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**Finding Aid to the
Irmgard (Oberlander) Stickelmyer
Collection
2012.28 & 2013.01**

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OVERVIEW

Donor: Irmgard (Oberlander) Stickelmyer

Accession Date: 12 October 2012; 7 January 2013

Collection Number: 099

Quantity: .25 linear feet

Summary: 2 scanned photographs, 3 photographic prints, and an obituary relating to the Oberlander family, circa 1890-1894 and 1910-1920.

Languages: English & German

Links:

- [Irmgard \(Oberlander\) Stickelmyer Collection photographs on the NDSU Institutional Repository \(DSpace\)](#)

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BIOGRAPHY

Friedrich Oberlander was born in 1863 in Russia. Christina Brose was born in 1869 in Russia. The couple was married in 1890, and they would eventually have ten children. Friedrich and Christina (Brose) Oberlander immigrated to the United States in 1890, settling in Campbell County, South Dakota.

Irmgard (Oberlander) Stickelmyer was born on April 30, 1929 to parents Fred and Ida (Oster) Oberlander. She was the second of five children. Irmgard's father, Fred, was a son of Friedrich

and Christina (Brose) Oberlander. In 1949, Irmgard married Norman Stickelmyer, and they made their home in Eureka, South Dakota.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

The **Irmgard (Oberlander) Stickelmyer Collection** consists of two copied photographs, three cabinet photographs, and an obituary relating to the Oberlander family.

The first two images (2012.28.01 – 2012.28.02) were printed at the same studio in Odessa. The first photograph is of a couple, Friedrich and Christina (Brose) Oberlander, and the second is of a family, the Oberlander family. Both images date from around 1890 to 1894.

The three prints are all outdoor images. They include a street view of a town, a threshing crew, and a farmstead; dating from 1910 to 1920.

The photocopied obituary is for Christine Oberlander, who was the grandmother of Irmgard (Oberlander) Stickelmyer. The obituary is entirely in German and dates to 1925.

BOX AND FOLDER LIST

Box/Folder	Contents
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1/2	Photographs 2012.28.01 – 2012.28.02
	2012.28.01 Cabinet photograph of Friedrich and Christina (Brose) Oberlander. Circa 1890-1894
	2012.28.02 Cabinet photograph of a family. Believed to be the Oberlander family with the man in the back being Friedrich Oberlander. Circa 1890-1894
1/3	Photographs 2013.01.01 – 2013.01.03
	2013.01.01 Cabinet photograph of a street view of a town with a large group of people gathered. Circa 1910-1915
	2013.01.02 Cabinet photograph of a threshing crew in Forres, Saskatchewan. Circa 1912-1920
	2013.01.03 Cabinet photograph of the Geo Beck farm in Shuler, Alberta. Circa 1912-1920

