stowers

ANDERSON William

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ANDERSON William = Manchester; Lancashire; 1841; 1.10.63; 19.10.66; 85; 3135; 8.9.1935; Waikaraka Pk.; desert.; AD1:11/3088; 2WR; Howick; 616 transcribed by R Stowers

ANGUILIL Edward

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ANGUILIL Edward = St Helier; Jersey; 1829; 1.10.63; 26.12.65; desert; 2WR; Otago; 3 transcribed by R Stowers

ANSELL Thomas

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ANSELL Thomas = 1844; 23.9.63; 9.1.64; desert.; 2WR (CTC); Auckland; 773 transcribed by R Stowers

ANTONELLI Ferdinando

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War Claim 1225

New Zealand Maori War Claims

Received 25th Feby. 1914

From ANTONELLI Ferdinando Alexander Street Te Kuiti

Subject re-claim for the NZ War Medal

Headquarters New Zealand Military Forces Wellington 12 March 1914

Maori War Claim 1225

The Commissioner Military Pensions Wellington

Re-Military Pensions Claim 1461 – Ferdinando Antonelli

In reply to your memo of 24th ultimo, re requesting that the usual form of application for the N.Z. Medal might be issued to this man, I have to state that the rolls of the 2nd Waikato Regiment show that one Fernando Antonelli deserted on 2nd May 1865.

Doubtless this is the same man and as he is not entitled to the medal the papers have not been sent

Sgd.) H E Pilkington. Major Assistant Adjutant-General

Pensions Department Wellington 24th February 1914

Memorandum The Headquarters New Zealand Military Forces Wellington

Military Pension Claim 1461 – Ferdinando Antonelli

Would you be good enough to arrange for the issue to the above-named applicant, whose address is Alexandra Street, Te Kuiti, of the usual form of application for New Zealand War Medal with necessary instructions?

I enclose a statement relating to the applicant's War service.

Commissioner of Pensions.

Note.

In the year 1863, I joined the 2nd Waikato Regiment No 10 Company (Captain Davis), and served Her Majesty Queen Victoria in the Maori War for Three years. I joined in Auckland, and went to Otahuhu, then to Drury, Mercer (Queen's Redoubt), joined the transport Service from Maungatawhare Creek to Merri-merri to carry provisions, helped in building the Redoubt at Miranda, at Queen's and many other Redoubts in the Waikato, and afterwards became Orderly to Captain Speedy, receiving 50 acres of Land in the Bush, and 1 acre in the township of Kihikihi; but never having kept up payment of rates etc. I subsequently lost the land through lapse of time.

After the war, I went to Auckland, and engaged in the Coastal Service round New Zealand. I could have had my Medal very easily, but never applied for it; indeed at that time I knew nothing about it. Captain Skinner tried his best to get the Medal for me some years after the war was over but it seems to have been then too late. I am now in my 77th Year of life (having been born in Venice on the 12th December 1837), have well deserved the Military Pension, and have not a stain on my character throughout a long and arduous career.

(Signed) Ferdinando Antonelli

Te Kuiti N.Z. Feb. 17 1914

Signed in my presence J F Nash [sic] Wilson P Clement Works Te Kuiti

(Reference Archives of New Zealand Agency AD (army Department) Series 32 Item 1225)

ANTONELLI Ferdinando = 2nd Waikato Regiment 1863-1865 Appl. 1914 (1914) Rejected, Deserted in 1865 AD 32/1225 Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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APJOHN Michael

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APJOHN Michael = Limerick; 1835; 11.9.63; 14.10.64; Charlotte Andrews '63; desert.; 2WR (CTC); Sydney; 826 transcribed by R Stowers

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BADFORD William

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W BRADFORD shipping from Melbourne 1860s & William BRADFORD Discharged in NZ Soldiers of the Imperial Foot Regts. Discharged in NZ 1840-1870 – H & L Hughes page 12

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BADFIELD William

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BADFIELD William = Private Auckland Militia Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BADFIELD William = Private Auckland Militia Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 249

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BAKER Louis

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BAKER Louis = Quebec; 12.67; RN.; HMS Rosario; deserted to enemy; HMS transcribed by R Stowers

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BALMFORD Henry

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BALMFORD Henry = Manchester; Lancashire; 1840; 17.9.63; 1.2.66; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; 218 transcribed by R Stowers

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BAMFORD William

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BAMFORD William = Malvern; Worcester; 1836; 25.8.63; 6.1.65; desert; 2WR; Auckland; 7 transcribed by R Stowers

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BARDO Antonio

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BARDO Antonio = 1841; 24.9.63; 6.4.64; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; 1012 transcribed by R Stowers

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BARNES Joseph

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BARNES Joseph = AM (CTC); desert.; 2WR (CTC); Auckland; 1144 transcribed by R Stowers

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BARRACK George

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BARRACK George = Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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BARRASS John

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BARRASS John = Private 1st Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BARRASS John = Private 1st Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 249

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BARRETT Frederick

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BARRETT Frederick = 7.9.63; 10.64; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; 419 transcribed by R Stowers

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BARROW William

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William BARROW departed 11 September 1862 from Melbourne on ship "Boanerges" aged 38 occupation Miner Single Country Scotland Number 12772 Source PROV VPRS 948 LDS Film 0284490

William BARROW Gold Mining Company NZ Gazette 1866 page 331

William BARROW Gold Mining Company NZ Gazette 1869 page 16

BARROW William = Private Auckland Militia Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BARROW William = Private Auckland Militia Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 249

BARRY John

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BARRY John = 1830; 13.8.63; 16.1.64; AM.; British Queen '59?; desert; 2WR; Auckland; 8 transcribed by R Stowers

BASSUM Henry

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BASSUM Henry = 1828; 14.9.63; 30.12.63; desert.; 2WR; Maratia; 619 transcribed by R Stowers

BATES James

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BATES James = Marylebone; London; 1844; 22.9.64; 3.3.65; desert.; 3WR; Penrose; 1594 transcribed by R Stowers

BAYLISS Charles

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BAYLISS Charles = Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BAYLISS Charles = Private 3rd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 252

BEACHAM William

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New Zealand Maori War Claims Received 3rd April 1911

From Wm. BEACHAM Ahipara, Monganui North Auckland

Subject Application for NZ War Medal (Imperial Issue)

15th August 1921

Memorandum for The Under Secretary Department of Internal Affairs Wellington

Re-WILLIAM BEACHAM Late 40th Regiment

In reply to your memorandum 17/590 of the 9th August, the following particulars relative to the above named were obtained from the War Office, London, in July 1911, in response to inquiries instituted as a result of Mr Beacham's application for the New Zealand War Medal (Imperial Issue).

In his application Mr Beacham claimed to have served in the 40th Regiment for three years during the New Zealand Wars of 1860-66 and stated that his Regimental number was 344. The reply received from the War Office state that no man answering to that description served with the 40th Foot during the period in question and that the Regimental number "344" was borne by Private Robert CAHILL. It was further stated that according to the records a man named John BEACHAN enlisted into the 40th Foot at Melbourne, Victoria, on the 9th December 1858, at the age of 21 years and 10 months, his birthplace being shown as "Manchester" and trade on enlistment "Engineer".

He served with the Regiment alluded to in New Zealand, but forfeited his claim to the War Medal, as he deserted on three occasions. He finally deserted on the 1st April 1865.

When Mr Beacham applied for the New Zealand War Medal he gave his address as "Ahipara, Monganui, North Auckland.

I might also mention that in the reply received from the War Office, the man in question stated to have been imprisoned by the Civil Power for felony, from 10 May 1864, to 31st March 1865, but would leave it to your discretion as to whether this information should be conveyed to his nephew.

(Sd) G P Richardson Brigadier-General i/c Administration

Department of Internal Affairs Wellington 5th August 1921

Memorandum for The Commissioner of Police

I quote hereon the text of a letter received from Mr J.H. Beecham, Kohinor" Old South Head Road, Rose Bay, Sydney, requesting to be furnished with particulars regarding his uncle, William Beecham, who served with the 40th Regiment during the Maori Wars.

I have been advised by Major Nutsford Veterans Home, Auckland, to write to you re my desire to trace of relative.

"Mr Uncle William Beehcam, served in the 40th Regiment. He was last heard from when the Regiment was stationed in Australia. The Regiment later went through the Maori War. I am anxious to know whether any record of him being with Regiment in New Zealand. Any information of said man or relatives will be gratefully received. Trusting you may be able to assist me by a search of Records."

Will you please have enquiries made to enable me to submit a reply.

J Hobbs Under secretary

The General Officer of Administration Defence Dept.

Referred accordingly J Hislop 9.8.21

I suggest that enquiry be made from Defence Dept, which may have some record of Maori War Veterans D Donovan Commissioner of Police

17th August 1911

The Superintendent Magistrate Russell Bay of Islands

Re- Claim for a N.Z. War Medal – (Imperial Issue) Wm Beacham

With reference to your memo herein of 27th March last, the enclosed copy reply has been received from the War Officer London. I need hardly add that under the circumstances the decoration asked for, cannot be granted.

(sgd) R O Chesney

Captain for Colonel Adjutant-General

Telegraphic Address "Deputy London" Telephone No Victoria 766 Case 4068

Via Suez 7.7.11 No 3027

Westminster Chambers 13 Victoria Street, London, W.W. 4th July 1911

Memorandum from the High Commissioner

To the Honourable The Acting Prime Minister

Defence Department

Mr William Beacham's claim for Imperial Issue of New Zealand War Medal

In reply to the Hon Minister's letter of the 8th April last D. 11/1626, No 1478, I have the honour to enclose herein copy of letter from the War Officer, dealing fully and clearly with the above case



War Officer London S.W. 7th June 1911

68/13/539 (A,G,2, C.)

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated the 18th. Ult., forwarding the claim of Mr William Beacham to the New Zealand War Medal, for services as no 344, Private, with the 40th. Foot, during the Wars of 1860-66, I am directed to inform you that no man answering to that description served with the 40th Foot during the period in question, and that the Regimental number "344" was borne by Private Robert CAHILL of that Regiment.

I am to state, however that the records of this department show that a man named John Beacham enlisted into the 40th Foot at Melbourne, Victoria, on the 9th December 1858, at the age of 21 years and 10 months, his birthplace being shown as "Manchester", and trade on enlistment Engineer". This man served with the regiment alluded to in New Zealand, but forfeited his claim to the War Medal, as he deserted on three occasions during his period of service, was imprisoned by the Civil Power for felony from the 10th May 1864, to the 31st March 1865, and finally deserted again on the 1st April 1865.

I am, &c (Sgd) B S Stapylton Capt.

For Director of Recruiting and Organisation

The Secretary

The Office of the High Commissioner for New Zealand 13 Victoria Street S.W.

8th April 1911

Sir Re Claim for a New Zealand War Medal (Imperial Issue) William Beacham, 40th 2nd Somersetshire Regiment No 344

I have the honour to forward herewith an application from the above named claimant for a New Zealand War Medal. I shall be pleased if you will kindly inform me at your earliest convenience if this man is entitled to the decoration in question.

I have the honour to be sir Your obedient Servant

Acting Prime Minister (Sgd) J Carroll

The High Commissioner for New Zealand Westminster Chambers London S W

New Zealand Colonial Forces

Form of Application for the New Zealand War Medal

Name and address of claimant - William Beacham

Ahipara

Monganui North

Auckland

Corps in which served; rank and period of service; regimental number (if any) 40th 2nd  
Somersetshire Regt.

Regimental No 344

Rank Private No 1 Company

Capt. Messenger

Period of service in the field; place and date when the claimant was actually under fire or conspicuously distinguished himself - 3 years

Peach Orchard when Von Tempsky was shot oc &

& many other occasions

Remarks Original sent to War Office London per High Commiss.

THE UNDERSIGNED, make application for the New Zealand Medal, and hereby declare that the above particulars are true

Dated at Kaitaia this 20th day of March 1911

(sg.) Wm Beacham, late 40th Regt.

Memorandum

March 27th 1911 To Undersecretary Justice Wellington

The Magistrate's Office Russell

Herewith please find application by William Beacham for a New Zealand War Medal and my notes of his evidence. Recommended that a memo be issued to him.

R a Cheson S.M. For the Defence Dept. C B Jordon for U S 1/4/11

Stamped 3 April 1911 Defence Department and signed R Acheson S M No 1242 31-3-11  
(Reference Archives of New Zealand Agency AD (Army Department) Series 32 Item 99)

BEACHAM William = Pte. Sommersetshire Regt. H.M. 40th Regt Appl. 1911 (1911-1921)  
Rejected 1921 Desertion AD32/99 Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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BEAMES Ernest

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BEAMES Ernest = Eng.; 1835; 21.8.63; 25.10.64; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; 219 transcribed by R Stowers

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BECK William

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BECK William = desert.; 2WR (CTC); 1145 transcribed by R Stowers

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BELL Frederick (Augustus)

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BELL Frederick (Augustus) = Drumglass; Tyrone; 28.12.64; 1.11.65; Mary Warren '64; desert.; 4AC.; 2WR; Alexandra; 1337 transcribed by R Stowers

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BELL George

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SEARCH The New Zealand Medal to Colonials by R Stowers page 28

Volunteers and Militia men who received NZ Medal War 1860-1870 – Gudgeon T W Defenders of NZ 1887 & lots of other information

BELL George = Private = 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BELL George = Private 3rd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 252

BELL George = 1.9.63; 1.5.65; Star o India '63; desert; 3WR; Melbourne; 18 transcribed by R Stowers

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BELL Peter Jamieson also known as Peter BELL

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Former papers 10/3692 - War Claim

Subsequent papers M War 494 - 494

New [Crest] Zealand

Maori War Claims

Received: 23rd January 1913

From Peter BELL

Church St. Timaru  
Subject Claim for NZ War Medal  
(Waikato Militia - Transport Corps)  
Memoranda

*(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)*

Maori War Claim 494 Peter Bell

Defence Department  
The Hon Minister of Defence  
The attached is forwarded for your approval and signature,  
Colonel  
Commanding N.Z. Military Forces

*(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)*

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please quote these numbers

Department of Lands

Wellington 25th October 1910

The Chief of the General Staff

Defence Department

Wellington

Naval and Military Claims:- Peter Jamieson BELL

Mr Peter Jamieson BELL states that he was on Gunboat "Pioneer" for 11 days and then joined No 9 Company 2nd Waikato Regiment, then joined or was transferred to No 8 Company, Transport Corps. His total service amounts to 1862 to 1865. He was discharged in 1865 but has lost the certificate. According to Mr Mckerrow Mr Bell did not fulfil conditions of enrolment so far as service in Waikato Militia was concerned.

Can you supply this Department with any information relative to this man's service, the period for which he served, and whether he received any compensation therefore.

J Newington [sic]

Under Secretary

*(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)*

Reference 1910/3692

Memo No 3434

From To

The Chief of the General Staff - The Under secretary

Council of Defence - Department of Lands

Wellington N.Z. - Wellington

28th October 1910

Memorandum

Re Naval & Military Claims - Peter Jamieson BELL - L.B. 11730

Referring to your memo of 25th instant, our records show that one Peter BELL was enrolled in the 2nd Waikato Regiment on 4th September 1863, and deserted from the Commissariat Transport Corps on 13th March 1865.

No compensation appears to have been received.

S.V. TRASK Captain

In absence of Colonel

for Chief of the General Staff

*(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)*

New Zealand Colonial Forces

Form of Application for the New Zealand War Medal

Name and address of claimant Peter BELL Church Street Timaru

Corps in which served; rank and period of service; regiment number (if any) Lance Sgt. in the 2nd Waikato Reg No 9 Company 3years (three years)

Period of service in the field; place and date when the claimant was actually under fire or conspicuously distinguished himself Three years (3 years)

'Wairoak' 'Partearangi'

'Orakai' & others

about 1863 & 1864

Remarks. Repulsed the Maoris at Rangi halfe [sic] under General Cameron & General Carey Colonel "Aultain or Haultain was commanding officer

I, The Undersigned, make application for the New Zealand War Medal, and hereby declare that the above particulars are true.

Dated at Timaru this 8 day of January 1913

Peter BELL

Church St. Timaru

(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)

#### Maori War 494

New Zealand Military Forces

Mr Peter BELL Headquarters

Church St. Wellington 13 Feb.1913

Timaru

Re Claim for a New Zealand War Medal

Enclosed please find an amended form of application for the above-mentioned medal, which must be filled in and signed by yourself. It will be necessary to obtain a certificate from some officer under whom you served, or a statutory declaration from old comrades (no stamp requires), that of their own personal knowledge they can affirm you were under fire, and actually saw you taking part in any engagement or skirmish to which you may refer.

When completed, all papers must be submitted to the nearest Stipendiary Magistrate, who will appoint a date for the hearing of your claim. He will then return the file to this office with his report thereon for consideration, and should the same be favourable the medal will be issued in due course.

(Sgd) R H Collins Major

Adjutant-General.

(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)

#### Dominion of New Zealand

Pensions Office

General Post Office, Wellington

21st February, 1913

Memorandum for

The Headquarters,

N.Z. Military Forces

Wellington

Military Claim 707: Peter BELL

The above-named applicant, whose address is Church Street Timaru, states, in applying for a military pension, that he has no medal, but that he applied for one about two years ago, his discharge and other papers being forwarded through the Court authorities at Timaru.

Would you be good enough to inform me what was the fate of the application referred to, the following particulars of service being supplied:-

Corps in which served: 2nd Waikato Regiment

Rank: Lance Sergeant

Period of service 3 years

Localities: - Wairoa, Paterangi and Orakei

I may add that I noted from the 1871 Gazette (page250) that one, Peter Bell, a member of the 2nd Waikato, is a deserter.

When replying, would you be good enough to also state, if you are able, the original nationality, of the applicant, as I am desirous of identifying him with a Peter Bell whose name is already recorded on the books of this Department?

The Commissioner Military Pensions Signed by Commissioner

(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)

## Headquarters

New Zealand Military Forces

Maori War 494 - Wellington 27 February 1913

The Commissioner

Military Pensions

Wellington

Re Military Claim 707 - Peter BELL

The Defence Department does not hold any records of an application by this man for the N.Z. War Medal.

In October 1910, one Peter Jamieson BELL whose address was corner of Banks & Church St. Timaru, applied to the Lands Department under the Naval & Military Claims. The Record of the 2nd Waikato Regiment show as follows:-

Name Peter BELL

Enrolled 4th September 1863

Where enrolled Otago

Where born Stirling Scotland

Trade Sawyer

Age at enlistment 22 years

Height 5ft. 6½ inches

Ship arrived in "Auckland"

Deserted from Commissariat Transport Corps 13th March 1865

(Sgd.) R.H. Collins Major

Adjutant-General

(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)

## New Zealand Colonial Forces

Form of Application for the New Zealand War Medal

Full name and address of claimant Peter BELL Church Street Timaru

Corps in which served; rank and period of service; regiment number (if any) No 9

Company 2nd Waikato

State name of division, regiment, company, or corps serving with at time of being under fire  
No 8 Transport Corps.

State names and dates of engagements (or locality) in or at which actually under fire At  
Oracko near Kea Kea in 1864

Wairoa in 1863

Pakaugrie in 1863

Rauguehape in 1863

If since occurrence guilty of conduct unbecoming a soldier First class discharge

If in possession of or has ever received a New Zealand War Medal of either Imperial or colonial issue No

Remarks If ever previously applied for a N.Z. War Medal & reason of refusal Yes. Medal applied for but have received no information regarding same

I, The Undersigned, make application for the New Zealand War Medal, and hereby declare that the above particulars are true.

Dated at Timaru this 13th day of March 1913

Peter BELL

No 9 Company 2nd Waikato

Thomas Henry J.P.

(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)

## Memorandum

18 March 1913

From - The Magistrates Office – to The Adjutant General

Timaru - Defence Office

Wellington

Peter BELL

This application came before me today I enclosed his own sworn statement. If this is true he is entitled to the medal

Victor Graceday Snr.

*(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)*

Peter BELL sworn states

I joined No 9 Company of the 2nd Waikato in 1862 or 1863 I obtained rank of Corporal about end of 1863. I served a little over three years. I saw fighting at Wairoa, Kirikiri, Patarangi and Rangihapai and also Te Awamutu. My discharges were burned in a fire at Pareora Bush in 1867. I was slightly wounded on the pelvis [sic] in the ambushes about Wairoa but I did not at the time report it. Three months later I had to go to the military Hospital at Otahuhu on account of it when I was operated on.

Peter BELL

*(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)*

I, Robert Greenfield of Otipua Road Timaru, do hereby certify that Mr Peter Bell, of Church Street, Timaru served under me during the Maori War, and, that of my own personal knowledge, I can affirm that he was under fire and I actually saw him taking part in the engagements of Oracke and Wairoa in the Waikato War.

Dated at Timaru this 16th day of March 1913

Sergt. R. GREENFIELD

*(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)*

Information about Sergeant above are; GREENFIELD, Robert; Sergeant (joined Otago 16/9/1863-); Princes St, Dunedin; Papakura 1863; Born 1842 Brighton Sussex; Gazette 1871; 802; AD 32/2918.]

*(Source The New Zealand Medal to Colonials 1845-1872 by R Stowers page 99)*

Maori War Medal Claim 494 Headquarters

New Zealand Military Forces

Wellington 7 April 1913

Mr Peter BELL

Church Street

TIMARU

Re - Claim for a N.Z. War Medal

Your papers having been returned to this office by the Stipendiary Magistrate, Timaru, will you please answer the following questions:-

Full name Peter Jamieson BELL

Date of enrolment of 2nd Waikato Regt. Feb or March 1863

Where enrolled Queenstown Lake Wakatipu

Where born Stirling Scotland

Trade at time of enrolment Gold Miner

Age at time of enrolment Twenty Two

Ship arrived in Schooner Machioners [sic] came from Australia to N.Z.

R H Collins

Lieut.-Colonel

Adjutant-General

Hand written footnote;

Recruiting Officer when enrolled Captain Anderson I should be obliged if you could adjust this matter at your earliest convenience. I am not getting younger.

Yours faithfully

Peter Jamieson BELL

*(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)*

Headquarters

New Zealand Military Forces

Wellington 10 April 1913

Maori War Medal Claim 494

Mr Peter BELL  
Church Street  
TIMARU  
Re - Claim for a N.Z. War Medal

I beg to inform you that the Records of the 2nd Waikato Regiment in this Department show that you deserted from the Commissariat Transport Corps at Camp Te Rori, on 13th March 1865, consequently I am unable to recommend the grant of the Medal.

(Sgd.) R H Collins  
Lieut.-Colonel  
Adjutant-General

*(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)*

13 Trafalgar Street  
Lieutenant Col Collins - Timaru  
Headquarters - Sept 22nd 1913  
N.Z. Military Forces  
Wellington  
Re, claim for a N.Z. War Medal  
Pension No 494  
Gentlemen

I am in receipt of your reply of April 10th 1913 in reference to my claim for a Maori War Pension & Medal in which you state that you were unable to grant same as your records state that I was a deserter. I think the authorities must be under a misapprehension as to that statement for I was no such deserter. Perhaps if I shape the circumstances under which I joined & served it may enlighten you a little.

In 1863 I was at Queenstown Lake Wakatipu & whilst there I saw a notice wanting men for the Maori War. I went to Captain Anderson the recruiting officer in charge & I offered to join. He required volunteers for the militia & I stated to him I was prepared to join as a Naval Brigade man & only under that condition. I was accepted as a Naval Brigadier & sworn in as such. I received a signed paper from him stating that I was a Naval Brigade man. I then went to Auckland & was marched to Ohahau [sic] & was drilled there for a week or 10 days & then a company of us were drafted to join the 2nd Regiment No 9 Company Waikato Militia. I objected to this, as I had not joined for any Militia being a Naval Brigade Man. Several other men objected at the same time in consequence we were put under arrest & sent to guard room. The following morning we were brought before Colonel Haulthain Commanding officer & the articles of war read out to us. He told us that if Martial Law had been proclaimed we were liable to be shot, and we were sent back to the guardroom again. The next morning we were again brought before the Colonel the articles of War again read to us. So I stepped out of the ranks & said "Excuse me Colonel I have a written document from Captain Anderson Queenstown showing that I joined the Naval Brigade & not the Militia. The Colonel then ordered the Sergeant Major to see us to our huts & he said he would see what he could do for us. In a day or two we were told off to go to Onehunga to get the Boat "Pioneer on Waikato" ready for action putting shot & shell in her ready for going up the river. This took us about 11 or 12 days when we were finished we were called aft & told we were not worked [sic] anymore. Then the Captain of the boat told us we would have to go ashore & march back to Ohahau, when we got there we were ordered to march to Galloway Redoubt & join Number Nine Company Second Waikato. Martial Law then had in the meantime been proclaimed. We went on then to Papakura eleven of us all told Naval Brigade men we then at Papakura caught up with the Second Waikato. We then marched to Riki Riki? [sic] (Kirikiri) Redoubt for a time to intercept the Wairoa Natives from swooping down on Auckland. We had many a skirmish round Reri Reri [sic] (Kirikiri) & many a night I volunteered with Captain Ring reconnoitring round Reri Reri [sic] (Kirikiri). After this we were taken to Raglan & camped there for a time & then went to Popatuna [sic] & also camped there for a time & then moved on to Waihatuna [sic] & there I was attached to No 8 Company Transport Corps.

My next camp was Te Rori where the Commissariat Transport Corps formed their headquarters. It was also General Cameron's headquarters. We took Pah Te Rangi & then General Cameron & all his forces captures Te Awamutu. The Commissariat Corps followed close on. Captain Pye our commanding officer formed his headquarters at Te Awamutu

where I was made corporal for my diligence & my attention to duty. Myself & sergeant Sunnaway (Sunerway Edmund Darvil Private AD32/536 medal reject for desertion) we had daily to turn out ten to twenty teams of bullocks & twenty to thirty teams of horses so we had no easy time of it. After a fine Orako was fought. There myself & five others were told off to take provisions to the front of the Pah where the fighting was going on. That was about the end of the war. A short time after I was sent as Corporal in Charge of two teams of bullocks & four then to Rangihake Redoubt for dragging out logs & carting timber from the mill for building purpose for the troops. We then moved headquarters back to Te Rori. We were there doing nothing for months. I was doing nothing for months but riding about the country looking for stray horses & cattle. They told me the Military Settlers No 9 Company 2nd Waikato were going to draw their land so I went up to Alexandra & some of my chums told me my land was located with the Naval Brigade land & Colonel Haultain & Lieutenant Wiggin told me the same. I did not know what to do to find my land so I went down to Penrose which was then the Headquarters of Transport Corps. They knew nothing there about myself or my land. I stayed there for a time to see if I could get any information & could not & then gave it up for a had job. My money was running short so I thought rather than spare I had better get out of the Island. In those days to secure my discharge. (The war was then over) it would have been necessary for me to go from Penrose back to Alexandra (Alexandra Redoubt over Waikato river) & Te Rore a distance of 100 odd miles over rough unroaded maiden bush & as the war was over I saw no necessity & also having no funds to spare I did not get my discharge. I think gentlemen as I did my duty & all the service I was required to do & that conscientiously I was also wounded \* was in Ohahau hospital for about eight weeks & did not receive any recompense & as there was a grant of 50 acres of lands for service which I was supposed to get & did not and also was also forced to serve in the Militia which I did not join for surely gentlemen my age being 73 I think it is only just & right that I should get my just dues: Your further consideration of my claim for a pension & medal will oblige.

Yours faithfully

(Corporal) Peter BELL

PS/ I also had a clean sheet for service with not a mark against me.

(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)

M.W.C. 494

08 October 1913

Dear Sir

Re - Claim for the N.Z. War Medal

Peter BELL

With reference to the letter received from Mr Bell dated 22nd instant, it is regretted that nothing further can be added to Headquarters Memo, forwarded to him on 10th April last, in which he was informed that the Medal could not be granted owing to his having deserted from the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps, at Te Rori Camp, on 13th March 1865.

I would draw your attention to Page 250, N.Z. Gazette No 31 of 31st May 1871, in which the name of Private Peter BELL was published as a deserter.

Yours faithfully

Signed J Allen

Minister of Defence

Jas. Craigie Esq., M.P.

Wellington

(Source Archives of NZ Wellington Agency AD =Army Department series 32 item 494 Bell PJ)

BELL Peter= Private 2nd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the 2nd Waikato Regiment who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Militia Operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserted [Note - Names printed in italics are scored through in original list] New Zealand Gazette 1871 number 31 Wellington Wednesday May 31 1871 page 250

BELL Peter = Stirling; 1841; 4.9.63; 13.3.65; desert.; 10/3692; 2WR (CTC); Otago; '98; 886 Transcribed by R Stowers



BELL Peter Jamieson = Pte 2nd Waikato Regt. Gunboat "Pioneer" 1862-1865 Pte Commissariat Transport Corps Wairoa 1863 Paterangi 1863 Orakau 1864 Appl. 1910 (19101913) Rejected 1913 Deserted AD 32/494 Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BELL Thomas R

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BELL Thomas R = Belfast; Down; 4.7.63; 24.8.64; 2186; AM,; desert; 1WR (CTC); Auckland; 257 transcribed by R Stowers

BERRY William

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BERRY William - Holmfirth?; York; 1848; 21.1.64; 17.6.66; Gresham '64; Deserted; TMS.; Melbourne; 610 transcribed by R Stowers

BETTS Edward

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SEARCH The New Zealand Medal to Colonials by R Stowers page 24

BETTS Edward = Private Auckland Militia Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BETTS Edward = Private Auckland Militia Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 249

BETTS Edward = 1834; 10.10.63; 28.2.64; Kate '64; desert.; 2WR (CTC); Sydney; 524 transcribed by R Stowers

BETTS Henry

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Henry BETTS Early Settlers (Discoveries Visitors Traders Whalers & early Residents) page S2 & Henry BETTS left Melbourne 24 November 1866 "Alhambra" age 31 single occupation Miner Country Scotland Arrived Hokitika Source PROV VPRS 948 Number 8860 LDS Film 0284498

BETTS Henry = Private 2nd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BETTS Henry = Private 2nd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 250

BETTS Henry = Maidstone; Kent; 1843; 28.8.63; 5.3.65; desert.; 2WR (CTC); Otago; 329 transcribed by R Stowers

BEVAN Philip

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BEVAN Philip = 1824; 21.9.63; 3.3.64; desert.; 2WR; Howick; 621 transcribed by R Stowers

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BEZAR Zachariah

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BEZAR Zachariah = Chippenham; Wiltshire; 1833; 23.7.64; 4.6.65; 2201; 276; 57 F.; Castillian '61; desert.; (BZAR); TBR; 2WR; Thames; 1275 transcribed by R Stowers

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BIANAWITCH Mark

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BIANAWITCH Mark = Private 1st Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BIANAWITCH Mark = Private 1st Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 249

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BICKNELL John

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BICKNELL John = Dartford; Kent; 1842; 6.10.63; 1.4.66; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; 747 transcribed by R Stowers

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BIRD William

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BIRD William = Balcombe; Dorset; 1841; 29.8.63; 1.2.66; 550; 2771; desert; 2WR; Auckland; 11 transcribed by R Stowers

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BIRMINGHAM Robert William

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BIRMINGHAM Robert William = Kilmonaghan; Offaly; 1831; 29.9.63; 1.12.65; Lord Ashley '63; desert.; 2WR (CTC); Sydney; '94; 1121 transcribed by R Stowers

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BIRMINGHAM William Curtis

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New Zealand Defence Received 17.10.90

From R W Birmingham Diary Flat, Auckland

Subject Writes to his Excellency the Governor re his claim to land.

Sir - Instructed to acknowledge the claim, your letter of the 22nd was received to his Excellency the Governor with respect to your claim to a grant of land of military? and in reply to inform you that it is unavailable  
Too hard to read very faint gave up.

Memo 272/90 N.C. (90/2148) Colonial Humphrey

Re R W Birmingham late 2nd Regt. Waikato Militia

Yes when the men were put in possession of their land they were struck off daily consecutive pay and drew free rations for one year – In addition they received 1000 ft of timber to build a house and there were instances in which men who had built a Cob house or “Whare” which they considered more suitable in size & to their requirements than a hut containing only one thousand feet of timber could necessarily be received a money equivalent of I think \$5. I personally paid either 11 or 12 of the German Company of the 3rd Regt. At Ohaupo this same in lieu of the timber grant.

Birmingham seems to have left Alexandra (the Ho Drs of Colonial Haulainis Reg”) for Otahuhu before his three years term had expired and being reported absent at the Monthly muster parade) for which 2/6 was granted) he would in due time be struck off and his land reallocated to another.

There were very many cases of this kind in the 3rd Regt. And doubtless also in the 2nd. Major Tisdall of Auckland could give you more definite information I think, he was Regt. Adjutant of the 2nd.

Signed and dated 14/10/90

Act 1 inform M.B. that it is regretted nothing can be done for him as no facts of his having left his land before the completion of his service precludes his case from consideration that every case where this was done the land was forfeited [sic].

Major Neale?

This is another case of Waikato Regt. a member to bashfords What these men told is that the men when granted their monsenial certificate in land were supplied with rations & misled for building a int Can you tell me if this was the case Signed? TRY AGAIN to type details

Diary Flat Sept. to the 22nd /90

My Lord

As the representative of Her Majesty, I beg to claim an act of Justice through you for your Government of New Zealand. In 1863 I came as a Volunteer from Sydney N.S.W. having signed articles to serve for a period of 3 years for the New Zealand Government at 2/6 per day ad 1/- extra if sent to the front. That shilling the Government broke their agreement over, I served through the Maori War in the Waikato in the 2nd Waikato Regiment under Colonel Haulton and was present at the attack on Oraka Pai which lasted from the 31st March to the 2nd of April 1864, for which company I received the New Zealand Land War Medal, before the completion of our 3 years a lot of us were struck off pay I among the rest the Government means having run short necessity made us look for work in the settled districts round Auckland I got work at Otahuhu In which neighbourhood I have remained even since I have made repeated application for my land for years but can get no satisfaction I was in one office letter that I was put down as a deserter Now my Lord deserter does not get a War Medal and after a man's struck off pay how can he ask him to live on nothing about 3 or 4 months more would have completed my time.

I may also state I am the last of 5 brothers who served in her Majesty's Service 3 in the 5th D G who served in the Crimean War and 2 of us in the 52 Light Infantry were in India during the Great Mutiny of 1857, one Charles being killed at the attack in Delhia the 14th of September 1857 2 more of them died in India Frank 19th Harris Curtis 3rd D G having Volunteered from the 5th D G I feel assured that H M would see practice to the mean of her subjects So will you as her representative.

I have the Honour my Lord to be yours faithfully

R W Birmingham

To Lord Onslow Governor of New Zealand

Receipt for War Medal

I Private Robert Birmingham hereby acknowledge to have received for the Under-secretary for colonial Defence by the hands of Major Fordau a New Zealand War Medal, awarded to me by Her Majesty's Imperial Government for services in 2nd Waikato Regiment New Zealand L C Terrial

Signature of recipient W Birmingham

Witness P Saslaw

Dated at Auckland this 20th day of August 1872

2214 Robt. Birmingham 2nd Waikato Regt

TYPE the rest of the document as it belongs to the correct Wm Birmingham

New Zealand Colonial Forces

Name and Address of Claimant Wm BIRMINGHAM Otahuhu Auckland

*(Reference Archives of New Zealand Agency AD (Army Department) Series 32 Item 2213)*

Name = BIRMINGHAM Wm. Curtis Address = Coromandel

Rank & Corps = Con. No. 5 Div. A.C. Actions = Puro Puro Mokai

Dates = 12 July 1868 Medal awards = blank

Written across page = Memo Rejected for deserting

*(Reference Archives New Zealand AD (Army Department) Series 32 Item 3 page 177 = Repr 1660)*

BIRMINGHAM William Curtis = Pte 2nd Waikato Regt. Con. No 5 Armed Constabulary Turo Turo, Mokai Letter of application in Birmingham R W File Rejected for Mutiny AD 32/2213 (this record belongs to Robert William Birminham) paper in AD 32/2213 file include reference AD 36/3 177= Repr 1660 Archives NZ Medal Index Repr 1660 = AD 36/3

BISSETT Richard

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BISSETT Richard = 1828; 5.10.63; 28.3.65; desert.; 2WR (CTC); Auckland; 1008 transcribed by R Stowers

BLACK John

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BLACK John = Dorset; 1828; 11.9.63; 5.6.65; Charlotte Andrews '63; desert.; 2WR; Sydney; 733 transcribed by R Stowers

BLACKBURN Benjamin

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New Zealand Maori War Claims

Received 10th April 1913

From Benjamin BLACKBURN Wharehine Port Albert

Subject Claim for a NZ War Medal

*(Reference Archives of New Zealand Agency AD (Army Department) Series 32 Item 595)*

Headquarters New Zealand Military Forces Wellington 21 June 1913

Maori War Claim 595

The Commissioner Military Pensions Wellington

Re-Military Pension Claim 868 – Benjamin Blackburn

A letter was posted to this man on the 10th of April last (Copy of which is attached).

Sgd. H E Pilkington Major for Adjutant-General

*(Reference Archives of New Zealand Agency AD (Army Department) Series 32 Item 595)*

Pension Department Wellington 17th June 1913

Memorandum for Headquarters New Zealand Military Forces Wellington  
Military Pension Claim 868 – Benjamin Blackburn

I sent you herewith a statement made by the above-named application for a Military Pension regarding his service in the Maori War. I note that he states that he is not entitled to the New Zealand War Medal. Would you be good enough to confirm this?

Commissioner

*(Reference Archives of New Zealand Agency AD (Army Department) Series 32 Item 595)*

Wharehine June 9 1913

Statement of Benjamin Blackburn in re application for Military pension

I have no War Medal. I made application for it and recd. Reply that I was on the Books, as, "Absent without leave" and not entitled to it. In explanation of "absent without leave". I received a letter from my father & mother stating they had been burnt out, and had no roof over their heads asking me to come back if possible and put up some kind of shelter for them. I showed the letter to a mate and asked him to see the sergeant and state the case to him and ask for leave, and he told me "leave was granted" of course I know now I should have made personal application, but I was worried about the old folks and acted foolishly. I fully intended to return as soon as I had fixed them up, but the War ended 3 weeks after I left and so lost my opportunity.

Some years ago my eyesight began to fail and I took up money under the "Loans to settlers Act" to tide me over, but my sight became much worse. I was not able to attend my farm and so not able to earn anything, and things went badly with me, Medical advise gave me no hope of improved sight so two of my sons to keep a home for me, stepped in to my relief and with what money they had saved and some borrowed paid off my mortgage One of them is married with a family the other is working out to complete paying off the Loan and to keep things going, they do what they can for me but are neither in a position to do much.

I am now quite blind, and have no means whatsoever.

I do solemnly & sincerely declare that to the best of my belief the information given herein is true & correct in every particular, and I make solemn declaration believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand entitled the Justice of the Peace Act 1908 Declared by the said Benjamin Blackburn at Wharehine this 9th day of June 1913 upon me Wm Dudding J.P.

Benjamin (X his mark) Blackburn

*(Reference Archives of New Zealand Agency AD (Army Department) Series 32 Item 595)*

Headquarters New Zealand Military Forces Wellington 10 April 1913

Maori War Claim 595

Mr Benjamin Blackburn

Wharehine

Port Albert

Re Claim for A N.Z. Medal

I have to acknowledge the receipt of your application from herein, and beg to inform you that the Records of the 3rd Waikato Regiment show that you deserted on the 5th June 1865, consequently the Medal cannot be granted

Sgd. R H Collins. Lieut.-Colonel Adjutant-General

*(Reference Archives of New Zealand Agency AD (Army Department) Series 32 Item 595)*

New Zealand Colonial Forces

Form for application for the New Zealand War Medal

Name and address of claimant Benjamin Blackburn

Wharehine

Port Albert

Corps in which served; rank and period of service; regimental number (if any) 7th Company  
3 Regiment or 2

## Waikato Volunteers

Period of service in the field; place and date when the claimant was actually under fire or conspicuously distinguished himself 3 years

Queens Redoubt

Waikato Heads

Te Awamutu

Kihikihi Pah

Remarks Col. Hamilton Commander of Regiment

Capt Peacock Capt. Of Company

(Reference Archives of New Zealand Agency AD (Army Department) Series 32 Item 595)

I, The Undersigned make application for the New Zealand War Medal, and hereby declare that the above particulars are true.

Signed B Blackburn

Dated at Auckland this 7th day of April 1913

Waikato Vols. Late.

(Reference Archives of New Zealand Agency AD (Army Department) Series 32 Item 595)

BLACKBURN Benjamin = 3rd Waikato Regt 7th Coy. Queens Redoubt Te Awamutu Kihikihi Pah  
Appl. 1913 (1913) Rejected 1913 Desertion Ad 32/595 Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BLACKBURN Benjamin = 1839; 22.9.63; 5.6.65; desert. 2WR; Auckland; 623 transcribed by R Stowers

## BLACKBURN Edward

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BLACKBURN Edward = Marsden; 1843; 9.10.63; 27.12.63; 518; 3382; M.Wattenbach '62; desert.; WBR.; 2WR; Auckland; 20 Ka; 625 transcribed by R Stowers

## BLACKBURN William

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William BLACKBURN Auckland Provincial Highway Rolls 1863-1870

William BLACKBURN lots shipping from Melbourne

William BLACKBURN Volunteers and Militia men who received NZ medal War 1860-1870 – Gudgeon T W Defenders of NZ 1887

William BLACKBURN NZ Government Gazettes 1863 page 43 & 465 & 510

William BLACKBURN married SMITH 1865 Folio 0005

William BLACKBURN Early Electoral Roll Franklin, Onehunga,

BLACKBURN William = Corporal 2nd Waikato Regt. Deserted (another William Blackburn Commissariat Transport Corps 1872 Receipt for War medal (1872) AD 32/2223) Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BLACKBURN William = Corporal 2nd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 250

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BLIGH Domonic = 1832; 2.9.63; 11.8.65; desert; 2WR (CTC); Otago; 12 transcribed by R Stowers

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BLYTH Frederick = 25.12.63; desert; 2WR (CTC); 1146 transcribed by R Stowers

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BOATEL Rennier or BOYTEL Rinnier

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BOATEL Rennier = Private 3rd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 252

BOYTEL Rinnier = Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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BOLTHAM R

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BOLTHAM R = 12.3.64; desert; 2WR (CTC); 1148 transcribed by R Stowers

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BOLTON J W

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BOLTON JW = 1839; 24.9.63; 8.11.63; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; 622 transcribed by R Stowers

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BOLYER Walter

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BOLYER Walter = Private Auckland Militia Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BOLYER Walter = Private Auckland Militia Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 249

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BOTHAM Robert

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BOURKE James

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James BOURKE settler died New Plymouth 1928 other information

BOURKE James = Private 2nd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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BOURKE William

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Deserters - A few Forest Rangers deserted. The circumstances for their absences are not known but the wait for titles of land grants and disillusionment over their land grants may have been contributing factors. The eight known deserters were Thomas Anderson, William Bourke, William Cochrane, James Dunn, William Hartland, William Humphries, Moses McDonald, John Murray and possible George Vart source A History of the Forest Rangers during the New Zealand Wars "Forest Rangers" by R Stowers page 288

BOURKE William = 739 WO 100/18 page383 NZ War Medal HM 70th Regt. (No details about Desertion or being a member of the Forest Rangers Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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BOWDEN Alexander

B  
D  
M

BOWDEN Alexander = Glasgow; 1831; 20.8.63; 2.4.66; desert.; 2WR (CTC); Auckland; '94; 13 Transcribed by R Stowers

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BOWERS William

B  
D  
M

BOWERS William = 1840; 21.8.63; 1.12.65; desert.; 2WR; Otago; 126 transcribed by R Stowers

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BOWES James

B  
D  
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BOWES James = Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BOWES James = Private 3rd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 252

BOYD William

B  
D  
M

BOYD William = Gateshead; Durham; 1841; 18.1.64; 12.6.66; Gresham '64; desert.; TMS.; Melbourne; 405 transcribed by R Stowers

BOYTEL Rinnier or BOATEL Rennier

B  
D  
M

BOYTEL Rinnier = Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BOATEL Rennier = Private 3rd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 252

BRADLEY William

B  
D  
M

BRADLEY William = 1839; 14.9.63; 23.10.63; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; 223 transcribed by R Stowers

BRANNIGAN Thomas

B  
D  
M

BRANNIGAN Thomas = Down; 1841; 3.10.63; 20.5.65; Indian Empire '62?; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; 224 transcribed by R Stowers

BRECHT Charles

B  
D  
M

C BRECHT Auckland Provincial Highway Rolls 1863-1870

BRECHT Charles = Private 3rd Waikato Regt Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BRECHT Charles = Private 3rd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military

operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866.  
Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 252

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BRICKELL Robert Bennett

B  
D  
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BRICKELL Robert Bennett; Constable, 2nd Div. (28/10/1868-21/8/1869); AD32/757; Also 2nd Waikato Militia (joined Auckland 1863-7/8/1866), 1st Waikato Militia (8/11/1866-); Born Shaftsbury, Dorset; Arrived aboard Ann Wilson 21/9/1863; Died 28/9/1929, Auckland; AD32/757; Medal claim rejected, deserted source The New Zealand Medal to Colonials by R Stowers New Zealand Wars 1845-1872 page 8

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SEARCH Shipping Ann Wilson 1863

Robert Bennett BRICKELL Probate 1929 Auckland

Robert Bennett BRICKELL married THOMPSON 1866 Folio 0184

BRICKELL Robert Bennett = 2nd Waikato Regt. (1867-69) Orakau Appl. 1913 (1913-17)

Rejected desertion AD 32/757 Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BRICKELL Robert Bennett = Shaftory; Dorset; 1846; 28.9.63; 21.8.69; 757; Ann Wilson '63; 28.9.1929; Ak.Waikaraka; desert; 1WR,2AC; 2WR; Auckland; 36 AW; 226 transcribed by R Stowers

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BROWN Edwin

B  
D  
M

BROWN Edwin Bradford; York; 1841; 1.12.63; 18.3.65; ARV; Gamges; desert.; 3WR; Waiuku; 1269 transcribed by R Stowers

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BROWN John

B  
D  
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John BROWN Discharge in NZ Soldiers of the 3 Imperial Foot Regts. Discharged in NZ 1840-1870 – H & L Hughes page 20 & 24 & 47 & 73 & 111 & 120

John BROWN Early Settlers (Discoveries Visitors Traders Whalers & Early Residents) page S2

BROWN John = Private 1st Waikato Regt Deserted (22 cards for John Brown in index some including middle name) Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BROWN John = Private 3rd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 252

BROWN John = Bristol; Somerset; 1837; 10.10.63; 13.10.64; Kate '63; desert.; 2WR (CTC); Sydney; 523 transcribed by R Stowers

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BROWN Thomas

B  
D  
M

BROWN Thomas = Stoke; Suffolk; 11.2.65; desert.; 2WR; Sydney; 1247 transcribed by R Stowers

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BROWN William

B  
D  
M

BROWN William = 24.10.63; 16.4.66; desert.; 3WR (CTC); Otago; 345 transcribed by R Stowers

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BROWN William F

B  
D  
M

BROWN William F = 1828; 29.12.63; desert; 3WR (CTC); Otago; 1372 transcribed by R Stowers

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BUCKHART Francis

B  
D  
M

BUCKHART Francis Marylebone; London; 1845; 21.8.63; 1.2.66; Kate '63; desert.; 2WR; Sydney; 125 transcribed by R Stowers

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BUCKLEY Daniel

B  
D  
M

BUCKLEY Daniel =1837; 21.8.63; 23.12.63; Kate '63; desert.; 2WR; Sydney; 120 transcribed by R Stowers

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BUCKLEY William

B  
D  
M

BUCKLEY William = Burnley; Cheshire; 1843; 22.2.64; 31.12.64; Green Jacket; desert; 3WR; Papatoetoe; 1481 transcribed by R Stowers

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BULLOCK Cornelius

B  
D  
M

BULLOCK Cornelius = 12.5.64; AM (CTC); desert.; 2WR (CTC); Auckland; 1150 transcribed by R Stowers

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BURDETT Thomas

B  
D  
M

BURDETT Thomas =Pte. HM 14th Regt. Appl. 1891 (1891) Rejected Deserted Ad1: 92/425 Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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BURKE James

B

D  
M

BURKE James =Clare; Clare; 1841; 8.9.63; 8.9.65; desert.; 2WR (CTC); Otago; 883 transcribed by R Stowers

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BURKE William  
B  
D  
M

BURKE William = 1.65; desert; 2FR; 1WR; 1107 transcribed by R Stowers

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BURNS James  
B  
D  
M

BURNS James = Belfast; 1825; 30.1.64; 29.12.65; 58 F.?; Otago; desert.; 3WR; Otahuhu; 1426 transcribed by R Stowers

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BURNS Michael  
B  
D  
M

Michael BURNS lots of shipping from Melbourne & Michael BURNS Land applications to the Naval & Military & Land Forces Land Claims Commission 1882 Page 10 AJHR 1882 H17

BURNS Michael = Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

BURNS Michael = Private 3rd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 252

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BUTLER Henry or BUTTER Henry  
B  
D  
M

BUTLER Henry = 1845; 16.9.63; 22.11.65; desert.; 2WR (CTC); Otahuhu; 336 transcribed by R Stowers

BUTLER Henry = Officer HM 57th Regt WO 100/18 page 274 NZ War Medal (Note there is a card for BUTTER Henry Private 2nd Waikato Regiment Deserted) Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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BUTTER Henry or BUTLER Henry  
B  
D  
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BUTTER Henry = Private 2nd Waikato Regt. Deserted (Note there is a card for Henry BUTLER Officer HM 57th Regt. WO 100/18 page 274 NZ War Medal) Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3.

BUTTER Henry = Private 2nd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport

Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 250.

BYCROFT John

B  
D  
M

BYCROFT John = 1844; 2.7.63; 19.11.63; AM.; desert; 1WR; Otahuhu; 1130 transcribed by R Stowers.

BYRNE Ephraim

B  
D  
M

BYRNE Ephraim = Shankill; Armagh; 1840; 16.9.63; 1.3.66; desert.; 2WR; Otahuhu; 337 transcribed by R Stowers.

CADELL Joh

B  
D  
M

CADELL Joh = Const. No 7 Coy Armed Constabulary Appl. 1913 (1913) Rejected 1913 Dishonourable discharge AD32/444 Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CADMAN D

B  
D  
M

CADMAN D = desert; 2WR(CTC); 1152 Transcribed by R Stowers

CAIRNS Timothy

B  
D  
M

CAIRNS Timothy = Tipperary; 1837; 9.3.64; 3.7.65; desert; 4WR; Canterbury; 395 Transcribed by R Stowers

CALLAGHAN James

B  
D  
M

James CALLAGHAN Discharged in NZ Soldiers of the Imperial Foot Regts. Discharged in NZ 1840-1870 – H & L Hughes Page 25 & 106

James CALLAGHAN Roll of Early Settlers & Descendants in the Auckland Province before 1852 page 34 & plus shipping

CALLAGHAN James = Private 2nd Waikato Regt. Deserted (Note there is a card for CALLAGHAN James 4152 WO 100/18 page 373 NZ War Medal HM 68th Regt.) Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CALLAGHAN James = Private 2nd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat

Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 251

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CALLAGHAN Thomas

B  
D  
M

CALLAGHAN Thomas = Otahuhu; Auckland; 1841; 10.10.63; 22.5.65; Kate '63; desert.; 2WR; Sydney; 539 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CALLENEY Patrick

B  
D  
M

CALLENEY Patrick = 1836; 17.9.63; 25.8.64; 460; desert.; 2WR(CTC); Panmure; 644 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CALPINE John

B  
D  
M

CALPINE John = Private 2nd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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CAMERON Mathew

B  
D  
M

Mathew CAMERON married

CAMERON Mathew = Private 2nd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CAMERON Mathew = Private 2nd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 251

CAMERON Mathew = 7.10.63; 14.4.64; desert.; 2WR(CTC); 1154 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CARNELL Henry

B  
D  
M

CARNELL Henry = Poltimor; Devon; 1834; 11.9.63; 18.10.64; Charlotte Andrews '63; desert.; (John Henry ?); 2WR(CTC); Sydney; 753 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CARR Henry

B  
D  
M

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Henry CARR married

CARR Henry = Private Auckland Militia Deserted (also 2 cards for H H Carr AD1: 83/2331 Constable Armed Constabulary & Henry H Carr Pte. Hawkes Bay Militia Settlers Petone Otautu AD 32/1313 & AD 36/3 345 & P1: 84/1836 Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CARR Henry = Corporal Auckland Militia Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 248

CARR William

B  
D  
M

CARR William = 1833; 24.9.63; 8.11.63; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; '98; 630 Transcribed by R Stowers

CARROLL Henry

B  
D  
M

CARROL Henry = 7.10.65; desert; 2WR(CTC); 1155 Transcribed by R Stowers

CARTER John

B  
D  
M

CARTER John = 3383 WO 100/18 Page 209 40th NZ War Medal AD 32/883 Land Transport Corps C.T.C. Kerikeri AD1: 10/2110 Appl. 1910 (1910-1913) AD1: Appl. For record of service Rejected Claimant considered a Deserter. C.T.C. Medal re-engraved and issued to PARATKETE Taitu, Wairoa Native Contingent 1913 (NOTE: 2 other card for J Carter Corpl. 1st Waikato Regt. Imperial medal not issued AD 37/25 -1 & J Carter Pte Auckland Militia Imperial Medal not issued AD 37/25 -1) Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CARTER William

B  
D  
M

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William CARTER lots shipping Melbourne Auckland Highway rolls etc. & William CARTER Volunteers and Militia men who received NZ Medal War 1860-1870 – Gudgeon T W Defenders of NZ 1887

CARTER William = Private Auckland Militia Deserted (3 other cards for William Carter Trumpeter Royal Cavalry Volunteers Te Rori 1864 Awarded 1871 Appl. 1912 for replacement Not pursued AD32/391 & AD 36/3 405 & William Carter 478 WO 100/18 page 250 NZ War Medal 50th & William Carter 545 WO 100/18 page 376 NZ war Medal HM 68th Regt. Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CARTER William = Private Auckland Militia Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 249

CARTWRIGHT Henry

B  
D  
M

CARTWRIGHT Henry = 1839; 11.9.63; 18.5.64; Charlotte Andrews '63; desert.; 2WR; Sydney; 754 Transcribed by R Stowers

CASEY John

B  
D  
M

CASEY John = London; 1830; 25.8.63; 1.3.66; desert; 2WR(CTC); Otago; 18 Transcribed by R Stowers

CASEY Michael

B  
D  
M

Michael CASEY Discharged in NZ Soldiers of the Imperial Foot Regts. Discharged in NZ 1840-1870 – H & L Hughes page 32 & 111 & shipping Melbourne & NZ Gazettes 1865

CASEY Michael = Private 2nd Waikato Regt. Deserted (also card for Michael Casey 3560 WO 100/18 page 233 NZ war Medal 43rd) Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CASEY Michael = Private 2nd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 251

CASEY Michael = Tipperary; 1834; 4.9.63; 8.9.65; desert; 2WR(CTC); Otago; 1156 Transcribed by R Stowers

CASHBURNE George

B  
D  
M

CASHBURNE George = 1844; 10.10.63; 16.9.65; Kate '63; desert.; 2WR(CTC); Sydney; 537 Transcribed by R Stowers

CASTLE George Henry

B  
D  
M

CASTLE George Henry = Eng.; 1844; 27.1.64; 1.2.65; desert.; 3WR; Otahuhu; 1427 Transcribed by R Stowers

CAVANAGH Patrick

B  
D



M

CAVANAGH Patrick = 1837; 8.10.63; desert.; 2WR(CTC); Auckland; 1015 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CAVE Thomas

B  
D  
M

CAVE Thomas = Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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CAVE William

B  
D  
M

William CAVE married SEXTON 1862 Folio 0206 & Electoral Rolls etc.

CAVE William = Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted (also 2 cards for William Cave 75 WO 100/18 page 341 NZ War Medal HM 65th Regt. & William J cave Corporal 2nd Waikato Regt) Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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CHAMPNEYS Frederick

B  
D  
M

CHAMPNEYS Frederick = Private 1st Waikato Regt Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CHAMPNEYS Frederick = Private 1st Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 250

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CHAPMAN Thomas

B  
D  
M

CHAPMAN Thomas = 1833; 23.9.63; 14.6.64; desert.; 2WR(CTC); Auckland; 634 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CHARLTON John

B  
D

M

CHARLTON John = 7.10.63; 9.3.64; desert; 2WR(CTC); Otago; 1157 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CHARNOCK George

B  
D  
M

George CHARNOCK Auckland Provincial Highway Rolls 1863-1870 & other Rolls

CHARNOCK George = Private 3rd Waikato Regt No details regarding any desertion Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CHARNOCK George = 332 WO 100/18 page 047 NZ War Medal Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CHARNOCK George = Private 3rd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 252

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CHARTRIS Robert also known as James HENRY

B  
D  
M

HENRY, James, (alias CHARTRIS, Robert); Constable, 2nd Div. (8/12/1868-13/6/1870); Deserted; Also 63rd Foot; Born 1844, Dublin; Arrived aboard Alhambra ex Melbourne; AD32/352 (Source *The New Zealand Medal to Colonials* by R Stowers *New Zealand Wars 1845-1872* page 13)

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CHARLTRIS L = Pte 3rd Waikato Regt. Imperial medal not issued AD 37/25 -1 & CHARTERIS Linden Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Re-engraved and issued to HASLETT John Mitchell Auckland Rifle Vols. Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

HENRY James= HM 18th Regt 1195 WO 100/18 p 185 NZ War Medal Appl. 1912 for duplicate AD 32/352 [no details regarding desertion] Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

HENRY James = 675 WO 100/18 p235 NZ War Medal 43rd [no details regarding desertion] Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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CHATLIN Frederick

B  
D  
M

CHATLIN Frederick = LeHavre; 1834; 19.10.64; 17.12.64; desert.; 3WR; Cambridge; 1601 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CHURCHILL Beetham

B  
D  
M

B CHURCHILL departed 08 February 1863 Melbourne ship "OMEGA" single occupation Miner Country England arrived Port Chalmers Source PROV VPRS 948 Number 5292 LDS Film 0284492

CHURCHILL Beetham = Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CHURCHILL Beetham = Private 3rd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat

Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 252

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CLARK Ambrose

B  
D  
M

A CLARK Ambrose CLARK shipping from Australia

CLARK Ambrose = Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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CLARKE Andrew

B  
D  
M

CLARKE Andrew = 6.5.64; desert.; 2WR(CTC); 1249 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CLARKE James Neil

B  
D  
M

CLARKE James Neil = Yarmouth; Norfolk; 1838; 18.8.64; 1.3.66; desert.; 2WR; Alexandra; 1282 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CLARKE John

B  
D  
M

CLARKE John = 1837; 2.7.63; 14.9.63; AM.; desert; 1WR; Otahuhu; 1115 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CLARKE Joseph

B  
D  
M

CLARKE Joseph = 1824; 19.9.63; 30.12.63; desert.; 2WR; Howick; 643 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CLARKE Robert

B  
D  
M

CLARKE Robert = Finnisterre; 1837; 18.1.64; 13.7.65; F.?; Brilliant '64; Deserted; TMS.; 59 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CLARKE William

B  
D  
M

CLARKE William = 1845; 21.8.63; 4.6.64; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; 232 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CLIFTON Theodore Alexander Guilford

B  
D  
M

CLIFTON Theodore Alexander Guilford = Pancras; London; 1838; 21.8.63; 2.7.65; 2468; 322; Kate '63; 1937; TeWairoa?; desert.; HMS,1AC; 2WR; Sydney; 37 TW; 130 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CLODE George

B  
D  
M

CLODE George = Widworthy; Devon; 1824; 18.9.63; 2.10.65; 2472; 307; desert.; 2WR; Panmure; 628 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CLOUGH John

B  
D  
M

CLOUGH John = Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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COBBE George Powley

B about 1840  
D  
M before 1864

COBBE, George Powley; Lance-Corporal, No 8 Coy. (joined Melbourne 28/1/1864-); Also Constable, 2nd Div. Armed Constabulary (28/4/1868-7/1868); Turuturu Mokai 12/7/1868 (ran away, deserted); Born 1837, Dublin; Arrived aboard Brilliant; AD 32/2475; Medal claim possibly rejected

(Source *The New Zealand Medal to Colonials* by R Stowers *New Zealand Wars 1845-1872* page 71)

G P COBBE AJHR 1894 Section H23 Unsubstantiated claims under the Naval & Military Settlers & Volunteers lands Acts 1889, 1891, 1894 Date 1894 page 6

Geo P COBBE departed 05 February 1864 from Melbourne "BRILLIANT" married age 26 Country UK Port Taranaki Source PROV VPRS 948 number 940 LDS Film 0284494

Mary Mrs COBBE departed Melbourne 16 July 1864 "CLAUD HAMILTON" married age 24 Country England Port Taranaki PROV VPRS 948 number 940 LDS Film 0284495 and Thomas (infant) COBBE aged 9 months same ship as mother.

COBBE George P = Sgt Taranaki Military Settlers Appl. 1875 (1875) Not proceeded with AD32/2475 (Nothing about desertion) Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

COBBOLD Martin Henry

B  
D  
M

COBBOLD Martin Henry = Milton; Kent; 1844; 4.9.63; 25.12.63; Devonshire '63?; 21.1.1921?; Epsom?; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; 431 Transcribed by R Stowers

COCHRANE William

B  
D  
M

#### Deserters

A few Forest Rangers deserted. The circumstances for their absences are not known but the wait for titles of land grants and disillusionment over their land grants may have been contributing factors. The eight known deserters were Thomas Anderson, William Bourke, William Cochrane, James Dunn, William Hartland, William Humphries, Moses McDonald, John Murray and possible George Vart.

*(Source A History of the Forest Rangers during the New Zealand Wars "Forest Rangers" by R Stowers page 288)*

W COCHRANE Shipping Melbourne 1861 & William COCHRANE other rolls etc.

COCHRANE William = 21.1.64; 5.65; Shalima?; Deserted; 2FR Transcribed by R Stowers

COCHRANE William George

B  
D  
M

COCHRANE William George = 1638 WO 100/18 page 182 NZ War Medal HM 18th Regt. (Nothing about desertion) Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

COLLINS Cornwall

B  
D  
M

COLLINS Cornwall = Rogate; Surrey; 1846; 17.3.64; 8.3.65; Reliance; desert.; 3WR; 4WR; Onehunga; 392 Transcribed by R Stowers

COLLINS John

B  
D  
M

COLLINS John = 1.3.66; 57F.?; desert.; 2WR(CTC); 1158 Transcribed by R Stowers

COMMONS George

B  
D  
M

COMMONS George = Coldstream; Berwick; 1834; 30.1.64; 8.1.65; Phoebe; desert.; 3WR; Otahuhu; 1428 Transcribed by R Stowers

CONDRON Edward

B  
D  
M

CONDRON Edward Stepney; London; 1838; 21.8.63; 4.8.66; Kate '63; desert.; 2WR; Sydney; 132 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CONDRON Robert

B  
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M 09 October 1876

CONDRON, Robert; Private, No 1 Coy; Also 51st Foot, Auckland Engineer Volunteers; Born Killamer Athlone; Arrived aboard Ann ex London 16/5/1848; Died 09/10/1876; AD 32/1801, 1919  
(Source *The New Zealand Medal to Colonials* by R Stowers *New Zealand Wars 1845-1872* page 28)

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Robert CONDRON Royal New Zealand Fencible & Robert CONDRON Probate Place Te Puke Occupation Labourer Court Wellington Probate Number 29044 Filed Date 05 May 1920 Archives of NZ Wellington

CONDRON Robert = Royal Auckland Rifles No 1 Company (1870-74) Engineer Militia (1874 Jan-Feb 1874) above deserted 1874 discharged papers not granted Claim for land grant Not proceeded Appl. (1910-1910) with AD 32/1919 & 32/1801 Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 AD 36/3

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CONNELLY William

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CONNELLY William = Kildare; Kildare; 1822; 11.9.63; 22.5.65; desert.; 2WR; Otago; 897 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CONNOR John

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CONNOR John = Chatham; Kent; 1848; 9.4.65; 1.3.66; desert.; 2WR; Alexandra; 1376 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CONNOR Peter

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Peter CONNOR Departed 07 September 1866 Melbourne "TARARUA" single age 31 Country UK Port Hokitika Source PROVPRS 948 Number 6258 LDS Film 0284498 & Peter CONNOR Death 1869 Source Melbourne Victoria Australia Country Ireland Stray collection & Peter CONNOR 10 July 1918 age 76 Park Island (Napier) Cemetery Record Residence Hospital age 76 Plot 4 Block 11 Anglican

CONNOR Peter = Private 1st Waikato Regt. Deserted also (another card Peter CONNOR 1798 WO 100/18 page 183 NZ War Medal HM 18th Regt) Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CONNOR Peter = Private 1st Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport

Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 250

CONROY Arthur

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CONROY Arthur = Armagh; Armagh; 1831; 11.9.63; 1.12.65; Charlotte Andrews '63; desert.; 2WR(CTC); Sydney; 755 Transcribed by R Stowers

CONROY Murty

B  
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CONROY Murty = Rosenellis; Laoighis; 1834; 23.2.64; 29.2.64; 65F.,99F.; Southern Cross '56; desert.; HMS; 3WR; Papakura; 1482 Transcribed by R Stowers

CONWAY Francis

B  
D  
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Francis CONWAY Royal NZ Fencible & Francis CONWAY few early marriages NZ Gazettes 1863 Australian Shipping Auckland Electoral Rolls

CONWAY Francis = Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CONWAY Francis = Private 3rd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 252

COOPER John

B  
D  
M

COOPER John = 1830; 21.8.63; 5.1.64; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; 237 Transcribed by R Stowers

CORNELL George

B  
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CORNELL George = Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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CORRY George also known as George CURRY

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CORRY George also CURRY George = Pte. 1st Waikato Regt.No 10 Coy., Appl. 1913 (1913-1922) Awarded 1914 Imperial Issue Receipt 1914 1922 Land claim Rejected due to desertion AD 32/592 AD36/3 3364 Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

COSBORNE George

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COSBORNE George = Private 2nd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

COSBORNE George = Private 2nd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 251

COSTELLO Cavin

B  
D  
M

COSTELLO Cavin = 1833; 21.8.63; 27.2.64; Kate '63; desert.; 2WR; Sydney; 133 Transcribed by R Stowers

COTTINGHAM Levi

B  
D  
M

COTTINGHAM Levi = Henstead?; Suffolk?; 27.7.63; 25.11.63; Cashmere '62?; desert.; CDF.A; Auckland Transcribed by R Stowers

COULTON George W

B  
D  
M

COULTON George W = 6.8.63; 30.11.63; desert.; (COTTON); WFR?,1AC?;; CDF.W Transcribed by R Stowers

COVENTRY Robert

B  
D  
M

COVENTRY Robert = Glasgow; Lanark; 1840; 2.9.63; 1.3.66; desert.; 1WR,3WR,; 2WR(CTC); Otago; 896 Transcribed by R Stowers

COX Francis

B  
D  
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COX Francis = 1835; 5.3.64; 3.6.64; Bella Maria '64; desert.; 4WR; Sydney; 431 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CRAIG James

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CRAIG, James; Private, No 4 Coy. (joined Onehunga 22/4/1864-7/8/1866); Deserted; Born 1838, Glasgow; Labourer; Arrived aboard Telegraph ex London 6/7/1863; AD 32/60.

(Source *The New Zealand Medal to Colonials by R Stowers New Zealand Wars 1845-1872 page 109*)

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James CRAIG Volunteers and Militia men who received NZ Medal War 1860-1870 Gudgeon T W Defenders of NZ 1887

Auckland Provincial Highway Rolls 1863-1870

CRAIG James = 4th Regiment Waikato Militia (1863-66) [sic] Land grant enquiry (1930) "CRAIG deserted in 1866 after making land claim Grant refused AD 32-60 Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CRAIG James = Glasgow; 1838; 22.4.64; 7.8.66; John Wells; desert.; 4WR; Onehunga; 466 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CRAWFORD Alexander

B  
D  
M

CRAWFORD Alexander = Bute; Bute; 1843; 4.9.63; 5.6.65; 2563; 355; PVR; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; '92; 426 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CREED Robert

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CREED Robert = Private 1st Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CREED Robert = Private 1st Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 250

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CRONIN Denis

B  
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CRONIN Denis = Castlemartyr; Cork; 1838; 21.12.64; 2.10.65; 70 F.?; Daniel Franklin '61?; desert.; 2WR; Alexandra; 1335 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CROSS William Henry

B  
D  
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CROSS William Henry = London; 1840; 28.12.63; 7.2.65; ARV,; desert.; 3WR; Waiuku; 1278  
Transcribed by R Stowers

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CROSSLAND John

B  
D  
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CROSSLAND John = Private 3rd Waikato Regt. Deserted Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

CROSSLAND John = Private 3rd Waikato Regiment Roll of non-commissioned officers and men of the (unit listed below) who volunteered for service with the Imperial Commissariat Transport Corps and who were employed and paid by the Imperial Government during the Military operation in New Zealand and who are therefore entitled to the New Zealand Medal 1861-1866. Deserter New Zealand Gazette 1871 page 252

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CROXALL William

B  
D  
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CROXALL William = 1824; 26.8.63; 20.1.64; desert; 2WR; Otago; 341 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CRUMP Joseph

B  
D  
M

CRUMP Joseph = 1840; 3.9.63; 19.8.64; Blue Jacket '61?; desert; 2WR(CTC); Auckland; 24  
Transcribed by R Stowers

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CULLENEY Patrick

B  
D  
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CULLENEY Patrick = Pte 2nd Waikato Regt. 1863 Paterangi, Rangiaphia, Orakau 1864 Appl. 1910 (1910-13) Rejected 1913 Desertion AD 32/460 Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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CULPAN Joseph

B  
D  
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CULPAN Joseph = Halifax; York; 1823; 7.9.63; 15.11.64; 2581; ARV,; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; 428 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CULVER Frederick

B  
D  
M

CULVER Frederick = Boston; US; 1835; 3.8.63; 16.5.64; AM.; Ware; Deserted; 1WR; Otahuhu; 289 Transcribed by R Stowers

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CUMMINGS Robert

B  
D  
M

CUMMINGS Robert = St Giles; Midlothian; 1842; 3.10.63; 1.8.65; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; 750  
Transcribed by R Stowers

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CUNNINGHAM Justin

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D  
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CUNNINGHAM Justin = Balson 2nd Bat 18th Royal Irish Regt. 1859-1868 Apl 1911 (1911-1911)  
Rejected as claimant deserted when Reatile [sic] Pt NZ AD 32/131 Archives NZ Medal Index  
Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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CUNNINGHAM Peter

B  
D  
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CUNNINGHAM Peter = Dunfries; Dumfries; 1838; 17.10.63; 5.6.65; desert.; 2WR; Auckland; 901  
Transcribed by R Stowers

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CUNNINGHAM Thomas

B  
D  
M

CUNNINGHAM Thomas = Dundee; Fife; 1846; 26.4.65; 1.8.66; desert.; 2WR; Alexandra; 1377  
Transcribed by R Stowers

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CURRY George also known as George CORRY

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CURRY George see CORRY George = Pte. No 10 Coy., 1st Waikato Regt. Appl. 1913 (1913-  
1922) Awarded 1914 Imperial Issue Receipt 1914 1922 Land claim Rejected due to desertion AD  
32/592 AD36/3 3364 Archives NZ Medal Index Repro 1660 = AD 36/3

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CURTIS William

B  
D  
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CURTIS William = 1839; 19.2.64; Swiftsure '64; desert; 4WR; Melbourne; 160 Transcribed by R  
Stowers

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