## Notes on Manuscript Accessions

## A SELECTIVE LIST OF ACQUISITIONS, JANUARY TO JUNE 1978

Acquisitions of manuscripts are listed selectively in the *Turnbull Library Record* to alert scholars to newly acquired materials judged to be of research value. For items marked 'Access subject to sorting' or 'Restricted access' the Library would welcome notification that access will be sought, preferably with an indication of a likely date. This will assist staff in establishing priorities for sorting collections. The following list updates the Notes in the *Record* for October 1978. Material produced by the Pacific Manuscripts Bureau and the Australian Joint Copying Project is not listed.

Further collections transferred from General Assembly Library which have been processed are included in this list. The papers of Sir Julius Vogel, Hon. W. Rolleston, Hon. M. Moohan and Mr J.J. Maher together with Richmond-Atkin-

son family papers are not yet available to researchers.

AMALGAMATED SOCIETY OF CARPENTERS AND JOINERS. *Records*, 1875–1933. 1m. DONATION. Wellington branch minute books, 1875–1919, secretary's reports, 1929–1933, Procession Committee, 1897–1901; South Wellington minute books, 1909–1917; Central branch—contributions, Management committee minutes, 1911–1913. New Zealand Labour Party minute book, 1910–1913. *Access subject to sorting*.

ANTHONY, FRANK SHELDON, 1891–1927. Papers, 1905—1940. ca. 1m. LONG TERM LOAN: Mr B.W. Ewing, New Plymouth. Literary papers, 1899–1925, manuscripts and typescripts, reviews, 1936–1937, correspondence file, 1936–1940, farm records, 1919–1923.

Access subject to sorting and restriction.

BEALE, BERNARD CHARLES. *Petition, 29 July 1876.* 4 1. PURCHASE. Petition to Minister of Justice alleging prejudiced judgement by W.N. Searancke, Resident Magistrate, Waikato.

BEAUCHAMP FAMILY. Papers, 1906–1918, 1935. 48 Items. DONATION: Mrs J. Renshaw, Cirencester, and Professor I.A. Gordon, Wellington.

Letters of Leslie H. Beauchamp, 1906–1915, mostly written while serving with British Army, 1914–1915, family letters written after his death, letters and telegrams of condolence; includes letters of and relating to Katherine Mansfield. BBC script *This great family. Christmas day*, 1935.

BETT DUNCAN GALLERY. *Records*, 1968–1977. 2m. DONATION: Mrs E. Bett, Wellington.

Includes catalogues, account books, mailing lists, correspondence and clippings.

BOMFORD, G. FREDERICK. *Inwards letters*, 1860–1864, 1944. 6 items. DONATION: Miss N. Crease, Solihull, England.

Three letters of Walter Sisam, schoolmaster, later market gardener in Auckland district, member of Volunteer Reserve, reflect settlers' attitude to Grey and Selwyn, opinion of Maoris and their fighting methods, Baptist Church activities,

growth of Auckland, 1863-1864.