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TWO NOTABLE ADDITIONS TO THE MUNICIPAL ART GALLERY.

Two new pictures will be added to the Auckland Art Gallery on the occasion of its reopening on January 25. Mr. David Goldie presented the large canvas "Christ in the Temple," the work of his son, Mr. C. F. Goldie. The second picture is Mr. Kenneth Watkins' "The Legend," which has been given by Messrs. S. Yule and Sons. In the upper half of the above page is a reproduction of "The Legend," in which Mr. Watkins has treated the story of the Maori's advent in an idyllic manner, and represents the voyagers arriving at the shores of New Zealand in mid-summer, with the pohutukawa in full bloom and the sun sleeping under cloudless skies. The bottom half of the page depicts Mr. Goldie's canvas, "Christ in the Temple." It is a large picture, measuring 72in. by 51in., and is without question the finest figure painting that has ever been done in New Zealand.