

Col (1915) Department.

His SERIES.

G.O. No. 766. Col

DATED 13-7-15

[Despatch Abstract.]

Conference

Recording resolution of the
First ~~his~~ Viswakarma Conference
regarding the grant of state loans
for the improvement of indigenous
industries

Extracts of the Resolutions passed at the First Viswakarma
Mahajana Conference, Kumbakonam April 1915.

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IV. Industry and Industrial Education.

This Conference begs of Government that they would
be pleased to take the necessary steps for:

(e) The grant of State loans by way of capital

for improving methods of the indigenous industries

peculiar to the caste for well-organized Co-operative

Societies as is the case with the Agriculturists.

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Resolution of the Viswakarma Conference, Kumbakonam dated 21st May 1915.

For the Under Secretary.

The receipt of the resolutions may be acknowledged. Draft letter put up. Submitted that with reference to G.O.No.366 Public, dated 10th March 1915 no action is called for in regard to Resolution No.V on the question of the caste title Achari v Asari.

2. A copy of the Resolutions may be forwarded to the Educational Department U.O.

M.D.R.
28-5-15.
P.deR
31-5-15.

E.A.H.
1-6-15.

To Under Secy,

Please see the resolution at page 1 Supra. Even in the case of Asari, it has been considered that further endeavour should be made to obtain the required from private sources. The present status of the matter is as follows.

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Resolution No.IV(e).- Grant of state loans for improving industries. - The Conference apparently desires that loans should be granted under the Agriculturists' Loans Act for the improvement of indigenous industries. This is a question for consideration in the Revenue Department. A copy of the Resolution with extract of this note may, it is submitted, be sent to that Department.

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S.K.
18-6-15.
C.R.
28-6-15.

P.R.
30-6-15.

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To Under Secy,

Please See the resolution at page 1 Supra. Even in the case of indigent weavers, it has been considered that further endeavours should be made to obtain the Capital required from private sources vide para 1 of Govt 546 Rev of 26.2.15. No action seems necessary. No action seems needed in this resolution. Q.S. Sec

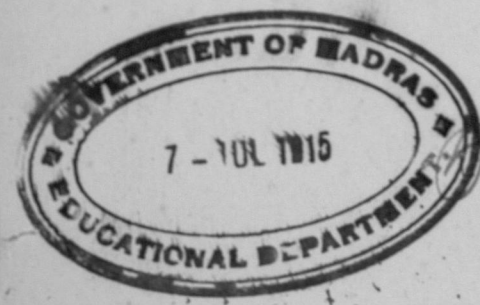
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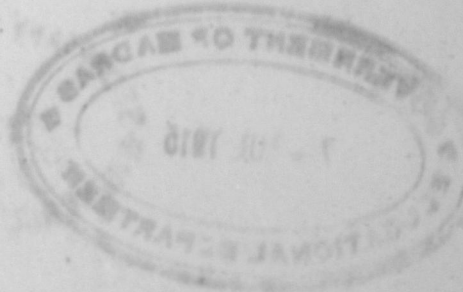
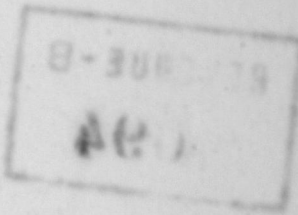
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I must draw to the Educational
 Note's statement that this resolution
 is a question for consideration in the
 Revenue Dept. The wording shows
 that what is contemplated is not
 loans under the Agricultural
 Loans Act, but advances similar
 in character thereto with object of
improving methods of indigenous
industries. Such industrial improvement
 are primarily matter for consideration
 in the Educational Dept & this fact
 is not altered by the proposal to
 grant the loans to Cooperative
 Societies. Such bodies are not
 normally concerned with industrial
improvement & could not be so
 employed unless the Educational
 Dept. advocated their use as
 agencies to that end. It is true
 that Revenue has dealt in 20.
 to 545 Rev. 7.26.2.15 with the
 one case of weaver cooperative
 societies, but only from the standpoint
 of finance, not with reference to
 the improvement of industrial
methods.

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Please see the resolution
 at page 1 supra. Even in the case of infant
 industries, it has been considered that further
 assistance should be made to obtain the capital
 required from private sources. The fact of the
 Government of Madras, Educational Department,
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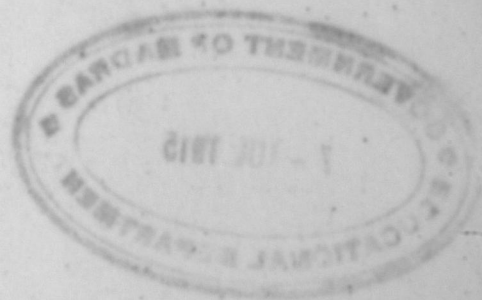
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The resolution of the ~~Kanara~~
Viewakarma conference urges that
States loans should be granted
to well-organized cooperative societies
for the promotion of industrial
enterprise. At the meeting of the
Imperial Legislative Council held
on the 24th February last a resolution
was moved by the Hon^{ble} Raja Kashat-
pal Singh recommending that
the Gov^t of India should obtain
the opinions of local governments
as to the desirability of promoting
industrial enterprise by loans
on the lines of takavi advances.
The Hon^{ble} Mr. Clark in the course
of his reply observed that takavi
loans were granted on the security
of the land but that the position
was very ~~very~~ different in regard
to such items as manufacturing
plant and industrial goodwill.
He further observed that ^(in the present circumstances) Gov^t
capital could not be locked up
in the initiation of industrial enter-
prises. The ~~above~~ ^{above} recom-
~~endation~~ ^{above recom-}



would ~~seem to be~~ applicable to some extent to the present case also.

2. Further, in December 1913 the Honble Sir R. Carlyle (~~the Secretary~~) Member of the Viceroy's Council in the Department of Revenue & Agriculture, when on tour in this Presidency, suggested to this Govt the desirability of considering whether Govt ~~should~~ ^{could} not advance money to Weavers' Cooperative Societies. The Registrar of Cooperative Societies to whom a reference was made on the subject recommended the grant of State loans to weavers' societies and to societies of artisans. The Honble Members (Revenue Dept.), however, considered that if ~~any~~ societies required money they should go to urban banks and that these latter should finance all societies without Govt assistance. The H.H. (Finl.) also concurred in this view and orders were ^{accordingly} ~~issued~~ declining to accept the proposals of the Registrar.

3. In these circumstances it does not

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to go. no 545 Rev (K)
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go. ibid (K)

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not appear to be necessary to
reopen the question. If approved
the papers may be recorded.

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