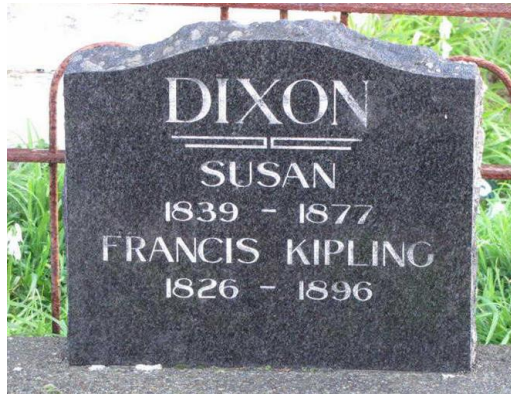


## Kiplings in New Zealand

The first Kipling to emigrate to **New Zealand** was probably James Kipling in 1912 although Francis Kipling Dixon was buried in 1896 at Bluff, Southland where he had been since about 1864 (he had previously been living at Ballarat in Australia). He was the son of Ruth Dixon (nee Kipling) of Baldersdale (see 'Kiplings of 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> century Baldersdale').



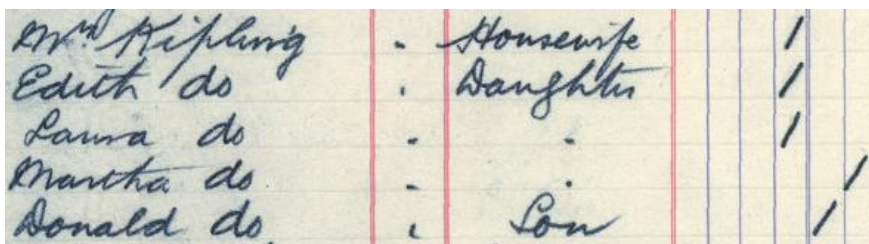
Also, author Rudyard Kipling briefly visited New Zealand in 1891. He had been hoping to go on to Tahiti to visit Robert Louis Stevenson but was unable to arrange a suitable ship.

### James Kipling

James was born at Yew Tree Farm, Hury, Baldersdale in 1870 and had been a railway guard in Leeds (1901). See 'Cragg 1911'. He departed London on the *Rotorua* in October 1910 bound for Wellington.<sup>1</sup>



Later on (departing February 1912) his family followed on the *Athenic*.



-Kipling, Amelia, Church Street, Northcote, married  
-Kipling, James, Church Street, Northcote, stoker  
Waitemata, Auckland, 1914.

James died in 1958 and Amelia in 1962.

---

<sup>1</sup> He was incorrectly entered on the 1911 census as present in Bradford when he was in fact working as a labourer at the Devonport Gas Works, New Zealand.

KIPLING James	88 yrs	died 18.5.1958	cremated 20.5.1958
21 View Road, Henderson	Retired		to Battersby 23.5.1958
KIPLING Amelia Ann	91 yrs	died 13.3.1962	cremated 16.3.1962
21 View Road, Henderson	Widow		to Battersby 16.4.1962

Waikumete Cemetery, Auckland.

### Martha Kipling

Daughter Martha obtained a junior scholarship in 1913.

<i>Junior National Scholarships Examination, 1913.</i>			
No.	Name.		Marks.
148.	Kipling, Martha	.. .. .	440

NZ Government Gazette 15 Jan 1914

Two years later, she passed her senior exams.

<i>Public Service Entrance, Senior National Scholarship, and Intermediate Examinations, 1915-16.—Senior Free Place Passes.</i>			
PART II.			
Kipling, Martha	..	..	Auckland.

NZ Government Gazette 29 Jan 1916

She then obtained a technical qualification in typing.

**TECHNICAL EDUCATION.**

**SEDDON MEMORIAL COLLEGE.**

**EXAMINATION RESULTS.**

The following students have passed the various examinations of the Seddon Memorial Technical College for the session 1916.—

**BUSINESS TRAINING DEPARTMENT.**

Typewriting.—First grade: Second-class  
 —Elizabeth S. Mansfield, Iris E. Jones,  
 Mary A. Courtney, Ellen Beresford, Myrtle  
 N M Douglas  
 —Martha Kipling. Second grade. First-class  
 E. Pearce, Elizabeth A. Stenberg, Agnes  
 McGregor

Auckland Star, 22 December 1916

Donald Kipling

## FINED FOR ASSAULTING TAXI-DRIVER

### ARREST IN CHRISTCHURCH

AUCKLAND. September 22.

Arrested in Christchurch on warrant and charged with assaulting **Donald Kipling**, a taxi-driver, at Auckland, on May 27 last, Frank John Hertz, alias Franklin John Smith, aged 39, appeared in the Magistrate's Court today.

The police said that the accused, who was known to the taxi-driver as "Dr. Hertz," engaged a taxi and drove to an hotel with some women, one of whom left the hotel under the influence of liquor. Hertz came out and accused the taxi-driver of having taken the girls away, and without provocation assaulted the driver.

The accused was later found at Christchurch, where he was engaged at a show hall.

Mr Hall Skelton, for Hertz, who pleaded guilty, said that the accused had been drinking rather heavily and did not remember assaulting the taxi-driver.

Mr F. K. Hunt, S.M., fined Hertz £5 in default one month's imprisonment.

*Press, 23 September 1936*

In 1937, Donald married Laura Zelina Atkinson.

Kipling, Donald, 106 Williamson Avenue, W.2, taxi driver.  
Kipling, Laura Zelina, 106 Williamson Avenue, W.2, married.

*Grey Lynn, Auckland, 1938*

\*Kipling, Donald, 106 Williamson Ave, taxi driver (GL)  
\*Kipling, Laura Zelina, 106 Williamson Ave, married (GL)

*1946. Arch Hill, Auckland*

Kipling, Donald, 141 Paihia Rd., SE5, car painter  
Kipling, Laura Zelina, 141 Paihia Rd., SE5 married

*1957. Onehunga, Auckland*

KIPLING Donald 141 Paihia Rd. Painter

*1969. Onehunga, Auckland*

**KIPLING, Donald**

141 Pahiā Road, Retired

*1978. Onehunga, Auckland*

Donald died in 1982 and was cremated at Purewa Cemetery. As far as I can discover, there was no surviving issue.

## James Henry

James Henry was the nephew of James Kipling above. He was the son of James's brother Joseph. In 1911, he had been a farm-worker at Kaber in Westmorland (see 'Cragg 1911'). He travelled to Australia with his brother John Robert in 1912 (see 'The Kiplings of Australia') and subsequently to New Zealand.

### **POLICE COURT NEWS.**

#### **THEFT AT SANATORIUM.**

The proceedings at the Police Court yesterday were presided over by Messrs. C. Norgrove and G. Roberts, J.P.'s.

A young man of 25, named Roy Darling, pleaded guilty to the theft of four guineas and a pair of boots, valued at 15s. The chief detective stated that the accused only recently came out from the Old Country. He was employed as a porter at the Cambridge Sanatorium. On February 28 the accused entered the room of James Henry Kipling, an occupant of the sanatorium, and stole the goods. The boots have since been recovered.

The accused was convicted, and remanded for a week for the probation officer's report.

#### **A BAD START.**

Roy Darling, a young man of about 25 years, admitted having stolen £4 4/ and a pair of tan boots belonging to James Henry Kipling.

Darling is a recent arrival from the Old Country, having been only a few months in the Dominion, and his antecedents, Chief-Detective McMahon stated, are unknown to the police. He was working as a porter at Cambridge Sanatorium, and on February 28th he went into Kipling's room and took the money and boots from a portmanteau.

Darling was remanded for a week to enable the Probation Officer to present a report on accused's conduct during his sojourn in the Dominion.

*New Zealand Herald, 14 March 1913*

*Auckland Star, 13 March 1913*

Kipling, James Henry, Kaukapakapa, farm labourer  
*Kaipara, Northland, 1914*

James Henry volunteered in the New Zealand Forces when war broke out.

#### **ALPHABETICAL ROLL OF NEW ZEALAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE, 1914-**

Reg. No.	Rank.	Name.	Body or Reinforcement Draft.	Unit or Regiment.	Single, Married, or Widower.
12/2754	Private ..	Kipling, James Henry ..	Sixth ..	Auckland Infantry Batln.	S.
Last New Zealand Address.		Military District.	Name and Address of Next-of-kin.		
Care of Mr. Morrison, "The Orchard," Kaukapakapa		Auckland	Joseph Kipling (father), Clockeld, Asley, Appleby, Westmorland, England.		

He served at Gallipoli and on the Somme. He was seriously wounded at Flers in late September 1916.

Unit	Rank	Surname	Christian Name	No.
Coast. I. Regt	Pte.	Kipling	James Henry	12/2454
Occupation: Farm Labourer	Religion: Rom. England	Last New Zealand address: Mr. Thomas De Vereaux, Kawakapa.		
Last employer: Government Sanatorium, Cambridge	1. 10. 1917			
Name, relationship, and address of next-of-kin (if not resident in New Zealand, insert also name and address of nearest relative in New Zealand):	Joseph Kipling, 6 Lockhead Ashley, Appley, Westmoreland, England.			
No. 12/2454 Rank: Pte. Name: James Henry Kipling Address: Woodside Ave. Northcote, Auckland.				Home Service: 146 Days Foreign Service: 372 Days Total Service: 518 Days
Service	Periods of Service: In New Zealand: 146 days Overseas: 1 year 272 days Total service: 2 years 53 days		Theatres of Operation: Australasian Egyptian 1915-16 Egyptian E.F. 1916 Balkan 1915 Western European 1916 Asiatic 1916	
Wounds	Date commenced duty: 7.4.15 Date finally discharged: 9.6.17			
Decorations: 1914-15 Star, BRITISH WAR MEDAL, VICTORY MEDAL				22.9.16 } 27.10.16 } 1.11.16 } 27.11.17 }
MEDAL ACTION COMPLETE The foregoing particulars are correct.				22.1.17 H.S. 8712.34
N.B. - Do not omit to advise this office of any future change of address.				

9. Date of origin of disability. Sept. 27th 1916.

10. Place of origin of disability. Flers.

11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.

Wounded by rifle bullet which entered left side of nose, traversed right orbit, exit below ext. canthus right eye. Almost total blindness followed.

### MEDICAL HISTORY OF

Surname Kipling Christian Name J.H.

<b>TABLE I - General Table.</b> Birthplace (Parish _____ County _____) Examined (on _____ day of _____ 1917 at _____) Declared Age _____ years _____ days Trade or Occupation _____ Height _____ feet _____ inches Weight _____ lbs. Chest Measurements (Chest when fully expanded _____ inches Range of Expansion _____ inches) Physical Development _____	<b>TABLE III - Boards; Courts of Enquiry, Vaccination, Inoculations, etc.; Examinations for Field or Foreign Service, Extension, Re-engagement, or Prolongation of Service; Issue of Surgical Appliances; Particulars of Dental Treatment, etc.</b> <table border="1"> <tr> <th>Date</th> <th>Brief Details and Signature</th> </tr> <tr> <td>Mo. 2, N.Z. General Hospital.</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Boarded.</td> <td>January 18th 1917.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Disability.</td> <td>Blindness right eye.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Finding.</td> <td>Return to New Zealand for discharge as permanently unfit.</td> </tr> </table>	Date	Brief Details and Signature	Mo. 2, N.Z. General Hospital.		Boarded.	January 18th 1917.	Disability.	Blindness right eye.	Finding.	Return to New Zealand for discharge as permanently unfit.
Date	Brief Details and Signature										
Mo. 2, N.Z. General Hospital.											
Boarded.	January 18th 1917.										
Disability.	Blindness right eye.										
Finding.	Return to New Zealand for discharge as permanently unfit.										

9. Date of origin of disability.	Sept. 27th 1916.
10. Place of origin of disability.	Flora.
11. Give concisely the essential facts of the history of the disability, noting entries on the Medical History Sheet bearing on the case.	Wounded by rifle bullet which entered left side of nose, traversed right orbit, exit below ext. canthus right eye. Almost total blindness followed.

He probably married Temperance Mary Charlton in 1918

**Injuries to his forehead were sustained yesterday morning by Mr. James Henry Kipling, of Woodside Avenue, Northcote, through being thrown violently against the waiting shed on the Northcote wharf. While riding down the approach toward the wharf, his motor-cycle got out of control. The alternative to riding over the end of the wharf was ramming the shed. The latter course was pursued, the seat outside the waiting room being badly smashed. The sufferer was taken to the Auckland Hospital.**

*New Zealand Herald, 21 April 1924*

They had a son, Arthur William, and three daughters: Jean Elizabeth, Gladys Lillian and Winifred Mary (who graduated BHSc from Otago University in 1947).

Kipling, James Henry, Woodside avenue, Northcote, carpenter  
 Kipling, Temperance Mary, Woodside avenue, Northcote, married  
 1928. Waitemata, Auckland

Kipling, Gladys Lillian, Taupaki, spinster  
 Kipling, James Henry, Kumeu Rd., Taupaki, farmer  
 Kipling, Joan Elizabeth, Taupaki, spinster  
 Kipling, Temperance Mary, Kumeu Rd., Taupaki, married  
 1949. Rodney, Auckland

Kipling, Joan Elizabeth, Waiotira Junction, spinster.  
 1949. Northland, Marsden

KIPLING Temperance Mary	52 years	died 17.4.1951	cremated 19.4.1951
Taupaki		Home Duties	to Sibuns 20.4.1951

*Waikumete Cemetery, Auckland.*

- Kipling, Gladys Lillian, Taupaki, spinster
- Kipling, James Henry, Kumeu Rd., Taupaki, farmer
- Kipling, Joan Elizabeth, Taupaki R.D., spinster
- Kipling, Winnifred Mary, Taupaki, teacher

1954, Rodney, Auckland

James later remarried (to Charlotte Phoebe Woods) and son Arthur William and his wife Johanna were living with them in 1963.

- 31—\*Kipling, Arthur William, RNZAF, Hobsonville, airman
- 32— Kipling, Charlotte Phoebe, Taupaki, married
- 33— Kipling, James Henry, Taupaki, farmer
- 34—\*Kipling, Johannna Stanley, RNZAF, Hobsonville, married

Rodney, Auckland 1963

<b>KIPLING James Henry</b>	75 yrs	died 9.4.1968	cremated 11.4.1968
Station Road, Waitakere	Farmer		to Tongue 18.4.1968

Waikumete Cemetery, Auckland.

-Kipling, Charlotte P., Station Rd, housewife

Rodney, Auckland 1969

**KIPLING, Charlotte Phoebe** ..... **Waitakere Road, Waitakere, Retired**

1981, Helensville, Auckland



Kumeu cemetery, Auckland

**Arthur William**

**OUT-GOING PASSENGERS**

Name of Ship T.S.S. "CAPTAIN COOK" - 9 - Date of Departure 17th JUNE 1969  
 Owners MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT Where Bound NEW ZEALAND

NAMES AND DESCRIPTIONS OF **BRITISH COMMONWEALTH AND IRISH REPUBLICAN** PASSENGERS EMBARKED AT THE PORT OF GLASGOW

(1) Contract Ticket Number	(2) Names of Passengers (Surname first)	(3) Class of Travel	(4) Port at which Passengers have contracted to land	(5) Sex (M or F)	(6) Date of Birth			(7) Married or Single (widowed or divorced to be entered as single)	(8) Address in the United Kingdom	(9) Occupation (i.e., Profession, calling, or kind of work done rather than industry in which engaged)	(10) Country of which a citizen as shown on Passport. (If citizen of U.K. and Colonies state also country of issue of passport)	(11) Country of last permanent residence*  (Residence for more than 12 months)	(12) Country of intended future permanent residence*
					Adults of 12 years and over	Children between 1 and 12 years	Infants under 1 year						
58270 ✓	KIPLING Mrs. Johanna S.	F		F	25.11.18			M. c/o 11 Dene Drive Prior Park Tweedmouth Berwick on Tweed North'd	HOUSEWIFE 15/4	U.K.	U.K.		
✓	Miss Margaret	F		F	27.4.42			"	"	"	"	"	
✓	Mr. Peter	M		M	30.1.46			"	"	"	"	"	

**KIPLING Arthur W. 42 Parkinson Av. RNZAF (R)**  
**KIPLING Johanna S. 42 Parkinson Av. Clerk (R)**

1969, Roskill, Auckland

**KIPLING Arthur W 42 Parkinson Ave Section Head**  
**KIPLING Johanna S 42 Parkinson Ave H/wife**

1972, Roskill, Auckland

At Peace Now JOHNANNA STANLEY KIPLING 25 November 1918 - 2 May 1993  
 We loved you Plot 89  
 Waikumete Cemetery, Auckland.

**KIPLING, Arthur William .....5/58 Ferndale Road, Retired**

1981 Otahuhu, Auckland

## Ernest John Kipling

Ernest arrived aboard the *Captain Hobson* in 1958.

Kipling Ernest J. " " " # 22.5.31 S 83 Old Barn Way, Southwick, Sussex. Decorator

**KIPLING Ernest J. 5 Cunningham Rd. Upper Hutt, sign wtr**

1963. Heretaunga, Wellington

He died at Upper Hutt in 1965.

He had been born at Southwick in Sussex in 1931 and was the son of George Kipling and Sissy (sic) Lelliott of the 'Notts' Kipling family group.

## Others

All three records below are mistranscribed and should be 'Kissling'. Mary Eliza Haultain had married William Henry Kissling in 1869. He died in 1879. Agnes and Mabel were their daughters.

**Name:** Agnes Mary Schwartz Kipling

**Birth Date:** Jul-Aug-Sep 1875

**Registration Place:** Auckland, New Zealand

## **Marriage**

**MACKELLAR — KIPLING** — On Saturday, March 28, 1885, at St. Mark's, Wellington, by the Rev. R. Coldey Edwards, Edward D. M. Mackellar, M.D., to Mary Eliza **Kipling** daughter of Colonel F. M. Haultain, Auckland.

*Auckland Star, Volume XXVI, Issue 6021, 31 March 1885*

**Registration number** 1890/2179

**Record set** New Zealand Marriage Index

**First name(s)** Mabel Evansen

**Last name** Kipling

**Registration year** 1890

**Spouse's first name(s)** Thomas

**Spouse's last name** Charter

**Country** New Zealand