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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.. 63,558	22,271	2,616	58	38,613	4,828	260	7,348	23,571		
	1934.. 67,369	21,588	2,871	60	42,850	(1)	(1)	(1)	25,209		
	1929.. 92,213	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
Proportion of all operators.....percent.....	1939.. 21.8	25.1	30.5	5.8	20.0	25.4	14.1	21.5	18.8		
	1934.. 21.6	25.5	33.3	6.7	19.7	(1)	(1)	(1)	18.4		
	1929.. 29.5	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
Days worked off farm.....total days.....	1939.. 6,297,179	3,235,399	288,148	11,357	2,762,285	583,991	17,204	502,235	1,384,122		
	1934.. 4,770,099	2,352,182	244,541	9,913	2,163,403	(1)	(1)	(1)	1,064,073		
	1929.. 6,597,908	2,431,384	292,591	22,368	3,851,565	592,984	(1)	(1)	(1)		
Average for operators reporting...days.....	1939.. 99	145	110	196	72	121	66	68	59		
	1934.. 71	109	85	165	50	(1)	(1)	(1)	42		
	1929.. 72	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
Reporting 100 or more days of work off their farms.....number.....	1939.. 22,571	12,354	1,097	43	9,077	2,225	53	1,614	4,152		
	1934.. 15,996	8,632	871	37	6,458	(1)	(1)	(1)	2,793		
	1929.. 21,627	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
Proportion of all operators.....percent.....	1939.. 7.8	13.9	12.8	4.3	4.7	11.7	3.0	4.7	3.3		
	1934.. 5.1	10.2	10.1	4.1	3.0	(1)	(1)	(1)	2.0		
	1929.. 6.9	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
All land in farms.....acres.....	1939.. 1,661,506	1,124,091	159,790	22,459	355,166	116,392	4,399	86,274	98,142		
Value of farms (land and buildings)...dollars.....	1939.. 42,084,785	28,685,597	3,729,204	716,555	8,953,429	2,951,255	144,468	1,593,713	3,077,646		
Reporting "None" for days worked off their farms.....number.....	1939.. 199,171	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
	1934.. 216,643	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
	1929.. 28,363	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
Not reporting.....number.....	1939.. 27,671	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
	1934.. 27,671	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
	1929.. 27,671	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
Reporting—											
Under 25 days.....number.....	1939.. 14,963	2,565	444	3	11,951	766	101	1,764	8,804		
	1934.. 28,576	6,452	1,000	5	21,119	(1)	(1)	(1)	13,287		
	1929.. 29,492	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
25 to 49 days.....number.....	1939.. 12,968	3,044	486	5	9,433	849	46	1,956	6,100		
	1934.. 12,622	3,075	476	5	9,066	(1)	(1)	(1)	5,798		
	1929.. 23,325	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
50 to 74 days.....number.....	1939.. 8,389	2,604	362	6	5,417	617	36	1,352	3,054		
	1934.. 6,892	2,196	345	8	4,343	(1)	(1)	(1)	2,466		
	1929.. 11,908	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
75 to 99 days.....number.....	1939.. 4,667	1,704	227	1	2,735	371	24	662	1,461		
	1934.. 3,281	1,233	179	5	1,864	(1)	(1)	(1)	925		
	1929.. 5,861	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
100 to 149 days.....number.....	1939.. 5,709	2,395	291	6	3,017	494	22	681	1,559		
	1934.. 4,245	1,759	210	8	2,268	(1)	(1)	(1)	1,152		
	1929.. 6,889	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
150 to 199 days.....number.....	1939.. 5,064	2,581	310	7	2,166	521	6	427	961		
	1934.. 3,210	1,555	199	5	1,451	(1)	(1)	(1)	600		
	1929.. 4,167	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
200 to 249 days.....number.....	1939.. 3,346	1,742	123	7	1,474	364	12	234	683		
	1934.. 2,161	1,091	119	3	948	(1)	(1)	(1)	397		
	1929.. 3,683	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
250 days and over.....number.....	1939.. 8,452	5,636	373	23	2,420	846	13	272	949		
	1934.. 6,362	4,227	343	21	1,791	(1)	(1)	(1)	644		
	1929.. 6,888	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)	(1)		
Kind of off-farm work reported, 1939:											
Work on other farms.....operators reporting..	21,743	1,951	395	15	19,442	1,003	117	1,800	15,844		
days worked.....	1,060,864	139,851	14,994	1,476	904,553	60,165	3,671	70,286	726,157		
average.....	49	72	45	98	47	60	31	39	46		
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting..	42,959	20,632	2,330	43	19,954	3,938	152	5,701	8,183		
days worked.....	5,236,315	3,095,538	273,164	9,881	1,857,732	523,826	13,533	431,999	657,965		
average.....	122	150	117	230	93	133	89	76	80		
And work on other farms.....operators reporting..	1,144	312	49	.....	783	113	9	153	456	
Principal occupation of farm operators off their farms in 1934:											
Agricultural.....operators reporting..	10,066	478	112	4	9,472	(1)	(1)	(1)	7,975		
Nonagricultural.....operators reporting..	34,483	14,745	1,923	45	17,740	(1)	(1)	(1)	7,875		
Unclassified (or not reported).....operators.....	22,850	6,365	836	11	15,638	(1)	(1)	(1)	9,359		
White farm operators, 1939:											
Reporting work off their farms.....number.....	36,625	18,902	1,983	56	15,704	3,208	124	5,124	5,740		
Proportion of all white operators.....percent.....	27.8	27.8	34.0	5.8	27.7	32.7	17.6	28.6	24.6		
Days worked off farm.....total days.....	4,629,829	2,887,042	231,716	10,907	1,500,164	450,401	11,184	378,836	469,694		
Average for operators reporting.....days.....	126	153	118	195	96	140	90	74	82		
Reporting—											
Under 50 days.....number.....	11,310	4,352	646	8	6,304	827	53	2,362	2,616		
50 to 100 days.....number.....	7,959	3,559	429	7	3,964	643	31	1,494	1,477		
100 days and over.....number.....	17,356	10,991	888	41	5,436	1,738	40	1,268	1,647		
Kind of off-farm work reported—											
Work on other farms.....operators reporting..	4,123	1,134	158	15	2,816	344	31	668	1,571		
days worked.....	280,851	98,799	8,178	1,476	172,398	29,855	1,507	27,157	94,891		
average.....	68	87	52	98	61	87	49	41	60		
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting..	33,109	17,993	1,836	41	13,237	2,933	96	4,550	4,326		
days worked.....	4,348,978	2,788,243	223,538	9,431	1,327,766	420,546	9,677	351,679	374,803		
average.....	131	155	122	230	100	143	101	77	87		
And work on other farms.....operators reporting..	607	225	33	.....	349	69	3	94	157	
Nonwhite farm operators, 1939:											
Reporting work off their farms.....number.....	26,933	3,369	653	2	22,909	1,620	136	2,224	17,831		
Proportion of all nonwhite operators.....percent.....	16.9	16.3	23.3	4.5	16.8	17.7	12.0	13.7	17.5		
Days worked off farm.....total days.....	1,667,350	348,347	56,432	450	1,262,121	133,590	6,020	123,399	914,428		
Average for operators reporting.....days.....	62	103	86	225	55	82	44	55	51		
Reporting—											
Under 50 days.....number.....	16,621	1,257	284	.....	15,080	788	94	1,358	12,288	
50 to 100 days.....number.....	5,097	749	160	.....	4,188	345	29	520	3,038	
100 days and over.....number.....	5,215	1,363	209	2	3,641	487	13	346	2,505		
Kind of off-farm work reported—											
Work on other farms.....operators reporting..	17,620	817	177	.....	16,626	659	86	1,132	14,273	
days worked.....	780,013	41,052	6,805	.....	732,155	30,310	2,164	43,079	631,266	
average.....	44	50	38	.....	44	46	25	38	44	
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting..	9,850	2,639	492	2	6,717	1,005	56	1,151	3,857		
days worked.....	887,337	307,285	49,626	450	529,966	103,280	3,856	80,320	283,162		
average.....	90	116	101	225	79	103	69	70	73		
And work on other farms.....operators reporting..	537	87	16	.....	434	44	6	59	299	

¹Not available.