

MONTEREY COUNTY CROP REPORT - 1946

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DAIRYING, LIVESTOCK, POULTRY

<u>Industry</u>	<u>Head</u>	<u>Gross Farm Return</u>
Beef Cattle	65,000	\$4,230,000.00
Cows (Dairy)	12,600	
Beef & Veal	6,930	378,000.00
Butterfat	3,089,792 lbs.	2,935,300.00
Sheep	7,365	117,840.00
Hogs	15,000	375,000.00
Turkeys	20,000	150,000.00
Poultry (hens)	400,000	450,000.00
Meat	300,000	210,000.00
Eggs	4,167,000 doz.	1,875,000.00
	TOTAL	\$10,721,140.00

FRUIT

<u>Crop</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>Gross Farm Return</u>
Almonds	3,703	127,600 lbs.	\$ 318,000.00
Apples	753	473,760 bxs.	798,830.00
Apricots	1,827	530,700 bxs.	1,161,400.00
Cherries	63	18,400 lugs	77,280.00
Grapes	101	20,000 lugs	17,000.00
Pears	224	32,390 bxs.	68,961.00
Strawberries	254	456,233 crts.	1,414,322.00
Bush Berries	272	340 tons	122,800.00
Walnuts	538	1,106,000 lbs.	309,680.00
TOTALS	7,735		\$4,288,273.00
Apiary	5,505 colonies	54,000 lbs.	\$ 7,080.00

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FIELD CROPS

<u>Crop</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>F.O.B. Value</u>
Artichokes	4,000	500,000 bxs.	\$1,750,000.00
Beans			
Small Whites	20,101	301,515 cwt.	4,598,104.00
Pinks	2,942	52,956 cwt.	820,818.00
Cranberries	563	8,445 cwt.	130,897.00
Black Eyes	148	1,480 cwt.	22,940.00
Limas	1,545	24,720 cwt.	309,000.00
Kidney	57	855 cwt.	12,825.00
Broccoli	3,600	450,000 crts.	1,800,000.00
Cabbage	800	6,400 tons	256,000.00
Carrots	8,940	2,625,400 crts.	7,876,200.00
Green Limas	376	340,820 lbs.	25,500.00
Chili Peppers	100	98,000 lbs.	34,300.00
Cauliflower	500	154,000 crts.	256,000.00
Celery	1,600	960,000 crts.	2,640,000.00
Cucumbers	243	1,790 tons	82,250.00
Endive	80	12,000 crts.	30,000.00
Garlic	800	56,000 cwt.	784,000.00
Lettuce - Spring	18,550	2,597,000 crts.	6,362,650.00
Summer	16,730	4,015,000 crts.	10,038,000.00
Fall	20,150	3,627,000 crts.	7,544,160.00
Onions	1,300	546,000 50# bags	819,000.00
Peas	300	18,000 hmp.	36,000.00
Potatoes	350	70,000 cwt.	227,500.00
Snap Beans	100	11,500 bu.	9,000.00
Spinach	2,928	17,568 tons	456,768.00
Sprouts	400	1,400 tons	175,000.00
Sugar Beets	23,089	451,556 tons	6,529,499.00
Tomatoes			
Canning	7,000	121,500 tons	3,523,500.00
Shipping	2,100	75,900 lugs	111,175.00
Miscellaneous Seeds			
Seed Beans	3,408	44,304 cwt.	443,040.00
" Peas	3,563	49,882 cwt.	349,174.00
" Radish	585	4,387 cwt.	87,740.00
" Other	1,654		578,900.00
Barley	48,000	720,000 cwt.	2,132,000.00
Wheat	22,000	19,800 cwt.	802,800.00
Hay (Grain)	22,000	33,000 tons	825,000.00
TOTAL	240,602		\$62,479,740.00
GRAND TOTAL			\$77,496,233.00