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Contents Papers concerning the Cecil Hadgraft Memorial Fund (1987-1988), the Warana Festival (1983-1991) and the South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (1975-1990) and the Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (ACLALS); conference proceedings, correspondence, financial records, original contributions, conference proceedings relating to the South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies. Material in Box 17 originates from Dr Helen Tiffin.

Biography Dr. Chris Tiffin is a Senior Lecturer in English at the University of Queensland. He is the author of ‘Rosa Praed: a bibliography’ and has written articles on Australian and Pacific literatures. From 1975 to 1981 he was on the executive of the South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies, acting as assistant chairman and honorary treasurer.

Dr Helen Tiffin is a former Professor in the School of English, Media Studies, and Art History (EMSAH) at the University of Queensland.

Notes Open access

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Box 1
Papers concerning the Cecil Hadgraft Memorial Fund, 1987-1988

Folder 1
Brochure soliciting donations to the Cecil Hadgraft Memorial Fund, list of members of the Memorial Fund committee and letters of acknowledgement, 1987-1988

Folder 2
Correspondence from and to donors to the Cecil Hadgraft Memorial Fund, official university memos re: the fund, chart with breakdown of donations, and final letter of thanks to donors, 1987-1988

Folder 3
Cecil Hadgraft Memorial Fund Committee meeting agendas and minutes, 1987-1988

Folder 4
Papers re: the establishment of the Cecil Hadgraft Memorial Fund and lists of potential donors to contact, 1987

Folder 5
Mailing lists for Cecil Hadgraft Memorial Fund, 1987
Envelope of completed donation forms
Computer printout with final version of mailing list

**Box 2**

**Folder 1**
Warana Festival Literary Arts Committee: agendas, meeting minutes, pamphlets, programs, newspaper clippings, 1983-1986

**Folder 2**
Warana Festival Literary Arts committee: agendas, meeting minutes, pamphlets, programs, correspondence, 1987

**Folder 3**
Warana Festival Literary Arts committee: agendas, meeting minutes, correspondence, 1987-1988

**Box 3**

**Folder 1**
Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies in Malaysia (MACLALS): financial statements, budgets, membership lists, agendas, constitution, 1980

**Folder 2**
South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (hereafter SPACLALS): newssheets, financial statements, 1976

**Folder 3**
SPACLALS: newssheets, financial statements, 1976

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SPACLALS: newssheet (Jan 1979), chairman’s report, treasurer’s report, 1979

**Folder 5**
SPACLALS: 5th Triennial Conference, University of the South Pacific, Suva, Fiji, 1980: program, correspondence

**Folder 6**
SPACLALS: Short story competition, 1980

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SPACLALS: Commonwealth Literature in the Curriculum seminar, Brisbane, 24-25 May 1980: program, correspondence

**Folder 8**
SPACLALS: Commonwealth Literature in the Curriculum seminar, Brisbane, 24-25 May 1980: registration forms

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SPACLALS: Seminar at Flinders University, South Australia, Centre for Research in the New Literatures in English (CRNLE), Apr 1979
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SPACLALS: newssheet no 4, Jul 1977

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SPACLALS: arrangements with Trafalgar Travel for Fiji conference, 1979-80

Folder 12
Correspondence re: SPAN no. 8, 1979-80

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Interview with Russell Soaba, SPACLALS short story competition 1979

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Items submitted for SPAN no 8, 1980

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Items submitted for SPAN no 10, 1980

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SPACLALS: audit documents, financial statements, 1975-77

Folder 2
Correspondence with Fédération International des Langues et Littératures Modernes, 1979-81

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SPACLALS: newssheet no 3, Dec 1976

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SPACLALS: newssheet no 5, Jan 1978

Folder 5
SPACLALS: newssheet no 6, Jul 1978

Folder 6
SPACLALS: audit documents, 1976-7

Folder 7
SPACLALS members mailing list

Folder 8
Correspondence re: publication of Fiji Conference Proceedings, 1983

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Folder 10
Archive of SPACLALS newssheets, Nos. 1-15, Jul 1976-Feb 1983

Folder 11
SPACLALS: Conference on Commonwealth Literature Now, University of Queensland, May 1977: program, registration forms

Folder 12
SPACLALS: general correspondence, 1975-82

Folder 13
Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (ACLALS): accounts, 1979-80

Folder 14
SPACLALS: agendas, meeting minutes, financial statements, 1978-80

Box 5

Folder 1
Conference on Black Literatures, University of Queensland, 3-6 Jul 1986: correspondence, receipts, organising committee meeting minutes, tentative conference outline

Folder 2
Conference on Black Literatures, University of Queensland, 3-6 Jul 1986: registrations

Folder 3
Conference on Black Literatures, University of Queensland, 3-6 Jul 1986: financial records

Also in box:
11 cash receipt books, 1 deposit book, 1 cheque book, computer printout of names and addresses

Box 6

Folder 1
SPACLALS: membership forms and related correspondence, 1977-78

Folder 2
Short stories submitted for SPACLALS short story competition and foreword for publication by Thomas Shapcott

Folder 3
SPACLALS: short story competition 1981: list of submissions and letter announcing winners
Folder 4
SPACLALS: short story competition 1978: short listed stories

Folder 5
SPACLALS: membership correspondence, 1981

Folder 6
SPACLALS: bank account statements, 1982-87

Folder 7
SPACLALS: membership list, 30 Apr 1982

Also in box:
SPACLALS petty cash book, SPACLALS account book, SPACLALS letterhead typeset design

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Folder 1
SPACLALS: general correspondence, 1981-82

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Items submitted for SPAN no 13, Oct 1981

Folder 3
SPACLALS: general correspondence, financial records, 1977-1981

Folder 4
Items submitted for SPAN no 14, 1981

Folder 5
SPACLALS: general correspondence, financial records, 1981

Folder 6
Conference on Black Literatures, University of Queensland, 3-6 Jul 1986: minutes of organizing committee, budgets, tentative program

Folder 7
SPACLALS: general correspondence, financial records, 1980-82

Box 8

Folder 1
Items submitted for SPAN no 12, Apr 1981

Folder 2
Sales: South Pacific Stories (1980)

Folder 3
Sales: *South Pacific Stories* (1980)

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**Folder 1**
SPACLALS: short stories submitted for short story competition

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**Folder 3**
Items submitted for SPAN no 12, Apr 1981

**Folder 4**
Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (ACLALS): general correspondence, financial records, 1977-80

**Folder 5**
SPAN no 12, Apr 1981 [proof copy]

**Folder 6**
SPAN no 13, Oct 1981 [proof copy]

**Also in box:**
SPAN title page typeset design, Nos 12 and 13, ACLALS finance ledger

**Box 10**

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**Folder 2**
George Lamming’s visit to the University of Queensland, 1976: tentative itinerary, press releases, leaflets

**Folder 3**
SPACLALS: general correspondence, 1975-77

**Folder 4**
*South Pacific Stories* Literature Board application, 1979-81

**Folder 5**
Items for inclusion in SPACLALS newsletter SPAN, 1976-77
Folder 6
SPACLALS newssheet no 10 (Jul 1980), meeting agendas, financial statements, 1980

Folder 7
SPACLALS: articles of association with preamble, invitation to join SPACLALS, 1976

Folder 8
Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (ACLALS), Report to Regional Chairmen, Nos. 1-3 and related correspondence, 1977

Folder 9
Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (ACLALS): correspondence, financial statements, meeting agendas, submission to the Commonwealth Foundation for financial support, report of the Study Group for Promoting the Spread of Commonwealth Literature, ACLALS Report to Regional Chairmen, nos 8-10 and 12-13, 1978-79

Folder 10
SPACLALS: financial statements, meeting minutes, 1975-77

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SPACLALS: meeting minutes, 1978

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SPACLALS: meeting minutes, 1979

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ACLALS New Delhi conference 1977: replies from members of SPACLALS with conference paper proposals and abstracts, 1976

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Items submitted for SPAN no 3, Oct 1976

Folder 3
SPACLALS: general correspondence, 1975-76

Folder 4
SPACLALS: distribution of promotional material and advertising with related correspondence, 1975

Folder 5
SPACLALS: members’ applications and renewals, 1975-77

Folder 6
ACLALS New Delhi conference details, 1976-77
Folder 7
Working Party on Library Holdings of Commonwealth Literature, Commonwealth Institute, London: meeting minutes, 1975-76

Folder 8
ACLALS correspondence with Canadian Association for Commonwealth Language and Literary Studies (CACLALS), 1976

Folder 9
ACLALS Conference, Makerere University, Kampala, Uganda: correspondence and travel arrangements, 1973-76

Folder 10
ACLALS: constitutional redraft, 1976

Folder 11
ACLALS: meeting minutes, correspondence, and information re: ACLALS Conference, Makerere University, Kampala, Uganda, 1974

Folder 12
Correspondence re: 1977 SPACLALS conference

Folder 13
SPACLALS: official minutes 1975-77, financial statement 1977

Folder 14
SPACLALS: meeting minutes, 1979-80

Box 12

Folder 1
Correspondence with Australian Book Review and reviews submitted, 1982-86

Folder 2
Items submitted for SPAN no 9 and related correspondence, 1979

Folder 3
Items submitted for SPAN no 9, Oct 1979

Folder 4
SPAN no 10 [proofs] (Apr 1980) and copy of SPAN no 7 (Oct 1978)

Folder 5
Items submitted for SPAN no 11, 1980

Folder 6
SPAN no 11 [proofs] (Oct 1980) and copy of SPAN no 10 (Apr 1980)
Also in Box:
Program for ACLALS 5th triennial conference, 3-8 Jan 1980
3 cash receipt books

Box 13

Folder 1
SPACLALS: general correspondence, 1979

Folder 2
SPACLALS: financial records 1976-77

Folder 3
SPAN no 1, Oct 1975

Folder 4
SPAN no 2, Apr 1976

Folder 5
SPACLALS: financial records 1977-78

Folder 6
SPAN no 4, Apr 1977

Folder 7
SPAN no 7, Oct 1978

Folder 8
SPACLALS first short story competition 1978: correspondence, list of small literary magazine addresses

Folder 9
SPACLALS Writers and Critics' Conference 1977: financial records, correspondence

Folder 10
SPACLALS newsheet no 2, Jul 1976

Box 14

Folder 1
Items submitted for SPAN no 6, 1978

Folder 2
SPAN no 6, Apr 1978

Folder 3
SPAN no 5, Oct 1977
Folder 4
SPACLALS conference 15-19 May 1977: correspondence, registrations and abstracts

Folder 5
SPACLALS conference 15-19 May 1977: abstracts of papers

Box 15
Conference Abstracts/Proceedings
Folder 1
South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (SPACLALS) *Commonwealth literature now*, A conference held at the University of Queensland, St. Lucia, Australia, May 15-20, 1977.

Folder 2

Folder 3
Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies, *Papers from the Fourth Conference of the Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies* (ACLALS), Makerere University, Makerere, 1973-4

Folder 4
Papers relating to Helen Tiffin’s role as an invited assessor to the Writers’ Fellowship Committee of the Australian Literary Board, July, 1987.

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Item 4
*Voyages*, Abstracts from the Ninth Triennial Conference of the Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (ACLALS), August 13-20, 1992, University of the West Indies, Mona, Jamaica.
Item 5
*Gender, colonialism, post-colonialism*, The fourth Commonwealth-in-Canada Conference of the Canadian Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language studies, November 5-8, 1992, University of Guelph, Canada

Item 6
Association for the Study of Australian Literature (ASAL), Conference Programme, July 4-9, 1993, University of Western Australia, Perth.

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Item 11
*Portmanteau Passage: Colonial and postcolonial travel modalities*, Mini-conference, June 12-13, 2000, University of Queensland, Brisbane, 2 copies.

Item 12
*Situating the Environment at the University of Queensland*, Conference held February 15-16, 2001, University of Queensland, Brisbane.

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Item 16  
*Endless Horizons: Looking inwards and looking outwards*, Programme and Abstracts for the Annual Conference of the Association for the Study of Australian literature (ASAL) and the Australasian Drama Studies Association (ADSA), June 30 – July 4, 2003, McAuley at Banyo Campus of ACU National, Brisbane.

Item 17  
*Nation and imagination: The changing commonwealth*, 13 Annual Triennial Abstracts from the Thirteenth Annual Triennial Conference of the Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (ACLAIS), August 4-9, 2004, Hyderabad, India.

**Box 16**

Folder 1 (a) & (b)  

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*The new literatures in English: a radical perspective?*, Abstracts from the Third South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language (SPACLALS) Conference, September 1-5, 1984, Macquarie University, Sydney.

Folder 5  
*New connections in Australian literature*, Programme and Associated papers from the Association for the Study of Australia Literature (ASAL) Conference, August 22-26, 1983, University of Western Australia, Perth.

Folder 6  
Program Outline and Brochure for the Association for the Study of Australian Literature (ASAL) Conference, July 6-10, 1987, Tasmanian Institute of Technology, Launceston.

Folder 7  
Programme for the Australian Literature and Film Conference, Dhvanyaloka, Mysore, 1987

Folder 8  
Tentative program for a Conference on Black Literature, Year Unknown, St John’s college, University of Queensland, Brisbane.
Folder 9
Brochure - The Postmodern Body: Health, Nursing and Narrative, Conference held June 26-28, 1992, La Trobe University.
Brochure – Gender Colonialism Post Colonialism, The Commonwealth in Canada IV Conference, November 5-8, 1992, University of Guelph, Canada
Brochure – Australia/Canada: Post-Colonization and Women’s Texts, Conference held February 13-16, 1992, The Calgary Institute for the Humanities, University of Calgary, Canada

Folder 10
Papers relating to the Tenth Annual Conference on Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies in German-speaking Countries.
Incl. Map of Königstein; tourist brochure of Königstein

Folder 11
The new literatures in English: Critical and interdisciplinary approaches, Programme for the Macquarie Unit for the Study of New Literature in English Conference (MUSNLE) Macquarie University, September 24, 1983.

Folder 12
History and historiography of Commonwealth literature, Conference programme for the European Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (EACLALS), March 23-27, 1981, Johann Wolfgang Goethe-Universität, Frankfurt am Main
Associated papers

Folder 13

Folder 14
Programme from the Fifth Triennial Conference of the Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (ACLAIS), January 3-8, 1980, The University of the South Pacific, Laucala Campus, Suva, Fiji.

Folder 15
The search for new futures: Issues and debates in science and technology, cultural studies, social and economic policy, Abstracts and Programme for the Association for Canadian Studies in Australia and New Zealand (ACSANZ) conference, 14-16 May, 1986, School of Humanities, Griffith University.

Folder 16
Picnic at Hanging Rock, Spare lecture – Not known if this is for University lectures or conference paper.
Item 1
The use of Language: The Commonwealth in Canada, Abstracts from the Second Triennial Conference of Canadian Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies (CACLALS), October 1-4, 198, University of Winnipeg, Canada.

Item 2
On the beach, Abstracts from the Cultural Studies Association of Australia (CSSA), Conference, December 4-6, 2000, Centre for Critical Studies, School of English, Media Studies and Art History, University of Queensland, Brisbane.

Item 3
Victorian Bodies, Annual conference of the Australasian Victorian Studies Association, February 6-10, 1995, La Trobe University.

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Helen Tiffin papers
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Papers relating to SPACLALS Conference, 1990.

Folder 2
Correspondence between Dr Helen Tiffin and Ian Adam (Ariel journal), 3 letters, 1982

Folder 3
Correspondence between Dr Helen Tiffin, Caroline Birdsall (Twayne Publishers) and Bob McDowell (University of Texas, USA), 4 letters, 1979 to 1982
Folder 4
Correspondence between Dr Helen Tiffin and Prof GD Killam (University of Guelph, Canada), 3 letters, 1982

*Folder labelled “Guelf Panel for ACLALS 1983 Correspondence”*

Folder 5
Papers relating to ACLALS West Indian Conference, UWI, Kingston, Jamaica, 1971

Folder 6
Papers relating to various conferences and events, including programs and curriculum vitae of participants, 1977 to 2001.

Folder 7
Papers relating to ACLALS Fifth Triennial Conference, University of the South Pacific, Suva, Fiji, 1980

Folder 8
Papers relating to Conference on Black Literatures, University of Queensland, Australia, 1986

Folder 9
Papers relating to ASAL 86, James Cook University, Townsville, 1986

Folder 10
Papers relating to SPACLALS IV, Massey University, Palmerston North, New Zealand, 1987

Folder 11
Papers relating to ACLALS Conference, Makerere University, Kampala, Uganda, 1973-1974
Materials relating to teaching and distribution of Commonwealth literature.

Folder 12
Papers relating to ACLALS Sixth Triennial Conference, University of Guelph, Canada, 1983

Folder 13
Papers relating to Mysore conference, 1984, Commonwealth Teach In.

Folder 14
Papers relating to EACLALS Conference, Polytechnic of North London, Stiges, UK, 1984
Folder 15
Papers relating to conference on the subject Literature, Religion and Culture: An Australian Perspective, University of Sydney, Australia, 1984

Folder 16
Papers relating to ASAL conference, University of New England, Armidale, Australia, 1985

Box 18
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Correspondence, incoming and outgoing, relating to the South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies, and associated organisations including the Canadian Association for Commonwealth Language and Literary Studies

Folder 2
Incoming correspondence relating to the Bulletin of the Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies

Folder 3
Two letters, to Helen Tiffin, re editorial advisory work for the Journal of West Indian Literature

Folder 4
Newspaper cuttings and magazine relating to Helen Darville

Folder 5
Correspondence, incoming and outgoing, with John Matthews, Professor of English at Queen’s University, Canada, and Senior Editor, the Disraeli Project, 1978 to 1981

Folder 6
Beatson, Peter, ‘Aotearoa and New Zealand: the literature of de-Europeanization, a thematic survey of contemporary Maori writing in English’, unpublished paper, 72p, typescript

Folder 7
Correspondence, flyers and newsletters relating to the South Pacific Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies, 1982 to 1992

Folder 8
Flyers and papers relating to the Research Group on Post-Colonial Writing at The University of Queensland

Folder 9
Newsletters of the Indian Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies, Apr 1978 to Jan 1982, incomplete
*Star of Mysore*, evening edition, 21 Apr 1984

Folder 10
Correspondence and business documents relating to publication of *South Pacific Stories*
Folder 11
Program and abstracts for the Conference on Black Literatures, Jul 3 to 6, 1986 [includes loose insertions]
*Sharing a Commonwealth*, program for the 11th Commonwealth Triennial Conference on Literature and Language, 1 to 6 Dec, 1998
*The Colonial Eye*, conference program, 3 to 6 Feb, 1999
Program and abstracts for the Third Conference of the Association for the Study of Australian Literature, August 1980
Program and abstracts for the Fourth Conference of the Association for the Study of Australian Literature, May 1982
Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies, *Newsletter* [3 issues, 2000/1, 2001/2, 2002]
Srinath, CN, *Image of Indian Literature in the United States (then and now)*, Mysore: Dhvanayaloka, 1992
*Chimo: the newsjournal of the Canadian Association for Commonwealth Literature and Language Studies*, no. 35, 1997
*The South Bank Centre presents th ACLALS readings*, 22 to 30 Aug 1989 [event flyer]
Call for papers, ‘Trading Places: colonialism and commerce conference’ 11 to 15 Jul 1999 [flyer]

Folder 12
Bound volume of abstracts [conference not named]

Folder 13
Speech notes, program and abstracts for *Celebrity Colonialism: fame, representation and power in colonial and post-colonial cultures*, 12 to 13 Apr 2007

Box 19
Folder 1
4 negatives, with two black and white prints from each negative, with a note; possibly photographic copies of illustrations from an early published account of Eliza Fraser

Folder 2
1 negative, with two black and white prints from the negative, showing ‘Tasma’, and used in a book around 1995

Folder 3
Bookplate of Gilbert Munro Turnbull, by W. Gill, with accompanying note to Chris Tiffin

Folder 4
Record of donation book for the Cecil Hadgraft Fund [Fryer Library], Sep 1987 to Jun 1988 [includes donor names and amounts]

Folder 5
Minutes, correspondence, planning documents, for Warana Writers’ Week 1991

Folder 6
Papers, poems, draft programs, for Warana Writers’ Week 1991
Folder 7
Correspondence, rights documents and other material relating to the publication of *South Pacific Stories*

Folder 8
Copies of published reviews of *South Pacific Images*

Folder 9
Copies of reviews of *South Pacific Stories*

Folder 10
Correspondence and other documents relating to *South Pacific Stories* and the SPACLALS conference which preceded the book

Folder 11
Correspondence relating to the publication of *South Pacific Stories*

Folder 12
Locks’ Press material

Envelope from Margaret Lock containing
- Christmas card, 1999
- Canadian Notes & Queries no 58 2000
- Exhibition announcement for Lock’s Press (2001)
- Christmas Card

Envelope from Frederick Lock containing
- Christmas card, 1999

Spring sale 1996 catalogue ‘Fragmenta Disjecta’ from Ponsonby & Clutterbuck

Envelope from Margaret Lock to Chris Tiffin containing Christmas card, 2001 headed ‘Es ist ein Ros’Entspringen’. Envelope from Margaret Lock to Helen Tiffin containing Christmas card, 2001 headed ‘Es ist ein Ros’Entspringen’

Letter to Helen Tiffin from Margaret Lock, 15 Dec 1999 (1 page handwritten)
With
- List of medicines requested by Rosa Lechler (10 leaves typescript)

Item 1

With:
Letter 13 Apr 1984 from Anne Barkl on UQPress headed paper advising of publication of book
Note [n.d] on UQPress headed paper asking for a review of the book
Note [n.d.] from “D” re book withheld for legal reasons Please keep copy confidential
24 Apr 1984 Telegram from UQ Press advising of legal problem and asking that review copy be kept confidential
Johnson, Sue. ‘Threatened writs have history of Queensland altered’ *The National Times* 22-28 Jun 1984 p24

**Item 2**
*A Tale of Two Cities* by Charles Dickens; dramatized by Bryan Nason. 5th Draft Oct 1997.
With: Letter 27 Oct 1997 To Chris Tiffin from Bryn Nason on Grin & Tonic headed paper.