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Duluth--- J. Clark Laundergan, UMD assistant professor of sociology, and two other researchers have authored a study of population and socio-economic trends in the North Central United States.

The report compares the migration, farming and labor trends during the decade of 1950 to 1960.

Co-authors with Laundergan are Ward W. Bauder, U.S. Department of Agriculture professor of research at Cornell University, and Ronald G. Klietsch, a former Duluthian who is now director of the Simulation Research Center at Macalester College.

The report studies the net migration in the counties of the North Central States and Kentucky, comparing the per cent of the labor force in manufacturing and agriculture.

States included in the study were Illinois, Iowa, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota and Wisconsin.