Finding Aid: Alpena & Local Business Ephemera

Collection name: Alpena & Local Business Ephemera

Repository: Special Collections Department -Alpena County George N.

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Collection number: n/a

Dates: 1907 to 1980s

Creator Name: Alpena County Library

Quantity: 1 oversized flat box

Language: Eng

Biographical & Historical Information: These materials have come to the Alpena County Library over a number of years for preservation and presentation for public research. Many of the items came as single donations from community members of Alpena County. The collection of materials focus on local businesses' ephemera.

Scope & Content: This collection contains business menus, maps of Alpena area and other business related paper-based materials.

Acquisition: The majority of materials have come to Alpena County Library through small donations to the Special Collections.

Access: Material is open to research

Preferred Citation: *item, folder, box,* Alpena County George N. Fletcher Public Library. Alpena, MI

Collection Contents:

- Souvenir Stamps, Alpena, MI [booklet of] (1907)
- Alpena Savings Bank & First of America [Coin Wrappers]
 [Carl Henry owned, given by Matt McCormack]
- Heath Trucking [Thermometer] (1940s) {fragile}
- R. Piepcorn Coal Co. [Calendars] (1940 & 1941) (donated by Robert Kujawa)
- Alpena Dry Cleaning Co. [Calendar] (1947)
- North Side Ice Cream Parlor [Calendar] (1924) {copy}
- Deadman Bros. Medical Co. [Calendar] (1907)
- League of Women Voters of Alpena County Local Voter's Guide (1982 & 1984)
- Alpena bumper stickers {x2} (1980s)

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- Dinosaur Gardens [poster]
- Alpena brochures [various]
- Local Business brochures [various]
- Local Organization brochures [various]
- Michigan Tradesman (Alpena focus) (1951)
- Michigan Map (1954)
- The Grove Restaurant [menu] {oversized} {x2}
- Restaurant menus [Carol Rumble Collection]

Sambo's; Rickshaw Restaurant {x2}; Kentucky Motor Lodge; Mr. D's; Big Boy; Pickwick House {Hillman}; Thunderbird Inn; Harvest Table; The Reuben Haus; Four Seasons Inn; Top Jack; The Grove {x2}; South Shore Inn {Hubbard Lake}; A & W Drive-In {Oscoda}; Wagon Wheel {Oscoda}

- Fletcher Motel & The Grove [folder of misc. items; folder of 8 menus]
- Lud's Daily News (August 8, 1989)
- Dolly Block Collision Service business card
- Experience Alpena booklet
- Sanctuary of the Great Lakes Adventure (sinkholes, lighthouse, Rockport)
- The Guide
- The Story of a Community (Island Park water tower & bridge)
- Phonebook cover
- Discover Your Sanctuary set