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## Arnold Alanen Slide Collection MS-1043

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Michigan Technological University Archives and Copper Country Historical Collections
<b>Creator:</b>	Alanen, Arnold
<b>Title:</b>	Arnold Alanen Slide Collection
<b>ID:</b>	MS-1043
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1970s-2002
<b>Physical Description:</b>	0.20 cubic feet 4 slide boxes, 1 object box, and 2 folders (legal)
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English .
<b>Mixed Materials [box]:</b>	1-5
<b>Mixed Materials [folder]:</b>	1-2
<b>Abstract:</b>	Slides, approximately 1970s-2002, of the Copper Country.

### Preferred Citation

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## Biographical Note

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Dr. Arnold R. Alanen is an emeritus professor in the Department of Landscape Architecture at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. His research focuses on cultural landscapes, planned communities, company towns, and vernacular architecture.

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## Scope and Contents

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Slides, approximately 1970s-2002, of the Copper Country. Included in the collection are views of buildings and landscapes within Keweenaw, Ontonagon, and Houghton County, with particular focus on the Calumet area, Quincy and Hancock, and Houghton; as well as copies of historic maps and photographs.

Also included in the collection is material related to White Pine and White Pine in Ontonagon County. This material includes negatives and contact sheets of images taken by Ed Brown, mostly of unidentified properties and a survey booth for White Pine situated outside of the Red Owl Store. Also included are White Pine related buttons, which read: "I Live in White Pine, Michigan," "I've Been to White Pine Michigan," "I Visited White Pine, Michigan," and "I [heart] White Pine, Michigan."

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## Arrangement

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Materials are arranged into two series: 1. Copper Country slides and 2. White Pine materials including contact sheets and negatives of photographs taken by Ed Brown and White Pine buttons. The Copper Country slides are arranged in the original order at the time of donation.

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## Controlled Access Headings

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- Copper Country (Mich.) -- Pictorial works
- White Pine (Mich.)
- White Pine Mine (Mich.)
- Contact sheets
- Ephemera (general object genre)
- Slides (photographs)
- Negatives (Photographic)

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## Collection Inventory

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Copper Country slides	
<b>Keweenaw County</b>	box 1
<b>Ontonagon County</b>	box 1
<b>Ontonagon County, continued</b>	box 2
<b>Houghton County, Calumet area</b>	box 2
<b>Houghton County, Calumet area, continued</b>	box 3
<b>Quincy and Hancock</b>	box 3

<b>Houghton city and south</b>	box 3
<b>Houghton city and south, continued</b>	box 4
<b>Historic maps and photos</b>	box 4

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## White Pine material

Title/Description	Instances	
Ed Brown photographs of White Pine, contact sheets, Undated	sc_box MS 7	folder 2
Ed Brown photographs of White Pine, negatives (35mm), Undated	sc_box MS 7	folder 3

<b>White Pine buttons</b>	box 5	
Title/Description	Instances	
I've Been to White Pine, Michigan	box 5	item 1
I Live in White Pine, Mich.	box 5	item 2
I've Visited White Pine, Michigan	box 5	item 3
I [heart] White Pine	box 5	item 4
I [heart] White Pine	box 5	item 5

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