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Agricultural Commissioners' Crop Reports

# Solano County

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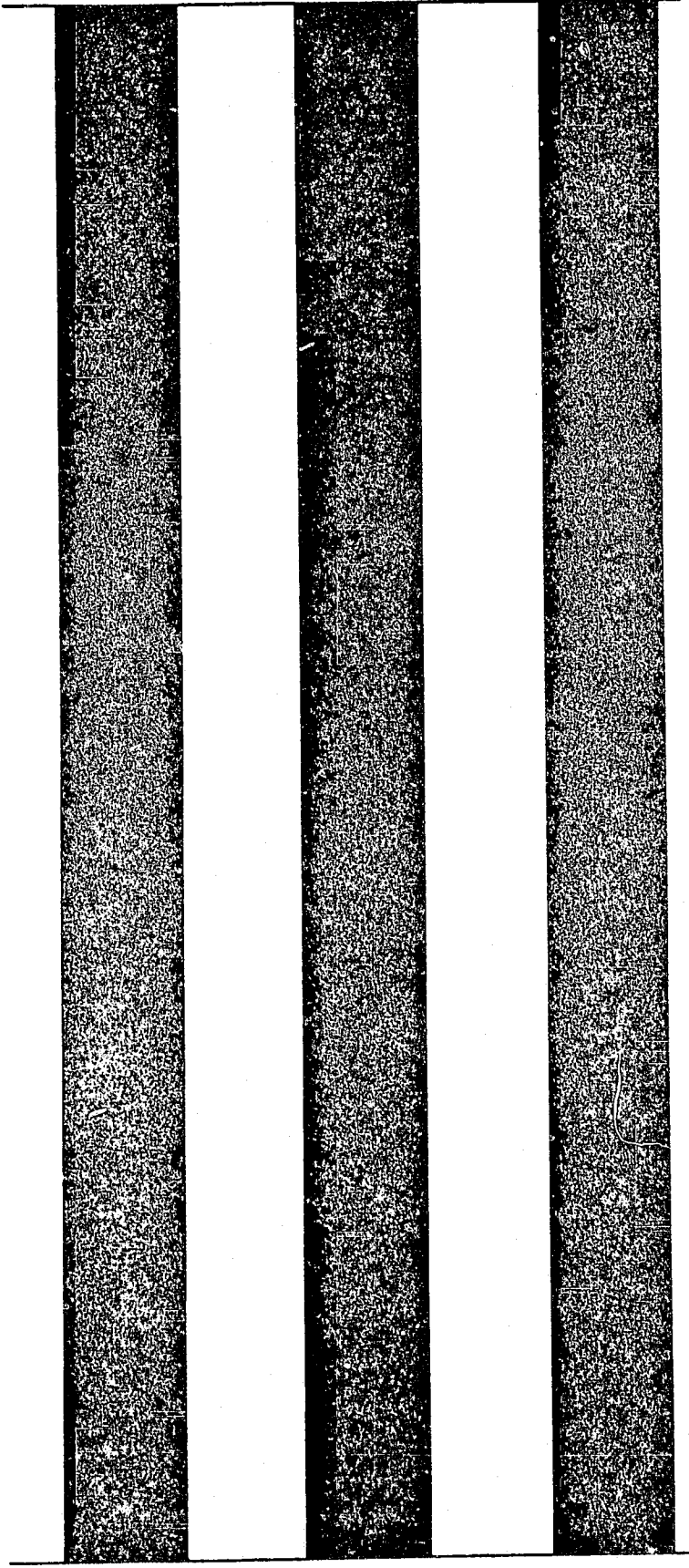
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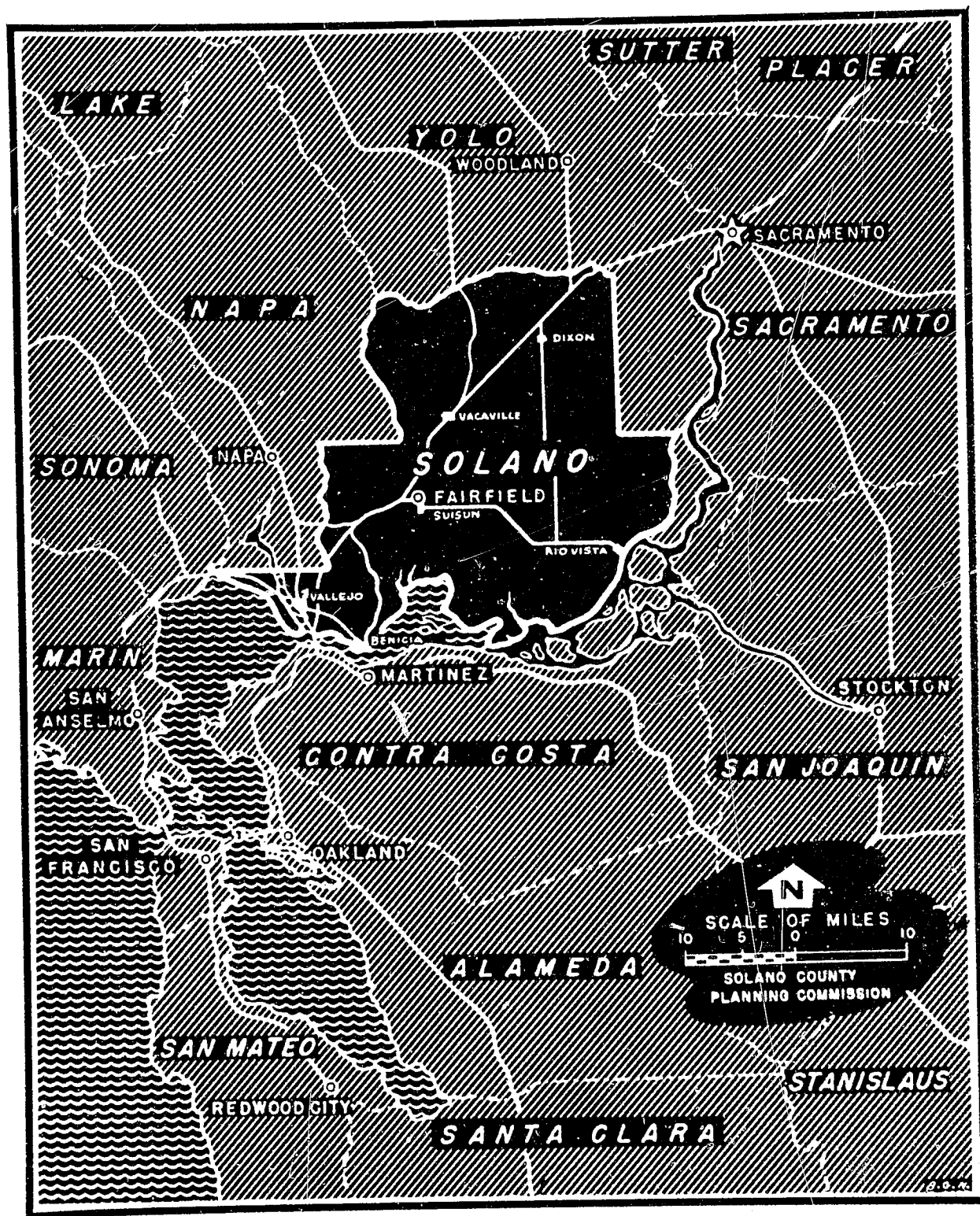
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# Agricultural Crop Report

## 1949



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GEO. A. POHL  
AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER

A N N U A L   C R O P   R E P O R T

For

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1949

A. A. BROCK - STATE DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE

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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL VALUE F.O.B. FARM
Almonds	1,893	947 Tons	\$258.00	\$ 244,326
Apples	6	30 Tons	50.00	1,500
Apricots				
Shipped		2,897 Tons	80.00	\$231,760
Canned	3,954	1,134 Tons	40.00	45,360
Dried		* 434 Tons	500.00	<u>217,000</u>
				494,120
Cherries				
Shipped		639 Tons	200.00	127,800
Canned	313	160 Tons	140.00	<u>22,400</u>
				150,200
Figs	167	* 58 Tons	160.00	9,280
Grapes	782	2,390 Tons	38.50	111,235
Olives	15	15 Tons	150.00	2,250
Peaches				
Shipped		1,405 Tons	60.00	84,300
(Free)				
Canned	2,912	2,964 Tons	40.00	118,560
Dried		*2,574 Tons	280.00	<u>720,720</u>
				923,580
Pears				
Shipped		4,420 Tons	16.00	70,720
Canned	2,627	9,230 Tons	32.00	295,360
Dried		* 332 Tons	270.00	<u>89,640</u>
				455,720
Plums	680	480 Tons	40.00	19,200
Prunes	4,009	*4,400 Tons	160.00	704,000
Walnuts	526	315 Tons	300.00	94,500
TOTAL	18,671			\$3,209,941

TRUCK CROPS

Asparagus	857	428,500 lbs.	\$ .135	\$ 57,847
Onions	180	3,240 Tons	18.00	123,120
Peas	568	85,200 Tubs	1.00	85,200
Tomatoes				
Canned		42,000 Tons	22.50	\$948,000
Shipped	2,800	211,000 Crts.	2.00	<u>422,000</u>
				1,370,000
Misc. Vegetables	205			41,000
TOTAL	4,610			\$1,677,167

SEED CROPS

Alfalfa	Buffalo	200	40 Tons	1,460.00	\$56,000
Alfalfa	Common	15	3 Tons	720.00	2,160
Beans	Green	26	13 Tons	200.00	2,600
Peas		124	23 Tons	200.00	4,600
Vetch		228	140 Tons	180.00	25,200
TOTAL		593			\$90,560

\* Dry Tons



# FIELD CROPS

KIND	ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL VALUE F.O.B. FARM
Alfalfa	5,810	34,860 Tons	\$22.00	\$ 766,920
Barley	47,900	40,715 Tons	48.50	1,974,677
Beans Baby Lima	2,552	2,353 Tons	140.00	\$329,420
Cranberry	200	150 Tons	150.00	22,500
Pinto & Pink	235	23 Tons	130.00	2,990
Corn Milo	7,457	13,644 Tons	52.50	354,910
Oats	12,670	11,173 Tons	60.00	716,310
Rice	320	608 Tons	70.00	670,380
Sugar Beets	10,280	195,320 Tons	13.00	42,560
Wheat	13,488	14,500 Tons	63.00	2,539,160
Hay Grain	15,704	15,704 Tons	18.00	986,000
Permanent Pasture	10,800		50.00	282,672
				540,000
TOTAL	127,416			\$8,873,589

# ANIMAL PRODUCTION

Beef Cattle*	47,268 Head			\$2,625,350
Bees Honey	81 Tons	\$160.00	\$ 12,960	
Wax	3 Tons	660.00	1,980	
Queens	400	1.00	400	
Packages	900	3.50	3,150	18,490
Poultry Eggs	1,326,000 Doz.	.45	596,700	
Hens	214,200 Lbs.	.16	34,272	
Meat	351,000 Lbs.	.26	91,260	722,232
Dairy Mkt. Milk Fat	1,025,000 Lbs.	1.19	1,219,750	
Mfg. Milk Fat	247,000 Lbs.	.75	185,250	
Veal & Meat	4,000 Head		250,000	1,655,000
Sheep Lambs Raised	74,375 Head	20.40	1,517,250	
Lambs Fed	112,000 Head	**5.76	645,120	
Wool	1,054,000 Lbs.	.42	442,680	2,605,050
Swine	9,950 Head	40.00	398,000	
Turkeys	22,400 Birds	6.60	147,840	
Misc.: Squabs, Rabbits, etc.			45,000	
TOTAL				\$8,216,962

\* Includes imported feeders and gain in value  
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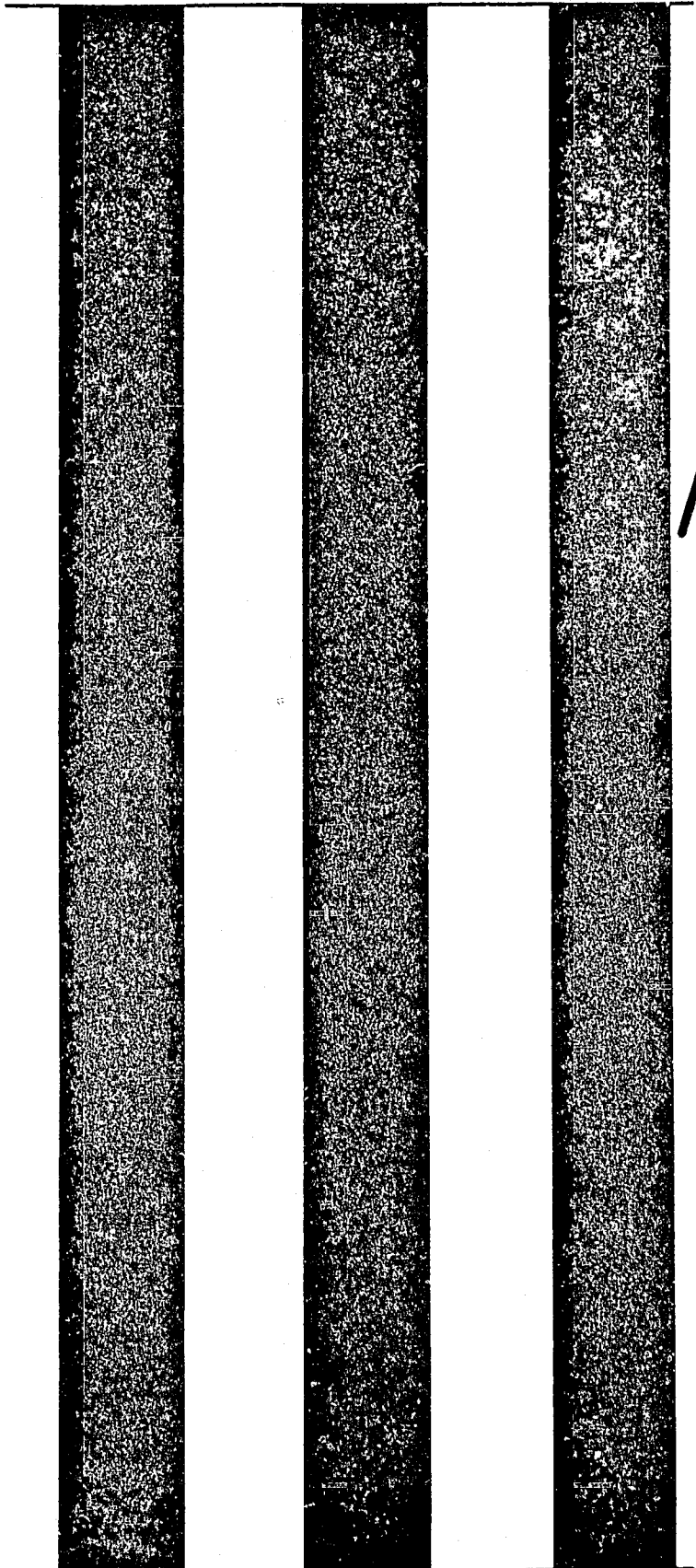
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Total Value of Truck Crops	1,677,167
Total Value of Seed Crops	90,560
Total Value of Field Crops	8,873,589
Total Value of Animal Production	8,216,962
TOTAL VALUE ALL AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	\$22,068,218

## CLASSIFICATION OF ACREAGES SOLANO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

Fruit & Nut Crops *	20,054 Acres
Truck & Seed Crops	5,203 Acres
Field Crops	127,416 Acres
Pasture & Fallow Land	259,174 Acres
Urban & Other	65,153 Acres
Marsh Land	52,000 Acres
Brush	15,000 Acres
Water	39,040 Acres
TOTAL AREA, 911 SQUARE MILES	583,040 Acres

\* Includes Non-bearing Acreages

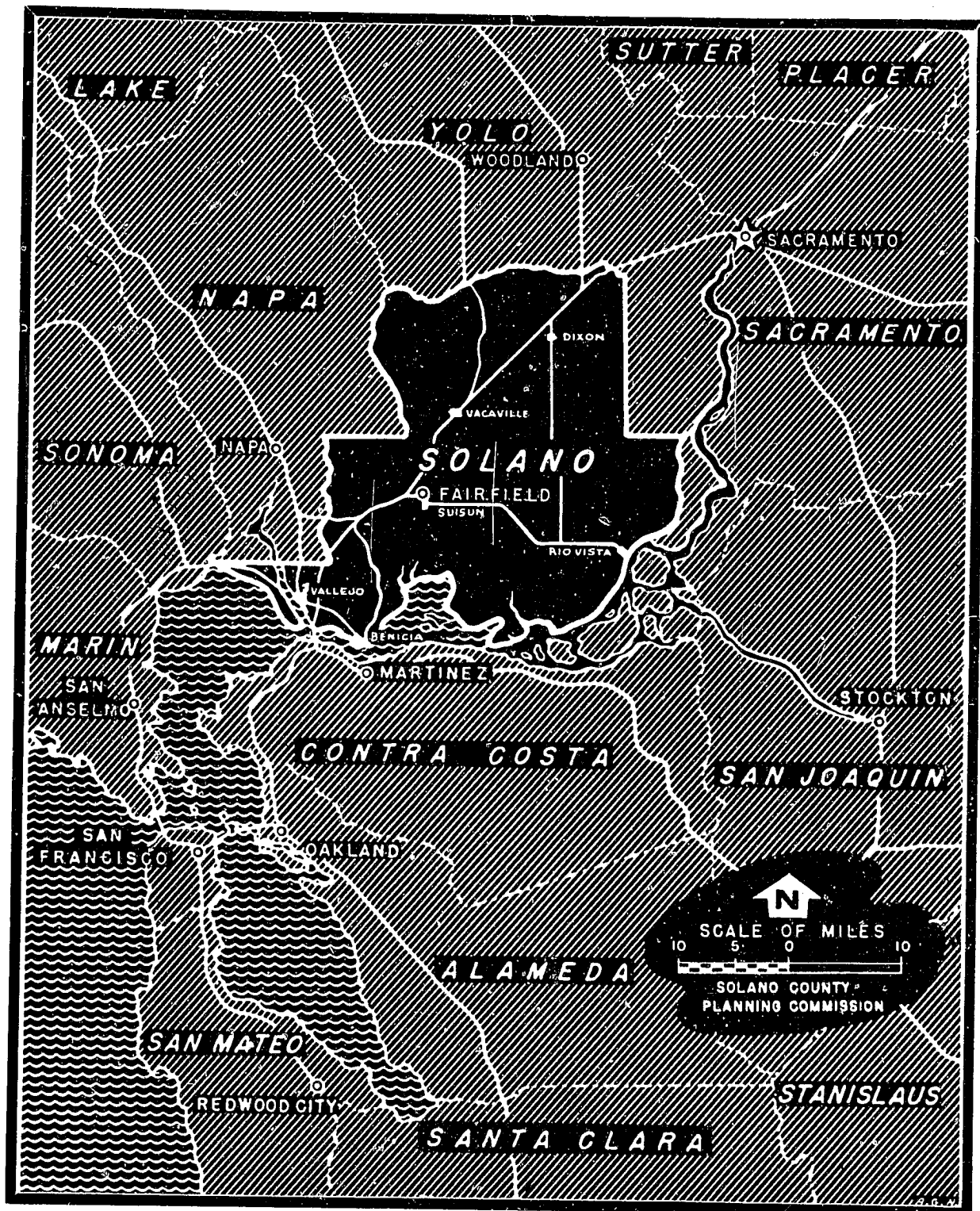
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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE		TOTAL VALUE F.O.B. FARM
Almonds	1,931	1,870 Tons	520.00		972,400
Apples	6	25 Tons	80.00		2,000
Apricots	3,899				
Shipped		5,375 Tons	120.00	645,000	
Canned		4,190 Tons	65.00	272,350	
Dried		915 Tons	600.00	<u>549,000</u>	
					1,466,350
Cherries	324				
Shipped		488 Tons	400.00	195,200	
Canned		163 Tons	210.00	<u>34,230</u>	
					229,430
Figs	137	*108 Tons	190.00		20,520
Grapes-All	730	2,321 Tons	80.00		185,680
Olives	15	15 Tons	160.00		2,400
Peaches	2,991				
Shipped		635 Tons	80.00	50,800	
Canned		8,100 Tons	60.00	486,000	
Dried		*1,387 Tons	420.00	<u>582,540</u>	
					1,119,340
Pears	2,610				
Shipped		4,260 Tons	75.00	319,500	
Canned		13,100 Tons	70.00	917,000	
Dried		*210 Tons	420.00	<u>88,200</u>	
					1,324,700
Plums	651				
Shipped		66,088 Crts	1.40	92,523	
Canned		150 Tons	40.00	<u>6,000</u>	
					98,523
Prunes	3,908	4,861 Tons	245.00		1,199,190
Walnuts	542	550 Tons	350.00		192,500
Totals	17,744				\$6,813,033

TRUCK CROPS

Asparagus	801	1,200 Tons	200.00		240,000
Cucumbers	80	720 Tons	70.00		50,400
Lettuce	30	4,081 Crts	2.50		10,202
Onions	245	4,410 Tons	33.00		145,530
Peas	725	90,650 Tubs	.25		22,662
Peppers	88	528 Tons	50.00		26,400
Tomatoes	3,220				
Canned		40,800 Tons	22.50	918,000	
Shipped		264,780 Crts	2.60	<u>688,428</u>	
					1,606,428
Misc. veg.	235		200.00		47,000
Totals	5,424				\$2,148,623

# FIELD CROPS

KIND	ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL VALUE F.O.B. FARM
Alfalfa	6,453	38,718 Tons	18.00	696,924
Barley	46,500	37,200 Tons	49.00	1,828,800
Beans -Baby Lima	1,772	1,595 Tons	134.00	213,730
Corn -Milo	8,650	15,160 Tons	52.00	788,320
Oats	9,800	8,700 Tons	55.00	478,500
Rice	200	350 Tons	70.00	24,500
Sugar Beets	12,883	283,426 Tons	12.50	3,542,825
Wheat	16,262	17,880 Tons	68.00	1,215,840
Hay -Grain	12,600	16,000 Tons	20.00	320,000
Permanent Pasture	12,145		50.00	607,250
Sudan Grass	650		50.00	32,500
Total	127,915			\$9,749,189

# ANIMAL PRODUCTION

KIND	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL VALUE F.O.B. FARM
Beef Cattle	*51,860 Head		3,783,700.00
Bees Honey (8,010 hives)	87 Tons	180.00	15,660
Wax	3 Tons	860.00	2,580
Packages	750	3.50	2,625
Pollenization	2,500 Hives	2.50	6,250
			27,115.00
Poultry Eggs	1,432,000 Doz.	.36	515,520
Hens & Fryers	438,960 Lbs.	.225	98,766
			614,286.00
Dairy Mkt. Milk Fat	996,000 Lbs.		1,104,000
Mfg. Milk Fat	225,000 Lbs.		176,000
Veal & Meat	4,150 Head		275,000
			1,555,000.00
Sheep Lambs Raised	97,250 Head	22.50	2,188,125
Lambs Finished	122,000 Head	**6.75	823,500
Wool	1,153,560 Lbs.	.50	576,780
			3,588,405.00
Swine	12,360 Head	37.50	463,500.00
Turkeys	30,250 Birds	5.75	173,937.50
Misc.: Squabs, Rabbits, Horses, etc.			96,500.00
Total			\$10,302,443.50

\* Includes imported feeders and gain in value  
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## SEED CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL VALUE F.O.B. FAPM
Alfalfa - Certified	475	880 Cwt.	60.00	52,800
Alfalfa	563	4,750 Cwt.	22.00	104,500
Barley - Certified	102	5,528 Cwt.	3.50	19,348
Clover - Certified	60	130 Cwt.	150.00	19,500
Clover	320	480 Cwt.	100.00	48,000
Wheat - Certified	325	6,000 Cwt.	4.20	25,200
Totals	1,845			\$269,348

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## SUMMARY

TOTAL VALUE	1949	1950
Fruit and Nut Crops	3,209,941	6,813,033.00
Truck Crops	1,677,167	2,148,623.00
Seed Crops	90,560	269,348.00
Field Crops	8,873,589	9,749,189.00
Animal Production	8,216,962	10,302,443.50
Totals	\$22,068,218	\$29,282,636.50

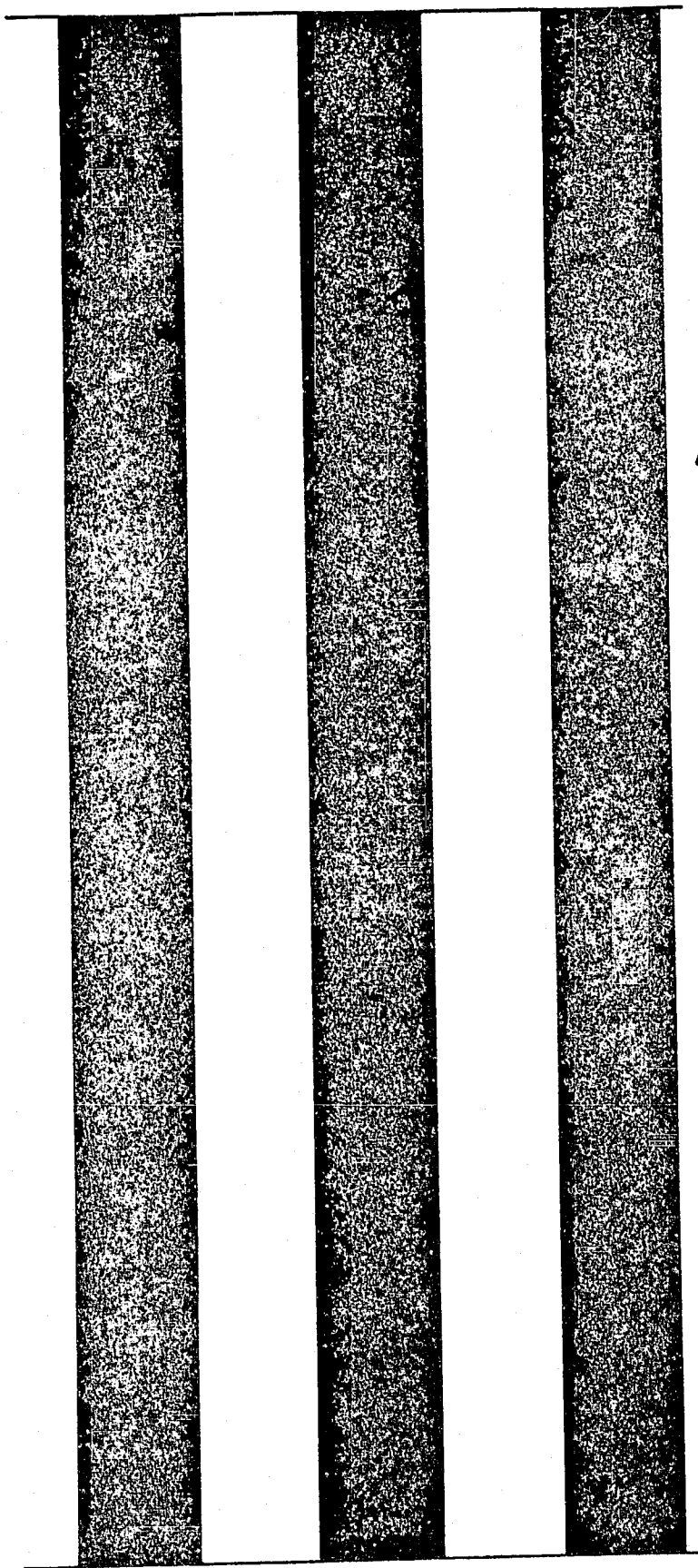
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Truck and Seed Crops	7,269
Field Crops	127,915
Pasture and Fallow Land	256,800
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Marsh Land	52,000
Brush	15,000
Water	39,040

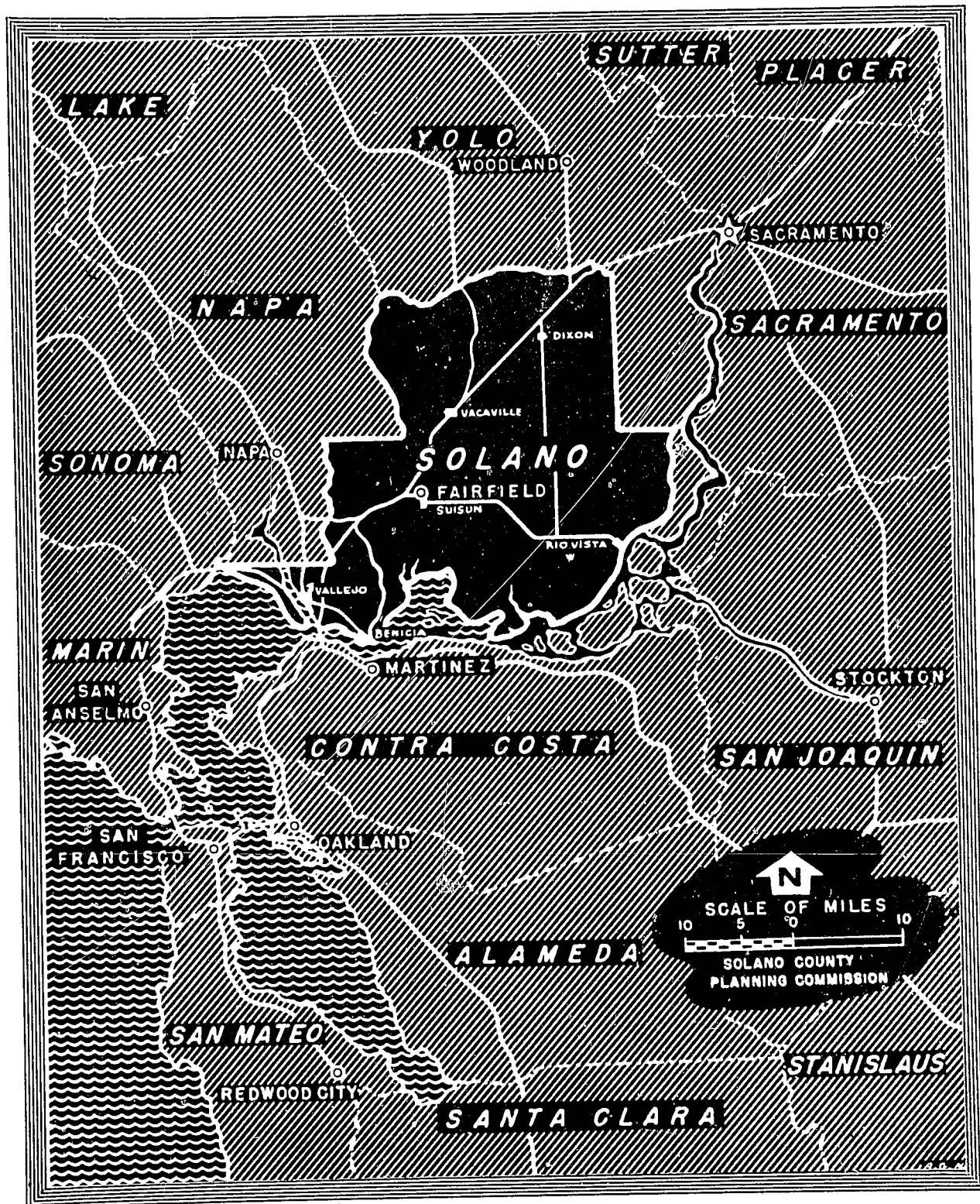
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ANNUAL CROP REPORT

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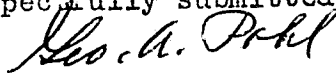
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Almonds	1,935	1,420 Tons	500.00	710,000
Apples	6	22 Tons	90.00	1,980
Apricots	3,921			
Shipped		3,813 Tons	120.00	457,560
Canned		7,270 Tons	105.00	763,350
Dried		* 193 Tons	600.00	<u>115,800</u>
				1,336,710
Cherries	325			
Shipped		425 Tons	440.00	187,000
Canned		180 Tons	320.00	<u>57,600</u>
				244,600
Figs	133	120 Tons	190.00	22,800
Grapes	748	3,450 Tons	55.00	189,750
Olives	15	15 Tons	15.00	2,250
Peaches	3,000			
Shipped		763 Tons	82.00	62,576
Canned		9,377 Tons	62.00	581,374
Dried		* 1,822 Tons	300.00	<u>546,600</u>
				1,190,550
Pears	2,605			
Shipped		1,800 Tons	105.00	189,000
Canned		14,650 Tons	100.00	1,465,000
Dried		* 300 Tons	350.00	<u>105,000</u>
				1,759,000
Plums	654	975 Tons	100.00	97,500
Prunes	3,938	* 6,476 Tons	170.00	1,100,920
Walnuts	549	495 Tons	400.00	198,000
Totals	17,829			\$6,854,060
* Dry tons				

TRUCK CROPS

Asparagus	752	1,130 Tons	250.00	282,500
Cucumbers	182	1,010 Tons	60.00	60,600
Onions	166	3,875 Tons	35.00	135,625
Peas	200	20,000 Tubs	1.50	30,000
Fordhook Lima	600	150 Tons	150.00	22,500
Tomatoes	6,170			
Canned		94,000 Tons	30.00	2,820,000
Shipped		253,780 Crts	2.30	<u>538,694</u>
				3,358,694
Misc. veg.	300		250.00	75,000
Totals	8,370			\$4,389,919

# FIELD CROPS

KIND	ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE
Alfalfa	7,730	42,500 Tons	\$ 30.00	\$1,275,000
Barley	32,500	19,250 Tons	60.00	1,155,000
Beans Baby Lima	1,200	1,200 Tons	124.00	148,800
Pink	280	230 Tons	160.00	36,800
Cranberry	51	76 Tons	220.00	16,720
Blackeye	58	40 Tons	180.00	12,200
Field Corn	720	2,260 Tons	70.00	158,200
Oats	8,200	6,900 Tons	68.00	469,200
Sugar Beets	9,960	189,240 Tons	13.50	2,554,740
Wheat	11,380	10,680 Tons	74.00	790,320
Hay, Grain & Other	18,500	23,000 Tons	28.00	644,000
Permanent Pasture	14,900		50.00	745,000
Milo	9,300	18,600 Tons	67.00	1,246,200
Safflower	380	95 Tons	100.00	9,500
Totals	115,159			\$9,261,680

# ANIMAL PRODUCTION

KIND	PRODUCTION			
Beef Cattle	Raised 3,200 Head	200.00	640,000	
	Feeders *45,670 Head	90.00	<u>4,110,300</u>	\$4,750,300
Bees	Honey (7,896 hives) 105 Tons	200.00	21,000	
	Wax 4 Tons	960.00	3,840	
	Packages 1,300	3.50	4,550	
	Queens 550	1.00	550	
	Pollenization 5,500 Col.	3.00	<u>16,500</u>	46,440
Poultry	Eggs 660,000 Doz.	.51	336,600	
	Meat 255,000 lbs.	.25	<u>63,750</u>	400,350
Dairy	Mkt. Milk Fat 954,000 lbs.	1.29	1,230,660	
	Mfg. Milk Fat 201,000 lbs.	1.00	201,000	
	Veal & Meat 4,000 Head	90.00	<u>360,000</u>	1,791,660
Sheep	Lambs Raised 90,000 Head	26.00	2,440,000	
	Lambs Feeders *140,000 Head	7.00	980,000	
	Wool 1,220,000 lbs.	.60	<u>732,000</u>	4,152,000
Swine	8,400 Head	40.00		336,000
Turkeys	20,500	7.20		147,600
Misc.: Squabs, Rabbits, etc.				121,000
Total				\$11,745,350

\* Gain in value in Solano County

# SEED CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	VALUE
Alfalfa - Certified	715	1,220 Cwt.	\$ 56	\$ 68,320
Barley - Certified	8	156 Cwt.	4	624
Clover - Certified	42	230 Cwt.	150	34,500
Clover	650	1,180 Cwt.	110	129,800
Tift Sudan - Certified	130	3,500 Cwt.	12	42,000
Wheat - Certified	35	746 Cwt.	5	3,730
Vetch	90	373 Cwt.	8	2,984
Totals	1,550			\$281,958

# SUMMARY

TOTAL VALUE	1949	1950	1951
Fruit & Nut Crops	\$ 3,209,941	\$ 6,813,033	\$ 6,854,060
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Seed Crops	90,580	269,348	281,958
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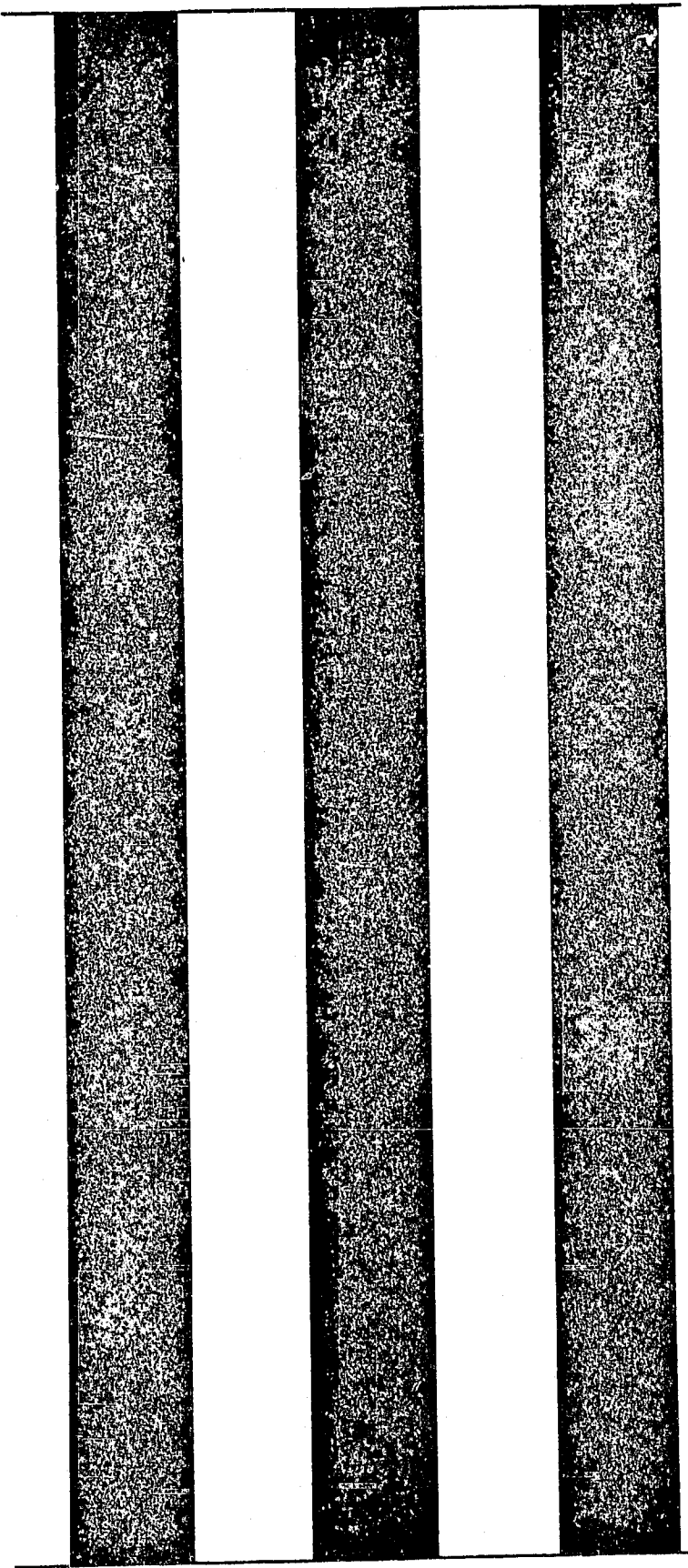
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Brush	15,000
Water	39,040

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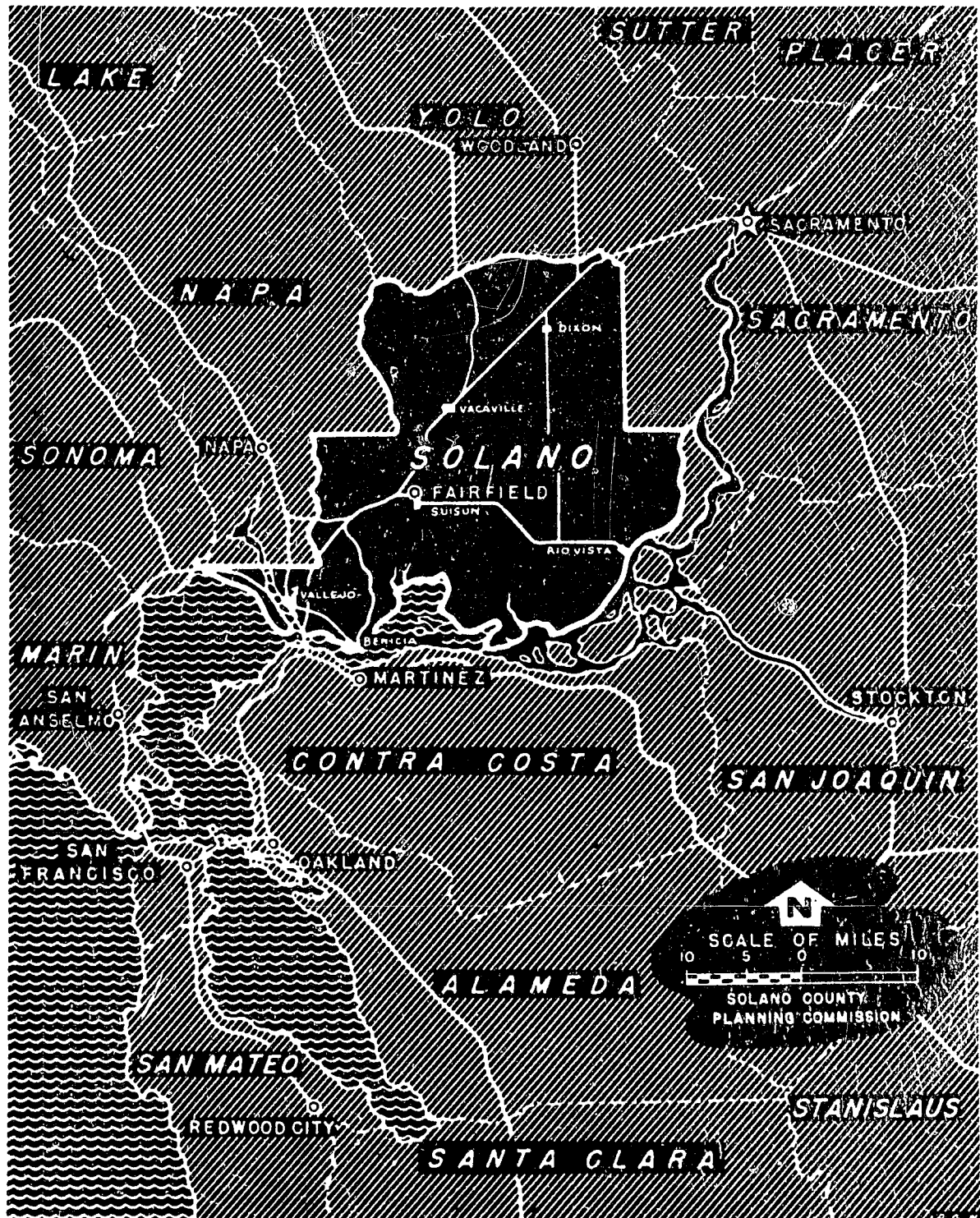
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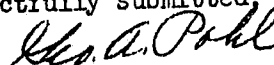
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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE		TOTAL VALUE F.O.B. FARM
Almonds	1,970	995 Tons	\$480		\$ 477,600
Apricots	4,012				
Shipped		2,651 Tons	110	\$291,610	
Canned		5,044 Tons	95	479,180	
Dried		* 712 Tons	700	<u>498,400</u>	
					1,269,190
Cherries	320				
Shipped		600 Tons	280	168,000	
Canned		120 Tons	160	<u>19,200</u>	
					187,200
Figs	141	* 250 Tons	100		25,000
Grapes	748	2,800 Tons	35		98,000
Peaches	2,981				
Shipped		470 Tons	60	28,200	
Canned		8,835 Tons	50	441,750	
Dried		* 1,900 Tons	380	<u>722,000</u>	
					1,191,950
Pears	2,603				
Shipped		4,800 Tons	40	192,000	
Canned		19,200 Tons	45	864,000	
Dried		* 260 Tons	400	<u>104,000</u>	
					1,160,000
Plums	657	625 Tons	200		125,000
Prunes	4,005	* 4,930 Tons	240		1,183,200
Walnuts	564	430 Tons	420		180,600
Misc: Apples, Quince, Olives, etc.	40		150 A		6,000
Totals	18,041				\$5,903,740

\* Dry Tons

TRUCK CROPS

Lettuce	42	5,800 Crts.	\$ 2.50		\$ 14,500
Asparagus	592	900 Tons	240.00		216,000
Cucumbers	164	984 Tons	60.00		59,040
Onions	294	5,145 Tons	40.00		205,800
Peas	200	36,000 Hampers	2.00		72,000
Broccoli	32	60 Tons	140.00		8,400
Tomatoes	5,685				
Canned		97,900 Tons	25.00	\$2,447,500	
Shipped		177,000 Lugs	2.50	<u>442,500</u>	
					2,890,000
Misc. veg.	270		250.00 A		67,500
Totals	7,279				\$3,533,240

# FIELD CROPS

KIND	ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE
Alfalfa	8,480	50,880 Tons	\$ 33.00	\$1,679,040
Barley	39,000	29,250 Tons	62.00	1,813,500
Beans - Baby Lima	775	695 Tons	130.00	90,350
Pink	370	280 Tons	175.00	49,000
Cranberry	87	65 Tons	220.00	14,300
Blackeye	150	105 Tons	280.00	29,400
Field Corn	1,200	3,360 Tons	70.00	235,200
Oats	9,500	7,100 Tons	68.00	482,800
Sugar Beets	12,503	250,160 Tons	13.75	3,439,700
Wheat	19,000	15,000 Tons	72.00	1,080,000
Hay, Grain & Other	16,400	20,500 Tons	25.00	512,500
Permanent Pasture	16,150		50.00	807,500
Milo	9,150	18,300 Tons	68.00	1,244,400
Safflower	1,415	762 Tons	95.00	72,390
Totals	134,180			\$11,550,080

# ANIMAL PRODUCTION

KIND	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE
Beef Cattle - Raised	3,650 Head	\$170.00	\$620,500
Feeders	* 46,100 Head	67.50	<u>3,111,750</u>
			\$ 3,732,250
Bees - Honey (8,648 hives)	85 Tons	200.00	17,000
Wax	4 Tons	800.00	3,200
Packages	1,400	3.50	4,900
Queens	550	1.00	550
Pollenization	5,500 Col.	2.50	<u>13,750</u>
			39,400
Poultry - Eggs	850,000 Doz.	.47	399,500
Meat	846,000 lbs.	.28	<u>236,880</u>
			636,380
Dairy - Mkt. Milk Fat	930,000 lbs.	1.40	1,302,000
Mfg. Milk Fat	217,000 lbs.	1.13	245,210
Veal & Meat	4,100 Head	85.00	<u>348,500</u>
			1,895,710
Sheep - Lambs Raised	92,000 Head	23.40	2,152,800
Lambs Feeders	* 139,000 Head	5.20	722,800
Wool	1,200,000 lbs.	.50	<u>600,000</u>
			3,475,600
Swine	6,650 Head	38.00	252,700
Turkeys	42,900	5.10	218,790
Misc: Squabs, Rabbits, etc.			<u>120,000</u>
Total			\$10,370,830

\* Gain in value in Solano County

# SEED CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	VALUE
Alfalfa - Certified	602	3,741 Cwt.	\$43.00	\$160,863
Barley - Certified	88	2,381 Cwt.	4.75	11,310
Peas	75	2,100 Cwt.	6.50	13,650
Clover	420	840 Cwt.	90.00	75,600
Beets	10	35 Cwt.	18.00	630
Wheat - Certified	20	396 Cwt.	5.00	1,980
Carrots	10	50 Cwt.	33.00	1,650
Ryer Milo 15	171	9,140 Cwt.	5.00	45,700
Totals	1,396			\$311,383

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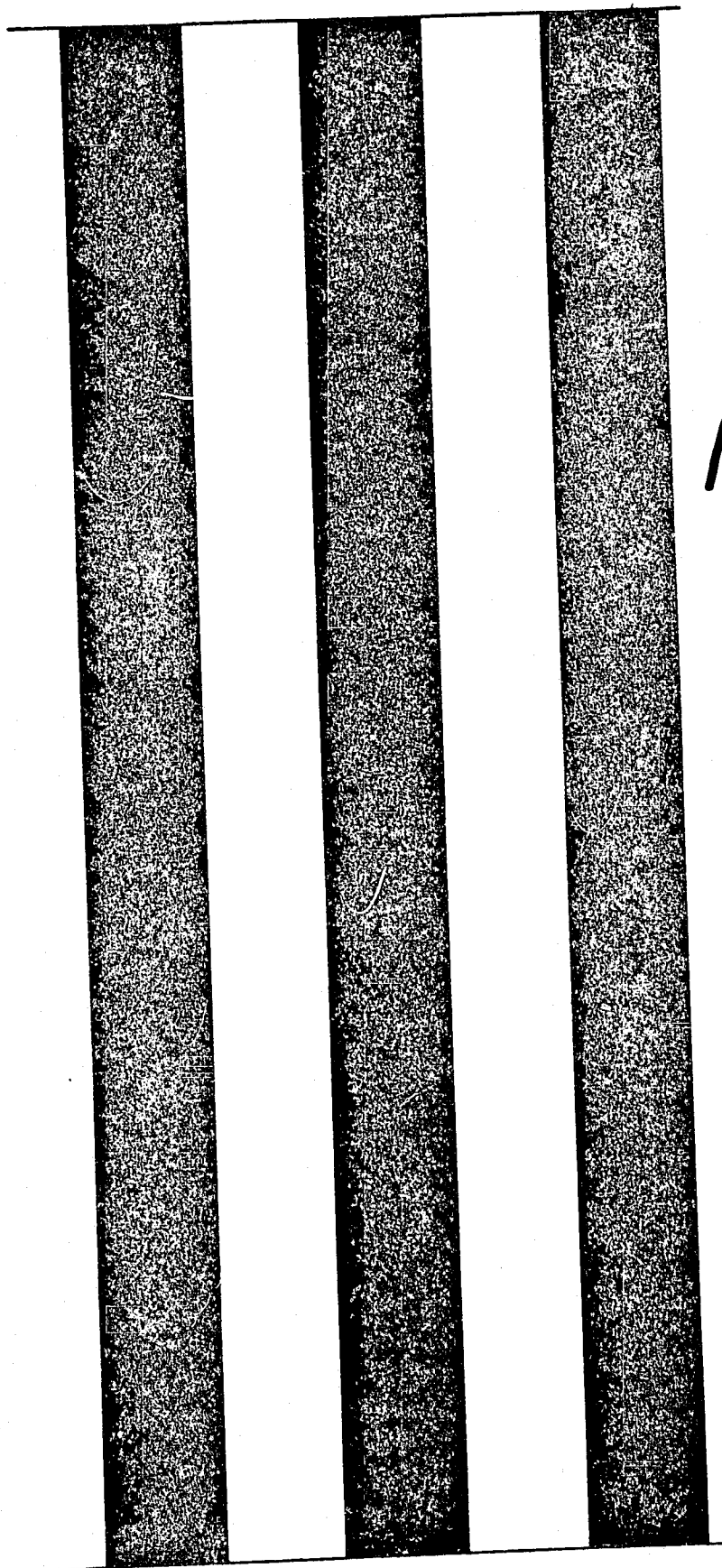
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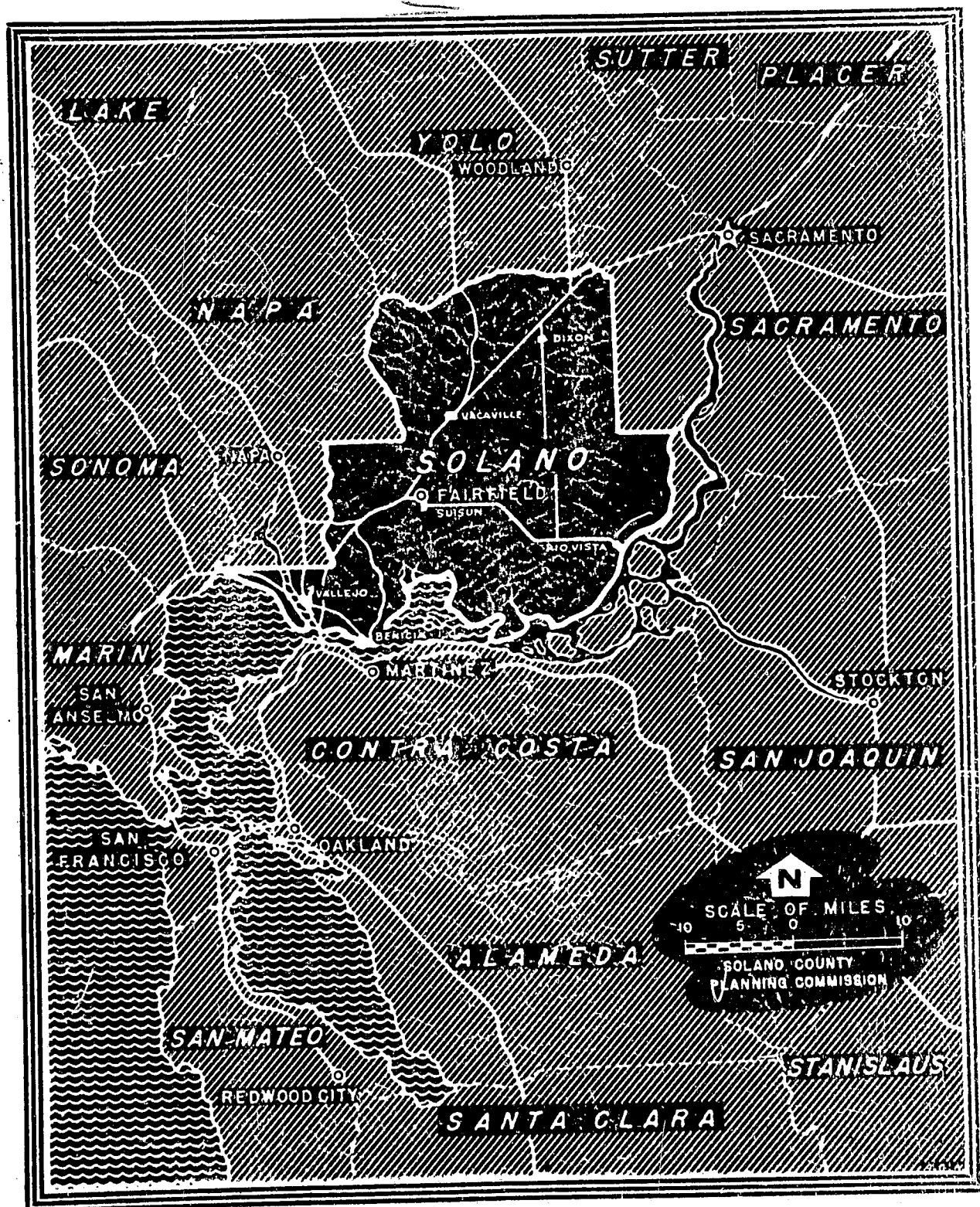


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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE		TOTAL VALUE F.O.B. FARM \$
Almonds	2,007	1,490 Tons	\$460		\$ 685,400
Apricots	4,013				
Shipped		3,480 Tons	120	\$417,600	
Canned		5,645 Tons	96	541,920	
Dried		* 770 Tons	800	<u>616,000</u>	
					1,575,520
Cherries	317				
Shipped		230 Tons	360	82,800	
Canned		130 Tons	220	<u>28,600</u>	
					111,400
Figs	107	* 206 Tons	80		16,480
Grapes	690	2,800 Tons	40		112,000
Peaches	2,911				
Shipped		270 Tons	75	20,250	
Canned		8,110 Tons	50	405,500	
Dried		*1,530 Tons	400	<u>612,000</u>	
					1,037,750
Pears	2,584				
Shipped		2,850 Tons	88	250,800	
Canned		11,508 Tons	70	805,560	
Dried		* 365 Tons	400	<u>146,000</u>	
					1,202,360
Plums	597	804 Tons	165		132,660
Prunes	3,986	*7,590 Tons	220		1,669,800
Walnuts	571	310 Tons	360		111,600
Misc: Apples, Quince, Olives, etc.	40		125 A		5,000
					\$6,659,970
Totals	17,823				

\* Dry Tons

TRUCK CROPS

Lettuce	64	6,400 Crts.	\$ 2.10		\$ 13,440
Asparagus	555	810 Tons	206.00		166,860
Cucumbers	160	1,590 Tons	60.00		95,400
Onions	230	3,450 Tons	40.00		138,000
Peas	230	46,500 Hampers	2.10		97,650
Tomatoes	4,154				
Canned		69,500 Tons	22.50	\$1,563,750	
Shipped		124,000 Boxes	2.00	<u>248,000</u>	
					1,811,750
Misc. veg.	290		200.00 A		58,000
Totals	5,683				\$2,381,100

# FIELD CROPS

KIND	ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE
Alfalfa	7,700	46,200 Tons	\$ 19	\$ 877,800
Barley	36,500	27,500 Tons	53	1,457,500
Beans - Pink	320	24 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Tons	190	45,600
Blackeye	76	70 Tons	200	14,000
Baby Lima	438	340 Tons	170	57,800
Field Corn	1,955	5,865 Tons	60	351,900
Oats	9,700	7,300 Tons	64	467,200
Sugar Beets	12,713	254,260 Tons	14	3,558,640
Wheat	20,000	16,500 Tons	70	1,155,000
Hay, Grain & Other	15,500	19,000 Tons	18	342,000
Permanant Pasture	19,200		50	960,000
Milo	8,100	16,200 Tons	50	810,000
Safflower	1,854	655 Tons	79	51,745
Castor Beans	72	36 Tons	180	6,480
Rice	700	490 Tons	104	50,960
Totals	134,828			\$10,206,625

# ANIMAL PRODUCTION

KIND	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE
Beef Cattle - Raised	4,800 Head	\$130.00	\$ 624,000
Feeders	* 47,300 Head	57.75	<u>2,731,575</u>
			\$3,355,575
Bees - Honey (7,305 hives)	75 Tons	200.00	15,000
Wax	3 Tons	800.00	2,400
Packages	1,500	3.50	5,250
Queens	550	1.00	<u>550</u>
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Poultry - Eggs	828,000 Doz.	.49	405,720
Meat	965,000 Lbs.	.28	<u>270,200</u>
			675,920
Dairy - Mkt. Milk Fat	918,000 Lbs.	1.43	1,312,740
Mfg. Milk Fat	195,000 Lbs.	.89	173,550
Veal & Meat	4,250 Head	62.00	<u>263,500</u>
			1,749,790
Sheep - Lambs Raised	91,000 Head	20.00	1,820,000
Lamb Feeders	* 156,000 Head	4.40	686,400
Wool	1,066,000 Lbs.	.50	<u>533,000</u>
			3,039,400
Swine	5,700 Head	46.00	262,200
Turkeys	24,400 Birds	6.40	156,160
Misc: Squabs, Rabbits, etc.			<u>115,000</u>
Total			\$9,377,245

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Alfalfa	675	1,700 Cwt.	\$25.00	\$42,500
Barley - Certified	20	400 Cwt.	5.00	2,000
Clover	650	520 Cwt.	75.00	39,000
Swiss Chard	4	56 Cwt.	17.00	952
Carrots	4	24 Cwt.	35.00	840
Ryer Milo 15	600	25,000 Cwt.	3.50	87,500
Totals	1,953			\$172,792

# SUMMARY

YEAR	FRUIT & NUT CROPS	TRUCK CROPS	FIELD CROPS	ANIMAL PRODUCTION	SEED CROPS	TOTALS
1949	\$3,209,941	\$1,677,167	\$ 8,873,589	\$ 8,216,962	\$ 90,560	\$22,068,218
1950	6,813,033	2,148,623	9,749,189	10,302,443	269,348	\$29,282,636
1951	6,854,060	4,389,919	9,261,680	11,745,350	281,958	\$32,532,967
1952	5,903,740	3,533,240	11,550,080	10,370,830	311,383	\$31,669,273
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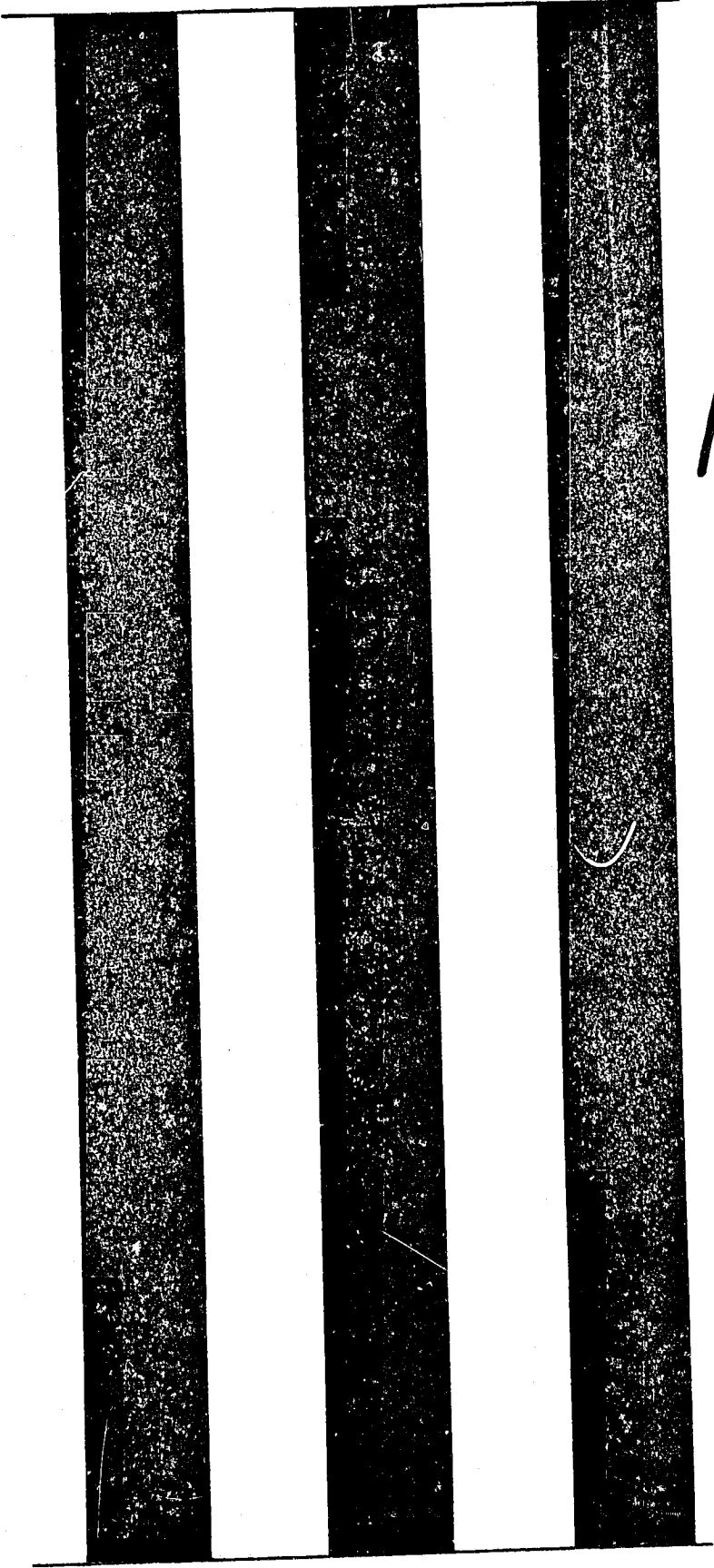
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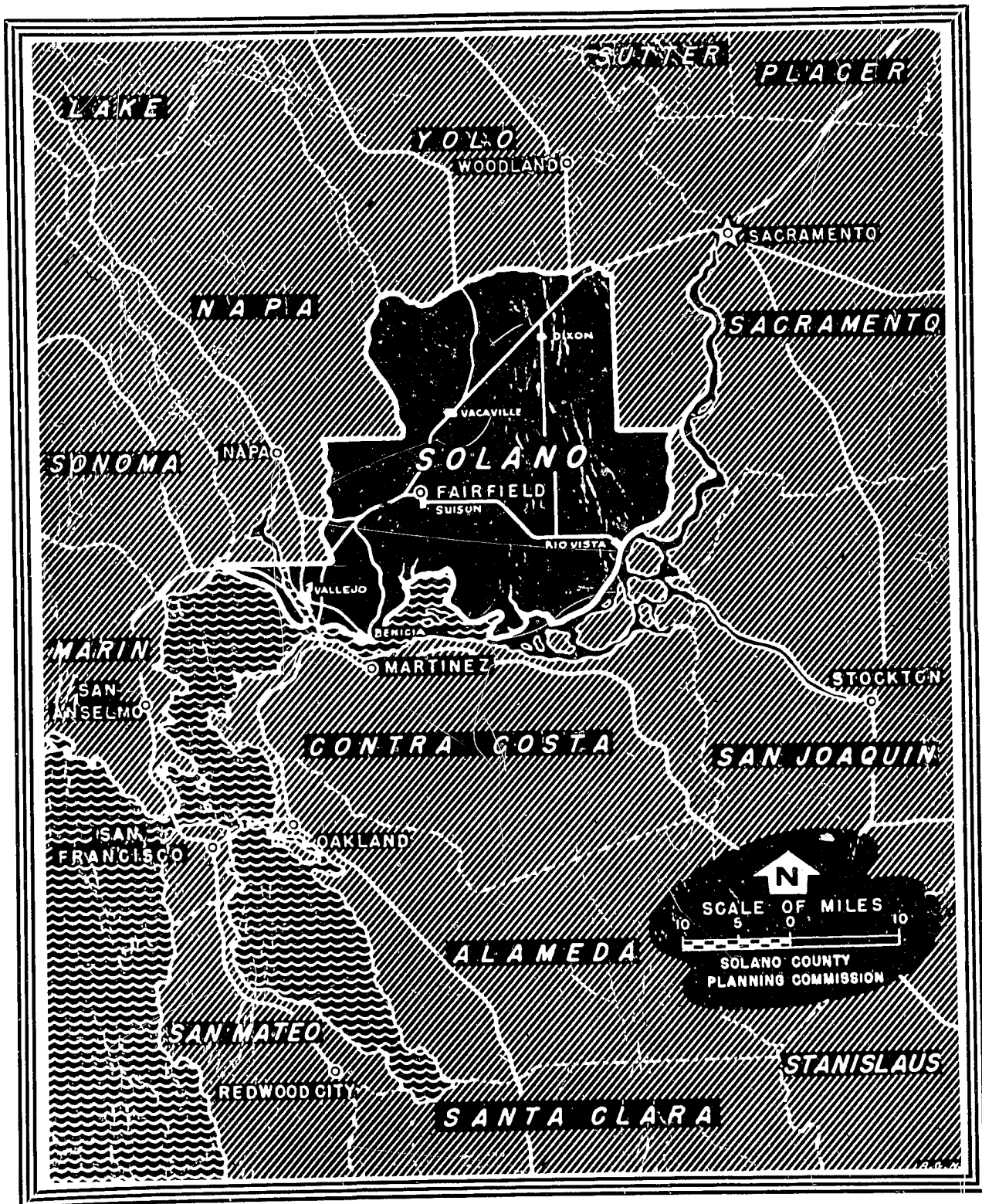
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**FRUIT AND NUT CROPS**

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL VALUE F.O.B. FARM
Almonds	2,201	1,575 Tons	\$450	\$ 708,750
Apricots	4,033			
Shipped		2,325 Tons	110	\$255,750
Canned		6,550 Tons	100	655,000
Dried		* 470 Tons	800	<u>376,000</u>
				1,286,750
Cherries	340			
Shipped		270 Tons	520	140,400
Canned		125 Tons	290	<u>36,250</u>
				176,650
Grapes	714	2,950 Tons	42.50	125,375
Peaches	2,888			
Shipped		300 Tons	60	18,000
Canned		7,450 Tons	50	372,500
Dried		*2,021 Tons	420	<u>848,820</u>
				1,239,320
Pears	2,579			
Shipped		2,978 Tons	65	193,570
Canned		17,925 Tons	75	1,344,375
Dried		* 600 Tons	580	<u>348,000</u>
				1,886,145
Plums	598	710 Tons	180	127,800
Prunes	3,998	7,960 Tons	220	1,751,200
Walnuts	585	280 Tons	360	100,800
Misc: Apples, Figs, Olives, etc.	147			17,500
Totals	18,423			\$7,420,290

\* Dry Tons

**TRUCK CROPS**

Asparagus					
Market	2,200	35,497 Crts.	\$ 7.30	\$ 259,128	
Canning		541 Tons	210.00	<u>113,610</u>	\$ 372,738
Cucumbers	186	1,674 Tons	75.00		125,550
Onions	135	2,430 Tons	33.00		80,190
Peas	370	44,400 Hampers	.15		6,660
Tomatoes					
Canning	3,790	75,800 Tons	22.50	1,705,500	
Shipping	395	95,000 Lugs	2.30	<u>218,500</u>	1,924,000
Misc. veg.	265		200.00 A		53,000
Totals	7,341				\$2,562,128

# FIELD CROPS

KIND	ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE
Alfalfa	7,100	35,500 Tons	\$ 20	\$ 710,000
Barley	44,000	34,800 Tons	44	1,531,200
Beans - Pink	960	870 Tons	165	143,550
Blackeye	50	30 Tons	200	6,000
Baby Lima	1,100	1,210 Tons	120	145,200
Field Corn	3,750	8,400 Tons	58	571,200
Oats	10,500	8,000 Tons	52	416,000
Sugar Beets	13,441	270,820 Tons	14	3,791,480
Wheat	12,203	12,200 Tons	70	854,000
Hay, Grain & Other	14,500	18,000 Tons	18	324,000
Permanent Pasture	20,000		50	1,000,000
Milo	6,690	16,725 Tons	50	836,250
Safflower	850	327 Tons	74	24,198
Rice	600	300 Tons	100	30,000
Totals	135,955			\$10,383,078

# ANIMAL PRODUCTION

KIND	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE
Beef Cattle - Raised	5,100 Head	\$135.00	\$ 693,600
Feeders	* 48,000 Head	60.00	2,886,000
			\$3,573,600
Bees - Honey	118 Ton	220.00	25,960
Wax	3.5 Ton	840.00	2,940
Packages	750	3.50	2,625
Queens	1,150	.90	1,035
			32,560
Poultry - Eggs	910,000 Doz.	.39	354,900
Meat	1,140,000 lbs.	.21	239,400
			594,300
Dairy - Mkt. Milk Fat	1,009,000 lbs.	1.242	1,253,178
Mfg. Milk Fat	209,000 lbs.	.939	193,434
Veal & Meat	4,500 Head	60.00	270,000
			1,716,612
Sheep - Lambs Raised	92,500 Head	18.00	1,665,000
Lamb Feeders	* 150,000 Head	4.00	600,000
Wool	1,070,000 lbs.	.54	577,800
			2,842,800
Swine	4,400 Head	50.00	220,000
Turkeys	26,200 Birds	4.80	125,760
Misc: Squabs, Rabbits, etc.			105,000
Total			\$9,210,632

\* Gain in value in Solano County

# SEED CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	VALUE
Alfalfa	160	240 Cwt.	\$23.00	\$ 5,520
Alfalfa-Certified	105	720 Cwt.	31.00	22,320
Trefoil	750	2,850 Cwt.	60.00	171,000
Mustard	30	270 Cwt.	12.50	3,375
Sweet Corn	63	1,000 Cwt.	8.00	8,000
Bur Clover	160	640 Cwt.	20.00	12,800
Ryer Milo 15	470	22,000 Cwt.	5.00	110,000
Wheat Certified	18	540 Cwt.	4.50	2,430
Piper Sudan	60	700 Cwt.	12.00	8,400
Prairie Brome Cert.	50	150 Cwt.	25.00	3,750
Totals	1,866			\$347,595

## SUMMARY

YEAR	FRUIT & NUT CROPS	TRUCK CROPS	FIELD CROPS	ANIMAL PRODUCTION	SEED CROPS	TOTALS
1949	\$3,209,941	\$2,677,167	\$ 8,873,589	\$ 8,216,962	\$ 90,560	\$22,068,219
1950	6,813,033	2,148,623	9,749,189	10,302,443	269,348	29,282,636
1951	6,854,060	4,389,919	9,261,680	11,745,350	281,958	32,532,967
1952	5,903,740	3,533,240	11,550,080	10,370,830	311,383	31,669,273
1953	6,659,970	2,381,100	10,206,625	9,377,245	172,792	28,797,732
1954	7,420,290	2,562,128	10,383,078	9,210,632	347,595	29,923,723

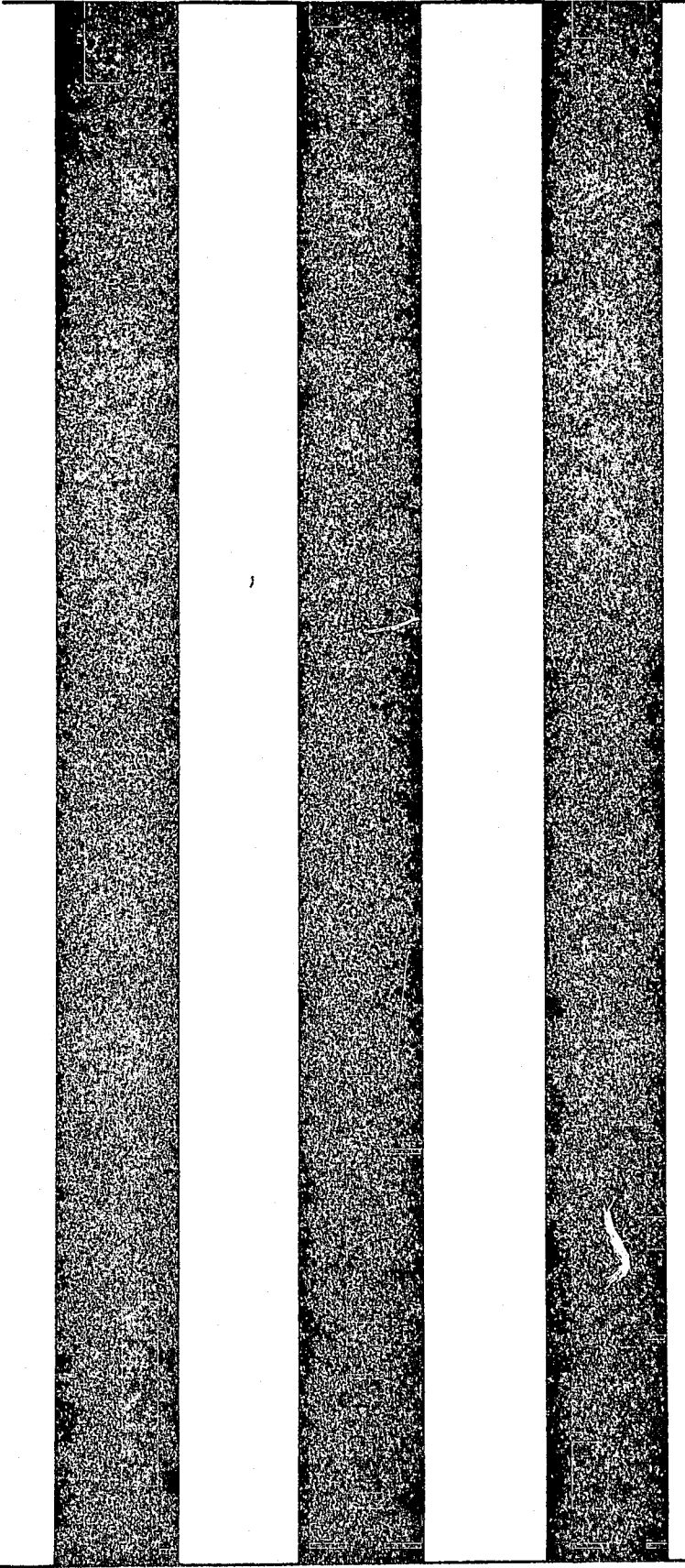
## CLASSIFICATION OF ACREAGES

Fruit and Nut Crops	19,387 *
Truck and Seed Crops	8,263 **
Field Crops	135,955
Pasture and Fallow Land	230,475
Urban and Other	68,200
Marsh Land	52,000
Brush	15,000
Water	47,360

Total Area  
901 Square Miles 576,640

130,400 Estimated Total County Population  
433,450 Total Acres in Farms  
63,500 Acres in Irrigated Farms

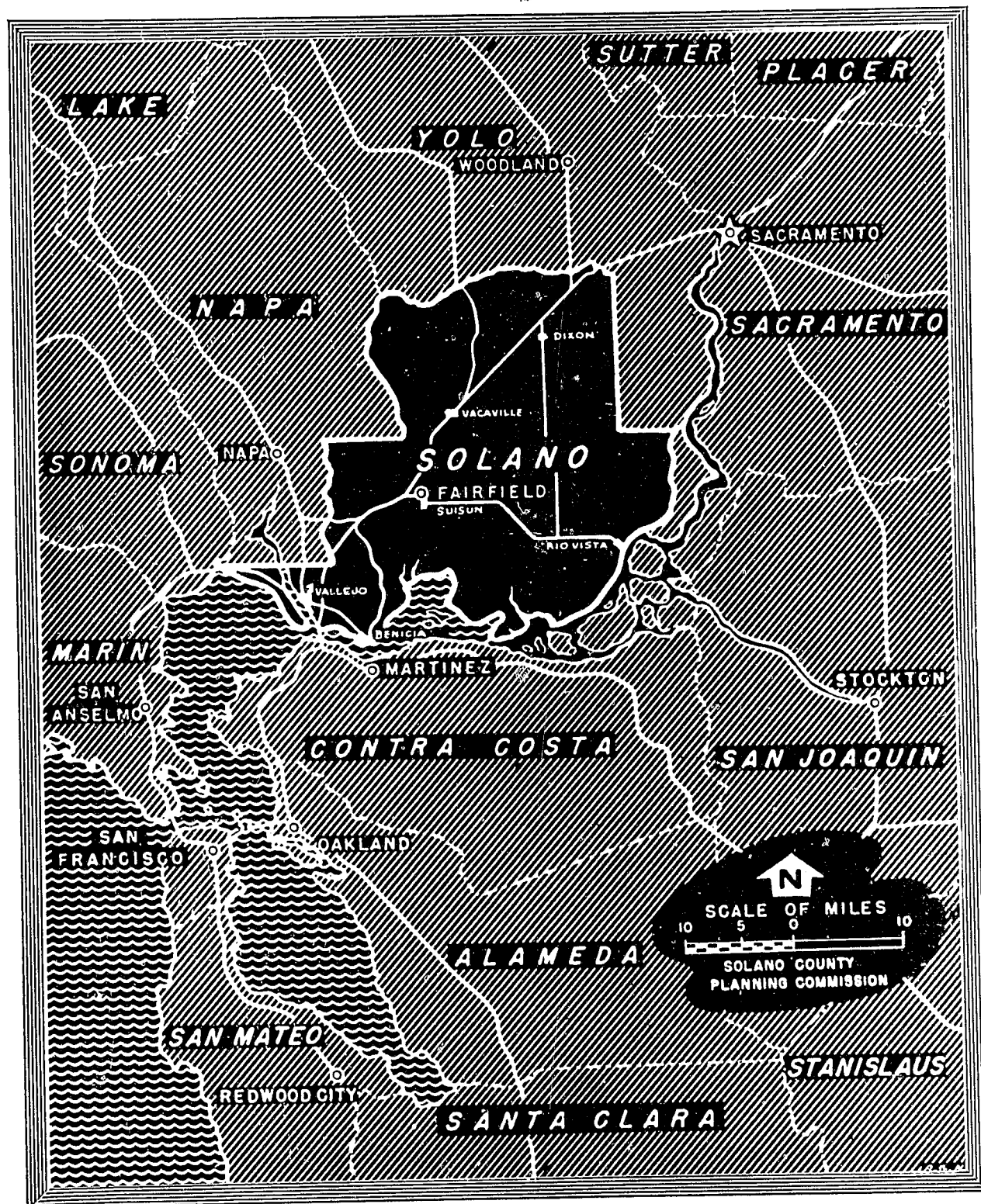
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1955

# AGRICULTURAL CROP REPORT

## 1955



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GEO. A. POHL  
AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER

ANNUAL CROP REPORT

For

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1955

W. C. JACOBSEN - STATE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

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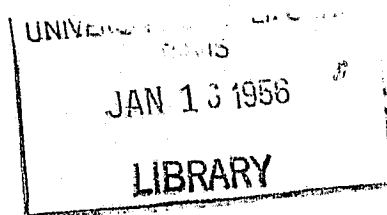
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To The Honorable Board of Supervisors and  
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Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 65.5 of the Agricultural Code of the State of California, I am submitting herewith the 1955 Annual Crop Report for Solano County.

This is the seventh Annual Crop Report to be compiled by this office. Since we are dependent upon the cooperation of growers, packers, livestock producers, and many others to reveal the correct figures to our representatives, individual items are held in strictest confidence. We believe that our composite figures are thus reasonably accurate, although some may be slightly below the total f.o.b. sums, due to our inability to find all sources.

The total farm income for 1955 as shown on the last page is generally based on the average price received by the farmer. This represents gross income and should not be confused with net income. Prices were higher on a few items this year but in general lower prices prevailed. Cost of production has remained high making it difficult for the farmer to show a net profit at the end of the year.

These figures do not include value for native grasses or stubble. Such values, in a measure, are reported in our animal production.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to my staff and the people of Solano County who have cooperated so splendidly with me in my seventh year as Agricultural Commissioner of Solano County.

Respectfully submitted,



Geo. A. Pohl  
Agricultural Commissioner  
of  
Solano County

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# FIELD CROPS

KIND	ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE
Alfalfa	8,000	48,000 Tons	\$ 26	\$1,248,000
Barley	40,000	34,000 Tons	42	1,428,000
Beans - Pink	1,050	890 Tons	140	124,600
Blackeye	292	60 Tons	180	10,800
Baby Lima	700	750 Tons	140	105,000
Field Corn	5,500	12,100 Tons	54	653,400
Oats	11,000	8,500 Tons	52	442,000
Sugar Beets	12,022	236,593 Tons	13	3,075,709
Wheat	12,900	10,320 Tons	70	722,400
Hay, Grain & Other	10,500	16,000 Tons	25	400,000
Permanent Pasture	21,000		35	735,000
Milo	5,950	12,495 Tons	45	562,275
Safflower	875	641 Tons	74	47,434
Totals	129,789			\$9,554,618

# ANIMAL PRODUCTION

KIND	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE
Beef Cattle - Raised	5,900 Head	\$125.00	\$ 737,500
Feeders	* 52,000 Head	55.00	<u>2,860,000</u>
			\$3,597,500
Bees - Honey	57 Tons	220.00	12,540
Wax	1900 Lbs.	.50	950
Packages	810 Pkg.	3.25	2,639
Queens	305	1.00	<u>305</u>
			16,434
Poultry - Eggs	887,000 Doz.	.40	354,800
Meat	930,000 Lbs.	.25	<u>232,500</u>
			587,300
Dairy - Mkt. Milk Fat	982,000 Lbs.	1.19	1,168,580
Mfg. Milk Fat	236,000 Lbs.	.82	193,520
Veal & Meat	4,300 Head	50.00	<u>215,000</u>
			1,577,100
Sheep - Lambs Raised	90,800 Head	17.00	1,543,600
Lambs Feeders	* 166,000 Head	3.40	564,400
Wool	1,200,000 Lbs.	** .41	<u>492,000</u>
			2,600,000
Swine	2,800	34.00	95,200
Turkeys	23,150	6.50	150,475
Misc: Squabs, Rabbits, Etc.			<u>103,500</u>
Total			\$8,727,509

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\*\* Does not include subsidy payments that will be made late in 1956

ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS  
SOLANO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA 1955  
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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL VALUE F.O.B. FARM
Almonds	2,224	1,600 Tons	\$730	\$1,168,000
Apricots	3,716			
Shipped		2,475 Tons	135	\$ 334,125
Canned		7,150 Tons	100	715,000
Dried		* 885 Tons	700	<u>619,500</u>
				1,668,625
Cherries	271			
Shipped		446 Tons	470	209,620
Canned & Barrelled		542 Tons	204	<u>110,568</u>
				320,188
Grapes	617			
Wine		2,350 Tons	43	101,050
Brandy		250 Tons	25	<u>6,250</u>
				107,300
Peaches	2,766			
Shipped		150 Tons	70	10,500
Canned		9,181 Tons	60	550,860
Dried		*1,656 Tons	450	<u>745,200</u>
				1,306,560
Pears	2,518			
Shipped		2,776 Tons	83	230,408
Canned #1		18,900 Tons	75	1,417,500
Canned #3		1,782 Tons	40	71,280
Dried		* 446 Tons	390	<u>173,940</u>
				1,893,128
Plums	386	600 Tons	75	45,000
Prunes	3,965	3,856 Tons	255	1,571,565
Walnuts	769	450 Tons	600	270,000
Misc: Apples, Figs, Olives, etc.	129			30,000
Totals	17,363			\$8,380,366

\*Dry Tons

TRUCK CROPS

Asparagus	2,844			
Market		6,300 Crts.	\$ 5.50	\$ 34,650
Canning		1,790 Tons	240.00	<u>429,600</u>
				464,250
Cucumbers	157	1,800 Tons	70.00	126,000
Onions	50	875 Tons	40.00	35,000
Peas	415	83,000 Hampers	1.25	103,750
Tomatoes				
Canning	6,100	110,600 Tons	22.50	2,488,500
Shipping	150	87,500 Lugs	2.25	<u>196,875</u>
				2,685,375
Misc. veg.	230		200.00 A.	46,000
Garlic	3	12,500 Lbs.	.10	1,250
Totals	9,949			\$3,461,625

# SEED CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	VALUE
Alfalfa-Certified	90	412 Cwt.	\$28.00	\$ 11,536
Trefoil	160	440 Cwt.	60.00	26,400
Peas	50	650 Cwt.	9.00	5,850
Ryer Milo 15	548	23,000 Cwt.	3.35	77,050
Wheat Certified	75	3,000 Cwt.	3.65	10,950
Can. Field Peas	460	6,900 Cwt.	5.00	34,500
Cert. Dbl. Dwarf Milo	20	496 Cwt.	3.25	1,612
Totals	1,403			167,898

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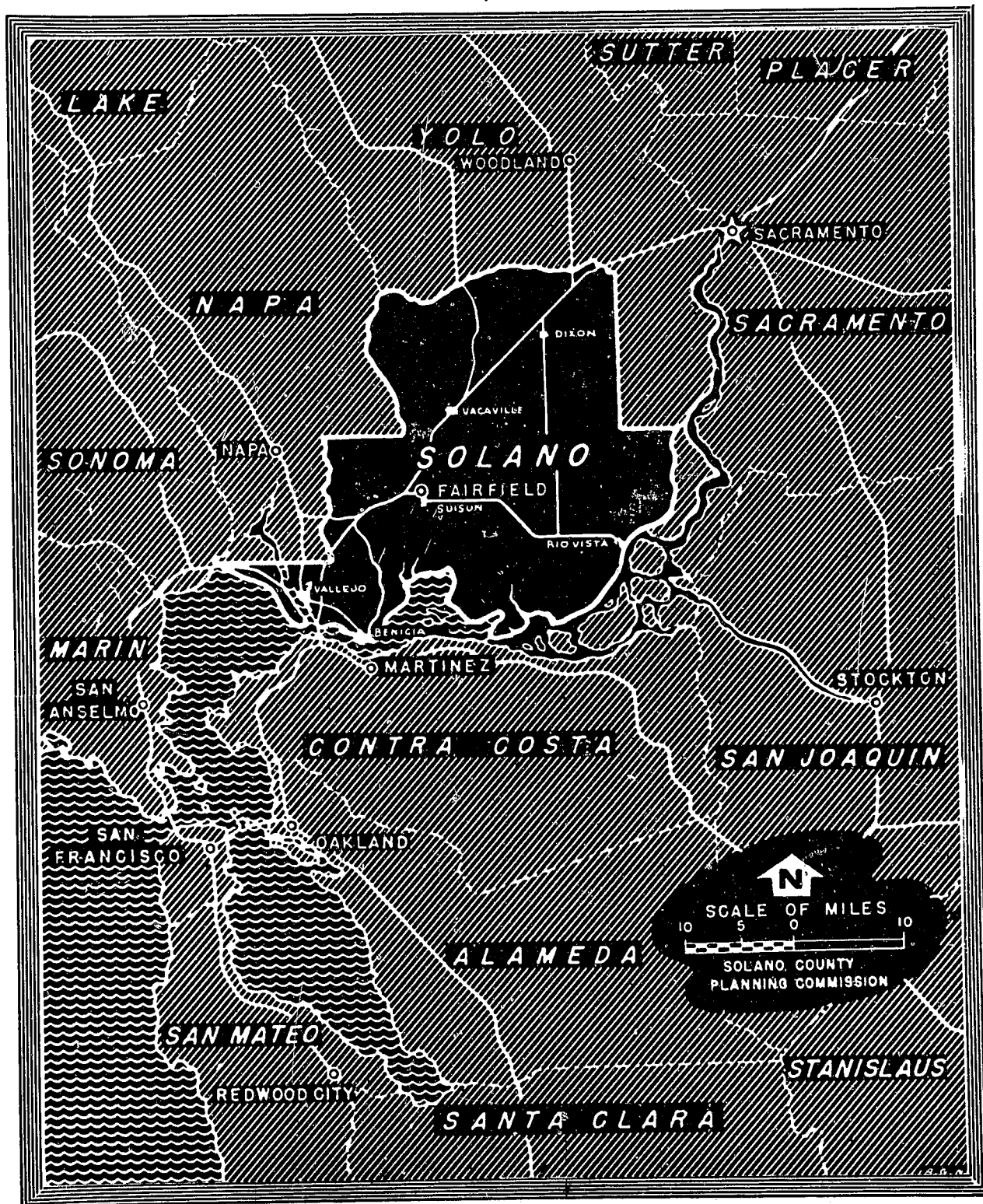
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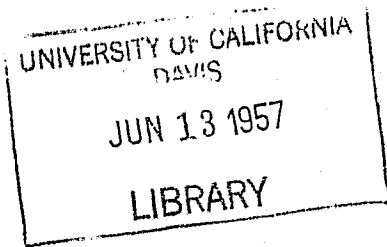
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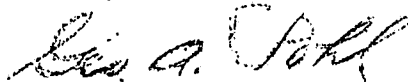
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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE		TOTAL VALUE F.O.B. FARM
Almonds	2,367	2,375 Tons	\$790.00		\$1,876,250
Apricots	3,713				
Shipped		2,175 Tons	160.00	\$ 348,000	
Canned		6,201 Tons	120.00	744,120	
Dried		* 483 Tons	960.00	<u>463,680</u>	
					1,555,800
Cherries	272				
Shipped		344 Tons	405.00	139,320	
Canned & Barrelled		252 Tons	210.00	<u>52,920</u>	
					192,240
Grapes	626				
Wine		3,100 Tons	43.00		133,300
Peaches	2,856				
Shipped		170 Tons	75.00	12,750	
Canned		11,766 Tons	61.50	723,609	
Dried		* 1,396 Tons	500.00	<u>698,000</u>	
					1,434,359
Pears	2,532				
Shipped		1,148 Tons	70.00	80,360	
Canned #1		20,345 Tons	80.00	1,627,600	
Canned #3		3,012 Tons	48.00	144,576	
Dried		330 Tons	390.00	<u>128,700</u>	
					1,981,236
Plums	386	585 Tons	70.00		40,950
Prunes	4,056	*7,311 Tons	186.00		1,359,846
Walnuts	769	375 Tons	400.00		150,000
Misc: Apples, Figs, Olives, etc.	126				25,000
Totals	17,703				\$8,748,981

\*Dry Tons

TRUCK CROPS

Asparagus					
Market	2,838	25,558 Crts.	\$ 9.00	\$ 230,022	
Canning		2,050 Tons	220.00	<u>451,000</u>	
					681,022
Peas	256	38,400 Hampers	1.40		53,760
Cucumbers	238	2,380 Tons	60.00		142,800
Onions	40	500 Tons	60.00		30,000
Tomatoes					
Canning	7,050	141,000 Tons	22.50	3,172,500	
Shipping	160	15,500 Lugs	1.30	<u>20,150</u>	
					3,192,650
Misc. Veg.	190		200.00 A.		38,000
Totals	10,772				\$4,138,232

## FIELD CROPS

KIND	ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE
Alfalfa	7,400	44,400 Tons	\$ 23.50	\$ 1,013,400
Barley	32,000	25,600 Tons	45.00	1,152,000
Beans - Pink	1,175	880 Tons	145.00	127,600
Blackeye	160	120 Tons	135.00	16,200
Baby Lima	1,120	1,425 Tons	120.00	171,000
Field Corn	5,890	15,300 Tons	62.50	956,250
Oats	8,500	7,100 Tons	53.00	376,300
Sugar Beets	12,760	248,000 Tons	13.50	3,348,000
Wheat	10,533	9,850 Tons	61.00	600,850
Hay, Grain & Other	16,500	24,750 Tons	20.00	495,000
Permanent Pasture	21,400		40.00	856,000
Milo	6,500	14,750 Tons	55.00	811,250
Safflower	1,500	1,625 Tons	73.00	118,625
Totals	125,438			\$10,072,475

## ANIMAL PRODUCTION

KIND	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE
Beef Cattle - Raised	5,550 Head	\$119.00	\$ 660,450
Feeders	* 52,500 Head	51.00	<u>2,677,500</u>
			\$3,337,950
Bees - Honey	163 Tons	240.00	39,120
Wax	2,500 Lbs.	.51	1,275
Packages	1,300 Pkg.	3.50	4,550
Queens	650	1.00	<u>650</u>
			45,595
Poultry - Eggs	1,200,000 Doz.	.32	384,000
Meat	350,000 Lbs.	.20	<u>70,000</u>
			454,000
Dairy - Mkt. Milk Fat	943,000 Lbs.	1.28	1,207,040
Mfg. Milk Fat	236,000 Lbs.	.86	202,960
Veal & Meat	4,100 Head	48.00	<u>196,800</u>
			1,606,800
Sheep - Lambs Raised	91,500 Head	18.00	1,647,000
Lambs Feeders	* 165,000 Head	3.80	627,000
Wool	1,230,000 Lbs.	.56	<u>688,800</u>
			2,962,800
Swine	2,250 Head	30.00	67,500
Turkeys	21,000 Birds	5.60	117,600
Misc: Squabs, Rabbits, Etc.			<u>87,000</u>
Total			\$8,679,245

\* Gain in value in Solano County

# SEED CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	VALUE
Piper Sudan-Certified	220	1,380 Cwt.	\$ 8.30	\$ 11,040
Ramona 50-Certified	18	480 Cwt.	4.00	1,920
Trefoil-Certified	40	42 Cwt.	125.00	5,250
Ryer Milo 15	400	20,000 Cwt.	3.25	65,000
Snap Beans	30	210 Cwt.	5.00	1,050
Seed Peas	175	2,376 Cwt.	7.00	16,632
Norghum Sorghum	20	920 Cwt.	3.00	2,760
Vetch	30	300 Cwt.	5.00	1,500
Canadian Field Peas	100	1,500 Cwt.	4.50	6,750
Alfalfa	20	40 Cwt.	30.00	1,200
Totals	1,053			\$113,102

## SUMMARY

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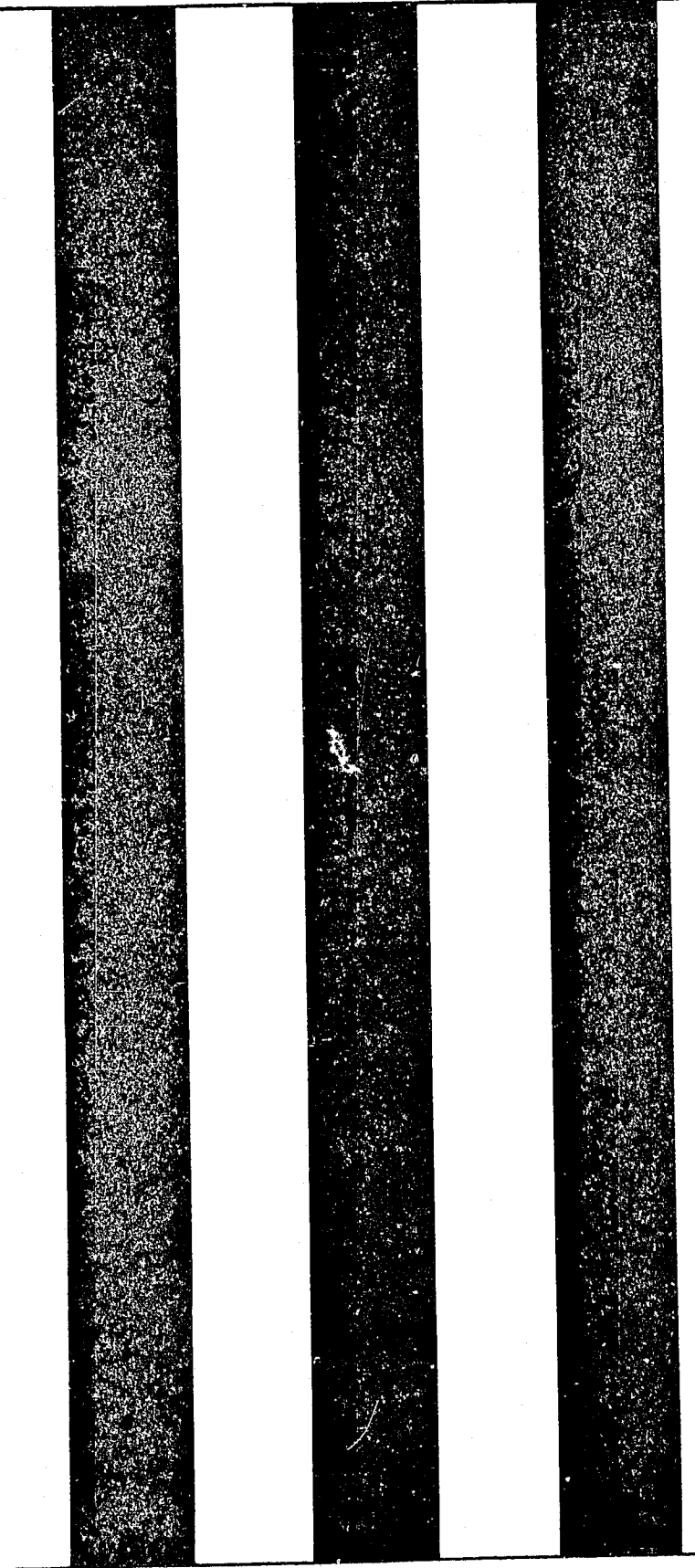
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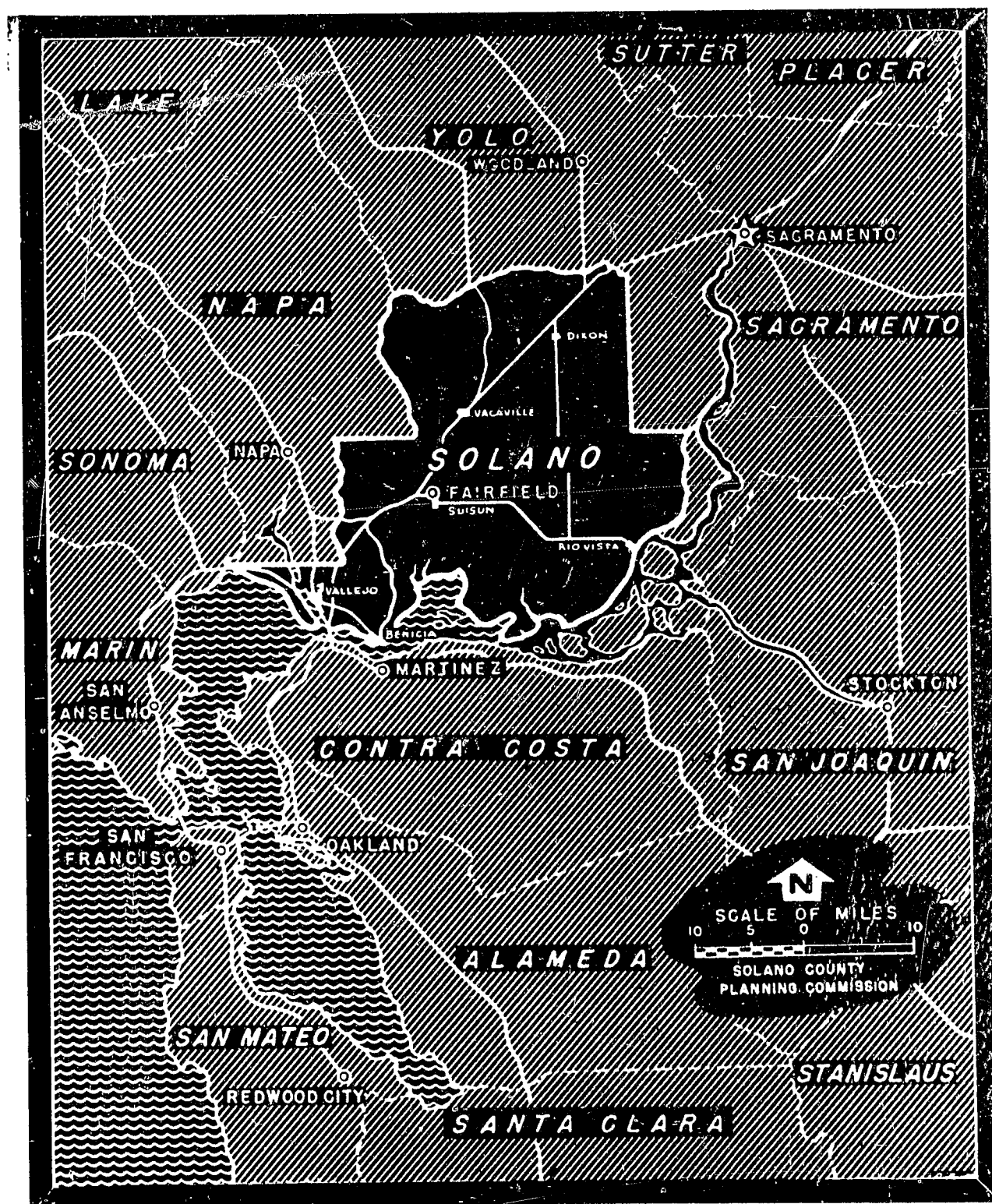
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# AGRICULTURAL CROP REPORT

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GEO. A. POHL  
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For

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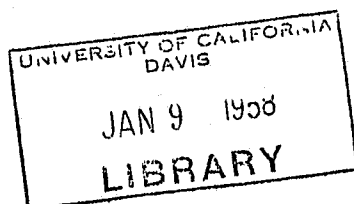
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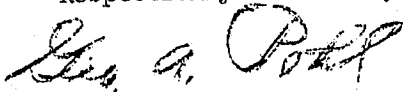
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ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS  
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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL VALUE F.O.B. FARM
Almonds	2,385	1,450 Tons	\$480.00	\$ 696,000
Apricots	3,752			
Shipped		2,345 Tons	70.00	\$ 164,150
Canned		7,160 Tons	95.00	680,200
Dried		* 755 Tons	710.00	<u>536,050</u>
				1,380,400
Cherries	277			
Shipped		251 Tons	405.00	101,655
Canned & Barrelled		196 Tons	240.00	<u>47,040</u>
				148,695
Grapes				
Wine	636	2,630 Tons	48.00	126,240
Peaches	3,032			
Shipped		275 Tons	80.00	22,000
Canned		9,125 Tons	45.00	410,625
Dried		*1,643 Tons	400.00	<u>657,200</u>
				1,089,825
Pears	2,556			
Shipped		1,756 Tons	70.00	122,920
Canned #1		18,229 Tons	65.00	1,184,885
Canned #2		2,940 Tons	40.00	117,600
Dried		* 220 Tons	400.00	<u>88,000</u>
				1,513,405
Plums	356	712 Tons	120.00	85,440
Prunes	4,075	*5,807 Tons	200.00	1,161,400
Walnuts	788	360 Tons	460.00	165,600
Misc: Apples, Figs, Olives, etc.	120			20,000
Totals	17,977			\$6,387,005

\* Dry Tons

TRUCK CROPS

Asparagus	3,183			
Market		46,450 Crts.	\$ 4.00	\$ 185,800
Canning		3,678 Tons	180.00	<u>662,040</u>
				847,840
Beans	175	52,500 Hampers	2.25	118,125
Cucumbers	195	2,340 Tons	58.00	135,720
Onions	60	540 Tons	60.00	32,400
Potatoes				
Canning	6,250	100,000 Tons	20.00	2,000,000
String Beans	20	41 Tons	42.00	1,722
Misc. Veg.	150		200.00 A.	30,000
Totals	10,033			\$3,165,807



# FIELD CROPS

KIND	ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE
Alfalfa	7,100	39,000 Tons	\$ 23.00	\$ 897,000
Barley	35,500	31,000 Tons	41.00	1,271,000
Beans - Pink	1,300	1,050 Tons	160.00	168,000
Blackeye	250	100 Tons	150.00	15,000
Baby Lima	680	780 Tons	140.00	109,200
Field Corn	5,800	17,400 Tons	48.00	835,200
Oats	9,200	9,500 Tons	41.00	389,500
Sugar Beets	15,169	358,000 Tons	14.50	5,191,000
Wheat	12,597	10,100 Tons	75.00	757,500
Hay, Grain & Other	12,000	15,000 Tons	15.00	225,000
Permanent Pasture	21,000		40.00	840,000
Milo	6,100	14,030 Tons	47.00	659,410
Safflower	1,100	1,375 Tons	72.00	99,000
Popcorn	23	25 Tons	120.00	3,000
Castor Beans	160	160 Tons	156.00	24,960
Totals	127,979			\$11,466,770

# ANIMAL PRODUCTION

KIND	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE
Beef Cattle - Raised	5,700 Head	\$130.00	\$ 741,000
Feeders	*52,000 Head	57.00	2,964,000
			\$3,705,000
Bees - Honey	94,500 Lbs.	.11	10,395
Wax	1,800 Lbs.	.52	936
Packages	1,450 Pkg.	3.50	5,075
Queens	1,150	1.00	1,150
			17,556
Poultry - Eggs	1,165,000 Ddz.	.40	466,000
Meat	450,000 Lbs.	.22	99,000
			565,000
Dairy - Mkt. Milk Fat	980,000 Lbs.	1.40	1,372,000
Mfg. Milk Fat	160,000 Lbs.	.89	142,400
Veal & Meat	4,250 Head	45.00	191,250
			1,705,650
Sheep - Lambs Raised	110,000 Head	18.50	2,035,000
Lambs Feeders	* 160,000 Head	4.00	640,000
Wool	1,610,000 Lbs.	.52	837,200
Govt. Wool Pmts. on 56 Wool			422,567
			3,934,767
Swine	2,400 Head	40.00	96,000
Turkeys	35,000 Birds	4.20	147,000
Misc: Squabs, Rabbits, Etc.			75,000
Total			\$10,245,973

\* Gain in value in Solano County

# SEED CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	VALUE
Piper Sudan-Certified	100	538 Cwt.	\$ 4.50	\$ 2,421
Trefoil-Certified	110	340 Cwt.	170.00	57,800
Ryer Milo 15	502	19,420 Cwt.	3.25	63,115-
Seed Peas	114	1,760 Cwt.	5.00	8,800
Norghum Sorghum	120	3,300 Cwt.	2.35	7,755
Canary Grass	400	4,300 Cwt.	6.00	25,800
Canadian Field Peas	70	1,700 Cwt.	3.25	5,525
Trefoil	290	574 Cwt.	75.00	43,050
Totals	1,706			\$214,266

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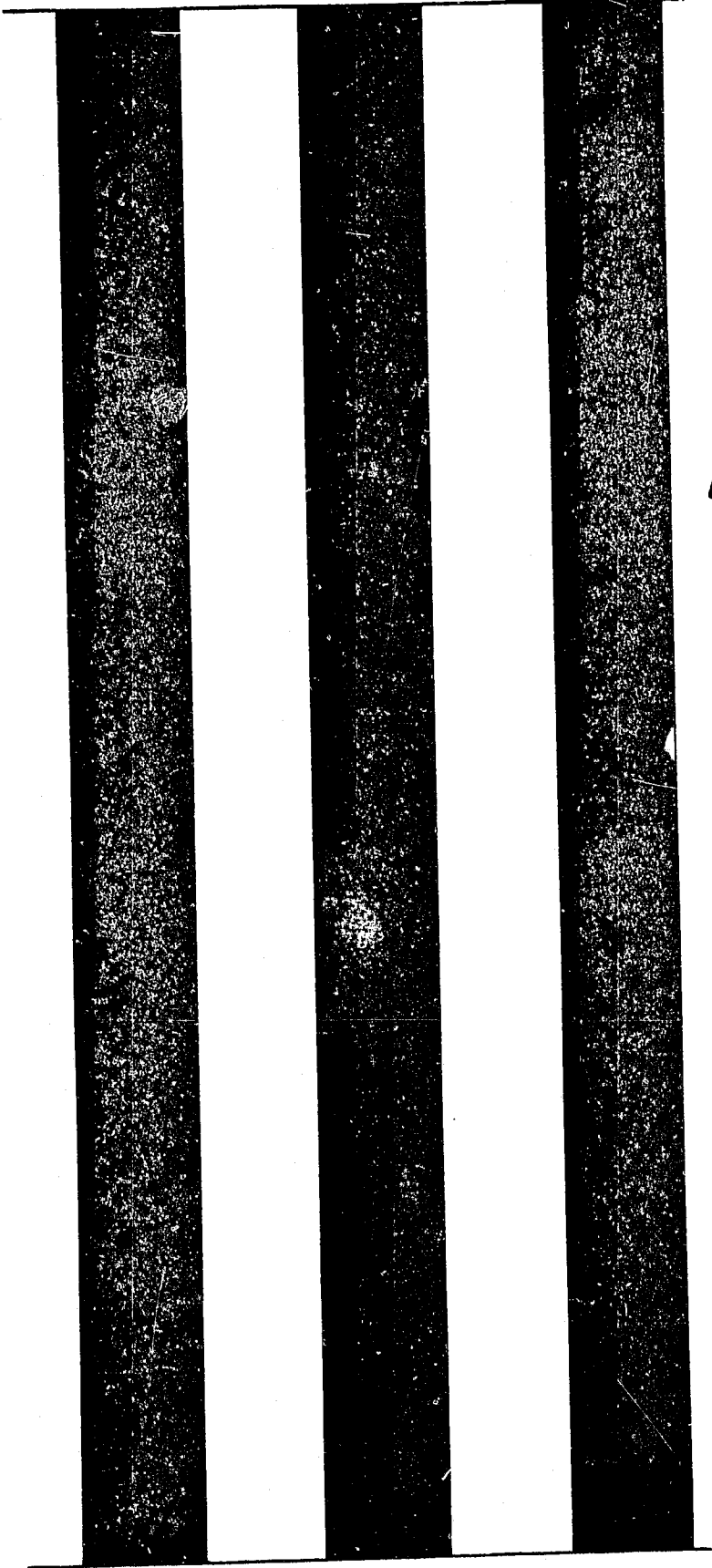
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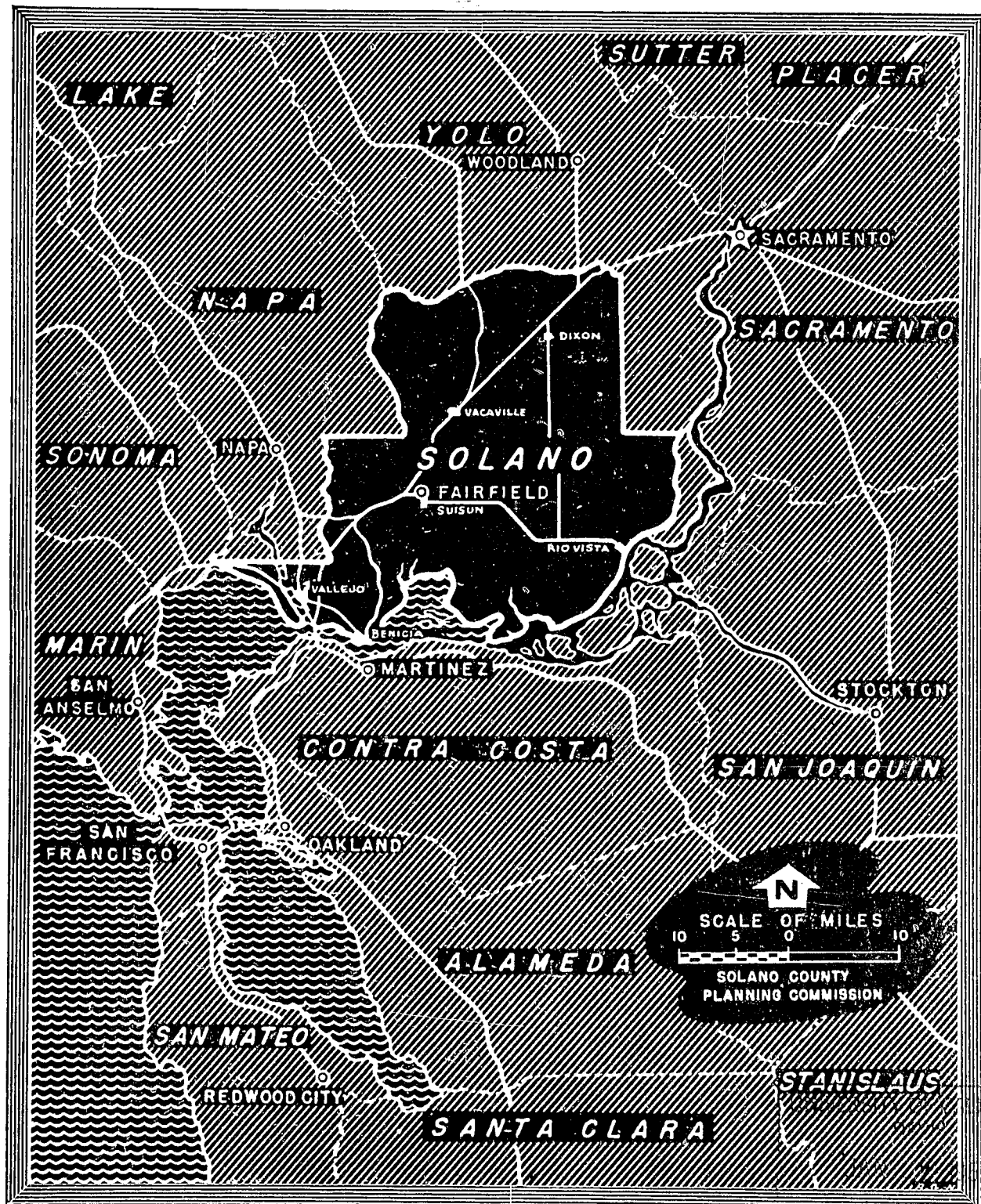
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**FRUIT AND NUT CROPS**

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL VALUE P.O.B. FARM
Almonds	2,434	700 Tons	\$ 696.00	\$ 487,200
Apricots	3,804			
Shipped		800 Tons	122.50	\$ 98,000
Canned		5,170 Tons	140.00	723,800
Dried		* 162 Tons	1,200.00	<u>194,400</u>
				1,016,200
Cherries	277			
Shipped		114 Tons	504.00	57,456
Canned & Barrelled		58 Tons	345.00	<u>20,010</u>
				77,466
Grapes				
Wine	613	2,859 Tons	55.00	157,245
Peaches	2,992			
Shipped		236 Tons	60.00	14,160
Canned		8,874 Tons	47.50	421,515
Dried		* 996 Tons	490.00	<u>488,040</u>
				923,715
Pears	2,500			
Shipped		395 Tons	92.00	36,340
Canned #1		9,312 Tons	90.00	838,080
Canned #2		2,091 Tons	64.00	133,824
Dried		* 85 Tons	640.00	<u>54,400</u>
				1,062,644
Plums	325	510 Tons	140.00	71,400
Prunes	3,827	3,229 Tons	365.00	1,175,300
Walnuts	778	575 Tons	400.00	230,000
Misc. Apples, Figs, Olives, etc.	129			25,000
Totals	17,679			\$5,226,170

\* Dry Tons

**TRUCK CROPS**

Asparagus	3,266			
Market		309 Tons	\$165.00	\$ 50,985
Canning		2,334 Tons	200.00	<u>466,800</u>
				517,785
Cucumbers	145	1,556 Tons	43.00	66,908
Onions	74	1,180 Tons	44.00	51,920
Tomatoes				
Canning	8,800	158,400 Tons	22.50	3,564,000
Misc. Veg.	150		200.00/A.	30,000
Totals	12,435			\$4,230,613

# FIELD CROPS

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Alfalfa	6,200	31,000 Tons	\$ 23.00	\$ 713,000
Barley	38,000	24,000 Tons	42.00	1,008,000
Beans - Pink	1,400	700 Tons	140.00	98,000
Blackeye	230	92 Tons	140.00	12,880
Baby Lima	650	610 Tons	130.00	79,300
Field Corn	3,650	9,315 Tons	48.00	447,120
Oats	7,500	6,000 Tons	46.00	276,000
Sugar Beets	13,525	229,925 Tons	13.75	3,161,469
Wheat	11,827	11,000 Tons	64.00	704,000
Hay, Grain, & Other	18,000	27,000 Tons	16.00	432,000
Permanent Pasture	20,000		40.00	800,000
Milo	10,150	22,330 Tons	43.00	960,190
Safflower	4,000	3,650 Tons	75.00	273,750
Castor Beans	290	330 Tons	120.00	39,600
Totals	135,422			\$9,005,309

# ANIMAL PRODUCTION

KIND	PRODUCTION	PRICE	VALUE
Beef Cattle - Raised	5,500 Head	\$160.00	\$ 880,000
Feeders	* 51,000 Head	70.00	<u>3,570,000</u>
			\$4,450,000
Bees - Honey	129,700 Lbs.	.09	11,673
Wax	2,500 Lbs.	.50	1,250
Packages	1,850 Pkgs.	3.50	6,475
Queens	2,555	1.00	<u>2,555</u>
			21,953
Poultry - Eggs	1,550,000 Doz.	.39	604,500
Meat	630,000 Lbs.	.17	<u>107,100</u>
			711,600
Dairy - Mkt. Milk Fat	961,000 Lbs.	1.31	1,258,910
Mfg. Milk Fat	152,000 Lbs.	.82	124,640
Veal & Meat	4,050 Head	50.00	<u>202,500</u>
			1,586,050
Sheep - Lambs Raised	104,000 Head	21.00	2,184,000
Lambs Feeders	* 125,000 Head	4.20	525,000
Wool	1,250,000 Lbs.	.35	437,500
Govt. Wool Pmts. on 57 Wool			<u>86,131</u>
			3,232,631
Swine	1,800 Head	44.00	79,200
Turkeys	27,500 Head	4.40	121,000
Misc: Squabs, Rabbits, Etc.			<u>70,000</u>
Total			\$10,272,434

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# SEED CROPS

CROP	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT PRICE	VALUE
Trefoil - Certified	350	420 Cwt.	\$105.00	\$ 44,100
Ryer Milo 15	403	20,150 Cwt.	3.20	64,480
Table Beet	15	97 Cwt.	20.00	1,940
Canadian Field Peas	50	850 Cwt.	8.00	6,800
Trefoil	1,120	1,344 Cwt.	60.00	80,640
Onas Wheat - Certified	32	3,125 Cwt.	5.00	15,625
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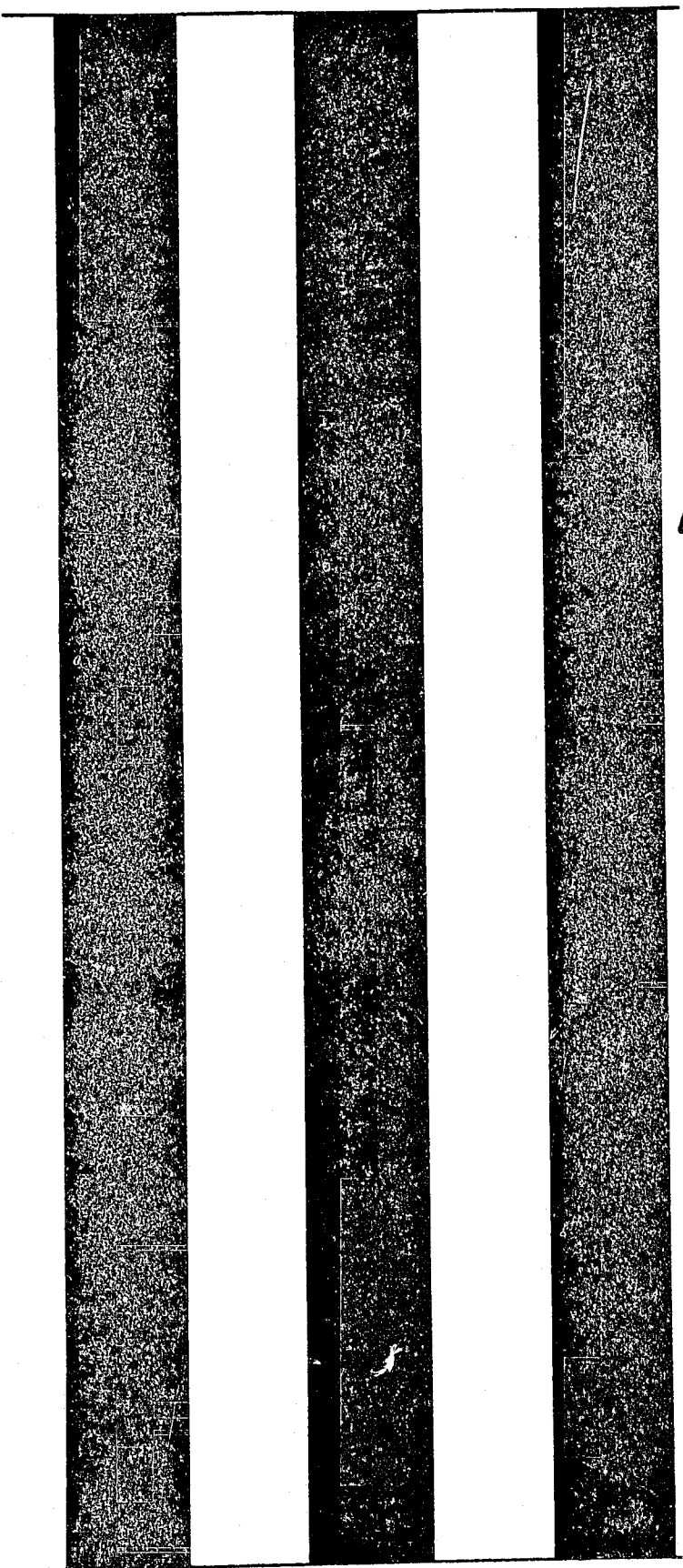
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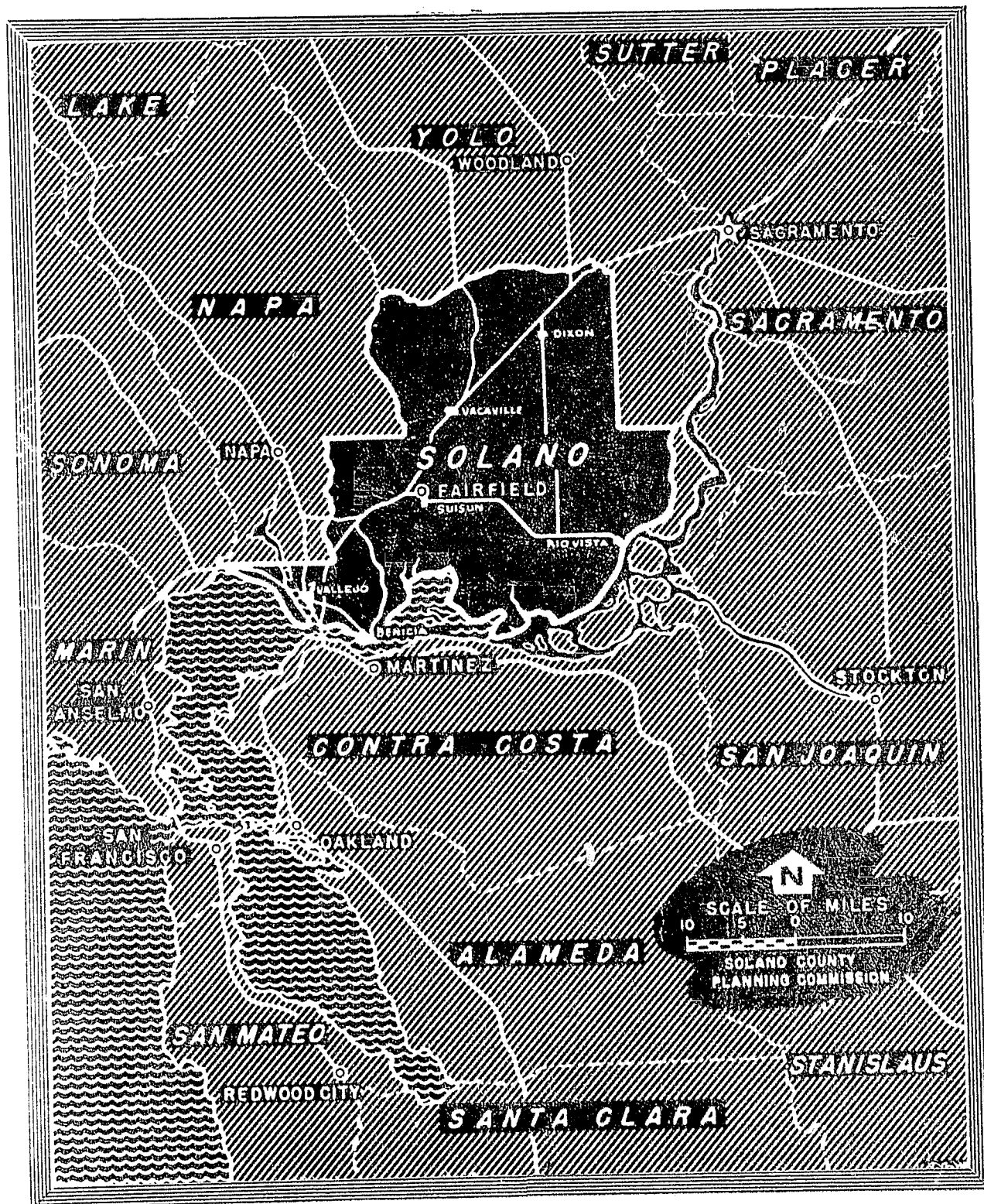


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Production was up enough on most items this year to more than offset the lower prices that many products brought. In fact it brought the gross farm income to the highest ever recorded for Solano County.

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## FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1958 AND 1959

Crop	Year	Bearing Acreage	Per Acre	Production (in units)		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Almonds	1959	2,457	1.03	2,525	Ton	\$400.00	\$ 1,010,000.00
Total	1958	2,434	.29	700	Ton	696.00	487,200.00
Apricots	1959	3,823	4.63	17,687	Ton	113.13	2,000,985.00
Total	1958	3,804	1.83	6,970	Ton	145.80	1,016,200.00
Canned	1959			13,442	Ton	105.00	1,411,410.00
	1958			5,170	Ton	140.00	723,800.00
Shipped	1959			1,725	Ton	155.00	267,375.00
	1958			800	Ton	122.50	98,000.00
Dried	1959			*358	Ton	900.00	322,200.00
	1958			*162	Ton	1,200.00	194,400.00
Cherries	1959	299	.86	258	Ton	432.23	111,516.00
Total	1958	277	.62	172	Ton	450.40	77,466.00
Shipped	1959			177	Ton	463.00	81,951.00
	1958			114	Ton	504.00	57,456.00
Barrelled	1959			81	Ton	365.00	29,565.00
	1958			58	Ton	345.00	20,010.00
Grapes Wine	1959	613	4.08	2,500	Ton	54.60	136,500.00
Total	1958	613	4.66	2,859	Ton	55.00	157,245.00
Peaches	1959	3,032	5.79	17,550	Ton	62.00	1,087,860.00
Total	1958	2,992	5.32	15,910	Ton	58.06	923,715.00
Shipped	1959			202	Ton	60.00	12,120.00
	1958			236	Ton	60.00	14,160.00
Canned	1959			8,720	Ton	45.00	392,400.00
	1958			8,874	Ton	47.50	421,515.00
Dried	1959			*1,627	Ton	420.00	683,340.00
	1958			* 996	Ton	490.00	488,040.00
Pears	1959	2,510	9.77	24,520	Ton	63.76	1,563,378.00
Total	1958	2,500	4.90	12,213	Ton	86.98	1,062,644.00
Canned #1	1959			18,955	Ton	65.00	1,232,075.00
	1958			9,312	Ton	90.00	830,880.00
Canned #2	1959			3,589	Ton	45.00	161,505.00
	1958			2,091	Ton	64.00	133,824.00
Shipped	1959			953	Ton	63.00	60,039.00
	1958			395	Ton	92.00	36,340.00

FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1958 AND 1959 (Con't.)

Crop	Year	Bearing Acreage	Per Acre	Production (in units)		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Pears (con't.)	1959			*196	Ton	\$560.00	\$ 109,760.00
Dried	1958			* 85	Ton	640.00	54,400.00
Plums	1959	332	2.00	664	Ton	110.00	73,040.00
	1958	325	1.57	510	Ton	140.00	71,400.00
Prunes	1959	3,827	1.24	*4,758	Ton	361.00	1,717,638.00
	1958	3,827	.84	*3,220	Ton	365.00	1,175,300.00
Walnuts	1959	828	.33	275	Ton	480.00	132,000.00
	1958	778	.74	575	Ton	400.00	230,000.00
Misc: Figs, ap- ples, olives	1959	110					22,000.00
	1958	129					25,000.00
Totals	1959	17,721					\$7,854,917.00
	1958	17,550					\$5,226,170.00

\*Dry Tons

TRUCK CROPS, 1958 AND 1959							
Asparagus	1959	2,940	1.31	3,850	Ton	205.66	791,800.00
Total	1958	3,266	.81	2,643	Ton	195.90	517,785.00
Market	1959			1,090	Ton	220.00	239,800.00
	1958			309	Ton	165.00	50,985.00
Canning	1959			2,760	Ton	200.00	552,000.00
	1958			2,334	Ton	200.00	466,800.00
Cucumbers	1959	200	12.50	2,500	Ton	42.00	105,000.00
	1958	145	10.73	1,556	Ton	43.00	66,908.00
Onions	1959	70	8.64	605	Ton	30.16	18,150.00
	1958	74	15.94	1,180	Ton	44.00	51,920.00
Peas	1959	250	248.00	62,000	Tubs	2.10	130,200.00
	1958						---
Tomatoes	1959	9,400	14.50	136,300	Ton	21.50	2,930,450.00
	1958	8,800	18.00	158,400	Ton	22.50	3,564,000.00
Misc. Veg.	1959	100				200.00	20,000.00
	1958	150				200.00	30,000.00
Totals	1959	12,960					\$3,995,600.00
	1958	12,435					\$4,230,613.00

# FIELD CROPS, 1958 AND 1959

Crop	Year	Harvested Per		Production (in units)		Value	
		Acreage	Acre	Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Alfalfa	1959	8,100	6.00	48,600	Ton	\$ 24.00	\$ 1,166,400.00
	1958	6,200	5.00	31,000	Ton	23.00	713,000.00
Barley	1959	36,000	.90	32,400	Ton	42.00	1,360,800.00
	1958	38,000	.64	24,000	Ton	42.00	1,008,000.00
Beans	1959	2,650	.76	2,015	Ton	183.28	369,320.00
	1958	2,280	.61	1,402	Ton	135.60	190,180.00
Field Corn	1959	3,300	2.80	9,240	Ton	46.00	425,040.00
	1958	3,650	2.54	9,315	Ton	48.00	447,120.00
Oats	1959	8,000	.70	5,600	Ton	46.00	257,600.00
	1958	7,500	.75	6,000	Ton	46.00	276,000.00
Sugar Beets	1959	14,643	24.	351,432	Ton	14.00	4,920,048.00
	1958	13,525	17.	222,925	Ton	13.75	3,161,469.00
Wheat	1959	10,774	1.	10,774	Ton	63.00	678,762.00
	1958	11,827	.9	11,000	Ton	64.00	704,000.00
Hay Grain	1959	14,500	1.50	21,750	Ton	22.00	478,500.00
	1958	18,000	1.5	27,000	Ton	16.00	432,000.00
Permanent Pas- ture	1959	20,000			Acre	40.00	800,000.00
	1958	20,000			Acre	40.00	800,000.00
Other Pasture	1959	183,000				5.00	915,000.00
	1958						--
Milo	1959	8,500	2.25	19,125	Ton	40.00	765,000.00
	1958	10,150	2.2	22,330	Ton	43.00	960,190.00
Safflower	1959	7,300	.89	6,475	Ton	76.00	492,100.00
	1958	4,000	.9	3,650	Ton	75.00	273,750.00
Castor Beans	1959						--
	1958	290	1.13	330	Ton	120.00	39,600.00
Totals	1959	316,767					\$12,628,570.00
	1958	135,422					\$ 9,005,309.00



# SEED CROPS, 1958 AND 1959

Crop	Year	Harvested Per		Production (in units)		Per Unit	Total
		Acreage	Acre	Total	Unit		
Certified Trefoil	1959	635	300	190,500	Lb.	.85	\$161,925.00
	1958	350	120	42,000	Lb.	1.05	44,100.00
Ryer Milo 15	1959	460	4,000	1,840,000	Lb.	.032	58,880.00
	1958	403	5,000	2,015,000	Lb.	.032	64,480.00
Table Beet	1959						--
	1958	15	646	9,700	Lb.	.20	1,940.00
Canadian Field Peas	1959						--
	1958	50	1,700	85,000	Lb.	.08	6,800.00
Trefoil	1959	1,000	300	300,000	Lb.	.75	225,000.00
	1958	1,120	120	134,400	Lb.	.60	80,640.00
Cert. Onas Wheat	1959						--
	1958	32	2,381	76,200	Lb.	.05	3,810.00
Pea	1959	90	2,000	180,000	Lb.	.05	9,000.00
	1958						--
Carrot	1959	12	83	1,000	Lb.	.50	500.00
	1958						--
Totals	1959	2,197					\$455,305.00
	1958	1,970					\$201,770.00

# LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY, 1958 AND 1959

Item	Year	Production		Unit	Value	
		No. of Head	Total Liveweight		Per Unit	Total
Cattle and Calves*	1959	54,000	182,000	Cwt.	\$25.00	\$4,550,000.00
	1958	56,500	191,500	Cwt.	23.25	4,450,000.00
Sheep and Lambs*	1959	265,000	133,000	Cwt.	21.50	2,859,500.00
	1958	229,000	129,000	Cwt.	21.00	2,709,000.00
Broilers and Fryers	1959	110,000	330,000	Lb.	.18	59,400.00
	1958	181,000	544,250	Lb.	.18	97,965.00
Other Chickens	1959	22,000	77,000	Lb.	.10	7,700.00
	1958	24,500	85,750	Lb.	.12	10,290.00
Hogs and Pigs	1959	1,650	3,300	Cwt.	17.00	56,100.00
	1958	1,800	3,600	Cwt.	22.00	79,200.00
Turkeys	1959	21,000	480,000	Lb.	.28	134,400.00
	1958	27,500	550,000	Lb.	.22	121,000.00

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY, 1958 AND 1959 (Con't.)

Item	Year	Production		Unit	Value	
		No. of Head	Total Liveweight		Per Unit	Total
Misc. Squabs,	1959					\$ 75,000.00
Rabbits	1958					70,000.00
Totals	1959					\$7,742,210.00
	1958					\$7,537,455.00

\*Includes gain in value of feeders

LIVESTOCK, POULTRY AND APIARY PRODUCTS, 1958 AND 1959

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value	
				Per Unit	Total
Bees - Honey	1959	269,280	Lbs.	\$ .09	\$ 24,235.00
	1958	129,700	Lbs.	.09	11,673.00
Wax	1959	3,250	Lbs.	.45	1,462.00
	1958	2,500	Lbs.	.50	1,200.00
Packages	1959	1,755	Each	4.00	7,020.00
	1958	1,850	Each	3.50	6,475.00
Queens	1959	2,145	Each	1.00	2,145.00
	1958	2,555	Each	1.00	2,555.00
Eggs - Chicken Market	1959	1,320,000	Doz.	.30	396,000.00
	1958	1,550,000	Doz.	.39	604,500.00
Eggs - Turkey Hatching	1959	150,000	Each	.22	33,000.00
	1958				—
Milk - Market	1959	332,760	Cwt.	4.74	1,577,282.00
	1958	269,220	Cwt.	4.65	1,251,873.00
Mfg.	1959	30,700	Cwt.	3.13	96,091.00
	1958	36,500	Cwt.	3.07	112,055.00
Wool	1959	1,342,000	Lbs.	.40	536,800.00
	1958	1,250,000	Lbs.	.35	437,500.00
Totals	1959				\$2,674,035.00
	1958				\$2,427,831.00

# SUMMARY

YEAR	FRUIT & NUT CROPS	TRUCK CROPS	FIELD CROPS	ANIMAL PRODUCTION	SEED CROPS	TOTALS
1949	\$3,209,941	\$1,677,167	\$ 8,873,589	\$ 8,216,962	\$ 90,560	\$22,068,219
1950	6,813,033	2,148,623	9,749,189	10,302,443	269,348	29,282,636
1951	6,854,060	4,389,919	9,261,680	11,745,350	281,958	32,532,967
1952	5,903,740	3,533,240	11,550,080	10,370,830	311,383	31,669,273
1953	6,659,970	2,381,100	10,206,625	9,377,245	172,792	28,797,732
1954	7,420,290	2,562,128	10,383,078	9,210,632	347,595	29,923,723
1955	8,380,366	3,461,625	9,554,618	8,744,905	167,898	30,309,412
1956	8,748,981	4,138,232	10,072,475	8,679,245	113,102	31,752,035
1957	6,387,105	3,165,807	11,466,770	10,245,973	214,266	31,479,921
1958	5,226,170	4,230,613	9,005,309	9,965,286	213,585	28,427,378
1959	7,854,917	3,995,600	12,628,570	10,416,245	455,305	35,350,637

## CLASSIFICATION OF ACREAGES

* Fruit and Nut Crops	19,946
Truck and Seed Crops	15,139
Field Crops	133,767
Pasture and Fallow Land	223,428
Urban and Other	70,000
Marsh Land	52,000
Brush	15,000
Water	47,360

Total Area

901 Square Miles

576,640

131,400 Estimated Total County Population


423,123 Total Acres in Farms

92,000 Acres in Irrigated Farms

\* Includes non-bearing acreage

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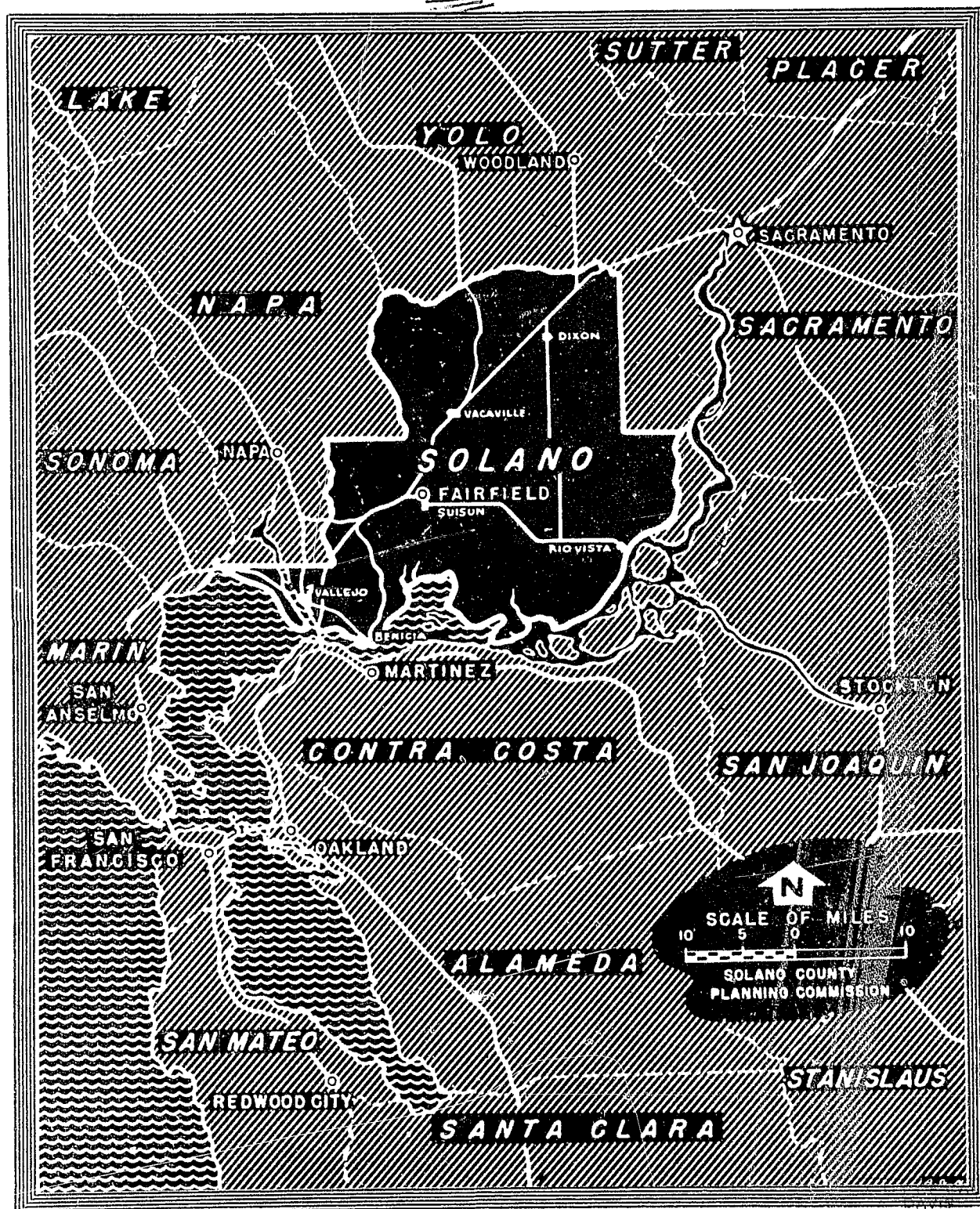
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Cattle & Calves (No Inventory taken in 1959)		
All (No Inventory taken in 1959)		33,150
Milk Cows (No Inventory taken in 1959)		4,500
2 yrs & over		
Cattle & Calves (No Inventory taken in 1959)		17,650
On Feed		
Sheep & Lambs (No Inventory taken in 1959)		
All (No Inventory taken in 1959)		180,000
Stock Sheep (No Inventory taken in 1959)		104,000
Hogs & Pigs (No Inventory taken in 1959)		650
Horses & Mules (No Inventory taken in 1959)		1,000
Hens & Pullets (No Inventory taken in 1959)		70,000
of Laying Age		
Turkey Breeder (No Inventory taken in 1959)		2,400
Hens		

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# Agricultural Crop Report

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Solano County Department of Agriculture

SOLANO COUNTY  
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

GEO. A. POHL  
AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER

ANNUAL CROP REPORT

For

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1960

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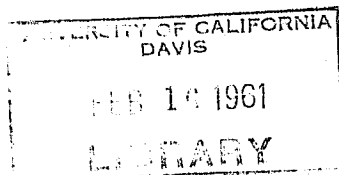
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To The Honorable Board of Supervisors and  
The Director of the State Department of Agriculture

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 65.5 of the Agricultural Code of the State of California, I am submitting herewith the 1960 Annual Crop Report for Solano County.

This is the twelfth Annual Crop Report to be compiled by this office. Since we are dependent upon the cooperation of growers, packers, livestock producers, and many others to reveal the correct figures to our representatives, individual items are held in strictest confidence. We believe that our composite figures are thus reasonably accurate, although some may be slightly below the total f.o.b. sums due to our inability to find all sources.

The total farm income for 1960 as shown on the last page is generally based on the average price received by the farmer. This represents gross income and should not be confused with net income.

Gross farm income this year was the highest ever recorded for Solano County. It must be emphasized, however, that these figures include all of the costs of production. These costs have continued to rise making it more difficult than ever for the farmer to realize a profit.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to my staff and the people of Solano County who have cooperated so splendidly with me in my twelfth year as Agricultural Commissioner of Solano County.

Respectfully submitted,



Geo. A. Pohl  
Agricultural Commissioner  
of  
Solano County

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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1959 AND 1960

Crop	Year	Bearing Acreage	Per Acre	Production (in units)		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Almonds	1960	2,469	.60	1,500	Ton	\$490.00	\$ 735,000.00
Total	1959	2,457	1.03	2,525	Ton	400.00	1,010,000.00
Apricots	1960	3,880	3.9	15,332	Ton	100.21	1,536,520.00
Total	1959	3,823	4.63	17,687	Ton	113.13	2,000,985.00
Canned	1960			7,960	Ton	90.00	716,400.00
	1959			13,442	Ton	105.00	1,411,410.00
Fresh Market	1960			2,534	Ton	130.00	329,420.00
	1959			1,725	Ton	155.00	267,375.00
Dried	1960			* 701	Ton	700.00	490,700.00
	1959			* 358	Ton	900.00	322,200.00
Cherries	1960	296	1.27	376	Ton	386.19	145,210.00
Total	1959	299	.86	258	Ton	432.23	111,516.00
Fresh Market	1960			131	Ton	510.00	66,810.00
	1959			177	Ton	463.00	81,951.00
Barrelled	1960			245	Ton	320.00	78,400.00
	1959			81	Ton	365.00	29,565.00
Grapes Wine	1960	593	1.77	1,050	Ton	80.00	84,000.00
Total	1959	613	4.08	2,500	Ton	54.60	136,500.00
Peaches	1960	3,031	5.44	16,474	Ton	46.76	770,450.00
Total	1959	3,032	5.79	17,550	Ton	62.00	1,087,860.00
Fresh Market	1960			505	Ton	50.00	25,250.00
	1959			202	Ton	60.00	12,120.00
Canned	1960			5,940	Ton	42.50	252,450.00
	1959			8,720	Ton	45.00	392,400.00
Dried	1960			*1,350	Ton	365.00	492,750.00
	1959			*1,627	Ton	420.00	683,340.00
Pears	1960	2,511	8.17	20,527	Ton	80.67	1,655,996.00
Total	1959	2,510	9.77	24,520	Ton	63.76	1,563,378.00
Canned #1	1960			15,842	Ton	83.50	1,322,807.00
	1959			18,955	Ton	65.00	1,232,075.00
Canned #2	1960			2,847	Ton	53.60	152,599.00
	1959			3,589	Ton	45.00	161,505.00
Fresh Market	1960			1,522	Ton	95.00	144,590.00
	1959			953	Ton	63.00	60,039.00



FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1959 AND 1960 (Cont'd.)

Crop	Year	Bearing Acreage	Per Acre	Production (in units)		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Pears (cont'd.) Dried	1960			* 60	Ton	\$600.00	\$ 36,000.00
	1959			* 196	Ton	560.00	109,760.00
Plums	1960	254	1.8	457	Ton	150.00	68,550.00
	1959	332	2.00	664	Ton	110.00	73,040.00
Prunes	1960	3,869	1.57	*6,059	Ton	380.00	2,302,420.00
	1959	3,827	1.24	*4,758	Ton	361.00	1,717,638.00
Walnuts	1960	839	.64	540	Ton	560.00	302,400.00
	1959	828	.33	275	Ton	480.00	132,000.00
Misc: Figs, ap- ples, olives	1960	105					20,000.00
	1959	110					22,000.00
Totals	1960	17,847					\$7,620,549.00
	1959	17,721					\$7,854,917.00

\*Dry Tons

TRUCK CROPS, 1959 AND 1960							
Asparagus Total	1960	2,647	1.24	3,282	Ton	232.30	\$ 762,408.00
	1959	2,940	1.31	3,850	Ton	205.66	791,800.00
Market	1960			753	Ton	240.00	180,720.00
	1959			1,090	Ton	220.00	239,800.00
Canning	1960			2,528	Ton	230.00	581,440.00
	1959			2,760	Ton	200.00	552,000.00
Cucumbers	1960	282	12.30	3,468	Ton	56.40	195,595.00
	1959	200	12.50	2,500	Ton	42.00	105,000.00
Onions	1960	157	16.06	2,522	Ton	31.00	78,182.00
	1959	70	8.64	605	Ton	30.16	18,150.00
Peas	1960	262	240.	62,880	Tubs	2.15	135,192.00
	1959	250	248.	62,000	Tubs	2.10	130,200.00
Tomatoes	1960	11,200	19.00	212,800	Ton	23.00	4,894,400.00
	1959	9,400	14.50	136,300	Ton	21.50	2,930,450.00
Misc. Veg.	1960	200				200.00	40,000.00
	1959	100				200.00	20,000.00
Totals	1960	14,748					\$6,105,777.00
	1959	12,960					\$3,955,600.00

# FIELD CROPS, 1959 AND 1960

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Production (in units)		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Alfalfa	1960	10,000	5.60	56,000	Ton	\$23.00	\$ 1,288,000.00
	1959	8,100	6.00	48,600	Ton	24.00	1,166,400.00
Barley	1960	35,000	1.10	38,500	Ton	40.00	1,540,000.00
	1959	36,000	.90	32,400	Ton	42.00	1,360,800.00
Beans	1960	3,300	.85	2,805	Ton	178.58	500,916.00
	1959	2,650	.76	2,015	Ton	183.28	369,320.00
Field Corn	1960	2,500	2.88	7,200	Ton	46.66	335,952.00
	1959	3,300	2.80	9,240	Ton	46.00	425,040.00
Oats	1960	8,900	1.0	8,900	Ton	47.00	418,300.00
	1959	8,000	.70	5,600	Ton	46.00	257,600.00
Sugar Beets	1960	14,800	22.	325,600	Ton	13.75	4,477,000.00
	1959	14,643	24.	351,432	Ton	14.00	4,920,048.00
Wheat	1960	10,900	1.08	11,772	Ton	60.00	706,320.00
	1959	10,774	1.	10,774	Ton	63.00	678,762.00
Hay, Grain	1960	12,500	1.5	18,750	Ton	21.50	403,125.00
	1959	14,500	1.50	21,750	Ton	22.00	478,500.00
Permanent Pas- ture	1960	19,000			Acre	40.00	760,000.00
	1959	20,000			Acre	40.00	800,000.00
Other Pas- ture	1960	180,000			Acre	5.00	900,000.00
	1959	183,000			Acre	5.00	915,000.00
Milo	1960	10,100	2.4	24,240	Ton	39.00	945,360.00
	1959	8,500	2.25	19,125	Ton	40.00	765,000.00
Safflower	1960	8,400	1.05	8,820	Ton	78.00	687,960.00
	1959	7,300	.89	6,475	Ton	76.00	492,100.00
Totals	1960	315,400					\$12,963,867.00
	1959	316,767					\$12,628,570.00

# SEED CROPS, 1959 AND 1960

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Production (in units)		Per Unit	Value
				Total	Unit		Total
Certified Alfalfa	1960	350	200	70,000	Lb.	.30	\$ 21,000.00
	1959	--	--	--	--	--	--
Certified Trefoil	1960	650	250	162,500	Lb.	.85	138,125.00
	1959	635	300	190,500	Lb.	.85	161,925.00
Ryer Milo 15	1960	371	3,500	1,298,500	Lb.	.032	41,552.00
	1959	460	4,000	1,840,000	Lb.	.032	58,880.00
Parsley	1960	20	750	15,000	Lb.	.20	3,000.00
	1959	--	--	--	Lb.	--	--
Cabbage	1960	7	1,214	8,500	Lb.	.40	3,400.00
	1959	--	--	--	Lb.	--	--
Trefoil	1960	350	150	52,500	Lb.	.80	42,000.00
	1959	1,000	300	300,000	Lb.	.75	225,000.00
Turnip	1960	25	146	3,650	Lb.	.14	511.00
	1959	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pea	1960	108	1,640	177,000	Lb.	.0435	7,699.00
	1959	90	2,000	180,000	Lb.	.05	9,000.00
Carrot	1960	24	605	14,520	Lb.	.37	5,372.00
	1959	12	83	1,000	Lb.	.50	500.00
Totals	1960	1,905					\$262,629.00
	1959	2,197					\$455,305.00

# LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY, 1959 AND 1960

Item	Year	Production		Unit	Per Unit	Value
		No. of Head	Total Liveweight			Total
Cattle and Calves*	1960	52,800	174,500	Cwt.	\$25.50	\$4,449,750.00
	1959	54,000	182,000	Cwt.	25.00	4,550,000.00
Sheep and Lambs*	1960	240,000	128,000	Cwt.	20.90	2,675,200.00
	1959	265,000	133,000	Cwt.	21.50	2,859,500.00
Broilers and Fryers	1960	70,000	210,000	Lb.	.19	39,900.00
	1959	110,000	330,000	Lb.	.18	59,400.00
Other Chickens	1960	105,000		Head	1.00	105,000.00
	1959	22,000	77,000	Lb.	.10	7,700.00
Hogs and Pigs	1960	2,900	5,800	Cwt.	17.40	100,920.00
	1959	1,650	3,300	Cwt.	17.00	56,100.00
Turkeys	1960	20,000	460,000	Lb.	.29	133,400.00
	1959	21,000	480,000	Lb.	.28	134,400.00

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY, 1959 AND 1960 (Cont'd.)

Item	Year	Production		Unit	Value	
		No. of Head	Total Liveweight		Per Unit	Total
Misc. Squabs,	1960					\$ 100,000.00
Rabbits	1959					75,000.00
Totals	1960					\$7,604,170.00
	1959					\$7,742,210.00

\*Includes gain in value of feeders

LIVESTOCK, POULTRY AND APIARY PRODUCTS, 1959 AND 1960

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value	
				Per Unit	Total
Bees - Honey	1960	355,000	Lbs.	\$ .11	\$ 39,050.00
	1959	269,280	Lbs.	.09	24,235.00
Wax	1960	4,100	Lbs.	.45	1,845.00
	1959	3,250	Lbs.	.45	1,462.00
Packages	1960	1,800	Each	4.00	7,200.00
	1959	1,755	Each	4.00	7,020.00
Queens	1960	2,000	Each	1.00	2,000.00
	1959	2,145	Each	1.00	2,145.00
Eggs - Chicken Market	1960	1,200,000	Doz.	.35	420,000.00
	1959	1,320,000	Doz.	.30	396,000.00
Eggs - Turkey Hatching	1960	190,000	Each	.23	43,700.00
	1959	150,000	Each	.22	33,000.00
Milk - Market	1960	323,761	Cwt.	4.80	1,554,057.00
	1959	332,760	Cwt.	4.74	1,577,282.00
Mfg.	1960	43,910	Cwt.	3.18	139,634.00
	1959	30,700	Cwt.	3.13	96,091.00
Wool	1960	1,300,000	Lbs.	.45	585,000.00
	1959	1,342,000	Lbs.	.40	536,800.00
Totals	1960				\$2,785,482.00
	1959				\$2,674,035.00

# SUMMARY

YEAR	FRUIT & NUT CROPS	TRUCK CROPS	FIELD CROPS	ANIMAL PRODUCTION	SEED CROPS	TOTALS
1950	\$6,813,033	\$2,148,623	\$ 9,749,189	\$10,302,443	\$269,348	\$29,282,636
1951	6,854,060	4,389,919	9,261,680	11,745,350	281,958	32,532,967
1952	5,903,740	3,533,240	11,550,080	10,370,830	311,383	31,669,273
1953	6,659,970	2,381,100	10,206,625	9,377,245	172,792	28,797,732
1954	7,420,290	2,562,128	10,383,078	9,210,632	347,595	29,923,723
1955	8,380,366	3,461,625	9,554,618	8,744,905	167,898	30,309,412
1956	8,748,981	4,138,232	10,072,475	8,679,245	113,102	31,752,035
1957	6,387,105	3,165,807	11,466,770	10,245,973	214,266	31,479,921
1958	5,226,170	4,230,613	9,005,309	9,965,286	213,585	28,427,378
1959	7,854,917	3,995,600	12,628,570	10,416,245	455,305	35,350,637
1960	7,620,549	6,105,777	12,963,867	10,389,652	262,629	37,342,474

## CLASSIFICATION OF ACREAGES

* Fruit and Nut Crops	20,156
Truck and Seed Crops	16,653
Field Crops	135,400
Pasture and Fallow Land	219,871
Urban and Other	70,200
Marsh Land	52,000
Brush	15,000
Water	47,360

Total Area  
901 Square Miles 576,640

135,000 Estimated Total County Population  
423,123 Total Acres in Farms  
97,000 Acres in Irrigated Farms

\* Includes non-bearing acreage

## JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK & POULTRY IN NUMBER OF HEAD

Item	January 1, 1961
Cattle & Calves	
All	32,500
Milk Cows - 2 yrs & over	4,750
Cattle & Calves - On Feed	15,100
Sheep & Lambs	
All	162,000
Stock Sheep	102,500
Hogs & Pigs	1,250
Horses and Mules	1,125
Hens & Pullets - Of Laying Age	63,000
Turkey Breeder - Hens	100

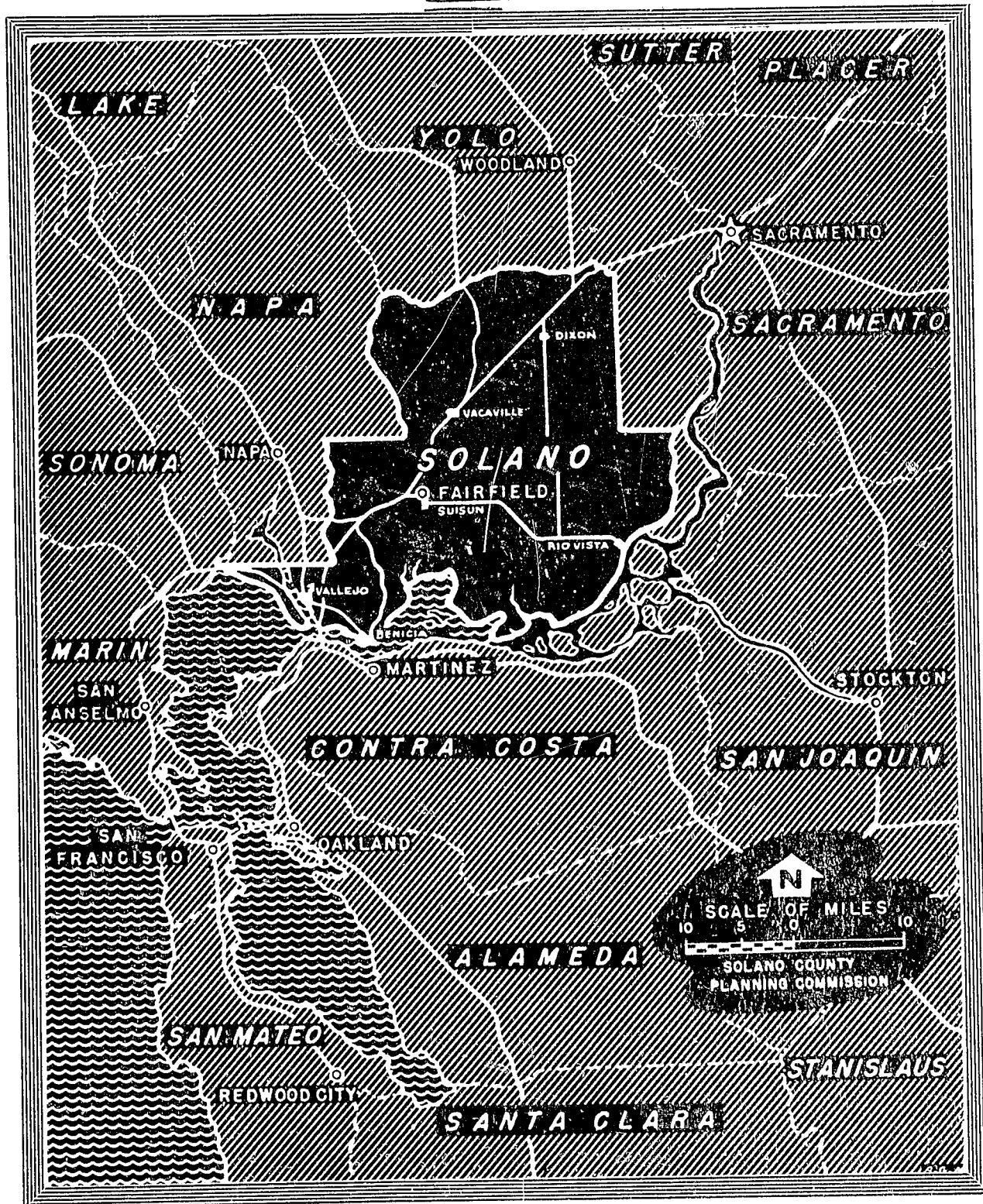
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# Agricultural Crop Report

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Solano County Department of Agriculture

SOLANO COUNTY  
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

GEO. A. POHL  
AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER

ANNUAL CROP REPORT  
FOR

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1961

CHARLES PAUL - STATE DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE

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To The Honorable Board of Supervisors and  
The Director of the State Department of Agriculture

Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 65.5 of the Agricultural Code of the State of California, I am submitting herewith the 1961 Annual Crop Report for Solano County.

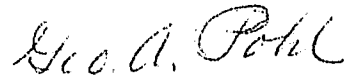
This is the Thirteenth Annual Crop Report to be compiled by this office. Since we are dependent upon the cooperation of growers, packers, livestock producers, and many others to reveal the correct figures to our representatives, individual items are held in strictest confidence. We believe that our composite figures are thus reasonably accurate, although some may be slightly below the total f.o.b. sums due to our inability to find all sources.

The total farm income for 1961 as shown on the last page is generally based on the average price received by the farmer. This represents gross income and should not be confused with net income.

Gross farm income this year was lower than last, due mainly to extreme hot weather at a critical point in the growth of many crops, thus reducing yields. It must be emphasized, however, that these figures include all the costs of production. These costs have continued to rise making it more difficult than ever for the farmer to realize a profit.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to my staff and the people of Solano County who have cooperated so splendidly with me in my Thirteenth year as Agricultural Commissioner of Solano County.

Respectfully submitted,



Geo. A. Pohl

Agricultural Commissioner

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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS : ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1960 AND 1961

Crop	Year	Bearing Acreage	Per Acre	Production (in units)		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Almonds	1961	2,424	.7	1,700	Ton	\$495.00	\$ 841,000
Total	1960	2,469	.6	1,500	Ton	490.00	735,000
Apricots	1961	3,547	3.5	12,600	Ton	92.00	1,159,000
Total	1960	3,890	3.9	15,332	Ton	100.21	1,536,520
Canned	1961			6,510	Ton	80.00	521,000
	1960			7,960	Ton	90.00	716,400
Fresh Market	1961			2,470	Ton	110.00	272,000
	1960			2,534	Ton	130.00	329,420
Dried	1961			* 508	Ton	720.00	366,000
	1960			* 701	Ton	700.00	329,420
Cherries	1961	229	1.6	373	Ton	373.00	139,000
Total	1960	296	1.27	376	Ton	386.19	145,210
Fresh Market	1961			176	Ton	500.00	88,000
	1960			131	Ton	510.00	66,800
Barreled	1961			197	Ton	260.00	51,200
	1960			245	Ton	320.00	78,400
Grapes, Wine	1961	550	4.2	2,310	Ton	135.00	312,000
Total	1960	593	1.7	1,050	Ton	80.00	84,000
Peaches	1961	2,671	4.9	13,060	Ton	58.90	769,000
Total	1960	3,031	5.44	16,474	Ton	46.76	770,450
Fresh Market	1961			370	Ton	45.00	17,600
	1960			505	Ton	50.00	25,250
Canned	1961			5,100	Ton	43.00	219,000
	1960			5,940	Ton	42.50	252,450
Dried	1961			*1,160	Ton	460.00	534,000
	1960			*1,358	Ton	365.00	492,750
Pears	1961	2,349	9.2	21,600	Ton	96.50	2,085,000
Total	1960	2,510	8.17	20,527	Ton	80.67	1,655,996
Canned #1	1961			16,100	Ton	99.00	1,594,000
	1960			15,842	Ton	83.50	1,322,807
Canned #2	1961			2,820	Ton	60.00	169,000
	1960			2,847	Ton	53.60	152,599
Fresh Market	1961			2,100	Ton	125.00	262,000
	1960			1,522	Ton	95.00	144,590

FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE, 1960 AND 1961 (Cont'd)

Crop	Year	Bearing Acreage	Per Acre	Production (in units)		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Pears (cont'd) Dried	1961			* 107	Ton	\$560.00	\$ 60,000
	1960			* 60	Ton	600.00	36,000
Plums	1961	165	.2	330	Ton	160.00	52,800
	1960	254	1.8	457	Ton	150.00	68,550
Prunes	1961	3,634	1.25	*4,540	Ton	340.00	1,554,000
	1960	3,869	1.57	*6,059	Ton	380.00	2,302,420
Walnuts	1961	981	.5	490	Ton	440.00	216,000
	1960	839	.64	540	Ton	560.00	302,400
Misc: Figs, Apples, Olives	1961	90					18,000
	1960	105					20,000
Totals	1961	16,640					\$7,136,000
	1960	17,947					\$7,620,549

\*Dry Tons

TRUCK CROPS, 1960 AND 1961

Asparagus Total	1961	2,472	1.07	2,650	Ton	\$230.00	\$ 610,000
	1960	2,647	1.24	3,282	Ton	232.00	762,408
Market	1961			250	Ton	228.00	57,000
	1960			753	Ton	240.00	180,720
Canning	1961			2,400	Ton	231.00	554,000
	1960			2,523	Ton	230.00	581,440
Cucumbers	1961	324	10.1	3,270	Ton	60.00	196,000
	1960	282	12.3	3,468	Ton	56.40	195,595
Onions	1961	160	10.3	1,840	Ton	33.00	60,700
	1960	157	16.7	2,522	Ton	31.00	78,182
Peas	1961	110	375	41,200	Tubs	2.00	82,400
	1960	262	240	62,000	Tubs	2.15	135,192
Tomatoes	1961	9,600	15.0	144,000	Tons	30.00	4,320,000
	1960	11,200	19.0	212,800	Tons	23.00	4,894,400
Misc. Veg.	1961	350				250.00	87,500
	1960	200				200.00	40,000
Totals	1961	13,016					\$5,357,600
	1960	14,748					\$6,105,777

# FIELD CROPS, 1960 AND 1961

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Production (in units)		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Alfalfa	1961	9,700	6.0	58,200	Ton	18.50	\$1,077,000
	1960	10,000	5.6	56,000	Ton	23.00	1,298,000
Barley	1961	36,000	1.2	43,200	Ton	41.00	1,771,000
	1960	35,000	1.10	38,500	Ton	40.00	1,540,000
Beans	1961	3,500	.60	2,100	Ton	250.00	525,000
	1960	3,300	.85	2,805	Ton	178.58	500,916
Field Corn	1961	3,000	2.70	8,100	Ton	48.00	389,000
	1960	2,500	2.98	7,200	Ton	46.66	335,952
Oats	1961	9,000	1.0	9,000	Ton	46.00	414,000
	1960	8,900	1.0	8,900	Ton	47.00	418,300
Sugar Beets	1961	18,200	16.0	291,200	Ton	12.50	3,640,000
	1960	14,800	22.0	325,600	Ton	13.75	4,477,000
Wheat	1961	10,500	1.10	11,550	Ton	63.00	727,000
	1960	10,900	1.08	11,772	Ton	60.00	706,320
Hay, Grain	1961	12,000	1.5	18,000	Ton	18.50	333,000
	1960	12,500	1.5	18,750	Ton	21.50	403,125
Permanent Pasture	1961	19,500				36.00	702,000
	1960	19,000				40.00	760,000
Other Pasture	1961	175,000				5.00	875,000
	1960	180,000				5.00	900,000
Milo	1961	14,000	2.5	35,000		41.00	1,435,000
	1960	10,100	2.4	24,240		39.00	945,360
Safflower	1961	5,300	1.20	6,360		80.00	509,000
	1960	8,400	1.05	8,820		79.00	687,960
Totals	1961	315,700					\$12,397,000
	1960	315,400					\$12,963,867

# SEED CROPS, 1960 AND 1961

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Per Acre	Production (in units)		Value	
				Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Certified Alfalfa	1961	542	325	175,000	Lb	.32	\$ 56,300
	1960	350	200	70,000	Lb	.30	21,000
Certified Trefoil	1961	883	150	132,000	Lb	.90	106,000
	1960	650	250	162,500	Lb	.85	133,125
Ryer Milo 15	1961	358	2,370	948,000	Lb	.032	27,100
	1960	371	3,500	1,298,500	Lb	.032	41,552
Parsley	1961	15	188	2,800	Lb	.20	560
	1960	20	750	15,000	Lb	.20	3,000
Cabbage	1961	15	820	12,300	Lb	.40	4,920
	1960	7	1,214	8,500	Lb	.40	3,400
Trefoil	1961	120	200	24,000	Lb	.75	18,000
	1960	350	150	52,500	Lb	.90	42,000
Turnip	1961	19	654	12,400	Lb	.12	1,490
	1960	25	146	3,650	Lb	.14	510
Pea	1961	110	2,440	268,000	Lb	.046	12,300
	1960	108	1,640	177,000	Lb	.0435	7,699
Carrot	1961	20	100	2,000	Lb	.45	900
	1960	24	605	14,520	Lb	.37	5,372
Misc.	1961	43					4,500
	1960						
Totals	1961	2,125					\$232,070
	1960	1,905					\$262,629

# LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY, 1960 AND 1961

Item	Year	Production		Unit	Value	
		No of Head	Total Liveweight		Per Unit	Total
Cattle & Calves*	1961	43,000	144,000	Cwt.	25.00	\$3,600,000
	1960	52,800	174,500	Cwt.	25.50	4,449,750
Sheep & Lambs*	1961	212,000	117,000	Cwt.	16.50	1,930,000
	1960	240,000	128,000	Cwt.	20.90	2,675,200
Broilers & Fryers	1961	75,000	225,000	Lb.	.16	36,000
	1960	70,000	210,000	Lb.	.19	39,900

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY, 1960 AND 1961 (Cont'd)

Item	Year	Production		Unit	Value	
		No of Head	Total Liveweight		Per Unit	Total
Other Chickens	1961	27,500		Head	1.60	\$ 44,000
	1960	105,000		Head	1.00	105,000
Hogs and Pigs	1961	2,100	4,200	Cwt.	18.00	75,600
	1960	2,900	5,800	Cwt.	17.40	100,920
Turkeys	1961	6,500	144,000	Lb.	.18	25,900
	1960	20,000	460,000	Lb.	.29	133,400
Misc. Squabs, Rabbits	1961					90,000
	1960					100,000
Totals	1961					\$5,801,500
	1960					\$7,604,170

\*Includes gain in value of feeders

LIVESTOCK, POULTRY AND APIARY PRODUCTS, 1960 AND 1961

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value	
				Per Unit	Total
Bees - Honey	1961	375,000	Lbs.	.12	\$ 45,000
	1960	355,000	Lbs.	.11	39,050
Wax	1961	4,200	Lbs.	.45	1,890
	1960	4,100	Lbs.	.45	1,845
Packages	1961	1,500	Each	4.00	6,000
	1960	1,800	Each	4.00	7,200
Queens	1961	1,800	Each	1.00	1,800
	1960	2,000	Each	1.00	2,000
Eggs - Chicken Market	1961	830,000	Doz.	.31	257,300
	1960	1,200,000	Doz.	.35	420,000
Milk - Market	1961	330,000	Cwt.	4.63	1,579,000
	1960	323,761	Cwt.	4.80	1,555,053
Mfg.	1961	52,200	Cwt.	3.29	172,000
	1960	43,910	Cwt.	3.18	139,634
Wool	1961	1,290,000	Lbs.	.47	606,300
	1960	1,300,000	Lbs.	.45	585,000
Totals	1961				\$2,669,290
	1960				\$2,795,482

# SUMMARY

YEAR	FRUIT & NUT CROPS	TRUCK CROPS	FIELD CROPS	ANIMAL PRODUCTION	SEED CROPS	TOTALS
1951	\$6,854,060	\$4,399,919	\$ 9,261,680	\$11,745,350	\$281,953	\$32,532,967
1952	5,903,740	3,533,240	11,550,080	10,370,830	311,383	31,669,273
1953	6,659,970	2,331,100	10,206,625	9,377,245	172,792	28,797,732
1954	7,420,290	2,562,128	10,383,078	9,210,632	347,595	29,923,723
1955	8,380,366	3,461,625	9,554,618	8,744,905	167,898	30,309,412
1956	8,748,981	4,138,232	10,072,475	8,679,245	113,102	31,752,035
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1958	5,226,170	4,230,613	9,005,309	9,965,286	213,585	28,427,378
1959	7,854,917	3,995,600	12,628,570	10,416,245	455,305	35,350,637
1960	7,620,549	6,105,777	12,963,867	10,389,652	262,629	37,342,474
1961	7,136,000	5,357,600	12,397,000	8,470,790	232,070	33,593,460

## CLASSIFICATION OF ACREAGES

* Fruit and Nut Crops	19,399
Truck and Seed Crops	15,141
Field Crops	140,700
Pasture and Fallow Land	216,540
Urban and Other	70,500
Marsh Land	52,000
Water	47,360
Brush	15,000

Total Area  
901 Square Miles 576,640

142,000 Estimated Total County Population  
477,975 Total Acres in Farms  
115,000 Acres in Irrigated Farms

\* Includes non-bearing acreage

## JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK & POULTRY IN NUMBER OF HEAD

Item	January 1, 1962
Cattle & Calves	
All	29,000
Milk Cows - 2 yrs & over	5,000
Cattle & Calves - on feed	10,200
Sheep & Lambs	
All	160,000
Stock Sheep	100,000
Hogs & Pigs	1,100
Horses & Mules	1,200
Hens & Pullets - Of Laying Age	61,000