

**Ronald Pelletier family video recording
MCC-00437**

Finding Aid

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Title: Ronald Pelletier family video recording

Creator/Collector: Unknown

Collection number: MCC-00437

Shelf list number: AR-437, AC-437

Dates: ca. 1970

Extent: 1 reel (.05 cubic feet)

Provenance: Material was acquired from Jennifer Schlott-Green on August 2017.

Language: None

Conservation notes: Footage from the 8 mm reel was transferred on an archival gold DVD for preservation and a white label copy was also produced for patron use with shelf list number: ACADIAN A-V DVD F29.N4 P4 {197?}

Access restrictions: No restrictions on access.

Physical restrictions: None.

Technical restrictions: A DVD player or a computer with a DVD drive is needed to access this collection.

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Related materials: Not applicable.

Location of originals: Not applicable.

Location of copies: Not applicable.

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Biographical information: Ronald Pelletier was born April 23, 1923, in Daigle, Maine, the son of Willie Daigle and Laura Pelletier. He married Pearl Doris Pelletier on December 27, 1948 in Daigle, Maine and had 10 children. Ronald started out as a potato farmer on the Caribou Road in Fort Kent; he owned and operated his own trucks in the lumber industry; he was a pipefitter for a

construction company; he worked in the Maine woods on a road crew for the Great Northern Co. when he retired in 1988. He loved to garden and to hunt. He had a passion for watching his children and grandchildren compete in athletics.

Scope and content: This collection consists of a home video on one 8mm reel indicating two titles on the canister: *John & Romey Racing* and *Potato Harvest Pepere*. It contains footage of the Fort Kent Community High School Cross Country team, in uniform, training in a field. Two students are identified as brothers John and Romey Pelletier, sons of Ronald & Pearl Pelletier of Daigle (New Canada), Maine. There are also scenes of potato harvesting by hand and with a harvester, and of an unidentified family sitting in a living room. We presume the family is the Pelletier family. The footage lasts 9 minutes and 57 seconds and the images are grainy but good.

Inventory: One 8 mm reel in metal canister