Historic Agricultural Resources of Pennsylvania 1700-1960

Bibliography.


This selected bibliography has been compiled with the goal of furnishing guidelines for research on the history of Pennsylvania agriculture. It was compiled using online databases (America: History and Life; Vernacular Architecture Forum Bibliography) and other resources. The materials listed here mainly pertain to subjects relevant to the agricultural history of the state as a whole. More specific references appear in each individual narrative for particular regions.

REFERENCE TOOLS


BASIC PRIMARY SOURCES

Below are listed some basic categories of published and unpublished primary sources that can be helpful in doing research on historic agricultural patterns and practices.

U. S. Census Manuscript schedules for agriculture. These are available on microfilm for the years 1850, 1860, 1870, 1880, and 1900, at the Pennsylvania State Archives, the
National Archives, and Penn State University Libraries. Some may exist for 1910. Pennsylvania conducted a census of agriculture in 1924 and 1927 and these are also available from the State Archives. These manuscripts are valuable because they list production for each individual farm. The Pennsylvania manuscripts for 1850, 1880, and 1927 are now available in digital form through the Pennsylvania Agricultural History Project website.

Published U. S. Census summaries. To some extent, online resources are providing this data, but these are often incomplete. The 1910 US Census, for instance, had an entire supplement on Pennsylvania agriculture. The U. S. Department of Agriculture has digitized many of the published reports, and they are accessible through the USDA website.

PSU Agricultural extension archival records, PSU Special Collections, are organized by county and begin as early as 1917. They have reports from the county agents on activities in each county. Many county agents also included photographs, surveys, and other materials. Some of these materials are digitized and are available through the Special Collections section in the Penn State University Libraries website. The digitizing project is ongoing, so more counties are being added into 2012 and beyond.

County tax assessment records (usually found at the county courthouse or historical society) can help determine landownership and tenancy patterns.

Maps and atlases such as Henry Walling, *New Topographical Atlas*, 1872; Mitchell's *New Traveller's Guide*, 1851; *Johnson's Pennsylvania and New Jersey Almanac*, 1808, Joseph Scott, Joseph, *A Geographical Description of Pennsylvania*, 1806; etc. indicate stage routes, internal improvements, post routes, townships, etc. Penn State University Libraries' Maps department has a large collection of Pennsylvania historical maps. Many can also be found online through the Penn State Library site and others; the Library of Congress’s American Memory site is a good place to begin looking for historic maps.


Travel descriptions are often valuable. There is no centralized bibliography, however.

Pennsylvania State Archives. There are many collections with relevance to agriculture. The Agricultural History Project staff compiled a document in 2006 titled "Agricultural Resources at the Pennsylvania State Archives." It is appended at the end of this document. Besides the obvious Department of Agriculture materials (Record Group 1), photos and other information may be found in the Department of Commerce papers (Record Group 31), which contains 1930s aerial photos and materials such as photographs from the Vacation and Travel Bureau. Record Group 6 (Department of Forests and Waters) and Record Group 12 (Department of Highways) also have photographic collections which often contain agricultural scenes. Record Group 28 (Treasury Department) contains county-level data in the Board of Revenue.
Commissioners’ Answers to Interrogatories. Manuscript Group 213, Postcard Collection, has early twentieth century postcards organized by county.

U. S. Direct Tax for 1798: A list which contains dimensions and materials of buildings. County coverage for Pennsylvania is quite good. Microfilm copies are available at local libraries and at the Penn State Library. Online availability is spotty.

PUBLISHED AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION BULLETINS, STATE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY TRANSACTIONS, STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE PUBLICATIONS, AND USDA PUBLICATIONS.

(“State” refers to Pennsylvania unless otherwise indicated.) These published documents contain valuable information on farming practices and overall patterns of production over time. A selection is listed below. All are available at the Penn State Library; most have not been made available online as of 2012.

_Agriculture of Pennsylvania_. Pennsylvania State Board of Agriculture. Containing reports of the State Board of Agriculture, the State Agricultural Society, the State Dairymen's Association, the State Fruit Growers' Association, and the State College, Annual, 1878-1894.

_Report of the transactions of the Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society_. Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society. 1855-1877. Followed by _Quarterly Report of the State Board of Agriculture_, 1877-1894. Followed by the _Annual Report of the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture_, 1896-1916. These reports often contain important statistical data in years other than census years; and also articles on various topics. Some of the more notable ones are listed individually.


Fish, Norman S. “Building the Dairy Barn.” University of Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment Station Bulletin # 369, August 1924.


Hall, I. F. “An Economic Study of Farm Buildings in New York.” Cornell University AES Bulletin # 478. 1929. This has many plans and photos of building types common in Northern Pennsylvania.


McCord, J. E. “Farm Tenancy and Lease Forms in Pennsylvania.” Pennsylvania Agricultural Experiment Station Bulletin # 232, 1929.

_____ “Farm Practices and Management in Central Pennsylvania.” Pennsylvania Agricultural Experiment Station Bulletin # 379, 1939.

“Milk Marketing in Pennsylvania.” Pennsylvania Agricultural Experiment Station Bulletin # 208, December 1926.


“Pennsylvania Counties by Per Cent of Farms which Qualified as Commercial Farms, 1950.” Map, US Bureau of Agricultural Economics. PSU Map Library.

*Pennsylvania.* Published by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, 1944. Pages 82–93 contain photos of rural and agricultural scenes.

“Points to be Considered in Building a Silo.” Pennsylvania State College Agricultural Experiment Station, November 1896. No author, no number or bulletin designation.


U. S. Patent Office Annual Reports, 1844–1863. The Patent Office was responsible for collecting and publishing agricultural information before the USDA was established in 1863. Correspondents from the state wrote about farming conditions.

United States Department of Agriculture. Farm Building and Equipment Plans and Information Series. Compiled by Lewis A. Jones and T. A. H. Miller, under the direction of S. H. McCrory, 1929. Typescript compilation with plans and drawings of many building types.


Wink, Anna T. “Housing Conditions in Rural Pennsylvania.” Pennsylvania Agricultural Experiment Station Bulletin # 472, 1945.


_____. “Types of Farming in Pennsylvania.” Pennsylvania Agricultural Experiment Station Bulletin # 479, 1946.

**WEBSITES**

Note: rather than include URLs, which often change, these descriptions contain enough information so that the sites can be found using a Web browser.
This selected list covers sites whose scope extends statewide or further. County and local sites are discussed in individual narratives.


Core Historical Literature of Agriculture. Cornell University project.

Digital resources for historical Pennsylvania agriculture. Compiled by staff at the Penn State University Libraries, Life Sciences Library. The offerings are incomplete, but one valuable resource is an extensive Bibliography of Pennsylvania’s Agriculture and Rural Life, 1820-1945. Many entries have hot-links to online versions.

Farm, Field, and Fireside. University of Illinois collection of farm journals. While it focuses on the Midwest, this site also offers nationally-distributed journals such as the Farmer's Wife.

Historic American Buildings Survey, Historic American Engineering Record. Searchable database of buildings that were included in these projects.

Historical Census Data Browser. Historical data, can be manipulated and searched down to the county level, and mapped also. Hosted at the University of Virginia’s Fisher Library.

Home Economics Archive: Research, Tradition, History (HEARTH): Primary sources relating to home economics, from Cornell University's Mann Library.

Library of Congress “American Memory” website. Maps, photos, Farm Security Administration photos, and more.

National Agricultural Statistics Service – contains state by state current data.

National Register of Historic Places. Main site for National Register information and some documentation.

PAGenWeb project. Digital genealogy. Genealogists have made available a wealth of primary materials online, and more is added daily. Each state has its own site.

Pennsylvania Cultural Resources GIS (PA CRGIS) site. Users may obtain lists of properties covered in the Pennsylvania Historic Resource Survey and further documentation for all National Register-listed properties in the state. Searchable.

Pennsylvania State Data Center – broad demographic and economic data.
SECONDARY SOURCES

General works on agricultural history and landscape in the US


SECONDARY SOURCES
Specific to Pennsylvania

Many more items appear in regional narratives. These have been chosen for their broad relevance to statewide trends and forms.


Haberlein, Mark. “German Migrants in Colonial Pennsylvania: Resources, Opportunities, and Experience.” *William and Mary Quarterly* 50, no. 3 (1993): 555–574.


Loomis, Charles P. “A Farmhand's Diary.” *Mennonite Quarterly Review* 53, no. 3 (1979): 235–256. (Covers the 1940s.)


Agricultural Resources at the Pennsylvania State Archives compiled 2006 by Jeremy Ammerman

Record Groups http://www.phmc.state.pa.us/bah/dam/rg/index.htm

Records of the Department of Agriculture - RG-1 http://www.phmc.state.pa.us/bah/dam/rg/rg1.htm

Secretary of Agriculture

Series # 1.1 Administrative Correspondence, 1936-1938, 1941-1956, 1958-1971 no county listed
Series # 1.3 Executive Office Correspondence File, 1955-1975 no county listed
Series # 1.4 Interdepartmental Correspondence File, 1970-1975 no county listed
Series # 1.5 Press Office Photographs, 1890-1960

Box 1 Farm Scenes - Centre County 1960 Centre County
Box 1 Farm Scenes - Crops 1980 no county listed
Box 1 Farm Scenes - Miscellaneous no county listed
Box 1 Farm Machinery no county listed
Box 2 Plowing Contests to Vegetables-Tomatoes to People no county listed
N1 Raccoons 1905 no county listed
N4 Ducks 1905 no county listed
N6 Eagles Bald and Golden no county listed
N7 Turkey Vultures and Crows 1905 no county listed
N8 Hawks 1905 no county listed
N10-11 Owls 1905 no county listed
N13 Wild Turkey 1905 no county listed
N17 Blue Jays and Robins 1905 no county listed
N18 Porcupines 1905 no county listed
N19 Raccoons 1905 no county listed
N20 Minks 1905 no county listed
N21 Wildcat Killing Porcupine 1905 no county listed
N22 Woodchuck 1905 no county listed
N23 Squirrels 1905 no county listed
N25 Virginia Deer 1905 no county listed
N26 Skunks 1905 no county listed
N27 Ursus Americus- Black Bear 1905 no county listed
N28 Opossum 1905 no county listed
N29 Rabbits 1905 no county listed
N32 Red foxes with Chickens 1905 no county listed
N33 Gray Fox and Cross Fox 1905 no county listed
N66 Peach Orchard 1905 no county listed
N111 Peach Orchard 1905 no county listed
N134 Corn Worm on Sweet Corn 1905 no county listed
N155 Red or June Clover 1905 no county listed
N274 Dragonflies 1915 no county listed
N469-470 Critchfield- Secretary of Agriculture 1916 no county listed
N496 Wood Duck-Summer Duck 1916 no county listed
N505 Marsh Hawk 1916 no county listed
N507 Red Tail Hawk 1916 no county listed
N508 Broad Wing Hawk 1916 no county listed
N509-511 Owls 1916 no county listed
N525-537 Snakes (Various types) 1916 no county listed
N667 Brussels Sprouts 1916 no county listed
N715 Apple Blossoms 1916 no county listed
N1580 Robinson Vineyard, South of Lake Road, North East PA 1919 no county listed
N1589 Bartlett Vineyard - Relation to the Woodland 1919 no county listed
N2120-2172 Photos of Various Plants 1921 no county listed
N2175 Spraying with Trailer Nozzles 1921 Crawford County
N2176-2179 Bacteria and Insects on Various Fruit Trees 1921 no county listed
N2249-2259 Photos of Potatoes 1921 no county listed
N2337 Cotton of Ohio 1921 Crawford County
N2347 Tobacco Growing 1921 no county listed
N2439-2443 Pictures of Grapes 1920 no county listed
N2478 Photos of Apple Trees 1922 no county listed
N2479 Loose Smut of Oates 1922 no county listed
N2480 Loose Smut of Wheat 1922 no county listed
N2488 Pruning Trees 1922 no county listed
N2489-2493 Apple Tree Pruning 1922 no county listed
N2498 Greenhouse 1920 no county listed
N2499 Cherry Tree 1922 no county listed
N2639 Weed Seeds Scattered by Cow's Tail 1922 no county listed
N2642 Poison Ivy 1922 no county listed
N2643 Seeds Dispersed by Wind 1922 no county listed
N2695 Map Showing Ice Cream in Pennsylvania 1920 no county listed
N2705 Work of Adults on Smart Weed 1922 no county listed
N2706 Work of Adults on Raspberry 1922 no county listed
N2708 Work of Adults on Apple Tree 1922 no county listed
N2711-2714 Photos of Tomatoes 1922 no county listed
N2744 Department of Agriculture Flow Chart 1922 no county listed
N2745 Department of Agriculture Appropriations Chart 1922 no county listed
N2747 Peach Tree (Budded Tree) 1922 no county listed
N2753 Mendel's Law Plant and Animal Breeding Flowchart 1922 no county listed
N2754-2757 Mendel's Law Animal Breeding Flowchart 1922 no county listed
N2812 F.P. Willits Secretary of Agriculture 1923 no county listed
N2831 McKee Deputy Secretary of Agriculture 1923 no county listed
N2855-2866 Pictures of Cherries 1923 no county listed
N2873 Cabbage Field in Winter (Bad Practice) 1923 no county listed
N2889-2892 Pear 1923 no county listed
N2893-2897 Apple (Stayman) 1923 no county listed
N2924 Flower Garden 1923 no county listed
N2925 Plan of Garden 1923 no county listed
N2926-2927 Peach-Metal Poisoning 1924 no county listed
N4707 Lab and Insectary - B.P.I. Farm 1926 no county listed
N4744 Potato Farm, Ulysses 1924 Potter County
N4745 Potato Farm, Ulysses 1925 Potter County
N4742 Single Hill 1924 no county listed
N4754 Potato Farm Buildings, Ulysses 1924 Potter County
N4807 Bees - Mrs. Lauver's (?) Method of Farming Drone Comb no county listed
N4820-22 Bees - Apairy of Mrs. Ryder 1926 no county listed
N4826 Bees - Hives and Bee - Escapeion House 1926 no county listed
N4827 Bees - Hives and Porter Bee - Escapeion Cottage 1926 no county listed
N4891a-4892a #5 & 6 Stone Wall Wilkes - Barre Mountain 1926 Luzerne County
N4894a #8 - Farmstead, S.H. Orendorf, Woodward, PA 1926 no county listed
N4904a Spraying Orchard with Power Spray 1926 no county listed
N4905 Chester White Sow and Pigs 1926 no county listed
N4906 Corn (Ears) 1926 no county listed
N4910 Farmstead 1926 no county listed
N4914 An Up-to-date Dairy Farm 1926 no county listed
N4921a Jersey Cattle on Pasture 1926 no county listed
N4923 Holsteins in Barn 1926 no county listed
N4938 Hogs in Roadway 1926 no county listed
N4941 Spraying Orchard 1926 no county listed
N4943 Holstein Cattle on Alfalfa 1926 no county listed
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N4953 Conarete and Orchard 1926 no county listed
N4956 #70 - Feeding Sheds and Barn, State College, PA 1926 Centre County
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Peach Yellows 1930 no county listed

Bees-Shaking From Two Hive Bodies to Produce Section Honey 1930 no county listed

Apiaries of Bees - Benjamin F. Forsythe 1930 no county listed

1929 Sheep 1930 no county listed

1928 Ewes 1931 no county listed

Old Sheep 1931 no county listed

Roadside Market 1932 no county listed

Sheep Feeding Racks 1931 no county listed

Main Sheep Barn, Hay Feeding Racks 1931 no county listed

Abnormal Ice cicle Radish 1931 no county listed

Drenching Sheep by Means of Stomach Tube 1931 no county listed

Bees, Burning Illegal Hives 1931 no county listed

Bees, Making Cross Combed Hives 1931 no county listed

Bees, Burning Illegal Hives 1931 no county listed

Apiary of Bees - WP Haines, Beaver Springs PA 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - Abe Wiand 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - Rebecca Arnold 1931 Snyder County

Bees, Burning of Hive Body from Diseased Colony 1931 no county listed

Turtle Feeding 1931 no county listed

Apiary of Bees - Jno. Kline 1931 Union County

Apiary of Bees - Myron Kleckner 1931 Union County

Apiary of Bees - Norman Heirser 1931 Union County

Apiary of Bees - Jno. Will, McClure 1931 Union County

Box Hive Apiary 1931 no county listed

Apiary of Bees - WH Pheasant, McClure PO 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - Wilson Walters, Lewisburg 1931 Union County

Apiary of Bees - Frank Ewig 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - AH Wagner, McClure 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - James Ferry, Richfield #2 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - Chas. Argler 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - Jerome Hayes - Liverpool 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - Jno. Gill, McClure 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - David Wagner, McClure 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - Ed. Partzline, Mt. Pleasant Mills 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - Wm. Wagner, McClure #2 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - Ammon Musser, Beaver Springs 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - Howard Baker, McClure 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - McClure 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - HS Kraemer 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - WH Fisher, Spring Township 1931 Snyder County

Maurer Apiary 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - MS Benner, Spring Township 1931 Snyder County

JE Shaefler, Selinsgrove 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - PR Fetterhoff, Spring Township 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - Prof. McCreadir 1931 Union County

Apiary of Bees - 1931 Snyder County

Apiary of Bees - Miss Birdie Hartle 1931 no county listed

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Plows 1931 no county listed

Mowing Machine 1931 no county listed

Green House 1931 no county listed

Soil Temperature Control Tanks (Various) 1931 no county listed

Cedar Rust on Pine 1931 no county listed

Blind Sprout Tuber 1932 no county listed

Poison Hemlock 1936 no county listed

Orchard Site, John Sierer, Mt. Pleasant Mills 1933 Snyder County

Blueberry Expo 1936 no county listed
N6307 Blueberry Hoppers 1936 no county listed  
N6308 Town Sprays, Gypsy Moths 1936 no county listed  
N6309-6328 Gypsy Moth (Various) 1936 no county listed  
N6343 Chicken Ranch 1937 no county listed  
N6368-6371 Tomatoes 1937 no county listed  
N6380-6385 Rhododendron 1938 no county listed  
N6399 Termites in Box 1938 no county listed  
N6404 Corn Field 1938 no county listed  
N6421 Breeder House for Chickens 1938 no county listed  
N6423 Types of Hen Houses, Bureau of Markets, Poultry Division 1938 no county listed  
N6424 Poultry House, Bureau of Markets, Poultry Division 1938 no county listed  
N6425 Egg House, Bureau of Markets, Poultry Division 1938 no county listed  
N6432 Taking Out the Bad Vegetables 1938 no county listed  
N6433 Deputy Secretary of Agriculture, Harry M. Terrill 1935 no county listed  
N6435 K.W Laver Plant Industry 1938 no county listed  
N6439 Termites no county listed  

**Bureau of Plant Industry**

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Series # 1.10 Farm Census Correspondence, 1924, 1927-1928.  
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#3 Peach Growers with 100+ Bearing Trees All Counties  

**note:** Listed by County, Municipality, Name of Farmer and Address  

#4 Tobacco Growers All Counties  

**note:** Listed by County, Municipality, Post Office, and Acres  

#5 Commercial Poultry Farms All Counties  

**note:** Listed by County, Owner, Post Office, and # of Laying Hens  

#8 Bradford County Tobacco Acreage 1924 Bradford County  

**note:** Listed by Township, Name, Post Office, and Acres  

#10 List of Farms in Cameron County Cameron County  

**note:** Listed by Township, Name, PO Address, Own/Rent, and Acres  

#11 Centre County Farms Centre County  

**note:** Listed by Township, Name, Address, Rd., Own/Rent, and Acres  

#15 List of Individual Sheep Owners in Crawford County Crawford County  

**note:** Listed by Township, Name, Address, Rd., Own/Rent, and Acres  

#19 Farms in Elk County Elk County  

**note:** Listed by Township, Name, PO Address, Own/Rent, and Acres  

#29 List of Farms in Luzerne County Luzerne County  

**note:** Listed by Township, Name, PO Address, Own/Rent, and Acres  

#30 Mifflin County Farms Mifflin County  

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**Plant and Pathology Division**

Series # 1.14 Wheat Stem Rust Eradication Program Files, 1935-1975  
carton # 2 County Reports, 1936-1938, 1966, 1968 - 1975 Multiple Counties  
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Series #1.15 Annual Reports of the County Soil & Water Conservation District 1943-1969 All Counties  

**note:** listed by county
Pennsylvania Board of Agriculture
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Series # 6.15 Reports and Correspondence Relating to Forest Lands, 1920 -1930
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Public Relations Office
Series # 6.19 Motion Picture Films, ca. 1930-1950
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Glass Plate Negatives
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N512 Looking over the Hills Venango County
N543 Big White Oak on Fox Estate Clarion County
N600 White Pine Reclaiming Old Fields Jefferson County
N1575-1579 Cook Estate Forest County
N3187 Old Apple Tree, Sleet Damage no county listed
N3617 The Farm and its Forests no county listed
N5863-5871 Along the Clarion River at Cook Forest Forest County

Water and Power Resource Board
Series # 6.26 Stream Flow Record Books, 1922-1940 no county listed

Department of Forestry 1895 - 1923
Series # 6.29 Annual Reports of Foresters and Rangers, 1901-1921
carton #1 Elk County Reserve - Lincoln Farm Division (James A Irwin) 1912 Elk County
Series # 6.35 Susquehanna Tract Abstracts of Titles, 1900-1923 Multiple Counties
note: info includes date of acquisition, owner, location, acreage, and compensation amount

Water Supply Commission 1905-1923
Series # 6.45 Water Resources Inventory Including Reports, Correspondence, Photos, and Maps 1913-1920
carton #1 Soil and Agricultural Conditions 1914 no county listed
carton #2 Maps and Blueprints 1914 no county listed
Maps and Blueprints, 1913-1916
carton #11 Anthracite Coal Region 1915 Multiple Counties
Reports, 1914-1916
carton #14 Photographs 1914-1916 no county listed

House Of Representatives
Series # 7.4 Committee Bills, 1971-1972, 1977-1978
carton #1 Agriculture Committee 1977-1978 no county listed
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carton #8 Appropriations; Milk Marketing Board 1971 no county listed
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carton #28 Agriculture; A Farm Assessment Bill 1973 no county listed
carton #29 Agriculture; Farm Assessment Act of 1973 1973 no county listed
Series # 7.7 Committee Minutes, 1945-1978
carton #1 Committee on Agriculture and Dairy Industries 1969-1970 no county listed
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carton #2 Agriculture and Rural Affairs 1977-1978 no county listed

carton #1 Agriculture 1975-1976 no county listed
carton #6 Agriculture and Rural Affairs 1979-1980 no county listed
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Series # 11.1 General Correspondance, 1930-1976
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Deputy Secretary for Environmental Protection
carton #2 Testimony, Preservation of Agricultural Land 1969 no county listed
carton #4 National Association of Institutional Farm Managers 1970 no county listed

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N9160-9167 Scenic Pittsburgh Point 1968 Allegheny County
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carton # 5-7 Correspondence, Publicity, Forms, etc (Folders # 5-7 to 7-3) 1958-1979 no county listed

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carton 11 Agriculture (Folder #11-15) 1973-1974 no county listed

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carton 13 Century Farm (Folder #13-17) 1972-1974 no county listed
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Publications

carton # 1 Country Farms, Bradford County, Farm Project 1972 - 1973 Bradford County
Series # 13.30 Inventory of Canal Commissioners' Maps in the PA State Archives 1968 All Counties

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box 3 Book - Fletcher, Agriculture and Country Life
Series # 13.48 Reports, Correspondence, and Research File Relating to the War History Program, 1938-1947
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carton #3 Milk Control Commission 1942-1946 no county listed

Pennsylvania Historical Commission 1913 - 1945

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carton 3 Photo - Agriculture: Tobacco Growing 1940 Clinton County
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note: surveys and drafts of land tracts in Clearfield, Elk and Potter Counties

MG 35  Edward Caphausen Papers  
1882-1903  
Erie County

MG 38  Cope Family Papers  
1793-1937  
Susquehanna Co

note: William Drinker Cope (b. 1798) was a Susquehanna county farmer

MG 102  Samuel F Peters Papers  
1836-1883  
Armstrong County

MG 116  Snyder Family Collection  
1787-1843  
Snyder County

note: contains land transactions from Penn township then in Union county

MG 123  Mrs Elisha D Swift Papers  
1790-1917  
Allegheny County

MG 127  Vincent Tonkin Papers  
1867-1899  
Indiana County

MG 133  Welles Family Collection  
1821-1911  
Bradford County

note: some correspondence about farming in Bradford county

MG 141  John D Black Papers  
1815-1923  
Erie County

MG 142  John R Haudenshield Papers  
1901-1962  
Allegheny County

MG 149  Stevens-Outman Family Papers  
1884-1920  
Potter County

note: diaries of Erastus C. Outman - discusses farm work in Potter county

MG 159  John S Fisher Papers  
1886-1940  
Jefferson County

MG 161  John M Phillips Papers  
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MG 162  Selden Family Collection  
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Pike County

note: may include references to farming in Pike county

MG 177  Alfred King Collection  
1801-1929  
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MG 180  Millicent Barton Rex Collection  
1762-1949  
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MG 188  Woods Family Collection  
1794-1952  
Centre County

note: contains farming conditions and land papers

MG 189  Kelly Family Papers  
1815-1937  
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MG 190  James H Duff Papers  
1943-1951  
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MG 191  David L Lawerence Papers  
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MG 209  Raymond P Shafer Papers  
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MG 213  Postcard Collection  
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MG 218  Photograph Collections - Z. Agriculture  
1853-today  
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note: under - Z1 - views of Honeywood (Helenwood) farm -Monroe township

MG 219  Philadelphia Commercial Museum Photo Collection  
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*note:* sorted by county and subject (includes agriculture)

*note:* 1 reel of film on Wyoming county

*note:* McKean, Cameron, Potter, Clearfield, and Clinton counties - notes, maps, ledgers

*note:* contains the meeting minutes of the New Milford Dairy Co.

*note:* 25 almanacs and agricultural information

*note:* deeds and conveyances

*note:* photos of scenes in Juniata and Mifflin counties