

CEDALIA ALICE TARASOFF

An Inventory of Her Papers

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## INTRODUCTION

Cedalia Alice Tarasoff's work spans over forty years, from the Second World War to the 1980's, and was written under her own name and her pseudonym, Rosina Moores. Her patriotic poetry and anthems were printed in various newspapers during World War Two and later appeared in anthologies, including Best American Authors and Poets (1945) and Poetry of the English Speaking World (1973). Her prose works and articles concern events in Canada and Australia, as well as reminiscences from her childhood in Western Canada in the early 1900's.

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## SERIES I

<u>Box</u>		<u>No. of Items</u>	<u>Date</u>
1-1	CORRESPONDENCE		
	Material Includes:		
	Letters - incoming		
	Tarasoff, Cedralia Alice	1	1987
	Letters - Outgoing		
	UBC Library Gifts & Exchanges (Graham Elliston)	1	1987
	UBC Library Special Collections (Anne Yandle)	1	1987
	Memoranda - Collected		
	UBC Library Gifts & Exchanges (Graham Elliston)	2	1987

## SERIES II

The rest of this collection contains manuscripts of poetry and prose, written or collected from Beckwith family by Cedralia Alice Tarasoff.

Poetry in folders 1-5 to 1-9 was arranged in five sections by Cedralia Alice Tarasoff.

Most of these manuscripts are not dated.

## MANUSCRIPTS

1-2	Cover Designs		
	Material includes:		
	Printed Material		
	'The Author's Note'	1	
	Other		
	Design for books of poetry	3	
	Notes	1	
1-3	Index		
	Material includes:		
	Printed Material		
	Index of Poems	9pp	
	New Poems	2pp	
	Index of Copyrighted Lyrics	1	
	General Index Lists	7pp	
	Other		
	Notes	2pp	

1-4 Poetry: Beckwith Verses

Material includes:

Printed material

Verses collected from the Beckwith family

'The Alabama Lullaby'	1
'Beautiful Isle of Somewhere'	1
'The Creole Gin'	1
'I Stood on the Bridge at Midnight'	2
'The Little Grey Kitty'	1
'Old Dan Tucker'	1
'Sweet Golden Daisies'	1

1-5 Poetry: collected I

Material includes:

Printed material - Poems

'The Apocrypha'	1	
'A Bonanza'	1	
'A Boon for Modern Nuptials'	1	
'A Boy and his Dog'	1	
'A Beaver Speaks'	1	
'A Change of Mind'	1	
'A Child's Prayer'	1	
'A Different Viewpoint'	1	
'Advice to a Son'	1	
'Advice to Parents'	1	
'A Family Visitation'	2pp	
'A Father's Deal'	1	
'A Father's Gift'	2	1982
'A Fall Night in the Okanagan'	1	
'The Lament'	1	
'A little bird said....'	1	
'A Ma Mere'	1	
'A Man's Best Friend'	1	
'A Message to My Eldest Son'	1	
'A Mon Pere	1	
'A Mother's Prayer'	1	
'A Mother's Pride and Joy'	1	
'An Early Birdsong'	1	
'A Night Owl's Advice'	1	
'Animal Tingles'	1	
'An Interpretation'	3	
'An Invocation to Fallen Soldiers'	1	
'Annual Pilgrimage'	1	
'Annual Yacht Race'	1	
'Anticipation'(1)	1	
'Anticipation'(2)	1	
'An Old Cree's Refusal to Sell'	1	
'The Welcome accorded a Newborn'	1	
'An Old Nun'	2	1981
'An Outrage'	2pp	
'A Nun's Prayer of Contrition'	2	1982
'Anxiety'	1	
'Anyone Knows'	1	
'Anzac Day'	1	
'A Pair of Mitts for Christmas'	1	

'A Peccadillo'	1
'A Prayer for Peace'	1
'Appreciation'	1
'A Portrait of Inflation'	1
'April Snow'	1
'A Prismatic Smile'	1
'Arbitration'	1
'A Salute to Mount Robson'	1
'A Scottish Soliloquy'	1
'A Similar Taste'	1
'A Timely Rescue'	1
'As I went Walking'	1
'A Small Fry's Puppet Show'	1
'A Symbol of Hope'	1
'At Birch Bay'	1
'A Tender Message'	1
'Attraction'	2
'A Two-year-old'	2
'August'	2
'Au Revoir'	1
'Autumn's Rival'	1 ca1
'Autumn Leaves'	1
'Ave Maria'	1
'A Warm Touch'	1
'A Wintry Walk'	1
'Ayres Rock'	1
'Baby Bunting'	2
'Baby Grows Up'	1
'Baby's Eyes'	1
'Back the Attack!'	1
'Beacon Hill Park'	1
'Be Careful'	1
'Beresford Bay'	2
'Be of Good Cheer'	1
'Betnothal'	1
'Big Game Country'	1
'Bitter-Sweet'	1
'Bleeding Heart'	1
'Blizzard'	1
'Body and Soul'	1
'Booties'	1
'Booties'	1
'Born Free'	1
'Bridalveil Falls'	1
'British Columbia, My Fiancee'	1
'Brown-eyed Susans'	2
'Burlesque of the Swans'	1
'Burro'	1
'Butchart Gardens'	1
'Butterfly'	1
'Bygone Days in Sweden'	4pp
'Canadian Geese'	1
'Candienes Avant!'	1
'Canberra'	1
'Candy'	1
'Cartoons'	10pp

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	'Catburgers'	1	
	'Chilliwick'	1	
	'Christmas Tree'	1	
	'Christ's Mass in Our Valley'	1	1985
	'Columbine'	1	
	'Come to the Zoo'	1	
	'Compensation'	1	
	'Contrast'	2	
	'Conversion'	1	
	'Country Folk'	1	
	'Creation'	1	
	'Criticism'	1	
	'Curious Jeff'	1	
	'Cuscuses'	1	
	'Daffodils'	1	1982
	'Dahlias'	1	
	'Dawning'	1	
	'Deciduous'	1	
	'Desert Dreams '	1	
	'December Snow'	1	
	'Dog School'	1	
	'Dogwood'	1	
	'Domestic'	1	
	'Do not say "Goodbye"'	1	
	'Don't Lock the Door'	1	
	'Dreams of Childhood'	1	
	'Driving Home from Work in Los Angeles'	1	
	'Drought in Southeast Australia'	1	1980
	'Duty Bound'	1	
	'Dynamo'	1	1981
1-6	Poetry: Collected II		
	Material includes:		
	Printed Material - Poems		
	'Echidna'	1	
	'Estranged Lovers'	1	
	'Eulogy on Ants'	1	
	'Expectancy'	1	
	'Extraction'	1	
	'Equinoetial'	1	
	'Faith'	1	
	'Fall'	1	
	'Fall Frolic'	1	
	'Falling Leaves'	1	
	'Fall in Vancouver'	2	
	'Farewell to Day'	1	
	'February'	1	
	'Fishing for Herring'	1	
	'Flames that Bless or Bare'	1	
	'Flying Foxes'	1	
	'Fond Regret'	1	
	'Fond Wishes'	1	
	'Forsakes'	1	
	'Friendship'	1	
	'Fuschia'	1	

'Garden Spider'	1	
'Gathering Peaches'	1	
'Go Ahead!'	1	
'God's Horizon'	1	
'God Laughs'	1	
'Gratitude'	2	1982
'Greeting Card Verses'	16	
'Grouse Mountain'	1	
'Haikus'	1	
'Hail'	1	
'Half-Past One'	2	
'Halloween'	1	1945
'Hand in Hand'	2pp	1973
'Happy is the Soldier's Heart'	1	
'Have a Good Day'	2pp	
'Heading for Vancouver'	1	
'Heaven on Earth'	1	
'He Who Plants'	1	
'Hey, dad!'	1	
'Hidden Treasure'	1	
'Highway of Peace'	2pp	ca.1940
'Hiking in the High Sierras'	2pp	
'Hi's First Bath'	1	
'Hi's Future'	1	
'Hoarfrost on the Prairies'	1	
'Haikus about Australia'	7	
'Haikus'	2	
'Holy Acceptable'	1	
'Holy Communion'	1	
'Home Made'	1	
'How Lovely!'	1	
'How Rich am I?'	1	
'How to Carry a Baby'	1	
'I ask You'	1	
'I'd Like'	1	1940
'If Only'	1	
'If you should need me'	1	
'I Guess I'm a Fool'	1	
'I Love Thee'	1	
'In a Quandry'	2pp	
'Indian Cradle Song'	2pp	
'In Love'	1	
'In Loving Memory'	1	
'In Memoriam'	1	
'In Memory of Premier Abrehart'	1	
'Inquisitive Joe'	1	
'In Retrospect'	1	
'Inseparable'	1	
'Intercourse'	1	
'Invasion'	1	ca 1945
'I Shovelled Snow'	1	
'I Think on Main'	1	
'It's a Girl'	1	
'Jack Frost'	1	
'January Capers'	1	
'Laughter'	1	
'Le Bon Voyage'	1	



'Lest They Forget'	1	1942
'Let's Tie the Knot'	3pp	1946
'Letter from College'	1	
'Life is Short'	1	
'Lonesome'	1	
'Love, Everyone Knows'	1	
'Love Me'	1	
'Lullaby'	1	
'Maple Sirup'	1	
'March'	1	
'Marjory'	1	1982
'Ma's Plannin''	2pp	
'Mass'	1	
'Mangerville'	1	
'May'	1	
'Medical Corps'	1	
'Meditation'	1	
'Merchantman'	1	
'Mike Flanagan's Wedding'	2pp	
'Miss Chiselsome'	2pp	
'Missing'	1	ca1940
'Modern Life in the Arctic'	1	
'Mon's Advice'	1	
'Mon Ami de Coeur'	1	1975
'Monsoon'	1	
'Moonlight Sleigh Ride'	1	
'Moth'		
'Mother's Work'	1	
'Mountain Climbing'	1	
'Music Rest'	1	
'Muttonbirds'	1	
'My Barned Rock Chickens'	1	
'My Country Home'	1	
'My Heart Beat'	1	
'My Home'	1	
'My Home Serving'	1	
'My Princess'	1	
'My Sheila'	1	1972
'Nations on Wings'	1	
'Never Leave Me'	1	
'New Year's Edition'	1	
'No More Togetherness'	1pp	
'No Tears are Shed'	1	

1-7 Poetry: collected III

Material includes:

Printed Material - Poems

'November'	1
'October'	1
'Oh, That Men Would Love'	1
'Oh a Peak of the Alps'	1
'On Growing Old'	1
'On Target'	1
'On the Horns of a Dilemma'	1
'Orchards in the Rain'	1
'Our Donor'	1
'Our Emblem, the Beaver'	1
'Our Orchard'	1

'Our Periscope'	1	
'Our Pledge'	1	1942
'Our Symbol'	1	
'Out on a Limb'	2pp	
'Patience'	1	
'Pageantry of Years'	1	
'Peace'	1	
'Peace River'	1	
'Peach Bloom'	1	
'Penticton'	1	
'Phenomenal News'	1	
'Pioneers'	1	
'Platypus'	1	
'Plum Pudding'	1	
'Preference'	1	
'Pre-natal Care'	1	
'Progression'	1	
'Queen's Park'	1	
'Rain in My Eyes'	1	
'Recollections of a Canadian Immigrant'	5pp	1980
'Redemption'	1	
'Red Spider'	1	
'Reflections on Life'	1	
'Remembrance Day'	1	
'Retirement'	1	
'Reproduction'	1	
'Reveille for Women'	1	
'Reviriscence'	1	
'Ronald's Cabbage'	2pp	
'Roosevelt'	1	
'Saw Player on the Street'	1	
'Schick Blades'	1	
'School in the Country'	1	
'Scruffy'	2pp	1982
'Searching'	1	
'Seasonal Charges'	1	
'Seek the Lord'	1	
'Sherbrooke'	1	
'Skipping'	1	
'Snowfall'	1	
'Snowflakes'	1	
'Snow in Prince George'	1	
'Snow Storm'	1	
'Soda We'	1	
'So Many Tears'	1	
'Spring'	1	
'Spring's Advance'	1	
'Spring's Approach'	1	
'Spring Cleaning'	1	
'Spring Dons an Easter Bonnet'	1	
'Spring is Here'	1	
'Spring's Debut'	1	
'Spring's Drama'	1	
'Spring's Return'	1	
'Spring's Return'	1	
'Springtime Babies'	1	
'Spring Woods'	1	1973
'Steadfast Love'	1	
'St. Peter's Church'	2pp	
'Strawberry'	1	

	'Streamlined'	1	
	'Strolling Side by Side'	1	
	'Success'	1	
	'Summer has Come'	2pp	
	'Sunrise and Sunset'	1	
	'Sunrise Service on the Mount'	1	
	'Sunset Beach'	1	
	'Supernatural BC'	1	
	'Surfing'	1	
	'Swedish Logger'	1	
	'Sydney Harbour on a December Noon'	3pp	
1-8	Poetry: Collected IV		
	Material incudes;		
	Printed Material - Poem:		
	'Taboos for a Jackeroo'	1	
	'Take Me to the Zoo'	2pp	
	'Talent'	1	
	'Tasman Prides'	1	
	'Tea'	1	
	'Telegram'	1	
	'Tel me...'	1	
	'Terez-vous Beau Toujours'	1	
	'Terrace, British Columbia'	1	
	'Thanksgiving'	1	
	'Thank God for Work'	1	
	'The Aborigine'	1	
	'The Aftermath'	1	
	'The Antithesis'	2pp	
	'The Arrest of the Country Squire'	2	
	'The Artful Dodo'	1	1976
	'The Aussie Nippers'	2	1973
	'The Bald-headed Eagle'	1	
	'The Ballons'	1	
	'The Baptism'	2	
	'The Beckwith Family'	1	
	'The Best Judge'	1	
	'The Big Shovel'	1	
	'The Black Bunny'	1	
	'The Bride's Message'	1	
	'The	1	
	'The Bronco Buster'	5pp	
	'The Chair of Life'	1	
	'The Chambered Nautilus'	1	
	'The Charmer'	2pp	
	'The Christmas Sprint'	1	
	'The Common Touch'	1	
	'The Coquette'	1	
	'The Cradle'	1	
	'The Crumbs of Love'	1	
	'The Cryptic Joke'	1	
	'The Curative'	2pp	
	'The Cyclone of '74'	2	
	'The Deformed Child'	2	
	'The Devilfish'	1	
	'The Dodo'	1	
	'The Grain-fed Grasshoppers'	1	
	'The Emu Chick'	1	
	'The Face of a Pansy'	1	

'The Fairy Penguins'	1	
'The Fawn'	1	
'The First and Last'	1	
'The First Christmas'	1	
'The Gift of a Teapot'	1	
'The Gift of Life'	3pp	
'The Gift of Prayer'	2pp	
'The Greatest Miracle'	1	
'The Greatest Task'	1	1943
'The Green Turtle'	1	
'The Hand of Destiny'	1	
'The Harvester'	1	
'The Hay Mow'	1	
'The Herdmaster'	2pp	
'The Heron'	2	
'The Invasion of Civilisation'	1	
'Their Finest Hour'	2	
'The Kanga Song'	1	1971
'The Kangaroo'	1	
'The Little Clown'	1	
'The Living Water'	2pp	
'The Lord Helps'	1	
'The Lost Mine'	1	
'The Lost Pet'	1	
'The Lovebirds'	2pp	
'The Love Knot'	1	
'The Magic Hat'	1	
'The Maypole Dance'	1	
'The Melting Pot'	2	1973
'The Misfit'	1	
'The Mistletoe Birds'	1	

1-9 Poetry: Collected V

Material includes:

Printed Material - Poems

'The Movement of Grain'	2	
'The New Arrival'	1	
'The Night Gown'	1	
'The Oasis'	1	
'The Obstetrician'	1	
'The Ocean'	1	
'The Okanagan in Wartime'	1	
'The Okanagan Wedding Reception'	2	
'The Okanagan Wedding Reception'	2	
'The Ol' Grey Goose'	2	
'The Omnipotent'	1	
'The One-year-old's Party'	1	
'The Outsider from Alice Spring'	4pp	
'The Painted Desert'	1	
'The Parting'	1	
'The Peacemaker'	3pp	
'The Pelican'	1	
'The Pewh'	1	
'The Playhouse'	1	
'The Reward'	1	
'The Ringling Brothers' Circus'	2pp	
'The Ringneck'	2	
'The RCAF'	1	ca1940

'The Run-around Dog'	1	
'The Scallymag'	1	
'The Scarecrow'	4	
'The Seashore'	1	
'The Secret'	2pp	
'The Sheepfold'	1	
'The Shower'	1	
'The Snowman'	2	
'The Soldier'	1	
'The Sprinklers'	1	
'The Storm'	1	1940
'The Summer of '71'	1	
'The Superb Lyrebird'	2pp	
'The Symbol'	1	
'Tantrum'	1	1977
'The Thanksgiving Dinner'	3pp	1942
'The Tiger Cat'	1	
'The Unknown Soldier'	1	
'The Uninvited Guest'	1	
'The Useless Crop'	1	
'The Valley of Eagles'	1	
'Victory Bond'	1	
'The Virgin Lullaby'	2	
'The Voyage of Life'	1	
'The Wealth of Canada'	1	
'The Wine Press'	1	
'Three Roses'	1	
'To an Alcoholic'	2	
'To a Beloved Wife'	1	
'To a Grown-up Daughter'	1	
'To a Pint-sized Englishman'	1	
'To a Moth'	1	
'To a Needy Child'	1	
'To Denise'	1	1983
'To Fly like the Eagle'	4	1984
'To my Husband'	1	
'To my Wife'	1	
'To the Most High'	1	
'Tragedy in the Sky'	2	
'Tranquillity'	1	
'Thes Apprecie'	2	
'Trudeau's Policy'	1	
'Turnin' the Tables'	1	
'Twilight in the City'	1	
'United'	1	
'Unsung Heroines'	1	
'Vancouver is Best'	2	1983
'Vancouver is Great!'	1	
'Walking is Slow'	2pp	1982
'Warning for Allhollows'	1	
'Welcome to a New Family Member'	1	
'Welcome to Vancouver'	1	
'What a Man Has'	1	
'What is Home?'	1	
'What is Lonely?'	1	
'What is Love Like?'	1	

	'When the Swallows Return'	3	
	'When He Grows Up'	1	
	'Winter's Approach'	1	
	'Whisper of Love'	1	
	'Who Rules the World?'	1	1982
	'Who Stole my Rosary?'	2	
	'Why Elephants Don't Smoke'	1	
	'Why Should I Donate?'	1	
	'Wind'	1	
	'Winter in Prince George'	1	
	'Winter's Rebuff'	1	1977
	'Winter's Thurst'	1	
	'Wise Saws'	3pp	
	'Wishful Thinking'	1	
	'Witchery'	1	
	'Women At Arms'	1	ca 1940
	'Wool Growing in the Outback'	1	
	'Yearning'	1	
1-10	Poetry: <u>Poems About Down Under</u>		
	Material includes		
	Printed Material		
	Poems arranged by Cedralia Alice Tarasoff, with Index	72pp	
	Other		
	Cover Designs	2	
	Notes	1	
1-11	Poetry: <u>Tiny Tots and Babes</u>		
	Material includes;		
	Printed Material		
	Poem arranged by Cedralia Alice Tarasoff with Index	62pp	
1-12	Poetry: <u>Tiny Tots and Babes</u>		
	Material includes:		
	Printed Material		
	Poems arranged by Cedralia Alice Tarasoff with Index	59pp	
2-1	Poetry: Various A-D		
	Material includes:		
	Printed Material - Poems		
	'The Aborigine'	2	
	'Annual Yacht Race'	2	
	'The Antitheses'	2	
	'Anyone Knows'	1	
	'As I went Walking'	2pp	
	'The Aussie Nippers'	2pp	1973
	'Autumn	1	
	'Baby's Eyes'	1	
	The Beckwith Family'	2pp	
	'Big Game Country'	4	
	'Bitter-Sweet'	1	1943
	'Le Bon Voyage'	1	

'The Bride's Message'	2	
'The Bronco Buster'	2pp	
'Brown-Eyed Susans'	3	
'Burlesque of the Swans'	2	
'Butchart Gardens'	1	
'Canadian Geese'	1	
'Catburgers'	3	
'A Child's Prayer'	3	
'Contrast'	1	
'The Cradle'	1	
'Christmas Tree'	1	
'Chirst's Mass in Our Valley'	3	1985
'A Cruel Fate'	6	
'The Crumbs of Love'	3	
'The Cryptic Joke'	1	
'The Curative'	4	
'Daffy Dilly'	3	
'Dancing with a Broom'	2	
'The Deformed Child'	1	
'Desert Dreams'	3	
'The Desire of my Heart'	1	
'A Different Viewpoint'	1	
'Does Spring Love You?'	7	
"Do not say "Goodbye"'	3	
'Drought in Southeast Australia'	1	1980
2-2 Poetry: Various E-h		
Material includes:		
Printed Material - Poems		
'Echidna	1	
'Eulogy on Ants'	2	
'The Fairy Penguins'	2	
'Fall'	3	
"Fall in Vancouver"	1	
'A Family Visitation'	2	
'A Father's Gift'	1	1982
'The First and Last'	1	
'The First Christmas'	1	
'Fleeting Beauty'	4	
'Flight'	1	
'Flying Foxes'	1	
'Garden Spider'	1	
'Go Ahead!'	1	
'Gratitude'	2	
'The Greatest Miracle'	1	
'The Greatest Task'	2	1943
'The Green Turtle'	1	
'Grouse Mountain'	1	
'Haikus about Australia'	1	
'Half-Past One'	1	
'Hand in Hand'	3	1973
'The Hand of Destiny'	1	
"Have a Good Day"	1	
'The Hay Mow'	1	
'The Heron'	2	
'His Holiness'	1	
'How Lovely!'	1	
'The Hypocrisy of Democracy'	1	

2-3	Poetry: Various I-M		
	Material includes:		
	Printed Material - Poems		
	'I'd Like....'	2	1940
	'I Love Three'	1	
	'In Memoriam'	2	
	'An Invocation to Fallen Soldiers'	1	
	'Jack Frost'	4	
	'The Kangaroo'	5	
	'The Kanga Song'	1	1971
	'Last Leave'	1	
	'A Little Bird Said'	2	
	'The Little Clown'	7	
	'A Living Touch'	1	
	'The Lost Mine'	1	
	'Mass'	1	
	'The Melting Pot'	1	1973
	'The Messenger'	1	
	'Moonlight Sleigh Ride'	1	
	'A Mother's Prayer'	2	
	'Mountain Sheep'	1	
	'The Movement of Grain'	3	
	'Music Rest'	2	
	'Muttonbirds'	2	
	'My Bird-kite'	1	1977
	'My Princess'	1	
	'My Sheila'	1	1972
2-4	Poetry: Various N-R		
	Material includes		
	Printed Material - Poems		
	'New Year Clinics'	1	
	'The Nootka Rose'	1	
	'A Night Owl's Advice'	1	
	'The Okanagan Wedding Reception'	2	
	'The Ol' Grey Goose'	3	
	'An Old Nun'	1	1981
	'Orchards in the Rain'	1	
	'Our Donor'	2	
	'Our Pledge'	3	1942
	'An Outrage'	3	
	'The Outsider from Alic Springs'	4pp	
	'The Painted Desert'	1	
	'The Parting'	1	
	'Phenomenal News'	1	
	Pioneers'	1	
	'Platypus'	1	
	'Recollections of a Canadian Immigrant'	2	1980
	'Red Spider'	1	
	'Reproduction'	2	
	'Retirement'	1	
	'Reviriscence'	2	
	'The Demand'	2	
	'The Ringneck'	1	
	'Ronald's Cabbage'	2	
	'Rub-a-Dub-Scrub'	4	



2-4 Poetry: various S-W

Material includes:

Printed Material - Poems

'A Sad Predicament'	2pp	
'The Scarecrow'	9	
'Scruffy'	1	1982
'The Secret'	1	
'The Shower'	1	
'So Many Tears'	1	
'Spring'	1	
'Spring's Advance'	1	
'Spring Dons an Easter Bonnet'	2	
'Spring's Return'	1	
'Spring Woods'	2	1973
'St. Peter's Church'	1	
'Streamlined'	1	
'Summer has Come'	2	
'The Superb Lyrebird'	5	
'Supernatural BC'	1	
'Sydney Harbour on a December Noon'	2	
'Taboos for a Jackaroo'	2	
'Take Me to the Zoo'	2pp	
'Talent'	2	
'Terrace, British Columbia'	1	
'The Tanksgiving Dinner'	1	1942
'Their Finest Hour'	1	
'To an Alcoholic'	3	
'To a Moth'	2	
'Tranquillity'	1	
'A Two-year-old'	2	
'The Valley of Eagles'	3	
'Vancouver is Best'	3	1983
'Vancouver is Great!'	1	
'Walking in Snow'	1	1982
'Why Marry'	1	
'Why Should I Donate?'	1	
'The Wilful Lambkin'	4	
'Winter's Approach'	2	
'Winter's Rebuff'	1	1977
'Winter's Thrust'	2	

2-5 Prose: Articles A-1

Material includes:

Printed Material

'Aloe Vera'	3	
'Are Small Boxes Dangerous?'	6	
'The Art of Giving'	1	
'An Attempt to Rejuvenate'	1	
'Bees in Her Bonnet'	10	
'The Black Thief'	6	
'Canada in the Last Depression'	4	
'Capturing a Swarm'	1	
'Commentary on "Consequences"'	1	1982
'A Cruel Fate'	3	
'The Day Nell Met her Fate'	2	
'The Frog'	6pp	
'Frogs and Toads'	3	
'Giant Trees'	2	

	'Hail Victoria, the Queen of Hearts!'	1	
	'Hardy Barbeque for Group Picnic'	1	
	'A Haunted House'	3	
	'The Hearth Chart'	4	
	'How to be Happy'	3pp	1977
	'The Hungry Thirties'	2	
	'The Iguana'	3	
2- 6	Prose:Articles J-Y		
	Material includes:		
	Printed Material		
	'Just being Happy'	7	
	'The Last Straw'	1	
	'A Lesson in Hygiene'	1	
	'A Letter'	1	
	'The Mennonite	1	
	'The Mongoose'	4	
	'Mushrooms'	2	
	'A Narrow Escape'	3	
	'Our Pupils' Posture'	1	
	'Our Solar System'	1	
	'The Peach Girls'	3pp	
	'The Platypus'	1	
	'The Porcupine'	4	
	'The Potato'	2	
	'The Prop that Came Alive'	3pp	
	'Reminiscences of Scarborough'	1	
	'Rescue from a Landslide'	1	
	'A Scotch Logger's Prayer'	1	
	'Skunks'	5	
	'A Slip of Speech'	1	
	'Sloppy Bill'	1	
	'To and From an old-time Christmas Concert'	1	
	'A Tragic Decision'	5pp	
	'The Unexpected Guests'	3	
	'Wise Saws'	1	
	'Wise Words'	1	
	'What are Truffles?'	2	
	'Why Smoke?'	1	
	'The Yellow Lady Slipper'	1	
2-7	Prose: Birds Ruled the Roost		
	Material includes:		
	Printed Material		
	<u>Birds Ruled the Roost</u>	3	
2-8	Prose: Stories A-H		
	Material includes:		
	Printed Material		
	'The Bastard Clock	1	
		5	

	<u>Black Tears</u>	5
	<u>Conditional Love</u>	1
	<u>Country School Marm</u>	3
	<u>The Culprit</u>	1
	<u>The Dancing Kettle</u>	1
	<u>The Day I Ate My Dog</u>	1
	<u>Dogging Love</u>	1
	<u>Drunk Little Indian</u>	2
	<u>Henri's Farm</u>	2
2-9	Prose: Stories L-T	
	Material includes:	
	Printed Material	
	<u>The Long Arm of the Law</u>	6
	<u>Lost on an Arctic Mission</u>	4
	<u>Mission at Lac Froid</u>	5
	<u>My First Love</u>	1
	<u>My Most Unforgettable Character</u>	1
	<u>The Orchardist</u>	2
	<u>The Problem Child</u>	1
	<u>A Slave to Fancy</u>	1
	<u>Spring Fever</u>	4
	<u>Too Young to Die</u>	5
2-10	Poems: Illustrated (Oversize)	
	Material includes:	
	Printed Material	
	<u>The Trooper's Horse</u>	6
	<u>Unrequited Love</u>	5
	<u>The Wayward Witch</u>	8
	<u>The Wolf That Almost Got My Son</u>	1
3-1	Poems: Illustrated (Oversize)	
	Material includes:	
	Printed Material	
	Poems mounted on cardboard with illustrations by Cedalia Alice Tarasoff	
	'Gathering Peaches'	1
	'The Okanagan Wedding Reception'	1
	'An Old Nun'	1
	'The Ringneck'	1
	'Scruffy'	1
	'The Virgin's Lullaby'	1
	'Walking in Snow'	1
	Other	1

**Cedalia Alice Tarasoff Fonds**

Addendum

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# Addendum to Cedralia Alice Tarasoff fonds

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## Title and Statement of Responsibility Area:

Title Proper: Cedralia Alice Tarasoff fonds

General material designation: Multiple media.

Title notes: Title based on contents of the fonds.

Level of description: Fonds

Reference code: RBSC-ARC-1547

## Dates of Creation Area:

Dates: 1978-1988

## Physical Description Area:

Extent: 3 cm of textual records, 7 audio cassettes

## Archival Description Area:

Name of creator: Poet Cedralia Alice Tarasoff's writing spans the period from World War II through the 1980s. Her patriotic poems and anthems were printed in various newspapers during World War II and later appeared in anthologies. Her prose works and articles concern Canada and Australia, and also contain reminiscences of her childhood in Western Canada in the early 1900s. Tarasoff also wrote under the pseudonym Rosina Moores.

Scope and content: The accrual to the fonds consists primarily of Cedralia Alice Tarasoff's writings, and notations for the writings to be set to music, arranged by Colleen Coburn. Also included in the accrual are recordings of Tarasoff performing the songs, explanatory notes about the lyrics, and related correspondence. Record types include poetry, prose, song lyrics, musical notations, copyright certificates, correspondence, and audio cassettes.

## Notes Area:

Physical condition: Materials are in good condition.

Finding aids: RBSC staff created a file level finding aid for the fonds in 1987, available through the RBSC online database. This was updated in spring of 2019 when the accrual was processed. A finding aid for this accrual is also available as a PDF attached to the fonds.

Arrangement: The physical order of the material in the accrual was maintained by the archivist, and the materials have been intellectually added to the existing series.

General note: Includes the following audio cassettes: RBSC-ARC-1547-SPC-01 to SPC-07.

### Access points:

Names (Subject): Coburn, Colleen

### Control Area:

Dates of creation, revision, deletion: Addendum created by Claire Williams in April 2019, updated by Ashlynn Prasad in May 2019.

### Box-File list:

Box-File#	Series	File title	Date(s)	Notes
4-01	Manuscripts	The Superb Lyrebird [poem and illustration, author's notation]	[unknown]	
4-02	Manuscripts	Marjory [poem and illustration, author's notation]	1982	
4-03	Manuscripts	Daffodils [poem and illustration, author's notation]	1982	
4-04	Manuscripts	A Selection of Her Poetry and Illustrations [poems and illustrations, including sketches and handwritten notes, author's notations]	1939-1987	
4-05	Correspondence	[Correspondence- Graham Elliston and tape recordings of songs]	1987	Contains RBSC-ARC-1547-SPC-01 to SPC-05.
4-06	Correspondence	[Copies of certificates of registration – copyright office – consumer and corporate affairs Canada]	1978	
4-07	Manuscripts	[Correspondence, lyrics, notes, and 1982 musical arrangements]	1982	
4-08	Correspondence	[Correspondence, and tape recordings of songs]	1988	Contains RBSC-ARC-1547-SPC-06 to SPC-07.