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FARM WAGES IN CANADA 1/, MAY 1951

OTTAWA, June 22, 1951: Today the Dominion Bureau of Statistics issues a bulletin giving the average rates of wages paid to male hired help on farms as at May 15, 1951 and, for comparative purposes, the corresponding figures for 1949 and 1950. Average wage rates are shown on the basis of rates paid with board provided by the employer, 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 MAY 15, 1949, 1950 AND 1951

	With Board			Without Board		
Province	1949	1950	1951	1949	1950	1951
	\$	\$	\$	\$	ş	\$
Prince Edward Island	2.90	3.00	3.19	3.81	3.75	4.12
Nova Scotia	3.50	3.44	3.91	4.50	4.18	4.75
New Brunswick	3.85	3.41	4.26	5.00	4.33	5.25
Quebec	3.91	3.54	4.22	4.83	4-44	5.22
Ontario	4.11	4.12	4.68	4.91	5.13	5.73
Manitoba	4.29	3.94	4.79	5.63	5.15	6.02
Saskatchewan	4.18	4.37	4.79	5.15	5.32	5.78
Alberta	4.44	4.27	4.72	5.77	5.31	5.95
British Columbia	5.06	4.72	5.67	6.44	6.00	7.00
CANADA	4.04	3.84	4.42	5.06	4.80	5.44

AVERAGE WAGES OF MALE FARM HELP PER MONTH AS AT MAY 15. 1949. 1950 AND 1951

Province	With Board			Without Board		
	1949	1950	1951	1949	1950	1951
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Prince Edward Island	57.50	58.12	66.42	78.12	82.35	90.88
Nova Scotia	72.50	74.21	85.83	105.00	104.06	105.83
New Brunswick	87.22	77.86	103.70	113.00	112.00	135.43
Quebec	85.29	76.50	89.22	114.59	102.44	116.02
Ontario	73.98	76.89	85.34	101.09	107.99	120.07
Manitoba	81.78	85.59	96.46	108.00	110.00	128.82
Saskatchewan	88.26	91.15	100.69	120.58	119.21	132.92
Alberta	89.29	91.84	100.28	121.36	123.11	133.28
British Columbia	93.57	89.78	105.00	127.50	120.33	141.67
CANADA	83.73	84.64	94.88	113.89	113.76	127.00

<sup>1/</sup> Data for Newfoundland not available.

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