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SUMMARY OF MAJOR CROPS OF MONTEREY COUNTY FOR YEAR 1930

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Compiled by A. A. Tavernetti, County Agent and H. A. Hunt, County Agricultural Commissioner, from official records together with estimates when records are not available. It is not presumed that these figures are accurate in all details.

Total Acres in county	2,131,200
Land in farms	957,692
Tillable Land	254,058
Irrigated Lands (1929)	82,387
Number of Farms	2,000

FIELD CROPS

CROP	CROP ACRES	GROSS RETURN TO COUNTY
Lettuce	50,000	11,000,000
Artichokes	4,200	1,200,000
Green Peas	4,000	520,000
Dry Beans	40,000	2,500,000
Cauliflower	1,700	340,000
Potatoes	1,100	120,000
Tomatoes	2,400	250,000
Carrots	800	240,000
Spinach	450	36,000
Garlic	250	25,000
Seed Peas	450	40,000
Sweet Pea Seed	700	77,000
Misc. Seeds	650	5,000
Onions	350	63,000
Seed Beans	800	80,000
Barley)		
Chevalier)	490	16,500
Common)	48,000	430,000
Beets Sugar	250	30,000
Wheat	6,000	80,000
Guayule	5,800	
		Not Mature
		\$17,052,500

FRUITS

Apples (bearing)	1,800	350,000
Pears "	1,600	240,000
Apricots "	1,700	250,000
Almonds	4,000	200,000
Prunes	800	25,000
Grapes	400	20,000
Strawberries	250	125,000
		\$1,210,000

DAIRYING, LIVESTOCK, POULTRY & BEES

Dairy Cows)	20,000	
Meat & Veal)		170,000
Butter fat		2,500,000
Beef Cattle	37,000	925,000
Sheep	31,000	248,000
Swine	17,000	193,000
Poultry	180,000	490,000
Bees	4,000	25,000
		\$4,551,000

Value to county of farm products marketed TOTAL --\$22,813,500