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Sutter County

1968-1974

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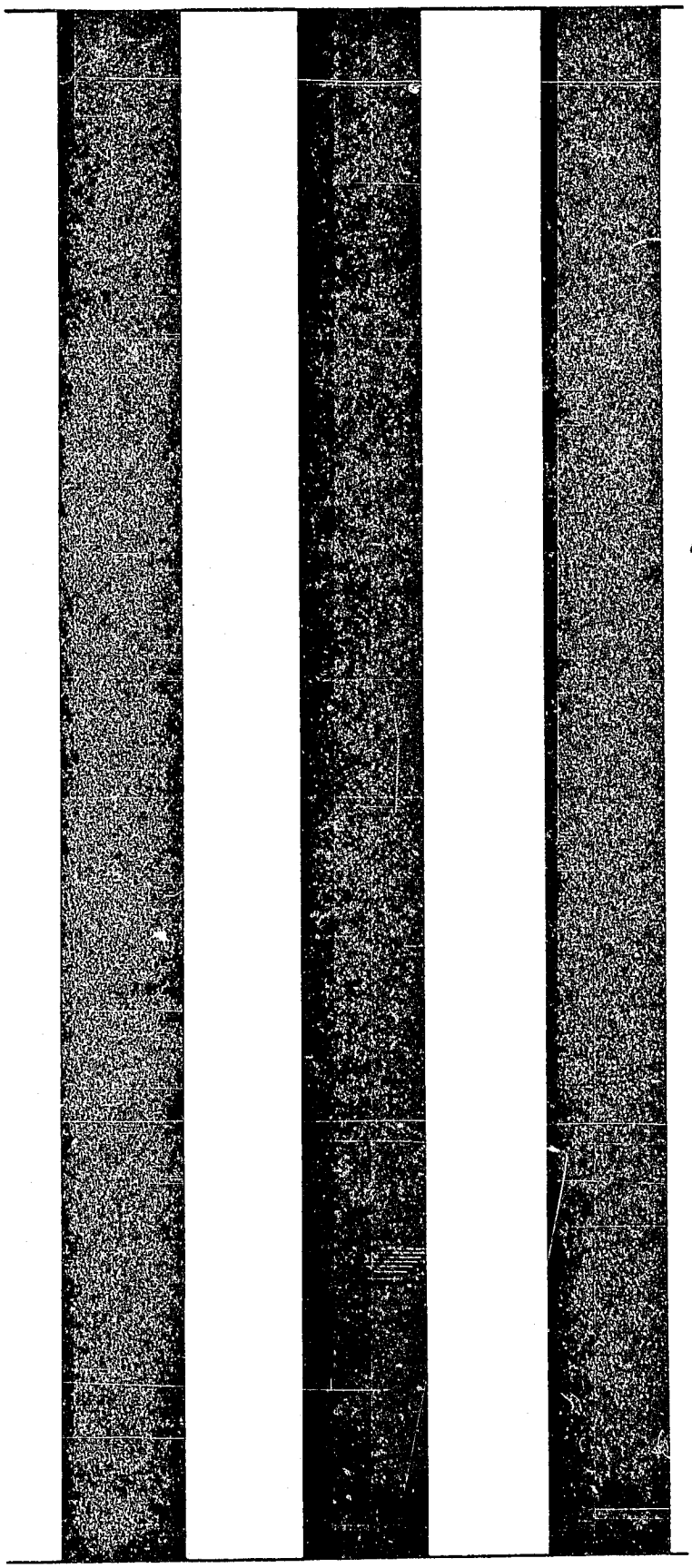

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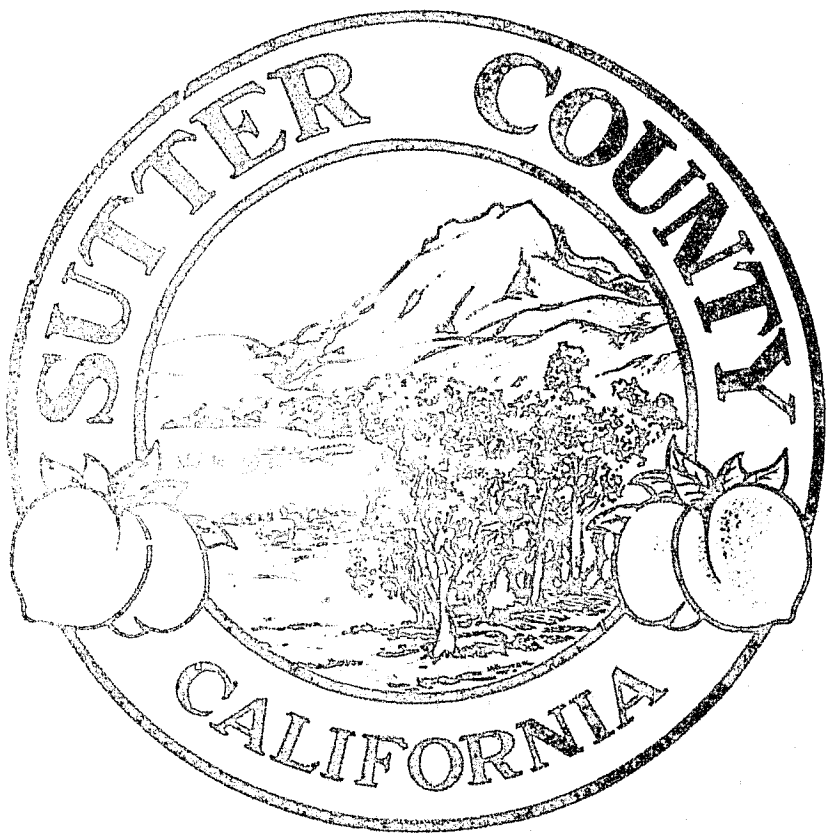

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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Bearing Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Almonds	1968	5,870	.541	3,180	ton	$625.00	$ 1,988,000
	1967	5,820	.72	4,200	ton	610.00	2,562,000
Cherries	1968	21	3.33	70	ton	598.00	41,900
	1967	21	2.38	50	ton	567.00	28,400
Grapes, all	1968	Listed under miscellaneous fruits.					
	1967	49	4.18	205	ton	59.40	12,200
Nectarines	1968	Listed under miscellaneous fruits.					
	1967	47	6.0	280	ton	72.00	20,200
Olives	1968	Listed under miscellaneous fruits.					
	1967	49	.41	20	ton	431.00	8,620
Peaches Clingstone	1968	13,380	10.39	139,000	ton	75.20	10,453,000
	1967	12,909	8.99	116,000	ton	82.20	9,535,000
Peaches Freestone	1968	255	11.0	2,800	ton	80.00	224,000
	1967	273	7.0	1,910	ton	90.00	172,000
Pears, all	1968	950	6.61	6,280	ton	115.00	722,000
	1967	845	3.55	3,000	ton	178.00	534,000
Plums	1968	416	5.0	2,080	ton	243.00	505,000
	1967	511	3.89	1,990	ton	264.00	525,000
Prunes, dried	1968	14,970	1.86	27,900	ton	280.00	7,812,000
	1967	14,189	2.47	35,000	ton	275.00	9,625,000
Walnuts English	1968	9,210	.745	6,860	ton	655.00	4,493,000
	1967	9,134	.52	4,750	ton	544.00	2,584,000
Walnuts Black	1968			7,000	bags	1.25	8,750
	1967			6,500	bags	1.25	8,120
Misc.*	1968						28,000
	1967						14,000
Total	1968						$26,275,000
	1967						25,625,540

* Includes - Apricots, bushberries, grapes, nectarines, pecans, persimmons, strawberries, olives and oranges.

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Barley	1968	15,000	1.38	20,700	ton	$ 42.00	$ 869,000
	1967	20,000	1.49	29,800	ton	47.00	1,401,000
Beans Dry Edible	1968	10,700	.94	10,100	ton	144.00	1,454,000
	1967	8,500	.9	7,650	ton	290.00	2,218,000
Corn, Field	1968	3,600	3.0	10,800	ton	46.00	497,000
	1967	7,900	2.43	19,200	ton	45.00	864,000
Hay Alfalfa	1968	9,000	7.0	63,000	ton	26.00	1,638,000
	1967	8,500	7.0	59,500	ton	27.00	1,606,000
Hay Grain	1968	6,000	2.5	15,000	ton	22.00	330,000
	1967	5,000	2.5	12,500	ton	23.00	288,000
Hay Other	1968	5,000	1.5	7,500	ton	20.00	150,000
	1967	3,000	1.5	4,500	ton	21.00	94,500
Hops	1968	340	1,690	575,000	lbs.	.52	299,000
	1967	340	1,702	579,000	lbs.	.50	290,000
Oats	1968	500	1.25	625	ton	50.00	31,200
	1967	2,000	1.0	2,000	ton	60.00	120,000
Pasture & Range, Irrig.	1968	20,000			acre	25.00	500,000
	1967	25,000			acre	25.00	625,000
Pasture & Range, Dry	1968	82,000			acre	1.00	82,000
	1967	82,000			acre	1.00	82,000
Rice	1968	76,000	2.95	224,000	ton	97.00	21,728,000
	1967	64,750	2.6	168,000	ton	98.00	16,464,000
Safflower	1968	7,640	1.0	7,640	ton	87.00	665,000
	1967	14,600	.88	12,800	ton	92.00	1,178,000
Sorghum Grain	1968	24,700	2.1	51,900	ton	42.00	2,180,000
	1967	30,000	2.0	60,000	ton	42.00	2,520,000
Sugar Beets	1968	3,170	19.7	62,400	ton	12.60	786,000
	1967	3,200	17.3	55,400	ton	12.90	715,000
Wheat	1968	23,000	1.58	36,300	ton	41.00	1,488,000
	1967	16,600	1.5	24,900	ton	49.00	1,220,000
Total	1968						$32,697,200
	1967						29,665,500

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Production Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Alfalfa	1968	3,400	407	1,384,000	lb.	$ .40	$ 554,000
	1967	3,730	420	1,567,000	lb.	.40	627,000
Clover	1968	460	300	138,000	lb.	.73	101,000
	1967	320	290	92,800	lb.	.60	55,700
Cantaloupe	1968	300	287	86,100	lb.	.79	68,000
	1967	250	500	125,000	lb.	.75	93,800
Cucumber	1968	990	361	357,000	lb.	1.10	393,000
	1967	385	550	212,000	lb.	.74	157,000
Pumpkin & Squash	1968	125	348	43,500	lb.	.60	26,100
	1967	135	365	49,300	lb.	.47	23,200
Rice	1968	4,360	6,000	26,160,000	lb.	.07	1,831,000
	1967	2,550	5,380	13,719,000	lb.	.07	960,000
Purple Vetch	1968	500	500	250,000	lb.	.06	15,000
	1967	1,000	600	600,000	lb.	.07	42,000
Watermelon	1968	940	260	244,000	lb.	.83	203,000
	1967	560	435	244,000	lb.	.70	171,000
Misc. Seeds	1968			220,000	lb.		242,000
	1967			142,000	lb.		29,000
Total	1968						$3,433,100
	1967						2,193,700

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Production Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Melons, all	1968	530	7.96	4,220	ton	$ 72.60	$ 306,000
	1967	425	6.0	2,550	ton	180.00	459,000
Pumpkins	1968	250	9.0	2,250	ton	10.00	22,500
	1967	100	4.6	460	ton	9.00	4,140
Tomatoes Canning	1968	15,840	20.8	329,500	ton	35.20	11,598,000
	1967	10,240	15.39	157,590	ton	38.72	6,101,700
Squash	1968	150	15.0	2,250	ton	20.00	45,000
	1967	100	15.0	1,500	ton	23.70	35,600
Vegetables Misc.	1968						204,000
	1967						136,000
Total	1968						$12,175,500
	1967						6,786,440

NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA, SALES AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production Area Field Acres	Quantity Sold By Producers	Unit	Value Total
Nursery Crops					
Fruit & Nut Trees	1968	85	841,000	plants	$820,000
	1967	65	630,000	plants	753,000
Ornamental Trees & Shrubs	1968	15			44,000
	1967	15			45,400
Total	1968				$864,000
	1967				798,400

APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Honey	1968	xxx	lbs.	$ .xx	$ xxx
	1967	81,400	lbs.	.10	8,140
Beeswax	1968	xxx	lbs.	.xx	xxx
	1967	3,000	lbs.	.54	1,620
Package Bees	1968	98,000	lbs.	1.30	127,000
	1967	180,000	lbs.	1.03	185,000
Queen Bees	1968	64,000	each	1.30	83,200
	1967	74,000	each	1.30	96,200
Pollination	1968	12,000	colony	4.00	48,000
	1967	12,000	colony	3.00	36,000
Total	1968				$258,200
	1967				326,960

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production: No. of Head	Production: Total Liveweight	Unit	Value: Per Unit	Value: Total
Cattle and Calves	1968	15,700	110,000	cwt.	$25.10	$2,761,000
	1967	11,000	77,000	cwt.	24.10	1,856,000
Sheep and Lambs	1968	16,900	16,400	cwt.	21.30	349,000
	1967	20,300	21,700	cwt.	16.10	349,000
Hogs and Pigs	1968	7,000	10,500	cwt.	19.70	207,000
	1967	7,500	11,200	cwt.	20.10	225,000
Old Hens and Roosters	1968	71,000	355,000	lb.	.06	21,300
	1967	48,300	241,000	lb.	.05	12,000
Misc. Livestock & Poultry	1968					30,000
	1967					xxx
Total	1968					$3,368,300
	1967					2,442,000

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value: Per Unit	Value: Total
Milk	1968	114,000	cwt.	$5.45	$ 621,000
Marketing	1967*	111,000	cwt.	5.40	599,000
Manufacturing	1968	65,600	cwt.	3.89	255,000
	1967*	89,600	cwt.	3.80	340,000
Wool	1968	136,000	lbs.	.45	61,200
	1967	140,000	lbs.	.49	68,600
Eggs, Chicken	1968	623,000	doz.	.33	206,000
Market	1967	914,000	doz.	.29	265,000
Hatching	1968	78,500	doz.	.65	51,000
	1967	345,000	doz.	.63	217,000
Total	1968				$1,194,200
	1967				1,489,600

* Revised

JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY
(in number of head)

Item	Jan. 1, 1968	Jan. 1, 1969
Cattle and Calves All	20,500	20,100
Milk Cows (2 years and older)	2,400	2,100
Stock Sheep	16,400	16,500
Hogs and Pigs	1,600	1,100
Hens and Pullets	78,900	67,000

GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS

	1967	1968
AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM	$104,110	$ 70,000
FEED GRAIN PROGRAM	307,419	302,565
WOOL INCENTIVE	25,807	90,597
LAMB INCENTIVE	2,796	xxx
SUGAR BEETS	206,193	116,705
CONSERVATION RESERVE	2,360	xxx

SUMMARY

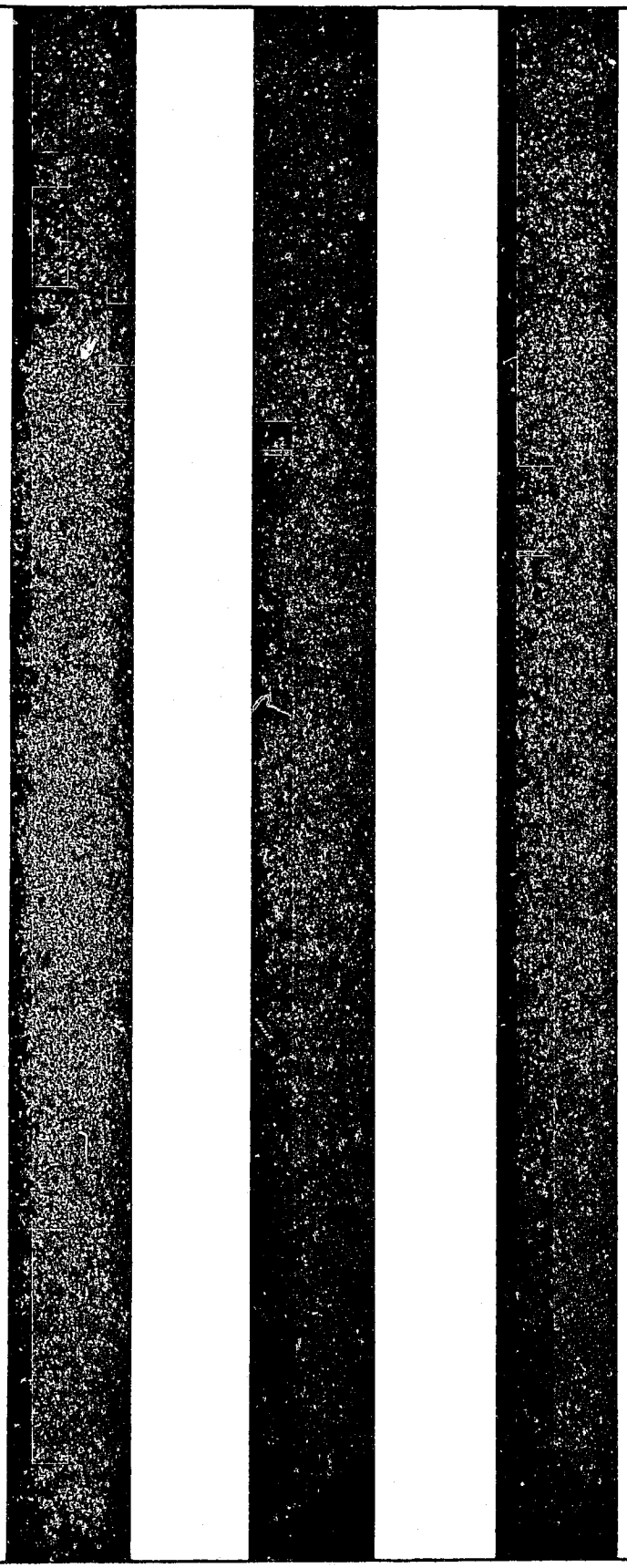
FARM VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION

	1967	1968
FRUIT & NUT CROPS	$25,625,540	$26,275,650
FIELD CROPS	29,685,500	32,697,200
VEGETABLE CROPS	6,786,440	12,175,500
SEED CROPS	2,158,700	3,433,100
NURSERY PRODUCTS	798,400	864,000
APIARY PRODUCTS	326,960	258,200
LIVESTOCK & POULTRY	2,442,000	3,368,300
LIVESTOCK & POULTRY PRODUCTS	1,489,600*	1,194,200
TOTAL	$69,313,140*	$80,266,150

* Revised

TEN LEADING CROPS & VALUES

1967		1968	
All Rice	$17,424,000	All Rice	$23,559,000
Prunes, Dried	9,625,000	Tomatoes, Canning	11,598,000
Peaches, Cling	9,535,000	Peaches, Cling	10,453,000
Tomatoes, Canning	6,101,700	Prunes, Dried	7,812,000
Walnuts, English	2,584,000	Walnuts, English	4,493,000
Almonds	2,562,000	Cattle & Calves	2,761,000
Sorghum, Grain	2,520,000	Sorghum, Grain	2,180,000
Beans, Dry Edible	2,218,000	Almonds	1,988,000
Cattle & Calves	1,856,000	Hay, Alfalfa	1,638,000
Hay, Alfalfa	1,606,000	Wheat	1,438,000



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Crop	Year	Bearing Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Almonds	1969	5,970	.9	5,370	ton	$626.00	$ 3,362,000
	1968	5,878	.541	3,180	ton	625.00	1,988,000
Cherries	1969	21	5.23	110	ton	410.00	45,100
	1968	21	2.33	70	ton	598.00	41,900
Peaches Clingstone	1969	14,240	12.64	180,000	ton	73.40	13,212,000
	1968	13,380	10.39	139,000	ton	75.20	10,453,000
Peaches Freestone	1969	282	11.5	3,240	ton	80.00	259,000
	1968	255	11.0	2,800	ton	80.00	224,000
Pears, all	1969	1,100	8.44	9,280	ton	93.00	863,000
	1968	950	6.61	6,280	ton	115.00	722,000
Plums	1969	400	2.6	1,040	ton	221.00	230,000
	1968	416	5.0	2,080	ton	243.00	505,000
Prunes, dried	1969	15,560	1.25	19,400	ton	310.00	6,014,000
	1968	14,970	1.86	27,900	ton	280.00	7,812,000
Walnuts English	1969	9,420	625	5,890	ton	420.00	2,474,000
	1968	9,210	.745	6,860	ton	655.00	4,493,000
Walnuts Black	1969			6,000	bags	1.25	7,500
	1968			7,000	bags	1.25	8,750
Misc.*	1969						26,000
	1968						28,000
Total	1969						$26,492,600
	1968						26,275,650

* Includes apricots, bushberries, grapes, nectarines, pecans, persimmons, strawberries, olives and oranges.

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Barley	1969	10,000	1.27	12,700	ton	$ 50.00	$ 635,000
	1968	15,000	1.38	20,700	ton	42.00	869,000
Beans Dry Edible	1969	12,000	.9	10,800	ton	220.00	2,376,000
	1968	10,700	.94	10,100	ton	144.00	1,454,000
Corn, Field	1969	4,100	2.94	12,100	ton	50.00	605,000
	1968	3,600	3.0	10,800	ton	46.00	497,000
Hay Alfalfa	1969	10,000	7.0	70,000	ton	28.50	1,995,000
	1968	9,000	7.0	63,000	ton	26.00	1,638,000
Hay Grain	1969	7,000	2.5	17,500	ton	24.50	429,000
	1968	6,000	2.5	15,000	ton	22.00	330,000
Hay Other	1969	5,500	1.5	8,250	ton	19.50	161,000
	1968	5,000	1.5	7,500	ton	20.00	150,000
Oats	1969	500	1.2	600	ton	42.00	25,200
	1968	500	1.25	625	ton	50.00	31,200
Pasture & Range, Irrig.	1969	22,000			acre	25.00	550,000
	1968	20,000			acre	25.00	500,000
Pasture & Range, Dry	1969	70,000			acre	1.00	70,000
	1968	82,000			acre	1.00	82,000
Rice	1969	68,260	2.88	197,000	ton	100.00	19,700,000
	1968	76,000	2.95	224,000	ton	97.00	21,728,000
Safflower	1969	14,000	1.05	14,700	ton	81.00	1,191,000
	1968	7,640	1.0	7,640	ton	87.00	665,000
Sorghum Grain	1969	26,000	2.04	53,000	ton	47.00	2,491,000
	1968	24,700	2.1	51,900	ton	42.00	2,180,000
Sugar Beets	1969	2,700	20.6	55,600	ton	12.40	689,000
	1968	3,170	19.7	62,400	ton	12.60	786,000
Wheat	1969	18,000	1.35	24,300	ton	48.00	1,166,000
	1968	23,000	1.58	36,300	ton	41.00	1,488,000
Misc.*	1969						270,000
	1968						299,000
Total	1969						$32,353,200
	1968						32,697,200

* Includes horse beans, mung beans, castor beans, flax and hops.

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Production Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Alfalfa	1969	1,050	523	549,000	lb.	$ .40	$ 220,000
	1968	3,400	407	1,384,000	lb.	.40	554,000
Clover	1969	944	360	340,000	lb.	.70	238,000
	1968	460	300	138,000	lb.	.73	101,000
Cantaloupe	1969	250	400	100,000	lb.	.81	81,000
	1968	300	287	86,100	lb.	.79	68,000
Cucumber	1969	500	467	234,000	lb.	1.27	297,000
	1968	990	361	357,000	lb.	1.10	393,000
Pumpkin & Squash	1969	104	254	26,400	lb.	.71	18,700
	1968	125	348	43,500	lb.	.60	26,100
Rice	1969	3,340	6,500	21,710,000	lb.	.07	1,520,000
	1968	4,360	6,000	26,160,000	lb.	.07	1,831,000
Purple Vetch	1969	500	500	250,000	lb.	.07	17,500
	1968	500	500	250,000	lb.	.06	15,000
Watermelon	1969	1,150	322	370,000	lb.	.82	303,000
	1968	940	260	244,000	lb.	.83	203,000
Misc. Seeds	1969			164,000	lb.		30,000
	1968			220,000	lb.		242,000
Total	1969						$2,725,200
	1968						3,433,100

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Production Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Melons, all	1969	480	9.8	4,700	ton	$ 93.00	$ 437,000
	1968	530	7.96	4,220	ton	72.60	306,000
Pumpkins	1969	210	13.9	2,920	ton	11.00	32,000
	1968	250	9.0	2,250	ton	10.00	22,500
Tomatoes Canning	1969	8,820	23.8	210,000	ton	27.20	5,712,000
	1968	15,840	20.8	329,500	ton	35.20	11,598,000
Squash	1969	200	12.0	2,400	ton	15.00	36,000
	1968	150	15.0	2,250	ton	20.00	45,000
Miscellaneous Vegetables	1969						112,000
	1968						204,000
Total	1969						6,329,000
	1968						12,175,500

NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA, SALES AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production Area Field Acres	Quantity Sold By Producers	Unit	Value Total
Nursery Crops					
Fruit & Nut Trees	1969	109	760,000	plants	$735,000
	1968	85	841,000	plants	820,000
Ornamental Trees & Shrubs	1969	15			40,000
	1968	15			44,000
Total	1969				$775,000
	1968				864,000

APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Honey	1969	113,000	lbs.	.12	$ 13,600
	1968	xxx		xx	xxx
Beeswax	1969	1,700	lbs.	.60	1,020
	1968	xxx		xx	xxx
Package Bees	1969	205,000	lbs.	1.19	244,000
	1968	98,000	lbs.	1.30	127,000
Queen Bees	1969	96,500	each	1.38	133,000
	1968	64,000	each	1.30	83,200
Pollination	1969	15,300	colony	3.00	45,900
	1968	12,000	colony	4.00	48,000
Total	1969				$437,520
	1968				258,200

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production: No. of Head	Production: Total Liveweight	Unit	Value: Per Unit	Value: Total
Cattle and Calves	1969	15,400	108,000	cwt.	$27.50	$2,970,000
	1968	15,700	110,000	cwt.	25.10	2,761,000
Sheep and Lambs	1969	19,000	20,300	cwt.	19.50	396,000
	1968	16,900	16,400	cwt.	21.30	349,000
Hogs and Pigs	1969	6,800	10,200	cwt.	22.50	230,000
	1968	7,000	10,500	cwt.	19.70	207,000
Old Hens and Roosters	1969	43,000	215,000	lb.	.05	10,800
	1968	71,000	355,000	lb.	.06	21,300
Misc. Livestock & Poultry	1969					40,000
	1968					30,000
Total	1969					$3,641,800
	1968					3,368,300

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value: Per Unit	Value: Total
Milk Marketing	1969	114,000	cwt.	$5.50	$ 627,000
	1968*	115,000	cwt.	5.46	628,000
Manufacturing	1969	48,100	cwt.	4.08	196,000
	1968*	65,500	cwt.	3.92	257,000
Wool	1969	96,000	lbs.	.46	44,200
	1968	136,000	lbs.	.45	61,200
Eggs, Chicken Market	1969	638,000	doz.	.35	223,000
	1968	623,000	doz.	.33	206,000
Hatching	1969	250,000	doz.	.65	162,000
	1968	78,500	doz.	.65	51,000
Total	1969				$1,252,200
	1968*				1,203,200

* Revised

JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY
(in number of head)

Item	Jan. 1, 1969	Jan. 1, 1970
Cattle and Calves All	20,100	21,500
Milk Cows (2 years and older)	2,100	2,000
Sheep and Lambs All	16,500	13,200
Hogs and Pigs	1,100	1,100
Hens and Pullets of Laying Age	67,000	50,000

AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM
GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS

	1968	1969
agricultural conservation program	$ 70,000	$ 74,218
FEED GRAIN PROGRAM	302,565	342,149
WOOL INCENTIVE	90,597	74,597
CONSERVATION RESERVE	2,360	910
SUGAR BEETS	116,705	187,975

SUMMARY

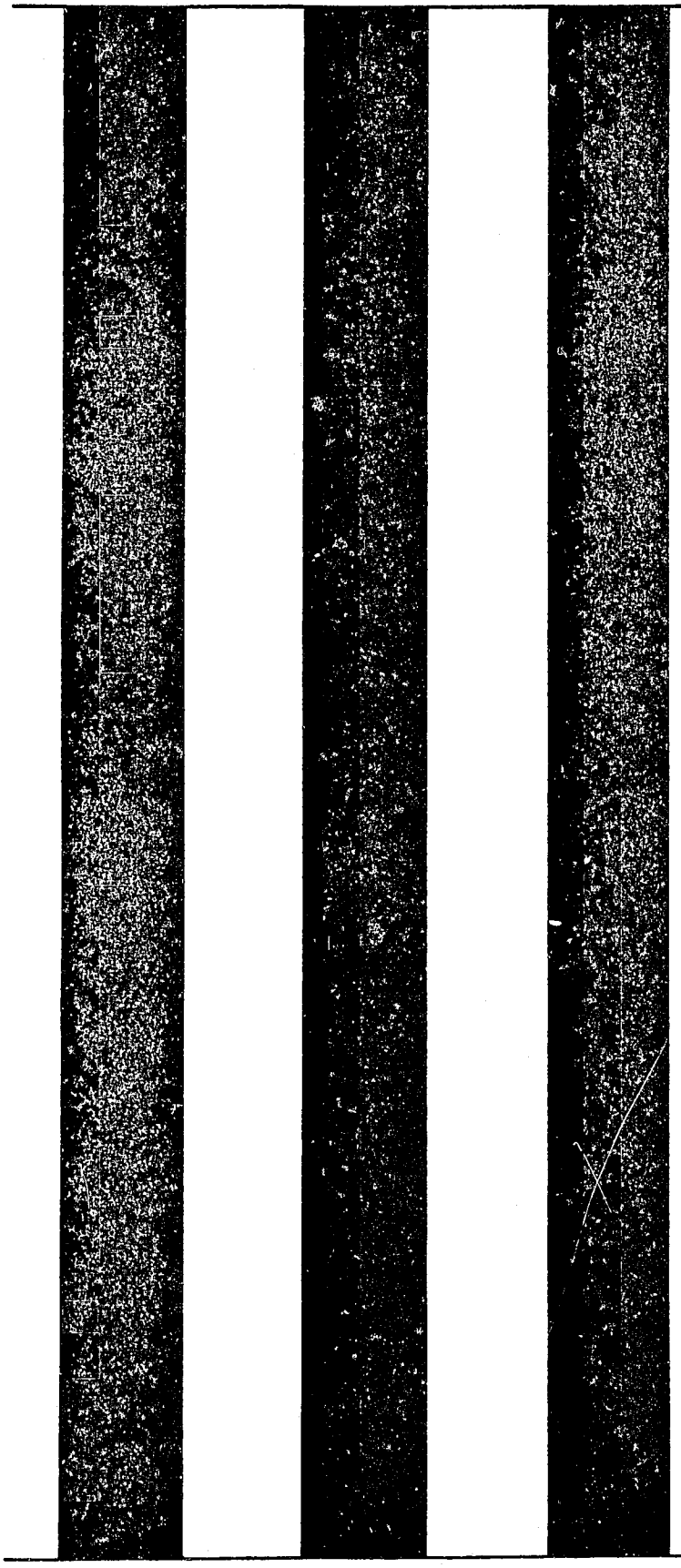
FARM VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION

	1968	1969
FRUIT & NUT CROPS	$26,275,650	$26,492,600
FIELD CROPS	32,697,200	32,353,200
VEGETABLE CROPS	12,175,500	6,329,000
SEED CROPS	3,433,100	2,725,200
NURSERY PRODUCTS	864,000	775,000
APIARY PRODUCTS	258,200	437,520
LIVESTOCK & POULTRY	3,368,300	3,641,800
LIVESTOCK & POULTRY PRODUCTS	1,203,200*	1,252,200
TOTAL	$80,275,150*	$74,006,520

* Revised

TEN LEADING CROPS & VALUES

1968		1969	
Rice, All	$23,559,000	Rice, All	$21,220,000
Tomatoes, Canning	11,598,000	Peaches, Cling	13,212,000
Peaches, Cling	10,453,000	Prunes, Dried	6,014,000
Prunes, Dried	7,812,000	Tomatoes, Canning	5,712,000
Walnuts, English	4,493,000	Almonds	3,362,000
Cattle & Calves	2,761,000	Cattle & Calves	2,970,000
Sorghum, Grain	2,180,000	Sorghum, Grain	2,491,000
Almonds	1,988,000	Walnuts, English	2,474,000
Hay, Alfalfa	1,638,000	Beans, Dry Edible	2,376,000
Wheat	1,488,000	Hay, Alfalfa	1,995,000



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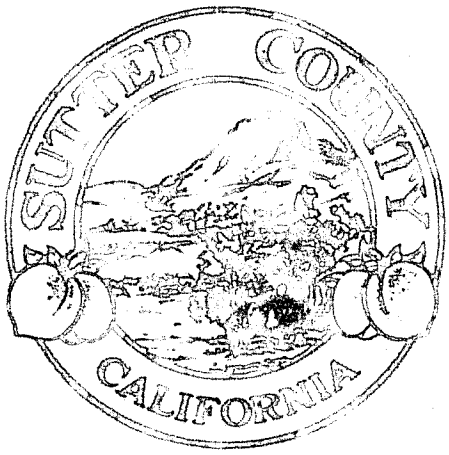

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Gentlemen:

I am pleased to present to you the 1970 Agricultural Crop Report as required by Section 2279 of the Agricultural Code.

The report shows a total gross value of $77,238,400 which is an increase of $3,231,800 over the 1969 value of $74,006,520. The Fruit and Nut Crops value hit an all time high in 1970 of $30,548,800 which is $4,056,200 above the 1969 value of $26,492,600. English Walnuts, Prunes and Pears were the biggest gainers. Most of the gains in value it should be noted were increased production and not increased prices to the farmer. The large increase in returns from the Fruit and Nut Crops offset the slight decrease in value of the Field Crops, Vegetable Crops and Apiary. The value of Seed Crops remained about the same and the value of Nursery Products increased. The increase in Livestock and Poultry values was mostly due to the increase in prices received for these animals. Livestock and Poultry Products remained about the same.

I would like to emphasize that the statistics in this report are only gross returns and in no way do they show net profit to producers.

This report is the effort of the Sutter County Department of Agriculture, under the direction of Assistant Agricultural Commissioner, Lourie G. Gaschke. To all those persons who provided us with the information and records necessary to compile this report we extend our appreciation and thanks.

Respectfully Submitted,

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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Bearing Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Almonds	1970	6,050	1.0	6,050	ton	$600.00	$ 3,630,000
	1969	5,970	.9	5,370	ton	626.00	3,362,000
Almond Hulls	1970			7,260	ton	6.90	50,000
	1969						
Cherries	1970	21	5.00	105	ton	476.00	50,000
	1969	21	5.23	110	ton	410.00	45,000
Peaches Clingstone	1970	13,144	11.64	153,000	ton	80.00	12,240,000
	1969	14,240	12.64	180,000	ton	73.40	13,212,000
Peaches Freestone	1970	275	10.0	2,750	ton	85.00	234,000
	1969	282	11.5	3,240	ton	80.00	259,000
Pears, all	1970	1,280	9.5	12,160	ton	128.00	1,556,000
	1969	1,100	8.44	9,280	ton	93.00	863,000
Plums	1970	400	5.9	2,360	ton	241.00	569,000
	1969	400	2.6	1,040	ton	221.00	230,000
Prunes, dried	1970	15,650	2.00	31,300	ton	287.00	8,983,000
	1969	15,560	1.25	19,400	ton	310.00	6,014,000
Walnuts English	1970	9,600	.83	7,968	ton	400.00	3,187,000
	1969	9,420	.625	5,890	ton	420.00	2,474,000
Walnuts Black	1970			7,500	bags	1.50	11,300
	1969			6,000	bags	1.25	7,500
Misc.*	1970						38,500
	1969						26,000
Total	1970						$30,548,800
	1969						26,492,600

* Includes apricots, bushberries, grapes, nectarines, pecans, persimmons, strawberries, olives and oranges.

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Barley	1970	16,300	1.10	17,930	ton	$ 44.50	$ 798,000
	1969	10,000	1.27	12,700	ton	50.00	635,000
Beans Dry	1970	4,690	1.00	4,690	ton	165.00	774,000
Baby Limas*	1969	8,060	.90	7,254	ton	220.00	1,596,000
Beans Dry	1970	600	.65	390	ton	160.00	62,000
Blackeye*	1969	560	.62	347	ton	220.00	75,000
Beans Dry	1970	100	.70	70	ton	220.00	15,400
Flat White*	1969	300	.75	225	ton	220.00	49,500
Beans Dry	1970	600	.75	450	ton	445.00	200,000
Kidney*	1969	550	.70	385	ton	220.00	85,000
Beans Dry	1970	250	1.10	275	ton	220.00	60,500
Large Limas*	1969	200	1.10	220	ton	220.00	48,500
Beans Dry	1970	1,890	1.10	2,080	ton	200.00	416,000
Pink*	1969	1,800	1.00	1,800	ton	220.00	396,000
Beans Dry	1970	600	.80	480	ton	250.00	120,000
Misc.*	1969	530	1.10	580	ton	220.00	126,000
Corn Field	1970	4,000	2.80	11,200	ton	50.50	565,600
Grain	1969	4,100	2.94	12,100	ton	50.00	605,000
Corn Field	1970	1,500	25.	37,500	ton	7.50	281,000
Silage	1969						
Hay	1970	9,500	7.0	66,500	ton	30.00	1,995,000
Alfalfa	1969	10,000	7.0	70,000	ton	28.50	1,995,000
Hay	1970	6,500	2.25	14,600	ton	24.50	358,000
Grain	1969	7,000	2.50	17,500	ton	24.50	429,000
Hay	1970	5,000	1.50	7,500	ton	21.25	159,000
Other	1969	5,500	1.50	8,250	ton	19.25	161,000
Oats	1970	450	1.20	540	ton	54.00	29,200
	1969	500	1.20	600	ton	42.00	25,200
Pasture &	1970	22,000			acre	50.00	1,100,000
Range, Irrig.	1969				acre	25.00	550,000
Pasture &	1970	70,000			acre	1.50	105,000
Range, Dry	1969	70,000			acre	1.00	70,000

* Not shown last year as individual - Price average for all.

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE (con't)

Crop	Year	Production				Value	
		Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Rice	1970	61,320	2.75	168,600	ton	$ 98.00	$ 16,523,000
	1969	68,260	2.88	197,000	ton	100.00	19,700,000
Safflower	1970	22,300	.9	20,070	ton	86.70	1,740,000
	1969	14,000	1.05	14,700	ton	81.00	1,191,000
Sorghum Grain	1970	25,000	2.25	56,250	ton	49.00	2,756,000
	1969	26,000	2.04	53,000	ton	47.00	2,491,000
Sugar Beets	1970	2,900	20.78	63,000	ton	15.10	951,300
	1969	2,700	20.6	55,600	ton	12.40	698,000
Wheat	1970	23,000	1.75	40,250	ton	42.75	1,721,000
	1969	18,000	1.35	24,300	ton	48.00	1,166,000
Misc.*	1970						289,000
	1969						270,000
Total	1970						$31,019,400
	1969						32,697,200

* Includes horse beans, mung beans, castor beans, flax and hops.

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Alfalfa	1970	1,000	400	400,000	lb.	$ .40	$ 160,000
	1969	1,050	523	549,000	lb.	.40	220,000
Barley	1970	500	3,000	1,500,000	lb.	.425	63,800
	1969						
Clover	1970	1,138	400	455,200	lb.	.75	341,400
	1969	944	360	340,000	lb.	.70	238,000
Cantaloupe	1970	517	330	170,000	lb.	.83	141,000
	1969	250	400	100,000	lb.	.81	81,000
Cucumber	1970	277	277	76,700	lb.	1.18	90,500
	1969	500	467	234,000	lb.	1.27	297,000
Oats	1970	200	3,500	700,000	lb.	.05	35,000
	1969						
Pumpkins & Squash	1970	153	693	106,000	lb.	.51	54,100
	1969	104	254	26,400	lb.	.71	18,700
Rice	1970	3,400	6,000	20,400,000	lb.	.07	1,428,000
	1969	3,340	6,500	21,710,000	lb.	.07	1,520,000
Safflower	1970	600	2,000	1,200,000	lb.	.08	96,000
	1969						
Vetch	1970	400	500	200,000	lb.	.12	24,000
	1969	500	500	250,000	lb.	.07	17,500
Watermelon	1970	849	365	310,000	lb.	.81	251,000
	1969	1,150	322	370,000	lb.	.82	303,000
Wheat	1970	300	4,000	1,200,000	lb.	.05	60,000
	1969						
Misc. Seeds	1970			50,000	lb.		25,000
	1969			164,000	lb.		30,000
Total	1970						$2,769,800
	1969						2,725,200

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Melons, all	1970	455	15.0	6,825	ton	$ 70.00	$ 478,000
	1969	480	9.8	4,700	ton	93.00	437,000
Pumpkins	1970	150	15.0	2,250	ton	18.75	42,000
	1969	210	13.9	2,920	ton	11.00	32,000
Squash	1970	150	15.0	2,250	ton	27.50	62,000
	1969	200	12.0	2,400	ton	15.00	36,000
Tomatoes	1970	8,550	25.0	213,750	ton	25.25	5,397,000
Canning	1969	8,820	23.8	210,000	ton	27.20	5,712,000
Miscellanous Vegetables	1970						110,000
	1969						112,000
Total	1970						$ 6,089,000
	1969						6,329,000

NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA, SALES AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production Area Field Area	Quantity Sold By Producers	Unit	Value Total
Nursery Crops					
Fruit & Nut Trees	1970	95	858,000	plants	$900,000
	1969	109	760,000	plants	735,000
Ornamental Trees & Shrubs	1970	15			31,000
	1969	15			40,000
Total	1970				$931,000
	1969				775,000

APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production Total	Unit	Per Unit	Value Total
Honey	1970	100,000	lbs.	$ .14	$ 14,000
	1969	113,000	lbs.	.12	13,600
Beeswax	1970	3,800	lbs.	.62	2,400
	1969	1,700	lbs.	.60	1,020
Package Bees	1970	200,000	lbs.	1.15	230,000
	1969	205,000	lbs.	1.19	244,000
Queen Bees	1970	85,000	each	1.35	115,000
	1969	96,500	each	1.38	133,000
Pollination	1970	20,000	colony	3.50	70,000
	1969	15,300	colony	3.00	48,000
Total	1970				$431,400
	1969				437,520

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production: No. of Head	Production: Total Livestock	Unit	Value: Per Unit	Value: Total
Cattle & Calves	1970	16,000	119,000	cwt.	$ 31.50	$ 3,748,000
	1969	15,400	108,000	cwt.	27.50	2,970,000
Sheep & Lambs	1970	16,000	16,480	cwt.	23.50	387,000
	1969	19,000	20,300	cwt.	19.50	396,000
Hogs & Pigs	1970	6,000	12,000	cwt.	25.00	300,000
	1969	6,800	10,200	cwt.	22.50	230,000
Hogs & Pigs Feeder	1970	2,000			10.00	20,000
	1969					
Hogs & Pigs Breeding Stock	1970	1,000			100.00	100,000
	1969					
Old Hens & Roosters	1970	44,000	220,000	lb.	.09	19,800
	1969	43,000	215,000	lb.	.05	10,800
Misc. Livestock & Poultry	1970					75,000
	1969					40,000
Total	1970					$4,649,800
	1969					3,641,800

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value: Per Unit	Value: Total
Milk	1970	118,000	cwt.	$ 5.63	$ 664,000
Marketing	1969*	114,000	cwt.	5.47	624,000
Manufacturing	1970	44,000	cwt.	4.18	184,000
	1969*	49,100	cwt.	4.08	200,000
Wool	1970	100,000	lbs.	.46	46,000
	1969	96,000	lbs.	.46	44,200
Eggs, Chicken	1970	625,000	doz.	.36	225,000
Market	1969	638,000	doz.	.35	223,000
Hatching	1970	200,000	doz.	.65	130,000
	1969	250,000	doz.	.65	162,000
Total	1970				$1,249,000
	1969*				1,253,200

* Revised

JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY
(in number of head)

Item	Jan. 1, 1970	Jan. 1, 1971
Cattle and Calves All	21,500	21,400
Milk Cows (2 years and older)	2,000	1,700
Sheep and Lambs All	13,200	11,800
Hogs and Pigs	1,100	1,100
Hens and Pullets of Laying Age	50,000	50,000

GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS

	1969	1970
AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION PROGRAM	$ 74,218	$ 54,926
FEED GRAIN PROGRAM	342,149	498,436
WOOL INCENTIVE	74,597	75,319
CONSERVATION RESERVE	910	7,123
SUGAR BEETS	187,975	242,544

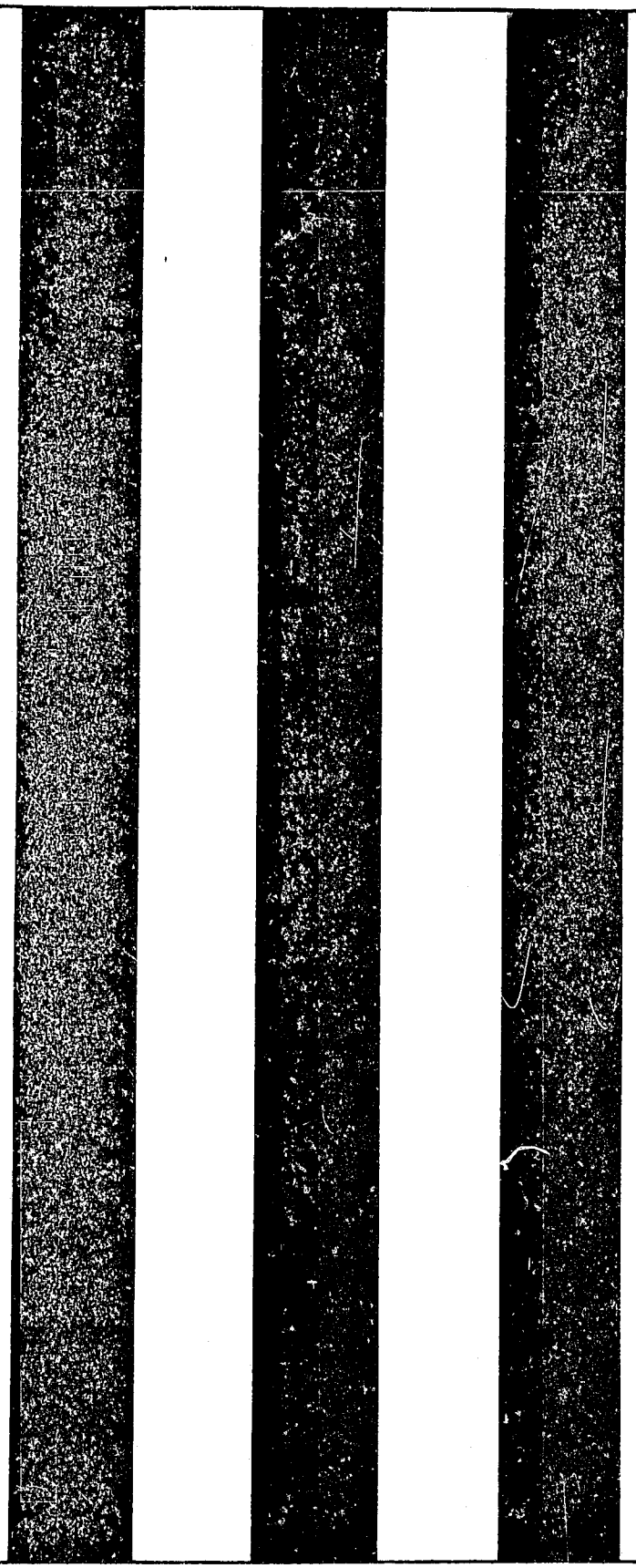
SUMMARY

FARM VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION

	1969	1970
FRUIT & NUT CROPS	$26,492,600	$30,548,800
FIELD CROPS	32,697,200	31,019,400
VEGETABLE CROPS	6,329,000	6,079,000
SEED CROPS	2,725,200	2,330,000
NURSERY PRODUCTS	775,000	931,000
APIARY PRODUCTS	437,520	431,400
LIVESTOCK & POULTRY	3,641,800	4,649,800
LIVESTOCK & POULTRY PRODUCTS	1,253,200	1,249,000
	$74,006,520	$77,238,400

TEN LEADING CROPS & VALUES

1969		1970	
Rice, All	$21,220,000	Rice, All	$16,665,800
Peaches, Cling	13,212,000	Peaches, Cling	12,240,000
Prunes, Dried	6,014,000	Prunes, Dried	8,983,000
Tomatoes, Canning	5,712,000	Tomatoes, Canning	5,397,000
Almonds	3,362,000	Cattle & Calves	3,748,000
Cattle & Calves	2,970,000	Almonds & Hulls	3,680,000
Sorghum, Grain	2,491,000	Walnuts, English	3,187,000
Walnuts, English	2,474,000	Sorghum, Grain	2,756,000
Beans, Edible	2,376,000	Hay, Alfalfa	1,995,000
Hay, Alfalfa	1,995,000	Beans, Edible	1,647,000



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The report shows a record high gross value of $82,209,300.

The second highest gross value was in 1968 at $80,275,150.

In spite of this record value, few growers received a net return for their efforts in proportion to rising costs of production.

Peach growers, with a surplusing program of 35% and prune growers with a 37½% surplus program suffered the greatest.

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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Bearing Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Almonds	1971	5,766	1.0	5,766	ton	$617.00	$ 3,558,000
	1970	6,050	1.0	6,050	ton	600.00	3,630,000
Almond Hulls	1971			6,919	ton	7.00	48,400
	1970			7,260	ton	6.90	50,000
Cherries	1971	21	5.05	106	ton	500.00	53,000
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Peaches Clingstone	1971	11,153*	13.50	150,566	ton	78.40	11,804,000
	1970	13,144	11.64	153,000	ton	80.00	12,240,000
Peaches Freestone	1971	119	10.5	1,250	ton	90.00	112,000
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Walnuts Black	1971	11		10,500	bags	1.50	15,800
	1970			7,500	bags	1.50	11,300
Misc.***	1971	88					89,500
	1970	75					38,500
Total	1971						29,152,700
	1970						$30,548,800

*This figure reflects the recent orchard census adjustments along with the heavy tree pushout in the past few years due to the surplus of canning peaches.

**Prune price includes surplus sales.

***Includes apples, apricots, bushberries, grapes, nectarines, olives, oranges, pecans, pistachios and strawberries.

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Barley	1971	19,000	1.60	30,400	ton	$ 54.50	$1,657,000
	1970	16,300	1.10	17,930	ton	44.50	798,000
Beans Dry Baby Limas	1971	5,000	.96	4,800	ton	203.50	977,000
	1970	4,690	1.00	4,690	ton	165.00	774,000
Beans Dry Blackeye	1971	500	.51	255	ton	280.00	71,400
	1970	600	.65	390	ton	160.00	62,000
Beans Dry Flatwhite	1971						
	1970	100	.70	70	ton	220.00	15,400
Beans Dry Gr. Baby Lima	1971	100	1.23	123	ton	224.00	27,600
	1970	Not Shown as Individual Crop					
Beans Dry Kidney	1971	200	.85	170	ton	280.00	47,600
	1970	600	.75	450	ton	445.00	200,000
Beans Dry Large Lima	1971	500	1.02	510	ton	386.00	197,000
	1970	250	1.10	275	ton	220.00	60,500
Beans Dry Pink	1971	1,800	.64	1,152	ton	196.00	226,000
	1970	1,890	1.10	2,080	ton	200.00	416,000
Beans Dry Misc.	1971	500	.75	375	ton	300.00	112,000
	1970	600	.80	480	ton	250.00	120,000
Corn Field Grain	1971	5,300	3.50	18,550	ton	53.00	983,000
	1970	4,000	2.80	11,200	ton	50.50	565,600
Corn Field Silage	1971	2,000	25.00	50,000	ton	7.50	375,000
	1970	1,500	25.00	37,500	ton	7.50	281,000
Hay Alfalfa	1971	10,000	6.0	60,000	ton	33.00	1,980,000
	1970	9,500	7.0	66,500	ton	30.00	1,995,000
Hay Grain	1971	6,500	3.50	22,750	ton	27.75	631,000
	1970	6,500	2.25	14,600	ton	24.50	358,000
Hay Other	1971	5,000	1.75	8,750	ton	25.00	219,000
	1970	5,000	1.50	7,500	ton	21.25	159,000
Oats	1971	1,200	.72	864	ton	66.80	57,700
	1970	450	1.20	540	ton	54.00	29,200
Pasture & Range, Irrig.	1971	22,000			acre	50.00	1,100,000
	1970	22,000			acre	50.00	1,100,000
Pasture & Range, Dry	1971	70,000			acre	2.00	140,000
	1970	70,000			acre	1.50	105,000

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE (con't)

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Rice	1971	56,800	2.76	157,000	ton	$100.00	$15,700,000
	1970	61,320	2.75	168,000	ton	98.00	16,523,000
Safflower	1971	22,927	1.12	25,678	ton	101.00	2,594,000
	1970	22,300	.9	20,070	ton	86.70	1,740,000
Sorghum Grain	1971	31,000	1.95	60,450	ton	47.50	2,871,000
	1970	25,000	2.25	56,250	ton	49.00	2,756,000
Sugar Beets	1971	4,317	21.40	92,384	ton	15.80	1,460,000
	1970	2,900	20.78	63,000	ton	15.10	951,000
Wheat	1971	18,000	1.55	27,900	ton	55.90	1,560,000
	1970	23,000	1.75	40,250	ton	42.75	1,721,000
Misc.*	1971	1,200					603,000
	1970						289,000
Total	1971						$33,589,300
	1970						$31,019,100

*Included mung beans, castor beans, flax, hops and sunflower.

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Alfalfa	1971	1,000	360	360,000	lb.	$ .40	$ 144,000
	1970	1,000	400	400,000	lb.	.40	160,000
Barley	1971	525	3,000	1,575,000	lb.	.034	53,600
	1970	500	3,000	1,500,000	lb.	.0425	63,800
Clover	1971	1,446	171	247,266	lb.	.61	151,000
	1970	1,138	400	455,200	lb.	.75	341,000
Cantaloupe & Honeydew	1971	168	402	67,536	lb.	.81	54,700
	1970	517	300	170,000	lb.	.83	141,000
Cucumber	1971	444	222	98,568	lb.	1.10	108,000
	1970	277	277	76,700	lb.	1.18	90,500
Field Corn	1971	200	35	1,400,000	lb.	.035	49,000
	1970						
Oats	1971	561	2,004	1,236,444	lb.	.0525	64,900
	1970	200	3,500	700,000	lb.	.05	35,000
Pumpkins & Squash	1971	716	605	433,180	lb.	.45	195,000
	1970	153	254	106,000	lb.	.51	54,100
Rice	1971	3,600	5,650	20,340,000	lb.	.0715	1,454,000
	1970	3,400	6,000	20,400,000	lb.	.07	1,428,000
Safflower	1971	577	2,450	1,413,650	lb.	.05	70,700
	1970	600	2,000	1,200,000	lb.	.08	96,000
Sorghum Grain	1971	500	4,000	2,000,000	lb.	.035	70,000
	1970						
Sudan	1971	105	1,281	134,505	lb.	.076	10,200
	1970						
Vetch	1971	2,960	1,516	4,487,000	lb.	.086	386,000
	1970	400	500	200,000	lb.	.12	24,000
Watermelon	1971	591	276	163,116	lb.	.90	147,000
	1970	849	365	310,000	lb.	.81	251,000
Wheat	1971	602	4,000	2,408,000	lb.	.035	84,300
	1970	300	4,000	1,200,000	lb.	.05	60,000
Misc. Seeds	1971	75		160,000	lb.		32,000
	1970			50,000	lb.		25,000
Total	1971						$3,074,400
	1970						$2,769,400

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Production Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Melons, all	1971	1,119	10.0	11,190	tons	$72.75	$ 814,000
	1970	455	15.0	6,825	tons	70.00	487,000
Pumpkins	1971	165	10.8	1,782	tons	10.00	17,800
	1970	150	15.0	2,250	tons	18.75	52,000
Squash	1971	165	17.4	2,871	tons	20.65	59,300
	1970	150	15.0	2,250	tons	27.50	62,000
Tomatoes Canning	1971	10,630	26.1	277,443	tons	28.00	7,768,000
	1970	8,550	25.0	213,750	tons	25.25	5,397,000
Miscellanous Vegetables	1971						164,000
	1970						110,000
Total	1971						$8,823,100
	1970						$6,089,000

NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA, SALES AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production Area Field Area	Quantity Sold By Producers	Value Unit	Value Total
Nursery Crops					
Fruit & Nut Trees	1971	80	674,200	plants	$590,000
	1970	95	858,000	plants	900,000
Ornamental Trees & Shrubs	1971	10			12,500
	1970	15			31,000
Total	1971				$602,500
	1970				$931,000

APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Honey	1971	225,000	lbs.	$ .20	$ 45,000
	1970	100,000	lbs.	.14	14,000
Beeswax	1971	5,500	lbs.	.60	3,300
	1970	3,800	lbs.	.62	2,400
Package Bees	1971	81,400	lbs.	1.75	142,000
	1970	200,000	lbs.	1.15	230,000
Queen Bees	1971	72,300	each	1.40	101,000
	1970	85,000	each	1.35	115,000
Pollination	1971	14,500	colony	4.00	58,000
	1970	20,000	colony	3.50	70,000
Total	1971				$349,300
	1970				$431,400

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production			Value	
		No. of Head	Total Liveweight	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Cattle & Calves	1971	18,000	126,000	cwt.	$ 30.00	$3,780,000
	1970	16,000	119,000	cwt.	31.50	3,748,000
Sheep & Lambs	1971	53,900	27,900	cwt.	19.50	544,000
	1970	19,000	20,300	cwt.	23.50	387,000
Hogs & Pigs	1971	6,000	12,000	cwt.	19.10	229,000
	1970	6,000	12,000	cwt.	25.00	300,000
Hogs & Pigs Feeder	1971	3,000	1,200	cwt.	22.30	26,800
	1970	2,000		hd.	10.00	20,000
Hogs & Pigs Breeding Stock	1971	1,200		hd.	100.00	120,000
	1970	1,000		hd.	100.00	100,000
Old Hens & Roosters	1971	40,000	200,000	lb.	.09	18,000
	1970	44,000	220,000	lb.	.09	19,800
Misc. Livestock & Poultry	1971	149,500		hd.	1.59	238,000
	1970					75,000
Total	1971					$4,955,800
	1970					$4,649,800

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Milk Marketing	1971	122,000	cwt.	$5.88	$ 717,000
	1970*	118,000	cwt.	5.64	666,000
Manufacturing	1971	39,800	cwt.	4.30	171,000
	1970*	43,700	cwt.	4.14	181,000
Wool	1971	197,500	lbs.	.18	35,600
	1970	100,000	lbs.	.46	46,000
Eggs, Chicken Market	1971	660,000	doz.	.34	224,000
	1970	625,000	doz.	.36	225,000
Hatching	1971	150,000	doz.	.72	108,000
	1970	200,000	doz.	.65	130,000
Total	1971				$1,255,600
	1970*				$1,248,000

*Revised

JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY
(in number of head)

Item	Jan. 1, 1971	Jan. 1, 1972
Cattle and Calves All	21,400	25,000
Milk Cows (2 years and older)	1,700	1,500
Sheep and Lambs All	11,800	20,000
Hogs and Pigs	1,100	1,500
Hens and Pullets of Laying Age	50,000	50,000

GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS

	1970	1971
REAP	$ 54,926	$ 33,505
FEED GRAIN PROGRAM	498,436	494,404
WOOL INCENTIVE	75,319	75,319
CROP LAND ADJUSTMENT PROGRAM	7,123	7,123
SUGAR BEETS	242,544	233,011

SUMMARY

FARM VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION

	1970	1971
FRUIT & NUT CROPS	$30,548,800	$29,152,700
FIELD CROPS	31,019,400	33,589,300
VEGETABLE CROPS	6,089,000	8,823,100
SEED CROPS	2,769,800	3,074,400
NURSERY PRODUCTS	931,000	602,500
APIARY PRODUCTS	431,400	349,300
LIVESTOCK & POULTRY	4,649,800	4,955,800
LIVESTOCK & POULTRY PRODUCTS	1,248,400*	1,255,600
	$77,687,200*	$81,802,700

TEN LEADING CROPS & VALUES

1970		1971	
Rice, All	$16,665,800	Rice, All	$15,700,000
Peaches, Cling	12,240,000	Peaches, Cling	11,804,000
Prunes, Dried	8,983,000	Prunes, Dried	8,317,000
Tomatoes, Canning	5,397,000	Tomatoes, Canning	7,768,000
Cattle & Calves	3,748,000	Walnuts, English	3,918,000
Almonds & Hulls	3,680,000	Cattle & Calves	3,780,000
Walnuts, English	3,187,000	Almonds & Hulls	3,606,000
Sorghum, Grain	2,756,000	Sorghum, Grain	2,817,000
Hay, Alfalfa	1,995,000	Hay, Alfalfa	1,980,000
Beans, Edible	1,647,000	Beans, Edible	1,658,600

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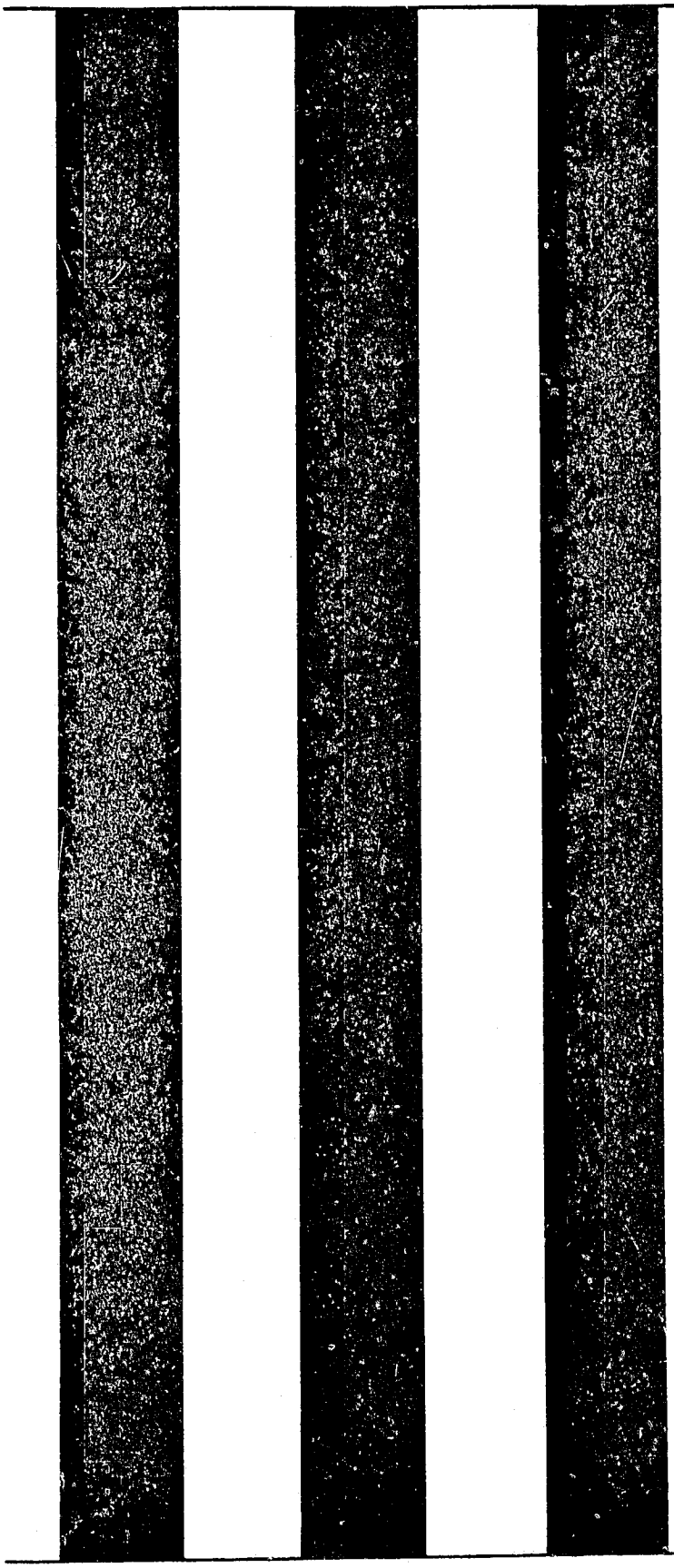

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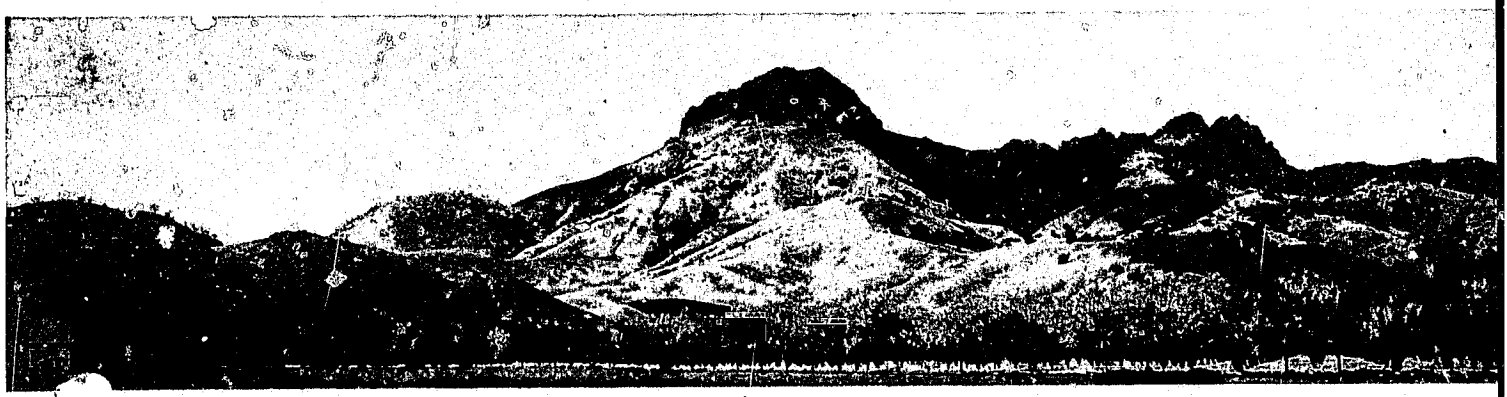

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Gentlemen:

I am pleased to present to you the 1972 Agricultural Crop Report as required by Section 2279 of the California Agricultural Code.

Again Sutter County farmers produced a record in gross value of $95,117,700.

Most of the increased production was due to better returns to rice producers and an increase in tomato acreage and production. Better walnut prices offset poor returns in clingstone peaches and the catastrophic loss which prune growers suffered.

Field crops received better prices than ever before and wheat acreage and yield increases were substantial.

Cattle and calves showed a marked increase in production but the average price was only approximately 5 cents per pound over the previous year.

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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Bearing Acreage	Production Per Acre	Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Apples	1972	17	10.5	179	ton	$100.00	$ 17,900
	1971*						
Almonds	1972	5,873	.8	4,698	ton	676.00	3,176,000
	1971	5,766	1.0	5,766	ton	617.00	3,558,000
Almond	1972			7,048	ton	15.00	106,000
Hulls	1971			6,919	ton	7.00	48,400
Cherries	1972	23	3.0	69	ton	615.00	42,400
	1971	21	5.05	106	ton	500.00	53,000
Peaches	1972	9,200	15.11	139,012	ton	75.00	10,426,000
Clingstone	1971	11,153	13.50	150,566	ton	78.40	11,804,000
Peaches	1972	119	10.0	1,190	ton	115.00	137,000
Freestone	1971	119	10.5	1,250	ton	90.00	112,000
Pears	1972	1,337	8.0	10,696	ton	130.00	1,390,000
All	1971	1,280	8.5	10,880	ton	83.00	903,000
Plums	1972	272	4.9	1,333	ton	266.00	355,000
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English	1971	9,511	1.07	10,177	ton	385.00	3,918,000
Walnuts	1972	12		12,600	bags	1.75	22,000
Black	1971	11		10,500	bags	1.50	15,800
Misc.**	1972	60					45,000
	1971	88					89,500
Total	1972	42,404					28,110,300
	1971	43,057					29,152,700

*Not shown separately last year

**Includes apricots, bushberries, nectarines, olives, oranges, pecans, pistachios and strawberries.

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Production			Value		
		Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Barley	1972	19,000	1.75	33,250	ton	$ 57.00	$ 1,895,000
	1971	19,000	1.60	30,400	ton	54.50	1,657,000
Beans, Dry Baby Limas	1972	3,210	.75	2,408	ton	270.00	650,000
	1971	5,000	.96	4,800	ton	203.50	977,000
Beans, Dry Blackeye	1972	1,400	.64	896	ton	280.00	251,000
	1971	500	.51	255	ton	280.00	71,400
Beans, Dry Gr. Baby Lima	1972	170	1.10	187	ton	241.00	45,100
	1971	100	1.23	123	ton	224.00	27,600
Beans, Dry Kidney	1972	200	.70	140	ton	461.00	64,500
	1971	200	.85	170	ton	280.00	47,600
Beans, Dry Large Lima	1972	330	.67	221	ton	540.00	119,000
	1971	500	1.02	510	ton	386.00	197,000
Beans, Dry Pink	1972	1,333	.75	1,000	ton	245.00	245,000
	1971	1,800	.64	1,152	ton	196.00	226,000
Beans, Dry Misc.	1972	200	.63	126	ton	345.25	43,500
	1971	500	.75	375	ton	300.00	112,000
Corn, Field Grain	1972	4,400	3.74	16,456	ton	55.50	913,000
	1971	5,300	3.50	18,550	ton	53.00	983,000
Corn, Field Silage	1972	2,500	25.00	62,500	ton	12.50	781,000
	1971	2,000	25.00	50,000	ton	7.50	375,000
Hay Alfalfa	1972	9,900	5.90	58,410	ton	36.00	2,103,000
	1971	10,000	6.00	60,000	ton	33.00	1,980,000
Hay Grain	1972	6,000	4.35	26,100	ton	30.00	78,300
	1971	6,500	3.50	22,750	ton	27.75	631,000
Hay Other*	1972	10,000	2.80	28,000	ton	22.50	630,000
	1971	5,000	1.75	8,750	ton	25.00	219,000
Oats	1972	1,200	1.50	1,800	ton	65.35	118,000
	1971	1,200	.72	864	ton	66.80	57,700

*Includes straw

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE (con't)

Crop	Year	Production Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Pasture & Range, Irrig.	1972	22,000			acre	$ 50.00	$ 1,100,000
	1971	22,000			acre	50.00	1,100,000
Pasture & Range, Dry	1972	70,000			acre	2.50	175,000
	1971	70,000			acre	2.00	140,000
Rice	1972	55,669	2.90	161,144	ton	125.00	20,143,000
	1971	56,800	2.76	157,000	ton	100.00	15,700,000
Safflower	1972	19,856	1.16	23,033	ton	105.64	2,433,000
	1971	22,927	1.12	25,678	ton	101.00	2,594,000
Sorghum Grain	1972	22,165	1.90	42,114	ton	54.00	2,274,000
	1971	31,000	1.95	60,450	ton	47.50	2,871,000
Sugar Beets	1972	5,592	27.20	152,102	ton	15.03	2,286,000
	1971	4,317	21.40	92,384	ton	15.80	1,460,000
Wheat	1972	32,657	2.31	75,438	ton	55.75	4,206,000
	1971	18,000	1.55	27,900	ton	55.90	1,560,000
Misc.**	1972	1,400					735,000
	1971	1,200					603,000
Total	1972	229,339					41,288,400
	1971	226,249					33,589,300

**Includes mung beans, casterbeans, flax, hops and sunflower

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Production Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Alfalfa	1972	780	300	234,000	lb.	$ .43	$ 100,600
	1971	1,000	360	360,000	lb.	.40	144,000
Barley	1972	600	3,100	1,860,000	lb.	.03	55,800
	1971	525	3,000	1,575,000	lb.	.034	53,600
Clover	1972	2,448	207	506,736	lb.	.66	334,000
	1971	1,446	171	247,266	lb.	.61	151,000
Cantaloupe & Honeydew	1972	160	352	56,320	lb.	.85	47,900
	1971	168	402	67,536	lb.	.81	54,700
Cucumber	1972	360	385	138,600	lb.	1.56	216,000
	1971	444	222	98,568	lb.	1.10	108,000
Field Corn	1972	220	6,000	1,320,000	lb.	.045	59,400
	1971	200	7,000	1,400,000	lb.	.035	49,000
Oats	1972	273	3,900	1,064,700	lb.	.0525	55,900
	1971	561	2,204	1,236,444	lb.	.0525	64,900
Pumpkins & Squash	1972	789	653	515,217	lb.	.46	237,000
	1971	716	605	433,180	lb.	.45	195,000
Rice	1972	4,804	5,000	24,020,000	lb.	.075	1,802,000
	1971	3,600	5,650	20,340,000	lb.	.0715	1,454,000
Safflower	1972	525	1,475	774,375	lb.	.055	42,600
	1971	577	2,450	1,413,650	lb.	.05	70,700
Sorghum Grain	1972	700	4,300	3,010,000	lb.	.045	135,000
	1971	500	4,000	2,000,000	lb.	.035	70,000
Sudan	1972	75	1,814	136,050	lb.	.09	12,200
	1971	105	1,281	134,505	lb.	.076	10,200
Vetch	1972	400	1,300	520,000	lb.	.10	52,000
	1971	2,960	1,516	4,487,000	lb.	.086	386,000
Watermelon	1972	511	218	111,398	lb.	.95	106,000
	1971	591	276	163,116	lb.	.90	147,000
Wheat	1972	275	3,950	1,086,250	lb.	.035	38,000
	1971	602	4,000	2,408,000	lb.	.035	84,300
Misc. Seed*	1972	85		160,100	lb.		80,000
	1971	75		160,000	lb.		32,000
Total	1972	13005					3,374,400
	1971	19070					3,074,400

*Includes dry beans, sunflower, tomato, onion and pepper

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crop	Year	Production: Harvested Acreage	Production: Per Acre	Production: Total	Unit	Value: Per Unit	Value: Total
Melons, all	1972	1,193	12.2	14,555	tons	$98.08	$ 1,428,000
	1971	1,119	10.0	11,190	tons	72.75	814,000
Pumpkins	1972	360	18.6	6,696	tons	11.50	77,000
	1971	165	10.8	1,782	tons	10.00	17,800
Squash	1972	155	17.83	2,764	tons	20.16	55,700
	1971	165	17.4	2,871	tons	20.65	59,300
Tomatoes	1972	15,520	27.11	420,747	tons	28.00	11,781,000
Canning	1971	10,630	26.1	277,443	tons	28.00	7,768,000
Miscellanous	1972	291					266,000
Vegetables	1971	291					164,000
Total	1972	17,519					13,607,700
	1971	12,370					8,823,100

NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA, SALES AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production Area Field Area	Quantity Sold By Producers	Value Unit	Value Total
Nursery Crops					
Fruit & Nut Trees	1972	140	1,010,770	plants	$1,248,000
	1971	80	674,200	plants	590,000
Ornamental Trees & Shrubs	1972	10			15,800
	1971	10			12,500
Total	1972				1,263,800
	1971				602,500

APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Honey	1972	214,000	lb.	.30	64,200
	1971	225,000	lb.	.20	45,000
Beeswax	1972	5,000	lb.	.64	3,200
	1971	5,500	lb.	.60	3,300
Package Bees	1972	96,400	lb.	1.87	180,000
	1971	81,400	lb.	1.75	142,000
Queen Bees	1972	61,200	each	1.54	94,200
	1971	72,300	each	1.40	101,000
Pollination	1972	19,445	colony	4.24	82,500
	1971	14,500	colony	4.00	58,000
Total	1972				424,100
	1971				349,300

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production No. of Head	Production Total Liveweight	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Cattle & Calves	1972	25,000	127,500	cwt.	$ 34.93	$4,454,000
	1971	18,000	126,000	cwt.	30.00	3,780,000
Sheep & Lambs	1972	56,255	29,355	cwt.	26.29	772,000
	1971	53,900	27,900	cwt.	19.50	544,000
Hogs & Pigs	1972	5,500	12,100	cwt.	26.20	317,000
	1971	6,000	12,000	cwt.	19.10	229,000
Hogs & Pigs Feeder	1972	3,500	1,400	cwt.	30.40	42,500
	1971	3,000	1,200	cwt.	22.30	26,800
Hogs & Pigs Breeding Stock	1972	1,200		hd.	150.00	180,000
	1971	1,200		hd.	100.00	120,000
Old Hens & Roosters	1972	20,000	100,000	lb.	.10	10,000
	1971	40,000	200,000	lb.	.09	18,000
Misc. Livestock & Poultry*	1972	139,300		hd.	2.19	305,000
	1971	149,500		hd.	1.59	238,000
Total	1972					6,080,500
	1971					4,955,800

*Includes rabbits, squab, gamebirds, turkeys and horses

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Milk Marketing	1972	105,000	cwt.	$ 5.62	$ 590,000
	1971*	118,000	cwt.	5.84	689,000
Milk Manufacturing	1972	37,300	cwt.	4.49	167,000
	1971*	39,800	cwt.	4.27	170,000
Wool	1972	200,000	lbs.	.26	52,000
	1971	197,500	lbs.	.18	35,600
Eggs, Chicken Market	1972	355,500	doz.	.40	142,000
	1971	660,000	doz.	.34	224,000
Eggs Hatching	1972	25,000	doz.	.70	17,500
	1971	150,000	doz.	.72	108,000
Total	1972				968,500
	1971				1,226,600

*Revised

JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

Item	(In number of head) Jan. 1, 1972	Jan. 1, 1973
Cattle and Calves All	25,000	17,000
Milk Cows (2 years and older)	1,500	2,000
Sheep and Lambs All	90,000	100,000
Hogs and Pigs	1,500	2,000
Hens and Pullets of Laying Age	50,000	25,000

GOVERNMENT PAYMENTS

	1971	1972
REAP	$ 33,505	$ 40,140
FEED GRAIN PROGRAM*	494,404	520,858
WHEAT PROGRAM*		247,882
WOOL INCENTIVE	75,319	140,838
CROP LAND ADJUSTMENT PROGRAM**	7,123	-0-
SUGAR BEETS	233,001	290,219

*Combined for 1971
**Non-existent 1972

SUMMARY

FARM VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION

	1971	1972
FRUIT & NUT CROPS	$29,152,700	$28,110,300
FIELD CROPS	33,589,300	41,288,400
SEED CROPS	3,074,400	3,374,400
VEGETABLE CROPS	8,823,100	13,607,700
NURSERY PRODUCTS	602,500	1,263,800
APIARY PRODUCTS	349,300	424,100
LIVESTOCK & POULTRY	4,955,800	6,080,500
LIVESTOCK & POULTRY PRODUCTS	1,226,600*	968,500
TOTAL	$81,773,700	$95,117,700

*Corrected

TEN LEADING CROPS & VALUES

1971		1972	
Rice, All	$17,154,000*	Rice, All	$21,945,000
Peaches, Cling	11,804,000	Tomatoes, Canning	11,781,000
Prunes, Dried	8,317,000	Peaches, Cling	10,426,000
Tomatoes, Canning	7,768,000	Prunes, Dried	7,273,000
Walnuts, English	3,918,000	Walnuts, English	5,120,000
Cattle & Calves	3,780,000	Cattle & Calves	4,454,000
Almonds & Hulls	3,606,400	Wheat, All	4,244,000
Sorghum, Grain	2,871,000**	Almonds & Hulls	3,282,000
Hay, Alfalfa	1,980,000	Safflower, All	2,475,600
Beans, Edible	1,658,600	Sorghum, Grain	2,409,000

*Revised
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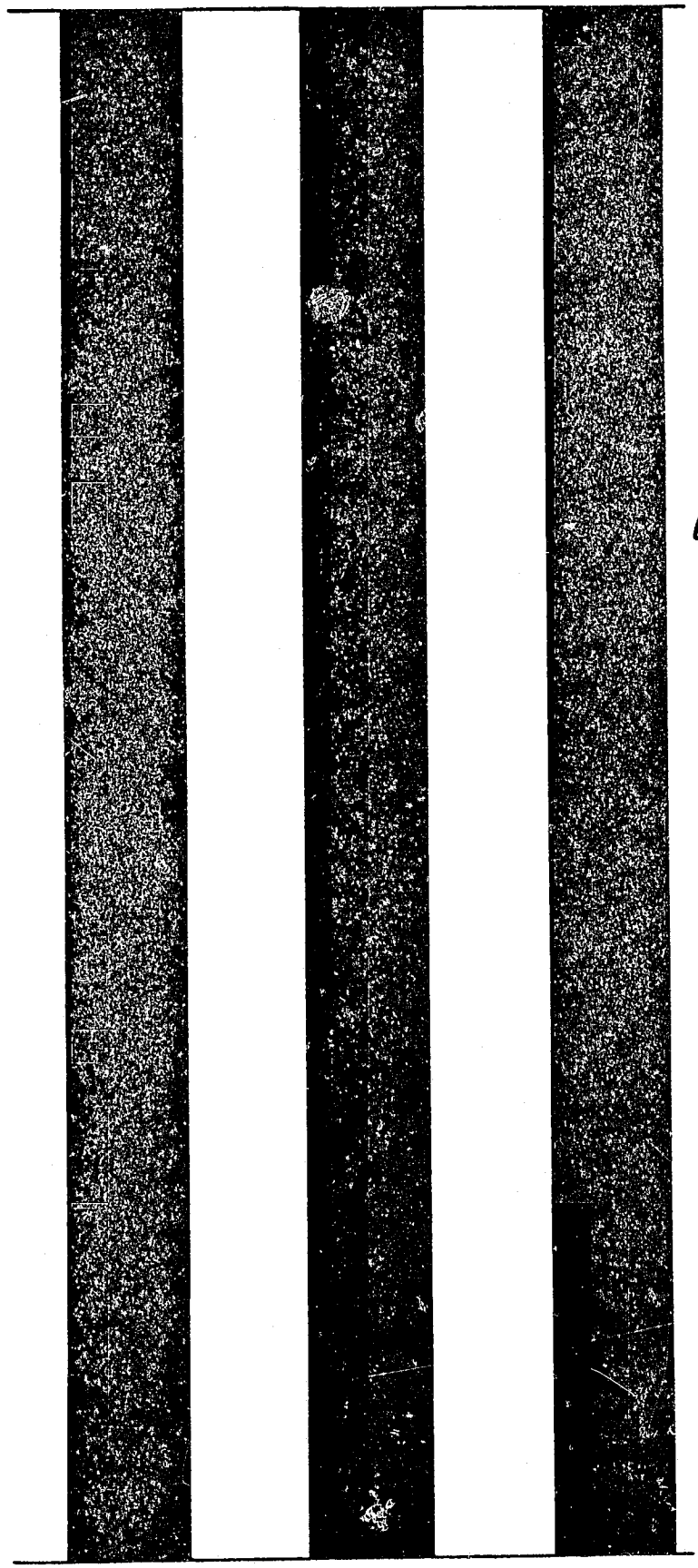
FRUIT AND NUT TREE

Bearing and Non Bearing Acreage 1972*

	Bearing Acres	Non Bearing Acres
Almonds	5,870	400
Apples	17	
Apricots	2	
Cherries	22	18
Nectarines	4	5
Olives	36	
Oranges	11	
Peaches, Cling	9,200	3,331
Peaches, Freestone	119	41
Pears	1,337	129
Pecans	6	
Persimmons		1
Plums	272	4
Prunes	15,333	1,400
Walnuts, Black	12	635
Walnuts, English	10,158	3,617
TOTAL	42,387	9,581

*Does not include 1972 planting



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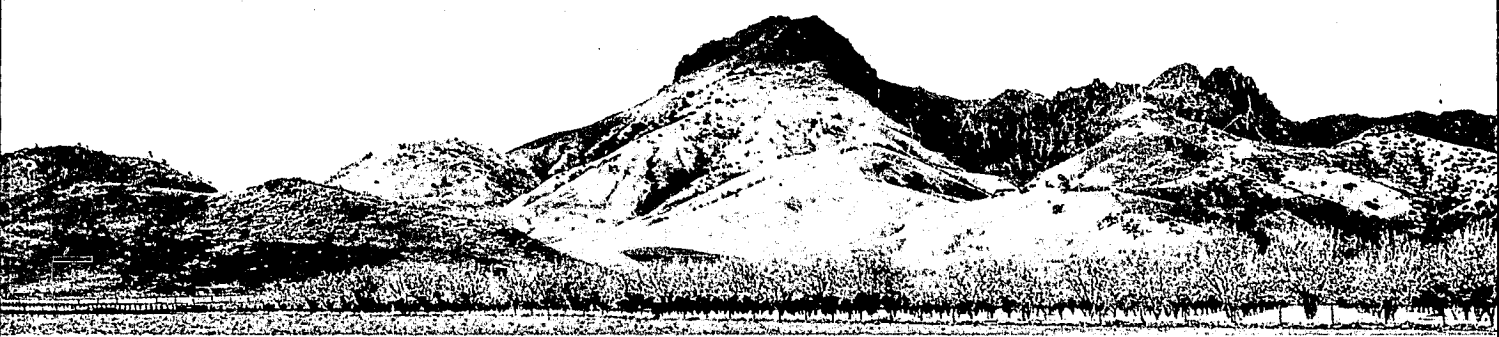

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Gentlemen:

I am pleased to present to you the 1973 Agricultural Crop Report as required by Section 2279 of the California Food and Agricultural Code.

1973 was an unusually successful year for agriculture in Sutter County.

Production levels were up in prunes, rice, canning tomatoes, cattle and calves, sheep and lambs but many crops were below 1972 levels. Higher prices for most commodities caused an increase to a record high of $159,204,000, $63,375,600 more than the 1972 figure of $95,828,400, an increase of 66%.

I hasten to emphasize the fact that these figures are gross values and do not reflect the increased costs of equipment, fertilizers, pesticides, fuel, labor and other supplies which are increasing at an equally high rate.

Again, the value of agriculture to Sutter County as a whole is shown in increases in sales in the area of service, supplies and related jobs which all contribute to the well-being of Sutter County.

To all those individuals who provided the information necessary to compile this report I extend my sincere appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crops	Year	Bearing Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Almonds	1973	5,998	.55	3,299	tons	$1,250.00	$ 4,124,000
	1972	5,873	.80	4,698	tons	676.00	3,176,000
Almond Hulls	1973			6,748	tons	40.00	270,000
	1972			7,048	tons	15.00	106,000
Peaches Clingstone	1973	9,776	12.70	124,155	tons	95.00	11,795,000
	1972	9,200	15.11	139,012	tons	75.00	10,426,000
Peaches Freestone	1973	162	10.00	1,620	tons	121.00	196,000
	1972	119	10.00	1,190	tons	115.00	137,000
Pears all	1973	1,303	8.00	10,424	tons	132.00	1,376,000
	1972	1,337	8.00	10,696	tons	130.00	1,390,000
Plums	1973	255	4.20	1,071	tons	321.00	344,000
	1972	272	4.90	1,333	tons	266.00	355,000
Prunes dried	1973	15,640	2.75	43,010	tons	460.00	19,785,000
	1972	15,333	.97	14,873	tons	489.00	7,273,000
Walnuts English	1973	10,714	1.10	11,785	tons	592.00	6,977,000
	1972	10,158	.96	9,752	tons	525.00	5,120,000
Walnuts Black	1973			26,460	bags	1.75	46,300
	1972			12,600	bags	1.75	22,000
Misc.*	1973	100					166,000
	1972	100					105,300
TOTAL	1973						$45,079,300
	1972						28,110,300

*Includes apples, apricots, bushberries, cherries, nectarines, olives, oranges, pecans, persimmons, pistachios and strawberries.

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crops	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Barley	1973	13,800	1.50	20,700	tons	$ 90.00	$ 1,863,000
	1972	19,000	1.75	33,250	tons	57.00	1,895,000
Beans, dry	1973	2,650	.97	2,571	tons	500.00	1,286,000
Baby Lima	1972	3,210	.75	2,408	tons	270.00	650,000
Beans, dry	1973	970	.66	640	tons	540.00	346,000
Blackeye	1972	1,400	.64	896	tons	280.00	251,000
Beans, dry	1973	1,350	1.09	1,472	tons	300.00	442,000
Gr. Baby Lima	1972	170	1.10	187	tons	241.00	45,100
Beans, dry	1973	460	.46	212	tons	700.00	148,000
Kidney	1972	200	.70	140	tons	461.00	64,500
Beans, dry	1973	1,500	.94	1,410	tons	720.00	1,015,000
Large Lima	1972	330	.67	221	tons	540.00	119,000
Beans, dry	1973	720	.83	598	tons	440.00	263,000
Pink	1972	1,333	.75	1,000	tons	245.00	245,000
Beans, dry	1973	220	.92	202	tons	440.00	89,000
Misc.*	1972	200	.63	126	tons	345.25	43,500
Corn, field	1973	5,720	3.51	20,077	tons	101.00	2,028,000
Grain	1972	4,400	3.74	16,456	tons	55.50	913,000
Corn, field	1973	2,500	24.00	60,000	tons	15.00	900,000
Silage	1972	2,500	25.00	62,500	tons	12.50	781,000
Hay	1973	9,990	6.25	62,438	tons	49.00	3,059,000
Alfalfa	1972	9,900	5.90	58,410	tons	36.00	2,103,000
Hay	1973	6,500	3.00	19,500	tons	35.00	683,000
Grain	1972	6,000	4.35	26,100	tons	30.00	783,000+
Hay	1973	11,500	1.78	20,470	tons	26.31	539,000
Other**	1972	10,000	2.80	28,000	tons	22.50	630,000
Oats	1973	2,500	.78	1,950	tons	100.00	195,000
	1972	1,200	1.50	1,800	tons	65.35	118,000
Pasture &	1973	22,000			acre	85.00	1,870,000
Range, Irri.	1972	22,000			acre	50.00	1,100,000
Pasture &	1973	70,000			acre	3.50	245,000
Range, dry	1972	70,000			acre	2.50	175,000

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE (con't)

Crops	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Rice	1973	66,100	2.75	181,775	tons	$230.00	$41,808,000
	1972	55,567+	2.90	161,144	tons	125.00	20,143,000
Safflower	1973	14,800	1.00	14,800	tons	145.00	2,146,000
	1972	19,856	1.16	23,033	tons	105.64	2,433,000
Screenings Grain	1973			2,200	tons	20.00	44,000
	1972		NOT SHOWN SEPARATELY LAST YEAR				
Sorghum Grain	1973	23,500	1.98	46,530	tons	101.00	4,700,000
	1972	22,165	1.90	42,114	tons	54.00	2,274,000
Sugar Beets	1973	5,650	20.20	114,130	tons	20.13	2,297,000
	1972	5,592	27.20	152,102	tons	15.03	2,286,000
Wheat	1973	31,370	1.60	50,192	tons	90.00	4,517,000
	1972	32,657	2.31	75,438	tons	55.75	4,206,000
Misc.***	1973	1,000					834,000
	1972	1,400					735,000
TOTAL	1973						$71,317,000
	1972						41,993,000+

* Includes pinto, garbanzo and bayou
** Includes straw
***Includes sunflower, sesame, casterbeans, mung beans, hops and flax
\+ Corrected

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crops	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Alfalfa	1973	730	295	215,350	lbs.	$ .80	$ 172,000
	1972	780	300	234,000	lbs.	.43	100,600
Barley	1973	4,380	3,000	13,140,000	lbs.	.06	788,000
	1972	600	3,100	1,860,000	lbs.	.03	55,800
Clover	1973	2,450	155	379,750	lbs.	1.00	380,000
	1972	2,448	207	506,736	lbs.	.66	334,000
Cantaloupe & Honeydew	1973	400	447	178,800	lbs.	.86	154,000
	1972	160	352	56,320	lbs.	.85	47,900
Cucumber	1973	1,100	383	421,300	lbs.	1.17	493,000
	1972	360	385	138,600	lbs.	1.56	216,000
Field Corn	1973	500	7,000	3,500,000	lbs.	.09	315,000
	1972	220	6,000	1,320,000	lbs.	.045	59,400
Oats	1973	50	2,800	140,000	lbs.	.0825	11,600
	1972	273	3,900	1,064,700	lbs.	.0525	55,900
Pumpkins & Squash	1973	620	506	313,720	lbs.	.71	223,000
	1972	789	653	515,217	lbs.	.46	237,000
Rice	1973	6,090	5,200	31,668,000	lbs.	.1515	4,798,000
	1972	4,804	5,000	24,020,000	lbs.	.075	1,802,000
Safflower	1973	310	685	212,350	lbs.	.0675	14,300
	1972	525	1,475	774,375	lbs.	.055	42,600
Sorghum Grain	1973	150	4,700	705,000	lbs.	.09	63,500
	1972	700	4,300	3,010,000	lbs.	.045	135,000
Sudan	1973	2,590	780	2,020,200	lbs.	.11	222,000
	1972	75	1,814	136,050	lbs.	.09	12,200
Vetch	1973	150	244	36,600	lbs.	.15	5,500
	1972	400	1,300	520,000	lbs.	.10	52,000
Watermelon	1973	900	296	266,400	lbs.	.95	253,000
	1972	511	218	111,398	lbs.	.95	106,000
Wheat	1973	1,900	4,000	7,600,000	lbs.	.05	380,000
	1972	275	3,950	1,086,250	lbs.	.035	38,000
Misc. Seed*	1973	630		432,323	lbs.		176,000
	1972	85		160,100	lbs.		80,000
TOTAL	1973						$ 8,448,900
	1972						3,374,400

*Includes garden beans, dry beans, onion, sunflower, beet, tomato, etc.

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crops	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Melons, all	1973	1,725	11.43	19,717	tons	$155.26	$ 3,061,000
	1972	1,193	12.20	14,555	tons	98.08	1,428,000
Pumpkins	1973	310	22.80	7,068	tons	31.45	222,000
	1972	360	18.60	6,696	tons	11.50	77,000
Squash	1973	146	20.00	2,920	tons	44.65	130,000
	1972	155	17.83	2,764	tons	20.16	55,700
Tomatoes Canning	1973	19,040	29.00	552,160	tons	35.00	19,326,000
	1972	15,520	27.11	420,747	tons	28.00	11,781,000
Miscellaneous Vegetables	1973	242					484,000
	1972	291					266,000
TOTAL	1973						$23,223,000
	1972						13,607,700

NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA, SALES AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production Areas Field Area	Quantity Sold By Producers	Value Unit	Value Total
Nursery Crops					
Fruit & Nut Trees & Vines	1973	154	1,753,769	plants	$ 1,531,000
	1972	140	1,010,770	plants	1,248,000
Ornamental Trees & Shrubs	1973	18			28,700
	1972	10			15,800
TOTAL	1973				$ 1,559,700
	1972				1,263,800

APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Honey	1973	198,180	lbs.	$ .49	$ 97,100
	1972	214,000	lbs.	.30	64,200
Beeswax	1973	11,300	lbs.	.94	10,600
	1972	5,000	lbs.	.64	3,200
Package Bees	1973	107,800	lbs.	2.16	233,000
	1972	96,400	lbs.	1.87	180,000
Queen Bees	1973	81,000	each	2.11	171,000
	1972	61,200	each	1.54	94,200
Pollination	1973	18,200	colony	6.40	116,000
	1972	19,445	colony	4.24	82,500
TOTAL	1973				$627,700
	1972				424,100

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production: No. of Head	Production: Total Liveweight	Unit	Value: Per Unit	Value: Total
Cattle & Calves*	1973	26,000	128,125	cwt.	$ 43.81	$5,613,000
	1972	25,000	127,500	cwt.	34.93	4,454,000
Sheep & Lambs	1973	70,440	37,564	cwt.	31.36	1,178,000
	1972	56,255	29,355	cwt.	26.29	772,000
Hogs & Pigs	1973	4,000	8,800	cwt.	38.50	339,000
	1972	5,500	12,100	cwt.	26.20	317,000
Hogs & Pigs Feeder	1973	3,000	1,350	cwt.	46.00	62,100
	1972	3,500	1,400	cwt.	30.40	42,500
Hogs & Pigs Breeding Stock	1973	1,000		head	185.00	185,000
	1972	1,200		head	150.00	180,000
Old Hens & Roosters	1973	21,837	109,185	lb.	.14	15,300
	1972	20,000	100,000	lb.	.10	10,000
Misc. Livestock & Poultry**	1973	159,450		head	2.39	381,000
	1972	139,300		head	2.19	305,000
TOTAL	1973					$7,773,400
	1972					6,080,500

* Includes feed lot cattle where only pounds of gain were counted
**Includes gamebirds, horses, rabbits, turkeys, and squab

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Milk Marketing	1973	90,700	cwt.	$6.54	$ 593,000
	1972*	106,000	cwt.	5.60	594,000
Milk Manufacturing	1973	30,700	cwt.	5.38	165,000
	1972*	37,500	cwt.	4.51	169,000
Wool	1973	220,000	lbs.	.81	178,000
	1972	200,000	lbs.	.26	52,000
Eggs, Chicken Market	1973	426,878	dozen	.54	231,000
	1972	355,500	dozen	.40	142,000
Eggs Hatching	1973	10,000	dozen	.80	8,000
	1972	25,000	dozen	.70	17,500
TOTAL	1973				$1,175,000
	1972				974,500*

*Revised

SUMMARY

FARM VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTIONS

	1972	1973
FRUIT AND NUT CROPS	$28,110,300	$ 45,079,300
FIELD CROPS	41,993,100*	71,317,000
SEED CROPS	3,374,400	8,448,900
VEGETABLE CROPS	13,607,700	23,223,000
NURSERY CROPS	1,263,800	1,559,700
APIARY PRODUCTS	424,100	627,700
LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY	6,080,500	7,773,400
LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	974,500**	1,175,000
TOTAL	$95,828,400	$159,204,000

* Corrected
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TEN LEADING CROPS & VALUES

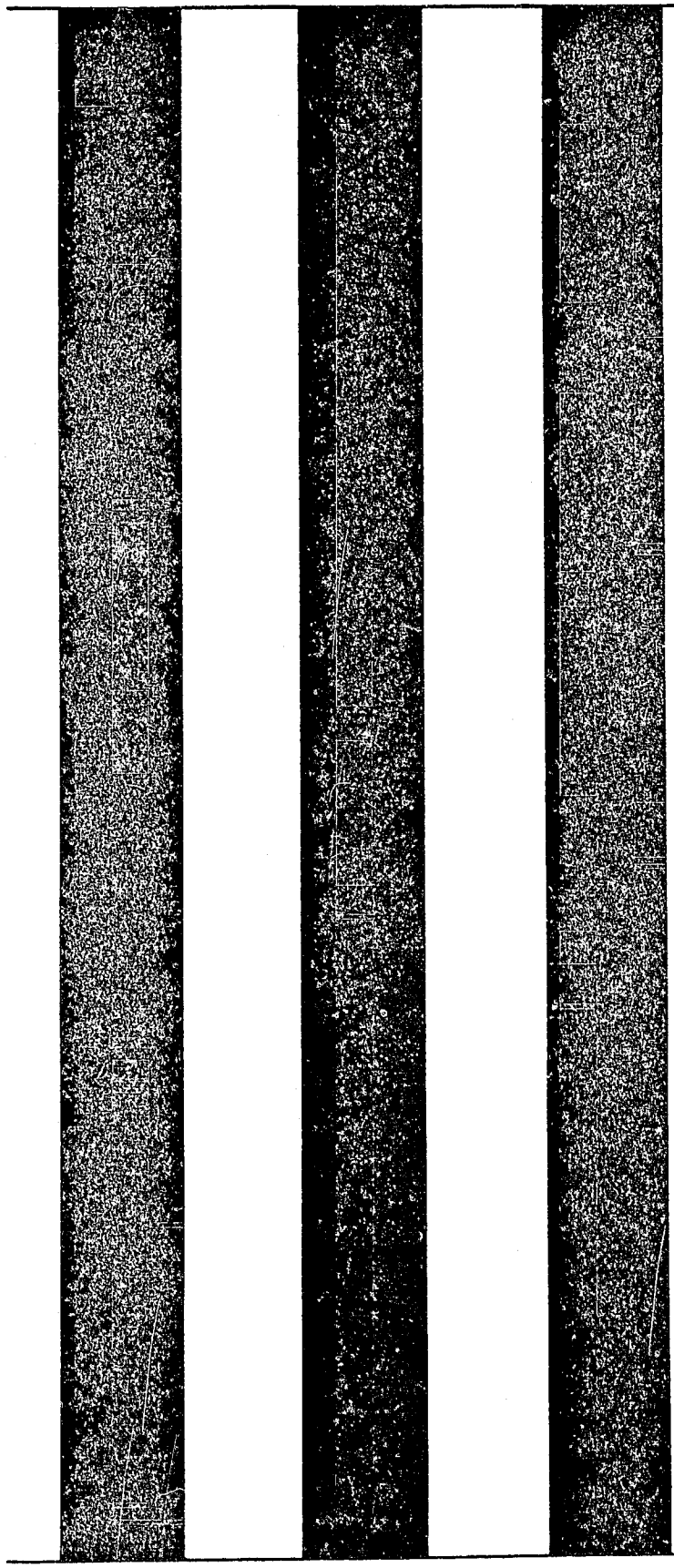
1972		1973	
Rice, all	$21,945,000	Rice, all	$46,606,000
Tomatoes, Canning	11,781,000	Prunes, Dried	19,785,000
Peaches, Cling	10,426,000	Tomatoes, Canning	19,326,000
Prunes, Dried	7,273,000	Peaches, Cling	11,795,000
Walnuts, English	5,120,000	Walnuts, English	6,977,000
Cattle & Calves	4,454,000	Cattle & Calves	5,613,000
Wheat, all	4,244,000	Wheat, all	4,897,000
Almonds & Hulls	3,282,000	Sorghum Grain, all	4,763,500
Safflower, all	2,475,600	Almonds & Hulls	4,394,000
Sorghum Grain, all	2,409,000	Beans, Dry-all	3,589,000

FRUIT AND NUT TREE

Bearing and Non Bearing Acreage 1973*

	Bearing Acres	Non Bearing Acres
Almonds	5,998	308
Apples	17	
Apricots	2	
Cherries	19	18
Nectarines	1	
Olives	36	
Oranges	10	
Peaches, Clingstone	9,776	1,784
Peaches, Freestone	162	3
Pears	1,303	103
Pecans	6	
Persimmons		1
Plums	255	2
Prunes	15,640	1,115
Walnuts, Black	15	234
Walnuts, English	10,714	2,938
TOTAL	43,954	6,506

*Does not include all 1973 plantings



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and
The Honorable Board of Supervisors
County of Sutter

Gentlemen:

I am pleased to present to you the 1974 Agricultural Crop Report as required by Section 2279 of the California Food and Agricultural Code.

The gross value of Crop and Livestock products in Sutter County set a new record high of $179,719,500 in 1974 which is $20,539,500 higher than the 1973 figure of $159,180,000, an increase of almost 13%.

Values were up for rice, beans, peaches, seed crops, canning tomatoes, grain sorghum, safflower and alfalfa hay.

Products showing a decline in value were prunes, walnuts, almonds, cattle & calves, sheep and lambs.

Chemical, equipment, labor and other related costs continued to rise at a rapid rate.

These values are gross values and do not reflect these steadily rising production costs.

In 1973 Sutter County ranked 15th in the State in production value in spite of her smaller size and should easily maintain that position in 1974.

To all those individuals who so willingly provided the information necessary to compile this report I again express my sincere appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

Alfred C. Perrin, Jr.
Agricultural Commissioner

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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crops	Year	Bearing Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Almonds	1974	6,190	.56	3,466	tons	$ 834.00	$ 2,891,000
	1973	5,998	.55	3,299	tons	1,250.00	4,124,000
Almond Hulls	1974			4,333	tons	47.50	206,000
	1973			6,748	tons	40.00	270,000
Peaches Clingstone	1974	9,604	13.20	126,773	tons	132.50	16,797,000
	1973	9,776	12.70	124,155	tons	95.00	11,795,000
Peaches Freestone	1974	157	10.10	1,586	tons	148.00	235,000
	1973	162	10.00	1,620	tons	121.00	196,000
Pears All	1974	1,369	8.39	11,486	tons	161.50	1,855,000
	1973	1,303	8.00	10,424	tons	132.00	1,376,000
Plums	1974	281	6.00	1,686	tons	321.00	541,000
	1973	255	4.20	1,071	tons	321.00	344,000
Prunes Dried	1974	15,827	2.15	34,028	tons	440.00	14,972,000
	1973	15,640	2.75	43,010	tons	460.00	19,785,000
Walnuts English	1974	10,764	.96	10,333	tons	429.00	4,433,000
	1973	10,714	1.10	11,785	tons	592.00	6,977,000
Walnuts Black	1974			22,000	bags	2.00	44,000
	1973			26,460	bags	1.75	46,300
Misc.*	1974	109					167,000
	1973	100					166,000
TOTAL	1974						$42,141,000
	1973						45,079,300

*Includes apples, apricots, bushberries, cherries, nectarines, olives, oranges, pecans, persimmons, pistachios and strawberries.

FIELD CROPS
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crops	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Barley	1974	7,601	1.65	12,542	tons	$124.75	$ 1,565,000
	1973	13,800	1.50	20,700	tons	90.00	1,863,000
Beans, dry Baby Lima	1974	14,900	1.01	15,049	tons	385.00	5,794,000
	1973	2,650	.97	2,571	tons	500.00	1,286,000
Beans, dry Gr. Baby Lima	1974	150	2.00	300	tons	600.00	180,000
	1973	1,350	1.09	1,472	tons	300.00	442,000
Beans, dry Blackeye	1974	652	.75	489	tons	263.00	129,000
	1973	970	.66	640	tons	540.00	346,000
Beans, dry Kidney	1974	401	.49	196	tons	488.00	95,600
	1973	460	.46	212	tons	700.00	148,000
Beans, dry Large Lima	1974	500	.88	440	tons	510.00	224,000
	1973	1,500	.94	1,410	tons	720.00	1,015,000
Beans, dry Pink	1974	5,437	.70	3,806	tons	603.00	2,295,000
	1973	720	.83	598	tons	440.00	263,000
Beans, dry Misc.*	1974	130	.51	66	tons	600.00	39,600
	1973	220	.92	202	tons	440.00	89,000
Corn, field Grain	1974	5,115	3.76	19,232	tons	130.00	2,500,000
	1973	5,720	3.51	20,077	tons	101.00	2,028,000
Corn, field Silage	1974	3,000	23.50	70,500	tons	16.50	1,163,000
	1973	2,500	24.00	60,000	tons	15.00	900,000
Hay Alfalfa	1974	9,000	6.91	62,190	tons	56.35	3,504,000
	1973	9,990	6.25	62,438	tons	49.00	3,059,000
Hay Grain	1974	6,400	2.86	18,304	tons	48.25	883,000
	1973	6,500	3.00	19,500	tons	35.00	683,000
Hay Other**	1974	10,415	1.83	19,059	tons	32.03	610,000
	1973	11,500	1.78	20,470	tons	26.31	539,000
Oats	1974	1,006	1.20	1,207	tons	151.00	182,000
	1973	2,500	.78	1,950	tons	100.00	195,000
Pasture & Range Irri.	1974	22,000			acre	85.00	1,870,000
	1973	22,000			acre	85.00	1,870,000

FIELD CROPS (con't)
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crops	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Pasture	1974	50,000			acre	$ 3.50	$ 175,000
Range,dry	1973	70,000			acre	3.50	245,000
Rice	1974	79,812	2.63	209,906	tons	220.00	46,179,000
	1973	66,100	2.75	181,775	tons	230.00	41,808,000
Safflower	1974	13,159	1.10	14,475	tons	348.75	5,048,000
	1973	14,800	1.00	14,800	tons	145.00	2,146,000
Screenings	1974			2,400	tons	25.00	60,000
	1973			2,200	tons	20.00	44,000
Sorghum	1974	28,745	1.81	52,028	tons	127.75	6,647,000
Grain	1973	23,500	1.98	46,530	tons	101.00	4,700,000
Sugar Beets	1974	2,413	21.14	51,000	tons	42.77	2,181,000
	1973	5,650	20.20	114,130	tons	20.13	2,297,000
Wheat	1974	27,384	1.50	41,076	tons	132.75	5,453,000
	1973	31,370	1.60	50,192	tons	90.00	4,517,000
Misc.***	1974	875					850,000
	1973	1,000					834,000
TOTAL	1974						$87,627,200
	1973						71,317,000

*Includes pinto, garbanzo and bayou
**Includes straw
***Includes castor beans, hops, mung beans, soybeans, sunflower and sweet rice

SEED CROPS
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crops	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Alfalfa	1974	510	300.00	153,000	lbs.	$ .90	$ 138,000
	1973	730	295.00	215,350	lbs.	.80	172,000
Barley	1974	2,557	3,220.00	8,233,540	lbs.	.07	576,000
	1973	4,380	3,000.00	13,140,000	lbs.	.06	788,000
Beans, dry	1974	142	1,952.00	277,184	lbs.	.175	48,500
Mixed	1973	Not Shown Separately					
Clover	1974	1,426	195.00	278,070	lbs.	1.43	398,000
	1973	2,450	155.00	379,750	lbs.	1.00	380,000
Cantaloupe &	1974	532	378.00	201,096	lbs.	1.75	352,000
Honeydew	1973	400	447.00	178,800	lbs.	.86	154,000
Cucumber	1974	1,249	508.00	634,492	lbs.	2.53	1,605,000
	1973	1,100	383.00	421,300	lbs.	1.17	493,000
Field Corn	1974	1,035	7,181.00	7,432,335	lbs.	.117	870,000
	1973	500	7,000.00	3,500,000	lbs.	.09	315,000
Pumpkin &	1974	449	643.00	288,707	lbs.	1.62	468,000
Squash	1973	620	506.00	313,720	lbs.	.71	223,000
Rice	1974	5,188	5,000.00	25,940,000	lbs.	.1550	4,021,000
	1973	6,090	5,200.00	31,668,000	lbs.	.1515	4,798,000
Safflower	1974	835	844.00	704,740	lbs.	.20	141,000
	1973	310	685.00	212,350	lbs.	.0675	14,300
Sorghum	1974	910	5,070.00	4,613,700	lbs.	.09	415,000
Grain	1973	150	4,700.00	705,000	lbs.	.09	63,500
Sudan	1974	1,025	1,015.00	1,040,375	lbs.	.10	104,000
	1973	2,590	780.00	2,020,200	lbs.	.11	222,000
Tomatoes	1974	150	333.00	49,950	lbs.	7.80	390,000
	1973	Not Shown Separately					
Watermelon	1974	888	210.00	186,480	lbs.	1.95	364,000
	1973	900	296.00	266,400	lbs.	.95	253,000
Wheat	1974	140	3,900.00	546,000	lbs.	.09	49,000
	1973	1,900	4,000.00	7,600,000	lbs.	.05	380,000

SEED CROPS (con't)
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crops	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Production Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Misc. Seed*	1974	273		204,650	lbs.		$ 151,000
	1973	830		608,923	lbs.		193,100
TOTAL	1974						$10,090,500
	1973						8,448,900

*Includes carrots, garden beans, oats, onions, sunflowers & vetch (tomatoes and beans also for 1973)

VEGETABLE CROPS
ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Crops	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production Per Acre	Production Total	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Melons, All	1974	1,804	8.75	15,785	tons	$147.16	$ 2,323,000
	1973	1,725	11.43	19,717	tons	155.26	3,061,000
Pumpkins	1974	435	18.00	7,830	tons	21.45	168,000
	1973	310	22.80	7,068	tons	31.45	222,000
Squash	1974	97	8.60	834	tons	74.81	62,400
	1973	146	20.00	2,920	tons	44.65	130,000
Tomatoes Canning	1974	20,970	23.17	485,950	tons	56.80	27,602,000
	1973	19,040	29.00	552,160	tons	35.00	19,326,000
Misc. Vegetables	1974	259					419,000
	1973	242					484,000
TOTAL	1974						$30,574,400
	1973						23,223,000

NURSERY PRODUCTS
PRODUCTION AREA, SALES AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production Areas Field Area	Quantity Sold By Producers	Value Unit	Value Total
Nursery Crops					
Fruit & Nut Trees & Vines	1974	198	1,926,947	plants	$1,925,000
	1973	154	1,753,769	plants	1,531,000
Ornamental Trees & Shrubs	1974	10			22,000
	1973	18			28,700
TOTAL	1974				$1,947,000
	1973				1,559,700

APIARY PRODUCTS
PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Honey	1974	22,125	lbs.	$ .43	$ 9,500
	1973	198,180	lbs.	.49	97,100
Beeswax	1974	2,000	lbs.	1.25	2,500
	1973	11,300	lbs.	.94	10,600
Package Bees	1974	95,600	lbs.	5.00	478,000
	1973	107,800	lbs.	2.16	233,000
Queen Bees	1974	95,500	each	4.33	414,000
	1973	81,000	each	2.11	171,000
Pollination	1974	34,338	colony	5.50	189,000
	1973	18,200	colony	6.40	116,000
TOTAL	1974				$1,093,000
	1973				627,700

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY
PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	No. of Head	Total Liveweight	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Cattle & Calves*	1974	20,650	97,350	cwt.	$ 33.95	$3,305,000
	1973	26,000	128,125	cwt.	43.81	5,613,000
Sheep & Lambs	1974	44,635	26,447	cwt.	28.81	762,000
	1973	70,440	37,564	cwt.	31.36	1,178,000
Hogs & Pigs	1974	5,000	11,000	cwt.	34.42	379,000
	1973	4,000	8,800	cwt.	38.50	339,000
Hogs & Pigs Feeder	1974	3,000	1,200	cwt.	40.00	48,000
	1973	3,000	1,350	cwt.	46.00	62,100
Hogs & Pigs Breeding Stock	1974	1,000		head	200.00	200,000
	1973	1,000		head	185.00	185,000
Old Hens & Roosters	1974	22,000	110,000	lb.	.06	6,600
	1973	21,837	109,185	lb.	.14	15,300
Misc. Livestock & Poultry**	1974	99,000		head		586,000
	1973	159,450		head		381,000
TOTAL	1974					$5,286,600
	1973					7,773,400

*Includes feedlot cattle where only pounds of gain were counted
**Includes gamebirds, horses, rabbits, goats, turkeys and squab

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS
PRODUCTION AND VALUE

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value Per Unit	Value Total
Milk Marketing	1974	46,800	cwt.	$7.98	$ 373,000
	1973*	87,300	cwt.	6.49	567,000
Milk Manufacturing	1974	41,200	cwt.	6.45	266,000
	1973*	30,300	cwt.	5.51	167,000
Wool	1974	200,000	lbs.	.62	124,000
	1973	220,000	lbs.	.81	178,000
Eggs, Chicken Market	1974	400,000	dozen	.46	184,000
	1973	426,878	dozen	.54	231,000
Eggs Hatching	1974	15,000	dozen	.85	12,800
	1973	10,000	dozen	.80	8,000
TOTAL	1974				$ 959,800
	1973				1,151,000*

*Revised

SUMMARY
FARM VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTIONS

	1973	1974
FRUIT AND NUT CROPS	$ 45,079,300	$ 42,141,000
FIELD CROPS	71,317,000	87,627,200
SEED CROPS	8,448,900	10,090,500
VEGETABLE CROPS	23,223,000	30,574,400
NURSERY CROPS	1,559,700	1,947,000
APIARY PRODUCTS	627,700	1,093,000
LIVESTOCK & POULTRY	7,773,400	5,286,600
LIVESTOCK & POULTRY PRODUCTS	1,151,000*	959,800
TOTAL	$159,180,000*	$179,719,500

*Revised

TEN LEADING CROPS & VALUES

1973		1974	
Rice, All	$46,606,000	Rice, All	$50,200,000
Prunes, Dried	19,785,000	Tomatoes, Canning	27,602,000
Tomatoes, Canning	19,326,000	Peaches, Cling	16,797,000
Peaches, Cling	11,795,000	Prunes, Dried	14,972,000
Walnuts, English	6,977,000	Beans, Dry, All	8,805,700
Cattle & Calves	5,613,000	Sorghum Grain, All	7,062,000
Wheat, All	4,897,000	Wheat, All	5,502,000
Sorghum Grain, All	4,763,500	Safflower, All	5,189,000
Almonds & Hulls	4,394,000	Walnuts, English	4,433,000
Beans, Dry, All	3,589,000	Alfalfa Hay	3,504,000

FRUIT AND NUT TREE

Bearing and Non Bearing Acreage

	Bearing Acres		Non Bearing Acres	
	1973*	1974**	1973*	1974**
Almonds	5,998	6,190	308	158
Apples	17	17		
Apricots	2	3		
Cherries	19	22	18	18
Nectarines	1	8		1
Olives	36	36		
Oranges	10	11		
Peaches, Clingstone	9,776	9,604	1,784	3,585
Peaches, Freestone	162	157	3	6
Pears	1,303	1,369	103	96
Pecans	6	6		
Persimmons			1	1
Plums	255	281	2	2
Prunes	15,640	15,827	1,115	1,077
Walnuts, Black	15	22	234	625
Walnuts, English	10,714	10,764	2,938	3,329
TOTAL	43,954	44,317	6,506	8,898

*Does not include all 1973 plantings
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