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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES, *May* 24, 1862.

Resolved, That there be printed and bound for the use of the Senate forty-seven thousand five hundred copies of the Preliminary Report on the Eighth Census, and two thousand five hundred copies for the use of the Department of the Interior; and that the same be printed at the government printing establishment under the supervision of the Superintendent of the Census.

Attest:

J. W. FORNEY, *Secretary*.

LETTER

OF

THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR,

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A preliminary report on the Eighth Census.

MAY 21, 1862.—Referred to the Joint Committee on Printing and ordered to be printed.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
Washington, May 19, 1862.

SIR: I have the honor to communicate a preliminary report on the Eighth Census, by the Superintendent of that work.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

CALEB B. SMITH,
Secretary.

The PRESIDENT *of the Senate.*