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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	Other				
All farm operators:														
Reporting work off their farms.....number.....	1939.. 38,118	15,283	4,567	44	18,224	6,807	6,855	3,451	1,111					
1934..	40,707	15,012	5,128	109	20,458	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	38,430	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
Proportion of all operators.....percent.....	1939.. 17.9	17.3	20.4	3.6	18.0	23.0	15.3	15.5	22.4					
1934..	18.3	17.3	22.0	6.9	18.6	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	17.9	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
Days worked off farm.....total days.....	1939.. 3,835,019	1,951,194	323,390	6,772	1,554,593	882,798	319,856	197,879	154,060					
1934..	3,546,271	1,610,410	351,174	16,265	1,568,422	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	3,328,467	1,668,648	301,663	28,277	1,329,879	824,847	(1)	(1)	(1)					
Average for operators reporting...days.....	1939.. 101	128	71	154	85	130	47	57	139					
1934..	87	107	68	149	77	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	87	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
Reporting 100 or more days of work off their farms.....number.....	1939.. 13,520	7,070	1,035	21	5,394	3,301	891	631	571					
1934..	12,731	5,858	1,154	60	5,659	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	11,870	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
Proportion of all operators.....percent.....	1939.. 6.3	8.0	4.6	1.7	5.3	11.2	2.0	2.8	11.5					
1934..	5.7	6.7	5.0	3.8	5.1	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	5.5	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
All land in farms.....acres.....	1939.. 893,339	380,210	157,699	6,335	349,095	125,827	129,562	73,832	19,874					
Value of farms (land and buildings)...dollars.....	1939.. 80,751,409	39,817,882	12,185,549	475,828	28,272,150	12,379,095	8,573,169	5,439,148	1,860,738					
Reporting "None" for days worked off their farms.....number.....	1939.. 151,762	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1934..	176,741	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	23,438	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
Not reporting.....number.....	1934.. 4,538	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
Reporting—														
Under 25 days.....number.....	1939.. 13,165	4,025	1,919	16	7,205	1,728	3,611	1,611	255					
1934..	14,722	4,585	2,144	25	7,968	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	16,018	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
25 to 49 days.....number.....	1939.. 6,503	2,286	982	2	3,233	926	1,447	711	149					
1934..	7,186	2,418	1,050	13	3,705	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	5,892	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
50 to 74 days.....number.....	1939.. 3,354	1,271	453	4	1,626	554	638	347	87					
1934..	4,083	1,427	559	9	2,088	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	3,175	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
75 to 99 days.....number.....	1939.. 1,576	631	178	1	766	298	268	151	49					
1934..	1,985	724	221	2	1,038	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	1,475	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
100 to 149 days.....number.....	1939.. 2,481	1,163	250	1	1,067	526	279	195	67					
1934..	2,989	1,172	282	12	1,523	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	2,615	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
150 to 199 days.....number.....	1939.. 2,320	1,083	201	2	1,034	567	213	148	106					
1934..	2,522	978	277	7	1,260	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	2,069	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
200 to 249 days.....number.....	1939.. 2,013	956	133	1	923	549	152	110	112					
1934..	1,766	748	146	5	867	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	1,863	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
250 days and over.....number.....	1939.. 6,706	3,866	451	17	2,370	1,659	247	178	286					
1934..	5,454	2,960	449	36	2,009	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
1929..	5,323	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
Kind of off-farm work reported, 1939:														
Work on other farms.....operators reporting..	17,205	5,098	2,210	15	9,882	2,904	4,415	2,091	472					
days worked.....	638,224	209,439	56,946	580	371,234	166,258	107,576	64,247	33,178					
average.....	37	41	26	39	38	57	24	31	70					
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting..	22,875	10,910	2,661	29	9,375	4,280	2,820	1,570	698					
days worked.....	3,197,695	1,741,725	266,444	6,192	1,183,334	716,540	212,280	133,632	120,882					
average.....	140	161	100	214	126	167	75	85	173					
And work on other farms.....operators reporting..	1,962	625	304	.....	1,033	382	382	210	59					
Principal occupation of farm operators off their farms in 1934:														
Agricultural.....operators reporting..	10,189	2,759	1,382	35	6,013	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
Nonagricultural.....operators reporting..	27,912	11,414	3,519	58	12,921	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
Unclassified (or not reported).....operators.....	2,606	839	227	16	1,524	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)					
White farm operators, 1939:														
Reporting work off their farms.....number.....	38,068	15,241	4,567	44	18,216	6,802	6,852	3,451	1,111					
Proportion of all white operators.....percent.....	17.9	17.3	20.4	3.6	18.0	23.0	15.3	15.5	22.4					
Days worked off farm.....total days.....	3,828,657	1,945,487	323,390	6,772	1,553,208	881,690	319,579	197,879	154,060					
Average for operators reporting.....days.....	101	128	71	154	85	130	47	57	139					
Reporting—														
Under 50 days.....number.....	19,655	6,299	2,901	18	10,437	2,654	5,057	2,322	404					
50 to 100 days.....number.....	4,920	1,894	631	5	2,390	851	905	498	136					
100 days and over.....number.....	13,493	7,048	1,035	21	5,389	3,287	890	631	571					
Kind of off-farm work reported—														
Work on other farms.....operators reporting..	17,199	5,093	2,210	15	9,881	2,904	4,414	2,091	472					
days worked.....	638,003	209,243	56,946	580	371,234	166,258	107,576	64,247	33,178					
average.....	37	41	26	39	38	57	24	31	70					
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting..	22,831	10,773	2,661	29	9,368	4,280	2,820	1,570	698					
days worked.....	3,190,854	1,736,244	266,444	6,192	1,181,974	715,432	212,028	133,632	120,882					
average.....	140	161	100	214	126	167	75	85	173					
And work on other farms.....operators reporting..	1,962	625	304	.....	1,033	382	382	210	59					
Nonwhite farm operators, 1939:														
Reporting work off their farms.....number.....	50	42	.....	.....	8	5	3	.....	.....			
Proportion of all nonwhite operators.....percent.....	39.4	46.7	.....	.....	25.0	35.7	60.0	.....	.....			
Days worked off farm.....total days.....	7,062	5,677	.....	.....	1,385	1,108	277	.....	.....			
Average for operators reporting.....days.....	141	135	.....	.....	173	222	92	.....	.....			
Reporting—														
Under 50 days.....number.....	13	12	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....			
50 to 100 days.....number.....	10	8	.....	.....	2	1	1	.....	.....			
100 days and over.....number.....	27	22	.....	.....	5	4	1	.....	.....			
Kind of off-farm work reported—														
Work on other farms.....operators reporting..	6	5	.....	.....	1	.....	1	.....	.....			
days worked.....	221	196	.....	.....	25	.....	25	.....	.....			
average.....	37	39	.....	.....	25	.....	25	.....	.....			
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting..	44	37	.....	.....	7	5	2	.....	.....			
days worked.....	6,841	5,481	.....	.....	1,360	1,108	252	.....	.....			
average.....	155	148	.....	.....	194	222	126	.....	.....			
And work on other farms.....operators reporting..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

¹Not available.