



## Finding aid to the Haag Collection

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### OVERVIEW

**Donor:** Janet Haag

**Accession Date:** April 9, 2015. 2015.04

**Collection Number:** MSS 177

**Quantity:** 3 folders

**Summary:** Collection of photographs of Jahann and Maria Haag, and a poem written by Roger Haag.

**Languages:** English

**Links:**  
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### BIOGRAPHY

This collection focuses on the Haag family, who emigrated from Bessarabia during Russia's reestablishment of aggressive control over Bessarabia. Johann, his wife Maria, and their sons took a train to Hamburg, Germany, where they boarded a ship to America in 1889. They homesteaded and built a sod house.

### SCOPE AND CONTENT

**Poem Series** consists of a poem detailing the feeling of standing on the land where Johann built the families first home, a sod house.

**Photograph Series** consists of photographs of Johann and his wife Maria and their family.

### **BOX AND FOLDER LIST**

<b>Box/Folder</b>	<b>Contents</b>
1/1 <b>Poem Series</b>	Finding Aid
1/2 <b>Photograph Series</b>	“A Visit to the Old Sod House”, Janet Haag, 2015
1/3	Photographs, Johann and Maria Haag, 1903