

POLICE RESIDENCES

In the early years most police residence were also used as Police Stations. This document is a work in progress and will be added to and edited when time permits.

1860

Fortune Lane - Blockhouse

The first Police residence in Upper Hutt was the Blockhouse building which was erected in 1860. Access to the blockhouse was at the end of Fortune Lane off the road now known as Ferguson Drive. Access now to the Blockhouse is from McHardie Street off Fergusson Drive.

The first Upper Hutt Police Constable was David Lyster registration number 2 who joined the Police Force in 1859. Six months later in 1860 David and his family settled in Upper Hutt and resided in the blockhouse where four of their seven children were born.

1875

Station Street (later renamed Geange Street)

The Station Street Police residence was constructed around 1875 and was occupied by Constable David Lyster.

In 1875-1876 David LYSTER was leasing a 28 acres property situated on part section 91 Upper Hutt.

In 1880-1881 David LYSTER was resident in Upper Hutt.

In 1881 Constable David Lyster was transferred to another district. Constable Lyster vacated the Police residence in Station Street and the Upper Hutt Police station closed.

The police residence in Station Street was leased and was not occupied by a Police Constable until 1891.

Mrs Margaret HOGG leased the old police residence in Station Street Upper Hutt.

The Station Street police residence was demolished by Railways Department two weeks before Justice Department advertised for it to be demolished. Station Street is now known as Geange Street.

Station Street was later renamed Geange Street.

1920

Memorandum Magistrates Office

16th August 1920 to The Stipendiary Magistrate Wellington

I beg to inform you that the Police Department have purchased a house for a Police Station here and it is a good distance from the Courthouse and no doubt I will be shifting into same at an early date from this house which is next door to the Courthouse.

I beg to make application for the telephone which is now in the Police Cottage to be removed into the Courthouse as there is none in Courthouse at present and it will not be needed in new Police Station as it is already connected with telephone and it will be very useful if shifted into courthouse. (signed) C S Le Fevre Clerk of Court - For the Under Secretary

Installation of the telephone at the Court House recommended (signed) Riddell 17.8.1920
(Reference Archives NZ Wellington R24683149 ACGS 16211 J1 981 1920/977 from S M [Stipendiary Magistrate] Wellington date 17 August 1920 subject for removal of telephone from old Police residence to Courthouse Upper Hutt year 1920)

In 1922 Charles Stephen LE FEVRE residence was recorded as Police Station Upper Hutt.

In 1925 Constable David WALLACE residence was Main Road Upper Hutt.

1928

Main and Royal Street corner



(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Recollect website Main Road circa 1928)

Main and Royal Street corner [before 1950]

#1954 = proposal to build offices in front of building for Upper Hutt Police

#1955 = Albert MORRISON constable 162 Main Street Upper Hutt 1955 New Zealand Post Office Directory page 950

#1958 = 162 Main Road Upper Hutt Lots 4/5 or Lots 50/51 DP 2250 Part Section 119 Hutt District [1958]

#1969-1970 = Police Station 158 Main Street/Road Upper Hutt reference New Zealand Post Office Directory 1969- 970 page 265

Royal Street

In 1956 a section in Royal Street was set aside for "Police Purpose". The 1956 New Zealand Gazette page 183 describes the land as Deposited Plan 2250 (& DP B376) Lot 50 and Lot 51 on part Section No 119.

#1955 = 19 Royal Street [28 July 1955] was a brick house constructed in 1955. The Police residence was firstly occupied on 28 July 1955 by Sergeant Gideon TAIT.

#1955 = GRACEY sergeant 7 Royal Street Upper Hutt 1955 New Zealand Post Office Directory page 952

#1955 New Zealand Post Office Directory page 951 (Trevor M WRIGHT constable resided at 14 Martin Street)

Many years later the Police residence at 19 Royal Street was demolished. The land is now part of the entrance to the supermarket car park.

20 Merton Street

In 1956 land in Merton Street was set aside for "*Police Purpose*". The 1956 New Zealand Gazette page 168 and 1702 recorded the details. A later plan of Merton Street recorded the land area as 22.94 perches.

The 2020 property value website recorded that 20 Merton Street was weatherboard house constructed in 1955. The legal description of the land was Lot 1 Deposited Plan 18563 valuation reference 15920/29600.

1 Merton Street [1956]

No 20 Merton Street Trentham Section 1 HDW 31665 [1956]

#1956 = 10 February 1956 Police residence Lot 1 Merton Street Upper Hutt advise and inspection made yesterday everything found in excellent condition except 5 yards of earth required

#1956 = 14 February 1956 quotes for laying linoleum Residence Sgt Claridge Brentwood Street & Sgt Burnside Brentwood Street & W/O Rosie Brentwood Street & Sgt Dunlop Merton Street & Sgt Hotham Brentwood Street [I believe these gentleman are part of the Police Training School situated in Trentham Military Camp]

#1957 = Eric Alexander DUNLOP 20 Merton Street Trentham teacher & Winifred Norma DUNLOP 20 Merton Street Trentham married 1957 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

#1969-1970 = Ronald A DOMS education officer 20 Melrose Street Upper Hutt reference 1969-1970 Post Office Directory page 267

Brentwood Street

Around 1955-1956 five houses in Brentwood Street Trentham were constructed for staff of the New Zealand Police Training School later known as College. An additional ? houses were constructed around 1956-1957.

44 Brentwood Street [Lot 19]

#New Zealand Gazette 1956 page 1213 Lot 19 area 33.91 perches Police Purpose

#14 February 1956 quotes for laying linoleum Residence Sgt Claridge Brentwood Street & Sgt Burnside Brentwood Street & W/O Rosie Brentwood Street & Sgt Dunlop Merton Street & Sgt Hotham Brentwood Street

#16 March 1956 19 Brentwood street departmental house keys handed to Registrar Police Training School at Trentham

#20 March 1956 Two of the final five houses required for the accommodation of staff at the Police Training school Trentham – Lot 19 DP 18032 part sections 89-90 Hutt District CT 525/298 Brentwood Street (description of building) & Lot 24 DP 18032 sections 89-90 Hutt district CT 525/298 Brentwood Street (description of building), recommend acquiring

#11 June 1956 drainage problem Brentwood Street occupied by Mr Rosie (Warrant Officer)

#1957 Heretaunga Electoral Roll = Laurence Edward Douglas ROSIE 44 Brentwood Street Trentham soldier & Lorna Mary ROSIE 44 Brentwood Street Trentham married

#1969-1970 = Stewart G MORTON police officer 44 Brentwood Street Upper Hutt reference 1969-1970 Post Office Directory page 254

#2020 Property Value website = 44 Brentwood Street Trentham Upper Hutt 5018 weatherboard house constructed 1956 legal description Lot 3 Deposited Plan 544458 valuation reference 15920/7300

54 Brentwood Street [Lot 24]

#New Zealand Gazette 1956 page 1213 Lot 24 area 33.32 perches Police Purpose

#14 February 1956 quotes for laying linoleum Residence Sgt Claridge Brentwood Street & Sgt Burnside Brentwood Street & W/O Rosie Brentwood Street & Sgt Dunlop Merton Street & Sgt Hotham Brentwood Street

#1957 Heretaunga Electoral Roll = Kennedy Barclay BURNSIDE 54 Brentwood Street Trentham police sergeant & Annie Elizabeth BURNSIDE 54 Brentwood Street Trentham married

#1969-1970 = Peter G WIERSMA 54 Brentwood Street Trentham Upper Hutt reference 1969-1970 Post Office Directory page 264

#2020 Property Value website = 54 Brentwood Street Trentham Upper Hutt 5018 weatherboard house constructed 1955 legal description Lot 24 Deposited Plan 18032 valuation reference 15920/6800

24 Brentwood Street

24 Brentwood Street DP 18032 sections 89-90 Hutt district CT 525/298 [1956]

Lot 24

- 21 March 1956 Lot 24 Brentwood street departmental house keys handed to Registrar Police Training School at Trentham
 - 20 March 1956 Two of the final five houses required for the accommodation of staff at the Police Training school Trentham – Lot 19 DP 18032 part sections 89-90 Hutt District CT 525/298 Brentwood Street (description of building) & Lot 24 DP 18032 sections 89-90 Hutt district CT 525/298 Brentwood Street (description of building), recommend acquiring
- #1969-1970 = K Warwick KELLY chemist 24 Brentwood Street reference New Zealand Post Office Directory 1969-1970 page 254 (NOT police officer)

57 Brentwood Street [Lot 147]

#New Zealand Gazette 1956 page 1213 Lot 147 area 33.32 perches Police Purpose

#14 February 1956 quotes for laying linoleum Residence Sgt Claridge Brentwood Street & Sgt Burnside Brentwood Street & W/O Rosie Brentwood Street & Sgt Dunlop Merton Street & Sgt Hotham Brentwood Street

#08 March 1956 Police residence Lot 147 Brentwood Street Upper Hutt inspection

#12 March 1956 Houses for Police Department Trentham Training School – Lot 147 DP 18032 part sections 89-90 Hutt District CT 525/298 Brentwood Street description of building

#01 April 1968 57 Brentwood Street Trentham work requisition sheet

#1957 Heretaunga Electoral Roll = George CLARIDGE 57 Brentwood Street Trentham police sergeant & Marjory Evelyn CLARIDGE 57 Brentwood Street Trentham married

#1969-1970 = Colin GRAHAM police officer 57 Brentwood Street Trentham Upper Hutt reference 1969-1970 Post Office Directory page 254

#2020 Property Value website = 57 Brentwood Street Trentham Upper Hutt 5018 weatherboard house constructed 1955 legal description Lot 1 deposited plan 400996 Valuation reference 15920/1801

2 Holdsworth Avenue Lot 110 (now 66 Brentwood Street)

#New Zealand Gazette 1957 page 1765 Lot 110 area 32.00 perches Deposit Plan 18737 for Police Purpose

- 15 December 1966 Police residence 66 Brentwood Street Trentham & 69 Brentwood Street reports on conditions electric ranges
- 09 October 1974 Police residence 66 Brentwood Street driveway
- 29 September 1976 stove at 66 Brentwood Street

(Reference Archives NZ Wellington R18649819 AATE W3402 28024 box 12 10/6 Ministry of Works Department Trentham Police Residences Upper Hutt years 1950-1977)

#Property Value website = 66 Brentwood Street Trentham Upper Hutt 5018 Weatherboard house constructed 1957 legal description Lot 110 Deposited Plan 18737 valuation reference 15920/4700

#1969-1970 = Scott 66 Brentwood Street Trentham Upper Hutt reference 1969-1970 Post Office Directory page 254

#1969-1970 = Ian F CROXFORD police sergeant 2 Holdsworth Avenue Trentham right side reference New Zealand Post Office Directory 1969-1970 page 259

64 Brentwood Street [Lot 109]

- New Zealand Gazette 1957 page Lot 109 ETC

#1969-1970 = Frances L EDMONDS police officer 64 Brentwood Street Trentham Upper Hutt reference 1969-1970 Post Office Directory page 254

69 Brentwood Street [Lot 153]

#New Zealand Gazette 1956 page 1213 Lot 153 area 36.83 perches Police Purpose

#10 February 1956 Police residence Lot 153 Brentwood Street Upper Hutt advise and inspection made yesterday everything found in excellent condition except for two items no ash-pan to sitting room grate and no doorstops to doors

#14 February 1956 quotes for laying linoleum Residence Sgt Claridge Brentwood Street & Sgt Burnside Brentwood Street & W/O Rosie Brentwood Street & Sgt Dunlop Merton Street & Sgt Hotham Brentwood Street

#05 March 1956 House for Police Department Trentham Training School – house erected by Messrs Stunnell Bros on Lot 153 in Brentwood Street & erected by Messrs Laing & Fowlds Lot 147 in Brentwood Street and confirm report dwelling Lot 153 and Lot 1 in Merton Street

#08 March 1956 Houses for Police Department Trentham Training School Brentwood Street Trentham Lot 153 DP 18032 part sections 89 & 90 Hutt district CT 525/298 (cost section & house) & No 20 Merton Street Trentham Section 1 HDW 31665 builders McConnell & Slacke
69 Brentwood Street [1966]

#15 December 1966 Police residence 66 Brentwood Street Trentham & 69 Brentwood Street reports on conditions electric ranges

#1957 Heretaunga Electoral Roll = Edgar John Gordon HOTHAM 69 Brentwood Street Trentham police sergeant & Thelma HOTHAM 69 Brentwood Street Trentham married

#69 Brentwood Street Trentham Upper Hut 5018 weatherboard house constructed 1956 legal description Lot 1 Deposited Plan 90741 valuation reference 15920/2400

#1969-1970 = Eric J FREEMANTLE teacher 69 Brentwood Street Trentham Upper Hutt reference 1969-1970 Post Office Directory page 254

73 Brentwood Street [Lot 155]

#New Zealand Gazette 1957 page 1765 Lot 155 Police Purpose

- **22 March 1957** Lot 155 Brentwood Street inspection found everything first class condition keys handed to registrar Police Training School
 - 27 September 1967 Police residence 73 Brentwood Street Trentham
- #1969-1970 = Michael H TARLING police officer 73 Brentwood Street Trentham Upper Hutt reference 1969-1970 Post Office Directory page 254

Carroll Grove

3 Carroll Grove – Lot 73

#New Zealand Gazette 1967 page 726 area 25.99 perches Lot 73 Deposited Plan 18563 for Police purpose

#22 January 1960 estimate for work at Police Training School residence 3 Carroll Grove Upper Hutt £288 reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#20 January 1960 3 Carroll Grove Upper Hutt residence Police Training School just purchased to house Senior Sergeant Kelly who has been appointed to the staff of the training school – detailed estimate of work to be done on property and house reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#07 April 1966 repair to Police residence 3 Corral/Carroll Grove Trentham plus other documents reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1960 Heretaunga Electoral Roll George Ellis KELLY 3 Carroll Grove Upper Hutt senior sergeant police & Thelma Beatrice KELLY 3 Carroll Grove Upper Hutt married (1963 Petone ER)

#1969-1970 = Bryan K FAHEY police officer reference New Zealand Post Office Directory 1969-1970 page 255

#2020 = Property value website 3 Carroll Grove Trentham Upper Hutt 5018 Fibre Cement house constructed 1955 legal description Lot 73 Deposited Plan 18563

Ruahine Street

8 Ruahine Street – Lot 48

#1957 = New Zealand Gazette 1957 page 1765 Lot 48 area 31.92 perches Deposited Plan 18737

#1960 = 25 February 1960 repairs at 8 Ruahine Street for (Constable A Symes) Police residence reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1963 Heretaunga Electoral Roll Alan Idris SYMES 8 Ruahine Street Trentham Police Constable & Mavis Jean SYMES 8 Ruahine Street Trentham married (1969 Cruickshank Road Police Sergeant)

#1969-1970 = Allan SYMES constable 8 Ruahine Street Trentham Upper Hutt reference New Zealand Post Office Directory 1969-1970 page

#2020 = Property value website = 8 Ruahine Street Trentham Upper Hutt weatherboard house constructed 1955 legal description Lot 48 Deposit Plan 18737 valuation reference 15920/12800

Martin Street

20 Martin Street – Lot unknown (now Fergusson Drive)

#01 December 1965 Police residence 20 Martin Street work requisition documents – recently taken over by the Police Department will be occupied from 15 November 1965 reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1935 & 1938 Wairarapa Electoral Roll & 1946 & 1949 Otaki Electoral Roll Samuel Stanley HOWAN Butcher 16 Martin Street Upper Hutt & Euphemia HOWAN 16 Martin Street Upper Hutt married

#1954 Heretaunga Electoral Roll Samuel Stanley HOWAN Butcher 20 Martin Street Upper Hutt & Euphemia HOWAN 20 Martin Street Upper Hutt married

#1957 Heretaunga Electoral Roll Samuel Stanley HOWAN 20 Martin Street Upper Hutt gatekeeper & Euphemia HOWAN 20 Martin Street Upper Hutt married

#1963 Heretaunga Electoral Roll Samuel S HOWAN meat packer 20 Martin Street Upper Hut & Euphemia HOWAN 20 Martin Street Upper Hutt married

#1965 Upper Hutt Borough District Electors Roll Samuel Stanley HOWAN Butcher 20 Martin Street Upper Hutt & Euphemia HOWAN 20 Martin Street Upper Hutt married (1969 Miramar ER retired)

#There are no later records for 20 Martin Street as the land became part of Fergusson Drive

#1969-1970 = George P ULYATE police officer 20 Martin Street & Wilson Street intersection Upper Hutt reference New Zealand Post Office Directory 1969-1970 page 267

Palmer Crescent



(Reference Google maps 25 Palmer Crescent)

25 Palmer Crescent – Lot 1

#1966 plan Lot 1 Palmer Crescent area 30.36 perches deposited plan unknown (perhaps 22218 or 16755)

#In 1942 (WW2) a state house was constructed in Palmer Crescent and became a Police residence and Trentham Police station

#1943 Wairarapa Electoral Roll Benjamin WATSON Palmer Crescent Heretaunga police constable & Isabel Euphemia WATSON Palmer Crescent Heretaunga married (1946 Shannon ER)

#1949 Otaki Electoral Roll Richard Robert GREIG Palmer Crescent Heretaunga constable

#1952 an additional Constable was granted for the Trentham Police station

#1954 & 1963 Heretaunga Electoral Roll Richard Robert GREIG Palmer Crescent Heretaunga constable & Mary Elizabeth GREIG Palmer Crescent Heretaunga married

#1954 Heretaunga Electoral Roll William Edward Husk AULD Palmer Crescent Heretaunga constable & Gwendoline Joyce AULD Palmer Crescent Heretaunga married (Main Road North Upper Hutt 1957 ER)

#1957 Heretaunga Electoral Roll George James TAYLOR Police Station Trentham police constable & Olive Blanche TAYLOR Police Station Trentham married

#1960 Heretaunga Electoral Roll George James TAYLOR 29 Royal Street Upper Hutt police constable & Olive Blanche TAYLOR 29 Royal Street Upper Hutt married (storeman 1963 & 1966 ER & retired 1969 ER)

#1960 & 1963 & 1966 Heretaunga Electoral Roll Eric James MURRAY 25 Palmer Crescent Heretaunga police constable & Vera Agnes MURRAY 25 Palmer Crescent Heretaunga married (at 14 Akron Drive on 1978 ER)

#1966 = Trentham Police Station Palmer Crescent Heretaunga left from Main Road reference 1966 New Zealand Post Office Directory page 952 (no constable listed or street number)

#1967 = 17 July 1967 list of police residence 19 Royal Street Upper Hutt – 25 Palmer Crescent Trentham includes other residence in Hutt Valley

#1969 & 1972 Heretaunga Electoral Roll Eric James MURRAY 25 Palmer Crescent Heretaunga police constable & Vera Agnes MURRAY 25 Palmer Crescent Heretaunga married (at 14 Akron Drive on 1978 ER)

#16 October 1969 Police residence 25 Palmer Crescent decorating plus other item and docs reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1969-1970 = Trentham Police Station & Eric MURRAY constable 25 Palmer Crescent Heretaunga reference New Zealand Post Office Directory 1969-1970 page 269

#22 October 1974 Police residence 25 Palmer Crescent repair stove tenants Mr & Mrs Curell reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#19 December 1975 Police residence 25 Palmer Crescent reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1978 Heretaunga Electoral Roll John CUREL 25 Palmer Crescent Constable & Robyn Anne CUREL 25 Palmer Crescent married (at 112 Miro Street on 1981 ER)

#1986 Heretaunga Electoral Roll William Browne SINCLAIR 25 Palmer Crescent Civil Servant

#Property Value website = 25 Palmer Crescent Silverstream Upper Hutt 5018 weatherboard house constructed 1942 legal description Lot 1 Deposited Plan 303435 valuation reference 15900/26200

Holdsworth Avenue

2 Holdsworth Avenue - Lot 105 (former 66 Bentwood Street)

#1957 = New Zealand Gazette 1957 page 1765 Lot 105 area 30.27 perches Deposit Plan 18737 for Police Purpose

#1969-1970 = Ian F CROXFORD police sergeant 2 Holdsworth Avenue Trentham right side reference New Zealand Post Office Directory 1969-1970 page 259

#2020 = Property Value website 2 Holdsworth Avenue Trentham Upper Hutt 2018 weatherboard house constructed 1959 legal description Lot 105 Deposited Plan 18737 valuation reference 15920/2900

48 Holdsworth Avenue - Lot 40

#1969 = New Zealand Gazette 1969 page 1123 Lot 40 area 23.1 perches Deposit Plan 28498 for Police Purpose

#1974 = 16 December 1974 empty section 48 Holdsworth Avenue Lot 40 DP 28498 remove long grass reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#2020 = Property Value website 48 Holdsworth Avenue Trentham Upper Hut 5018 mixed material house constructed 1990 Legal Description Lot 40 Deposited Plan 28498 valuation reference 15920/43028

52 Holdsworth Avenue - Lot 42

#1969 = New Zealand Gazette 1969 page 1123 Lot 42 area 22.0 perches Deposit Plan 28498 for Police Purpose

#1974 = 16 December 1974 empty section 52 Holdsworth Avenue Lot 42 DP 28498 remove long grass reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1978 = 1978 Heretaunga Electoral Roll Donald Ramon MOWAT 52 Holdsworth Avenue constable & June Loraine MOWAT 52 Holdsworth Avenue mother

#2020 = Property Valuation website 52 Holdsworth Avenue Trentham Upper Hutt 5018 brick house constructed 1978 legal description Lot 42 Deposited Plan 28498

80 [sic] Holdsworth Avenue - Lot 62

#1969 = 10 December 1969 Police Residence 80 [sic] Holdsworth Avenue sink electric range & other docs reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1969-1970 = Raymond K AHEARN builder 80 Holdsworth Avenue reference 1969-1970 New Zealand Post Office Directory page 259 (NO Police connection)

#2020 = Property Value website 80 Holdsworth Avenue Trentham Upper Hutt 5018 mixed material house constructed in 1968 legal description Lots 62 Deposited Plan 28498 valuation reference 15920/43006

82 Holdsworth Avenue - Lot 63

#1969 = New Zealand Gazette 1969 page 1123 Lot 63 area 23.7 perches Deposit Plan 28498 for Police Purpose

#1968 = 05 February 1968 erection of a residence and tool shed Holdsworth Avenue Lot 49 & Lot 7 & Lot 63 for Police residence reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1969 Heretaunga Electoral Roll William Henry SHANKS 82 Holdsworth Avenue detective & Maysie Elizabeth SHANKS 82 Holdsworth Avenue married

#1972 Heretaunga Electoral Roll William Henry SHANKS 82 Holdsworth Avenue police officer & Maysie Elizabeth SHANKS 82 Holdsworth Avenue married

#1973 = 19 July 1973 fencing at 82 Holdsworth Street plus other document reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1974 = 03 June 1974 Police residence 82 Holdsworth Avenue work requisition form reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#2020 = Property Value website 82 Holdsworth Avenue Trentham Upper Hutt 5018 brick house constructed in 1968 legal description Lot 63 Deposited Plan 28498 valuation reference 15920/43005

87 Holdsworth Avenue - Lot 7

#1969 = New Zealand Gazette 1969 page 1122 Lot 7 area 22.0 perches Deposit Plan 28498 and/or 28013 for Police Purpose

#1968 = 05 February 1968 erection of a residence and tool shed Holdsworth Avenue Lot 49 & Lot 7 & Lot 63 for Police residence reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1972 = 06 November 1972 Police residence 87 Holdsworth Avenue boundary fencing plus docs reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1872 Heretaunga Electoral Roll Donald Ramon MOWAT 87 Holdsworth Avenue constable & June Loraine MOWAT 87 Holdsworth Avenue married

#1975 = 29 April 1975 I am the owner (A B Carpenter) of house No 89 Holdsworth Avenue Trentham shares common fence with BZ Police House occupied by Constable W McGuinness at 87 reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1975 & 1978 Heretaunga Electoral Roll William Henry MCGUINNESS 87 Holdsworth Avenue Civil Servant & Kathleen Dawn R MCGUINNESS 87 Holdsworth Avenue married 1978

#2020 = Property Value website 87 Holdsworth Avenue Trentham Upper Hutt 5018 brick house constructed in 1968 legal description Lot 7 Deposited Plan 28498 valuation reference 15920/43061

Holdsworth Avenue Lot 110 (now 66 Brentwood Street)

#1957 = New Zealand Gazette 1957 page 1765 Lot 110 area 32.00 perches Deposit Plan 18737 for Police Purpose

#2020 = Property Value website = 66 Brentwood Street Trentham Upper Hutt 5018 Weatherboard house constructed 1957 legal description Lot 110 Deposited Plan 18737 valuation reference 15920/4700

Holdsworth Avenue Lot 49 (now 3 Mitre Grove)

#1969 = New Zealand Gazette 1969 page 1123 Lot 49 area 22.3 perches Deposited Plan 28498 for Police Purpose

#1968 = 05 February 1968 erection of a residence and tool shed Holdsworth Avenue Lot 49 & Lot 7 & Lot 63 for Police residence reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#2020 = Property Value website 3 Mitre Grove Trentham Upper Hutt 5018 brick house constructed in 1968 legal description Lot 49 Deposited Plan 28498 valuation reference 15920/43019

Fergusson Drive

(old houses owned by Police - land to be used for new Police Station)

Police Station 863 to 873 Fergusson Drive - Lots 54 to Lots 62

#1965 = New Zealand Gazette 1965 page 2015 area not known Deposited Plan 10985 and DP 1336 for Police Station (perhaps but not clear if it covers all Lots 54 to Lots 62]

#1971 = 25 November 1971 police property 863-873 Fergusson Drive clean area of noxious weeds Lots 56, 58, 60, 61 DP 1336

#2020 = Property Value website = does not record Commercial, Industrial or rural properties so there are no details for 863-873 Fergusson Drive

Old Houses 867 & 869 & 871 Fergusson Drive

#1965 = New Zealand Gazette 1965 page 2015 area not known Deposited Plan 10985 and DP 1336 for Police Station (perhaps but not clear if it covers all Lots 54 to Lots 62]

#1971 = 01 March 1971 Police residence 869 Fergusson Drive replace electric range reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1971 = 03 September 1971 site for Upper Hutt Police Station dwelling at 867 & 871 Fergusson Drive offered for removal by Government been unsuccessful now cost of demolition plus other documents reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1977 = 11 March 1977 Police residence 869 Fergusson Drive old house advertise for sale and removal plus other documents regarding project been completed reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

Flavia Grove

1 Flavia Grove - Lot 2

#1969 = New Zealand Gazette 1969 page 1618 area 20.09 perches Deposited Plan 29901 and/or 11680 for Police Purpose

#The house at 1 Flavia Grove was occupied by a member of the New Zealand Police Training School reference Archives NZ Wellington (see below)

#1972 = 21 February 1972 Property Lot 2 DP 29901 Flavia Grove Upper Hutt (Police Training School letterhead) arrange for removal of ragwort and long grass (empty section) reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1975 = 07 January 1975 Fire hazard at 1 Flavia Grove Upper Hutt Lot 2 DP 29901 remove scrub reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1975 = 16 January 1975 Mr Van der Diek of 2 Flavia Grove having boundary fence erected reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#2020 = Property Value website = 1 Flavia Grove Clouston Park Upper Hutt 5018 brick house constructed in 1975 Lot 2 Deposited Plan 29901 valuation reference 15210/22002

Trentham Camp

In Trentham Military Camp the New Zealand Police College occupied blocks 210 and 211 for the use of accommodation for the new police recruits.

#1973 = 29 August 1973 Police College accommodation blocks 210 & 211 Trentham Camp repair to floors plus other document reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

Trentham Camp Policeman

A Policeman supporting Trentham Camp resided in a house on the corner section of Bathurst Street and Main Road. Perhaps the Police or Justice Department owned the property. The name of the Policeman is unknown.

(Information from the research by Howard Wardwell for his publication Trentham And Upper Hutt untold Military History)

Mitre Grove

3 Mitre Grove - Lot 49

#1969 = New Zealand Gazette 1969 page 1123 Lot 49 area 22.3 perches Deposited Plan 28498 for Police Purpose

#The house at 3 Mitre Grove was occupied by a member of the New Zealand Police College reference Archives NZ Wellington (see below)

#1974 = 03 June 1974 Police residence 3 Mitre Grove repair fence and gate – Police College reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1976 = 29 November 1976 stove at 3 Mitre Grove reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1977 = 01 August 1977 leaking roof 3 Mitre Grove reference Archives NZ Wellington details at end of document

#1978 = Thomas Stanley BEDDIS 3 Mitre Grove police sergeant & Yvonne Florence BEDDIS 3 Mitre Grove married 1969 & 1972 Heretaunga Electoral Roll (1978 residing in Manawatu)

#2020 Property Value website 3 Mitre Grove Trentham Upper Hutt 5018 brick house constructed in 1968 legal description Lot 49 Deposited Plan 28498 valuation reference 15920/43019

4 Mitre Grove - Lot 44

#1969 = New Zealand Gazette 1969 page 1123 Lot 44 area 22.0 perches Deposited Plan 28498 Police Purpose.

#The house at 4 Mitre Grove was occupied by a member of the New Zealand Police College reference Archives NZ Wellington (see below)

#1978 = William Desmond HALL 4 Mitre Grove police department & Helen Connelly HALL 4 Mitre Grove housewife 1972 Heretaunga Electoral Roll (1978 residing in Onehunga)

#2020 = Property Value website = 4 Mitre Grove Trentham Upper Hutt 5018 mixed material house constructed in 1970 legal description Lot 44 Deposited Plan 28498 valuation reference 15920/43024

Police residences - source and reference

Reference Archives NZ Wellington R18649819 AATE W3402 28024 box 12 10/6 Ministry of Works Department Trentham Police Residences Upper Hutt years 1950-1977

- **26 May 1950** Police residence Main Road Upper Hutt maintenance of the building installing new hand basin and advised pipes under house leading to bathroom were corroded not allowing reasonable flow of water – requesting report by Inspector of building
- 30 June 1950 repairs element in electric range and to door bell – 2 copies
- 08 July 1950 repairs to chimney – 2 copies
- 21 July 1950 renewal of water pipes – 2 copies
- **08 April 1951** amount is required to fund bulk authority in the Trentham District for maintenance of Police Stations
- 16 June 1951 On 15 June 1951 a damp patch was observed spreading on paper of the ceiling in the sitting room. Ministry of Works Trentham sent a man to make an examination and it was found that the ball cock in the cistern required attention also that the tray under the cistern to carry off any overflow is also in need of repair – Temporary repairs only were effected pending receipt of authority to carry out repairs of more permanent nature – 3 copies
- 31 March 1951 (31 March 1952 years ending) Annual Maintenance report on Police Station and Residence occupier Constable Morrison situated Royal Street Upper Hutt owner Justice Department
- 09 July 1951 Removal of tree Royal Street by Akatarawa Sawmilling Coy Ltd £10
- 19 July 1951 work authority requisition Ministry of works Trentham Police Station and Residence Upper Hutt Maintenance -3 copies
- 23 July 1951 work authority requisition Ministry of works Trentham Police Station £85.12.5.
- 12 December 1951 report of Constable A T Morrison No 3129 repairs required to electrical installation at Police residence Upper Hutt – two inspectors employed by Hutt Valley Electric Power Board called at Police residence and made an inspection
- **09 January 1952** memorandum Ministry Works subject Upper Hutt Police residence notice from Hutt Valley Electric Power Board
- 26 March 1952 Annual Maintenance report year ending 31 March (last painter 1947)
- 29 April 1952 Upper Hutt Police Station residence attention to electrical wiring defects in cells and garage
- 27 May 1952 Police Residence Upper Hutt (Constable Morrison) replace burnt out element in electric stove
- 30 June 1952 repaper two bedrooms hall and passageway, repaint bathroom, parge [sic] between roof and ceiling, renewal of outside lavatory – renew tray and overflow to supply tank
- 28 July 1952 cost of above maintenance £158 (everything itemised)
- 08 August 1952 replace worn and broken grate in kitchen fireplace
- 18 September 1952 report on alleged theft of cement from Ministry of Works Store Trentham
- 08 August 1952 Constable A T Morrison No 3129 report outside lavatory for use if prisoners at Upper Hutt Police Station in urgent need of repairs plus memo on matter
- 30 September 1952 report on alleged theft of Cement
- 01 December 1952 recover caved in sump in back yard Police Station & residence Upper Hutt
- **20 April 1954** Application for larger electric stove in Sergeant G Tait's residence Upper Hutt – The Jackson stove which is there now is too small for my wife to cook on. I have three children. The present stove is 1 foot 7 inches long by 1 foot 2 inches wide that is the top. There is one hot plate only which is very small. A grill and a very small oven which will not take an ordinary backing dish. There are no other cooking facilities in the house – Sergeant G Tait
- 20 April 1954 apply for the kitchen sink to be shifted into another position an alcove as it is at present near the fire place and some distance from the electric stove and cupboards – Sergeant G Tait
- 20 April 1954 apply for kitchen, stairway and one upstairs bedroom to be repapered in the Sergeants Residence, one upstairs bedroom occupied by oldest daughter is in poor condition
- 28 April 1954 Police Residence Upper Hutt occupied by Sergeant Tait – estimate covering the cost of work
- 21 May 1954 mem covering cost of above - 2 copies
- 11 June 1954 installation of new electric range
- 20 May 1954 repairs required bathroom Police dwelling house occupied by Sergeant G Tait Upper Hutt wall adjoining the bath is beginning to rot bath has been incorrectly installed

- 30 June 1954 reply to above letter
- 29 June 1954 a brief inspection showed the interior to be fairly extensively infested with borer please provide cost of treatment for eradication
- 06 July 1954 Police Residence corner of Main Road and Royal Street Upper Hutt Borer control report and cost of borer
- 05 July 1954 Sergeant G Tait requesting his furniture also to be treated for borer
- 03 September 1954 report on spouting when raining water drips down in many places around the house – Police residence Sergeant G Tait
- **04 March 1955** Sketch –soak pit excavated about 40 years ago house occupied by Police Department Mr Tate (Tait) Triplow builder erecting shop for dry cleaning coy on adjoining property pointed out the soak pit
- 24 February 1955 Police dwelling Upper Hutt painting required Sergeant G Tait
- 07 March 1955 estimated cost of painting £210
- 09 March 1955 Tenancy Shed 5 Park Road costs
- 14 July 1955 Sergeant G Tait shifting from present police premises (which are being converted into offices) to a dwelling house at No 19 Royal Street Upper Hutt – making application for the erection of a combined wood and tool shed to be erected as the new house has no outbuilding whatsoever and a building is urgently required for storage
- 15 July 1955 requesting estimate for wood and tool shed
- 20 July 1955 same subject wood and tool shed at 19 Royal Street in pointed brick to match house £215
- 14 July 1955 Erection of a fence in front of police dwelling at Royal Street which has just been purchased property is fences on three sides only - Sergeant G Tait will be shifting into the house on 28th July
- 15 July 1955 requesting estimate of cost for fence
- 19 July 1955 – residence 19 Royal Street good brick from fence with hurricane wire gates to match the new brick house estimated cost £190
- 27 July 1955 same as above cost £215
- 28 July 1955 same as above cost £110
- 02 August 1955 report Sergeant G Tait shifted on 28 July 1955 into house at No 19 Royal Street – three point plug on the electric stove is defective and required repairing urgently
- 02 August 1955 work sheet for repair to plug – 2 copies
- 17 August 1955 details of fence and gate for 19 Royal Street police dwelling
- 1955 Various other documents about fence and gates
- **10 February 1956** Police residence Lot 1 Merton Street Upper Hutt advise and inspection made yesterday everything found in excellent condition except 5 yards of earth required
- 10 February 1956 Police residence Lot 153 Brentwood Street Upper Hutt advise and inspection made yesterday everything found in excellent condition except for two items no ash-pan to sitting room grate and no doorstops to doors
- 14 February 1956 quotes for laying linoleum Residence Sgt Claridge Brentwood Street & Sgt Burnside Brentwood Street & W/O Rosie Brentwood Street & Sgt Dunlop Merton Street & Sgt Hotham Brentwood Street [I believe these gentleman are part of the Police Training School situated in Trentham Military Camp]
- 05 March 1956 House for Police Department Trentham Training School – house erected by Messrs Stunnell Bros on Lot 153 in Brentwood Street & erected by Messrs Laing & Fowlds Lot 147 in Brentwood Street and confirm report dwelling Lot 153 and Lot 1 in Merton Street
- 08 March 1956 Police residence Lot 147 Brentwood Street Upper Hutt inspection
- 08 March 1956 Sergeants residence space heater required occupied by Sergeant Tait (plus other documents covering same subject)
- 12 March 1956 Houses for Police Department Trentham Training School – Lot 147 DP 18032 part sections 89-90 Hutt District CT 525/298 Brentwood Street description of building
- 08 March 1956 Houses for Police Department Trentham Training School Brentwood Street Trentham Lot 153 DP 18032 part sections 89 & 90 Hutt district CT 525/298 (cost section & house) & No 20 Merton Street Trentham Section 1 HDW 31665 builders McConnell & Slacke

- 12 March 1956 Herbert George WOOD 17 Royal Street requests Police pay towards boundary fence adjoining sergeants residence at 19 Royal Street Upper Hutt
- 16 March 1956 cost of fence
- 16 March 1956 19 Brentwood street departmental house keys handed to Registrar Police Training School at Trentham
- 21 March 1956 Lot 24 Brentwood street departmental house keys handed to Registrar Police Training School at Trentham
- 20 March 1956 Two of the final five houses required for the accommodation of staff at the Police Training school Trentham – Lot 19 DP 18032 part sections 89-90 Hutt District CT 525/298 Brentwood Street (description of building) & Lot 24 DP 18032 sections 89-90 Hutt district CT 525/298 Brentwood Street (description of building), recommend acquiring
- 19 April 1956 replace Electric Heater in sitting room at 19 Royal Street
- 11 June 1956 drainage problem Brentwood Street occupied by Mr Rosie (Warrant Officer)
- 14 June 1956 details about the drainage problem plus other documents
- **22 March 1957** Lot 155 Brentwood Street inspection found everything first class condition keys handed to registrar Police Training School
- 28 March 1957 replace top of lavatory cistern at 19 Royal Street plus other documents
- **24 April 1958** property Lots 4/5 DP 2250 Part Section 119 162 Main Road Upper Hutt connection to sewerage system plus other documents covering same subject & also described as Lot 50 Part 51 DP 2250 part section 119 Hutt District
- 02 September 1958 connection to sewerage 19 Royal Street plus other documents
- 12 November 1958 repair leak in roof of washhouse 19 Royal Street
- 04 December 1958 repair broken window in front bedroom 19 Royal Street
- **22 January 1960** estimate for work at Police Training School residence 3 Carroll Grove Upper Hutt £288
- 20 January 1960 3 Carroll Grove Upper Hutt residence Police Training School just purchased to house Senior Sergeant Kelly who has been appointed to the staff of the training school – detailed estimate of work to be done on property and house
- 25 February 1960 repairs at 8 Ruahine Street for (Constable A Symes) Police residence
- 01 March 1960 painting for 19 Royal Street residence plus other documents
- 05 December 1960 replace broken glass and painting 19 Royal Street
- **13 June 1961** repairs washhouse roof and paint at 19 Royal Street
- 02 November 1961 renew concrete paths at 19 Royal Street (plus other documents regarding repairs to same property)
- 09 November 1961 repairs to Upper Hutt Police Station as Public building is shabby
- **17 May 1962** painting at 19 Royal Street Police residence plus other documents covering same property repairs
- **29 January 1965** repairs 19 Royal Street Police residence
- **27 April 1964** small zip water heater required in kitchen Main Street Upper Hutt-Police Station
- 15 May 1964 painting 19 Royal Street Police residence plus other document
- **13 May 1965** small metal driveway 19 Royal Street Upper Hutt plus other repair documents
- 01 December 1965 Police residence 20 Martin Street work requisition documents – recently taken over by the Police Department will be occupied from 15 November 1965
- **07 April 1966** repair to Police residence 3 Corral/Carroll Grove Trentham plus other documents
- 09 June 1966 Police residence 19 Royal Street repainting plus other documents
- 15 December 1966 Police residence 66 Brentwood Street Trentham & 69 Brentwood Street reports on conditions electric ranges
- PLAN of Police residence in Royal Street saved on 29 October 2020 as IMG_
- **14 September 1967** Upper Hutt Police Station flooding in basement report plus other docs
- 30 June 1967 Police residence 19 Royal Street painting required
- 17 July 1967 list of police residence 19 Royal Street Upper Hutt – 25 Palmer Crescent Trentham includes other residence in Hutt Valley
- 27 September 1967 Police residence 73 Brentwood Street Trentham
- **24 May 1968** 19 Royal Street Upper Hutt

- 01 April 1968 57 Brentwood Street Trentham work requisition sheet
- 05 February 1968 erection of a residence and tool shed Holdsworth Avenue Lot 49 & Lot 7 & Lot 63 for Police residence
- **04 July 1969** Police Residence 19 Royal Street decorating plus other repairs and documents
- 16 October 1969 Police residence 25 Palmer Crescent decorating plus other item and docs
- 10 November 1969 Police Residence 3 Carrol Grove Electric Range
- 10 December 1969 Police Residence 80 Holdsworth Avenue sink electric range & other docs
- **18 August 1970** Police Residence 19 Royal Street Mr G W Ramsden of 25 Royal Street request permission to erect concrete block wall on boundary for garage plus other docs
- 12 August 1970 Police Residence 19 Royal Street work on property plus other docs
- 09 November 1970 Notice of Noxious weeds on their property Lots 56, 58, 60, 61 DP 1336 863-973 Ferguson Drive Upper Hutt plus other docs to clear area
- **01 March 1971** Police residence 869 Fergusson Drive replace electric range
- 20 October 1970 Police property 19 Royal Street painting plus other docs
- 03 September 1971 site for Upper Hutt Police Station dwelling at 867 & 871 Fergusson Drive offered for removal by Government been unsuccessful now cost of demolition plus other doc
- 25 November 1971 police property 863-873 Fergusson Drive clean area of noxious weeds Lots 56, 58, 60, 61 DP 1336
- **21 February 1972** Property Lot 2 DP 29901 Flavia Grove Upper Hutt (Police Training School letterhead) arrange for removal of ragwort and long grass
- 08 August 1972 police property 19 Royal Street renew linoleum plus other documents
- 06 November 1972 Police residence 87 Holdsworth Avenue boundary fencing plus docs
- **09 April 1973** Police residence 19 Royal Street garage plus other documents
- 19 July 1973 fencing at 82 Holdsworth Street plus other document
- 29 August 1973 Police College accommodation blocks 210 & 211 Trentham Camp repair to floors plus other documents
- 12 December 1973 Police department received letter from Upper Hutt City Council section Lots 56, 57 & 58 arrange to be cleared noxious weeds
- **03 June 1974** Police residence 3 Mitre Grove repair fence and gate – Police College
- 23 May 1974 Police residence 19 Royal Street garage plus other document
- 03 June 1974 Police residence 82 Holdsworth Avenue work requisition form
- 22 October 1974 Police residence 25 Palmer Crescent repair stove tenants Mr & Mrs Curell
- 09 October 1974 Police residence 66 Brentwood Street driveway
- 16 December 1974 empty section 52 Holdsworth Avenue Lot 42 DP 28498 remove long grass
- 16 December 1974 empty section 48 Holdsworth Avenue Lot 40 DP 28498 remove long grass
- **07 January 1975** Fire hazard at 1 Flavia Grove Upper Hutt Lot 2 DP 29901 remove scrub
- 16 January 1975 Mr Van der Diek of 2 Flavia Grove having boundary fence erected
- 29 April 1975 I am the owner (A B Carpenter) of house No 89 Holdsworth Avenue Trentham shares common fence with BZ Police House occupied by Constable W McGuinness at 87
- 30 April 1975 Police residence 19 Royal Street new spouting plus other documents
- 30 January 1976 Police residence 19 Royal Street brick wall repairs plus other docs
- 19 December 1975 Police residence 25 Palmer Crescent
- 29 September 1976 stove at 66 Brentwood Street
- 29 November 1976 stove at 3 Mitre Grove
- **11 March 1977** Police residence 869 Fergusson Drive old house advertise for sale and removal plus other documents regarding project been completed
- 01 August 1977 leaking roof 3 Mitre Grove

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Ministry of Transport – Traffic Officers Training College – Road Transport Division

Traffic Offices Training College 56 Granville Street Trentham Upper Hutt

Did not move to Porirua Police College early 1985 but instead moved to former Post Office Training school in Trentham

#Property value website = 56 Granville Street Silverstream Upper Hutt 5019 (ex Camp Road Trentham) weatherboard house constructed 1914 legal description part Lot 3 Deposited Plan 8795 valuation reference 15900/57800

50th Anniversary Ministry of Transport – new facilities under construction - Commandant Dave WALTER sealed time capsule for 30 years in 1987

Police College Rod TUNGATT at Police College 1987
