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**SOCIAL SERVICE, SOCIAL JUSTICE OR A MATTER  
OF FAITH?**

**THE PALMERSTON NORTH  
METHODIST SOCIAL SERVICE CENTRE  
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## **Abbreviations:**

<i>AJHR</i>	Appendices to the Journal of the House of Representatives
CSC	Community Services Council
MSSC	Methodist Social Service Centre
NZCOSS	New Zealand Council of Social Services
NZCCSS	New Zealand Council of Christian Social Services
NZFVWO	New Zealand Federation of Voluntary Welfare Organisations
NZJH	New Zealand Journal of History
NZMSSA/MSSA	New Zealand Methodist Social Services Association
NZPARS/PARS	New Zealand Prisoners' Aid and Rehabilitation Society
PNCC	Palmerston North City Council/Corporation

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