

Copper Country Cemetery Collection MS-027

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Summary Information

Repository: Michigan Technological University Archives and Copper

Country Historical Collections

Title: Copper Country Cemetery Collection

ID: MS-027

Date: undated

Physical

1.74 cubic feet 5 boxes

Description:

Language of the

English.

Material:

Mixed Materials 1-5

[box]:

Abstract: Collection, contains printed listings, microfilm and other

information about cemeteries in Houghton, Keweenaw,

Ontonagon and Baraga counties as well as microfilm of records

from the Forest Hill cemetery in the city of Houghton.

Preferred Citation

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Collection Scope and Content Summary

Collection, contains printed listings, microfilm and other information about cemeteries in Houghton, Keweenaw, Ontonagon and Baraga counties as well as microfilm of records from the Forest Hill cemetery in the city of Houghton. Included are notes, cemetery listings, and other material from the Copper Country Historical Resource Partnership, a group of volunteers from area archives, libraries, and historical groups that that attempted to develop a comprehensive listing of all burials in cemeteries in the Copper Country.

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Arrangement

The collection is arranged into three series: SERIES I: Cemetery listings and information; SERIES II: Forest Hill Cemetery records and plot sales; and SERIES III: Copper Country Historical Resource Partnership cemetery project records.

Series I includes cemetery listings, copies of maps, and other information about cemeteries in Baraga, Houghton, Keweenaw, Marquette, and Ontonagon Counties. Files are arranged alphabetically by county and cemetery name thereunder.

Series II contains burial records and plot sales for Forest Hill Cemetery (Houghton) on microfilm. The first six reels contain burial records and are arranged alphabetically by surname of the deceased. Reels seven through ten contain plot sales and burial record books and arranged numerically in ascending order by cemetery section and block number.

Series III contains notes, cemetery listings, correspondence and other information about Copper Country cemeteries that was amassed by volunteers of the Copper Country Historical Resource Partnership.

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Administrative Information

Publication Statement

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Access

Available for use in the Michigan Technological University Archives and Copper Country Historical Collections.

Conditions Governing Use

Various copying restrictions apply. Guidelines are available from Michigan Technological University Archives & Copper Country Historical Collections.

Processing History

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Controlled Access Headings

- Microfilms
- Ontonagon County (Mich.)
- Baraga County (Mich.)
- Keweenaw County (Mich.)
- Houghton County (Mich.)
- Cemeteries -- Michigan
- Documents

Collection Inventory

Cemetery listings and information				
Baraga County				
Title/Description	Instances			
Baraga County	box 1	folder 1		
Keweenaw Bay	box 1	folder 2		
Pelkie (Finnish)	box 1	folder 3		
Pequaming	box 1	Folder 4		
Skanee Township	box 1	folder 5		

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Houghton County		
Title/Description	Instances	
Houghton County	box 1 folder 6	
Chassell Township	box 1 folder 7	

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Elo	box 1	folder 8
Jacobsville	box 1	folder 9
Oskar	box 1	folder 10
Redridge (Liminga)	box 1	folder 11
Saint Joseph's (Catholic)	box 1	folder 12
Toivola	box 1	folder 13
Waasa	box 1	folder 14

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Keweenaw County		
Title/Description	Instances	
Keweenaw County	box 1	folder 15
Ahmeek (Calvary)	box 1	folder 16
Cliff (Catholic)	box 2	folder 1
Cliff (Protestant)	box 2	folder 2
Copper Harbor	box 2	folder 3
Eagle River (Evergreen)	box 2	folder 4
Pinegrove	box 2	folder 5

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Marquette County		
Title/Description	Instances	
Marquette County	box 2	folder 6
Champion	box 2	folder 7

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Ontonagon County		
Title/Description	Instances	
Ontonagon County	box 2	folder 8
Agate	box 2	folder 9
Bruce Crossing	box 2	folder 10

Evergreen	box 2	folder 11
Ewen	box 2	folder 12
Forest Lawn	box 2	folder 13
Green (Finnish Evangelical)	box 2	folder 14
Greenalnd	box 2	folder 15
Greenland (Methodist)	box 2	folder 16
Holy Family	box 2	Folder 17
Irish Hollow	box 3	folder 1
Lakeview	box 3	folder 2
Maple Grove	box 3	folder 3
Methodist Rose	box 3	folder 4
Paynesville	box 3	folder 5
Riverside	box 3	folder 6
Rousseau	box 3	folder 7
Trout Creek	box 3	folder 8
Woodlawn	box 3	folder 9

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Forest Hill Cemetery burial records and plot sales		
Title/Description	Instances	
Forest Hill Cemetery burial record cards	box 4	reel 1-6
Forest Hill Cemetery plot sales / burial record books	box 4	reel 7-10

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Copper Country Historical Resource Partnership cemetery project records				
Title/Description Instances				
New data to be entered	box 5	folder 1		
Atlantic Mine Cemetery, 2002	box 5	folder 2		
Sacred Heart cemetery mapping and tombstone readings, 2001	box 5	folder 3		

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Evergreen Cemetery, Keweenaw County	box 5	folder 4
Cemetery info	box 5	folder 5
Cemeteries project report and datasheets	box 5	folder 6
Pequaming Cemetery report	box 5	folder 7-8
Jacobsville Cemetery report	box 5	folder 9
Jacobsville Cemetery project, 1999	box 5	folder 10-11

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