

TABLE II.—continued.

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Reference number ..	73.	74.	75.	76.	77.	78.	79.	80.	81.	82.
Trade or occupation	Blacksmith	Blacksmith	Blacksmith	Brewer	Surfacerman at roadwork	Cordial manufacturer	Confectioner	Chocolatier	Confectioner	Drapers' assistant
Nominal rate of wages per week	£2/2	£1/8/7	£2/14	£4	£1/13	£1/10	£2	£3	£2/5	£3/5
If working by piece, earnings per week	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number of hours constituting week's work	48	48	48	54	48	60	52	50	50	54
Amount of lost time per year—	..	4 weeks	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
From sickness ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
From want of employment	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
From holidays ..	10 (public)	6 days	6 days	8 days	3 days	3 weeks	5 days	14 days	10 days	..
Average earnings per year, allowing for lost time	£105	£70	£110	£198	£85/16	£78/10	£104	£208	£113	£169
Number of family and ages (males and females to be distinguished)	1 f. (a)	3 m., 4 f. (b)	1 m., 4 f. (c)	1 m., 1 f. (d)	3 m., 5 f. (f)	Self & wife	3 m. (g)	5 m., 4 f. (j)	1 m., 1 f. (h)	2 m., 4 f. (m)
Number of family at work, and net earnings per year, allowing for lost time	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2; £68	..	..
Total net-earnings available for the expenditure of family per year	£105	£70	£110	£198	£85/16	£78/10	£104	£208	£113	£169
Extent and character of house-accommodation	Two rooms	Five rooms	Four rooms	Five rooms	Five rooms	Three rooms	.. (h)	Six rooms	Four rooms	Four rooms
Amounts paid for—	Own	..	4/ per week	Own	Own	Own	.. (i)	11/ per week	£27 per year	Own
House-rent, per week or year	£1/15	11/	..	£1/7/4	11/	10/	£1/5	4/6	3/6	18/
Rates, taxes, water, per year	3/4	5/	5/	..	2/	2/	..	..	..	..
Fuel and light—coal, gas, candles, &c., per week	..	12/	3/	2/6	1/9	1/6	..	..	..	..
Winter ..	..	4/	3/	3/	6/	1/	..	..	..	..
Summer ..	..	12/	5/	2/	1/	6d.	..	7/6	2/6	2/6
Bread, flour ..	2/6	1/6	1/	2/	5/	4/	3/9	6/6	1/	6d.
Oatmeal, rice, or other grain-foods ..	1/	9/	4/	5/	1/	6d.	..	1/6	2/	4/
Butcher's meat ..	1/	1/	6d.	1/	..	..	1d.	1/	1/	1/
Bacon ..	6d.	1/	1/	1/	..	..	..	2/6	1/	1/
Fish ..	2/	6d.	1/	1/	..	..	..	2/	1/	1/
Vegetables ..	..	6d.	1/	1/	..	..	..	2/	1/	1/
Cheese ..	1/8	3/	1/6	2/	1/6	9d.	2d.	2/	1/8	1/6
Butter ..	1/4	4/	1/9	1/9	1/6	1/3	1/8	3/	2/	1/6
Milk ..	1/4	2/	2/6	2/	2/	1/3	1/6	2/4	1/9	1/2
Tea ..	..	6d.	1/6	6d.	6d.	1/3	1d.	10d.	1/	1/
Coffee ..	..	6d.	1/6	3d.	6d.	1/	2d.	4d.	..	..
Cocoa ..	..	2/6	1/6	2/	1/	1/	10d.	3/6	1/	1/
Sugar ..	3d.	2/	6d.	3d.	6d.	6d.	2d.	6d.	3d.	6d.
Salt and other seasonings ..	..	..	..	3d.	..	..	..	10d.	..	..
Pickles ..	..	1/6	1/	6d.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Jams ..	..	..	..	3d.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Treacle ..	..	..	1/	3d.	..	..	..	..	..	..
Beer or other food-beverages, exclusive of those specially mentioned above	..	..	1/	..	..	..	..	1/	..	..
Washing and cleaning materials	..	..	1/6	1/3	1/	6d.	1/	6d.	1/	1/
Education and recreation—	..	6d. per week	1/ per week	3d. per week	1/ per week	..	..	£1/10 per yr.	6d. per week	..
Schooling, &c., for children	..	..	1/ per week	1/6 per wk.	1/ per week	..	..	6d. per week	1/ per week	..
Books, papers ..	..	..	2/ per week	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Recreation, holiday expenses	..	..	£10	£30	£15	£3 per year	..	..	1/6 per week	£2 per year
Boots and clothing ..	..	..	£1	£4	£5	£2	£25	£70	£10	£30
Bedding, furniture, and repairs	..	..	..	£4/6/8	£5/4	£4/6/8	£3	£5/8	£1	£2
Payments to friendly, trade, or building societies ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Medical attendance and drugs—	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
If annual ..	..	..	..	£5	..	..	£5	..	£1	£1/8/6
If weekly ..	..	1/6	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Or according to arrangement ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Annual savings (if any) in bank, co-operative, building, or other societies, per year	..	..	..	£45	..	£12/7/4	£20; paying off home	..	..	..

(a) Age 2 years. (b) Males, 6 years to 12 years; females, 8 years to 1 year. (c) Male (baby); females, 16, 14, 12, and 9 years. (d) Male, 14 years; female, 7 years. (e) Bedding, £1 10s.; house, £9 10s. (f) Males, 10, 8, and 2 years; females, 15, 12, 7, 5, and 3 years. (g) Males, 5, 3, and 1 year. (h) Four rooms and half an acre of land. (i) £1 a year (interest). (j) Male, 13, 11, 3, and 1 year; females, 20, 17, 8, and 6 years. (k) Male, 5 years; female, 3 years. (l) Tobacco, 3d. per week. (m) Males, 9 and 4½ years; females, 7, 6, 3½, and 1 year. (n) Rates, 15s.; insurance, 10s. (o) Building society, £15 15s.; life insurance, £5 10s. (p) Male, 2½ years; female, 1 year.