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SCOPE AND CONTENT: Collection of slides of Akron and Summit County taken by Charles A. Pfahl, former president of the Summit County Historical Society. Many are slides taken from historical photographs of Akron and Summit County. The remainder were taken by Mr. Pfahl from the 1950s to the 1970s.

NOTE: These slides are listed in order as arranged by the Special Collections Staff with accession numbers assigned (for Staff use only). Slides are contained in 3 slide storage boxes.

ABBREVIATIONS: (bw) = black and white slide photograph
(col) = color slide photograph

CONTAINER LIST: 3 Slide Boxes (size "11 ½ x "6 ¼ x "2 ½)

BOX 1: SERIES I: AKRON – Bicycle Club [1993-3-(1-7)] through
SERIES I: AKRON – Streetcars and Trolleys [1999-3-(425-433)]

BOX 2: SERIES I: AKRON – University of Akron [1993-3-(434-446)] through
SERIES V: OHIO AND ERIE CANAL – Canal Boats [1993-3-(860-868)]

BOX 3: SERIES V: OHIO AND ERIE CANAL – Fort Laurens, 1958 [1993-3-(869-905)] through
SERIES VIII: UNIDENTIFIED – 1964 [1993-3-(974-997)] (end)

NOTE: SEE COMPLETE LIST OF SLIDES (STARTING ON NEXT PAGE)

COMPLETE LIST OF SLIDES:

SERIES I: AKRON

Bicycle Club, 1885	(bw)	1999-3-(1-7)
Buildings (See also: Downtown)	(bw and col)	
Academy of Music (fire)		1999-3-(8)
Aetna Mills		1999-3-(9-10)
Akron City Times		1999-3-(11-12)
Akron High School		1999-3-(3-13)
Akron Street Railroad		1999-3-(3-14)
Beacon Building		1999-3-(15-16)
Buchtel Hall		1999-3-(17-19)
Buckeye Mower		1999-3-(20-21)
Children's Hospital		1999-3-(22)
City Building		1999-3-(23)
Commins and Allen		1999-3-(24-25)
E. J. Thomas Performing Arts Hall		1999-3-(26-31)
Empire Barley Mill		1999-3-(32)
Everett Building		1999-3-(35-36)
Firestation No. 1 (South High)		1999-3-(37-41)
First Universalist and First Congregational Churches		1999-3-(42)
German Mills		1999-3-(43)
Goodrich World Headquarters		1999-3-(44-45)
Henry School		1999-3-(46)
Hotel Buchtel		1999-3-(47)
Jail (fire)		1999-3-(48-49)
Masonic Temple		1999-3-(50)
Mustill Store		1999-3-(51)
Northern Assurance Co.		1999-3-(52)
Old Stone Mill		1999-3-(53-54)
Perkins School		1999-3-(56)
Portage Salvage		1999-3-(57)
Quaker Oats		1999-3-(58-60)
Renninger Grocery		1999-3-(61)
St. Bernard's/Train Depot/Quaker Oats		1999-3-(62)
Thomas Phillips Co.		1999-3-(63)
Train Depot		1999-3-(64-65)
Union Depot		1999-3-(66)
Woman's City Club		1999-3-(67-70)
Downtown Pre 1900	(bw)	
General views of downtown		1999-3-(71-79)
Streets: Main, Market, Howard		1999-3-(80-87)
Businesses and advertising		1999-3-(88-93)
Downtown 1959-1970	(col)	1999-3-(94-116)
Houses		
Various unidentified Akron houses	(bw and col)	1999-3-(141-155)
John Brown Home	(col)	1999-3-(156-158)
Perkins Mansion, exterior, c1958	(col)	1999-3-(159-183)
Stan Hywet	(col)	1999-3-(184-195)

Maps		
Sections of Summit County 1856	(col)	1999-3-(196-231)
Sections of Akron 1870	(col)	1999-3-(232-284)
Monuments and Markers		
Portage Path markers	(col)	1999-3-(285-288)
Indian at Highland Square	(col)	1999-3-(289-291)
John R. Buchtel	(col)	1999-3-(292)
Akron corporate limits sign	(col)	1999-3-(293)
Parades (Downtown Akron, pre-1900)	(bw)	1999-3-(294-315)
Parks and Cemeteries	(bw and col)	
Municipal and amusement parks		1999-3-(316-321)
Gorge		1999-3-(322-332)
Ohio Edison Power Plant		1999-3-(333-338)
Mary Campbell Cave (Old Maid's Kitchen)		1999-3-(339-345)
High Glens	(bw)	1999-3-(346-352)
Police and Fire Departments (Akron), pre-1900 (See also: Buildings-Firestations)	(bw)	1999-3-(353-363)
Railways (Includes Downtown, Akron-Cleveland and Bedford Line, C. A. &C.)	(bw and col)	1999-3-(364-377)
Roads and Bridges	(bw and col)	
High Level Bridge		1999-3-(378-380)
N.O.T.C. Bridge		1999-3-(381)
Howard St. Bridge		1999-3-(382)
Howard St.		1999-3-(383)
Adolph Ave.		1999-3-(384)
South Balch St.		1999-3-(385)
Market St.		1999-3-(386)
Route 8 and Tallmadge		1999-3-(387)
Innerbelt construction		1999-3-(388-394)
Soap Box Derby 1955 (Downtown and Derby Downs parades)	(col)	1999-3-(395-424)
Streetcars and Trolleys	(bw)	1999-3-(425-433)
University of Akron c1960s	(col)	1999-3-(434-446)
Zoo c1960s	(col)	1999-3-(447-453)
Miscellaneous	(bw)	
Horse Race		1999-3-(454)
Factory Workers		1999-3-(455)
Hot Air Balloon		1999-3-(456)
Charles Kempel as child (former Mayor)		1999-3-(457)

SERIES II: SUMMIT COUNTY

Barberton	(bw and col)	
Lake Anna		1999-3-(462)
Barberton Inn		1999-3-(463)
Boston (Mills)		
Construction of railroad	(bw)	1999-3-(464-467)
Covered bridge and mill	(bw)	1999-3-(468)
Views	(bw)	1999-3-(469-470)
Cuyahoga Falls	(bw and col)	
Various views c1950s		1999-3-(471-500)
Cuyahoga River c1960s	(col)	1999-3-(501-518)
Cuyahoga Valley National Recreational Area (See also: Boston, Cuyahoga River, Hale Farm, Peninsula)		
Views c1950s	(col)	1999-3-(519-534)
Brandywine Falls	(bw)	1999-3-(535)
Everett Road covered bridge	(col)	1999-3-(536-539)
Fort Island 1959	(col)	1999-3-(540-557)
Hale Farm 1958	(col)	1999-3-(558-560)
Hudson		
Train Station	(bw)	1999-3-(561)
Peninsula		
Peninsula Aqueduct	(bw)	1999-3-(562)
Canal at Peninsula	(bw)	1999-3-(563)
Moody and Thomas Mill	(bw)	1999-3-(564)
Bus stop	(col)	1999-3-(565)
Silver Lake and Crystal Lake	(bw and col)	1999-3-(566-570)
Tallmadge		
Congregational Church	(col)	1999-3-(571-575)
Town Hall	(col)	1999-3-(576)

SERIES III: MISCELLANEOUS

Gardens (unidentified) 1967-70	(col)	1999-3-(577-630)
Dr. Witzman's farm 1958	(col)	1999-3-(631-645)
Covered bridges (unidentified)	(col)	1999-3-(646-653)
Quaker Mill, Ravenna	(col)	1999-3-(654)

SERIES IV: UNIDENTIFIED

1999-3-(655-705)

SERIES V: OHIO AND ERIE CANAL

Akron		
Locks, canal, aqueducts, Downtown canal locks:		
c1958-1965	(col)	1999-3-(706-749)
pre-1900	(bw)	1999-3-(750-751)
Mustill Store and Lock 15	(col)	1999-3-(752-756)
Crosby Race	(col)	1999-3-(757-759)
Flood 1913	(bw)	1999-3-(761-763)
NOTL Bridge over canal	(bw)	1999-3-(761-763)
Chuckery	(bw and col)	1999-3-(764-766)
Summit County		
Locks, canals, spillways:		
c1958-1965	(col)	1999-3-(767-824)
pre-1900	(bw)	1999-3-(825-842)
Deep Lock Quarry	(col)	1999-3-(843-852)
Maps		
Ohio Canal system, Ohio and Erie Canal, Downtown Akron		1999-3-(853-859)
Canal Boats	(bw and col)	1999-3-(860-868)
Fort Laurens, 1958	(col)	1999-3-(869-905)
Canal Fulton, 1965	(col)	1999-3-(906-936)
Miscellaneous		
Dresden, Massillon, Newark, Cochocton, and Piqua	(bw and col)	1999-3-(937-941)

SERIES VI: PENNSYLVANIA AND OHIO CANAL

Akron		
Crosby Ditch, 1958	(col)	1999-3-(942-943)

SERIES VII: MIAMI AND ERIE CANAL

Lockington, 1965	(col)	1999-3-(944-973)
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SERIES VIII: OHIO CANALS – UNIDENTIFIED

1964	(col)	1999-3-(974-997)
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