

## APPENDIX E.

An Act to transfer the Canterbury Public Library from the Canterbury University College to the Corporation of the City of Christchurch. (1)  
(September 30, 1948)

Whereas the Canterbury Public Library is controlled by the Canterbury University College, and the assets of the library are vested in the College: And whereas it is now anticipated that considerable expenditure will be involved in the proper development of the Library and it has been agreed by and between the Canterbury University College Council and the Christchurch City Council that it is desirable that the Library as a whole be transferred to the Corporation of the City of Christchurch

Be it therefore enacted by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled and by the authority of the same, as follows :

1. (1) This Act may be cited as the Canterbury Public Library Act, 1948.

(2) This Act shall come into force on the first day of October nineteen hundred and forty-eight.

2. (1) On the first day of October, nineteen hundred and forty-eight, the vesting in the Canterbury University College of all that parcel of land containing two roods, or thereabouts, situated in the City of Christchurch, being Town Sections 405 and 406, and being all the land comprised and described in certificate of title, volume 364, folio 261, Canterbury Registry, shall be deemed to be cancelled, and the said land shall, as on and from that day, be deemed to be vested in the Corporation of the City of Christchurch.

(2) The District Land Registrar ... is hereby empowered ... to transfer the title to the said land into the name of the Mayor, Councillors, and Citizens of the City of Christchurch.

4. All the land and other assets referred to in sections two and three hereof shall be held by the Corporation of the City of Christchurch upon the trusts and for the specific purposes contemplated in respect of a library by the Canterbury Museum and Library Ordinance 1870, and by a certain deed dated the fifteenth day of December, 1873, whereby the said land and then-existing assets of the Library were conveyed by the Trustees of the "Christchurch Literary Institute" to the Superintendent of Canterbury, and subject to any special trusts affecting any of such assets.

7. The Canterbury University College Council shall annually pay to the Christchurch City Council for the purposes of the Public Library one-fifth of the net income available from its Museum, Library and School of Technical Science Endowment.

8. The trustees for the time being of the will of James Gammack, late of Springston, farmer, deceased, shall from time to time pay to the Christchurch City Council, to be applied for the benefit of the