

INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM THE VICTORIAN POLICE GAZETTE 1953			
CHILDREN WHO ABSCONDED FROM ORPHANAGES/CHILDRENS HOMES & FOSTER CARE			
<u>Name</u>	<u>Church & Charity Orphanages/Homes</u>	<u>Escaped on</u>	<u>Age</u>
<i>David</i>	<i>Ballarat Orphanage, Ballarat</i>	<i>29.09.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
	Total = 1		
<i>William</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>04.04.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Austin</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>04.04.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Daniel</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>04.04.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Daryl</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>25.05.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>William</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>31.05.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>John</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>31.05.53</i>	<i>16-1/2 years</i>
<i>James</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>18.07.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>John</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>06.09.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Ronald</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>06.09.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Raymond</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>06.09.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>John</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>06.09.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Garry</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>06.09.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Frederick</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>01.11.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>William</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>27.12.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>John</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>27.12.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Kevin</i>	<i>Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington</i>	<i>27.12.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
	Total = 16		
<i>Leslie</i>	<i>St. Augustine's Orphanage, Highton Geelong</i>	<i>12.01.53</i>	<i>12 years</i>
<i>William</i>	<i>St. Augustine's Orphanage, Highton Geelong</i>	<i>17.01.53</i>	<i>14 years</i>
<i>John</i>	<i>St. Augustine's Orphanage, Highton Geelong</i>	<i>04.03.53</i>	<i>13 years</i>
<i>Brian</i>	<i>St. Augustine's Orphanage, Highton Geelong</i>	<i>04.03.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>

Stanley	<i>St. Augustine's Orphanage, Highton Geelong</i>	<i>12.06.53</i>	<i>13 years</i>
Richard	<i>St. Augustine's Orphanage, Highton Geelong</i>	<i>14.10.53</i>	<i>14 years</i>
	Total = 6		
John	<i>St. Vincent De Paul's Boys', Sth Melbourne</i>	<i>17.01.53</i>	<i>13 years</i>
Louis	<i>St. Vincent De Paul's Boys', Sth Melbourne</i>	<i>17.01.53</i>	<i>13 years</i>
Zbigniw	<i>St. Vincent De Paul's Boys', Sth Melbourne</i>	<i>11.03.53</i>	<i>12 years</i>
	Total = 3		
Doreen	<i>Elizabeth Fry Retreat, Sth Yarra</i>	<i>06.06.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
	Total = 1		
John	<i>Gordon Boys' Home</i>	<i>13.07.53</i>	<i>11 years</i>
	Total = 1		
Albert	<i>Salvation Army Boys' Home, Bayswater</i>	<i>30.04.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
	Total = 1		
Robert	<i>St John's Boys' Home, Canterbury</i>	<i>21.12.53</i>	<i>14 years</i>
	Total = 1		
Evelyn	<i>St. Aiden's Orphanage, Bendigo</i>	<i>07.02.53</i>	<i>13 years</i>
	Total - 1		
Shirley	<i>St. Catherines Orphange, Highton Geelong</i>	<i>24.08.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
	Total = 1		
Ada	<i>Swinborne Lodge, Sth Yarra</i>	<i>12.10.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
	Total = 1		

<i>Malcolm</i>	<i>Tally Ho Boys' Home</i>	<i>05.01.53</i>	<i>14 years</i>
<i>Athol</i>	<i>Tally Ho Boys' Home</i>	<i>09.01.53</i>	<i>13 years</i>
<i>Alan</i>	<i>Tally Ho Boys' Home</i>	<i>18.02.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Brian</i>	<i>Tally Ho Boys' Home</i>	<i>06.06.53</i>	<i>14 years</i>
	Total = 4		
	<u>State Run Orphanages/Homes</u>		
<i>James</i>	<i>Royal Park Boys' Depot</i>	<i>24.01.53</i>	<i>14 years</i>
<i>Ronald</i>	<i>Royal Park Boys' Depot</i>	<i>12.10.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Richard</i>	<i>Royal Park Boys' Depot</i>	<i>28.11.53</i>	<i>14 years</i>
	Total = 3		
<i>Brian</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>26.12.52</i>	<i>14 years</i>
<i>Leslie</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>26.12.52</i>	<i>13 years</i>
<i>Robert</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>26.12.52</i>	<i>13 years</i>
<i>Albert</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>28.12.52</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Daniel</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>26.12.52</i>	<i>14 years</i>
<i>Barry</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>13.12.52</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>John</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>22.01.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Gordon</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>19.02.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Arthur</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>22.12.52</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Freda</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>23.02.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Keith</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>24.02.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>George</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>22.03.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>James</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>13.03.53</i>	<i>14 years</i>
<i>Henry</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>26.03.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Raymond</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>25.03.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Kevin</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>22.03.53</i>	<i>14 years</i>
<i>Colin</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>22.03.54</i>	<i>17 years</i>

<i>Geoffrey</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>22.03.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Albert</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>29.03.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Frank</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>09.04.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Graham</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>09.04.54</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>John</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>09.04.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Kevin</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>08.04.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Donald</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>09.04.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Neville</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>28.04.53</i>	<i>13 years</i>
<i>Douglas</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>15.04.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>William</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>27.03.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Barry</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>22.05.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Allen</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>05.06.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Raymond</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>08.06.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Allen</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>08.06.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Leslie</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>15.06.63</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>James</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>15.06.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Norman</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>24.06.53</i>	<i>18 years</i>
<i>Robert</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>23.06.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Kevin</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>23.06.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Keith</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>29.06.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Leonard</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>26.07.53</i>	<i>13 years</i>
<i>Albert</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>04.08.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Reginald</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>16.08.53</i>	<i>13 years</i>
<i>George</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>27.07.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Kenneth</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>21.08.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Douglas</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>25.08.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Lloyd</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>25.08.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Jeffrey</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>06.09.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Karl</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>08.09.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Robert</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>06.09.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>

<i>Desmond</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>05.09.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Albert</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>30.09.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Robert</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>27.09.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Allan</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>11.10.53</i>	<i>10 years</i>
<i>Raymond</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>26.10.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Leslie</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>08.10.53</i>	<i>13 years</i>
<i>Kevin</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>30.11.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Karl</i>	<i>State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>24.12.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
	Total = 55		
<i>Bernard</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>09.10.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Alan</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>26.01.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Beverley</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>17.07.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Violet</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>02.03.53</i>	<i>14 years</i>
<i>Shirley</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>16.07.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Percy</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>12.12.52</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>George</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>09.01.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Gloria</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>25.10.51</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>James</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>08.02.53</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Ronald</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>04.01.53</i>	<i>14 years</i>
<i>Eva</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>12.03.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Colin</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>04.07.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Barbara</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>13.03.53</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Joan</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>25.02.53</i>	<i>19 years</i>
<i>Marina</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>26.12.52</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Wanda</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>26.01.53</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Doris</i>	<i>Foster Care - State Ward of Victoria</i>	<i>01.07.53</i>	<i>18 years</i>
	Total = 17		
<i>Lindsay</i>	<i>Pleasant Creek Special School</i>	<i>16.01.53</i>	<i>14 years</i>

	Total = 1		
	TOTAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN THAT ABSCONDED IN 1953 = 113		
	AGE OF YOUNGEST CHILD THAT ABSCONDED - 10 YEARS		