

CROP REPORT of AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

of

SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY

1932

Compiled by
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THREE YEAR COMPARISON

	1930		1931		1932	
	Acreage	Value	Acreage	Value	Acreage	Value
ANIMAL INDUSTRY		4,842,100		2,786,400		1,777,600
FIELD CROPS	127,467	1,927,400	137,459	1,145,796	142,039	1,530,800
FRUIT CROPS	26,400	603,000	24,343	636,100	21,315	430,300
VEGETABLE CROPS	13,295	2,523,000	15,304	2,572,600	19,329	2,634,600
TOTAL	167,160	9,002,500	177,006	7,140,996	182,683	6,423,300

This summarization of the agricultural output for San Luis Obispo County has been prepared to comply with the many requests at the Agricultural Commissioner's Office for such information.

The report is a compilation of information from individuals and agencies in close touch with the industries. We wish to thank such individuals and agencies for the cooperation given.

Complete information was not obtainable in a few instances necessitating estimates. Such estimations were made only after information has been obtained that could be used as an adequate basis for evaluating the crop in question.

ANIMAL INDUSTRY

1932

· VARIETY ·	· NUMBER ·	· YIELD ·	· VALUATION ·
· Beef Cattle ·	17,308	14,890,600 #	575,600
· Hogs ·	10,400	1,872,000 #	70,000
· Sheep ·	7,284	1,092,000 "	51,900
· Eggs ·	125,000	1,427,100 Doz	285,500
· Cows ·	18,000	2,998,000 #	639,600
· Turkeys ·		507,000 "	47,700
· Chickens ·			25,000
· Mules & Horses ·	50		2,500
· Calves (Veal) ·	5,680	505,000 #	51,600
· TOTAL ·			1,777,600

FIELD CROPS

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· VARIETY	· ACREAGE	· YIELD	· VARIETY	·
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· Alfalfa	3,150	10,052 Ton	74,400	·
· Barley	7,935	105,629 Cwt	54,400	·
· Beans:	3,875	20,410 Cwt	51,000	·
· Sm. White		11,910		·
· Lg. White		70		·
· Pink		5,400		·
· Baby Lima		1,150		·
· Fava		1,840		·
· Misc.		380		·
· Flower Seed	150		15,000	·
· Hay	39,000	52,500 Ton	482,900	·
· Oats	936	12,659 Cwt	12,700	·
· Sugar Beets	1,123	12,948 Ton	99,500	·
· Wheat	82,290	961,640 Cwt	750,300	·
· Miscellaneous	4,000		40,000	·
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FRUIT and NUT CROP

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VARIETY	ACREAGE	YIELD		VALUATION
		Tons		
Apples	314	157		1,400
Apricots	517	F	24	14,800
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Grapes	1,573	797		13,200
Pears	860	532		7,700
Peaches	240	31		600
Plums	40	51		500
Prunes	2,402	511		22,500
Almonds	19,150	2,387		393,900
Walnuts	337	171		25,700
TOTAL	21,315			480,300

VEGETABLE CROP

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· VARIETY ·	· ACREAGE ·	· YIELD ·	· VALUATION ·	·
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· Peas ·	10,293	196,790 -Cwt	984,000	·
· Lettuce ·	3,530	382,090 -Cr	470,000	·
· Carrots ·	1,130	300,580 -Cr	426,800	·
· Cauliflower ·	1,676	455,910 -Cr	308,700	·
· Artichoke ·	480	61,450 -Bx	98,300	·
· Celery ·	125	29,630 -Cr	79,400	·
· Tomatoes ·	1,105	113,050 -Lg	58,800	·
· Anise ·	156	44,720 -Cr	53,700	·
· String Beans ·	222	11,950 -Cwt	41,800	·
· Strawberries ·	65	48,570 -Cr	34,100	·
· Broccoli ·	52	12,470 -Cr	16,700	·
· Cucumbers ·	96	35,530 -Lg	15,600	·
· Brussel Sprouts ·	68	4,130 -Bx	11,600	·
· Cabbage ·	44	310 -T	6,500	·
· Onions ·	52	8,640 -Cwt	5,500	·
· Spinach ·	24	4,820 -Cwt	5,200	·
· Bell Peppers ·	20	3,960 -Cr	3,600	·
· Potatoes ·	42	2,530 -Cwt	2,300	·
· Mixed Vegetables ·	159	790 -T	11,900	·
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· TOTAL ·	19,329		\$ 2,634,600	·
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