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STATE TABLE 9.—WORK OFF FARM FOR PAY OR INCOME, BY COLOR AND TENURE OF OPERATOR:
1939, 1934, AND 1929

WORK OFF FARM FOR PAY OR INCOME (For definitions and explanations, see text)	TOTAL	OWNERS			Managers	TENANTS				
		Full owners	Part owners			Total	Cash	Share cash	Share	Croppers
All farm operators:										
Reporting work off their farms.....number.....	1939..	60,941	23,756	4,309	28	32,848	6,539	1,144	9,287	12,993
	1934..	70,222	22,068	4,764	43	43,347	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	17,901
	1929..	77,266	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Proportion of all operators.....percent.....	1939..	28.1	27.7	29.1	4.7	28.5	38.9	16.1	25.7	27.3
	1934..	27.6	25.7	32.3	7.3	28.6	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	27.3
	1929..	31.9	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Days worked off farm.....total days.....	1939..	6,983,176	3,546,822	369,857	6,139	3,040,358	982,934	70,454	651,458	933,983
	1934..	5,001,070	2,275,428	293,560	5,707	2,426,375	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	895,807
	1929..	5,707,007	1,894,975	426,133	10,537	3,375,362	445,217	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Average for operators reporting...days.....	1939..	114	149	86	219	93	150	62	70	72
	1934..	71	103	62	133	56	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	50
	1929..	74	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Reporting 100 or more days of work off their farms.....number.....	1939..	26,999	13,902	1,339	21	11,737	4,168	228	2,285	3,353
	1934..	16,737	8,261	929	20	7,527	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	2,602
	1929..	19,829	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Proportion of all operators.....percent.....	1939..	12.5	16.2	9.1	3.5	10.2	24.8	3.2	6.3	7.0
	1934..	6.6	9.6	6.3	3.4	5.0	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	4.0
	1929..	8.2	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
All land in farms.....acres.....	1939..	1,654,224	932,788	176,495	17,002	527,939	181,332	19,587	169,857	78,338
Value of farms (land and buildings)..dollars.....	1939..	45,032,733	27,118,986	4,370,015	514,777	13,028,955	4,438,819	710,709	3,308,129	2,889,810
Reporting "None" for days worked off their farms.....number.....	1939..	138,317	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
	1934..	165,995	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
	1929..	17,416	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Not reporting.....number.....	1939..	16,796	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
	1934..									
	1929..									
Reporting—										
Under 25 days.....number.....	1939..	11,789	3,174	1,033	2	7,580	690	408	2,690	3,444
	1934..	24,894	6,061	1,809	9	17,115	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	7,381
	1929..	22,067	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
25 to 49 days.....number.....	1939..	10,531	2,872	946	1	6,712	637	259	2,195	3,274
	1934..	15,505	3,828	1,112	6	10,559	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	4,597
	1929..	17,895	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
50 to 74 days.....number.....	1939..	7,251	2,284	674	2	4,291	616	145	1,395	1,842
	1934..	8,761	2,594	646	5	5,516	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	2,246
	1929..	11,809	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
75 to 99 days.....number.....	1939..	4,371	1,524	317	2	2,528	428	104	722	1,080
	1934..	4,225	1,324	268	3	2,630	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1,075
	1929..	5,666	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
100 to 149 days.....number.....	1939..	6,893	2,760	443	1	3,689	943	94	894	1,379
	1934..	5,362	1,977	338	5	3,042	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	1,149
	1929..	7,315	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
150 to 199 days.....number.....	1939..	5,950	2,741	325	4	2,880	857	64	601	825
	1934..	3,279	1,375	197	1	1,706	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	652
	1929..	3,882	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
200 to 249 days.....number.....	1939..	4,578	2,177	202	2	2,197	866	30	370	565
	1934..	2,315	1,090	119	1	1,105	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	397
	1929..	3,480	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
250 days and over.....number.....	1939..	9,578	6,224	369	14	2,971	1,402	40	420	584
	1934..	5,781	3,819	275	13	1,674	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	404
	1929..	6,152	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)
Kind of off-farm work reported, 1939:										
Work on other farms.....operators reporting.....		24,040	4,738	1,235	8	18,059	1,644	562	4,021	10,731
		1,533,963	308,881	46,308	1,504	1,177,270	146,815	21,996	181,839	700,655
		64	65	37	188	65	89	39	45	65
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting.....		39,211	19,803	3,325	20	16,063	5,201	626	5,786	2,537
		5,429,213	3,237,941	323,549	4,635	1,863,088	836,119	48,458	469,619	233,328
		138	164	97	232	116	161	77	81	92
		2,310	785	251	.....	1,274	306	44	520	275
Principal occupation of farm operators off their farms in 1934:										
Agricultural.....operators reporting.....		15,116	1,818	584	13	12,701	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	8,503
Nonagricultural.....operators reporting.....		46,812	18,519	3,797	24	24,472	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	6,392
Unclassified (or not reported).....operators.....		8,294	1,731	383	6	6,174	(¹)	(¹)	(¹)	3,006
White farm operators, 1939:										
Reporting work off their farms.....number.....		48,138	22,235	3,949	26	21,926	6,034	915	7,975	4,473
Proportion of all white operators.....percent.....		30.2	28.9	30.0	4.9	31.8	43.4	18.8	27.3	30.8
Days worked off farm.....total days.....		6,044,173	3,380,233	344,964	6,139	2,312,837	925,756	59,451	573,021	396,762
Average for operators reporting...days.....		126	152	87	219	106	153	65	72	89
Reporting—										
Under 50 days.....number.....		15,464	5,507	1,782	3	8,172	1,166	509	4,113	1,605
50 to 100 days.....number.....		8,943	3,515	911	4	4,513	925	204	1,842	1,121
100 days and over.....number.....		23,731	13,213	1,256	21	9,241	3,943	202	2,020	1,547
Kind of off-farm work reported—										
Work on other farms.....operators reporting.....		14,278	4,199	1,088	8	8,983	1,419	393	3,255	3,048
		950,659	278,648	41,160	1,504	629,347	128,765	16,369	148,258	240,096
		67	66	38	188	70	91	42	46	79
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting.....		35,957	18,775	3,096	20	14,066	4,910	562	5,209	1,609
		5,093,514	3,101,585	303,804	4,635	1,683,490	796,991	43,062	424,763	156,666
		142	165	98	232	120	162	77	82	97
		2,097	739	235	.....	1,123	285	40	489	184
And work on other farms.....operators reporting.....										
Nonwhite farm operators, 1939:										
Reporting work off their farms.....number.....		12,803	1,521	360	.....	10,922	505	229	1,312	8,520
Proportion of all nonwhite operators.....percent.....		22.5	17.0	22.4	.....	23.5	17.3	10.3	18.9	25.7
Days worked off farm.....total days.....		919,003	166,589	24,893	.....	727,521	57,178	11,003	78,437	537,221
Average for operators reporting...days.....		72	110	69	.....	67	113	48	60	63
Reporting—										
Under 50 days.....number.....		6,856	539	197	.....	6,120	104	158	772	4,913
50 to 100 days.....number.....		2,679	293	80	.....	2,306	119	45	275	1,801
100 days and over.....number.....		3,268	689	83	.....	2,496	225	26	265	1,806
Kind of off-farm work reported—										
Work on other farms.....operators reporting.....		9,762	539	147	.....	9,076	225	169	766	7,683
		583,304	30,233	5,148	.....	547,923	18,050	5,627	33,581	460,559
		60	56	35	.....	60	33	33	44	60
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting.....		3,254	1,028	229	.....	1,997	291	64	577	928
		335,699	136,356	19,745	.....	179,598	39,128	5,376	44,656	76,662
		103	133	86	.....	90	134	84	78	83
		213	46	16	.....	151	11	4	31	91

¹ Not available.