

Donald L. Nelson Maritime Collection

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Summary Information

Repository	Michigan Technological University Archives and Copper Country Historical Collections
Creator	Nelson, Donald L., 1932-2006
Title	Donald L. Nelson Maritime Collection
Date [inclusive]	1904-2005
Extent	5.7 cubic feet 16 manuscript boxes (15 letter, 1 legal)
Language	English
Language of Material	English
Mixed materials [Box]	1-16
Abstract	Collection, 1904-2005, of Donald L. Nelson, a local maritime historian and former lighthouse keeper and retired member of the U.S. Coast Guard. Includes research files on lighthouses, life saving stations, Coast Guard vessels, and other maritime topics as well as photographs, articles, and books written by Donald Nelson.

Preferred Citation

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Biography

Donald L. Nelson was born on October 15, 1932 in Marquette, Michigan. He was raised in Marquette and graduated from the Graveraet High School in 1950. In his younger years, Don enjoyed playing hockey and was a member of the Sea Scouts. He grew up next to the Marquette Lighthouse and always had an affinity for maritime history. After high school graduation, he hopped a Lake freighter and worked for one season on the Great Lakes prior to enlisting in the U.S. Coast Guard. He served four years at the Lower Entry Lighthouse in Portage Lake on Michigan's Keweenaw Peninsula during the Korean War, and served four more years in the Coast Guard Reserve. __Over the years, Don served on several Boards, including the Marquette Maritime Museum, and the Great Lakes Lighthouse Keepers Association. He was a local maritime historian, having several articles published, and for a short time he had a maritime column in a local newspaper. Don was a speaker at many functions about Coast Guard and lighthouse history on Lake Superior, and was a member of several historical societies. Donald Nelson passed away in 2006.

Collection Scope and Content Summary

Includes research files on lighthouses, life saving stations, Coast Guard vessels, and other maritime topics as well as photographs, articles, and books written by Donald Nelson.

Arrangement

MS-857 has been arranged into seven series with subseries in series three and four as follows:

Series I, Personal Papers, 1941; 1983-2005 Series II, Great Lakes Lighthouse Keepers Association, 1984-1989 Series III, Donald Nelson Creative Works, 1910-2005 Subseries 3.1, General, 1990-2005 Subseries 3.2, Stories, Essays, and Writing, 1910-2005 Series IV, Lighthouses, 1895-2005 Subseries 4.1, General, 1895-2005 Subseries 4.2, Photographs- Lighthouses on Lake Superior, 1910-2001 Subseries 4.3, Photographs- Lighthouses Not on Lake Superior, 1982-1988 Series V, Ships and Boats, 1949-2005 Series VI, Journals and Notebooks, 1875-1905; 1930-1941 Series VII, VHS Collections, 1993-2005

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Revision Description

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Acquisition

A gift consisting of nine cubic feet of research files about lighthouses, life saving stations, coast guard boats and other maritime topics. Includes photographs, articles, research notes and books, as well as information about and articles written by Donald Nelson were donated to the Michigan Technological University Archives and Copper Country Historical Collections by Barbara Nelson on October 3, 2007.

Processing History

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Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Edmund Fitzgerald (Ship).
- Great Lakes Lighthouse Keepers Association.

- United States. Coast Guard.

Genre(s)

- Articles
- Books
- Clippings (Information artifacts)
- Correspondence
- Notes
- Photographs
- Research (Document genres)

Geographic Name(s)

- Great Lakes (North America)
- Michigan

Subject(s)

- Lifesaving stations--Michigan
- Lighthouse keepers--Michigan
- Lighthouses--Michigan
- Shipping--Great Lakes (North America)
- Ships
- Shipwrecks--Great Lakes Region (North America)

Personal Papers

Collection Inventory

1 Personal Papers 1941; 1983-2005 (Bulk, 1983-1999)		
	Box	Folder
"The Donald L. Nelson Research Library" Framed Craft and Library Inventory Undated	1	1
Messner's White City Subdivision No. 1; Owned by Don Nelson July - August 1999	1	2
Letters, Correspondence, Newspaper Clippings, All Lighthouse Related 1992-1995	1	3
Letters to the Editor by Don Nelson 1995-1997	1	4
S.S. Juniper Labor Dispute Aug 1941	1	5
The Bradley; Letters February - August 1996	1	6
Edmund Fitzgerald Bell Newspaper Clippings November 1995 - February 1996	1	7
Misc. Correspondence Folder 1 of 2 1983-1992	1	8
Misc. Correspondence Folder 2 of 2 1988-2005	1	9

Great Lakes Lighthouse Keepers Association

Don Nelson Clippings 1987-1988	1	10
2 Great Lakes Lighthouse Keepers Association 1984-1989		
	Box	Folder
Great Lakes Lighthouse Keepers Association Conferences 1985-1989 1984-1989	1	11
3 Donald Nelson Creative Works 1910-2005 (Bulk, 1990-2005)		
1 General 1990-2005		
	Box	Folder
Lake Superior South Shore Video 1995	1	12
Lighthouse Reference Resources Undated	1	13
"Lighthouses: Where Did They Come From - Where are They Going? Undated	1	14
Isle Royale Video 1994	1	15
Narration for Video of Lighthouses on the Keweenaw Undated	1	16
Jack Edwards - Various Drafts Aug. 10, 1995	1	17
Lighthouse Lens - Lighted Aids to Navigation Undated	4	1

General

Lighthouse Lens Photographs Undated	4	2
Fog Horns Folder 1 of 2 1990	4	3
Fog Horns Folder 2 of 2 Undated	4	4
Story of Coast Guard Point at Grand Marais, MN Undated	4	5
Keweenaw Lower Entry Lighthouse 1994	4	6
Split Rock Lighthouse 1994-1996	4	7
Round Island Fog Signal Engine 1994-1996	4	8
Canadian Lighthouses Undated	4	9
Poverty Island Lighthouse 1996	4	10
Big Bay Lighthouse 1986-1990	5	1
Big Sable Point Lighthouse Undated	5	2
5 Mile Point Lighthouse Undated	5	3
White City - Jacobsville Undated	5	4
Point Iroquois Lighthouse 1986-1987	5	5

General

Whitefish Point Lighthouse and Coast Guard Station 1986-1987	5	6
"Guarding of the Great Lakes - Graveyard" A Story of Whitefish Point and its Lighthouse 1991 Jul 1991	5	7
Isle Royale Lighthouses Undated	5	8
Eagle Harbor Lighthouse and Range Lights 1981-2005	5	9
Marquette Lighthouse 1918-1994	5	10
Grand Island / Munising Lighthouses 1908-1995	5	11
Huron Island Light Station 1998-1999	5	12
Stannard Rock Light Station Folder 1 of 2 1953-1999	5	13
Stannard Rock Light Station Folder 2 of 2 1878-1995	6	1
Stannard Rock Lighthouse Folder 1 of 2 1954-1998	6	2
Crisp Point Lighthouse / Coast Guard 1985-1993	6	3
Marquette Lighthouses Aug 1998	6	4
Keweenaw Lower Entry Light Station 1987-2001	6	5

General

Lighthouses Around the Keweenaw and Isle Royale Apr 19, 2004	6	6
Portage Lake Ship Canal 1994-2000	6	7
Mile Point Lighthouse Undated	6	8
Manitou Island and Gull Rock Light Stations Undated	6	9
Au Sable Lighthouse 1985-1989	6	10
Sand Point Lighthouse ; Baraga Undated	6	11
Rock of Ages Lighthouse and Isle Royale Ship Wrecks 1971-1997	6	12
Torch Lake Canal Undated	6	13
Mendota Lighthouse Jul 1998	6	14
Copper Harbor Lighthouse and Range Lights Undated	6	15
Granite Island Lighthouses Undated	6	16
Sand Hills and Eagle River Light Stations Undated	7	1
Ontonagon Lighthouse Undated	7	2
Misc. Lighthouse Information Folder 1 of 2 1987-1997	7	3

General

Misc. Lighthouse Information Folder 2 of 2 1985-1988	7	4
Misc. Lighthouse Articles and Stories 1986-1990	7	5
Great Lakes lighthouses - U.S. Postal Service Commemorates 1995 Jun 17, 1995	7	6
Seul Choix Point Light 1895-1995	7	7
Old Mackinac Point Light Station Undated	7	8
Lighthouse Tenders Undated	7	9
Sunken Indian Fish Boats Folder 1 of 2 Undated	7	10
Sunken Indian Fish Boats Folder 2 of 2 1980-1996	7	11
United States Life Saving Service Undated	7	12
Lightships Undated	7	13
Ships and Shipwrecks 1992-1997	7	14
United States Lighthouse Society Keepers Log Article Index Undated	7	15
St. Helena Island Light Undated	8	1

Stories, Essays, and Writing

Guide to Historically Famous Lighthouses in the United States Undated	8	2
U.S. Coast Guard Undated	8	3
Eagle Harbor Life Saving and Coast Guard Station Undated	8	4
Life Boat Stations Folder 1 of 2 Undated	8	5
Life Boat Stations Folder 2 of 2 Undated	8	6
Raspberry Island Light Station Keepers Log Book 1985-1993	8	7
Marquette USLSS and USCG Station Undated	8	8
2 Stories, Essays, and Writing 1910-2005		
	Box	Folder
14 Mile Point Lighthouse: Remote and Magnificent Undated	2	1
The 180 Foot Coast Guard Tender Undated	2	2
Algoma (Rock Harbor Lighthouse) Undated	2	3
Along the shores Undated	2	4
Au Sable Lighthouse Undated	2	5

Stories, Essays, and Writing

Beacons in the Night - Michigan Lighthouse Chronology Undated	2	6
Big Bay Lighthouse Undated	2	7
Blake Point Lighthouse Undated	2	8
Breaches Buoy Beach Cart Apparatus Undated	2	9
Buckos Back Undated	2	10
The Coast Guard 44 Footer and MLB's Undated	2	11
Canoe Rocks and the Emperor Undated	2	12
CG - 25326 Undated	2	13
CG - 36454 Undated	2	14
Crisp Point Lighthouse Undated	2	15
Eagle Harbor Life Saving and Coast Guard Station 1912-1950	2	16
Eagle Harbor Lighthouse and Range Lights Undated	2	17
Eagle Harbor Range Lights Aug 12, 1999	2	18
The Edmund Fitzgerald and Back to Whitefish Point Undated	2	19

Stories, Essays, and Writing

Family Members Undated	2	20
Floating Lighthouses Nov 19, 1995	2	21
The Flying Santa Dec. 24, 1995	2	22
The Fog Signal Undated	2	23
Grand Marais Harbor Range Light Undated	2	24
Granite Island Lighthouse on Lake Superior Undated	2	25
The Great Storm of 1913	2	26
Grounding of the S.S. Maryland Undated	2	27
Gull Rock Lighthouse Undated	2	28
The Henry Steinbrenner; A Ship and a Rescue Aug 19, 1928	2	29
The Huron Islands and Their Lighthouse Undated	2	30
Inland Lighthouses Dec 31,1995	2	31
Introduction Undated	2	32
Isle Royale Lighthouse on Menagerie Island Undated	2	33

Stories, Essays, and Writing

John Arndt Anderson Undated	2	34
Kamloops Undated	2	35
Life on the Early Lake Freighter October, 1995	2	36
Life Saving and Coast Guard Station Undated	2	37
Lighthouse History Undated	2	38
A Lighthouse Keeper Undated	2	39
Lighthouse Lens Oct 22, 1995	2	40
Lighthouse Service 1789-1939	2	41
The Lighthouse Tender Undated	2	42
The Lighthouses of Marquette Undated	2	43
The Lighthouses of Torch Lake Canal Undated	2	44
The Lothrop Fog Horn Undated	2	45
Manitou Island Light Station Undated	2	46
Marquette Life Saving and Coast Guard Station 1891	2	47

Stories, Essays, and Writing

Marquette Lighthouses Mar 3,1996	2	48
The Motor Life Boat - One Comes Home Undated	3	1
Passage Island Lighthouse on Isle Royale Undated	3	2
Passage Island Light Station Undated	3	3
Pigboats Undated	3	4
Portage Lake Ship Canal Light Station 1874	3	5
Portage River and the Lower Entry Lighthouses Undated	3	6
The Portage River Lighthouses and The Keweenaw Peninsula Undated	3	7
Preparing for and Sounding for Fog December, 1989	3	8
Reducing Boredom for the Keeper Dec 10, 1995	3	9
Remember the Fitzgerald Nov 5, 1995	3	10
Rock Harbor Lighthouse Undated	3	11
Rock of Ages Lighthouse on Isle Royale Undated	3	12
Russell Hyde Bergh 1904-1984 1990-2005	3	13

Stories, Essays, and Writing

Sand Hills Light and Fog Signal Station, 1919-1939	3	14
Shipwreck Coast and Life Saving Stations Undated	3	15
The St. Mary's River and the Soo Locks Jan 7, 1996	3	16
Stannard Rock Lighthouse; Life On and It's Demise Part 2 Undated	3	17
Submarine Bell March 5	3	18
Summary Undated	3	19
Synopsis Undated	3	20
Things Change with Time Nov 12,1995	3	21
Tragedy Strikes Two Lake Superior Light Stations Undated	3	22
U.S. Coast Guard Station Mackinac Island Undated	3	23
Whitefish Point Undated	3	24
Whitefish Point Lighthouse Undated	3	25
Whitefish Point Museum Undated	3	26
Various Don Nelson Writings Undated	3	27

Stories, Essays, and Writing

Lighthouses, Lenses, and Fog Signals at the Turn of the Century Undated	3	28
"Along the shores" planning Undated	3	29
Brainstorming - Outlines (Handwritten) Undated	3	30
Invoices; Finance for Printing and Binding 1996-2000	3	31
Resources and Research 1990-2002	3	32
Misc Undated	3	33
Various Newspaper Clippings Folder 1 of 2 1987-1996	3	34
Various Newspaper Clippings Folder 2 of 2 Undated	3	35
Coast Guard Stations Misc. Undated	9	4
Coast Guard Boats/Ships Undated	9	5
Lighthouse Tenders 1928-1941	9	6
Coast Guard Ships - Ice Breakers and Buoy Tenders Undated	9	7
Coast Guard Boats- 40, 41, 44, 47, 52, 36 Footers Undated	9	8
Marquette Coast Guard Station 1948	9	9

Stories, Essays, and Writing

Eagle Harbor and Portage Coast Guard Stations 1912-1990	9	10
Coast Guard Photographs Misc. 1916-1990	9	11
Marquette Lighthouses 1941-1995	9	12
Grand Marais Lighthouse 1995	9	13
Split Rock Light Station Undated	9	14
Stannard Rock 1917-1961	9	15
Two Harbors Light Station Undated	10	1
Duluth Lighthouses 1940-1982	10	2
Superior Breakwater Lighthouse 1994	10	3
Sand Island Lighthouse 1989	10	4
Outer Island Lighthouse Undated	10	5
Raspberry Island Lighthouse 1984	10	6
Menominee Pier 1949	10	7
Devil's Island Lighthouse Undated	10	8

Stories, Essays, and Writing

Michigan Island Lighthouse Undated	10	9
La Point Lighthouse and Chequaegon Point Lighthouses Undated	10	10
Ashland Breakwater Lighthouse Undated	10	11
14 Mile Point Light Station 1920-1944	10	12
Ontonagon Lighthouse Undated	10	13
Portage North Canal Light Station 1912-1992	10	14
Isle Royale Lighthouses (Rock of Ages, Menagerie, Passage, Rock Harbor) 1991-1997	10	15
Sand Hills Light Station - 5 Mile Point 1918-1992	10	16
Ice Breaker in Houghton Undated	10	17
Eagle River Lighthouse Undated	10	18
Eagle Harbor Light Station 1910-1998	10	19
Eagle Harbor Range Lights 1997	10	20
Copper Harbor Lighthouse and Range Light Undated	10	21

Stories, Essays, and Writing

Manitou Island Light Station 1925-1994	10	22
Gull Lake Lighthouse 1991	10	23
Mendota Lighthouse - Beta Gris Bay Undated	10	24
Big Bay Lighthouse Undated	10	25
Granite Island Light Station 1920-1994	10	26
Au Sable Lighthouse 1991	11	1
Grand Marais Lighthouse 1978-1995	11	2
Crisp Point Lighthouse Undated	11	3
Point Iroquois Lighthouse Undated	11	4
Whitefish Point Light Station 1931-1995	11	5
Canadian Lighthouses - Lake Superior 1991	11	6
Portage River (Jacobsville) Lighthouse 1933-2001	11	7
Keweenaw Lower Entry Light Station 1950-1999	11	8
Sand Point Lighthouse (Baraga) 1994	11	9

Lighthouses

Huron Island Light Station 1992-1994	11	10
Munising Station Undated	11	11
4 Lighthouses 1895-2005 (Bulk, 1910-2005)		
1 General 1895-2005 (Bulk, 1980-1999)		
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Lighthouse Lens - Lighted Aids to Navigation Undated	4	1
Lighthouse Lens Photographs Undated	4	2
Fog Horns Folder 1 of 2 1990	4	3
Fog Horns Folder 2 of 2 Undated	4	4
Story of Coast Guard Point at Grand Marais, MN Undated	4	5
Keweenaw Lower Entry Lighthouse 1994	4	6
Split Rock Lighthouse 1994-1996	4	7
Round Island Fog Signal Engine 1994-1996	4	8
Canadian Lighthouses Undated	4	9

General

Poverty Island Lighthouse 1996	4	10
Big Bay Lighthouse 1986-1990	5	1
Big Sable Point Lighthouse Undated	5	2
5 Mile Point Lighthouse Undated	5	3
White City - Jacobsville Undated	5	4
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Huron Island Light Station 1998-1999	5	12

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Stannard Rock Light Station Folder 1 of 2 1953-1999	5	13
Stannard Rock Light Station Folder 2 of 2 1878-1995	6	1
Stannard Rock Lighthouse Folder 1 of 2 1954-1998	6	2
Crisp Point Lighthouse / Coast Guard 1985-1993	6	3
Marquette Lighthouses Aug 1998	6	4
Keweenaw Lower Entry Light Station 1987-2001	6	5
Lighthouses Around the Keweenaw and Isle Royale Apr 19, 2004	6	6
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Sand Point Lighthouse ; Baraga Undated	6	11
Rock of Ages Lighthouse and Isle Royale Ship Wrecks 1971-1997	6	12
Torch Lake Canal Undated	6	13

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Mendota Lighthouse Jul 1998	6	14
Copper Harbor Lighthouse and Range Lights Undated	6	15
Granite Island Lighthouses Undated	6	16
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Ontonagon Lighthouse Undated	7	2
Misc. Lighthouse Information Folder 1 of 2 1987-1997	7	3
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Seul Choix Point Light 1895-1995 1895-1995	7	7
Old Mackinac Point Light Station Undated	7	8
Lighthouse Tenders Undated	7	9
Sunken Indian Fish Boats Folder 1 of 2 Undated	7	10

Photographs - Lighthouses on Lake Superior

Sunken Indian Fish Boats Folder 2 of 2 1980-1996	7	11
United States Life Saving Service Undated	7	12
Lightships Undated	7	13
Ships and Shipwrecks 1992-1997	7	14
United States Lighthouse Society Keepers Log Article Index Undated	7	15
St. Helena Island Light Undated	8	1
Guide to Historically Famous Lighthouses in the United States Undated	8	2
U.S. Coast Guard Undated	8	3
Eagle Harbor Life Saving and Coast Guard Station Undated	8	4
Life Boat Stations Folder 1 of 2 Undated	8	5
Life Boat Stations Folder 2 of 2 Undated	8	6
Raspberry Island Light Station Keepers Log Book 1985-1993	8	7
Marquette USLSS and USCG Station Undated	8	8
2 Photographs - Lighthouses on Lake Superior 1910-2001		

Photographs - Lighthouses on Lake Superior

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Coast Guard Stations Misc. Undated	9	4
Coast Guard Boats/Ships Undated	9	5
Coast Guard Ships - Ice Breakers and Buoy Tenders Undated	9	7
Lighthouse Tenders 1928-1941	9	6
Coast Guard Boats- 40, 41, 44, 47, 52, 36 Footers Undated	9	8
Marquette Coast Guard Station 1948	9	9
Eagle Harbor and Portage Coast Guard Stations 1912-1990	9	10
Coast Guard Photographs Misc. 1916-1990	9	11
Marquette Lighthouses 1941-1995	9	12
Grand Marais Lighthouse 1995	9	13
Split Rock Light Station Undated	9	14
Stannard Rock 1917-1961	9	15
Two Harbors Light Station Undated	10	1

Photographs - Lighthouses on Lake Superior

Duluth Lighthouses 1940-1982	10	2
Superior Breakwater Lighthouse 1994	10	3
Sand Island Lighthouse 1989	10	4
Outer Island Lighthouse Undated	10	5
Raspberry Island Lighthouse 1984	10	6
Menominee Pier 1949	10	7
Devil's Island Lighthouse Undated	10	8
Michigan Island Lighthouse Undated	10	9
La Point Lighthouse and Chequaegon Point Lighthouses Undated	10	10
Ashland Breakwater Lighthouse Undated	10	11
14 Mile Point Light Station 1920-1944	10	12
Ontonagon Lighthouse Undated	10	13
Portage North Canal Light Station 1912-1992	10	14

Photographs - Lighthouses on Lake Superior

Isle Royale Lighthouses (Rock of Ages, Menagerie, Passage, Rock Harbor) 1991-1997	10	15
Sand Hills Light Station - 5 Mile Point 1918-1992	10	16
Ice Breaker in Houghton Undated	10	17
Eagle River Lighthouse Undated	10	18
Eagle Harbor Light Station 1910-1998	10	19
Eagle Harbor Range Lights 1997	10	20
Copper Harbor Lighthouse and Range Light Undated	10	21
Manitou Island Light Station 1925-1994	10	22
Gull Lake Lighthouse 1991	10	23
Mendota Lighthouse - Beta Gris Bay Undated	10	24
Big Bay Lighthouse Undated	10	25
Granite Island Light Station 1920-1994	10	26
Au Sable Lighthouse 1991	11	1

Photographs - Lighthouses Not on Lake Superior

Grand Marais Lighthouse 1978-1995	11	2
Crisp Point Lighthouse Undated	11	3
Point Iroquois Lighthouse Undated	11	4
Whitefish Point Light Station 1931-1995	11	5
Canadian Lighthouses - Lake Superior 1991	11	6
Portage River (Jacobsville) Lighthouse 1933-2001	11	7
Keweenaw Lower Entry Light Station 1950-1999	11	8
Sand Point Lighthouse (Baraga) 1994	11	9
Huron Island Light Station 1992-1994	11	10
Munising Station Undated	11	11
3 Photographs - Lighthouses Not on Lake Superior 1982-1988		
	Box	Folder
Kenosha, Wisconsin Undated	11	12
Petoskey Undated	11	13

Photographs - Lighthouses Not on Lake Superior

Milwaukee; Lake Michigan Undated	11	14
Muskegon/ Grand Haven/ Holland Undated	11	15
Soo, Michigan Undated	11	16
Charalavoix 1988	11	17
Misc. Wisconsin Undated	11	18
Manitowac; Lake Michigan Undated	11	19
Wind Point; Lake Michigan Undated	11	20
Michigan City, Indiana; Lake Michigan Undated	11	21
Lake Huron Undated	11	22
Lansing Shoals Light Station Undated	11	23
Squaw Island Light Station Undated	11	24
Port Austin Reef Lighthouse Undated	11	25
Harbor Beach Lighthouse Undated	11	26
St. Martin Island Light Station 1986	11	27

Photographs - Lighthouses Not on Lake Superior

Plum Island Lighthouse 1986	12	1
Escanaba Lighthouse (Sand Point) Peninsula Point Lighthouse 1982-1984	12	2
Minneapolis Shoal Light Station Undated	12	3
Eagle Bluff Lighthouse Undated	12	4
Chambers Island Lighthouse Undated	12	5
Pilot Island Lighthouse Undated	12	6
Canal Island Lighthouse Undated	12	7
Rawley Point Light Station Undated	12	8
Canadian Lighthouses, Lake Huron 1983	12	9
Canadian Lighthouses, Lake Erie and Ontario Undated	12	10
Port Sanilac Lighthouse Undated	12	11
Waugoshance Shoal Light Station Undated	12	12
St. Helens Island Lighthouse Undated	12	13
White Shoal Light Station Undated	12	14

Photographs - Lighthouses Not on Lake Superior

Poe Reef Lighthouse Undated	12	15
40 Mile Point Lighthouse Undated	12	16
Presque Isle Lighthouses Undated	12	17
Point Aux Barques Lighthouse Undated	12	18
Sturgeon Point Lighthouse; Alpena Light Undated	12	19
Tawas Point Lighthouse Undated	12	20
Grey's Reef Light Station Undated	12	21
Martin's Reef Lighthouse Undated	12	22
Round Island Boise Blanc Island Lighthouses Undated	12	23
Mackinac Point Light Station Undated	12	24
\Spectacle Reef Lighthouse Undated	12	25
Suel Choix Point Light Station 1983	12	26
Poverty Island Lighthouse Undated	12	27
Fort Gratiot Lighthouse; Port Huron Undated	12	28

Photographs - Lighthouses Not on Lake Superior

Lake Erie Lighthouses Undated	13	1
Sturgeon Bay Ship Canal Light Station Undated	13	2
Point Reyes Lifeboat Station Undated	13	3
Detroit River Light Undated	13	4
Algoma Light Station, Kewaunee Pier Lighthouse Undated	13	5
White River Lighthouse Undated	13	6
Big Sable Light Station Undated	13	7
Little Sable Point Lighthouse Undated	13	8
Ludington Lighthouse Undated	13	9
Point Betsey Light Station Undated	13	10
Beaver Island Lighthouses 1988	13	11
Grand Traverse Light Station 1983	13	12
Skillagalee Light Station Undated	13	13
Detour Reef Lighthouse Undated	13	14

Ships and Boats

5 Ships and Boats 1949-2005 (Bulk, 1986-2005)

	Box	Folder
Commercial Fishing Boats 1949-1973	8	9
Carl Bradly Shipwreck Undated	8	10
25 Foot LSS Surf Boat 2002-2005	8	11
USCG MLB(s) 1997-2005	8	12
MLB 36500 2002-2004	8	13
CG 36535 2003-2004	8	14
Triumph Mermaid Incident, January 12, 1961 1961-1991	9	1
USCG Cutter Sundew (WAGL 404) Nov 1958	9	2
Technical Study of the 30 Foot SRB 1986 - 2005	9	3

6 Journals and Notebooks 1875-1904; 1930-1941

	Box	Folder
Russell Berg; Pilot's Notebooks 1939	13	15
"Big Bay Light Station" Excerpt 1936-1941 1930-1941	14	1

VHS Collection

"14 Mile Point Light Station" Journal Folder 1 of 2 1895-1900	14	2
"14 Mile Point Light Station" Journal Folder 2 of 2 1900-1904	14	3
"Menagerie Light Station" Journal 1875-1893	14	4
VHS Collection 1993-2005		
	Box	Folder
Maritime Tape, Discovery Diving off Whitefish Point March 22, 1993	15	1
Grand Island, North and East C.H.L.H. Furnace Bay R.L., Steady Cam/ Copy of Raw Footage Undated	15	2
Legendary Lighthouses- 6 Parts, Parts 2-6 Undated	15	3
Bertha Rollo Remembers Living at Whitefish March 26, 1993	15	4
Roger Rosie Undated	15	5
Keweenaw Lights Undated	15	6
Francis Blanchard/ Seul Choir LP Undated	15	7
Mandy Jul 2001	15	8
Amarath- Rock of Ages/ Split Rock, Outer Island Lights 1918	15	9

VHS Collection

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