



Special Issue
Typing And Classifying
The Smithsonian Collection
Part II



GREAT LAKES COPPER RESEARCH
AMERICAS AND THE WORLD

MISSION STATEMENT

Our research mission is to enhance the reservoir of knowledge and understanding about man's early use of copper. We wish to know all we can about his activities and belief systems involving ancient prospecting, mining, trading, crafting and use of copper, firstly in the Great Lakes area, secondly in the Americas, and finally in the world.

In pursuit of this knowledge, Great Lakes Copper Research will:

1. Collect and archive historical documents and research material relating to prehistoric use of copper.
2. Furnish library services and materials pertaining to the early utilization of copper.
3. Equip a museum for public display of copper and copper related artifacts to increase the awareness of, knowledge about and interest in man's early use of copper.
4. Advance the study of early copper and related subject matters by providing facilities and scholarships to students for the study of copper related topics. Make grants to universities and individuals to complete carbon testing and other costly procedures relating to the expansion of knowledge about early copper use.
5. Train and provide public speakers on the subjects of early copper mining, manufacturing and use.
6. Analyze and authenticate copper artifacts for non-profit institutions (without fee).
7. Engage in research and all other tasks to advance knowledge about the early use of copper in man's history.

We believe the study of primeval copper use will significantly increase our understanding of early human development.

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The Purpose Of Our Prehistoric Copper Artifact Journal

We, the editor and readers of this journal, are all students of prehistoric American Indian copper. We want to know all we can about prehistoric activities and perceptions involving copper: prospecting, mining, production technology, trade, and the perceived spiritual symbolic qualities of both the copper medium and products manufactured from copper. There are many ways to distribute knowledge about the early copper industry and this copper journal is one way.

A wise man once said, "half of what I know is wrong. I just don't know which half." I may write as if I am very sure of myself and all the data I have analyzed, but I am not that wise man. Probably 60 percent (perhaps more) of what I think I know about ancient copper is wrong. Here at Great Lakes Copper Research, we are always reevaluating old data, analyzing new data, and changing or refining our interpretation of facts.

Although we have a large library of books, some published more than a hundred years ago and others written this year, we base most of our research on actual copper artifacts and believe that all copper specimens have a story to tell, truth to reveal, if we can only understand what these ancient objects are willing to divulge. And for that reason most of our research revolves around and is based upon techniques for rendering truth from prehistoric copper artifacts. Indeed, we spend much time developing paradigms, perfecting procedures and honing skills to do just that.

We use more information gathered by men and women like yourselves, field workers, collectors, and archaeologists, than we do from books, which we do not ignore. We need your help!



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DECLARATION

The officers of Great Lakes Copper Research and your editor of the Prehistoric Copper Artifact Journal, like most of our readers, and nearly all serious students of copper, confirm the following: (1) Our respect for all laws, even those that we find wanting, and those based on bad research and false assumptions; further, we urge all others to do the same, until such laws are changed; (2) we respect private property; (3) we respect history, native Americans, and the ancient artisans who crafted the copper artifact we collect and study; (4) we respect the conservation of all copper artifacts, their provenience, and the private property sites which produce them; and finally (5) we respect those who disagree with us.

Purpose
Special Issue, Part II
Typing And Classifying The Smithsonian Collections

This Special Issue of the Prehistoric Copper Artifact Journal is devoted to the Smithsonian Institution's copper collection housed at National Museum of The American Indian. In January of this year, curator Ann McMullen, Ph. D., asked us to provide cultural and temporal (type and taxonomic) information for individual specimens in their collections. See attached correspondence with Dr. McMullen.

This Special Issue is a brief summary of our research attached to each Smithsonian specimen document. In Part II, Typing and Classifying the Smithsonian Collection, you will find the second 50 specimens that we have examined, to-date. The product of our research is summarized at the top of the Smithsonian documents.

You will note that we have not typed and classified every specimen. This is due to several reasons: first, Great Lakes Copper Research has not yet completed our taxonomic classification of all prehistoric American Indian copper artifacts. Second, many of our already typed and classified artifacts have yet to be matched with professionally excavated copper artifacts accompanied with archaeological histories and cultural affiliations. This is due to the fact that so few copper sites have benefited from archaeological excavations. Indeed only 1 percent, or fewer of the copper artifacts recovered to-date, have archaeological records. Finally, we were hampered somewhat in working with photos. Note, Dr. McMullen has invited me to the Smithsonian to personally examine their collections.

Great Lakes Copper Research is publishing Part I, Typing and Classifying the Smithsonian Collection, for the following reasons: to (1) provide students of copper with the results of our research, (2) provide you with a photo record of the Smithsonian prehistoric American Indian copper collections, and (3) offer interested and knowledgeable students of copper a chance to provide us with feedback and input.

The Smithsonian's prehistoric American Indian collections contain hundreds of copper artifacts. This Part I Special Issue is only the beginning. Other parts will follow. Please note that we have not identified Smithsonian artifacts, which we are unable to classify and type. This is because Dr. McMullen did not request such information – except when implement and ornament identification falls within the taxonomic classification protocol. We, therefore, have not commented on obvious fishhooks, awls, conical points, knives bracelets, rings, etc that we are not ready to type and classify. We may comment on some such interesting items in different kinds of future research.

We welcome and often learn from our readers' contributions, questions and comments, even from critical ones. Occasionally, we correct errors based on readers' input. If you like or dislike what we are doing, we value your feedback. Great Lakes Copper Research is one way for you to participate as a student of copper. Contact your editor! Don

January 3, 2011

Don Spohn:

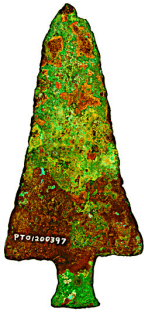
It was a pleasure speaking to you yesterday about Old Copper Culture items and copper in general. I've prepared some reports for you from our database; they are pretty large so I am attaching the Wisconsin report here and will send Michigan and the rest in the next message. I skimmed through the results and tossed out obvious kettles and brass or copper trade objects like bells, but these reports may still include copper or copper alloy trade points. In the Canada and Central states report, you'll see Adena, Hopewell, and Mississippian items as well, but there may be earlier items in there of interest. I also tossed in Vermont because we have some collections from a neat site there. If you'd like to see New York or other states, just let me know.

We began our conversation yesterday talking about pieces on our website, and we are putting them up there as we can confirm their cultural affiliations and date ranges. **If you and your colleagues can provide that info for any of these pieces, I'd love to add it to our database and we will put them on the web.**

If you'd like to come for a research visit in the future, we can coordinate it with our collections staff. Things can be pretty busy here, so booking your days way in advance is always best, but the attached reports may help you figure out if a visit would really be worthwhile. Do let me know if you have any questions or if you need anything else.

best regards,
Ann

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26 April, 2011

Ann McMullen, Ph.D., Curator
National Museum of the American Indian, Smithsonian Institution
Cultural Resources Center

Dear Ann,

In early January, you contacted us requesting help in analyzing your American Indian copper collections for Web display. We have analyzed and classified roughly 276 specimens in your Canadian and Central States collection, while still working on your two other copper collections.

Unfortunately, we could not classify every piece, as we are unable to attach a culture or a date, even to some of your more common pieces such as fishhooks, awls, jewelry, points, knives, etc. This is, in part, because we have not yet completed our taxonomic classifications for American Indian copper artifacts. And, not all of the specimens that we have typed are matched with archaeologically excavated types possessing dates and culture affiliations.

Then too, we are handicapped, because so few copper sites have benefited from archaeological excavations. Perhaps less than 1 percent of all copper artifacts recovered to date are blessed with archaeological histories. Finally, photos of some pieces in your collection are insufficiently clear and distinct for type identification. You will notice, too, that a few of the artifacts we classified for you are missing their variety classification. This is because the traits that distinguish their variety are found on the side not pictured. And, we are never as sure of our analyses and classifications when we work from pictures.

Our research data, upon which we based the classification of your American Indian copper artifacts, is available. As I mentioned in our phone conversation, we will use some of your photos in future research, some of which will be published. I hope someday to accept your invitation to visit the collection on site.

In part, we circulate our findings in the Prehistoric Copper Artifact Journal published by Great Lakes Copper Research. If you would like to be on our complimentary circulation list, just let me know. Please contact me, too, if we can be of further service.

Respectfully,

Don Spohn Ph. D., Founder and President
Great Lakes Copper Research

Table I: Copper Dates – Great Lakes Areas

Site-Artifact-Activity	Dating Method	Date	Location	Culture	Reference
Riverside Grave Site (Ace of Spades Points)	Radiocarbon	1,000 – 400 BC	Menomonee, MI	Red Ochre Glacial Kame	Hruska 1967 – Pleger 1996 Martin 1999: 160-162
Reigh Grave Site (Ace of Spades Points)	Radiocarbon	1,660 BC	Winnebago Co., WI	Glacial Kame	Ritzenthaler 1957: 278-310 Martin 1999: 160-163
Chautaugua Grounds Grave Site	Radiocarbon – wooden shaft in conical point	2,210 BC	Marinette, WI	Classic OCCT	Pleger 1992: 174
Osceola Grave Site	Radiocarbon	2,500 BC	Grant Co., WI	Galcial Kame	Ritzenthaler 1957:186-203 Martin 1999: 160
Renshaw #3 Harpoon hafting cord/cord	Radiocarbon – harpoon fiber	3,320 BC	Renshaw, ON, Canada	Classic OCCT	Beukens et al,1992
Oconto Grave Site (Swallow Tail Point)	Radiocarbon	3,300– 4,000 BC	Oconto Co., WI	Glacial Kame Complex	Martin 1999:158–160
South Fowl Lake Site* Harpoon wooden shaft	Radiocarbon–A part of copper spear point’s wooden shaft	4,800 BC	South Fowl Lake, MN	Classic OCCT	Beukens et el,1992
Reardon Finds**	Radiocarbon–wood from 2 companion spear point shafts	5,300 BC 5,600 BC	Vilas Co., WI Vilas Co., WI	Classic OCCT Classic OCCT	Univ. of WI, Radiocarbon Laboratory, Madison, WI 1998 Beta Analytic Radio-carbon Lab Miami, FL 1999
Hunting or fishing 20EK20*** Pounded fragment-fire pit/pit	Radiocarbon–carbon from fire with pounded copper fragment	5,870? BC	Keweenaw, MI	Classic OCCT	Martin 1999: 143–144
McCreary Point Lanceolate (Paleo Type) &	Lake Agassiz date comparison & dated stone points of same type	6,000– 6,500 BC	Gladstone beach Lake Agassiz, Western Manitoba, Canada.	Paleo?	Steinbring 1968:4; 1970:48; 1990:70

1. South Fowl Lake is an older and exceptionally reliable dates because part of the artifact (wooden shaft) was recovered archaeologically from the artifact socket and used as a test sample.
2. The Reardon finds were not recovered archaeologically, but the dates (second oldest radiocarbon copper dates available) are reliable because; (1) samples tested were wooden shaft fragments from actual artifact, and (2) tests were conducted by professional radiocarbon laboratories.
3. 20EK20 is our oldest test date for copper, but the date is less reliable because the sample tested, fire pit charcoal, can only be associated with the pounded copper scrap. Still, being only a single scrap in a fire pit, it is most likely older than the fire pit charcoal tested.
Old Copper, Glacial Kame and Red Ochre are 3 overlapping Middle and Late Archeological Complexes (Martin 1999: 153).
4. Reigh, Oconto, and to a lesser extent Osceola, are linked to the Glacial Kame (Martin 1999: 150-160).
5. Reigh, Oconto, Osceola, and Riverside all produced interrelated copper artifact types.

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Catalog Number: 179956.000

Object ID: Metal ore

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Fond du Lac County

City/Town:

Island Name:

Site Name: Lake Winnebago

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Large nugget of float copper

ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Fond du Lac County : Lake Winnebago

179956.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral

Family: Copper

Kind: Tool

Division: Axe

Genre: Spud

Type: Square (Gouge) Culture: Glacial Kame

Variety: Full socket Circa: 4,000 BC – 1,000 BC

National Museum of the American Indian
Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 097583.000

Object ID: Scraper

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Fond Du Lac County

City/Town:

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source:

Method and Date: Museum Purchase/Purchased; 1/1/1920

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper scraper

ACQUISITION INFO: Purchase

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Fond du Lac County

097583.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification
By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Diamond Rat Tail
Variety: Round Shoulder

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000
Culture: Old Copper Complex

National Museum of the American Indian
Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 041633.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Fond du Lac County

City/Town: Fond du Lac

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience: Near Fond du Lac

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: H. K. Deisher Collection

Method and Date: Collected and Excavated/Acquired; 1/1/1915

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper Spear Head
ACQUISITION INFO: H. K. Deisher Collection
SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Near Fond-du-Lac

041633.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification
By
Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Socketed Ovate
Variety: Pin Pole

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Old Copper Complex

National Museum of the American Indian
Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 041636.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Fond du Lac County

City/Town: Fond du Lac

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience: Near Fond du Lac

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: H. K. Deisher Collection

Method and Date: Collected and Excavated/Acquired; 1/1/1915

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper Spear Head

ACQUISITION INFO: H. K. Deisher Collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Near Fond-du-Lac

041636.000

National Museum of the American Indian
Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 041022.000

Object ID: Awl/perforator

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Fond du Lac County

City/Town: Calumetville

Island Name:

Site Name: Lake Winnebago

Provenience: West shore of Lake Winnebago

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Hulbert, Fred

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1915

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper awl. 2 3/4 inches.

ACQUISITION INFO: Found by Fred Hulbert

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Fond Du Lac County : West
Shore Winnebago Lake, Calumetville

041022.000

National Museum of the American Indian
Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 041023.000

Object ID: Awl/perforator

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Fond du Lac County

City/Town: Calumetville

Island Name:

Site Name: Lake Winnebago

Provenience: West shore of Lake Winnebago

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Hulbert, Fred

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1915

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper awl. 3 1/4 inches.

ACQUISITION INFO: Found by Fred Hulbert

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Fond Du Lac County : West Shore Winnebago Lake, Calumetville

041023.000

National Museum of the American Indian
Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 041020.000

Object ID: Awl/perforator

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Fond du Lac County

City/Town: Calumetville

Island Name:

Site Name: Lake Winnebago

Provenience: West shore of Lake Winnebago

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Hulbert, Fred

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1915

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper awl. 7 1/4 inches.

ACQUISITION INFO: Found by Fred Hulbert

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Fond Du Lac County : West
Shore Winnebago Lake, Calumetville

041020.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification
By
Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Oval Rat Tail
Variety: Classic

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Smithsonian Institution

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Old Copper Complex



Catalog Number: 179954.000

Object ID: Projectile point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Fond du Lac County

City/Town:

Island Name:

Site Name: Lake Winnebago

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper arrowpoint
ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection
SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Fond du Lac County : Lake Winnebago

179954.000

National Museum of the American Indian
Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 084455.000

Object ID: Projectile point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Fond Du Lac County

City/Town:

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source:

Method and Date: Museum Purchase/Purchased; 1/1/1918

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper Arrowpoint, Spike End

ACQUISITION INFO: Purchase

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Fond du Lac County

084455.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Socketed Ovate
Variety: Pin Hole

National Museum of the American Indian
Smithsonian Institution

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Old Copper Complex



Catalog Number: 010259.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Forest County

City/Town: Carter, Forest County Potawatomi
Reservation

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques: General: Shaped/molded > Perforated

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source:

Method and Date: Museum Purchase/Purchased; 1/1/1906

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper Spear Point, perforated

ACQUISITION INFO: Purchase

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Forest County : Carter

010259.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification
By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Flat Tang
Variety: Long Tang

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Smithsonian Institution

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Old Copper Complex



Catalog Number: 239254.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Forest County

City/Town: Wabeno, Forest County Potawatomi
Reservation

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques: Metal/Jewelry techniques: Body >
Hammered

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: David T. Vernon Collection

Method and Date: Collected and Excavated/Acquired; 1/1/1967

Information from Catalog Card: NOTE: OTHER TYPED: <REG: A [typed in lower left corner of card]>

ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Flat hammered copper spear head.

ACQUISITION INFO: <addition: The David C. Vernon Collection>

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Forest County : Wabeno

239254.000

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Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 041644.000

Object ID: Projectile point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Grafton County

City/Town:

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques: Metal/Jewelry techniques: Body > Cast

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: H. K. Deisher Collection

Method and Date: Collected and Excavated/Acquired; 1/1/1915

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper spike

ACQUISITION INFO: H. K. Deisher Collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Grafton County; RITS
discrepancy: Ozaukee County

041644.000

National Museum of the American Indian
Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 068699.000

Object ID: Bracelet

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Green Lake County

City/Town: Berlin

Island Name:

Site Name: Fox River

Provenience: Near Fox River

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Hamilton, Thomas W.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1917

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Small Copper Bracelet

ACQUISITION INFO: Collected by T. W. Hamilton

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Green Lake County : Berlin,
Found Near River

068699.000

National Museum of the American Indian
Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 068902.000

Object ID: Bead/beads

Count: 3

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Green Lake County

City/Town: Berlin

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Hamilton, Thomas W.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1917

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper Bead

CATALOG CARD COUNT: (4 specimens)

ACQUISITION INFO: Collected by T. W. Hamilton

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Green Lake County : Berlin

068902.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification
By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Socketed Triangulate
Variety: Knife Use

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Smithsonian Institution

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Old Copper Complex



Catalog Number: 068692.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Green Lake County

City/Town:

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Hamilton, Thomas W.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1917

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Long Copper Spear Point

ACQUISITION INFO: Collected by T. W. Hamilton

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Green Lake County

068692.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral

Family: Copper

Kind: Weapon

Division: Projectile Point

Genre: Spear Point

Type: Flat Tang

Variety: Short Tang

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC

Culture: Old Copper Complex

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Catalog Number: 041634.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Green Lake County

City/Town:

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: H. K. Deisher Collection

Method and Date: Collected and Excavated/Acquired; 1/1/1915

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper Spear Head

ACQUISITION INFO: H. K. Deisher Collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Green Lake County

041634.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral

Family: Copper

Kind: Tool

Division: Knife

Genre: Hockey Knife

Type: Short Tang

Variety: Horizontal

Culture: Glacial Kame

Circa: 4,000 BC – 1,000 BC

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Catalog Number: 068698.000

Object ID: Projectile point

Count: 4

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Green Lake County

City/Town: Berlin

Island Name:

Site Name: Fox River

Provenience: Near Fox River

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Hamilton, Thomas W.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1917

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Small Flat Copper Arrow Point

CATALOG CARD COUNT: (4 specimens)

ACQUISITION INFO: Collected by T. W. Hamilton

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Green Lake County : Berlin,
Found Near River

068698.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification
By
Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Socketed Triangulate
Variety:

National Museum of the American Indian
Smithsonian Institution

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Old Copper Complex



Catalog Number: 068693.000
Object ID: Projectile point
Count: 1
Title:
Creation Date:
Culture: Country: USA
State: Wisconsin County: Green Lake County
City/Town: Berlin
Island Name:
Site Name: Provenience:
Materials: Metal > Copper Techniques:

Artist Name:
Acquisition Source: Hamilton, Thomas W.
Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1917
Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper Arrow Point
ACQUISITION INFO: Collected by T. W. Hamilton
SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Green Lake County : Berlin

068693.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Turkey Tail
Variety: Classic

Circa: 4,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Glacial Kame Complex

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Catalog Number: 068694.000

Object ID: Projectile point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Green Lake County

City/Town: Berlin

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Hamilton, Thomas W.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1917

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper Arrow Point

ACQUISITION INFO: Collected by T. W. Hamilton

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Green Lake County : Berlin

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Catalog Number: 041640.000

Object ID: Projectile point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Green Lake County

City/Town:

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: H. K. Deisher Collection

Method and Date: Collected and Excavated/Acquired; 1/1/1915

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper arrow head

ACQUISITION INFO: H. K. Deisher Collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Green Lake County

041640.000

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Catalog Number: 068695.000

Object ID: Chisel

Count: 9

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Green Lake County

City/Town: Berlin

Island Name:

Site Name: Fox River

Provenience: Near Fox River

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Hamilton, Thomas W.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1917

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Small Copper Chisel

CATALOG CARD COUNT: (9 specimens)

ACQUISITION INFO: Collected by T. W. Hamilton

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Green Lake County : Berlin,
Found Near River

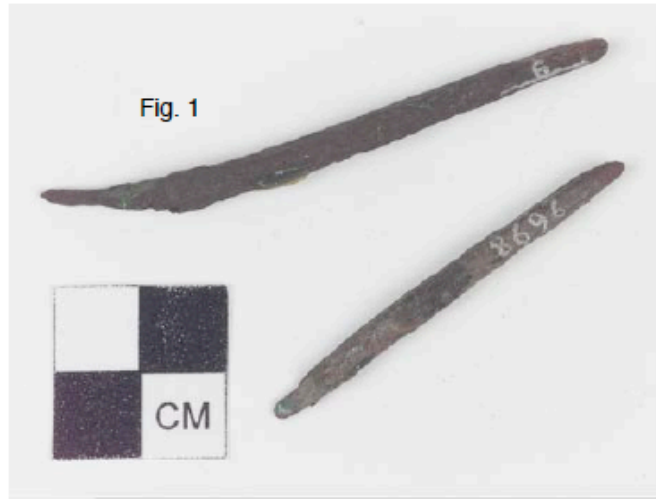
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Analysis and Taxonomic Classification
By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Fig. 1 Kingdom: Mineral
 Family: Copper
 Kind: Tool
 Division: Knife
 Genre: Hockey
 Type: Long Tang
 Variety: Horizontal
 Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC
 Culture: Old Copper Comple

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Catalog Number: 068696.000
 Object ID: Worked metal
 Title:
 Creation Date:
 Culture: Country: USA
 State: Wisconsin County: Green Lake County
 City/Town: Berlin Island Name:
 Site Name: Fox River Provenience: Near Fox River
 Materials: Metal > Copper Techniques:
 Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Hamilton, Thomas W.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1917

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Small Copper Pointed Implement

CATALOG CARD COUNT: (2 specimens)

ACQUISITION INFO: Collected by T. W. Hamilton

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Green Lake County : Berlin,
Found Near River

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Catalog Number: 068697.000

Object ID: Fish hook part/fragment

Count: 12

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Green Lake County

City/Town: Berlin

Island Name:

Site Name: Fox River

Provenience: Near Fox River

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Hamilton, Thomas W.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1917

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Small Bi-Pointed Copper implement, Probably used as fish hook.
 CATALOG CARD COUNT: (12 specimens)
 ACQUISITION INFO: Collected by T. W. Hamilton
 SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Green Lake County : Berlin, Found Near River

068697.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral

Family: Copper

Kind: Tool

Division: Knife

Genre: Butcher

Type: Straight Back

Variety: Tilted Point

Circa: 8,000 - 1,000 BC

Culture: Old Copper Complex

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Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 179987.000

Object ID: Knife blade

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Jefferson County

City/Town: Lake Koshkonong

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper knife

ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Jefferson County :
Koshkonong Lake

179987.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

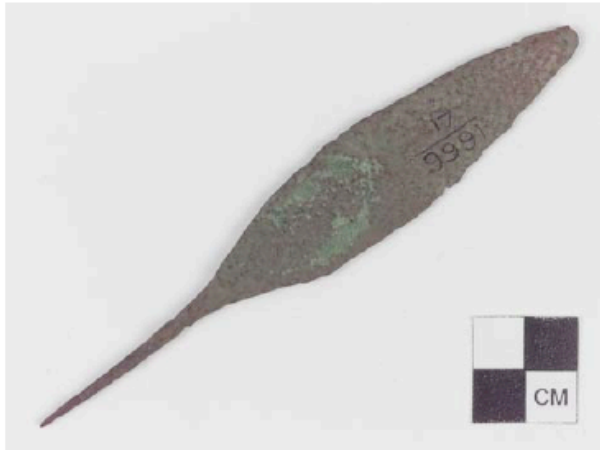
By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Oval Rat Tail
Variety: Classic

National Museum of the American Indian
Smithsonian Institution

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Old Copper Complex



Catalog Number: 179991.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Jefferson County

City/Town: Lake Koshkonong

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper spearpoint
ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection
SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Jefferson County :
Koshkonong Lake

179991.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Oval Flat Tang
Variety: Long Tang

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Smithsonian Institution

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Old Copper Complex



Catalog Number: 179988.000

Object ID: Projectile point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Jefferson County

City/Town: Lake Koshkonong

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper arrowpoint
ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection
SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Jefferson County :
Koshkonong Lake

179988.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Flat Tang
Variety: Long Tang

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Old Copper Complex

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Catalog Number: 179993.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Jefferson County

City/Town: Lake Koshkonong

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper spearpoint

ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Jefferson County :
Koshkonong Lake

179993.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Serrated
Variety: Five Tooth

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Smithsonian Institution

Circa: 4,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Glacial Kame Complex



Catalog Number: 179994.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Jefferson County

City/Town: Lake Koshkonong

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper spearpoint with notched base
ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection
SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Jefferson County :
Koshkonong Lake

179994.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral

Family: Copper

Kind: Weapon

Division: Projectile Point

Genre: Spear Point

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Smithsonian Institution

Type: Diamond Flat Tangg

Variety: FShort Tang

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC

Culture: Old Copper Complex



Catalog Number: 179989.000

Object ID: Projectile point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Jefferson County

City/Town: Lake Koshkonong

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper arrowpoint
ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection
SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Jefferson County :
Koshkonong Lake

179989.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification
By
Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Socketed Ovate
Variety: Classic

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Old Copper Complex

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Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 179990.000

Object ID: Projectile point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Jefferson County

City/Town: Lake Koshkonong

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper arrowpoint
ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection
SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Jefferson County :
Koshkonong Lake

179990.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Flat Tang
Variety: Long Tang

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Smithsonian Institution



Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Old Copper Complex

Catalog Number: 179988.000

Object ID: Projectile point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Jefferson County

City/Town: Lake Koshkonong

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper arrowpoint
ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection
SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Jefferson County :
Koshkonong Lake

179988.000

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Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 100543.000

Object ID: Chisel

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Jefferson County

City/Town: Lake Mills

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source:

Method and Date: Museum Purchase/Purchased; 1/1/1920

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Long copper chisel

ACQUISITION INFO: Purchase

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Jefferson County : Lake Mills

100543.000

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Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 179995.000

Object ID: Knife blade

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Jefferson County

City/Town: Aztalan

Island Name:

Site Name: Aztalan site

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper knife
 ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection
 SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Jefferson County : Aztalan

179995.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral

Family: Copper

Kind: Tool

Division: Knife

Genre: Cleaver

National Museum of the American Indian
Smithsonian Institution

Type: Modified Straight Back

Variety: Incurvate Back

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC

Culture: Old Copper Complex



Catalog Number: 179943.000

Object ID: Knife blade

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Kenosha County

City/Town: Kenosha

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience: Near Kenosha

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Curved copper knife blade
ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection
SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Kenosha County : Vicinity of Kenosha

179943.000

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Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 179940.001

Object ID: Celt

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date: 2000-1000 BC

Culture: Old Copper culture (archaeological

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Kenosha County

City/Town: Kenosha

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques: Metal/Jewelry techniques: Body >
Cold-worked

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Very long copper celt

ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Kenosha County : Vicinity of
Kenosha

179940.001

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral

Family: Copper

Kind: Weapon

Division: Projectile Point

Genre: Spear Point

Type: Northern Socketed

Variety: Round Shoulder

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC

Culture: Old Copper Complex

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Catalog Number: 179945.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Kenosha County

City/Town: Kenosha

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience: Near Kenosha

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper spearpoint

ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Kenosha County : Vicinity of Kenosha

179945.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification
By
Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Swallow Tail
Variety: Short Ears

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Circa: 4,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Glacial Kame

Catalog Number: 179946.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Kenosha County

City/Town: Kenosha

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience: Near Kenosha

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper spearpoint
ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection
SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Kenosha County : Vicinity of
Kenosha

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Catalog Number: 179941.000

Object ID: Awl/perforator

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Kenosha County

City/Town: Kenosha

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience: Near Kenosha

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper awl
 ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection
 SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Kenosha County : Vicinity of
 Kenosha

179941.000

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Catalog Number: 179944.000

Object ID: Projectile point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Kenosha County

City/Town: Kenosha

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience: Near Kenosha

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper arrowpoint

ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Kenosha County : Vicinity of Kenosha

179944.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral

Family: Copper

Kind: Weapon

Division: Projectile Point

Genre: Spear Point

Type: Socketed Ovate

Variety: Classic

Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC

Culture: Old Copper Complex

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Catalog Number: 179940.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date: 2000-1000 BC

Culture: Old Copper culture (archaeological

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Kenosha County

City/Town: Kenosha

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience: Near Kenosha

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques: Metal/Jewelry techniques: Body >
Cold-worked

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Very long copper celt
ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection
SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Kenosha County : Vicinity of
Kenosha

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Catalog Number: 179962.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Lafayette County

City/Town:

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper spearpoint
 ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection
 SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Lafayette County

179962.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

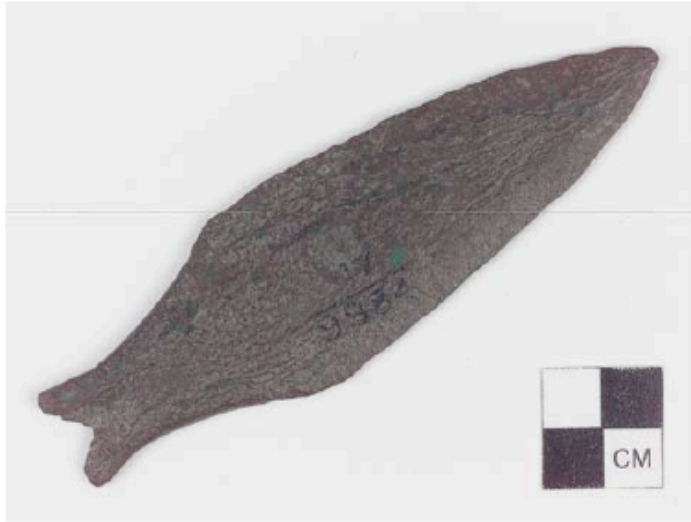
By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Swallow Tail
Variety: Short Tang

Circa: 4,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Glacial Kame

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Catalog Number: 179984.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Lincoln County

City/Town: Harrison

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: NUMBER: NEGATIVE (N): 30875

ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper spearhead with bifurcated base

ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Lincoln County : Harrison

179984.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification
By
Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Swallow Tail
Variety: Short Ears

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Smithsonian Institution

Circa: 4,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Glacial Kame



Catalog Number: 179985.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Lincoln County

City/Town: Harrison

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper spearhead with bifurcated base

ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Lincoln County : Harrison

179985.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Weapon
Division: Projectile Point
Genre: Spear Point
Type: Socketed Ovate
Variety: Pin Hole

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Circa: 6,000 - 1,000 BC
Culture: Old Copper Complex



Catalog Number: 179986.000

Object ID: Spear point

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Lincoln County

City/Town: Harrison

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques: General: Shaped/molded > Perforated

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper spearhead with perforated base

ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Lincoln County : Harrison

179986.000

Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Fig. 1 & 2 Kingdom: Mineral
 Family: Copper
 Kind: Tool
 Division: Knife
 Genre: Butcher
 Type: Straight Back
 Variety: Concave Back

Circa: 8,000 - 1,000 BC
 Culture: Old Copper Complex

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Catalog Number: 100175.000

Object ID: Knife blade

Count: 2

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Manitowoc County

City/Town: Two Rivers

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Greiner, Ruth H.

Method and Date: Gift or Presentation/Presented; 1/1/1920

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Small copper knife
 CATALOG CARD COUNT: 2 specimens
 ACQUISITION INFO: Presented by Miss Ruth H. Greiner
 SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Manitowoc County : Two Rivers; RITS discrepancy: Two Rivers, Near

100175.000

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Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 100171.000

Object ID: Fish hook

Count: 12

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Manitowoc County

City/Town: Two Rivers

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Greiner, Ruth H.

Method and Date: Gift or Presentation/Presented; 1/1/1920

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper fish-hook

CATALOG CARD COUNT: 12 specimens

ACQUISITION INFO: Presented by Miss Ruth H. Greiner

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Manitowoc County : Two Rivers; RITS discrepancy: Two Rivers, Near

100171.000

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Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 100176.000

Object ID: Bracelet

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Manitowoc County

City/Town: Two Rivers

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Greiner, Ruth H.

Method and Date: Gift or Presentation/Presented; 1/1/1920

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper bracelet
 ACQUISITION INFO: Presented by Miss Ruth H. Greiner
 SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Manitowoc County : Two Rivers; RITS discrepancy: Two Rivers, Near

100176.000

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Catalog Number: 100179.000

Object ID: Needle

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Manitowoc County

City/Town: Two Rivers

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques: General: Shaped/molded > Perforated

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Greiner, Ruth H.

Method and Date: Gift or Presentation/Presented; 1/1/1920

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper needle with eye

ACQUISITION INFO: Presented by Miss Ruth H. Greiner

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Manitowoc County : Two Rivers; RITS discrepancy: Two Rivers, Near

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Analysis and Taxonomic Classification

By

Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral

Family: Copper

Kind: Tool

Division: Knife

Genre: Butcher

Type: Straight Back

Variety: Tilted Tang

Circa: 8,000 - 1,000 BC

Culture: Old Copper Complex

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Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 179969.000

Object ID: Knife blade

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Manitowoc County

City/Town: Two Rivers

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Wyman, Walter C.

Method and Date: Collected; 1/1/1931

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper knife

ACQUISITION INFO: W. C. Wyman collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Manitowoc County : Two Rivers; RITS discrepancy: Two Rivers, Near

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Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 006928.000

Object ID: Knife blade

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Manitowoc County

City/Town: Two Rivers

Island Name:

Site Name: Shore of Lake Michigan

Provenience: Near Two Rivers

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: J. E. Mattern Collection

Method and Date: Collected and Excavated/Acquired; 1/1/1905

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper Knife

ACQUISITION INFO: J.E. Mattern Collection

SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Shore of Lake Michigan near
Two Rivers

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Smithsonian Institution



Catalog Number: 100178.000

Object ID: Needle

Count: 2

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Manitowoc County

City/Town: Two Rivers

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Greiner, Ruth H.

Method and Date: Gift or Presentation/Presented; 1/1/1920

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Copper needle
 CATALOG CARD COUNT: 2 specimens
 ACQUISITION INFO: Presented by Miss Ruth H. Greiner
 SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Manitowoc County : Two Rivers; RITS discrepancy: Two Rivers, Near

100178.000

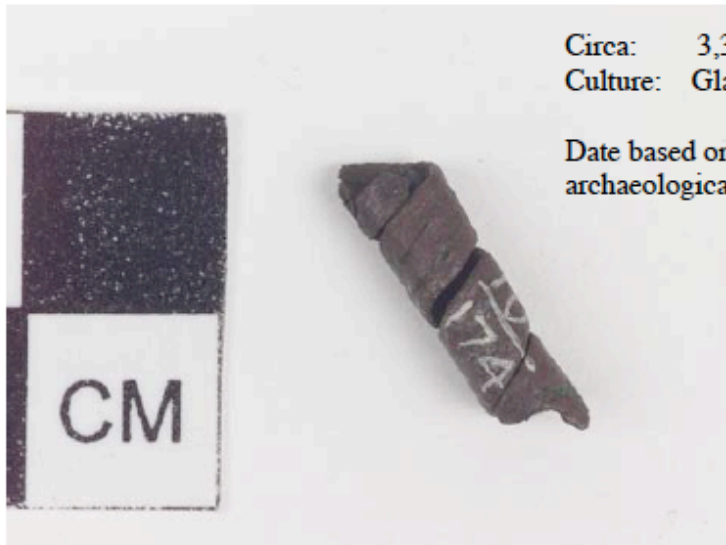
Analysis and Taxonomic Classification
By
Great Lakes Copper Research

Kingdom: Mineral
Family: Copper
Kind: Ornement
Division: Bead
Genre: Rolled
Type: Twisted
Variety: Four Twists

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Smithsonian Institution

Circa: 3,300 - 4,000 BC
Culture: Glacial Kame

Date based on similar beads
archaeologically recovered from Oconto.



Catalog Number: 100174.000

Object ID: Bead/beads

Count: 1

Title:

Creation Date:

Culture:

Country: USA

State: Wisconsin

County: Manitowoc County

City/Town: Two Rivers

Island Name:

Site Name:

Provenience:

Materials: Metal > Copper

Techniques:

Artist Name:

Acquisition Source: Greiner, Ruth H.

Method and Date: Gift or Presentation/Presented; 1/1/1920

Information from Catalog Card: ORIGINAL OBJECT DESCRIPTION: Spiral copper bead
ACQUISITION INFO: Presented by Miss Ruth H. Greiner
SITE INFORMATION: from Catalog Card : Wisconsin : Manitowoc County : Two Rivers; RITS discrepancy: Two Rivers, Near

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