

PART I.—Continued.

- (b) Where the weaver strips the cloth off the cloth pin, two per cent. (2 per cent.).
- (c) Where the weaver ties on, Twopence (2d.) per 100 threads.
- (d) Where the weaver does any flyeing an extra shall be paid to be mutually arranged between master and worker, provided that such extra shall be at not less than the appropriate minimum rate fixed by the Trade Board.
- (e) For Centre Selvages :—
 If unsplit in the loom—
 5 per cent. for the first centre selvage ; and
 3 per cent. for each centre selvage thereafter.
 If split in the loom by the weaver—
 A further 2 per cent. for each centre selvage so split.
- (f) For Coloured Stripes in the Warp :—
 Up to 10 per cent. of coloured single jute threads, no extra.
 For each additional 2 per cent. of coloured single jute threads or part thereof, 1 per cent. extra.
- (g) For Heavy Wefts, to be paid under the following scale on the calculated weight of weft to give the required weight of cloth :—

Length of Cop.	Diameter of Cop.		Weight of yarn (in lbs.) per spindle.									
9 inches but less than 10 inches	1 $\frac{3}{8}$ inches	...	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	...	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
	1 $\frac{5}{8}$ "	...	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
	1 $\frac{3}{4}$ "	...	15	17	18	20	21	23	24	26	28	30
	1 $\frac{7}{8}$ "	...	18	20	21	23	24	26	28	30	32	34
	2 "	...	22	24	26	28	30	32	34	36	38	40
Percentage to be added to rate for cut of standard length.			1 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	1%	1 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	2%	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	3%	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	4%	4 $\frac{1}{2}$ %	5%

For cops 10 inches long or over, $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. less.

" " over 8 inches but under 9 inches long, 1 per cent. extra.

- (h) Where cloth is woven one thread in a split :—
 8 porter in 16 reed, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. extra ;
 and thereafter for every $\frac{1}{2}$ porter in excess of 8 porter, an additional 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ per cent.

8. Long Lengths.—In linoleum goods no extra will be paid for these.

9. Where the number of threads in the warp is increased above the normal build for which payment is made, the width of cloth to be paid for shall be that which the threads would give if not crowded.

SECTION II.

The above proposed General Minimum Piece-Rates shall apply to the weaving of all Hessian, floor-cloth and linoleum goods.

The General Minimum Piece-Rates proposed in this Notice are on the basis that the cloth produced is to be free from all weaving faults, which shall be made good by the weaver in accordance with the hitherto accepted practice of the trade, and that the weaver is to perform her other usual duties such as keeping the loom clean and removing the waste from it.

The General Minimum Piece-Rates shall not apply to cloth woven in looms the reed space of which is 32 inches or narrower.

Notes.—IN THE CASE OF FABRICS TO WHICH THE GENERAL MINIMUM PIECE-RATES ARE NOT APPLICABLE, IT IS REQUIRED BY THE TRADE BOARDS ACTS THAT EACH PIECE-RATE PAID SHALL BE SUFFICIENT TO YIELD, IN THE CIRCUMSTANCES OF THE CASE, TO AN ORDINARY WORKER, NOT LESS THAN THE APPROPRIATE GENERAL MINIMUM TIME-RATE FIXED BY THE TRADE BOARD.