

26.—Average Wages of Male Farm Help per Day and per Month as at Jan. 15, May 15 and Aug. 15, 1940-43—concluded

Province and Year	Jan. 15				May 15				Aug. 15			
	Daily		Monthly		Daily		Monthly		Daily		Monthly	
	With Board	Without Board	With Board	Without Board	With Board	Without Board	With Board	Without Board	With Board	Without Board	With Board	Without Board
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
N.B.—												
1940.....	1.11	1.57	27.32	39.12	1.16	1.63	27.14	38.88	1.34	1.83	32.08	43.70
1941.....	1.47	2.00	34.13	48.56	1.44	1.94	33.20	45.06	1.81	2.39	38.97	51.96
1942.....	1.81	2.41	41.36	57.79	1.98	2.59	43.48	57.73	2.24	2.92	52.34	69.44
1943.....	2.19	2.80	51.05	67.21	2.27	2.92	56.62	73.92	2.71	3.52	64.33	85.93
Que.—												
1940.....	1.02	1.49	21.65	33.47	1.08	1.54	23.53	35.06	1.15	1.65	24.01	37.21
1941.....	1.16	1.68	24.98	37.76	1.31	1.84	28.67	41.80	1.51	2.07	32.48	46.73
1942.....	1.53	2.11	34.28	50.25	1.66	2.26	38.24	54.44	2.01	2.67	43.60	61.58
1943.....	1.95	2.63	43.91	61.55	2.11	2.82	47.88	67.27	3.48	4.70	61.70	83.83
Ont.—												
1940.....	1.22	1.78	22.04	36.01	1.34	1.89	26.09	40.21	1.60	2.15	29.26	43.08
1941.....	1.47	2.05	27.52	42.47	1.75	2.35	34.84	50.03	2.08	2.73	37.65	53.57
1942.....	1.93	2.57	37.82	54.76	2.18	2.89	44.08	59.91	2.71	3.50	47.25	65.63
1943.....	2.36	3.16	46.16	64.95	2.55	3.32	50.69	71.10	4.04	5.73	64.53	89.51
Man.—												
1940.....	1.01	1.43	16.20	28.60	1.14	1.69	25.43	39.14	1.63	2.04	27.08	40.07
1941.....	1.05	1.52	18.06	31.09	1.32	1.84	30.24	43.64	2.37	2.79	37.30	50.73
1942.....	1.25	1.90	25.30	41.78	1.82	2.50	42.01	57.71	2.79	3.39	48.45	68.01
1943.....	1.82	2.59	35.27	55.17	2.28	3.04	45.58	72.38	3.41	4.20	59.93	80.11
Sask.—												
1940.....	1.03	1.55	16.74	29.86	1.21	1.75	26.61	39.75	1.74	2.14	28.29	41.69
1941.....	1.11	1.59	18.56	32.87	1.39	1.99	31.17	45.00	2.32	2.74	34.07	50.23
1942.....	1.14	1.71	22.30	39.45	1.86	2.49	42.83	58.59	2.69	3.39	47.04	66.38
1943.....	1.72	2.39	33.80	55.06	2.43	3.30	55.52	76.11	3.42	4.05	59.08	78.19
Alta.—												
1940.....	1.19	1.71	21.04	36.42	1.31	1.93	29.03	44.94	1.52	2.12	29.69	45.97
1941.....	1.21	1.87	22.53	38.98	1.54	2.20	35.42	52.18	2.33	2.98	37.92	56.55
1942.....	1.40	2.18	28.82	48.86	2.03	2.79	46.38	67.19	2.62	3.43	50.26	70.83
1943.....	2.04	2.76	42.49	65.04	2.89	3.67	61.84	87.96	3.30	4.19	62.23	88.67
B.C.—												
1940.....	1.61	2.32	24.21	47.81	1.50	2.33	27.00	46.68	1.60	2.37	29.57	46.15
1941.....	1.54	2.32	25.77	44.56	1.65	2.48	29.97	50.46	2.17	2.86	34.53	56.64
1942.....	1.98	2.78	33.68	56.34	2.09	2.92	44.09	68.57	2.95	3.64	50.25	73.55
1943.....	2.50	3.62	52.88	76.16	2.72	3.84	57.20	79.98	3.28	4.18	63.71	87.11
Canada—												
1940.....	1.11	1.63	19.81	34.05	1.22	1.76	26.02	39.26	1.52	1.99	27.76	41.40
1941.....	1.24	1.80	22.65	38.11	1.48	2.06	31.90	46.45	2.06	2.54	35.64	51.01
1942.....	1.53	2.20	30.26	49.18	1.91	2.57	42.49	58.80	2.50	3.15	46.82	64.94
1943.....	2.02	2.79	40.85	61.76	2.39	3.15	51.46	71.78	3.51	4.74	61.26	84.26

Subsection 2.—Earnings in the Census Years 1931 and 1941

A table at p. 789 of the 1937 Year Book gives statistics of wage-earners, by sex, and their earnings, for the census years 1911, 1921 and 1931. Certain preliminary figures on earnings of wage-earners during the twelve months ended June 2, 1941, are given in Bulletin E-1 of the 1941 Census. These data are, for the first time, subdivided by counties.

Section 10.—The Regulation of Wages and Hours of Labour

Except as an emergency measure the regulation of wages and hours of persons in private employment in Canada is within provincial jurisdiction, and all the provinces, except Prince Edward Island, have legislation on the subject.

In Nova Scotia, the minimum wage law applies only to women, while in Ontario, though the Act applies to both sexes, there is only one order (relating to the textile industry) which applies to men. In Alberta and British Columbia, separate orders are issued for men and women, and in the other provinces all orders apply to both sexes in so far as workers of both sexes are employed in the industries covered.