

Notes on Art Accessions

A SELECTIVE LIST OF ACQUISITIONS, JUNE 1980 TO DECEMBER 1981

Acquisitions of art pieces are listed selectively in the *Turnbull Library Record* to alert scholars to newly acquired material judged to be of research value. The following list updates the 'Notes on Art Accessions' in the *Record* for October 1980. Only original works and significant engravings and prints are included: photo-mechanical prints recently published are excluded.

ARTIST UNKNOWN. *Ahia, chief of Cloudy Bay, New Zealand, taken from life* [184-?] Watercolour 26.8 × 20.3 cm. PURCHASE.

——— *Feedee, a New Zealand chief from the province of Howdruckee . . . Printed by G. C. Engelmann & Co. [Mulhouse, 183-?]* Lith. (hand-col.) 24.4 × 21.4 cm. PURCHASE.

——— [*Leaves from a South Canterbury sketchbook. 187-?*] 6 watercolours on sheets 16.3 × 26.4 cm. Scenes include Timaru and the race-course at Geraldine. Attributions to Emily Weddell Harper or to Frances Brunton have been suggested. PURCHASE.

——— [*Record of a visit to New Zealand*] 1864. 11 watercolours, various sizes. New Zealand views include Auckland harbour, St Stephen's Chapel at Judge's Bay, the Waikato River at Meremere. Other sketches record the homeward voyage on board the *Royal Dane*. PURCHASE.

——— *S. S. Rangatira passing White Island* [187-?] Pencil on tracing paper 13.7 × 21.9 cm. PURCHASE.

——— *The Weka Rail: Ocydromus australis* [London? ca. 1875?] Col. lith. 23.7 × 34.4 cm. PURCHASE.

AUBREY, CHRISTOPHER. *Mokau River* [ca. 1895] Pencil & watercolour 19.4 × 37.3 cm. DONATION: Mrs E. M. McDonald, per Mrs J. Caudwell, Waikanae.

[BELL, SIR FRANCIS DILLON] 1822–1898. *View of Mount Egmont from about three miles from Waokena, January 1845.*

Watercolour 15.5 × 22.2 cm. DONATION: Mr W. F. Airey, Lower Hutt.

C.E.C. *St Thomas Church—Tamaki* [185-?] Pencil & watercolour 20.4 × 38 cm. Signed: C.E.C. PURCHASE.

CLERE, FREDERICK DE JERSEY, 1856–1952. *Seddon memorial, Wellington. 1927 & 1949.*

2 watercolours, each 25 × 17.5 cm. DONATION: Mr David Luke, Wellington.

COLLINSON, FERGUS MacPHERSON, b. 1948. *Bread is bread . . . salt is salt . . .* [1975] Pencil 45.6 × 30.2 cm. Portrait of Hone Tuwhare.

——— *Hone and Murray and Fergy . . .* [1976] Coloured pencil 37.6 × 55 cm. Group portrait of the artist with Hone Tuwhare, Mary Paul & Murray Edmond. PURCHASE.