

August 2026 Report Special Collections

- Assisted patrons and responded to phone / email research inquiries
- Processed collections
- Continued obituary project
- Continued digitization project: Houses
- Continued St. Paul Lutheran Record books transcribing/indexing
- Volunteer transcribing schooner logbooks
- Golling House guest register transcription
- Museum Collections mtg

Displays / Programs:

- “Dog Days of Summer”: historical photos - fun with the family dog. [display case]

Sources & topics researched:

- House & Business research (numerous)
- Vessel Database & physical files (numerous)
- Obituaries (numerous)
- Ancestry Library Edition (database)
- Newspapers.com (database)
- American Ancestors (database)
- City Directories
- Vital Records – Alpena County
- Alpena News Collection
- Family Search (database)
- Fold3.com (military database)
- Carl D. Bradley shipwreck
- Larson’s Point-Hubbard Lake
- Gov. Wm A. Comstock / Trelfa Binders
- Football 1981-82
- Yearbooks
- Trelfa binders
- History of Centennial building and Lasting Expression building
- Sanborn maps
- Barn burned, 1940s, Wegmeyer Rd.
- G. Stevens sports articles (1970s)

- 1970s war bonds Alpena News photo search
- 1950s Civil Defense/City Hall Cupola Alpena News photo search
- History of Bell Village, Presque Isle
- Nordstrand Fishery / NORDMEER shipwreck
- Lion’s Club
- Alpena Country Club – Long Lake historical photos
- Fletcher Collection – CLARA BELLE Bill of Sale (1900)

Collections & items donated:

- Alpena, Alcona, Montmorency, & Presque Cty birth list (1937-1948) {C. Cadarette}
- Henry Family photos from photo album [1 pg] (1950-1952) {B. DeVault}
- Large framed aerial of Huron Portland Cement (1958) {Amrize}
- 1903-04 City Directory {M. Mauch}
- AHS photos of Susan Zerbst (1960s) {M. Janetzke}
- Shipwreck articles; Alpena history articles; bank money bag {T. Sage}
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August stats:

In person = 123

Emails/Phone calls = 50

Program attendees =

Total = 173