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STATE TABLE 11.—SPECIFIED FARM MACHINERY AND FACILITIES, BY TENURE OF OPERATOR: 1940, 1930, AND 1920

ITEM (For definitions and explanations, see text)	TOTAL	OWNERS			Managers	TENANTS				
		All owners	Full owners	Part owners		All tenants	Cash	Share cash	Share	Croppers
Automobiles on farms.....farms reporting.....1940..	32,039	20,607	17,634	2,973	297	11,135	2,332	274	4,764	2,946
.....1930..	41,453	22,675	(1)	(1)	389	18,389	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1920..	9,494	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
percent of all farms.....1940..	21.4	34.2	33.3	40.3	56.2	12.5	20.8	18.7	15.1	7.4
.....1930..	25.7	42.7	(1)	(1)	52.9	17.1	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1920..	7.0	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
number.....1940..	34,891	22,515	19,044	3,471	851	11,525	2,423	289	4,916	3,003
.....1930..	43,082	23,877	(1)	(1)	607	18,598	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1920..	10,512	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Year of latest model ²1940.....farms reporting..	1,722	1,397	1,145	252	59	266	79	10	124	35
.....1939.....farms reporting..	2,714	2,185	1,859	326	63	466	143	10	191	68
.....1938.....farms reporting..	2,410	1,864	1,596	268	43	503	135	9	216	94
.....1937.....farms reporting..	3,562	2,610	2,195	415	41	911	235	22	407	157
.....1936.....farms reporting..	3,855	2,808	2,418	390	30	1,117	250	33	539	209
.....1935.....farms reporting..	2,566	1,625	1,388	237	22	919	182	22	409	237
.....1934.....farms reporting..	2,575	1,519	1,295	224	11	1,045	180	31	443	321
.....1933.....farms reporting..	1,377	798	696	102	1	578	107	18	270	154
.....1932.....farms reporting..	1,336	739	644	95	6	591	114	19	229	186
.....1931.....farms reporting..	1,854	981	865	116	1	872	175	24	362	241
.....1930 and earlier..farms reporting..	7,582	3,810	3,290	520	13	3,739	697	74	1,522	1,214
Average year of latest model.....year..	1934	1934	1934	1935	1937	1932	1933	1933	1933	1932
For white operators.....year..	1934	1934	1934	1935	1937	1933	1933	1934	1933	1932
For nonwhite operators.....year..	1932	1933	1933	1933	1936	1931	1932	1932	1932	1931
Motortrucks on farms.....farms reporting.....1940..	15,663	10,537	8,718	1,819	265	4,861	1,499	127	2,059	681
.....1930..	8,769	6,096	(1)	(1)	239	2,434	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1920..	793	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
percent of all farms.....1940..	10.4	17.5	16.5	24.7	50.2	5.5	13.4	8.6	6.5	1.7
.....1930..	5.4	11.5	(1)	(1)	32.5	2.3	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1920..	0.6	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
number.....1940..	17,005	11,521	9,392	2,129	443	5,041	1,579	135	2,121	685
.....1930..	9,281	6,455	(1)	(1)	321	2,505	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1920..	874	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Year of latest model ²1940.....farms reporting..	862	648	515	133	32	182	61	3	83	15
.....1939.....farms reporting..	1,513	1,146	932	214	55	312	118	9	126	27
.....1938.....farms reporting..	1,308	985	819	166	37	286	107	8	100	27
.....1937.....farms reporting..	1,970	1,430	1,179	251	42	498	140	12	244	55
.....1936.....farms reporting..	2,090	1,457	1,204	253	43	590	163	17	287	72
.....1935.....farms reporting..	1,150	792	626	166	16	342	97	10	167	39
.....1934.....farms reporting..	917	584	471	113	9	324	91	8	151	36
.....1933.....farms reporting..	348	218	181	37	6	124	29	3	59	24
.....1932.....farms reporting..	479	294	239	55	2	183	59	2	76	32
.....1931.....farms reporting..	725	468	405	63	3	254	97	3	93	37
.....1930 and earlier..farms reporting..	4,102	2,401	2,050	351	12	1,689	508	50	643	305
Average year of latest model.....year..	1934	1934	1934	1934	1937	1933	1933	1932	1933	1931
Tractors on farms.....farms reporting.....1940..	6,937	4,249	3,004	1,245	354	2,334	421	64	1,446	256
.....1930..	3,810	2,237	(1)	(1)	280	1,293	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1925..	2,466	1,585	(1)	(1)	190	691	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1920..	2,142	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
percent of all farms.....1940..	4.6	7.0	5.7	16.9	67.0	2.6	3.8	4.4	4.6	0.6
.....1930..	2.4	4.2	(1)	(1)	38.1	1.2	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1925..	1.9	3.0	(1)	(1)	37.8	0.9	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1920..	1.6	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
number.....1940..	9,476	5,684	3,887	1,797	911	2,881	530	80	1,770	297
.....1930..	5,016	2,879	(1)	(1)	590	1,547	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1925..	3,462	2,206	(1)	(1)	391	885	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1920..	2,812	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Year of latest model ²1940.....farms reporting..	610	403	307	96	40	167	40	8	77	24
.....1939.....farms reporting..	993	618	454	164	91	284	62	16	140	44
.....1938.....farms reporting..	855	534	390	144	66	255	56	7	138	39
.....1937.....farms reporting..	956	586	389	197	54	316	61	13	192	35
.....1936.....farms reporting..	885	535	350	185	35	315	52	9	211	33
.....1935.....farms reporting..	504	282	178	104	13	209	22	2	157	15
.....1934.....farms reporting..	333	191	136	55	5	137	19	1	94	6
.....1933.....farms reporting..	147	86	58	28	2	59	7	1	46	3
.....1932.....farms reporting..	205	128	80	48	2	75	11	61	1
.....1931.....farms reporting..	83	47	32	15	36	5	28	2
.....1930 and earlier..farms reporting..	1,032	651	490	171	25	356	55	3	244	31
Average year of latest model.....year..	1935	1935	1935	1935	1937	1935	1935	1937	1934	1936
Kind of road on which farm is located (see text): Higher class each farm—										
Hard-surfaced.....farms reporting.....1940..	14,686	6,644	5,739	905	145	7,897	1,608	187	2,295	3,376
.....1930..	2,513	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1925..	451	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Gravel, shell, shale, etc.....farms reporting.....1940..	51,301	22,305	19,167	3,138	263	28,733	4,191	508	10,104	12,419
.....1930..	53,494	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1925..	31,816	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Improved dirt.....farms reporting.....1940..	39,299	16,022	14,177	1,845	67	23,210	2,233	311	8,828	10,421
.....1930..	37,223	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1925..	38,592	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Unimproved dirt.....farms reporting.....1940..	38,767	13,204	11,327	1,277	31	25,532	2,699	392	8,940	11,779
.....1930..	60,807	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1925..	60,126	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Secondary class each farm—										
Gravel, shell, shale, etc.....farms reporting.....1940..	1,062	508	432	76	47	507	126	13	138	212
.....1930..	3,281	1,403	1,154	249	48	1,830	280	23	668	769
.....1925..	4,433	1,225	1,047	178	25	3,183	348	100	1,054	1,539
Telephone on farms.....farms reporting.....1940..	4,991	3,804	3,335	469	187	1,000	279	13	222	363
.....1930..	6,106	4,731	(1)	(1)	295	1,080	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1920..	8,599	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Percent of all farms.....1940..	3.3	6.3	6.3	6.4	35.4	1.1	2.5	0.9	0.7	0.9
.....1930..	3.8	8.9	(1)	(1)	40.1	1.0	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1920..	6.3	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Dwellings lighted by electricity.....farms reporting.....1940..	17,187	11,812	10,024	1,788	273	5,102	1,562	132	1,661	1,353
.....1930..	4,174	3,256	(1)	(1)	216	702	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1920..	1,471	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
Percent of all farms.....1940..	11.5	19.6	18.9	24.2	61.7	5.7	13.9	9.0	5.3	3.4
.....1930..	2.6	6.1	(1)	(1)	29.4	0.7	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)
.....1920..	1.1	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)

¹Not available. ²Year of latest model not given for all farms reporting automobiles, trucks, and tractors. ³Concrete, brick, asphalt, and macadam. ⁴Concrete or brick, and macadam. Asphalt was included in an "All other" group, as it was not specified on the schedule. ⁵Includes sand-clay. ⁶Gravel. ⁷Dwellings lighted by either gas or electricity.