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## Papers of Bene Gibson Smyth, 1923-1946 [manuscript]

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**Repository** National Library of Australia, Manuscript Collection

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**Reference** [MS Acc11.044](#)

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**Date Range** 1923 - 1946

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**Quantity** 1 packet 0.06 m

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### Details

MS Acc11.044 comprises manuscript scores of songs by Bene Gibson Smyth. The scores include an album titled "Song stories for children", c1946; a musical play, "The wishing well ... adapted from Stories told by Little Miss Kookaburra" (alias Hazel Maude, who broadcast bedtime stories in Australia), c1936; and individual songs. Some of the song lyrics are by Gertrude Hart. In addition, there is a sheet of typewritten poems by Queensland writer Mabel Forrest, with a covering note from the author, and photocopies of four photographic portraits (1 packet).

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