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FARM WAGES IN CANADA 1/, AUGUST 1950

OTTAWA, October 3, 1950: The Dominion Bureau of Statistics issues today a bulletin giving the average rates of wages paid to male hired help on fams as at August 15, 1950 and, for comparative purposes, the corresponding figures for 1948 and 1949. Average wages are shown on the basis of rates paid by the day and by the month, with and without board. The figures included in this report were provided by farm correspondents located in all provinces of Canada.

AVERAGE WAGES OF MALE FARM HELP PER DAY AS AT AUGUST 15, 1948, 1949 AND 1950

Province	with Board			Without Board		
	1948	1949	1950	1948	1949	1950
	\$	\$	\$	\$	ě	\$
Prince Edward Island	2.97	3.14	3.09	3.90	4.17	4.10
Nova Scotia	3.86	3.77	3.68	4.76	4.71	4.68
New Brunswick	4.25	3.83	3.92	5.19	4.88	4.67
Quebec	4.16	3.99	3.81	5.16	4.90	4.76
Ontario	4.41	4.34	4.63	5.47	5.23	5.68
Manitoba	4.74	5.43	4.92	5.84	6.78	6.20
Saskatchewan	4.98	5.51	5-47	6.11	6.31	6.66
Alberta	4.57	5.08	5.19	5.65	6.05	6.14
British Columbia	4.87	5.25	5.26	5.97	6.25	6.17
CANADA	4.40	4.35	4.43	5.44	5.29	5.43

AVERAGE WAGES OF MALE FARM HELP PER MONTH AS AT AUGUST 15, 1948, 1949 AND 1950

Province	With Board			Without Board		
	1948	1949	1950	1948	1949	1950
	\$	\$	ş	\$	\$	\$
Prince Edward Island	60.00	59.09	60.72	83.46	82.86	85.67
Nova Scotia	71.75	72.50	76.75	102.06	100.00	95.00
New Brunswick	93.07	86.43	84.73	118.68	118.33	113.46
Quebec	90.14	85.40	80.14	118.66	113.51	108.74
Ontario	80.70	74.87	80.56	108.21	106.91	110.65
Manitoba	36.55	90.86	93.20	115.00	121.25	123.18
Saskatchewan	91.85	92.69	95.68	120.72	121.50	128.10
Alberta	90.41	91.90	96.94	124.74	122.00	132.24
British Columbia	93.93	86.43	98.00	130.50	118.00	140.29
CANADA	86.79	84.92	88.29	116.67	114.96	119.73

^{1/} Data for Newfoundland not available.

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