

As this price is below the Government's supplementary minimum wool price of 320 cents per kilogram (greasy basis) the specified percentage for supplementation will be 26.4 percent for all wool sold at auction and nationally for privately sold wool from and including the 2nd day of December 1982 until midnight on the day before the next auction sale to be held.

Dated this 6th day of December 1982.

A. J. N. ARTHUR, Levies Administration Manager.

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THE NEW ZEALAND GAZETTE

The last *New Zealand Gazette* for 1982 will be published on Thursday, 16 December 1982.

Notices for this *Gazette* from Government departments must be received by the Gazette Clerk, Department of Internal Affairs, by noon on Tuesday, 14 December 1982.

Advertisements will be accepted by the Government Printer until noon on Wednesday, 15 December 1982.

The first *Gazette* for 1983 will be published on Thursday, 20 January 1983.

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GENERAL PUBLICATIONS

ABEL TASMAN NATIONAL PARK

Handbooks for visitors. \$4 plus 55c p & p
Third edition, 1976. 4 booklets in plastic wallet.
Attractively produced in four separate volumes these little handbooks fit into a plastic wallet which will give protection against wear and weather.

These introductory booklets are designed to introduce visitors to various aspects of the park and to stimulate awareness of preservation, protection, and regeneration of the park for future generations.

The four booklets are—

1. The Land—13 p. with locality map, describes geology and coastline.
2. Life—38 p. Includes vegetation and fauna.
3. Man—27 p. History and settlement.
4. Recreation—29 p. with folding map. Includes tracks and walking trips giving times and routes.

AN UNKNOWN FEW

By Phillip P. O'Shea

130 p. 1981. Illustrated. \$27.50 plus \$3.60 p & p
This book is the story of those holders of the George Cross, Empire Gallantry Medal, and Albert Medals associated with New Zealand of whom there has been, hitherto, comparatively little known of their lives or their deeds.

BALLROOM DANCING

A guide book for teachers and pupils

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

89 p. 1978. \$3 plus 55c p & p
Almost all people as they move through their teens to adulthood are introduced to the undoubtedly pleasureable and universal activity, ballroom dancing.

As a new edition to the sports instruction series this book makes an effort to cover the basic steps in a variety of dances. It is intended mainly for beginners and therefore the more technical terms or finer amounts of turn and footwork are not included.

The book is well illustrated throughout with black and white photos and line drawings.

BEEKEEPING IN NEW ZEALAND

By T. S. Winter

Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries Bulletin 267

155 p. 1980 reprint. \$8.95 plus 85c p & p

Though fundamental successful beekeeping is the same the world over, the varying seasonal conditions and the variety of nectar sources in different areas mean that the beekeeper must study local conditions and adjust his methods accordingly. Three factors govern success in beekeeping—locality, management, and the right strain of bees. This excellent book covers all aspects of beekeeping in text, photographs, and illustrations.

BLUE WATER RATIONALE

The Naval Defence of New Zealand 1914–1942 by I. C. McGibbon.

446 p. 1981. Illustrated. \$45 plus \$3.60 p & p

For twenty years the strategic basis of New Zealand's defence policy was "the main fleet to Singapore" strategy—the theory of a properly defended Singapore Naval Base to which adequate British Naval forces would be despatched to defend the Empire East of Suez. In the event Singapore fell to the attacking Japanese forces on 15 February 1942. This book, then, is essentially a study of why New Zealand placed reliance on an unsatisfactory strategy, which was always admitted to be second best to that in which a battle fleet was permanently based in the Pacific.

CARPENTRY

N.Z. TECHNICAL CORRESPONDENCE INSTITUTE

302 p. 1980 (reprint). Illustrated. \$22.50 plus \$3.60 p & p

Metricated with more than 450 illustrations, this edition contains a set of fold-out house plans. It also highlights safety and safe methods, elementary first aid, house design and construction. Besides providing a basic text for apprentices in the building industry, Carpentry will also provide a sound guide for tradesmen and home-builders.

A DICTIONARY OF THE MAORI LANGUAGE

By H. W. Williams

507 p. 1975. \$7.50 plus 85c p & p

The seventh revised edition, augmented by the advisory committee on the teaching of Maori language.

DIRECTIONS

New Zealand Planning Council No. 18

64 p. 1981. \$5.25 plus 85c p & p

The most crucial task for New Zealanders in the 1980's is to break out of the economic stagnation and social malaise which has beset the country since the mid 1970's. The Planning Council believes we can, and must, plan to overcome the causes of the recent high unemployment and net loss of able people.

EFFECTIVE DISCUSSION

52 p. \$1.15 plus 40c p & p

Although originally written for staff training purposes in the Public Service, this booklet became popular with outside organisations as a guide to the conduct of meetings. It describes planning and organising both large and small group discussions and contains many useful hints which will help the discussion leader to get the best out of his group. Also included are lists of books for further reading and recommended films. (State Services Commission.)

FACSIMILES OF THE TREATY OF WAITANGI

1976. \$12.95 plus \$1.50 p & p

A valuable volume of old New Zealand records comprising:

The Declaration of the Independence of New Zealand.

The original draft of the Treaty by Governor Hobson.

A series of copies of the Treaty itself as finally adopted and signed by the chiefs and witnesses.

The preface and facsimiles are reproduced from lithographic originals first printed 1877. (Government Printer.)

FISHING METHODS AND DEVICES OF THE MAORI

By Elsdon Best

Dominion Museum Bulletin No. 12

264 p. \$15.95 plus \$1.50 p & p

Another in the series of the Best publications it has been reprinted without revision so that the basic studies may be accessible in the original style.

This particular bulletin still remains the only comprehensive account of most aspects of Maori fishing. The descriptions of methods employed in fishing given here are still quite basic for any future studies in this field since no first-hand observations can now be made. The detailed fishing methods outlined are accompanied by descriptions of the artifacts used, together with associated chants, magic formulae, special observances, and fishing lore.