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Crescent County*

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CARD L - LISTING (COLLATOR)

SELECTED CARDS FOR CRITICAL EXAMINATION

729L

	EXCESS 26	CARD 1-2	STATE AND COUNTY 3-6	MCD 7-8	SCHEDULE NO. 9-12	ITEM 13-14	ACRES 15-17	FRACTION 18	PRODUCTION 19-23	FRACTION 24	25	CARD COUNT
Void entry - "Crop failure" written on schedule.		~~11~~	~~6468~~	~~05~~	~~0877~~	~~29~~	~~1~~	~~0~~	-	-		~~1~~
Punching error - extra cipher punched.		11	6468	10	1703	29	6	0	~~7200~~ 720 ~~0~~ 0			1
Tons entered on schedule - converted to bushels		11	6468	15	2556	29	180	0	~~1040~~ 34667 ~~0~~ 0			1
Irish potatoes ←												
Misplaced entry - should be sweetpotatoes		11	6468	13	2263	~~30~~ 31	2	4	350	0		1
Cotton ←												
Low yield due to rainy weather		11	6468	05	0711	31	1	0	5	0		1
Low yield due to rainy weather		11	6468	05	0719	31	1	4	12	0		1
Production - no acreage. Acreage supplied on basis of surrounding schedules.		11	6468	06	0833	31	1 -	-	15	0		1
Acreage - no production. Production supplied on basis of surrounding schedules.		11	6468	06	1008	31	7	0	280 -	0 -		1
No change - large scale farm. Report consistent with value of sales reported.		11	6468	08	1025	31	80	0	10000	0		1
Sweetpotatoes ←												
Misplaced entry - should be sweetpotatoes		11	6468	11	1963	~~32~~ 31	6	0	400	0		1
Tobacco ←												
Sweetpotatoes hogged off		11	6468	05	0599	41		4	-	-		1
Root and grain crops hogged or grazed off. ←												
Entry for production in excess of card field		11	6402	09	1420	29	475	0	10 2420			1
Irish potatoes ←	X	11	6402	09	1420	29			(Excess card) (1)			

SPECIFICATIONS FOR SELECTION OF PUNCH CARDS
FOR CRITICAL EXAMINATION PRIOR TO TABULATION

CARD "L"

Control	Explanation
All items 41-99 and 00-28	All items reported under Q. 141 & 142
Any item (Cols. 13-14) where the number of cards for that item is approximately 10 or less.	Approximately 10 or fewer farms reporting a particular item per county.
All Items	
All green excess (X in 26) and corresponding pink master cards.	Any item in excess of the capacity of the field for that item.
Items: 29, 31, 33, and 37 (Irish potatoes, Sweetpotatoes, Sugarcane for sirup, and Broomcorn)	
X in 19, or 26	"X" in excess column No production
1-9 in 15, or 19; or 2-9 in 16, 20, or 25	Partly irrigated 20 or more acres Production 2000 or more units or none
20 - 22 greater than (16-18) x 10	Production of 10 or more with no acres, 1000 or more production units per acre.
16 - 18 greater than 20 - 23	Less than 10 units per acre
All items, except 29, 31, 33, and 37:	
X in 15, 19, or 26	"X" in excess column No acres No production

Control	Explanation
Items: 30 and 40 (Cotton and silage crops)	
X in 15, 19, or 26	"X" in excess column No acres No production
1-9 in 15, 19, 20, or 21; or 2-9 in 25	Partly irrigated 100 or more acres 100 or more production units.
22 - 24 greater than (16-18) x 10	10 or more units of production per acre
Items: 32 and 36 (Tobacco and hops)	
X in 15, 19, or 26	"X" in excess column No acres No production
1-9 in 15, or 2-9 in 16, 19, or 25	Partly irrigated 20 or more acres 20,000 or more production units.
(16-18) x 10 greater than 19 - 23 19-23 greater than (15-18) x 1000	10,000 or more units per acre. Less than 100 production units per acre.
Items: 34, 35, 38, and 39 (Sugarcane for sugar, sugarbeets, popcorn, & mint)	
X in 15, 19, or 26	"X" in excess column No acres No production
1-9 in 15, 19, or 20; or 2-9 in 25	Partly irrigated 100 or more acres or none 1000 or more production units or none.
21 - 24 greater than (16-18) x 100	100 or more units of production per acre.

* The name of the county is purely hypothetical.