

- (7) Length of cloth produced (in yards) ;
 - (8) Weight of cloth produced (in pounds) ;
 - (9) Total production in lbs. of each kind of cloth produced by regular worker ;
 - (10) Total production in lbs. of each kind of cloth produced by *badli* or *badlis* ;
 - (11) Rate per lb. of each kind of cloth produced (in pies) ;
 - (12) Amount to be paid for work of both regular worker and *badli*, if any ;
 - (13) War Bonus or Dearness or Percentage Allowance at (to be stated) percentage ;
 - (14) Total amount earned, *i.e.*, total of (12) and (13) ;
 - (15) Deductions for fines ;
 - (16) Bonus for good attendance or good work ;
 - (17) Amount payable, *i.e.*, total of (14) and (16) *less* (15).
- No account to be taken of deductions made for Grain, Medical Attendance, Provident Fund, Chawl Rent, etc.
- (18) Remarks.

5. With reference to item No. 12, the Millowners' Association were originally of the opinion that it would not be possible for the individual mills to give separate figures for the earnings of regular workers and their *badlis*, if any. But when an Investigator of the Labour Office visited the mills personally in order to explain the manner in which the attendance registers for the month of July should be maintained and the way in which the forms should be filled up, the majority of the mills agreed to show the earnings of the regular workers and *badlis* separately. In a few cases where some mills did not do this it was necessary for the Labour Office to undertake a series of separate calculations to ascertain the wages earned by the regular worker and by the *badli* from the data furnished for production by the regular worker and the *badli* respectively. In cases where regular workers permanently left their employment during the period covered by the Enquiry and were replaced by one or even by two others, both the workers who left and those by whom they were replaced were bracketed together and bracketed cases were treated as single operatives. *Badlis* were, however, treated separately in all cases. With regard to items (5) to (8) it was found that these particulars alone would be of practically no value if any attempt was to be made to ascertain rates for particular varieties of cloth unless the mills concerned also furnished details regarding Warp and Weft Counts and reeds and picks. At the personal request of the Investigator of the Labour Office, some mills agreed to furnish the additional particulars required, but as one or two mills were unable to do so, general instructions were subsequently issued to all the mills covered by the Enquiry not to take the trouble to enter the details under the additional heads. In view of the fact that women are not employed as weavers in any textile mill in the Bombay Presidency, it was not necessary, in the forms for weavers, to ask for any information regarding age and sex.