

ANNUAL CROP AND LIVESTOCK REPORT

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GLENN COUNTY

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and
The Honorable Board of Supervisors
County of Glenn

Gentlemen:

This Annual Crop and Livestock Report is compiled in accordance with Section 2279 of the California Agricultural Code.

The monetary figures shown herein indicate the gross farm value, and should not be used to estimate net farm income. In some cases the cost of producing the crop may even be greater than the gross value, thus resulting in a net loss to the farmer.

I wish to express my appreciation to all individuals and organizations who so willingly cooperated with me and my staff in contributing the necessary information for this report.

Respectively submitted,


Leland Brown
Agricultural Commissioner

Production and Value of Agricultural Products

Glenn County, California

FIELD CROPS: Acreage, Production and Value, 1968 - 1969

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production		Unit	Value	
			Per Acre	Total		Per Unit	Total
Barley	1969	25,000	.75	18,800	Tons	\$ 49.00	\$ 921,000
	1968	35,000	.825	28,900	"	40.00	1,156,000
Beans	1969	3,000	.65	1,950	"	233.00	454,000
	1968	617	.653	403	"	310.00	125,000
Corn	1969	2,000	2.50	5,000	"	46.00	230,000
	1968	3,250	2.90	9,420	"	44.50	419,000
Hay	1969	20,700	6.00	124,000	"	24.00	2,976,000
	1968	23,000	5.26	121,000	"	24.00	2,904,000
Alfalfa	1969	3,000	1.00	3,000	"	22.00	66,000
	1968	2,740	1.00	2,740	"	22.00	60,300
Clover	1969	3,500	1.50	5,250	"	20.00	105,000
	1968	4,000	2.00	8,000	"	17.00	136,000
Other	1969	—	—	—	—	—	—
	1968	250	.72	180	"	70.00	12,600
Oats	1969	44,000			Acre	43.00	1,892,000
	1968	45,000			"	43.00	1,935,000
Pasture Irrigated	1969	255,000			"	3.50	892,000
	1968	255,000			"	3.50	892,000
Range	1969	39,000			"	2.00	78,000
	1968	42,600			"	2.00	85,200
Stubble	1969	50,900	2.80	143,000	Ton	103.00	14,729,000
	1968**	56,000	2.75	154,000	"	96.60	14,876,000
Rice*	1969	12,900	.84	10,800	"	83.40	901,000
	1968	2,800	.78	2,190	"	81.20	178,000
Safflower	1969	2,000	18.00	36,000	"	7.50	270,000
	1968	(Not reported)					
Silage	1969	10,000	1.80	18,000	"	44.00	792,000
	1968	9,500	2.20	20,900	"	39.50	826,000
Sorghum (Grain)	1969	3,280	15.90	52,200	"	12.00	626,000
	1968	2,070	23.80	49,300	"	12.50	616,000
Sugar Beets	1969	9,000	1.30	11,700	"	44.00	515,000
	1968	9,000	1.35	12,200	"	40.00	488,000
Wheat	1969	483,280					\$25,447,000
	1968**	490,577					24,709,100

*Additional rice under "Seed Crops."

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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: Acreage, Production and Value, 1968 - 1969

Crop	Year	Bearing Acreage	Production		Unit	Value	
			Per Acre	Total		Per Unit	Total
Almonds	1969	4,860	.90	4,370	Ton	\$ 660.00	\$ 2,884,000
	1968	4,588	.654	3,000	"	650.00	1,950,000
Olives	1969	1,200	1.57	1,880	"	291.00	547,000
	1968	1,192	3.25	3,870	"	305.00	1,180,000
Oranges	1969	1,004	7.22	7,250	"	99.00	718,000
	1968*	910	7.62	6,930	"	120.00	832,000
Prunes (Dry)	1969	3,250	2.40	7,800	"	320.00	2,496,000
	1968	2,928	2.35	6,900	"	285.00	1,966,000
Peaches	1969	512	5.33	2,730	"	74.40	203,000
	1968	(Included under miscellaneous)					
Pears	1969	604	8.00	4,830	"	79.90	386,000
	1968	563	6.52	3,670	"	95.60	351,000
Walnuts	1969	2,565	.57	1,470	"	450.00	662,000
	1968	2,047	.54	1,100	"	655.00	720,000
Misc., (Fruits, Nuts & Grapes)	1969	110					34,600
	1968	641					134,000
TOTALS	1969	14,105					\$ 7,930,600
	1968*	12,869					7,133,000

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VEGETABLE CROPS: Acreage, Production and Value, 1968 - 1969

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production		Unit	Value	
			Per Acre	Total		Per Unit	Total
Tomatoes	1969	585	18.10	10,600	Ton	\$ 27.40	\$ 290,000
	1968	1,652	15.80	26,100	"	35.30	921,000

NURSERY PRODUCTS: Production Area, Sales and Value, 1968 - 1969

Item	Year	Production Area		Quantity Sold By Producers	Unit	Value	
		Field Acres	House sq. ft.			Per Unit	Total
Nursery	1969	122					\$ 655,000
	1968	188					767,000

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SEED CROPS: Acreage, Production and Value, 1968 - 1969

Crop	Year	Harvested Acreage	Production		Unit	Value	
			Per Acre	Total		Per Unit	Total
Alfalfa	1969	1,460	478.0	698,000	Lbs.	\$.38	\$ 265,000
	1968	1,620	420.0	680,000	"	.372	253,000
Ladino Clover	1969	3,970	253.0	1,004,000	"	.714	717,000
	1968	2,490	312.0	777,000	"	.669	543,000
Other Clover	1969	192	568.0	109,000	"	.54	58,900
	1968	245	538.0	132,000	"	.45	59,400
Rice (Certified)	1969	1,630	56.1	91,400	Cwt.	7.10	649,000
	1968	1,770	52.0	92,000	"	7.10	653,000
Other Seed	1969	555					53,000
	1968	1,177					86,400
TOTALS	1969	7,807					\$ 1,742,900
	1968	7,302					1,594,800

APIARY PRODUCTS: Production and Value, 1968 - 1969

Item	Year	Production Total	Unit	Value	
				Per Unit	Total
Honey	1969	423,000	Lbs.	\$.116	\$ 49,100
	1968	195,000	"	.106	20,700
Beeswax	1969	5,700	"	.63	3,600
	1968	4,180	"	.66	2,760
Package Bees	1969	84,600	"	1.24	105,000
	1968	76,400	"	1.36	104,000
Queen Bees	1969	47,600	Each	1.35	64,300
	1968	45,100	"	1.37	61,800
Pollination	1969				57,000
	1968				46,000
TOTALS	1969				\$ 279,000
	1968				235,260

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LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: Production and Value, 1968 - 1969

Item	Year	Production		Unit	Value	
		No. of Head	Total Liveweight		Per Unit	Total
Cattle and Calves	1969	20,500	146,000	Cwt.	\$ 26.70	\$ 3,898,000
	1968	25,300	170,000	"	23.50	3,995,000
Sheep and Lambs	1969	83,100	77,800	"	24.00	1,867,000
	1968*	68,800	62,500	"	20.10	1,256,000
Hogs and Pigs	1969	5,180	9,540	"	22.20	212,000
	1968	5,820	9,820	"	19.20	189,000
Turkeys	1969	27,000	505,000	Lbs.	.26	131,000
	1968	33,000	635,000	"	.22	140,000
Miscellaneous	1969					53,000
	1968					6,500
TOTALS	1969					\$ 6,161,000
	1968*					5,586,500
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LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: Production and Value, 1968-1969

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value		
				Per Unit	Total	
Milk, all	1969	1,104,000	Cwt.	\$ 4.86	\$ 5,363,000	
	1968*	1,173,000	"	4.73	5,551,000	
Market	1969	607,000	"	5.34	(3,241,000)	
	1968	607,000	"	5.21	(3,162,000)	
Manufacturing	1969	497,000	"	4.27	(2,122,000)	
	1968	566,000	"	4.22	(2,389,000)	
Wool	1969	885,000	Lbs.	.449	397,000	
	1968	727,000	"	.461	335,000	
Eggs, Chicken	1969	1,079,000	Doz.	.335	361,000	
	1968	954,000	"	.27	258,000	
Miscellaneous	1969				60,000	
	1968				50,000	
TOTALS	1969				\$ 6,181,000	
	1968*				6,194,000	
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JANUARY 1, INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY, 1969 - 1970
(In Number of Head)

Item	Jan. 1, 1969	Jan. 1, 1970
Cattle and calves, all	52,800	55,400
Milk cows, 2 years and over	13,400	12,900
Cattle and calves on feed	1,430	1,990
Stock sheep	108,400	93,700
Hogs and pigs	4,500	3,900
Turkey breeder hens	3,500	4,000

VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION
GLENN COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

RECAPITULATION

	1968	1969
Field Crops	\$ 24,709,100*	\$ 25,447,000
Livestock and Poultry	5,586,500*	6,161,000
Livestock and Poultry Products	6,194,000*	6,181,000
Fruit and Nut Crops	7,133,000*	7,930,600
Seed Crops	1,594,800	1,742,900
Vegetable Crops	921,000	290,000
Apiary Industry	235,260	279,900
Nursery Products	767,000	655,000
GRAND TOTAL	\$ 47,140,660*	\$ 48,686,500

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GLENN COUNTY'S TEN LEADING AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES

As Compared With Other Counties of the State

Commodity	1969 Value	State Standing 1968*
1. Rice	\$ 15,378,000	4th
2. Dairy Products	5,363,000	19th
3. Cattle and Calves	3,898,000	32nd
4. Alfalfa Hay	2,976,000	13th
5. Almonds	2,884,000	8th
6. Prunes	2,496,000	9th
7. Sheep, Lambs and Wool	2,264,000	8th
8. Barley	921,000	15th
9. Safflower	901,000	11th
10. Grain Sorghum	792,000	13th

*1969 Standing not available.

ANNUAL RAINFALL AT WILLOWS, CALIFORNIA

91 YEARS — 1878 - 1969

Year	Inches	Year	Inches	Year	Inches
1878-1879	7.01	1908-1909	22.09	1938-1939	6.82
1879-1880	13.96	1909-1910	14.36	1939-1940	23.21
1880-1881	13.85	1910-1911	17.75	1940-1941	40.50
1881-1882	8.28	1911-1912	11.26	1941-1942	24.07
1882-1883	8.45	1912-1913	13.18	1942-1943	15.68
1883-1884	18.84	1913-1914	29.18	1943-1944	13.52
1884-1885	7.80	1914-1915	27.19	1944-1945	16.94
1885-1886	19.15	1915-1916	18.11	1945-1946	14.72
1886-1887	8.07	1916-1917	11.43	1946-1947	12.28
1887-1888	8.97	1917-1918	11.90	1947-1948	19.56
1888-1889	10.30	1918-1919	12.90	1948-1949	15.59
1889-1890	29.94	1919-1920	7.70	1949-1950	10.32
1890-1891	19.01	1920-1921	21.28	1950-1951	17.48
1891-1892	18.82	1921-1922	13.44	1951-1952	23.50
1892-1893	27.30	1922-1923	16.81	1952-1953	19.70
1893-1894	11.15	1923-1924	8.86	1953-1954	16.64
1894-1895	26.04	1924-1925	25.99	1954-1955	14.57
1895-1896	22.18	1925-1926	18.44	1955-1956	23.24
1896-1897	18.82	1926-1927	25.99	1956-1957	19.11
1897-1898	6.58	1927-1928	17.54	1957-1958	32.93
1898-1899	13.05	1928-1929	11.46	1958-1959	11.96
1899-1900	15.23	1929-1930	16.37	1959-1960	13.88
1900-1901	17.49	1930-1931	9.85	1960-1961	16.24
1901-1902	21.67	1931-1932	15.01	1961-1962	16.01
1902-1903	17.10	1932-1933	7.79	1962-1963	20.48
1903-1904	20.28	1933-1934	15.65	1963-1964	9.34
1904-1905	24.55	1934-1935	19.62	1964-1965	18.75
1905-1906	19.85	1935-1936	17.48	1965-1966	13.26
1906-1907	17.88	1936-1937	16.40	1966-1967	23.65
1907-1908	13.44	1937-1938	26.28	1967-1968	15.21
				1968-1969	23.25