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Name of process	Materials used.		Name and description of persons employed.			Date of experiment	Frame		Zo		Total time taken	Interruptions	Reasons for interruptions	Net time taken	Average time taken	Remarks
	Quantity	weight	Name	sex	age		H.	m	H	m						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8		9		10	11	12	13	14	15

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READ the following circular from the Special Deputy Collector, Weavers Relief, Deccan Districts dated 10th July 1897 R. C. No 21 of 97.

R. C. No 21 of 97.

Supplemental instructions in connection with the experimental weaving of cloths.

Ref – This office Circular Ref No 21 dated 18th May 1897.

The Deputy Tahsildars should not confine themselves to the experiments ordered in the circular read above. Useful data can also be collected by observing the various operations for which the average time and labour required has to be ascertained as they are being carried on by the weavers &c at their own homes

hours. The data thus arrived at should be compared with those obtained at the special experiments and any differences that may occur should be accounted for.

2. In weaving as well as in other processes, the time taken cannot be satisfactorily arrived at by observing the operations only for a short time. At least each operator should be made to work at least a full day for at least 8 hours a day and in the case of weaving, it is desirable that each weaver tried be made to work regularly for 8 hours a day for, say a week.

3. The weavers should not be paid by the day but may be paid at a little more than the ordinary market rate for each cloth. It should be impressed upon them before they begin their work that the cloths should be woven evenly and with care and if the work turned out is bad, deductions will be made from their wages. When a cloth is badly woven, the time taken to weave it, cannot well be included in the data for calculating the task.

4. In getting yarn sized with Conji, care should be taken to see that not more gruel than is absolutely necessary is applied so that fairly reliable data may be obtained as to what is the increase in weight which can be set to the account of this process. It would be also interesting to have

two equal quantities of yarn, one sized moderately and the other liberally and note differences in weight in both the cases before as well as after weaving.

5. Further as the weavers resort to the trick of applying paste to the woof either by keeping the pirns (Kandelas) soaked in water mixed with Conji or applying such solution to the woven portion of the cloth as the weaving proceeds, trials to the same effect may be carried out so that it may be seen how far such tricks profit the weaver. The cloths thus turned out will serve as samples of cloths in the weaving of which such dishonest practices are resorted to.

6. As the experiments in regard to each process are conducted the particulars should be entered then and there in a register to be kept in the accompanying form, an extract of which should be submitted with the final report together with the abstract statement therein prescribed.

(signed) S. Ramalyer
Special Deputy Collector

C/o Bellary
28-6-97.

Read also the endorsement thereon dated 6th July 1897 from the Special Deputy Collector

Collector, submitting to the Collectors of Deccan Districts and the Board of Revenue for information the circular read above.

Cp Addl
10-7-97

(Signed) S. Rama Iyer
Special Dy. Collector.

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2. The Famine Commissioner does not fully understand para 3. of the instructions but as far as he can make out the Special Deputy Collector contemplates experiments under exceptional Conditions. The experiments should be made with average weavers under ordinary circumstances, care being taken to see that the weavers under observation give their undivided attention to their work.

3. The Famine Commissioner does not object to a trifle extra being paid as wages for their exceptional experiment. It looks, however as if the result of these experiments would only take useful shape for the purpose of the next Famine.

(True Copy and Extract)

Famine Secretary.

To the Special Deputy Collector Weavers Relief Deccan Dt.
To the Secretary to Government, Revenue D[epartment]

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