



Cook Islands titles from the Pacific Manuscripts Bureau collection

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PMB Manuscript Series of Microfilms

AU PMB MS 35

Title: Journal and Other Papers

Date(s): 1822-1840 (Creation) Williams, John and Bourne, Robert

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: The principal item on the microfilm is a journal describing a voyage made by the Revs John Williams and Robert Bourne from Raiatea to Aitutaki, Mangaia, Atiu, Mitiaro, Mauke and Rarotonga in July-August 1823, to propagate the Gospel.

AU PMB MS 65

Title: Development and Education in the Cook Islands: A Study of Community and Education in an Emergent Pacific Islands Territory

Date(s): 1823-1967 (Creation) Coppell, William G.

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: This is a dissertation submitted for the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the Department of Education, University of Southampton. The author was Chief Inspector of Schools and Deputy Director of Education for the Government of the Cook Islands from November 1962 to June 1967.

AU PMB MS 91

Title: Papers

Date(s): 1898-c.1909 (Creation) Gidgeon, Walter Edward

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: Walter Edward Gudgeon (1842-1920) succeeded F.J. Moss as British Resident in the Cook Islands in September 1898. On the annexation of those islands by New Zealand in 1901, he became the first Resident Commissioner. He held this post until 1909. This collection includes:

1. Cook Islands Maori genealogies
2. The Kingdom in the Pacific
3. Letter to Lord Ranfurly, 20th September 1898, concerning the state of affairs in Rarotonga as a result of the mistakes made by Mr Moss.
4. The London Missionary Society in the Cook and Northern Islands
5. Message to the Cook Island parliament, 26th September 1898

AU PMB MS 121

Title: Ethnographic Notes on South Pacific Islands

Date(s): 1899-1900 (Creation) Townsend, Charles H. and Moore H.F.

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: Townsend and Moore were members of the US Fisheries Commission aboard the U.S. Fisheries Commission Steamer Albatross which made a cruise to the South Pacific in 1899 - 1900 under Commander Jefferson F. Moser, USN. Ethnographic notes on the Marquesas, Tuamotus, Society Islands, Cook Islands, Niue, Tonga, Fiji, Ellice Islands, Gilbert Islands, Marshall Islands and Caroline Islands.

AU PMB MS 141

Title: Correspondence with LMS stations in the Pacific Islands

Date(s): 1877-1947 (Creation) London Missionary Society, Samoan District

Extent and medium: 2 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: Includes correspondence between the Samoan District of the LMS and LMS Stations in the Cook Islands, 1910-37.

AU PMB MS 478

Title: A Rarotongan-English dictionary

Date(s): 1918 (Creation) Eastman, Rev. George Herbert (1881-1974)

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: Eastman (1881-1974) left England to go to Rarotonga as a missionary of the London Missionary Society in 1913. On his transfer to the Gilbert Islands in 1918, he decided, at the request of European and Cook Islands friends, to publish his collection 'as far as completed'. The dictionary did not pretend to be a complete collection of all Cook Islands words, but most words of the Rarotongan language in ordinary use and many words of other Cook Islands dialects were included.

AU PMB MS 518

Title: William Oliver, Yeoman', a narrative of the South Seas

Date(s): 1862-1892 (Creation) Watson, William Hugh (ed.)

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: Watson (1899-) was born at Fife, Scotland. He went to the Cook Islands in 1930 after working in New Zealand and Australia. He established a firm of clothing manufacturers in Rarotonga which later became United Island Traders Ltd. He was a member of the Rarotonga Island Council for seven years, a member of the Cook Islands Legislative Council for six years, and a member of the Cook Islands Legislative Assembly from 1957 to 1960. Watson says in an introduction that William Oliver left Devonshire, England, to seek his fortune in Australia in the early 1860s. The narrative is 'an account of his adventures taken almost word for word from a diary kept between 1862 and 1892.' The narrative gives an informative account of life in Rarotonga and the Society Islands. The history of the diary is obscure, but is referred to in an article in the Pacific Islands Monthly for July 1936, p.30. Oliver died in the Cook Islands in 1906.

AU PMB MS 519

Title: 'White Natives' (a novel)

Date(s): 1935 (Creation) Dashwood, Robert Julian

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: This book was written under the pseudonym, Julian Hillas, a name used by Dashwood over numerous articles and in two other books, a novel, I Know An Island (London, 1933) and an autobiography, South Seas Paradise (London, 1965). An unpublished typescript novel of 182 pp. of single-spaced foolscap set in the Cook Islands.

AU PMB MS 570

Title: Diary

Date(s): 18 May 1894 - 1 Oct 1895 (Creation) Cullen, John A.

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: The author was second officer in the London Missionary Society steamship *John Williams*.

A diary of voyages in the *John Williams*.

1. From London towards Sydney via the Cape of Good Hope (18 May - 30 June 1894)

2. From Sydney towards New Guinea via Niue, Rarotonga, Mangaia, Rarotonga, Aitutaki and Samoa (5 October - 22 November 1894)

3. From Sydney to the Pacific Islands and return. Calls were made at New Guinea, Niue, Samoa, Tokelau, Ellice, Gilbert and Cook Islands (15 March - 1 October 1895)

AU PMB MS 709

Title: Reports of deputations and secretarial visits to the South Seas, Papua etc.

Date(s): 1915-1966 (Creation) London Missionary Society

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

AU PMB MS 909

Title: 'I Didn't Choose to Run' (a novel)

Date(s): n.d. (Creation) Gold, Edwin

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: Gold, a trader on Mangaia in the Cook Islands, was a frequent contributor to the *Pacific Islands Monthly* in the 1940s and 1950s. He also contributed several articles to the Journal of the Polynesian Society during this period. The novel, in a barely disguised way, relates some of the author's experiences in the Cook Islands.

AU PMB MS 1001

Title: Writings

Date(s): 1967-1987 (Creation) Jonassen, Michael

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: Before joining the South Pacific Commission as Director of Programmes, Jon Jonassen was Secretary for Foreign Affairs in the Cook Islands Government. Born in 1949 and educated in the Cook Islands, New Zealand and Hawaii, he has always been greatly interested in Pacific Island traditional music and dance and in family history. These interests are reflected in the present collection of his writings.

The reel contains three items:

1. The Betela Dance Troupe through the years: a series of 9 articles written by Jon Jonassen for the Photo News (Rarotonga, Cook Islands) issues 23 Oct., 30 Oct., 6 Nov., 13 Nov., 27 Nov., 4 Dec., 11 Dec., 18 Dec., 1976. 20 pages.
2. Early immigrants to the Cook Islands: Nicholas (History and genealogy of the Nicholas family, from Albert John Nicholas 1813-1888 to Diya Moana Nicholas-Tarip, born 1955, wife of Jon Jonassen) - compiled by Jon Jonassen, 1986. Pages iv, 20, charts 8 - 13.
3. Original compositions, Volume 1: (Words and guitar chords of songs composed between 1967-1987 in Cook Islands Maori, English, French Polynesian and other Pacific Islands languages, Japanese etc.) - includes audio cassette publicity material, microfilmed from photocopied handwritten original. Pages v, 100, 8.

AU PMB MS 1009

Title: Samoa 1830 – 1900 drafts and research materials; Cook Islands, Fiji, French Polynesia, GEIC, Niue and PNG

Date(s): 1830-1954 (Creation) Gilson, Richard P.

Extent and medium: 9 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: Consists partly of Dr Gilson's drafts for Samoa 1839-1900 and partly of notes and documents relating to the Cook Islands, Fiji, French Polynesia, Gilbert and Ellice Islands, Niue and Papua New Guinea. The Cook Islands material, which is more extensive than the rest, is drawn from a wide variety of sources and includes Gilson's correspondence with Lionel Trenn and a document by Lionel Trenn regarding land tenure in the Cook Islands.

AU PMB MS 1016

Title: Miscellaneous papers re Mare, Loyalty Islands

Date(s): 1854-1908 (Creation) Jones, Rev. John

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: John Jones (1829-1908) was born in Worcester, England. He was ordained in London in 1853 and accepted by the London Missionary Society as one of the first missionaries to Mare, Loyalty Islands. He and his wife Sarah (nee Herbert) spent 34 years on Mare establishing schools, workshops, an institution for the training of a native ministry and translating biblical texts into the local language. The French expelled him from Mare in 1887. The section labelled 'Other Correspondence' includes Maps of Rarotonga, Cook Islands and Aitutaki (not all together) and various references to the Mission's land.

AU PMB MS 1030

Title: Personal journal of events aboard HMS Challenger

Date(s): 1909-1910 (Creation) Norton, Charles Basil

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: Charles Basil Norton (1887-1968) was born in Worthing, Sussex. He joined the Royal Navy as a Boy 2nd Class on 13 January, 1902. On 22 January 1909 he transferred to HMS *Challenger* and the Australian Station. The ship was on a tour of duty for training exercises with the Royal Australian Navy and visited the Cook Islands during the tour.

AU PMB MS 1033

Title: Miscellaneous papers concerning education in the Cook Islands

Date(s): 1922-1966 (Creation) Coppel, William George

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: Dr Bill Coppel (1924-1998) was Deputy Director and Acting Director of Education, with the Government of the Cook Islands during the period 1962 to 1967.

AU PMB MS 1064

Title: Diocesan archives

Date(s): 1891-1993 (Creation) Catholic Church Diocese of Rarotonga and Niue

Extent and medium: 53 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: (Available for reference. Material may not be reproduced in published form without the written permission of the holding institution.) The collection includes:

1. Official Diocesan records, consisting chiefly of correspondence, financial records and reports. The records document the full range of the activities of the Catholic Church in the Cook Islands, including such matters as: relations with the Holy See; regional relations with the Delegations Apostolic in Sydney and Wellington, with CEPAC (Conferentia Episcopalis Pacifici) and with neighbouring Dioceses; parish activities; diocesan management and personnel; Catholic education in the islands; theological and liturgical matters; the activities of the lay apostolate and youth clubs; relations with the civil government of the Cook Islands; relations with the Netherlands Province and with the Marist Fathers; relations with other Christian Churches; relations with international mission aid societies; and records of church property. (Reels 1-49 and Reel 11A)
2. Dictionary, Rarotongan/Dutch, by Mgr Ubald Lehman, vol. 2, c.1940s. (Reel 49)
3. Parish registers of baptisms, marriages, deaths, confirmations and school enrolment, 1894-1993. (Reels 50-51)
4. Diaries of Mgr Bernadine Castanie, 1921-39 (in French) and of Bishop Ubald Lehman, 1939-48 (in Dutch). (Reel 52)

A detailed inventory is available.

AU PMB MS 1065

Title: Miscellaneous manuscripts

Date(s): 1933-1970 (Creation) Cook Islands Library and Museum Society

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description:

1. Shipping Notes compiled by W.G. Coppel, 1962-67, nos. 1-149 (MS 72). Typescript research notes consisting of extracts from various primary and secondary sources referring to ships which have visited the Cook Islands.
2. A.B. Donald and Co. Cook Islands Shipping Register, May 1949 to November 1970.

3. Narrative of Charles James Ward (born 1856, died 1933) of Rarotonga, prepared by G.H. Davis, Postmaster, 1933 - typescript, 11 pages (MS 16). Ward first visited Rarotonga in 1881. He later settled there, working initially as a skipper of island schooners and later as a storekeeper.
4. Correspondence of William McBirney (born c.1871, died 1956), 1947-55, relating to the introduction of plants to the Cook Islands (MS 15).

AU PMB MS 1066

Title: Miscellaneous manuscripts

Date(s): 1847-1977 (Creation) Cook Islands Library and Museum Society

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description:

1. Maori Culture, Rakahanga Island (MS 29). Records of surviving linguistic usages collected in 1956. Given by Apolo Lameka, written by David Alepha, translated by Nooroa Kairenga. (6pp, typescript)
2. Various Acts of the Rarotonga Council, 1893, 1895 (MS 30). Consists of mss drafts and printed versions of Acts in both English and Rarotongan. Includes holograph letter from J.K. Hutchin to F.J. Moss, British Resident, Rarotonga, 26 August 1897 relating to education.
3. English translation of Maretu (MS 28), the story of a London Missionary Society pastor who died in 1880. (n.d., 30 pp, typescript)
4. Correspondence of Lionel H. Trenn, Registrar of the Cook Islands, regarding the design of the national flag, 1958 (MS 26). Mss and typescript, in English and Rarotongan.
5. Inventory of the F.J. Moss Papers housed in the Alexander Turnbull Library, Wellington (MS 38). (12 pp, typescript)
6. Death notice for Charles W. Banks, 21.3.1915 at Avarua as published in Torea Katarika, no. 15, April 1915 (MS 36).
7. Folklore tales of the Cook Islands (MS 49). Collected, edited and versified by W. McBirney. (n.d., 135 pp, typescript)
8. Holmes, Susan. Report on Nutrition Survey in the Cook Islands, 1954 (MS 11). (36 pp, typescript)
9. Rules of the Rarotongan Lawn Tennis Club, 1921-22; Proofs of Cook Islands Administration, printed for the Mercants and Planters of the Cook Islands, Auckland, 1920; Typescript notes on the Rarotongan language, author unknown, (MS 78).
10. Correspondence of George Fowlds, 1907-1911.
11. Transcript extracts of London Missionary Society correspondence, 1828-1926, assembled by Resident Commissioner Platts. (typescript)
12. Laws of Aitutaki, 1847 (10 pp) and Blue Laws of Rarotonga, 1879. Printed in Rarotongan. (MS 1)
13. Knight, Mark A. (Otago University), Mangaia: a case study of process and adaptation, 1977 (MS 6). (18 pp, typescript)
14. Savage, Stephen, Iro-Nui-O-Mata (undated holograph mss).

AU PMB MS 1067-1068

Title: Diaries

Date(s): 1897 -1898, 1892, 1899, 1900, 1904 (Creation) Banks, Charles W.

Extent and medium: 2 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: Born in 1839 near Birmingham, England, Banks spent some years in the United States where he fought in the Civil War and was also an employee of Wells Fargo, whose employment he left while under a charge of embezzlement. He settled in the Cook Islands (Atiu) in 1881. He became a trader and lived in Arorangi until his death in 1915. For a period of his life Banks adopted the pseudonym John Scard. Diaries with handwritten entries describing Banks' life and work as a trader in the Cook Islands. Banks' diary for 1903 can be found on PMB 1070.

AU PMB MS 1069

Title: Miscellaneous manuscripts

Date(s): 1891-1973 (Creation) Cook Islands Library and Museum Society

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description:

1. Tapere Titikaveka Kauare, a handwritten manuscript in Rarotongan. Consists of journal-type entries dated, 1891, 1903-1909. Some of the entries relate to Tetika Mata'iapo's adoption/fostering of Kautai. Author unknown.
2. Pu Apii Sabati Titikaveka, a handwritten manuscript in Rarotongan. Records the activities of the London Missionary Society Sunday School at Titikaveka, 1939-1947. Included in the mss are some financial accounts listing the names of particular individuals. Author unknown.
3. Mataiti Titikaveka, a handwritten manuscript in Rarotongan. Records the activities of the London Missionary Society Church at Titikaveka. Written in a variety of hands, the mss gives a range of dates between 1895 and 1973, with a large number of journal type entries and financial accounts dated 1913-17.
4. Cash book of Factorei Societe Commerciale at Avatiu, 1882-84 (MS 53).
5. Diary of Charles Banks, Jan.-August 1903 (MS 51). See also PMB 1067-8 and PMB 1070.

AU PMB MS 1070

Title: Miscellaneous manuscripts

Date(s): 1903-1939 (Creation) Cook Islands Library and Museum Society

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description:

1. Diary of Charles Banks, Sept.-Dec. 1903 (continuation of PMB 1069).
2. Diaries of Robert Wigmore, owner of the Papua Plantation at Titikaveka, 1918, 1920, 1923, 1925 and 1926 (MS 52).
3. Te Akatauirā/Guiding Star, 1939. Printed news-sheet in Rarotongan and English. Edited by A.R. Henry.

AU PMB MS 1071

Title: Records of arrivals and departures

Date(s): 1920-1993 (Creation) Cook Islands Collector of Customs

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: Records of shipping and aircraft arrivals and departures. Each record consists of a one line entry giving such details as date, the name of the vessel, its master, its tonnage and its destination or point of origin.

AU PMB MS 1073

Title: Papers

Date(s): 1913 -1969 (excluding publications) (Creation) Eastman, George Herbert (1881-1974)

Extent and medium: 11 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: Eastman and his wife Winifred (nee Grimwade, married 1914) ran the London Missionary Society Mission in Rarotonga from 1913 to 1918 and the LMS Gilbert Islands Mission from 1918 to 1947. The Gilbert Islands Mission, which was based at Rongorongo on the island of Beru included the Ellice Islands, Nauru, Ocean Island and the Phoenix Islands. Mainly Gilbert Islands (Kiribati) documents, but includes:

Reel 2: Cook Islands – news clippings, typescripts and pamphlets, 1914-18. Mss of Notes on Rarotongan Grammar, 1913.

Reel 8: 170 photographs taken in the Cook Islands and the Gilbert Islands

Reels 8-11: three pamphlets in Rarotongan language.

See also PMB 478 for Eastman's Rarotongan-English Dictionary, 1918.

AU PMB MS 1080

Title: Administrative archives

Date(s): 1833-1969 (Creation) Catholic Archdiocese of Papeete

Extent and medium: 60 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: On 27 November 1922 a separate Prefecture was established for the Cook Islands. Until then the Archdiocese of Papeete had some responsibility for the Cook Islands.

AU PMB MS 1144

Title: Papers relating to her nutrition surveys in PNG, Fiji, Tonga and Niue, together with other South Pacific Health Service reports, by Susan Holmes, on nutrition surveys in Samoa, Cook Islands, Kiribati and the Solomon Islands

Date(s): (Creation) Langley, Doreen (1920-1998)

Extent and medium: 3 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: Reels 1-3. Includes a nutrition survey in the Cook Islands in 1954.

AU PMB MS 1166

Title: Archives

Date(s): 1989-1999 (Creation) South Pacific and Oceanic Council of Trade Unions

Extent and medium: 10 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: Reels 1-10. Includes SPOCTU Country file on the Cook Islands.

AU PMB MS 1192

Title: Resident Commissioner's Office: Correspondence with Aitutaki Resident Agents

Date(s): 1908-1967 (Creation) Cook Islands Administration

Extent and medium: 5 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: Reels 1-5. (Restricted access).

AU PMB MS 1200

Title: Archives

Date(s): 1890-1941 (Creation) Cook Islands Federation and New Zealand Administration

Extent and medium: 14 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: Reels 1-14. (Restricted access). Includes Cook Islands Federal Government minutes 1891-96; Federal Parliament minutes, 1897-1901, and papers, 1897-99; High Commissioner's Court minutes, 1899-1901; Aitutaki Council minutes Oct 1893; Acting British Vice-Consul letters 1884-86; British Resident correspondence register 1894-95; British Resident letters-in, 1892-1901; British Resident/Resident Commissioner letters-out 1890-95, 1897-1910 (n.b. gaps: some of these press copy letter books are badly damaged.); Ambrose Morgan case file, 1896-98; Thos H Mallett inquest file, 1899; CI Federation Acts and Determinations, 1890-97; Rarotongan Ariki genealogies, 1909; Rarotonga Island Council minutes 1917-1941; Resident Commissioner's office annual report files, 1913-28. See Reel List for details.

AU PMB MS 1248

Title: Resident Commissioner's Office: Correspondence with Resident Agents in the outer Islands

Date(s): 1901-1970 (Creation) Cook Islands Administration

Extent and medium: 17 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: (Restricted access).

Reels 1-4: 17/1 Atiu - general, 1893-1966; Atiu – Public Works, 1909-14; Atiu – annual reports, 1913-14;

Reels 4-7: 18/1 Mauke – general, 1909-1968; Mauke – annual reports, 1950-59;

Reels 7- 11: 19/1 Mangaia – general, 1899-1967; Mangaia – annual reports, 1950-58;

Reel 11-12: Atiu – annual reports, 1950-65; Aitutaki – annual reports, 1950-65;

Reel 12-14: 20/1 Penrhyn – general, 1909-1974;

Reel 14: 20/1 Northern Group – weekly diaries, 1968-1969;

Reel 14: Penrhyn – annual report, 1950-52;

Reel 15: 17/1 Atiu – general, 1893-1913 (papers removed for conservation);

Reel 15-17: 1/21 Manahiki and Rakananga – general, 1909-1958; Manahiki and Rakananga – annual report, 1950-62.

See Reel List for details.

See also: PMB 1192.

AU PMB MS 1281

Title: Photograph album, 'Pacific Islands, 1919', documenting an official tour by Lord Liverpool, Governor-General of New Zealand.

Date(s): 1919 (Creation) Foster, Saxon W.B.

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: Arthur William de Brito Savile Foljambe, the 2nd Earl of Liverpool (1870–1941), was New Zealand's first Governor-General. He was originally appointed as Governor of New Zealand in 1912, but in 1917 the office was raised to Governor-General, and his term was extended until 1920.

The album, which belonged to the family of Saxon W.B. Foster, consists of approximately 100 photographs documenting Lord Liverpool's tour in 1919 of the Cook Islands (including Rarotonga, Mangaia, Mauke, Atiu and Mitiaro), Niue, Samoa (including Upolu, Savaii, and Pago Pago), and Suva. The photographs document official occasions associated with the Vice-Regal visit: ceremonies, feasts, dances and other performances, and military inspections, with the participants on both sides wearing impressive costumes. There are also photographs of shipping, harbours, streets, buildings, plantations, reefs and beaches. In addition there are five photographs documenting the crowning of the Ariki, Tiuirua, in Avarua, Rarotonga, on 30 August 1921.

AU PMB MS 1335

Title: Polynesian Expedition Journals

Date(s): 1951-1961 (Creation) Marshall, Donald Stanley (1919-2005)

Extent and medium: 4 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: Reels 1-4. (Available for reference). Don Marshall undertook 12 expeditions to Polynesia during the period 1951 to 1989, as follows:

1951-1953 First Expedition to Polynesia (Hawaii, Fiji, New Zealand, Norfolk Island, Samoa, Cook Islands, Fiji, Tahiti)

1954-1955 Second Expedition to Polynesia (Tahiti, Cook Islands, Tikehau, Ra'ivavae, New Zealand, Australia, European Ethnological museums)

1957-1958 Third Expedition to Polynesia (Society Islands, Austral Islands, Cook Islands, Fiji, Hawaii)

1959 Fourth Polynesian Expedition (Tuamotu Islands, Tahiti, Moorea, Hawaii, Fiji)

1960 Fifth Expedition to Polynesia (Tahiti)

1961 Sixth Expedition to Polynesia (Tahiti)

1963 Seventh Expedition to Polynesia (Tahiti)

1967 Eight Expedition to Polynesia (Tahiti)

1973 Ninth Expedition to Polynesia (Hawaii, Tahiti, Easter Island)

1976 Tenth Expedition to Polynesia (Tahiti, Rarotonga)

1989 Eleventh Expedition to Polynesia (Tahiti, Cook Islands, Fiji, Hawaii)

2004 Twelfth Expedition to Polynesia (Tahiti)

Journals documenting Marshall's First to Fifth Expeditions are on this microfilm. The remaining journals and related field notes are held at the Bernice Bishop Museum in Honolulu.

Polynesian Journal, First Expedition to Polynesia, Aug 1951-Apr 1953

The Second Expedition to Polynesia, Peabody Museum of Salem, Nov 1954-Aug 1955

Third Expedition to Polynesia, Jun 1957-Jun 1958

Fourth Polynesian Expedition [French Polynesia], Jun-Oct 1959

Journal of the Fifth Expedition to Polynesia [Papeete], May-Jul 1960

Sixth Expedition to Polynesia, Jun-Jul 1961

See also PMB 1337, D.S. Marshall, Cook Islands Research Papers.

See Reel List for details.

AU PMB MS 1336

Title: Mangaian Census Materials

Date(s): 1958 (Creation) Marshall, Donald Stanley (1919-2005)

Extent and medium: 2 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: Reels 1-2. (Restricted access). Detailed house to house survey of every household on Mangaia, with genealogical and other data, by D.S. Marshall in 1958.

Key to format; sample; plan of analysis.

Mangaia Census 1958 - Ka'umata and Tavaenga Village

Nos.1-16 [Box 8.4]

Nos.17-27 [Box 8.1]

Nos.41-83 [Box 8.4].

Mangaia Census 1958 - Tawa'ena Village, Nos.1-40 [Box 8.1].

Mangaia Census 1958 - Te Makatea Village, Nos.1-52 [Box 8.2].

Mangaia Census 1958 - Ivirua Village, Nos.1-48 [Box 8.3].

Mangaia Census 1958 - Karana Village, Nos.1-28 [Box 8.3].

Mangaia Census 1958 - Tamarua Village, Nos.1-26 [Box 8.3].

AU PMB MS 1337

Title: Cook Islands Research Papers

Date(s): 1951-1989 (Creation) Marshall, Donald Stanley (1919-2005)

Extent and medium: 6 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: Reels 1-6. (Available for reference.)

Don Marshall undertook 12 expeditions to Polynesia during the period 1951 to 2004, a number of them on behalf of the Peabody Museum, Salem, carrying out research work in Honolulu, Tahiti, Fiji, New Zealand, the Cook Islands, Samoa, the Australs and the Tuamotus. His field work in the Cook Islands focused on Mangaia.

Marshall was a professional photographer before World War II. He enlisted in the US Army in 1942 and was based in Panama where he developed an interest in the San Blas Cuna Indians and a lifelong passion for anthropology. After the War Marshall studied anthropology at Harvard and in 1951 was awarded a Fullbright scholarship to New Zealand, stopping at Honolulu for a few weeks with Sir Peter Buck who had studied and published a good deal on Mangaia. Marshall carried out fieldwork in Mangaia, including collecting artefacts for the Peabody Museum, in May 1952, February to May 1955, and November 1957 to June 1958. He was awarded a doctorate from Harvard University in 1956. Marshall returned to the Cook Islands in 1976 and 1989.

Marshall was editor of Frank Stimson's, *Songs and Tales of the Sea Kings: interpretations of the oral literature of Polynesia* (1957); joint author with Frank Stimson of, *Ra'ivavae: an expedition to the most fascinating and mysterious island in Polynesia* (1961); joint author and editor of *Human Sexual Behavior: variations in the ethnographic spectrum* (1971), based on papers presented in 1965; and author of, "Too Much in Mangaia", in *Readings in Human Sexuality: contemporary perspectives*, edited by Chad Morgan and Gayle Johnson (1980).

In 1962-1963 Marshall attended the US Army War College then joined the Army General Staff in Washington, serving two tours of duty in Vietnam, working on analyses of US involvement in the war and strategies for the future. He also served as deputy director of the Strategic Arms Limitation (SALT) task force at the Pentagon and as director of strategy and assessment for the Defense Nuclear Agency. He retired in 1976.

From 1980 to 1990 Marshall worked at the University of California, Berkeley on post-doctoral studies in anthropology and linguistics, and later on the Vietnam Project of the Military Conflict Institute. In 1990 he became director of publications and research for Oceania at the Peabody Essex Museum, and editor of *Neptune*. Ill health forced Marshall to retire a second time in August 2000.

The biographical notes above are from, Rod Dixon (ed.), *Captive Images: images of Rarotongans and Mangaiaans in the 1950s*. Photographs by Donald Stanley Marshall, donated by Mira Nan Marshall Virginia, Rarotonga, USP Cook Islands Campus, 2009; a catalogue for an exhibition of Marshall's photographs on display at the Beachcomber in Avarua Aug-Sep 2009.

Manuscripts, unpublished and rare printed materials in boxes 1.1-1.8, 2.1-2.5, 3.1, 4.1, 5.1-5.5, 6.1-6.5, 9.1-9.5, 10.1-10.3, 12.1-12.4 of the D.S. Marshall Papers at the USP Cook Islands Campus, including, for many items, photographic prints where they are held with textual records:

Drafts of Marshall's Cook Islands publications, including his unpublished paper, Descent, Relationship and Territorial Groups of Mangaia - Kith, Kin and Kindred on Mangaia,
Correspondence relating to Marshall's Cook Islands fieldwork;
Research papers compiled during Marshall's Cook Islands field work, including his catalogue of fish and fauna on Mangaia, and materials on songs and music, bibliography and linguistics and kinship;
Publications of the LMS Press on Mangaia;
E Au Tua Maori, Nos.1-3, c.1946-47, together with a compilation of stories and legends of the Cook Islands by Cook Islander authors;
Cook Islands Maori dictionaries, word lists and grammars,
Papers by Ron Crocombe on land tenure in the Cook Islands.
Files on emigration, demographics of the Cook Islands c.1958, ideas for books, Mokoroa Love, field trips to Rarotonga and Mangaia in 1989 and Hawaii 1995.

See also:

PMB 1335 MARSHALL, Donald Stanley (1919-1905), Polynesian Expedition Journals, 1951-1961. Reels 1-4. (Available for reference.)

PMB 1336 MARSHALL, Donald Stanley (1919-1905), Mangaian Census Materials, 1958. Reels 1-2. (Restricted access.)

PMB 1338 EASTMAN, Rev. George Herbert (1881-1974), A Rarotongan-English Dictionary, Compiled 1918. 1 reel. (Available for reference.)

PMB Doc 518 TE KARERE KOIA OKI TE PEPA SOCIETY. With which is incorporated, Fugitive Papers, Edited in Mangaia, The London Missionary Society Press, Mangaia, South Pacific, Nos.4-16 &16, Sep 1898-Jan 1901. 1 reel. (Available for reference.)

AU PMB MS 1338

Title: A Rarotongan-English Dictionary

Date(s): 1918 (Creation) Eastman, Rev. George Herbert (1881-1974)

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: 1 reel. (Available for reference).

A note in the D.S. Marshall's, Polynesian Journal 1951-1953, (p.183) states that Marshall borrowed the Dictionary from Rev. Murphy in May 1952. (PMB 1335)

There is a Ms. note on the title page of the Dictionary as follows:

"Note:- This MSS. is the property of the Compiler. (Rev G.H. Eastman, London Mission, Beru, Gilbert Islands.) It is placed on loan in the Library of the London Missionary Society, Rarotonga, for the use of members of the Mission pending completion of the printing of the book. It is requested that the MSS. Should not be removed from the Library of the London Missionary Society, Rarotonga, without the author having first been consulted.

G.H. Eastman, July 1918

"Hurstmere"

Takapuna

Auckland, N.Z."

A Rarotongan-English Dictionary, with which are included numerous words of the dialects in use in other parts of the Cook Islands, South Pacific, with introductory notes and appendices. Compiled by Rev. G.H. Eastman of the London Missionary Society. (To be) Published by The Cook islands Administration, Rarotonga, Cook Islands, 1918, Ts., annotated, 323pp.

See also PMB 478 for another copy of the Dictionary microfilmed by the Bureau in Dorset in 1974. It is considered that the annotations make it worthwhile microfilming this second copy of the Dictionary.

AU PMB MS 1354

Title: Correspondence with Niue Resident Agents

Date(s): 1905-1965 (Creation) Cook Islands Administration, Resident Commissioners Office

Extent and medium: 3 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: Held by Cook Islands National Archives (Restricted Access). Apply to the Cook Islands National Archivist, Ministry of Cultural Development (PO Box 8, Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Islands; email archives@oyster.net.ck, Ph 682 21446; Fax 682 23725) for written permission to access the microfilms.

The Cook Islands were annexed to New Zealand in June 1901. Resident Agents, responsible to the Resident Commissioner in Rarotonga, were appointed in each of the islands in the Cook Islands group. Resident Agents chaired the Island Council meetings. The Resident Agent also had judicial powers under island ordinances, heard criminal matters cases, except murder and manslaughter, and civil cases, except divorce suits, where the consideration was no more than 50 pounds.

Cook Islands Resident Commissioner's general correspondence to and from the Niue Resident Agent, 1905-1965.

See Reel List for details.

AU PMB MS 1355

Title: Correspondence with Rakahanga Resident Agents

Date(s): 1922-1970 (Creation) Cook Islands Administration, Resident Commissioners Office

Extent and medium: 3 reels; 35mm microfilm

Description: Held by Cook Islands National Archives (Restricted Access). Apply to the Cook Islands National Archivist, Ministry of Cultural Development (PO Box 8, Avarua, Rarotonga, Cook Islands; email archives@oyster.net.ck, Ph 682 21446; Fax 682 23725) for written permission to access the microfilms.

Cook Islands Resident Commissioner's general correspondence to and from the Rakahanga Resident Agent, 1922-1970.

See Reel List for details.

AU PMB MS 1367

Title: The development of commercial agriculture on Mangaia: Social and economic change in a Polynesian community, MA Thesis, Massey University

Date(s): 1969 (Creation) Allen, Dr. Bryant

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: Dr. Bryant Allen submitted this thesis as partial fulfilment of the requirements for the Master of Arts in Geography at Massey University in 1969. In 1976 he completed a PhD at the Australian National University titled Information flow and innovation diffusion in the East Sepik district, Papua New Guinea.

Allen carried out research in the Cook Islands in the 1960s and in Papua New Guinea from the 1970s to the present. His main interests are in the sustainability of agricultural systems and rural development.

See also the New England Microfilming Project – microfilms of logs of whale ships, including those that visited the Cook Islands, in the PMB Manuscript Series of Microfilms, indexed in Robert Langdon (ed) *Where the Whalers Went*, 1984.

PMB Printed Document Series of Microfilms

AU PMB DOC 2-10

Title: Cook Islands Legislative Council proceedings
Date(s): 1951-1962 (Creation) Cook Islands Legislative Council
Extent and medium: 12 reels; 35mm microfilm

AU PMB DOC 23-24

Title: Cook Islands Legislative Council proceedings
Date(s): 1947-1950 (Creation) Cook Islands Legislative Council
Extent and medium: 2 reels; 35mm microfilm

AU PMB DOC 181-193

Title: Annales Des Sacres-Coeurs
Date(s): 1896 - May 1940 (Creation) Sacred Heart Missions
Extent and medium: 13 reels; 35mm microfilm
Description: The title of the publication and the place of publication vary as described by P. O'Reilly *Bibliographie de Tahiti ...* (Paris, 1967), ref. 7151. Contains letters and articles from Sacred Heart missionaries in French Polynesia, Cook Islands, Easter Island and Hawaii. See PMB Doc 182-193 for subsequent issues.

AU PMB DOC 370-382, 385

Title: Cook Islands News Rarotonga: Cook Islands Social Development Dpt.
Date(s): 27 May 1960 – 27 July 1872 (Creation) Cook Islands News
Extent and medium: 51 reels; 35mm microfilm
Description: Government newspaper issued daily except Saturdays and Sundays.

AU PMB DOC 394

Title: Cook Islands Betela Dance Troupe - Performances in Japan
Date(s): 1971-1976 (Creation) Cook Islands Betela Dance Troupe - Performances in Japan
Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm colour microfilm
Description: The Betela Dance Troupe grew out of the Betela Youth Club formed in 1960 on Rarotonga by Mrs Lily Jonassen. The Jonassen family was prominent in the troupe with Anne Jonassen for many years troupe leader. Its repertoire of Polynesian traditional dances included fire, drum and war dances, and others such as Ru's canoe, created by Jon Jonassen. Between 1968 and 1977 the troupe made many visits to Japan, in 1976 staying 6 months on Namegawa Island and taking part in Japanese television dramas. See also Jon Jonassen: *The Betela Dance Troupe through the years* in PMB 1001: Pambu 3(2) January-March 1989. 5 brochures of colour photographs and Japanese text, with occasional English captions. Dated between 1972 and 1976, they provide scenes of dances performed on Namegawa and elsewhere in Japan, and include a history and description of the Betela Dance Troupe with photographs and biographical details for Anne Jonassen and all other troupe members dancing at the time of the visits.

AU PMB DOC 395

Title: Commonwealth Scientific Council Biological diversity project
Date(s): 1986-1988 (Creation) Walls, Geoff
Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm
Description: Geoff Walls coordinated the New Zealand Department of Scientific and Industrial Research Botany Division's Biological Diversity Project for New Zealand and the Pacific Islands funded by the Commonwealth Science Council from 1986 to 1988. The author's summary report *Traditional uses of plants in New Zealand and the Pacific ...* (Havelock North, DSIR Oct. 1988) was distributed to PMB Member Libraries in July 1989.

AU PMB DOC 403

Title: Cook Islands Annual Reports. Wellington: the Department of Island Territories

Date(s): 1894-1945 (incomplete) (Creation) Cook Islands

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

AU PMB DOC 409

Title: E au akoanga no nga tumu tuatua i kitea i roto i te tutua na te atua (Theological lectures/translated into Rarotongan by Rev. A. Buzacott), Cook Islands, London Missionary Society

Date(s): 1857 (Creation) Bogue, Rev. David

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: Rev. Aaron Buzacott arrived in the Cook Islands in 1828, where he ran the Mission station at Avarua. The LMS Press at Rarotonga began printing religious publications in 1828. See Buzacott, A. and Sunderland, J.P. (eds), Mission life in islands of the Pacific, London, 1866

AU PMB DOC 437

Title: Australian Delegation Brief, South Pacific Forum. Forum Economic Ministers' Meeting, Cairns, 11 July 1997.

Date(s): 11 Jul 1997 (Creation) Unknown

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

AU PMB DOC 518

Title: Te Karere Koia Oki Te Pepa Society, with which is incorporated, fugitive papers, edited in Mangaia

Date(s): Sep 1898 - Jan 1901 (Creation) Te Karere Koia Oki Te Pepa Society

Extent and medium: 1 reel; 35mm microfilm

Description: (Available for reference). Nos. 4-16 & 16. In Rarotongan and English. Published by the London Missionary Society Press, Mangaia, South Pacific.