

# Increased Living Costs Cutting Into Wage Boosts

OTTAWA (CP) — The rising cost of housing, food, clothing and other items in the consumer price index has eroded more than half of the additional income wage-earners have had in the past five years.

Wages in the first half of this year were running about 23 per cent higher than five years ago. But the lessened purchasing power of the dollar on the consumer market has cut deeply into the gain.

This was revealed in an analysis of price index trends and average weekly wages in manufacturing industries prepared by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Figures are complete only to the end of June and do not reflect wage and price increases later this summer and fall.

Wages averaged \$74.45 a week in manufacturing in 1961. At their April peak this year they were \$91.72, a gain of 23.2 per cent.

But a DBS computation of the effect of price rises on the spending power of the dollar shows that the \$74.45 in 1961 rose to \$82.64 in April this year in terms of 1961 dollars. This is an increase of 11 per cent.

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To arrive at it figures, DBS reduces actual earnings averages by the percentage amounts consumer prices rise. The result indicates the real worth of wages if consumer prices and consumption patterns had remained unchanged over the five-year period.

Between April and June this year, average wages eased off to \$90.86 a week from \$91.72

## ON THE AIR

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### WEDNESDAY PROGRAMS

#### CFCY-TV

- 1:30 p.m.—Musicals
- 2:00 p.m.—Emergency Ward 10
- 2:30 p.m.—Champions of the Highways
- 3:00 p.m.—Take 30
- 3:30 p.m.—Edge of Night
- 4:00 p.m.—Communicate
- 4:30 p.m.—Time for Adventure
- 5:00 p.m.—Rin Tin Tin
- 5:30 p.m.—Music Hop
- 6:00 p.m.—Nations Business
- 6:15 p.m.—Live Longer
- 6:30 p.m.—Gazette
- 7:00 p.m.—CFCY TV News
- 7:15 p.m.—Robin Hood Buckboard
- 7:20 p.m.—Changing Schools for Changing Worlds
- 7:30 p.m.—Dean Martin Show
- 8:30 p.m.—Bewitched
- 9:00 p.m.—Green Acres (Color)
- 9:30 p.m.—Bob Hope
- 10:30 p.m.—Festival
- 12:00 p.m.—CBC TV News
- 12:19 a.m.—Local Weather and Sport Scores
- 12:20 a.m.—Sign Off

#### CKCW-TV

- 9:57 a.m.—Station Sign On
- 10:00 a.m.—Canadian Schools
- 10:30 a.m.—Nova Scotia Schools
- 11:30 a.m.—Friendly Giant
- 11:45 a.m.—Chase Helms
- 12:00 a.m.—Butternut Square
- 12:25 p.m.—Emergency Ward 10
- 12:55 p.m.—CBC TV News
- 1:00 p.m.—Playbill—  
Hi And Run
- 2:30 p.m.—At Home With Helen Crocker
- 3:00 p.m.—Take Thirty
- 3:30 p.m.—Edge of Night
- 4:00 p.m.—Communicate
- 4:31 p.m.—Time for Adventure
- 5:00 p.m.—Funtime
- 5:30 p.m.—Woody Woodpecker
- 6:00 p.m.—Nations Business
- 6:15 p.m.—Supper Club
- 6:17 p.m.—LIV News
- 6:25 p.m.—LIV Sports
- 6:30 p.m.—LIV Sports
- 6:35 p.m.—Supper Club
- 7:00 p.m.—Take A Chance
- 7:30 p.m.—The Flintstones
- 8:00 p.m.—The Fugitive
- 9:00 p.m.—Green Acres (C)
- 9:30 p.m.—Bob Hope (C)
- 10:30 p.m.—Festival—  
Slyvia Spirit
- 12:00 p.m.—CBC-TV News
- 12:20 a.m.—Viewpoint
- 12:25 a.m.—LIV News
- 12:58 a.m.—Sign Off

#### CFCY RADIO

- 6:30—News and Weather
- 6:35—Morning Roundup
- 6:45—Inland Wx. and Mar. Temp.
- 6:48—Morning Roundup
- 6:55—News and Weather
- 7:00—Hebrew Christian Hour
- 7:30—News and Weather
- 7:35—Farm Report
- 7:41—Morning Roundup
- 7:45—Inland Wx. and Mar. Temp.
- 7:46—Morning Roundup
- 7:56—Sports Capsule and Scoreboard
- 8:00—News
- 8:35—Weather
- 8:16—Morning Roundup
- 8:45—Weather
- 8:50—Atlantic News Roundup
- 8:58—Thought For Today
- 9:00—CBC National News—CBC
- 9:10—Notes and Music
- 10:00—Notes and Music
- 10:05—Notes and Music
- 10:25—Sunlight Eye
- 10:30—Preview Commentary
- 10:55—Lucky 7 Contest
- 11:00—News and Weather
- 11:05—Notes and Music
- 11:45—Bulletin Board
- 11:50—Notes and Music
- 11:55—Agriculture '66
- 12:00—Weather
- 12:05—Town and Country Time
- 12:30—News and Weather
- 12:43—P.E.I. Road Report
- 12:45—Town and Country Time
- 1:00—News and Weather
- 1:05—Town and Country Time
- 1:15—Gordie Tapp Show
- 1:45—Town and Country Time
- 2:00—News and Weather
- 2:05—Mostly Music
- 2:10—Mostly Music
- 2:30—Assignment
- 2:35—Mostly Music
- 2:58—Thought For Today
- 3:00—News Headlines and Weather
- 3:03—Trans-Canada Melrose—CBC
- 3:30—Pop Caravan
- 4:00—News Headlines and Weather
- 4:03—Canadian Roundup—CBC
- 4:10—Pop Caravan
- 5:00—News and Weather
- 5:05—The Outposts
- 5:25—Marine Weather
- 5:28—The Outposts
- 5:45—Sports Capsule and Scoreboard
- 5:50—The Outposts
- 6:00—News and Weather
- 6:10—Tonight's Music
- 6:30—Business Barometer—CBC
- 6:35—Tonight's Music
- 7:00—Back to the Bible
- 7:30—News and Weather
- 7:45—Program Schedule
- 7:46—Tonight's Music
- 8:58—News Headlines and Weather
- 9:00—Midweek Theatre—CBC
- 10:00—CBC National News, On Par. Hill and Speaking Personally—CBC
- 10:30—Starlight Serenade
- 11:00—News and Regional Weather
- 11:05—Starlight Serenade
- 11:30—News and Weather
- 11:35—Starlight Serenade
- 12:00—CBC News, Weather and 12:15—News and Music—CBC

## Priest Reveals JFK As Devout Parishioner

MCLEAN, Va. (AP)—The little priest leaned forward and offered cream for the coffee in his basement study, lit by the brilliance of an Indian summer day.

"On days like this I enjoy reminiscing and chatting about him," said Rev. Albert F. Pereira. "He was one of my weekend parishioners."

Father Pereira, a scholarly man of 51, was the pastor, friend and sometimes adviser of the late resident John F. Kennedy for all but a few of the 1,000 days of Kennedy's administration. The Kennedy's had a weekend retreat at nearby Middleburg.

"The last time I saw him he came to mass on Nov. 10, 1963 — 12 days before he went to Dallas," my sermon that day was on "The death of a Christian" — you know, life is just a prelude to a new and lively existence hereafter. Heaven only knows I had no sort of premonition.

"SUAVE YANKEE"

"At first we didn't get along too well. I regarded him as a suave, Yankee liberal. I am a Virginian, you know."

"As time went on we got to know one another better—he'd see me after mass, have me over to his place or to the White House, or phone to chat about this or that."

"When we became friends he once asked if I had voted for him. I told him, yes, a bit reluctantly as the lesser of two evils. He said I didn't sound like a very convinced Democrat. I said that was correct—that I was a convinced independent."

Father Pereira regarded his famous parishioner as a devout man who didn't know a great deal about his religion—and as a man who as the first Catholic president was sensitive about church-state relationships and how the Catholic hierarchy regarded him.

The priest was given advance notice of the Supreme Court decision forbidding school prayer. The Sunday before the June 25, 1962, decision Kennedy phoned: "Isn't this a hell of a thing for the first Catholic president to be involved in? What am I going to say?"

**ADVISED PRESIDENT**

"This was the first and only time he ever asked me for advice on presidential matters. I told him:

"I think this is a wonderful opportunity for you. It's the first time a Catholic—as president—has had the opportunity to make a gesture on toler-

- 8:12—Regional Wx.
- 8:16—Maritime Sportscast
- 8:21—Music
- 8:35—The Max Ferguson Show
- 9:00—CBC News
- 9:15—The Gordie Tapp Show
- 9:30—The Gordie Tapp Show
- 9:45—A.M. Chronicle
- 10:30—Playroom
- 10:55—Assignment
- 11:00—CBC News
- 11:09—Joan Marshall
- 11:15—Assignment—Consumers
- 11:20—Al Foster Show
- 11:55—Nation's Business
- 12:00—Jamboree Junction
- 12:30—Maritime Farm Show
- 1:00—CBC News and Weather
- 1:15—John Drake Tells A Story
- 1:30—Monique Leyzer Entertains
- 1:54—Assignment
- 1:59—DO Time Signal
- 2:00—Atlantic School B'cast "Playtime"
- 2:18—Atlantic School B'cast "Things of Nature"
- 2:30—Marine With Pat Peterson
- 3:00—CBC News
- 3:03—Marine With Pat Peterson
- 3:30—Diverdennite
- 4:00—CBC News
- 4:05—Canadian Roundup
- 4:10—Music In The Air
- 4:30—Assignment
- 4:35—Music In The Air
- 5:00—CBC News
- 5:03—Maritime Fish B'cast
- 5:23—CBC Notebook
- 5:35—Assignment
- 5:40—CBC Notebook (Cont'd)
- 6:00—The World At Six
- 6:30—Inland Weather
- 6:33—The Swinger
- 7:00—CBC News
- 7:05—Music In The Evening
- 7:30—Halifax Symphony Orch
- 8:00—CBC News
- 8:03—Between Ourselves
- 9:00—Midweek Theatre
- 10:00—CBC National News From The Capital
- 10:15—Five Nights A Week At This Time
- 10:30—Distinguished Artists
- 11:20—CBC News
- 11:00—The Music Of Schubert
- 12:00—CBC News
- 12:02—Sports Scores and Inland and Marine Weather
- 12:15—Music In The Night
- 1:00—CBC National News

## CONTRACT BRIDGE

By B. JAY BECKER

South dealer. North-South vulnerable.

**NORTH**  
 ♠ 10 8 2  
 ♥ A 7 4 2  
 ♦ J 8 5  
 ♣ 9 8 6

**EAST**  
 ♠ Q 7 5  
 ♥ K Q J 10 8 6 3  
 ♦ K 9 8  
 ♣ Q 10 7 6 4 2

**SOUTH**  
 ♠ A K 4  
 ♥ 9 5  
 ♦ A  
 ♣ A K Q J 10 8 5

The bidding:  
 South West North East  
 2♣ 4♥ Pass Pass  
 5♣

Opening lead—king of hearts. How often do you make a bid and, a few seconds after you make it, wish you hadn't, because some new thought has occurred to you and you'd like to change the bid?

On how often do you make a play and want to retract it moments later, because you overlooked something you should have done instead?

The trouble with doing these things, if you ever do them, is that you're not allowed to change your bid or play, but have to stand or fall by whatever it is that you've already done.

If you would like to overcome

## Reds Moving Troops Into S. Viet Nam

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Communists are moving an average of 7,000 troops a month from North to South Viet Nam and the infiltration rate is apt to go even higher soon, Gen. William C. Westmoreland, commander of U.S. forces in Viet Nam, said in an interview.

Westmoreland's figure on monthly infiltration is substantially higher than the 4,500 to 5,000 estimated reported for months by the defence department.

In a copyrighted interview in U.S. News and World Report, Westmoreland said, "It is likely that, when the good weather period arrives in the Laos panhandle in the near future, there will be an increase in infiltration."

The U.S. commander estimated there now are about 50,000 North Vietnamese regular army troops in South Viet Nam, organized into five divisions.

## COUNTRY LOSES

Tourists spent \$682,000,000 in Canada in 1965 and Canadians spent \$720,000,000 abroad.

## RIPLEY'S BELIEVE IT OR NOT



**TURKISH MINARET** constructed in Pecs, Hungary, in the 17th century.

**GRAY LOURIE** of Africa upon sighting a human distinctly screams "SO ANNY!"

**WIND'S MOST INVISIBLE BIRD**

**PROSPECTIVE BRIDEGROOMS** among the Fulani tribesmen of Nigeria must prove their manhood by submitting to a severe flogging with sticks.

1. Scorch	2. Street sign	31. Boast	42. Resting DOWN
5. Resorts	4. Stays	22. Fur-bearing animal	1. Hotting machine
9. Serious	5. County	23. Kind of conference	2. Male red deer
10. Celebrity	6. Card games	24. Narcoctic cotics	
12. Seraglio	7. Viper	25. Helena is its capital	
13. Bodies of Kaffir warriors	8. Landing place: India	27. Little girl with tar	
14. Insect	11. Literary compositions of's	29. Coated with tar	
15. Ventilated	18. Tellurium sym.	30. Feigned	
17. Companions of's	19. Lard, butter, etc.	31. Cain's brother	
18. Telurium sym.	20. Cha, tier		
19. Dainty	20. Browns in the sun		
20. Cha, tier			
21. Tier			
22. Great number			
23. Classifies			
24. Tends			
25. Java tree			
27. Scions			
28. Russian fighter plane			
29. Rosy note			
30. Music notes			
32. Goddess of justice			
33. The Orient colloq.			
34. Workshop: colloq.			
35. European country			
37. Similar			
38. Concise			
40. Unusual			
41. Plant ovule			
42. Resting DOWN			

## DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE

Here's how to work it: AXYDLBAAXE L LONGFELLOW

One letter simply stands for another. In this sample A is used for the three I's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

**A Cryptogram Quotation**  
 NF JH JFCGH JH HWHKNERXV  
 BW TMRCTNHCBWNBT FZ WSRXJ  
 SBKGW.—C. AFMKWFK

Yesterday's Cryptogram: OUR LIFE IS SHORT, AND OUR DAYS RUN AS FAST AWAY AS DOES THE SUN. — ROBERT HERRICK

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## OUR BOARDING HOUSE MAJOR HOOPLE



WELL, THAT'S THE WAY, SAYS, DO YOU HAVE ANY IDEA WHAT'S HAPPENING TO ANDS IF THAT BOY IS SLAMMING UP SOMETHING? WELL, HE'S REFUSED TO PLAY TENNIS—INSISTED ON BILLIARDS! THEN HE COLLAPSED AFTER ONLY 15 GAMES.

WELL, FOR YOU'VE BEEN QUITE A CHANGE FOR HIM! I DON'T WANT TO SAY HE WAS NECESSARILY OUT OF SHAPE, BUT THE HARDEST WORK HE DID BEFORE YOU CAME WAS LUGGING HOME FEED FOR HIS GOLDFISH!

THEY REFUSED TO DELIVER!

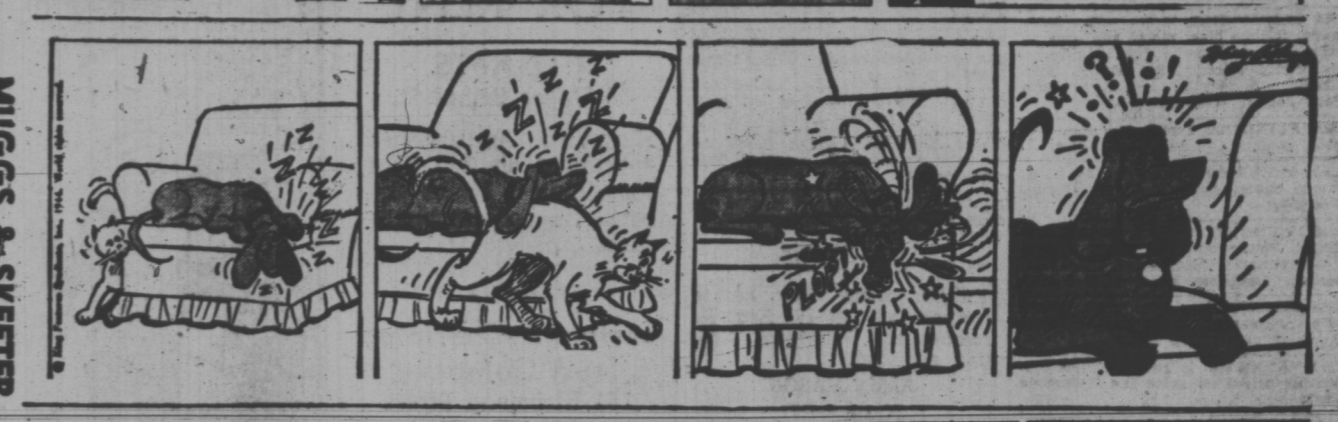


WE'RE PLAYING SPACE MAN, GRANDMA!

LITTLE LEROY IS A DANGEROUS CREATURE FROM ANOTHER PLANET!

H-M / I GUESS YOU'RE RIGHT!

LOOK AT HIM DISINTEGRATE THAT COOKIE!



HI, BEEZY! I HEAR YOU'RE GETTING A NEW CAR! ARE YOU?

YEP, I'VE BEEN TELLING ALL THE CHICKS! HOW'S ABOUT A DATE?

LOVE ONE

OKAY! HOW'S ABOUT TWO WEEKS FROM SATURDAY NIGHT?

SEE WHY SO FAR IN ADVANCE?

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE!



TOMORROW THERE'LL BE NO WEATHER.

WHAT DOES HE MEAN BY THAT?

NO SNOW—NO RAIN—NO SUN—NO WIND—NO...

GOLLY!

MAYBE THEY'LL CLOSE THE SCHOOLS!



WHERE'S EGGES?

SHE'S TEMPORARILY FLOWN THE COOP!

SHE WENT TO A MEETING OF THE MEY BETTERMENT LEAGUE.

IF YOU ASK ME, SHE'S GOT IT PRETTY GOOD ALREADY!!



COME ABOARD, COCKSWAIN!

I HAVE EVERYTHING IN ORDER. AS FAR AS ANDHIE WILL KNOW, YOU'RE A MEMBER OF MY CREW!

PAH! SHE'S CREAMING CARD—GOOD!

AND IF THERE'S TIC YOUR DISORDER WILL BE COMPLAINT!

CAPTAIN STOWE?



IF WE'RE HAVING FOR THE GUY, WHY DID HE LEAVE THE PORT?

THE RIVER HE MADE ON ISN'T NAVIGABLE TO THE GULF!

A LITTLE PATIENCE, MR. AMBERG, AND YOU'LL FINALLY LEAVE AMERICAN SOIL!

MEANWHILE HE'LL CHECK HIS... HE COULD ALL BE... CURTAIN!

IT'S ONLY A GUY, BUT HE'LL MAKE FOR THE GUY!



KING AMBERG IS MAKING LIKE A TIGER... LASHING OUT WITH FISTS AND LEGS... ALL FINING THEIR MARK... TO THE CHAMPION'S HEAD!



KING AMBERG FOLLOWS UP WITH A VERY HARD RIGHT!

RIFE! YOU ROUSEY YOUNG BERINQUENT!

BUT I FLEE YOU! FUNNY-ROOKIN' RITTYLE HAG GUARANTEE YOU NOW HARMLESS!

SHE'LL NEVER DANCE TH' FAMILY DANCE AGIN!! TH' EVER-RELIABLE "GOOD NIGHT IRENE" PUNCH!

—KNOCKED IT OUTA HER HAJD!

SHOCKING EVENT ON SADIE HAWKINS DAY!! ENTIRE NATION STUNNED AT NEWS FROM DOGMA!



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