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Introduction

On the eight rolls of this microfilm publication, M1798, are reproduced the 1850-1870 nonpopulation census schedules for Vermont's products of agriculture and industry. The schedules reproduced are part of Records of the Bureau of the Census, Record Group (RG) 29.

Background

In January 1959 these schedules were in the possession of, and microfilmed by, the Vermont Public Records Commission. In due course, two positive copies were deposited in the National Archives, including one placed in the Microfilm Reading Room for use by researchers. In 1994 this microfilm was assigned a number, M1798, in order to issue it as an official National Archives Microfilm Publication.

Records Description

These records are reproduced in the order filmed by the Vermont Public Records Commission. They are arranged by year of census, thereunder by type of census schedule, and usually thereunder alphabetically by county. Within each county, the towns are alphabetically or randomly arranged.

In the Contents section which follows, place names have been standardized to current spellings; spellings used by the census enumerators varied.

For more information about nonpopulation census schedules, see Carroll D. Wright, *History and Growth of the United States Census* (Washington: Government Printing Office, 1900; reprinted by Johnson Reprint Company, New York, 1966).

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