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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.. 37,259 | 27,973 | 2,819 | 92 | 6,375 | 4,041 | 198 | 1,391 | 745 | | | |
| 1934.. 35,950 | 25,581 | 2,736 | 105 | 7,468 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 29,760 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| Proportion of all operators.....percent..... | 1939.. 45.6 | 48.2 | 33.3 | 13.9 | 44.1 | 48.5 | 37.2 | 34.2 | 48.7 | | | |
| 1934.. 42.6 | 43.7 | 34.5 | 15.6 | 44.4 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 42.0 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| Days worked off farm.....total days..... | 1939.. 6,247,086 | 4,994,214 | 301,818 | 11,603 | 939,451 | 673,167 | 16,436 | 127,663 | 122,185 | | | |
| 1934.. 4,424,885 | 3,398,420 | 237,489 | 22,292 | 766,684 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 4,101,906 | 3,294,777 | 237,155 | 32,093 | 537,881 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| Average for operators reporting...days..... | 1939.. 168 | 179 | 107 | 126 | 147 | 167 | 83 | 92 | 164 | | | |
| 1934.. 123 | 133 | 87 | 135 | 103 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 138 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| Reporting 100 or more days of work off their farms.....number..... | 1939.. 26,100 | 20,880 | 1,193 | 40 | 3,987 | 2,905 | 58 | 488 | 536 | | | |
| 1934.. 17,740 | 13,723 | 869 | 84 | 3,064 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 16,328 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| Proportion of all operators.....percent..... | 1939.. 32.0 | 35.9 | 14.1 | 6.0 | 27.6 | 34.9 | 10.9 | 12.0 | 35.0 | | | |
| 1934.. 21.0 | 23.4 | 11.0 | 7.9 | 18.2 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 23.0 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| All land in farms.....acres..... | 1939.. 1,327,177 | 744,597 | 285,570 | 44,959 | 252,051 | 126,997 | 8,112 | 92,866 | 24,076 | | | |
| Value of farms (land and buildings) ..dollars..... | 1939.. 94,232,483 | 69,416,238 | 10,372,650 | 626,200 | 13,817,395 | 8,573,398 | 364,580 | 3,325,957 | 1,553,460 | | | |
| Reporting "None" for days worked off their farms.....number..... | 1939.. 42,695 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | |
| 1934.. 47,011 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 1,732 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| Not reporting.....number..... | 1939.. 1,732 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | |
| 1934.. 1,420 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| Reporting— | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Under 25 days.....number..... | 1939.. 3,866 | 2,145 | 793 | 14 | 914 | 349 | 66 | 441 | 58 | | | |
| 1934.. 5,824 | 3,518 | 805 | 22 | 1,479 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 5,368 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 25 to 49 days.....number..... | 1939.. 2,959 | 1,820 | 439 | 22 | 678 | 319 | 37 | 257 | 65 | | | |
| 1934.. 5,253 | 3,380 | 538 | 27 | 1,308 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 3,472 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 50 to 74 days.....number..... | 1939.. 2,379 | 1,689 | 242 | 10 | 438 | 242 | 22 | 127 | 47 | | | |
| 1934.. 4,189 | 2,876 | 325 | 22 | 966 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 2,678 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 75 to 99 days.....number..... | 1939.. 1,955 | 1,439 | 152 | 6 | 358 | 226 | 15 | 78 | 39 | | | |
| 1934.. 2,944 | 2,084 | 199 | 10 | 651 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 1,904 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 100 to 149 days.....number..... | 1939.. 4,403 | 3,360 | 271 | 8 | 764 | 519 | 19 | 131 | 95 | | | |
| 1934.. 4,341 | 3,179 | 241 | 14 | 907 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 3,033 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 150 to 199 days.....number..... | 1939.. 5,551 | 4,291 | 305 | 5 | 950 | 679 | 10 | 116 | 145 | | | |
| 1934.. 4,149 | 3,100 | 237 | 19 | 793 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 3,294 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 200 to 249 days.....number..... | 1939.. 5,483 | 4,310 | 227 | 4 | 942 | 705 | 13 | 91 | 133 | | | |
| 1934.. 2,841 | 2,226 | 115 | 12 | 488 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 3,237 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 250 days and over.....number..... | 1939.. 10,663 | 8,919 | 390 | 23 | 1,331 | 1,002 | 16 | 150 | 160 | | | |
| 1934.. 6,409 | 5,218 | 276 | 39 | 876 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| 1929.. 6,764 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | | |
| Kind of off-farm work reported, 1939: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Work on other farms.....operators reporting.. | 7,838 | 4,432 | 1,203 | 41 | 2,162 | 984 | 125 | 860 | 193 | | | |
| days worked..... | 530,168 | 318,564 | 47,065 | 3,778 | 160,761 | 83,312 | 5,858 | 53,391 | 18,200 | | | |
| average..... | 68 | 72 | 39 | 92 | 74 | 85 | 47 | 62 | 94 | | | |
| Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting.. | 31,153 | 24,636 | 1,864 | 55 | 4,598 | 3,258 | 90 | 663 | 587 | | | |
| days worked..... | 5,716,918 | 4,675,650 | 254,753 | 7,825 | 778,690 | 589,855 | 10,578 | 74,272 | 103,985 | | | |
| average..... | 184 | 190 | 137 | 142 | 169 | 181 | 118 | 112 | 177 | | | |
| And work on other farms.....operators reporting.. | 1,732 | 1,095 | 248 | 4 | 385 | 201 | 17 | 132 | 35 | | | |
| Principal occupation of farm operators off their farms in 1934: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Agricultural.....operators reporting.. | 4,978 | 2,716 | 559 | 56 | 1,647 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | |
| Nonagricultural.....operators reporting.. | 25,048 | 18,765 | 1,801 | 85 | 4,397 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | |
| Unclassified (or not reported).....operators..... | 5,924 | 4,100 | 376 | 24 | 1,424 | (1) | (1) | (1) | (1) | | | |
| White farm operators, 1939: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Reporting work off their farms.....number..... | 36,881 | 27,729 | 2,779 | 92 | 6,291 | 3,981 | 197 | 1,379 | 734 | | | |
| Proportion of all white operators.....percent..... | 46.0 | 48.3 | 33.3 | 14.1 | 45.5 | 51.1 | 37.3 | 34.1 | 49.8 | | | |
| Days worked off farm.....total days..... | 6,194,844 | 4,957,955 | 297,332 | 11,603 | 927,954 | 665,168 | 16,388 | 126,224 | 120,174 | | | |
| Average for operators reporting...days..... | 168 | 179 | 107 | 126 | 148 | 167 | 83 | 92 | 164 | | | |
| Reporting— | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Under 50 days.....number..... | 6,740 | 3,922 | 1,214 | 36 | 1,568 | 650 | 102 | 694 | 122 | | | |
| 50 to 100 days.....number..... | 4,276 | 3,085 | 390 | 16 | 785 | 458 | 37 | 204 | 86 | | | |
| 100 days and over.....number..... | 25,876 | 20,722 | 1,175 | 40 | 3,938 | 2,873 | 58 | 481 | 526 | | | |
| Kind of off-farm work reported— | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Work on other farms.....operators reporting.. | 7,737 | 4,389 | 1,187 | 41 | 2,120 | 950 | 124 | 856 | 190 | | | |
| days worked..... | 522,539 | 315,506 | 46,371 | 3,778 | 156,894 | 79,964 | 5,810 | 53,330 | 17,780 | | | |
| average..... | 68 | 72 | 39 | 92 | 74 | 84 | 47 | 62 | 94 | | | |
| Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting.. | 30,887 | 24,423 | 1,836 | 55 | 4,553 | 3,231 | 90 | 683 | 579 | | | |
| days worked..... | 5,672,305 | 4,642,449 | 250,961 | 7,825 | 771,070 | 585,204 | 10,578 | 72,894 | 102,384 | | | |
| average..... | 184 | 190 | 137 | 142 | 169 | 181 | 118 | 112 | 177 | | | |
| And work on other farms.....operators reporting.. | 1,713 | 1,083 | 244 | 4 | 382 | 200 | 17 | 130 | 35 | | | |
| Nonwhite farm operators, 1939: | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Reporting work off their farms.....number..... | 368 | 244 | 40 | ..... | 84 | 60 | 1 | 12 | 11 | | | |
| Proportion of all nonwhite operators.....percent..... | 24.4 | 33.7 | 28.2 | ..... | 13.3 | 11.0 | 25.0 | 46.2 | 19.0 | | | |
| Days worked off farm.....total days..... | 52,242 | 36,259 | 4,486 | ..... | 11,497 | 7,999 | 48 | 1,439 | 2,011 | | | |
| Average for operators reporting...days..... | 142 | 149 | 112 | ..... | 137 | 133 | 48 | 120 | 183 | | | |
| Reporting— | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Under 50 days.....number..... | 85 | 43 | 18 | ..... | 24 | 18 | 1 | 4 | 1 | | | |
| 50 to 100 days.....number..... | 58 | 43 | 4 | ..... | 11 | 10 | ..... | 1 | ..... |  |  |  |
| 100 days and over.....number..... | 225 | 158 | 18 | ..... | 49 | 32 | ..... | 7 | 10 | | | |
| Kind of off-farm work reported— | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Work on other farms.....operators reporting.. | 101 | 43 | 16 | ..... | 42 | 34 | 1 | 4 | 3 | | | |
| days worked..... | 7,629 | 3,058 | 694 | ..... | 3,877 | 3,348 | 48 | 61 | 420 | | | |
| average..... | 76 | 71 | 43 | ..... | 92 | 98 | 48 | 15 | 140 | | | |
| Work at nonfarm jobs.....operators reporting.. | 286 | 213 | 28 | ..... | 45 | 27 | ..... | 10 | 8 | | | |
| days worked..... | 44,613 | 33,201 | 3,792 | ..... | 7,620 | 4,651 | ..... | 1,378 | 1,591 | | | |
| average..... | 156 | 156 | 135 | ..... | 169 | 172 | ..... | 138 | 199 | | | |
| And work on other farms.....operators reporting.. | 19 | 12 | 4 | ..... | 3 | 1 | ..... | 2 | ..... |  |  |  |

¹ Not available.