

Notes on Manuscript Accessions

A SELECTIVE LIST OF ACQUISITIONS,
JULY TO DECEMBER 1980

Acquisitions of manuscripts are listed selectively in the *Turnbull Library Record* to alert scholars to newly acquired material judged to be of research value. For items marked 'Access subject to sorting' or 'Restricted' the Library would welcome notification that access will be sought, preferably with an indication of a likely date. This will help the staff in establishing priorities for sorting collections. The following list updates the Notes in the *Record* for May 1981. Material produced by the Pacific Manuscripts Bureau and the Australian Joint Copying Project is not listed except for items copied under the latter's Miscellaneous series.

AMERY, COLIN. *The Last Bastion, 1978*. 193 1. DONATION.

Unpublished manuscript, a chronicle of the seige of Bastion Point, May 1978, and subsequent court proceedings. Photocopy.

BERTRAM, JAMES MUNRO, b. 1910. *Literary papers, ca. 1950-1980*. 50 cm. DONATION.

Editor's annotated typescripts of *The Letters of Thomas Arnold the younger, 1850-1890*, copies of letters, notes and related correspondence.

Restricted.

BIBLE SOCIETY IN NEW ZEALAND. *Records, 1917-1970*. ca. 7 m. DONATION.

Minute books, 1917-1966; Account books, 1943-1970; Correspondence files, 1940-1971; Branch correspondence and returns 1934-1970; Maori Bible files, 1922-1964; Legacies, 1914-1969; London and overseas correspondence, 1949-1965. Files of the *Bible Translator*, 1949-1963; *United Bible Societies Bulletin*, 1953-1970.

BODY, JACK (JOHN STANLEY), b. 1944. *Additional music scores, 1966, 1970*. 2 items. DONATION.

BOWIE, RONALD, b. 1907. *Papers, 1937-1976*. 33 items. DONATION.

Producer's annotated copies of plays presented in Auckland, Wellington and elsewhere by repertory and other theatre groups, programmes, photos and review material.

BURNETT FAMILY. *Papers, 1850-1871*. 10 cm. DONATION: Miss A. Burnett, Wellington.

Letters from George Burnett in Auckland, and James Burnett, surveyor, from Auckland, Nelson, Whangarei and the Grey River, to their family in England.

Canterbury Pre-Adamite Settlers Rolls, ca. 1978. 400 1. DONATION: Mrs A. Mee, Christchurch.

Alphabetical roll of settlers who arrived in Canterbury prior to the arrival of *Charlotte Jane*, 16 December 1850, compiled by Mrs Mee and her committee for Christchurch City Council. Photocopy.

CODRINGTON, ROBERT HENRY, 1830-1922. *Papers, 1867-1882*. 2 reels. PURCHASE.

Letters and journals whilst serving with Melanesian Mission as headmaster of St Barnabas' College, Norfolk Island, 1867-1881; includes journals of trips around the islands, 1872, and Australasia in 1880 with detailed descriptions of flora, fauna.