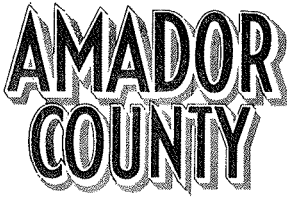


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ANNUAL CROP AND LIVESTOCK REPORT

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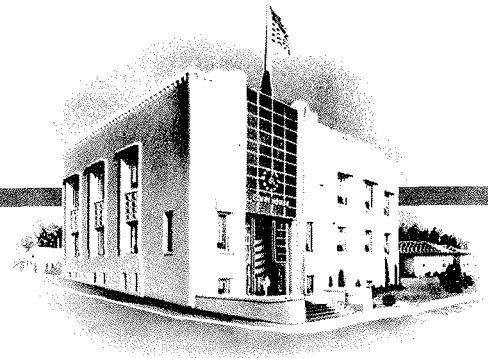


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Gentlemen:

This is the 1964 Agricultural Crop Report for Amador County submitted in accordance with Section 65.5 of the Agricultural Code.

The figures shown in this report represent gross value of production and do not intend to reflect net income to growers.

As can be seen in this report, a general decline was felt in most all areas and the total was about \$400,000 below last year's figure. Even with this decline the 1964 figure is well above the ten-year average.

I wish to express my appreciation to the many individuals, organizations, operators and especially to members of my staff for their help in compiling this report.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMADOR COUNTY
1963 - 1964

FIELD CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

CROP	YEAR	Harvested Acreage	PRODUCTION			VALUE	
			Per Acre	Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
Barley	1964	641	.94	586	Ton	44.00	\$25,800
	1963	689	.88	605	Ton	43.00	26,000
Hay (all)	1964	2506	1.89	4675	Ton	21.42	100,700
	1963	3450	2.09	7170	Ton	20.93	150,000
(Alfalfa	1964	544	2.6	1387	Ton	25.00	34,700)
	1963	335	3.4	1125	Ton	25.50	28,700)
(Grain, Hay	1964	1505	1.8	2665	Ton	20.60	54,800)
	1963	2020	2.0	4080	Ton	21.00	85,700)
(Hay, other	1964	457	1.3	623	Ton	18.00	11,200)
	1963	1095	1.82	1970	Ton	19.50	36,100)
Pasture, Irrigated	1964	1325			Acre	49.00	64,900
	1963	1149			Acre	48.00	55,100
Pasture, Dry Seeded	1964	330			Acre	19.00	6,300
	1963				Acre		
Range and Pasture	1964	165000			Acre	2.00	330,000
	1963	165000			Acre	2.25	371,000
Corn Silage	1964	127	12.6	1595	Ton	7.25	11,600
	1963	107	10.8	1155	Ton	7.00	8,090
Other Grain Crop	1964	160	1.15	185	Ton	52.25	9,700
	1963	207	.72	165	Ton	52.10	8,610
Misc. Crops	1964						4,300
	1963						72,800
TOTAL	1964						\$553,300
	1963						\$692,100

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FRUIT AND NUT CROPS: ACREAGE, PRODUCTION AND VALUE

CROP	YEAR	BEARING ACREAGE	PRODUCTION		VALUE	
			Per Acre	Total Tons	Per Ton	Total
Apples	1964	35	.43	15	\$100	\$ 1500
	1963	35	2.10	74	125	9250
Grapes, wine	1964	599	2.5	1344	105	141100
	1963	594	3.22	1913	105	200865
Olives	1964	11	.23	2.5	86	215
	1963	11	.60	6.6	80	528
Prunes	1964	102	.8	82	225	18450
	1963	105	1.22	128.1	280	35868
Walnuts	1964	236	.35	84.2	445	37500
	1963	225	.314	70.7	450	31815
Misc.	1964	22				3250
	1963	22				4000
TOTAL	1964	1005				\$202015
	1963	992				\$282326

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LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTION AND VALUE

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION		UNIT	VALUE	
		No. of Head	Total liveweight		Unit	Total
Cattle & Calves (all) **	1964	14,971	78,747	Cwt	17.69	\$1,393,300
	1963	14,760	78,674	Cwt	21.39	1,557,400
(Calves **	1964	7,912	38,471	Cwt	19.84	762,600)
	1963	7,760	38,774	Cwt	24.35	844,400)
(Other	1964	7,059	40,276	Cwt	15.01	630,600)
	1963	7,000	39,900	Cwt	17.70	713,000)
Chickens (all)	1964	62,700	2,190	Cwt	13.29	29,100
	1963	143,000	5,104	Cwt	14.51	74,100
Hogs & Pigs	1964	1,112	1,668	Cwt	17.00	28,300
	1963	960	1,488	Cwt	17.40	25,900
Sheep & Lambs	1964	4,500	4,200	Cwt	16.25	68,300
	1963	4,335	4,250	Cwt	14.30	60,800
Goats	1964	1,050		Head	10.00	10,500
	1963	1,042		Head	9.00	9,380
Misc. *	1964					12,000
	1963					5,000
TOTAL	1964					\$ 1,541,500
	1963					\$ 1,732,580

* Included:
Milk goats, horses, rabbits,
Ducks, pheasants

** Corrected

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LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY PRODUCTS: PRODUCTION AND VALUE

ITEM	YEAR	PRODUCTION	UNIT	VALUE	
				Per unit	Total
Milk, Cow (all) *	1964	33,070	Cwt	4.39	\$145,500
	1963	33,360	Cwt		146,500
(Market *)	1964	25,200	Cwt	4.80	121,000)
	1963	24,500	Cwt	4.82	118,000)
(Manufacturing)	1964	7,870	Cwt	3.11	24,500)
	1963	8,860	Cwt	3.22	28,500)
Eggs, chicken	1964	406,600	Doz.	.318	129,300
	1963	595,200	Doz.	.315	187,500
Mohair	1964	6,000	Lbs.	.900	5,400
	1963	5,680	Lbs.	.754	4,300
Wool	1964	32,658	Lbs.	.565	18,400
	1963	32,100	Lbs.	.546	16,200
TOTAL *	1964				\$298,600
	1963				\$354,500

* Revised

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MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTION AND VALUE

ITEM	YEAR	ACREAGE	PRODUCTION	UNIT	VALUE	
					Per Unit	TOTAL
Honey	1964		3400	Lbs	.145	\$ 493
	1963		6200	Lbs	.14	888
Vegetables (fresh)	1964	31	144	Tons		11,710
	1963	35	192	Tons		14,800
TOTAL	1964					\$12,203
	1963					\$15,688

RECAPITULATION

Field Crops	170,089 Acres	\$ 553,300
Fruit & Nut Crops	1,005 Acres	202,015
Livestock & Poultry		1,541,500
Livestock & Poultry Products		298,600
Miscellaneous		12,203
GRAND TOTAL		\$2,607,618

TOTALS FOR PAST TEN YEARS

1955	\$2,342,185
1956	2,077,141
1957	2,119,784
1958	2,548,917
1959	2,675,125
1960	2,509,120
1961	2,416,870
1962	2,469,348
* 1963	3,077,194
1964	2,607,618

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JANUARY 1 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY

1964 - 1965 *
(In Number of Head)

ITEM	January 1, 1964	January 1, 1965
Cattle & Calves (all)	13,700	13,000
Cows, Milk (2 years)	500	700
Sheep & Lambs	4,300	4,400
Hogs & Pigs	900	900

* Source - California Crop & Livestock
Reporting Service