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Abstract

Collection, 1978-2010, of Larry Lankton, Professor Emeritus of History in the Department of Social Sciences at Michigan Technological University. Materials extensively document Lankton's career and research into the copper mines of the western Upper Peninsula, both during his professorial tenure and his time with the Historic American Engineering Record.

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Scope and Contents

Collection, 1978-2010, of Larry Lankton, Professor Emeritus of History in the Department of Social Sciences at Michigan Technological University. The collection primarily concerns Lankton's research interests with

regards to copper mining and technology in the western Upper Peninsula, beginning with his investigation of Quincy Mine at the Historic American Engineering Record (HAER, 1978-1981) and continuing through his tenure at Michigan Tech (1981-2010, retired 2012). This research material--largely pertaining to the Quincy, Calumet & Hecla, Copper Range, and White Pine companies--consists of photographs, statistics, summaries compiled by student assistants of diverse primary and secondary sources, and digests prepared by Lankton of the same, among other materials. Also included are items pertaining to Lankton's professional career more broadly, such as papers presented at conferences or submitted to journals, correspondence with publishers, reviews of his written works, curricula vitae, and materials from courses taught by Lankton while at Michigan Tech.

Biography

Larry D. Lankton was born in Jackson, Michigan in 1947. Growing up as the son of a machinist and living only a stone's throw from the Motor City until he was thirteen, Lankton developed an early fascination with machines and the way machinery and humans functioned together. He pursued this interest in science and engineering through advanced coursework and summer programs throughout high school, but, when he arrived at Indiana's DePauw University, Lankton selected American literature and American history as his major fields of study. After graduating from DePauw in 1969, Lankton enrolled in the University of Pennsylvania's American Civilization program to deepen his knowledge of history and literature. He supported himself through work in the university's metallurgical lab, where he met Dr. Patrick Malone, one of the most prominent names in the field of industrial archaeology. Lankton's experiences with Malone proved transformative, prompting him to shift his educational focus to the history of technology. Malone and Lankton would later become founding members of the Society for Industrial Archaeology (SIA), and Lankton would serve as the society's president beginning in 1983.

Following a stint as curator of the Henry Ford Museum, in 1976 Lankton joined the Historic American Engineering Record (HAER), a branch of the National Park Service; he received his Ph.D. in American Civilization from the University of Pennsylvania the following year and was awarded a post-doctoral fellowship by the Smithsonian Institution. He also spent part of the decade teaching at the University of Michigan-Dearborn, George Washington University, and at summer institutes at the University of Vermont.

In 1978, Lankton's work as a staff historian for HAER brought him to Hancock, where he was charged with surveying and recording the Quincy Mine. Like meeting Patrick Malone, Lankton's encounters with Quincy represented a sea change for his career: in 1981, he joined the faculty of the Department of Social Sciences at Michigan Technological University, where he would remain until his retirement more than thirty years later, and devoted himself to studying the Lake Superior copper industry.

As a professor at Michigan Tech, Lankton enjoyed new heights of career success and established himself as arguably the preeminent expert on the history of the Copper Country through several seminal publications. In 1982, "Old Reliable," his collaboration with Wayne State University's Charles K. Hyde, was published, providing a new and accessible history of the Quincy Mine to the public. In 1991, Oxford University Press released Lankton's "Cradle to Grave: Life, Work, and Death at the Lake Superior Copper Mines," which quickly became a cornerstone of not only Copper Country history but industrial history more generally. "Beyond the Boundaries: Life and Landscape at the Lake Superior Copper Mines, 1840-1875" was released by the same press in 1997, and 2010 saw the publication of "Hollowed Ground: Copper Mining and Community Building on Lake Superior, 1840s-1990s" through Wayne State University Press. For these written works and others, Lankton has received numerous awards and accolades, including the university's Faculty Research Award, the Great Lakes History Prize, a distinguished faculty prize from the Michigan Association of Governing Boards of Governors of State Universities, and a State History Award from the Historical Society of Michigan.

Lankton also quickly emerged as a popular professor among Michigan Tech students for his impressive command of his subject, his engaging and energetic multimedia lectures, his unorthodox exams, his emphasis on student archival research, and his sense of humor. Among the courses he taught were classes addressing the history of the Copper Country, the American automobile, Hollywood legends and masculinity, material culture of the United States, and modern American history. Students flocked to his Copper Country course in particular, with enrollment sometimes reaching nearly 250. During his time at the university, Lankton fostered the growth of a Science, Technology, and Society (STS) program and led the way for the creation of the graduate program in Industrial Archaeology; Michigan Tech became one of only a handful of universities in the United States to offer such a degree. Lankton mentored many budding scholars in this program and through his close work with research assistants as he prepared his various publications.

In addition to his research and writing, Lankton has been active in various areas of professional interest. In 1983, Lankton served as an editor for *Technology and Culture*, a journal dedicated to the history of technology. Around this time, he sat on the board of directors of the Public Works Historical Society, dedicated to documenting the public works of all municipalities in the United States, and he was head of the Department of Social Sciences at Michigan Tech from 1983 to 1987. In May 2013, Governor Rick Snyder appointed Lankton to the Michigan Iron Industry Museum Advisory Board for a term extending through October 2014; he was subsequently reappointed to his seat through October 2018.

Lankton retired from Michigan Technological University in 2012 and was awarded the title of Professor Emeritus. He remains active in the community of Copper Country historians, continuing personal projects in this field and serving as a voice of expertise on matters of local history.

Arrangement

The collection is arranged in three series:

I. Teaching Materials, II. Publications and Professional Organizations, III. Research Files.

Series III is divided into three subseries:

A. Industrial Technology and Operations, B. Industrial Labor, C. Industrial Community.

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Collection Inventory

Teaching Materials

Arrangement

The Teaching Materials series consists of items created by Lankton to aid in the instruction of Michigan Technological University courses and assignments completed by students enrolled in these classes. Syllabi, research papers, and exams in the form of scavenger hunt questions form the majority of the collection.

Student research papers (U.P. Native American Treaties, Fashion of the Keweenaw), 2011

Box 3; Folder 16 (mixed media)

Date: 2011

White Pine Mine (student paper), 2005

Box 3; Folder 17 (mixed media)

Date: 2005

Student papers, 1982-1984

Box 4; Folder 1 (mixed media)

Date: 1982-1984

Student papers and research, 1982-1988

Box 4; Folder 2 (mixed media)

Date: 1982-1988

Student papers and research, circa 1999

Box 4; Folder 3 (mixed media)

Date: circa 1999

Student papers and research, circa 1994

Box 4; Folder 4 (mixed media)

Date: circa 1994

Student research and papers, 1978-1999

Box 4; Folder 5 (mixed media)

Date: 1978-1999

Student papers and research, 1993-1994

Box 4; Folder 6 (mixed media)

Date: 1993-1994

Student papers, 1982-circa 1995

Box 5; Folder 5 (mixed media)

Date: 1982-circa 1995

SS 369 scavenger hunts, 1996-1998

Box 8; Folder 4 (mixed media)

Date: 1996-1998

SS 357 syllabi, 1981-1990

Box 8; Folder 5 (mixed media)

Date: 1981-1990

SS 369 syllabi, 1993-1997

Box 8; Folder 6 (mixed media)

Date: 1993-1997

SS 507 syllabus, Topics in the History of Technology: The Copper Country, 1998-1999

Box 12; Folder 2 (mixed media)

Date: 1998-1999

Publications and Professional Organizations

Arrangement

The Publications and Professional Organizations series documents Lankton's written works and involvement in groups pertaining to his career interests. Materials include articles and book reviews written by Lankton or about his work, copies of his curricula vitae, and correspondence with potential publishers of his work, among other items.

Larry Lankton--Articles, 1974-1981

Box 7; Folder 3 (mixed media)

Date: 1974-1981

Larry Lankton--Articles and clippings, 1970s-1992

Box 7; Folder 4 (mixed media)

Date: 1970s-1992

Larry Lankton--Book reviews, 1978-1993

Box 7; Folder 5 (mixed media)

Date: 1978-1993

Larry Lankton--Industrial archaeology papers, 1978

Box 7; Folder 6 (mixed media)

Date: 1978

LDL--Papers at meetings, 1990 - 1991

Box 7; Folder 7 (mixed media)

Date: 1990 - 1991

Lankton--Paper supporting H.R. 14689, 1974

Box 7; Folder 8 (mixed media)

Date: 1974

Oxford Univ. Press correspondence, 1988-1990

Box 7; Folder 9 (mixed media)

Date: 1988-1990

Book reviews by Lankton and on Lankton's work, 1983-1997

Box 7; Folder 10 (mixed media)

Date: 1983-1997

MIT Dibner Institute, 1994-1996

Box 8; Folder 1 (mixed media)

Date: 1994-1996

Lankton reports and conference papers, 1984-1996

Box 8; Folder 2 (mixed media)

Date: 1984-1996

Rock drill article, 1981-1983

Box 8; Folder 3 (mixed media)

Date: 1981-1983

Lankton papers and CVs

Box 8; Folder 7 (mixed media)

International Mining History Congress (conference papers), 1989

Box 12; Folder 1 (mixed media)

Date: 1989

Research Files

Arrangement

The Research Files series contains materials compiled by Lankton or his student assistants to aid his investigation and publication of mining history in Michigan's Copper Country. The series is divided into three subseries: Industrial Technology and Operations, Industrial Labor, and Industrial Community.

The Industrial Technology and Operations subseries consists of research files pertaining to machinery, production, and management of local copper mines. Materials include photographs of equipment and tools used by local mines, images and diagrams of mining structures, biographies of key figures in Copper Country mining corporations, and various items pertaining to historic preservation of local structures, among other documents.

The Industrial Labor subseries is concerned primarily with the experiences of the working class in Copper Country mines. Contents include but are not limited to photographs of workers, statistics on injuries and accidents in the mines, and sources pertaining to the 1913-1914 Western Federations of Miners strike.

Finally, the Industrial Community subseries contains research materials addressing corporate paternalism, the settlements that grew around the mines, and the lives of individuals and groups who called these towns home. Documents include photographs of houses and community structures, summaries of primary sources on such topics as health and employment outside the mines, family histories, and other materials.

Industrial Technology and Operations

Quincy Mine, White Pine, and mining technology ephemera, 1912-circa 1980

Box 1; Folder 1 (mixed media)

Date: 1912-circa 1980

QMC and Cooper bibliography, January 1978

Box 1; Folder 3 (mixed media)

Date: January 1978

Ore loaders, shovels, scrapers, 1906-1930

Box 1; Folder 4 (mixed media)

Date: 1906-1930

Maps showing QMC location with research notes, circa 1855-circa 1898

Box 1; Folder 6 (mixed media)

Date: circa 1855-circa 1898

QMC and Superior National Bank, Charles Lawton, 1907-1933

Box 1; Folder 7 (mixed media)

Date: 1907-1933

1931 shutdown, QMC, September-October 1931

Box 1; Folder 8 (mixed media)

Date: September-October 1931

Map of Quincy Mining Company and environs, circa 1915

Box 1; Folder 9 (mixed media)

Date: circa 1915

Quincy shaft-rockhouses, 1887 - 1915

Box 1; Folder 10 (mixed media)

Date: 1887 - 1915

QMC pillar and stope mining, 7 Dec 1921

Box 1; Folder 11 (mixed media)

Date: 7 Dec 1921

Quincy maps and insurance, 1900-1909

Box 1; Folder 12 (mixed media)

Date: 1900-1909

Machinery and labor photographs, circa 1905

Box 1; Folder 14 (mixed media)

Date: circa 1905

Industrial structures and operations photographs, undated

Box 1; Folder 15 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Mine structures photographs, undated

Box 1; Folder 17 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Mine structures photographs, undated

Box 1; Folder 18 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Mine operations negatives, undated

Box 2; Folder 4 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Copper Range with White Pine (photos), undated

Box 2; Folder 6 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Drilling , Date Not Recorded

Box 2; Folder 7 (mixed media)

Date: Date Not Recorded

HAER reprints, 1978

Box 2; Folder 8 (mixed media)

Date: 1978

General underground , undated

Box 2; Folder 9 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Compressors, 1881

Box 2; Folder 10 (mixed media)

Date: 1881

Mucking/tramming, 1927

Box 2; Folder 11 (mixed media)

Date: 1927

Hoist engines , 1884-1979

Box 2; Folder 12 (mixed media)

Date: 1884-1979

Photographs from HAER, 1860-1920

Box 2; Folder 13 (mixed media)

Date: 1860-1920

Hoist house, 1894-1920

Box 2; Folder 14 (mixed media)

Date: 1894-1920

Man cars, man engines, man cages, 1880

Box 3; Folder 3 (mixed media)

Date: 1880

Stamp mills/reclamation, 1890-1920

Box 3; Folder 5 (mixed media)

Date: 1890-1920

Rock/shaft houses (photos), 1911-1940s

Box 3; Folder 7 (mixed media)

Date: 1911-1940s

Smelter & electrolytic (photos), undated

Box 3; Folder 10 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Skips, kibbles, filling (photos), undated

Box 3; Folder 11 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Surface shops (photos), undated

Box 3; Folder 12 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Surface plants (photos), undated

Box 3; Folder 13 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Stamp mill trams (photos), undated

Box 3; Folder 14 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Timbering (Photos), 1904

Box 3; Folder 15 (mixed media)

Date: 1904

Erasmus Leavitt research, 1893-1999

Box 5; Folder 6 (mixed media)

Date: 1893-1999

Original Victoria Dam photos (HAER), 1991

Box 7; Folder 1 (mixed media)

Date: 1991

Graphic material--Victoria, 1974-1980

Box 7; Folder 2 (mixed media)

Date: 1974-1980

Calumet/Red Jacket history materials, undated

Box 9; Folder 1 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Calumet and Hecla and Copper Range operations research, undated

Box 9; Folder 4 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Research materials: language of work, Victoria Mine, Chinese in Copper Country, undated

Box 9; Folder 6 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Analysis and transcriptions of Upper Peninsula primary sources, circa 1992-2008

Box 9; Folder 9 (mixed media)

Date: circa 1992-2008

Copper mining bibliography, notes, and articles, 1971-1985

Box 9; Folder 10 (mixed media)

Date: 1971-1985

Green Mountain Copper (out-of-print book), 1973

Box 10; Folder 2 (mixed media)

Date: 1973

Charles Lawton patents, 1912-1916

Box 10; Folder 4 (mixed media)

Date: 1912-1916

Mining operations primary/secondary source list, undated

Box 10; Folder 8 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Research notes on key mining individuals, undated

Box 11; Folder 1 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Student research: formation of county mine inspectors, 1887-1967, 1982

Box 11; Folder 3 (mixed media)

Date: 1982

Prints of Quincy photos, shot by L. Lankton, 1978

Box 12; Folder 4 (mixed media)

Date: 1978

Industrial operations photographic reproductions/negatives, 1978

Box 12; Folder 5 (mixed media)

Date: 1978

Industrial operations and mine communities, esp. Quincy, circa 1900-circa 1920

Box 12; Folder 6 (mixed media)

Date: circa 1900-circa 1920

Photographs of Quincy Mining Company, circa 1880-circa 1920

Box 12; Folder 7 (mixed media)

Date: circa 1880-circa 1920

Photographs of Quincy Mining Company, esp. mills, circa 1880-circa 1910

Box 12; Folder 8 (mixed media)

Date: circa 1880-circa 1910

Quincy Mining Company operations photographs, circa 1900-circa 1920

Box 12; Folder 9 (mixed media)

Date: circa 1900-circa 1920

Photographs of Quincy Mining Company industrial structures, circa 1915

Box 12; Folder 10 (Mixed Materials)

Date: circa 1915

Transparency slides of Quincy Mine showing state of preservation, 1978

Box 12; Folder 11 (mixed media)

Date: 1978

Man-Engine research, 1883-1956

Box 14; Folder 1 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1883-1956

Mining tech reports, 1940

Box 14; Folder 2 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1940

QMC letters, 1911-1931

Box 14; Folder 3 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1911-1931

Quincy research: student papers, circa 1975

Box 14; Folder 4 (Mixed Materials)

Date: circa 1975

Research and papers, 1984

Box 14; Folder 5 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1984

Drill, steam engine, and blasting records, 1857-1921

Box 14; Folder 6 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1857-1921

Rand Drill Company, 1978

Box 14; Folder 7 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1978

QMC drilling machines records, 1922-1924

Box 14; Folder 8 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1922-1924

QMC drill machine correspondence, 1910-1916

Box 14; Folder 9 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1910-1916

Pewabic Lode and drill machine records, 1906-1913

Box 14; Folder 10 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1906-1913

QMC drill machine correspondence, 1906-1910

Box 15; Folder 1 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1906-1910

MacLean Construction Co., 1922

Box 15; Folder 2 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1922

Nordberg Hoist (contracts, letters, receipt), 1916

Box 15; Folder 3 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1916

QMC No. 6 Hoist, 1928

Box 15; Folder 4 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1928

QMC No. 2 Hoist (letters, contracts, receipts), 1919

Box 15; Folder 5 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1919

QMC Hoist No. 2 designs and correspondence, 1917

Box 15; Folder 6 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1917

MacLean Construction, 1918

Box 15; Folder 7 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1918

Nordberg Hoist correspondence, 1922

Box 16; Folder 1 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1922

Franklin Mine Hoist, 1916

Box 16; Folder 2 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1916

QMC No. 8 Hoist design, 1916

Box 16; Folder 3 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1916

Correspondence between QMC and Bruno V. Nordberg, 1920

Box 16; Folder 4 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1920

Correspondence between Lawton and J.H. Hoff, 1917-1922

Box 16; Folder 5 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1917-1922

Nordberg correspondence re: No. 2 Hoist problems, 1920

Box 17; Folder 1 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1920

Pontiac and No. 8 Hoist, 1921

Box 17; Folder 2 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1921

Hoist repairs, 1922

Box 17; Folder 3 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1922

Hoist problems, 1919-1922

Box 17; Folder 4 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1919-1922

MacLean Construction letters, 1918

Box 17; Folder 5 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1918

Hoists (letters), 1918

Box 17; Folder 6 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1918

Letters re: Quincy Mine Operations, 1920

Box 17; Folder 7 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1920

Industrial Labor

Lake Superior mineral regions and WFM Strike primary sources, 1851-1914

Box 1; Folder 5 (mixed media)

Date: 1851-1914

Labor and machinery photographs, circa 1905

Box 1; Folder 13 (mixed media)

Date: circa 1905

Miners--grouped, surface (photos), undated

Box 3; Folder 1 (mixed media)

Date: undated

1913-1914 Strike (Photos), 1913-1914

Box 3; Folder 6 (mixed media)

Date: 1913-1914

C&H underground occupation statistics, 1894-1918, and production statistics, 1865-1940

Box 9; Folder 3 (mixed media)

Western Federation of Miners reference materials, 1969-1987

Box 10; Folder 6 (mixed media)

Date: 1969-1987

QMC spy letters, 1906-1918

Box 10; Folder 7 (mixed media)

Date: 1906-1918

Number of men employed and number of days worked In the Michigan copper mines, 1911-1980

Box 11; Folder 2 (mixed media)

Date: 1911-1980

Total number of underground deaths, all U.S. metal mines since 1911, undated

Box 11; Folder 4 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Number of men killed and injured underground in the Michigan copper mines and number of widows and orphans produced, 1911-1980

Box 11; Folder 5 (mixed media)

Number of men employed and number of days worked in all U.S. copper mines, 1911-1980

Box 11; Folder 6 (mixed media)

Date: 1911-1980

Deaths/injuries per thousand 300 day-workers employed underground: Michigan copper, all copper, all U.S. metal mines, 1911-1980

Box 11; Folder 7 (mixed media)

Date: 1911-1980

DATA: Michigan's Workmen's Compensation law (student paper and research), 1912

Box 11; Folder 8 (mixed media)

Date: 1912

All U.S. copper mines: underground injuries by cause of accident, 1911-1980

Box 11; Folder 9 (mixed media)

Date: 1911-1980

All U.S. copper mines: underground deaths by cause of accident, 1911-1980

Box 11; Folder 10 (mixed media)

Date: 1911-1980

Number of men killed and injured in all U.S. copper mines and number of widows/orphans produced, 1911-1980

Box 11; Folder 11 (mixed media)

Date: 1911-1980

Quincy Mining Company health and safety materials (letters to/from W.R. Todd), 1902-1929

Box 11; Folder 12 (mixed media)

Date: 1902-1929

Letters to W.R. Todd re: Employer's Liability Act and Safety, 1910-1913

Box 11; Folder 13 (mixed media)

Date: 1910-1913

Student paper and Lankton on mining fatalities, 1983-1987

Box 18; Folder 1 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1983-1987

Mining fatality research, circa 1983

Box 18; Folder 2 (Mixed Materials)

Date: circa 1983

Fatalities by occupation research, undated

Box 18; Folder 3 (Mixed Materials)

Date: undated

Dead miners--Houghton, Keweenaw, Ontonagon FORTRAN programming forms, undated

Box 18; Folder 4 (Mixed Materials)

Date: undated

Dead miners--Keweenaw County worksheets, undated

Box 18; Folder 5 (Mixed Materials)

Date: undated

Dead miners--Houghton County worksheets, undated

Box 18; Folder 6 (Mixed Materials)

Date: undated

Dead miners--Ontonagon County worksheets, undated

Box 18; Folder 7 (Mixed Materials)

Date: undated

Mining fatality statistics (computer output), 1986-1987

Box 19; Folder 1 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1986-1987

Computer output: tri-county (Houghton, Keweenaw, Ontonagon) mining fatality statistics, 1981

Box 19; Folder 2 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1981

Computer output: Calumet & Hecla fatality statistics, 1986

Box 19; Folder 3 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1986

Industrial Community

Housing/ethnicity research, 1905-1918

Box 1; Folder 2 (mixed media)

Date: 1905-1918

Mine houses and towns photographs, undated

Box 1; Folder 16 (Mixed Materials)

Date: undated

Mining community photographs, undated

Box 2; Folder 1 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Individual portraits, 1880-1924

Box 2; Folder 2 (mixed media)

Date: 1880-1924

Churches (photos), Undated

Box 2; Folder 3 (mixed media)

Date: Undated

Keweenaw maps, Undated

Box 2; Folder 5 (mixed media)

Date: Undated

Trains and street cars (photos), 1893-circa 1925

Box 3; Folder 2 (mixed media)

Date: 1893-circa 1925

Mine villages, houses, neighborhoods, houses, downtowns (photos), 1873-1922

Box 3; Folder 4 (mixed media)

Date: 1873-1922

Paternalism (photos), undated

Box 3; Folder 8 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Schools (photos), 1917

Box 3; Folder 9 (mixed media)

Date: 1917

Schools in Houghton County (student research by Eric Whipple and Jon Evans), 1870-1930

Box 3; Folder 18 (mixed media)

Date: 1870-1930

Women's employment--Hancock & Calumet, 1895-1896, 1993

Box 5; Folder 1 (mixed media)

Date: 1993

C&H Sanitary Bulletin--Illnesses, 1897-1915 (student research), 1993

Box 5; Folder 2 (mixed media)

Date: 1993

Township officers--Copper Country, 1891-1919 (student research), undated

Box 5; Folder 3 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Student papers and research (S.W. Hill, early roads, Red Jacket), circa 1994

Box 5; Folder 4 (mixed media)

Date: circa 1994

Early mine villages of the Copper Country (student research), 1993

Box 5; Folder 7 (mixed media)

Date: 1993

Industrial communities--Student papers , 2005

Box 5; Folder 8 (mixed media)

Date: 2005

Houghton County jail records, 1875-1910

Box 6; Folder 1 (mixed media)

Date: 1875-1910

Industrial communities--Student papers and research, 2005

Box 6; Folder 2 (mixed media)

Date: 2005

Laurium--All Data From Polk's Houghton Co. Directory, 1895-1896

Box 6; Folder 3 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1895-1896

Lucena Brockway diary summaries and student research on Brockway family, 1993

Box 6; Folder 4 (Mixed Materials)

Date: 1993

Houghton County births, 1871-1919

Box 9; Folder 2 (mixed media)

Keweenaw railroads (student research), 1960-1983

Box 9; Folder 5 (mixed media)

Date: 1960-1983

Fort Wilkins architecture and archaeology, 1976-circa 1985

Box 9; Folder 7 (mixed media)

Date: 1976-circa 1985

Painesdale National Register of Historic Places (application), undated

Box 9; Folder 8 (mixed media)

Date: undated

Italian Hall Confession (Daily Mining Gazette clipping), 1982

Box 10; Folder 1 (mixed media)

Date: 1982

Fort Wilkins (Michigan Historical Society magazine), 1979

Box 10; Folder 3 (mixed media)

Date: 1979

Lawton Family History (by Stephen Lawton and Robert Lawton), June 1994

Box 10; Folder 5 (mixed media)

Date: June 1994

Industrial community and operations photographs (Calumet, Quincy, Phoenix), circa 1870-circa 1920

Box 12; Folder 3 (mixed media)

Date: circa 1870-circa 1920

Journal Book of Robert A. Duncan, 1887 - 1980

Box 13; Folder 1 (mixed media)

Date: 1887 - 1980

D.D. Brockway student paper, 1994

Box 13; Folder 2 (mixed media)

Date: 1994

P. Ruppe and Son--Account book of James Jackson, 1883

Box 13; Folder 3 (mixed media)

Date: 1883

The New York Times, "Copper Sets The Stage for the 70s", 19 October 1969

Box 13; Folder 4 (mixed media)

Date: 19 October 1969