

Name: Thomas Ferens

Catalogue number: MS-378

Description:

Inclusive dates:

Amount: 8 folders in 2 boxes

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#### **Box 64**

Folder 1: Journal kept by Thomas Ferens about his travels from Sunderland, England to France ? 24 July 1846- c 5 August 1846;

Folder 2: Journal kept by Thomas Ferens 11 November 1847- 23 July 1848 containing details of his voyage on the *John Wickliffe* from Gravesend, England to Port Chalmers, Otago, NZ (24 Nov 1847 - 23 March 1848) (note especially descriptions of bird and sea life encountered on journey), his part in preparations onshore to receive the ship and cargo; prayer meetings with Mr Monson & Mr Creed & religious services with Maori,

Folder 3: Journal kept by Thomas Ferens recording his experiences in Otago, New Zealand 24 July 1848-28 May 1849, including his role as a teacher at the Wesleyan Mission Station at Waikouaiti, preaching to Maori, the weather, his state of mind & religious beliefs.

Folder 4: Journal kept by Thomas Ferens between 1 June 1849 and 17 May 1851 (no entries for period 30 August 1849- 31 October 1850) while in Otago, NZ, recording his state of mind, his religious & educational work with Maori, & weather details,

Folder 5: - Photocopy of journal kept by Thomas Ferens 11 Nov 1847-23 July 1848 (See folder 2 for original), - photocopy of journal kept by Thomas Ferens 1 June 1849 -17 May 1851 (incomplete),

Folder 6: Notebook containing notes taken by Thomas Ferens at "Theological Lectures Delivered at the Wesleyan Institution, London by John Hannah Part II", notebooks (7) containing sermons (no. 7 - 24) written by Thomas Ferens, c 1840s?,

#### **Box 65**

Folder 7: Scrapbook belonging to Thomas Ferens? entitled "Things Old and New. [containing] Sayings and sentences from various authors. Hollywell, Dec [18]32",

Folder 8: Bible (London 1837) belonging to Thomas Ferens & used by him when preaching in Durham, England and in New Zealand c July 1848 - July 1851 (includes annotations made by Ferens, underlined passages, loose explanatory note about the Bible & loose cutting from *The Christian* 19 Nov 1885 on "The Eastern Crisis" by H Grattan Guinness).