

(a) <i>Male Workers.</i>	Per hour.
	d.
21 years of age and over ... ..	8
20 and under 21 years ... ..	7½
19 " 20 " " ... ..	7
18 " 19 " " ... ..	6
17 " 18 " " ... ..	5½
16 " 17 " " ... ..	4½
15 " 16 " " ... ..	4
14 " 15 " " ... ..	3

(b) *Female Workers.* (Other than workers to whom Clause 6 of this Order applies.)

	d.
20 years of age and over ... ..	6
18 and under 20 years ... ..	5
16 " 18 " " ... ..	4
14 " 16 " " ... ..	3

6. The wages payable for employment of female workers:—

- (a) By the week for not more than 4 hours per day, or
- (b) As casual workers

shall be wages at not less than the following minimum rates:—

	Minimum Rates.	Overtime Rates.
	Per hour.	Per hour.
	d.	d.
18 years of age and over	5	6
16 and under 18 years...	4	5
14 " 16 " " ...	3	4

7. For the purpose of all 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.

8. These rates shall continue in operation until 7th June, 1930.

9. For the purpose of the application of the above differential rates of wages for overtime employment, the Dorset Agricultural Wages Committee have by Order dated 10th May, 1929, defined the following employment as the employment which is to be treated as overtime employment:—

- (a) In the case of male workers:—
  - (i) All employment in excess of 6 hours in summer or 5½ hours in winter on Saturday or such other day (not being Sunday) in each week as may be agreed between employer and worker.
  - (ii) All employment on a Sunday.
  - (iii) All employment on Good Friday, Easter Monday, Whit Monday, August Bank Holiday, Christmas Day and Boxing Day except employment on such a day up to 3 hours in connection with milking and the care of and attendance upon stock but so that employment in excess of 3 hours in connection with milking and the care of and attendance upon stock on such a day shall not rank as overtime employment if equivalent time off on full pay is given.
  - (iv) All employment on any other day in excess of 9 hours in summer or 8½ hours in winter as the case may be.
- (b) In the case of female workers:—
  - (i) All employment in excess of 5½ hours on Saturday or such other day (not being

Sunday) in each week as may be agreed between employer and worker.

- (ii) All employment on a Sunday.
- (iii) All employment on Good Friday, Easter Monday, Whit Monday, August Bank Holiday, Christmas Day and Boxing Day except employment on such a day up to 3 hours in connection with milking and the care of and attendance upon stock but so that employment in excess of 3 hours in connection with milking and the care of and attendance upon stock on such a day shall not rank as overtime employment if equivalent time off on full pay is given.
- (iv) All employment on any other day in excess of 8½ hours.

By Order of the Agricultural Wages Board.

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14th May, 1929.

NOTES.—1. The Dorset Agricultural Wages Committee have, by Order dated 22nd March, 1929, defined a cottage, milk, board and lodging as the only benefits or advantages which may be reckoned as payment of wages in lieu of cash and the values at which they are to be reckoned for the purpose. Copies of the Order may be obtained from the Secretary, Dorset Agricultural Wages Committee, Employment Exchange, Yeovil, Somerset.

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.

**ORDER DEFINING THE EMPLOYMENT WHICH IS TO BE TREATED AS OVERTIME EMPLOYMENT.**

The Dorset Agricultural Wages Committee in pursuance of the powers vested in them by the Agricultural Wages (Regulation) Act, 1924, and the Regulations made thereunder do by this Order vary as from 19th May, 1929, their Order of the 25th January, 1929, defining the employment which is to be treated as overtime employment for the purpose of the application of any differential rate of wages for overtime employment fixed by the said Committee for the area comprising the administrative county of Dorset, so as to provide that such employment shall be as follows:—

- (a) In the case of male workers:—
  - (i) All employment in excess of 6 hours in summer or 5½ hours in winter on Saturday or such other day (not being Sunday) in each week as may be agreed between employer and worker.
  - (ii) All employment on a Sunday.
  - (iii) All employment on Good Friday, Easter Monday, Whit Monday, August