Collection name: C. Patrick Labadie Collection

Collection number: TBRC-1 through 18 [TBRC-6 = STEAMBARGES]

Dates: Late 18th Century to early 20th Century.

Quantity: 385 linear feet + 6 (5 draw) map cabinets.

Provenance note: Collection gathered & researched since early adulthood. Donated by C. Patrick & June Labadie in 2003 to NOAA; housed and managed by the Alpena County Library.

Biographical & Historical Information: The son and grandson of shipyard workers, Charles Patrick Labadie was reared in Detroit and attended the University of Detroit. He began his career with the Dossin Great Lakes Museum, became director of the Saugatuck Marine Museum, then earned a master’s license for tugs and worked for Gaelic Tugboat Company in Detroit. He directed Duluth’s Canal Park Museum (now Lake Superior Maritime Visitors Center) from its founding in 1973 until 2001. In 2003, he was appointed historian for the NOAA’s Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary in Alpena, Michigan.

Scope & Content: This is an extensive 19th Century Great Lakes maritime history collection. The vessel database is accessible through library’s website. See the library’s card catalog to search the book collection. The major components of the collection are: vessels, cargo, biographical, canals, owners, ports, technology / shipbuilding = broken down by vessels types (i.e. sail, tugs, propellers), and machinery. Files include photographs, newspaper accounts, publications, vessel plans, maps & charts, and research notes.

Access: Open to research.

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   EDITH
   GLOBE
   MINERAL ROCK
   SUN

2. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1860s, A-C
   One Photo = multi vessels
   ARIZONA
   ATLANTIC
   BADGER STATE
   BAY CITY
   BELLE
   BENTON
   BERNARD, LOTTA
   BRUNO
   CHAFFEE, IRA
   CITY OF PORT HURON
3. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1860s, D-M
   EMPIRE
   GOULD, JAY
   HILTON
   HURD, JOS. L.
   HURON CITY
   JENNESS, B.W.
   MAINE
   MILWAUKEE

4. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1860s, N-P
   NASHUA
   NORSEMAN
   ONEIDA
   OTIS, JOHN
   PACIFIC
   PASSAIC
   PESHTIGO
   PRINGLE, MARY

5. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1860s, R-W
   ROSE, D.F.
   SAGINAW
   ST. JOSEPH
   SANILAC
   TRADER (or NEW ERA)
   WARREN, HOMER

6. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1870-1874, A-C
   ANNIE LAURA
   BIRCKHEAD, P.H.
   BLANCHARD, B.W.
   CLARKE
   CLINTON
   COFFINBERRY, H.D.
   CORMORANT
   CROSS, BELLE P.

7. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1870-1874, D-G
   EMBURY
   EMERALD
   FISK JR., JAMES
   FOSTER, I.N.
   GARDEN CITY
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GLENGARRY
GROH, MARY

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Folders

1. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1870-1874, H-K
   HEATH, G.P.
   HICKOX, C.
   HOLLAND, ROBERT
   IDA
   IRELAND, W.S.
   KINCARDINE
   KING, GEORGE

2. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1870-1874, L-O
   LAKE ERIE
   LAKE MICHIGAN
   LELAND
   LOTHAIR
   MARSHALL, MAGGIE
   MILLS, DAVID W.
   MILLS, MARY
   MILLS, N.
   MONTANA
   MUSKEGON
   ORION

3. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1870-1874, P-R
   PEASE, EDWARD S.
   POWERS, D.W.
   RALEIGH
   RAYETTE
   RECOR, EDWARD P.
   Rietz, CHAS.

4. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1870-1874, S
   SANTA MARIA
   SCHNOOR, H.C.
   SCOTIA
   SHELDON, SARAH E.
   SPARTA
   SPINNER, F.E.
   STEWART, RHODA
   STRONG, ELIZA M.
   SWALLOW

5. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1870-1874, T
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TECUMSEH
TEMPEST
TURNER, A.A.

6. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1870-1874, U-Z
   VAN ALLEN, D.R.
   WALTER, PHILIP
   WESTOVER
   WETMORE, W.H.
   WHITE STAR
   WILSON, MATHEW
   WYOMING

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1. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1875-1879, A-Z
   ALASKA
   ALCONA
   BRITTAIN, R.C.
   CITY OF OWEN SOUND
   GERMANIA
   MARSH, GEO. A.
   NIAGARA
   OSCODA
   PORTAGE
   PRIDGEON JR., JOHN
   SATURN (CITY of OWEN SOUND)
   STORMOUNT
   THOMPSON, EMMA

2. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1880-1884, A-B
   Multi Vessel Photo:
   COLBORN, A.R., 1882
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   SHAWNEE
   MIDDLESEX, 1881
   FOSTER, SAMUEL H.
   KALKASKA, 1884

   ADVANCE
   ALBANY
   ALLMENDINGER, J.M.
   ARENAC
   BESSIE
   BURNHAM, GEORGE
   BUTTERS, MARSHALL F.
3. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1880-1884, CA-CI
   CALVIN, D.D.
   CARRY, MIKE
   CATARACT
   CHAMBERLAIN, C.W.
   CHIPMAN, SUSIE
   CITY OF MT. CLEMENS
   CITY OF NICOLLET

4. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1880-1884, CO-D
   COLBORN, A.R.
   CURTIS, C.F.
   DONALDSON, JAS. P.
   DOUGLAS

5. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1880-1884, E-G
   ELLA G.
   ELMIRA
   ENERGY
   FAUSTIN
   FOLLETTE, JAMES W.
   FRIANT?
   GAULT, JOHN C.
   GRATWICK, W.H.
   GREEN, C.H.

6. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1880-1884, H-L
   HALL, STEPHEN C.
   HAVEY, HUGH R.
   HOPKINS, A.L.
   HUBBELL, H.S.
   JOYS
   KALKASKA
   KONGO
   LEUTY, D.
   LYCOMING

7. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1880-1884, M
   MACY, SILVANUS J.
   MADDEN, LIZZIE
   MANISTIQUE
   MARKHAM, GEO. C.
   MARTIN, S.K.
   McBRIER, FRED
   McGREGOR, MARY
   McLOUTH, PEIRCE
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Folders

1. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1880-1884, N-O
   NESSEN, N.J.
   NIPIGON
   NOBLE, ROBERT
   NORMA
   OGEMAW
   ONOKO
   OREGON
   OVERLAND

2. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1880-1884, P-R
   PAHLOW, L.
   PAULY, JOHN H.
   PEREVE, HATTIE E.
   PETERS
   PICKANDS, H.S.
   PILGRIM
   PRINGLE, JOHN C.
   RELIANCE
   RESOLUTE
   RHODA EMILY
   RICHARDS, RUBE
   RUBY, J.S.
   RUDOLPH, WM

3. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1880-1884, SA-SH
   SAWYER, PHILETUS
   SCHOOLCRAFT
   SEAVERNS, J.S.
   SHERIFFS, JIM
   SICKEN, M.
   SHRIGLEY, JAMES H.

4. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1880-1884, SM-SU
   SMITH, EDWARD
   SMITH, THOMAS H.
   SOPER, ALBERT
   STARKE, C.H.
   STEPHENSON, S.M.
   STIMSON
   SUIT, J.C.

5. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1880-1884, T-Z
   THEW, W.P.
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TILLEY, SIR S.L.
TORRENT, IDA M.
TRERICE, BYRON
UNITED LUMBERMEN
VICTORIA
WESTCOTT, J.W.
WESTON, A.
WHITE (w/ FRIANT)
WORTHINGTON, A.L.
ZILLAH

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   ARIZONA
   ARNOLD, B.W.
   AZTEC
   BART, L.L.
   BOYCE, ISABELLA J.
   BOYCE, M.H.
   BUELL, F.R.

2. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1885-1889, C
   CANISTEO
   CARTER, W.J.
   CHIPMAN, SUSIE
   CHRISTIE, T.S.
   COVELL, MARK B.

3. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1885-1889, D-G
   FLINT, OSCAR T.
   FOLSOM, A.
   FORD, J.C.
   GETTYSBURG
   GILL, ALICE M.
   GLENN
   GOWEN, ALBERT Y.
   GRATWICK, W.H.
   GREENE, M.T.

4. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1885-1889, H
   HALL, JOHN E.
   HALL, W.B.
   HANDY BOY
   HAYWARD, A.D.
HEBARD, CHARLES
HINTON, FRANCIS
HOPKINS, MARK
HORN, CHARLES
HOUGHTEN, H.

5. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1885-1889, I-L
IDA E.
JUNO
KALKASKA
LANGELL, SIMON
LILY

6. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1885-1889, M
MADDEN, LIZZIE
MARION
McGREGOR, MARY A.
McVEA, CHARLES
MIAMI
MILLS, ROBERT
MORLEY, GEO. W.
MUELLER
MYRON

7. Identified Vessel, Original Build Date 1885-1889, N-P
NEFF, M.C.
NIKO
OLWILL, MARGARET
PACKARD, CHAS.
PAWNEE
PILGRIM
PRENTICE, JAMES H.
PRINGLE, JOHN C.

8. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1885-1889, R
RALPH, P.J.
RAND
REID, R.C.
ROOT, H.A.

9. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1885-1889, S
SACHEM
SAUGATUCK
SCOTT, THOMAS R.
SMITH, LILLIE
STAFFORD, W.R.
STIMSON, THOMAS D.
STREET, CHAS. A.

10. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1885-1889, T
    THREE BROTHERS
    TICE, EDWARD S.
    TOLTE C.

11. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1885-1889, U-Z
    VIKING
    VIRGINIUS
    VOLUNTEER
    WIEHE, TRUDE R.
    WILHELM, S.S.
    WOODS, FRANK
    WYOMING

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    ARCTIC
    BRADLEY, CHARLES H.
    BUCKLEY, EDWARD

2. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1890-1894, C-F
    CARPENTER, O.O.
    CHAMBERLAIN, C.W.
    CHUB
    DESMOND
    DUNCAN, MAGGIE
    FLETCHER, F.W.

3. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1890-1894, G-I
    GRIFFEN
    HARLOW
    HAZARD, WILLIAM A.
    HETTLER, HERMAN H.
    HILL, JOHN J.
    IONA

4. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1890-1894, K
    KELTON, MINNIE E.
    KENDALL, HARVEY J.
    KETCHAM, JOHN B. (2<sup>ND</sup>)
    KETCHAM, W.P.
    KIRBY, S.R.

5. Technical Vessels, Original Build Date 1890-1894, L-M
    LANGELL BOYS
    LINDEN
6. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1890-1894, N
   NEFF, LUCY
   NEFF, SIDNEY O.
   NEWAYGO
   NORMANDIE
   NORWALK

7. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1890-1894, P-R
   PARKS, O.E.
   PENTLAND
   PORTER, LLOYD S.
   PRESTON
   REDFERN, C.E.
   ROSS, MYRTIE M.
   RUNNELS, H.E.

8. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1890-1894, S-SA
   SANTA MARIA
   SAWYER, W.H.

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   SCHROEDER, JOHN
   SEQUIN

10. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1890-1894, SH-SW
    SHORES, ADELLA
    SHORES JR., E.A.
    SMITH, EDWARD
    SWIFT

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    WOTAN
    ZILLAH

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   BLACK ROCK

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   CHISHOLM, ALVAH S.
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CLINTON
CROUSE, J.S.
DALTON, H.G.
F. MARY
FARWELL, GEO. H.
FISHER, ERWIN L.
HARVEY, F.E.
HINES FLEET
HOLCOMB, R.T.
INCA
INDIA
ISABEL I.

3. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1895+, J-N
JESKA
JONES, F.P.
MARIN, AIGLE
MARY
MAUD
MONT STE. MARIE
MURPHY, DENIS
NAVAJO
NEFF, CHARLES S.
NOBLE, BENJ.

4. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1895+, P-R
PHELPS, FRANK D.
PINE LAKE
POWELL, L.G. (w/ HAZARD & McLOUTH)
RECOR, EDWARD P.
ROEN, MARQUIS

5. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1895+, S
ST. ANURE
ST. FRANCES ?
ST. LOUIS
ST. ULRIC
SCHNODEN
SIMLA
SPAULDING, JESSE
STEPHENSON, I. WATSON
STUART, M.H.
SUPERIOR

6. Identified Vessels, Original Build Date 1895+, T-Z
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TWO MYRTLES
WHITE SWAN
WINNEBAGO

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   BRUNSWICK
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   GETTYSBURG
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   HURON CITY
   LINDSAY, A.G.
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   NEFF, SIDNEY O.
   SAN PEDRO
   SMITH, JOHANNA
   STEPHENSON, I. WATSON
   VAIL, WALTER
   VIKING
   WHITE SWAN
   WILLAPA
   WINNIPEG    WOODS, FRANK
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