

1874 Petition - Upper Hutt Residents

The 1874 petition was signed by twenty four (24) residents who were all residing in the Upper Hutt district. The only two signatories that do not appear in any Electoral rolls or Directories in the Upper Hutt district between 1870 and 1879 are [1] farmer Thomas Robson and [2] schoolmaster D. D. MacDonald.

The Resident Magistrate for the District of Wellington

I Thomas WALDIN of the Upper Hutt in the Province of Wellington in the Colony of New Zealand Licenced Victualler do hereby give notice that it is my intention to apply as the next Annual Licensing Meeting to be holden at the Residents Magistrates Court Wellington for the sale of alcohol business in the house and premises situated at the Upper Hutt in the Province aforesaid in my own occupation my own freehold property own licence and favour as the Criterion Hotel and that I am hold a licence written the meaning of the licensing act 1873.

Given under my hand this 16th day of March 1874

[Signed Thomas WALDIN]

We the undersigned householders residing within _ _ neighbourhood of the written name premises do hereby certify that the under named Thomas Waldin is a person of good – and reputation and fit and proper to be licensee for the sale of alcohol liquor in the Province under mentioned. *Witness in hand this 16th day of March 1874*

Name	Residence	Trade
Alfred Perry	Upper Hutt	Farmer
Thomas Sparks (Sparkes)	Upper Hutt	Settler
Robert Butler	Upper Hutt	Settler
James Bayliss	Upper Hutt	Farmer
Charles Cudby	Upper Hutt	Settler
Henry Burt	Upper Hutt	Storekeeper
James Brown	Upper Hutt	Settler
Peter Wilkie	Upper Hutt	Postmaster
Thomas Mabey	Upper Hutt	Butcher
Joseph Bowyer	Upper Hutt	Bricklayer
Joseph Mabey	Upper Hutt	Farmer
Thomas Robson	Upper Hutt	Farmer
James Wilson	Upper Hutt	Farmer
Alex (Alexander) Martin	Upper Hutt	Farmer
William Greenwood	Upper Hutt	Engineer
William Burrell	Upper Hutt	Bushman
John Kelly	Upper Hutt	Farmer
L Robinson	Upper Hutt	Blacksmith
Charles Rouse	Upper Hutt	Labourer
Martin Miller	Upper Hutt	Shoe Maker
D D MacDonald	Upper Hutt	Schoolmaster
William Booth	Upper Hutt	Tinker Merchant
George Hall	Upper Hutt	Blacksmith

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In the undersigned knowledge residing within the immediate neighbourhood of the Upper Hutt, I trust we have, to say that the petition presented to the Hon. the Attorney General in a petition of your farm and reputation and for and for to be known for the sake of bettering things in the Province within boundaries.

Witness our hands this 15th day of March 1874

Names	Residence	Profession
Alfred Perry	Upper Hutt	Farmer
Thomas Sparrow	Upper Hutt	Seller
Robert Kettle	Upper Hutt	Settler
James Douglas	Upper Hutt	Farmer
Charles Giddy	Upper Hutt	Settler
James Burt	Upper Hutt	Bookkeeper
James Brown	Upper Hutt	Settler
John Walker	Upper Hutt	Postmaster
Thomas Maitland	Upper Hutt	Bookkeeper
Joseph Bourke	Upper Hutt	Bookkeeper
Joseph Mackay	Upper Hutt	Farmer
Thomas Nelson	Upper Hutt	Farmer
James Wilson	Upper Hutt	Farmer
John Martin	Upper Hutt	Farmer
William Greenwood	Upper Hutt	Engineer
William Russell	Upper Hutt	Cashier
John Kelly	Upper Hutt	Farmer
J. D. Penner	Upper Hutt	Blacksmith
Charles King	Upper Hutt	Teacher
Martin Smith	Upper Hutt	Upper master
J. L. Macdonald	Upper Hutt	Schoolmaster

William Bush Upper Hutt Teacher

George Hall Blacksmith Upper Hutt

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