

A Guide to the Canadian Census, 1861: Quebec

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Collection Overview

Creator

Statistics Canada;
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Dates

1861

Extent

3 microfilm reels

Provenance

Census records converted onto microfilm reels by the Library and Archives Canada, which makes copies for other research institutions to use and make available to researchers.

Language

English
French

Conservation Notes

None

Conditions Governing Access and Use

Restrictions

Access: No restrictions

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Collection Description

Historical and Biographical Information

British North America Act, 1867:

Quebec shall be divided into sixty-five electoral districts composed of the sixty-five electoral divisions into which Lower Canada is at the passing of this Act divided under chapter two of the Consolidated Statutes of Canada, chapter 75 of the consolidated statutes for Lower Canada, and the Act of the Province of Canada of the twenty-third year of the Queen, chapter one, or any other Act amending the same in force at the Union, so that each such Electoral Division shall be for the Purposes of this Act, an Electoral District entitled to return one member.

C.S. for Lower Canada 1860, c.75:

The County of Temiscouata shall be bounded on the northeast by the County of Rimouski as hereinbefore described; on the southwest by the northwestern lines of the parishes of Saint Andre and Saint Alexandre and of the townships of Parke and Pohenegamook and the Province line;- on the southeast by the Province line;- on the northwest by the River Saint Lawrence,- including Green Island and all the Islands in the said River Saint Lawrence nearest to the said COUNTY of Temiscouata, and wholly or partly opposite thereto. - The said County so bounded comprising the parishes of Trois-Pistoles, Saint Eloi, Isle Verte, Saint George de Cacouna, Saint-Arsene, Saint Patrice de la Riviere-du-loup, Saint Modeste, Saint Antonin, and that part of the parish of Notre Dame du Portage formerly making part of the parish of St. Patrice de la Riviere du Loup, and the Townships of Whitworth, Viger, Begon, Denonville, Raudot, Demers, Hocquart and the Seigniorship and settlements of Temiscouata. 16 V. c. 152, s.1, subsect 4, and see as to Municipal purposes only 23 V. c.80.

Scope and Content

35mm microfilm, positive containing census records from the Stanstead, Témiscouata, and Terrebonne counties in the province of Quebec, Canada.

Arrangement

The microfilm edition of the 1861 census is organized so that all schedules for each district are brought together as a unit and consist of 9 schedules:

1. Nominal return of the living
2. Nominal return of the deaths within last 12 months
3. Return of public institutions, real estate, vehicles, and implements
4. Return of cultivated land, of field products, and of plants and fruits
5. Livestock, Animal products, home-made fabrics, and furs
6. Return of Industrial Establishments
7. Return of products of the Forest
8. Return of shipping and fisheries
9. Return of mineral products

Separated Materials (If Applicable)

Not applicable

Subject Headings

Agriculture

Canadian provinces
Census
Census districts

Related Materials

A Guide to the Canadian Census, 1871: Quebec [microfilm], (MCC-00519). Acadian Archives/Archives acadiennes, University of Maine at Fort Kent.

A Guide to the Canadian Census, 1881: Quebec [microfilm], (MCC-00520). Acadian Archives/Archives acadiennes, University of Maine at Fort Kent.

A Guide to the Canadian Census, 1891: Quebec (MCC-005550). Acadian Archives/Archives acadiennes, University of Maine at Fort Kent.

A Guide to the Canadian Census, 1901: Quebec (MCC-00551). Acadian Archives/Archives acadiennes, University of Maine at Fort Kent.

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