



**Collection Name:**

Malcolm Rosholt papers, 1902-1990

**Collection Number:**

P0443

**Extent:**

0.4 cubic feet (1 archives box)

**Abstract:**

Miscellaneous articles, clippings, photographs, correspondence, manuscripts, family history material of a former foreign correspondent (Asia) and freelance writer, in recent years best known as an expert on the local history of central Wisconsin, especially the Norwegian settlements described by Thor Helgesen as "Indianer land," which encompass sites such as Stevens Point, Iola, and Scandinavia. A translation of J. W. C. Dietrichson's "Reise blandt de norske emigranter"; a history of St. Michael's Hospital, Stevens Point, Wisconsin; a serial in the "Iola Herald" (1965-1970) entitled "From the Indian Land" (based on Helgesen's "Fra Indianernes lande" (1915), on plat books, and town, school, and church records) that relates the history of Norwegian settlements in Waupaca County, Wisconsin; cassettes containing interviews, mainly about the late author O. A. Buslett; "A Photo Album of the Past"; and biographical information about Rosholt himself and about his earlier family members who gave Rosholt, Wisconsin, its name.

Box	Folder	Descriptions	Date	Range
1	1	Rosholt, Malcolm Papers. Clippings about Rosholt, and information about his writings. Includes "Rosholt USA" descendants of Jacob Tollefson Rosholt (1818-96) by Gordon Rosholt	1933	1987
1	2	Malcolm Rosholt Papers: Articles and Pamphlet. Pamphlets and articles by Rosholt: 50th anniversary, St: Michael's Hospital, Stevens Point; "To the Edsin Gol: a Wisconsinite's journey in Inner Mongolia, 1935" ("Wisconsin Magazine of History," Spring 1977); The press corps of old Shanghai (1994); "Was it necessary?" (Annual pictorial magazine of the Flying Tigers... 1994-95); American Legion Post 509, Rosholt (1996?). Photos of Rosholt (1935) and of Duus headstone. "The Story of Jacob Tollefsen Rosholt"	1963	1996
1	3	Rosholt, Malcolm: Letters from Rølvaag & Bjork; draft of article by Rosholt on Rølvaag, with Rølvaag's comments. One letter from Kenneth Bjork.	1929	1930
1	4	M. Rosholt Papers: Clippings. Includes printout of "Rosholt USA"	1968	1997



1	5	Malcolm Rosholt Papers: Correspondence with [Lloyd] Hustvedt. Various topics.	1993	1998
1	6	Malcolm Rosholt Papers: Rosholt Roundup." Nos. 1-29, family newsletter, publ. by K.J. Rosholt.	1982	1991
1	7	Malcolm Rosholt Papers: Family History. Includes: Miscellaneous family history materials. Correspondence and plat maps about property; English papers of Milton Rosholt, presumably while a student at Lawrence College, ca. 1902-3; "The Rosholt genealogy," comp. by Julius Rosholt; 1920; interview with Jacob Rosholt, 1962; Rosholt records from Scandinavia Cemetery; clipping (Aug.8,1972) about Gordon Rosholt; Rosholt reunion, 1975; funeral folder, Herman S. Rosholt, 1980; remarks by Jerry Rosholt, 1980; Malcolm Rosholt to Scandinavia Academy, 1986; information about ship "Salvator"; descendants of John Gilbert Rosholt; mailing list; chart of Malcolm Leavitt Rosholt. Articles on the Rosholt family by Joel Mickelson, from These United States: the "questions of our past," 2d ed., vol. I: To 1877, (Little, Brown, 198?). "The first generation pp.227-237; "The second generation ," pp.407-412. Many photographs. Photocopy by Irwin Unger	1902	1990
1		Malcolm Rosholt Papers: "From the Indian Land" duplicate microfilm of the book (n.d.). Based largely on Thor Helgeson's "Fra Indianernes Lande," 1915.	0	0
1		Malcolm Rosholt Papers: 1 box, cassettes of Rosholt interviews with Amelia Nottelson (ca. 1950s); Sonia Nilsen (daughter of Ole Nilsen, 1953); Oscar Hellestad (China missionary, 1965); John Solem (concerning Buslett, 1976); Rev. S.H. Njaa and his early life as mission pastor in Canada early 1900s, n.d.; Alfred Erickson; Hallis Wilson, n.d..	1950	1976
2		Malcolm Rosholt Papers: Includes 3 v. Holand Hjalmar Rued. "De norske settlementers historie" (The story of Norwegian settlement) trans. by Malcolm Rosholt. Copies of the Holand book: 3rd rev.ed.,1909; 4th rev. ed.,1912. 8p. 1976; "A photo album of the past: pioneer scenes and portraits from central Wisconsin"; Rosholt's translation of J.W.C. Dietrichson's "Reise blandt de norske emigranter," originally in this collection, was used in preparation of "A pioneer churchman " (1973 by E. Clifford Nelson.)	1909	1973

Clippings. From the Indian Land, Iola Herald, 1965-1970.	1965	1970
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