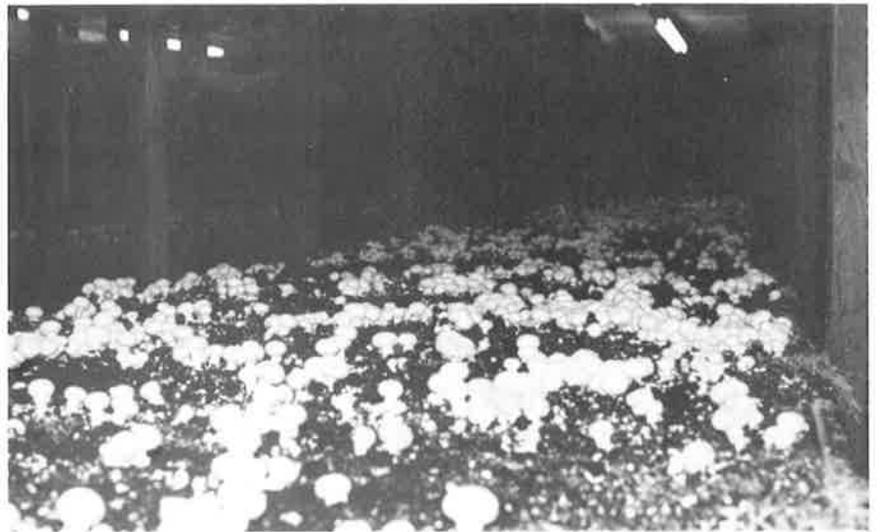


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NEVADA COUNTY



Bossi's Mushroom
Farm



AGRICULTURAL REPORT

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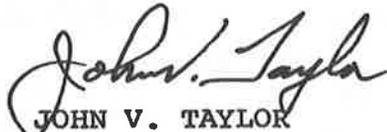
In accordance with the provisions of Section 2279 of the California Food and Agricultural Code, I am pleased to submit the 1982 Crop and Livestock Report for Nevada County.

The value of agricultural products shows a \$2.8 million dollar decrease from 1981. Livestock and poultry numbers and prices were down and accounted for half of the decline, while timber sales were responsible for most of the rest of the decrease.

These figures show only gross values and do not reflect cost of production or net income of the grower.

I wish to thank everyone who supplied the information that made this report possible. A special thanks to Eric Gunderson of my staff who compiled this report.

Respectfully submitted,



JOHN V. TAYLOR
Agricultural Commissioner

SUMMARY

	<u>1981</u>	<u>1982</u>
FRUIT, NUT & VEGETABLE CROPS	\$ 306,000	\$ 231,800
FIELD CROPS & NURSERY PRODUCTS	1,659,000	1,459,600
TIMBER PRODUCTS	2,557,300	1,490,000
LIVESTOCK	2,032,400	1,500,600
POULTRY	2,272,000	1,300,000
FISH, EGGS, WOOL, HONEY & APIARY PRODUCTS	17,400	30,400

AGRICULTURAL INCOME - 1975 - 1982

1982	\$6,012,400
1981	8,844,100
1980	5,015,250
1979	4,437,800
1978	4,501,700
1977	3,174,500
1976	3,262,500
1975	2,851,200

FRUIT, NUT AND VEGETABLE CROPS

Crop	Year	Bearing Acreage	Per Acre	Total	Unit	Per Unit	Total
APPLES (ALL)	1982	83	5.27	438	Ton	\$356.00	\$156,000
	1981	83	7.91	657	Ton	399.00	222,900
FRESH MARKET	1982			339	Ton	423.00	143,600
	1981			476	Ton	425.00	202,300
PROCESSING	1982			99	Ton	125.00	12,400
	1981			181	Ton	114.00	20,600
MISC. FRUIT, NUT AND VEGETABLES	1982						75,800
	1981	(Peaches, Pears, Plums, Walnuts, Grapes, Bushberries and Vegetables)					
TOTAL FRUIT, NUT AND VEGETABLE CROPS --						1982	231,800
						1981	306,000

PRODUCTION FRESH MARKET APPLES IN BUSHELS

1975	32,700 Bushels	1979	28,370 Bushels
1976	19,900 Bushels	1980	16,900 Bushels
1977	17,600 Bushels	1981	23,800 Bushels
1978	12,350 Bushels	1982	16,900 Bushels

FIELD CROPS

Crop	Year	Acreage	Unit	Per Unit	Total
PASTURE	1982	8,300	Acre	\$110.00	\$ 913,000
	1981	8,300	Acre	110.00	913,000
RANGELAND	1982	110,000	Acre	4.00	440,000
	1981	110,000	Acre	4.00	440,000
TOTAL FIELD CROPS - - -				1982	\$1,353,000
				1981	1,353,000

NURSERY PRODUCTS

Item	Year	Total
CHRISTMAS TREES AND NURSERY STOCK	1982	\$ 106,600
	1981	138,200

TIMBER PRODUCTS	Year	Board Feet	Total
	1982	17,991,000	\$1,490,000
	1981	23,292,000	2,557,300

LIVESTOCK, POULTRY AND APIARY

Item	Year	Head	Liveweight	Unit	Per Unit	Total
CATTLE & CALVES						
Slaughter Steers and Heifers	1982	3,014	15,070	cwt	\$ 61.30	\$ 923,700
	1981	4,020	20,100	cwt	63.10	1,268,200
Slaughter Cows	1982	900	9,900	cwt	39.80	394,000
	1981	1,200	13,200	cwt	42.40	563,300
SHEEP & LAMBS	1982	1,725	1,631	cwt	49.35	80,500
	1981	1,900	2,066	cwt	56.30	116,300
HOGS	1982	880	-	-	-	102,400
	1981	880	-	-	-	84,500
POULTRY						
Starter Pullets	1982	-	-	-	-	1,300,000
	1981	-	-	-	-	2,272,000
FISH, EGGS, WOOL, HONEY & APIARY PRODUCTS	1982	-	-	-	-	30,400
	1981	-	-	-	-	17,400
TOTAL LIVESTOCK, POULTRY & APIARY					1982	2,831,000
					1981	4,321,700

JANUARY 1, 1983 INVENTORIES OF LIVESTOCK
(in number of head)

	January 1, 1982	January 1, 1983
BEEF COWS	6,000	4,500
SHEEP & LAMBS (ALL)	1,900	1,500
HOGS	300	300
REGISTERED BEE COLONIES	479	358
HORSES	5,000	5,000