

CARROLL Joseph (c1815 Sydney, NSW – 27 October 1899 Wairoa bur Wairoa Cemetery)  
m Tapuke (c1819 Makauri –

Poverty Bay Herald, Volume XV, Issue 5069, 17 January 1888, Page 2

... Saw Joseph Carroll (Jimmy Carroll's father) pay for the drink, and the Maoris cheeked him, That is all he saw. Some of the men were inclined to vote for Wi Pere before the haka, but after that they changed their minds. They were drinking before and after voting. The people were inclined to vote for Wi Pere, but when they saw the beer and rum they voted for Carroll. Joe Carroll was the only one shouting for Maoris. He asked them to vote for his son, and he would give food to the Maoris for his son. By Mr Dick: Carroll was living up the river. He had been living there a long time. He is not in the habit of treating the natives or making them presents. He had never given him anything. Did not owe him money. Never knew him to give anything to the Maoris. Did not know any English words except "Shout for the Maori." Was at Poyzer's all day and had no drink. The only man who shouted was Joe Carroll.

Grey River Argus, Volume LVII, Issue 10383, 30 October 1899, Page 4

Death of Joseph Carroll. Father of Hon J Carroll, M H R [Per press association.] Napier, September 28. Joseph Carroll, father of the Hon James Carroll, and one of the oldest pioneers of the colony, died at Wairoa last night, aged 84. He came to New Zealand in the thirties, having previously been in the Botanical Department of New South Wales. He first carried on large whaling operations in connection with Sydney firms. Afterwards he owned a fleet of schooners and dealt largely in wheat, which was then grown on a large scale at Wairoa; but that industry ended with the Maori war. He then engaged in sheep farming, which he followed until his death. He had very great influence with natives, his upright dealings and kindly nature in winning the respect and affection, and the most troublesome times. He was the trusted adviser and right hand man to Sir Donald M'Lean; otherwise he did not take much party in public affairs, though a member of the County Council for some years, but he followed the career of his son as MHR and Minister of the Crown with the keenest interest. He passed quietly away surrounded by his sons and daughters, and grandchildren.

JO CARROLL 1814-1901 [sic]

Jo (Joseph) Carroll is reputed to have been born in Sydney in 1814. In one instance his name is given as JAMES (Joseph) Carroll. But an interesting variation is recorded by James Hamlin (1803-65) in his diary describing his ministry as a CMS in Wairoa. In the period 1854-55 he refers to him as Jo Carel.

There is evidence that Jo Carroll was at Kororareka soon after the signing of the Treaty of Waitangi (1840). But about the same time he moved down to Mahia Peninsula to take up whaling at Te Hoe. A blacksmith by trade, he kept up this skill in his spare time but concentrated on his whaling, eventually owning and managing two boats. He further diversified his interests by opening up a shop at Te Hoe while his boats were gathering in the harvest of the sea. About this time he took a wife in the person of TAPUKE, a high ranking rangatira who was a direct descendant of Tamatea, navigator of the Takitimu canoe. At the same time he moved down to settle at Wairoa, taking up land at the Awatere (1842). Jo and Tapuke were to have eight children; John, Jane (White), Mary (Carr), Elizabeth (Williams), Thomas, James, Margaret and Michael. Their sixth child JAMES was later to be knighted, serve as Minister of Native Affairs (1899-1912) and for some time be Acting Prime Minister. Sir James was born on 20 August 1853. His birth place was adjacent to a cabbage tree on the banks of the Wairoa River, the site of the old family home. The still surviving tree is now protected by an iron railway enclosure.

At Wairoa, Jo Carroll concentrated on developing a role as a trade, and maintaining his shop (though leaving it to a Maori manager to supervise), while still running a ship between Wairoa and Napier. Using this vessel, he was the first European to introduce sheep to the Wairoa district, bringing in a mob of 400-500 to run on their land at Awatere.

#### CHILDREN OF JOSEPH CARROLL AND TAPUKE

CARROLL John (c1841 Wairoa - deceased by 1896 will of Joseph Carroll)

Poverty Bay Herald, Volume XXV, Issue 8314, 13 September 1898, Page 2

An application for a prohibition order against an elderly Native woman named Maata te Kani was made at the Magistrate's Court this morning, the applicant being a young Native named John Carroll [son?]. The lady appeared in Court decked in fashionable attire, with an unusual display of tartan, and protested against the order being made. She contended that she took a little gin for her stomach's sake, as she found she was not strong. The applicant unfolded his tale of woe to the presiding Magistrate, Mr Booth, the interpretation of which was that Maata, was in the habit of indulging too much in waipiro, and when in a state of intoxication, she behaved like one that was mad. She would when drunk throw her money about in a reckless manner, and then in the morning, when calm reflection came, she would be in sorrow for what she had done, and express regret. Mr Booth ordered a prohibition order to be taken out against the woman. He also asked the informant where the woman had been in the habit of getting the drink, for under the Alcoholic Liquors Sale Control Amendment Act 1895 it was illegal for anyone to supply a female aboriginal Native with liquor, anyone committing this offence being liable to a penalty of not less than £2 or more than £10, provided that the section did not apply to any female aboriginal Native being the wife of a European. The applicant said he would in the future lay an information against anyone who supplied the defendant with liquor.

Wairarapa Age, Volume XXXII, Issue 10154, 28 December 1910, Page 5

He [Herbert Thomas Marsh of Wairoa] was for twelve months Sergeant of the Scouts, in which one of his companions was Mr John Carroll, a brother of the Hon. James Carroll. [m Maata TE KANI aka Maata LONGMORE]

CARROLL John (b c1881 Wairoa- (1958)) 1NZEF 8/1210

Te Ao Hou – No. 25 December 1958 Mr JOHN CARROLL

Mr John Carroll, of the well-known Wairoa Maori family, died at Wairoa. The deceased's father, also John Carroll, was an elder brother of Sir James Carroll. The deceased was born at Wairoa 87 years ago and was educated at First School, a Maori mission establishment in the district. He took part in the Gallipoli landing in the first World War. Mr Carroll was well known to prominent visitors to Wairoa whom he welcomed at Takitimu marae. His wife pre-deceased him many years ago. He leaves two sons and a daughter. [1958/39402 Carroll John 87Y c1871] m Rura KINGI

CARROLL Takuta Hirinui Sydney (1896-1980 Wairoa)

CARROLL Fred (1899

CARROLL Lena (b 04 January 1899 daughter of John CARROLL Pupil Wairoa School 1904-1911)

CARROLL Jane (c1843-1943 Napier bur Wairoa)

Auckland Star, Volume LXXIV, Issue 165, 14 July 1943, Page 5

OBITUARY. MRS. JANE WHITE. (O C) NAPIER, this day. After a short illness, Mrs. Jane White has died at her residence, [25] Kennedy Road, Napier. She recently celebrated her 100th birthday. Mrs White whose husband, Mr. Robert White predeceased her many years ago, spent the early part of her life in the Wairoa district, later going to Napier, where she resided until her death. She was a keen horticulturist and worked in her garden up to a month ago. Of her family of six—three boys and three girls—five predeceased her, the one surviving son being Mr. Surtees J. White, formerly of Wellington and now residing in Napier. Mrs. White was a sister of the late Sir James Carroll.

m 1874 Robert WHITE (c1823 -1894 bur Wairoa)

WHITE Robert (c1875 Wairoa-16 Dec 1922 Wairoa (accident))

m 1902 Jane REAY (1878 Maketu, BOP - 1948 Wairoa)

Daily Telegraph, Issue 7459, 2 September 1895, Page 3

THE FRASERTOWN ROBBERIES. ANOTHER MAORI ARRESTED. WHITE, THE HALF-CASTE, GIVES HIMSELF UP. INADEQUATE POLICE PROTECTION [OWN CORRESPONDENT] [BY TELEGRAPH] Wairoa, This day. All the men suspected of complicity in the Frasertown robbery are now in custody A native named Hikipene Tuhi was arrested by Constable Coughlan on Saturday afternoon, and Robert White, the half-caste, the ringleader of the gang, who escaped when being brought in on Saturday morning, gave himself up at nine o'clock this morning. Accused were brought before the Court this morning and remanded for eight days. Since the arrest of the men a large amount of property has been recovered at Mungaruhe, where the accused resided. The gang had apparently been carrying on their depredations for some time, and for several miles along the Wairoa river, as many of the settlers have missed various articles. In one case the robbers had stripped a double-furrow plough of its fittings, and then ripped open two or three bags of grass-seed and scattered the contents on the ground in order to get the bags, in which to carry off the bounty. Mr Torr, who was sworn in as special constable at Frasertown, will be retained on duty for the present. There is much dissatisfaction here at the inadequacy of the police protection, there only being one officer to perform the duties of the whole of the Wairoa county, and he is often away on duty at one end of the district when his services are urgently required in another locality.

Evening Post, Volume CIV, Issue 146, 18 December 1922, Page 2

WAIROA, This Day. On Saturday night Robert White, a married man with a large family, was thrown from a horse. His skull was fractured. He did not regain consciousness, and died in the hospital two hours later.

WHITE Ida Mary Elizabeth (1876 Wairoa-1932 Napier bur Park Island)

m1/ 1896 Patrick John COSGROVE

m2/ 1918 William John BUTLER

THE CYCLOPEDIA OF NEW ZEALAND [TARANAKI, HAWKE'S BAY & WELLINGTON PROVINCIAL DISTRICTS] KUMEROA

COSGROVE, PATRICK, Storekeeper, Kumeroa. Mr. Cosgrove was born in Napier, and after receiving his education was with Messrs Alexander Brown and E. Bibby, of Waipawa, for ten years. He removed to Wairoa in 1893, where he managed Mrs. Parker's store. He subsequently removed to Kumeroa, and started his present business. Mr. Cosgrove, while resident in Wairoa, took

considerable interest in local matters, was secretary of the Wairoa school committee and an active member of the Debating Society. He was one of the originators of the Dramatic Club, and was choirmaster of St. Peter's Church. Mr. Cosgrove married a daughter of the late Mr. Robert White, a well-known settler. WHITE John Surtees (1878 Wairoa-1964 Napier)

m 1906 Mary Daisy Park WHITE

WHITE Daisy Eileen Holdsworth (1881 Wairoa-1917 Wairoa bur Wairoa)

WHITE Sydney Michael Molesworth (1883 Wairoa-1942 Napier bur Park Island)

WHITE Thomas George Oliver (1887 Wairoa-1918 Wellington bur Karori) 1NZEF

WHITE Eleanor Queenie (1892 Wairoa-1927 Gisborne bur Wairoa)

m 1920 Percy Arthur PETTIT 1NZEF

New Zealand Herald, Volume LXIV, Issue 19602, 2 April 1927, Page 10

THE WEDDING TRAGEDY. STORY OF THE CRIME. TERRIBLE END TO PARTY. SHOOTING OF MRS PETTIT. THE SUICIDE OF NOWELL. [BY TELEGRAPH. —OWN CORRESPONDENT.] GISBORNE, Friday. The police have now reconstructed the wedding tragedy in the suburbs of Kaiti, which resulted on Thursday night in the murder of Mrs. Queenie Eleanor Pettit, wife of Mr. P. A. Pettit, stock agent for De Pelichet McLeod and Co., at the hands of George Edward Nowell, sheep farmer, of Matawai, who subsequently took his own life.

It seems that three young women, Misses Faulkner and Holmes, dental clinic nurses, formerly of Wellington, and Miss Winnie Bennett, daughter of the Rev. F. Bennett, of Hastings, had been baching in a small, modern home in Hirini Street, Kaiti, close to the town. During the afternoon Miss Bennett married Mr. James Oman, son of Mr. George Oman, and in the evening, after dinner at the Masonic Hotel, the wedding party adjourned to the bach.

The party were scattered in various portions of the building when at eight o'clock Nowell approached the window of the dining room, the blind of which was not fully drawn. Seemingly he caught sight of Mrs. Pettit, whom he mistook for that day's bride, for whom he had developed an infatuation, and whom he had threatened if she married.

"Let Me Do For Both of Them."

Nowell himself is married, his wife having left him and gone to Auckland with their child, it being supposed she was about to return to England. She and her husband had come from England some five years ago.

Nowell fired a Westinghouse five chamber rifle, the bullet striking Mrs. Pettit on the right side, just below the shoulder, and entering her body. She fell forward dead into the arms of another guest, Dr. McSweeney, formerly of Pukekohe. Nowell then attempted suicide, but the bullet apparently only grazed his forehead, and he rushed round to the front door, where he was confronted by Mr. Pettit, who had heard the firing, but was not aware his wife had been killed. Mr. Pettit grappled with Nowell, wrenching the rifle away. Nowell said, "Let me do for both of them," meaning Mr. and Mrs. Oman, but losing possession of the rifle, he ran away.

Husband's Tragic Discovery.

Mr. Pettit was horror-struck when on entering the dining room he found his wife dead on the floor. Nowell, it seems, returned to his boarding house, some few hundred yards away, and got a shotgun. He next proceeded to a dark spot close at hand, removed his boot and sock, and pulling the trigger with his toe, blew his

brains out. Some two or three years ago Nowell took up a property at Matawai, but it is stated the result had been a heavy financial loss. He was 25 years old, and is said to have come to town to live soon after his wife went to reside in Auckland. The victim of the murder, Mrs. Pettit, was a daughter of Mrs. Jane White, of Hastings, who is a sister of the late Sir James Carroll. She was born and educated at Wairoa, and leaves three children, aged ten, seven and five respectively. Her husband was previously a stock agent at Wairoa. He is prominent in business, club and social circles.

A Quiet Wedding.

As far as can be gathered, the wedding of Miss Bennett and Mr. Oman was a very quiet one, the minister being asked to officiate only a few hours beforehand.

It was merely chance that both Mrs. and Miss Pettit were able to attend the wedding festivities, as their maid had been away and had unexpectedly returned that day.

In the dining room at the fateful moment, Mrs. Oman was also present, but she was sitting in an angle of a room, and could not be seen by anyone peering through the window, and the general appearance of Mrs. Oman and Mrs. Pettit were very much alike. It is supposed when Nowell ran round to the front door he intended to kill that day's bridegroom, Mr. Oman, who, as it so happens, was also in the dining room, but in an obscure position.

Brief Evidence at Inquest. Inquests into the deaths of both deceased were opened before the district coroner, Mr. E. C. Levvy, S.M., this morning.

Geoffrey Innes Parker, solicitor, gave evidence of having identified the body of a sheep farmer, of Waikohu, a married man, whose wife resided in Auckland. His age was 25 years. Witness last saw him on Sunday and again during the week. He thought his mental condition on Sunday was perfectly normal. Witness had no advice of the existence of any ill will. He had known deceased for over three years. Evidence of identification of the deceased, Queenie Eleanor Pettit, was given by Henry John Langlands. The deceased was the wife of Percy Arthur Pettit, stock agent. Witness knew the deceased was at a wedding party in Hirini Street last evening. Both inquests were then adjourned sine die

JEALOUSY AS MOTIVE. THREATS MADE TO BRIDE. [BY TELEGRAPH. —PRESS ASSOCIATION.] GISBORNE, Friday. The rifle used was a Westinghouse magazine, which came into the hands of Nowell during service with the British Navy. He secured it at Sebastopol during a visit there. Nowell's body, when found, lay on the right side, with a shot gun under his legs and lightly grasped in his right hand. The whole front portion of his scalp was blown away. Although too deeply shocked to give a connected narrative, the bride gave the police information that Nowell had been friendly with her, and had endeavoured to make her accept his company. Some days ago she intimated to a relative that Nowell had threatened "to do for her" if she married another man.

CARROLL Mary (Mere) (c1848 Wairoa – 22 Sep 1914 Wairoa bur Wairoa Cemetery)

Hawke's Bay Herald, Volume XXI, Issue 5928, 23 March 1881, Page 3

Mary Carr applied to be rated for section 460, Clyde, on the ground that she was sole owner thereof. The Judge at first seemed disinclined to grant the application, but Mrs

Carr produced the deed and argued at considerable length in support of her claim, which eventually was allowed.

Star, Issue 11193, 26 September 1914, Page 4

Mrs Mary Carr, wife of Mr Harry Carr of Wairoa, a sister of Sir James Carroll, died there on Tuesday morning. Mr Harold Carr, clerk of the Native Land Court at Gisborne is a son of Mrs Carr.

m 1876 Henry Hyde CARR

(Henry Hyde Carr had served as a private in the Hawke's Bay military settlers in the 1860s and later as a constable in the Armed Constabulary, before finding employment as an interpreter in the Native Department.)

WILLIAMS/CARR Harold Herbert (1880 Wairoa – 1973 Gisborne bur Taruheru)  
[Adopted] [Land Court Judge]

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Also known as Harold Herbert Williams

Ngati Kahungunu (New Zealand Maori) judge and administrator

Carr was born to Elizabeth (Irish-Maori) and Herbert Williams (Welsh), but soon afterwards he was given to his mother's sister and her husband as a tamaiti whangai. His mothers were from an important Ngati Kahungunu family: his uncle was James Carroll, the first Maori cabinet minister.

After service in the Army he joined the civil service in the Native Land Purchase Office and rapidly rose in the Native Department and by 1910 he was a commissioner of the Native Land Court. He continued in the service of the Land Court, and the East Coast Native Trust for the rest of his working life, in 1923 becoming the first Maori judge of the Native Land Court. Carr, together with his patrons, Apirana Ngata, James Carroll and Peter Buck, was a main mover in the Maori faction which argued that the only way for Maori to survive and "progress" was to adopt as far as possible a European way of life, while retaining the more inoffensive picturesque aspects of their Maori-ness.

CARROLL Thomas (1851 Mahia-1904 Petane bur Hurumua Memorial Carroll Street, Wairoa)  
THE CYCLOPEDIA OF NEW ZEALAND [TARANAKI, HAWKE'S BAY & WELLINGTON  
PROVINCIAL DISTRICTS] WAIROA

Mr. Thomas Carroll, sometime a member of the Wairoa County Council, was born in Mahia in the year 1851, educated at public schools, and brought up to pastoral life. At Taupo he had four years' experience under Mr. Bold, of the Telegraph Department, and for a while he worked on the estate of the late Mr. William Heslop, of Puketapu. In the year 1880 he acquired the Huramua station, a property of upwards of 2,000 acres. Mr. Carroll was a member of the Wairoa Harbour Board for a number of years, and was also secretary and vice-president of the Wairoa Jockey Club. He died in February, 1905.

Daily Telegraph, Issue 4755, 2 November 1886, Page 3

Mr Thomas Carroll has been appointed a member of the Clyde (Wairoa) Licensing Committee in the place of Mr G. B. Flint, resigned.

Poverty Bay Herald, Volume XIV, Issue 5017, 15 November 1887, Page 2

WAIROA NEWS. [from our own correspondent] Wairoa, to-day. At the conclusion of the last meeting of the County Council, Mr Thomas Parker, Chairman of the Town Board, on behalf of the Mayor of Napier, presented Mr Thomas Carroll, Chairman of the County Council, with a certificate of the Royal Humane Society of Australasia, awarded to him for his meritorious action in assisting in conjunction with Dr Fisher to save Alice

Maloney, a daughter of Mr William Maloney, of North Clyde, and Mr George Taylor, also of North Clyde, from drowning in April 1885, when they were capsized out of the ferry boat. Mr Carroll suitably responded to the appropriate remarks made by Mr Parker when the latter presented the award.

Daily Telegraph, Issue 9887, 8 October 1900, Page 5

WAIROA. [own correspondent.]

Oct. 6. I regret to chronicle the death of Miss Polly Carroll, eldest daughter of Mr Thomas Carroll, of Hurumua, and niece of the Hon. James Carroll, who died at the Wairoa Hospital this morning at 7 o'clock, after a short illness, the result of enteric fever and other complications. The deceased was a fine-looking and robust young lady, and very popular. Much sympathy is felt for the deceased's parents and relatives in their sad bereavement.

Poverty Bay Herald, Volume XXXI, Issue 10184, 19 October 1904, Page 2

Mr Thomas Carroll, whose death took place at Petane, Napier, this morning, was the only [?] and elder brother of the Hon. James Carroll. He was, returning overland from Napier to Wairoa, and had got as far as Petane, six miles from Napier, when he was taken ill. Mrs Carroll, on receipt of the news of her husband's sickness, left immediately for Petane, and, travelling all last night, reached there half an hour after death took place. Mr Carroll was unconscious for two hours before he died. For many years he had been manager of the Hurumua run, Wairoa, and had taken an active share in local politics as a member of the County Council, Harbor Board and other bodies. He also took a keen interest in racing, owning a number of horses, and was president of the Wairoa Racing Club. Mr Carroll was of a kindly and genial disposition, and his death will be regretted by all who knew him. The body will be taken to Wairoa for interment. The Hon. Mr Carroll left Wellington by this morning's express to attend his brother's funeral, and Mr L. F. Williams, a nephew of deceased, leaves this evening for Napier for the same purpose.

Hawke's Bay Herald, Volume XXXIX, Issue 12893, 20 October 1904, Page 2

The death occurred at Petane yesterday of Mr Thomas Carroll, brother of the Native Minister. Mr Carroll came overland from Wairoa to attend the races here, and was on his return journey when he was seized with an illness which proved fatal. The deceased, who was 53 years of age, was born at Wairoa. As a youth he resided with Mr G. E. G. Richardson in Napier, and was educated here. Returning to Wairoa, he took up farming pursuits, settling at Hurumua, about five miles from the town. He married Maku, of the Ngatikahungungu tribe. He leaves a son and a daughter. The Hon. James and Mrs Carroll, and Miss Carroll (sister of the deceased) arrived from Wellington by train last night, on their way to Wairoa, where the funeral will take place. The Minister was at Petane last night. Sincere sympathy will be extended to the family, whose bereavements have recently been heavy indeed.

m Mako KAIMOANA

CARROLL Te Hepora (Polly) (c1882-1900 Wairoa)

CARROLL Joseph [Was CARROLL Thomas born 24 August 1890 Wairoa (same date as Alfred Thomas Carroll) son of Thomas and Maora 1NZEF 19842 actually Joseph using brothers name and birthdate ?]

CARROLL Alfred Thomas (Turi) (Sir) (1890 Wairoa – 1975 Wairoa) 1NZEF

m 1922 Parehuia (Polly) SHRIMPTON

CARROLL Mako

CARROLL Lila

CARROLL Ida (1894)

CARROLL Elizabeth [Elizabeth Puti] (1855/6 Wairoa - 1903 Wairoa bur Wairoa (accident))

Wanganui Herald, Volume XXXVII, Issue 10857, 26 January 1903, Page 6

FATAL ACCIDENT NEAR WAIROA. (Per United Press Association.) NAPIER, January 26.

Mrs Elizabeth Williams, the elder sister of the Hon. James Carroll, was killed on Saturday near Wairoa. The deceased was driving with another lady. The latter alighted to open a gate, when the horse bolted and Mrs Williams either jumped or was thrown, out. Death resulted from shock. A verdict of accidental death was returned at the inquest.

Deceased was about 48 years of age, and leaves three sons and two daughters.

Later: Mrs Williams jumped from the trap and fractured her skull. She died twenty minutes afterwards. The Hon. James Carroll arrived this morning and the funeral will be held this afternoon.

m (c1873) Herbert Joseph WILLIAMS (born Wales. Wairoa County clerk and former constable in the Armed Constabulary)

Hawke's Bay Herald, Volume XXI, Issue 5014, 21 February 1878, Page 2

WAIROA, February 20. The Wairoa School Committee met last night. Mr H. J. Williams was elected chairman for the ensuing year, and Mr H. H. Carr clerk and treasurer.

Thames Advertiser, Volume XI, Issue 3131, 2 October 1878, Page 2

A New Zealand Gazette of the 20th September contains notices of the following appointments: — H. J. Williams, of Wairoa, to be a J.P. for the colony and R.M. for the district of Wairoa.

Hawke's Bay Herald, Volume XXI, Issue 5014, 21 February 1878, Page 2

LAND TRANSFER ACT NOTICES.

Henry Hyde Carr, applicant, three roods thirty-nine perches, being town sections Nos. 377, 378, and 388, town of Clyde, Wairoa, Hawke's Bay, in occupation of H. J. Williams. — (G. E. Sainsbury, Solicitor.)

Hawke's Bay Herald, Volume XXI, Issue 5661, 13 April 1880, Page 3

... H. J. WILLIAMS, Clerk Wairoa County Council.

Hawke's Bay Herald, Volume XXI, Issue 5775, 24 August 1880, Page 3

... H.J. WILLIAMS, Hon. Sec. Wairoa Public Library

Daily Telegraph, Issue 3008, 15 February 1881, Page 3

WAIROA. February 15, H. J. Williams and Toha were elected members of the Wairoa Harbor Board yesterday.

Daily Telegraph, Issue 3503, 28 September 1882, Page 3

WELLINGTON. September 28. The following gentlemen have been appointed assessors under the Property Assessment Act and Amendment Acts for the Hawke's Bay property assessment district, but the list is not yet complete: Herbert Joseph Williams and James William Witty, both of Wairoa

Poverty Bay Herald, Volume IX, Issue 1742, 9 October 1882, Page 2

From the Wairoa Guardian we learn that the presentation of a handsome clock, subscribed for privately by the members of the County Council, as a mark of their esteem and goodwill towards the County Clerk, Mr. H. J. Williams, and to show their appreciation of his services, more particularly in connection with the late case of Steele v. County Council, was made by the County Chairman, Mr. J. Gemmell, last Thursday evening at the Clyde Hotel, five other members also being present. Mr. Gemmell, on behalf of the subscribers, presented the clock with a few appropriate remarks, to which Mr Williams made a suitable response.

Hawke's Bay Herald, Volume XXI, Issue 6754, 12 January 1884, Page 2

The Wairoa Guardian has the following respecting the resignation by Mr H. J. Williams of his office as clerk to the Wairoa County Council. By the last mail Mr H. J. Williams received a letter from Home, informing him that he and his brother (at Christchurch) had been left considerable property. On receipt of a similar communication the brother in question left for England at once to receive his share, writing to Mr H. J. Williams, advising him to follow. In consequence of the above, Mr Williams on Monday last gave notice of his resignation of the post of County Clerk.

Hawke's Bay Herald, Volume XXI, Issue 6780, 12 February 1884, Page 2

Mr H. J. Williams has been re-appointed clerk to the Wairoa County Council, conditional upon him paying all expenses incurred through his resignation and re-instatement.

Daily Telegraph, Issue 3982, 26 April 1884, Page 3

Mr H. J. Williams has obtained one month's leave of absence from the County Council. His post is temporarily filled by Mr J. S. Taylor, Te Kapu.

Poverty Bay Herald, Volume XI, Issue 3094, 26 May 1884, Page 2

WAIROA COUNTY COUNCIL AND HARBOR BOARD. THE CLERK LEVANTED FORGED CHEQUES FOR THREE HUNDRED POUNDS [From our own Correspondent.]

Wairoa, this day. H. J. Williams, clerk of the County Council and Harbor Board, has levanted with over £300 belonging to those two bodies. The money was obtained by means of bogus cheques and vouchers. Williams left Wairoa, on leave of absence for a month, nearly six weeks ago, and was last heard of in Wellington a month ago. He is supposed to have cleared for Sydney, He leaves a wife and family here.

Daily Telegraph, Issue 4009, 28 May 1884, Page 2

Our Wairoa correspondent telegraphs that the alleged defalcations of H. J. Williams, county clerk, and treasurer to the local Harbor Board, amount to £331, the County Council losing £170, and the Harbor Board £161. Special meetings of both bodies will be held on Saturday to investigate the accounts. The money is supposed to have been obtained by forged cheques and vouchers. No clue has yet been obtained of Williams whereabouts. He was last heard of at Wellington on April 24, and is supposed to have taken a passage for Sydney under the name of Willoughby. A warrant has been issued for his arrest.

Daily Telegraph, Issue 4083, 22 August 1884, Page 2

The last report concerning H.J. Williams, the absconding county clerk of Wairoa, is that he left Sydney for New Caledonia, under the name Dr Willoughby.

Daily Telegraph, Issue 4211, 23 January 1885, Page 2

H. J. Williams, the defaulting county clerk is a member of the Cemetery Board of Trustees, and the Board does not know what steps to take to fill the vacancy. It is quite true that until Mr William is convicted of felony he must be considered innocent of any offence, and cannot be ousted from office, but there is a clause in the Cemeteries Management Act which provides that the Governor may, on proof being given that a member has been absent from the colony over six months, take steps to fill the office.

WILLIAMS Bertha Jane (1874 Mohaka – 1953 Whangarei)

m1/ 1897 Charles Anton OLSEN

m2/ 1906 Leslie REYNOLDS

WILLIAMS Lionel Fitzherbert (1877 – 1961 Gisborne bur Taruheru)

m 1907 Lucy Elizabeth POYZER

WILLIAMS Harold Herbert [adopted as CARR]

WILLIAMS Iva Violet [Iva Violette Amy]

(03 Jan 1882 Wairoa-27 May 1929 bur Maunu, Whangarei]  
WILLIAMS Ruru Herbert Norman (1884 Wairoa-1974 Wairoa) 1NZE  
m 1928 Margaret Macgilvar Macaulay GLEN

CARROLL James (Sir) (aka Timi KARA)  
(20 Aug 1853 or 1857 or 1858 Wairoa-1926 Auckland bur Makaraka)  
MID, NZ Medal/Native Lands Department/Native Interpreter/MHR  
m 1881 Heni MATEROA (aka Reiri KARA)  
CARROLL Whare 1NZE [whangai]  
CARROLL/KARA Tuahae 1NZE [whangai]

CARROLL Margaret (Maggie) (c1859 Wairoa – 13 December 1927 bur Makaraka as youngest  
daughter of Joseph Carroll, Wairoa)

CARROLL Michael (24 January 1864 (birth registered) – deceased by 1896 will of Joseph Carroll)