MANTELL, GIDEON ALGERNON, 1790–1852. Letters to James Sowerby, 1813–1839. 22 items. DONATION: British Museum (Natural History), London.

Concern the exchange of fossil specimens, and common interest in natural history. Photocopies.

MARSDEN, SAMUEL, 1765–1838. Letters, 1823–1824. 2 items. DONATION: Mr C. Athol Williams, Hastings.

To Hongi Hika from Paihia, 11 November 1823, 'you were amongst the first of my New Zealand friends'; and from Parramatta, 26 July 1824, announcing arrival of Richard Davis to 'teach your people to plough and grow wheat'.

MATAMAU CEMETERY. *Records, 1901–1939, 1980.* 16 l. DONATION: Mr W. B. Kivi, Auckland.

Minute book of the Board of Trustees of Matamau Cemetery, 1901–1939; list of headstone inscriptions.

MEE, JOHN, 1837–1916. *Diary, 1863–1864*. 60 l. DONATION: Mrs L. J. Sims, Waikanae.

Shipboard diary kept on voyage of barque *Alpaca* from London to Lyttelton, 2 September, 1863–26 January, 1864, with first impressions of life in Christchurch. Photocopy of typescript.

MODERN DANCE COMPANY OF NEW ZEALAND. Records, 1972–1975. 2 cm. DONATION.

Includes minutes of committee meetings, 1973–1975, financial records, 1974–1975 programmes and publicity material, paper on the development of modern dance in New Zealand by H. Woolley, 1972.

MOORE FAMILY. Letters, 1890, 1894. 7 items. DONATION: Mrs J. Forbes, Wellington.

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Executive and general minutes, reports, correspondence. Restricted.

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Edited transcripts of interviews with women from environs of Brooklyn exhibiting in display held in conjunction with a Women's Day which took the form of workshops in the creative arts held at Brooklyn Community Centre, 2 May 1981.

NEW ZEALAND FORESTRY LEAGUE. *Records*, 1914–1940. 10 cm. DONATION: Mrs L. McKinnon, Otaki.

Mainly correspondence of Sir James Wilson, founding President of the League set up to promote husbanding of forest resources, related minutes, reports and printed matter. Includes amended typescripts of papers on forestry matters by Mrs McKinnon, some published by New Zealand Forestry Service.

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Records of cemeteries in Otago, dating from 1846.

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Musical compositions (some photocopies).