



## **MG 471 – Canadian Broadcasting Corporation Radio Plays produced by Emrys**

**Jones**

MSS 40

**Dates:** 1952 - 1954

**Extent:** .5 metres of textual material

**Biographical note:** In 1944 Emrys Jones was appointed the first professor of Drama at the University of Saskatchewan (as well as the first full time professor of Drama at a commonwealth university). He remained the Head of the Department until 1971 and retired 2 years later.

**Scope and content:** This manuscript collection contains the Director's scripts of Radio Plays produced on the CBC National Network by Emrys Jones during the period 1952 to 1954. All the scripts are copyright by their respective authors. The authors of these plays have been arranged alphabetically in each series.

**Arrangement:** The series are:

- I. Winnipeg Drama Series
- II. Dominion Showcase Series
- III. Thursday Playhouse Series
- IV. Saturday Playhouse Series
- V. Children's Theatre Series
- VI. Others

**Restrictions:** There are no restrictions on access.

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**Box 1**

I. Winnipeg Drama Series

1. Belt, Ted  
see Gowan, Elsie Park
2. Box, Muriel and Sidney Box.  
see Gillanders, Beth
3. Brampton, Joan. "Just her luck." 26 1.  
Thursday, Oct . 16, 1952.
4. Brauer, V .T. "Little horses have big ears". 22 1.  
Thursday, July 16, 1953.
5. Breuer, Bessie.  
see Williams, John.
6. Byrne, Stafford. Chen and the brown dragon. 34 1  
Thursday, April 29, 1954
7. Carroll , Sidney  
see Lepkin, Ben.
8. Darling, Ross and Ed Wilson. A sure thing. 27 1.  
Thursday, Nov. 6, 1952.
9. Delderfield , R. F.  
see Macleod, Robert
10. Faulkner, William  
see Stobie, Margaret.
11. Fleming, Peter  
see White, Jon Manchip
12. Fowke, Edith. John the Revelator. 29 1.  
Adapted from a short story by Oliver La Farge.  
Thursday, Dec .10, 1953.
13. Gard, Robert E. What we say. 2 copies: 19 1., 21 1.  
Thursday, Sept. 17, 1953.

14. Garshin, Vsevolod  
see Haskins, Doug.
15. Gillanders, Beth. Anticlockwise. 25 1.  
Adapted from the stage play by Muriel and Sidney Box.  
Thursday, July 2nd, 1953.
16. Gittings, R. The party at Haydons. 28 1.  
Thursday, Dec .17, 1953.
17. Gowan, Elsie Park. Bump on a log. 24 1.  
Based on a short story by Ted Belt .  
Thursday, June 11 , 1953.  
Maestro in spite of himself . 28 1.  
Thursday, Aug. 27, 1953.  
see also Ringwood, Gwen Phasis .
18. Gray, Gordon L. Hienrich. 24 I. 2 copies  
Thursday, Oct . 23, 1952.
19. Green, Aubrey C. Portrait of an artist . 24 1.  
Thursday, March 19, 1953.  
see also Green, Peggy.
20. Green, H. Gordon  
see Whittall, Peter  
Lee, Pamela
21. Green, Peggy. Ladies event. 25 1. 2 copies  
Thursday, Nov. 27, 1952.
22. Green, Peggy and Aubrey Green. I'll be glad when you're dead! 24 I •  
Thursday, Sept.18, 1952.  
The survivor. 24 1.  
Thursday, May 6, 1954.
23. Greenaway, Tod. The time clock. 30 1.  
Thursday May 13, 1954 (originally scheduled for April  
1<sup>st</sup>)
24. Hardy, W. G. The Spy. 27 1.  
Thursday, April 2, 1953

25. Harris, Alfred. Mr. Murphy, please. 23 1.  
Thursday, Oct. 9, 1952
26. Haskings, Doug. The last shot. 28 1.  
Thursday, Oct. 2, 1952  
The signal. 26 1.  
Adapted from a short story by Vsevolod Garshin.  
Thursday April 16<sup>th</sup>, 1953.  
Replay: Thursday July 23<sup>rd</sup>. 1953.
27. Jones, John Thomas. Action at the bunch o'grapes. 21 1.  
Thursday, July 15<sup>th</sup>, 1954.  
(First presented May 28 or June 4, 1953)
28. Joudry, Patricia. The storm. 25 1.  
Monday, May 24, 1954 (originally dated Thursday  
October 22, 1953)
29. Kellett, Winnifred. No other way. 25 1.  
Thursday, February 19, 1953.
30. King, Alan. Benvenuto Cellini. 27 1.  
Thursday, February 4, 1954. (First performed in 1949.)...  
Dick Turpin 25 1.  
Thursday, March 25, 1954.  
Pygmalion and Galatea. 27 1.  
Thursday, June 24<sup>th</sup>, 1954.
- Box 2**
31. Kitchin, Lawrence. The man who wanted to know to shudder. 32 1.  
Thursday, April 30, 1953.
32. La Farge, Oliver.  
see Edith Fowke
33. Leclerc, Felix  
see Morna Scott Stoddard.
34. Lee, Pamela and John Macrae. The star that was ours. 23 1.  
Adapted from a story by H. Gordon Green.  
Thursday, December 18, 1952.
35. Leete, Marjorie. The unhappy milkman. 26 1.

Thursday, April 23, 1953.  
(With attached note: Scheduled for June 21st, 1954.)

36. Lepkin, Ben. Beware my Lord. 19 1.  
Thursday, August 6, 1953.  
The day I died. 18 1  
Thursday June 17, 1954.  
Previously performed on Manitoba Playhouse.  
My friend Oscar. 27 1.  
Thursday, June 25, 1953.  
Noah has a wife. 24 1.  
Thursday, June 18, 1953.  
A note from the milkman. 22 1.  
Adapted from the short story by Sidney Carroll.  
Thursday, Nov. 12, 1953.  
The phantom bride. 24 1.  
Thursday, May 27, 1954.  
Previously performed on Manitoba Playhouse, Tues.  
April 6, 1954.
37. Livesay, Dorothy. Call my people home. 22 1.  
Thursday, July 29, 1954. (Rescheduled ( ?) from  
March 4, 1954. First performed in 1949.)
38. Lucas, Brock Gambling man. 34 1.  
Thursday, April 8, 1954. Previously aired Thursday,  
November 20, 1952.
39. McFadden, Isabel. The reluctant martyr. 29 1.  
Thursday, Dec. 24, 1953.
40. Macleod, Robert. The absent lover. 25 1.  
Adapted from R . F.Delderfield's stage play.  
Thursday, February 11 , 1954.
41. MacNaughton, John A. For the record. 20 1.  
Thursday, Oct.15, 1953..                      Replay: July 22, 1954.
42. Morgan-Jones, Elizabeth. Putting the hard word. 26 1.  
Thursday, March 12, 1953.
43. Pearce, Alan. Rich Uncle George. 30 1.  
Thursday, Dec .11 , 1952

44. Pedrick, Gale. Mr. Butters writes a notice . 30 1  
Thursday., March 11 , 1954.
45. Perrault, E. G. Meet Mr. Climax. 26, 4 1.  
Thursday, July 9, 1953.  
The Patient. 20 1.  
Thursday, Jan. 28, 1954.
46. Peterson, Len. How fame came to Archie Mcfee. 24 1.  
Thursday, Feb. 25, 1954.  
Olli and the Roll. 23 1.  
Thursday, Feb. 18, 1954.  
Second thoughts. 23 1.  
Thursday, March 3, 1954.  
They're all afraid. 19 1  
Thursday, May 7, 1953.  
Also included: the television version. 38 1.
47. Reeves, John. The romantic Butler. 24 1.  
Thursday January 7, 1954.
48. Ringwood, Gwen Pharis The courting of Marie Jenvrin. 23 1.  
Adapted by Elsie Park Gowan  
Thursday Feb. 26, 1953.  
A fine coloured Easter egg. 24 1.  
Thursday, Feb. 12, 1953.
- Box 3**
- Still stands the house . 22 1.  
Thursday, March 5, 1953.  
The wall. 30 1.  
Thursday, Jan. 21, 1954.
49. Roy, Gabrielle  
see Stoddart, Morna Scott.
50. Savage, David. Deep freeze. 24 1.  
Produced by Alfred Parr.  
Thursday, Sept. 11, 1952.  
Doors. 28 1.  
Thursday. May 14, 1953.

51. Schull, Joseph. The devil's mother-in-law. 28 1.  
Thursday, April 15, 1954.  
The glass walls. 27 1.  
Thursday, July 8, 1954.  
The land of Ephraim. 24 1.  
Thursday, April 22, 1954.  
The lost islands. 24 1.  
Thursday, July 1, 1954.
52. Sinclair, Kay. You and the night. 19 1.  
Thursday, January 29, 1953.
53. Sherman, Louis R. The major's batman. 25 1.  
Thursday, May 20, 1954.
54. Stobie, Margaret. A quartet from Faulkner . [only 3 performed]  
Item 1: Grandmother Millard and the battle of Harrykin  
Creek. 24 1.  
Thursday, Jan. 8, 1953.  
Item 3: Shingles for the Lord. 21 1.  
Thursday, Jan .15, 1953.  
Item 4: Go down, Moses. 20 1  
Thursday, Jan. 22, 1953.
55. Stoddart, Morna Scott. Sandale the charmer. 25 1.  
Adapted from the story by Felix Leclerc.  
Thursday, April 9, 1953.  
The school at Waterhen Island.  
Adapted from Gabrielle Roy's novel "La Petite Poule  
d'Eau"  
In 3 parts: Thursday, Nov. 19, 1953.  
21 1.  
Thursday, Nov. 26, 1953  
23 1  
Thursday, Dec. 3, 1953  
21 1.
56. Theriault, Yves. Night beat. 20 1.  
Thursday, August 13, 1953  
Also presented on Saturday Playhouse, Saturday May 8,  
1954.  
[For script see Saturday Playhouse series].
57. Townshend, Elizabeth Morison. Dune's end. 20 1.

- Thursday, Sept. 3, 1953.
58. Turolla, G. Pino. A friendly visit: a comedy. 27 1.  
Thursday, Dec. 4, 1952. Repeated Thurs. July 30, 1953.
59. Waldman, Marion. Marya who loved the sea. 24 1.  
Thursday, Sept. 10, 1953.
60. White, Jon Manchip. Two fugitives. 23 1.  
Adapted from a short story by Peter Fleming  
Thursday, Feb. 5, 1953
61. Whittall, Peter. Resurrection Morn. 23 1.  
Adapted from a short story by H. Gordon Green  
Thursday, November 13, 1952
62. Williams, John Pigeons en casserole. 23 1.  
Based on a story by Bessie Breuer  
Thursday, June 3, 1954
63. Winston, Helene Another Island. 20 1. 2 copies  
Thursday, October 30, 1952  
A little too faithful. 21 1.  
Thursday, May 21<sup>st</sup>, 1953.  
Miss Murphy abroad among the mortals. 21 1.  
Thursday, August 20, 1953.  
Rosie Leprechaun. 21 1.  
Thursday, June 10, 1954.  
The strange history of the satisfied man. 22 1.  
Thursday, Sept. 25, 1952.  
Also presented in the series Dominion Showcase,  
Friday, July 24, 1953.
64. Woodward, Gordon. The wall of glass. 21 1.  
Thursday, Jan. 14, 1954.

**Box 4**

II. Dominion Showcase Series

1. Mac Fadyen, A. B. Mac Tavish in the underworld. 22 1.  
Friday, July 31, 1953.
2. Winston, Helene. The strange history of a satisfied man. 22 1.



Friday, July 24, 1953.

Also presented in the series Winnipeg Drama, Thursday, Sept. 25, 1952

### III. Thursday Playhouse Series

1. Beissel, Henry E. Chee - chee. 24 1.  
Adapted from the play by Luigi Pirandello Thursday, June 11, 1953.
2. Farrell, John. Moriarty's infant. 29 1.  
Thursday, June 11, 1953.
3. Leclerc, Felix  
see Stoddard, Morna Scott .
4. Peterson, Len Burlap bags. 24 1.  
Thursday, July 2, 1953.
5. Pirandello, Luigi.  
see Beissel, Henry.
6. Stoddard, Morna Scott. Manhunt. 28 1.  
Adapted from the short story by Felix Leclerc.  
Thursday, July 23, 1953.

### IV. Saturday Playhouse Series

1. Kemp, Hugh. Life with Adam. 34 1 .  
Saturday, July 17, 1954.  
The mask of beauty. 29 1.  
Saturday, June 12, 1954.
2. Theriault, Yves Night beat. 20 1. 3 copies  
Saturday, May 8, 1954  
Also presented on Winnipeg Drama, Thursday Aug. 13, 1953.

### V. Children's theatre Series

1. Lepkin, Ben. The real princess. 26 1 .  
Saturday, February 28, 1953.  
Twenty years after, a sequel to Jack and the beanstalk.  
27 1  
Saturday, January 10, 1953.

## VI. Other

### 1. Lepkin, Ben.

The oriole's nest. Episodes 1 - 13. 160 1.  
Adapted from the novel "The one-eyed trapper" by  
John Morgan Gray.  
Monday, Oct. 19, 1953 - Monday, January 11th, 1954.

### 2. The Jacksons and their neighbours.

5 episodes: Episode 1732. 6 1.  
Thursday November 11, 1952.  
Episode 1748, 6 1  
Wednesday, Dec. 3, 1952.  
Episode 1751, 6 1.  
Monday, Dec. 8, 1952.  
Episode 1788. 6 1.  
Friday, January 30, 1953.  
Episode 1800. 7 1.  
Tuesday, February 17, 1953.