

6. *Cutting.**General Minimum Piece-Rates Proposed.*

(a) For cutting lace up to 50 inches to the double rack, 2½d. for 60 yards.

(b) For cutting lace over 50 inches to the double rack, 2½d. for 60 yards.

7. *Straight Snicking or Slotting.**General Minimum Piece-Rates Proposed.*

(a) For Slots up to and including 1 inch in width (inside measurement), 4½d. per 1,000 slots.

(b) For Slots over 1 inch and not exceeding 1½ inches in width (inside measurement), 5½d. per 1,000 slots.

B.—*Lace which is the Product of Warp Machines.*1. *Drawing.**General Minimum Piece-Rates at Present Effective.*(a) *Bar Warps:—*

(1) For widths not exceeding 1¼ inches, 1½d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards, plus 8½ per cent., *i.e.*, 1d. in the shilling.

(2) For widths exceeding 1¼ inches:—

(i) One thread drawing, 1½d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards, plus 8½ per cent., *i.e.*, 1d. in the shilling.

(ii) For drawing two or more threads, 1½d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards, plus 8½ per cent., *i.e.*, 1d. in the shilling.

(b) *String Warps:—*

(1) Up to and including 16 gauge:—

(i) For widths not exceeding 7 inches, 1½d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards, plus 8½ per cent., *i.e.*, 1d. in the shilling.

(ii) For widths exceeding 7 inches, 2d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards, plus 8½ per cent., *i.e.*, 1d. in the shilling.

(2) Over 16 gauge—all widths, 2½d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards, plus 8½ per cent., *i.e.*, 1d. in the shilling.

2. *Plain Cutting.**General Minimum Piece-Rates at Present Effective.*

(a) *Bar Warps*, 1½d. per 12 breadths of 12 yards, plus 8½ per cent., *i.e.*, 1d. in the shilling.

(b) *String Warps:—*

(1) Up to and including 16 gauge, 1½d. per 12 breadths of 12 yards, plus 8½ per cent., *i.e.*, 1d. in the shilling.

(2) Over 16 gauge, 1½d. per 12 breadths of 12 yards, plus 8½ per cent., *i.e.*, 1d. in the shilling.

Provided that in the case of all operations on Black Lace the General Minimum Piece-Rates, including the addition of 1d. in the Shilling, as specified in this Part of this Schedule, shall be subject to the addition of a further 1d. in the Shilling.

1. *Drawing.**General Minimum Piece-Rates Proposed.*(a) *Bar Warps:—*

(1) For widths not exceeding 1¼ inches, 1½d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards.

(2) For widths exceeding 1¼ inches:—

(i) One thread drawing, 1½d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards.

(ii) For drawing two or more threads, 1½d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards.

(b) *String Warps:—*

(1) Up to and including 16 gauge:—

(i) For widths not exceeding 7 inches, 1½d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards.

(ii) For widths exceeding 7 inches, 2d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards.

(2) Over 16 gauge—all widths, 2½d. per thread for 12 breadths of 12 yards.

2. *Plain Cutting.**General Minimum Piece-Rates Proposed.*

(a) *Bar Warps*, 1½d. per 12 breadths of 12 yards.

(b) *String Warps:—*

(1) Up to and including 16 gauge, 1½d. per 12 breadths of 12 yards.

(2) Over 16 gauge, 1½d. per 12 breadths of 12 yards.

Provided that in the case of all operations on Black Lace the General Minimum Piece-Rates, as specified in this Part of this Schedule, shall be subject to the addition of a 1d. in the shilling.

PART II.

Proposed Variation of General Minimum Piece-Rates

For the following Processes in the Finishing of Hair Nets, whether they are the Product of Plain Net Machines or not.

1. *Threading Hair Nets.**General Minimum Piece-Rates at Present Effective.*

A.—Hair Nets which are the Product of Warp Machines:

(a) Hair Nets up to and including 12½ inches, with 38 holes or less, 8½d. per gross nets, plus 8½ per cent., *i.e.*, 1d. in the shilling.

(b) Hair Nets of over 12½ inches but under 18 inches, with 48 holes or less, 11d. per gross nets, plus 8½ per cent., *i.e.*, 1d. in the shilling.

(c) All sizes of 18 inches and over, with 50 holes or less, 1s. 1½d. per gross nets, plus 8½ per cent., *i.e.*, 1d. in the shilling.

(d) For every 8 holes additional to those above specified, ½d. per gross nets, plus 8½ per cent., *i.e.*, 1d. in the shilling.

B.—Hair Nets which are the Product of Levers or Plain Net Machines:

The General Minimum Piece-Rates for Threading Hair Nets which are the product of Levers or Plain Net Machines shall be higher by 25 per cent. than the General Minimum Piece-Rates for Threading Hair Nets which are the product of Warp Machines, as specified in A. above.

2. *Carding Hair Nets* (whether the product of Plain Net Machines or not).

General Minimum Piece-Rate at Present Effective.

All sizes of cards, 1½d. per gross nets, plus 8½ per cent., *i.e.*, 1d. in the shilling.

The above General Minimum Piece-Rate shall apply also to Bundling in dozens without Cards.

When Threading and Carding are done at the same time the General Minimum Piece-Rate shall be the sum of the respective General Minimum Piece-Rates specified in this Part of this Schedule.