

Red Robin Milk Bar
Main Road Upper Hutt - Benge building

The Red Robin Milk Bar was originally part of Clyde's Grocers and Lunch & Tea Rooms situated in the Benge Building on the corner of Russell Street and 146-148 Main Street in Upper Hutt. The building was built by J. J. Benge for Mr David CLYDE and was completed by September 1927. David Clyde and his family lived upstairs in the Benge building.

David CLYDE departed England on the "S.S. *Ionic*" and arrived in New Zealand in March 1924 with his wife Nora and children Robert and Elizabeth. The family settled in Upper Hutt.

David opened the original "Clyde's "Lunch and Tea Rooms, which was then situated opposite Hazelwood's Department Store on Main Street Upper Hutt. Perhaps after the Clyde's store relocated the former building may have become the Biggs Store situated on Main Street on east side of Hazelwood's. According Biggs Store was owned by (Sam) Cecil Edgar and Olive Adeline Biggs.

1925 Otaki Electoral Roll

- David CLYDE Seddon Street Wallaceville storekeeper
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(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Evening Post newspaper 19 January 1927

Lost Monday 5.13 train Lambton to Upper Hutt Purse containing money etc. Reward Clyde Main Street Upper Hutt

(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 19 January 1927 page 1)

Dominion newspaper 22 January 1927

For outstanding quality and service try Clyde's Lunch and Tea Rooms (opp. Hazelwood's), oldest-established. Ice Creams a specialty.

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Dominion newspaper 05 February 1927

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(Reference Papers past website Dominion newspaper 05 February 1927 page 2)

Dominion newspaper 21 February 1927

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(Reference Papers past website Dominion newspaper 21 February 1927 page 1)

Benge's Building situated on the corner of Russell Street and Main Street opened around Section 1927 and was occupied by the new Clyde's Tea Rooms downstairs with accommodation upstairs for David and Nora Clyde and their family. The building would later occupy the Red Robin Tea Rooms.

Evening Post newspaper 23 September 1927

Now open our new premises – Clyde's Lunch and Tea Rooms are now situated in Benge's Building. Delicious Lunches and Afternoon Teas.

(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 23 September 1927 page 1)

Evening Post newspaper 30 September 1927

Have you visited our new premises? Clyde's Lunch and Tea Rooms, Benge Building. Fruit and Confectionery stocked.

(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 30 September 1927 page 1)

Evening Post newspaper 07 October 1927

Special Quality Ice Cream on sale at Clyde's Lunch and Tea Rooms. Our new premises are situated in Benge's Building.

(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 07 October 1927 page 2)

David CLYDE Grocery Store Benge's Building



(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection Recollect website Benge's buildings Dave Clyde P2-398-646)

1928 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- David CLYDE Main Road Upper Hutt storekeeper
- Nora CLYDE Main Road Upper Hutt married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Evening Post newspaper 06 January 1928

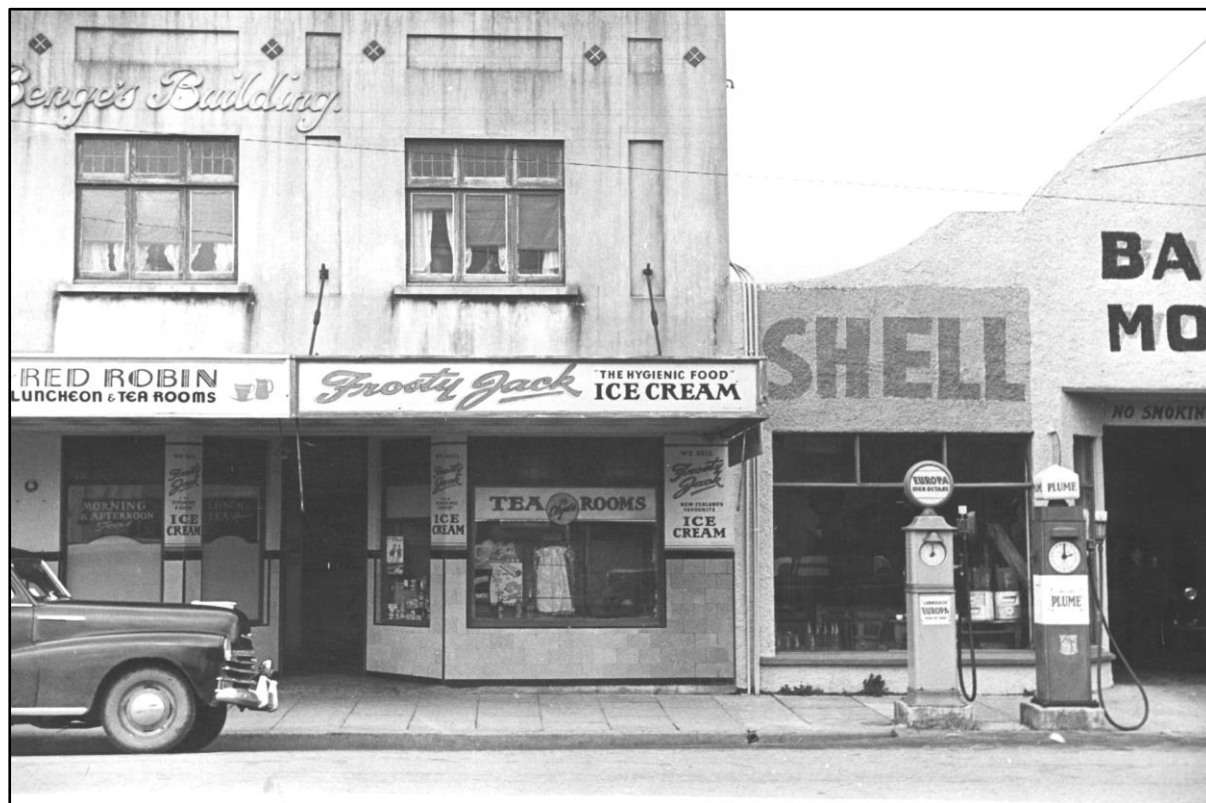
Campers! Clyde's for Fruit and Vegetables. Clyde's for Confectionery and Ices, Clyde's for Morning and Afternoon Tea. Address: Benge's Building.

(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 06 January 1928 page 1)

Clyde's New Tea Rooms situated in Benge's Building are recognized as the best in the Hutt Valley. Morning, Afternoon Teas, Lunch, Etc.

(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 11 May 1928 page 1)

Between 1928 and 1933 the Clyde's Tea Rooms was rename the Red Robin Tea Rooms.



(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection Recollect website)

Dominion 10 June 1933

Call at the Red Robin Tea Rooms Main Road for Dainty Morning and Afternoon Teas and Hot Midday Luncheon. First-class Confectionery, Fruit and Vegetables. Motorists Specially Catered for. Open on Sundays and all holidays.

(Reference Papers past website Dominion 10 June 1933 page 5)

Dominion 29 December 1933

Upper Hutt RSA – At the close of the last fortnightly executive meeting of the Upper Hutt Returned Solder's Association the members of the executive entertained the president and members of the ladies entertainment committee to supper in the Red Robin Tearooms. Mrs and Mrs Donaldson were caterers.

(Reference Papers past website Dominion 29 December 1933 page 11)

1935 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- David CLYDE Seddon Street Wallaceville storekeeper
- Nora CLYDE Seddon Street Wallaceville married
- Arthur Alexander DONALDSON Main Road Upper Hutt storekeeper
- Dorothy Gwendoline DONALDSON Main Road Upper Hutt married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Upper Hutt Weekly Review 20 December 1935

Red Robin Tea Rooms For hot lunches and teas Phone 103 Upper Hutt [at the bottom of the same advert recorded] D CLYDE

(Reference Papers past website Upper Hutt Weekly Review 20 December 1935 Page 4)

1935 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- Margaret GRIFFITHS Main Road Upper Hutt married
- John GRIFFITHS Main Road Upper Hutt omnibus driver

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Upper Hutt Weekly Review 25 September 1936

The catering arrangements were carried out by **Mrs Griffiths** and her staff (Red Robin)

(Reference Papers past website Upper Hutt Weekly Review 25 September 1936)

Upper Hutt Weekly Review 23 October 1936

We wish to especially thank **Mrs Griffiths** and Miss Hogan for the very efficient manner in which the boys were entertained

(Reference Papers past website Upper Hutt Weekly Review 23 October 1936)

Index = CLYDE David 703, 991, 1367 & Index = CAPEWELL A E 1367

(Reference Archives NZ Wellington R17840755 Valuation Rolls Wellington – Hutt County – Upper Hutt Borough – Index record No 3/62a FA Ref V-Rolls date 1936-1948 Valuation Department Wellington District Office agency code AFHQ accession W1086 series 19340)

3/62a 1367 description Part Lot 9 DP 1831 Part section 128 Hutt District Main & Russell Street Area 18.53 perches valuation ~~2650~~ 2640 – ~~340~~ 330 – ~~2340~~ 2310 Shop \$2140 out buildings \$140 Shed \$20 other \$10 = Owner David CLYDE Fruiterer Upper Hutt

Occupiers listed below

- Bernard E WATTS Storekeeper Upper Hutt
- 6/12/1939 Albert Edward CAPEWELL leased doe 5 years from 11/5/1939 at \$3/12/6 per week CT Certificate of title 194/271
- 29/1/1942 John Thomas & Gladys M YOUNG L.T. 260828
- 29/1/1942 Herbert John THOMPSON Upper Hutt
- 30/07/1946 prt lot 9 to Asst ~~1368~~ 2529
- 28/3/1947 Robert MacIntosh CLYDE shop keeper Upper Hutt
- 28/5/1947 L.T. 10.6.46 lease & 11.5.46 for 2 years \$3-12-6 per week

(Reference Archives NZ Wellington R17840751 Valuation Rolls Wellington – Hutt County – Upper Hutt Borough – Roll numbers 1120-2435 record No 3/62a FA Ref V-Rolls date 1936-1948 Valuation Department Wellington District Office agency code AFHQ accession W1086 series 19340)

Comment – Family lore tells that Albert Edward and Alice Edith CAPEWELL and their married daughter Alice Elizabeth BOX leased or owned the Red Robin Tea Rooms. I have been unable to locate a document or newspaper article that records the family and Red Robin Tea Rooms together in the same records so cannot confirmation the family lore.

Comment – For this period of time the Upper Hutt Borough Council Rating Rolls record who was responsible for paying the rates and this was normally the owner of the property. If you have the Certificate of Title details for the Benge Building and order the CT from (LINZ) Land Information New Zealand this will give you the ownership history of the building.

Comment - Archives New Zealand Wellington Office hold the Valuation Rolls which record the owner and occupier of the property.

1938 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- David CLYDE Seddon Street Wallaceville storekeeper
- Nora CLYDE Seddon Street Wallaceville married
- Albert Edward CAPEWELL Main Street Upper Hutt shopkeeper
- Alice Edith CAPEWELL Main Street Upper Hutt married
- Alice Elizabeth BOX Main Road Upper Hutt married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Otaki Mail 25 August 1939

Mr Albert Capewell has disposed of his business at Upper Hutt and is at present spending a holiday with Mrs Capewell at Paraparaumu

(Reference Papers past website Otaki Mail 25 August 1939 page 2)

Upper Hutt Leader 24 August 1939

Under New Management – Red Robin Confectionery & Tea Rooms Upper Hutt - Lunches and Afternoon Teas. All makes of Confectionery. Superior Ices and Milk Shakes. Social and Wedding Parties Catered for Best of Service and Attention. Mr E M YOUNG Proprietor Telephone 134 S

(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection UH Leader 24 August 1939 volume 1 page 34)

Comment - Who is Mr E M YOUNG? Did he depart London England and arrive in New Zealand as a passenger on the Rangitiki around June 1939? Was he the G R & E M YOUNG who on 21 November 1942 closed the Young's Fruit Mart in the Wairarapa because of the war?

Upper Hut Leader 13 June 1940

Payment of account may be made at the Red Robin Tea Room or Residence Seddon Street D Clyde.

(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection UH Leader 13 June 1940 Volume II number 23)

1938 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- David CLYDE Seddon Street Wallaceville storekeeper
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(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1941 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

- Hazel Augusta CORDER Station Street Upper Hutt married
- Cyril Ashton CORDER Station Street Upper Hutt postmaster

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Upper Hutt Leader 04 September 1941

Red Robin - Confectionery and Dining Rooms. I have taken over the above mentioned business and by close attention to the requirements of customers trust that I may receive the same generous measure of support as was accorded my predecessor Mrs Corder. Only Quality Confectionery stock. Meals at all times at reasonable prices HERBERT THOMPSON.

(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection Upper Hutt Leader 04 September 1941 volume III number 35)

1946 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Herbert John THOMPSON Main Road Upper Hutt Soldier
- Robert MacIntosh CLYDE Main Road Upper Hutt tearoom proprietor
- Sybil May CLYDE Main Road Upper Hutt married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Upper Hutt Leader 03 October 1946

Red Robin Tea Rooms (R M CLYDE Proprietor) - Dainty Morning and Afternoon Teas. Sole agent Upper Hutt District for Eskimo Pies. The Popular Ice.

(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection UH Leader 03 October 1946 volume VIII number 37)

Upper Hutt Leader 25 September 1947

The Red Robin Milk Bar (**D Clyde**) Morning & Afternoon Tea. Confectionery, Soft Drinks Etc. Frozen Products Ltd. Agency Cakes, Scones, Pastries, Sponges . . . A Specialty!

(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection UH Leader 25 September 1947 volume IX number 47)

1949 Otaki Electoral Roll

- David CLYDE Seddon Street Wallaceville storekeeper
- Nora CLYDE Seddon Street Wallaceville married
- Robert MacIntosh CLYDE 39 Royal Street Upper Hutt **tearoom prop**
- Sybil May CLYDE 39 Royal Street Upper Hutt married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Upper Hutt Leader 06 January 1949

The Red Robin Milk Bar (F JONES proprietor) Morning & Afternoon Tea. Confectionery, Soft Drinks Etc. Cakes, Scones, Pastries, Sponges. A Specialty. Frozen Products Ltd Agency.

(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection Upper Hutt Leader 06 January 1949 volume XI number 1)

Frank JONES was the proprietor of the Red Robin Tea Rooms between 1949 and 1950.

Upper Hutt Leader 23 February 1950

The Red Robin Milk Bar (F Jones Proprietor) Morning & Afternoon Tea Confectionery Soft Drinks Etc.,

(Reference Upper Hutt City Library heritage collection Upper Hutt Leader 23 February 1950)

Upper Hutt Leader 04 May 1950

Frank JONES of the Red Robin wishes to notify his many clients that he has disposed of the business and expresses his thanks to all and hopes that Mr Eddinton [sic] his successor will be given the same.

(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection Upper Hutt Leader 04 May 1950)

1949 Otaki Electoral Roll

- Wallace John Robert EDINTON Main Road Upper Hutt coy mgr
- Vera EDINTON Main Road Upper Hutt married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Upper Hutt Leader 08 June 1950

Under New Management Red Robin Tea Rooms – W EDINTON LTD (next to Baigent Garage)

(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection Upper Hutt Leader 08 June 1950 volume XII number 23)

Upper Hutt Leader 03 July 1952

New Library Official opening Tomorrow – Another milestone in the history of the progress of Upper Hutt will be achieved tomorrow when the new Municipal Library will be officially opened at 2.30 pm by his Worship the Mayor Mr G L Williams. [In the Bengel Building above the Red Robin Tea Rooms]

(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection Upper Hutt Leader 03 July 1952 volume IX number 26)

1955 Wisers Post Office Directory - Red Robin Milk Bar Main Street Benge Building

(Reference Wisers Post Office Directory 1955 page 949 scanned image 1158 Ancestry website)

Upper Hutt Leader 15 December 1955

This was also guessed by Mrs McRae of the Red Robin Milk Bar who kindly re-donated her share of the prize.

(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection UH Leader 15 December 1955 volume XII number 48)

1957 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

- Percival David Anthony MCCREA Main Road Upper Hutt Coy director
- Ona Marie MCCREA Main Road Upper Hutt married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

Francis Gregory and Margaret Mary HAYES became new proprietors of the Red Robin Milk Bar.

Upper Hutt Leader 11 December 1958

Red Robin Milk Bar and Tea Rooms – Mr & Mrs F G Hayes and Staff take the opportunity of wishing the season compliments to our many clients and friends.

(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection UH Leader 11 December 1958 volume XV number 47)

Upper Hutt Leader 08 October 1959

That Mr and Mrs McCrea are well known people in Upper Hutt having been in business at the Red Robin Tea Rooms for several years

(Reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection UH Leader 08 October 1959)

1960 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

- Francis Gregory HAYES Red Robin Milk Bar Upper Hutt coy dir
- Margaret Mary HAYES Red Robin Milk Bar Upper Hutt married
- Percival David A MCCREA 30 Kowhai Avenue Upper Hutt company director
- Ona Marie MCCREA 30 Kowhai Avenue Upper Hutt married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1961 Red Robin Milk Bar

I acquire and take over as a going concern the grocery dairy and confectionery business of F G Hayes Limited carried on at Main Road Upper Hutt and with a view there to be entre into and carry into effect with or without modification the Agreement dated the 24th July 1961 and made between F G Hayes Limited as vendor of the one part and J Burgess as trustee for the Company of the other part.

(Archives New Zealand Wellington R15429270 Red Robin Milk Bar Limited record No 6498 Alternative RN 1961/59 FA Ref CO-W1 date 1961-1973 Register of Companies Wellington agency code ADSN accession W2348 series 17631 open access)

From 15 August 1961 to 25 June 1973 John and Barbara Marcelle BURGESS were the proprietors of the Red Robin Milk Bar. Before 1961 the Red Robin Milk Bar Limited was under F G Hayes Limited.

1963 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

- John BURGESS Main Street Upper Hutt Coy Director
- Barbara M BURGESS Main Street Upper Hutt married

(Reference Ancestry website New Zealand Electoral Rolls)

1966 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

- John BURGESS Red Robin Milk Bar Main Road co director
- Barbara M BURGESS Red Robin Milk Bar Main Road married

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1961-1973 - Red Robin Milk Bar Limited (ex F G Hayes Limited)

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In August 1969 the Red Robin Milk Bar Ltd filed for Bankruptcy. The Red Robin Milk Bar went into liquidation and was gazetted date of Issue 01 February 1973 and Date of Filing 28 November 1973.

(Reference Archives NZ Wellington R11815412 Red Robin Milkbar Limited (L) [Liquidation] record No C30 alternative RN M58/1967 date 1967-1967 Ministry of Sommerce, Commercial Affairs Division Wellington District Office agency code AABR accession W3275 series 777 open access)

Perhaps the Red Robin Milk Bar closed after this date as I have been unable to locate any addition information.

A – Z Red Robin - Proprietors & Owners

Cecil Edgar & Olive Adeline BIGGS

- 0- Cecil Edgar BIGGS** born 11 December 1904 New Zealand died 1980 New Zealand married
Olive Adeline CLARK born 15 April 1907 New Zealand died 1992 New Zealand
#Cecil Edgar BIGGS married 1928 New Zealand Olive Adeline CLARK reference RGO NZ
marriage registration 1928 folio website 1928/3454

#Comment David Clyde opened the original "Clyde's" "Lunch and Tea Rooms" which was then situated opposite Hazelwood's Department Store on Main Street Upper Hutt. When David relocated to the Benge building later the business became known as Red Robin Tea Rooms and Milk Bar. Perhaps after the Clyde's store relocated the former building may have become the Biggs Store situated on Main Street on east side of Hazelwood's.

#Cecil Edgar BIGGS 53 Lincoln Road Masterton merchant & Olive Adeline BIGGS 53 Lincoln Road Masterton married 1935 Masterton Electoral Roll

New Local Companies – The Mercantile Gazette reports registration of the following new Wellington private companies – Biggs Service Stores Ltd Upper Hutt Capital £100 into 100 shares of £1 each. Subscribers Wellington Olive A Biggs 99, C E Biggs 1. Objects To establish at Upper Hutt or elsewhere shops refreshment rooms and depots, grocers, general storekeepers and incidental reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 25 October 1935 page 12

#Cecil Edgar BIGGS Main Road Upper Hutt grocer & Olive Adeline BIGGS Main Road Upper Hutt married 1938 & 1941 & 1943 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

#Cecil Edgar BIGGS 196 Knights Road grocer & Olive Adeline BIGGS 196 Knights Road married 1946 Hutt Electoral Roll

#Cecil Edgar BIGGS died 1980 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1980 folio website 1980/42865 born 11 December 1904

#Olive BIGGS died 1992 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1992 folio website 1992/38063 born 15 April 1907

John & Barbara Marcelle BURGESS

0- John BURGESS married **Barbara Marcelle** Unknown

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Albert Edward & Alice Ethel CAPEWELL

0- Albert Edward CAPEWELL born 31 October 1881 Staffordshire England died 13 September 1947 Otaki New Zealand married 1914 New Zealand **Alice Edith BERRETTI** born England or New Zealand died New Zealand

#Alice Edith BERRETTI Paraparaumu spinster & Alice (Alice Maud Mary) BERRETTI (1872-1949) Paraparaumu married & Esther Evelyn BERRETTI (1893-1980) Paraparaumu spinster 1914 Otaki Elect Roll

#Albert Edward CAPEWELL married 1914 New Zealand Alice Edith BERRETTI reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1914 folio website 1914/3959

#Mr and Mrs A Capewell and family who have been on a motor tour of the north have returned to their home at Otaki reference Papers past website Horowhenua Chronicle 05 February 1935 page 6

#Mr Albert Capewell has disposed of **his business at Upper Hutt** and is at present spending a holiday with Mrs Capewell at Paraparaumu reference Papers past website Otaki Mail 25 August 1939 page 2

#Mrs A Capewell was among the visitors to Otaki yesterday reference Papers past website Otaki Mail newspaper 30 August 1939 page 2

#It is more than possible that Mr and Mrs Albert Capewell and family will again take up residence at Otaki reference Papers past website Otaki Mail 27 September 1939 page 2

#Albert Edward CAPEWELL Main Street Upper Hutt shopkeeper 1939 Wairarapa Elect Roll

#Alice Edith CAPEWELL Main Street Upper Hutt married 1939 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

#Alice Elizabeth BOX Main Road Upper Hutt married 1939 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

#Albert Edward CAPEWELL died 1947 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1947 folio website 1947/28526 age 65 born about 1882

0-1- Alice Elizabeth CAPEWELL born 17 August 1915 England died 2011 New Zealand married 1936 New Zealand Evett Milgrew BOX born 10 June 1914 New Zealand died 1991 New Zealand

#Alice CAPEWELL married 1936 New Zealand Evett BOX reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1936 folio 7777 website 1936/7839

#Alice Elizabeth BOX 57A Ottawa Road Ngaio Married & Evett Milgrew BOX 57A Ottawa Road Ngaio Fruiterer

#Alice Elizabeth BOX died 2011 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 2011 folio website 2011/10528 born 17 August 1915

#Evett Milgrew BOX died 1991 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1991 folio website 1991/40224 born 10 June 1914 (Wellington New Zealand)

David & Nora CLYDE and Robert McIntosh & Sylvia May CLYDE

0- David CLYDE born 12 June 1892 Glasgow Scotland died 26 September 1968 Wellington New Zealand married 09 March 1921 Helesburgh Scotland **Nora SMITH** born 09 October 1896 Kendal Westmoreland England died 04 April 1982 Levin New Zealand

#David CLYDE age 30 Grocer Scotch & Nora CLYDE age 29 wife Scotch & Robert age 2 child Scotch & Elizabeth age 1 child Scotch departed 06 February 1924 Southampton England on ship "S.S. Ionic" contracted to land Wellington arrived 18 March 1924 Auckland

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#**Red Robin Tea Rooms D Clyde** reference Papers past website Upper Hutt Weekly Review 20 December 1935

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#Payment of account may be made at the **Red Robin Tea Room** or Residence Seddon Street **D Clyde** reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection UH Leader 13 June 1940 Volume II number 23

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#**The Red Robin Milk Bar (D Clyde)** Morning & Afternoon Tea. Confectionery, Soft Drinks Etc. Frozen Products Ltd. Agency Cakes, Scones, Pastries, Sponges . . . A Specialty reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection UH Leader 25 September 1947 volume IX number 47

#David CLYDE Seddon Street Wallaceville storekeeper & Nora CLYDE Seddon Street Wallaceville married 1949 Otaki Electoral Roll

#Mr David Clyde who has been associated with the Upper Hutt Club since the formation has been made a life member reference Upper Hutt Leader 22 March 1962

#David CLYDE died 1968 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1968 folio website 1968/48378 age 76 born about 1892

#Nora CLYDE died 1982 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1982 folio website 1982/24738 born 09 October 1895

0-1- Robert McIntosh CLYDE born 14 August 1921 Scotland died 07 January 1990 Auckland New Zealand married **Sybil May SALMON** born 20 May 1924 Taumarunui New Zealand died 25 March 2008 New Zealand

#Red Robin Tea Rooms (R M CLYDE Proprietor) Dainty Morning and Afternoon Teas. Sole agent Upper Hutt District for Eskimo Pies. The Popular Ice reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection UH Leader 03 October 1946 volume VIII number 37

#Robert MacIntosh CLYDE Main Road Upper Hutt tearoom proprietor & Sybil May CLYDE Main Road Upper Hutt married 1946 Otaki Electoral Roll

#Robert MacIntosh CLYDE 39 Royal Street Upper Hutt tearoom prop & Sybil May CLYDE 39 Royal Street Upper Hutt married 1949 Otaki Electoral Roll

#Robert McIntosh CLYDE died 1990 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1990 folio website 1990/36558 born 14 August 1921

0-2- Elizabeth Hannah Smith CLYDE born 25 August 1922 Helensburgh Scotland died 05 June 2007 Levin New Zealand married Sydney Daniel DALTON born 06 February 1920 Wellington New Zealand died 24 October 1992 Levin New Zealand

Cyril Ashton & Hazel Augusta CORDER

0- Cyril Ashton CORDER born 1893 died 1968 New Zealand married 1917 New Zealand **Hazel Augusta SPEED** born 25 September 1896 died 1981 New Zealand

#Cyril Ashton CORDER married 1917 New Zealand Hazel Augusta SPEED reference RGO NZ marriage registration 1917 folio website 1917/5581

#Hazel Augusta CORDER Kaponga married & Cyril Ashton CORDER Kaponga postmaster 1938 Egmont Electoral Roll

#Hazel Augusta CORDER Station Street Upper Hutt married & Cyril Ashton CORDER Station Street Upper Hutt postmaster 1941 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

#Red Robin - Confectionery and Dining Rooms. I have taken over the above mentioned business and by close attention to the requirements of customers trust that I may receive the same generous measure of support as was accorded my predecessor **Mrs Corder**. Only Quality Confectionery stock. Meals at all times at reasonable prices HERBERT THOMPSON reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection Upper Hutt Leader 04 September 1941 volume III number 35

#Hazel Augusta CORDER 91 Kimbolton Road Fielding married & Cyril Ashton CORDER 91 Kimbolton Road Fielding postmaster 1946 Rangitikei Electoral Roll

#Cyril Ashton CORDER died 1968 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1968 folio website 1968/25152 age 75 born about 1893

#Hazel Augustus CORDER died 1981 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1981 folio website 1981/39772 born 25 September 1896

Dorothy Gwendoline & Arthur Alexander DONALDSON

0- Arthur Alexander DONALDSON born 27 December 1885 Wellington New Zealand died 1970 New Zealand married 28 October 1916 Wellington New Zealand **Dorothy Gwendoline NEILS** born 1897 New Zealand died 1996 New Zealand

#Arthur Alexander DONALDSON married 28 October 1916 Wellington New Zealand Dorothy Gwendoline NEILS

#Upper Hutt RSA – At the close of the last fortnightly executive meeting of the Upper Hutt Returned Solder's Association the members of the executive entertained the president and members of the ladies entertainment committee to supper in the **Red Robin Tearooms. Mr and Mrs Donaldson were caterers** reference Papers past website Dominion 29 December 1933 page 11

#Arthur Alexander DONALDSON Main Road Upper Hutt storekeeper & Dorothy Gwendoline DONALDSON Main Road Upper Hutt married 1935 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

#Arthur Alexander DONALDSON died 1970 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1970 folio website 1970/38702 age 84 born about 1886

#Dorothy Gwendoline DONALDSON died 19 February 1979 Wellington New Zealand buried Makara cemetery Wellington New Zealand

Wallace John Robert & Vera EDINTON

0- Wallace John Robert EDINTON married Vera

#Frank JONES of the Red Robin wishes to notify his many clients that he has disposed of the business and expresses his thanks to all and hopes that Mr Eddinton [sic] his successor will be given the same reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection Upper Hutt Leader 04 May 1950

#Wallace John Robert EDINTON Main Road Upper Hutt coy mgr & Vera EDINTON Main Road Upper Hutt married 1949 Otaki Electoral Roll

#Under New Management Red Robin Tea Rooms – W EDINTON LTD (next to Baigent Garage) reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection Upper Hutt Leader 08 June 1950 volume XII number 23

John & Margaret GRIFFITHS

0- John GRIFFITHS born 1901 died 20 January 1969 Silverstream New Zealand married **Margaret** surname unknown born 06 December 1894 died 28 January 1976 Palmerston North New Zealand

#Margaret GRIFFITHS Main Road Upper Hutt married & John GRIFFITHS Main Road Upper Hutt omnibus driver 1935 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

#The catering arrangements were carried out by Mrs Griffiths and her staff (Red Robin) reference Papers past website Upper Hutt Weekly Review 25 September 1936

#We wish to especially thank Mrs Griffiths and Miss Hogan for the very efficient manner in which the boys were entertained reference Papers past website Upper Hutt Weekly Review 23 October 1936

#Margaret GRIFFITHS 18 Seddon Street Upper Hutt married & John GRIFFITHS 18 Seddon Street Upper Hutt motor driver 1941 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

#Margaret GRIFFITHS Ararino Street Trentham married & John GRIFFITHS Ararino Street Trentham motor driver 1943 Wairarapa Electoral Roll

#John GRIFFITHS Ararino Street Trentham motor driver & Margaret GRIFFITHS Ararino Street Trentham married 1946 Otaki Electoral Roll

#John GRIFFITHS Gloucester Street Silverstream motor driver & Margaret GRIFFITHS Gloucester street Silverstream married 1949 Otaki Electoral Roll

#John GRIFFITHS Gloucester Street Silverstream driver & Margaret GRIFFITHS Gloucester street Silverstream married 1954 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

#John GRIFFITHS 22 Gloucester Street Silverstream traffic officer & Margaret GRIFFITHS 22 Gloucester street Silverstream married 1957 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

#John GRIFFITHS 22 Gloucester Street retired & Margaret GRIFFITHS 22 Gloucester street married 1960 & 1963 & 1966 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

#John GRIFFITHS died 1963 New Zealand

#Margaret GRIFFITHS 10a Heretaunga Square widow 1969 & 1972 & 1975 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

#John GRIFFITHS died 20 January 1969 Silverstream New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1969 folio website 1969/29673 age 68 born about 1901

#Margaret Moodie GRIFFITHS died 28 January 1976 New Zealand reference RGO NZ death registration 1976 folio website 1976/27994 born 06 December 1894 (perhaps Mrs Laurence Mervyn Wilkins)

0-1- Helen Anne GRIFFITHS married Mr BAIN

0-2- Mary Duncan GRIFFITHS married Jack CHAPMAN-TAYLOR

Francis Gregory & Margaret Mary HAYES

0- Francis Gregory HAYES married **Margaret Mary** Unknown

#Comment - Francis Gregory and Margaret Mary HAYES became new proprietors of the Red Robin Milk Bar.

#Red Robin Milk Bar and Tea Rooms – Mr & Mrs F G Hayes and Staff take the opportunity of wishing the season compliments to our many clients and friends reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection UH Leader 11 December 1958 volume XV number 47

#Francis Gregory HAYES Red Robin Milk Bar Upper Hutt coy dir & Margaret Mary HAYES Red Robin Milk Bar Upper Hutt married 1960 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

Who was Frank JONES?

0- Frank JONES born date and place unknown

#Comment - Frank JONES was the proprietor of the Red Robin Tea Rooms between 1949 and 1950.

#The Red Robin Milk Bar (**F JONES proprietor**) Morning & Afternoon Tea. Confectionery, Soft Drinks Etc. Cakes, Scones, Pastries, Sponges. A Specialty. Frozen Products Ltd Agency reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection Upper Hutt Leader 06 January 1949 volume XI number 1

#The Red Robin Milk Bar (F Jones Proprietor) Morning & Afternoon Tea Confectionery Soft Drinks Etc. reference Upper Hutt City Library heritage collection Upper Hutt Leader 23 February 1950

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Percival David Anthony & Ona Marie MCCREA

0- Percival David Anthony MCCREA married **Ona Marie** unknown

#This was also guessed by Mrs McRae of the Red Robin Milk Bar who kindly re-donated her share of the prize reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection UH Leader 15 December 1955 volume XII number 48)

#Percival David Anthony MCCREA Main Road Upper Hutt Coy director & Ona Marie MCCREA Main Road Upper Hutt married 1957 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

#That Mr and Mrs McCrea are well known people in Upper Hutt having been in business at the Red Robin Tea Rooms for several years' reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection UH Leader 08 October 1959

#Percival David A MCCREA 30 Kowhai Avenue Upper Hutt company director & Ona Marie MCCREA 30 Kowhai Avenue Upper Hutt married 1960 Heretaunga Electoral Roll

Herbert John THOMPSON

0- Herbert John THOMPSON born date and place unknown

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#Herbert John THOMPSON Main Road Upper Hutt Soldier 1946 Otaki Electoral Roll

Who was Mr E M YOUNG?

0- E M YOUNG born date and place unknown

#Under New Management – Red Robin Confectionery & Tea Rooms Upper Hutt - Lunches and Afternoon Teas. All makes of Confectionery. Superior Ices and Milk Shakes. Social and Wedding Parties Catered for Best of Service and Attention. **Mr E M YOUNG** Proprietor Telephone 134 S reference Upper Hutt City Library Heritage collection UH Leader 24 August 1939 volume 1 page 34

#Passengers from London – Coming by The Rangitiki – **Mr E M YOUNG** [others not transcribed] reference Papers past website Dominion newspaper 23 June 1939 page 12

#Public Notice – With much regret owing to war conditions **Young's Fruit Mart** will be closing Tomorrow 21 November for the duration. We personally thank our many customers for their splendid support in the past and we wish them the compliments of the season.

G R & E M YOUNG reference Papers past website Wairarapa Times Age 20 November 1942 page 1

Red Robin miscellaneous information

Archives New Zealand Wellington

- Red Robin Milk Bar Limited R15429270 Red Robin Milk Bar Limited record No 6498 Alternative RN 1961/59 FA Ref CO-W1 date 1961-1973 Register of Companies Wellington agency code ADSN accession W2348 series 17631 open access = (1973 in Liquidation) John and Barbara Marcelle Burgess Main Road Upper Hutt = transcribed and details in document
 - Red Robin Milk Bar Limited (L) [Liquidation] R11815412 Red Robin Milkbar Limited (L) [Liquidation] record No C30 alternative RN M58/1967 date 1967-1967 Ministry of Sommerce, Commercial Affairs Division Wellington District Office agency code AABR accession W3275 series 777 open access = some details transcribed in this document
 - Red Robin Stores Limited R15432672 Red Robin Stores Limited record No 9964 alternative RN 1965/1192 FA Ref CO_W1 date 1965-1977 Register of Companies Wellington Agency code ADSN accession W2348 series 17631 open access = comment 1937 Murdoch Bros Limited New Plymouth shareholders Alexander & James Murdoch Stratford – 1941 additional shareholders John & Arthur Sutherland Wellington – 1944 shareholders John and Estate Arthur Francis Humphries Sutherland Wellington – 1973 Red Robin Stores Limited Auckland formerly Shoppers Fair Limited records later went into liquidation = not Upper Hutt company so did not transcribe details
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