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Preface

The first postwar census was carried out Dec. 1, 1950, in accordance with Ordinance # 25 of U. S. Military Government in Ryukyu Islands (Oct. 18, 1950). The Population Census at this time is the second postwar census and provisional one based on the Statistical Law.

Some principal results of the provisional population census taken on Dec. 1, 1955, have been presented in two volumes of Monthly Statistics, the Special Volume of 1956 and No. 27 of Aug. 1956.

This report will be the final report which shows the results in detail according to Shi-Cho-Son. This report presents the outline of the census survey, that is, survey system, items, method and definitions of terms. This report, moreover, presents the summary tables of the present census and illustrates on the population-structure of the Ryukyus in comparison with the corresponding 1950 data for the convenience of users of this report.

The reader will find some characteristics of the results, for the census was made after the postwar period of ten years under the influence of the war.

Nowadays the most of the fundamental statistical data have been lost through the war, it is our hope that the report will be utilized as one of the fundamental data for all needs.

We wish to express our sincere gratitude to many people for their hearty cooperation with us throughout the work of this census, from its planning and field work to the compilation of the results.

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