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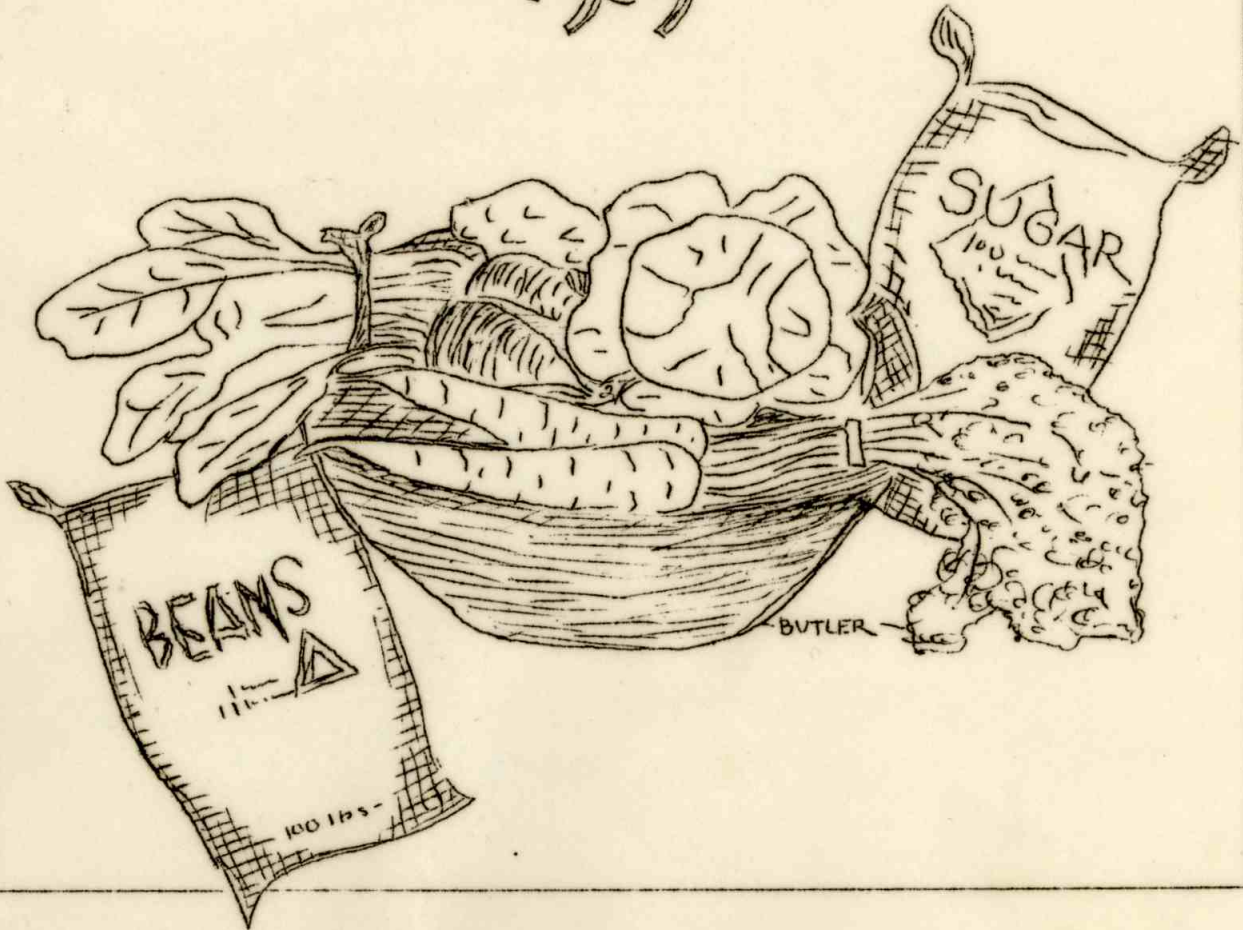
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Monterey

COUNTY CROP REPORT

1939



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Reuben Albaugh, Assistant County Agent. Estimates
are used where records are not available. 1939

Total acres in county	2,131,200
Land in farms	1,205,065
Number of farms	2,100
Land in crops	220,000
Fallow or idle	50,525
Plowable pasture	85,000
Total land available for crops .	355,245

FIELD CROPS

<u>Crop</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Yield</u>	<u>Farm Value</u>
Artichokes	4,946	544,060 bxs.	\$ 952,105
Beans			
Small whites	21,301	362,126 cwt.	1,176,903
Pinks	11,806	212,515 cwt.	903,188
Cranberries	3,051	54,928 cwt.	164,784
Limas	654	10,465 cwt.	47,092
Miscellaneous	1,070	12,350 cwt.	44,975
Broccoli	1,800	270,000 crts.	135,000
Cabbage	275	3,575 tons	53,625
Cauliflower	880	176,000 crts.	52,800
Carrots	6,670	1,834,250 crts.	833,750
Celery	145	72,500 crts.	36,250
Endive	80	24,000 crts.	7,040
Garlic	710	49,700 cwt.	198,000
Lettuce	47,704	8,107,088 crts.	4,053,544
Onions	460	90,800 cwt.	72,640
Peas	2,700	275,400 hampers	206,550
Potatoes	250	17,400 cwt.	26,100
Sugar Beets	17,374	394,024 tons	2,758,168
Sprouts	175	1,312 tons	78,720
Tomatoes (Can)	333	1,541 tons	15,410
Tomatoes (Ship)	400	110,000 lugs	44,000
Seed Peas & Beans	8,618	129,275 cwt.	484,781
Misc. Seed	775	15,400 cwt.	102,500
Wheat	18,450	181,589 cwt.	199,747
Barley	40,413	485,081 cwt.	388,064
Oats	1,850	29,627 cwt.	32,589
Hay	15,000	15,000 tons	135,000
TOTALS	<u>207,890</u>		<u>13,203,325</u>

FRUIT

Almonds	3,220	220,840 lbs.	24,392
Apples	1,823	230,000 bxs.	92,000
Apricots	1,853	180,102 bxs.	107,066
Cherries	80	30,225 lugs	45,337
Grapes	146	7,260 lugs	980
Pears	870	104,783 boxes	46,693
Strawberries	123	135,300 crts.	128,535
Walnuts	344	409,360 lbs.	53,216
TOTALS	<u>8,459</u>		<u>468,219</u>

DAIRYING, LIVESTOCK, POULTRY

Beef Cattle	51,630 head	968,025
Dairy Cattle	24,690 tot.no.	
Cows	17,690 head	
Butterfat	4,853,200 lbs.	1,964,819
Beef & Veal		106,760
Sheep (lambs & Wool)	18,000 head	169,200
Swine	20,400 head	294,000
Poultry	140,000	280,000
TOTALS		<u>3,782,804</u>

FARM VALUE TOTAL

\$17,454,348

CARLOT SHIPMENTS OF FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

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	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	TOTAL
Lettuce				2753	4496	2323	2882	2880	3083	1803	3656	225	24101
Carrots	245	9	5	25	45	604	552	357	350	484	505	512	3693
Mixed	115	53	48	70	71	102	165	213	334	399	678	294	2542
Endive				2		1					24	28	55
Broccoli	99	68	87	68	22		7	45	15	4	13	59	487
Celery										19	78	86	183
Cauliflower	24	35	48	13								5	125
Garlic	1					19	25	26	32	6	3	12	124
Onions	1	1	1									2	5
Peas				37	154	9			4	5	5	1	215
Tomatoes								4	50	51	8		113
Artichokes	25	40	125	73	8				25	44	31	37	408
Sprouts												1	1
Cabbage												1	1
Greens	2	6	1										9
Apricots													3
Walnuts													1
Pears													21
TOTALS	512	212	315	3041	4796	3058	3631	3525	3893	2815	5001	1263	32077