

Pakowai

Pakowai: 1908. Just along the road from Momona on the Waihoki Valley Road. Yet another school on this road. It probably shows how bad the roads in this area were. Between Tiraumea and Pongaroa

In 1907 Listed as a school but no comments or information

1908	2	Pakowai	Glanville	Ellen		Female	£12	\$1,881
1909		Pakowai	Closed					
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1911		Pakowai	Closed					

In 1909 Ellen Glanville taught at Mauriceville West

1882/17113	Glanville	Ellen	Margaret Blair	Udy
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1st June 1916 Geraldine There, was a large gathering of church members at the Methodist Sunday Schoolroom on Monday night, when the Rev Cr. B. Hunt, on behalf of the congregation, made a presentation to Mr F. Maslin and Miss Granville of a silver cake stand and entree dish on the occasion of their approaching marriage and departure from Geraldine. Mr Maslin having acquired a farm in the Clutha district. References were made to the good work of Mr Maslin from his childhood and to the active work of Miss Glanville Miss Glanville was also presented with a set of kitchen utensils by Miss Pratt on behalf of the Girls Bible Class.

1916/13138	Ellen	Glanville	Frederick Charles	Maslin
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5th November 1907 Miss M Johnson now of Pakowai appointed to Waterfalls (Tiraumea)

5th November 1907 Wellington Education Board Household School sole teacher £12

The school wasn't open at the end of the year

16th January 1908 Household School sole teacher £12 Lodging provided

10th July 1909 Household School Pakowai Tenui Sole Teacher apply to Mr G H Jones [The easiest way to get out of Pakowai was to go to Tinui over an unformed track

20th October 1909 TENUI, [Common Spelling] October 18th. Another instance of backblock hardship was witnessed here last Friday afternoon. Mrs Walter Cox, of Pakowai, was carried in a distance of nineteen miles on a stretcher, by twelve settlers, and was taken on to Masterton in the ambulance brougham. Mrs Cox was suffering from a serious illness. The feeling; of humanity among these bush settlers is much admired. There are no roads, and no telephones, and yet these plucky young men and their more plucky wives venture to these out-of-the-way places to build a home, and to suffer hardships as mentioned above. These settlers always help each other like true brothers; otherwise the life would be unbearable. There is an epidemic of whooping cough all over the district.

23rd March 1910 Wellington Education Board annual report..... while small aided schools were closed'. at . Toro, Mangaoronga, and Pakowai

7th April 1910 Wellington Education Board Pakowai Te Nui Sole Teacher £52 guaranteed and lodging

29th March 1911 Wellington Education Board Annual Report claimed Pakowai school was opened in 1910

9th December 1911 Interesting piece on how election results were sent in to the Returning Officer Hinemoa returns were received by pigeons at 4 minutes past 7; by telephone from Kaitawa at 9.55; Pakowai at 7.23 by pigeon; at 10.12 from Waihoki Valley by telephone