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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	
<b>All farm operators:</b>											
Reporting work off their farms.....number.....	18,142	3,326	4,246	31	8,539	1,215	2,707	4,285	332		
1934..	36,514	8,835	11,336	58	16,285	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	18,004	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
Proportion of all operators.....percent.....	21.8	17.8	19.5	16.0	25.6	35.6	23.7	24.5	30.1		
1934..	43.2	34.3	44.7	17.3	49.2	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	23.1	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
Days worked off farm.....total days.....	1,166,211	349,330	231,442	4,766	580,673	124,854	119,846	299,109	36,864		
1934..	1,547,664	500,430	387,907	4,296	655,031	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	835,969	289,418	201,662	9,207	335,682	74,240	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
Average for operators reporting...days.....	72	105	55	154	68	103	44	70	111		
1934..	42	57	34	74	40	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	46	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
Reporting 100 or more days of work off their farms.....number.....	3,840	1,203	723	18	1,896	470	322	963	141		
1934..	4,047	1,496	844	13	1,694	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	2,540	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
Proportion of all operators.....percent.....	5.2	6.5	3.3	9.3	5.7	13.8	2.8	5.5	12.8		
1934..	4.8	5.8	3.3	3.9	5.1	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	3.3	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
All land in farms.....acres.....	1,457,365	273,427	609,237	11,471	563,230	68,445	155,451	318,018	21,316		
Value of farms (land and buildings)...dollars.....	17,596,840	4,677,772	6,720,839	301,863	5,896,246	903,266	1,362,400	3,340,641	289,939		
Reporting "None" for days worked off their farms.....number.....	53,583	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1934..	47,349	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	4,237	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
Not reporting.....number.....	743	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1934..											
1929..											
<b>Reporting—</b>											
Under 25 days.....number.....	7,787	1,273	2,347	2	4,135	397	1,601	2,024	113		
1934..	20,865	4,749	7,088	30	9,018	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	11,407	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
25 to 49 days.....number.....	2,529	452	652	3	1,422	182	496	698	46		
1934..	7,273	1,536	2,260	8	3,469	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	2,438	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
50 to 74 days.....number.....	1,287	250	357	7	683	106	181	378	18		
1934..	3,023	718	812	6	1,487	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	1,095	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
75 to 99 days.....number.....	719	148	167	1	403	60	107	222	14		
1934..	1,286	336	332	1	617	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	524	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
100 to 149 days.....number.....	892	212	223	3	454	92	93	238	31		
1934..	1,410	392	309	2	707	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	669	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
150 to 199 days.....number.....	826	202	168	3	453	120	87	214	32		
1934..	871	242	203	1	425	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	585	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
200 to 249 days.....number.....	490	142	81	4	263	89	36	119	19		
1934..	444	178	88	1	179	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	414	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
250 days and over.....number.....	1,632	647	251	8	726	169	106	392	59		
1934..	1,322	684	246	9	383	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
1929..	872	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
<b>Kind of off-farm work reported, 1939:</b>											
Work on other farms.....operators reporting..	8,280	1,345	1,890	11	5,034	654	1,620	2,583	177		
days worked.....	311,853	52,354	38,081	1,290	220,128	33,754	48,042	127,264	11,068		
average.....	38	39	20	117	44	52	30	49	63		
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting..	9,433	2,255	2,732	22	4,424	690	1,865	2,163	206		
days worked.....	654,368	296,976	193,361	3,476	360,545	91,100	71,804	171,845	25,796		
average.....	69	132	71	158	81	132	53	79	125		
And work on other farms.....operators reporting..	1,571	274	376	2	919	129	278	461	51		
<b>Principal occupation of farm operators off their farms in 1934:</b>											
Agricultural.....operators reporting..	2,519	626	588	8	1,297	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
Nonagricultural.....operators reporting..	33,126	8,019	10,576	49	14,462	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
Unclassified (or not reported).....operators.....	869	190	172	1	506	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )	( <sup>1</sup> )		
<b>White farm operators, 1939:</b>											
Reporting work off their farms.....number.....	15,858	3,159	4,200	31	8,468	1,166	2,702	4,276	324		
Proportion of all white operators...percent.....	21.6	17.3	19.4	16.0	25.4	34.9	23.7	24.5	29.8		
Days worked off farm.....total days.....	1,135,525	328,839	226,622	4,766	575,298	120,788	119,660	298,598	36,262		
Average for operators reporting...days.....	72	104	54	154	68	104	44	70	112		
Reporting—											
Under 50 days.....number.....	10,168	1,659	2,982	5	5,522	557	2,093	2,717	155		
50 to 100 days.....number.....	1,958	370	514	8	1,066	150	288	598	30		
100 days and over.....number.....	3,732	1,130	704	18	1,880	459	321	961	139		
<b>Kind of off-farm work reported—</b>											
Work on other farms.....operators reporting..	8,223	1,321	1,885	11	5,006	635	1,618	2,579	174		
days worked.....	309,732	51,868	37,798	1,290	218,776	32,890	48,022	126,995	10,869		
average.....	38	39	20	117	44	52	30	49	62		
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting..	9,194	2,107	2,688	22	4,377	657	1,862	2,157	201		
days worked.....	625,793	276,971	188,824	3,476	356,522	87,898	71,638	171,603	25,383		
average.....	68	131	70	158	81	134	53	80	125		
And work on other farms.....operators reporting..	1,559	269	373	2	915	126	278	460	51		
<b>Nonwhite farm operators, 1939:</b>											
Reporting work off their farms.....number.....	284	167	46	.....	71	49	5	9	8		
Proportion of all nonwhite operators...percent.....	47.9	42.9	45.5	.....	68.9	74.2	71.4	60.0	53.3		
Days worked off farm.....total days.....	30,686	20,491	4,820	.....	5,375	4,066	186	511	612		
Average for operators reporting...days.....	108	123	105	.....	76	83	37	57	76		
Reporting—											
Under 50 days.....number.....	118	66	17	.....	35	22	4	5	4		
50 to 100 days.....number.....	58	28	10	.....	20	16	.....	2	2		
100 days and over.....number.....	108	73	19	.....	16	11	1	2	2		
<b>Kind of off-farm work reported—</b>											
Work on other farms.....operators reporting..	57	24	5	.....	28	19	2	4	3		
days worked.....	2,121	486	283	.....	1,352	864	20	269	199		
average.....	37	20	57	.....	48	45	10	67	66		
Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting..	239	148	44	.....	47	33	3	6	5		
days worked.....	28,568	20,005	4,537	.....	4,023	3,202	166	242	413		
average.....	120	135	103	.....	86	97	55	40	83		
And work on other farms.....operators reporting..	12	5	3	.....	4	3	.....	1	.....		

<sup>1</sup>Not available.