

Te Marua

Previously Known as Mungaroa and notes filed under that name . later Known as Brown Owl, Also called Te Maru school in 1913 filed under Mangaroa

1914	39	Te Marua	Banks	Annie L	D1	Head Female	£195.00	
1914	39	Te Marua	Dagg	Evaline E	D5	Assistant Female	£100.00	
1915	42	Te Marua	Banks	Annie L	D1	Head Female	£205.00	House
1915	42	Te Marua	O'Donnell	Nora B	D5	Assistant Female	£120.00	
1917	42	Te Marua	Pilling	Janet C	D	Assist	£140.00	
1917	45	Te Marua	Banks	Annie L	D-72	Head	£225.00	
1919	39	Te Marua	Stanley	Annie L	D-69	Head	£310.00	
1919	39	Te Marua	Pilling	Janet C		Assistant	£195.00	
1923	40	Te Marua	Oswin	Mabel E	B-113	Head	£323.00	
1923	40	Te Marua	Kershaw	Lucy D	C-181	Assistant	£223.00	

1st February 1913 The Mangaroa (main road) school committee has asked the Education Board to change the name to Te Marua. Consideration of the matter has been deferred [Can find no other reference to change]

10th February 1914 Mss E E Dagg appointed assistant

23rd May 1914 Wellington Education Board Te Marua improvements to residence approved

25th September 1915 Children's Effort for Wounded Soldiers. A bazaar in aid of the Wounded Soldiers' Fund was held in the Te Marua School on Friday, September 3. The result, £20, was most gratifying to the promoters, the scholars of the school, who under the supervision of their teachers, Misses Banks and O'Donnell, organised and carried out one of the most successful functions yet held in the district.

26th July 1917 Miss N I Welsby resigns [Nina Welsby taught as a pupil teacher at Newtown in 1911 and 1912 but is not registered as teaching in any other Wellington Education Board school before 1923]

5th November 1917 Roll of honour NZ Army Wounded Banks, H. D., 33098, 2nd Lieut. W I.R., (Miss A L. Banks, Te 'Marua, Upper Hutt, s.)

23rd February 1918 Te Marua School per Miss Banks donations Red Cross

19th November 1919 Mrs A L Stanley resigns as Head Teacher

11th December 1919 Miss E A Wallace appointed head teacher

18th December 1919 A very pleasant function took place at the breaking-up ceremony of the Te Marua School (Upper Hutt) on Tuesday, when the committee and parents of the children assembled to bid farewell to the head teacher, Mrs. A. L. Stanley, who is retiring from the profession and intends to make her future home in Auckland. The opportunity was taken to present her with a beautiful silver cake dish as a slight token of esteem. Small mementoes of their stay in the district were also given to her sister, Miss May Banks, and to Miss Verna Stanley.

1918/172	Annie Louisa Banks	Thomas James Stanley
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1958/20652	Stanley	Annie Louisa	73Y
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17th September 1918 Annie Louisa's husband Thomas James reported dead Influenza on a troop ship

30 November 1918 Annie Louisa's Brother Henry (Harry) died of war injuries

Evaline E Dagg

Evaline E Dagg started teaching at Masterton as a Pupil teacher in 1910. In 1911 she was a probationer at Masterton and then a two year gap in teaching record meant she had gone to Wellington training college In 1914 teaching at Te Marua, 1915 at Ihuraua, in 1917 at Pukehinau near Pongaroa and in 1919 was head teacher of Te Ore Ore

1920/3390	Evaline Elizabeth	Dagg	Gordon Erskine	Wilson
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31st March 1920 A very pretty wedding was solemnised at Knox Church, Masterton, yesterday, when Mr Gordon Wilson, of Masterton, was married to Miss Eva Dagg, daughter of Mr and Mrs H. J. Dagg, of Upper Plain, Masterton. The officiating minister was the Rev. G. T. Brown.....

Nora B O'Donnell

Nora O'Donnell only taught for the Wellington Education Board at Te Marua in 1915 and by 1917 she was at Karapoti as sole charge teacher

1920/5187	Nora Brigid	O'Donnell	Francis Hugh	Boyle
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966/40281	Boyle	Nora Brigid	73 y
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Janet C Pilling

Started teaching at Te Marua in 1917 and by 1921 was at Karori School.

In 1915 she was at Awaroa School in the Canterbury Education Board as Sole Teacher

She is not registered as marrying or dying under the name Janet Pilling nor did she register for the electoral rolls under Janet Campbell Pilling

1892/4523	Pilling	Janet Campbell	Janet Jane	Thomas
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Mabel E Oswin

Mabel Oswin started teaching at the Terrace school in Wellington in 1886. Went to Wellington

Training College in 1900 and 1901 and was appointed to South Featherston School in 1902'

She was there until she went to Makerua School [North of Shannon, close to Palmerston North] in

1911. Having obtained her Bachelor of Arts degree in 1897 also obtained her Master of Arts. By 1917

Mabel was teaching at Wainuiomata School with 27 pupils. She then came to Te Marua until at least 1923 when records ceased to be published of teachers; She left Te Marua in 1925

1946/18795	Oswin	Mabel Ellen	76Y
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From 1928 Mabel was registered in Auckland Electorates

Lucy D Kershaw

Lucy Doris Kershaw only taught at Te Marua School for the Wellington Education Board before 1924 being appointed 12th June 1923

1980/52480	Kershaw	Lucy Doris	26 March 1893
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Buried in Nelson cemetery

The electoral rolls show apart from being in Auckland electorates in the 1930's Lucy was always registered in the Wellington Electorates . 25th March 1930 Lucy was appointed to Upper Hutt as an assistant mistress

In the Wellington Girls college Jubilee celebrations 1933 There is a mention of a Lucy Evans conducting a preparatory school for the school

21st October 1935 There passed away recently at her residence, Brooklyn, Wellington, at the age of 84, Elizabeth Sarah, widow of the late Mr. James Kershaw, founder of Kershaw's Engineering Works, Nelson. Miss L D Kershaw of Auckland was one of her daughters