

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



Pine Mountain Ski Slide, Highest Artificial Slide in the U.S., Iron Mountain, Mich., Archie Studio, ca. 1940-1950: This unused postcard view, looking east and dating between 1940 and 1950, shows the profile of the Pine Mountain Ski Slide with Lake Antoine in the background at the left, taken in the winter by Archie Studio. *[William John Cummings]*

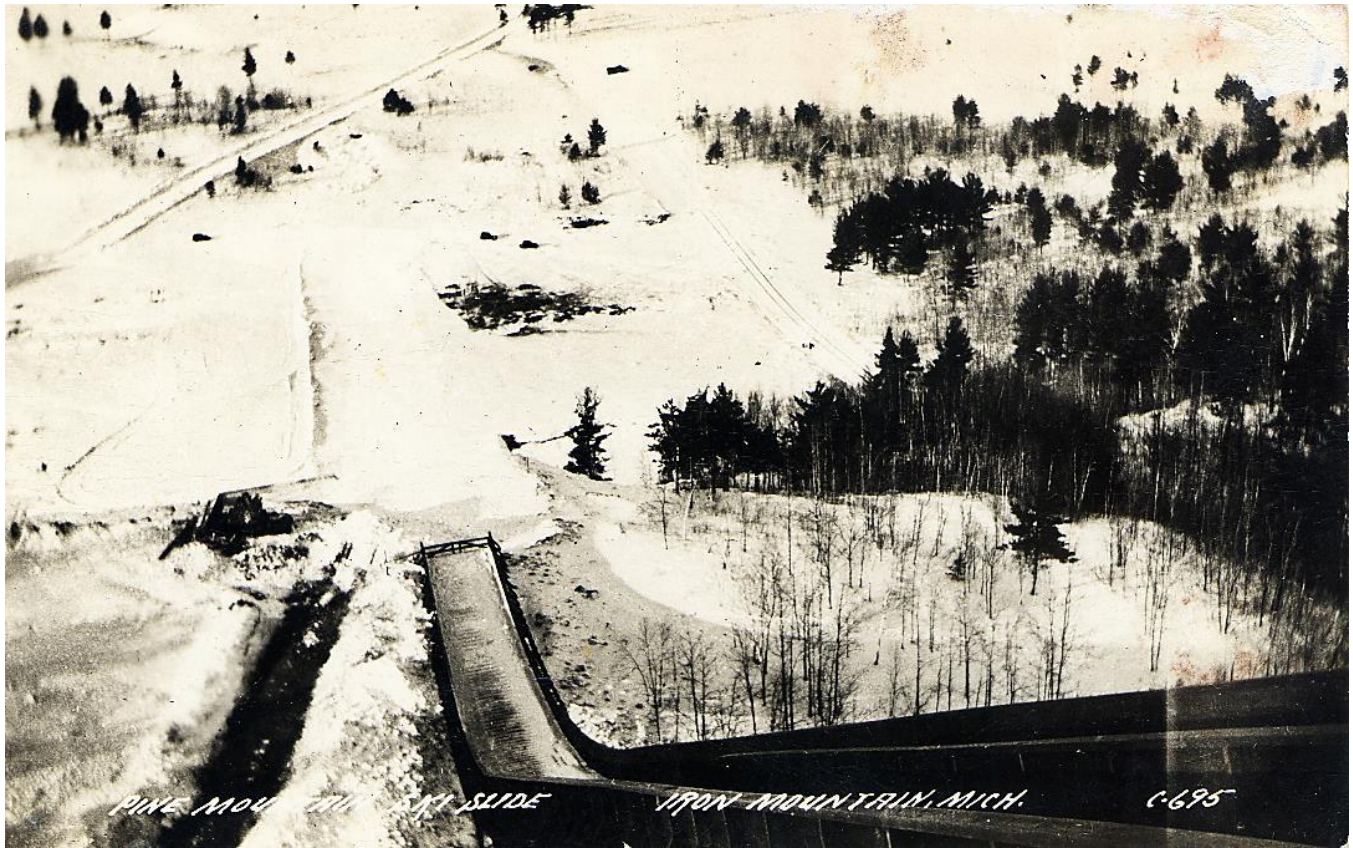
PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



Pine Mountain Ski Slide, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1940-1950: This unused vertical postcard view by the L.L. Cook Co., of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, taken as a ski jumper soars off the end of the Pine Mountain Ski slide between 1940 and 1950, shows the entire wooden portion of the ski jump with the “hut” at the top. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



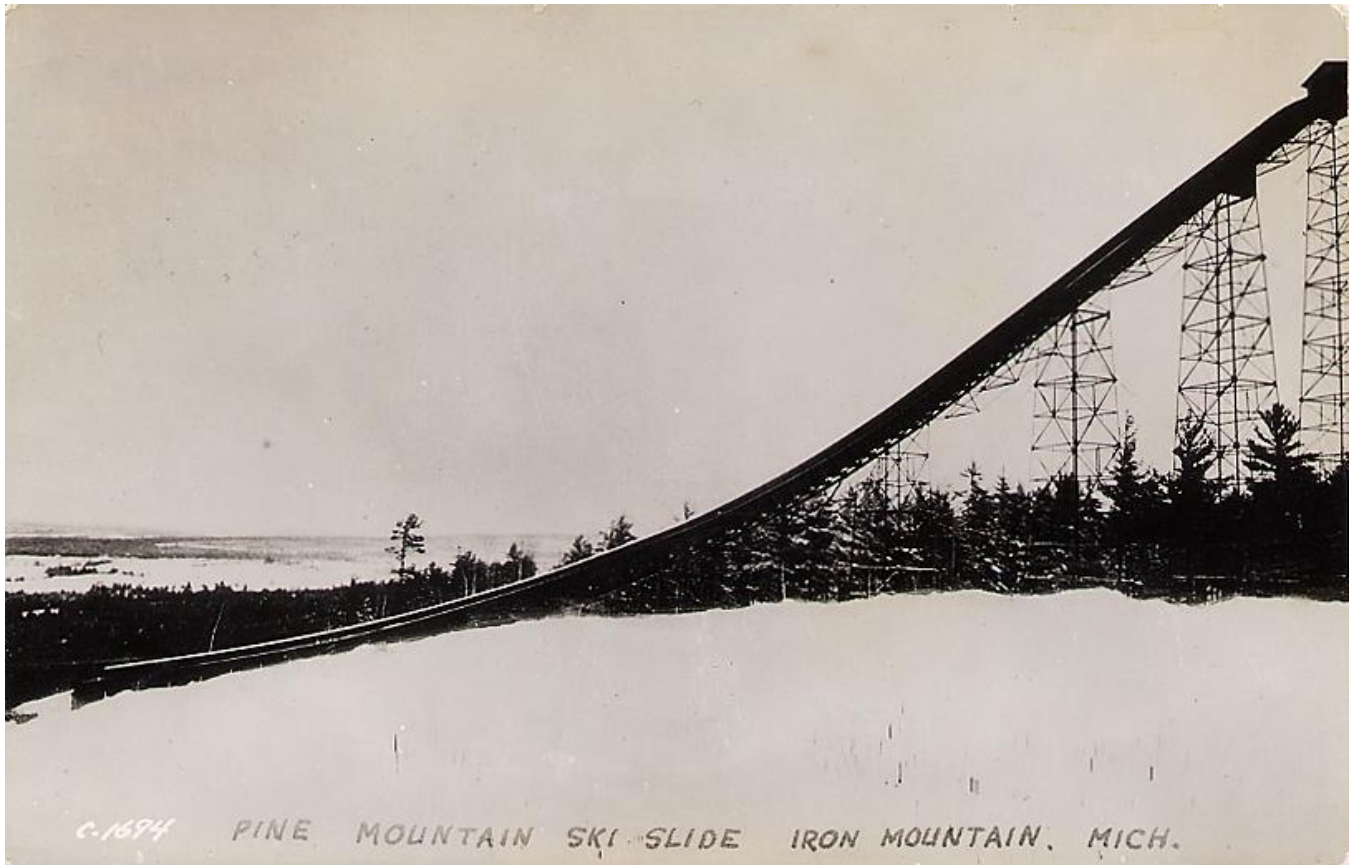
C-695 Pine Mountain Ski Slide, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1940-1950: This unused postcard view, looking north, was taken from the top of the scaffold looking down to the landing area between 1940 and 1950. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



C-696 Pine Mountain Ski Slide, Iron Mountain, Michigan, ca. 1940-1950: This unused postcard view shows a close-up of the Pine Mountain Ski Slide with a USA WORK WPA sign attached to the lower portion of the slide at the left. *[William John Cummings]*

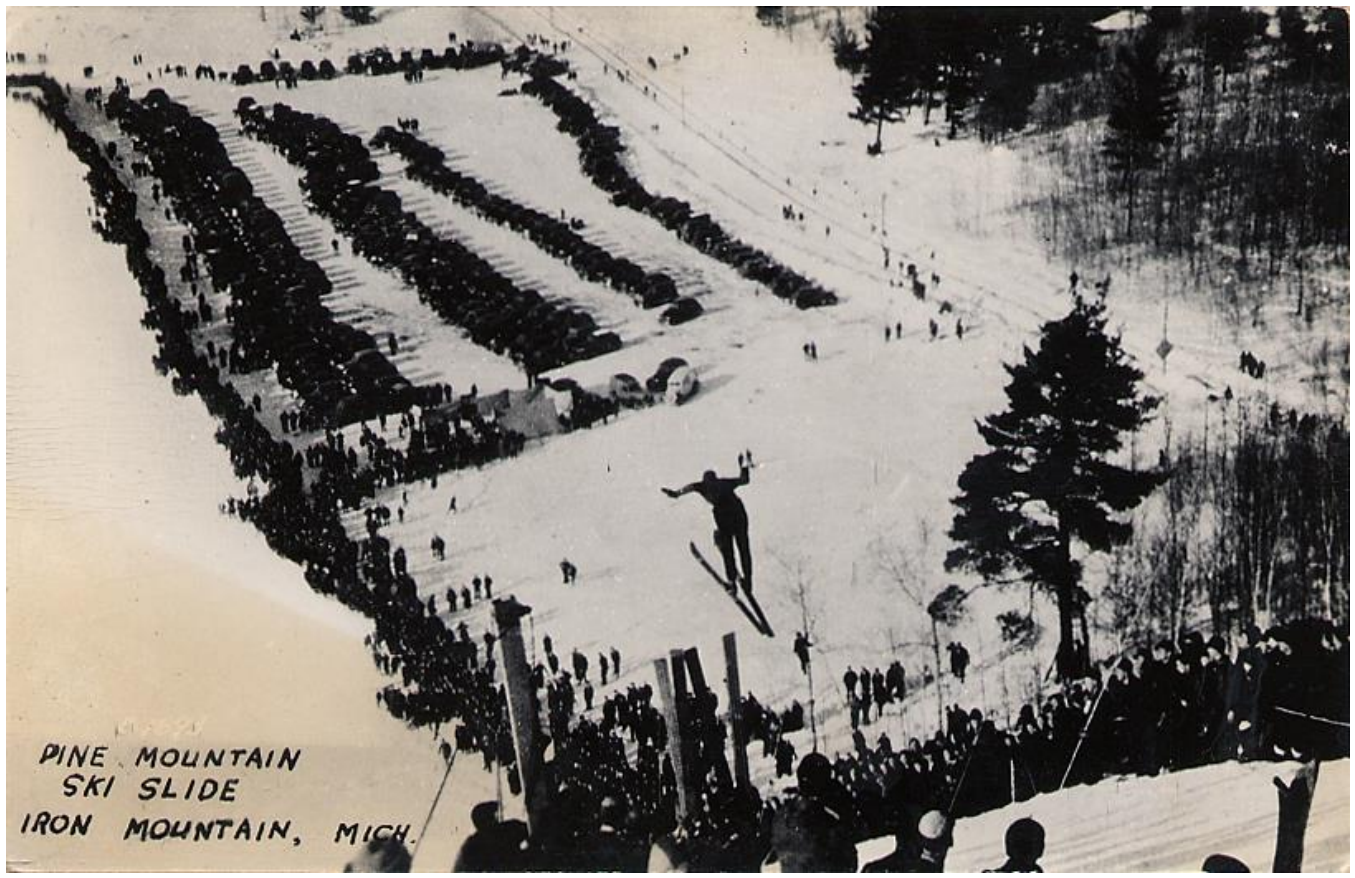
PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



C-1694 Pine Mountain Ski Slide, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1940-1950: This unused postcard view, looking east and dating between 1940 and 1950, was taken in the winter, showing the profile of the Pine Mountain Ski Slide with Lake Antoine in the background at the left. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



C-1695 Pine Mountain Ski Slide, Iron Mountain, Mich. ca. 1940-1950: This unused postcard view, taken from the top of the ski hill, probably from the judges' stand, between 1940 and 1950 shows a ski jumper in mid-air and a portion of the cars parked to the right of the hill below, on the east side of the landing area. *[William John Cummings]*

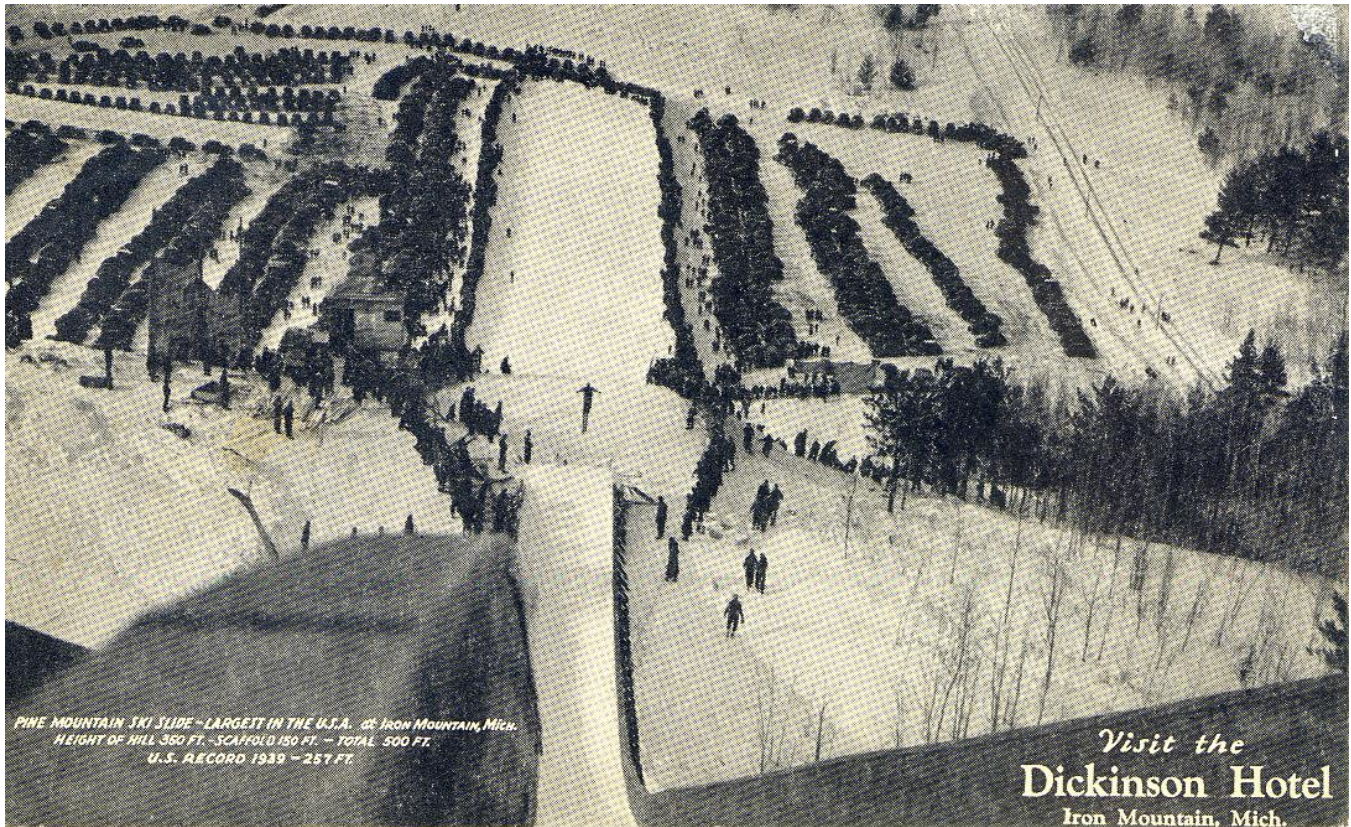
PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



D-936 View from the Ski Slide, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1940-1950: This unused postcard view, taken from the top of the Pine Mountain Ski Hill facing northwest, shows Pine Mountain Road at the left. Note that the area was basically wild at this time. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



Pine Mountain Ski Slide, Largest in the U.S.A. at Iron Mountain, Mich., Height of Hill 350 Ft. – Scaffold 150 Ft. – Total 500 Ft., U.S. Record 1939 – 257 Ft. Visit the Dickinson Hotel, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1939-1940: This black-and-white halftone advertising postcard view was postmarked Ishpem. & Chi. R.P.O. Tr. 162 [*Ishpeming & Chicago Railroad Post Office, Train 162*] June 10, 1940, and was probably taken when the hill record of 257 feet was made in 1939 or 1940. [*William John Cummings*]

Pine Mountain Ski Slide, Iron Mountain, Mich., (showing view from foot of the scaffold looking down the landing hill with skier in mid-air and a portion of the cars parked to the right of the hill), unused (real photo, EKC stamp box, ca. 1939-1950; another card on e-Bay dated 1941 in pen) [2008 – Jim Stearns -- \$8.00] \$12.00

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



N-11 Pine Mountain Ski Slide, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1949: This postcard view shows a jumper just taking off from the end of the scaffold with the judges' stand at the right, spectators lining the landing area and cars parked in the parking area in the foreground. The postmark was Alanson, Mich., June 24, 1949. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



N-12 Pine Mountain Ski Slide, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1949: This unused postcard view shows the Pine Mountain Ski Slide, judges' stand, hill and landing area with cars parked in the parking area in the foreground. *[William John Cummings]*

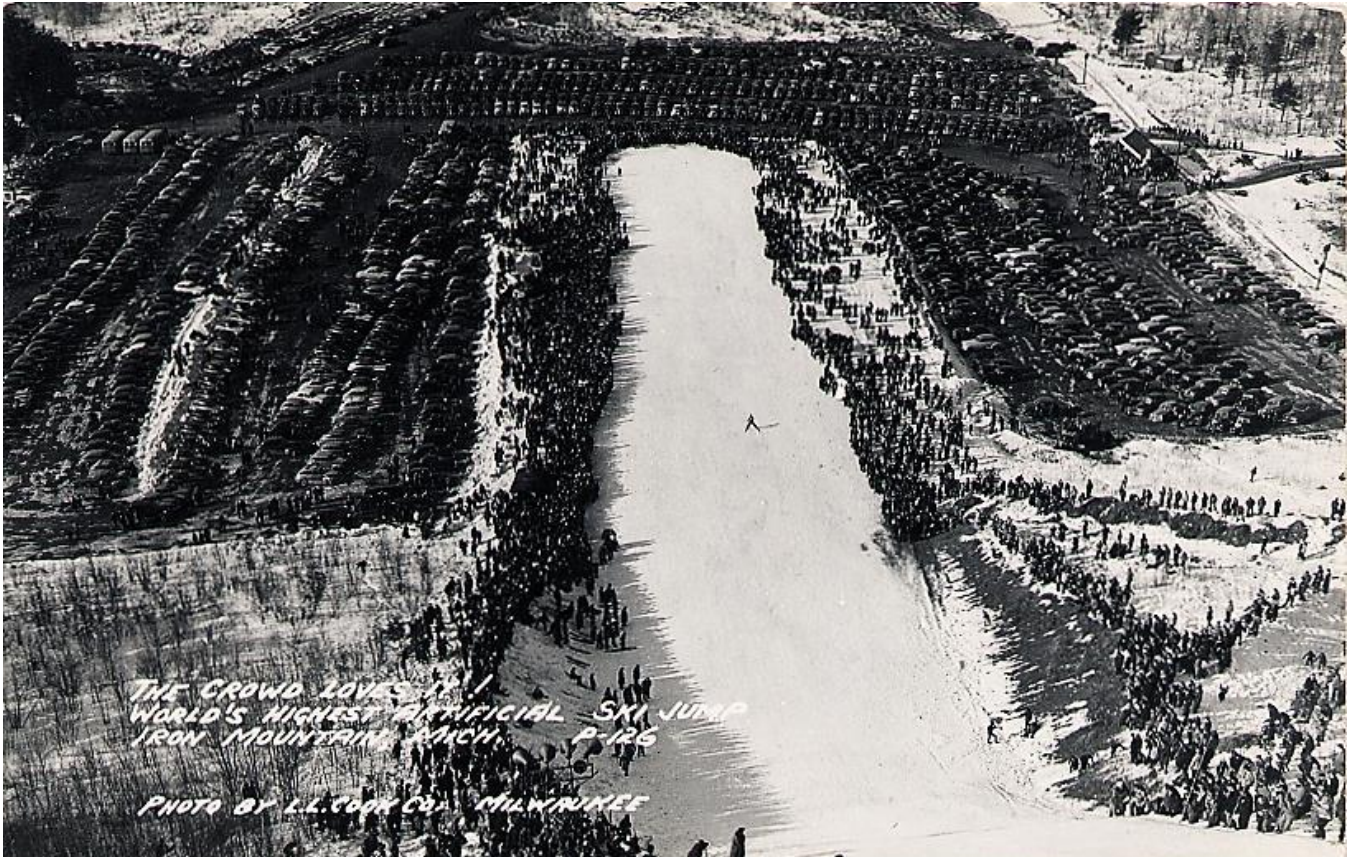
PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



P-122 Pine Mt. Ski Slide, Highest Artificial Slide in the World, Iron Mountain, Mich., Photo by L.L. Cook Co., Milwaukee, ca. 1940-1950: A ski jumper just soared off the end of the scaffold of the Pine Mountain Ski Slide as a crowd of people watched at the top of the hill sometime between 1940 and 1950. Note the flags flying from the edges of the scaffold.
[William John Cummings]

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



P-126 The Crowd Loves It! World's Highest Artificial Ski Jump, Iron Mountain, Mich., Photo by L.L. Cook Co., Milwaukee, ca. 1940-1950: Taken from the judges' stand looking down the hill from above, a jumper is visible in the middle of the landing area in this unused postcard view, probably taken between 1940 and 1950. An identical postcard view on eBay was postmarked July 24, 1952. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



P-127 “Going Places” World’s Highest Artificial Ski Slide, Iron Mountain, Mich., Photo by L.L. Cook Co., Milwaukee, ca. 1940-1950: This unused postcard view, taken between 1940 and 1950, shows a ski jumper who has just left the scaffold, demonstrating early ski jumping form. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

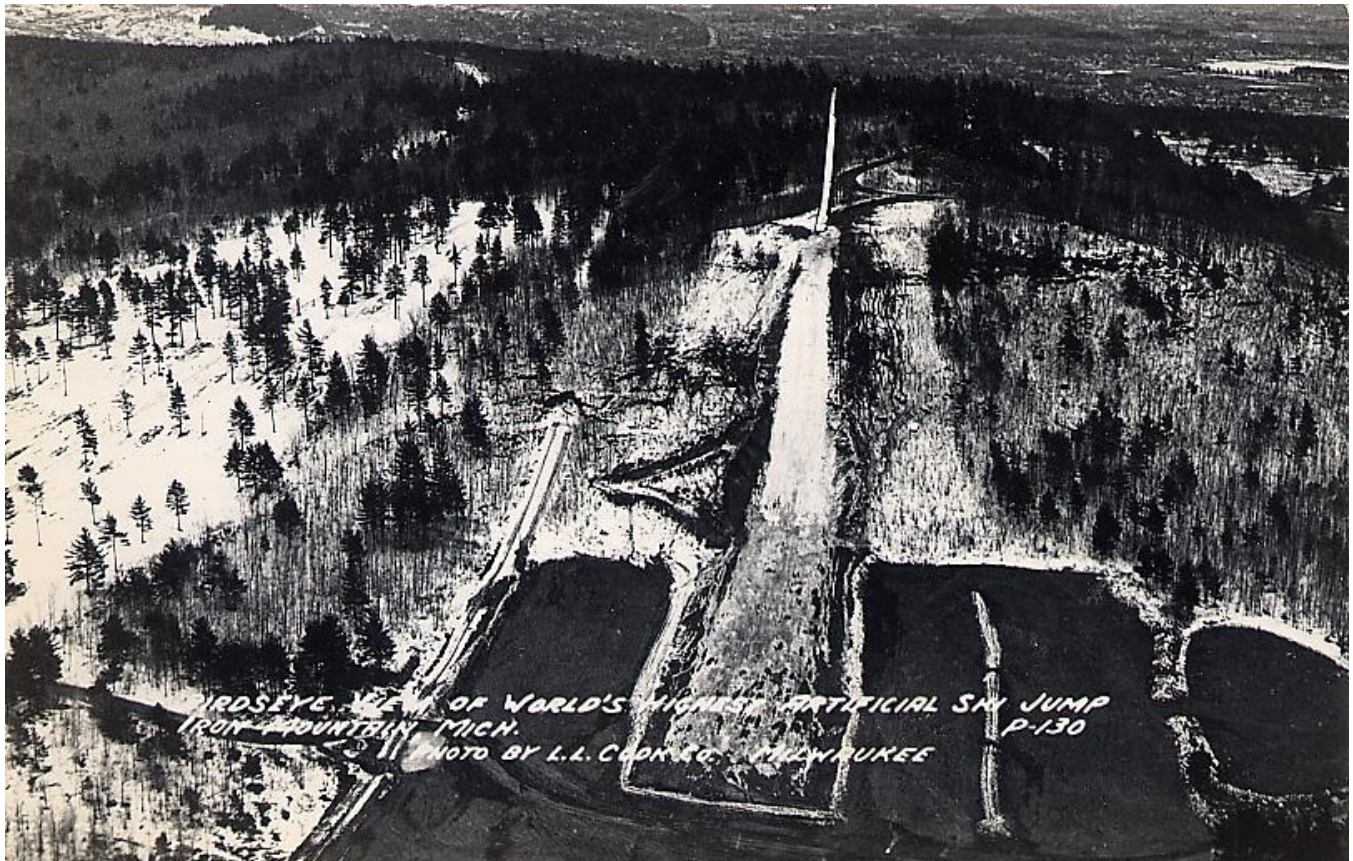
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



P-129 The World's Highest Artificial Ski Jump, Host to the World's Best Jumpers, Iron Mountain, Mich., Photo by L.L. Cook Co., Milwaukee, ca. 1940-1950: Taken from the parking lot looking south, the Pine Mountain Ski Jump, including the hill and judges' stand at the right, are visible in this unused postcard view taken between 1940 and 1950. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



P-130 Birdseye View of World's Highest Artificial Ski Jump, Iron Mountain, Mich., Photo by L.L. Cook Co., Milwaukee, ca. 1940-1950: This unused postcard view was probably taken from an airplane, looking south, with the scaffold of Pine Mountain Ski Jump just to the right of center in the top portion of the photograph and the hill and landing area in the foreground. The view was probably taken between 1940 and 1950. Crystal Lake can be seen in the upper right corner. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



P-131 A Long Way Down to the Bottom of the World's Highest Artificial Ski Jump, Photo by L.L. Cook Co., Milwaukee, ca. 1940-1950: This unused postcard view, dating between 1940 and 1950, shows a ski jumper just leaving the scaffold at the right, officials standing on the roof of the judges' stand at the left and cars parked below the landing area below. Note the advertisement for Pine Mountain Lodge on the judges' stand. Pine Mountain Road is visible at the middle of the photograph. [William John Cummings]

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



P-133 People Like to See the World's Best from the World's Highest, Iron Mt., Mich., Photo by L.L. Cook Co., Milwaukee, ca. 1940-1950: This unused postcard view looking southwest, probably taken between 1940 and 1950, shows the parking area with a GMC truck parked at the left, the landing area and hill, the judges' stand and the Pine Mountain Ski Jump at the top of the hill. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



K-113 Pine Mt. Ski Slide, Highest Ski Slide in the World, Iron Mt., Mich., ca. 1940-1950: This unused postcard view, taken from the cement stairway going up the hill to the scaffold of the Pine Mountain Ski Jump between 1940 and 1950, shows workers at the end of the scaffold. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



K-115 Pine Mt. Ski Slide, Highest in the World, Iron Mt., Mich., Kingsford, ca. 1940-1950: This unused postcard view, probably dating between 1940 and 1950, shows the parking lot at the Pine Mountain Ski Tournament with a view of the ski hill, judges' stand and scaffold. An identical view listed on eBay was postmarked 1947. *[William John Cummings]*

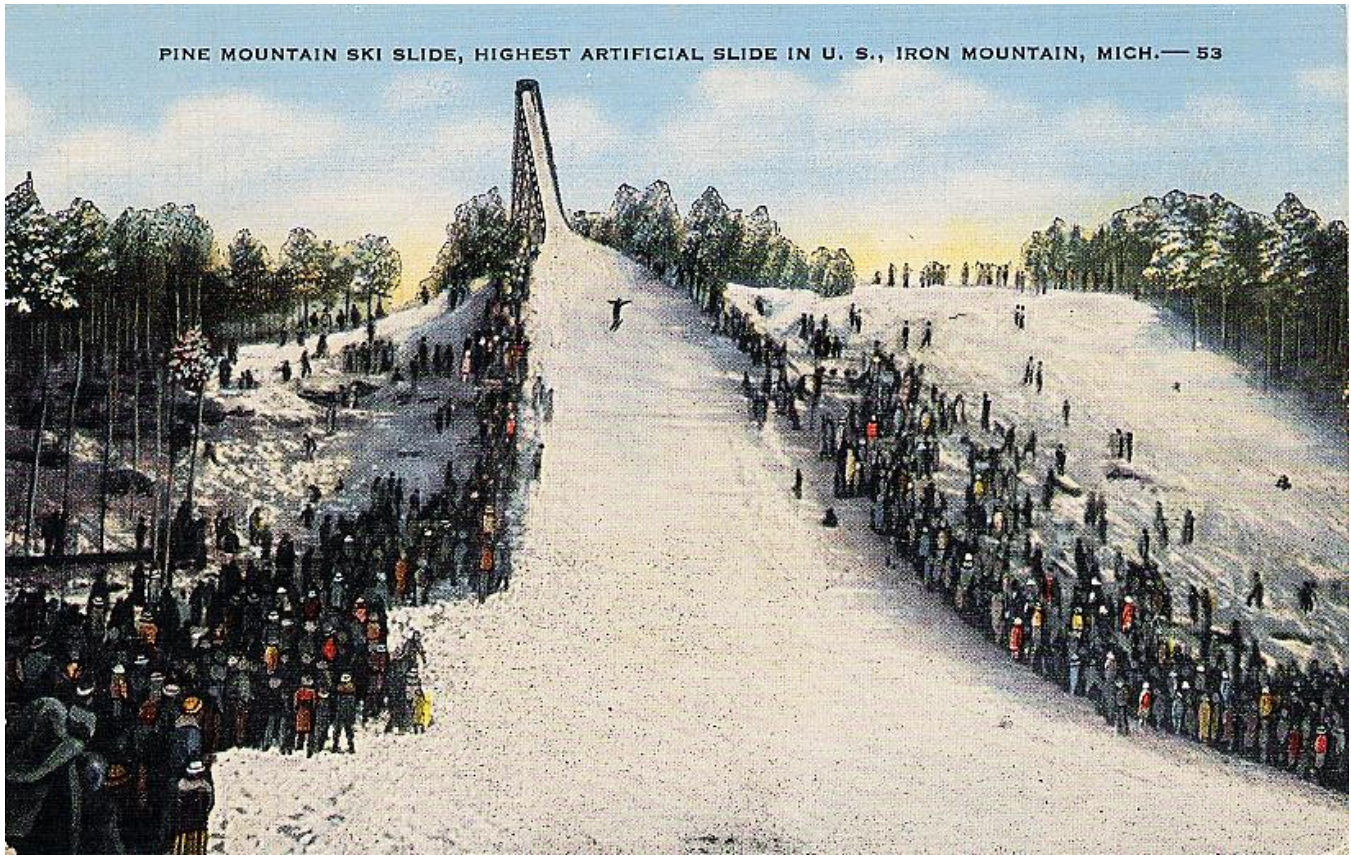
PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



K-263 Pine Mountain Ski Slide, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1950: This postcard view, postmarked Iron Mountain, Mich., August 7, 1952, shows a summer view of the Pine Mountain Ski Slide scaffolding with a man waving for part way up the slide. Another copy has the notation "Carl, Jr." written on the back. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



53 – Pine Mountain Ski Slide, Highest Artificial Slide in U.S., Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1940-1950: This unused black-and-white tinted linen halftone, probably dating between 1940 and 1950, shows the Pine Mountain Ski Slide, including the scaffold, hill and landing area. Note that the judges' stand is not seen at the right of the hill. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

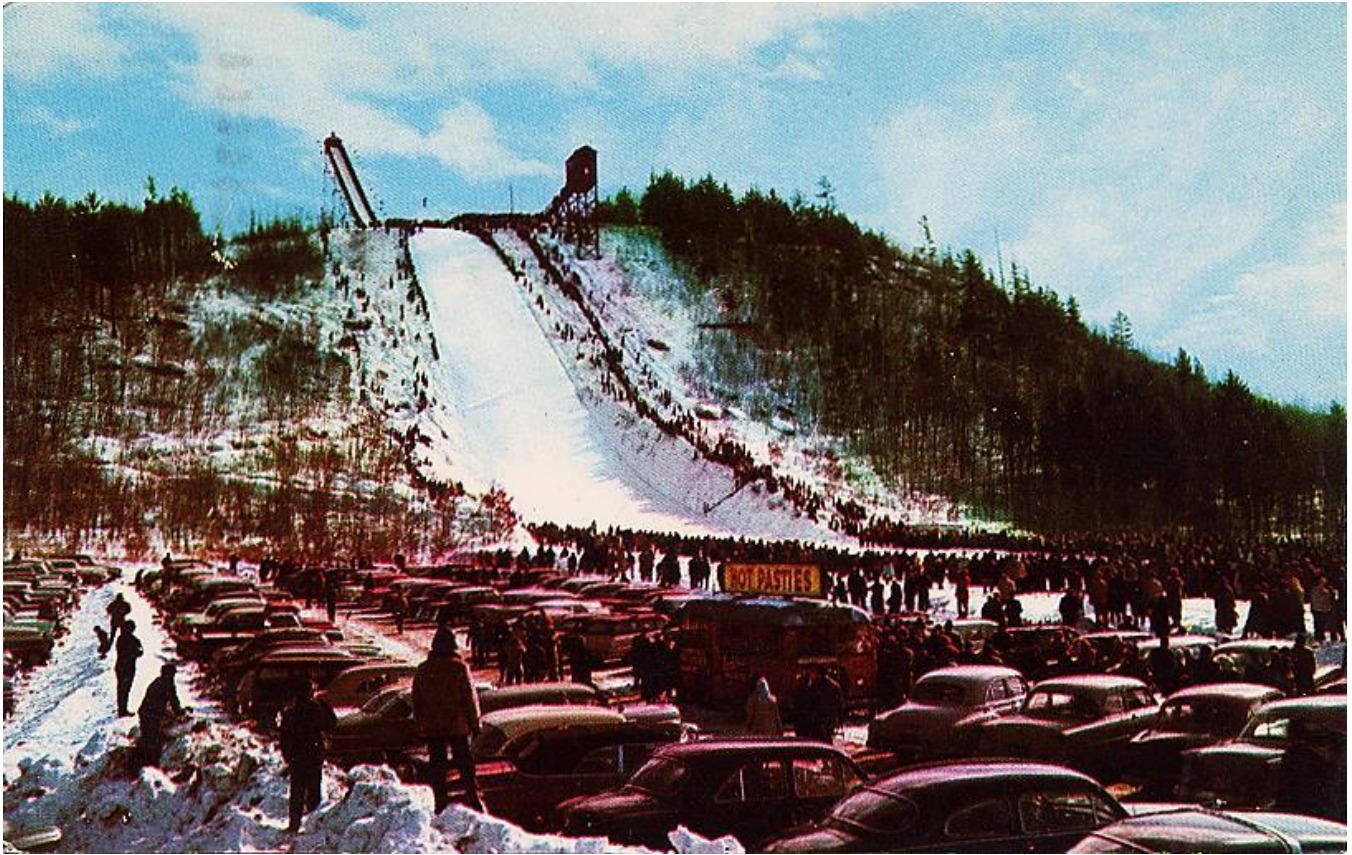
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



M-8 Pine Mountain Ski Jump, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1960: This color postcard view by Servi's Scenic Postal Service, Antigo, Wis., probably dating to about 1960, notes that the Pine Mountain Ski Jump is the "Highest Artificial Ski Hill in the World. Site of America's Greatest Ski Competitions." *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

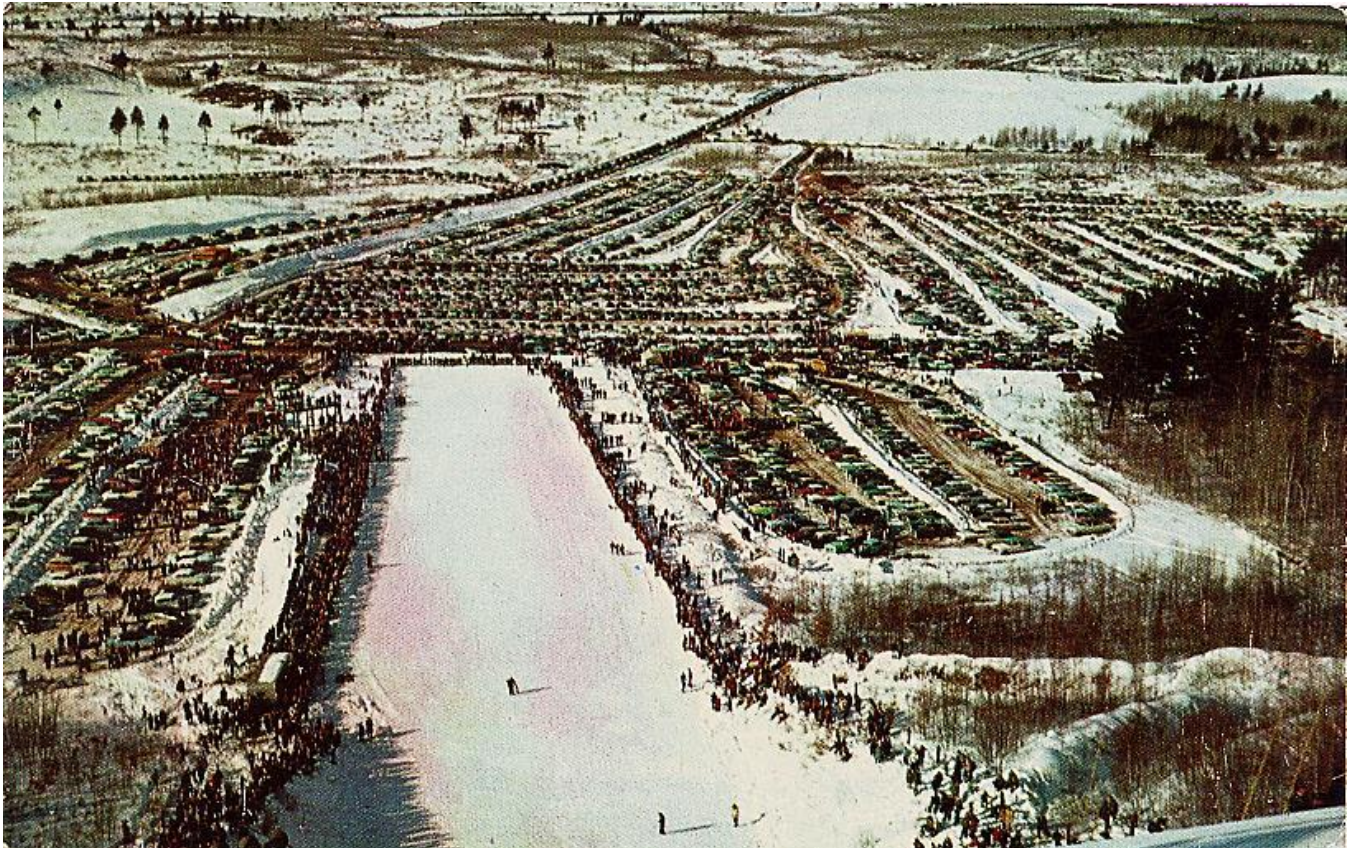
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



M-9 Pine Mountain Ski Jump and Landing Slope, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1960: This colored postcard view by Servi's Scenic Postal Service, Antigo, Wis., postmarked Iron Mountain, Mich., September 1, 1960, was produced by Servi's Scenic Postal Service, Antigo, Wisconsin, and shows the Pine Mountain Ski Jump scaffold, the hill and judges' stand, the crowd gathered around the landing area and the parking area in the foreground. Note the sign for "hot pasties" near the lower center area of the photograph. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

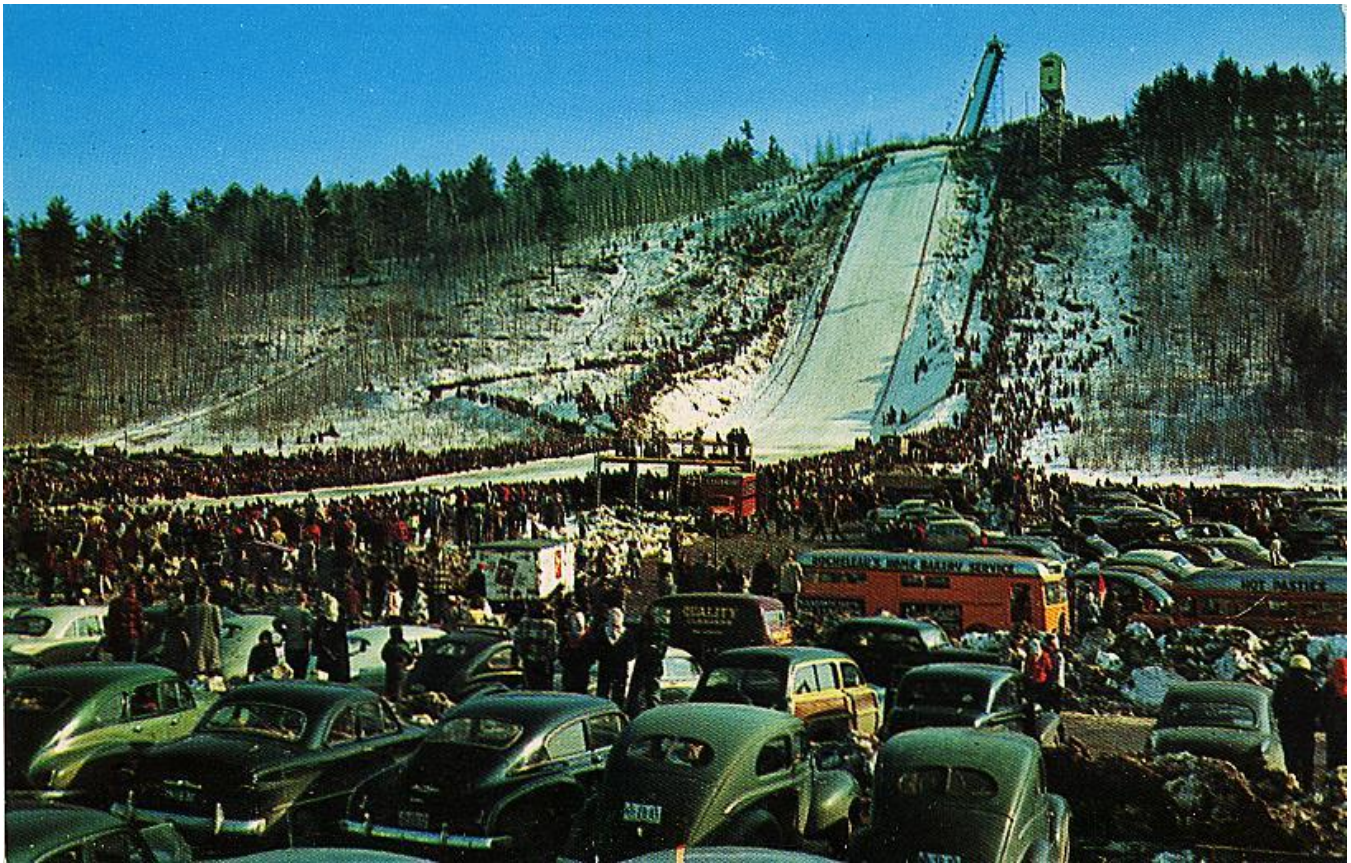
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



M-10 Pine Mountain Parking Area, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1960: This unused postcard view by Servi's Scenic Postal Service of Antigo, Wisconsin, probably dates about 1960 and shows the parking area for the Pine Mountain Ski Tournament, taken from the top of the hill near the end of the scaffold. Pine Mountain Road can be seen in the upper left portion of the photograph. On the back of this card a notation reads: Some 25,000 cars can park in this vast area to witness the annual Ski Events. The estimated number of cars seems exaggerated, and 2,500 cars would still probably be a high number. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



294-R Pine Mountain Ski Jump, Iron Mountain, Michigan, copyright 1951: The L.L. Cook Co. copyrighted this photograph (55405) in 1951, noting the following on the reverse of this unused postcard: This famous ski slide is annual host to the world's greatest riders. The artificial scaffold is 156 feet high and the landing hill is 415 long. The jumpers leave the take-off at 65 MPH and soar close to 300 feet before completing a total vertical drop of 430 feet. Note the parking area with the orange bakery truck and woodie station wagon, the landing area surrounded by spectators, the hill, the scaffold and the judges' stand. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



607-R Pine Mountain Ski Jump, Iron Mountain, Michigan, in Michigan's Upper Peninsula, World's Highest Artificial Ski Hill, ca. 1960: This unused, colored postcard view, dating from about 1960, also noted the following on the reverse: Skiers from all over the world compete here. This close-up view of the scaffold was taken during the competition with a ski jumper coming down the scaffold. Note the international flags flying on either side of the scaffold. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



SJ-416 Pine Mountain Ski Jump, Iron Mountain, Michigan, ca. 1950-1960: This unused, colored postcard view was produced by the Upper Michigan Card Company, Manistique, Michigan, probably between 1950 and 1960. The following additional information is included on the reverse: *Summer view of the 156 foot high artificial scaffold. The total vertical drop from the top of the scaffold to the bottom of the hill is 430 feet. Skiers from all over the World compete here during the winter events. Note the scaffold was painted red, including the metal work, on the exterior and green on the interior wooden portion of the slide. There is a 1950's era car barely visible at the right near the scaffold. [William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



IM-8 Iron Mountain Ski Jump, Iron Mountain, Michigan, ca. 1960-1970: This unused, colored postcard view, distributed by George Hirn, shows Pine Mountain Ski Jump and probably dates between 1960 and 1970. Additional information on the reverse included: Highest Artificial Ski Hill in the World; Site of America's Greatest Ski Competition. Note the international flags displayed on either side of the scaffold and the crowds of people in the foreground. *[William John Cummings]*

Pine Mountain Ski Slide, World's Highest Artificial Slide, Located in Iron Mountain, Mich., The Midwest's Ski Center, Co-Holder of U.S. Ski Jump Record of 316 Feet, (showing view of ski slide, landing and judge's box during ski tournament with flags on both sides of the ski slide), unused, (color real photo, ca. 1960)

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



KIM-2 Pine Mountain Ski Jump, Iron Mountain, Michigan, Highest Artificial Ski Hill in the World, Site of Some of America's Greatest Competitions, ca. 1960-1970: This unused, colored vertical postcard view shows a close-up of the Pine Mountain Ski Jump, distributed by Tommy Thompson, Ashland, Wisconsin, probably between 1960 and 1970. Note the international flags on either side of the scaffold and the crowd of people gathered at the base of the scaffold. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



N-14 The Lodge, Pine Mountain, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1952: This postcard view, postmarked Republic, Mich., June 16, 1952, shows the Lodge at Pine Mountain Ski Resort. Note the single-story building with a walkout basement area at the left and the early automobile and woodie station wagon. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



N-17 View at Iron Mt., Mich., ca. 1950: This early view of the Pine Mountain Ski Resort shows some of the early runs in front of the Pine Mountain Ski Lodge just east of the Pine Mountain Ski Jump hill. Rope tows were in use at this time. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN
[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



N-20 Skiing at Pine Mountain, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1950: This early view of the Pine Mountain Ski Resort shows one of the early runs with people watching as skiers come down the hill. Rope tows were in use at this time. *[William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



S-1719 Pine Mountain Lodge, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1959: This postcard view, postmarked Iron Mountain, Mich., March 30, 1959, shows skiers lined up at the rope tow at the foot of a run waiting to go to the top for another ride. [William John Cummings]

IM2 – Pine Mountain Lodge at Pine Mountain Complete skiing facilities – chair lift – rope tows – certified skiing instructors, Iron Mountain, Michigan. Distributed by George Hirn, Kingsford, Michigan, (showing view of ski lodge with decorative wooden balconies on two levels at left with main building in back on right), unused (color photo, ca. 1960) [2009 -- _____ Marlborough, CT -- \$____] \$5.00

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



608-R Pine Mountain Scenic Chair Life, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1960-1970: This unused, color postcard view, probably dating between 1960 and 1970, contains the following additional information on the reverse: *In Michigan's Upper Peninsula. View showing skiers riding the chair lift back to the top of Pine Mountain. It is the longest (2,300 ft.) double chair lift in the Midwest. [William John Cummings]*

PHOTOGRAPHS OF PINE MOUNTAIN SKI JUMP AND PINE MOUNTAIN SKI RESORT, DICKINSON COUNTY, MICHIGAN

[Compiled and Captioned by William John Cummings]



47008 Pine Mountain Scenic Chair Lift, Open for Scenic Summer Rides Daily, Iron Mountain, Mich., ca. 1960-1970: The Pine Mountain Ski Resort ran its chair lift in the summer, offering scenic views to tourists. There was a gift shop at the top of the hill called The Pine Cone which was later operated briefly as The Trillium, a gift shop sponsored by the Iron Mountain-Kingsford Women's Club. Note the view of the lodge building just to the left of the lower portion of the ski lift pole in the foreground. *[William John Cummings]*