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MS0804
Pima County (Ariz.)
Business license records, 1886-1898

DESCRIPTION

Ledger of "Sheriff's License Tax Report" for Pima County, reporting license taxes collected from July 1886 to Sept. 1898. The ledger gives the business owner's name, town, business type, amount of tax, date license expires and includes summaries by class or type of business. Includes businesses throughout southern Arizona including Tucson, Nogales, Harshaw, Arivaca, Quijotoa, Crittenden, and Greaterville. In 1886, several types of businesses are included; however, from 1887 forward the businesses are saloons, liquor sellers, gaming, opera houses, circuses and peddlars.

1 box, 1 linear ft.

HISTORICAL NOTE

Pima County was established in 1864. According to John Plesent Gray, the Sheriff was allowed to keep ten percent of the taxes he collected..

RELATED MATERIAL

Related collection: MS 183 Pima County records

ACQUISITION

Unknown.

ACCESS

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PROCESSING

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