BACKGROUND AND SCOPE OF THE JOURNAL

An issue of the Historical Journal has been published by the Otaki Historical Society each year from 1978, with the exception of 2001, when it was substituted by Rex Kerr's book Otaki Railway.

Gordon Dempsey wrote in his editorial of the first issue of the Historical Journal that publishing a journal was believed to be one of the most suitable ways of fulfilling the aim of the Otaki Historical Society 'to collect, record and preserve items of historical interest pertaining to Otaki and to sponsor ... publications in order to preserve the heritage of the past'.

The primary area of interest of the Society is the Otaki region. However the Journal has also published material relating to the rich history of the broader region, stretching from the mouth of the Rangitikei River in the north, to Paekakariki in the south, and to the Tararua Range in the east.

The Maori heritage of the region has, throughout, been a key feature of the content of the Journal. The broad scope of topics covered has created a resource that is of interest and value for example to current and former residents of the region, to local history researchers, to those involved with local, organisations and societies, as well as to students at all levels of the educational sector, and to family historians.

The Society has commissioned Elaine Hall, freelance indexer, on an on-going basis, to prepare an in-depth index to all published volumes in the belief that such an index will enhance access to the impressive wealth of material that has been published in the Journal over the years.

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Barrett, Pikitia Ngauru (née Webber)
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- Maori Resource Coordinator, Wellington Playcentre Association; member of Early Childhood Bilingual Training Programme

Barrett, Susan (Su) (née Moffatt)
- 1990 Playcentre graduate
- co-author of Kore’s Cloak
- daughter of Ray and Joan; sibling of Greg, Rod, Tim and Leighjan
- 'Fifty Years of Kindergarten in Otaki’, by Linda Milne and
- Maori Resource Co-ordinator, Wellington Playcentre Association; member of Early Childhood Bilingual Training Programme

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- of Levin; chaired meeting to establish Plunket Society in Te Horo

Bartholomew, Mabel
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Bartholomew, Peter Bland
- 19th century member of Lodge Otaki
- awarded Horowhenua Council timber tender in 1891
- awarded timber-cutting rights in Muaupoko territory
- cleared timber trees from centre of Levin
- early sawmillers of best timber
- father of Mabel
- large house east of the Railway; sold in 1905 to Major Liddle
- mill consumed remaining kahikatea, rimu and tawa
- opposed petition for felling of trees in Levin Settlement Village
- sawmill, in relation to Levin Village Settlement
- sawmill in operation in 1891
- sawmill, Manakau, 1896
- scale of milling operation, and employment
- shareholder in WMRC
- Weraroa Timber Company, in 1906

Barrett, Winnie
- in group of Otaki Maori women

Barrie, Elizabeth
- teacher at Otaki Children’s Health Camp, 1930s

Barrett, David
- Otaki Scholar, 1961
- Barrow, Alice Mary Sarah see McLaughlin, Alice Mary Sarah (née Carmont, formerly Barrow), born 1883
- Barrow, C.
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- Barrow, Charles Louis
- married Alice Carmont, 1903; died before 1916

Barrow’s
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- general store on Mill Road; premises taken over by Edhouses in 1924

Barry, Henry
- shearer - entry for Otaki in Wellington Almanack, 1884

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- driving her three-wheeled car
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Jones, Miss
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Jones, Major
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Jones, A. W.
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Jones, Allan S. Innes
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Jones, Anna
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worked on crushing plant to produce railway ballast
Jones, Bronwyn
author of The Dictionary of New Zealand Biography entry for Helen Mary Wilson
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cartographer for 'Map of Rangiatea Graves'
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Jones, Rev. Cecil
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Jones, Mrs Clinton
exhibitor, Otaki Horticultural Society
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opened radio shop on Charles Williams's plumber's shop premises
owner and operator of garage
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Jones, E.
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Jones, Edwin
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Jones, Fred
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Jones, Frederick Charles
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junior class member, Otaki Methodist Sunday School, 1920
Jones, H. O.
Otaki Literary and Debating Club member, 1916
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Jones, Harold
married Gwen Hughes in 1919; died 1929 aged 35
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Jones, Helen
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Jones, Helen Gloria (née Roach)
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‘Christmas 1932 under the Apricot Tree’, by Rewi R. T. Roach
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third of 8 children of Wiremu and Bernadine Roach; wife of Bill
Jones, Herbert Oldbury
c1900, farm in Gorge Road, Otaki
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with family in dog cart outside Rangiatea Church
husband of Margaret; father of five daughters
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Symons, Charles Henry
nephew of James; brother of Henry; grazier in Foxton area

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with a Twist & Co stone soft drink jar

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lady cubmaster, Otaki Scout Group

Synnott, Neil
husband of Coral
performer at Methodist Sunday School Social, 1919
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Synnott, Mrs T.
Otaki Scout Group committee member
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Synnott, Tom
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Otaki Junior Chamber of Commerce president; spoke at opening of Main Street Plunket rooms, 1956
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popular variety of Otaki tomatoes

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donated to the Scout Movement by Major Tatum in 1942

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Waikanae School Committee member, 1930s/1940s

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