

TABLE XVII.—MINIMUM WAGE-RATES IN CERTAIN OCCUPATIONS AT
31ST MARCH, 1949

Occupation.	Rate.	Weekly Hours.
Bacon-workers	£6 18s. 9d. to £8 5s. per week ..	40
Bakers	£7 8s. per week	40
Biscuit and confectionery workers—		
Male	£6 5s. to £7 16s. 9d. per week ..	40
Female	£4 4s. per week	40
Boot operatives—		
Male	3s. 6½d. per hour	40
Female	£4 6s. per week	40
Bricklayers	3s. 8½d. per hour	40
Brick, tile, and pottery workers—		
Male	3s. 2½d. to 3s. 7d. per hour	40
Female	£4 4s. per week, Dunedin	40
Butchers (retail shops)	£7 4s. to £8 5s. per week	40
Canister-workers—		
Male	3s. 7½d. per hour	40
Female	£4 13s. 4d. per week	40
Carpenters and joiners	3s. 9½d. per hour	40
Cleaners and caretakers—		
Male	£6 1s. 9d. to £6 12s. 3d. per week ..	40
Female	£4 0s. 9d. per week	40
Clerical workers—		
Males	£7 2s. 9d. per week	40
Female	£4 11s. 3d. per week	40
Clothing-trade employees—		
Male (Machinists)	£7 7s. 6d. per week	40
Female	£4 11s. per week	40
Coachworkers	3s. 6d. to 3s. 10½d. per hour	40
Cheese- and butter-factory employees	£6 15s. to £8 0s. 2d. per week	40
Drivers—		
(a) Motor	£6 14s. 4d. to £7 9s. 1d. per week ..	40
(b) Horse	£6 11s. 3d. per week for one horse, £6 14s. 4d. per week for two horses, and 6d. per day or 2s. 6d. per week extra for each horse above two	40
(c) Passenger transport	£7 3s. 4d. per week	40
Electrical workers—		
Tradesmen	3s. 7d. per hour	40
Linesmen	3s. 7d. per hour	40
Engine-drivers, firemen, and greasers—		
Drivers, 1st Class Certificate	£7 2s. 9d. per week	40
Drivers, 2nd Class Certificate	£6 13s. 10d. per week	40
Firemen and greasers	£6 8s. 7d. per week	40
Engineering-trade employees	3s. 2d. to 3s. 10d. per hour	40
Flour-mill employees	3s. 4¾d. to 3s. 10½d. per hour	40
Fur-workers—		
Male	£8 per week	40
Female	£4 11s. per week	40
Furniture-trade employees—		
Male	3s. 2d. to 3s. 7d. per hour	40
Glove workers—		
Male	£7 7s. 6d. to £7 13s. 4d. per week ..	40
Female	£4 11s. per week	40
Grocers' assistants	£6 18s. 9d. per week	40
Hairdressers—		
Male	£7 per week	40
Female	£5 5s. 5d. per week	40
Labourers	3s. 1½d. to 3s. 6¼d. per hour	40
Laundry workers—		
Male	£6 11s. 8d. to £8 1s. per week	40
Female	£4 3s. 4d. per week	40