SPIRITUAL AND MENTAL CONCEPTS OF THE MAORI

Elsdon Best

57 pp 1986 reprint

\$5.95 plus \$1.50 p & p

This monograph, reprinted without revision, analyses the different concepts held by the Maori about the spirit and the mind. The material is very valuable and the concepts discussed in this particular monograph provide a deep insight into the social customs and beliefs of the Maori people.

HAIRDRESSING: A PROFESSIONAL APPROACH

David Bendell

352 pp 1986

\$39.95 plus \$3.75 p & p

This text book has been especially prepared for New Zealand hair-dressing apprentices. The three major sections relate to first qualifying, second qualifying, and advanced Trade Certificate.

It contains clearly illustrated, step by step instructions, information on health and safety regulations for New Zealand conditions, plus a chapter on the history of hairdressing in New Zealand. This book will also be a good reference book for qualified hairdressers and anyone else with an interest in hair care.

THE HISTORY OF POLICING IN NEW ZEALAND Vol 1, Policing the Colonial Frontier, Parts 1 and 2

Richard Hill

520 pp. Approximately per book. 1986.

70.00 plus \$6.50 p & p

This is the first of a three volume set which traces the history of New Zealand Police from first European contact through to the present day.

The central theme of volume 1 is the growth and operation of the Police from 1767 to 1867. Social influences and the philosophy surrounding the need for a police force are examined.

The book is both a well researched, balanced historical document and a fascinating look at an important part of New Zealand history.

THE HOME FRONT VOL. 1 AND VOL. 2

Nancy Taylor

800 pp. 1986.

\$99.50 (set) plus \$6.50 p & p

This is the final volume of the Official History of New Zealand in the Second World War, 1939-45. It focuses on New Zealand society in these years, describing the attitudes and activities of those who remained. The reactions to international political events, attitudes of political parties, the war efforts of New Zealand, and the political movement away from Britain towards Australia and the United States are described. It is an historical and sociological portrayal of how New Zealanders reacted, collectively and individually, to the war situation.

JOINERY 4 STAIRS

N.Z. TECHNICAL CORRESPONDENCE INSTITUTE

112 pp. 1986.

\$27.50 plus \$3.75 p & p

This is the latest in a series of text books designed to assist in the training of apprentices. It has been prepared by the New Zealand Technical Correspondence Institute in conjunction with the Joinery Industry Training Board.

Joinery 4 contains information on stairs, decorative laminates, glulam and aluminium joinery and completes this series on the practical aspects of joinery.

It is a comprehensive handbook useful to qualified tradespeople and the home handyperson.

A DICTIONARY OF THE MAORI LANGUAGE

H. W. Williams

508 pp. 1844. Seventh Edition 1971. Reprinted 1975, 1985. \$15.95 plus \$2.00 p & p

In 1844, the Mission Press at Paihia issued the first edition of a Dictionary of the New Zealand Language, compiled by William Williams, then Archdeacon of Waiapu. Since that historic event, the Dictionary has been revised several times, at first by members of the Williams family. Now the Williams Dictionary is into its seventh edition, fully updated and augmented by a subcommittee of the Advisory Committee on the Teaching of the Maori Language.

MATERNITY IN DISPUTE NEW ZEALAND 1920-1939

Phillipa Mein-Smith

120 pp. 1986.

\$14,95 plus \$2.00 p & p

This book looks at birth in New Zealand throughout the twenties and thirties

Social attitudes, state control of medical care, and doctors' attitudes are examined. The areas looked at are: emphasis on the child at the beginning of the century; the personalities involved; maternal mortality; state improvement of antenatal care; hospitalisation; the role of doctors; interventionist obstetrics; painless childbirth; the relationship between the Health Department and the Obstetrical Society; abortion and contraception; toxaemia and antenatal care.

Written in a lively and readable style, this fascinating topic is opened to everyone interested in the history of birth in New Zealand.

SEVEN MAORI ARTISTS

Darcy Nicholas and Keri Kaa

88 pp. 1986.

\$18.95 plus \$2.00 p & p

Using Maori protocol as a basic structure, Seven Maori Artists presents interviews with, and the work of, seven contemporary Maori artists. It is in essence a marae, where the reader is invited to sit down and meet the artists, who speak about their work and the influences they have experienced.

WOMEN IN WARTIME

Compiled by Lauris Edmund

200 pp. 1986.

\$29.95 plus \$3.75 p & p

This book brings together New Zealand women's written and oral reminiscences of their lives during World Wars I and II. Extracts from diaries and letters are also included. The reminiscences contain both humour and hardship, making this the sort of book impossible to put down once begun.

WHAT GRASS IS THAT?

N. C. Lambrechtsen

150 pp. 1972. Revised edition 1986. \$9.95 plus \$1.50 p & p

This well-known book has been revised to include a new identification key and four more cereals. It covers a selection of the more common and economically important species, and will be helpful and informative to all readers, irrespective of their botanical knowledge.

EDIBLE TREE NUTS IN NEW ZEALAND

P. B. Bull, D. Jackson and T. Bedford

72 pp. 1985.

\$13.95 plus \$2.00 p & p

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.

HOW TO REPAIR ELECTRICAL FUSES AND FLEXIBLE CORDS SAFELY

Electrical Registration Board and Ministry of Energy 29 pp. 1982. \$1.95 plus 80c p & p

This book is an essential safety item for every household. It contains detailed diagrams and step-by-step instructions showing the correct way to fix a blown fuse and to connect flexible cord to plugs, extension sockets and appliance connectors.

NEW ZEALAND TIDE TABLES 1987

MARINE DIVISION, MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT

64 pp. each. 1986.

\$3.75 plus 80c p & p

Prepared by the New Zealand Nautical Advisor, these three pocketsize hand-books give the information on tide movements vital to boaties, fishermen and others who live by the sea.