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NORTH CAROLINA'S AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS.

First Preliminary Comparative Statement of General Farm Data Issued by the Census Bureau.

Washington, D. C., June 30, 1911.—Acting Census Director Falkner issued today the first official statement from the Census Bureau relative to the agricultural statistics of the State of North Carolina collected at the Thirteenth Decennial United States Census, April 15, 1910.

It is based on a preliminary comparative summary submitted by Dr. Le Grand Powers, chief statistician of the division of agriculture in the Bureau of the Census. This summary shows, for both the census of 1910 and that of 1900, the reported total value of farm land, buildings, and implements and machinery; total acreage; improved acreage; average acres per farm; average value per acre of farm land and buildings; average value per acre of farm land alone; and the aggregate expenditure for labor and fertilizers. It also distributes the total number of farms according to color of farmer; specified character of tenure; whether held free or mortgaged by owners; and by certain acreage groups.

Attention is called to the fact that the figures are subject to revision later, as a number of farms, whose returns are incomplete, will be included in the final tables. These additions will not, in all probability, modify any of the amounts or rates contained in the present statement.

The census of agriculture was taken primarily for the purpose of obtaining an accurate inventory of all classes of farm property existing on April 15, 1910; a complete exhibit of farm operations during the year ended December 31, 1909; and a statement of the number and value of domestic animals in cities and villages on April 15, 1910.

Statements relative to acreage and yield of crops and the domestic animals of North Carolina will be issued by the Census Bureau as soon as the tabulation of this data has been completed.

The Rates of Increase and Decrease. It is pointed out in the statement today that the principal rates of increase in 1910, as against 1900, among the items for which percentages are given in the first section of the summary, are: In the total expenditure for fertilizers, 173 per cent; in the average value per acre of farm land alone, 145 per cent; in the average value per acre of farm land and buildings, 138 per cent; in the total value of all farm land alone, 141 per cent; in the total value of farm land and buildings, 134 per cent; in the total value of farm buildings, 115 per cent; in the total value of all farm implements and machinery, 103 per cent; in the total expenditure for labor, 69 per cent; in the whole number of farms, 13 per cent; and in the total improved farm acreage, 6 per cent.

Only two decreases are reported among the items for which the rates are given in the first section of the summary. These are 13 per cent. in the average acres per farm and nearly 2 per cent. in the total farm acreage. An explanation of these decreases is given in the statement shows in detail that the number of farms reported in 1910 was 253,425, as compared with 224,637 in 1900, an increase of 28,788, or 13 per cent.

The total value of farm land and buildings was given in 1910 as \$465,715,000, as against \$194,456,000 in 1900, an increase of \$271,259,000, or 134 per cent. The total value of all farm land alone was reported in 1910 as \$342,545,000, as compared with \$141,984,000 in 1900, a gain of \$200,561,000, or 141 per cent. The total value of all farm buildings alone was given in 1910 as \$113,170,000, as against \$52,

700,000 in 1900, an increase of \$60,470,000, or 115 per cent.

In 1910 the value of the farm land alone constituted 73 per cent. of the total value of land and buildings, as compared with 73 per cent. in 1900.

The reported value of farm implements and machinery was \$18,415,000 in 1910, as against \$9,073,000 in 1900, a gain of \$9,342,000, or 103 per cent.

The total farm acreage reported in 1910 was 22,400,000 acres, as compared with 22,749,000 in 1900, a decrease of 349,000 acres, or 2 per cent. About 200,000 acres of this decrease occurs in the eight south western counties of the State. In 1900 this land was reported to be in farms, but was woodland and other unimproved land not used for farm purposes. In 1910 this land was not reported as in farms. Similar decreases are found in the reports for several of the coast counties. Large amounts of land reported as in farms in 1900, but which is woodland, or other unimproved land held for speculative purposes, are not reported in 1910.

The improved acreage was returned in 1910 as amounting to 8,800,000 acres, as against 8,327,000 in 1900, an increase of 473,000, or 6 per cent. The improved acreage formed 39 per cent. of the total acreage in 1910 and 37 per cent. in 1900. The average acres per farm reported in 1910 was 88, as against 101 in 1900, a decrease of 13 acres, or 13 per cent. The average value per acre of farm land and buildings in 1910 is stated as \$20.34, as against \$8.56 in 1900, a rise of \$11.78, or 138 per cent. The average value per acre of farm land alone in 1910 was reported as \$15.29, while in 1900 it was \$6.24, the amount of gain being \$9.05, or 145 per cent.

Color of Farmers. Of the whole number, 253,425, of farms reported in 1910, there were 187,831, or 74 per cent. operated by white farmers, and 65,594, or 26 per cent. by negro and other non-white farmers, as compared with a total of 224,637 in 1900, of which 169,773, or 76 per cent. were conducted by white farmers, and 54,864, or 24 per cent. by negroes and other non-whites. The increase in the number of farms of white farmers during the decade amounted to 18,058 and in the number of farms of negro and other non-white farmers 10,730.

Farm Ownership. The total number of farms operated in 1910 by owners, part owners, and owners and tenants, comprising the "all owners" class, was 145,129, as compared with 130,572 in 1900, an increase of 14,557. The total number of farms conducted in 1910 by cash tenants, share tenants, including standing renters and croppers, and share-cash tenants, comprising the "all tenants" class, was 107,186, as against 93,008 in 1900, an increase of 14,178.

The total number of farms operated by the "all owners" class constituted 57 per cent. of the whole number of farms in 1910 and 58 per cent. in 1900; those operated by the "all tenants" class, 43 per cent. in 1910 and 41 per cent. in 1900; and those conducted by managers, 0.4 per cent. in 1910 and 0.5 per cent. in 1900.

Of the total number, 145,129, of farms operated in 1910 by the "all owners" class, there were 118,535, or 82 per cent., reported as "owned free from debt" and 26,594, or 18 per cent., reported as mortgaged. There were 1,839 farms for which no mortgage report was secured, and these are included in the farms "owned free from debt."

In 1900 information was secured concerning the "owned farm homes." At that time 109,298, or 85 per cent., were reported "free from debt," and 19,930, or 15 per cent., as mortgaged. There were 4,931 farms in 1900 for which no mortgage report was secured, these being included in the farms "free from debt." The Census Bureau has no information respecting the number of mortgaged farms leased to tenants and managers.

Distribution According to Acreage Groups. The statement relative to farms distributed according to certain acreage groups shows that those of 19 acres and numbered 43,005 in 1910 and 33,184 in 1900, a gain of 9,821; of 20 to 49 acres, 75,573 in 1910 and 59,913 in 1900, an increase of 15,659; of 50 to 99 acres, 62,108 in 1910 and 55,028 in 1900, a gain of 7,080; of 100 to 174 acres, 43,958 in 1910 and 44,052 in 1900, a decrease of 94; of 175 to 499 acres, 25,237 in 1910 and 28,236 in 1900, a decrease of 2,999; of 500 to 999 acres, 2,660 in 1910 and 3,275 in 1900, a loss of 615; and of 1,000 acres and over, 795 in 1910 and 949 in 1900, a decrease of 154.

Acreage Group Proportions. Of the whole number of farms, those of 19 acres and under formed 17 per cent. in 1910 and 15 per cent. in 1900; those of 20 to 49 acres, 30 per cent. in 1910 and 27 per cent. in 1900; those of 50 to 99 acres, 25 per cent. in both 1910 and 1900; those of 100 to 174 acres, 17 per cent. in 1910 and 20 per cent. in 1900; those of 175 to 499 acres, 10 per cent. in 1910 and 13 per cent. in 1900; those of 500 to 999 acres, 1 per cent. in both 1910 and 1900; and those of 1,000 acres and over, 0.3 per cent. in 1910 and 0.4 per cent. in 1900.

The expenditures for labor in 1910 reached the sum of \$9,190,000, as compared with \$5,445,000 in 1900, an increase of \$3,745,000, or 69 per cent. The expenditures for fertilizers amounted in 1910 to \$12,245,000, as against \$4,479,000 in 1900, a gain of \$7,766,000, or 173 per cent.

Summary for the State. The preliminary comparative summary follows: All Farms by Acreage, Value of Land, Buildings, Implements, etc.

	1910	1900	Per cent. of increase, 1910-1900.
All farms.....	253,425	224,637	13
Total acreage.....	22,400,000	22,749,000	2
Improved acreage.....	8,800,000	8,327,000	6
Average acres per farm.....	88	101	13
Value of land and buildings.....	\$465,715,000	\$194,456,000	138
Value of land.....	\$342,545,000	\$141,984,000	141
Value of buildings.....	\$113,170,000	\$52,470,000	115
Value of implements and machinery.....	\$18,415,000	\$9,073,000	103
Average value per acre of land and buildings.....	\$20.34	\$8.56	138
Average value per acre of farm land alone.....	\$15.29	\$6.24	145
Expenditure for labor.....	\$9,190,000	\$5,445,000	69
Expenditure for fertilizers.....	\$12,245,000	\$4,479,000	173

* Decrease.

All Farms by Color of Farmer, Tenure, Acreage, Groups, etc.

	1910	1900	Per cent. of increase, 1910-1900.
All farms by color of farmer.....	253,425	224,637	13
White farmers.....	187,831	169,773	11
Negro and other non-white farmers.....	65,594	54,864	19
All farms by tenure.....	253,425	224,637	13
All owners.....	145,129	130,572	11
Part owners.....	118,535	107,186	11
Owners and tenants.....	65,594	54,864	19
Managers.....	1,110	1,075	3
All farms by acreage groups.....	253,425	224,637	13
19 acres and under.....	43,005	33,184	29
20 to 49 acres.....	75,573	59,913	26
50 to 99 acres.....	75,573	59,913	26
100 to 174 acres.....	43,958	44,052	0
175 to 499 acres.....	25,237	28,236	11
500 to 999 acres.....	2,660	3,275	18
1,000 and over.....	795	949	17

* Decrease.

North Carolina News.

A new Methodist church, two stores and three residences were burned at North Henderson Friday night and a Miss Pearce, aged 17, was burned to death in one of the residences.

Olin Dunlap, 10-year-old son of Mr. J. C. Dunlap, of Norwood, Stanly county, fell 65 feet into a well a few days ago and was only slightly hurt. A colored man at work in the well caught him.

S. M. Holton, a lawyer of Durham, died at his home in that city Friday night. He was 54 years old, a native of Guilford county, a brother of District Attorney Holton. Wife and six children survive.

J. C. Braswell, of Rocky Mount, was elected president of the North Carolina Bankers' Association at Hendersonville last week. The place for the next meeting was left to the executive committee.

As he stepped from a street car near Spencer, Saturday, Allen Little, of Salisbury, was run into by an automobile and severely hurt. The auto, which was driven by a colored man, belonged to another State.

Storm at Newton Saturday afternoon resulted in considerable damage. The Fidelity Hosiery Mill was unroofed and some hosiery damaged; smoke stack blown down and box factory damaged. Also damage to trees, chimneys and outbuildings.

Near Mt. Airy Thursday a horse driven by Mr. David Holder, a Confederate veteran, took fright at an automobile standing by the road, ran away and threw Mr. Holder out. The old man's head struck a rock and his skull was crushed. He died next day.

The electrical power plant of the Spencer Power Company, which furnished light and power for a number of factories in Gaston county, was struck by lightning Saturday afternoon and burned. Loss estimated at \$20,000.

Recently H. Ward Montague shot and killed J. Buck Robertson, in Wake county, the difficulty originating in Robertson's objections to Montague's attentions to his sister. Since then the sister, Miss Clarice Robertson, has suffered from melancholia, and last week she died.

Graham Herring, telegraph operator at New Hill, Wake county, who was injured by a freight train at that place on the night of the 11th, died last week. Herring lived at Apex and learning that a fire was in progress there he tried to board the passing freight to go to Apex, fell under the train and was seriously hurt.

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Congress will be asked for \$10,000 for the proper entertainment by the United States of Admiral Togo, the famous Japanese naval officer who will visit this country immediately after the coronation festivities in London, which he is attending as the special representative of his government.

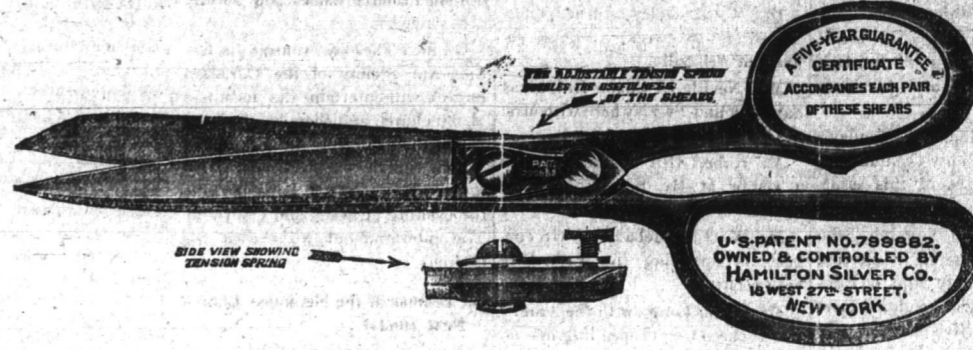
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While crossing a trestle over the Allegheny river, near Pittsburgh, Pa., Fred Schilling, the engineer of a freight train, saw a 12-year-old boy floundering helplessly in the water below. He stopped the train promptly and jumping from his engine into the river, swam to the drowning lad and took him to shore in time to save his life.

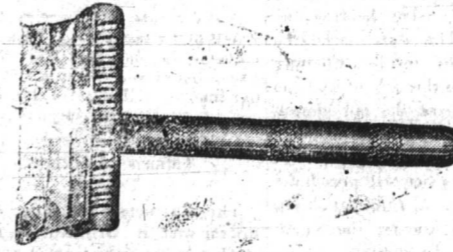
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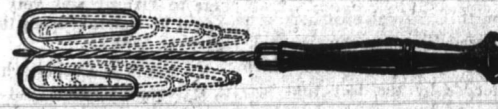


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