# As-You-Read worksheet Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. The NRA "President's Re-employment Agreement" called for minimum wages to be between $\_\_ and $\_\_ per week.

2. The CCC paid $\_\_\_ per month.

3. Huey Long called for an income guarantee of $\_\_\_\_\_ per year per household.

4. Francis Townsend called for a pension of $\_\_\_\_ per month for every American over age 60.

5. Now fill in this table comparing how much the plans would pay *each person in the plan*.  Use these facts:
 - there are 48 work hours per week (most people worked 6 days)
 - there are 52 weeks per year
 - there are 4.33 weeks per month
Also, for the NRA, use the average of the lower and upper values that you answered in #1.

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| Plan | Per Hour | Per Week | Per Month | Per Year |
| NRA |  |  |  |  |
| CCC |  |  |  |  |
| Long |  |  |  |  |
| Townsend |  |  |  |  |

Keep in mind, though, that they are talking about different portions of the population. Men employed by the CCC were typically single and young, while the NRA and Long plans were more for the general working class, and the Townsend plan was for seniors.

6. For the Townsend plan, calculate how much it would cost the country each year, assuming that people over age 60 were 8.5% of the population of 127M people.