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# Colusa County

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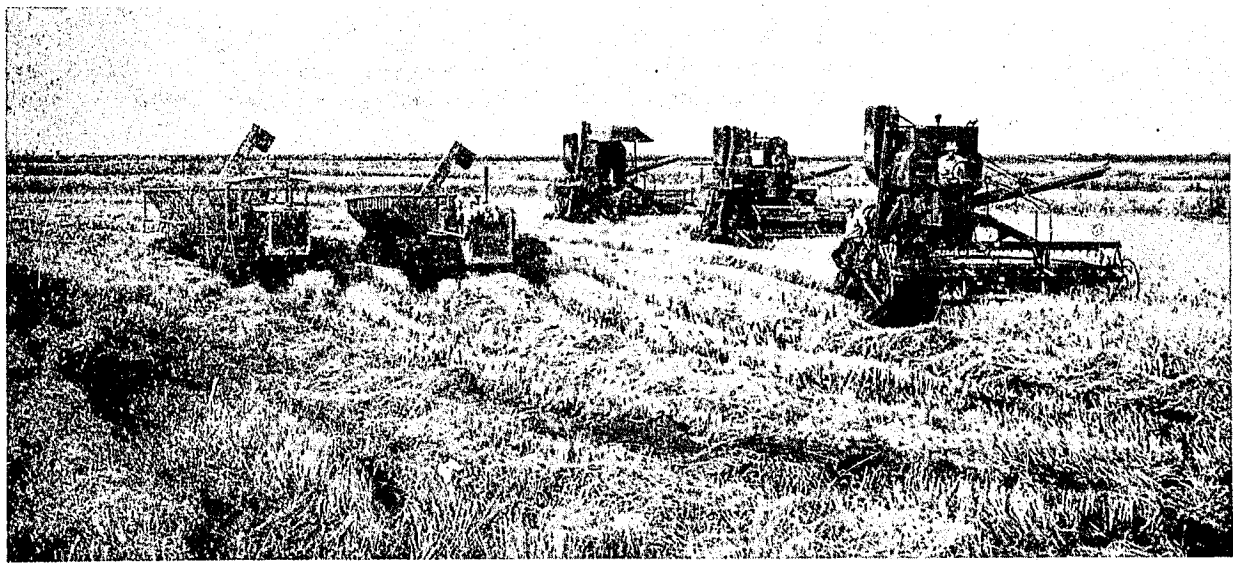
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# Agricultural Crop Report



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The Honorable Board of Supervisors  
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Colusa, Calif.

Gentlemen:

It is with pleasure that I submit to you the 1958 Annual Crop Report of Colusa county, as required by Section 65.5 of the Agricultural Code.

This report covers the acreage, production and value of all crops produced in Colusa county, including livestock, livestock products and Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation program payments. These figures represent gross income to the farmers and do not take into consideration the cost of production and harvesting.

Even though the farm income showed an increase over 1957, it should be noted that 1958 was one of the most difficult farming years in our memory and costs of production were particularly high.

This report has been prepared jointly by the Extension Service and the Agricultural Commissioner's office. We wish to thank the many people and firms who have assisted us in the preparation of this report.

Respectfully submitted,

*Fielden F. Swim*

Fielden F. Swim,  
Agricultural Commissioner and  
Sealer of Weights and Measures.

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FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1958)

| Crop                   | Year | Harvested<br>acreage | Production<br>(in tons) |           | Value      |              |
|------------------------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------|------------|--------------|
|                        |      |                      | Per<br>acre             | Total     | Per<br>ton | Total        |
| Barley                 | 1957 | 78,428               | 1.05                    | 82,344.5  | \$ 39.00   | \$ 3,211,831 |
|                        | 1958 | 58,880               | .4                      | 23,543    | 40.00      | 1,341,720    |
| Beans, dry             | 1957 | 2,162                | .95                     | 2,062.1   | 134.54     | 276,830      |
|                        | 1958 | 4,845                | .6                      | 2,908     | 131.00     | 380,948      |
| Corn, for grain        | 1957 | 525                  | 3.5                     | 1,840.8   | 52.00      | 95,722       |
|                        | 1958 | 460                  | 1.6                     | 736       | 50.00      | 36,800       |
| Hay, all               | 1957 |                      |                         | 16,560    | 20.00      | 331,200      |
| Hay, Alfalfa           | 1958 | 3,389                | 4.1                     | 16,058    | 21.00      | 337,218      |
| Hay, grain             | 1958 | 423                  | 2.0                     | 845       | 16.00      | 13,520       |
| Oats                   | 1957 |                      |                         | 930.65    | 42.00      | 39,087       |
|                        | 1958 | 462                  | 1.8                     | 831       | 42.00      | 34,902       |
| Pasture,<br>irrigated  | 1957 | 12,600               |                         |           | 25.00      | 315,000      |
|                        | 1958 | 12,600               |                         |           | 40.00      | 504,000      |
| Pasture, other         | 1957 | 407,560              |                         |           |            | 501,894      |
|                        | 1958 | 407,560              |                         |           | 1.50       | 611,340      |
| Peas, dry              | 1957 | 258                  | .45                     | 116.2     | 65.00      | 7,553        |
|                        | 1958 | 782                  | .6                      | 478.5     | 80.00      | 38,280       |
| Rice                   | 1957 |                      |                         | 98,602.75 | 90.00      | 8,874,248    |
|                        | 1958 |                      |                         | 111,098   | 85.00      | 9,443,330    |
| Rice, certified        | 1957 |                      |                         | 347.5     | 120.00     | 41,700       |
|                        | 1958 |                      |                         | 498       | 120.00     | 59,760       |
| Rice, total            | 1957 | 48,119               | 2.06                    | 98,950.25 |            | 8,915,948    |
|                        | 1958 | 50,340               | 2.22                    | 111,596   |            | 9,503,090    |
| Safflower              | 1957 | 12,827               | .81                     | 10,414    | 76.00      | 791,464      |
|                        | 1958 | 18,600               | .75                     | 13,995    | 76.00      | 1,063,620    |
| Sorghums,<br>for grain | 1957 | 9,705                | 1.8                     | 18,099.35 | 40.00      | 723,974      |
|                        | 1958 | 14,800               | 1.4                     | 20,831    | 61.60      | 1,283,190    |
| Sugar beets            | 1957 | 6,688                | 19.9                    | 133,183   | 11.00      | 1,465,013    |
|                        | 1958 | 6,702                | 13.4                    | 89,803    | 11.75      | 1,055,185    |
| Wheat                  | 1957 | 4,238                | .99                     | 4,207.65  | 70.00      | 294,536      |
|                        | 1958 | 2,994                | .38                     | 1,132     | 60.60      | 68,599       |
| 1958 TOTAL             |      |                      |                         |           |            | \$16,272,412 |

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE (1958)

| CROP                               | YEAR | HARVESTED ACREAGE | PRODUCTION (IN POUNDS, CLEANED) |           | VALUE     |            |
|------------------------------------|------|-------------------|---------------------------------|-----------|-----------|------------|
|                                    |      |                   | PER ACRE                        | TOTAL     | PER POUND | TOTAL      |
| Alfalfa                            | 1957 | 4,929             | 321                             | 1,582,204 | .223      | \$ 355,125 |
|                                    | 1958 | 4,461             | 315                             | 1,405,155 | .24       | 337,237    |
| Ladino clover                      | 1957 | 470               | 188                             | 88,152    | .28       | 24,683     |
|                                    | 1958 | 392               | 200                             | 78,289    | .50       | 39,145     |
| Sudan grass                        | 1957 | 799               | 1109                            | 886,186   | .045      | 39,878     |
|                                    | 1958 | 572               | 1200                            | 685,966   | .06       | 41,158     |
| Vetch, purple                      | 1957 |                   |                                 | 278,263   | .05       | 13,913     |
|                                    | 1958 | 311               | 1200                            | 372,385   | .07       | 26,067     |
| Other hay, pasture and cover crops | 1957 | 440               | 1606                            | 706,900   | .04       | 28,276     |
|                                    | 1958 | 258               | 176                             | 45,369    | .15       | 6,805      |
| Vegetable crop                     | 1957 | 349               | 398                             | 138,969   | .445      | 61,770     |
|                                    | 1958 | 559               | 504                             | 281,645   | .51       | 143,639    |
| 1958 TOTAL                         |      |                   |                                 |           |           | \$ 594,051 |

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE (1958)

| CROP       | YEAR | HARVESTED ACREAGE | PRODUCTION (IN TONS) |       | VALUE   |            |
|------------|------|-------------------|----------------------|-------|---------|------------|
|            |      |                   | PER ACRE             | TOTAL | PER TON | TOTAL      |
| Tomatoes   | 1957 | 505               | 12.6                 | 6,365 | 21.00   | \$ 133,665 |
|            | 1958 | 475               | 15.7                 | 7,484 | 22.50   | 168,390    |
| 1958 TOTAL |      |                   |                      |       |         | \$ 168,390 |

FRUIT & NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE (1958)

| CROP            | YEAR | BEARING ACREAGE | PRODUCTION (IN TONS) |         | VALUE   |              |
|-----------------|------|-----------------|----------------------|---------|---------|--------------|
|                 |      |                 | PER ACRE             | TOTAL   | PER TON | TOTAL        |
| Almonds         | 1957 | 8,550           | .475                 | 4,072   | 480.00  | \$ 1,954,560 |
|                 | 1958 | 8,550           | .245                 | 2,094.5 | 750.00  | 1,570,875    |
| Apricots, Fresh | 1957 | 205             | 1.4                  | 285     | 120.00  | 34,200       |
|                 | 1958 | 205             | .1                   | 22      | 90.00   | 1,980        |



FRUIT & NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1958 Cont'd.

| CROP                                      | YEAR | BEARING ACREAGE | PRODUCTION (IN TONS) |             | VALUE     |             |
|---|------|-----------------|----------------------|-------------|-----------|-------------|
|   |      |                 | PER ACRE             | TOTAL       | PER TON   | TOTAL       |
| Apples, Berries<br>Oranges and<br>Peaches | 1958 |                 |                      |             |           | \$ 13,900   |
| Prunes                                    | 1957 | 3,613           | 1.8                  | 6,903       | \$ 210.00 | 1,479,630   |
|   | 1958 | 3,613           | 1.18                 | 4,251       | 365.00    | 1,551,615   |
| Walnuts, --<br>English                    | 1957 | 1,006           | .8                   | 855.25      | 470.00    | 401,968     |
|   | 1958 | 1,006           | 1.07                 | 1,077       | 400.00    | 430,800     |
| Black                                     | 1957 |                 |                      | 6,001 sacks | 1.00      | 6,001       |
|   | 1958 |                 |                      | 8,843 sacks | 1.00      | 8,843       |
| 1958 Total                                |      |                 |                      |             |           | \$3,578,013 |

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK  
1958

| ITEM               | YEAR | PRODUCTION (POUNDS) | VALUE     |              |
|--------------------|------|---------------------|-----------|--------------|
|                    |      |                     | PER POUND | TOTAL        |
| Cattle and calves  | 1957 |                     |           | \$ 809,750   |
|                    | 1958 | 10,375,000          | .26       | 2,697,500    |
| Sheep and lambs    | 1957 |                     |           | 1,112,000    |
|                    | 1958 | 10,170,000          | .20       | 2,034,000    |
| Hogs and pigs      | 1957 |                     |           | 232,300      |
|                    | 1958 | 1,480,500           | .236      | 349,398      |
| Chickens & Rabbits | 1958 |                     |           | 2,500        |
| 1958 Total         |      |                     |           | \$ 5,083,398 |

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS, 1958

| ITEM             | YEAR | PRODUCTION |         | VALUE    |            |
|------------------|------|------------|---------|----------|------------|
|                  |      | UNIT       | TOTAL   | PER UNIT | TOTAL      |
| Milk, cow<br>All | 1957 | Pound      | 533,000 |          | \$ 498,777 |
|                  | 1958 | Pound      | 582,000 |          | 540,240    |

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS, 1958, Cont'd.

| ITEM          | YEAR | PRODUCTION |         | VALUE    |            |
|---------------|------|------------|---------|----------|------------|
|               |      | UNIT       | TOTAL   | PER UNIT | TOTAL      |
| Market        | 1957 | Pound      | 139,000 |          | \$ 186,000 |
|               | 1958 | Pound      | 150,000 | 1.24     |            |
| Manufacturing | 1957 | Pound      | 394,000 |          | 354,240    |
|               | 1958 | Pound      | 492,000 | .82      |            |
| Wool          | 1957 | Pound      | 730,000 | .46      | 335,800    |
|               | 1958 | Pound      | 550,000 | .43      |            |
| Eggs, chicken | 1957 | Each       | 624,720 | .033     | 20,824     |
|               | 1958 | Each       | 422,136 | .033     |            |
| 1958 Total    |      |            |         |          | 790,811    |

PRODUCTION OF MISCELLANEOUS AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES, (1958)

| ITEM         | YEAR | PRODUCTION |         | VALUE    |           |
|--------------|------|------------|---------|----------|-----------|
|              |      | UNIT       | TOTAL   | PER UNIT | TOTAL     |
| Honey        | 1957 | Pound      | 224,760 | .11      | \$ 24,724 |
|              | 1958 | Pound      | 475,560 | .098     |           |
| Beeswax      | 1957 | Pound      | 4,025   | .54      | 2,174     |
|              | 1958 | Pound      | 12,150  | .42      |           |
| Package bees | 1957 | Packages   | 14,234  | 3.30     | 46,972    |
|              | 1958 | Packages   | 13,574  | 3.25     |           |
| Queen bees   | 1957 | Each       | 9,600   | 1.10     | 10,560    |
|              | 1958 | Each       | 17,850  | 1.10     |           |
| Pollenation  | 1957 | Colonies   | 3,200   | 3.30     | 11,330    |
|              | 1958 | Colonies   | 3,100   | 2.75     |           |
| 1958 Total   |      |            |         |          | \$123,984 |

1957 GRAND TOTAL \$25,836,096

1958 GRAND TOTAL \$26,611,059

SOIL BANK - 13,598 acres

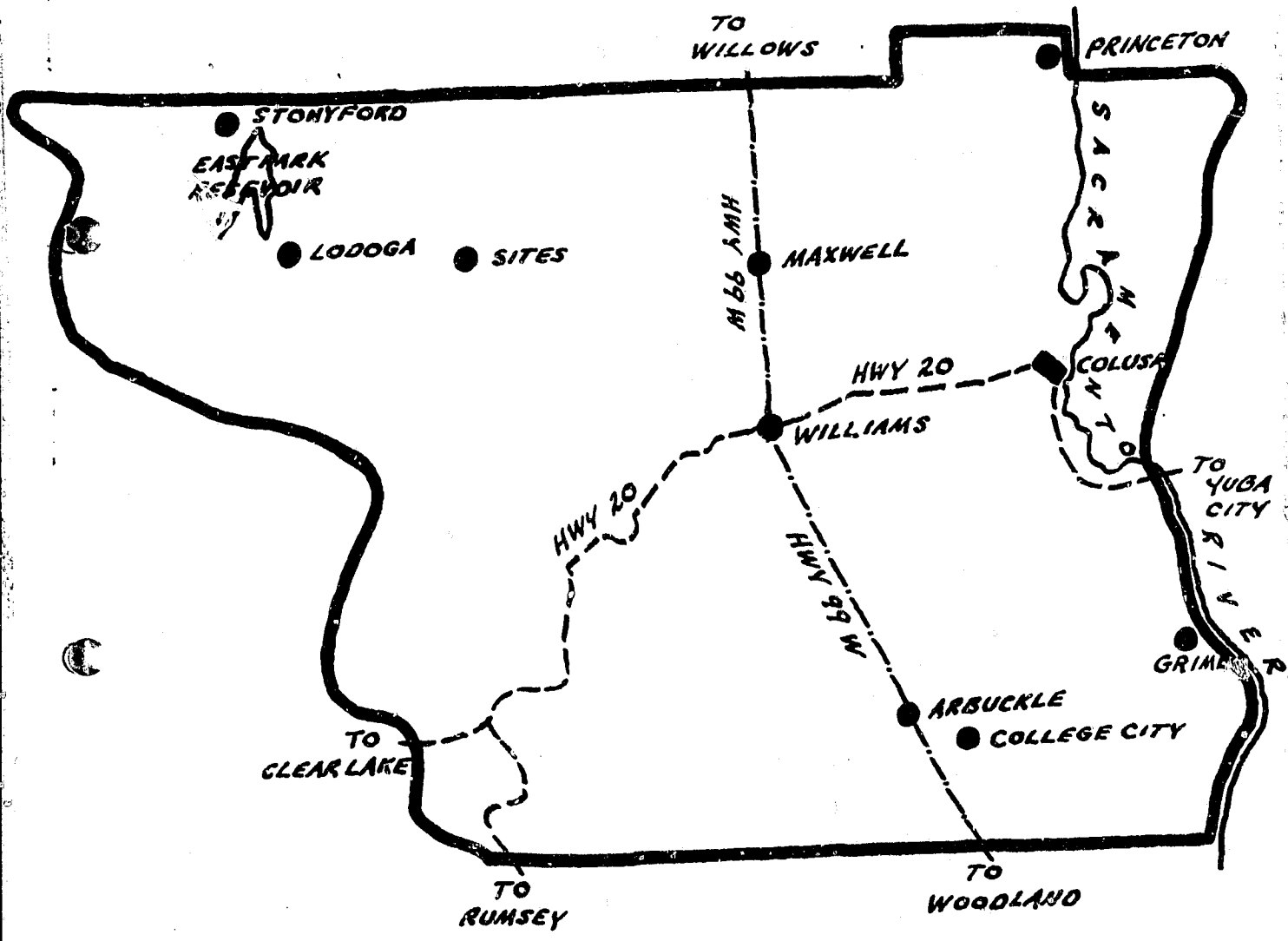
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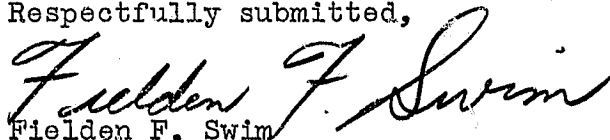
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This report covers the acreage, production, and value of all crops produced in Colusa County, including livestock and livestock products. These figures represent gross income to the farmers and do not take into consideration the cost of production and harvesting.

It should be noted that Colusa County farm income for 1959 was \$4,000,000 greater than for 1958, but still nearly \$6,000,000 lower than the income reported in 1952.

This report has been prepared jointly by the Extension Service and the Agricultural Commissioner's office. We wish to thank the many people and firms who have assisted us in the preparation of this report.

Respectfully submitted,



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Agricultural Commissioner and  
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SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1959)

| CROP                                      | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN POUNDS, CLEANED) |           | VALUE        |            |
|---|------|----------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|--------------|------------|
|   |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE                        | TOTAL     | PER<br>POUND | TOTAL      |
| Alfalfa                                   | 1958 | 4,461                | 315                                | 1,405,155 | .24          | \$ 337,237 |
|   | 1959 | 3,286                | 350                                | 1,150,028 | .26          | 299,007    |
| Ladino clover                             | 1958 | 392                  | 200                                | 78,289    | .50          | 39,145     |
|   | 1959 | 203                  | 275                                | 55,856    | .50          | 27,928     |
| Sudan grass                               | 1958 | 572                  | 1200                               | 685,966   | .06          | 41,158     |
|   | 1959 | 396                  | 2000                               | 792,390   | .055         | 43,581     |
| Vetch, purple                             | 1958 | 311                  | 1200                               | 372,385   | .07          | 26,067     |
|   | 1959 | 273                  | 1400                               | 383,325   | .07          | 26,833     |
| Other hay,<br>pasture, and<br>cover crops | 1958 | 258                  | 176                                | 45,369    | .15          | 6,805      |
|   | 1959 | 383                  | 300                                | 115,058   | .37          | 42,571     |
| Vegetable crops                           | 1958 | 559                  | 504                                | 281,645   | .51          | 143,639    |
|   | 1959 | 825                  | 575                                | 474,710   | .39          | 185,137    |
| 1959 TOTAL                                |      |                      |                                    |           |              | \$625,057  |

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1959)

| CROP       | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION (IN TONS) |        | VALUE      |           |
|------------|------|----------------------|----------------------|--------|------------|-----------|
|            |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE          | TOTAL  | PER<br>TON | TOTAL     |
| Tomatoes   | 1958 | 475                  | 15.7                 | 7,484  | 22.50      | \$168,390 |
|            | 1959 | 917                  | 17.6                 | 16,162 | 23.00      | 371,726   |
| 1959 TOTAL |      |                      |                      |        |            | \$371,726 |

FRUIT & NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1959)

| CROP                                | YEAR | BEARING ACREAGE | PRODUCTION (IN TONS) |             |         | VALUE        |
|-------------------------------------|------|-----------------|----------------------|-------------|---------|--------------|
|                                     |      |                 | PER ACRE             | TOTAL       | PER TON | TOTAL        |
| Almonds                             | 1958 | 8,550           | .245                 | 2,094.5     | 750.00  | \$ 1,570,875 |
|                                     | 1959 | 8,550           | .802                 | 6,895       | 440.00  | 3,033,800    |
| Apricots (Fresh)                    | 1958 | 205             | .1                   | 22          | 90.00   | 1,980        |
|                                     | 1959 | 205             | 1.24                 | 275         | 100.00  | 27,500       |
| Apples, Berries, Pears, and Peaches | 1958 |                 |                      |             |         | 13,900       |
|                                     | 1959 |                 |                      |             |         | 33,291       |
| Prunes                              | 1958 | 3,613           | 1.18                 | 4,251       | 365.00  | 1,551,615    |
|                                     | 1959 | 3,613           | 1.25                 | 4,526       | 340.00  | 1,538,840    |
| Walnuts (English)                   | 1958 | 1,006           | 1.07                 | 1,077       | 400.00  | 430,800      |
|                                     | 1959 | 1,006           | .65                  | 656         | 460.00  | 301,760      |
| Walnuts (Black)                     | 1958 |                 |                      | 8,843 sacks | 1.00    | 8,843        |
|                                     | 1959 |                 |                      | 10,689 "    | 1.00    | 10,689       |

1959 Total \$4,945,880

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK (1959)

| ITEM              | YEAR | PRODUCTION (POUNDS) |           | VALUE       |
|-------------------|------|---------------------|-----------|-------------|
|                   |      |                     | PER POUND | TOTAL       |
| Cattle and Calves | 1958 | 10,375,000          | .26       | \$2,697,500 |
|                   | 1959 | 10,300,000          | .24       | 2,442,000   |
| Sheep and lambs   | 1958 | 10,170,000          | .20       | 2,034,000   |
|                   | 1959 | 10,350,000          | .20       | 2,070,000   |
| Hogs and pigs     | 1958 | 1,480,500           | .236      | 349,398     |
|                   | 1959 | 1,125,000           | .17       | 191,250     |
| Chickens, Rabbits | 1959 |                     |           | 2,500       |

1959 Total \$4,705,750



## FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1959)

| CROP                   | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |         | VALUE   |              |
|------------------------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|---------|---------|--------------|
|                        |      |                      | PER ACRE                | TOTAL   | PER TON | TOTAL        |
| Barley                 | 1958 | 58,880               | .4                      | 23,543  | \$40.00 | \$ 941,720   |
|                        | 1959 | 46,393               | 1.05                    | 48,713  | 40.00   | 1,948,520    |
| Beans, dry             | 1958 | 4,845                | .6                      | 2,908   | 131.00  | 380,948      |
|                        | 1959 | 4,746                | .5                      | 2,373   | 160.00  | 379,680      |
| Corn, for<br>Grain     | 1958 | 460                  | 1.6                     | 736     | 50.00   | 36,800       |
|                        | 1959 | 1,498                | 1.6                     | 2,396   | 50.00   | 119,800      |
| Hay, Alfalfa           | 1958 | 3,889                | 4.1                     | 16,058  | 21.00   | 337,218      |
|                        | 1959 | 4,176                | 4.0                     | 16,703  | 20.00   | 334,060      |
| Hay, Green             | 1958 | 423                  | 2.0                     | 845     | 16.00   | 13,520       |
|                        | 1959 | 418                  | 2.0                     | 835     | 16.00   | 13,360       |
| Oats                   | 1958 | 462                  | 1.8                     | 831     | 42.00   | 34,902       |
|                        | 1959 | 1,200                | .85                     | 1,020   | 40.00   | 40,800       |
| Pasture,<br>Irrigated  | 1958 | 12,600               |                         |         | 40.00   | 504,000      |
|                        | 1959 | 12,600               |                         |         | 37.50   | 472,500      |
| Pasture, Other         | 1958 | 407,560              |                         |         | 1.50    | 611,340      |
|                        | 1959 | 407,560              |                         |         | 1.40    | 575,584      |
| Peas, dry              | 1958 | 782                  | .6                      | 478.5   | 80.00   | 38,280       |
|                        | 1959 | 74                   | .5                      | 37      | 80.00   | 2,960        |
| Rice                   | 1958 |                      |                         | 111,098 | 85.00   | 9,443,330    |
|                        | 1959 |                      |                         | 123,944 | 85.00   | 10,535,240   |
| Rice,<br>Certified     | 1958 |                      |                         | 498     | 120.00  | 59,760       |
|                        | 1959 |                      |                         | 1,950   | 120.00  | 234,000      |
| Rice, total            | 1958 | 50,340               | 2.22                    | 111,596 |         | 9,503,090    |
|                        | 1959 | 58,769               | 2.14                    | 125,894 |         | 10,769,240   |
| Safflower              | 1958 | 18,600               | .75                     | 13,995  | 76.00   | 1,063,620    |
|                        | 1959 | 21,440               | .8                      | 17,050  | 76.00   | 1,295,800    |
| Screenings             | 1959 |                      |                         | 15,946  | 20.00   | 318,920      |
| Sorghums,<br>for grain | 1958 | 14,800               | 1.4                     | 20,831  | 61.60   | 1,283,190    |
|                        | 1959 | 5,641                | 1.5                     | 8,462   | 39.50   | 334,249      |
| Sugar Beets            | 1958 | 6,702                | 13.4                    | 89,803  | 11.75   | 1,055,185    |
|                        | 1959 | 8,363                | 22.06                   | 184,488 | 12.00   | 2,213,856    |
| Wheat                  | 1958 | 2,994                | .38                     | 1,132   | 60.60   | 68,599       |
|                        | 1959 | 5,726                | .8                      | 4,754   | 58.00   | 275,732      |
| 1959 Total             |      |                      |                         |         |         | \$19,095,061 |

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS (1959)


| ITEM             | YEAR | PRODUCTION |         | VALUE    |            |
|------------------|------|------------|---------|----------|------------|
|                  |      | UNIT       | TOTAL   | PER UNIT | TOTAL      |
| Milk, cow<br>All | 1958 | Pound      | 582,000 |          | \$ 540,240 |
|                  | 1959 | Pound      | 537,425 |          | 542,992    |
| Market           | 1958 | Pound      | 150,000 | 1.24     | 186,000    |
|                  | 1959 | Pound      | 152,075 | 1.29     | 196,177    |
| Manufacturing    | 1958 | Pound      | 492,000 | .82      | 354,240    |
|                  | 1959 | Pound      | 385,350 | .90      | 346,815    |
| Cool             | 1958 | Pound      | 550,000 | .43      | 236,500    |
|                  | 1959 | Pound      | 720,000 | .49      | 352,800    |
| Eggs, Chicken    | 1958 | Each       | 422,136 | .033     | 14,071     |
|                  | 1959 | Each       | 262,800 | .033     | 8,672      |
| 1959 Total       |      |            |         |          | \$ 904,464 |

PRODUCTION OF MISCELLANEOUS AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES (1959)

| ITEM         | YEAR | PRODUCTION |         | VALUE    |           |
|--------------|------|------------|---------|----------|-----------|
|              |      | UNIT       | TOTAL   | PER UNIT | TOTAL     |
| Honey        | 1958 | Pound      | 475,560 | .098     | \$ 46,605 |
|              | 1959 | Pound      | 396,300 | .083     | 32,893    |
| Beeswax      | 1958 | Pound      | 12,150  | .42      | 5,103     |
|              | 1959 | Pound      | 9,500   | .40      | 3,800     |
| Package bees | 1958 | Packages   | 13,574  | 3.25     | 44,116    |
|              | 1959 | Packages   | 12,750  | 3.25     | 41,438    |
| Queen bees   | 1958 | Each       | 17,850  | 1.10     | 19,635    |
|              | 1959 | Each       | 6,500   | 1.00     | 6,500     |
| Pollenation  | 1958 | Colonies   | 3,100   | 2.75     | 8,525     |
|              | 1959 | Colonies   | 3,000   | 2.50     | 7,500     |
| 1959 Total   |      |            |         |          | \$ 92,131 |

1958 GRAND TOTAL \$26,611,059

1959 GRAND TOTAL \$30,740,069

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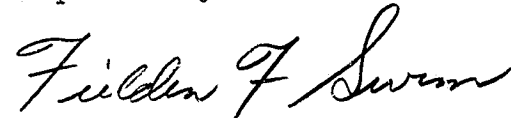
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rose sharply during the past year.

It should be noted that Colusa County  
farm income for 1960 was \$2,400,000 greater  
than that for 1959. However, it was still  
\$3,400,000 lower than the income reported in  
1952, which was the greatest ever recorded by  
this county.

This report, which is required by Section  
65.5 of the Agricultural Code, has been prepared  
jointly by the Extension Service and the office  
of the Agricultural Commissioner. We wish to  
thank the many people and firms who have given  
us invaluable assistance in the compilation of  
this report.

Respectfully submitted,



Fielden F. Swim  
Agricultural Commissioner and  
Sealer of Weights and Measures

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SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1960)

| CROP                                      | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN POUNDS, CLEANED) |           | VALUE        |            |
|---|------|----------------------|------------------------------------|-----------|--------------|------------|
|   |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE                        | TOTAL     | PER<br>POUND | TOTAL      |
| Alfalfa                                   | 1960 | 4,650                | 400                                | 1,859,000 | .28          | \$ 521,000 |
|   | 1959 | 3,290                | 350                                | 1,150,000 | .26          | 299,000    |
| Ladino Clover                             | 1960 | 350                  | 160                                | 55,000    | .60          | 33,000     |
|   | 1959 | 200                  | 280                                | 56,000    | .50          | 28,000     |
| Sudan Grass                               | 1960 | 860                  | 1,100                              | 942,000   | .065         | 61,000     |
|   | 1959 | 400                  | 2,000                              | 792,000   | .055         | 43,000     |
| Other Hay,<br>Pasture, And<br>Cover Crops | 1960 | 450                  | 1,000                              | 452,000   |              | 68,000     |
|   | 1959 | 380                  | 300                                | 115,000   |              | 43,000     |
| Vegetable<br>Crops                        | 1960 | 1,040                | 730                                | 764,000   | .42          | 321,000    |
|   | 1959 | 830                  | 580                                | 475,000   | .39          | 185,000    |

1960 TOTAL \$ 1,004,000

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1960)

| CROP     | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION (IN TONS) |        | VALUE      |         |
|----------|------|----------------------|----------------------|--------|------------|---------|
|          |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE          | TOTAL  | PER<br>TON | TOTAL   |
| Tomatoes | 1960 | 1,700                | 17.                  | 29,000 | 23.00      | 667,000 |
|          | 1959 | 920                  | 17.6                 | 16,000 | 23.00      | 372,000 |

1960 TOTAL \$ 667,000

FRUIT & NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1960)

| CROP                         | YEAR | BEARING ACREAGE | PRODUCTION (IN TONS) |              | VALUE   |              |
|------------------------------|------|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|---------|--------------|
|                              |      |                 | PER ACRE             | TOTAL        | PER TON | TOTAL        |
| Almonds                      | 1960 | 8,550           | .6                   | 5,200        | 520.00  | \$ 2,704,000 |
|                              | 1959 | 8,550           | .8                   | 6,900        | 440.00  |              |
| Apricots (Fresh)             | 1960 | 205             | 1.4                  | 300          | 100.00  | 30,000       |
|                              | 1959 | 205             | 1.2                  | 275          | 100.00  | 28,000       |
| Apples, Oranges, and Peaches | 1960 |                 |                      |              |         | 25,000       |
|                              | 1959 |                 |                      |              |         | 33,000       |
| Prunes                       | 1960 | 3,613           | 1.9                  | 7,000        | 380.00  | 2,660,000    |
|                              | 1959 | 3,613           | 1.3                  | 4,500        | 340.00  | 1,539,000    |
| Walnuts (English)            | 1960 | 1,006           | .6                   | 600          | 500.00  | 300,000      |
|                              | 1959 | 1,006           | .65                  | 660          | 460.00  | 302,000      |
| Walnuts (Black)              | 1960 |                 |                      | 9,000 sacks  | 1.00    | 9,000        |
|                              | 1959 |                 |                      | 11,000 sacks | 1.00    | 11,000       |

1960 TOTAL

\$ 5,728,000

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK (1960)

| ITEM              | YEAR | PRODUCTION (POUNDS) |  | VALUE     |              |
|-------------------|------|---------------------|--|-----------|--------------|
|                   |      |                     |  | PER POUND | TOTAL        |
| Cattle and Calves | 1960 | 10,764,000          |  | .24       | \$ 2,583,000 |
|                   | 1959 | 10,300,000          |  | .24       |              |
| Sheep and Lambs   | 1960 | 9,884,000           |  | .20       | 1,978,000    |
|                   | 1959 | 10,350,000          |  | .20       | 2,070,000    |
| Hogs and Pigs     | 1960 | 1,250,000           |  | .20       | 250,000      |
|                   | 1959 | 1,125,000           |  | .17       | 191,000      |

1960 TOTAL

\$ 4,811,000



FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1960)

| CROP                   | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |         | VALUE   |             |
|------------------------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|---------|---------|-------------|
|                        |      |                      | PER ACRE                | TOTAL   | PER TON | TOTAL       |
| Barley                 | 1960 | 55,000               | 1.1                     | 61,000  | \$38.00 | \$2,218,000 |
|                        | 1959 | 46,000               | 1.                      | 48,700  | 40.00   | 1,949,000   |
| Beans, dry             | 1960 | 4,000                | .75                     | 3,000   | 180.00  | 540,000     |
|                        | 1959 | 4,750                | .5                      | 2,370   | 160.00  | 380,000     |
| Hay, Alfalfa           | 1960 | 7,500                | 4.0                     | 30,000  | 20.00   | 600,000     |
|                        | 1959 | 4,180                | 4.0                     | 16,700  | 20.00   | 334,000     |
| Hay, Grain             | 1960 | 800                  | 2.0                     | 1,600   | 16.00   | 26,000      |
|                        | 1959 | 420                  | 2.0                     | 840     | 16.00   | 13,000      |
| Oats                   | 1960 | 1,000                | .8                      | 800     | 50.00   | 40,000      |
|                        | 1959 | 1,200                | .85                     | 1,020   | 40.00   | 41,000      |
| Pasture,<br>Irrigated  | 1960 | 12,600               |                         |         | 37.50   | 473,000     |
|                        | 1959 | 12,600               |                         |         | 37.50   | 473,000     |
| Pasture, Other         | 1960 | 407,560              |                         |         | 1.40    | 576,000     |
|                        | 1959 | 407,560              |                         |         | 1.40    | 576,000     |
| Rice                   | 1960 |                      |                         | 132,100 | 85.00   | 11,229,000  |
|                        | 1959 |                      |                         | 124,000 | 85.00   | 10,535,000  |
| Rice,<br>Certified     | 1960 |                      |                         | 1,900   | 120.00  | 228,000     |
|                        | 1959 |                      |                         | 1,950   | 120.00  | 234,000     |
| Rice Total             | 1960 | 60,970               | 2.2                     | 134,000 |         | 11,457,000  |
|                        | 1959 | 58,770               | 2.1                     | 125,900 |         | 10,769,000  |
| Safflower              | 1960 | 27,000               | .7                      | 18,900  | 80.00   | 1,512,000   |
|                        | 1959 | 21,400               | .8                      | 17,000  | 76.00   | 1,296,000   |
| Screenings             | 1960 |                      |                         | 19,000  | 18.00   | 342,000     |
|                        | 1959 |                      |                         | 16,000  | 20.00   | 319,000     |
| Sorghums,<br>for Grain | 1960 | 6,700                | 1.5                     | 11,000  | 38.00   | 418,000     |
|                        | 1959 | 5,640                | 1.5                     | 8,500   | 39.50   | 334,000     |
| Sugar Beets            | 1960 | 8,900                | 14.                     | 124,100 | 12.00   | 1,489,000   |
|                        | 1959 | 8,360                | 22.                     | 184,500 | 12.00   | 2,214,000   |
| Wheat                  | 1960 | 5,520                | .4                      | 2,300   | 60.00   | 138,000     |
|                        | 1959 | 5,730                | .8                      | 4,750   | 58.00   | 276,000     |

1960 Total

\$19,829,000

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS (1960)

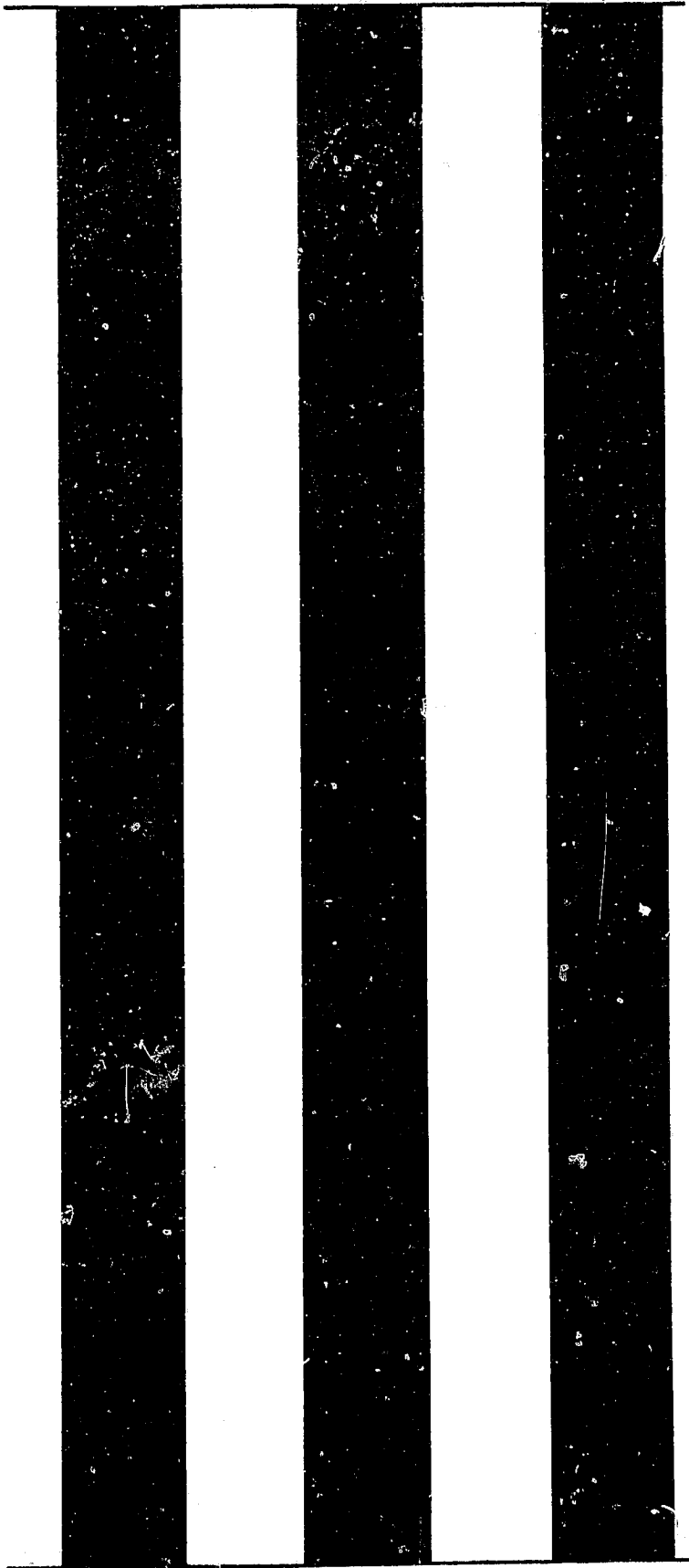
| ITEM          | YEAR | PRODUCTION |         | VALUE    |            |
|---------------|------|------------|---------|----------|------------|
|               |      | UNIT       | TOTAL   | PER UNIT | TOTAL      |
| Milk, Cow     | 1960 | Cwt.       | 147,000 |          | \$ 513,000 |
| All           | 1959 | Cwt.       | 154,000 |          | 545,000    |
| Market        | 1960 | Cwt.       | 42,000  | 4.43     | 188,000    |
|               | 1959 | Cwt.       | 44,000  | 4.54     | 197,000    |
| Manufacturing | 1960 | Cwt.       | 105,000 | 3.10     | 325,000    |
|               | 1959 | Cwt.       | 110,000 | 3.16     | 348,000    |
| Wool          | 1960 | Pound      | 688,000 | .49      | 337,000    |
|               | 1959 | Pound      | 720,000 | .49      | 353,000    |
| 1960 TOTAL    |      |            |         |          | \$ 850,000 |

PRODUCTION OF MISCELLANEOUS AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES (1960)

| ITEM             | YEAR | PRODUCTION |         | VALUE    |               |
|------------------|------|------------|---------|----------|---------------|
|                  |      | UNIT       | TOTAL   | PER UNIT | TOTAL         |
| Honey            | 1960 | Pound      | 396,000 | .12      | 47,500        |
|                  | 1959 | Pound      | 396,000 | .8       | 33,000        |
| Beeswax          | 1960 | Pound      | 10,000  | .40      | 4,000         |
|                  | 1959 | Pound      | 9,500   | .40      | 3,800         |
| Package Bees     | 1960 | Packages   | 15,000  | 3.25     | 49,000        |
|                  | 1959 | Packages   | 13,000  | 3.25     | 42,000        |
| Queen Bees       | 1960 | Each       | 12,000  | 1.10     | 13,000        |
|                  | 1959 | Each       | 6,500   | 1.00     | 6,500         |
| Pollenation      | 1960 | Colonies   | 9,000   | 2.50     | 22,500        |
|                  | 1959 | Colonies   | 3,000   | 2.50     | 7,500         |
| 1960 TOTAL       |      |            |         |          | \$ 136,000    |
| 1960 GRAND TOTAL |      |            |         |          | \$ 33,025,000 |
| 1959 GRAND TOTAL |      |            |         |          | \$ 30,740,000 |

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|                  |               |
|------------------|---------------|
| 1960 GRAND TOTAL | \$ 33,025,000 |
| 1959 GRAND TOTAL | 30,740,000    |
| 1958 GRAND TOTAL | 26,611,000    |
| 1957 GRAND TOTAL | 25,836,000    |
| 1956 GRAND TOTAL | 29,816,000    |



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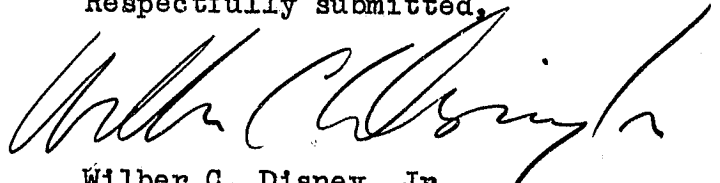
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Respectfully submitted,



Wilber C. Disney, Jr.  
Agricultural Commissioner

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FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1961)

| CROP                   | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |         | VALUE      |             |
|------------------------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|---------|------------|-------------|
|                        |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL   | PER<br>TON | TOTAL       |
| Barley                 | 1961 | 57,000               | 1.2                     | 68,400  | \$38.00    | \$2,599,200 |
|                        | 1960 | 55,000               | 1.1                     | 61,000  | 38.00      | 2,318,000   |
| Beans, Dry             | 1961 | 4,300                | .6                      | 2,580   | 180.00     | 464,400     |
|                        | 1960 | 4,000                | .75                     | 3,000   | 180.00     | 540,000     |
| Hay, Alfalfa           | 1961 | 8,000                | 4.0                     | 32,000  | 20.00      | 640,000     |
|                        | 1960 | 7,500                | 4.0                     | 30,000  | 20.00      | 600,000     |
| Hay, Grain             | 1961 | 1,000                | 2.0                     | 2,000   | 16.00      | 32,000      |
|                        | 1960 | 800                  | 2.0                     | 1,600   | 16.00      | 26,000      |
| Oats                   | 1961 | 1,200                | .9                      | 1,080   | 60.00      | 64,800      |
|                        | 1960 | 1,000                | .8                      | 800     | 50.00      | 40,000      |
| Pasture,<br>Irrigated  | 1961 | 12,600               |                         |         | 37.50      | 472,500     |
|                        | 1960 | 12,600               |                         |         | 37.50      | 472,500     |
| Pasture,<br>Other      | 1961 | 407,560              |                         |         | 1.40       | 570,600     |
|                        | 1960 | 407,560              |                         |         | 1.40       | 570,600     |
| Rice                   | 1961 |                      |                         | 138,050 | 85.00      | 11,734,250  |
|                        | 1960 |                      |                         | 132,100 | 85.00      | 11,228,500  |
| Rice,<br>Certified     | 1961 |                      |                         | 1,950   | 120.00     | 234,000     |
|                        | 1960 |                      |                         | 1,900   | 120.00     | 228,000     |
| Rice Total             | 1961 | 63,600               | 2.2                     | 140,000 |            | 11,968,250  |
|                        | 1960 | 60,970               | 2.2                     | 134,000 |            | 11,456,500  |
| Safflower              | 1961 | 32,000               | .6                      | 19,200  | 85.00      | 1,632,000   |
|                        | 1960 | 27,000               | .7                      | 18,900  | 80.00      | 1,512,000   |
| Screenings             | 1961 |                      |                         | 18,000  | 18.00      | 324,000     |
|                        | 1960 |                      |                         | 19,000  | 18.00      | 342,000     |
| Sorghums,<br>for Grain | 1961 | 3,400                | 1.5                     | 5,600   | 38.00      | 193,800     |
|                        | 1960 | 6,700                | 1.5                     | 11,000  | 38.00      | 418,000     |
| Sugar Beets            | 1961 | 10,100               | 11.3                    | 115,000 | 12.00      | 1,380,000   |
|                        | 1960 | 8,900                | 14.                     | 124,100 | 12.00      | 1,489,200   |
| Wheat                  | 1961 | 5,680                | .6                      | 3,408   | 60.00      | 204,480     |
|                        | 1960 | 5,520                | .4                      | 2,300   | 60.00      | 138,000     |

1961 Total - - - - \$20,546,030  
 1960 Total - - - - 19,925,800



FRUIT & NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1961)

| CROP  | YEAR | BEARING<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |              | VALUE      |             |
|---|------|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------|------------|-------------|
|   |      |                    | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL        | PER<br>TON | TOTAL       |
| Almonds   | 1961 | 9,233              | .53                     | 4,900        | 500.00     | \$2,450,000 |
|   | 1960 | 8,550              | .6                      | 5,200        | 520.00     | 2,704,000   |
| Apples,<br>pricots,<br>Oranges,<br>and<br>Peaches | 1961 |                    |                         |              |            | 60,000      |
|   | 1960 |                    |                         |              |            | 55,000      |
| Prunes  | 1961 | 3,875              | 1.9                     | 7,510        | 321.00     | 2,410,700   |
|   | 1960 | 3,613              | 1.9                     | 7,000        | 380.00     | 2,660,000   |
| Walnuts<br>(English)                              | 1961 | 1,443              | .6                      | 865          | 500.00     | 432,500     |
|   | 1960 | 1,006              | .6                      | 600          | 500.00     | 300,000     |
| Walnuts<br>(Black)                                | 1961 |                    |                         | 12,000 sacks | 1.00       | 12,000      |
|   | 1960 |                    |                         | 9,000 sacks  | 1.00       | 9,000       |

1961 TOTAL \$5,365,200  
1960 TOTAL 5,728,000

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK (1961)

| ITEM              | YEAR | PRODUCTION  |                                  | VALUE    |             |
|-------------------|------|-------------|----------------------------------|----------|-------------|
|                   |      | NO.<br>HEAD | TOTAL<br>LIVEWEIGHT<br>(IN CWT.) | PER CWT. | TOTAL       |
| Cattle and Calves | 1961 | 25,000      | 170,000                          | \$22.00  | \$3,740,000 |
|                   | 1960 |             | 107,640                          | 24.00    | 2,583,000   |
| Sheep and Lambs   | 1961 | 80,000      | 90,000                           | 12.50    | 1,125,000   |
|                   | 1960 |             | 98,840                           | 20.00    | 1,977,000   |
| Hogs and Pigs     | 1961 | 12,000      | 8,400                            | 23.00    | 193,000     |
|                   | 1960 |             | 12,500                           | 20.00    | 250,000     |

1961 TOTAL \$5,058,000  
1960 TOTAL 4,810,000

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS (1961)

| ITEM          | YEAR | PRODUCTION |      | VALUE    |           |
|---------------|------|------------|------|----------|-----------|
|               |      | TOTAL      | UNIT | PER UNIT | TOTAL     |
| Milk, Cow     | 1961 | 173,000    | Cwt. |          | \$638,000 |
| All           | 1960 | 147,000    | Cwt. |          | 511,000   |
| Market        | 1961 | 50,700     | Cwt. | 4.53     | 230,000   |
|               | 1960 | 42,000     | Cwt. | 4.43     | 186,000   |
| Manufacturing | 1961 | 123,000    | Cwt. | 3.32     | 408,000   |
|               | 1960 | 105,000    | Cwt. | 3.10     | 325,000   |
| Wool          | 1961 | 480,000    | Lbs. | .50      | 240,000   |
|               | 1960 | 688,000    | Lbs. | .49      | 337,000   |

1961 TOTAL \$878,000  
1960 TOTAL 848,000

PRODUCTION OF MISCELLANEOUS AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES (1961)

| ITEM         | YEAR | PRODUCTION |          | VALUE    |          |
|--------------|------|------------|----------|----------|----------|
|              |      | TOTAL      | UNIT     | PER UNIT | TOTAL    |
| Honey        | 1961 | 392,000    | Lbs.     | .10      | \$39,200 |
|              | 1960 | 396,000    | Lbs.     | .12      | 47,500   |
| Beeswax      | 1961 | 9,800      | Lbs.     | .40      | 3,900    |
|              | 1960 | 10,000     | Lbs.     | .40      | 4,000    |
| Package Bees | 1961 | 13,000     | Pkgs.    | 3.50     | 45,500   |
|              | 1960 | 15,000     | Pkgs.    | 3.25     | 48,800   |
| Queen Bees   | 1961 | 10,000     | Each     | 1.15     | 11,500   |
|              | 1960 | 12,000     | Each     | 1.10     | 13,200   |
| Pollenation  | 1961 | 4,000      | Colonies | 2.00     | 8,000    |
|              | 1960 | 9,000      | Colonies | 2.50     | 22,500   |

1961 TOTAL \$108,100  
1960 TOTAL 136,000

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1961)

| CROP  | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN LBS., CLEANED) |           |            | VALUE     |  |
|---|------|----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|--|
|   |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE                      | TOTAL     | PER<br>LB. | TOTAL     |  |
| Alfalfa                                       | 1961 | 5,670                | 300                              | 1,701,000 | .30        | \$510,300 |  |
|   | 1960 | 4,650                | 400                              | 1,859,000 | .28        | 520,500   |  |
| Ladino Clover                                 | 1961 | 450                  | 140                              | 63,000    | .60        | 37,800    |  |
|   | 1960 | 350                  | 160                              | 55,000    | .60        | 33,000    |  |
| Sudan Grass                                   | 1961 | 1,500                | 1,000                            | 1,500,000 | .075       | 112,500   |  |
|   | 1960 | 860                  | 1,100                            | 942,000   | .065       | 61,000    |  |
| Other Hay,<br>Pasture, and<br>Cover Crops (1) | 1961 | 1,200                |                                  | 1,130,000 |            | 59,000    |  |
|   | 1960 | 450                  |                                  | 452,000   |            | 68,000    |  |
| Vegetable<br>Crops (2)                        | 1961 | 660                  | 700                              | 462,000   | .45        | 207,900   |  |
|   | 1960 | 1,040                | 730                              | 764,000   | .42        | 321,000   |  |

1961 Total \$ 927,500  
1960 Total 1,004,000

(1) Includes Vetch, Canadian Peas, Mustard, Ryegrass, and Bur Clover.

(2) Includes Cantaloupe, Cucumber, Squash, Watermelon, and Pumpkin.

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1961)

| CROP     | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION (IN TONS) |        |            | VALUE   |
|----------|------|----------------------|----------------------|--------|------------|---------|
|          |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE          | TOTAL  | PER<br>TON | TOTAL   |
| Tomatoes | 1961 | 1,800                | 16.                  | 28,800 | 30.00      | 864,000 |
|          | 1960 | 1,700                | 17.                  | 29,000 | 23.00      | 667,000 |

1961 Total \$ 864,000  
1960 Total 667,000

1961 GRAND TOTAL \$ 33,746,800

1960 GRAND TOTAL 33,115,800

FIVE YEAR CHART

|                  |              |
|------------------|--------------|
| 1961 GRAND TOTAL | \$33,746,800 |
| 1960 GRAND TOTAL | 33,115,800   |
| 1959 GRAND TOTAL | 30,740,000   |
| 1958 GRAND TOTAL | 26,611,000   |
| 1957 GRAND TOTAL | 25,836,000   |



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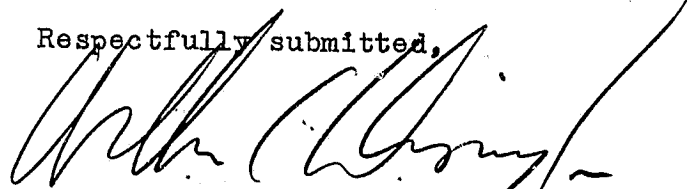
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We wish to thank the numerous firms and individuals who have given us invaluable assistance. We would especially like to thank the Agricultural Extension Service, who jointly assisted us in the preparation of this report.

Respectfully submitted,



Wilber C. Disney, Jr.  
Agricultural Commissioner

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FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1962)

| CROP                   | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |         | VALUE      |             |
|------------------------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|---------|------------|-------------|
|                        |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL   | PER<br>TON | TOTAL       |
| Barley                 | 1962 | 40,000               | 1.5                     | 60,000  | \$42.00    | \$2,520,000 |
|                        | 1961 | 57,000               | 1.2                     | 68,400  | 38.00      | 2,599,200   |
| Beans, Dry             | 1962 | 5,000                | .4                      | 2,000   | 110.00     | 220,000     |
|                        | 1961 | 4,300                | .6                      | 2,580   | 180.00     | 464,400     |
| Hay, Alfalfa           | 1962 | 8,000                | 4.0                     | 32,000  | 20.00      | 640,000     |
|                        | 1961 | 8,000                | 4.0                     | 32,000  | 20.00      | 640,000     |
| Hay, Grain             | 1962 | 1,000                | 2.0                     | 2,000   | 16.00      | 32,000      |
|                        | 1961 | 1,000                | 2.0                     | 2,000   | 16.00      | 32,000      |
| Oats                   | 1962 | 3,000                | 1.5                     | 4,500   | 60.00      | 270,000     |
|                        | 1961 | 1,200                | .9                      | 1,080   | 60.00      | 64,800      |
| Pasture,<br>Irrigated  | 1962 | 12,600               |                         |         | 37.50      | 472,500     |
|                        | 1961 | 12,600               |                         |         | 37.50      | 472,500     |
| Pasture,<br>Other      | 1962 | 407,560              |                         |         | 1.40       | 570,600     |
|                        | 1961 | 407,560              |                         |         | 1.40       | 570,600     |
| Rice                   | 1962 |                      |                         | 180,900 | 90.00      | 16,281,000  |
|                        | 1961 |                      |                         | 138,050 | 85.00      | 11,734,250  |
| Rice,<br>Certified     | 1962 |                      |                         | 2,100   | 130.00     | 273,000     |
|                        | 1961 |                      |                         | 1,950   | 120.00     | 234,000     |
| Rice Total             | 1962 | 74,100               | 2.5                     | 183,000 |            | 16,554,000  |
|                        | 1961 | 63,600               | 2.2                     | 140,000 |            | 11,968,250  |
| Safflower              | 1962 | 30,000               | .9                      | 27,000  | 90.00      | 2,430,000   |
|                        | 1961 | 32,000               | .6                      | 19,200  | 85.00      | 1,632,000   |
| Screenings             | 1962 |                      |                         | 17,000  | 16.00      | 272,000     |
|                        | 1961 |                      |                         | 18,000  | 18.00      | 324,000     |
| Sorghums,<br>for Grain | 1962 | 6,000                | 2.0                     | 12,000  | 38.00      | 456,000     |
|                        | 1961 | 3,400                | 1.5                     | 5,600   | 38.00      | 193,800     |
| Sugar Beets            | 1962 | 11,100               | 14.6                    | 162,500 | 12.00      | 1,950,000   |
|                        | 1961 | 10,100               | 11.3                    | 115,000 | 12.00      | 1,380,000   |
| Wheat                  | 1962 | 4,850                | 1.4                     | 7,000   | 70.00      | 490,000     |
|                        | 1961 | 5,680                | .6                      | 3,408   | 60.00      | 204,480     |

1962 Total - - - \$26,877,100  
 1961 Total - - - 20,546,030

FRUIT & NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1962)

| CROP   | YEAR | BEARING<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |              | VALUE      |             |
|--|------|--------------------|-------------------------|--------------|------------|-------------|
|  |      |                    | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL        | PER<br>TON | TOTAL       |
| Almonds  | 1962 | 9,233              | .3                      | 3,100        | 640.00     | \$1,984,000 |
|  | 1961 | 9,233              | .53                     | 4,900        | 500.00     | 2,450,000   |
| Apples,<br>Apricots,<br>Oranges,<br>and<br>Peaches | 1962 |                    |                         |              |            | 50,000      |
|  | 1961 |                    |                         |              |            | 60,000      |
| Prunes   | 1962 | 3,875              | 2.0                     | 7,990        | 290.00     | 2,317,100   |
|  | 1961 | 3,875              | 1.9                     | 7,510        | 321.00     | 2,410,700   |
| Walnuts<br>(English)                               | 1962 | 1,443              | .6                      | 800          | 500.00     | 400,000     |
|  | 1961 | 1,443              | .6                      | 865          | 500.00     | 432,500     |
| Walnuts<br>(Black)                                 | 1962 |                    |                         | 8,000 sacks  | 1.00       | 8,000       |
|  | 1961 |                    |                         | 12,000 sacks | 1.00       | 12,000      |

1962 Total - - - \$4,759,100  
 1961 Total - - - 5,365,200

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK (1962)

| ITEM              | YEAR | PRODUCTION |                                  | VALUE    |             |
|-------------------|------|------------|----------------------------------|----------|-------------|
|                   |      | NO. HEAD   | TOTAL<br>LIVEWEIGHT<br>(IN CWT.) | PER CWT. | TOTAL       |
| Cattle and Calves | 1962 | 22,000     | 154,000                          | \$22.00  | \$3,388,000 |
|                   | 1961 | 25,000     | 170,000                          | 22.00    | 3,740,000   |
| Sheep and Lambs   | 1962 | 80,000     | 90,000                           | 20.00    | 1,800,000   |
|                   | 1961 | 80,000     | 90,000                           | 12.50    | 1,125,000   |
| Hogs and Pigs     | 1962 | 10,000     | 7,000                            | 23.00    | 161,000     |
|                   | 1961 | 12,000     | 8,400                            | 23.00    | 193,000     |

1962 Total - - - \$5,349,000  
 1961 Total - - - 5,058,000

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS (1962)

| ITEM               | YEAR | PRODUCTION |      | VALUE    |           |
|--------------------|------|------------|------|----------|-----------|
|                    |      | TOTAL      | UNIT | PER UNIT | TOTAL     |
| Milk, Cow<br>(All) | 1962 | 144,000    | Cwt. |          | \$543,000 |
|                    | 1961 | 171,300    | Cwt. |          | 631,000   |
| Market             | 1962 | 57,200     | Cwt. | 4.58     | 262,000   |
|                    | 1961 | 49,300     | Cwt. | 4.54     | 224,000   |
| Manufacturing      | 1962 | 86,800     | Cwt. | 3.24     | 281,000   |
|                    | 1961 | 122,000    | Cwt. | 3.34     | 407,000   |
| Wool               | 1962 | 640,000    | Lbs. | .50      | 320,000   |
|                    | 1961 | 480,000    | Lbs. | .50      | 240,000   |

1962 Total - - - \$863,000  
 1961 Total - - - 871,000

PRODUCTION OF MISCELLANEOUS AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES (1962)

| ITEM         | YEAR | PRODUCTION |          | VALUE    |          |
|--------------|------|------------|----------|----------|----------|
|              |      | TOTAL      | UNIT     | PER UNIT | TOTAL    |
| Honey        | 1962 | 385,000    | Lbs.     | .11      | \$42,350 |
|              | 1961 | 392,000    | Lbs.     | .10      | 39,200   |
| Beeswax      | 1962 | 12,500     | Lbs.     | .40      | 5,000    |
|              | 1961 | 9,800      | Lbs.     | .40      | 3,900    |
| Package Bees | 1962 | 12,000     | Pkgs.    | 3.75     | 45,000   |
|              | 1961 | 13,000     | Pkgs.    | 3.50     | 45,500   |
| Queen Bees   | 1962 | 12,000     | Each     | 1.15     | 13,800   |
|              | 1961 | 10,000     | Each     | 1.15     | 11,500   |
| Pollenation  | 1962 | 4,000      | Colonies | 2.00     | 8,000    |
|              | 1961 | 4,000      | Colonies | 2.00     | 8,000    |

1962 Total - - - \$114,150  
 1961 Total - - - 108,100

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1962)

| CROP                                       | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN LBS., CLEANED) |           | VALUE      |           |
|--|------|----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
|  |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE                      | TOTAL     | PER<br>LB. | TOTAL     |
| Alfalfa                                    | 1962 | 4,900                | 300                              | 1,470,000 | .35        | \$514,500 |
|  | 1961 | 5,670                | 300                              | 1,701,000 | .30        | 510,300   |
| Ladino Clover                              | 1962 | 220                  | 250                              | 55,000    | .60        | 33,000    |
|  | 1961 | 450                  | 140                              | 63,000    | .60        | 37,800    |
| Sudan Grass                                | 1962 | 495                  | 2,000                            | 990,000   | .065       | 64,350    |
|  | 1961 | 1,500                | 1,000                            | 1,500,000 | .075       | 112,500   |
| Other Hay,<br>Pasture, and<br>Cover Crops* | 1962 | 1,300                |                                  | 2,172,000 |            | 109,600   |
|  | 1961 | 1,200                |                                  | 1,110,000 |            | 59,000    |
| Vegetable<br>Crops**                       | 1962 | 800                  | 700                              | 560,000   | .40        | 224,000   |
|  | 1961 | 660                  | 700                              | 462,000   | .45        | 207,900   |

1962 Total - - - - \$945,450  
 1961 Total - - - - 927,500

\* Includes Vetch, Canadian Peas, Mustard, and Canary Grass.

\*\* Includes Cantaloupe, Cucumber, Squash, Watermelon, and Pumpkin.

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1962)

| CROP     | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |        | VALUE      |           |
|----------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|--------|------------|-----------|
|          |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL  | PER<br>TON | TOTAL     |
| Tomatoes | 1962 | 1,300                | 21.5                    | 28,000 | 27.00      | \$756,000 |
|          | 1961 | 1,800                | 16.                     | 28,800 | 30.00      | 864,000   |

1962 Total - - - - \$756,000  
 1961 Total - - - - \$864,000

1962 GRAND TOTAL - - - - \$39,663,800

1961 GRAND TOTAL - - - - \$33,746,800

FIVE YEAR CHART


1962 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - \$39,663,800

1961 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - 33,746,800

1960 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - 33,115,800

1959 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - 30,740,000

1958 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - 26,611,000

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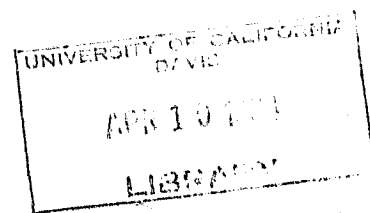
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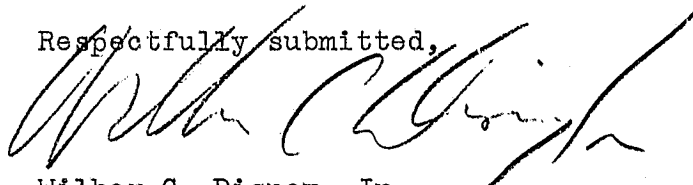
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| CROP                  | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |         | VALUE      |             |
|-----------------------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|---------|------------|-------------|
|                       |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL   | PER<br>TON | TOTAL       |
| Barley                | 1963 | 50,000               | .8                      | 40,000  | 45.00      | \$1,800,000 |
|                       | 1962 | 40,000               | 1.5                     | 60,000  | 42.00      | 2,520,000   |
| Beans, Dry            | 1963 | 3,100                | .8                      | 2,480   | 180.00     | 446,000     |
|                       | 1962 | 5,000                | .4                      | 2,000   | 110.00     | 220,000     |
| Hay, Alfalfa          | 1963 | 8,000                | 4.0                     | 32,000  | 20.00      | 640,000     |
|                       | 1962 | 8,000                | 4.0                     | 32,000  | 20.00      | 640,000     |
| Hay, Grain            | 1963 | 1,000                | 2.0                     | 2,000   | 16.00      | 32,000      |
|                       | 1962 | 1,000                | 2.0                     | 2,000   | 16.00      | 32,000      |
| Oats                  | 1963 | 1,300                | .6                      | 2,200   | 50.00      | 110,000     |
|                       | 1962 | 3,000                | 1.5                     | 4,500   | 60.00      | 270,000     |
| Pasture,<br>Irrigated | 1963 | 12,600               | *                       |         | 37.50      | 472,000     |
|                       | 1962 | 12,600               |                         |         | 37.50      | 472,000     |
| Pasture,<br>Other     | 1963 | 203,000              |                         |         | 1.40       | 284,000     |
|                       | 1962 | 203,000              |                         |         | 1.40       | 284,000     |
| Rice                  | 1963 |                      |                         | 178,800 | 94.00      | 16,807,000  |
|                       | 1962 |                      |                         | 180,900 | 90.00      | 16,281,000  |
| Rice,<br>Certified    | 1963 |                      |                         | 1,200   | 145.00     | 174,000     |
|                       | 1962 |                      |                         | 2,100   | 130.00     | 273,000     |
| Rice Total            | 1963 | 77,300               | 2.33                    | 180,000 |            | 16,981,000  |
|                       | 1962 | 74,100               | 2.5                     | 183,000 |            | 16,554,000  |
| Safflower             | 1963 | 32,200               | .9                      | 29,000  | 80.00      | 2,320,000   |
|                       | 1962 | 30,000               | .9                      | 27,000  | 90.00      | 2,430,000   |
| Screenings            | 1963 |                      |                         | 18,500  | 16.00      | 296,000     |
|                       | 1962 |                      |                         | 17,000  | 16.00      | 272,000     |
| Sorghums<br>for Grain | 1963 | 6,500                | 2.0                     | 13,000  | 43.00      | 559,000     |
|                       | 1962 | 6,000                | 2.0                     | 12,000  | 38.00      | 456,000     |
| Sugar Beets           | 1963 | 6,000                | 18.                     | 108,000 | 12.00      | 1,296,000   |
|                       | 1962 | 11,100               | 14.6                    | 162,500 | 12.00      | 1,950,000   |
| Wheat                 | 1963 | 6,900                | .8                      | 5,500   | 62.00      | 341,000     |
|                       | 1962 | 4,850                | 1.4                     | 7,000   | 70.00      | 490,000     |

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1963 Total - - - \$25,577,000  
 \* 1962 Total - - - 26,590,000

FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1963)

| CROP   | YEAR | BEARING<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |             | VALUE      |             |
|--|------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------|------------|-------------|
|  |      |                    | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL       | PER<br>TON | TOTAL       |
| Almonds  | 1963 | 9,233              | .6                      | 6,200       | 550.00     | \$3,410,000 |
|  | 1962 | 9,233              | .3                      | 3,100       | 640.00     | 1,984,000   |
| Apples,<br>Apricots,<br>Oranges,<br>and<br>Peaches | 1963 |                    |                         |             |            | 50,000      |
|  | 1962 |                    |                         |             |            | 50,000      |
| Prunes   | 1963 | 3,875              | 1.35                    | 5,290       | 270.00     | 1,428,000   |
|  | 1962 | 3,875              | 2.0                     | 7,990       | 290.00     | 2,317,100   |
| Walnuts<br>(English)                               | 1963 | 1,443              | .88                     | 1,266       | 440.00     | 557,000     |
|  | 1962 | 1,443              | .6                      | 800         | 500.00     | 400,000     |
| Walnuts<br>(Black)                                 | 1963 |                    |                         | 8,000 sacks | 1.00       | 8,000       |
|  | 1962 |                    |                         | 8,000 sacks | 1.00       | 8,000       |

1963 Total - - - \$5,453,000  
 1962 Total - - - 4,759,100

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK (1963)

| ITEM              | YEAR | PRODUCTION     |                                  | VALUE       |             |
|-------------------|------|----------------|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
|                   |      | NUMBER<br>HEAD | TOTAL<br>LIVEWEIGHT<br>(IN CWT.) | PER<br>CWT. | TOTAL       |
| Cattle and Calves | 1963 | 20,000         | 140,000                          | 22.00       | \$3,080,000 |
|                   | 1962 | 22,000         | 154,000                          | 22.00       | 3,388,000   |
| Sheep and Lambs   | 1963 | 75,000         | 80,000                           | 17.00       | 1,360,000   |
|                   | 1962 | 80,000         | 90,000                           | 20.00       | 1,800,000   |
| Hogs and Pigs     | 1963 | 8,000          | 5,600                            | 17.00       | 95,200      |
|                   | 1962 | 10,000         | 7,000                            | 23.00       | 161,000     |

1963 Total - - - \$4,535,200  
 1962 Total - - - 5,349,000

PRODUCTION OF LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS (1963)

| ITEM               | YEAR   | PRODUCTION |      | VALUE    |           |
|--------------------|--------|------------|------|----------|-----------|
|                    |        | TOTAL      | UNIT | PER UNIT | TOTAL     |
| Milk, Cow<br>(All) | 1963   | 120,200    | Cwt. |          | \$455,000 |
|                    | * 1962 | 144,000    | Cwt. |          | 543,000   |
| Market             | 1963   | 57,500     | Cwt. | 4.54     | 261,000   |
|                    | * 1962 | 56,400     | Cwt. | 4.54     | 256,000   |
| Manufacturing      | 1963   | 62,700     | Cwt. | 3.09     | 194,000   |
|                    | * 1962 | 84,400     | Cwt. | 3.21     | 271,000   |
| Wool               | 1963   | 560,000    | Lbs. | .50      | 280,000   |
|                    | 1962   | 640,000    | Lbs. | .50      | 320,000   |

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1963 Total - - - \$735,000  
 \* 1962 Total - - - 847,000

PRODUCTION OF MISCELLANEOUS AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES (1963)

| ITEM         | YEAR | PRODUCTION |          | VALUE    |          |
|--------------|------|------------|----------|----------|----------|
|              |      | TOTAL      | UNIT     | PER UNIT | TOTAL    |
| Honey        | 1963 | 401,000    | Lbs.     | .14      | \$56,100 |
|              | 1962 | 385,000    | Lbs.     | .11      | 42,350   |
| Beeswax      | 1963 | 6,150      | Lbs.     | .42      | 2,580    |
|              | 1962 | 12,500     | Lbs.     | .40      | 5,000    |
| Package Bees | 1963 | 8,540      | Pkgs.    | 3.76     | 32,100   |
|              | 1962 | 12,000     | Pkgs.    | 3.75     | 45,000   |
| Queen Bees   | 1963 | 13,000     | Each     | 1.25     | 16,200   |
|              | 1962 | 12,000     | Each     | 1.15     | 13,800   |
| Pollenation  | 1963 | 5,100      | Colonies | 1.53     | 7,800    |
|              | 1962 | 4,000      | Colonies | 2.00     | 8,000    |

1963 Total - - - \$114,780  
 1962 Total - - - 114,150

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1963)

| CROP  | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN LBS.) |           | VALUE      |           |
|---|------|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
|   |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL     | PER<br>LB. | TOTAL     |
| Alfalfa                                     | 1963 | 6,120                | 350                     | 2,145,000 | .35        | \$751,000 |
|   | 1962 | 4,900                | 300                     | 1,470,000 | .35        | 514,500   |
| Field Peas                                  | 1963 | 1,930                | 1,800                   | 330,000   | .0425      | 14,000    |
| Sudan Grass                                 | 1963 | 1,670                | 2,500                   | 4,185,000 | .065       | 272,000   |
|   | 1962 | 495                  | 2,000                   | 990,000   | .065       | 64,350    |
| Other Hay,<br>Pasture, and<br>Cover Crops * | 1963 | 300                  |                         | 419,000   |            | 25,100    |
|   | 1962 | 1,300                |                         | 2,172,000 |            | 109,600   |
| Vegetable<br>Crops **                       | 1963 | 1,000                | 900                     | 900,000   | .40        | 360,000   |
|   | 1962 | 800                  | 700                     | 560,000   | .40        | 224,000   |

1963 Total - - - \$1,422,100  
 1962 Total - - - 945,450

\* Includes Ladino Clover, Sour Clover, Vetch, Mustard, Canary-grass, Ryegrass.  
 \*\* Includes Cantaloupe, Cucumber, Squash, Watermelon, and Pumpkin.

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1963)

| CROP     | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |        | VALUE      |           |
|----------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|--------|------------|-----------|
|          |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL  | PER<br>TON | TOTAL     |
| Tomatoes | 1963 | 1,220                | 17.0                    | 20,800 | 25.60      | \$532,000 |
|          | 1962 | 1,300                | 21.5                    | 28,000 | 27.00      | 756,000   |

1963 Total - - - \$532,000  
 1962 Total - - - 756,000

1963 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - \$38,369,080

\*Revised \* 1962 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - 39,360,700

FIVE YEAR CHART

1963 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - \$38,369,080

\* 1962 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - 39,360,700

1961 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - 33,746,800

1960 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - 33,115,800

1959 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - 30,740,000

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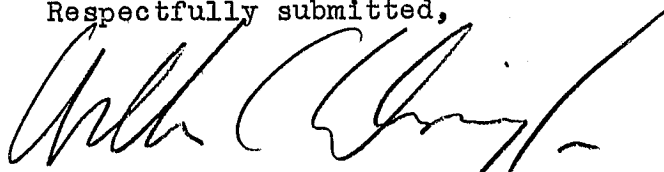
Gentlemen:

It is with pleasure that I submit to you the 1964 Annual Crop Report of Colusa County, in accordance with Section 65.5 of the Agricultural Code of the State of California.

This report covers the production, acreage, and value of all agriculture produced in Colusa County, including livestock and livestock products. The figures represent the gross value of production. They do not take into consideration the cost of production or of harvesting.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to all individuals and organizations, and especially to the Agricultural Extension Service, for the excellent cooperation they have given us in furnishing the information and statistics necessary for the compilation of this report.

Respectfully submitted,



Wilber C. Disney, Jr.  
Agricultural Commissioner

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FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1963 & 1964)

| CROP                  | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |         | PER<br>TON | TOTAL       |
|-----------------------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|---------|------------|-------------|
|                       |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL   |            |             |
| Barley                | 1964 | 45,000               | .9                      | 40,500  | 43.00      | \$1,742,000 |
|                       | 1963 | 50,000               | .8                      | 40,000  | 45.00      | 1,800,000   |
| Beans, Dry            | 1964 | 1,800                | .8                      | 1,440   | 190.00     | 274,000     |
|                       | 1963 | 3,100                | .8                      | 2,480   | 180.00     | 446,000     |
| Hay, Alfalfa          | 1964 | 8,000                | 4.5                     | 36,000  | 20.00      | 720,000     |
|                       | 1963 | 8,000                | 4.0                     | 32,000  | 20.00      | 640,000     |
| Hay, Grain            | 1964 | 1,000                | 2.5                     | 2,500   | 16.00      | 40,000      |
|                       | 1963 | 1,000                | 2.0                     | 2,000   | 16.00      | 32,000      |
| Oats                  | 1964 | 1,800                | .8                      | 1,440   | 65.00      | 93,600      |
|                       | 1963 | 1,300                | .6                      | 2,200   | 50.00      | 110,000     |
| Pasture,<br>Irrigated | 1964 | 12,600               |                         |         | 37.50      | 472,000     |
|                       | 1963 | 12,600               |                         |         | 37.50      | 472,000     |
| Pasture,<br>Other     | 1964 | 203,000              |                         |         | 1.40       | 284,000     |
|                       | 1963 | 203,000              |                         |         | 1.40       | 284,000     |
| Rice                  | 1964 |                      |                         | 205,000 | 94.00      | 19,270,000  |
|                       | 1963 |                      |                         | 178,800 | 94.00      | 16,807,000  |
| Rice,<br>Certified    | 1964 |                      |                         | 1,400   | 145.00     | 203,000     |
|                       | 1963 |                      |                         | 1,200   | 145.00     | 174,000     |
| Rice Total            | 1964 | 79,400               | 2.6                     | 206,400 |            | 19,473,000  |
|                       | 1963 | 77,300               | 2.33                    | 180,000 |            | 16,981,000  |
| Safflower             | 1964 | 26,000               | .9                      | 23,400  | 82.00      | 1,919,000   |
|                       | 1963 | 32,200               | .9                      | 29,000  | 80.00      | 2,320,000   |
| Screenings            | 1964 |                      |                         | 12,000  | 16.00      | 192,000     |
|                       | 1963 |                      |                         | 18,500  | 16.00      | 296,000     |
| Sorghums<br>for Grain | 1964 | 13,400               | 2.0                     | 26,800  | 42.00      | 1,126,000   |
|                       | 1963 | 6,500                | 2.0                     | 13,000  | 43.00      | 559,000     |
| Sugar Beets           | 1964 | 12,000               | 22.                     | 264,000 | 13.00      | 3,432,000   |
|                       | 1963 | 6,000                | 18.                     | 108,000 | 12.00      | 1,296,000   |
| Wheat                 | 1964 | 5,500                | 1.5                     | 8,250   | 55.00      | 454,000     |
|                       | 1963 | 6,900                | .8                      | 5,500   | 62.00      | 341,000     |

1964 Total - - - \$30,221,600  
 1963 Total - - - 25,577,000

206,500

FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1963 & 1964)

| CROP   | YEAR | BEARING<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |             | VALUE      |             |
|--|------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------|------------|-------------|
|  |      |                    | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL       | PER<br>TON |             |
| Almonds  | 1964 | 9,233              | .48                     | 4,400       | 600.00     | \$2,640,000 |
|  | 1963 | 9,233              | .6                      | 6,200       | 550.00     | 3,410,000   |
| Apples,<br>Apricots,<br>Oranges,<br>and<br>Peaches | 1964 |                    |                         |             |            | 120,000     |
|  | 1963 |                    |                         |             |            | 50,000      |
| Prunes   | 1964 | 4,811              | 1.74                    | 8,370       | 245.00     | 2,051,000   |
|  | 1963 | 3,875              | 1.35                    | 5,290       | 270.00     | 1,428,000   |
| Walnuts<br>(English)                               | 1964 | 1,443              | 1.04                    | 1,490       | 445.00     | 663,000     |
|  | 1963 | 1,443              | .88                     | 1,266       | 440.00     | 557,000     |
| Walnuts<br>(Black)                                 | 1964 |                    |                         | 9,000 sacks | 1.00       | 9,000       |
|  | 1963 |                    |                         | 8,000 sacks | 1.00       | 8,000       |
| 1964 Total - - -                                   |      |                    |                         |             |            | \$5,483,000 |
| 1963 Total - - -                                   |      |                    |                         |             |            | 5,453,000   |

LIVESTOCK: PRODUCTION & VALUE (1963 & 1964)

| ITEM              | YEAR | PRODUCTION     |                                  | VALUE    |             |             |
|-------------------|------|----------------|----------------------------------|----------|-------------|-------------|
|                   |      | NUMBER<br>HEAD | TOTAL<br>LIVEWEIGHT<br>(IN CWT.) | PER CWT. | TOTAL       |             |
| Cattle and Calves | 1964 | 22,000         | 147,500                          | 19.00    | \$2,802,000 |             |
|                   | 1963 | 20,000         | 140,000                          | 22.00    | 3,080,000   |             |
| Sheep and Lambs   | 1964 | 70,000         | 75,000                           | 22.00    | 1,650,000   |             |
|                   | 1963 | 75,000         | 80,000                           | 17.00    | 1,360,000   |             |
| Hogs and Pigs     | 1964 | 6,000          | 4,200                            | 17.00    | 71,400      |             |
|                   | 1963 | 8,000          | 5,600                            | 17.00    | 95,200      |             |
| 1964 Total - - -  |      |                |                                  |          |             | \$4,523,400 |
| 1963 Total - - -  |      |                |                                  |          |             | 4,535,200   |

LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION & VALUE (1963 & 1964)

| ITEM               | YEAR  | PRODUCTION |      | VALUE             |            |
|--------------------|-------|------------|------|-------------------|------------|
|                    |       | TOTAL      | UNIT | PER UNIT          | TOTAL      |
| Milk, Cow<br>(All) | 1964  | 104,300    | Cwt. |                   | \$ 410,000 |
|                    | *1963 | 119,600    | Cwt. |                   | 452,000    |
| Market             | 1964  | 52,200     | Cwt. | 4.52              | 236,000    |
|                    | *1963 | 56,200     | Cwt. | 4.54              | 255,000    |
| Manufacturing      | 1964  | 52,100     | Cwt. | 3.34              | 174,000    |
|                    | *1963 | 63,400     | Cwt. | 3.11              | 197,000    |
| Wool               | 1964  | 480,000    | Lbs. | .60               | 288,000    |
|                    | 1963  | 560,000    | Lbs. | .50               | 280,000    |
|                    |       |            |      | 1964 Total - - -  | \$ 698,000 |
| *1963 Revised      |       |            |      | *1963 Total - - - | 732,000    |

APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION & VALUE (1963 & 1964)

| ITEM         | YEAR | PRODUCTION |          | VALUE            |           |
|--------------|------|------------|----------|------------------|-----------|
|              |      | TOTAL      | UNIT     | PER UNIT         | TOTAL     |
| Honey        | 1964 | 231,200    | Lbs.     | .135             | 31,200    |
|              | 1963 | 401,000    | Lbs.     | .14              | 56,100    |
| Beeswax      | 1964 | 7,300      | Lbs.     | .445             | 3,240     |
|              | 1963 | 6,150      | Lbs.     | .42              | 2,580     |
| Package Bees | 1964 | 9,200      | Pkgs.    | 4.25             | 39,100    |
|              | 1963 | 8,540      | Pkgs.    | 3.76             | 32,100    |
| Queen Bees   | 1964 | 7,900      | Each     | 1.28             | 10,100    |
|              | 1963 | 13,000     | Each     | 1.25             | 16,200    |
| Pollenation  | 1964 | 5,900      | Colonies | 1.54             | 9,080     |
|              | 1963 | 5,100      | Colonies | 1.53             | 7,800     |
|              |      |            |          | 1964 Total - - - | \$ 92,720 |
|              |      |            |          | 1963 Total - - - | 114,780   |

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1963 & 1964)

|   | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN LBS.) |           | VALUE      |           |
|---|------|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
|   |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL     | PER<br>LB. | TOTAL     |
| Alfalfa                                     | 1964 | 5,000                | 340                     | 1,700,000 | .34        | \$578,000 |
|   | 1963 | 6,120                | 350                     | 2,145,000 | .35        | 751,000   |
| Field Peas *                                | 1964 | 500                  | 1,250                   | 625,000   | .04        | 25,000    |
|   | 1963 | 180                  | 1,800                   | 324,000   | .0425      | 13,800    |
| Sudan Grass                                 | 1964 | 3,300                | 2,900                   | 9,570,000 | .045       | 431,000   |
|   | 1963 | 1,670                | 2,500                   | 4,185,000 | .065       | 272,000   |
| Other Hay,<br>Pasture, and<br>Cover Crops * | 1964 | 150                  |                         | 61,600    |            | 6,560     |
|   | 1963 | 300                  |                         | 419,000   |            | 25,100    |
| Vegetable<br>Crops **                       | 1964 | 915                  | 900                     | 823,000   | .50        | 412,000   |
|   | 1963 | 1,000                | 900                     | 900,000   | .40        | 360,000   |

1964 Total - - - \$1,452,560  
 1963 Total - - - 1,421,900

\* Includes Ladino Clover, Sour Clover, Vetch, Mustard,  
 Canarygrass, Ryegrass; Weeping Lovegrass.

\*\* Includes Cantaloupe, Cucumber, Squash, Watermelon, and Pumpkin.

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1963 & 1964)

| CROP     | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |        | VALUE      |           |
|----------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|--------|------------|-----------|
|          |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL  | PER<br>TON | TOTAL     |
| Tomatoes | 1964 | 1,160                | 24.0                    | 28,000 | 26.00      | \$728,000 |
|          | 1963 | 1,220                | 17.0                    | 20,800 | 25.60      | 532,000   |

1964 Total - - - \$728,000  
 1963 Total - - - 532,000

1964 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - \$43,199,280

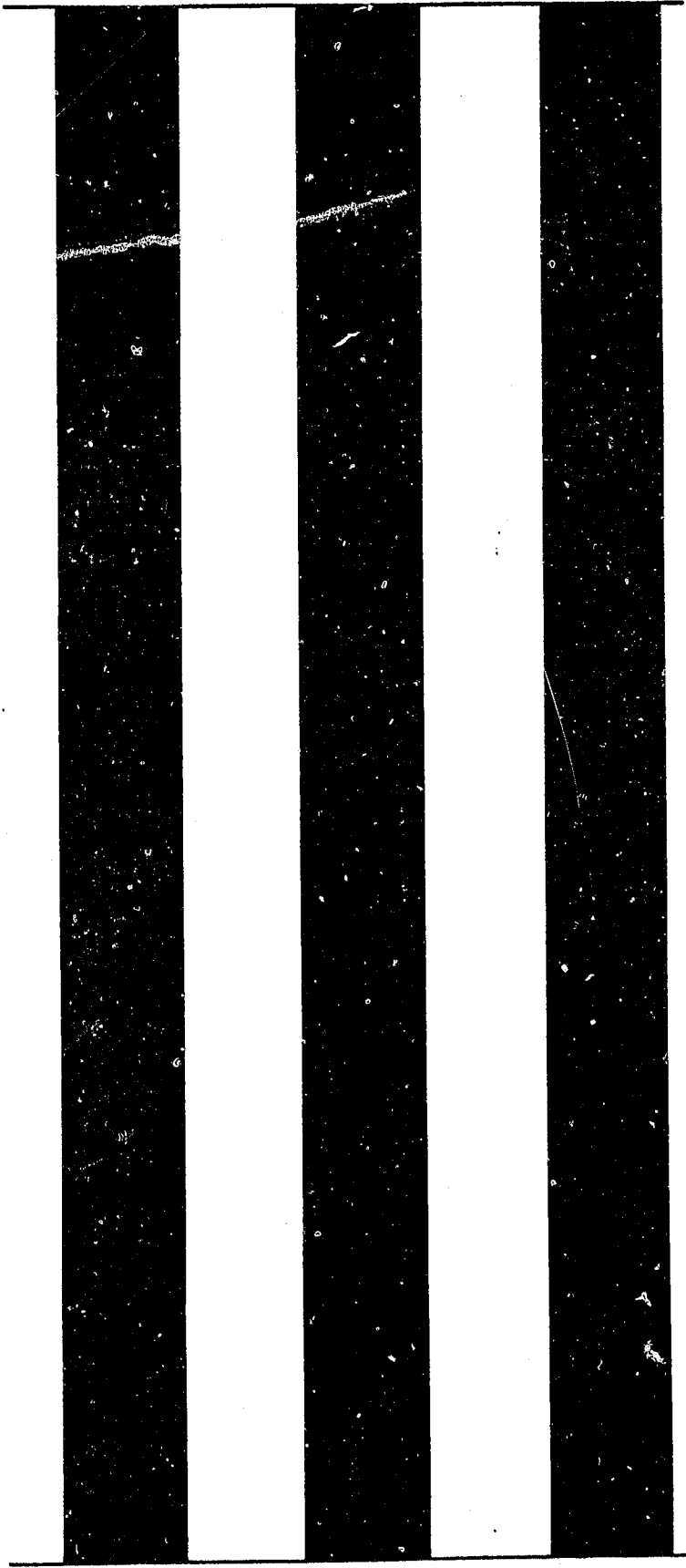
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\* 1963 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - 38,365,880

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1964 GRAND TOTAL - - - \$43,199,280  
\* 1963 GRAND TOTAL - - - 38,365,880  
1962 GRAND TOTAL - - - 39,360,700  
1961 GRAND TOTAL - - - 33,746,800  
1960 GRAND TOTAL - - - 33,115,800

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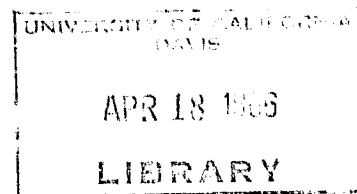


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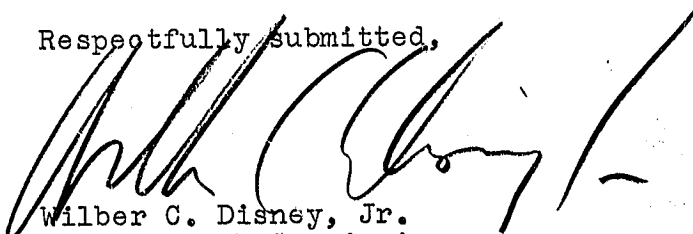
Gentlemen:

In accordance with the requirements of Section 65.5 of the Agricultural Code, I am pleased to submit the 1965 Agricultural Crop Report of Colusa County.

The values shown represent gross value of production and do not represent net income received by the farmers. They do not take into consideration the cost of production or of harvesting.

I wish to express appreciation for the assistance and cooperation of all individuals and organizations who contributed to this report and especially to members of my staff and to the Agricultural Extension Service personnel.

Respectfully submitted,



Wilber C. Disney, Jr.  
Agricultural Commissioner

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1964 & 1965)

| CROP                  | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |         | VALUE      |                  |
|-----------------------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|---------|------------|------------------|
|                       |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL   | PER<br>TON | TOTAL            |
| Barley                | 1965 | 42,000               | 1.1                     | 46,200  | 46.00      | \$2,130,000      |
|                       | 1964 | 45,000               | .9                      | 40,500  | 43.00      | 1,742,000        |
| Beans, Dry            | 1965 | 2,000                | .9                      | 1,800   | 214.00     | 385,000          |
|                       | 1964 | 1,800                | .8                      | 1,440   | 190.00     | 274,000          |
| Hay,<br>Alfalfa       | 1965 | 8,000                | 4.6                     | 36,800  | 22.00      | 810,000          |
|                       | 1964 | 8,000                | 4.5                     | 36,000  | 20.00      | 720,000          |
| Hay,<br>Grain         | 1965 | 1,000                | 2.5                     | 2,500   | 17.00      | 42,500           |
|                       | 1964 | 1,000                | 2.5                     | 2,500   | 16.00      | 40,000           |
| Oats                  | 1965 | 1,200                | 1.0                     | 1,200   | 45.00      | 54,000           |
|                       | 1964 | 1,800                | .8                      | 1,440   | 65.00      | 93,600           |
| Pasture,<br>Irrigated | 1965 | 12,600               |                         |         | 37.50 Acre | 472,000          |
|                       | 1964 | 12,600               |                         |         | 37.50 Acre | 472,000          |
| Pasture,<br>Other     | 1965 | 203,000              |                         |         | 1.40 Acre  | 284,000          |
|                       | 1964 | 203,000              |                         |         | 1.40 Acre  | 284,000          |
| Rice                  | 1965 |                      |                         | 185,000 | 98.00      | 18,130,000       |
|                       | 1964 |                      |                         | 205,000 | 94.00      | 19,270,000       |
| Rice,<br>Certified    | 1965 |                      |                         | 1,000   | 145.00     | 145,000          |
|                       | 1964 |                      |                         | 1,400   | 145.00     | 203,000          |
| Rice Total            | 1965 | 81,000               | 2.3                     | 186,000 |            | 18,275,000       |
|                       | 1964 | 79,400               | 2.6                     | 206,400 |            | 19,473,000       |
| Safflower             | 1965 | 36,400               | .9                      | 32,800  | 85.00      | 2,790,000        |
|                       | 1964 | 26,000               | .9                      | 23,400  | 82.00      | 1,919,000        |
| Screenings            | 1965 |                      |                         | 16,000  | 16.00      | 256,000          |
|                       | 1964 |                      |                         | 12,000  | 16.00      | 192,000          |
| Sorghums<br>for Grain | 1965 | 7,500                | 2.2                     | 16,500  | 43.00      | 710,000          |
|                       | 1964 | 13,400               | 2.0                     | 26,800  | 42.00      | 1,126,000        |
| Sugar Beets           | 1965 | 11,300               | 20.                     | 226,000 | 14.00      | 3,160,000        |
|                       | 1964 | 12,000               | 22.                     | 264,000 | 13.00      | 3,432,000        |
| Wheat                 | 1965 | 6,100                | 1.25                    | 7,600   | 55.00      | 418,000          |
|                       | 1964 | 5,500                | 1.5                     | 8,250   | 55.00      | 454,000          |
| 1965 Total            |      |                      |                         |         |            | - - \$29,786,500 |
| 1964 Total            |      |                      |                         |         |            | - - 30,221,600   |

FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1964 & 1965)

| CROP  | YEAR | BEARING<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |             | VALUE      |                 |
|---|------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------|------------|-----------------|
|   |      |                    | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL       | PER<br>TON | TOTAL           |
| Almonds                                     | 1965 | 9,300              | .6                      | 5,500       | 600.00     | \$3,300,000     |
|   | 1964 | 9,233              | .48                     | 4,400       | 600.00     | 2,640,000       |
| Apples,<br>Apricots,<br>Oranges,<br>Peaches | 1965 |                    |                         |             |            | 145,000         |
|   | 1964 |                    |                         |             |            | 120,000         |
| Prunes                                      | 1965 | 5,000              | 1.9                     | 9,500       | 220.00     | 2,090,000       |
|   | 1964 | 4,811              | 1.74                    | 8,370       | 245.00     | 2,051,000       |
| Walnuts<br>(English)                        | 1965 | 1,450              | .8                      | 1,150       | 420.00     | 483,000         |
|   | 1964 | 1,443              | 1.04                    | 1,490       | 445.00     | 663,000         |
| Walnuts<br>(Black)                          | 1965 |                    |                         | 5,000 sacks | 1.00       | 5,000           |
|   | 1964 |                    |                         | 9,000 sacks | 1.00       | 9,000           |
|   |      |                    |                         |             | 1965 Total | - - \$6,023,000 |
|   |      |                    |                         |             | 1964 Total | - - 5,483,000   |

LIVESTOCK: PRODUCTION & VALUE (1964 & 1965)

| ITEM              | YEAR | NUMBER<br>HEAD | PRODUCTION                       |             | VALUE       |                 |
|-------------------|------|----------------|----------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-----------------|
|                   |      |                | TOTAL<br>LIVEWEIGHT<br>(IN CWT.) | PER<br>CWT. | TOTAL       |                 |
| Cattle and Calves | 1965 | 24,000         | 163,000                          | 21.00       | \$3,420,000 |                 |
|                   | 1964 | 22,000         | 147,500                          | 19.00       | 2,802,000   |                 |
| Sheep and Lambs   | 1965 | 77,000         | 83,000                           | 23.00       | 1,910,000   |                 |
|                   | 1964 | 70,000         | 75,000                           | 22.00       | 1,650,000   |                 |
| Hogs and Pigs     | 1965 | 6,600          | 4,600                            | 22.00       | 101,000     |                 |
|                   | 1964 | 6,000          | 4,200                            | 17.00       | 71,400      |                 |
|                   |      |                |                                  |             | 1965 Total  | - - \$5,431,000 |
|                   |      |                |                                  |             | 1964 Total  | - - 4,523,400   |

LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION & VALUE (1964 & 1965)

| ITEM               | YEAR  | PRODUCTION |      | VALUE       |               |
|--------------------|-------|------------|------|-------------|---------------|
|                    |       | TOTAL      | UNIT | PER UNIT    | TOTAL         |
| Milk, Cow<br>(All) | 1965  | 129,200    | Cwt. |             | \$508,000     |
|                    | *1964 | 108,400    | Cwt. |             | 426,000       |
| Market             | 1965  | 61,300     | Cwt. | 4.55        | 279,000       |
|                    | *1964 | 54,200     | Cwt. | 4.52        | 245,000       |
| Manufacturing      | 1965  | 67,900     | Cwt. | 3.37        | 229,000       |
|                    | *1964 | 54,200     | Cwt. | 3.34        | 181,000       |
| Wool               | 1965  | 616,000    | Lbs. | .50         | 308,000       |
|                    | 1964  | 480,000    | Lbs. | .60         | 288,000       |
|                    |       |            |      | 1965 Total  | - - \$816,000 |
| *1964 Revised      |       |            |      | *1964 Total | - - 714,000   |

APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION & VALUE (1964 & 1965)

| ITEM         | YEAR | PRODUCTION |          | VALUE      |               |
|--------------|------|------------|----------|------------|---------------|
|              |      | TOTAL      | UNIT     | PER UNIT   | TOTAL         |
| Honey        | 1965 | 320,000    | Lbs.     | .115       | \$36,800      |
|              | 1964 | 231,200    | Lbs.     | .135       | 31,200        |
| Beeswax      | 1965 | 5,500      | Lbs.     | .43        | 2,400         |
|              | 1964 | 7,300      | Lbs.     | .445       | 3,240         |
| Queen Bees   | 1965 | 8,400      | Each     | 1.26       | 10,600        |
|              | 1964 | 7,900      | Each     | 1.28       | 10,100        |
| Package Bees | 1965 | 13,300     | Pkgs.    | 4.27       | 56,800        |
|              | 1964 | 9,200      | Pkgs.    | 4.25       | 39,100        |
| Pollination  | 1965 | 4,900      | Colonies | 1.59       | 7,800         |
|              | 1964 | 5,900      | Colonies | 1.54       | 9,080         |
|              |      |            |          | 1965 Total | - - \$114,400 |
|              |      |            |          | 1964 Total | - - 92,720    |

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1964 & 1965)

| CROP                          | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN LBS.) |           | VALUE      |                 |
|-------------------------------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------|------------|-----------------|
|                               |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL     | PER<br>LB. | TOTAL           |
| Alfalfa                       | 1965 | 4,000                | 300                     | 1,200,000 | .34        | \$408,000       |
|                               | 1964 | 5,000                | 340                     | 1,700,000 | .34        | 578,000         |
| Sudan Grass                   | 1965 | 2,400                | 2,800                   | 6,720,000 | .075       | 504,000         |
|                               | 1964 | 3,300                | 2,900                   | 9,570,000 | .045       | 431,000         |
| Hay, Pasture,<br>Cover Crops* | 1965 | 475                  |                         | 500,000   |            | 28,000          |
|                               | 1964 | 650                  |                         | 686,600   |            | 31,560          |
| Vegetable<br>Crops**          | 1965 | 550                  | 900                     | 495,000   | .45        | 223,000         |
|                               | 1964 | 915                  | 900                     | 823,000   | .50        | 412,000         |
|                               |      |                      |                         |           | 1965 Total | - - \$1,163,000 |
|                               |      |                      |                         |           | 1964 Total | - - 1,452,560   |

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VEGETABLE CROPS ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1964 & 1965)

| CROP     | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |        | VALUE      |                   |
|----------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|--------|------------|-------------------|
|          |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL  | PER<br>TON | TOTAL             |
| Tomatoes | 1965 | 1,280                | 20.5                    | 26,200 | 35.00      | \$917,000         |
|          | 1964 | 1,160                | 24.0                    | 28,000 | 26.00      | 728,000           |
|          |      |                      |                         |        | 1965 Total | - - - - \$917,000 |
|          |      |                      |                         |        | 1964 Total | - - - - 728,000   |

1965 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - \$44,250,900

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\*1964 GRAND TOTAL - - - - - \$43,215,280

FIVE YEAR CHART

|                  |         |              |
|------------------|---------|--------------|
| 1965 GRAND TOTAL | - - - - | \$44,250,900 |
| 1964 GRAND TOTAL | - - - - | 43,215,280*  |
| 1963 GRAND TOTAL | - - - - | 38,365,880   |
| 1962 GRAND TOTAL | - - - - | 39,360,700   |
| 1961 GRAND TOTAL | - - - - | 33,746,800   |

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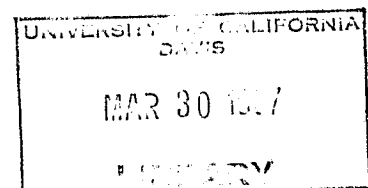
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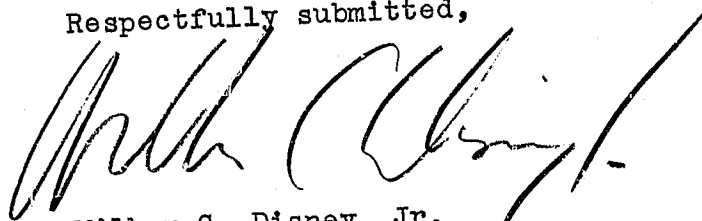
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Respectfully submitted,



Wilber C. Disney, Jr.  
Agricultural Commissioner

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FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1965 & 1966)

| CROP                  | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |         | VALUE      |              |
|-----------------------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|---------|------------|--------------|
|                       |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL   | PER<br>TON | TOTAL        |
| Barley                | 1966 | 44,000               | .9                      | 39,600  | 44.00      | \$ 1,740,000 |
|                       | 1965 | 42,000               | 1.1                     | 46,200  | 46.00      | 2,130,000    |
| Beans, Dry            | 1966 | 2,500                | .9                      | 2,300   | 208.00     | 478,000      |
|                       | 1965 | 2,000                | .9                      | 1,800   | 214.00     | 385,000      |
| Hay,<br>Alfalfa       | 1966 | 8,500                | 4.6                     | 39,000  | 27.00      | 1,050,000    |
|                       | 1965 | 8,000                | 4.6                     | 36,800  | 22.00      | 810,000      |
| Hay,<br>Grain         | 1966 | 1,000                | 2.5                     | 2,500   | 23.00      | 57,500       |
|                       | 1965 | 1,000                | 2.5                     | 2,500   | 17.00      | 42,500       |
| Oats                  | 1966 | 500                  | 1.2                     | 600     | 47.00      | 28,200       |
|                       | 1965 | 1,200                | 1.0                     | 1,200   | 45.00      | 54,000       |
| Pasture,<br>Irrigated | 1966 | 12,600               |                         |         | 37.50 Acre | 472,000      |
|                       | 1965 | 12,600               |                         |         | 37.50 Acre | 472,000      |
| Pasture,<br>Other     | 1966 | 203,000              |                         |         | 1.40 Acre  | 284,000      |
|                       | 1965 | 203,000              |                         |         | 1.40 Acre  | 284,000      |
| Rice                  | 1966 |                      |                         | 257,000 | 92.00      | 23,640,000   |
|                       | 1965 |                      |                         | 185,000 | 98.00      | 18,130,000   |
| Rice<br>Certified     | 1966 |                      |                         | 4,000   | 140.00     | 560,000      |
|                       | 1965 |                      |                         | 1,000   | 145.00     | 145,000      |
| Rice Total            | 1966 | 90,000               | 2.9                     | 261,000 |            | 24,200,000   |
|                       | 1965 | 81,000               | 2.3                     | 186,000 |            | 18,275,000   |
| Safflower             | 1966 | 40,000               | .9                      | 36,000  | 90.00      | 3,240,000    |
|                       | 1965 | 36,400               | .9                      | 32,800  | 85.00      | 2,790,000    |
| Screenings            | 1966 |                      |                         | 18,000  | 16.00      | 288,000      |
|                       | 1965 |                      |                         | 16,000  | 16.00      | 256,000      |
| Sorghums<br>for Grain | 1966 | 9,500                | 2.0                     | 19,000  | 44.00      | 836,000      |
|                       | 1965 | 7,500                | 2.2                     | 16,500  | 43.00      | 710,000      |
| Sugar Beets           | 1966 | 13,500               | 19.7                    | 266,000 | 12.00      | 3,190,000    |
|                       | 1965 | 11,300               | 20.                     | 226,000 | 14.00      | 3,160,000    |
| Wheat                 | 1966 | 8,000                | 1.5                     | 12,000  | 51.00      | 612,000      |
|                       | 1965 | 6,100                | 1.25                    | 7,600   | 55.00      | 418,000      |

1966 Total - \$36,475,700  
 1965 Total - 29,786,500

FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1965 & 1966)

| CROP  | YEAR | BEARING<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |             | VALUE        |             |
|---|------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
|   |      |                    | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL       | PER<br>TON   | TOTAL       |
| Almonds                                     | 1966 | 9,350              | .6                      | 5,610       | 615.00       | \$3,450,000 |
|   | 1965 | 9,300              | .6                      | 5,500       | 600.00       | 3,300,000   |
| Apples,<br>Apricots,<br>Oranges,<br>Peaches | 1966 |                    |                         |             |              | 54,000      |
|   | 1965 |                    |                         |             |              | 145,000     |
| Prunes                                      | 1966 | 5,000              | 1.22                    | 6,100       | 320.00       | 1,952,000   |
|   | 1965 | 5,000              | 1.9                     | 9,500       | 220.00       | 2,090,000   |
| Walnuts<br>(English)                        | 1966 | 1,500              | 1.06                    | 1,590       | 420.00       | 668,000     |
|   | 1965 | 1,450              | .8                      | 1,150       | 420.00       | 483,000     |
| Walnuts<br>(Black)                          | 1966 |                    |                         | 7,800 sacks | 1.00         | 7,800       |
|   | 1965 |                    |                         | 5,000 sacks | 1.00         | 5,000       |
|   |      |                    |                         |             | 1966 Total - | \$6,131,800 |
|   |      |                    |                         |             | 1965 Total - | 6,023,000   |

LIVESTOCK: PRODUCTION AND VALUE (1965 & 1966)

| ITEM              | YEAR | PRODUCTION     |                            | VALUE       |              |             |
|-------------------|------|----------------|----------------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
|                   |      | NUMBER<br>HEAD | TOTAL<br>LIVEWEIGHT (CWT.) | PER<br>CWT. | TOTAL        |             |
| Cattle and Calves | 1966 | 24,500         | 166,000                    | 23.00       | \$3,820,000  |             |
|                   | 1965 | 24,000         | 163,000                    | 21.00       | 3,420,000    |             |
| Sheep and Lambs   | 1966 | 64,000         | 69,000                     | 23.00       | 1,590,000    |             |
|                   | 1965 | 77,000         | 83,000                     | 23.00       | 1,910,000    |             |
| Hogs and Pigs     | 1966 | 6,000          | 4,200                      | 23.00       | 96,600       |             |
|                   | 1965 | 6,600          | 4,600                      | 22.00       | 101,000      |             |
|                   |      |                |                            |             | 1966 Total - | \$5,506,600 |
|                   |      |                |                            |             | 1965 Total - | 5,431,000   |

LIVESTOCK & POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION & VALUE (1965 & 1966)

| ITEM               | YEAR | PRODUCTION |      | VALUE       |             |
|--------------------|------|------------|------|-------------|-------------|
|                    |      | TOTAL      | UNIT | PER UNIT    | TOTAL       |
| Milk, Cow<br>(All) | 1966 | 117,400    |      |             | \$508,000   |
|                    | 1965 | 126,000    |      |             | 494,000     |
| Market             | 1966 | 64,500     | Cwt. | 4.71        | 304,000     |
|                    | 1965 | 60,800     | Cwt. | 4.54        | 276,000     |
| Manufacturing      | 1966 | 52,900     | Cwt. | 3.86        | 204,000     |
|                    | 1965 | 65,200     | Cwt. | 3.34        | 218,000     |
| Wool               | 1966 | 341,000    | Lbs. | .558        | 190,000     |
|                    | 1965 | 616,000    | Lbs. | .50         | 308,000     |
| Eggs               | 1966 | 120,000    | Doz. | .35         | 42,000      |
|                    |      |            |      | 1966 Total  | - \$740,000 |
| *1965 Revised      |      |            |      | *1965 Total | - 802,000   |

APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION & VALUE (1965 & 1966)

| ITEM         | YEAR | PRODUCTION |          | VALUE      |             |
|--------------|------|------------|----------|------------|-------------|
|              |      | TOTAL      | UNIT     | PER UNIT   | TOTAL       |
| Honey        | 1966 | 111,000    | Lbs.     | .12        | 13,300      |
|              | 1965 | 320,000    | Lbs.     | .115       | 36,800      |
| Beeswax      | 1966 | 4,400      | Lbs.     | .445       | 2,000       |
|              | 1965 | 5,500      | Lbs.     | .43        | 2,400       |
| Queen Bees   | 1966 | 8,100      | Each     | 1.30       | 10,500      |
|              | 1965 | 8,400      | Each     | 1.26       | 10,600      |
| Package Bees | 1966 | 17,300     | Pkgs.    | 4.31       | 74,600      |
|              | 1965 | 13,300     | Pkgs.    | 4.27       | 56,800      |
| Pollination  | 1966 | 5,300      | Colonies | 1.61       | 8,500       |
|              | 1965 | 4,900      | Colonies | 1.59       | 7,800       |
|              |      |            |          | 1966 Total | - \$108,900 |
|              |      |            |          | 1965 Total | - 114,400   |

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1965 & 1966)

| CROP                          | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PER<br>ACRE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN LBS.) |            | VALUE        |             |
|-------------------------------|------|----------------------|-------------|-------------------------|------------|--------------|-------------|
|                               |      |                      |             | TOTAL                   | PER<br>LB. | TOTAL        |             |
| Alfalfa                       | 1966 | 3,600                | 230         | 828,000                 | .35        | \$290,000    |             |
|                               | 1965 | 4,000                | 300         | 1,200,000               | .34        | 408,000      |             |
| Sudan Grass                   | 1966 | 2,200                | 2,400       | 5,280,000               | .06        | 317,000      |             |
|                               | 1965 | 2,400                | 2,800       | 6,720,000               | .075       | 504,000      |             |
| Hay, Pasture,<br>Cover Crops* | 1966 | 375                  |             | 394,000                 |            | 22,000       |             |
|                               | 1965 | 475                  |             | 500,000                 |            | 28,000       |             |
| Vegetable<br>Crops**          | 1966 | 1,300                | 900         | 1,170,000               | .60        | 702,000      |             |
|                               | 1965 | 550                  | 900         | 495,000                 | .45        | 223,000      |             |
|                               |      |                      |             |                         |            | 1966 Total - | \$1,331,000 |
|                               |      |                      |             |                         |            | 1965 Total - | 1,163,000   |

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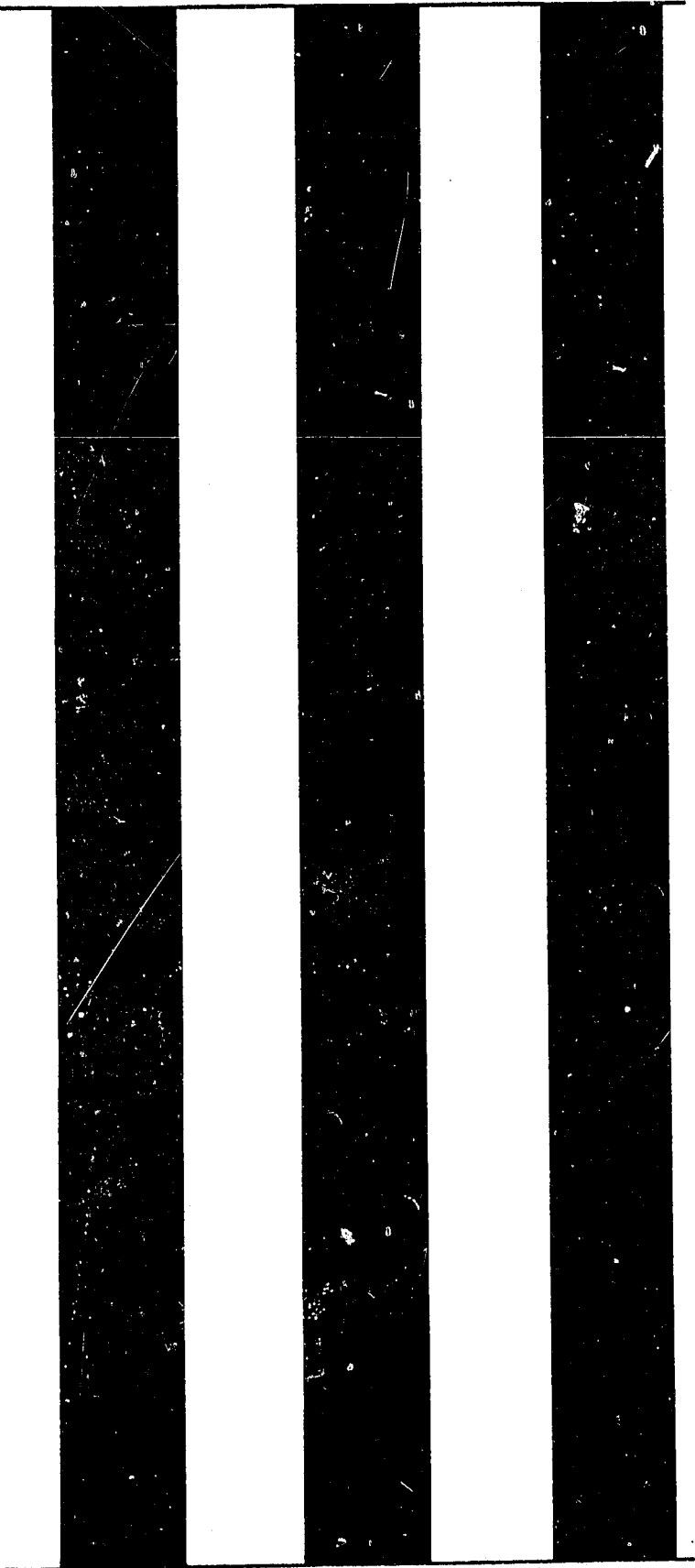
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|----------|------|-----------|-------------------------|--------|------------|--------------------|---------------------|------------|
|          |      |           | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL  | PER<br>TON | TOTAL              |                     |            |
| Tomatoes | 1966 | 2,200     | 22.4                    | 49,400 | 30.00      | \$1,482,000        |                     |            |
|          | 1965 | 1,280     | 20.5                    | 26,200 | 35.00      | 917,000            |                     |            |
|          |      |           |                         |        |            | 1966 Total -       | \$1,482,000         |            |
|          |      |           |                         |        |            | 1965 Total -       | 917,000             |            |
|          |      |           |                         |        |            | 1966 GRAND TOTAL - | \$51,776,000        |            |
| *Revised |      |           |                         |        |            |                    | *1965 GRAND TOTAL - | 44,236,900 |



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|                   |           |              |
|-------------------|-----------|--------------|
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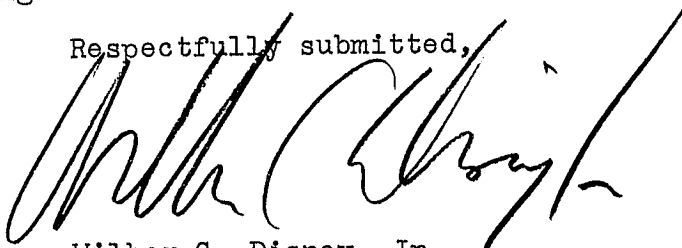
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|-----------------------|------|-----------|-------------------------|---------|------------|----------------|
|                       |      |           | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL   | PER<br>TON | TOTAL          |
| Barley                | 1967 | 25,000    | 1.0                     | 25,000  | 45.00      | \$1,125,000    |
|                       | 1966 | 44,000    | .9                      | 39,600  | 44.00      | 1,740,000      |
| Beans, Dry            | 1967 | 1,450     | .9                      | 1,300   | 289.00     | 376,000        |
|                       | 1966 | 2,500     | .9                      | 2,300   | 208.00     | 478,000        |
| Hay,<br>Alfalfa       | 1967 | 8,000     | 4.5                     | 36,000  | 30.00      | 1,080,000      |
|                       | 1966 | 8,500     | 4.6                     | 39,000  | 27.00      | 1,050,000      |
| Hay,<br>Grain         | 1967 | 1,000     | 2.5                     | 2,500   | 25.00      | 62,500         |
|                       | 1966 | 1,000     | 2.5                     | 2,500   | 23.00      | 57,500         |
| Oats                  | 1967 | 460       | 1.3                     | 600     | 50.00      | 30,000         |
|                       | 1966 | 500       | 1.2                     | 600     | 47.00      | 28,200         |
| Pasture,<br>Irrigated | 1967 | 12,600    |                         |         | 37.50 Acre | 472,000        |
|                       | 1966 | 12,600    |                         |         | 37.50 Acre | 472,000        |
| Pasture,<br>Other     | 1967 | 203,000   |                         |         | 1.40 Acre  | 284,000        |
|                       | 1966 | 203,000   |                         |         | 1.40 Acre  | 284,000        |
| Rice                  | 1967 |           |                         | 211,000 | 98.00      | 20,678,000     |
|                       | 1966 |           |                         | 257,000 | 92.00      | 23,640,000     |
| Rice,<br>Certified    | 1967 |           |                         | 5,000   | 145.00     | 725,000        |
|                       | 1966 |           |                         | 4,000   | 140.00     | 560,000        |
| Rice Total            | 1967 | 90,000    | 2.4                     | 216,000 |            | 21,403,000     |
|                       | 1966 | 90,000    | 2.9                     | 261,000 |            | 24,200,000     |
| Safflower             | 1967 | 20,000    | .9                      | 18,000  | 85.00      | 1,530,000      |
|                       | 1966 | 40,000    | .9                      | 36,000  | 90.00      | 3,240,000      |
| Screenings            | 1967 |           |                         | 15,000  | 16.00      | 240,000        |
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|                       | 1966 | 9,500     | 2.0                     | 19,000  | 44.00      | 836,000        |
| Sugar Beets           | 1967 | 9,600     | 18.0                    | 172,000 | 10.725     | 1,844,000      |
|                       | 1966 | 13,500    | 19.7                    | 266,000 | 12.00      | 3,190,000      |
| Wheat                 | 1967 | 17,000    | 1.56                    | 26,600  | 46.00      | 1,224,000      |
|                       | 1966 | 8,000     | 1.5                     | 12,000  | 51.00      | 612,000        |
|                       |      |           |                         |         | 1967 Total | - \$30,640,500 |
|                       |      |           |                         |         | 1966 Total | - 36,475,700   |

FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1966 & 1967)

| CROP                             | YEAR | BEARING<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |             | VALUE      |             |
|----------------------------------|------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------|------------|-------------|
|                                  |      |                    | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL       | PER<br>TON | TOTAL       |
| Almonds                          | 1967 | 9,350              | .63                     | 5,890       | 630.00     | \$3,711,000 |
|                                  | 1966 | 9,350              | .6                      | 5,610       | 615.00     | 3,450,000   |
| Apricots,<br>Oranges,<br>Peaches | 1967 |                    |                         |             |            | 50,000      |
|                                  | 1966 |                    |                         |             |            | 54,000      |
| Prunes                           | 1967 | 5,400              | 1.72                    | 9,300       | 280.00     | 2,604,000   |
|                                  | 1966 | 5,000              | 1.22                    | 6,100       | 320.00     | 1,952,000   |
| Walnuts<br>(English)             | 1967 | 1,500              | .71                     | 1,100       | 550.00     | 605,000     |
|                                  | 1966 | 1,500              | 1.06                    | 1,590       | 420.00     | 668,000     |
| Walnuts<br>(Black)               | 1967 |                    |                         | 4,000 sacks | 1.25       | 5,000       |
|                                  | 1966 |                    |                         | 7,800 sacks | 1.00       | 7,800       |
| 1967 Total -                     |      |                    |                         |             |            | \$6,975,000 |
| 1966 Total -                     |      |                    |                         |             |            | 6,131,800   |

LIVESTOCK: PRODUCTION AND VALUE (1966 & 1967)

| ITEM              | YEAR  | NO.<br>HEAD | PRODUCTION               |             | VALUE       |             |
|-------------------|-------|-------------|--------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
|                   |       |             | TOTAL<br>LIVWEIGHT(CWT.) | PER<br>CWT. | TOTAL       |             |
| Cattle and Calves | 1967  | 22,300      | 156,000                  | 24.00       | \$3,744,000 |             |
|                   | *1966 | 24,000      | 163,000                  | 22.00       | 3,586,000   |             |
| Sheep and Lambs   | 1967  | 64,400      | 70,000                   | 22.00       | 1,540,000   |             |
|                   | *1966 | 58,200      | 61,000                   | 22.00       | 1,342,000   |             |
| Hogs and Pigs     | 1967  | 1,600       | 1,200                    | 18.00       | 21,600      |             |
|                   | *1966 | 1,600       | 1,200                    | 20.00       | 24,000      |             |
| 1967 Total -      |       |             |                          |             |             | \$5,305,600 |
| *1966 Total -     |       |             |                          |             |             | 4,952,000   |

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LIVESTOCK & POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION & VALUE (1966 & 1967)

| ITEM           | YEAR  | PRODUCTION |      | VALUE        |               |         |
|----------------|-------|------------|------|--------------|---------------|---------|
|                |       | TOTAL      | UNIT | PER UNIT     | TOTAL         |         |
| Milk<br>Market | 1967  | 69,600     | Cwt. | 4.86         | \$338,000     |         |
|                | *1966 | 65,100     | Cwt. | 4.69         | 305,000       |         |
| Manufacturing  | 1967  | 39,700     | Cwt. | 3.96         | 157,000       |         |
|                | *1966 | 51,400     | Cwt. | 3.81         | 196,000       |         |
| Wool           | 1967  | 508,000    | Lbs. | .45          | 228,000       |         |
|                | *1966 | 341,000    | Lbs. | .558         | 190,000       |         |
| Eggs           | 1967  | 1,680,000  | Doz. | .23          | 386,000       |         |
|                | *1966 | 120,000    | Doz. | .35          | 42,000        |         |
|                |       |            |      | 1967 Total - | \$1,109,000   |         |
| *1966 Revised  |       |            |      |              | *1966 Total - | 733,000 |

APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION & VALUE (1966 & 1967)

| ITEM         | YEAR | PRODUCTION |          | VALUE        |           |
|--------------|------|------------|----------|--------------|-----------|
|              |      | TOTAL      | UNIT     | PER UNIT     | TOTAL     |
| Honey        | 1967 | 240,000    | Lbs.     | .115         | \$28,000  |
|              | 1966 | 111,000    | Lbs.     | .12          | 13,300    |
| Beeswax      | 1967 | 3,800      | Lbs.     | .605         | 2,300     |
|              | 1966 | 4,400      | Lbs.     | .445         | 2,000     |
| Queen Bees   | 1967 | 5,500      | Each     | 1.39         | 7,600     |
|              | 1966 | 8,100      | Each     | 1.30         | 10,500    |
| Package Bees | 1967 | 18,300     | Pkgs.    | 3.92         | 71,800    |
|              | 1966 | 17,300     | Pkgs.    | 4.31         | 74,600    |
| Pollination  | 1967 | 8,100      | Colonies | 1.69         | 13,700    |
|              | 1966 | 5,300      | Colonies | 1.61         | 8,500     |
|              |      |            |          | 1967 Total - | \$123,400 |
|              |      |            |          | 1966 Total - | 108,900   |



SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1966 & 1967)

| CROP           | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN LBS.) |           | VALUE      |           |
|----------------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------|------------|-----------|
|                |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL     | PER<br>LB. | TOTAL     |
| Alfalfa        | 1967 | 2,150                | 270                     | 580,000   | .445       | \$258,000 |
|                | 1966 | 3,600                | 230                     | 828,000   | .35        | 290,000   |
| Other Legumes* | 1967 | 690                  |                         | 630,000   | .08        | 50,400    |
|                | 1966 | 375                  |                         | 394,000   |            | 22,000    |
| Sudan Grass    | 1967 | 180                  | 1,900                   | 342,000   | .055       | 18,800    |
|                | 1966 | 2,200                | 2,400                   | 5,280,000 | .06        | 317,000   |
| Vine Crops**   | 1967 | 2,400                | 875                     | 2,100,000 | .70        | 1,470,000 |
|                | 1966 | 1,300                | 900                     | 1,170,000 | .60        | 702,000   |

1967 Total - \$1,797,200  
1966 Total - 1,331,000

\*Includes Beans, Field Peas and Vetch.

\*\*Includes Cantaloupes, Cucumbers, Pumpkins, Squash, and Watermelons.

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE (1966 & 1967)

| CROP     | YEAR | HARVESTED<br>ACREAGE | PRODUCTION<br>(IN TONS) |        | VALUE      |             |
|----------|------|----------------------|-------------------------|--------|------------|-------------|
|          |      |                      | PER<br>ACRE             | TOTAL  | PER<br>TON | TOTAL       |
| Tomatoes | 1967 | 3,300                | 16.6                    | 54,800 | 38.60      | \$2,115,000 |
|          | 1966 | 2,200                | 22.4                    | 49,400 | 30.00      | 1,482,000   |
| Other*   | 1967 | 520                  | 2.5                     | 1,300  | 119.00     | 154,000     |

\*Includes Beans, Cucumbers, and Squash, for processing.

1967 Total - \$2,269,000  
1966 Total - 1,482,000

1967 GRAND TOTAL - \$48,219,700

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\*\*1966 GRAND TOTAL - 51,214,400

FIVE YEAR CHART

|       |             |           |              |
|-------|-------------|-----------|--------------|
| 1967  | GRAND TOTAL | - - - - - | \$48,219,700 |
| *1966 | GRAND TOTAL | - - - - - | 51,214,400   |
| 1965  | GRAND TOTAL | - - - - - | 44,236,900   |
| 1964  | GRAND TOTAL | - - - - - | 43,215,280   |
| 1963  | GRAND TOTAL | - - - - - | 38,365,880   |

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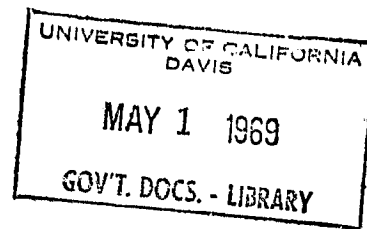
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## CROP STATISTICS OF COLUSA COUNTY

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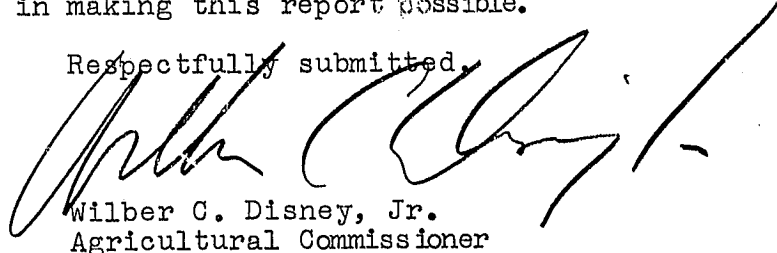
Gentlemen:

In accordance with the requirements of Section 2279 of the California Agricultural Code, I am pleased to submit the 1968 Agricultural Crop Report of Colusa County.

The values shown in this report are the gross returns of production. They do not attempt to reflect the net income to the farmer. The total gross value of agricultural crops produced in Colusa County in 1968 is \$59,666,810, the highest on record, and an increase of \$11,455,110 over the revised 1967 report.

I wish to express my sincere thanks to the University of California Extension Service, other governmental agencies, individuals, and producers, and to the members of my staff for their assistance in making this report possible.

Respectfully submitted,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Wilber C. Disney, Jr.', is written over the typed name and title.

Wilber C. Disney, Jr.  
Agricultural Commissioner

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FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE

| Crop                  | Year | Harvested<br>Acreage | Production  |         | Unit | Value       |            |
|-----------------------|------|----------------------|-------------|---------|------|-------------|------------|
|                       |      |                      | Per<br>Acre | Total   |      | Per<br>Unit | Total      |
| Barley                | 1968 | 26,000               | .9          | 23,400  | Ton  | 42.00       | \$983,000  |
|                       | 1967 | 25,000               | 1.0         | 25,000  | Ton  | 45.00       | 1,125,000  |
| Beans, Dry            | 1968 | 1,770                | .95         | 1,680   | Ton  | 140.00      | 235,000    |
|                       | 1967 | 1,450                | .9          | 1,300   | Ton  | 289.00      | 376,000    |
| Beets, Sugar          | 1968 | 9,300                | 22.0        | 205,000 | Ton  | 12.45       | 2,552,000  |
|                       | 1967 | 9,600                | 18.0        | 172,000 | Ton  | 10.725      | 1,844,000  |
| Hay,<br>Alfalfa       | 1968 | 7,500                | 4.6         | 34,500  | Ton  | 26.00       | 897,000    |
|                       | 1967 | 8,000                | 4.5         | 36,000  | Ton  | 30.00       | 1,080,000  |
| Hay,<br>Grain         | 1968 | 700                  | 2.4         | 1,680   | Ton  | 25.00       | 42,000     |
|                       | 1967 | 1,000                | 2.5         | 2,500   | Ton  | 25.00       | 62,500     |
| Oats                  | 1968 | 520                  | 1.6         | 830     | Ton  | 51.00       | 42,300     |
|                       | 1967 | 460                  | 1.3         | 600     | Ton  | 50.00       | 30,000     |
| Pasture,<br>Irrigated | 1968 | 12,000               |             |         | Acre | 37.50       | 450,000    |
|                       | 1967 | 12,600               |             |         | Acre | 37.50       | 472,000    |
| Pasture,<br>Other     | 1968 | 202,000              |             |         | Acre | 1.40        | 283,000    |
|                       | 1967 | 203,000              |             |         | Acre | 1.40        | 284,000    |
| Rice                  | 1968 |                      |             | 290,000 | Ton  | 98.00       | 28,420,000 |
|                       | 1967 |                      |             | 211,000 | Ton  | 98.00       | 20,678,000 |
| Rice,<br>Certified    | 1968 |                      |             | 8,000   | Ton  | 140.00      | 1,120,000  |
|                       | 1967 |                      |             | 5,000   | Ton  | 145.00      | 725,000    |
| Rice Total            | 1968 | 108,400              | 2.75        | 298,000 | Ton  |             | 29,540,000 |
|                       | 1967 | 90,000               | 2.4         | 216,000 | Ton  |             | 21,403,000 |
| Safflower             | 1968 | 12,400               | .71         | 8,800   | Ton  | 82.00       | 722,000    |
|                       | 1967 | 20,000               | .9          | 18,000  | Ton  | 85.00       | 1,530,000  |
| Screenings            | 1968 |                      |             | 12,300  | Ton  | 16.00       | 197,000    |
|                       | 1967 |                      |             | 15,000  | Ton  | 16.00       | 240,000    |
| Sorghum,<br>Grain     | 1968 | 8,500                | 2.3         | 19,600  | Ton  | 41.50       | 813,000    |
|                       | 1967 | 11,000               | 2.1         | 23,100  | Ton  | 42.00       | 970,000    |
| Wheat                 | 1968 | 45,000               | 1.55        | 69,800  | Ton  | 42.00       | 2,932,000  |
|                       | 1967 | 17,000               | 1.56        | 26,600  | Ton  | 46.00       | 1,224,000  |

1968 Total - \$39,688,300  
 1967 Total - 30,640,500

FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE

| Crop                             | Year | Bearing<br>Acreage | Production  |       | Unit | Value        |             |
|----------------------------------|------|--------------------|-------------|-------|------|--------------|-------------|
|                                  |      |                    | Per<br>Acre | Total |      | Per<br>Unit  | Total       |
| Almonds                          | 1968 | 9,400              | .59         | 5,550 | Ton  | 650.00       | \$3,608,000 |
|                                  | 1967 | 9,350              | .63         | 5,890 | Ton  | 630.00       | 3,711,000   |
| Apricots,<br>Oranges,<br>Peaches | 1968 |                    |             |       |      |              | 102,000     |
|                                  | 1967 |                    |             |       |      |              | 50,000      |
| Prunes                           | 1968 | 6,100              | 1.57        | 9,580 | Ton  | 285.00       | 2,730,000   |
|                                  | 1967 | 5,400              | 1.72        | 9,300 | Ton  | 280.00       | 2,604,000   |
| Walnuts                          | 1968 | 1,750              | 1.15        | 2,000 | Ton  | 660.00       | 1,320,000   |
|                                  | 1967 | 1,500              | .71         | 1,100 | Ton  | 550.00       | 605,000     |
|                                  |      |                    |             |       |      | 1968 Total - | \$7,760,000 |
|                                  |      |                    |             |       |      | 1967 Total - | 6,975,000   |

LIVESTOCK: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

| Item              | Year | Production  |                     | Unit | Value       |              |             |
|-------------------|------|-------------|---------------------|------|-------------|--------------|-------------|
|                   |      | No.<br>Head | Total<br>Liveweight |      | Per<br>Unit | Total        |             |
| Cattle and Calves | 1968 | 22,300      | 134,000             | Cwt. | 26.00       | \$3,484,000  |             |
|                   | 1967 | 22,300      | 156,000             | Cwt. | 24.00       | 3,744,000    |             |
| Sheep and Lambs   | 1968 | 61,000      | 61,000              | Cwt. | 25.00       | 1,525,000    |             |
|                   | 1967 | 64,400      | 70,000              | Cwt. | 22.00       | 1,540,000    |             |
| Hogs and Pigs     | 1968 | 1,250       | 1,250               | Cwt. | 19.00       | 23,800       |             |
|                   | 1967 | 1,600       | 1,200               | Cwt. | 18.00       | 21,600       |             |
|                   |      |             |                     |      |             | 1968 Total - | \$5,032,800 |
|                   |      |             |                     |      |             | 1967 Total - | 5,305,600   |



LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

| Item           | Year  | Production |      | Value    |           |
|----------------|-------|------------|------|----------|-----------|
|                |       | Total      | Unit | Per Unit | Total     |
| Milk<br>Market | 1968  | 65,000     | Gwt. | 4.92     | \$320,000 |
|                | *1967 | 67,400     | Gwt. | 4.85     | 327,000   |
| Manufacturing  | 1968  | 22,500     | Gwt. | 4.08     | 91,800    |
|                | *1967 | 40,100     | Gwt. | 3.96     | 159,000   |
| Wool           | 1968  | 488,000    | Lb.  | .52      | 254,000   |
|                | *1967 | 508,000    | Lb.  | .45      | 229,000   |
| Eggs           | 1968  | 1,660,000  | Doz. | .275     | 456,000   |
|                | 1967  | 1,680,000  | Doz. | .23      | 386,000   |
| Poultry Meat   | 1968  | 224,000    | Lb.  | .072     | 16,100    |

1968 Total - \$1,137,900  
 \*1967 Total - 1,101,000

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APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

| Item         | Year | Production |        | Value    |          |
|--------------|------|------------|--------|----------|----------|
|              |      | Total      | Unit   | Per Unit | Total    |
| Honey        | 1968 | 110,000    | Lb.    | .11      | \$12,100 |
|              | 1967 | 240,000    | Lb.    | .115     | 28,000   |
| Beeswax      | 1968 | 2,300      | Lb.    | .605     | 1,390    |
|              | 1967 | 3,800      | Lb.    | .605     | 2,300    |
| Package Bees | 1968 | 9,900      | Pkg.   | 4.00     | 39,600   |
|              | 1967 | 18,300     | Pkg.   | 3.92     | 71,800   |
| Queen Bees   | 1968 | 3,700      | Each   | 1.25     | 4,620    |
|              | 1967 | 5,500      | Each   | 1.39     | 7,600    |
| Pollination  | 1968 | 9,000      | Colony | 2.50     | 22,500   |
|              | 1967 | 8,100      | Colony | 1.69     | 13,700   |

1968 Total - \$80,210  
 1967 Total - 123,400

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE

| Crop               | Year | Harvested<br>Acreage | Production  |           | Unit | Value       |           |
|--------------------|------|----------------------|-------------|-----------|------|-------------|-----------|
|                    |      |                      | Per<br>Acre | Total     |      | Per<br>Unit | Total     |
| Alfalfa            | 1968 | 2,000                | 265         | 530,000   | Lb.  | .35         | \$186,000 |
|                    | 1967 | 2,150                | 270         | 580,000   | Lb.  | .445        | 258,000   |
| Legumes,<br>Other* | 1968 | 320                  |             | 522,000   | Lb.  | .11         | 57,400    |
|                    | 1967 | 690                  |             | 630,000   | Lb.  | .08         | 50,400    |
| Sudan Grass        | 1968 | 500                  | 1,280       | 640,000   | Lb.  | .055        | 35,200    |
|                    | 1967 | 180                  | 1,900       | 342,000   | Lb.  | .055        | 18,800    |
| Vine Crops**       | 1968 | 1,200                | 820         | 984,000   | Lb.  | .855        | 841,000   |
|                    | 1967 | 2,400                | 875         | 2,100,000 | Lb.  | .70         | 1,470,000 |

1968 Total - \$1,119,600  
1967 Total - 1,797,200

\*Includes Beans, Field Peas, and Vetch.

\*\*Includes Cantaloupes, Cucumbers, Pumpkins,  
Squash, and Watermelons.

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION, AND VALUE

| Crop                       | Year | Harvested<br>Acreage | Production  |         | Unit | Value       |             |
|----------------------------|------|----------------------|-------------|---------|------|-------------|-------------|
|                            |      |                      | Per<br>Acre | Total   |      | Per<br>Unit | Total       |
| Tomatoes                   | 1968 | 6,690                | 20.4        | 136,000 | Ton  | 35.20       | \$4,787,000 |
|                            | 1967 | 3,300                | 16.6        | 54,800  | Ton  | 38.60       | 2,115,000   |
| Bell Peppers,<br>Pimientos | 1968 | 80                   | 10.0        | 800     | Ton  | 76.20       | 61,000      |
|                            | 1967 | 520                  | 2.5         | 1,300   | Ton  | 119.00      | 154,000     |

1968 Total - \$4,848,000  
1967 Total - 2,269,000

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1968 GRAND TOTAL - \$59,666,810  
\*1967 GRAND TOTAL - 48,211,700

### FIVE YEAR CHART

|                   |              |
|-------------------|--------------|
| 1968 Grand Total  | \$59,666,810 |
| *1967 Grand Total | 48,211,700   |
| 1966 Grand Total  | 51,214,400   |
| 1965 Grand Total  | 44,236,900   |
| 1964 Grand Total  | 43,215,280   |

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### THE 1968 LEADING FARM COMMODITIES

|                   |              |
|-------------------|--------------|
| Rice              | \$29,540,000 |
| Tomatoes          | 4,787,000    |
| Almonds           | 3,608,000    |
| Cattle and Calves | 3,484,000    |
| Wheat             | 2,932,000    |
| Prunes            | 2,730,000    |
| Sugar Beets       | 2,552,000    |
| Sheep and Lambs   | 1,525,000    |
| Walnuts           | 1,320,000    |