



'Eagle Rock.'

B& W. 6" X 4". copperplate. Royal National Park. Mt. Purgatory I.

I look at this cliff as an outcrop of Mt. Purgatory. Such is the way the mind wanders while resting during a long bushwalk. To also imagine that on top of this rock face may have once laid Prometheus; chained by Zeus for giving humanity the gift of fire. His liver was eaten away everyday by an eagle; finally the 'fire-giver' was rescued by Hercules. The hope of all the purgatorial: from unbearable endurance can come eternal release.