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[Despatch Abstract.]

*Furnishing the Govt of India with
information re: the efforts taken by the
Govt to develop local industries in
connection with the war & its consequences*

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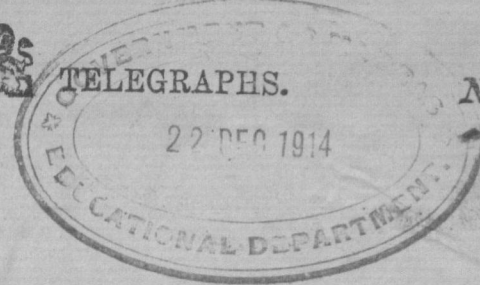
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FOLLOWING RESOLUTIONS HAS BEEN PROPOSED FOR DISCUSSION

DURING DELHI SESSION BEGINS THIS COUNCIL RECOMMENDS

THAT IN VIEW OF THE CESSATION OF IMPORTS FROM HOSTILE

COUNTRIES THE GOVT BE PLEASED TO INVITE THE OPINIONS OF

THE LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND ADMINISTRATIONS AS TO THE

DESIRABILITY OF PROMOTING INDUSTRIAL ENTERPRISE BY

LOANS ON THE LINES OF TAKAVI ADVANCE ENDS DURING DEBATE

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Debate

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA PROPOSE TO GIVE FULL ACCOUNT OF
MEASURES ALREADY TAKEN TO ASSIST LOCAL INDUSTRIES STOP
PLEASE REPORT AS SOON AS POSSIBLE BY LETTER FOR PURPOSES
OF DEBATE PARTICULARS OF SUCH SPECIAL ACTIVITIES AS YOUR
GOVT HAS BEEN ABLE TO TAKE TO ASSIST LOCAL INDUSTRIES IN
CONNECTION WITH THE PRESENT WAR AND ITS CONSEQUENCES

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:724: Form must accompany any inquiry respecting this Telegram.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.



Delhi, the 21st December 1914.

Telegram.

From-The Secretary to the Government of India,
Department of Commerce and Industry.....Delhi,

To- The Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras.



Following Resolution has been proposed for discussion during Delhi session. Begins. This Council recommends that in view of the cessation of imports from hostile countries the Government be pleased to invite the opinions of the Local Governments and Administrations as to the desirability of promoting industrial enterprise by loans on the lines of takavi advances. Ends. During debate Government of India propose to give full account of measures already taken to assist local industries. Please report as soon as possible by letter for purposes of debate particulars of such special activities as your Government have been able to take to assist local industries in connection with the present war and its consequences.

Copy by post.

[Signature]
Asst. in charge,

Deptt. of Commerce & Industry.

Again G.O. No. , dated 191
Current No. from the , No. , dated 191

Current No. 3985 from the Govt of India, No. 918, dated 21.12.1914
Dept of Commerce & Industry

SUBJECT.

Regarding measures taken by the Madras Govt to assist local industries in connection with the present situation.

Submitted that the question of taking special measures for ~~present~~ assist local industries during the present crisis has till now been dealt with in the Revenue Dept. This file may now be sent to that Dept for furnish the information required by the Govt of India.

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Revenue Department.

To Under Secretary.

Orders are requested whether the following measures taken by this Government to assist local industries may be reported to the Government of India:--

(1) A press communique was issued in September 1914 on the question of promoting industries in this Presidency for the production of articles the importation of which has been interrupted by the war. (A copy of this may be forwarded to the Government of India);

2) The Director of Industries was asked to make enquiries in regard to the development of Indian industries; and allotment of Rs.10,000 was sanctioned for the purpose; four temporary supervisors were also sanctioned.

3) The Director of Industries has compiled notes on various industries and these have been published for the information of those who are willing to undertake any commercial enterprise. (Copies of these G.O's may perhaps be forwarded to the Government of India)

4) In order to improve the oil industry, the Director of Industries has been instructed to demonstrate to private enquirers the method of working the Anderson's oil expeller which has been

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and for the development of the oil and linked industries are under the consideration of the Government.

5) An advance of Rs.2000 has been sanctioned for the purchase of indigo seed, in order that more indigo may be available for extraction of dye. The Secretary of State was addressed in regard to the acceleration of the export of alizarine dyes from the United Kingdom and elsewhere and the Government have also corresponded with the local agents of the British alizarine company on the subject of obtaining large supply of dyes from England.

Replies received from the India office show that certain firms in the United Kingdom have been licensed to export colours and dye stuffs to India and that the British Alizaine Co. have undertaken to supply a portion of the requirements of the mills in this Presidency and this information has been communicated to Chambers of Commerce and managers of cotton mills, through the Collectors of the Districts &c.,

6) The Secretary of State has been requested to see what he could ^{do} to assist the ground nut, coir and cocoanut industry by finding new markets for the products etc.,

7) The Director of Industries is considering the question of taking over and working a paper factory, a pencil factory, a glass factory and a matches plant in this Presidency on an experimental scale.

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in G.O. 3258 Rev. H
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* Papers in Edul.

See also notes printed at
p.3 of G.O. 3271 Rev. O.
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pp. 1-20 of Stock file
re coconut

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The Director of Agriculture has addressed the Board of Trade and the American Consul in regard to the finding of new markets in England and America for the coconut products of this Presidency. As a result three firms in England have asked the Director to be put in touch with reputable firms dealing in copra and this has been done. The Dir. of Agriculture obtained from the American Consul a list of firms in America interested in vegetable oils and this list was circulated to the firms concerned.

May I presume that this is a complete catalogue of the action taken?

Please let me have pp. about the Agricultural & Industrial Conference under Mr. Chadwick.

Also as soon as it returns from H.M. a s.c. of C.F. & notes as far as printed & a typed copy of the order on the oil pressing case (sent to H.M. yesterday).

Also a rough draft reply to Indian telegram based on all these data.

25-12-14

To Secy.

The statement at pp. 2-4 above is a complete catalogue of the action taken in this dept.

2 The papers about the Agricultural Conference under Mr. Chadwick are in the linked file. The scope of the conference is defined in Mr. Sullenger's note of 2.12.14 at p. 117 of the notes file. The conference is purely agricultural.

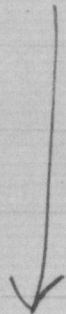
3 A spare copy of C.F. and notes (as far as printed) on the subject of the development of the oil and linked industries is put up ~~concurrently~~ with the draft order put up in this dept. The file has since been transferred to the Educ. dept. for disposal.

4 A rough draft reply to the Gov. of India is submitted as directed.

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(through Registrar)

I have looked up the draft. It shd. be accepted in Educ^t and used in that department with any addition possible in the light of later or fuller information available there. The subject is one for disposal in that dep^t in view of the conclusion arrived at last Saturday by His Excellency & the Honble Mr. Cardew. Educ^t will see from India's telegram that the case is of particular urgency, the information being required for a resolution coming before the Leg. Council at Delhi on the 12th January. J

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(written linked file)
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* Issued as letter No. 285 of 2.1.15.

Cred in Box No. 51.

Educational Department

No addition seems to be necessary to the draft put up in Revenue. It may, it is submitted, issue in Educational. After issue it may be circulated to H.E. & the Honble Mr. Cardew.

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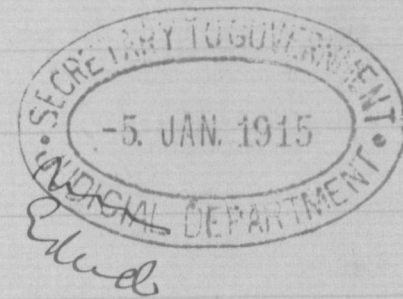
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Wt. The Governor
The Honble Mr. Cardew C.S.J.

4 Jan 15

It would ^{be} well if possible I think in this narrative to distinguish clearly efforts due directly or indirectly to the war, as apart from the great work of the Department of Industries.

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The letter to the Govt of India in this file has already issued in accordance with the Secretary's orders on page 6 supra.

It is submitted that all the items mentioned in the statement annexed to the letter except the last (8th) relate to efforts taken by this Govt to assist industries in connection with the war + its consequences, as the heading itself shows. This last item which relates to the holding of an agricultural conference was initiated before the war broke out + this fact is specially mentioned therein. It is for orders whether any further action should be taken.

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READ ALSO:-

C. No. 3337c, From the Gov. of India / Com. & Ind. No. 246, dated 21-12-1916

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ORDER.

No. 1, dated 2-1- 1915.

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The following letter will
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Letter

No 2 dated 2. 1. 15

To

The Secy. to the Govt of India,
Com. to Ind.

Sir,

In reply to your
telegram of the 21st Dec. 14
I am directed to
forward the accompanying
statement showing
the action taken by the
Govt. to assist local
industries in connection
with the war in Europe
and its consequences.

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Spd with the following enclosures
for 2681 Rev. 9. 16. 14
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Statement showing the action taken
by the Government to assist local
industries in connection with the war in
Europe *and its consequences.*

1) In September 1914 the Government issued a press communique (copy enclosed) pointing out the difficulties in the way of creating new industries, and promising to give, through the officers of Government, all possible assistance by way of advice and information, to any private capitalist or manufacturers ~~who are~~ *initially* willing to ~~start~~ *at venture* fresh industries.

2) The Director of Industries was ~~instructed~~ *enjoined to make special* ~~asked to make~~ enquiries in regard to the development of Indian industries. an allotment of Rs. 10,000 was sanctioned for the purpose *and the appointment of* four temporary supervisors *was approved.* ~~were also sanctioned for the~~ ~~purpose~~ *work.*

3) The Director of Industries has *a series of* compiled notes on various industries and

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and these have been published for the
interested persons,
information of ~~those who are willing~~ ^{to}
~~undertake any commercial enterprise.~~

(Copies of G.Os. containing these notes
are enclosed).

4) The Director of Industries is
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~~feasibility of establishing, under~~
~~and working a paper factory, a pencil~~
~~factory, a glass factory and a matches~~
~~plant in this Presidency on an experi-~~
~~mental scale.~~

5). In order to improve the oil-pressing industry, the Director of Industries has been instructed to demonstrate to private enquirers the method of working ^{an} the Anderson's oil expeller which has been purchased by this Government. The Government have also under consideration ^{from the Director} further proposals for the purchase of more oil pressing machinery and ^{systematic} ~~for~~ the development of the oil and linked industries.

6) An advance of Rs. 2000 has been sanctioned for the purchase of indigo *to add to the stock of* seed, in order ~~that more indigo may be~~ *raw material*

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Gov^t management, ^{small} experimental
factories for the manufacture of
papers, pencils, glass and
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but this investigation has not yet
reached the final stage, though
preliminary reports have been
submitted to Gov^t.

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manufactures.

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^{Communications} Replies received from the India office ^{having shown} that certain firms in the United Kingdom ^{had} have been licensed to export colours and dye stuffs to India and that the British Alizarine Co. ^{had} have undertaken to supply a portion of the requirements of the mills in this Presidency, ^{was passed} and this information has been ^{on local} communicated to Chambers of Commerce and Managers of cotton mills, through ^{the} ~~the~~ ^{Pending.} Collectors of the districts.

7. The Secretary of State ^{was also} has been requested to ^{render any practicable assistance to} see what he could do to assist the ground-nut, coir and cocoanut industry by finding new markets for the

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products. etc. The Board of Trade and the American Consul were ~~also~~ addressed in regard to the finding of new markets in England and America for the cocoanut products of this Presidency. ^{and} As a result three firms in England have asked the Director of Agriculture to be put in touch with reputable firms dealing in copra. ~~and~~ This has been done. The Director of Agriculture obtained from the American consul a list of firms in America interested in vegetable oils and this list was circulated to the firms concerned.

8) Mention may also be made of an informal conference held on the 14th Dec. & succeeding days for the purpose of bringing the local departments of agriculture and industries into closer touch with the leading growers and dealers in commercial crops. Though initiated independently of the war the proceedings of this conference touched upon its commercial subjects considered by its committee including cotton, groundnut

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