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# Sacramento County

1977-1981

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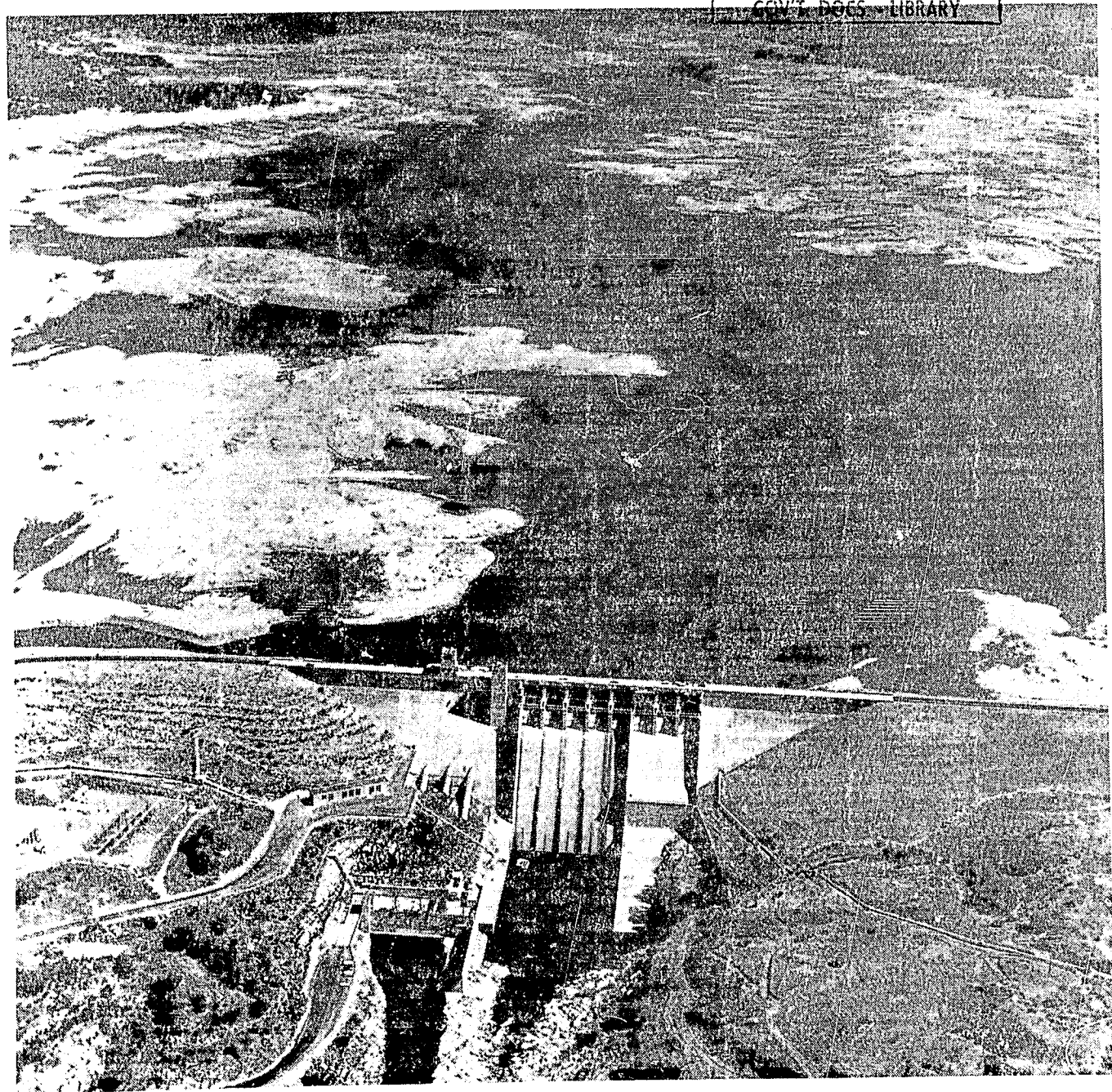
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# SACRAMENTO COUNTY AGRICULTURAL CROP AND LIVESTOCK REPORT 1977

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April 1, 1978

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The total 1977 value of agricultural production in Sacramento County was \$127,655,200, down nearly four million dollars from the previous year.

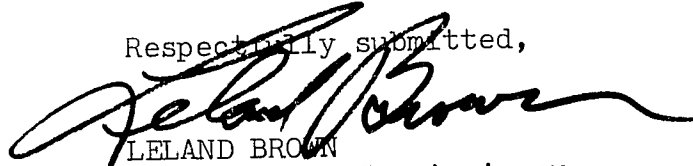
This was the third year in a row that the County's farmers experienced a decline in farm value, with the 1977 value almost 19% lower than 1974. This decline is attributed to the drought and depressed farm prices especially for corn, wheat, barley and other field crops.

It may seem contradictory, but while cattlemen were receiving disaster assistance because of the drought, the value of cattle sold actually increased. This paradoxical situation occurred because cattlemen were forced to sell off large numbers of their stock, including portions of their breeding herds.

As in most years, while some crops lost value others showed an increase. For instance, wine grapes have increased in value by almost 700% during the last five years to become a two million dollar industry. Safflower acreage tripled during 1977, over the previous year, and the value of the County's canning tomato crop increased from seven million to nearly eleven million dollars. Nursery production is often not recognized as a major agricultural industry in the County, but at eight million dollars, it was valued at more than the combined production values of sugar beets, rice and eggs.

I wish to express my appreciation to all individuals who cooperated with the preparation of this report, with a special thanks to the Sacramento County Cooperative Agricultural Extension Service, who assisted with the livestock production figures.

Respectfully submitted,

  
LELAND BROWN  
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GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION 1967 - 1977

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1975	133,072,600
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1972	92,547,400
1971	81,033,750
1970	80,898,300
1969	77,319,620
1968	83,286,900
1967	69,285,000

\* Figures Revised

# THE TEN LEADING FARM COMMODITIES - 1977

1. Milk	\$20,980,000
2. Cattle and Calves	15,698,000
3. Corn	13,928,000
4. Tomatoes	11,026,000
5. Wheat	10,268,000
6. Pears	10,253,000
7. Hay, Alfalfa	4,830,000
8. Pasture Irrigated	4,320,000
9. Rice	4,308,000
10. Safflower	3,088,000

## SUMMARY OF PRODUCTION

	1976		1977	
	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Value of Production</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Value of Production</u>
Field Crops	1	\$58,491,000	1	\$48,844,000
Livestock and Poultry Products	2	23,167,000*	2	22,156,200
Livestock and Poultry	3	17,745,300	3	18,477,000
Fruit and Nut Crops	4	12,579,000	4	12,947,000
Vegetable Crops	5	8,710,000	5	12,043,800
Nursery Products	6	7,155,000	6	8,190,000
Seed Crops	7	3,513,000	7	4,791,000
Apiary Products	8	<u>270,000</u>	8	<u>207,000</u>
TOTAL VALUE		\$131,630,300		\$127,655,200

\* Revised

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1976-77

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	PRODUCTION	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Barley	1977	4,450	2.3	10,240	Ton	91.00 \$	932,000
	1976	2,100	2.2	4,620	Ton	95.00	439,000
Beets, Sugar	1977	3,800	30.3	115,000	Ton	22.50	2,588,000
	1976	5,400	27.0	145,800	Ton	19.75	2,880,000
Corn, Field	1977	38,100	4.0	152,400	Ton	81.00	12,344,000
	1976	45,000	4.0	180,000	Ton	100.00	18,000,000
Corn, Silage	1977	5,500	18.0	99,000	Ton	16.00	1,584,000
	1976	8,000	16.0	128,000	Ton	22.00	2,816,000
Grain Sorghum	1977	2,600	3.5	9,100	Ton	84.00	764,000
	1976	4,400	3.4	15,000	Ton	90.00	1,350,000
Hay, Alfalfa	1977	9,200	7.5	69,000	Ton	70.00	4,830,000
	1976	8,800	7.5	66,000	Ton	82.00	5,412,000
Hay, Grain	1977	12,800	2.1	26,900	Ton	40.00	1,076,000
	1976	13,000	2.0	26,000	Ton	70.00	1,820,000
Hay, Other	1977	4,900	1.9	9,310	Ton	38.00	354,000
	1976	3,200	1.8	5,760	Ton	50.00	288,000
Hops	1977	1,150	1,620.0	1,863,000	Lbs	.95	1,770,000
	1976	1,200	1,440.0	1,728,000	Lbs	.87	1,503,000
Oats	1977	2,100	2.0	4,200	Ton	80.00	336,000
	1976	1,000	1.2	1,200	Ton	200.00	240,000
Oats, Silage	1977	4,100	10.0	41,000	Ton	12.00	492,000
	1976	3,100	10.5	32,500	Ton	14.00	455,000
Pasture, Irrigated	1977	54,000			Acre	80.00	4,320,000
	1976	59,000			Acre	80.00	4,720,000
Range	1977	142,000			Acre	3.50	497,000
	1976	144,000			Acre	3.50	504,000
Rice	1977	7,200	3.0	21,600	Ton	190.00	4,104,000
	1976	11,000	2.8	30,800	Ton	140.00	4,312,000
Safflower	1977	9,300	1.3	12,100	Ton	250.00	3,025,000
	1976	3,600	1.0	3,600	Ton	220.00	792,000
Wheat	1977	32,800	3.3	108,000	Ton	91.00	9,828,000
	1976	40,000	2.7	108,000	Ton	120.00	12,960,000
TOTAL	1977	334,000					\$48,844,000
	1976	352,800					58,491,000

NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA AND VALUE, 1976-77

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	TOTAL
Nursery	1977	410	\$ 8,190,000
	1976	336	7,155,000

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1976-77

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	PRODUCTION	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Asparagus	1977	440	1.5	660	Ton	550.00 \$	363,000
	1976	520	1.6	832	Ton	420.00	349,000
Cabbage	1977	30	18.0	540	Ton	120.00	64,800
	1976	50	18.0	900	Ton	120.00	108,000
Lettuce Head/Leaf	1977	50	8.0	400	Ton	400.00	160,000
	1976	70	8.0	560	Ton	385.00	216,000
Squash	1977	30	15.0	450	Ton	200.00	90,000
	1976	40	15.0	600	Ton	200.00	120,000
Tomatoes Fresh	1977	20	25.0	500	Ton	320.00	160,000
	1976	90	25.0	2,250	Ton	310.00	697,000
Tomatoes Processed	1977	7,730	25.0	193,000	Ton	56.30	10,866,000
	1976	7,000	20.0	140,000	Ton	50.00	7,000,000
Miscellaneous	1977	350					340,000
	1976	300					220,000
TOTAL	1977	8,650					\$12,043,800
	1976	8,070					8,710,000

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1976-77

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	PRODUCTION	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Clover, Ladino Certified	1977	5,700	320.0	1,824,000	Lbs	1.10	\$ 2,006,000
	1978	4,600	288.0	1,325,000	Lbs	1.10	1,458,000
Clover, Ladino	1977	340	290.0	98,600	Lbs	1.00	99,000
	1976	220	288.0	63,400	Lbs	1.05	67,000
Oats	1977	920	2.5	2,300	Ton	150.00	345,000
	1976	1,200	1.75	2,100	Ton	210.00	441,000
Rice	1977	370	2.5	925	Ton	220.00	204,000
	1976	590	2.8	1,650	Ton	240.00	396,000
Safflower	1977	250	1.0	250	Ton	250.00	63,000
	1976	250	.9	225	Ton	240.00	54,000
Sudan, Certified	1977	1,900	2,500.0	4,750,000	Lbs	.13	618,000
	1978	940	2,500.0	2,350,000	Lbs	.15	352,000
Sudan, Other	1977	1,100	2,700.0	2,970,000	Lbs	.15	446,000
	1976	900	2,000.0	1,800,000	Lbs	.17	306,000
Wheat	1977	1,450	3.3	4,780	Ton	92.00	440,000
	1976	450	4.0	1,800	Ton	125.00	225,000
Miscellaneous	1977	950					570,000
	1976	500					214,000
TOTAL	1977	12,980					\$ 4,791,000
	1976	9,650					3,513,000

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1976-77

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION	UNIT	VALUE	
				PER UNIT	TOTAL
Milk-Market	1977	2,003,000	Cwt.	9.428	\$18,884,000
	1976*	2,115,000	Cwt.	9.105	19,257,000
Milk Manufacturing	1977	262,000	Cwt.	8.00	2,096,000
	1976*	247,000	Cwt.	7.39	1,825,000
Wool	1977	140,000	Cwt.	.68	95,200
	1976	170,000	Cwt.	.65	110,000
Eggs, Market	1977	1,965,000	Doz.	.55	1,081,000
	1976	3,591,000	Doz.	.55	1,975,000
TOTAL	1977				\$22,156,200
	1976				23,167,000

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APIARY PRODUCTS: VALUE 1976-77

ITEM	YEAR	TOTAL
Apiary Products*	1977	\$ 207,000
	1976	270,000

\*Includes honey, wax, package bees and queens.

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1975-77

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
		NO. OF HEAD	TOTAL LIVESTWEIGHT		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Cattle & Calves*	1977	75,500	459,000	Cwt.	34.20	\$15,698,000
	1976	72,400	421,000	Cwt.	34.80	14,651,000
Sheep & Lambs	1977	14,000	15,000	Cwt.	40.70	610,000
	1976	13,500	14,400	Cwt.	38.60	556,000
Hogs & Pigs	1977	3,600	7,200	Cwt.	47.00	338,000
	1976	2,400	4,800	Cwt.	42.50	204,000
Broilers & Fryers	1977	862,000	3,879,000	Lb.	.26	1,008,000
	1976	700,000	3,150,000	Lb.	.25	731,000
Other Chickens	1977	75,000	300,000	Lb.	.06	18,000
	1976	62,000	279,000	Lb.	.08	22,300
Other Livestock Products**	1977					805,000
	1976					1,525,000
TOTAL	1977					\$18,477,000
	1976					17,745,300

\*Includes feed lot, beef and dairy cattle.

\*\*Includes turkeys, rabbits and pullets.

JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK  
(In Number of Heads)

ITEM	JANUARY 1, 1977	JANUARY 1, 1978
All Cattle and Calves*	92,200	83,900
Cows, Dairy	18,500	20,000
Cows, Beef	19,800	17,960
Stock Sheep and Lambs	16,000	14,000
Hogs	900	1,100

\*Includes cattle in feedlots being finished for slaughter.

FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1976-77

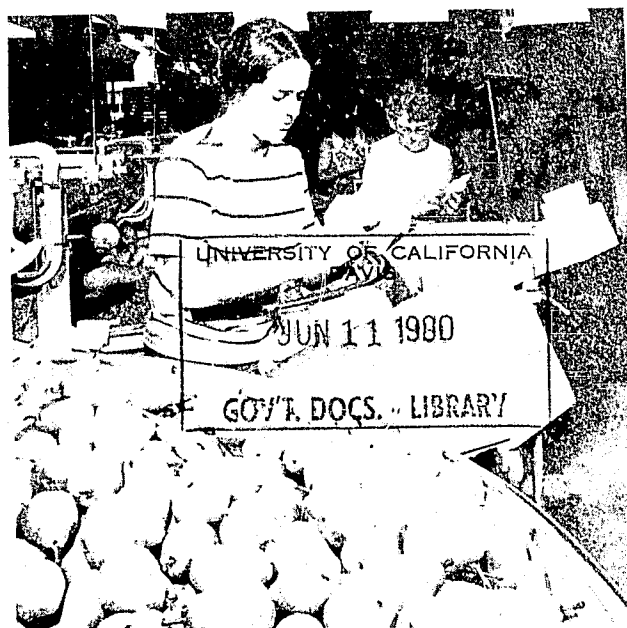
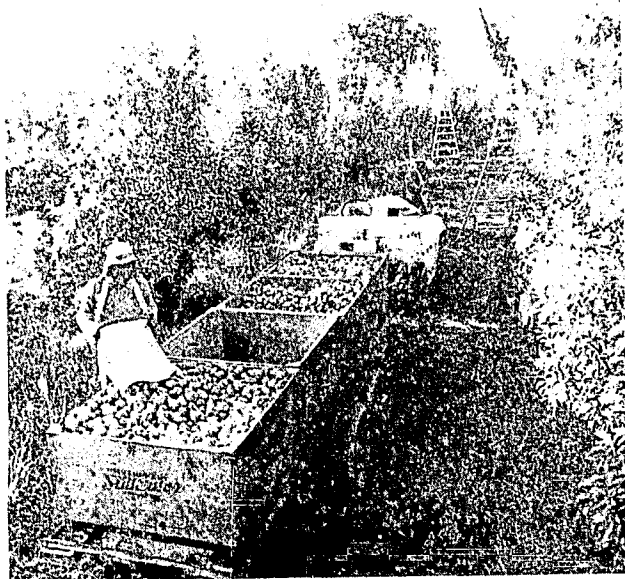
ITEM	YEAR	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Grapes, Wine	1977	1,860	6.0	11,200	Ton	180.00	\$ 2,016,000
	1976	1,800	3.0	5,400	Ton	133.00	718,000
Pears -							
Bartlett	1977	6,900	13.0	89,200	Ton		10,208,000
	1976	6,500	18.1	118,000	Ton		11,116,000
Processed	1977			73,600	Ton	110.30	8,118,000
	1976			96,100	Ton	99.80	9,589,000
Dry Yard Fresh Basis	1977			- 0 -	Ton	- 0 -	- 0 -
	1976			300	Ton	50.00	15,000
Fresh	1977			15,600	Ton	134.00	2,090,000
	1976			21,600	Ton	70.00	1,512,000
Pears, Other	1977	30	10.0	300	Ton	150.00	45,000
	1976	30	10.0	300	Ton	136.00	40,800
Walnuts	1977	430	1.0	430	Ton	750.00	323,000
	1976	430	.9	387	Ton	600.00	232,000
Miscellaneous	1977	350					355,000
	1976	370					271,000
TOTAL	1977	9,570					\$12,947,000
	1976	9,130					12,579,000



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*San Joaquin Hills*





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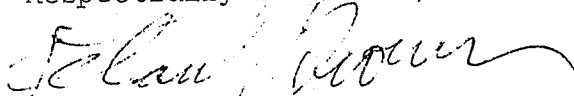
The total 1978 value of agriculture production in Sacramento County was \$141,368,600, up \$13.3 million from the previous year.

The increase reflects a return to more normal conditions after the drought of 1976 and 1977, but total agriculture production still did not reach the record \$155.4 million set in 1974.

As in most years, while some crops increased in value others declined in value. Wheat, for example, declined in value by \$5.7 million, but was more than made up by a \$7.1 million increase in the value of field corn production. The value of the County's nursery industry continued to increase, up \$4.8 million from 1977. Also up in value were wine grapes with a \$2.2 million increase and pears with a \$5.3 million increase. With beef prices at an all time high one might assume that the value of cattle sold would be up significantly. However, because many cattle were sold off during the drought, cattlemen have been withholding livestock from market to rebuild their breeding herds, thus the value of cattle sold was almost identical to the previous year, although the average price per pound was up approximately 40%.

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3. Pears	15,582,000
4. Cattle and Calves	15,520,000
5. Tomatoes	10,689,000
6. Rice	5,420,000
7. Wheat	4,289,000
8. Grapes	4,258,000
9. Pasture Irrigated	3,840,000
10. Hay, Alfalfa	3,185,000

## SUMMARY OF PRODUCTION

	<u>1978</u>		<u>1977</u>	
	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Value of Production</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Value of Production</u>
Field Crops	1	\$48,011,000	1	\$48,844,000
Livestock and Poultry Products	2	24,310,000	2	22,558,200*
Fruit and Nut Crops	3	20,360,000	4	12,947,000
Livestock and Poultry	4	19,107,000	3	18,477,000
Nursery Products	5	13,006,000	6	8,190,000
Vegetable Crops	6	11,472,600	5	12,043,800
Seed Crops	7	4,782,000	7	4,791,000
Apiary Products	8	320,000	8	270,000
TOTAL VALUE		\$141,368,600		\$128,058,000

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FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1977-78

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	PRODUCTION	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Barley	1978	4,880	1.9	9,270	Ton	105.00 \$	974,000
	1977	4,450	2.3	10,240	Ton	91.00	932,000
Beets, Sugar	1978	3,100	21.9	68,000	Ton	25.66	1,745,000
	1977	3,800	30.3	115,000	Ton	22.50	2,588,000
Corn, Field	1978	49,900	4.1	204,590	Ton	95.00	19,436,000
	1977	38,100	4.0	152,400	Ton	81.00	12,344,000
Corn, Silage	1978	5,300	21.0	111,300	Ton	13.00	1,447,000
	1977	5,500	18.0	99,000	Ton	16.00	1,584,000
Grain Sorghum	1978	3,100	3.0	9,300	Ton	93.00	865,000
	1977	2,600	3.5	9,100	Ton	84.00	764,000
Hay, Alfalfa	1978	6,500	7.0	45,500	Ton	70.00	3,185,000
	1977	9,200	7.5	69,000	Ton	70.00	4,830,000
Hay, Grain	1978	12,700	2.0	25,400	Ton	35.00	889,000
	1977	12,800	2.1	26,900	Ton	40.00	1,076,000
Hay, Other	1978	8,200	1.8	14,760	Ton	32.00	472,000
	1977	4,900	1.9	9,310	Ton	38.00	354,000
Hops	1978	1,450	1,420.0	2,059,000	Lbs	.96	1,977,000
	1977	1,150	1,620.0	1,863,000	Lbs	.95	1,770,000
Oats	1978	2,300	.4	920	Ton	98.00	90,000
	1977	2,100	2.0	4,200	Ton	80.00	336,000
Oats, Silage	1978	4,400	10.5	46,200	Ton	10.00	462,000
	1977	4,100	10.0	41,000	Ton	12.00	492,000
Pasture, Irrigated	1978	48,000			Acre	80.00	3,840,000
	1977	54,000			Acre	80.00	4,320,000
Range	1978	130,000			Acre	4.00	520,000
	1977	142,000			Acre	3.50	497,000
Rice	1978	13,000	2.6	34,000	Ton	150.00	5,100,000
	1977	7,200	3.0	21,600	Ton	190.00	4,104,000
Safflower	1978	11,300	1.1	12,430	Ton	235.00	2,921,000
	1977	9,300	1.3	12,100	Ton	250.00	3,025,000
Wheat	1978	18,400	2.2	40,480	Ton	101.00	4,088,000
	1977	32,800	3.3	108,000	Ton	91.00	9,828,000
TOTAL	1978	322,500					\$48,011,000
	1977	334,000					48,844,000



NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA AND VALUE, 1977-78

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	TOTAL
Nursery	1978	540	\$13,006,000
	1977	410	8,190,000

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1977-78

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	PRODUCTION	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Asparagus	1978	440	1.2	528	Ton	640.00 \$	338,000
	1977	440	1.5	660	Ton	550.00	363,000
Cabbage	1978	20	17.0	340	Ton	140.00	47,600
	1977	30	18.0	540	Ton	120.00	64,800
Lettuce, Head/Leaf	1978	50	9.0	450	Ton	450.00	203,000
	1977	50	8.0	400	Ton	400.00	160,000
Squash	1978	20	15.0	300	Ton	210.00	63,000
	1977	30	15.0	450	Ton	200.00	90,000
Tomatoes, Fresh	1978	10	25.0	250	Ton	300.00	75,000
	1977	20	25.0	500	Ton	320.00	160,000
Tomatoes, Processed	1978	7,790	25.0	194,750	Ton	54.50	10,614,000
	1977	7,730	25.0	193,000	Ton	56.30	10,866,000
Miscellaneous	1978	80					132,000
	1977	350					340,000
TOTAL	1978	8,410					\$11,472,600
	1977	8,650					12,043,800

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1977-78

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	PRODUCTION	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Clover, Ladino Certified	1978	6,800	276.0	1,877,000	Lbs	1.24 \$	2,327,000
	1977	5,700	320.0	1,824,000	Lbs	1.10	2,006,000
Clover, Ladino	1978	250	260.0	65,000	Lbs	1.15	75,000
	1977	340	290.0	98,600	Lbs	1.00	99,000
Oats	1978	400	.5	200	Ton	120.00	24,000
	1977	920	2.5	2,300	Ton	150.00	345,000
Rice	1978	800	2.5	2,000	Ton	160.00	320,000
	1977	370	2.5	925	Ton	220.00	204,000
Safflower	1978	290	1.8	520	Ton	240.00	125,000
	1977	250	1.0	250	Ton	250.00	63,000
Sudan, Certified	1978	2,600	2,200.0	5,720,000	Lbs	.10	572,000
	1977	1,900	2,500.0	4,750,000	Lbs	.13	618,000
Sudan, Hybrid	1978	1,000	2,600.0	2,600,000	Lbs	.13	338,000
	1977	1,100	2,700.0	2,970,000	Lbs	.15	446,000
Wheat	1978	760	2.4	1,824	Ton	110.00	201,000
	1977	1,450	3.3	4,780	Ton	92.00	440,000
Miscellaneous	1978	1,600					800,000
	1977	950					570,000
TOTAL	1978	14,500					\$ 4,782,000
	1977	12,980					4,791,000

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1977-78

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION	UNIT	VALUE	
				PER UNIT	TOTAL
Milk-Market	1978	2,175,000	Cwt.	9.88	\$21,489,000
	*1977	2,035,000	Cwt.	9.49	19,312,000
Milk Manufacturing	1978	181,000	Cwt.	8.70	1,574,000
	1977	261,000	Cwt.	7.93	2,070,000
Wool	1978	122,000	Lb.	.72	87,800
	1977	140,000	Lb.	.68	95,200
Eggs, Market	1978	1,035,000	Doz.	.56	1,159,200
	1977	1,965,000	Doz.	.55	1,081,000
TOTAL	1978				\$24,310,000
	*1977				22,558,200

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APIARY PRODUCTS: VALUE, 1977-78

ITEM	YEAR	TOTAL
Apiary Products*	1978	\$ 320,000
	1977	270,000

\*Includes honey, wax, package bees and queens.

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1977-78

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
		NO. OF HEAD	TOTAL LIVEWEIGHT		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Cattle and Calves*	1978	54,900	320,000	Cwt.	48.50	\$15,520,000
	1977	75,500	459,000	Cwt.	34.20	15,698,000
Sheep and Lambs	1978	12,300	14,000	Cwt.	46.70	654,000
	1977	14,000	15,000	Cwt.	40.70	610,000
Hogs and Pigs	1978	3,600	6,000	Cwt.	60.70	364,000
	1977	3,600	7,200	Cwt.	47.00	338,000
Broilers and Fryers	1978	794,000	3,773,000	Lb.	.28	1,056,000
	1977	862,000	3,879,000	Lb.	.26	1,008,000
Other Chickens	1978	104,000	421,000	Lb.	.09	38,000
	1977	75,000	300,000	Lb.	.06	18,000
Other Livestock Products**	1978					1,475,000
	1977					805,000
TOTAL	1978					\$19,107,000
	1977					18,477,000

\* Includes feed lot, beef and dairy cattle.

\*\* Includes turkeys, rabbits and pullets.

JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK  
(In Number of Head)

ITEM	JANUARY 1, 1978	JANUARY 1, 1979
All Cattle and Calves*	83,900	130,000
Cows, Dairy	20,000	21,700
Cows, Beef	17,960	32,000
Stock Sheep and Lambs	14,000	13,500
Hogs	1,100	1,700

\* Includes cattle in feedlots being finished for slaughter.

FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1977-78

ITEM	YEAR	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Grapes, Wine	1978	3,300	6.1	20,180	Ton	211.00	\$ 4,258,000
	1977	1,860	6.0	11,200	Ton	180.00	2,016,000
Pears -							
Bartlett	1978	6,900	12.5	86,000	Ton		15,513,000
	1977	6,900	13.0	89,200	Ton		10,208,000
Processed	1978			78,000	Ton	175.50	13,689,000
	1977			73,600	Ton	110.30	8,118,000
Fresh	1978			8,000	Ton	228.00	1,824,000
	1977			15,600	Ton	134.00	2,090,000
Pears, Other	1978	30	7.2	216	Ton	320.00	69,000
	1977	30	10.0	300	Ton	150.00	45,000
Walnuts	1978	430	.6	258	Ton	1200.00	310,000
	1977	430	1.0	430	Ton	750.00	323,000
Miscellaneous	1978	280					210,000
	1977	350					355,000
TOTAL	1978	10,940					\$20,360,000
	1977	9,570					12,947,000

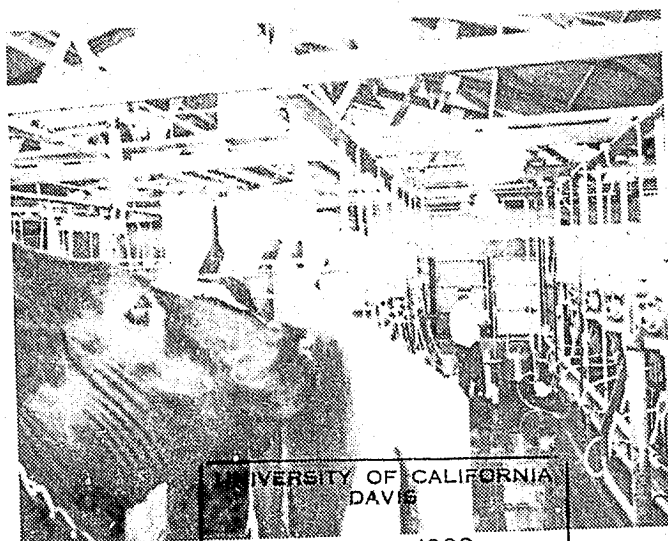


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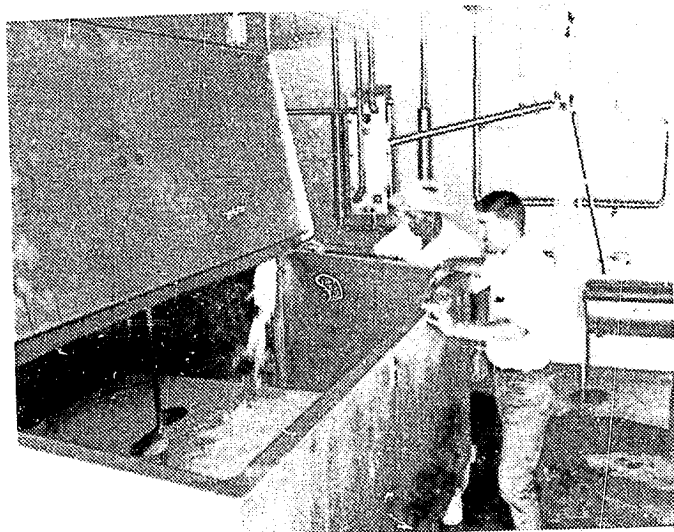
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The Sacramento County 1979 value of agricultural production was \$180,207,000, up \$38,839,000 from 1978 and nearly \$25,000,000 more than the previous record set in 1974.

A combination of factors, not just inflation, resulted in the new record. For example, the price of wheat was 11% lower in 1979 than in 1974, but the acreage was nearly double, resulting in an increased total value of \$2,983,000. Pears were also higher in price in 1974 than in 1979, but increased production per acre resulted in an increased value of \$3,401,000. Conversely, a price increase of nearly 85% over 1974 resulted in a \$4,000,000 increase in the value of cattle, even though fewer animals were marketed. The largest increase from 1974 to 1979 occurred with milk, which increased in value by over \$10,000,000. A 44% increase in price and 8% increase in production combine to cause this increase.

I wish to express my appreciation to all individuals who cooperated with the preparation of this report, with a special thanks to the Sacramento County Cooperative Agricultural Extension Service for the extra assistance they provided.

Respectfully submitted,

  
LELAND BROWN  
Agricultural Commissioner



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GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION 1969 - 1979

1979	\$180,207,000
1978	141,368,600
1977	128,058,000
1976	131,630,300
1975	133,072,600
1974	155,365,600
1973	121,391,100
1972	92,547,400
1971	81,033,750
1970	80,898,300
1969	77,319,620

THE TEN LEADING FARM COMMODITIES - 1979

1. Milk	\$27,623,000
2. Cattle and Calves	24,428,000
3. Corn	23,980,000
4. Pears	19,250,000
5. Wheat	10,200,000
6. Tomatoes	10,170,000
7. Rice	8,640,000
8. Grapes	4,928,000
9. Hay, Alfalfa	4,473,000
10. Pasture Irrigated	3,520,000

SUMMARY OF PRODUCTION

	<u>1979</u>		<u>1978</u>	
	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Value of Production</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Value of Production</u>
Field Crops	1	\$62,876,000	1	\$48,011,000
Livestock and Poultry Products	2	29,076,000	2	24,310,000
Livestock and Poultry	3	28,177,000	4	19,107,000
Fruit and Nut Crops	4	24,678,000	3	20,360,000
Nursery Products	5	17,742,000	5	13,006,000
Vegetable Crops	6	11,801,000	6	11,472,600
Seed Crops	7	5,562,000	7	4,782,000
Apiary Products	8	295,000	8	320,000
TOTAL VALUE		\$180,207,000		\$141,368,600

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1978-79

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Barley	1979	2,370	2.2	5,200	Ton	110.00	\$ 572,000
	1978	4,880	1.9	9,270	Ton	105.00	974,000
Beets, Sugar	1979	2,800	25.0	70,000	Ton	26.00	1,820,000
	1978	3,100	21.9	68,000	Ton	25.66	1,745,000
Corn, Field	1979	52,000	4.2	218,000	Ton	110.00	23,980,000
	1978	49,900	4.1	204,590	Ton	95.00	19,436,000
Corn, Silage	1979	5,200	22.0	114,000	Ton	18.00	2,052,000
	1978	5,300	21.0	111,300	Ton	13.00	1,447,000
Grain Sorghum	1979	2,000	3.0	6,000	Ton	103.00	618,000
	1978	3,100	3.0	9,300	Ton	93.00	865,000
Hay, Alfalfa	1979	7,200	6.9	49,700	Ton	90.00	4,473,000
	1978	6,500	7.0	45,500	Ton	70.00	3,185,000
Hay, Grain	1979	8,700	2.0	17,400	Ton	50.00	870,000
	1978	12,700	2.0	25,400	Ton	35.00	889,000
Hay, Other	1979	6,700	1.9	12,700	Ton	48.00	610,000
	1978	8,200	1.8	14,760	Ton	32.00	472,000
Hops	1979	1,080	1,300.0	1,404,000	Lbs	.98	1,376,000
	1978	1,450	1,420.0	2,059,000	Lbs	.96	1,977,000
Oats	1979	1,100	.6	660	Ton	120.00	79,000
	1978	2,300	.4	920	Ton	98.00	90,000
Oats, Silage	1979	6,300	9.0	56,700	Ton	12.00	680,000
	1978	4,400	10.5	46,200	Ton	10.00	462,000
Pasture, Irrigated	1979	44,000			Acre	80.00	3,520,000
	1978	48,000			Acre	80.00	3,840,000
Range	1979	125,000			Acre	6.50	812,000
	1978	130,000			Acre	4.00	520,000
Rice	1979	16,000	3.0	48,000	Ton	180.00	8,640,000
	1978	13,000	2.6	34,000	Ton	150.00	5,100,000
Safflower	1979	11,000	.9	9,900	Ton	260.00	2,574,000
	1978	11,300	1.1	12,430	Ton	235.00	2,921,000
Wheat	1979	34,000	2.5	85,000	Ton	120.00	10,200,000
	1978	18,400	2.2	40,480	Ton	101.00	4,088,000
TOTAL	1979	325,450					\$62,876,000
	1978	322,500					48,011,000

NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA AND VALUE, 1978-79

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	TOTAL
Nursery	1979	600	\$17,742,000
	1978	540	13,006,000

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1978-79

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	PRODUCTION	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Asparagus	1979	476	1.6	762	Ton	850.00	\$ 648,000
	1978	440	1.2	528	Ton	640.00	338,000
Cabbage	1979	36	16.0	576	Ton	200.00	115,000
	1978	20	17.0	340	Ton	140.00	47,600
Lettuce, Head/Leaf	1979	65	8.0	520	Ton	460.00	239,000
	1978	50	9.0	450	Ton	450.00	203,000
Squash	1979	44	10.0	440	Ton	220.00	97,000
	1978	20	15.0	300	Ton	210.00	63,000
Tomatoes, Fresh	1979	23	25.0	575	Ton	300.00	172,000
	1978	10	25.0	250	Ton	300.00	75,000
Tomatoes, Processed	1979	7,200	25.0	180,000	Ton	56.50	10,170,000
	1978	7,790	25.0	194,750	Ton	54.50	10,614,000
Miscellaneous	1979	640					360,000
	1978	80					132,000
TOTAL	1979	8,484					\$11,801,000
	1978	8,410					11,472,600

SEE ) CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1978-79

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Clover, Ladino Certified	1979	6,000	280.0	1,680,000	Lbs	1.35 \$	2,268,000
	1978	6,800	276.0	1,877,000	Lbs	1.24	2,327,000
Clover, Ladino	1979	-	-	-	Lbs	-	-
	1978	250	260.0	65,000	Lbs	1.15	75,000
Oats	1979	300	.6	180	Ton	240.00	43,000
	1978	400	.5	200	Ton	120.00	24,000
Rice	1979	1,300	3.0	3,900	Ton	230.00	897,000
	1978	800	2.5	2,000	Ton	160.00	320,000
Safflower	1979	600	1.8	10,800	Ton	285.00	308,000
	1978	290	1.8	520	Ton	240.00	125,000
Sudan, Certified	1979	1,670	2,400.0	4,008,000	Lbs	.095	381,000
	1978	2,600	2,200.0	5,720,000	Lbs	.10	572,000
Sudan, Hybrid	1979	500	3,300.0	1,650,000	Lbs	.12	198,000
	1978	1,000	2,600.0	2,600,000	Lbs	.13	338,000
Wheat	1979	1,400	2.8	3,920	Ton	170.00	666,000
	1978	760	2.4	1,824	Ton	110.00	201,000
Miscellaneous	1979	1,130					801,000
	1978	1,600					800,000
TOTAL	1979	12,900				\$	5,562,000
	1978	14,500					4,782,000

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1978-79

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION	UNIT	VALUE	
				PER UNIT	TOTAL
Milk-Market	1979	2,341,000	Cwt.	11.27	\$26,383,000
	1978	2,175,000	Cwt.	9.88	21,489,000
Milk Manufacturing	1979	117,000	Cwt.	10.60	1,240,000
	1978	181,000	Cwt.	8.70	1,574,000
Wool	1979	135,000	Lb.	.79	107,000
	1978	122,000	Lb.	.72	87,800
Eggs, Market	1979	2,720,000	Doz.	.495	1,346,000
	1978	2,070,000	Doz.	.56	1,159,200
TOTAL	1979				\$29,076,000
	1978				24,310,000

APIARY PRODUCTS: VALUE, 1978-79

ITEM	YEAR	TOTAL
Apiary Products*	1979	\$ 295,000
	1978	320,000

\*Includes honey, was, package bees and queens.



LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1978-79

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
		NO. OF HEAD	TOTAL LIVELWEIGHT		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Cattle and Calves*	1979	53,700	369,000	Cwt.	66.20	\$24,428,000
	1978	54,900	320,000	Cwt.	48.50	15,520,000
Sheep and Lambs	1979	13,000	13,000	Cwt.	64.00	832,000
	1978	12,300	14,000	Cwt.	46.70	654,000
Hogs and Pigs	1979	3,000	5,400	Cwt.	45.00	243,000
	1978	3,600	6,000	Cwt.	60.70	364,000
Broilers and Fryers	1979	655,000	2,620,000	Lb.	.28	734,000
	1978	794,000	3,773,000	Lb.	.28	1,056,000
Other Chickens	1979	46,000	184,000	Lb.	.08	15,000
	1978	104,000	421,000	Lb.	.09	38,000
Other Livestock Products**	1979					1,925,000
	1978					1,475,000
TOTAL	1979					\$28,177,000
	1978					19,107,000

\* Includes feed lot, beef and dairy cattle.

\*\* Includes turkeys, rabbits and pullets.

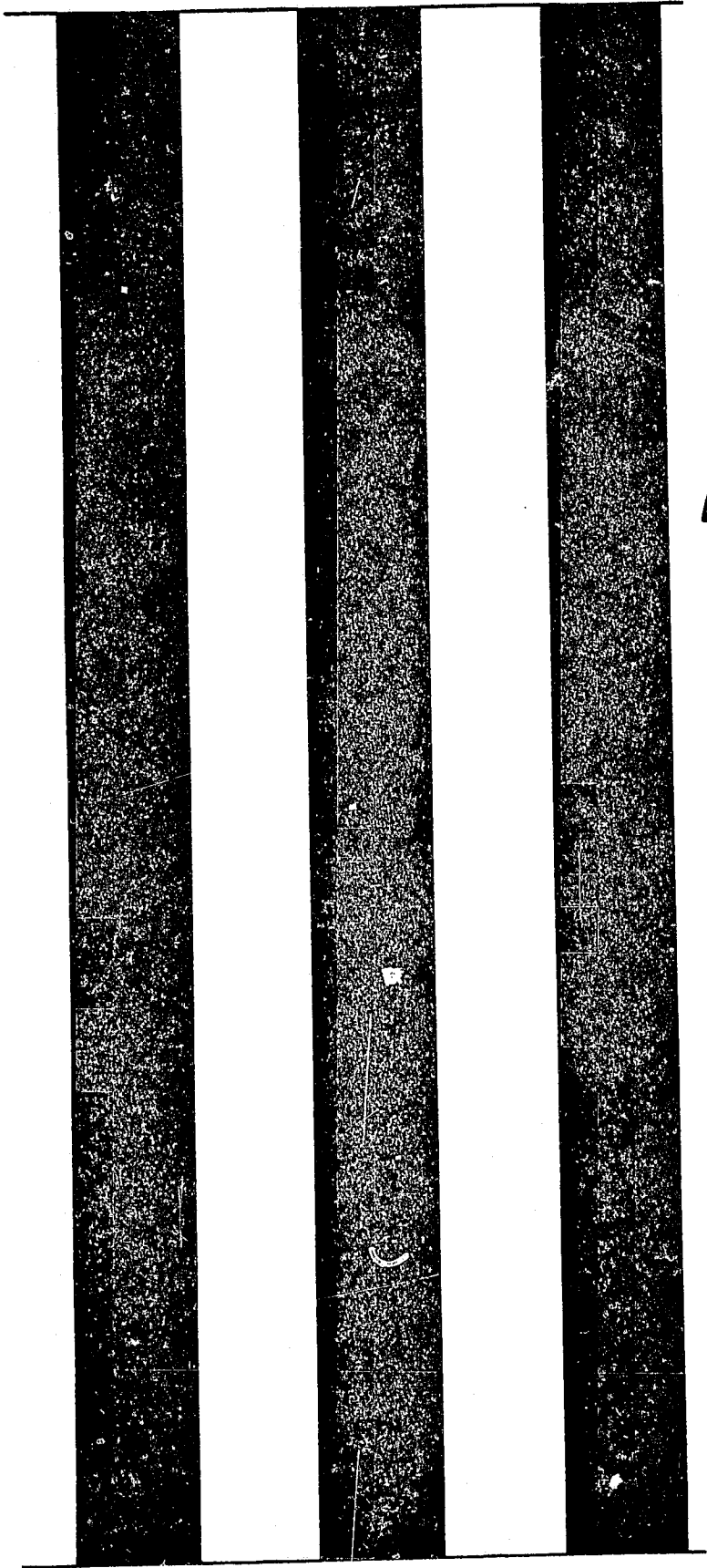
JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK  
(In Number of Head)

ITEM	JANUARY 1, 1979	JANUARY 1, 1980
All Cattle and Calves*	130,000	125,000
Cows, Dairy	21,700	24,000
Cows, Beef	32,000	34,000
Stock Sheep and Lambs	13,500	14,000
Hogs	1,700	1,700

\* Includes cattle in feedlots being finished for slaughter.

FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1978-79

ITEM	YEAR	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Grapes, Wine	1979	3,200	7.0	22,400	Ton	220.00	\$ 4,928,000
	1978	3,300	6.1	20,180	Ton	211.00	4,258,000
Pears -							
Bartlett	1979	6,700	18.0	121,000	Ton		19,250,000
	1978	6,900	12.5	86,000	Ton		15,513,000
Processed	1979			109,000	Ton	154.00	(16,808,000)
	1978			78,000	Ton	175.50	(13,689,000)
Fresh	1979			11,600	Ton	210.00	(2,442,000)
	1978			8,000	Ton	228.00	(1,824,000)
Pears, Other	1979	30	10.0	300	Ton	157.00	47,000
	1978	30	7.2	216	Ton	320.00	69,000
Walnuts	1979	430	.7	301	Ton	800.00	241,000
	1978	430	.6	258	Ton	1200.00	310,000
Miscellaneous	1979	270					212,000
	1978	280					210,000
TOTAL							\$24,678,000
	1978	10,940					20,360,000



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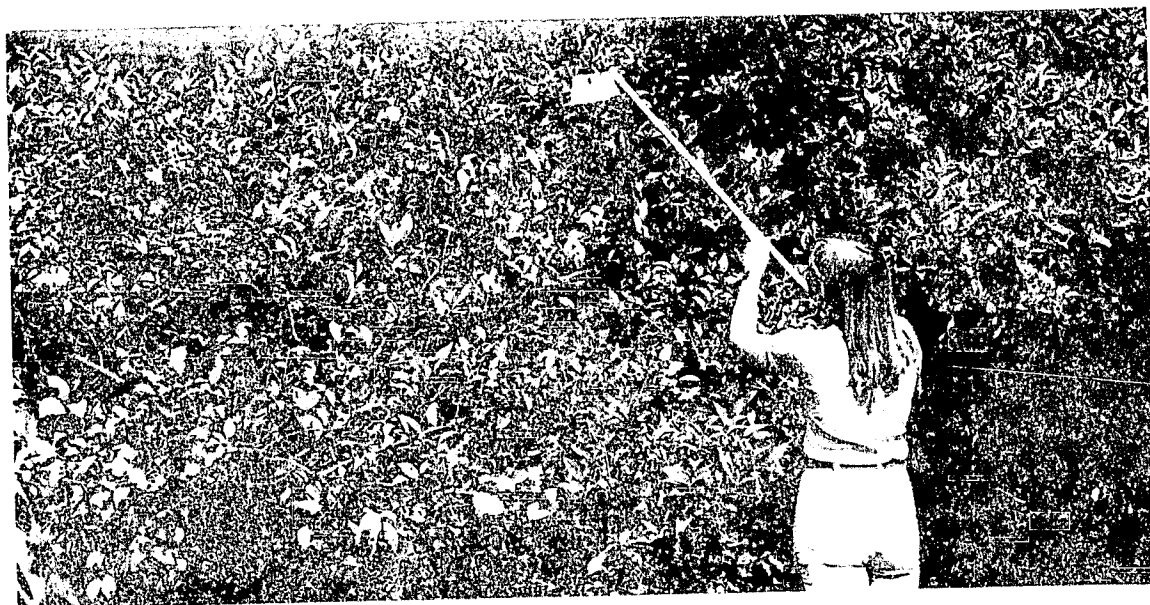
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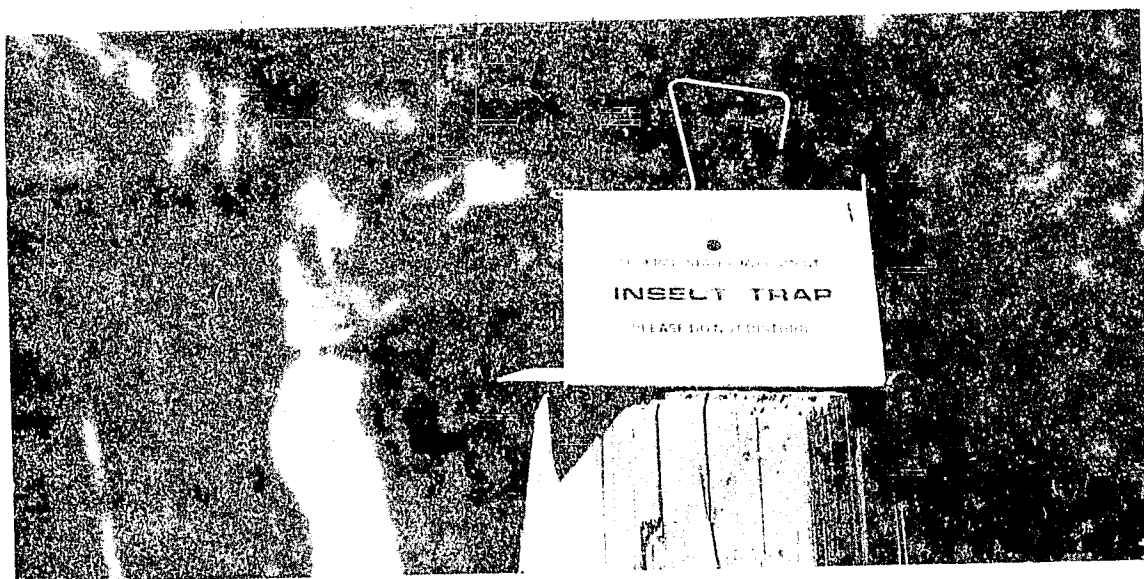
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The estimated 1980 gross value of agricultural production in Sacramento County was a record \$221,189,400, up over \$38,000,000 (21%) from the previous record set in 1979.

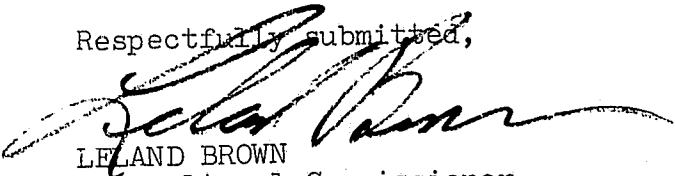
Nearly all commodities, except cattle, increased in value, with wheat posting the largest gain--up \$12,480,000 from the previous year. A 58% increase in harvested acreage coupled with prices 16% above the previous year produced the record wheat value.

Other products posting significant value increases were corn--up \$8,500,000; rice--up \$4,640,000; milk--up \$3,554,000; sugar beets--up \$2,826,000; canning tomatoes--up \$1,635,000 and hops--up \$1,076,000. Except for canning tomatoes, the increased values resulted primarily from higher prices. The price of canning tomatoes declined by 15%, but an increase in harvested acres more than made up for the lower price.

The number of cattle going to market remained about the same, but prices 11% lower than in 1979 resulted in a drop in cattle value of \$1,359,000.

Because farming is an energy intensly industry, the cost of producing food has generally outpaced the overall rate of inflation. Therefore, record prices and record yields do not necessarily translate into record profits.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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For Year 1980

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THE TEN LEADING FARM COMMODITIES - 1980

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5.	Pears	19,215,000
6.	Rice	12,694,000
7.	Tomatoes	11,816,000
8.	Grapes	5,628,000
9.	Beets, Sugar	4,646,000
10.	Hay, Alfalfa	4,600,000

SUMMARY OF PRODUCTION

	<u>1980</u>		<u>1979</u>	
	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Value of Production</u>	<u>Rank</u>	<u>Value of Production</u>
Field Crops	1	\$ 94,442,000	1	\$ 62,876,000
Livestock and Poultry Products	2	35,890,000	2	31,669,000
Livestock and Poultry	3	28,012,400	3	28,177,000
Fruit and Nut Crops	4	25,360,000	4	24,678,000
Nursery Products	5	18,670,000	5	17,742,000
Vegetable Crops	6	13,324,000	6	11,801,000
Seed Crops	7	5,121,000	7	5,562,000
Apiary Products	8	<u>370,000</u>	8	<u>295,000</u>
TOTAL VALUE		\$221,189,400		\$182,800,000

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1979-80

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Barley	1980	1,200	2.3	2,760	Ton	110.00 \$	304,000
	1979	2,370	2.2	5,200	Ton	110.00	572,000
Beets, Sugar	1980	4,400	22.0	96,800	Ton	48.00	4,646,000
	1979	2,800	25.0	70,000	Ton	26.00	1,820,000
Corn, Field	1980	54,000	4.3	232,000	Ton	140.00	32,480,000
	1979	52,000	4.2	218,000	Ton	110.00	23,980,000
Corn, Silage	1980	6,400	24.0	154,000	Ton	19.00	2,926,000
	1979	5,200	22.0	114,000	Ton	18.00	2,052,000
Grain Sorghum	1980	1,100	2.7	2,970	Ton	130.00	386,000
	1979	2,000	3.0	6,000	Ton	103.00	618,000
Hay, Alfalfa	1980	6,400	7.2	46,000	Ton	100.00	4,600,000
	1979	7,200	6.9	49,700	Ton	90.00	4,473,000
Hay, Grain	1980	8,200	2.0	16,400	Ton	60.00	984,000
	1979	8,700	2.0	17,400	Ton	50.00	870,000
Hay, Other	1980	7,900	2.0	15,800	Ton	60.00	948,000
	1979	6,700	1.9	12,700	Ton	48.00	610,000
Hops	1980	1,050	1,680.0	1,764,000	Lbs.	1.39	2,452,000
	1979	1,080	1,300.0	1,404,000	Lbs.	.98	1,376,000
Oats	1980	1,280	.8	1,020	Ton	145.00	148,000
	1979	1,100	.6	660	Ton	120.00	79,000
Oats, Silage	1980	7,000	8.0	56,000	Ton	13.00	728,000
	1979	6,300	9.0	56,700	Ton	12.00	680,000
Pasture, Irrigated	1980	41,000			Acre	90.00	3,690,000
	1979	44,000			Acre	80.00	3,520,000
Range	1980	120,000			Acre	7.00	840,000
	1979	125,000			Acre	6.50	812,000
Rice	1980	18,200	3.1	56,400	Ton	225.00	12,694,000
	1979	16,000	3.0	48,000	Ton	180.00	8,640,000
Safflower	1980	11,400	1.2	13,700	Ton	280.00	3,836,000
	1979	11,000	.9	9,900	Ton	260.00	2,574,000
Wheat	1980	54,000	3.0	162,000	Ton	140.00	22,680,000
	1979	34,000	2.5	85,000	Ton	120.00	10,200,000
TOTAL	1980	343,530					\$94,442,000
	1979	325,450					62,876,000

NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA AND VALUE, 1979-80

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	TOTAL
Nursery	1980	670	\$18,670,000
	1979	600	17,742,000

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1979-80

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Asparagus	1980	631	1.2	757	Ton	820.00	\$ 621,000
	1979	476	1.6	762	Ton	850.00	648,000
Cabbage	1980	24	15.0	360	Ton	180.00	64,800
	1979	36	16.0	576	Ton	200.00	115,000
Lettuce, Head/Leaf	1980	60	7.0	420	Ton	480.00	202,000
	1979	65	8.0	520	Ton	460.00	239,000
Squash	1980	32	12.0	384	Ton	240.00	92,200
	1979	44	10.0	440	Ton	220.00	97,000
Tomatoes, Fresh	1980	20	26.0	520	Ton	440.00	229,000
	1979	23	25.0	575	Ton	300.00	172,000
Tomatoes, Processed	1980	8,560	29.0	248,000	Ton	47.60	11,805,000
	1979	7,200	25.0	180,000	Ton	56.50	10,170,000
Miscellaneous	1980	400					310,000
	1979	640					360,000
TOTAL	1980	9,727					\$13,324,000
	1979	8,484					11,801,000

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1979-80

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Clover, Ladino, Certified	1980	4,060	375.0	1,522,000	Lbs	1.40	\$2,131,000
	1979	6,000	280.0	1,680,000	Lbs	1.35	2,268,000
Oats	1980	400	1.2	480	Ton	150.00	72,000
	1979	300	.6	180	Ton	240.00	43,000
Rice	1980	1,970	3.0	5,910	Ton	240.00	1,418,000
	1979	1,300	3.0	3,900	Ton	230.00	897,000
Safflower	1980	---	---	---	---	---	---
	1979	600	1.8	1,080	Ton	285.00	308,000
Sudan, Certified	1980	1,130	2,600.0	2,938,000	Lbs	.14	411,000
	1979	1,670	2,400.0	4,008,000	Lbs	.095	381,000
Sudan, Hybrid	1980	270	3,100.0	837,000	Lbs	.16	134,000
	1979	500	3,300.0	1,650,000	Lbs	.12	198,000
Wheat	1980	1,550	2.9	4,500	Ton	150.00	675,000
	1979	1,400	2.8	3,920	Ton	170.00	666,000
Miscellaneous							
	1980	750					280,000
	1979	1,130					801,000
TOTAL	1980	10,130					\$5,121,000
	1979	12,900					5,562,000

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1979-80

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION	UNIT	VALUE	
				PER UNIT	TOTAL
Milk-Market	1980	2,583,000		12.60	\$32,546,000
	1979	2,474,000*	CWT	11.70	28,946,000
Milk Manufacturing	1980	164,000	CWT	12.00	1,968,000
	1979	121,000*	CWT	10.50	1,270,000
Wool	1980	128,000	Lb.	.80	102,000
	1979	135,000	Lb.	.79	107,000
Eggs-Market	1980	2,600,000	Doz	.49	1,274,000
	1979	2,720,000	Doz	.495	1,346,000
TOTAL	1980				35,890,000
	1979				31,669,000

\*REVISED FIGURES

APIARY PRODUCTS: VALUE 1979-80

ITEM	YEAR	TOTAL
Apiary Products*	1980	\$ 370,000
	1979	295,000

\*INCLUDES HONEY, WAX, PACKAGE BEES AND QUEENS

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1979-80

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION			VALUE	
		NO. OF HEAD	TOTAL LIVESTOCK	UNIT	PER UNIT	TOTAL
Cattle and Calves*	1980	53,200	393,000	Cwt	58.70	\$23,069,000
	1979	53,700	369,000	Cwt	66.20	24,428,000
Sheep and Lambs	1980	16,000	16,000	Cwt	63.00	1,008,000
	1979	13,000	13,000	Cwt	64.00	832,000
Hogs and Pigs	1980	2,600	5,200	Cwt	43.00	224,000
	1979	3,000	5,400	Cwt	45.00	243,000
Broilers and Fryers	1980	497,000	1,780,000	Lbs	.31	552,000
	1979	655,000	2,620,000	Lbs	.28	734,000
Other Chickens	1980	40,000	160,000	Lbs	.09	14,400
	1979	46,000	184,000	Lbs	.08	15,000
Replacement Pullets**	1980	670,000	---	Each	3.00	2,010,000
	1979	---	---	---	---	---
Other Livestock***	1980	---	---	---	---	1,135,000
	1979	---	---	---	---	1,925,000
TOTAL		1980				\$28,012,400
		1979				28,177,000

\*INCLUDES FEED LOT, BEEF AND DAIRY CATTLE.

\*\*PREVIOUSLY INCLUDED IN "OTHER LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS".

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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1979-80

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION			UNIT	VALUE	
		BEARING ACREAGE	PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Grapes, Wine	1980	3,350	8.0	26,800	Ton	210,000	\$ 5,628,000
	1979	3,200	7.0	22,400	Ton	220,000	4,928,000
Pears, Bartlett	1980	6,700	19.0	127,000	Ton	---	19,215,000
	1979	6,700	18.0	121,000	Ton	---	19,250,000
Processed	1980	---	---	111,000	Ton	145.00	(16,095,000)
	1979	---	---	109,000	Ton	154.00	(16,808,000)
Fresh	1980	---	---	16,000	Ton	195.00	( 3,120,000)
	1979	---	---	11,600	Ton	210.00	( 2,442,000)
Walnuts	1980	410	.9	369	Ton	950.00	351,000
	1979	430	.7	301	Ton	800.00	241,000
Miscellaneous	1980	340	---	---	---	---	166,000
	1979	300	---	---	---	---	259,000
TOTAL		1980	10,800				\$25,360,000
		1979	10,630				24,678,000

JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK

(In Number of Head)

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>JANUARY 1, 1980</u>	<u>JANUARY 1, 1981</u>
All Cattle and Calves*	125,000	129,000
Cows, Dairy	24,000	21,400
Cows, Beef	34,000	33,500
Stock Sheep and Lambs	14,000	16,000
Hogs	1,700	1,000

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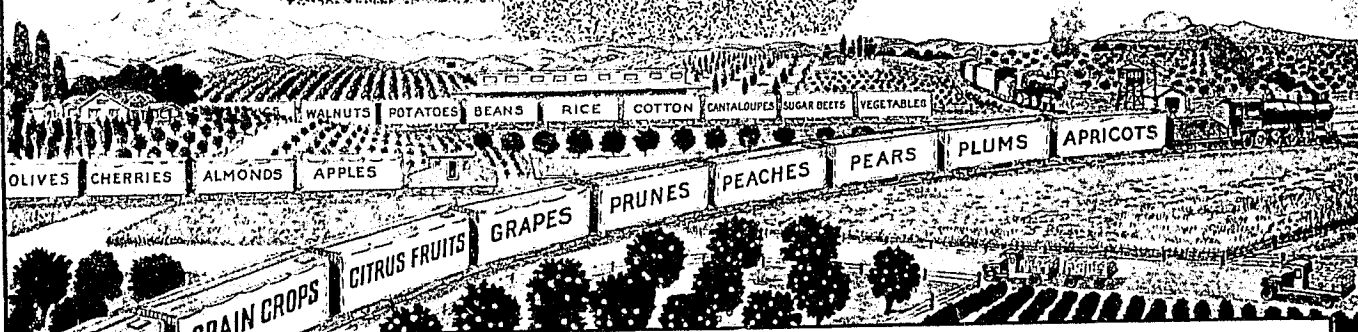
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**REPORT ALL INCOMING SHIPMENTS IMMEDIATELY TO YOUR COUNTY HORTICULTURAL COMMISSIONER**  
**STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

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COVER

This 1919 Poster was used to alert the public to the importance of obeying the plant quarantine laws that protect California Agriculture from unwanted pests. Sixty-one years later the importance of this message was driven home to the citizens of California when a massive eradication effort was launched against the Mediterranean Fruit Fly.

Agriculture continues to be vital to the economy of California, however, today there are more people and more efficient means of transportation to move agricultural pests. Obeying California's plant quarantine laws is, therefore, even more important today than in 1919.



# COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO

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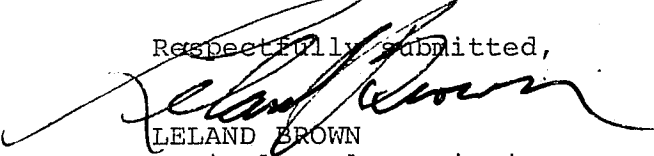
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With the exception of rice and wheat, the acres grown and the production per acre did not change substantially. Acres devoted to rice and production per acres both increased by 16%. Thus, even with the estimated 15% lower price, the total value increased by \$2,000,000 over the previous year. It is noted, however, that the rice crop remains essentially unsold, so the estimated value of of \$190 per ton may be overly optimistic. Wheat acreage increased by 17%, offsetting the 4% lower price and 7% lower production per acre resulting in a total value increase of 4.8%.

Depressed beef prices (down 15% from 1979) has caused cattlemen to reduce their beef herds, thus increasing the number of cattle going to market. Therefore, although beef prices are down, the total value of cattle and calves sold was up slightly from 1980.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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6.	RICE	14,706,000
7.	TOMATOES	10,644,000
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Rice	1981	21,500	3.6	77,400	Ton	190.00	14,706,000
	1980	18,200	3.1	56,400	Ton	225.00	12,694,000
Safflower	1981	6,700	1.5	10,000	Ton	342.00	3,420,000
	1980	11,400	1.2	13,700	Ton	280.00	3,836,000
Wheat	1981	63,000	2.8	176,000	Ton	135.00	23,760,000
	1980	54,000	3.0	162,000	Ton	140.00	22,680,000

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1980-81

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Misc. Field	1981	200				\$	140,000
TOTAL	1981	338,950				\$	85,823,000
	1980	343,530					94,442,000

NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA AND VALUE, 1980-81

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	TOTAL
Nursery	1981	600	\$17,420,000
	1980	670	18,670,000

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1980-81

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	PRODUCTION	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Asparagus	1981	1,300	1.5	1,950	Ton	800.00	\$ 1,560,000
	1980	631	1.2	757	Ton	820.00	621,000
Cabbage	1981	29	15.0	435	Ton	200.00	87,000
	1980	24	15.0	360	Ton	180.00	64,800
Lettuce, Head/Leaf	1981	41	5.0	205	Ton	519.00	106,000
	1980	60	7.0	420	Ton	480.00	202,000
Squash	1981	29	12.0	348	Ton	250.00	87,000
	1980	32	12.0	384	Ton	240.00	92,200
Tomatoes, Fresh	1981	30	25.0	750	Ton	420.00	315,000
	1980	20	26.0	520	Ton	440.00	229,000
Tomatoes, Processed	1981	7,800	26.5	207,000	Ton	49.90	10,329,000
	1980	8,560	29.0	248,000	Ton	47.60	11,805,000
Miscellaneous	1981	440					352,000
	1980	400					310,000
TOTAL	1981	9,669					\$12,836,000
	1980	9,727					13,324,000

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1980-81

ITEM	YEAR	HARVESTED ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Clover, Ladino Certified	1981	2,760	340.0	938,000	Lbs.	1.50	1,407,000
	1980	4,060	375.0	1,522,000	Lbs.	1.40	2,131,000
Oats	1981	600	1.3	780	Lbs.	220.00	172,000
	1980	400	1.2	480	Ton	150.00	72,000
Rice	1981	1,900	3.1	5,890	Ton	260.00	1,531,000
	1980	1,970	3.0	5,910	Ton	240.00	1,418,000
Sudan Certified	1981	1,570	2,650.0	4,160,000	Lbs.	.17	707,000
	1980	1,130	2,600.0	2,938,000	Lbs.	.14	411,000
Sudan Hybrid	1981	1,110	3,400.0	3,774,000	Lbs.	.18	679,000
	1980	270	3,100.0	837,000	Lbs.	.16	134,000
Wheat	1981	1,920	2.8	5,380	Ton	150.00	807,000
	1980	1,550	2.9	4,500	Ton	150.00	675,000
Miscellaneous	1981	780					449,000
	1980	750					280,000
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TOTAL	1981	10,640					5,752,000
	1980	10,130					5,121,000

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1980-81

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION	UNIT	VALUE	
				PER UNIT	TOTAL
Milk-Market	1981	2,651,000	CWT	13.40	\$35,523,000
	*1980	2,561,000	CWT	12.90	33,037,000
Milk Manufacturing	1981	180,000	CWT	12.60	2,268,000
	*1980	160,000	CWT	11.80	1,888,000
Wool	1981	120,000	Lbs.	.90	108,000
	1980	128,000	Lbs.	.80	102,000
Eggs, Market	1981	2,324,000	Doz.	.55	1,278,000
	1980	2,600,000	Doz.	.49	1,274,000
TOTAL	1981				\$39,177,000
	1980				36,301,000

APIARY PRODUCTS: VALUE, 1980-81

ITEM	YEAR	TOTAL
Apiary Products **	1981	\$ 347,000
	1980	370,000

\* REVISED

\*\* INCLUDES HONEY, WAX, PACKAGE BEES AND QUEENS.

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1980-81

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
		NO. OF HEAD	TOTAL LIVEWEIGHT		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Cattle and Calves*	1981	57,700	419,000	CWT	56.50	\$23,674,000
	1980	53,200	393,000	CWT	58.70	23,069,000
Sheep and Lambs	1981	12,000	12,000	CWT	56.00	672,000
	1980	16,000	16,000	CWT	63.00	1,008,000
Hogs and Pigs	1981	1,400	2,800	CWT	47.80	134,000
	1980	2,600	5,200	CWT	43.00	224,000
Broilers and Fryers	1981	840,000	2,940,000	Lbs.	.34	1,000,000
	1980	497,000	1,780,000	Lbs.	.31	552,000
Other Chickens	1981	36,000	136,000	Lbs.	.11	15,000
	1980	40,000	160,000	Lbs.	.09	14,400
Replacement Pullets	1981	556,000		Each	3.50	1,946,000
	1980	670,000		Each	3.00	2,010,000
Other Livestock**	1981					1,000,000
	1980					1,135,000
TOTAL	1981					28,441,000
	1980					28,012,400

JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK

(In Number of Head)

ITEM	JANUARY, 1981	JANUARY, 1982
All Cattle and Calves*	129,000	125,000
Cows, Dairy	21,400	21,600
Cows, Beef	33,500	37,000
Stock Sheep and Lambs	16,000	10,000
Hogs	1,000	1,200

\* Includes cattle in feedlots being finished for slaughter.

\*\* Includes turkeys, rabbits and hatchery.

FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1980-81

ITEM	YEAR	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
			PER ACRE	TOTAL		PER UNIT	TOTAL
Grapes, Wine	1981	3,350	7.0	23,400	Ton	224.00	\$ 5,242,000
	1980	3,350	8.0	26,800	Ton	210.00	5,628,000
Pears - Bartlett	1981	6,780	18.6	126,300	Ton		17,415,000
	1980	6,700	19.0	127,000	Ton		19,215,000
Processed	1981			112,000	Ton	138.00	(15,456,000)
	1980			111,000	Ton	145.00	(16,095,000)
Fresh	1981			14,300	Ton	137.00	( 1,959,000)
	1980			16,000	Ton	195.00	( 3,120,000)
Walnuts	1981	410	1.0	410	Ton	1,000.00	410,000
	1980	410	.9	369	Ton	950.00	351,000
Miscellaneous	1981	260					206,000
	1980	340					166,000
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TOTAL	1981	10,800					23,273,000
	1980	10,800					\$25,360,000