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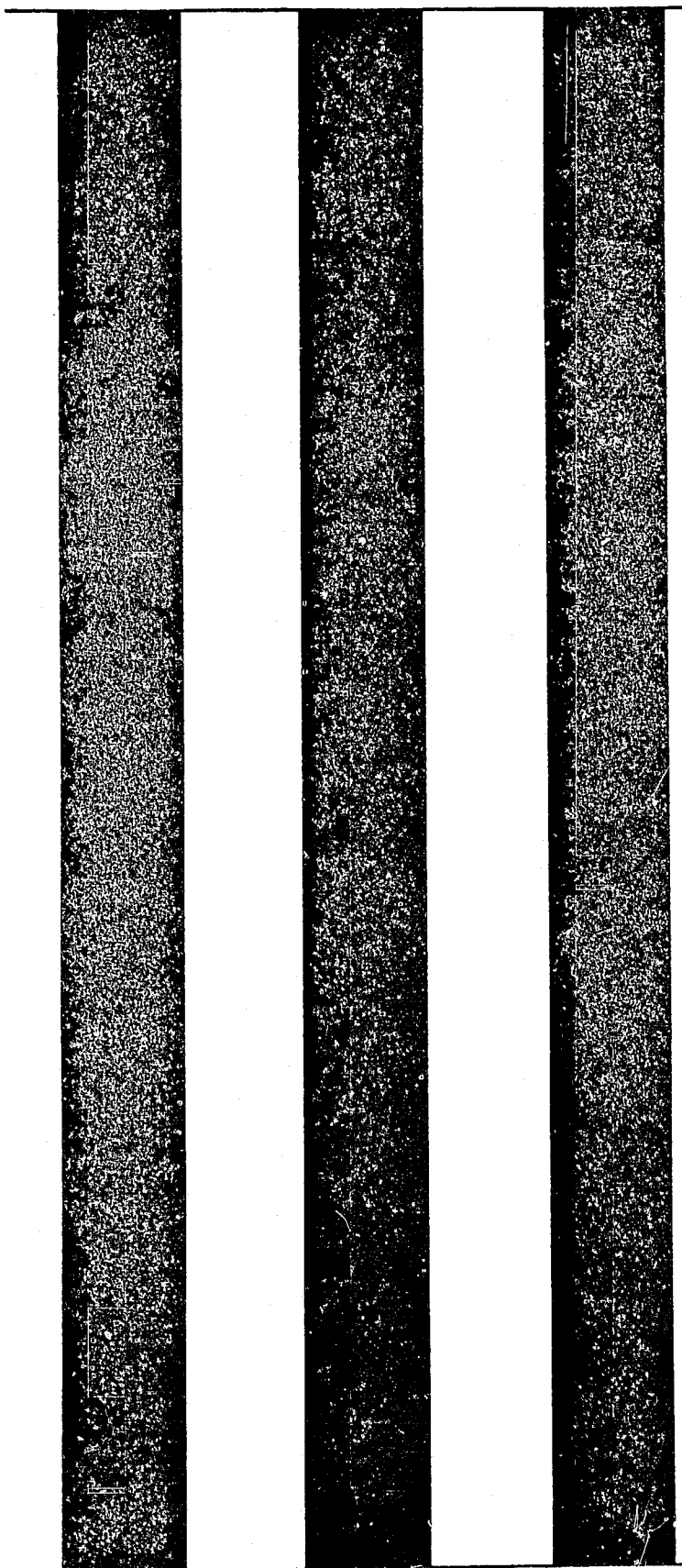
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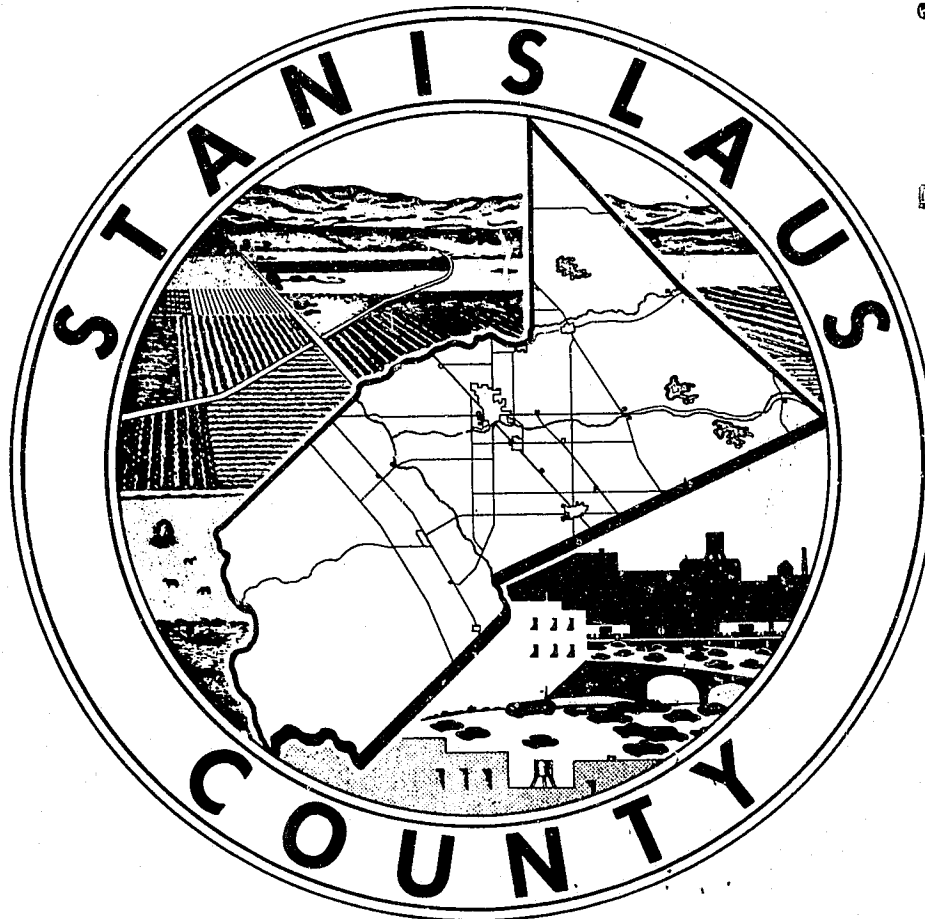
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Annual Crop Report for Year 1974

Stanislaus County

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The Honorable Board of Supervisors
Stanislaus County

Gentlemen:

In accordance with section 2279 of the California Food and Agriculture Code, the 1974 Crop Report for Stanislaus County is hereby submitted. The total gross income is estimated to have been \$426,581,000. It is emphasized that this figure represents gross income only, and does not indicate net income.

Although the 1974 gross income was 12.4 percent above that of 1973, and is a new high for the County, operational, production and marketing costs are also at record levels. Labor, fuel, feed, fertilizer and pesticide costs have had a serious affect on net incomes.

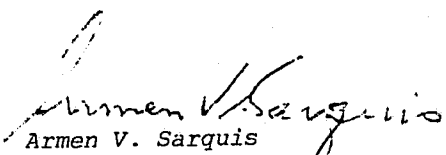
Moreover, many commodities were subject to drastic reductions in market values. The market prices received for nine major commodities averaged 32 percent below those received in 1973, and this of course had a further impact on net incomes.

The County's ten leading commodities in 1974 were:

Milk, all	\$79,561,000
Chickens, all	68,412,000
Egg, chicken, all	44,575,000
Cattle & calves, all	34,999,000
Peaches, all	27,030,000
Almonds	18,706,000
Alfalfa	17,415,000
Tomatoes, all	16,597,000
Grapes, all	14,517,000
Walnuts	10,090,000

We wish to express our appreciation to the many persons who have contributed to the preparation of this report.

Respectfully,


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Director of Extension

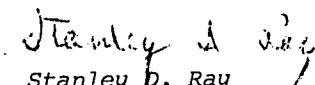

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PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1973-74

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>ALMONDS</u>				
Davey		436	1	
Drake		136	--	
IXL		32	--	
Jordanolo		202	--	
Merced		3,611	1,005	
Ne Plus Ultra		2,081	211	
Nonpareil		17,543	3,418	
Peerless		71	4	
Texas		4,157	643	
Thompson		1,395	664	
Others		226	829	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1974	29,890	6,775	36,665
	1973	27,048	8,706	35,754
<u>APPLES</u>				
Delicious		--	1	
Golden Delicious		--	38	
Others		--	20	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1974	--	59	59
	1973	--	59	59
<u>APRICOTS</u>				
Blenheim-Royal		105	--	
Tilton		8,697	750	
Others		346	190	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1974	9,148	940	10,088
	1973	7,553	2,462	10,015
<u>AVOCADOS</u>				
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1974	--	2	2
	1973	--	2	2
<u>CHERRIES</u>				
Bing		109	103	
Black Tartarian		3	--	
Lambert		6	--	
Royal Ann		18	--	
Seedlings		42	1	
Others		6	15	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1974	184	119	303
	1973	184	119	303
<u>CHESTNUTS</u>				
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1974	1	--	1
	1973	1	--	1

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1973-74

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>CITRUS</u>				
Lemons		20	58	
Limes		--	1	
Oranges		50	12	
Tangelos		9	--	
Tangerines		--	46	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	117	196
		1973	145	195
<u>FIGS</u>				
Black		10	--	
Kadota		3	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	--	13
		1973	--	13
<u>GRAPES, RAISIN</u>				
Muscat of Alexandria		9	--	
Thompson Seedless		4,374	22	
Others		--	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	22	4,405
		1973	2	4,602
<u>GRAPES, TABLE</u>				
Black Prince		6	--	
Malaga		26	--	
Red Malaga		21	--	
Others		17	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	--	70
		1973	--	71
<u>GRAPES, WINE</u>				
Alicante Bouschet		210	2	
Barbera		1,464	265	
Beclan		35	--	
Black Malvoisie		45	--	
Burger		11	--	
Cabernet Sauvignon		80	5	
Carignane		2,949	260	
Carnelian		--	12	
Chenin Blanc		1,482	220	
Feher Szagos		34	--	
French Columbard		1,990	194	
Gamay		--	138	
Grand Noir		10	--	
Grenache		2,321	147	
Malbec		--	45	
Malvasia Bianca		233	--	
Mission		738	3	

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1973-74

<u>Crop</u>			<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>GRAPES, WINE</u>					
Muscadelle Du Bordelais			9	--	
Muscat Blanc			5	10	
Muscat Hamburg			19	--	
Nebbiolo			200	--	
Palomino			630	--	
Petite Sirah			422	114	
Pinot Blanc			--	36	
Royalty			195	--	
Rubired			118	26	
Ruby Cabernet			837	1,332	
St. Emilion			563	--	
St. Macaire			130	14	
Salvador			39	--	
Sauvignon Blanc			--	90	
Sauvignon Vert			32	--	
Semillon			322	182	
Souzao			59	--	
Tinta Madeira			18	--	
Valdepenas			797	38	
White Riesling			--	64	
Zinfandel			124	448	
Others			83	4	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	16,204	3,649	19,853
		1973	13,866	5,094	18,960
<u>KIWI</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	--	7	7
		1973	--	1	1
<u>NECTARINES</u>					
Early Le Grand			3	--	
Early Sun Grand			21	--	
Le Grand			20	--	
Red Grand			17	8	
Red June			3	--	
September Grand			3	--	
Sun Grand			31	6	
Others			45	6	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	143	20	163
		1973	153	20	173
<u>OLIVES</u>					
Manzanillo			66	--	
Mission			128	--	
Sevillano			1	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	195	--	195
		1973	207	--	207

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1973-74

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>PEACHES, CLING</u>				
Andora		58	--	
Carolyn		1,242	242	
Carson		1,059	205	
Corona		795	16	
Cortez		130	--	
Dixon		1,117	2	
Fortuna		179	--	
Gaume		648	8	
Halford		3,530	151	
Loadel		1,030	385	
McKnight		238	--	
Paloro		683	78	
Peak		157	24	
Sowell		161	--	
Starn		1,690	88	
Stuart-Gomes		304	--	
Vivian		328	--	
Wiser		795	25	
Others		<u>1,344</u>	<u>636</u>	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974		<u>17,348</u>
		1973		<u>18,340</u>
		15,488	1,860	
		15,607	2,733	
<u>PEACHES, FREESTONE</u>				
Cardinal		3	--	
Elberta		123	1	
Fay Elberta		2,286	90	
July Elberta		2	--	
Red Globe		3	--	
Red Haven		5	--	
Red Top		1	--	
Rio Oso Gem		171	10	
Suncrest		3	--	
Others		<u>135</u>	<u>--</u>	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974		<u>2,833</u>
		1973		<u>2,811</u>
		2,732	101	
		2,638	173	
<u>PEARS</u>				
Bartlett		480	3	
Others		<u>2</u>	<u>19</u>	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974		<u>504</u>
		1973		<u>504</u>
		482	22	
		482	22	
<u>PECANS</u>				
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974		<u>13</u>
		1973		<u>12</u>
		12	1	
		11	1	
<u>PERSIMMONS</u>				
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974		<u>14</u>
		1973		<u>14</u>
		1	13	
		1	13	

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1973-74

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>	
<u>PISTACHIO NUTS</u>					
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	4	26	30
		1973	4	26	30
<u>PLUMS</u>					
	Casselman		4	--	
	Laroda		1	--	
	Nubiana		1	--	
	President		5	--	
	Santa Rosa		22	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	33	--	33
		1973	33	--	33
<u>POMEGRANATES</u>					
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	3	--	3
		1973	3	--	3
<u>PRUNES</u>					
	French		84	11	
	Others		1	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	85	11	96
		1973	84	12	96
<u>WALNUTS</u>					
	Ashley		606	968	
	Blackmer		44	2	
	Concord		39	--	
	Eureka		4,482	192	
	Franquette		3,208	45	
	Hartley		6,049	1,152	
	Mayette		281	--	
	Nugget		244	--	
	Payne		5,167	1,054	
	Placentia		5	--	
	Waterloo		325	16	
	Others		353	1,592	
	Plack		256	225	
	Seedlings		26	35	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	21,085	5,281	26,366
		1973	20,207	6,006	26,213
<u>PERMANENT CROP</u>					
	<u>ACREAGE:</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1974		119,260
			1973		118,411

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1973-74

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Barley</u>	1974	24,800	1.40	34,700	Ton	\$ 93.00	\$ 3,227,000
	1973	20,400	1.35	27,500	"	75.00	2,062,000
<u>Beans, dry edible</u>							
Blackeyes	1974	7,000	1.00	7,000	Ton	240.00	1,680,000
	1973	7,100	1.10	7,810	"	570.50	4,526,000
Baby Limas	1974	6,000	1.30	7,800	Ton	280.00	2,184,000
	1973	6,060	1.40	8,480	"	577.00	4,893,000
Large Limas	1974	8,000	1.20	9,600	Ton	440.00	4,224,000
	1973	7,900	1.20	9,480	"	754.00	7,148,000
Other Beans	1974	8,000	1.30	10,400	Ton	580.00	6,032,000
	1973	7,500	1.30	9,750	"	671.00	6,542,000
<u>Corn</u>	1974	3,000	2.20	6,600	Ton	129.00	851,000
	1973	3,100	2.35	7,280	"	100.00	728,000
<u>Hay, Alfalfa</u>	1974	38,000	7.10	270,000	Ton	64.50	17,415,000
	1973	36,700	7.20	264,000	"	48.50	12,804,000
<u>Hay, Grain</u>	1974	21,000	2.40	50,400	Ton	40.00	2,016,000
	1973	21,500	2.40	51,600	"	35.00	1,806,000
<u>Oats</u>	1974	1,200	1.25	1,500	Ton	125.00	188,000
	1973	1,000	1.25	1,250	"	97.50	122,000
<u>Pasture & Range</u>							
Irrig. Pasture	1974	73,500	--	--	Acre	115.00	8,452,000
	1973	75,500	--	--	"	95.00	7,172,000
Sudan Grass	1974	1,300	--	--	Acre	155.00	202,000
	1973	1,330	--	--	"	150.00	200,000
Range	1974	385,000	--	--	Acre	12.00	4,620,000
	1973	391,000	--	--	"	12.00	4,692,000
<u>Rice</u>	1974	2,570	2.80	7,200	Ton	265.00	1,908,000
	1973	2,260	2.60	5,880	"	245.50	1,444,000
<u>Silage Corn (1)</u>	1974	32,500	20.00	650,000	Ton	15.00	9,750,000
	1973	32,000	18.70	598,000	"	15.00	8,970,000

(1) In the silo.

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1973-74

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Sorghum Grain</u>	1974	4,500	2.40	10,800	Ton	\$133.50	\$ 1,442,000
	1973	4,580	2.10	9,620	"	107.50	1,034,000
<u>Straw Grain</u>	1974	--	--	3,500	Ton	17.50	61,200
	1973	--	--	3,500	"	15.00	52,500
<u>Sugar Beets</u>	1974	4,100	26.50	109,000	Ton	30.00	3,270,000
	1973	5,580	24.30	136,000	"	18.50	2,516,000
<u>Wheat</u>	1974	1,000	1.90	1,900	Ton	110.00	209,000
	1973	700	2.00	1,400	"	103.00	144,000
<u>Misc.</u>	1974	1,000	--	--	Acre	160.00	160,000
	1973	600	--	--	"	150.00	90,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	622,470	--	--	--	--	67,891,200
	1973	624,810	--	--	--	--	66,945,500

NOTE: Acreage figures include double-cropping.

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1973-74

<u>Alfalfa</u>	1974	150	485	72,800	Lbs.	\$.93	\$ 67,700
	1973	130	440	57,200	"	.86	49,200
<u>Red Clover</u>	1974	120	470	56,400	Lbs.	1.10	62,000
	1973	100	382	38,200	"	.95	36,300
<u>Misc.</u>	1974	1,110	--	--	Acre	315.00	350,000
	1973	1,100	--	--	"	338.50	372,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	1,380	--	--	--	--	479,700
	1973	1,330	--	--	--	--	457,500

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1973-74

<u>Beans, Green Lima</u>	1974	8,000	1.50	12,000	Ton	\$300.00	\$3,600,000
	1973	7,900	1.55	12,200	"	190.00	2,318,000
<u>Broccoli</u>	1974	500	2.90	1,450	Ton	200.00	290,000
	1973	300	3.00	900	"	173.00	156,000
<u>Cauliflower</u>	1974	1,100	5.70	6,270	Ton	230.00	1,442,000
	1973	1,500	5.50	8,250	"	216.50	1,786,000

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1973-74

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Melons</u>							
Cantaloupe	1974	690	7.00	4,830	Ton	\$135.00	\$ 652,000
	1973	825	6.40	5,280	"	107.50	568,000
Honeydew	1974	2,140	8.50	18,200	Ton	155.00	2,821,000
	1973	2,490	9.20	22,900	"	123.00	2,817,000
Persian	1974	165	5.00	825	Ton	150.00	124,000
	1973	125	5.20	650	"	104.00	67,600
Other Musk- melons	1974	530	8.00	4,240	Ton	155.00	657,000
	1973	575	8.15	4,690	"	96.00	450,000
Watermelon	1974	270	17.50	4,720	Ton	80.00	378,000
	1973	880	14.00	12,300	"	30.00	369,000
<u>Onions, All</u>	1974	810	20.50	16,600	Ton	75.00	1,245,000
	1973	600	24.10	14,500	"	73.00	1,058,000
<u>Peas, Green</u>	1974	6,270	1.50	9,400	Ton	97.50	916,000
	1973	5,700	1.80	10,300	"	88.50	912,000
<u>Peppers, All</u>	1974	600	17.00	10,200	Ton	125.00	1,275,000
	1973	615	18.50	11,400	"	88.50	1,009,000
<u>Pumpkins, All</u>	1974	150	13.00	1,950	Ton	50.00	97,500
	1973	200	10.00	2,000	"	25.00	50,000
<u>Snap Beans</u>	1974	1,060	2.70	2,860	Ton	145.00	415,000
	1973	1,430	2.50	3,580	"	100.00	358,000
<u>Spinach</u>	1974	2,800	10.70	30,000	Ton	38.00	1,140,000
	1973	2,430	8.55	20,800	"	30.50	634,000
<u>Squash, All</u>	1974	50	10.50	525	Ton	45.00	23,600
	1973	80	12.00	960	"	30.00	28,800
<u>Sweet Potatoes All</u>	1974	200	7.00	1,400	Ton	250.00	350,000
	1973	280	6.00	1,680	"	300.00	504,000
<u>Tomatoes, Fresh</u>	1974	3,000	8.90	26,700	Ton	205.50	5,487,000
	1973	4,100	5.50	22,600	"	223.50	5,051,000
<u>Tomatoes, Cannery</u>	1974	7,100	28.50	202,000	Ton	55.00	11,110,000
	1973	8,210	26.80	220,000	"	34.00	7,480,000
<u>Misc.</u>	1974	1,500	--	--	Acre	1,100.00	1,650,000
	1973	2,370	--	--	"	507.00	1,202,000

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1973-74

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	36,935	--	--	--	--	\$33,673,100
	1973	40,610	--	--	--	--	26,818,400

Note 1: Acreage figures include double-cropping.
 Note 2: Fresh market are F.O.B. shipping point.

FRUIT & NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1973-74

<u>Almonds (1)</u>	1974	29,500	850	25,075,000	Lbs.	\$.746	\$18,706,000
	1973	27,000	819	22,113,000	"	1.080	23,882,000
<u>Apricots</u>	1974	9,100	4.10	37,300	Ton	215.00	8,020,000
	1973	7,600	8.25	62,700	"	131.50	8,245,000
<u>Bushberries</u>	1974	280	4.50	1,260	Ton	552.00	696,000
	1973	220	5.05	1,110	"	840.00	932,000
<u>Cherries</u>	1974	180	1.50	270	Ton	670.00	181,000
	1973	180	2.20	396	"	447.50	177,000
<u>Grapes, Raisin</u>							
Crushed	1974	4,250	6.80	28,900	Ton	75.00	2,168,000
	(Rev) 1973	3,860	8.00	30,900	"	75.00	2,318,000
Other	1974	125	7.50	940	Ton	75.00	70,500
	1973	730	8.50	6,200	"	150.00	930,000
<u>Grapes, Table</u>	1974	70	6.00	420	Ton	75.00	31,500
	(Rev) 1973	70	6.90	480	"	75.00	36,000
<u>Grapes, Wine</u>							
Crushed	1974	16,200	6.00	97,200	Ton	126.00	12,247,000
	1973	13,600	6.50	88,400	"	174.00	15,382,000
Other	1974	Under Misc. for 1974					
	1973	190	5.50	1,040	Ton	210.00	218,000
<u>Nectarines</u>	1974	140	8.50	1,190	Ton	190.00	226,000
	1973	150	7.70	1,160	"	215.50	250,000
<u>Peaches, Cling</u>	1974	15,400	11.50	177,000	Ton	132.50	23,452,000
	1973	15,600	11.30	176,000	"	100.00	17,600,000
<u>Peaches, Freestone</u>	1974	2,700	10.00	27,000	Ton	132.50	3,578,000
	1973	2,630	10.35	27,200	"	100.00	2,720,000

FRUIT & NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1973-74

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Strawberries</u>	1974	96	10.00	960	Ton	\$ 300.00	\$ 288,000
	1973	106	5.50	580	"	450.00	261,000
<u>Walnuts (2)</u>	1974	21,000	2,184	45,864,000	Lbs.	.220	10,090,000
	1973	20,200	2,095	42,319,000	"	.310	13,119,000
<u>Misc. (3)</u>	1974	900	--	--	Acre	1,275.00	1,148,000
	1973	890	--	--	"	1,004.50	894,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	99,941	--	--	--	--	80,902,000
	1973	93,026	--	--	--	--	86,964,000

(1) Meats

(2) In-shell

(3) Includes chestnuts, citrus, figs, olives, pears, pecans, persimmons, pistachio nuts, plums, pomegranates and prunes.

Note 1: Acreages include interplanting.

Note 2: Fresh market prices are F.O.B. shipping point.

NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA, SALES, AND VALUE 1973-74

<u>Item</u>		<u>Field acres</u>	<u>Quantity sold</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Deciduous Fruit & Nut Trees</u>	1974	193	2,507,000	Plants	\$ 1.066	\$2,672,000
	1973	165	1,955,000	"	1.030	2,014,000
<u>Ornamental Trees & Shrubs (1)</u>	1974	40	759,000	Plants	.861	653,000
	1973	37	705,000	"	.809	570,000
<u>Misc. (2)</u>	1974	300	--	Acre	6,325.00	1,898,000
	1973	425	--	"	4,492.00	1,909,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	533	--	--	--	5,223,000
	1973	627	--	--	--	4,493,000

(1) Includes broadleaf evergreens, coniferous evergreens, deciduous shade trees and deciduous shrubs.

(2) Includes bedding plants, cut green decoratives, turf, indoor decoratives, vegetable plants, grape vines and small fruit plants.

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1973-74

		<u>No. of head</u>	<u>Total live wt. unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Cattle & Calves</u>					
Beef	1974	90,000	675,000 cwt.	\$35.00	\$ 23,625,000
	1973	85,000	638,000 "	46.00	29,348,000
Dairy	1974	70,000	484,000 cwt.	23.50	11,374,000
	1973	66,000	457,000 "	41.40	18,920,000
<u>Sheep & Lambs</u>	1974	4,000	3,960 cwt.	40.00	158,000
	1973	4,200	4,830 "	36.30	175,000
<u>Hogs & Pigs</u>	1974	8,000	12,000 cwt.	35.50	426,000
	1973	8,500	12,800 "	35.50	454,000
<u>Broilers & Fryers</u>	1974	28,702,000	117,965,000 lbs.	.450	53,084,000
	1973	27,563,000	114,662,000 "	.205	23,506,000
<u>Other Chickens</u>	1974	2,627,000	15,762,000 lbs.	.226	3,562,000
	1973	1,982,000	9,910,000 "	.112	1,110,000
<u>Chicks, All</u>	1974	68,807,000	-- ea.	.171	11,766,000
	1973	65,376,000	-- "	.131	8,564,000
<u>Turkeys, Heavy</u>	1974	886,000	15,948,000 lbs.	.380	6,060,000
	1973	543,000	10,317,000 "	.330	3,405,000
<u>Turkey Poults</u>	1974	3,072,000	-- ea.	.755	2,319,000
	1973	3,257,000	-- "	.600	1,954,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	--	-- --	--	112,374,000
	1973	--	-- --	--	87,436,000

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1973-74

<u>Product</u>		<u>Production</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Milk</u>					
Market	1974	8,326,000	cwt.	\$7.81	\$ 65,026,000
	(Rev) 1973	7,488,000	"	6.39	47,848,000
Manufacturing	1974	2,147,000	cwt.	6.77	14,535,000
	(Rev) 1973	2,272,000	"	5.49	12,473,000
<u>Eggs, Chicken</u>					
Market	1974	72,968,000	doz.	.520	37,943,000
	1973	70,948,000	"	.555	39,376,000
Hatching	1974	7,641,000	doz.	.868	6,632,000
	1973	7,047,000	"	.742	5,229,000
<u>Eggs, Turkey</u>	1974	2,166,000	ea.	.350	758,000
<u>Hatching</u>	1973	2,240,000	"	.335	750,000
<u>Wool</u>	1974	6,370	lbs.	.440	2,800
	1973	18,400	"	.440	8,100
<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	--	--	--	124,896,800
	1973	--	--	--	105,684,100

JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY 1973-74

(in number of head)

<u>Cattle and Calves</u>	<u>January 1, 1974</u>	<u>January 1, 1975</u>
All Cattle & Calves	274,000	305,000
Cows & Heifers That Have Calved		
Beef	52,400	56,600
Dairy	79,600	80,400
<u>Sheep & Lambs</u>	4,000	3,000
<u>Hogs & Pigs</u>	8,500	7,400
<u>Horses</u>	12,000	12,000
<u>Hens & Pullets of Laying Age</u>	4,673,611	4,440,000 (est)
<u>Turkey Breeding Hens</u>	105,000	99,700 (est)

APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1973-74

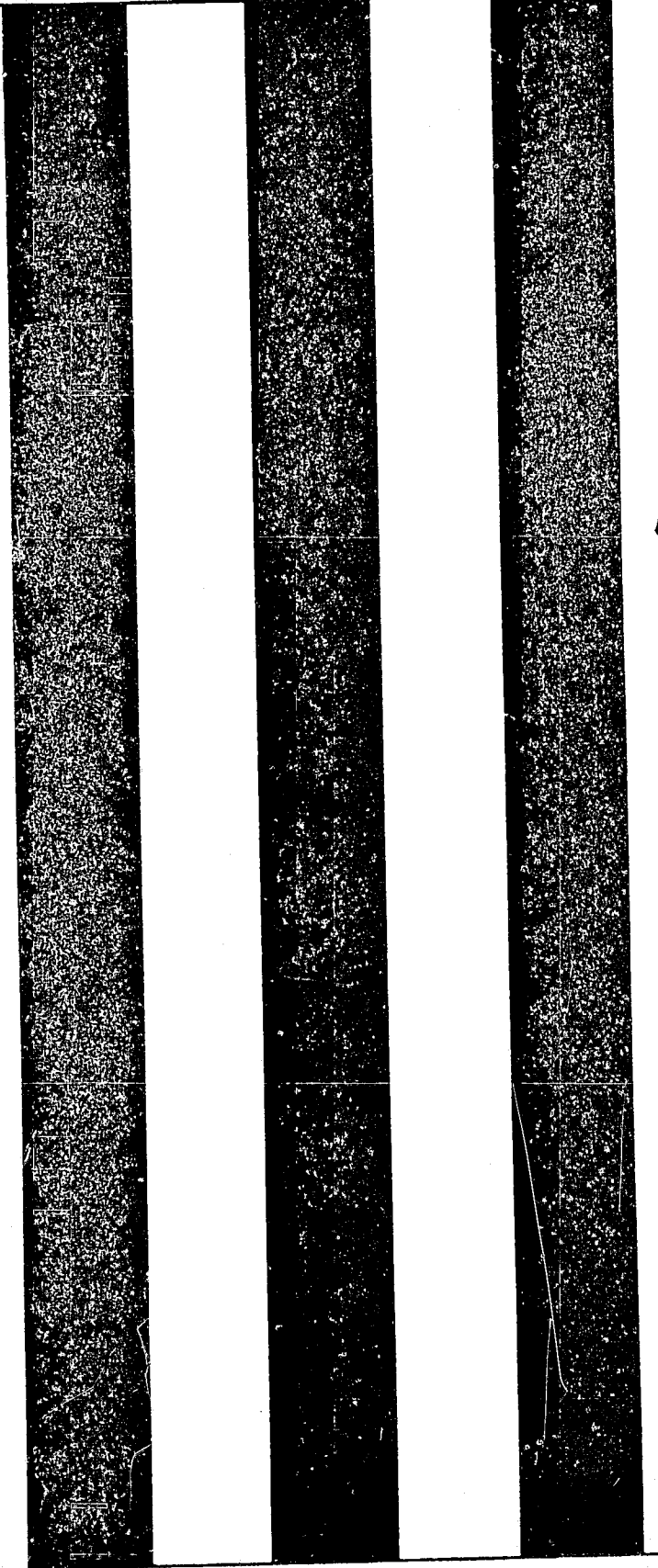
		<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Honey</u>	1974	407,000	lbs.	\$.450	\$ 183,000
	1973	452,000	"	.450	203,000
<u>Beeswax</u>	1974	6,800	lbs.	1.10	7,500
	1973	7,500	"	.750	5,600
<u>Package Bees</u>	1974	38,000	lbs.	4.00	152,000
	1973	32,000	"	1.25	40,000
<u>Queen Bees</u>	1974	36,000	ea.	4.10	148,000
	1973	34,000	"	2.00	68,000
<u>Pollination</u>	1974	68,500	col.	9.50	651,000
	1973	46,000	"	9.00	414,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	--	--	--	1,141,500
	1973	--	--	--	730,600

SUMMARY

<u>ITEM</u>		<u>ACREAGE</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VALUE</u>
<u>Field Crops</u>	1974	622,470	\$ 67,891,200
	1973	624,810	66,945,500
<u>Seed Crops</u>	1974	1,380	479,700
	1973	1,330	457,500
<u>Vegetable Crops</u>	1974	36,935	33,673,100
	1973	40,610	26,818,400
<u>Fruit & Nut Crops</u>	1974	99,941	80,902,000
	(Rev) 1973	93,026	86,964,000
<u>Nursery Products</u>	1974	533	5,223,000
	1973	627	4,493,000
<u>Livestock & Poultry</u>	1974	--	112,374,000
	1973	--	87,436,000
<u>Livestock & Poultry Products</u>	1974	--	124,896,800
	(Rev) 1973	--	105,684,100
<u>Apiary Products</u>	1974	--	1,141,500
	1973	--	730,600
<u>TOTAL</u>	1974	761,259	426,581,300
	(Rev) 1973	760,403	379,529,100

NINE YEAR SUMMARY IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS

	1966	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973 (Rev)	1974
<u>Field Crops</u>	31,134	33,888	34,381	29,627	35,140	38,925	42,880	66,946	67,891
<u>Seed Crops</u>	705	787	801	571	768	706	291	458	480
<u>Veg. Crops</u>	16,192	16,395	16,630	20,703	20,629	22,188	25,218	26,818	33,673
<u>Fruit & Nut</u>	43,822	39,422	50,234	54,746	51,870	52,679	55,955	86,964	80,902
<u>Nursery</u>	2,097	2,558	2,957	3,972	3,622	3,679	4,416	4,493	5,223
<u>Livestock & Poultry</u>	40,972	43,203	44,598	50,080	58,016	59,296	65,072	87,436	112,374
<u>Livestock & Poultry Prod.</u>	57,726	57,341	49,565	60,591	66,972	65,543	75,368	105,684	124,897
<u>Apiary Products</u>	165	129	145	165	193	271	341	731	1,142
<u>TOTALS</u>	192,813	193,723	199,311	220,455	237,210	243,287	269,541	379,530	426,582



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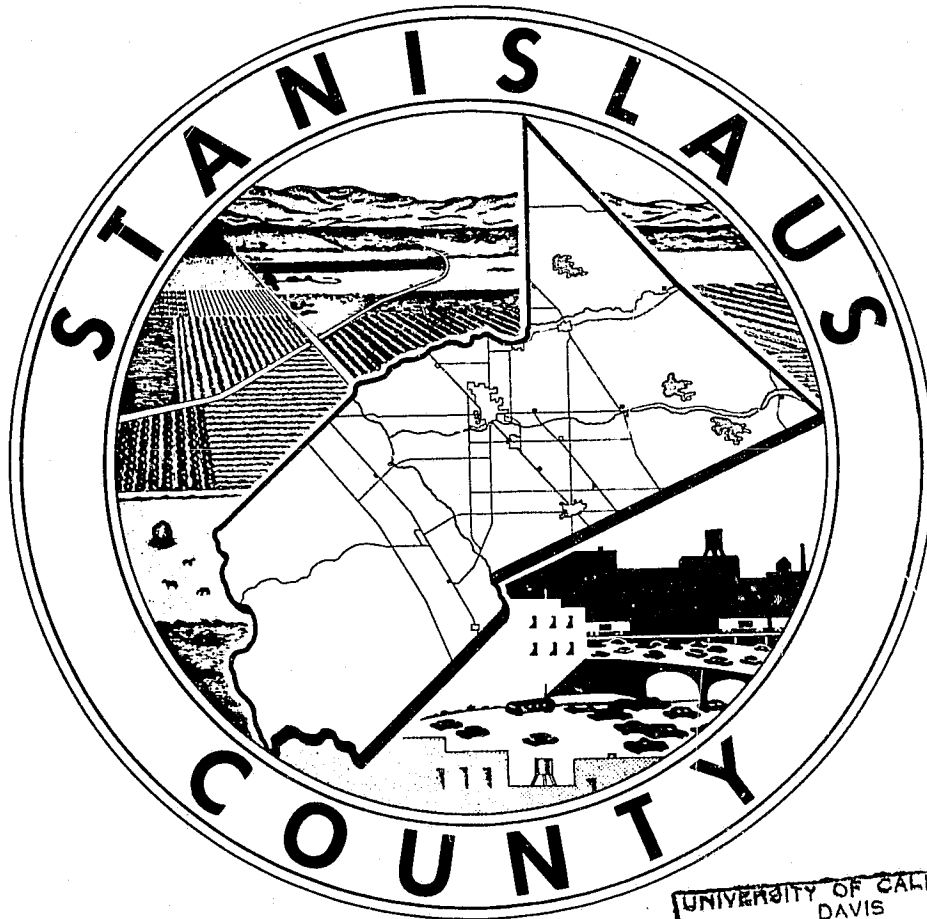
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Annual Crop Report for Year 1975

Stanislaus County

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California Department of Food and Agriculture
and
The Honorable Board of Supervisors
Stanislaus County

Gentlemen:

The Stanislaus County Agricultural Crop Report for 1975 is hereby submitted. Farm income in 1975 was approximately \$14,000,000 below 1974. This loss was due primarily to lower prices received by farmers. Decreases were noted in field crops, fruit and nut crops, livestock and poultry, and livestock and poultry products. Some increases were seen in vegetable crops, seed crops, nursery products and apiary products.

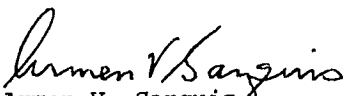
The County's 1975 gross farm income is estimated to have been \$395,418,990. It is emphasized that this figure represents gross income only. Operational and production costs increased steadily, limiting net income.

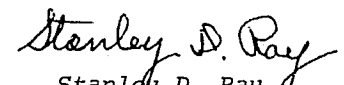
The County's ten leading commodities in 1975 were:

Milk, all	\$88,447,000
Chickens, all	45,811,000
Eggs, chicken, all	35,447,000
Cattle and calves, all	30,270,000
Peaches, all	27,972,000
Tomatoes	21,177,000
Almonds	14,763,000
Alfalfa	13,492,000
Apricots	11,802,000
Walnuts	11,610,000

We wish to express our appreciation to the many persons who have contributed to the preparation of this report.

Respectfully,


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Director of Extension


Stanley D. Ray
Stanislaus County
Agricultural Commissioner

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1974-75

<u>Crop</u>			<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>ALMONDS</u>					
Davey			436	1	
Drake			141	--	
IXL			32	--	
Jordanolo			194	--	
Merced			3,950	873	
Ne Plus Ultra			2,106	354	
Nonpareil			18,400	3,957	
Peerless			76	3	
Texas			4,503	420	
Thompson			1,779	435	
Others			280	1,375	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	31,897	7,418	39,315
		1974	29,890	6,775	36,665
<u>APPLES</u>					
Delicious			--	1	
Golden Delicious			--	38	
Others			8	12	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	8	51	59
		1974	--	59	59
<u>APRICOTS</u>					
Blenheim-Royal			104	--	
Tilton			9,300	85	
Others			536	81	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	9,940	166	10,106
		1974	9,148	940	10,088
<u>AVOCADOS</u>					
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	2	--	2
		1974	--	2	2
<u>CHERRIES</u>					
Bing			144	71	
Black Tartarian			3	1	
Lambert			6	1	
Royal Ann			18	1	
Seedlings			42	1	
Others			6	15	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	219	90	309
		1974	184	119	303
<u>CHESTNUTS</u>					
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	1	--	1
		1974	1	--	1

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1974-75

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>CITRUS</u>				
Lemons		20	58	
Limes		1	--	
Oranges		62	--	
Tangelos		9	--	
Tangerines		--	56	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1975	92	114	206
	1974	79	117	196
<u>FIGS</u>				
Black		4	--	
Kadota		3	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1975	7	--	7
	1974	13	--	13
<u>GRAPES, RAISIN</u>				
Muscat of Alexandria		9	--	
Thompson Seedless		4,520	22	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1975	4,529	22	4,551
	1974	4,383	22	4,405
<u>GRAPES, TABLE</u>				
Black Prince		6	--	
Malaga		23	--	
Red Malaga		21	--	
Others		8	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1975	58	--	58
	1974	70	--	70
<u>GRAPES, WINE</u>				
Alicante Bouschet		210	2	
Barbera		1,583	265	
Black Malvoisie		45	--	
Burger		11	--	
Cabernet Sauvignon		85	--	
Carignane		2,882	130	
Chenin Blanc		1,701	1	
Feher Szagos		34	--	
French Columbard		2,134	46	
Grand Noir		10	--	
Grenache		2,504	61	
Malvasia Bianca		237	--	
Mission		791	--	
Muscat Blanc		5	10	
Muscat Hamburg		19	--	

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1974-75

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>GRAPES, WINE</u>				
Nebbiolo		200	--	
Palomino		600	--	
Petite Sirah		525	11	
Royalty		195	--	
Rubired		111	26	
Ruby Cabernet		1,803	567	
St. Emilion		563	--	
St. Macaire		143	1	
Salvador		39	--	
Sauvignon Blanc		90	--	
Semillon		504	--	
Souzao		51	--	
Tinta Madeira		18	--	
Valdepenas		799	26	
Zinfandel		124	610	
Other Dark		35	357	
Other White		115	80	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	2,193	20,355
		1974	3,649	19,853
<u>KIWI</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	22	22
		1974	7	7
<u>NECTARINES</u>				
Early Le Grand		3	--	
Early Sun Grand		16	--	
Le Grand		20	--	
Red Grand		17	8	
Red June		3	--	
September Grand		3	--	
Sun Grand		24	6	
Others		45	6	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	20	151
		1974	20	163
<u>OLIVES</u>				
Manzanillo		66	--	
Mission		128	--	
Sevillano		1	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	--	195
		1974	--	195
<u>PEACHES, CLING</u>				
Andora		66	--	
Carolyn		1,393	119	

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1974-75

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>PEACHES, CLING</u>				
Carson		1,186	146	
Corona		822	3	
Cortez		125	--	
Dixon		1,083	2	
Fortuna		173	--	
Gaume		659	8	
Halford		3,615	108	
Loadel		1,234	229	
McKnight		244	--	
Paloro		726	43	
Peak		184	4	
Sowell		160	--	
Starn		1,759	53	
Stuart-Gomes		345	4	
Vivian		334	--	
Wiser		812	2	
Others		<u>1,544</u>	<u>575</u>	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	1,296	<u>17,760</u>
		1974	1,860	<u>17,348</u>
<u>PEACHES, FREESTONE</u>				
Cardinal		3	--	
Elberta		124	14	
Fay Elberta		2,283	108	
July Elberta		2	--	
Red Globe		3	--	
Red Haven		5	--	
Red Top		1	--	
Rio Oso Gem		171	10	
Suncrest		3	--	
Others		<u>132</u>	<u>--</u>	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	132	<u>2,859</u>
		1974	101	<u>2,833</u>
<u>PEARS</u>				
Bartlett		480	3	
Others		<u>2</u>	<u>19</u>	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	22	<u>504</u>
		1974	22	<u>504</u>
<u>PECANS</u>				
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	1	17
		1974	1	13
<u>PERSIMMONS</u>				
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	--	15
		1974	13	14

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1974-75

<u>Crop</u>			<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>PISTACHIO NUTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	4	26	30
		1974	4	26	30
 <u>PLUMS</u>					
			4	--	
			1	--	
			1	--	
			5	--	
			22	--	
			--	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	33	--	33
		1974	33	--	33
 <u>POMEGRANATES</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	1	--	1
		1974	3	--	3
 <u>PRUNES</u>					
			84	11	
			1	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	85	11	96
		1974	85	11	96
 <u>WALNUTS</u>					
			768	887	
			44	2	
			39	--	
			4,570	84	
			3,210	42	
			6,342	869	
			267	--	
			240	--	
			5,565	521	
			5	--	
			325	16	
			519	1,555	
			320	160	
			26	35	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	22,240	4,171	26,411
		1974	21,085	5,281	26,366
 <u>PERMANENT CROP</u>					
<u>ACREAGE:</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	--	--	123,063
		1974	--	--	119,260

(NOTE): Acreage figures include interplanting

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1974-75

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Barley</u>	1975	28,100	1.35	37,900	Ton	\$100.20	\$ 3,798,000
	1974	24,800	1.40	34,700	"	93.00	3,227,000
<u>Beans, dry edible</u>							
Total	1975	18,800	1.28	24,100	Ton	437.76	10,550,000
	1974	29,000	1.20	34,800	"	405.75	14,120,000
Blackeyes	1975	4,000	0.90	3,600	Ton	393.30	1,416,000
	1974	7,000	1.00	7,000	"	240.00	1,680,000
Baby Limas	1975	4,000	1.35	5,400	Ton	359.50	1,941,000
	1974	6,000	1.30	7,800	"	280.00	2,184,000
Large Limas	1975	5,500	1.25	6,880	Ton	564.50	3,884,000
	1974	8,000	1.20	9,600	"	440.00	4,224,000
Other Beans	1975	5,300	1.55	8,220	Ton	402.50	3,309,000
	1974	8,000	1.30	10,400	"	580.00	6,032,000
<u>Corn</u>	1975	2,720	2.25	6,120	Ton	116.70	714,000
	1974	3,000	2.20	6,600	"	129.00	851,000
<u>Hay, Alfalfa</u>	1975	35,100	6.45	226,000	Ton	59.70	13,492,000
	1974	38,000	7.10	270,000	"	64.50	17,415,000
<u>Hay, Grain</u>	1975	18,000	2.45	44,100	Ton	49.60	2,187,000
	(Rev) 1974	21,300	2.40	51,100	"	40.00	2,044,000
<u>Oats</u>	1975	1,380	1.30	1,790	Ton	130.00	233,000
	1974	1,200	1.25	1,500	"	125.00	188,000
<u>Pasture & Range</u>							
Irrig. Pasture	1975	71,500	--	--	Acre	75.00	5,362,000
	1974	73,500	--	--	"	115.00	8,452,000
Sudan Grass	Transferred to Silage & Grain Hay						
Range	1975	377,000	--	--	Acre	13.00	4,901,000
	1974	385,000	--	--	"	12.00	4,620,000
<u>Rice</u>	1975	2,900	2.90	8,410	Ton	190.00	1,598,000
	1974	2,570	2.80	7,200	"	265.00	1,908,000
<u>Silage Corn (1)</u>	1975	36,500	19.60	715,000	Ton	15.30	10,940,000
	(Rev) 1974	33,500	20.00	670,000	"	15.00	10,050,000

(1) In the silo

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1974-75

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Sorghum Grain</u>	1975	2,880	2.40	6,910	Ton	\$105.50	\$ 729,000
	1974	4,500	2.40	10,800	"	133.50	1,442,000
<u>Straw Grain</u>		Transferred to Miscellaneous					
<u>Sugar Beets</u>	1975	5,760	31.40	181,000	Ton	23.80	4,308,000
	1974	4,100	26.50	109,000	"	30.00	3,270,000
<u>Wheat</u>	1975	2,430	2.10	5,100	Ton	105.00	536,000
	1974	1,000	1.90	1,900	"	110.00	209,000
<u>Misc.</u>	1975	3,000	--	--	Acre	145.00	435,000
	(Rev) 1974	1,000	--	--	"	221.00	221,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	606,070	--	--	--	--	59,783,000
	(Rev) 1974	622,470	--	--	--	--	68,017,000

NOTE: Acreage figures include double-cropping

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1974-75

<u>Alfalfa</u>	1975	135	400	54,000	Lbs.	\$.75	\$ 40,500
	1974	150	485	72,800	"	.93	67,700
<u>Red Clover</u>	1975	50	500	25,000	Lbs.	0.70	17,500
	1974	120	470	56,400	"	1.10	62,000
<u>Misc.</u>	1975	1,980	--	--	Acre	361.60	716,000
	1974	1,110	--	--	"	315.00	350,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	2,165	--	--	--	--	774,000
	1974	1,380	--	--	--	--	479,700

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1974-75

<u>Beans, Green Lima</u>	1975	10,100	1.65	16,700	Ton	\$294.00	\$4,910,000
	1974	8,000	1.50	12,000	"	300.00	3,600,000
<u>Broccoli</u>	1975	400	2.95	1,180	Ton	208.00	245,000
	1974	500	2.90	1,450	"	200.00	290,000
<u>Cauliflower</u>	1975	970	5.60	5,430	Ton	276.40	1,501,000
	1974	1,100	5.70	6,270	"	230.00	1,442,000

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1974-75

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Melons</u>							
Total	1975	3,445	8.27	28,485	Ton	\$125.15	\$ 3,564,900
	1974	3,795	8.65	32,815	"	141.15	4,632,000
Cantaloupe	1975	440	6.35	2,790	Ton	122.80	343,000
	1974	690	7.00	4,830	"	135.00	652,000
Honeydew	1975	1,900	8.50	16,200	Ton	148.80	2,411,000
	1974	2,140	8.50	18,200	"	155.00	2,821,000
Persian	1975	135	5.00	675	Ton	106.50	71,900
	1974	165	5.00	825	"	150.00	124,000
Other Musk- melons	1975	670	7.50	5,020	Ton	97.60	490,000
	1974	530	8.00	4,240	"	155.00	657,000
Watermelon	1975	300	12.65	3,800	Ton	65.50	249,000
	1974	270	17.50	4,720	"	80.00	378,000
<u>Onions, All</u>	1975	425	21.75	9,240	Ton	109.50	1,012,000
	1974	810	20.50	16,600	"	75.00	1,245,000
<u>Peas, Green</u>	1975	6,000	1.90	11,400	Ton	137.00	1,562,000
	1974	6,270	1.50	9,400	"	97.50	916,000
<u>Peppers, All</u>	1975	560	15.00	8,400	Ton	135.00	1,134,000
	1974	600	17.00	10,200	"	125.00	1,275,000
<u>Pumpkins, All</u>		Transferred to Miscellaneous					
<u>Snap Beans</u>	1975	1,300	3.00	3,900	Ton	169.00	659,000
	1974	1,060	2.70	2,860	"	145.00	415,000
<u>Spinach, Process- ing</u>	1975	3,030	9.75	29,500	Ton	43.30	1,277,000
	1974	2,800	10.70	30,000	"	38.00	1,140,000
<u>Squash, All</u>		Transferred to Miscellaneous					
<u>Sweet Potatoes All</u>	1975	340	8.50	2,890	Ton	325.00	939,000
	1974	200	7.00	1,400	"	250.00	350,000
<u>Tomatoes</u>							
Total	1975	12,380	21.92	271,400	Ton	78.03	21,177,000
	1974	10,100	22.64	228,700	"	72.57	16,597,000
Fresh	1975	2,800	10.50	29,400	Ton	275.00	8,085,000
	1974	3,000	8.90	26,700	"	205.50	5,487,000

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1974-75

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
Canning	1975	9,580	25.25	242,000	Ton \$	54.10	\$13,092,000
	1974	7,100	28.50	202,000	"	55.00	11,110,000
<u>Misc.</u>	1975	1,730	--	--	Acre	917.00	1,586,000
	(Rev) 1974	1,700	--	--	"	1,041.80	1,771,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	40,680	--	--	--	--	39,566,900
	(Rev) 1974	36,935	--	--	--	--	33,673,000

NOTE: Acreage figures include double-cropping.
Fresh market prices are F.O.B. shipping point.

FRUIT & NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1974-75

<u>Almonds</u> <u>(Meats)</u>	1975	30,000	700	21,000,000	Lbs. \$.703	\$14,763,000
	1974	29,500	850	25,075,000	"	.746	18,706,000
<u>Almond</u> <u>Shells</u>	1975	--	--	5,500	Ton	17.00	93,500
	1974	Not previously listed					
<u>Apricots</u>	1975	9,040	9.10	82,300	Ton	143.40	11,802,000
	1974	9,100	4.10	37,300	"	215.00	8,020,000
<u>Bushberries</u>	1975	230	4.70	1,080	Ton	350.00	378,000
	1974	280	4.50	1,260	"	552.00	696,000
<u>Cherries</u>	1975	200	1.70	340	Ton	720.00	245,000
	1974	180	1.50	270	"	670.00	181,000
<u>Grapes, All</u>	1975	22,550	6.65	149,990	Ton	75.84	11,376,000
	1974	20,645	6.17	127,460	"	113.89	14,517,000
<u>Grapes, Raisin</u>							
Crushed	1975	4,000	7.75	31,000	Ton	65.00	2,015,000
	1974	4,250	6.80	28,900	"	75.00	2,168,000
Other	1975	350	8.55	2,990	Ton	120.00	359,000
	1974	125	7.50	940	"	75.00	70,500
<u>Grapes, Table</u>	1975	Transferred to wine grapes					
	1974	70	6.00	420	Ton	75.00	31,500
<u>Grapes, Wine</u>							
Crushed	1975	18,200	6.40	116,000	Ton	77.60	9,002,000
	1974	16,200	6.00	97,200	"	126.00	12,247,000

FRUIT & NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1974-75

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Nectarines</u>	1975	130	7.55	982	Ton	\$ 250.00	\$ 246,000
	1974	140	8.50	1,190	"	190.00	226,000
<u>Peaches, All</u>							
Total	1975	18,000	12.61	227,000	Ton	123.22	27,972,000
	1974	18,100	11.27	204,000	"	132.50	27,030,000
Clings	1975	15,500	13.00	202,000	Ton	126.10	25,472,000
	1974	15,400	11.50	177,000	"	132.50	23,452,000
Freestone	1975	2,500	10.00	25,000	Ton	100.00	2,500,000
	1974	2,700	10.00	27,000	"	132.50	3,578,000
<u>Strawberries</u>	1975	98	6.90	676	Ton	434.80	294,000
	1974	96	10.00	960	"	300.00	288,000
<u>Walnuts (in Shell)</u>	1975	21,500	2,700	58,050,000	Lbs.	.200	11,610,000
	1974	21,000	2,184	45,864,000	"	.220	10,090,000
<u>Misc. (1)</u>	1975	1,100	--	--	Acre	1,100.00	1,210,000
	1974	900	--	--	"	1,275.00	1,148,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	102,848	--	--	--	--	79,989,500
	1974	99,941	--	--	--	--	80,902,000

(1) Includes chestnuts, citrus, figs, olives, pears, pecans, persimmons, pistachio nuts, plums, pomegranates and prunes and wine grapes for shipping.

NOTE: Acreages include interplanting.
Fresh market prices are F.O.B. shipping point.

NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA, SALES, AND VALUE 1974-75

<u>Item</u>		<u>Field acres</u>	<u>Quantity sold</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Deciduous Fruit & Nut Trees</u>	1975	193	2,822,000	Plants	\$ 1.160	\$3,274,000
	1974	193	2,507,000	"	1.066	2,672,000
<u>Ornamental Trees & Shrubs (1)</u>	1975	40	781,000	Plants	0.933	729,000
	1974	40	759,000	"	0.861	653,000
<u>Misc. (2)</u>	1975	250	--	Acre	7,350.00	1,838,000
	1974	300	--	"	6,325.00	1,898,000

NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA, SALES, AND VALUE 1974-75

<u>Item</u>		<u>Field acres</u>	<u>Quantity sold</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	483	--	--	--	\$ 5,841,000
	1974	533	--	--	--	5,223,000

- (1) Includes broadleaf evergreens, coniferous evergreens, deciduous shade trees and deciduous shrubs.
 (2) Includes bedding plants, cut green decoratives, vegetable plants, grape vines and small fruit plants.

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1974-75

		<u>No. of head</u>	<u>Total live wt.</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Cattle & Calves</u>						
Beef	1975	95,000	713,000	Cwt.	\$30.00	\$21,390,000
	1974	90,000	675,000	"	35.00	23,625,000
Dairy	1975	64,200	444,000	Cwt.	20.00	8,880,000
	1974	70,000	484,000	"	23.50	11,374,000
<u>Sheep & Lambs</u>	1975	3,000	3,000	Cwt.	45.00	135,000
	1974	4,000	3,960	"	40.00	158,000
<u>Hogs & Pigs</u>	1975	8,900	13,400	Cwt.	50.00	670,000
	1974	8,000	12,000	"	35.50	426,000
<u>Broilers & Fryers</u>	1975	27,149,000	112,668,000	Lbs.	.250	28,167,000
	(Rev) 1974	28,702,000	117,965,000	"	.300	35,390,000
<u>Other Chickens</u>	1975	2,136,000	9,847,000	Lbs.	.080	788,000
	(Rev) 1974	2,627,000	15,762,000	"	.150	2,364,000
<u>Chicks, All</u>	1975	78,036,000	--	Ea.	.216	16,856,000
	1974	68,807,000	--	"	.171	11,766,000
<u>Turkeys, Heavy</u>	1975	725,000	12,963,000	Lbs.	.341	4,420,000
	(Rev) 1974	886,000	15,948,000	"	.350	5,582,000
<u>Turkey Poults</u>	1975	3,332,000	--	Ea.	.762	2,539,000
	1974	3,072,000	--	"	.755	2,319,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	--	--	--	--	83,845,000
	(Rev) 1974	--	--	--	--	93,004,000

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1974-75

<u>Product</u>		<u>Production</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Milk</u>					
Market	1975	8,184,000	Cwt.	\$8.76	\$ 71,692,000
	(Rev) 1974	8,283,000	"	8.12	67,258,000
Manufacturing	1975	2,234,000	Cwt.	7.50	16,755,000
	(Rev) 1974	2,152,000	"	6.74	14,504,000
<u>Eggs, Chicken</u>					
Market	1975	70,757,000	Doz.	.409	28,940,000
	1974	72,968,000	"	.520	37,943,000
Hatching	1975	7,279,000	Doz.	.894	6,507,000
	1974	7,641,000	"	.868	6,632,000
<u>Eggs, Turkey</u>	1975	1,459,000	Ea.	.354	516,000
<u>Hatching</u>	1974	2,166,000	"	.350	758,000
<u>Wool</u>	1975	11,500	Lbs.	.41	4,720
	1974	6,370	"	.440	2,800
<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	--	--	--	124,414,720
	(Rev) 1974	--	--	--	127,097,800

JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY 1974-75

(in number of head)

<u>Cattle and Calves</u>	<u>January 1, 1975</u>	<u>January 1, 1976</u>
All Cattle & Calves	305,000	295,400
Cows & Heifers That Have Calved		
Beef	56,600	42,400
Dairy	80,400	87,700
<u>Sheep & Lambs</u>	3,000	3,300
<u>Hogs & Pigs</u>	7,400	8,900
<u>Horses</u>	12,000	12,000
<u>Hens & Pullets of Laying Age</u>	(Est.) 4,440,000	4,200,000
<u>Turkey Breeding Hens</u>	(Est.) 99,700	100,000

APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1974-75

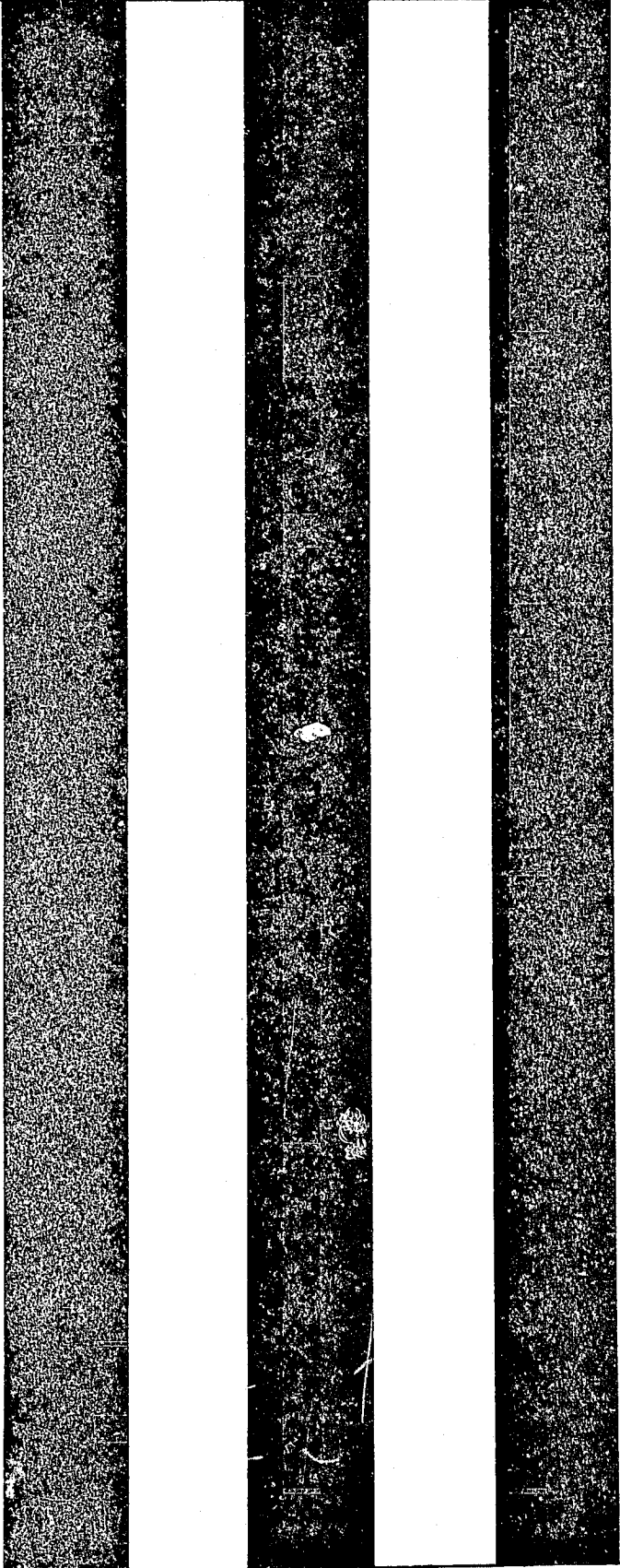
		<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Honey</u>	1975	515,000	Lbs.	\$.417	\$ 215,000
	1974	407,000	"	.450	183,000
<u>Beeswax</u>	1975	8,580	Lbs.	1.15	9,870
	1974	6,800	"	1.10	7,500
<u>Package Bees</u>	1975	24,000	Lbs.	4.00	96,000
	1974	38,000	"	4.00	152,000
<u>Queen Bees</u>	1975	25,000	Ea.	4.10	102,000
	1974	36,000	"	4.10	148,000
<u>Pollination</u>	1975	78,200	Col.	10.00	782,000
	1974	68,500	"	9.50	651,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1975	--	--	--	1,204,870
	1974	--	--	--	1,141,500

SUMMARY

<u>ITEM</u>		<u>ACREAGE</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VALUE</u>
<u>Field Crops</u>	1975	606,070	\$ 59,783,000
	(Rev) 1974	622,470	68,017,000
<u>Seed Crops</u>	1975	2,165	774,000
	1974	1,380	479,700
<u>Vegetable Crops</u>	1975	40,680	39,566,900
	1974	36,935	33,673,000
<u>Fruit & Nut Crops</u>	1975	102,848	79,989,500
	1974	99,941	80,902,000
<u>Nursery Products</u>	1975	483	5,841,000
	1974	533	5,223,000
<u>Livestock & Poultry</u>	1975	--	83,845,000
	(Rev) 1974	--	93,004,000
<u>Livestock & Poultry Products</u>	1975	--	124,414,720
	(Rev) 1974	--	127,097,800
<u>Apiary Products</u>	1975	--	1,204,870
	1974	--	1,141,500
<u>Total</u>	1975	752,246	395,418,990
	(Rev) 1974	761,259	409,538,000

NINE YEAR SUMMARY IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS

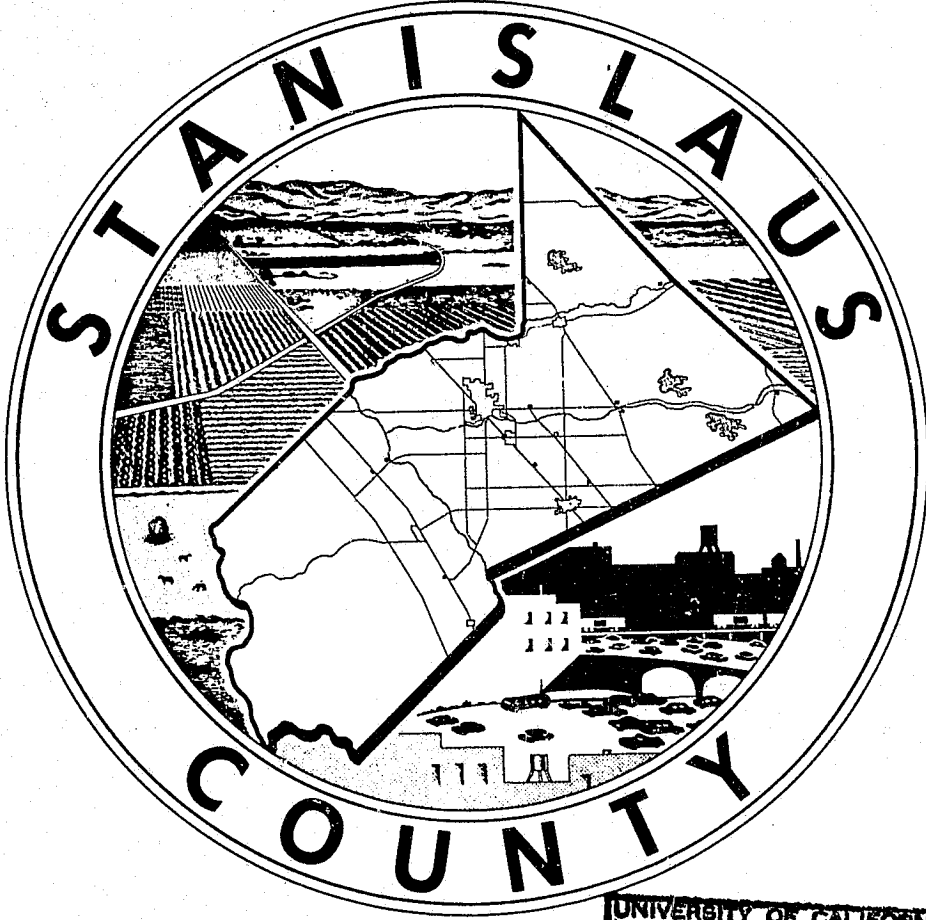
	1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974 (Rev)	1975
<u>Field Crops</u>	33,888	34,381	29,627	35,140	38,925	42,880	66,946	68,017	59,783
<u>Seed Crops</u>	787	801	571	768	706	291	458	480	774
<u>Veg. Crops</u>	16,395	16,630	20,703	20,629	22,188	25,218	26,818	33,673	39,567
<u>Fruit & Nut</u>	39,422	50,234	54,746	51,870	52,679	55,955	86,964	80,902	79,990
<u>Nursery</u>	2,558	2,957	3,972	3,622	3,679	4,416	4,493	5,223	5,841
<u>Livestock & Poultry</u>	43,203	44,598	50,080	58,016	59,296	65,072	87,436	93,004	83,845
<u>Livestock & Poultry Prod.</u>	57,341	49,565	60,591	66,972	65,543	75,368	105,684	127,098	124,415
<u>Apiary Products</u>	129	145	165	193	271	341	731	1,142	1,205
<u>TOTALS</u>	193,723	199,311	220,455	237,210	243,287	269,541	379,530	409,538	395,419



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Gentlemen:

The Stanislaus County Crop Report for 1976 is hereby submitted. Gross farm income is estimated to be \$424,884,660, an increase of 6.9 percent over the 1975 estimate. The gain is attributed primarily to nut crops and to livestock and poultry products.

Many individual farmers suffered significant financial loss, particularly livestock producers and fruit and vegetable growers. Collectively, gross income to these farmers was approximately \$17,000,000 below 1975. The continuing drought, strikes in the freezer and cannery industries, and unseasonal rains late in the summer resulted in some reduced yields, unharvested acreage and, in some cases, poorer quality in field and vegetable crops.

The number of cattle sold rose by 27,100 head because drought conditions forced the early sale of herds. In spite of the volume, however, gross income was down because animals were sold before attaining full weight and the increased number of sales depressed prices.

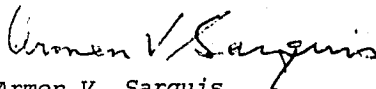
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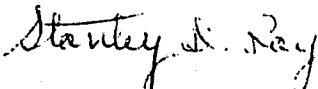
The County's ten leading commodities in 1976 were:

Milk, all	\$100,449,000
Chickens, all	54,137,000
Eggs, chicken, all	46,605,000
Cattle & Calves, all	29,210,000
Almonds	27,799,000
Peaches, all	20,415,000
Tomatoes	17,427,000
Walnuts	17,015,000
Grapes, all	14,516,000
Alfalfa	13,049,000

We wish to express our appreciation to the many persons who have contributed to the preparation of this report.

Respectfully,


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PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1975-76

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>ALMONDS</u>				
Davey		424	--	
Drake		140	--	
IXL		32	--	
Jordanolo		190	--	
Merced		4,399	500	
Ne Plus Ultra		2,126	414	
Nonpareil		19,677	3,123	
Peerless		76	3	
Texas		4,734	256	
Thompson		2,005	263	
Others		520	1,369	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976		40,251
		1975		39,315
<u>APPLES</u>				
Delicious		--	1	
Golden Delicious		--	38	
Others		8	12	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976		59
		1975		59
<u>APRICOTS</u>				
Blenheim Royal		78	--	
Tilton		9,080	77	
Others		531	169	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976		9,935
		1975		10,106
<u>AVOCADOS</u>				
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976		2
		1975		2
<u>CHERRIES</u>				
Bing		169	49	
Black Tartarian		3	1	
Lambert		6	1	
Royal Ann		18	1	
Seedlings		42	1	
Others		11	10	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976		312
		1975		309
<u>CHESTNUTS</u>				
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976		1
		1975		1

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1975-76

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>CITRUS</u>				
Lemons		78	--	
Limes		1	--	
Oranges		62	--	
Tangelos		9	--	
Tangerines		46	10	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	196	10	206
		1975	114	206
<u>FIGS</u>				
Black		4	--	
Kadota		3	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	7	--	7
		1975	--	7
<u>GRAPES, RAISIN</u>				
Muscat of Alexandria		9	--	
Thompson Seedless		4,249	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	4,258	--	4,258
		1975	22	4,551
<u>GRAPES, TABLE</u>				
Black Prince		6	--	
Malaga		7	--	
Red Malaga		21	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	34	--	34
		1975	--	58
<u>GRAPES, WINE</u>				
Alicante Bouschet		212	--	
Barbera		1,901	--	
Black Malvoisie		45	--	
Burger		11	--	
Cabernet Sauvignon		105	--	
Carignane		2,913	39	
Chenin Blanc		1,680	--	
Feher Szagos		34	--	
French Columbard		2,213	--	
Grand Noir		10	--	
Grenache		2,489	43	
Malvasia Bianca		233	--	
Mission		630	--	
Muscat Blanc		15	18	
Muscat Hamburg		19	--	
Nebbiolo		200	--	

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1975-76

<u>Crop</u>			<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>GRAPES, WINE</u>					
Palomino			562	--	
Petite Sirah			536	--	
Royalty			195	--	
Rubired			137	--	
Ruby Cabernet			2,137	250	
St. Emilion			563	--	
St. Macaire			144	--	
Salvador			39	--	
Sauvignon Blanc			90	--	
Semillon			504	--	
Souzao			59	--	
Tinta Madeira			18	--	
Valdepenas			832	--	
Zinfandel			850	21	
Other Dark			392	--	
Other White			194	1	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	19,962	372	20,334
		1975	18,162	2,193	20,355
<u>KIWI</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	--	128	128
		1975	--	22	22
<u>NECTARINES</u>					
Early Le Grand			3	--	
Early Sun Grand			16	--	
Le Grand			20	--	
Red Grand			25	--	
Red June			3	--	
September Grand			3	--	
Sun Grand			26	--	
Others			50	11	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	146	11	157
		1975	131	20	151
<u>OLIVES</u>					
Manzanillo			66	--	
Mission			128	--	
Sevillano			1	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	195	--	195
		1975	195	--	195
<u>PEACHES, CLING</u>					
Andora (1)			--	--	
Andross (2)			365	115	

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1975-76

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>PEACHES, CLING</u>				
Bowen	(2)	94	117	
Carolyn		1,398	43	
Carson		1,125	108	
Corona		772	11	
Cortez	(1)	--	--	
Dixon		817	2	
Fortuna		115	--	
Gaume		553	5	
Halford		3,320	119	
Jungerman	(2)	96	--	
Klamt	(2)	343	65	
Loadel		1,287	121	
McKnight	(1)	--	--	
Monaco	(2)	525	51	
Paloro		640	20	
Peak		178	--	
Sowell	(1)	--	--	
Starn		1,617	43	
Stuar--Gomes	(1)	--	--	
Tufts	(2)	10	39	
Vivian		226	--	
Wiser		744	3	
Others		1,100	224	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	15,325	16,411
		1975	16,464	17,760

<u>PEACHES, FREESTONE</u>				
Cardinal		3	--	
Elberta		119	14	
Fay Elberta		2,156	101	
July Elberta		2	--	
Red Globe		3	--	
Red Haven		5	--	
Red Top		1	--	
Rio Oso Gem		166	10	
Suncrest		3	--	
Others		112	10	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	2,570	2,705
		1975	2,727	2,859

<u>PEARS</u>				
Bartlett		464	3	
Others		2	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	466	469
		1975	482	504

(1) Now listed among others.

(2) Previously listed among others.

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1975-76

<u>Crop</u>			<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>PECANS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	16	1	17
		1975	16	1	17
<u>PERSIMMONS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	15	--	15
		1975	15	--	15
<u>PISTACHIO NUTS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	4	26	30
		1975	4	26	30
<u>PLUMS</u>			4	--	
	Casselman		1	--	
	Laroda		5	--	
	President		21	--	
	Santa Rosa		31	--	31
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	31	--	31
		1975	33	--	33
<u>POMEGRANATES</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	1	--	1
		1975	1	--	1
<u>PRUNES</u>			84	15	
	French		1	--	
	Others		85	15	100
		<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	85	15
		1975	85	11	96
<u>WALNUTS</u>			821	894	
	Ashley		44	2	
	Blackmer		39	--	
	Concord		4,551	79	
	Eureka		3,205	35	
	Franquette		6,403	822	
	Hartley		257	--	
	Mayette		240	--	
	Nuggett		5,745	350	
	Payne		5	--	
	Placentia		252	1,052	
	Serr (1)		61	99	
	Tehema (1)		128	5	
	Trinta (1)		5	53	
Vina (1)		323	16		
Waterloo					

(1) Previously listed among others.

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1975-76

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>WALNUTS</u>				
Others		292	196	
Black		345	135	
Seedlings		26	35	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1976	<u>22,742</u>	<u>3,773</u>	<u>26,515</u>
	1975	22,240	4,171	26,411
<u>PERMANENT CROP</u>				
<u>ACREAGE:</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1976	--	--	122,173
	1975	--	--	123,063

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1975-76

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Barley, all</u>	1976	28,000	1.29	36,000	Ton	\$100.83	\$ 3,630,000
	(Rev) 1975	30,000	1.14	34,100	"	100.21	3,417,000
Irrigated	1976	20,000	1.50	30,000	Ton	101.00	3,030,000
	1975	20,700	1.20	24,800	"	100.20	2,485,000
Non- irrigated	1976	8,000	0.75	6,000	Ton	100.00	600,000
	1975	9,300	1.00	9,300	"	100.20	932,000
<u>Beans, dry edible, all</u>	1976	20,000	0.96	19,150	Ton	481.31	9,217,000
	1975	18,800	1.28	24,100	"	437.76	10,550,000
Blackeyes	1976	5,000	0.80	4,000	Ton	548.20	2,193,000
	1975	4,000	0.90	3,600	"	393.30	1,416,000
Baby Limas	1976	5,000	1.15	5,750	Ton	330.30	1,899,000
	1975	4,000	1.35	5,400	"	359.50	1,941,000
Large Limas	1976	6,000	0.80	4,800	Ton	725.20	3,481,000
	1975	5,500	1.25	6,880	"	564.50	3,884,000
Other Beans	1976	4,000	1.15	4,600	Ton	357.40	1,644,000
	1975	5,300	1.55	8,220	"	402.50	3,309,000
<u>Corn, field</u>	1976	2,760	2.50	6,900	Ton	98.20	678,000
	(Rev) 1975	2,720	2.75	7,480	"	116.70	873,000
<u>Hay, Alfalfa</u>	1976	29,900	6.00	179,000	Ton	72.90	13,049,000
	(Rev) 1975	33,000	6.45	213,000	"	59.70	12,716,000
<u>Hay, Grain</u>	1976	20,300	2.25	45,700	Ton	58.60	2,678,000
	1975	18,000	2.45	44,100	"	49.60	2,187,000
<u>Oats</u>	1976	800	0.85	680	Ton	66.50	45,200
	(Rev) 1975	1,380	0.95	1,310	"	130.00	170,000
<u>Pasture & Range</u>							
Irrig. Pasture	1976	71,000	--	--	Acre	100.00	7,100,000
	1975	71,500	--	--	"	75.00	5,362,000
Range	1976	375,000	--	--	Acre	6.50	2,438,000
	1975	377,000	--	--	"	13.00	4,901,000
<u>Rice</u>	1976	2,710	2.80	7,590	Ton	135.00	1,025,000
	1975	2,900	2.90	8,410	"	190.00	1,598,000

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1975-76

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Silage, all</u>	1976	37,770	18.45	697,000	Ton	\$ 14.02	\$ 9,777,000
	(Rev) 1975	36,500	18.33	669,000	"	15.36	10,276,000
Corn	1976	29,700	20.00	594,000	Ton	13.20	7,841,000
	1975	28,100	20.00	562,000	"	14.40	8,093,000
Other	1976	8,070	12.75	103,000	Ton	18.80	1,936,000
	1975	8,400	12.75	107,000	"	20.40	2,183,000
<u>Sorghum Grain</u>	1976	1,800	2.25	4,050	Ton	98.00	397,000
	(Rev) 1975	1,880	2.40	4,510	"	105.50	476,000
<u>Sugar Beets</u>	1976	5,500	29.85	164,000	Ton	18.00	2,952,000
	1975	5,760	31.40	181,000	"	23.80	4,308,000
<u>Wheat</u>	1976	2,500	1.95	4,880	Ton	120.00	586,000
	(Rev) 1975	2,800	1.80	5,040	"	115.00	580,000
<u>Misc.</u>	1976	3,200	--	--	Acre	160.00	512,000
	1975	3,000	--	--	"	145.00	435,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	601,240	--	--	--	--	54,084,200
	(Rev) 1975	605,240	--	--	--	--	57,849,000

SEED CROPS: ACREAGE PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1975-76

<u>Seed Crops, all</u>	1976	1,600	--	--	Acre	378.40	\$ 605,000
	(Rev) 1975	1,390	--	--	"	357.51	497,000

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1975-76

<u>Beans, Green Lima</u>	1976	5,650	1.25	7,060	Ton	240.00	1,694,000
	1975	10,100	1.65	16,700	"	294.00	4,910,000
<u>Beans, Snap</u>	1976	1,800	2.15	3,870	Ton	154.60	598,000
	1975	1,300	3.00	3,900	"	169.00	659,000
<u>Broccoli</u>	1976	460	2.75	1,260	Ton	220.00	277,000
	1975	400	2.95	1,180	"	208.00	245,000
<u>Cauliflower</u>	1976	860	3.45	2,970	Ton	255.40	759,000
	1975	970	5.60	5,430	"	276.40	1,501,000

VEGETABLE CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1975-76

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per Unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Melons, all</u>	1976	3,240	8.52	27,620	Ton	\$155.36	\$ 4,291,000
	(Rev) 1975	3,445	8.27	28,485	"	125.59	3,577,400
Cantaloupe	1976	400	7.50	3,000	Ton	153.50	460,000
	1975	440	6.35	2,790	"	122.80	343,000
Honeydew	1976	2,000	8.10	16,200	Ton	180.00	2,916,000
	1975	1,900	8.50	16,200	"	148.80	2,411,000
Persian	1976	100	6.00	600	Ton	140.00	84,000
	(Rev) 1975	135	5.00	675	"	125.00	84,400
Other Musk- melons	1976	540	8.00	4,320	Ton	141.70	612,000
	1975	670	7.50	5,020	"	97.60	490,000
Watermelon	1976	200	17.50	3,500	Ton	62.50	219,000
	1975	300	12.65	3,800	"	65.50	249,000
<u>Onions, all</u>	1976	380	21.55	8,190	Ton	69.00	565,000
	1975	425	21.75	9,240	"	109.50	1,012,000
<u>Peas, Green Processing</u>	1976	6,100	1.45	8,840	Ton	158.40	1,400,000
	1975	6,000	1.90	11,400	"	137.00	1,562,000
<u>Peppers, all</u>	1976	460	14.00	6,440	Ton	141.00	908,000
	1975	560	15.00	8,400	"	135.00	1,134,000
<u>Spinach, Process- ing</u>	1976	3,300	8.80	29,000	Ton	45.00	1,305,000
	1975	3,030	9.75	29,500	"	43.30	1,277,000
<u>Sweet Potatoes</u>	1976	410	8.50	3,480	Ton	300.00	1,044,000
	1975	340	8.50	2,890	"	325.00	939,000
<u>Tomatoes, all</u>	1976	11,390	18.69	212,900	Ton	81.86	17,427,000
	1975	12,380	21.92	271,400	"	78.03	21,177,000
Fresh	1976	3,190	7.50	23,900	Ton	357.50	8,544,000
	1975	2,800	10.50	29,400	"	275.00	8,085,000
Processing	1976	8,200	23.10	189,000	Ton	47.00	8,883,000
	1975	9,580	25.25	242,000	"	54.10	13,092,000
<u>Misc.</u>	1976	1,660	--	--	Acre	2,390.00	3,967,000
	(Rev) 1975	1,730	--	--	"	2,320.00	4,014,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	35,710	--	--	--	--	34,235,000
	(Rev) 1975	40,680	--	--	--	--	42,007,400

FRUIT & NUT CROPS: ACREAGE; PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1975-76

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Almonds</u> (Meats)	1976	34,000	1.300	44,200,000	Lbs.	\$.614	\$27,139,000
	1975	30,000	700	21,000,000	"	.703	14,763,000
<u>Almond Hulls</u>	1976	--	--	11,000	Tons	60.00	660,000
	(Rev) 1975	--	--	5,500	"	45.00	248,000
<u>Apricots</u>	1976	7,680	6.35	48,800	Ton	128.30	6,261,000
	1975	9,600	9.10	82,300	"	143.40	11,802,000
<u>Bushberries</u>	1976	135	4.75	641	Ton	530.00	340,000
	(Rev) 1975	230	4.70	1,080	"	452.00	488,000
<u>Cherries</u>	1976	240	2.90	696	Ton	590.00	411,000
	(Rev) 1975	200	2.00	400	"	720.00	288,000
<u>Grapes, all</u>	1976	23,640	6.31	149,182	Ton	97.30	14,516,000
	(Rev) 1975	22,550	6.55	147,665	"	77.04	11,376,000
<u>Grapes, Raisin</u>							
Crushed	1976	4,000	8.00	32,000	Ton	83.50	2,672,000
	1975	4,000	7.75	31,000	"	65.00	2,015,000
Grape, Raisin Other (1)	1976	140	1.30	182	Ton	1,050.00	191,000
	(Rev) 1975	350	1.90	665	"	540.00	359,000
<u>Grapes, Wine</u>							
Crushed	1976	19,500	6.00	117,000	Ton	99.60	11,653,000
	1975	18,200	6.40	116,000	"	77.60	9,002,000
<u>Nectarines</u>	1976	140	8.25	1,160	Ton	207.50	241,000
	1975	130	7.55	982	"	250.00	246,000
<u>Peaches, all</u>	1976	14,610	12.75	186,300	Ton	109.58	20,415,000
	1975	18,000	12.61	227,000	"	123.22	27,972,000
Cling	1976	12,300	12.70	156,000	Ton	112.80	17,597,000
	1975	15,500	13.00	202,000	"	126.10	25,472,000
Freestone	1976	2,310	13.10	30,300	Ton	93.00	2,818,000
	1975	2,500	10.00	25,000	"	100.00	2,500,000
<u>Strawberries</u>	1976	130	8.00	1,040	Ton	525.00	546,000
	1975	98	6.90	676	"	434.80	294,000
<u>Walnuts</u>	1976	22,700	1.33	30,200	Ton	563.40	17,015,000
	(Rev) 1975	21,500	1.35	29,000	"	400.00	11,600,000
<u>Misc.</u>	1976	900	--	--	Acre	833.90	751,000
	1975	1,100	--	--	"	1,100.00	1,210,000

FRUIT & NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1975-76

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	104,175	--	--	--	--	\$88,295,000
	(Rev) 1975	102,848	--	--	--	--	80,287,000

(1) Dry weight.

NURSERY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AREA, SALES, AND VALUE 1975-76

<u>Item</u>		<u>Field acres</u>	<u>Quantity sold</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Deciduous Fruit & Nut Trees</u>	1976	197	3,159,000	Plants	\$ 1.314	\$4,151,000
	1975	193	2,822,000	"	1.160	3,274,000
<u>Ornamental Trees & Shrubs</u>	1976	31	996,000	Plants	.996	992,000
	1975	40	781,000	"	.933	729,000
<u>Misc.</u>	1976	255	--	Acre	8,816.00	2,248,000
	1975	250	--	"	7,350.00	1,838,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	483	--	--	--	7,391,000
	1975	483	--	--	--	5,841,000

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1975-76

		<u>No. of head</u>	<u>Total live wt.</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Cattle & Calves all</u>	1976	186,300	1,103,000	Cwt.	\$26.48	\$29,210,000
	1975	159,200	1,157,000	"	26.16	30,270,000
<u>Beef</u>	1976	104,000	650,000	Cwt.	31.00	20,150,000
	1975	95,000	713,000	"	30.00	21,390,000
<u>Dairy</u>	1976	82,300	453,000	Cwt.	20.00	9,060,000
	1975	64,200	444,000	"	20.00	8,880,000
<u>Sheep & Lambs</u>	1976	3,500	3,500	Cwt.	46.50	163,000
	(Rev) 1975	3,300	3,300	"	45.00	148,000
<u>Hogs & Pigs</u>	1976	9,500	14,200	Cwt.	42.00	596,000
	1975	8,900	13,400	"	50.00	670,000
<u>Broilers & Fryers</u>	1976	29,864,000	126,623,000	Lbs.	.253	32,036,000
	1975	27,149,000	112,668,000	"	.250	28,167,000

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1975-76

		<u>No. of head</u>	<u>Total live wt.</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Other Chickens</u>	1976	2,408,000	8,910,000	Lbs.	.085	\$ 757,000
	1975	2,136,000	9,847,000	"	.080	788,000
<u>Chicks</u>	1976	87,117,000	--	Ea.	.245	21,344,000
	1975	78,036,000	--	"	.216	16,856,000
<u>Turkeys, Heavy</u>	1976	808,000	14,544,000	Lbs.	.300	4,363,000
	1975	725,000	12,963,000	"	.341	4,420,000
<u>Turkey Poults</u>	1976	3,307,000	--	Ea.	.775	2,563,000
	1975	3,332,000	--	"	.762	2,539,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	--	--	--	--	91,032,000
	1975	--	--	--	--	83,858,000

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1975-76

<u>Product</u>		<u>Production</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Milk, all</u>	1976	11,226,000	Cwt.	\$8.95	\$100,449,000
	(Rev) 1975	10,501,000	"	8.55	89,799,000
Market	1976	9,372,000	Cwt.	9.08	85,098,000
	(Rev) 1975	8,265,000	"	8.89	73,476,000
Manufacturing	1976	1,854,000	Cwt.	8.28	15,351,000
	1975	2,236,000	"	7.30	16,323,000
<u>Eggs, Chicken</u>					
	Market				
	1976	74,605,000	Doz.	.500	37,302,000
	1975	70,757,000	"	.409	28,940,000
	Hatching				
	1976	9,650,000	Doz.	.964	9,303,000
	1975	7,279,000	"	.894	6,507,000
<u>Eggs, Turkey Hatching</u>	1976	2,714,000	Ea.	.335	909,000
	1975	1,459,000	"	.354	516,000
<u>Wool</u>	1976	21,100	Lbs.	.534	11,300
	1975	11,500	"	.410	4,720
<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	--	--	--	147,974,300
	(Rev) 1975	--	--	--	125,766,720

JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY 1975-76

(in number of head)

<u>Cattle and Calves</u>	<u>January 1, 1976</u>	<u>January 1, 1977</u>
All Cattle & Calves	295,400	270,000
Cows & Heifers That Have Calved		
Beef	31,800	41,600
Dairy	87,700	83,400
<u>Sheep & Lambs</u>	3,300	3,000
<u>Hogs & Pigs</u>	8,900	8,000
<u>Horses</u>	12,000	12,000
<u>Hens & Pullets of Laying Age</u>	4,200,000	4,400,000
<u>Turkey Breeding Hens</u>	100,000	102,000

APIARY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE 1975-76

		<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Honey</u>	1976	186,000	Lbs.	\$.401	\$ 74,600
	1975	515,000	"	.417	215,000
<u>Beeswax</u>	1976	2,740	Lbs.	1.30	3,560
	1975	8,580	"	1.15	9,870
<u>Package Bees</u>	1976	31,800	Lbs.	4.00	127,000
	1975	24,000	"	4.00	96,000
<u>Queen Bees</u>	1976	21,000	Ea.	4.80	101,000
	1975	25,000	"	4.10	102,000
<u>Pollination</u>	1976	84,400	Col.	11.40	962,000
	1975	78,200	"	10.00	782,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	--	--	--	1,268,160
	1975	--	--	--	1,204,870

SUMMARY

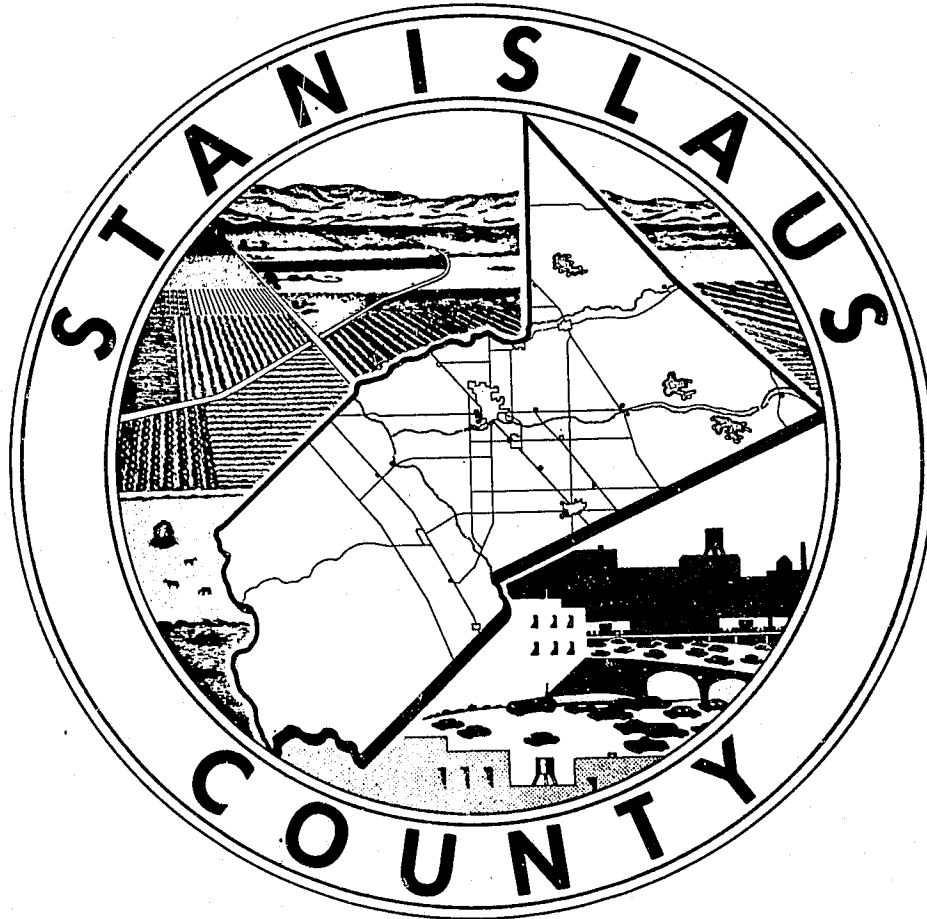
<u>ITEM</u>		<u>ACREAGE</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VALUE</u>
<u>Field Crops</u>	1976	601,240	\$ 54,084,200
	(Rev) 1975	605,240	57,849,000
<u>Seed Crops</u>	1976	1,600	605,000
	(Rev) 1975	1,390	497,000
<u>Vegetable Crops</u>	1976	35,710	34,235,000
	(Rev) 1975	40,680	42,007,400
<u>Fruit & Nut Crops</u>	1976	104,175	88,295,000
	(Rev) 1975	102,848	80,287,000
<u>Nursery Products</u>	1976	483	7,391,000
	1975	483	5,841,000
<u>Livestock & Poultry</u>	1976	--	91,032,000
	(Rev) 1975	--	83,858,000
<u>Livestock & Poultry Products</u>	1976	--	147,974,300
	(Rev) 1975	--	125,766,720
<u>Apiary Products</u>	1976	--	1,268,160
	1975	--	1,204,870
<u>TOTAL</u>	1976	743,208	424,884,660
	(Rev) 1975	750,641	397,310,990

NINE YEAR SUMMARY IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS

	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975 (Rev)	1976
<u>Field Crops</u>	34,381	29,627	35,140	38,925	42,880	66,946	68,017	57,849	54,084
<u>Seed Crops</u>	801	571	768	706	291	458	480	497	605
<u>Veg. Crops</u>	16,630	20,703	20,629	22,188	25,218	26,818	33,673	42,007	34,235
<u>Fruit & Nut</u>	50,234	54,746	51,870	52,679	55,955	86,964	80,902	80,287	88,295
<u>Nursery</u>	2,957	3,972	3,622	3,679	4,416	4,493	5,223	5,841	7,391
<u>Livestock & Poultry</u>	44,598	50,080	58,016	59,296	65,072	87,436	93,004	83,858	91,032
<u>Livestock & Poultry Prod.</u>	49,565	60,591	66,972	65,543	75,368	105,684	127,098	125,767	147,974
<u>Apiary Products</u>	145	165	193	271	341	731	1,142	1,205	1,269
<u>TOTALS</u>	199,311	220,455	237,210	243,287	269,541	379,530	409,538	397,311	424,885

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Richard E. Rominger, Director
California Department of Food and Agriculture
and
The Honorable Board of Supervisors
Stanislaus County

Gentlemen:

The Stanislaus County Crop Report for 1977 is hereby submitted. The total gross farm income is estimated to have been \$500,042,490, an increase of 18 percent over the 1976 estimate. This gain is principally attributed to fruit and nut crops, particularly almonds, apricots, grapes, peaches and walnuts. Other significant increases were seen in dry beans, poultry, tomatoes and milk production.

Much of the increase reflects the upward trend of nearly all commodity values, plus a return to relatively normal production of some crops following the strikes and unseasonal rains during the harvest periods of 1976. Overall drought conditions were present during both years but, except for cattle and rangeland, this had less of an impact during 1977. Crops appeared to emerge, develop and produce in excellent condition throughout the season. This was partially due to the use of new or deepened wells, which permitted adequate irrigation in most areas despite reduced deliveries of canal water.


The County's ten leading commodities in 1977 are listed below. Figures in parentheses indicate standings in 1976.

1. Milk, all (1)	\$111,887,000
2. Chickens, all (2)	59,178,000
3. Eggs, chicken, all (3)	46,121,000
4. Almonds (5)	41,732,000
5. Cattle and calves (4)	29,061,000
6. Peaches, all (6)	28,557,000
7. Walnuts (8)	28,492,000
8. Tomatoes (7)	20,713,000
9. Grapes, all (9)	19,290,000
10. Beans, dry, all (12)	15,843,000

It must be emphasized that the estimates represent gross farm income only. Net incomes, as always, were affected by the rising costs of production, higher prices on farm supplies and equipment, labor, and other costs.

We wish to express our appreciation to the many persons who contributed to the preparation of this report.

Respectfully,


Armen V. Sarquis
Stanislaus County
Director of Extension


Stanley D. Ray
Stanislaus County
Agricultural Commissioner

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1976-77

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>ALMONDS</u>				
Davey		420	16	
Drake		134	--	
IXL		31	--	
Jordanolo		188	--	
Merced		4,564	354	
Ne Plus Ultra		2,103	404	
Nonpareil		20,564	2,924	
Peerless		76	--	
Texas		4,793	223	
Thompson		2,077	198	
Others		892	1,357	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1977	35,842	5,476	41,318
	1976	34,323	5,928	40,251
<u>APPLES</u>				
Delicious		--	1	
Golden Delicious		--	38	
Others		20	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1977	20	39	59
	1976	8	51	59
<u>APRICOTS</u>				
Blenheim Royal		52	--	
Tilton		8,752	69	
Others		531	193	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1977	9,335	262	9,597
	1976	9,689	246	9,935
<u>AVOCADOS</u>				
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1977	2	--	2
	1976	2	--	2
<u>CHEERRIES</u>				
Bing		231	23	
Black Tartarian		3	1	
Lambert		7	--	
Royal Ann		19	--	
Seedlings		42	1	
Others		16	19	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1977	318	44	362
	1976	249	63	312
<u>CHESTNUTS</u>				
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1977	1	--	1
	1976	1	--	1

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1976-77

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>CITRUS</u>				
Lemons		78	--	
Limes		--	--	
Oranges		62	--	
Tangelos		9	--	
Tangerines		46	10	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1977	195	10	205
	1976	196	10	206
<u>FIGS</u>				
Black		4	--	
Kadota		3	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1977	7	--	7
	1976	7	--	7
<u>GRAPES, RAISIN</u>				
Muscat of Alexandria		9	--	
Thompson Seedless		4,160	10	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1977	4,169	10	4,179
	1976	4,258	--	4,258
<u>GRAPES, TABLE</u>				
Black Prince		6	--	
Malaga		5	--	
Red Malaga		21	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>			
	1977	32	--	32
	1976	34	--	34
<u>GRAPES, WINE</u>				
Alicante Bouschet		195	--	
Barbera		1,906	--	
Black Malvoisie		45	--	
Burger		3	--	
Cabernet Sauvignon		105	--	
Carignane		2,843	--	
Chenin Blanc		1,680	10	
Feher Szagos		34	--	
French Columbard		2,201	28	
Grand Noir		10	--	
Grenache		2,545	--	
Malvasia Bianca		233	--	
Mission		612	--	
Muscat Blanc		25	8	
Muscat Hamburg		19	--	
Nebbiolo		200	--	

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1976-77

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>GRAPES, WINE</u>				
Palomino		562	--	
Petite Sirah		536	--	
Royalty		195	--	
Rubired		137	--	
Ruby Cabernet		2,383	17	
St. Emilion		563	--	
St. Macaire		144	--	
Salvador		39	--	
Sauvignon Blanc		90	--	
Semillon		504	--	
Souzao		59	--	
Tinta Madeira		18	5	
Valdepenas		832	6	
Zinfandel		859	4	
Other Dark		392	--	
Other White		195	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	78	20,242
		1976	372	20,334
<u>KIWI</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	130	132
		1976	128	128
<u>NECTARINES</u>				
Early Sun Grand		16	--	
Le Grand		10	--	
Red Grand		25	--	
Red June		1	--	
September Grand		3	--	
Sun Grand		26	--	
Others		52	10	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	10	143
		1976	11	157
<u>OLIVES</u>				
Manzanillo		66	--	
Mission		128	--	
Sevillano		1	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	--	195
		1976	--	195
<u>PEACHES, CLING</u>				
Andross		365	440	
Bowen		152	192	
Carolyn		1,354	23	

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1976-77

<u>Crop</u>			<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>PEACHES, CLING</u>					
Carson			1,127	150	
Corona			699	28	
Dixon			601	--	
Fortuna			56	--	
Gaume			474	1	
Halford			3,060	135	
Jungerman			96	--	
Klamt			377	78	
Loadel			1,340	84	
Monaco			539	76	
Paloro			577	2	
Peak			141	--	
Starn			1,531	81	
Tufts			10	58	
Vivian			179	--	
Wiser			730	2	
Others			972	51	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	14,380	1,401	15,781
		1976	15,090	1,561	16,651
<u>PEACHES, FREESTONE</u>					
Cardinal			3	--	
Elberta			116	21	
Fay Elberta			2,116	80	
July Elberta			2	--	
Red Globe			3	--	
Red Haven			5	--	
Red Top			1	--	
Rio Oso Gem			152	--	
Suncrest			3	--	
Others			103	23	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	2,504	124	2,628
		1976	2,570	135	2,705
<u>PEARS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	469	--	469
		1976	466	3	469
<u>PECANS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	16	1	17
		1976	16	1	17
<u>PERSIMMONS</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	15	--	15
		1976	15	--	15

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1976-77

<u>Crop</u>			<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>PISTACHIO</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	8	22	30
		1976	4	26	30
<u>PLUMS</u>					
	Casselman		4	--	
	Laroda		1	--	
	President		5	--	
	Santa Rosa		14	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	24	--	24
		1976	31	--	31
<u>POMEGRANATES</u>					
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	1	--	1
		1976	1	--	1
<u>PRUNES</u>					
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	89	11	100
		1976	85	15	100
<u>WALNUTS</u>					
	Ashley		1,040	676	
	Blackmer		46	--	
	Concord		39	--	
	Eureka		4,502	54	
	Franquette		3,189	32	
	Hartley		6,660	595	
	Mayette		255	--	
	Nugget		240	--	
	Payne		5,961	131	
	Placentia		5	--	
	Serr		564	738	
	Tehama		95	65	
	Trinta		132	1	
	Vina		5	53	
	Waterloo		336	3	
	Others		332	156	
	Black		345	131	
	Seedlings		26	35	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	23,772	2,670	26,442
		1976	22,742	3,773	26,515
<u>PERMANENT CROP</u>					
<u>ACREAGE:</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	111,693	10,288	121,981
		1976	110,090	12,323	122,413

FIELD CROPS:

		<u>Harvested</u> <u>acres</u>	<u>Per</u> <u>acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per</u> <u>unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Barley, all</u>	1977	29,000		53,300	Ton	\$	\$ 4,635,000
	1976	28,000		36,000	"		3,630,000
Irrigated	1977	25,000	2.09	52,300	Ton	87.00	4,550,000
	1976	20,000	1.50	30,000	"	101.00	3,030,000
Non- irrigated	1977	4,000	0.25	1,000	Ton	85.00	85,000
	1976	8,000	0.75	6,000	"	100.00	600,000
<u>Beans, dry</u>	1977	24,550		32,430	Ton		15,843,000
	<u>edible, all</u> (Rev) 1976	20,000		19,150	"		9,212,000
Blackeyes	1977	4,860	0.98	4,760	Ton	454.00	2,161,000
	(Rev) 1976	5,000	0.80	4,000	"	548.00	2,192,000
Baby Limas	1977	6,500	1.42	9,230	Ton	428.00	3,950,000
	(Rev) 1976	5,000	1.15	5,750	"	330.00	1,898,000
Large Limas	1977	6,710	1.28	8,590	Ton	696.00	5,979,000
	(Rev) 1976	6,000	0.80	4,800	"	725.00	3,480,000
Other Beans	1977	6,480	1.52	9,850	Ton	381.00	3,753,000
	(Rev) 1976	4,000	1.15	4,600	"	357.00	1,642,000
<u>Corn, field</u>	1977	3,070	3.50	10,700	Ton	80.00	856,000
	1976	2,760	2.50	6,900	"	98.20	678,000
<u>Hay, Alfalfa</u>	1977	32,900	6.19	204,000	Ton	66.00	13,464,000
	1976	29,900	6.00	179,000	"	72.90	13,049,000
<u>Hay, Grain</u>	1977	21,600	2.83	61,100	Ton	45.90	2,804,000
	1976	20,300	2.25	45,700	"	58.60	2,678,000
<u>Oats</u>	1977	1,240	1.43	1,770	Ton	75.00	133,000
	1976	800	0.85	680	"	66.50	45,200
<u>Pasture & Range</u>							
Irrig. Pasture	1977	71,000	--	--	Acre	95.00	6,745,000
	1976	71,000	--	--	"	100.00	7,100,000
Range	1977	375,000	--	--	Acre	3.00	1,125,000
	1976	375,000	--	--	"	6.50	2,438,000
<u>Rice</u>	1977	640	2.95	1,890	Ton	183.00	346,000
	1976	2,710	2.80	7,590	"	135.00	1,025,000

FIELD CROPS Cont.

		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Silage, all</u>	1977	38,000	24.00	912,000	Ton	\$ 11.80	\$10,762,000
	1976	37,800	18.45	697,000	"	14.00	9,758,000
<u>Sorghum Grain</u>	1977	1,850	2.31	4,270	Ton	93.30	398,000
	1976	1,800	2.25	4,050	"	98.00	397,000
<u>Sugar Beets</u>	1977	2,700	27.18	73,400	Ton	19.50	1,431,000
	1976	5,500	29.85	164,000	"	18.00	2,952,000
<u>Wheat</u>	1977	1,590	2.63	4,180	Ton	86.40	361,000
	1976	2,500	1.95	4,880	"	120.00	586,000
<u>Misc.</u>	1977	3,160			Acre	160.00	506,000
	(Rev) 1976	3,200			"	160.00	512,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	606,300					59,409,000
	1976	601,270					54,060,200

Note: Acreage figures include double-cropping.

SEED CROPS:

<u>Seed Crops, all</u>	1977	1,800			Acre	458.00	824,000
	1976	1,600			"	378.00	605,000

VEGETABLE CROPS:

<u>Beans, Green Lima</u>	1977	5,000	1.74	8,700	Ton	360.00	3,132,000
	1976	5,650	1.25	7,060	"	240.00	1,694,000
<u>Beans, Snap</u>	1977	1,860	2.75	5,120	Ton	164.00	840,000
	(Rev) 1976	1,800	2.15	3,870	"	155.00	600,000
<u>Broccoli</u>	1977	256	2.75	704	Ton	263.00	185,000
	1976	460	2.75	1,260	"	220.00	277,000
<u>Cauliflower</u>	1977	613	4.00	2,450	Ton	320.00	784,000
	(Rev) 1976	860	3.45	2,970	"	255.00	757,000
<u>Melons, all</u>	1977	4,431		36,732	Ton		4,878,000
	(Rev) 1976	3,240		27,620	"		4,294,000

VEGETABLE CROPS Cont.

		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
Cantaloupe	1977	696	6.76	4,700	Ton	\$149.00	\$ 700,000
	(Rev) 1976	400	7.50	3,000	"	154.00	462,000
Honeydew	1977	2,100	7.11	14,900	Ton	166.00	2,473,000
	(Rev) 1976	2,000	8.10	16,200	"	180.00	2,916,000
Persian	1977	135	5.50	742	Ton	199.00	148,000
	(Rev) 1976	100	6.00	600	"	140.00	84,000
Other Musk- melons	1977	560	6.94	3,890	Ton	159.00	619,000
	(Rev) 1976	540	8.00	4,320	"	142.00	613,000
Watermelon	1977	940	13.34	12,500	Ton	75.00	938,000
	1976	200	17.50	3,500	"	62.50	219,000
<u>Onions, all</u>	1977	185	20.08	3,710	Ton	80.00	297,000
	1976	380	21.55	8,190	"	69.00	565,000
<u>Peas, Green Processing</u>	1977	4,880	1.67	8,150	Ton	175.00	1,426,000
	(Rev) 1976	6,100	1.45	8,840	"	158.00	1,397,000
<u>Peppers, all</u>	1977	190	15.54	2,950	Ton	123.00	363,000
	1976	460	14.00	6,440	"	141.00	908,000
<u>Spinach, Proces- sing</u>	1977	3,590	10.61	38,100	Ton	50.80	1,935,000
	1976	3,300	8.80	29,000	"	45.00	1,305,000
<u>Sweet Potatoes</u>	1977	1,030	8.23	8,480	Ton	320.00	2,714,000
	1976	410	8.50	3,480	"	300.00	1,044,000
<u>Tomatoes, all</u>	1977	9,850		240,900	Ton		20,713,000
	(Rev) 1976	11,390		212,900	"		17,439,000
Fresh	1977	2,280	10.50	23,900	Ton	360.00	8,604,000
	(Rev) 1976	3,190	7.50	23,900	"	358.00	8,556,000
Processing	1977	7,570	28.73	217,000	Ton	55.80	12,109,000
	1976	8,200	23.10	189,000	"	47.00	8,883,000
<u>Misc.</u>	1977	1,960			Acre	2,000.00	3,920,000
	1976	1,660			"	2,390.00	3,967,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	33,845					41,187,000
	(Rev) 1976	35,710					34,247,000

Note: Acreage figures include double-cropping.

FRUIT & NUT CROPS:

		<u>Harvested</u> <u>acres</u>	<u>Per</u> <u>acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per</u> <u>unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Almond</u>	1977	35,800	1.403	50,227,000	Lbs.	\$ 0.810	\$ 40,684,000
<u>Meats</u>	1976	34,000	1.300	44,200,000	"	0.614	27,139,000
<u>Almond</u>	1977			41,900	Ton	25.00	1,048,000
<u>Hulls (Rev)</u>	1976			36,800	"	60.00	2,208,000
<u>Apricots</u>	1977	9,330	7.76	72,400	Ton	155.00	11,222,000
(Rev)	1976	7,680	6.35	48,800	"	128.00	6,246,000
<u>Bushberries</u>	1977	175	4.72	826	Ton	800.00	661,000
	1976	135	4.75	641	"	530.00	340,000
<u>Cherries</u>	1977	315	3.00	945	Ton	750.00	790,000
	1976	240	2.90	696	"	590.00	411,000
<u>Grapes, all</u>	1977	24,450		148,250	Ton		19,209,000
	1976	23,640		149,182	"		14,516,000
<u>Grapes, Raisin</u>	1977	4,000	8.94	35,800	Ton	100.00	3,580,000
<u>Crushed</u>	1976	4,000	8.00	32,000	"	83.50	2,672,000
<u>Raisin</u>	1977	250	1.80	450	Ton	850.00	383,000
<u>Other (1)</u>	1976	140	1.30	182	"	1,050.00	191,000
<u>Grapes, Wine</u>	1977	20,200	6.50	131,000	Ton	117.00	15,327,000
<u>Crushed</u>	1976	19,500	6.00	117,000	"	99.60	11,653,000
<u>Nectarines</u>	1977	130	9.16	1,190	Ton	172.00	205,000
	1976	140	8.25	1,160	"	208.00	241,000
<u>Peaches, all</u>	1977	16,800		244,100	Ton		28,557,000
(Rev)	1976	14,610		186,300	"		20,446,000
<u>Cling</u>	1977	14,300	14.60	209,000	Ton	119.00	24,871,000
(Rev)	1976	12,300	12.70	156,000	"	113.00	17,628,000
<u>Freestone</u>	1977	2,500	14.05	35,100	Ton	105.00	3,686,000
	1976	2,310	13.10	30,300	"	93.00	2,818,000
<u>Strawberries</u>	1977	128	7.50	960	Ton	588.00	564,000
	1976	130	8.00	1,040	"	525.00	546,000
<u>Walnuts</u>	1977	23,700	1.70	40,300	Ton	707.00	28,492,000
<u>Inshell</u>	1976	22,700	1.33	30,200	"	563.00	17,003,000
<u>Misc. (1)</u>	1977	1,040			Acre	970.00	1,009,000
(Rev)	1976	900			"	834.00	751,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	111,868					132,441,000
(Rev)	1976	104,175					89,847,000

FRUIT & NUTS Cont.

(1) Includes chestnuts, citrus, figs, olives, pears, pecans, persimmons, pistachio nuts, plums, pomegranates and prunes.

NOTE: Acreages include interplanting.

NURSERY PRODUCTS

		<u>Field acres</u>	<u>Quantity sold</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Deciduous Fruit & Nut Trees</u>	1977	285	2,453,000	Plants	\$ 1.58	\$3,876,000
	(Rev) 1976	197	3,159,000	"	1.31	4,138,000
<u>Ornamental (1) Trees & Shrubs</u>	1977	36	1,103,000	Plants	1.26	1,390,000
	(Rev) 1976	31	996,000	"	1.00	996,000
<u>Misc. (2)</u>	1977	257		Acre	8,455.00	2,173,000
	1976	255		"	8,816.00	2,248,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1977	578				7,439,000
	1976	483				7,382,000

(1) Includes broadleaf evergreens, coniferous evergreens, deciduous shade trees and deciduous shrubs.

(2) Includes bedding plants, cut green decoratives, vegetable plants, grape vines and small fruit plants.

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

		<u>No of head</u>	<u>Total live wt.</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Cattle & Calves all</u>	1977	169,800	1,050,000	Cwt.	\$	\$29,061,000
	1976	186,300	1,103,000	"		29,210,000
Beef	1977	98,600	641,000	Cwt.	31.30	20,063,000
	1976	104,000	650,000	"	31.00	20,150,000
Dairy	1977	71,200	409,000	Cwt.	22.00	8,998,000
	1978	82,300	453,000	"	20.00	9,060,000
<u>Sheep & Lambs</u>	1977	2,730	2,730	Cwt.	49.60	135,000
	(Rev) 1976	1,910	1,910	"	46.50	88,800

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY Cont.

		<u>No of head</u>	<u>Total live wt.</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Hogs & Pigs</u>	1977	5,790	8,690	Cwt.	\$45.00	\$ 391,000
	(Rev) 1976	10,500	15,800	"	42.00	664,000
<u>Broilers & Fryers</u>	1977	33,761,000	140,108,000	Lbs.	0.27	37,829,000
	(Rev) 1976	29,864,000	126,623,000	"	0.25	31,656,000
<u>Other Chickens</u>	1977	2,736,000	10,397,000	Lbs.	.08	832,000
	(Rev) 1976	2,408,000	8,910,000	"	.09	802,000
<u>Chicks</u>	1977	97,700,000		Each	.21	20,517,000
	(Rev) 1976	87,117,000		"	.21	18,295,000
<u>Turkeys, Heavy</u>	1977	992,000	17,410,000	Lbs.	.36	6,268,000
	1976	808,000	14,544,000	"	.30	4,363,000
<u>Turkey Poults</u>	1977	4,364,000		Each	.75	3,273,000
	(Rev) 1976	3,307,000		"	.78	2,579,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1977					98,306,000
	(Rev) 1976					87,657,800

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS:

		<u>Production</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Milk, all</u>	1977	11,903,000	Cwt.	\$	\$111,887,000
	(Rev) 1976	11,221,000	"		101,047,000
Market	1977	10,219,000	Cwt.	9.54	97,489,000
	(Rev) 1976	9,316,000	"	9.18	85,521,000
Manufacturing	1977	1,684,000	Cwt.	8.55	14,398,000
	(Rev) 1976	1,905,000	"	8.15	15,526,000
<u>Eggs, Chicken</u>	1977	78,436,000	Doz.	0.47	36,865,000
	(Rev) 1976	74,605,000	"	0.50	37,303,000
Hatching	1977	9,256,000	Doz.	1.00	9,256,000
	(Rev) 1976	9,650,000	"	0.96	9,264,000
<u>Eggs, Turkey Hatching</u>	1977	2,510,000	Each	0.34	853,000
	(Rev) 1976	2,714,000	"	0.34	923,000
<u>Wool</u>	1977	23,600	Lbs.	0.70	16,500
	(Rev) 1976	21,100	"	0.53	11,200

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS Cont.

		<u>Production</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	1977			\$158,877,500
	(Rev) 1976			148,548,200

JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY 1976-77
(in number of head)

	<u>January 1, 1977</u>	<u>January 1, 1978</u>
<u>Cattle and Calves</u>		
All Cattle & Calves	270,000	252,400
Cows & Heifers That Have Calved		
Beef	41,600	38,500
Dairy	83,400	86,300
<u>Sheep & Lambs</u>	3,000	3,000
<u>Hogs & Pigs</u>	8,000	10,800
<u>Horses</u>	12,000	12,000
<u>Hens & Pullets of Laying Age</u>	4,400,000	4,378,000
<u>Turkey Breeding Hens</u>	102,000	130,000

APIARY PRODUCTS:

		<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Honey</u>	1977	510,000	Lbs.	\$ 0.41	\$ 209,000
	(Rev) 1976	550,000	"	0.40	220,000
<u>Beeswax</u>	1977	2,860	Lbs.	1.78	5,090
	1976	2,740	"	1.30	3,560
<u>Package Bees</u>	1977	33,300	Lbs.	3.64	121,000
	1976	31,800	"	4.00	127,000
<u>Queen Bees</u>	1977	21,900	Ea.	4.06	88,900
	1976	21,000	"	4.80	101,000
<u>Pollination</u>	1977	88,000	Col.	12.90	1,135,000
	1976	84,400	"	11.40	962,000

APIARY PRODUCTS Cont.

			<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>TOTAL</u>		1977				\$1,558,990
	(Rev)	1976				1,413,560

SUMMARY

<u>ITEM</u>			<u>ACREAGE</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VALUE</u>
<u>Field Crops</u>		1977	606,300	\$ 59,409,000
	(Rev)	1976	601,270	54,060,200
<u>Seed Crops</u>		1977	1,800	824,000
		1976	1,600	605,000
<u>Vegetable Crops</u>		1977	33,845	41,187,000
	(Rev)	1976	35,710	34,247,000
<u>Fruit & Nut Crops</u>		1977	111,868	132,441,000
	(Rev)	1976	104,175	89,847,000
<u>Nursery Products</u>		1977	578	7,439,000
	(Rev)	1976	483	7,382,000
<u>Livestock & Poultry</u>		1977		98,306,000
	(Rev)	1976		87,657,800
<u>Livestock & Poultry Products</u>		1977		158,877,500
	(Rev)	1976		148,548,200
<u>Apiary Products</u>		1977		1,558,990
	(Rev)	1976		1,413,560
<u>TOTAL</u>		1977	754,391	500,042,490
	(Rev)	1976	743,238	423,760,760

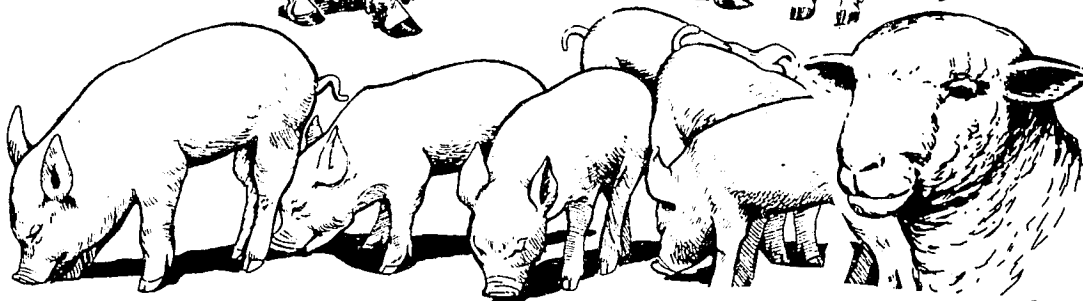
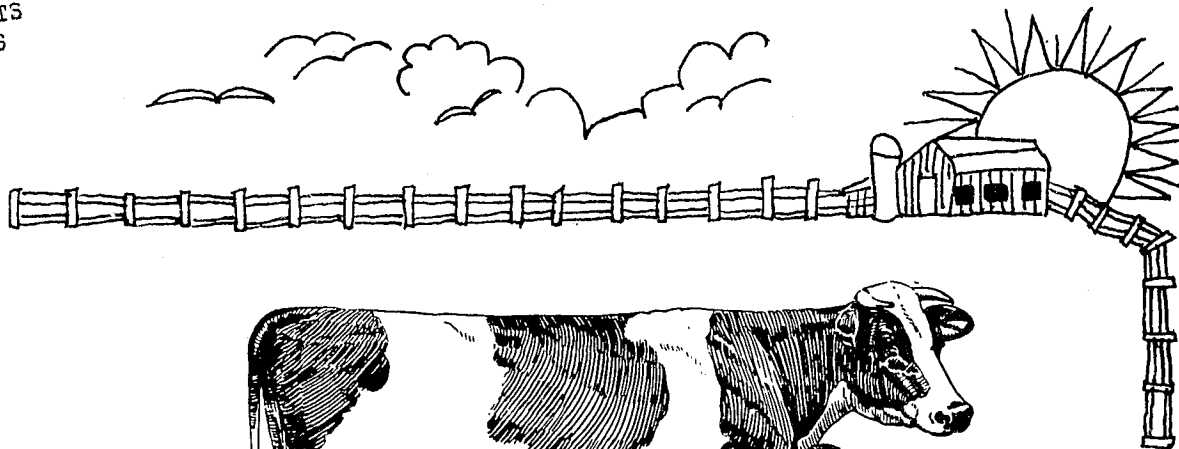
NINE YEAR SUMMARY IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976 (Rev)	1977
<u>Field Crops</u>	29,627	35,140	38,925	42,880	66,946	68,017	57,849	54,060	59,409
<u>Seed Crops</u>	571	768	706	291	458	480	497	605	824
<u>Veg. Crops</u>	20,703	20,629	22,188	25,218	26,818	33,673	42,007	34,247	41,187
<u>Fruit & Nut</u>	54,746	51,870	52,679	55,955	86,964	80,902	80,287	89,847	132,441
<u>Nursery</u>	3,972	3,622	3,679	4,416	4,493	5,223	5,841	7,382	7,439
<u>Livestock & Poultry</u>	50,080	58,016	59,296	65,072	87,436	93,004	83,858	87,658	98,306
<u>Livestock & Poultry Prod.</u>	60,591	66,972	65,543	75,368	105,684	127,098	125,767	148,548	158,878
<u>Apiary Products</u>	165	193	271	341	731	1,142	1,205	1,414	1,559
<u>TOTALS</u>	220,455	237,210	243,287	269,541	379,530	409,538	397,311	423,761	500,042

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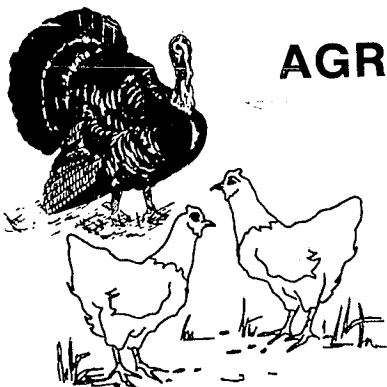
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PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1977-78

<u>Crop</u>			<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>ALMONDS</u>					
Carmel			931	314	
Davey			420	16	
Drake			132	--	
IXL			31	--	
Jordanolo			183	--	
Merced			4,742	259	
Ne Plus Ultra			2,269	247	
Nonpareil			21,233	2,606	
Peerless			76	--	
Texas Mission			4,910	163	
Thompson			2,208	77	
Others			291	956	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	37,426	4,638	42,064
		1977	35,842	5,476	41,318
<u>APPLES</u>					
Golden Delicious			--	38	
Others			21	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	21	38	59
		1977	20	39	59
<u>APRICOTS</u>					
Blenheim/Royal			52	--	
Modesto			394	--	
Patterson			159	72	
Tilton			8,729	57	
Others			51	150	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	9,385	279	9,664
		1977	9,335	262	9,597
<u>CHERRIES</u>					
Bing			241	31	
Lambert			7	--	
Royal Ann			19	--	
Seedlings			42	--	
Others			19	15	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	328	46	374
		1977	318	44	362
<u>CITRUS</u>					
Lemons			78	--	
Oranges			62	--	
Tangelos			30	--	
Tangerines			87	10	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	257	10	267
		1977	257	10	267

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1977-78

<u>Crop</u>		<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>GRAPES, RAISIN</u>				
Thompson Seedless		4,170	---	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	4,170	---	4,170
	1978	4,170		
	1977	4,169	10	4,179
<u>GRAPES, TABLE</u>				
Black Prince		6	---	
Malaga		5	---	
Red Malaga		21	---	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	32	---	32
	1978	32		
	1977	32	---	32
<u>GRAPES, WINE</u>				
Alicante Bouschet		195	---	
Barbera		1,906	---	
Black Malvoisie		45	---	
Burger		3	---	
Cabernet Sauvignon		105	---	
Carignane		2,836	---	
Chenin Blanc		1,680	10	
Fehér Szagos		34	---	
French Colombard		2,179	58	
Grand Noir		10	---	
Grenache		2,506	---	
Malvasia Bianca		233	---	
Mission		612	---	
Muscat Blanc		33	---	
Muscat Hamburg		19	---	
Muscat Pantelleria		30	---	
Nebbiolo		200	---	
Palomino		562	---	
Petite Sirah		536	---	
Royalty		155	---	
Rubired		137	---	
Ruby Cabernet		2,390	13	
St. Emilion		563	---	
St. Macaire		144	---	
Salvador		39	---	
Sauvignon Blanc		90	---	
Semillon		504	---	
Souzao		59	---	
Tinta Madeira		18	---	
Valdepenas		832	6	
Zinfandel		853	---	
Other Dark Varieties		392	---	
Other White Varieties		185	---	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	20,085	87	
	1978	20,085		
	1977	20,164	78	
<u>GRAPES, ALL</u>				
	1978	24,287	87	
	1977	24,365	88	

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1977-78

<u>Crop</u>			<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>KIWI, ALL</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	16	116	132
		1977	2	130	132
<u>NECTARINES</u>					
			16	--	
			10	--	
			25	--	
			17	--	
			45	10	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	113	10	123
		1977	133	10	143
<u>OLIVES</u>					
			66	--	
			128	--	
			1	--	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	195	--	195
		1977	195	--	195
<u>PEACHES, CLING</u>					
			388	668	
			152	243	
			1,260	15	
			1,035	152	
			681	32	
			356	--	
			44	--	
			390	1	
			2,640	153	
			94	--	
			378	85	
			1,197	58	
			527	77	
			487	1	
			140	--	
			1,498	163	
			32	49	
			108	--	
			674	9	
			850	38	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	12,931	1,744	14,675
		1977	14,380	1,401	15,781
<u>PEACHES, FREESTONE</u>					
			119	18	
			2,063	57	
			152	--	

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1977-78

Crop Bearing Acres Non-bearing Total

PEACHES, FREESTONE, CONT.

Crop	Bearing Acres	Non-bearing	Total
Others	117	23	140
TOTAL	2,451	98	2,549
1977	2,504	124	2,628

Crop	Bearing Acres	Non-bearing	Total
PEACHES, ALL	15,382	1,842	17,224
TOTAL	16,884	1,525	18,409
1977	16,884	1,525	18,409

Crop	Bearing Acres	Non-bearing	Total
PEARS, ALL	469	--	469
TOTAL	469	--	469
1977	469	--	469

Crop	Bearing Acres	Non-bearing	Total
PECANS, ALL	16	1	17
TOTAL	16	1	17
1977	16	1	17

Crop	Bearing Acres	Non-bearing	Total
PERSIMMONS, ALL	18	--	18
TOTAL	18	--	18
1977	18	--	18

Crop	Bearing Acres	Non-bearing	Total
PISTACHIO NUTS, ALL	8	22	30
TOTAL	8	22	30
1977	8	22	30

Crop	Bearing Acres	Non-bearing	Total
PLUMS	14	--	14
Santa Rosa	10	--	10
Others	24	--	24
TOTAL	44	--	44
1977	44	--	44

Crop	Bearing Acres	Non-bearing	Total
PRUNES, ALL	96	4	100
TOTAL	96	4	100
1977	96	4	100

Crop	Bearing Acres	Non-bearing	Total
WALNUTS	1,216	500	1,716
Ashley	372	104	476
Black	46	--	46
Blackmer	34	--	34
Concord	4,509	34	4,543
Eureka	3,204	16	3,220
Franquette	--	--	--
TOTAL	9,785	654	10,439
1977	9,785	654	10,439

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1977-78

<u>Crop</u>			<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>PEACHES, FREESTONE, CONT.</u>					
Others			<u>117</u>	<u>23</u>	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	2,451	98	2,549
		1977	2,504	124	2,628
<u>PEACHES, ALL</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	15,382	1,842	17,224
		1977	16,884	1,525	18,409
<u>PEARS, ALL</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	469	--	469
		1977	469	--	469
<u>PECANS, ALL</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	16	1	17
		1977	16	1	17
<u>PERSIMMONS, ALL</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	18	--	18
		1977	18	--	18
<u>PISTACHIO NUTS, ALL</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	8	22	30
		1977	8	22	30
<u>PLUMS</u>					
Santa Rosa			14	--	
Others			<u>10</u>	<u>--</u>	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	24	--	24
		1977	24	--	24
<u>PRUNES, ALL</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	96	4	100
		1977	89	11	100
<u>WALNUTS</u>					
Ashley			1,216	500	
Black			372	104	
Blackmer			46	--	
Concord			34	--	
Eureka			4,509	34	
Franquette			3,204	16	

PERMANENT CROP ACREAGES 1977-78

<u>Crop</u>			<u>Bearing Acres</u>	<u>Non-bearing</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>WALNUTS, CONT.</u>					
Hartley			6,758	471	
Mayette			255	--	
Nuggett			240	--	
Payne			6,044	42	
Serr			724	582	
Tehama			106	54	
Trinta			132	1	
Vina			5	53	
Waterloo			339	--	
Others			364	129	
	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	24,348	1,986	26,334
		1977	23,772	2,670	26,442
<u>MISCELLANEOUS*</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	162		162
		1977	186		186
<u>PERMANENT CROP</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	112,551	9,079	121,630
<u>ACREAGE:</u>		1977	111,933	10,288	122,221

*Includes avocados, bushberries, chestnuts, figs and pomegranates.

NOTE: Acreages include interplanting.

FIELD CROPS:

		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Barley, all</u>	1978	30,000		52,800	Ton	\$	\$ 5,280,000
	1977	29,000		53,200	"		4,626,000
Irrigated	1978	24,000	2.00	48,000	Ton	100.00	4,800,000
	1977	25,000	2.09	52,200	"	87.00	4,541,000
Non- irrigated	1978	6,000	.80	4,800	Ton	100.00	480,000
	1977	4,000	.25	1,000	"	85.00	85,000
<u>Beans, dry edible, all</u>	1978	36,920		32,520	Ton		17,387,000
	1977	24,550		32,430	"		15,843,000
Blackeyes	1978	11,800	.74	8,730	Ton	440.00	3,841,000
	1977	4,860	.98	4,760	"	454.00	2,161,000
Baby Limas	1978	7,100	1.08	7,670	Ton	401.00	3,076,000
	1977	6,500	1.42	9,230	"	428.00	3,950,000
Large Limas	1978	14,000	.79	11,100	Ton	690.00	7,659,000
	1977	6,710	1.28	8,590	"	696.00	5,979,000
Other Beans	1978	4,020	1.25	5,020	Ton	560.00	2,811,000
	1977	6,480	1.52	9,850	"	381.00	3,753,000
<u>Corn, field</u>	1978	8,120	3.20	26,000	Ton	92.00	2,392,000
	(Rev)* 1977	5,070	3.50	17,700	"	80.00	1,416,000
<u>Hay, Alfalfa</u>	1978	25,900	6.46	167,000	Ton	60.00	10,020,000
	1977	32,900	6.19	204,000	"	66.00	13,464,000
<u>Hay, Grain</u>	1978	19,100	3.45	65,900	Ton	38.00	2,504,000
	1977	21,600	2.83	61,100	"	45.90	2,804,000
<u>Oats</u>	1978	2,830	.80	2,260	Ton	110.00	249,000
	1977	1,240	1.43	1,770	"	75.00	133,000
<u>Pasture & Range</u>							
Irrig. Pasture	1978	78,100	--	--	Acre	100.00	7,810,000
	1977	71,000	--	--	"	95.00	6,745,000
Rangeland	1978	371,000	--	--	Acre	8.75	3,246,000
	1977	375,000	--	--	"	3.00	1,125,000
<u>Rice</u>	1978	3,000	2.75	8,250	Ton	150.00	1,238,000
	(Rev) 1977	1,520	2.00	3,040	"	183.00	556,000

*Revised

FIELD CROPS Cont.

		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Silage, all</u>	1978	53,100	19.00	1,009,000	Ton	\$ 12.00	\$12,108,000
	1977	38,000	24.00	912,000	"	11.80	10,762,000
<u>Sorghum Grain</u>	1978	940	2.75	2,580	Ton	90.00	232,000
	1977	1,850	2.31	4,270	"	93.30	398,000
<u>Sugar Beets</u>	1978	1,700	25.00	42,500	Ton	24.50	1,041,000
	(Rev) 1977	2,700	25.10	67,800	"	19.50	1,322,000
<u>Wheat</u>	1978	3,890	2.53	9,840	Ton	110.00	1,082,000
	1977	1,590	2.63	4,180	"	86.40	361,000
<u>Miscellaneous</u>	1978	2,240			Acre	170.00	381,000
	1977	3,160			"	160.00	506,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	636,840					64,970,000
	(Rev) 1977	609,190					60,061,000

Note: Acreage figures include double-cropping.

SEED CROPS:

<u>Vegetable</u>	1978	810			Acre	476.00	386,000
	(Rev) 1977	469			"	581.00	272,000
<u>Others</u>	1978	2,970			Acre	413.00	1,227,000
	(Rev) 1977	1,800			"	458.00	824,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	3,780					1,613,000
	1977	2,269					1,096,000

VEGETABLE CROPS:

<u>Beans, Green Lima</u>	1978	9,830	1.42	14,000	Ton	330.00	4,620,000
	1977	5,000	1.74	8,700	"	360.00	3,132,000
<u>Beans, Snap</u>	1978	1,780	2.07	3,680	Ton	180.00	662,000
	1977	1,860	2.75	5,120	"	164.00	840,000
<u>Broccoli</u>	1978	180	3.23	581	Ton	280.00	163,000
	1977	256	2.75	704	"	263.00	185,000
<u>Cauliflower</u>	1978	215	3.50	752	Ton	340.00	256,000
	1977	613	4.00	2,450	"	320.00	784,000

VEGETABLE CROPS Cont.

		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Melons, all</u>	1978	5,655		46,310	Ton		\$6,100,000
	1977	4,431		36,732	"		4,878,000
Cantaloupe	1978	885	6.00	5,310	Ton	\$160.00	850,000
	1977	696	6.76	4,700	"	149.00	700,000
Honeydew	1978	2,750	7.42	20,400	Ton	170.00	3,468,000
	1977	2,100	7.11	14,900	"	166.00	2,473,000
Persian	1978	250	5.00	1,250	Ton	160.00	200,000
	1977	135	5.50	742	"	199.00	148,000
Other Muskmelons	1978	690	7.76	5,350	Ton	113.00	605,000
	1977	560	6.94	3,890	"	159.00	619,000
Watermelon	1978	1,080	13.00	14,000	Ton	69.80	977,000
	1977	940	13.34	12,500	"	75.00	938,000
<u>Peas, Green Processing</u>	1978	5,150	1.21	6,230	Ton	180.00	1,121,000
	1977	4,880	1.67	8,150	"	175.00	1,426,000
<u>Peppers, all</u>	1978	147	14.00	2,060	Ton	120.00	247,000
	(Rev) 1977	190	15.54	2,950	"	123.00	363,000
<u>Pumpkins, all</u>	1978	270	9.38	2,530	Ton	60.00	152,000
	(Rev) 1977	195	8.29	1,620	"	70.00	113,000
<u>Spinach, Processing</u>	1978	2,490	8.84	22,000	Ton	55.90	1,230,000
	1977	3,590	10.61	38,100	"	50.80	1,935,000
<u>Squash, Banana</u>	1978	75	12.10	908	Ton	50.00	45,400
	1977	55	11.00	605	"	70.00	42,400
<u>Sweet Potatoes</u>	1978	540	8.00	4,320	Ton	395.00	1,706,000
	1977	1,030	8.23	8,480	"	320.00	2,714,000
<u>Tomatoes, all</u>	1978	8,300		167,000	Ton		13,042,000
	1977	9,850		240,900	"		20,713,000
Fresh	1978	1,800	11.30	20,300	Ton	250.00	5,075,000
	1977	2,280	10.50	23,900	"	360.00	8,604,000
Processing	1978	6,500	22.60	147,000	Ton	54.20	7,967,000
	1977	7,570	28.73	217,000	"	55.80	12,109,000

VEGETABLE CROPS Cont.

		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per Unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Miscellaneous</u>	1978	2,190			Acre	\$1,650.00	\$ 3,614,000
(Rev)	1977	1,900			"	2,130.00	4,047,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	36,822					32,958,400
(Rev)	1977	33,850					41,172,400

Note: Acreage figures include double-cropping.

FRUIT & NUT CROPS:

<u>Almond Meats</u>	1978	37,370	782	29,223,000	Lbs.	1.40	40,912,000
	1977	35,800	1,403	50,227,000	"	.81	40,684,000
<u>Almond Hulls</u>	1978			24,400	Ton	35.00	854,000
	1977			41,900	"	25.00	1,048,000
<u>Apricots</u>	1978	9,360	7.32	68,500	Ton	210.00	14,385,000
	1977	9,330	7.76	72,400	"	155.00	11,222,000
<u>Bushberries</u>	1978	157	5.72	898	Ton	1,280.00	1,149,000
	1977	175	4.72	826	"	800.00	661,000
<u>Cherries</u>	1978	320	2.73	874	Ton	1,060.00	926,000
	1977	315	3.00	945	"	750.00	709,000
<u>Grapes, all</u>	1978	24,270		176,420	Ton		28,429,000
(Rev)	1977	24,370		167,106			19,167,000
Raisin, Crushed	1978	4,000	7.53	30,100	Ton	153.00	4,605,000
	1977	4,000	8.94	35,800	"	100.00	3,580,000
Raisin, Dried (Rev)	1978	170	1.88	320	Ton	1,450.00	464,000
	1977	170	1.80	306	"	850.00	260,000
Wine, Crushed	1978	20,100	7.24	146,000	Ton	160.00	23,360,000
	1977	20,200	6.50	131,000	"	117.00	15,327,000
<u>Nectarines</u>	1978	110	12.00	1,320	Ton	100.00	132,000
	1977	130	9.16	1,190	"	172.00	205,000
<u>Peaches, all</u>	1978	15,340		223,200	Ton		29,424,000
	1977	16,800		244,100	"		28,557,000
Cling	1978	12,900	14.80	191,000	Ton	135.00	25,785,000
	1977	14,300	14.60	209,000	"	119.00	24,871,000
Freestone	1978	2,440	13.20	32,200	Ton	113.00	3,639,000
	1977	2,500	14.05	35,100	"	105.00	3,686,000

FRUIT & NUT CROPS Cont.

		<u>Harvested acres</u>	<u>Per acre</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Pears</u>	1978	460	2.68	1,230	Ton	\$ 174.00	\$ 214,000
	(Rev) 1977	460	7.03	3,230	"	116.00	375,000
<u>Strawberries</u>	1978	85	7.28	619	Ton	447.00	277,000
	1977	128	7.50	960	"	588.00	564,000
<u>Walnuts, Inshell</u>	1978	24,300	1.10	26,700	Ton	1,300.00	34,710,000
	1977	23,700	1.70	40,300	"	707.00	28,492,000
<u>Miscellaneous</u> (1)	1978	670			Acre	1,110.00	744,000
	(Rev) 1977	575			"	906.00	521,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	112,442					152,156,000
	(Rev) 1977	111,783					132,205,000

(1) Includes avocados, chestnuts, citrus, figs, olives, pecans, persimmons, pistachio nuts, plums, pomegranates and prunes.

NOTE: Acreages include interplanting.

NURSERY PRODUCTS:

		<u>Field acres</u>	<u>Quantity sold</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Deciduous Fruit & Nut Trees</u>	1978	233	2,802,000	Plants	\$ 1.56	\$4,371,000
	1977	285	2,453,000	"	1.58	3,876,000
<u>Ornamental Trees & Shrubs</u> (1)	1978	53	1,446,000	Plants	1.03	1,489,000
	1977	36	1,103,000	"	1.26	1,390,000
<u>Misc.</u> (2)	1978	433		Acre	7,520.00	3,256,000
	(Rev) 1977	557		"	7,130.00	3,971,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	719				9,116,000
	(Rev) 1977	878				9,237,000

(1) Broadleaf evergreens, coniferous evergreens, deciduous shade trees and shrubs.

(2) Bedding plants, cut decoratives, turf, vegetable plants.

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY:

		<u>No. of head</u>	<u>Total Live wt.</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Cattle & Calves, all</u>	1978	178,400	746,900	Cwt.		\$46,397,000
	1977	169,800	1,050,000	"		29,061,000
Beef						
Feeders (1)	1978	123,000	448,000	Cwt.	\$77.40	34,675,000
Slaughter(2)	1978	38,100	90,900	Cwt.	42.00	3,818,000
Dairy						
Slaughter	1978	17,300	208,000	Cwt.	38.00	7,904,000
<u>Sheep & Lambs</u>	1978	3,060	3,100	Cwt.	59.40	184,000
	1977	2,730	2,730	"	49.60	135,000
<u>Hogs & Pigs</u>	1978	12,500	22,200	Cwt.	48.50	1,077,000
	1977	5,790	8,690	"	45.00	391,000
<u>Broilers & Fryers</u>	1978	38,240,000	168,638,000	Lbs.	.24	40,473,000
(Rev)	1977	30,995,000	135,448,000	"	.27	36,571,000
<u>Other Chickens</u>	1978	2,245,000	10,912,000	Lbs.	.09	982,000
(Rev)	1977	2,525,000	9,595,000	"	.08	768,000
<u>Chicks</u>	1978	105,708,000		Each	.21	22,199,000
	1977	97,700,000		"	.21	20,517,000
<u>Turkeys, Heavy</u>	1978	828,000	15,626,000	Lbs.	.44	6,875,000
	1977	992,000	17,410,000	"	.36	6,268,000
<u>Turkey Poults</u>	1978	4,300,000		Each	.75	3,225,000
	1977	4,364,000		"	.75	3,273,000
<u>TOTAL</u>	1978					121,412,000
(Rev)	1977					96,984,000

- (1) Includes feedlot and transient feeder gains, beef and dairy calves.
- (2) Includes beef cows and bulls, veal calves.

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS:

		<u>Production</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Milk, all</u>	1978	12,182,000	Cwt.		120,414,000
(Rev)	1977	11,964,000	"		113,046,000

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS Cont.

		<u>Production</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
Manufacturing	1978	1,460,000	Cwt.	\$ 9.11	\$13,301,000
(Rev)	1977	1,644,000	"	8.50	13,974,000
Market	1978	10,722,000	Cwt.	9.99	107,113,000
(Rev)	1977	10,320,000	"	9.60	99,072,000
<u>Eggs, Chicken, all</u>	1978	88,813,000	Doz.		48,324,000
(Rev)	1977	84,658,000	"		45,137,000
Hatching	1978	10,950,000	Doz.	1.00	10,950,000
(Rev)	1977	10,090,000	"	1.00	10,090,000
Market	1978	77,863,000	Doz.	.48	37,374,000
(Rev)	1977	74,568,000	"	.47	35,047,000
<u>Eggs, Turkey</u>	1978	1,666,000	Each	.34	566,000
<u>Hatching</u>	1977	2,510,000	"	.34	853,000
<u>Wool</u>	1978	26,500	Lbs.	.62	16,400
	1977	23,600	"	.70	16,500
<u>TOTAL</u>	1978				169,320,400
(Rev)	1977				159,052,500

JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY 1978-79
(in number of head)

	<u>January 1, 1978</u>	<u>January 1, 1979</u>
<u>Cattle and Calves</u>	252,400	289,000
Cows & Heifers That Have Calved		
Beef	38,500	37,000
Dairy	86,300	86,400
All Other Classifications	127,600	165,600
<u>Sheep & Lambs</u>	3,000	4,000
<u>Hogs & Pigs</u>	10,800	13,200
<u>Horses</u>	12,000	12,000
<u>Hens & Pullets of Laying Age</u>	4,378,000	4,500,000
<u>Turkey Breeding Hens</u>	130,000	150,000

APIARY PRODUCTS:

		<u>Production Total</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>Per unit</u>	<u>Total</u>
<u>Beeswax</u>	1978	6,890	Lbs.	\$ 1.80	\$ 12,400
	1977	2,860	"	1.78	5,090
<u>Honey</u>	1978	601,000	Lbs.	0.44	264,000
	1977	510,000	"	0.41	209,000
<u>Package Bees</u>	1978	48,000	Lbs.	3.72	179,000
	1977	33,300	"	3.64	121,000
<u>Pollination</u>	1978	93,400	Col.	12.70	1,186,000
	1977	88,000	"	12.90	1,135,000
<u>Queen Bees</u>	1978	27,100	Each	4.13	112,000
	1977	21,900	"	4.06	88,900
<u>TOTAL</u>	1978				1,753,400
	1977				1,558,990

SUMMARY

<u>ITEM</u>		<u>ACREAGE</u>	<u>ESTIMATED VALUE</u>
<u>Field Crops</u>	1978	636,840	64,970,000
	(Rev) 1977	609,190	60,061,000
<u>Seed Crops</u>	1978	3,780	1,613,000
	(Rev) 1977	2,269	1,096,000
<u>Vegetable Crops</u>	1978	36,822	32,958,400
	(Rev) 1977	33,850	41,172,400
<u>Fruit & Nut Crops</u>	1978	112,442	152,156,000
	(Rev) 1977	111,783	132,205,000
<u>Nursery Products</u>	1978	719	9,116,000
	(Rev) 1977	878	9,237,000
<u>Livestock and Poultry</u>	1978		121,412,000
	1977		96,984,000
<u>Livestock and Poultry Products</u>	1978		169,320,400
	(Rev)		159,052,500
<u>Apiary Products</u>	1978		1,753,400
	1977		1,558,990
<u>TOTAL</u>	1978	790,603	553,299,200
	(Rev) 1977	757,970	501,366,890

TEN YEAR SUMMARY IN THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS

	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977 (Rev)	1978
<u>Field Crops</u>	29,627	35,140	38,925	42,880	66,946	68,017	57,849	54,060	60,061	64,970
<u>Seed Crops</u>	571	768	706	291	458	480	497	605	1,096	1,613
<u>Veg. Crops</u>	20,703	20,629	22,188	25,218	26,818	33,673	42,007	34,247	41,172	32,958
<u>Fruit & Nut</u>	54,746	51,870	52,679	55,955	86,964	80,902	80,287	89,847	132,205	152,156
<u>Nursery</u>	3,972	3,622	3,679	4,416	4,493	5,223	5,841	7,382	9,237	9,116
<u>Livestock & Poultry</u>	50,080	58,016	59,296	65,072	87,436	93,004	83,858	87,658	96,984	121,412
<u>Livestock & Poultry Prod.</u>	60,591	66,972	65,543	75,368	105,684	127,098	125,767	148,548	159,052	169,320
<u>Apiary Products</u>	165	193	271	341	731	1,142	1,205	1,414	1,559	1,753
<u>TOTALS</u>	220,455	237,210	243,287	269,541	379,530	409,538	397,311	423,761	501,367	553,299