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## CARNEGIE FREE LIBRARY

705 Queen Street, Thames



- Lightweight
- Robust
- Exceptional

*“Minds are like  
parachutes  
- they only  
function when  
open.”*

...Thomas Dewar

- **DecraShape®**  
decorative kiln dried  
S grade EPS shape  
coated in KickIt® plaster
- **fourPLUS®**  
decorative kiln dried  
S grade EPS shape with a  
minimum of four mm thick  
KickIt® plaster coating
- **ShapeCrete®**  
decorative lightweight  
concrete shape
- **KICKIT®** plaster
- **TidyUp®** adhesive
- **bBOLD®** creations

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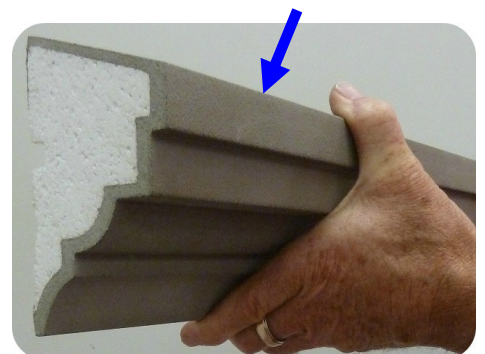
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made  
in  
New Zealand*

Scottish born Andrew Carnegie (1835-1919) was a United States steel magnate who knew the importance of books and learning. He funded the establishment of more than 2,500 public libraries around the globe.

This included contributing £2,000 to build a library for the people of Thames. J Fyfe & Sons built the library for £1,964 and it was officially opened on November 2nd, 1905.

Accumen Shapes were proud to produce this **fourPLUS®** authentic decorative moulding to go around the 18 posts of the reconstructed fence, replicated from the original built in 1905.

The Coromandel Heritage Trust have done a wonderful job maintaining this exceptional building, now The Treasury research centre (www.thetreasury.org.nz).



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