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FARM WAGES IN CANADA 1/, MAY 1954

This memorandum sets forth the average rates of wages paid to male hired help on farms as at May 15, 1954 and, for purposes of comparison, the corresponding figures for 1952 and 1953. 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, 1952, 1953 AND 1954

Province	With Board			Without Board		
	1954	1953	1952	1954	1953	1952
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Maritimes.....	4.20	4.30	4.30	5.10	5.30	5.30
Quebec.....	4.60	4.80	4.60	5.80	6.00	5.70
Ontario.....	5.00	5.10	4.80	6.20	6.30	5.90
Manitoba.....	5.00	5.30	5.10	6.20	6.90	6.40
Saskatchewan.....	5.80	6.00	5.40	7.50	7.50	6.60
Alberta.....	5.70	6.20	5.70	7.30	7.60	6.90
British Columbia.....	5.90	6.10	5.90	7.50	7.90	7.20
CANADA.....	4.80	5.00 ^{2/}	4.90	6.00	6.20 ^{2/}	6.00

AVERAGE WAGES OF MALE FARM HELP PER MONTH AS AT MAY 15, 1952, 1953 AND 1954

Province	With Board			Without Board		
	1954	1953	1952	1954	1953	1952
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Maritimes.....	87.00	87.00	92.00	111.00	115.00	121.00
Quebec.....	91.00	95.00	95.00	125.00	127.00	132.00
Ontario.....	87.00	90.00	88.00	118.00	123.00	121.00
Manitoba.....	104.00	105.00	102.00	135.00	140.00	134.00
Saskatchewan.....	118.00	122.00	113.00	145.00	148.00	146.00
Alberta.....	115.00	115.00	112.00	148.00	154.00	145.00
British Columbia.....	111.00	108.00	107.00	156.00	160.00	152.00
CANADA.....	102.00	105.00	101.00	133.00	138.00	135.00

1/ Data for Newfoundland not available. 2/ Revised.

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