

INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM THE VICTORIAN POLICE GAZETTE 1954			
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>
Robert	St.John's Boys' Home, Canterbury	21.12.53	14 years
	<u>Total = 1</u>		
Esma	"The Harbour" Salvation Army Hostel, Cohuna St, Brunswick	28.10.54	15 years
	<u>Total = 1</u>		
Thomas	Lyndon Lodge Salvation Army Hostel Auburn	26.03.54	16 years
	<u>Total = 1</u>		
Barry	Salvation Army Boys' Home, Boronia	30.01.54	17 years
Barry	Salvation Army Boys' Home, Boronia	13.02.54	17 years
Francis	Salvation Army Boys' Home, Boronia	17.05.54	17 years
	<u>Total = 3</u>		
Valerie	Home of the Good Shepherd, Abbotsford	11.04.54	14 years
	<u>Total = 1</u>		
Sylvia	Home of the Good Shepherd, Collingwood	21.01.54	15 years
	<u>Total = 1</u>		
William	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	27.12.53	15 years
John	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	27.12.53	17 years
Kevin	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	27.12.53	17 years
John	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	09.01.54	16 years
Maxwell	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	24.01.54	17 years

Vaclovas	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	24.01.54	16 years
Harvey	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	24.01.54	16 years
Garry	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	11.02.54	16 years
Kenneth	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	18.02.54	17 years
Garry	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	22.02.54	15 years
Brian	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	22.02.54	17 years
Bernard	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	01.03.54	16 years
Noel	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	01.03.54	18 years
Peter	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	20.03.54	17 years
Robert	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	20.03.54	16 years
Wallace	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	27.03.54	17 years
Brian	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	27.03.54	17 years
Leon	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	05.05.54	17 years
John	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	22.05.54	16 years
Kenneth	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	22.05.54	14 years
Ronald	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	05.05.54	16 years
David	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	22.05.54	15 years
Robert	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	10.08.54	14 years
Gerald	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	31.07.54	16 years
Colin	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	10.10.54	17 years
Basil	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	10.10.54	
Michael	Morning Star Boys' Home, Mornington	29.11.54	14 years
	<u>Total = 27</u>		
Donald	Mission of St. James and John	22.02.54	13 years
	<u>Total = 1</u>		
Matthew	St. Augustine's Orphanage, Highton Geelong	15.02.54	13 years
George	St. Augustine's Orphanage, Highton Geelong	16.02.54	13 years
Alfred	St. Augustine's Orphanage, Highton Geelong	15.02.54	12 years

Robert	St. Augustine's Orphanage, Highton Geelong	30.01.54	14 years
William	St. Augustine's Orphanage, Highton Geelong	25.02.54	15 years
Kevin	St. Augustine's Orphanage, Highton Geelong	14.02.54	13 years
Edward	St. Augustine's Orphanage, Highton Geelong	29.01.54	12 years
Zbigniew	St. Augustine's Orphanage, Highton Geelong	27.05.54	12 years
	<u>Total = 8</u>		
Peter	Tally Ho Boys' Home, Burwood	16.11.54	15 years
	<u>Total = 1</u>		
	<u>State Run Homes & Orphanages</u>		
Karl	C.W.D. - State Ward	24.12.53	15 years
Lawrence	C.W.D. - State Ward	08.01.54	16 years
Graham	C.W.D. - State Ward	08.01.54	15 years
Francis	Ward of the State	25.02.54	16 years
Norval	C.W.D. - State Ward	28.02.54	15 years
George	C.W.D. - State Ward	07.03.54	13 years
Raymond	C.W.D. - State Ward	04.03.54	17 years
Bruce	C.W.D. - State Ward	05.03.54	17 years
Brian	C.W.D. - State Ward	20.03.54	17 years
Robert	C.W.D. - State Ward	03.04.54	17 years
Brian	C.W.D. - State Ward	05.04.54	17 years
George	C.W.D. - State Ward	11.04.54	15 years
Albert	C.W.D. - State Ward	11.04.54	17 years
Ronald	C.W.D. - State Ward	14.04.54	15 years
Geoffrey	C.W.D. - State Ward	28.04.54	15 years
Desmond	C.W.D. - State Ward	14.05.54	15 years
Donald	C.W.D. - State Ward	13.05.54	15 years
Graham	C.W.D. - State Ward	09.05.54	17 years

Keith	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>14.05.54</i>	<i>16 years</i>
Ronald	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>13.05.54</i>	<i>15 years</i>
Ronald	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>24.05.54</i>	<i>15 years</i>
Kevin	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>24.05.54</i>	<i>17 years</i>
Victor	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>29.05.54</i>	<i>12 years</i>
George	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>11.07.54</i>	<i>15 years</i>
Ronald	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>11.07.54</i>	<i>15 years</i>
Bruce	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>11.07.54</i>	<i>15 years</i>
Leonard	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>31.07.54</i>	<i>14 years</i>
Barbara	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>20.09.54</i>	<i>16 years</i>
William	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>23.09.54</i>	<i>18 years</i>
Raymond	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>27.09.54</i>	<i>16 years</i>
Peter	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>29.09.54</i>	<i>17 years</i>
Ronald	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>27.09.54</i>	<i>17 years</i>
Barry	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>29.09.54</i>	<i>16 years</i>
Francis	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>29.09.54</i>	<i>17 years</i>
Kevin	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>29.09.54</i>	<i>13 years</i>
Graeme	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>22.10.54</i>	<i>14 years</i>
Alan	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>03.11.54</i>	<i>15 years</i>
John	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>11.11.54</i>	<i>16 years</i>
Rex	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>03.11.54</i>	<i>15 years</i>
Paul	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>11.11.54</i>	<i>17 years</i>
Barbara	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>21.11.54</i>	<i>16 years</i>
Donald	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>22.11.54</i>	<i>14 years</i>
Edward	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>22.11.54</i>	<i>15 years</i>
George	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>04.11.54</i>	<i>15 years</i>
Lawrance	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>22.11.54</i>	<i>14 years</i>
George	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>22.11.54</i>	<i>14 years</i>
Graham	<i>C.W.D. - State Ward</i>	<i>12.12.54</i>	
	<u>Total = 47</u>		

<i>Gordon</i>	<i>C/- 18 Mitchell Street, Brunswick</i>	<i>01.03.54</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Dorothy</i>	<i>C/- 5 Oberon Ave, Hawthorn</i>	<i>11.06.53</i>	<i>14 years</i>
<i>Vida</i>	<i>C/- 9 Seaview Cresc., Seaholme</i>	<i>28.08.54</i>	<i>17 years</i>
<i>Allan</i>	<i>C/- Austin Podger, Kolara</i>	<i>15.03.54</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Cecelia</i>	<i>C/- Dalyston</i>	<i>03.12.54</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Dorothy</i>	<i>C/- Martin Street, Belgrave</i>	<i>26.08.54</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Barry</i>	<i>C/- Mary Elizabeth Pollard, "Sherbrooke Lodge" Sherbrooke</i>	<i>14.04.54</i>	<i>16 years</i>
<i>Elizabeth</i>	<i>C/- Mercy Hospital</i>	<i>05.01.54</i>	<i>16 years</i>
	<u>Total = 8</u>		
<i>Louis</i>	<i>Park Royal Boys' Depot</i>	<i>16.03.54</i>	<i>14 years</i>
<i>Richard</i>	<i>Royal Park Boys' Depot</i>	<i>28.11.53</i>	<i>14 years</i>
<i>George</i>	<i>Royal Park Boys' Depot</i>	<i>26.04.54</i>	<i>13 years</i>
<i>George</i>	<i>Royal Park Boys' Depot</i>	<i>29.09.54</i>	<i>14 years</i>
<i>Leslie</i>	<i>Royal Park Boys' Depot</i>	<i>26.10.54</i>	<i>15 years</i>
<i>Barry</i>	<i>Royal Park Boys' Depot</i>	<i>10.11.54</i>	<i>14 years</i>
<i>Lowan</i>	<i>Royal Park Boys' Depot</i>	<i>29.11.54</i>	<i>9 years</i>
	<u>Total = 7</u>		
<i>TOTAL NUMBER OF CHILDREN THAT ABSCONDED = 107</i>			
<i>AGE OF YOUNGEST CHILD THAT ABSCONDED = 9 YEARS</i>			