Collection name: Haltiner Collection

Collection number: HC – 1 thru HC – 7
[HC-2: Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary & Underwater Preserve]

Dates: c1967-c2000

Quantity: 75+ boxes total; HC-2 = 3 boxes

Provenance note: Papers from researching & writing local history books; papers from involvement in work, societies, associations, committees, and other activities. Donated by Robert Haltiner in 2006 +.

Biographical & Historical Information: Gerald Haltiner and son, Robert, were Native American researchers and archaeologists who did extensive work in this area. The artifacts found and collected were first housed in the Haltiner's Hall of Ancient Man before being donated to the Jesse Besser Museum (Besser Museum of Northeast Michigan). Gerald was Past President and Vice-President of the Michigan Archaeological Society and listed in Who's Who in Indian Relics. Robert was the museum's curator, and has authored several books on the history of Alpena, as well as being listed in Who's Who in American Archaeology and Dictionary of International Biography, 1979. Robert Haltiner died on February 14, 2012.

Scope & Content: Processed portions include Great Lakes Lighthouse Festival, (Jesse) Besser Museum (of Northeast Michigan); Lighthouses & Life-Saving Stations; Michigan Museums Association; Thunder Bay Island Lighthouse Preservation Society; Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary & Underwater Preserve; and Thunder Bay Theatre. Portions are still being processed, which include a variety of subjects pertaining to Alpena History and that of Native American history.

Access: Open to research.

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2. Advisory Council Charter
3. Alpena County Recreation Plan (1976-77)
4. Artifacts – Shipwrecks (photographs)
5. “Beneath the Waves” (newsletter)
6. Budgets of other National Marine Sanctuaries
7. Correspondence
9. Designation Process (status report)
10. Diving
13. Environmental Impact Statement draft
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17. Environmental Impact Statement draft
18. Ephemera

Box 2: TBNMS&UP

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1. Final Environmental Impact Statement/Management Plan (May 1999)
2. Florida Keys National Marine Sanctuary
3. History of proposed Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary – timeline
4. Hydrographic Survey of Thunder Bay (1979)
5. Hawaiian Islands Humpback Whale National Marine Sanctuary
6. Information Packet – Alcona High School
8. Islands within proposed Sanctuary boundaries
9. “Issue Pages”
10. Maritime history of Thunder Bay and Alpena history (draft)
11. Marine Sanctuaries
13. Marine Sanctuary Site Evaluation
14. Meeting agendas & minutes
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18. Memorandum of Understanding
19. Michigan Bottomland Preserves Inventory (March, 1989)
20. Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary
Box 3: TBNMS&UP

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1. Newsletters
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6. News releases
7. NOAA authority to amend sanctuary limitations
9. Program development (January 1982)
10. Programmatic agreement among NOAA, the State of Michigan, and Advisory Council on Historic Preservation for Management of the Thunder Bay National Marine Sanctuary (draft)
11. Regulations: Final Rule (Federal Register, 2000)
12. Sports fishing
13. Sanctuary Advisory Council (SAC)
15. Ships – Alpena Harbor
16. “Ships” (Shipwreck History Interpretation and Preservation Society) (newsletter)
17. Shipwrecks
19. Tribal fishing rights