

GROWING TAMARILLOS*W. A. Fletcher*

27 pp. 1979. \$1.65 plus \$1.21 p & p

The tamarillo, or tree tomato, is a native of Peru and is grown in many parts of the world. However, the fruit is grown on a commercial scale only in New Zealand, where certain localities are particularly suitable for its propagation. This small book is crammed with information on growing the fruit. General requirements for growing, varieties, soil preparation, pest and diseases, harvesting, grading, packing, and storage are all covered.

HOME FRUIT GROWING IN NEW ZEALAND*Dale Williams*

256 pp. 1985.

Hardcover: \$38.45 plus \$5.50 p & p

Softcover: \$30.75 plus \$5.50 p & p

This comprehensive guide to fruit growing has been prepared especially for the New Zealand home gardener. It replaces *The Home Orchard*, a very popular Ministry of Agriculture bulletin. Completely revised, it contains detailed and practical information on establishing and caring for a fruit garden, and provides guidelines for harvesting and storing fruit. Regardless of the space available, be it an orchard or a balcony, this guide to home fruit growing will provide you with valuable information, instructions and advice.

KIWIFRUIT CULTURE*P. R. Sale*

104 pp. 1985.

\$16.45 plus \$2.92 p & p

This is a revised edition of the very popular book *Kiwifruit Culture*.

All the information needed for a successful kiwifruit venture is contained in this book which has been updated and expanded to provide comprehensive information on recent developments and practises in the industry. An index is now also included.

With the up-to-date advice and information provided in *Kiwifruit Culture* you can be confident of getting the best out of your kiwifruit crop.

TOWARDS A STRATEGY FOR NEW ZEALAND AGRICULTURE*Rowland Woods, Ken Graham and Peter Rankin*

224 pp. 1984.

\$27.44 plus \$5.50 p & p

For 100 years, agriculture has been the driving force of the New Zealand economy. It is tempting to assume that this will always be the case, but it is important to realise that the future of New Zealand agriculture is not certain. It is, in fact, affected by economic, political and cultural events and trends. This report addresses the agricultural problems facing New Zealand farmers and business people. It sets out guidelines for future planning, and offers advice for agricultural management.

KUMARA GROWING*B. P. Coleman*

43 pp. 1978.

\$2.20 plus \$1.21 p & p

The kumara has outstanding food value and, pound for pound, has a calorie content of about half as much again as the ordinary potato. In this book the author discusses climatic factors, propagation of plants, fertilisers, moisture requirements, harvesting, curing and storing, pests and diseases of the kumara.

A BEGINNER'S GUIDE TO NEW ZEALAND ROCKS AND MINERALS*P. J. Forsyth*

43 pp. 1985.

\$8.70 plus \$2.20 p & p

Colour illustrations and an informative text introduce rock types, minerals, and landforms found in New Zealand. The distribution of rocks and minerals are shown on colour-coded maps, and geological processes are explained with drawings and diagrams. The need for a simple book on New Zealand geology is met in this book which is suitable for children and adults.

COMMON WEEDS IN NEW ZEALAND*B. E. V. Parham and A. J. Healey*

172 pp. 1985.

\$10.95 plus \$2.92 p & p

Written at an elementary level for general readership, this book is a reliable photographic guide to the identification of 139 of the most common weeds found throughout New Zealand. It includes a useful section on noxious plant control, and lists weeds that are poisonous to humans and livestock.

FOREST WILDLIFE*Lynn Harris*

55 pp. 1974. Revised edition 1985.

\$6.55 plus \$2.20 p & p

This revised edition of *Forest Wildlife*, illustrates and describes 72 species of birds, mammals, reptiles and amphibians found in New Zealand's forests. It is a concise and informative guide which will be of value to trappers, tourists, birdwatchers, and conservationists—children and adults alike.

AN ILLUSTRATED GUIDE TO COMMON SOIL ANIMALS*H. Pauline McColl*

33 pp. 1977.

\$4.35 plus \$1.21 p & p

This well illustrated booklet will help the amateur to distinguish between the various types of soil animals found in New Zealand.

INTRODUCTION AND LIBERATION OF THE OPOSSUM INTO NEW ZEALAND*L. T. Pracy*

28 pp. 1974.

\$1.35 plus 96c p & p

This booklet summarises published data and adds further records of introductions into the liberations within New Zealand. The information will provide better understanding of the animal, the factors relating to its patterns of spread, its distribution, and its effect on the habitat.

EDIBLE TREE NUTS IN NEW ZEALAND*P. B. Bull, D. Jackson and T. Bedford*

72 pp. 1985.

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Interested in growing nuts or improving the yield of your trees?

Macadamians, hazelnuts, pistachios and other edible nuts can all be grown in New Zealand. *Edible Tree Nuts* tells you all there is to know about climatic requirements, propagation, pests and diseases, yields, harvesting and many other aspects of nut growing.

This valuable and practical guide will help you whether you are a commercial grower, a potential commercial grower, or a home gardener.

THE GEOLOGY OF NEW ZEALAND*R. P. Suggate, G. R. Stevens, M. T. Te Punga, Editors*

820 pp. 2v. 1978.

\$49.50 plus \$5.50 p & p

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80 pp. 1985.

\$9.35 plus \$2.20 p & p

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