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## ON THE LIGHTER SIDE.... HOLIDAY TRIVIA

1. What's the name of George Bailey's guardian angel in "It's a Wonderful Life?"
  - a) Ariel
  - b) Henry
  - c) Clarence
  - d) Frank
2. Who plays Bing Crosby's Army buddy in "White Christmas?"
  - a) Jimmy Stewart
  - b) Dean Martin
  - c) Danny Kaye
  - d) Bob Hope
3. The little girl who's skeptical about Santa Clause in "Miracle on 34th Street" is played by:
  - a) Natalie Wood
  - b) Audrey Hepburn
  - c) Anne Bancroft
  - d) Sharon Stone
4. In "Home Alone," a young boy is abandoned when his parents rush to a holiday vacation in:
  - a) Vermont
  - b) London
  - c) Paris
  - d) New York
5. What happens to the character played by Tim Allen in "The Santa Clause?"
  - a) He gains weight
  - b) Grows a beard
  - c) He gets fired
  - d) all of the above

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## **National salaries are expected to increase in 2009**

The Hay Group survey of Canadian employer results is as follows:

National Average forecast for base salaries up 3.9% in 2009

Sask. 5.1%	Ontario 3.3%
Alberta 4.0%	Quebec 3.2%
Atlantic 3.5%	BC 3.7%
Man. 3.6%	

By Industry	
Oil and gas 5.4%	Mining 4.4%
Retail 3.1%	Forest Prod. 2.4%
Manufacturing 3.3%	

Source: [www.benefitscanada.com](http://www.benefitscanada.com)

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