

(b) Female Workers:		Per hour.
		d.
18 years of age and over	6
16 and under 18 years	5
14	,, 16 ,,	4

Provided that in the case of female workers engaged for milking, such workers shall receive not less than 6d. per "meal," i.e., each occasion on which the worker visits her place of employment for the purpose of milking.

2. Where a whole-time male worker is employed by the week or any longer period and the hours of work agreed between the worker and the employer in any week (excluding hours of overtime employment) are less than 54 the rate of wages applicable to that worker shall be such as to secure to the worker the wages which would have been payable if the agreed hours had been 54.

3. For the purpose of the above rates, the hours of work shall not include meal times, but shall include any time during which by reason of weather conditions, an employer has prevented from working a worker who was present at the place of employment and ready to work.

4. The differential rates of wages for overtime employment shall be not less than the following minimum rates:—

Male Workers:		Per hour.
		d.
21 years of age and over	8
20 and under 21 years	7½
19	,, 20 ,,	7½
18	,, 19 ,,	6½
17	,, 18 ,,	5½
16	,, 17 ,,	4½
15	,, 16 ,,	3½
14	,, 15 ,,	2½

5. These rates shall continue in operation until 30th April, 1933.

6. For the purpose of the application of the above differential rates of wages for overtime employment, the Cheshire Agricultural Wages Committee have, by Order dated 7th February, 1925, defined the following employment as the employment which is to be treated as overtime employment:

(a) All employment in excess of 6½ hours on a Saturday or on such other day (not being Sunday) in every week as may be agreed between the employer and the worker.

(b) All employment on a Sunday.

(c) All employment in excess of 54 hours in any week (excluding all hours which are to be treated as hours of overtime employment).

By Order of the Agricultural Wages Board.

E. C. Iser,
Secretary.

7, Whitehall Place,
London, S.W.1.

24th October, 1932.

NOTES.—1. The Cheshire Agricultural Wages Committee have, by Order dated 1st October, 1931, defined a cottage, milk, board and lodging as the only benefits or advantages which may be reckoned as payment of wages in lieu of payment in cash and the values at which they are to be reckoned for the purpose. Copies of the Order may be obtained from the

Secretary, Cheshire Agricultural Wages Committee, Room 10, Government Buildings, Victoria Street, Liverpool.

2. Applications for Permits of Exemption (which may be obtained in cases where a worker is affected by physical injury or mental deficiency, or any infirmity due to age or to any other cause) should be addressed to the Secretary of the Committee at the address given above.

3. Complaints as to non-payment of the prescribed rates of wages should be addressed to the Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries, 7, Whitehall Place, London, S.W.1.

Copies of the above Order may be obtained from the Secretary, Cheshire Agricultural Wages Committee, Room 10, Government Buildings, Victoria Street, Liverpool.

AGRICULTURAL WAGES (REGULATION) ACT, 1924.

Whereas the Agricultural Wages Committee for the area comprising the administrative county of the Parts of Holland Division of Lincolnshire, have, in pursuance of the above Act, duly fixed minimum and overtime rates of wages for workers employed in agriculture for time work in that area, and the said rates are set out in the Schedule to this Order. Now the Agricultural Wages Board, in pursuance of the said Act, and for the purpose of carrying out the decision of the said Committee, hereby order that the provisions contained in the Schedule to this Order shall become effective on 30th October, 1932.

SCHEDULE.

1. The wages payable for the employment of male workers shall be not less than wages at the following minimum rates:—

(a) Male workers other than those specified below:—

	Per week.	
	s.	d.
21 years of age and over	32	6
20 and under 21 years	29	0
19	27	6
18	23	0
17	19	0
16	16	6
15	13	6
14	10	6
Under 14 years of age	8	6

(b) For the purpose of sub-clause (a) above, the expression "week" shall be deemed to mean a week consisting of the following number of hours:—

(i) 39½ in the week from 25th to 31st December, 1932;

(ii) 48 in any other week in winter;

(iii) 41 in the week from 9th to 15th April, 1933; and

(iv) 50 in any other week in summer.

(c) Male workers of 21 years of age and over employed wholly or mainly as cartmen