

Returns of men tried by Courts-martial 1864-1868

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There are two lists – one on white paper (1 page) and the other on two pieces of blue paper (3 pages)

Blue paper list – Roll of men tried by Court Martial * = line through entry

Constable Thomas Bailey, 6th Division Armed Constabulary, 22 Feb 1868, Desertion
 * Constable M. Hamilton, 7th Division Armed Constabulary, 12 Jun 1869, Absence & Drunkenness
 * Private James Spoor, Taranaki Militia, 12 Jun 1869, Disobedience & abusive language
 * Private G. Lemon, Tauranga Militia, 23 Mar 1869, Drunk on Piquet
 Trooper John Butler, Tauranga Cavalry, March 1869, Drunk on line of march
 Private Peter Shaughnessy, Tauranga Militia, 21 Apr 1869, Drunk on Piquet
 Private Thomas Hendy, Tauranga Militia, 11 May 1869, Drunk in Camp
 Private Laurence G. Smith, Tauranga Militia, 11 May 1869, Drunk in Camp
 Private John Brounlie, Tauranga Militia, 11 May 1869, Drunk in Camp
 Private John Deely?, Tauranga Militia, 12 May 1869, Drunk in Camp
 Private John Moore, Tauranga Militia, 12 May 1869, Drunk on Parade
 Private John Sims, Tauranga Militia, 12 May 1869, Absent when on Piquet &...
 Private John Spurling, Tauranga Militia, 08 May 1869, Drunk on duty under Arms
 Constable John Sullivan, Armed Constabulary, 21 Apr 1869, -
 Constable James Wilson, Armed Constabulary, 09 Jan 1869, Disgraceful conduct, theft
 Constable John Marshall, Armed Constabulary, 09 Jan 1869, Disgraceful conduct, theft
 Constable Joseph Lockett, Armed Constabulary, 11 Jan 1869, Disgraceful conduct, theft for comrades
 Constable Patrick Cullen, Armed Constabulary, 25 Jan 1869, Striking Sergeant
 Trooper James Hughes, Wanganui Volunteer Cavalry, 07 Jan 1869, Insubordination
 Private John McFadden, Wellington Rifles, 23 Oct 1868, Insubordination
 Private John Bertie, Wellington Rifles, 23 Oct 1868, Insubordination
 Sergeant Alexander Airth, Wellington Rifles, 23 Oct 1868, Insubordination
 Trooper Ezra Odell, Patea Yeomanry, 01 Nov 1868, Desertion
 Corporal P. Maher, Opotiki Volunteer Rangers, 16 Feb 1868, Drunk on Duty
 Private Mark Bianovitch, Opotiki Volunteer Rangers, 10 Feb 1868, Insubordination
 * Trooper Charles Money, Wanganui Yeomanry, 03 Dec 1866, Insubordination – “not guilty”
 Trooper Charles Maby?, Wanganui Yeomanry, 03 Dec 1866, Absence from Guard mounting
 Trooper Charles Bolton, Wanganui Yeomanry, 14 Jan 1867, Absence from Guard mounting
 Lance Sergeant Hogan, Wanganui Yeomanry, 03 Dec 1866, Insubordination
 Private Michael Percy, W. R., 18 Jan 1867, Drunk in Camp
 * Sergeant John Darby, 1st W. R.
 Corporal James Young, 1st W.R., 03 Nov 1866, Drunk on Duty
 Private John..., 1st W.R., 07 Nov 1866, Drunk on Duty & habitual
 Private William McAuley, 1st W.R., 31 Dec 1866, Asleep on Duty
 Private William Flynn, 1st W.R., 28 Sep 1866, Drunkenness
 Private Charles Wheelwright, 1st W.R., 07 Nov 1866, Habitual Drunkenness
 Private Benjamin Wilkinson, 1st W.R., 12 Nov 1866, Disgraceful conduct, theft of watch from comrade
 Private R. Battey, 1st W.R., 18 Nov 1866, Drunk on Guard mounting & habitual
 Trooper Henry Floyd, W. Y. C., November 1866, Habitual Drunkenness
 Private L. G. Smith, 1st W.R., 30 Sep 1866, Drunk on duty & habitual
 Private John Wadsworth, 1st W.R., 04 Aug 1866, Habitual Drunkenness
 Private John Russell Nash, 1st W.R., 15 Oct 1866, Habitual Drunkenness
 Private Thomas Donnellan, 1st W.R., 11 Oct 1866, Allowing Prisoner to go to Canteen
 Private Thomas Hughes, 1st W.R., 11 Sep 1866, Drunk on Guard
 Corporal William McCourt, 1st W.R., 01 Oct 1866, Drunk on line of march
 Private Robert Thomas Pocklington, 1st W.R., 01 Oct 1866, Drunk on line of march
 Private Peter McCusker, 1st W.R., 01 Oct 1866, Drunk on line of march
 Sergeant James Donovan, 1st W.R., 04 Oct 1866, Neglect of Duty
 Private Robert Saxton, 09 Oct 1866, Habitual Drunkenness
 Private James Layther, Wanganui Rangers, 20 Oct 1866, Refusing to work when a Prisoner
 Private David Young, 1st W.R., 04 Sep 1866, Habitual Drunkenness
 Private Philip Pennell, 1st W.R., 26 Sep 1866, Drunk on Duty
 Sergeant Edmund Healy, 1st W.R., 09 Sep 1866, Absent for Guard Mounting & Drunkenness
 Sergeant Thomas McKenna, 1st W.R., 07 Aug 1866, Feigning sick when...
 Private Robert Purvis, Napier Militia, 02 Aug 1866, Theft of rum & found drunk
 Private John Tobin, -, 04 Aug 1866, Drunk on line of march & insubordinate
 Private George Gerrard, Wanganui Ranger, 06 Jul 1866, Drunk & mutinous language
 Private D. McMillan, 1st W.R., 03 Jul 1866, Drunk on Duty
 Private William Mawe, Military Settlers, 26 Aug 1866, Mutinous language

Private Tim Sheean, W.R., 04 Jul 1866, Drunk & insubordinate
Sergeant-Master Stagpole, W.R., 04 Jul 1866, Drunk on board 'Sturt'
Private Thomas Hoxton, W.R., 25 Jul 1866, Drunk & noisy & assault of Guard
Private Augustus Schwartz, -, 16 Jul 1866, Improper language to Officer
Private Michael Reilly, 1st W.R., 12 Jul 1866, Drunk on duty under Arms
Sergeant B. Atkinson, 1st W.R., 14 Jun 1866, Drunk on duty as Orderly Sergeant
Private Stephen Drygan, 1st W.R., 25 May, Drunk on duty & striking a prisoner in his charge
Srgt David Pellatt, Expeditionary Force, 15 Apr 1866, Drunk on duty & insubordinate language to Officer
Private William Bowman Johnson, 1st W.R., 26 Apr 1866, Drunk on duty & habitual
Lance-Sergeant J. Taylor, Mil. Settler, 20 Feb 1866, Striking Corporal Mayo
Corporal John Masters, Mil. Settler, 08 Jan 1866, Absence when on Escort

Private John Williamson (2), Mil. Settler, 09 Nov 1864, Drunk when brought before Court Martial, dismissed service

Private Philip Laing, T.M.S., November 1864, Insubordinate language to Officers
Private John Dawkins, T.M.S., 22 Sep 1864, Drunk on duty & habitual
Private Charles Edwards, T.S.S., 02 Nov 1864, Forcing sentry & striking Corporal
Private William White, Taranaki Militia, 08 Sep 1864, Drunk on duty & habitual
Private Samuel McCulley, Taranaki Militia, 28 Feb 1864, Drunk Parading for Guard
Private John F. Capper, Taranaki Militia, 28 Feb 1864, Insolent language to Officers
Private James... Somerville, Taranaki Militia, 09 Mar 1864, Presenting loaded rifle at Sergeant
Private Michael Quinn, 3rd W.R., September 1864, Improper language, Court martial not completed
Private Robert Millar, Com. T. C., 18 Jan 1864, Disobedience of orders & offering violence to Sergeant
Private James Nolan, Taranaki Militia, 25 Dec 1863 Abusive language &c &c
Private Robert Millar, L. T. C., 18 Jan 1864, Disobedience, abusive &c
Private William White, Taranaki Militia, 31 Aug 1864, Drunk on Duty
Private Thomas Butler, Taranaki Militia, 31 Aug 1864, Insubordinate conduct

White paper list – list of men tried by Courts Martial for given offences

Sergeant Alexander Airth Crime Sentence Date	Wellington Rifles Refusal to serve & insubordinate conduct Reduced and 12 months hard labour 27 Oct 1868
Constable Thomas Bailey Crime Sentence Date	No.6 Armed Constabulary Desertion 50 lashes and two years hard labour 22 Feb 1869
John Bertie Crime Sentence Date	Wellington Rifles Refusal to serve & insubordinate conduct Twelve months hard labour 27 Oct 1868
Mark Bianovitch Crime Sentence Date	Opotiki Volunteer Rangers Insubordination, refusal to carry <u>wounded</u> Three months hard labour 10 Feb 1868
John Burrows Crime Sentence Date	1 st W. R. Disgraceful conduct, theft Two months hard labour, Civil Prison 09 Mar 1866
Patrick Cullen Crime Sentence Date	Armed Constabulary Striking Sergeant 50 lashes and two years hard labour 25 Jan 1869
Gerard George Crime Sentence Date	Wanganui Rangers Drunk & mutinous Dismissed service 06 Jul 1866
James Hughes Crime Sentence Date	Wanganui Cavalry Insubordination, snapping pistol at Sergeant Major Three months hard labour, remitted 08 Jun 1869
Philip Laing Crime Sentence Date	Taranaki Military Settlers Insubordinate to Officers Dismissed service 06 Nov 1864
Joseph Lockett Crime Sentence Date	Armed Constabulary Disgraceful conduct, theft for comrades 365 days... hard labour & dismissed service 12 Jan 1869
John Marshall Crime Sentence Date	Armed Constabulary Disgraceful conduct, theft 365 days hard labour 03 Jan 1869

John McFadden	Wellington Rifles
Crime	Refusal to serve & insubordinate conduct
Sentence	Six months hard labour
Date	27 Oct 1868

Ezra Odell	Patea Yeomanry
Crime	Desertion
Sentence	25 lashes and six months hard labour
Date	28 Nov 1868
Comment	Is the same man as in 2 Waikato Regiment?

Benjamin Wilkinson	1 st W. R.
Crime	Theft from comrade
Sentence	168 days hard labour
Date	14 Nov 1866

James Wilson	Armed Constabulary
Crime	Insolent language
Sentence	365 days hard labour
Date	03 Jan 1869
