NONPOPULATION CENSUS SCHEDULES FOR MINNESOTA, 1860: AGRICULTURE

Introduction

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Background

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Records Description

These records are reproduced in the order filmed. They are arranged by county, thereunder by township or town. The counties are arranged alphabetically, with one exception: Murray is between "Cottonwood" and Crow Wing. Within counties, the pagination generally begins at page 1; however, the pages were not always filmed in strict numerical order. Arrangement of towns and townships also varies. For some counties, the township/town arrangement is alphabetical; for others, it is random. Sometimes the township name is simply given as the township number and range number assigned during surveying (such as T. 101, R. 13), although frequently the township name and/or post office name was also recorded by the enumerator. If the enumerator did not record the township name, the table of contents that follows this introduction indicates the post office (P.O.) name.

In 1860 "Schedule 4--PRODUCTIONS OF AGRICULTURE" required the assistant marshal to obtain certain information about "all farms or plantations, the produce of which amounts to $100 [or more] in value," but the schedule was "not intended to include the returns of small lots, owned or worked by persons following mechanical or other pursuits, where the productions are not $100 [or more] in value." Information was requested for 48 categories, including the name of the owner, agent, or manager of the farm; the number of acres; cash value of the farm, farming implements, and machinery; number of each kind of livestock; amount of various kinds of crops and other farm products produced during the year ended June 1, 1860; and value of any homemade manufactures and animals slaughtered.

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Watertown
Chisago
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Franconia
Rushseba
Sunrise
Wyoming
Taylor Falls
"Cottenwood"; not stated
Murray; not stated
Crow Wing
Crow Wing
Dakota
Castle Rock
Douglas
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Egan
Empire City and Castle Rock
Hastings
Nininger
Hastings
Marshan
Hampton
Inver Grove
Lakeville
Lebanon
Marshan
Douglas
Mendota [sic]
Nininger
Inver Grove
Hastings
Randolph
Vermillion
Rose Mount
Sciota and Burnsville
Eureka and Green Vail
Eureka ("Ureka")
Eureka and Waterford
Vermillion
Hampton
Waterford
Waterford and Green Vale
West St. Paul

Dodge
Ashland
Camsleo
Claremont
Concord
Ellington
Mantorville
Milton
Ripley
Sacramento
Vernon
Wasioja

Douglas; not stated (Alexandria P.O.)

Fairbault
Blue Earth City
Emerald
Brush Creek
Walnut Lake
Prescott
Dobson
Gurthrie
Verona
Winnebago

Fillmore
Amherst
Arendahl
Beavertown (T. 101, R. 13)
Bloomfield (T. 102, R. 13)
Bristoll (T. 101, R. 11)
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Carrollton
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Fountain (T. 103, R. 11)
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Harmony
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Norway
Pilot Mound
Preble
Preston
Rushford
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Freeborn
Albert Lea
Bancroft
Freeborn
Carlston
Geneva
Hayward
Nunda
Lyndon
Oakland
Manchester
Pickerl Lake
Mansfield
Freeman
Moscow
Newry
Porter
Hartland
Riceland
Shell Rock

Goodhue
Belle Creek
Mineola
Cannon Falls
Sillian
Cherry Grove
Wanamingo
Holden
Leon
Kenyon
Milton
Warsaw
Roscoe
Sillian
Vasa
Wanamingo
Belle Creek
Eastern Division (Red Wing P.O.)
Eastern Division (Central Point or Frontenanc P.O.)
Eastern Division (2 [?] Mile Island P.O.)

Hennepin
Bloomfield
Brooklyn
Champlin
Corcoran
Crystal Lake
Dayton
Eden Prairie
Excelsior
Greenwood
Hassan
Independence
Maple Grove
Medina
Minneapolis, 3rd Ward
Minneapolis, 4th Ward
Minneapolis
Minnetonka
Minnetrista
Plymouth
Richfield
St. Anthony

Houston
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Sheldon (T. 103, R. 6)
Spring Grove (T. 101, R. 6)
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Wilmington (T. 101, R. 6)
Yucatan (T. 103, R. 7)
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not stated (T. 104, R. 5) (San Ja Cinto P.O.)
Isanta [sic]; not stated (St. Francis P.O.)
Kandiyohi
Kandiyohi (Acton P.O.)
Kanebec [sic]
Brunswick
Le Sueur
Cleveland
Cordova
Derrynan [sic]
Lanesburgh
Elysian
Kasota
Kilkenney
Lanesburgh
Lexington
Montgomery
Ottawa
Kasota
Sharon
Tyrone
Washington
Waterville
Manomon [sic]; not stated (Manomon P.O.)
Martin; not stated (Fairmont P.O.)
Jackson; not stated (Jackson P.O.)
McLeod
Bergen
Winstead
Glencoe
Hutchinson
Lee
Penn
Glencoe
Rich Valley
Hellen
Acoma
Winstead
not stated
Rich Valey [sic]
Meeker
Kinston
Forest City
Rice City
Manannah
Monongalia
Rice City
Greenley
Ripley
Acton
Manannah
East Princeton
Morrison
Belle Prairie
not stated (Little Falls P.O.)
Mower
Austin
Brooklyn
Frankford
Racine
Lansing
Udolpho
Lyle
Le Roy
Pleasant Valley
Red Rock
Nevada
Racine
Lyle
Nicollet
Belgrade
Cortland
Granby
La Fayette
Lake Prairie
Nicollet
Oshawa
Fraruse (?) (Traverse des Sioux P.O.)
West Newton
Olmsted
Cascade
Dover
Egota [sic, Eyota]
Elmira
Fair Haven
Harmington
High Forest
Kalmar/Kalmer [sometimes written as Palmer]
Lumez
Marion
Orion
Orenoco [sic]
Pleasant Grove
Rochester
Rockdell
Salem
Viola
Zombra
Ottertail
not stated
Pine
Chengwatana
Polk
not stated (Georgetown P.O.)
Ramsey
McLean
Moundsvie
New Canada
Reserve
Rose
White Bear

Renville
Hawk River and vicinity
Lowel
Birch Cooly
Orkniesville [?]
Beaver River and vicinity

Rice
Bridgewater
Cannon City
Erin
Faribault
Forest
Morristown
Northfield
Richland
Sargent
Shieldsville
Walcott
Webster
Wells
Wheeling
Wheatland
Wheeling

St. Louis
Du Luth [sic]
Oneota
Fond du Lac

Scott
Belle Plaine
Cedar Lake
Credit River
Eagle Creek
Glendale
Helena
Louisville
New Market
Shakopee
Saint Lawrence
Sand Creek
Spring Lake

Sherburne
Balden
Big Lake
Briggs
Clear Lake
Elk River

Sibley
Arlington
Jessen Land
Dryden
New Auburn
Faxon
Green Isle
Washington
Henderson
Jessen Land
Kelso
Dryden
New Auburn
Arlington
Washington Lake

Stearns
not stated (Saint Cloud P.O.)
not stated (Brockway P.O.)
not stated (Saint Cloud P.O.)
not stated (Saint Joseph P.O.)
not stated (Cold Spring P.O.)
not stated (Torah P.O.)
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not stated (Sauk Centre P.O.)
not stated (Paynesville P.O.)
not stated (Cold Springs P.O.)
not stated (Fair Haven P.O.)
St. Cloud
Marysville
Clinton

Steele
Aurora (T. 106, R. 19)
Somerset (T. 106, R. 20)
Berlin (T. 105, R. 21)
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Wabashaw [sic]
Chester
Elgin
Gillford
Zumbro
Lake City
Plainview
Lake City
Mazeppa
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Mazeppa
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Mount Pleasant
Plainview
Zumbro
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Waseca
Blooming Grove
Byron
Iosco
Janesville
Otisco
Richland
St. Mary
Vivian
Wilton
Woodville

Washington
Afton
Denmark
Bailtown [?]
Cottage Grove
Denmark
Greenfield
Lakeland
Marine
Newport
Cottage Grove
Oak Dale
Otis
Stillwater
Woodbury

Winona
Elba
Jefferson
Hillsdale
Winona
Mt. Vernon
Rollingstone
Whitewater
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Wright
Albion
Buffalo
Clearwater
Buffalo and Frankfort
Buffalo, Rockford, and Frankfort
Frankfort and Franklin
Franklin and Woodland
Woodland, Middleville, and Otsego
Otsego and Frankfort
Monticello
Rockford
Silver Creek