

Eleventh Biennial Report . . .

California

HORSE RACING BOARD

TO THE GOVERNOR
AND TO THE LEGISLATURE OF THE
STATE OF CALIFORNIA



11th Biennial
7/1/52-6/30/54

For the Period
JULY 1, 1952
to
JUNE 30, 1954

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TO HIS EXCELLENCY, GOODWIN J. KNIGHT, *Governor,*
and to the Members of the Legislature:

The California Horse Racing Board herewith presents its biennial report covering the period July 1, 1952, through June 30, 1954, pursuant to the provisions of Section 19432 of the Business and Professions Code. This will be the eleventh biennial report which has been issued by the board since horse racing has been legalized in California. Since the issuance of the first report there has been a steady and perceptible increase in all phases of horse racing in this State. A comparison of the figures in the current biennial report with the figures of the first biennial report reflect an indication of the development and expansion of the sport in this State.

In the first fiscal year of racing, 1933-34, there were two major meetings and three fair meetings licensed by the board. Ninety-one days were allotted to the major meetings and 21 days to the fairs. In all, 112 days constituted the extent of racing during that period. During these 112 days of racing the wagering amounted to \$6,315,634 and resulted in a revenue to the State of \$259,657.36.

Contrast those figures with the last fiscal year report of the board. In the 1953-54 Fiscal Year there were 11 major race meetings and 10 fair meetings conducted under the supervision of the board. The major race meetings occupied 388 days of racing and the fairs raced on 86 days. Thus California had a total of 474 days of racing although confined to a period of 365 days. To accomplish this paradoxical task, simultaneous racing was necessary but the board adhered to its policy of not granting concurrent dates where there would be identical types of racing. Three types of racing are now established in California over which the board exercises responsibility and jurisdiction. Quarter-horse racing has been the newest addition to pari-mutuel wagering and joins harness-horse racing and thoroughbred racing in providing revenue to the State. The total amount wagered in 1953-54 was \$402,556,760 and of which the State received \$22,683,736.72 in taxation. This is a substantial increase from the \$6,315,634 wagered in 1933 and the \$259,657.36 revenue received by the State 20 years ago.

The California Horse Racing Board has attempted to keep pace with the growth of the horse racing industry in California and continue racing on a high plane. To this end the board will welcome any suggestions which will serve this purpose. To this end also the board has made recommendations in the Eleventh Biennial Report which it hopes will be given careful consideration by the Governor and the Legislature.

During the period covered by this report, the board has revised and republished its entire body of rules and regulations, and the new publication of such rules is now available. In addition, several changes and additions to the rules have been promulgated by the board.

Included in the more important changes in the rules is a provision prohibiting jockeys under suspension from riding in any race for anyone during the term of suspension. A like prohibition applies to jockeys under temporary suspension in any other state.

Section 1992 of Title 4 of the California Administrative Code was added to provide certain requirements relating to fire prevention particularly in stable areas as a condition to securing a license to conduct a race meeting. Similarly the new rule requires a licensee unable to stable all horses participating at its race meeting on its own grounds to advise the board, when making application for racing dates, of facilities for fire prevention at the additional locations where the excess number of horses would be stabled. A written clearance from the State Fire Marshal, or a recognized fire inspection authority showing that the facilities conform with a reasonable standard of fire safety is required to be filed with the board.

Section 1946.5 of the rules was added to prohibit racing associations from permitting the "solicitation, offering for sale, or sale of any lottery or raffle ticket on the grounds or within the confines of said racing association."

RECOMMENDATIONS

I. *New Tracks Should Not Be Licensed*

Through the operations of six major racing associations, a quarter-horse racing association, a harness meeting, a combination harness and quarter-horse meeting, the California State Fair, and eight county and district fair meetings, the board has allotted 453 racing days for the calendar year 1955. A new licensing of race tracks would result in either a proportional reduction of racing days now allotted or an overlapping of racing days. The board believes that a four-year statutory "moratorium" on the granting of new track licenses to be desirable and appropriate and that at the end of such period a comprehensive survey be made to determine whether licensing of new tracks is in the public interest under conditions then existing.

It is, therefore, respectfully requested that the Legislature enact an amendment to Section 19480.5 of the Business and Professions Code prohibiting the board from issuing any new license to conduct a horse racing meeting at any place, enclosure or track until the expiration of four years from the effective date of such amendment and then only if, following a comprehensive survey of all phases of horse racing in California, it then appears to be in the public interest and in the best interests of horse racing that such new licenses be then issued by the board.

II. *Limitation of Number of Racing Days*

During the biennial period covered by this report, there have been 886 days of racing, or a yearly average of 443 days, allotted by the board among the racing associations, California State Fair, county and district fairs, and quarter-horse associations. Despite the constant pressure from all sources for increased racing days, the board has managed to keep the number of allotted racing days well within and below the legally allowable number of days. However, for the calendar year 1955, the major racing associations have been allotted 372 days and the nine fairs will have race meetings 81 days, or a total of 453 days. This has resulted in some racing associations having their allowable days reduced 10 percent, others 14 percent, and in one instance a racing association has had its allowable days reduced 34 percent.

Any increase by legislative action of statutory limits on the number of racing days to be allocated by the board among the several counties participating in horse racing would only aggravate the existing problem of maintaining an equitable balance of the number of days and times of horse racing in this State, and any such increase could easily lead to the overlapping of race meeting dates. On the basis of past experience, the board believes that the present number of allowable racing days should not be increased as the permitting of overlapping racing days is neither in the public interest nor in the best interests of horse racing in California. Further, the allotting of additional racing days would also involve serious regulatory and administrative problems.

Therefore, the board respectfully requests that the Legislature do not enact legislation augmenting or increasing the number of racing days now permitted in the several counties by the provisions of the Horse Racing Act.

III. Disposition of Proceeds From Charity Day Racing

In its eighth biennial report, the board emphasized the necessity for a clear and unambiguous definition of the charitable purposes to be benefited through the distribution of charity day revenues. As the Legislature did not amend the law in this respect, the board again desires to call the attention of the Governor and the Legislature to the urgency of this problem. The only guide for the board in performing its function of approving donations proposed by a licensee is the phrase contained in Section 19538 of the Business and Professions Code, "non-profit organizations and corporations engaged in charitable and benevolent and other like work."

The inadequacy of such a definition is apparent and obvious and is demonstrated by the wide variety of requests made to the board for its approval.

It is, therefore, urged that the Legislature enact a standard for the disposition of charity day funds which will be realistic and give substantial meaning to the purpose for which these additional racing days were given legislative sanction.

The board recommends that Section 19538 of the California Horse Racing Act be amended so that all income derived from or because of the conduct of racing on charity days, less actual expenses for those days, shall constitute the funds to be donated to charity; also, the board recommends that Section 19538 be amended so that when a license is granted to any racing association other than a district agricultural association or a county fair that said license is granted conditional upon the licensee conducting not less than two or more than five additional racing days to be known as charity days.

IV. Revision of Form of Pari-Mutuel Tickets

An examination of pari-mutuel handle and revenue figures reveals that losses to patrons of race tracks from unclaimed tickets is steadily increasing. Elsewhere in this report it is shown that during the fiscal years 1952-54, a total of \$409,754.78 in uncashed pari-mutuel winning tickets was turned over to the State.

Although the racing associations have attempted to reduce these losses by loudspeaker announcements and insertions in programs, thousands of winning ticket holders at race meetings fail to claim their winnings. The following table illustrates the nature of such losses occurring during a single racing meeting at one of the major tracks in this State. It is to be noted that numerically the loss by the \$2 ticket holder represents 67 percent of the total tickets uncashed.

Number of tickets	Denomination	Total amount	Win tickets	Place tickets	Show tickets	Combined tickets
5	\$100	\$1,575.00	1	2	2	0
13	50	1,627.50	4	3	6	0
159	15	2,416.50	0	0	0	159
268	10	7,213.00	54	96	118	0
1,050	6	6,165.80	0	0	0	1,050
617	5	7,987.25	133	251	233	0
4,388	2	24,381.30	863	1,691	1,834	0
6,500		\$51,366.35	1,055	2,043	2,193	1,209

The board is of the opinion that the form of pari-mutuel ticket (see illustration) now used by the tracks fails to give sufficient notice of its cashability, and that because of unfamiliarity with the system of wagering, many persons destroy their winning tickets without knowing they have won. The board believes that a revision in the form of ticket, made uniform and mandatory by law, and plainly showing its terms and conditions of cashability, would tend to reduce the losses from failure to claim on winning tickets.

It is to be noted that the racing associations and the State have received their respective commission and tax, and further that all funds remaining in the hands of the association representing such unclaimed winnings are paid to the State within 90 days following the end of the race meeting.

It is therefore recommended that legislation be enacted prescribing a uniform and revised form of pari-mutuel ticket which clearly shows the terms and conditions of its cashability. (A form of pari-mutuel ticket now used and a proposed form of ticket is shown)

FORM OF PARI-MUTUEL TICKET NOW IN USE
AT CALIFORNIA TRACKS

RECOMMENDED FORM OF PARI-MUTUEL TICKET
FOR CALIFORNIA TRACKS

DEL-MAR
54
5 FIVE 5
DOLLARS

jpemW

No 8 EIGHT

FOURTH (4) RACE

14 AUG 1953

WIN WIN WIN WIN

DEL-MAR
307
10 TEN 10
DOLLARS

jpemW

No 3 THREE

FOURTH (4) RACE

14 AUG 1953

PLACE PLACE PLACE PLACE

DEL-MAR
708
2 TWO 2
DOLLARS

FOURTH (4) RACE
14 AUG 1953
XYZ

NO. 4

THIS TICKET
CASHABLE WHEN
HORSE NO. 4
FINISHES

FIRST

WIN WIN WIN WIN

DEL-MAR
708
2 TWO 2
DOLLARS

FOURTH (4) RACE
14 AUG 1953
XYZ

NO. 4

THIS TICKET
CASHABLE WHEN
HORSE NO. 4
FINISHES EITHER

FIRST-----WINS
SECOND-PLACES

PLACE PLACE PLACE PLACE

DEL-MAR
412
10 TEN 10
DOLLARS

jpemW

No 3 THREE

FOURTH (4) RACE

14 AUG 1953

SHOW SHOW SHOW SHOW

DEL-MAR
504
15 FIFTEEN 15
DOLLARS

jpemW

No 2 TWO

FOURTH (4) RACE

14 AUG 1953

COMBINED COMBINED COMBINED COMBINED

DEL-MAR
708
2 TWO 2
DOLLARS

FOURTH 4 RACE
14 AUG 1953
XYZ

NO. 4

THIS TICKET
CASHABLE WHEN
HORSE NO. 4
FINISHES EITHER

FIRST-----WINS
SECOND-PLACES
THIRD----SHOWS

SHOW SHOW SHOW SHOW

DEL-MAR
708
6 SIX 6
DOLLARS

FOURTH 4 RACE
14 AUG 1953
XYZ

NO. 4

THIS TICKET
CASHABLE WHEN
HORSE NO. 4
FINISHES EITHER

FIRST-----WINS
SECOND-PLACES
THIRD----SHOWS

COMBINED COMBINED COMBINED COMBINED

V. Cashability of Unclaimed Tickets

In its tenth biennial report, the board commented upon certain abuses relative to the claiming by affidavit of winnings, and a recommendation was made for the amendment of Section 19598 of the Business and Professions Code providing for the requirement that the actual ticket must be submitted before encashment could be made, and in the case of torn tickets, payment thereon could be secured only if genuine and provided sufficient parts of the tickets are tendered for payment showing on the face thereof the name of the race track, the date, the denomination, the race number and the horse number.

It is therefore respectfully recommended that Section 19598 be amended to provide that the actual ticket (or sufficient parts of a torn ticket to provide complete identification) be submitted before encashment may be made by the licensee.

VI. Improvement of the Breed Through Stallion Management

In its Tenth Biennial Report the board recommended to the Legislature that a portion of the revenue from pari-mutuel wagering which would go into the General Fund be used to purchase a few outstanding thoroughbred stallions; such stallions to be maintained at the State's Agricultural Colleges.

This proposal was made because of the removal of such stallions from California to other states for breeding purposes.

Senate Bill 454 of the 1953 General Session of the Legislature sought to carry out such proposal, but the bill failed to be heard in the Assembly during the closing hours of the session.

The board of directors of the California Thoroughbred Breeders Association has conducted surveys and given careful consideration to this problem and cooperation in the development of a feasible stallion management program has been assured.

The board sincerely feels that such loss of breeding stallions is detrimental to the best interests of racing in California and is not conducive to the betterment of the breed in this State.

The board therefore respectfully recommends a reconsideration of this problem by the Legislature and the enactment of such laws as will establish a program of state participation in stallion management.

Respectfully,

DWIGHT MURPHY, Chairman
GEORGE I. HOLMES, Member
B. W. RALEY, Member

CLAIRE DOUGLASS, Secretary

STATISTICAL
INFORMATION

THE MAJOR RACING CIRCUIT

Meetings	Dates	Number of days	Number of races	Total mutual pool
RUNNING RACES				
Hollywood Turf Club, Hollywood	7/ 1/52- 7/19/52	15	120	\$31,747,484
Del Mar Turf Club, Del Mar	7/22/52- 9/ 8/52	41	336	31,162,410
California Jockey Club, Bay Meadows	9/ 9/52-10/25/52	41	378	28,953,195
Tanforan Co. Ltd., Tanforan	10/27/52-12/13/52	42	346	26,976,062
Los Angeles Turf Club, Santa Anita	12/26/52- 3/ 7/53	50	400	108,450,574
Tanforan Co. Ltd., Tanforan	3/10/53- 5/ 9/53	45	369	33,971,986
Hollywood Turf Club, Hollywood	5/16/53- 6/30/53	32	256	64,872,111
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1952-JUNE, 1953		266	2,205	\$326,133,822
RUNNING RACES				
Hollywood Turf Club, Hollywood	7/ 1/53- 7/23/53	18	144	\$41,131,146
Del Mar Turf Club, Del Mar	7/25/53- 9/10/53	41	337	34,589,771
Pacific Turf Club, Golden Gate Fields	9/14/53-10/29/53	40	325	27,076,831
California Jockey Club, Bay Meadows	10/31/53-12/19/53	40	371	25,960,091
Los Angeles Turf Club, Santa Anita	12/26/53- 3/ 6/54	50	400	96,899,527
California Jockey Club, Bay Meadows	3/ 9/54- 5/ 8/54	45	371	36,139,969
Hollywood Turf Club, Hollywood	5/14/54- 6/30/54	32	256	64,777,479
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1953-JUNE, 1954		266	2,204	\$326,574,814
HARNESS MEETINGS				
Western Harness Racing Ass'n. (H.P.)	10/ 6/53-12/ 5/53	45	369	\$24,776,089
Western Harness Racing Ass'n. (S.A.)	3/12/54- 4/ 8/54	20	165	10,964,309
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1953-JUNE, 1954		65	534	\$35,740,398
QUARTER HORSE MEETINGS				
Los Alamitos Race Course, Los Alamitos	10/29/52-11/15/52	16	131	\$3,247,971
Los Alamitos Race Course, Los Alamitos	4/18/53- 5/ 9/53	16	132	4,182,674
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1952-JUNE, 1953		32	263	\$7,430,645
QUARTER HORSE MEETINGS				
Los Alamitos Race Course, Los Alamitos	4/ 9/54- 5/ 8/54	22	182	\$6,876,084
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1953-JUNE, 1954		22	182	\$6,876,084
COMBINATION QUARTER HORSE AND HARNESS HORSE MEETINGS				
California Horse Racing Ass'n., (B.M.)	5/12/53- 6/24/53	33	303	\$7,072,401
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1952-JUNE, 1953		33	303	\$7,072,401
COMBINATION QUARTER HORSE AND HARNESS HORSE MEETINGS				
California Horse Racing Ass'n., (B.M.)	5/11/54- 6/19/54	33	305	\$6,708,370
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1953-JUNE, 1954		33	305	\$6,708,370

THE MAJOR RACING CIRCUIT—Continued

4 percent Fair and Exposition Fund	1 percent and 2 percent General Fund	1 percent and 2 percent Wildlife Restoration Fund Stat. 19627	State College Fund Breakage Stat. 19620.1	Returned to public	Association commission
\$1,269,899.36		\$634,949.68	\$234,236.08	\$27,386,069.30	\$2,222,323.88
1,246,496.40		323,248.20	33,473.72	26,889,379.00	2,481,368.70
1,158,127.80	\$237,261.78	41,802.12	11,946.46	24,968,478.95	2,326,723.65
1,079,042.48	239,521.24			23,261,344.55	2,188,324.34
4,338,022.96	1,869,011.48		*607,205.93	93,529,353.40	7,891,540.18
1,358,879.44	379,439.72		52,553.70	29,299,116.30	2,673,039.02
2,594,884.44	997,442.22		294,113.90	54,390,949.35	4,841,047.77
\$13,045,352.88	\$3,722,676.44	\$1,000,000.00	\$1,233,829.79	\$279,725,291.35	\$24,629,367.54
\$1,645,245.84		\$822,622.92	\$318,367.31	\$35,466,388.10	\$2,879,180.22
1,383,590.84	\$214,418.34	177,377.08	53,115.38	29,330,507.80	2,721,283.97
1,083,073.24	241,536.62		762.74	23,334,335.85	2,195,378.17
1,038,403.64	219,201.82			22,384,745.47	2,117,206.87
3,875,981.08	1,637,990.54		484,651.50	33,643,761.05	7,082,966.89
1,445,598.76	422,799.38		86,292.78	31,193,902.80	2,829,797.83
2,591,099.16	995,549.58		263,918.19	55,917,247.45	4,834,423.53
\$13,062,992.56	\$3,731,496.28	\$1,000,000.00	\$1,187,107.90	\$281,770,888.52	\$24,660,236.98
\$991,043.56	\$195,521.78			\$21,369,659.45	\$2,034,326.23
438,572.36	\$9,643.09			9,453,767.75	977,144.72
\$1,429,615.92	\$205,164.87			\$30,825,427.20	\$3,011,470.95
\$129,918.84				\$2,801,897.90	\$292,317.39
167,306.96				3,605,789.00	376,440.66
\$297,225.80				\$6,407,686.90	\$668,758.05
\$275,043.36				\$5,929,430.05	\$618,847.56
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\$282,896.04				\$6,098,132.40	\$636,516.09
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\$268,349.20				\$5,784,476.75	\$603,785.70
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* Figure does not include breakage for minus pool (money received 1952-53 Fiscal)

THE MAJOR RACING CIRCUIT—Continued

Meetings	Association breakage	Total attendance	Daily average attendance	Daily average pool	Purses	Daily average purse	California-bred winners	Awarded California breeders
RUNNING RACES								
Hollywood Turf Club, Hollywood.....		453,669	30,224	\$2,116,498	\$810,200	\$51,013	82	\$18,607.50
Del Mar Turf Club, Del Mar.....	\$187,843.08	409,770	9,994	760,058	972,000	23,707	225	37,960.75
California Jockey Club, Bay Meadows	209,894.40	398,018	9,708	706,175	1,045,250	25,494	227	38,423.75
Tanforan Co. Ltd., Tanforan.....	207,805.89	348,653	8,301	642,287	800,000	20,619	230	35,952.00
Los Angeles Turf Club, Santa Anita	211,482.40	1,538,822	30,776	2,169,011	2,567,300	51,340	230	67,226.00
Tanforan Co. Ltd., Tanforan.....	206,954.81	459,447	10,210	754,033	1,134,500	25,211	220	38,031.25
Hollywood Turf Club, Hollywood.....	194,550.57	913,510	28,547	2,027,253	1,812,500	50,040	154	54,550.00
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1952- JUNE, 1953.....	\$1,218,032.14	4,521,805			\$9,207,750		1,380	\$291,657.25
RUNNING RACES								
Hollywood Turf Club, Hollywood.....		544,028	30,223	\$2,285,064	\$1,138,400	\$63,244	83	\$27,270.00
Del Mar Turf Club, Del Mar.....	\$209,460.09	420,691	10,407	813,053	1,177,000	28,707	213	42,960.50
Pacific Turf Club, Golden Gate Field	226,267.00	353,808	8,845	676,921	996,100	24,900	211	34,007.50
California Jockey Club, Bay Meadows	200,533.70	353,803	8,846	649,002	929,725	23,243	220	35,971.05
Los Angeles Turf Club, Santa Anita	176,219.80	1,358,298	27,166	1,937,091	3,101,000	62,020	204	78,254.00
California Jockey Club, Bay Meadows	181,535.97	544,725	12,105	803,110	1,205,400	26,787	226	33,330.00
Hollywood Turf Club, Hollywood.....	175,241.69	960,984	30,030	2,024,290	1,888,500	59,010	147	55,242.50
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1953- JUNE, 1954.....	\$1,160,258.43	4,512,307			\$10,430,125		1,310	\$307,041.55
HARNESS MEETINGS								
Western Harness Racing Ass'n. (H.P.)	\$185,537.98	393,088	8,735	\$550,679	\$733,300	10,293	98	\$7,460.00
Western Harness Racing Ass'n. (S.A.)	83,181.08	172,282	8,614	548,215	350,800	17,540	51	4,598.50
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1953- JUNE, 1954.....	\$268,719.00	565,370			\$1,084,100		149	\$12,058.50

QUARTER HORSE MEETINGS								
Los Alamitos Race Course, Los Alamitos.....	\$23,830.87	62,792	3,025	\$202,908	\$122,600	7,662	17	\$819.00
Los Alamitos Race Course, Los Alamitos.....	33,073.63	73,985	4,624	261,417	154,500	9,056	19	959.25
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1952- JUNE, 1953.....	\$56,904.50	136,777			\$277,100		36	\$1,778.25
QUARTER HORSE MEETINGS								
Los Alamitos Race Course, Los Alamitos.....	\$52,703.03	115,374	5,289	\$312,549	\$250,100	11,308	31	\$2,070.50
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1953- JUNE, 1954.....	\$52,703.03	115,374			\$250,100		31	\$2,070.50
COMBINATION QUARTER HORSE AND HARNESS HORSE MEETINGS								
California Horse Racing Ass'n., (B.M.)	\$51,850.47	125,207	3,790	\$214,315	\$208,350	8,131	114	\$4,001.25
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1952- JUNE, 1953.....	\$51,850.47	125,207			\$208,350		114	\$4,001.25
COMBINATION QUARTER HORSE AND HARNESS HORSE MEETINGS								
California Horse Racing Ass'n., (B.M.)	\$52,118.35	125,200	3,730	\$203,295	\$200,100	8,072	118	\$5,034.75
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1953- JUNE, 1954.....	\$52,118.35	125,200			\$200,100		118	\$5,034.75

FAIR RACING CIRCUIT

Meetings	Dates	Number of days	Number of races	Total mutual pool	4 percent Fair and Exposition Fund	Returned to public	Association commission
FAIRS							
Alameda County, Pleasanton.....	7/ 1/52- 7/ 5/52	5	56	\$1,562,581	\$62,503.24	\$1,347,436.20	\$140,632.29
Solano County, Vallejo.....	7/11/52- 7/19/52	8	90	1,712,245	68,489.80	1,478,083.25	154,102.05
Sonoma County, Santa Rosa.....	7/25/52- 8/ 2/52	8	91	1,948,025	77,021.00	1,080,717.35	175,322.25
Humboldt County, Ferndale.....	8/ 5/52- 8/ 9/52	5	44	284,657	11,389.28	245,033.70	25,019.13
San Mateo County, San Mateo.....	8/ 9/52- 8/16/52	7	75	2,330,585	93,223.40	2,010,853.90	209,752.65
San Joaquin County, Stockton.....	8/15/52- 8/23/52	8	82	1,130,302	45,214.48	974,107.00	101,732.58
California State Fair, Sacramento.....	8/28/52- 9/ 6/52	9	90	3,819,035	153,061.40	3,315,221.65	340,413.15
Tulare County, Tulare.....	9/ 9/52- 9/13/52	5	49	107,392	7,895.68	109,706.00	17,705.28
Los Angeles County, Pomona.....	9/12/52- 9/27/52	14	168	8,057,301	322,292.61	6,945,389.15	725,167.09
Fresno District Fair, Fresno.....	10/ 3/52-10/11/52	8	87	1,299,432	51,077.28	1,110,311.65	116,948.88
Alameda County, Pleasanton.....	6/26/53- 6/30/53	4	44	1,071,783	42,871.32	924,440.30	96,460.47
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1952-JUNE, 1953		81	885	\$23,443,398	\$937,736.92	\$20,210,960.15	\$2,109,005.82
FAIRS							
Alameda County, Pleasanton.....	7/ 1/53- 7/11/53	10	112	\$3,164,101	\$120,504.01	\$2,730,299.05	\$284,769.09
Solano County, Vallejo.....	7/17/53- 7/25/53	8	89	2,185,338	87,413.52	1,889,737.65	196,080.42
Sonoma County, Santa Rosa.....	7/31/53- 8/ 8/53	8	91	1,698,092	79,041.08	1,722,187.45	179,874.18
Humboldt County, Ferndale.....	8/11/53- 8/15/53	5	42	300,099	12,027.99	258,803.10	27,062.91
San Mateo County, San Mateo.....	8/15/53- 8/22/53	7	79	2,333,564	97,312.56	2,100,080.55	219,020.76
San Joaquin County, Stockton.....	8/21/53- 8/29/53	8	85	1,260,382	50,055.28	1,091,791.95	113,974.38
California State Fair, Sacramento.....	9/ 3/53- 9/12/53	9	99	3,934,783	157,391.32	3,385,843.10	354,130.47
Los Angeles County, Pomona.....	9/18/53-10/ 3/53	14	168	7,819,028	312,785.12	6,730,570.05	703,700.52
Fresno District Fair, Fresno.....	10/ 2/53-10/10/53	8	85	1,127,925	45,117.00	971,012.60	101,513.25
Alameda County, Pleasanton.....	6/21/54- 6/30/54	9	100	2,425,712	97,028.48	2,692,170.45	218,314.08
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1953-JUNE, 1954		86	950	\$26,050,734	\$1,066,269.36	\$22,975,856.55	\$2,399,100.00

FAIR RACING CIRCUIT—Continued

Meetings	Dates	Association breakage	Total attendance	Daily average attendance	Daily average pool	Purses	Daily average purse	California-bred winners	Awarded California breeders
FAIRS									
Alameda County, Pleasanton.....	7/ 1/52- 7/ 5/52	\$12,009.27	27,857	5,571	\$312,516	\$18,700	\$9,740	41	\$2,100.75
Solano County, Vallejo.....	7/11/52- 7/19/52	10,069.00	40,787	5,098	214,030	57,100	7,138	53	2,044.50
Sonoma County, Santa Rosa.....	7/25/52- 8/ 2/52	14,001.40	39,572	4,947	243,503	68,500	8,563	58	2,625.00
Humboldt County, Ferndale.....	8/ 5/52- 8/ 9/52	2,617.89	21,321	4,264	60,931	22,000	4,400	30	816.50
San Mateo County, San Mateo.....	8/ 9/52- 8/16/52	16,755.05	30,040	4,291	332,011	60,000	9,429	45	2,511.00
San Joaquin County, Stockton.....	8/15/52- 8/23/52	9,247.91	23,683	2,960	141,295	51,000	6,750	44	1,848.00
California State Fair, Sacramento.....	8/28/52- 9/ 6/52	33,438.80	92,733	10,304	427,070	141,550	15,727	57	4,851.75
Tulare County, Tulare.....	9/ 9/52- 9/13/52	2,025.01	11,330	2,266	39,478	25,000	5,000	33	1,020.00
Los Angeles County, Pomona.....	9/12/52- 9/27/52	64,492.72	198,629	12,044	575,521	259,400	18,529	107	10,181.00
Fresno District Fair, Fresno.....	10/ 3/52-10/11/52	11,194.19	30,229	3,779	162,429	52,100	6,513	52	1,929.00
Alameda County, Pleasanton.....	6/26/53- 6/30/53	8,100.16	19,663	4,918	267,945	38,600	9,650	29	1,504.00
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1952-JUNE, 1953		\$181,801.36	505,814			\$632,950		540	\$31,469.50
FAIRS									
Alameda County, Pleasanton.....	7/ 1/53- 7/11/53	\$22,468.22	53,330	5,333	\$302,593	\$102,400	\$10,200	71	\$3,870.00
Solano County, Vallejo.....	7/17/53- 7/25/53	14,506.41	42,835	5,354	273,167	66,400	8,300	62	2,527.00
Sonoma County, Santa Rosa.....	7/31/53- 8/ 8/53	16,590.29	39,023	4,878	249,825	71,400	8,925	52	2,307.00
Humboldt County, Ferndale.....	8/11/53- 8/15/53	2,745.03	22,200	4,440	60,140	22,000	4,400	22	640.87
San Mateo County, San Mateo.....	8/15/53- 8/22/53	17,120.13	37,512	5,358	347,652	79,100	11,300	50	3,101.00
San Joaquin County, Stockton.....	8/21/53- 8/29/53	10,255.29	27,252	3,406	158,297	59,700	7,462	54	2,444.62
California State Fair, Sacramento.....	9/ 3/53- 9/12/53	37,418.11	89,985	9,998	437,198	148,850	16,538	65	5,950.75
Los Angeles County, Pomona.....	9/18/53-10/ 3/53	66,506.31	154,444	11,031	558,545	297,800	21,274	101	12,191.00
Fresno District Fair, Fresno.....	10/ 2/53-10/10/53	10,282.15	27,596	3,449	140,991	58,000	7,250	45	1,770.29
Alameda County, Pleasanton.....	6/21/54- 6/30/54	17,898.99	42,873	4,763	269,524	97,000	10,778	64	4,016.50
TOTALS—FISCAL YEAR JULY, 1953-JUNE, 1954		\$215,796.93	537,059			\$1,002,850		586	\$38,894.00

STATISTICAL COMPARISONS

	1952-1953	1953-1954
TOTAL POOL	\$364,080,266.00	\$402,556,760.00
4 percent State revenue.....	14,563,210.64	16,184,663.72
1 percent State revenue.....	600,000.00	600,000.00
2 percent State revenue.....	4,722,676.44	4,731,496.28
Breakage—State revenue.....	1,304,867.32	1,198,970.85
License fee revenue.....	36,487.00	40,234.00
Unclaimed pari-Mutuel State revenue.....	454,056.93	286,318.50
Miscellaneous income.....	7.50	776.90
TOTAL REVENUE	\$21,081,305.83	\$22,683,736.72
Operating cost	\$152,476.85	\$127,017.31
A. Percent relationship to revenue.....	.01047	.007848
Purses	\$10,586,150.00	\$13,069,275.00
Number of meetings.....	21	21
Number of days raced.....	412	472
Personnel employed.....	17	14.1
A. Los Angeles office.....	4.2	4.9
B. Sacramento office.....	0	0
C. San Francisco office.....	1	.5
D. Track (clerical).....	3.8	3.7
E. Investigators.....	5	5
F. Photographer identifiers.....	3	0
Number saliva tests.....	3,961	4,571
Number urine tests.....	3,417	3,852
Horses claimed.....	489	627
California bred winners.....	2,079	2,194

INDIVIDUAL LICENSES ISSUED
(Fiscal Year July, 1952, to June, 1953)

2,255	Owners.....	@ \$5.00	\$11,275.00
562	Trainers.....	@ 10.00	5,620.00
178	Special trainers.....	@ 3.00	534.00
144	Jockeys.....	@ 10.00	1,440.00
44	Apprentice jockeys.....	@ 5.00	220.00
55	Jockey agents.....	@ 10.00	550.00
1,543	Grooms.....	@ 2.00	3,086.00
364	Exercise boys.....	@ 2.00	728.00
33	Officials.....	@ 5.00	165.00
1,241	Pari-mutuels.....	@ 3.00	3,723.00
202	Authorized agents.....	@ 10.00	2,020.00
154	Assumed names.....	@ 25.00	3,850.00
97	Harness horse trainers and drivers.....	@ 5.00	485.00
27	Duplicates.....	@ 1.00	27.00
357	Miscellaneous.....	@ 2.00	714.00
212	Quarter horse trainers.....	@ 5.00	1,060.00
112	Quarter horse jockeys.....	@ 5.00	560.00
43	Senior officials.....	@ 10.00	430.00
7,623	Total		\$36,487.00

(Fiscal Year July, 1953, to June, 1954)

2,529	Owners.....	@ \$5.00	\$12,645.00
553	Trainers.....	@ 10.00	5,530.00
192	Special trainers.....	@ 3.00	576.00
148	Jockeys.....	@ 10.00	1,480.00
51	Apprentice jockeys.....	@ 5.00	255.00
54	Jockey agents.....	@ 10.00	540.00
1,907	Grooms.....	@ 2.00	3,814.00
430	Exercise boys.....	@ 2.00	860.00
46	Officials.....	@ 5.00	230.00
1,333	Pari-mutuels.....	@ 3.00	3,999.00
216	Authorized agents.....	@ 10.00	2,160.00
184	Assumed names.....	@ 25.00	4,600.00
246	Harness horse trainers and drivers.....	@ 5.00	1,230.00
34	Duplicates.....	@ 1.00	34.00
358	Miscellaneous.....	@ 2.00	716.00
43	Senior officials.....	@ 10.00	430.00
77	Quarter horse jockeys.....	@ 5.00	385.00
150	Quarter horse trainers.....	@ 5.00	750.00
8,551	Total		\$40,234.00

**FAIR AND EXPOSITION FUND REVENUE RECEIVED FROM HORSE RACING BY THE
STATE CONTROLLER AND DISTRIBUTION OF THE REVENUE**

(July 1, 1952, to June 30, 1953)

Revenue from horse racing.....	\$14,471,246.20
Proceeds from sale of real property, Sec. 88, Agricultural Code.....	164,773.63
Escheated warrants.....	36.73
Student and veterans fees, California Polytechnic College.....	486,823.00
Total revenue for the Fair and Exposition Fund.....	\$15,122,879.56
Reverted appropriation balances to be redistributed ¹	25,010.77
Total available for distribution.....	\$15,147,890.33
Less appropriations ahead of first balance:	
California Horse Racing Board.....	\$169,616.00
Department of Finance	
Division of Fairs and Expositions.....	101,550.00
Audits Division.....	60,000.00
State Agricultural Society	
Support—California State Fair.....	125,000.00
Support—Junior Agricultural Fair.....	15,000.00
Los Angeles County Fair.....	125,000.00
1-A District Agricultural Association.....	100,000.00
6th District Agricultural Association.....	15,000.00
Capital outlay, district agricultural associations, Sec. 88, Agricultural Code.....	164,773.63
California Polytechnic College—Appropriated fees.....	486,823.00
Contributions to Employees' Retirement Fund.....	145,000.00
Total, appropriations ahead of first balance.....	\$1,507,762.63
First balance.....	\$13,640,127.70
Less allocations to fairs	
5% of first balance to citrus fairs ²	\$682,006.37
40% of first balance to district and county agricultural fairs ²	5,456,051.07
Total, allocation to fairs.....	\$6,138,057.44
Second balance.....	\$7,502,070.26
Add excess in prior years 5% for citrus fairs and 40% for district and county agricultural fairs redistributed during 1952-53 Fiscal Year ²	1,281,493.48
Second balance.....	\$8,783,563.74
Distribution of second balance:	
25% for California Polytechnic College.....	\$2,195,890.93
33% for University of California.....	2,898,376.04
42% for capital outlay for fairs ²	3,689,096.77

¹ Appropriation balances which are reverted to the Fair and Exposition Fund and redistributed on the same basis as horse racing revenue which is paid into the fund.

² Any amount in excess of the maximum amount which may be apportioned to fairs under Section 19624 of the Business and Professions Code shall be transferred to the second balance and distributed as provided under Section 19626 of said code.

³ Appropriations as follows were made during the 1952-53 Fiscal Year out of the unallocated balance of funds previously appropriated for capital outlay for fairs:

Poultry Improvement Commission, Ch. 3/1952, Items 46 and 296.....	\$46,798
Department of Finance, Ch. 3/1952, Item 138.....	30,000
State Agricultural Society, Ch. 3/1952, Items 140, 364, 365, Ch. 737/1953.....	788,800
Sixth District Agricultural Association, Ch. 3/1952, Items 143, 366, 367, 368.....	299,800
1-A District Agricultural Association, Ch. 3/1952, Item 144.....	62,497
Department of Natural Resources, Ch. 3/1952, Item 202.....	3,400
Board of Control Claim, Ch. 3/1952, Item 236(9).....	200
Capital Outlay and Savings Fund, Ch. 3/1952, Item 369.....	15,174

**FAIR AND EXPOSITION FUND REVENUE RECEIVED FROM HORSE RACING BY THE
STATE CONTROLLER AND DISTRIBUTION OF THE REVENUE—Continued**

(July 1, 1953, to June 30, 1954)

Revenue from horse racing.....	\$16,173,475.28
Proceeds from sale of real property, Sec. 88, Agricultural Code.....	27,376.00
Escheated warrants.....	2.81
Sale of equipment.....	720.77
Interest from Surplus Money Investment Fund.....	65,347.19
Total revenue for the Fair and Exposition Fund.....	\$16,266,922.05
Reverted appropriation balances redistributed ¹	30,519.60
Total available for distribution.....	\$16,297,441.65
Less appropriations ahead of first balance:	
California Horse Racing Board.....	\$147,148.00
Department of Finance	
Division of Fairs and Expositions.....	107,561.00
Audits Division.....	72,500.00
California State Fair and Exposition	
Support—California State Fair.....	125,000.00
Support—Junior Agricultural Fair.....	15,000.00
Los Angeles County Fair.....	125,000.00
1-A District Agricultural Association.....	100,000.00
6th District Agricultural Association.....	15,000.00
Capital outlay, district agricultural associations, Sec. 88, Agricultural Code.....	27,376.00
Contributions to Employees' Retirement Fund.....	145,000.00
Total, appropriations ahead of first balance.....	\$879,583.00
First balance.....	\$15,417,856.65
Less allocations to fairs	
5% of first balance to citrus fairs ²	\$770,892.82
40% of first balance to district and county agricultural fairs ²	6,167,142.66
Total, allocation to fairs.....	\$6,938,035.48
Second balance.....	\$8,479,821.17
Add excess in prior years 5% for citrus fairs and 40% for district and county agricultural fairs redistributed during 1953-54 Fiscal Year ²	1,278,057.74
Second balance.....	\$9,757,878.91
Distribution of second balance:	
25% for California Polytechnic College.....	2,439,469.73
33% for University of California.....	3,220,100.03
42% for capital outlay for fairs ²	4,098,309.15

¹ Appropriation balances which are reverted to the Fair and Exposition Fund and redistributed on the same basis as horse racing revenue paid into the fund.

² Any amount in excess of the maximum amount which may be apportioned to fairs under Section 19624 of the Business and Professions Code shall be transferred to the second balance and distributed as provided under Section 19626 of said code.

³ Appropriations as follows are made during the 1953-54 Fiscal Year out of the unallocated balance of funds previously appropriated for capital outlay for fairs:

Poultry Improvement Commission, Ch. 971/1953, Items 45, 289, 289.1.....	\$108,587
University of California, Ch. 971/1953, Items 107.3, 338.5.....	230,000
California State Fair and Exposition, Ch. 971/1953, Items 138, 344, 345.....	941,689
Sixth District Agricultural Association, Ch. 971/1953, Items 141, 347.....	78,000
Department of Natural Resources, Ch. 971/1953, Item 195.....	3,400
Department of Agriculture, Ch. 971/1953, Items 288, 288.5.....	330,890
Department of Finance, Ch. 1607/1953.....	20,000
1-A District Agricultural Association, Ch. 1607/1953 and Ch. 1424/1953.....	95,000

REVENUE RECEIVED BY THE STATE EACH FISCAL YEAR SINCE RACING WAS LEGALIZED

	Total revenue to State
Eighty-fifth Fiscal Year, 1933-1934.....	\$259,657.36
Eighty-sixth Fiscal Year, 1934-1935.....	1,005,103.36
Eighty-seventh Fiscal Year, 1935-1936.....	1,587,373.44
Eighty-eighth Fiscal Year, 1936-1937.....	1,933,259.84
Eighty-ninth Fiscal Year, 1937-1938.....	2,661,142.32
Ninetieth Fiscal Year, 1938-1939.....	3,030,689.56
Ninety-first Fiscal Year, 1939-1940.....	2,832,230.66
Ninety-second Fiscal Year, 1940-1941.....	3,799,115.10
Ninety-third Fiscal Year, 1941-1942.....	1,515,435.18
Ninety-fourth Fiscal Year, 1942-1943.....	1,077,685.21
Ninety-fifth Fiscal Year, 1943-1944.....	2,375,186.16
Ninety-sixth Fiscal Year, 1944-1945.....	8,258,568.58
Ninety-seventh Fiscal Year, 1945-1946.....	22,779,402.22
Ninety-eighth Fiscal Year, 1946-1947.....	18,741,499.55
Ninety-ninth Fiscal Year, 1947-1948.....	20,117,506.78
One hundredth Fiscal Year, 1948-1949.....	17,091,734.69
One hundred first Fiscal Year, 1949-1950.....	14,813,984.21
One hundred second Fiscal Year, 1950-1951.....	16,356,153.20
One hundred third Fiscal Year, 1951-1952.....	20,041,920.00
One hundred fourth Fiscal Year, 1952-1953.....	20,960,198.32
One hundred fifth Fiscal Year, 1953-1954.....	22,683,736.72
Total revenue.....	\$203,921,582.46

TOTAL PARI-MUTUEL HANDLE FROM THOROUGHBRED RACING
Southern Major Race Tracks

(November 1, 1933-December 31, 1953)

Year	Days	Santa Anita	Days	Hollywood	Days	Del Mar
1933.....						
1934.....						
1935.....	65	\$15,897,684				
1936.....	58	25,251,933				
1937.....	55	30,068,466			22	\$2,224,301
1938.....	58	37,589,491	34	\$16,858,398	25	3,920,251
1939.....	54	36,386,263	46	19,567,045	24	3,469,965
1940.....	45	28,376,066	51	26,713,728	23	4,417,733
1941.....	51	35,989,166	51	32,136,042	32	7,852,745
1942.....						
1943.....						
1944.....			34	59,608,966		
1945.....	40	87,634,421	33	78,816,501	40	23,846,789
1946.....	55	140,686,541	55	125,819,342	35	23,806,005
1947.....	50	123,436,852	50	102,733,154	41	22,938,918
1948.....	50	108,727,729	50	95,683,124	41	23,528,270
1949.....	50	87,419,464	50	70,250,567	41	24,577,243
1950.....	50	77,981,791	50	68,280,062	41	22,348,365
1951.....	50	75,946,261	50	81,539,632	40	25,061,087
1952.....	50	91,869,247	50	94,524,989	41	31,162,410
1953.....	50	108,450,374	50	106,003,257	41	34,589,771
Track totals.....	831	\$1,112,011,949	656	\$978,634,807	487	\$253,743,853

TOTAL PARI-MUTUEL HANDLE FROM THOROUGHBRED RACING
Northern Major Race Tracks
(November 1, 1933-December 31, 1953)

Year	Days	Bay Meadows	Days	Tanforan	Days	Golden Gate
1933			41	\$2,210,071		
1934	38	\$3,876,126	50	3,809,245		
1935	29	2,564,586	24	2,023,065		
	21	2,926,256	26	2,727,712		
1936	25	3,671,160	25	3,934,705		
1937	25	4,230,904	25	3,529,224		
	25	4,365,273	25	4,244,801		
	25	4,844,543	25	4,519,117		
1938	25	3,989,259	25	3,415,852		
	25	3,688,183	25	3,129,417		
1939	24	3,132,126	24	3,266,918		
	26	3,553,405	25	3,887,189		
1940	46	8,242,775	41	7,036,111		
	39	8,626,341	46	9,861,991	5	\$557,538
1941	57	14,711,591				
1942	25	4,616,166				
1943	25	3,697,199				
	64	22,100,855				
1944	65	27,292,281				
	41	20,237,128				
1945	49	37,913,442				
	45	36,074,830				
1946	45	31,646,142				
	41	28,338,624	41	32,466,067	41	29,723,914
1948	41	31,309,248	41	24,397,196	41	29,639,541
1949	41	24,492,170	41	20,640,727	43	35,935,955
1950	46	23,120,112	40	25,872,773	46	31,711,059
1951	40	28,960,250	42	24,072,407	41	25,860,461
1952	41	28,953,195	42	26,976,062	45	38,899,910
1953	40	25,960,091	45	33,971,986	40	27,076,831
Track totals	1,079	\$49,134,264	719	\$245,792,639	302	\$219,403,209
	1,974	Days total Southern Tracks		\$2,344,390,609		
	2,100	Days total Northern Tracks		914,332,112		
Grand Totals	4,074	Days		\$3,258,722,721		

FIGURES INDICATING THE REVENUE RECEIVED BY THE STATE FROM 1933 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 1953, SEPARATED BY THE VARIOUS TRACKS

Year	State Revenue					
	Santa Anita		Hollywood		Del Mar	
	State tax	Breakage	State tax	Breakage	State tax	Breakage
1933						
1934						
1935	\$635,907.36					
1936	1,010,077.32					
1937	1,202,738.64					
1938	1,515,579.64		\$674,335.92			\$88,972.04
1939	1,455,450.32		782,681.80			156,810.04
1940	1,135,042.64		1,068,549.12			138,798.60
1941	1,439,566.64		1,285,441.68			176,709.32
1942						314,109.80
1943						
1944			3,276,537.96			
1945	4,958,065.26		4,428,990.06			1,130,807.34
1946	8,141,192.46		7,249,160.32			1,128,360.30
1947	7,106,211.12		5,863,989.24			1,076,335.08
1948	6,223,663.74	\$599,383.95	5,440,987.44	\$560,272.07		1,111,696.20
1949	4,945,167.84	448,577.99	3,921,034.02	311,625.17		1,174,634.58
1950	4,378,907.46	*\$11,104.89	3,796,803.72	324,808.01		1,040,901.90
1951	4,256,775.66	*\$34,940.36	4,592,377.92	400,604.00		1,203,665.22
1952	5,212,154.82	*\$14,962.94	5,371,499.34	518,969.40		1,569,744.60
1953	6,207,034.44	†\$78,243.86	6,060,195.42	612,481.21		\$33,473.72
Totals	\$59,823,535.56	\$2,887,213.99	\$53,812,584.16	\$2,728,759.86	\$12,086,931.28	\$86,589.10
		\$62,710,749.55		\$56,541,344.02		\$12,173,320.38

GRAND TOTAL—\$175,720,008.57

* Minus pool deducted from breakage by Los Angeles Turf Club not included: 1950, \$59,722.95; 1951, \$688.48; 1952, \$3,078.51.
 † \$71,037.93, this includes breakage paid for 1950-51-52.

FIGURES INDICATING THE REVENUE RECEIVED BY THE STATE FROM 1933 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 1953, SEPARATED BY THE VARIOUS TRACKS—Continued

State Revenue

Year	Bay Meadows		Tanforan		Golden Gate	
	State tax	Breakage	State tax	Breakage	State tax	Breakage
1933	\$153,045.04		\$88,402.84			
1934	102,883.36		132,369.80			
1935	117,050.24		80,922.60			
1936	146,846.40		109,108.48			
1937	169,226.16		137,888.20			
1938	174,830.92		141,168.96			
1939	193,781.72		169,792.04			
1940	159,570.36		180,764.68			
1941	147,527.32		125,176.68			
1942	125,285.04		130,676.72			
1943	142,216.20		135,487.56			
1944	329,711.00		281,444.88			
1945	343,053.64		394,479.64		\$32,301.52	
1946	635,579.55					
1947	194,646.64					
1948	227,887.96					
1949	1,026,051.30					
1950	1,327,326.86					
1951	914,227.08					
1952	1,974,806.32					
1953	1,594,489.80					
Totals	\$21,440,453.83	\$72,353.11	\$11,493,649.92	\$52,852.70	\$11,053,161.68	\$332,776.08
	\$21,512,806.94		\$11,548,503.62		\$11,255,937.76	

ASSOCIATION'S COMMISSION AND BREAKAGE, 1933-1953

Year	Days	Tanforan	Days	Bay Meadows	Days	Santa Anita	Days	Del Mar	Days	Hollywood	Days	Golden Gate
1933	41	\$212,237.06										
1934	50	359,283.90	38	\$972,181.96	65	\$1,460,158.74						
1935	24	193,076.20	29	248,432.34	58	1,924,803.38						
1936	20	259,218.42	21	275,035.20								
1937	25	380,299.10	25	352,367.30	55	2,280,780.06						
1938	25	433,453.02	25	403,172.04			22	\$219,103.66				
1939	25	407,475.56	25	415,749.68	58	2,875,965.96						
1940	25	433,453.02	25	456,789.08								
1941	25	333,580.02	25	386,391.44	54	2,735,200.02	25	376,954.08	34	\$1,606,091.78		
1942	25	300,169.52	25	360,078.18								
1943	24	309,300.98	24	300,109.16	45	2,688,618.10	24	334,047.70	46	1,804,941.24		
1944	25	370,651.64	26	341,946.80								
1945	41	672,167.34	46	779,608.10	61	2,691,512.06	23	423,687.98	51	2,558,607.18		
1946	46	934,543.26	30	807,360.56	32	751,976.78			51	3,077,059.66	5	\$52,514.38
1947			67	1,391,340.55								
1948			25	463,882.16								
1949			26	500,182.04								
1950			04	2,034,184.05								
1951			65	2,414,843.40								
1952			41	1,878,218.42					34	4,949,801.54		
1953			49	3,243,169.09								
Totals			46	3,084,975.50	40	7,179,513.72	40	2,179,119.87	36	6,477,261.25		
			45	2,756,240.03	55	11,175,363.17	35	2,149,819.04	65	10,057,749.72		
			41	2,480,778.46	50	9,822,431.08	41	2,097,338.91	50	8,287,413.70	41	2,592,054.61
			41	2,675,744.21	50	8,118,865.31	41	2,146,577.75	50	7,220,558.20	41	2,681,409.20
			41	2,179,561.84	50	6,027,229.57	41	2,204,340.12	50	5,431,517.50	43	3,023,219.41
			40	1,896,800.28	50	5,969,010.25	41	2,035,075.35	50	5,287,577.48	40	2,519,774.13
			42	2,292,475.77	50	2,327,217.50	40	2,054,276.09	50	6,007,774.24	41	2,110,232.27
			42	1,985,068.49	50	5,016,238.27	40	2,669,212.68	50	7,129,115.39	45	3,222,870.28
			42	2,306,130.23	50	8,103,022.64	41	2,930,744.06	50	7,914,778.56	40	2,421,645.26
1952			41	2,536,718.05								
1953			40	2,317,740.07								
Totals	719	\$21,961,950.23	1,079	\$30,031,437.53	831	\$80,188,826.00	487	\$23,573,774.07	656	\$77,870,337.65	302	\$18,523,719.66

COMBINED GRAND TOTAL FOR ALL MEETINGS (4,074 Days)—\$208,060,045.04

ALLOCATION OF INCOME AND EXPENSE TO CHARITY DAYS

Northern Tracks

	1952			1953		
	Bay Meadows	Golden Gate	Tanforan	Bay Meadows	Golden Gate	Tanforan
Income						
Pari-mutuel.....	\$105,100.73	\$165,020.84	\$81,135.70	\$80,082.20	\$04,841.42	\$140,708.40
Admissions.....	8,081.60		0,895.31	6,703.05	12,465.67	17,760.18
Concessions.....	3,092.64		2,835.74	2,602.38	4,022.18	0,800.72
Parking.....			1,022.50	1,000.50	2,049.50	1,899.25
Programs, newspaper sales, etc.....	2,285.09		1,797.82	1,842.82	3,273.47	3,653.73
Other race meet income.....				107.10		
Nonrace meet income.....						
Total income.....	\$119,550.06	\$165,020.84	\$93,687.07	\$99,208.17	\$110,052.14	\$170,918.37
Expenses						
Racing.....	\$51,378.49	\$75,045.55	\$43,642.04	\$44,048.08	\$42,495.50	\$88,653.57
Attendance operations.....	7,768.32	6,125.07	0,350.88	7,163.00	7,238.22	9,740.08
Pari-mutuel.....	17,514.07	28,485.31	10,788.88	17,399.57	18,075.05	20,918.32
Maintenance and general operating.....	1,893.22	11,257.34	1,327.88	1,137.51	4,570.41	2,126.42
Depreciation and obsolescence.....		1,197.06				
Administrative and corporate.....	10,470.94	13,500.27	4,094.39	5,169.83	0,674.72	0,423.04
Total expenditures.....	\$89,024.04	\$135,701.20	\$72,210.07	\$75,808.05	\$79,054.56	\$133,871.33
Net profit before income taxes.....	\$30,526.02	\$29,919.64	\$21,477.00	\$23,400.12	\$37,597.58	\$37,047.00
Provision for federal tax.....						
Net profit.....	\$30,526.02	\$29,919.64	\$21,477.00	\$23,400.12	\$37,597.58	\$37,047.00

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ALLOCATION OF INCOME AND EXPENSE TO CHARITY DAYS

Southern Tracks

	1952			1953		
	Santa Anita	Hollywood Park	Del Mar	Santa Anita	Hollywood Park	Del Mar
Income						
Pari-mutuel.....	\$079,035.35	\$784,619.15	\$157,353.07	\$708,645.07	\$782,606.37	\$103,010.79
Admissions.....	143,101.00	177,479.60	21,240.01	139,058.00	175,143.30	28,735.74
Concessions.....	30,188.40	41,240.68	7,782.83	40,324.84	39,086.00	7,702.71
Parking.....	15,700.75	17,120.00	3,169.75	17,207.25	17,420.50	3,301.75
Programs, newspaper sales, etc.....	18,547.00	19,841.00	3,270.09	18,071.52	18,845.21	3,270.55
Other race meet income.....		51.09			00.00	
Nonrace meet income.....						
Total income.....	\$895,692.50	\$1,040,370.18	\$192,829.55	\$923,900.08	\$1,033,181.38	\$200,117.51
Expenses						
Racing.....	\$223,775.50	\$270,700.27	\$93,743.51	\$230,759.13	\$348,798.15	\$100,081.09
Attendance operations.....	59,393.15	59,108.67	9,813.80	61,536.03	59,402.52	10,152.20
Pari-mutuel.....	99,850.38	93,283.34	26,587.60	98,722.88	92,372.39	26,788.05
Maintenance and general operating.....	9,983.87	12,705.59	0,808.80	11,887.73	20,846.00	7,163.81
Depreciation and obsolescence.....						
Administrative and corporate.....	17,542.12	26,250.93	7,600.45	18,620.71	31,646.27	7,583.52
Total expenses.....	\$410,554.11	\$468,108.80	\$144,014.28	\$427,530.08	\$550,065.33	\$158,009.33
Net profit before income taxes.....	\$485,138.48	\$572,261.38	\$48,215.27	\$496,460.60	\$483,116.05	\$47,448.21
Provisions for federal income taxes.....						
Net profit.....	\$485,138.48	\$572,261.38	\$48,215.27	\$496,460.60	\$483,116.05	\$47,448.21

ELEVENTH BIENNIAL REPORT

The following compilation shows for the first time a breakdown of the number and denomination of pari-mutuel tickets purchased. Particular attention is directed to the preponderance of \$2 tickets.

ANALYSIS OF WAGERING BY DENOMINATIONS

LOS ANGELES TURF CLUB, INC. December 26, 1952 to March 7, 1953 50 racing days				LOS ALAMITOS RACE COURSE April 18, 1953 to May 9, 1953 16 racing days			
Number of tickets	Denomination	Amount wagered	Per cent	Number of tickets	Denomination	Amount wagered	Per cent
112,762	\$100.00	\$11,278,200.00	10.40	9,716	\$50.00	\$485,800.00	11.61
318,825	50.00	15,931,250.00	14.69	97,647	10.00	976,470.00	23.35
2,479,839	10.00	24,798,390.00	22.86	30,254	Comb. 15.00	453,810.00	10.85
496,119	Comb. 15.00	7,441,785.00	6.86	113,352	5.00	566,760.00	13.65
2,719,189	5.00	13,595,845.00	12.54	79,778	Comb. 6.00	478,668.00	11.44
1,671,352	Comb. 6.00	10,028,112.00	9.25	610,583	2.00	1,221,166.00	29.20
12,689,496	2.00	25,378,992.00	23.40				
20,487,362		\$108,450,574.00	100.00	941,330		\$4,182,674.00	100.00

TANFORAN COMPANY, LTD. March 10, 1953 to May 9, 1953 45 racing days				CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING ASSOCIATION May 12, 1953 to June 24, 1953 33 racing days			
Number of tickets	Denomination	Amount wagered	Per cent	Number of tickets	Denomination	Amount wagered	Per cent
172,857	\$50.00	\$8,642,850.00	25.4	12,914	\$50.00	\$645,700.00	9.1
746,708	10.00	7,467,080.00	22.0	184,995	10.00	1,849,950.00	26.2
133,294	Comb. 15.00	1,999,410.00	5.9	22,521	Comb. 15.00	337,815.00	4.8
953,807	5.00	4,768,035.00	14.0	226,612	5.00	1,133,210.00	16.0
418,026	Comb. 6.00	2,508,156.00	7.4	109,668	Comb. 6.00	657,978.00	9.3
3,489,272	2.00	6,978,544.00	20.6	992,951	2.00	1,985,902.00	28.1
	Daily Double	1,607,911.00	4.7		Daily double	461,846.00	6.5
5,913,764		\$33,971,986.00	100.0	1,549,686		\$7,072,401.00	100.0

NUMBER OF DAILY DOUBLE tickets not included.

ANALYSIS OF WAGERING BY DENOMINATIONS—Continued

HOLLYWOOD TURF CLUB May 16, 1953 to July 23, 1953 50 racing days				PACIFIC TURF CLUB September 14, 1953 to October 29, 1953 40 racing days			
Number of tickets	Denomination	Amount wagered	Per cent	Number of tickets	Denomination	Amount wagered	Per cent
111,246	\$100.00	\$11,124,800.00	10.50	136,108	\$50.00	\$6,805,400.00	25.2
291,381	50.00	14,569,050.00	13.74	610,932	10.00	6,109,320.00	22.6
2,293,204	10.00	22,932,040.00	21.63	119,919	Comb. 15.00	1,798,785.00	6.6
451,963	Comb. 15.00	6,779,445.00	6.40	668,818	5.00	3,344,090.00	12.3
2,889,562	5.00	14,447,810.00	13.63	335,789	Comb. 6.00	2,014,734.00	7.4
1,792,069	Comb. 6.00	10,752,414.00	10.14	2,892,101	2.00	5,784,202.00	21.4
12,698,949	2.00	25,397,898.00	23.96		Daily double	1,220,300.00	4.5
20,528,374		\$106,003,257.00	100.00	4,763,667		\$27,076,831.00	100.00

DEL MAR TURF CLUB July 25, 1953 to September 10, 1953 41 racing days				WESTERN HARNESS RACING ASSOCIATION October 6, 1953 to December 5, 1953 40 racing days			
Number of tickets	Denomination	Amount wagered	Per cent	Number of tickets	Denomination	Amount wagered	Per cent
26,838	\$100.00	\$2,683,800.00	7.76	93,476	\$50.00	\$4,673,800.00	18.86
145,799	50.00	7,289,950.00	21.07	582,349	10.00	5,823,490.00	23.50
738,237	10.00	7,382,370.00	21.34	115,563	Comb. 15.00	1,733,445.00	7.00
151,683	Comb. 15.00	2,275,245.00	6.58	589,518	5.00	2,947,590.00	11.90
794,758	5.00	3,973,790.00	11.49	332,692	Comb. 6.00	1,996,152.00	8.06
416,771	Comb. 6.00	2,500,626.00	7.23	3,182,560	2.00	6,365,120.00	25.69
3,324,011	2.00	6,648,022.00	19.22		Daily double	1,236,492.00	4.99
	Daily double	1,835,968.00	5.31	4,896,158		\$24,776,089.00	100.00
5,598,097		\$34,589,771.00	100.00				

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CALIFORNIA JOCKEY CLUB, INC.

October 31, 1953 to December 19, 1953

40 racing days

Number of tickets	Denomination	Amount wagered	Percent
123,428	\$50.00	\$6,171,400.00	23.7
605,524	10.00	6,055,240.00	23.3
123,405	Comb. 15.00	1,851,075.00	7.4
636,108	5.00	3,180,540.00	12.2
334,498	Comb. 6.00	2,000,988.00	7.7
2,742,414	2.00	5,484,828.00	21.1
	Daily double	1,216,020.00	4.6
4,564,377		\$25,960,091.00	100.00

NUMBER OF DAILY DOUBLE tickets not included.

CALIFORNIA HORSE RACING BOARD MEETINGS

July 1, 1952-June 30, 1953	July 1, 1953-June 30, 1954
July 7, 1952..... Los Angeles	July 27, 1953..... Los Angeles
July 8, 1952..... Los Angeles	September 21, 1953..... Pomona
August 15, 1952..... Del Mar	September 29, 1953..... Los Angeles
August 16, 1952..... Del Mar	October 13, 1953..... Albany
September 8, 1952..... Los Angeles	October 21, 1953..... Los Angeles
September 11, 1952..... Santa Barbara	October 28, 1953..... Los Angeles
October 22, 1952..... Bay Meadows Race Track	November 13, 1953..... Woodland Hills
October 23, 1952..... Bay Meadows Race Track	December 3, 1953..... Los Angeles
December 11, 1952..... Los Angeles	January 14, 1954..... Santa Barbara
January 22, 1953..... Los Angeles	January 25, 1954..... Los Angeles
February 25, 1953..... Los Angeles	February 13, 1954..... Santa Anita Race Track
February 28, 1953..... Santa Anita Race Track	February 15, 1954..... Palm Springs
March 25, 1953..... Hollywood Park Race Track	February 16, 1954..... Palm Springs
April 9, 1953..... Santa Barbara	March 8, 1954..... Bay Meadows Race Track
April 20, 1953..... Los Angeles	April 21, 1954..... Los Angeles
May 14, 1953..... Los Angeles	April 22, 1954..... Los Angeles
May 18, 1953..... Los Angeles	May 24, 1954..... Los Angeles
May 27, 1953..... Palm Springs	June 28, 1954..... Los Angeles
June 22, 1953..... Los Angeles	