

**Songs, 1935-1955, of the Nootka  
Indians of Western Vancouver Island**

**1935-1955**

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository</b>	American Philosophical Society
<b>Creator</b>	Roberts, Helen H., (Helen Heffron), 1888-1985
<b>Creator</b>	Swadesh, Morris, 1909-1967
<b>Title</b>	Songs, 1935-1955, of the Nootka Indians of Western Vancouver Island
<b>Date [inclusive]</b>	1935-1955
<b>Call number</b>	Mss.970.6.R542
<b>Extent</b>	0.25 Linear feet 48 items
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<b>Location</b>	LH-MV-C-8
<b>Language</b>	Wakashan languages
<b>Container</b>	1
<b>Abstract</b>	This collection is music for 97 songs, written by Helen Roberts and Morris Swadesh. Also includes an analytic chart.

## **Background note**

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Helen Heffron Roberts was a songwriter.

## Administrative Information

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### Publication Information

American Philosophical Society

## Provenance

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### Acquisition Information

Received from Helon Heffron Roberts and accessioned, 1955 (1955 1041ms).

## Related Materials

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Associated materials at APS: American Council of Learned Societies, Committee on Native American Languages Collection (497.3 B63c), Morris Swadesh, "Nootka Songs" (W2a.1).

## Indexing Terms

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### Genre(s)

- Songs.

### Subject(s)

- Indians of North America--Music
- Nootka Indians--Music

## Other Descriptive Information

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Printed, Roberts and Swadesh (1955), *APS Transactions* 45: 230-276, 309.