

5. If you have kept records in detail, give:—

Season's total mileage.
 " " tonnage.
 " " gasoline.
 " " grease.
 " mileage per gallon of gasoline used.
 Usual rate of speed per hour.
 Tire mileage.
 Total cost of repairs.
 Season's cost of repairs per mile.
 Wages paid or credited to motor truck driver.
 Allowance for depreciation.
 Insurance.
 Taxes, etc.

The meagre response to this questionnaire indicated that few owners were able to easily answer these general questions. It was decided, therefore, to interview a number of owners, and the previous impression was confirmed that usually the owners or operators of trucks in Ontario know very little as to the actual cost of operation. A detailed study was continued during the summer. Trips were made with farmer-owned trucks and with trucks operated by transport companies.

In many instances, much valuable information was obtained by requesting the operators to complete the following daily report card:

Driver's Daily Report Card

Date191
 Truck No.

OUTBOUND.

Leaveat..... A.M.
 P.M.
 Arriveat..... A.M.
 P.M.

INBOUND.

Leaveat..... A.M.
 P.M.
 Arriveat..... A.M.
 P.M.

Total mileage for day.....
 Total load outbound lbs.
 Total load inbound lbs.
 No. of delivery or pick-up stops
 Hours with helper cost.....
 Gasoline usedgals. @..... c
 Oil used pints @..... c
 Grease used lbs. @..... c
 Cost of repairs (if any)
 Time laid up for repairs hrs.
 Ferries and tolls
 Hours not running Reason

Tires changed { Front { Right.....
 { Left.....
 { Rear { Right.....
 { Left.....

Reasons for removal

Condition of roads

Remarks

Driver