

SAFA 555

**A Guide to the Records of the
Catherine M. Buckaway fonds
(F 645)**

**Saskatchewan Archives Board
2010**

**PRIVATE RECORDS
AUTHORITY DESCRIPTION**

**Saskatchewan Archives Board
Authority Record**

**Individual (PA 162)
Buckaway, Catherine M., 1919-1995**

About this records creator:

Authorized Heading Buckaway, Catherine M., 1919-1995

**Brief Bio./Admin.
History** Catherine Margaret Buckaway was born in 1919 in North Battleford, Saskatchewan. She resided in Jansen for the majority of her life. Buckaway was a poet and author of books, short stories and lyrics. She died in Saskatoon in 1995.

**Biographical
Sketch/Administrative
History** Catherine Margaret Buckaway was born on July 7, 1919 in North Battleford, Saskatchewan. She was raised and educated in the Glaslyn district. She married Edward Buckaway on April 1, 1941. The Buckaways spent the majority of their lives in Jansen, where Edward served as secretary-treasurer of the Rural Municipality of Prairie Rose No. 309. The Buckaways moved to Saskatoon in 1976.

Buckaway's career as a poet and author began around 1967. Her body of work included a large volume of published poems; a children's book entitled "Alfred the Dragon"; short stories and lyrics. Buckaway was a member of the Canadian Authors Association; the Haiku Society of America; and the League of Canadian Poets.

Buckaway died in Saskatoon on October 28, 1995. She was buried in Woodlawn Cemetery in Saskatoon.

Buckaway and her husband had two children: Scarlett and Judy.

Variant Name(s) C.M. Buckaway

Catherine Margaret Buckaway

Rule(s) Rules for Archival Description (RAD).

Source(s) AMICUS Authorities - April 12, 1977

The StarPhoenix

Archival records linked to this records creator:

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FONDS DESCRIPTION

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About these records:

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| Unique Identifier | F 645 |
| Title of Records | Catherine M. Buckaway fonds |
| Level of Description | Fonds |
| Descriptive System | Private |
| Dates of Creation | c. 1904-1986 |
| Physical Description | 1.5 m of textual records 20 photographs |

Link to Authority Catherine Margaret Buckaway was born in 1919 in North Battleford, Saskatchewan. She resided in Jansen for the majority of her life. Buckaway was a poet and author of books, short stories and lyrics. She died in Saskatoon in 1995.

See: [Buckaway, Catherine M., 1919-1995](#)

Direct Acquisition from Records Creator Catherine M. Buckaway donated some of these records to the Regina office, Saskatchewan Archives in seven accessions between 1964 and 1987: 371 (R) (November, 1964); No Acc. #289 (August 16, 1968); No Acc. #230 (1970); 981 (Photo R) (September, 1971); R87-018 (January 13, 1987); R87-430 (November 3, 1987) and R87-449 (November 9, 1987).

Catherine M. Buckaway donated some of these records to the Saskatoon office, Saskatchewan Archives in three accessions in 1985: S85-105 (May 27, 1985); S85-155 (August 12, 1985); and S85-161 (August 21, 1985).

Scope and Content This fonds consists of records created, accumulated and used by Catherine M. Buckaway, a poet and author formerly of Jansen, Saskatchewan. The fonds includes correspondence; draft and published works, including poetry, lyrics, plays and short stories; a copy of the 1886 death certificate for Francis Jeffrey Dickens, who served in the North-West (Riel) Rebellion in 1885; and photographs.

No series assignment has been applied to the records in this fonds.

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| Access Restrictions | Records are open for research use. |
| Terms Governing Use | Use, publication and/or reproduction are subject to terms of an agreement with the donor and the conditions of the Copyright Act. Please consult reference archivist for assistance. |
| Reference Tools | SAFA 555 consists of a fonds description and item descriptions of some of the photographs. Item descriptions of some of the photographs are also available in Threshold. |
| Related Records (Records held by SAB) | <p>A history of the Rural Municipality of Prairie Rose No. 309 written by Catherine M. Buckaway is located in the Rural Municipality of Prairie Rose No. 309 fonds in the Regina office (R-E2046).</p> <p>A sound recording of Catherine M. Buckaway being interviewed by Mildred A. Rose in 1977 is available in the Regina office (Tape R-1296). Buckaway talks about her background, writings and inspirations. The visitation report includes a black and white photograph of Buckaway.</p> <p>Photographs of Catherine M. Buckaway at her home in 1983 are available in the StarPhoenix fonds in the Saskatoon office (S-SP-A19953 (1)-(19)).</p> |
| Physical Condition | Records are in good physical condition. |
| Conservation | Conservation practices in place at the time of processing were applied to the records in this fonds. |
| Accruals | <p>No further accruals are expected.</p> <p>Unprocessed records exist in this fonds. Access to these records is unavailable at this time. Please consult reference archivist in Saskatoon for details.</p> |
| Source of Description | Content of the fonds. |
| Former Code(s) | Textual records: Clippings File - Biographies - Dumont, Gabriel; Clippings File - Historic Sites - Fort Whoop Up; Pamphlet File - Poetry; R-E2680; S-A524 Photographs: R-A9046; R-A34413 |
| Consulting the Records | To consult the records, visit or contact the Regina and Saskatoon offices. |
| Arrangement Note(s) | Arrangement imposed by archivist. |
| General Note(s) | Location for retrieval: Regina-Hillsdale; Saskatoon-Murray. |

**FOR SOME OF THE TEXTUAL
RECORDS IN THIS FONDS SEE**

**Clippings File – Historic Sites – Fort Whoop Up;
Clippings File – Biog. – Dumont, Gabriel;
Pamphlet File – Poetry;
R-E2680 and S-A524**

**ITEM
DESCRIPTION**

Sketch of a Scottish piper

Reference Code: R-A9046
Higher-level code: F 645

Level of Description: Item
Dates of Creation: 0000
Physical Description: Print

Creator: Scott, W. (Artist)

Scope and Content: Sketch of a Scottish piper.

Subject: Kilts
Scott, W.
Bagpipes

Lang. of Description: ENG
Lang. of Material: English
Format: Print

"The old Prince Albert trail"

Reference Code: R-A34413
Higher-level code: F 645

Level of Description: Item
Dates of Creation: 1944
Physical Description: print

Scope and Content: "The old Prince Albert trail." Photograph taken by a surveyor.

General Notes: Source: Mrs. Catherine Buckaway, Saskatoon, SK
Date Catalogued: 2007-06-14

Subject: Trails
Prince Albert Trail

Geographic Location: Saskatchewan

Lang. of Description: ENG
Lang. of Material: English
Format: print
Colour: b&w
Size: 8.8 x 12.5

**UNPROCESSED RECORDS
EXIST IN THIS FONDS**

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REFERENCE ARCHIVIST
FOR DETAILS**

LOCATIONS:

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Clippings File - Biographies - Dumont, Gabriel: H-12771.6

Clippings File - Historic Sites - Fort Whoop Up: H-1277.5.5

Pamphlet File - Poetry: H-1280.1.3

Collection R-E2680: H-1287.7.3

Collection S-A524: MU 53.4.1

R-A9046:

Regina Reference Room

R-A34413:

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