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2. At Adoni, where weavers are numerous, the task of starting the system should be entrusted to an experienced officer.

(True Extract.)

(Signed) J. H. GARSTIN,
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To the Board of Revenue.
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Esq.

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FAMINE RELIEF No. 746.

Condition of Weavers in distressed Districts.—Authorizing Collectors of disposed districts to make advances of materials to weavers for the prosecution of their trade, to pay them, in addition, in the first instance, a sufficient allowance to maintain them and their families while the materials advanced are worked up; to buy manufactured articles for Government, and adjust their value against the advances made, and directing that the starving of the system shall be entrusted to an experienced officer.

Esq.
Collr. &c. &c.
Khoolna & 24 Pergunnahs.
Sir,
I am &c.
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of Dec. 28th 1876.
No. 2200.

His Grace the Governor in Council has again had the condition of weavers in distressed Districts under his consideration, and being satisfied that their case is different from that of other handicraftsmen, inasmuch as manual assistance, such as labour, such as digging, is likely, by handicapping their hands to affect injuriously their means of livelihood, which is much more important in the case of weavers, resolves to sanction the making of advances to weavers from Famine Funds in all districts

Districts for the
prosecution of their
trade -

2. The simplest form
of making the advances
will probably be
by drawing a certain
sum per loom - to be
repaid within a given
time - A simple bond
form of acknowledgment
of the money, promising
to repay it within a
given time &
to hypothecating the
cloth, as security,
will probably be
sufficient - But if collateral security can
be procured it may be
added

3. The Bureau of
Revenue will be
requested to draw
up the form of
bond & issue it
with instructions
for guidance to
Collectors for
use.

4. The limit of advance
per loom will be Rs. 50

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I would rather prefer
Taccavi or advances
than grants - paying
small subsistence if
for finished work -
Their chances sell
it in general city -
where market can
have no general
security -

I cannot with the
large numbers to
come to depend to
enter a good main
work - yet to obtain
advantages of the cycle
before us need

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Resolve to encourage the
Collection of the
Distressed Districts
to make advances of
materials to them
for the prosecution of
their trade paying
them in addition
in the first instance
a sufficient allowance
money to maintain
them & their families
until the materials
advanced are worked
up into the manufactured
article should be brought
at the Agency to the
advances made
The balance in
favour of them
will probably enable
them to keep their
looms at work to
longer than
of the for purchasing
their manufactures

2. Advances where there
are numerous the task
of checking the system

Sketch in G.O. 65 &
an Experimental Office.

14/8/77 J.H. Clark

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for approval

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Gaugers

Inspectors

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Clerks

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Watchmen

Laborers

Janitors

Female Clerks

Let the G.O. so act as
to exclude U.S. - Officers
& only prefer another of
them - But am to glad that
any effective Officer should be
over-looked & to add to the form
Collectors will then
also have a word to say
on the matter - & Secy can
then consider the
whole & adopt
16/8 BTD

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