

**AGRICULTURAL CROP
REPORT**

County of Lassen

1964

LASSEN COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Commissioner and Sealer

LASSEN COUNTY
AGRICULTURAL COMMISSIONER
And
Sealer of Weights and Measures

Veterans Memorial Building
SUSANVILLE, CALIFORNIA
96130

TO: THE HONORABLE CHARLES PAUL, DIRECTOR OF AGRICULTURE
THE HONORABLE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF LASSEN COUNTY

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Section 65.5 of the California Agricultural Code requires that the Agricultural Commissioner compile a report covering the conditions, acreage, production and value of the agricultural products of his county.

This is the twenty-first annual crop report and the values given herein show the gross values of agricultural products in Lassen County.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to those individuals and agencies for their cooperation and assistance in compiling this report.

Respectfully submitted,



Lee E. Wheeler
Acting Agricultural Commissioner

FIELD CROPS: Acreage, Production and Value, 1963 and 1964

Crop	Year	Harvested acreage	Production		Unit	Value	
			Per acre	Total		Per unit	Total
Hay, alfalfa	1964	14,500	3.5	50,800	Ton	\$25.00	\$1,270,000
	1963	13,000	2.95	38,350	Ton	23.00	882,050
Hay, grain	1964	7,500	1.25	9,380	Ton	20.00	188,000
	1963	7,300	1.5	10,950	Ton	20.00	219,000
Hay, other tame	1964	2,000	2.0	4,000	Ton	20.00	80,000
	1963	2,200	2.4	5,280	Ton	21.00	110,880
Hay, wild	1964	33,000	1.0	33,000	Ton	19.00	627,000
	1963	33,700	1.0	33,700	Ton	18.00	606,600
Barley	1964	1,450	1.0	1,450	Ton	45.00	65,200
	1963	7,650	.8	6,120	Ton	45.00	275,400
Oats	1964	1,000	1.0	1,000	Ton	47.00	47,000
	1963	825	1.10	907	Ton	52.00	47,164
Rye	1964	980	.3	294	Ton	42.00	12,300
	1963	960	.4	384	Ton	55.00	21,120
Wheat	1964	3,300	1.15	3,800	Ton	45.00	171,000
	1963	4,200	.72	3,024	Ton	67.00	202,608
Corn, for silage	1964	690	19.0	13,100	Ton	7.00	91,700
	1963	426	21.0	8,946	Ton	7.25	64,858
Pasture, irrigated	1964	33,500			Acre	21.00	704,000
	1963	33,250			Acre	26.00	864,500
Pasture, other	1964	23,000			Acre	5.00	115,000
	1963	23,200			Acre	5.25	121,800
Grazing land (privately owned)	1964	559,000			Acre	.20	112,000
	1963	559,000			Acre	.22	122,980
Other field crops	1964						8,000
	1963	none					
Total	1964						\$3,491,200
	1963						3,538,960

SEED, VEGETABLE AND NURSERY CROPS: Acreage, Production and Value 1963 and 1964

Crop	Year	Production			Value		
		Harvested acreage	Per acre	Total	Unit	Per unit	Total
Garlic (Seed)	1964	104	7,875	819,000	Lb.	\$.13	\$ 106,000
	1963	73	10,000	730,000	Lb.	.16	116,800
Misc. Nursery and Vegetable Crops	1964						249,000
	1963	None					
Total	1964						\$ 355,000
	1963						116,800

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY: Production and Value, 1963 and 1964

Item	Year	Production			Value		
		No. of Head	Liveweight	Unit	Per unit	Total	
Cattle and calves	1964	32,500	255,000	Cwt.	\$18.00	\$4,590,000	
	1963	34,636	185,056	Cwt.	23.00	4,256,306	
Sheep and lambs	1964	11,500	9,810	Cwt.	18.00	177,000	
	1963	16,100	13,745	Cwt.	16.00	219,920	
Hogs and pigs	1964	500	900	Cwt.	16.00	14,400	
	1963	824	1,482	Cwt.	15.00	22,230	
Horses and mules	1964	Discontinued					
	1963		2,170	Cwt.	9.00	19,530	
Chickens	1964	2,000	8,000	Lb.	.10	800	
	1963	11,125	44,500	Lb.	.18	8,010	
Total	1964					\$4,782,200	
	1963					4,525,996	

LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: Production and Value, 1963 and 1964

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value	
				Per unit	Total
Milk, market	1964	32,600	Lb.	\$ 5.43	\$ 177,000
	1963*	31,900	Lb.	5.20	166,000
Milk, manufacturing	1964	5,060	Lb.	3.40	17,200
	1963*	4,720	Lb.	2.99	14,100
Wool	1964	193,000	Lb.	.49	94,600
	1963	189,000	Lb.	.45	85,050
Eggs	1964	116,000	Dozen	.37	42,900
	1963	126,000	Dozen	.44	55,440
Total	1964				\$ 331,700
	1963*				320,590

* Revised

APIARY PRODUCTS: Production and Value, 1963 and 1964

Item	Year	Production	Unit	Value	
				Per unit	Total
Honey	1964	87,900	Lb.	\$.13	\$ 11,400
	1963	90,000	Lb.	.15	13,500
Beeswax	1964	1,470	Lb.	.42	617
	1963	1,750	Lb.	.44	770
Other	1964				3,300
	1963	None			
Total	1964				\$ 15,317
	1963				14,270

SUMMARY

Field Crops	1964	\$3,491,200
	1963	3,538,960
Seed, Vegetable and Nursery Crops	1964	355,000
	1963	116,800
Livestock and Poultry	1964	4,782,200
	1963	4,525,996
Livestock and Poultry Products	1964	331,700
	1963*	320,590
Apiary Products	1964	15,317
	1963	14,270
Grand Total	1964	\$8,975,417
	1963*	8,516,616

*Revised

*Timber 134.3 MBF
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