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By G. A. H. Helson, M.Sc.(HONS), M.N.Z.I.A.S.

195 p. \$2

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INTRODUCTION AND LIBERATION OF THE OPOSSUM INTO NEW ZEALAND

By L. T. Pracy

28 p., with fold-out map 1974. \$1.20

Introduction of the opossum to New Zealand from Australia was about 1840. This publication is a summary of collected data and records on the liberation points and other information, in the hope of obtaining a better understanding of the opossum, such as pattern spread, distribution, and the effect on the habitat. (New Zealand Forest Service.)

AN INTRODUCTION TO TRAINING METHODS

26 p., revised and reset 1975. \$1

There are many people who may be called on to train staff and this booklet has been prepared as a guide and deals with methods, technique, and aids which can be used in training programmes. (State Services Commission.)

JOINT COMMITTEE REPORTS ON YOUNG OFFENDERS

1975.

Resulting from a major longitudinal study into the social adjustment of New Zealand boys, the following reports seek to answer the question: "To what extent is it possible to predict from specific information collected at the age of ten those boys who will later become delinquent or show other signs of maladjustments."

RESEARCH REPORT No. 1

The Structure of the Bristol Social Adjustment Guide. \$2.75

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RESEARCH REPORT No. 2

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The Effects of Race and Socio-Economic Status on Juvenile Offending Statistics.

RESEARCH REPORT No. 3

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The Prediction of Juvenile Offending: A New Zealand Study.

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