



Annual Statistical Tables
relating to the Working of the
Stamp Department in the
Bombay Province

For the Year ending 31st March 1935

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STATEMENT I.

Abstract of Receipts and Charges for the year ending 31st March 1938.

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	Receipts	Charges						Net Receipts
		Discount and Establishment for Sale of Stamps	Refunds	Cost of Stamps supplied from Central Stamp Store	Cost of General Supervision	Other Charges	Total	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
<i>Bombay Province.</i>								
Under the Stamp Act	85,87,533	65,882	69,306	82,333	86,667	6,333	7,07,110	81,16,433
Under the Court Fees Act	78,46,364	88,758	96,943	8,008	26,758	2,468	1,74,944	71,71,820
Total	1,65,66,797	1,04,640	1,66,249	90,341	1,13,425	8,801	8,82,054	1,82,80,743
Total for the year 1935-36	1,44,70,636	1,08,813	1,76,464	27,781	26,902	4,728	3,74,072	1,40,96,564
Total for the year 1936-37	1,45,19,187	1,05,693	1,57,933	82,062	87,504	2,700	3,51,669	1,44,67,718

STATEMENT II

Showing the details of Receipts on account of Judicial Stamps
for the year ending 31st March 1938.

District	Sale of Court-fee Stamps	Sale of Stamps for Copies	Sale of plain paper used with Court-fee Labels	Miscellaneous Receipts	Total	Totals in column 6 include the following receipts on account of Probates and Letters of Administration and Succession Certificates	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Bombay	31,44,921	31,44,921	14,14,678	
Ahmedabad	3,70,049	...	...	...	3,70,049
Broach and Panch Mahals.	1,51,721	...	...	1	1,51,722
Kaira	1,85,637	...	...	...	1,85,637
Surat	2,03,820	...	...	...	2,03,820
Tháns and Kolába.	3,05,242	...	...	...	3,05,242
Ahmednagar	2,01,463	...	...	...	2,01,463
East Khándesh	4,85,436	...	...	...	4,85,436
West Khándesh	2,19,018	2,19,018		92,683
Násik	2,65,380	...	...	...	2,65,380
Poona	4,52,036	...	...	...	4,52,036
Satára	2,58,690	...	...	...	2,58,690
Sholápur	2,38,544	...	...	...	2,38,544
Belgaum	2,55,929	...	...	1	2,55,929
Bijápur	1,37,486	...	...	...	1,37,486
Dhárwar	2,40,030	...	...	...	2,40,030
Kanara	76,632	...	...	...	76,632
Ratnágiri	1,54,223	...	...	1	1,54,224
Total	73,46,261	3	73,46,264	15,07,341	
Total for the year 1935-36.	69,47,450	1,984	69,49,464	7,60,207	
Total for the year 1936-37.	74,80,074	1,905	74,82,069	15,86,817	

STATEMENT III

Showing details of Receipts on account of Non-Judicial Stamps
for the year ending 31st March 1938.

District	Impressed Stamps	Hundis or Inland Bills of Exchange	Impressed Stamps as defined in Section 2 (13) (a) of the Stamp Act	Foreign Bill Stamps	Insurance Stamps
1	2	3	4	5	6
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Bombay ...	2,34,162 0 0	1,27,575 0 0	23,95,717 0 0	2,67,017 0 0	2,45,731 0 0
Ahmedabad ...	4,43,116 0 0	1,933 0 0	.....	145 0 0	.....
Broach and Panch Mahals ...	46,684 0 0	5 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Kaira ...	1,08,774 0 0	37 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Surat ...	1,61,121 0 0	25 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Thana and Kolaba ...	1,67,862 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ahmednagar ...	71,795 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
East Khondesh ...	1,91,562 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
West Khondesh ...	72,280 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nasik ...	93,445 0 0	15 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Poona ...	2,07,434 0 0	140 0 0	.....	.....	2,032 0 0
Satara ...	1,19,583 0 0	37 0 0	.....	.....	3,279 0 0
Sholapur ...	63,817 0 0	4 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Belgaum ...	1,40,419 0 0	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Bijapur ...	75,784 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dharwar ...	1,39,250 0 0	.....	.....	.....	323 0 0
Kanara ...	31,237 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Katmagiri ...	68,946 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total ...	24,36,866 0 0	1,30,973 0 0	23,95,717 0 0	2,67,162 0 0	2,51,355 0 0
Total for the year 1935-36	25,38,895 0 0	61,163 0 0	21,97,752 0 0	2,83,865 0 0	2,29,180 0 0
Total for the year 1936-37.	23,74,331 0 0	97,146 0 0	20,96,646 0 0	2,33,337 0 0	2,52,917 0 0

Note.—* Includes, besides general Impressed Stamps, Cattle-pound Kabulyats, Salt and Customs Bonds and Bills of Lading.

STATEMENT III—contd.

District	India Revenue Stamps	Share Transfer Stamps	*Stamps for Legal Practitioners' licenses	Notarial Stamps	Brokers' Note Stamps
1	7	8	9	10	11
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Bombay	4,34,923 0 0	13,41,666 0 0	67,000 0 0	5,178 0 0	1,16,191 0 0
Ahmedabad	64,895 0 0	66,190 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Broach and Panch Mahals	11,452 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kaira	17,265 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Surat	17,245 0 0	33,020 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Thana and Kolaba	17,348 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ahmednagar	11,890 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
East Khandesh	22,617 0 0	600 0 0	.....	.....	.....
West Khandesh	11,616 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nasik	16,423 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Poona	43,357 0 0	38 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Satara	15,103 0 0	158 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Sholapur	13,966 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Belgaum	11,868 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bilapur	8,121 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dharwar	15,845 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kanara	4,429 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Katnagiri	7,942 0 0	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	7,52,145 0 0	14,34,593 0 0	67,000 0 0	5,178 0 0	1,16,191 0 0
Total for the year 1935-36	7,12,564 0 0	8,76,308 0 0	60,500 0 0	5,146 0 0	83,427 0 0
Total for the year 1936-37	7,41,193 0 0	9,78,173 0 0	63,500 0 0	3,726 0 0	1,11,818 0 0

Note.—* Comprises Impressed Stamps for Pledgers, Revenue Agent's and Mukhtyar's Licenses and Adhesive Advocate, Vakil and Attorney Stamps.

STATEMENT III—concl'd.

District	Agreement blamps	Forms for agreements and contracts chargeable with two- anna coloured impressions	Forms for receipts	Miscellaneous receipts	Total
1	12	13	14	15	16
	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.
Bombay	2,275 0 0	45,872 0 0	19,928 0 0	3,60,390 0 0	66,66,956 0 0
Ahmedabad	3,744 0 0	3,74,384 0 0
Broach and Panch Mahals.	1,735 0 0	1,08,516 0 0
Kaira	1,030 0 0	1,27,896 0 0
Surat	2,319 0 0	2,13,730 0 0
Thana and Kolaba	3,497 0 0	1,28,827 0 0
Ahmednagar	1,148 0 0	85,854 0 0
East Khandesh	3,764 0 0	2,19,043 0 0
West Khandesh	1,475 0 0	65,280 0 0
Nasik	1,783 0 0	1,11,721 0 0
Poona	2,796 0 0	2,58,797 0 0
Satara	9,539 0 0	1,40,703 0 0
Sholapur	1,844 0 0	99,471 0 0
Belgaum	3,069 0 0	1,55,414 0 0
Bijapur	1,314 0 0	65,219 0 0
Dharwar	1,482 0 0	1,56,910 0 0
Kanara	654 0 0	35,350 0 0
Katnaguri	1,636 0 0	68,574 0 0
Total ..	2,275 0 0	45,872 0 0	19,928 0 0	3,96,198 0 0	63,20,533 0 0
Total for the year 1935-36.	6,228 0 0	24,865 0 0	21,136 0 0	3,92,826 0 0	75,13,867 0 0
Total for the year 1936-37.	3,725 0 0	21,352 0 0	23,166 0 0	3,52,071 0 0	73,53,414 0 0

STATEMENT IV.

*Arrangements for the Vend of Stamps during the year
ending 31st March 1938.*

District	Number of Vendors	Discount allowed to Vendors			
		On Judicial Stamps	On Plain Paper	On Non-Judicial Stamps	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Bombay ...	8*	788	...	347	1,135
Ahmedabad ...	27	1,802	...	7,044	8,846
Broach and Panch Mahals.	20	1,053	...	2,789	3,872
Kaira ...	27	1,261	...	3,143	4,404
Surat ...	30	991	...	3,944	4,935
Tbána and Kolába ...	47	1,999	...	2,815	4,814
Ahmednagar ...	21	1,978	...	1,378	3,356
East Khándesh ...	53	3,302	...	5,587	8,889
West Khándesh ...	13	1,390	...	1,903	3,298
Násik ...	40	1,807	...	2,453	4,260
Poona ...	37	2,184	...	3,131	5,315
Sátára ...	34	1,898	...	3,405	5,303
Sholápur ...	15	1,455	...	2,132	3,587
Bejgaum ...	73	1,551	...	4,011	5,562
Bijápur ...	93	896	...	2,137	3,033
Dhárwár ...	87	1,618	...	3,952	5,570
Kánára ...	20	580	...	865	1,445
Ratnágiri ...	16	894	...	1,683	2,577
Total ...	669	27,477	...	52,724	80,201
Total for the year 1935-36.	700	29,234	...	54,211	83,445
Total for the year 1936-37.	679	25,916	...	53,744	80,660

* This number includes the two vendors in the Bombay Suburban District. In addition to these 8 Licensed Stamp Vendors, there are 15 ex-officio Stamp Vendors in the General Stamp Office, Bombay.

STATEMENT V.

Insufficiently Stamped or Unstamped Instruments on which Duty and Penalty were levied by Civil Courts and Collectors during the year ending 31st March 1938.

District	By Courts or persons receiving evidence under Section 35 of Act II of 1899		By Collector under Sections 32, 37, 40 and 41 of Act II of 1899	
	Number of cases dealt with	Duty and Penalty realised	Number of cases dealt with	Duty and Penalty realised
1	2	3	4	5
		Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.
Bombay ...	245	6,609 0 0	3,838	3,30,905 0 0
Ahmedabad ...	156	1,958 0 0	86	1,069 0 0
Broach and Panch Mahals...	125	920 0 0	92	652 0 0
Kaira ...	62	628 0 0	52	363 0 0
Surat ...	17	1,070 0 0	57	1,212 0 0
Thána and Kolába ...	124	1,766 0 0	96	1,707 0 0
Ahmednagar ...	36	301 0 0	53	304 0 0
East Khándesh ...	88	840 0 0	59	409 0 0
West Khándesh ...	...	.....	29	1,468 0 0
Násik ...	55	368 0 0	50	1,339 0 0
Poona ...	94	796 0 0	92	1,226 0 0
Sátára ...	106	982 0 0	80	1,483 0 0
Sholápur ...	56	534 0 0	67	1,137 0 0
Belgaum ...	29	2,882 0 0	33	165 0 0
Dijápur ...	72	564 0 0	43	700 0 0
Dhárwár ...	97	853 0 0	36	598 0 0
Kánara ...	35	395 0 0	41	229 0 0
Ratnágiri ...	134	1,495 0 0	50	130 0 0
Total ...	1,531	22,975 0 0	4,854	3,45,196 0 0
Total for the year 1935-36.	1,793	23,937 0 0	4,867	3,09,594 0 0
Total for the year 1936-37.	1,480	21,994 0 0	4,477	2,56,540 0 0

STATEMENT VII

Showing the result of action taken by Collectors to test the valuation of estates for which applications for Probate and Letters of Administration were put in during the year ending 31st March 1938.

Divisions and Districts	Number of enquiries pending at beginning of the year	Number of cases reported to Collector (Section 19-H of the Court Fees Act)	Number of cases in which enquiries were instituted during the year	Number of enquiries completed during the year	Amount of Court fees due or originally realised on the valuations of the applicants in cases disposed of during the year	Amount of deficit Court fees required	Penalty	Remarks
					Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs.	
Bombay ...	46	491	143	137	7,30,595 0 0	14,263 0 0	...	
Abmedabad ...	22	85	79	79	2,913 0 0	.....	...
Broach and Panch Mahals.	...	5	5	...	1,568 0 0	.....	...
Kaira ...	...	20	20	20	.....	.....	...
Surat ...	6	62	68	62	.....	.....	...
Thana and Kolaba ...	...	5	6	6	2,731 0 0	.....	...
Ahmednagar ...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	...
East Khandesh ...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	...
West Khandesh ...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	...
Nasik ...	1	9	10	8	.....	.....	...
Poona ...	17	43	57	62	2,323 0 0	1,454 0 0	...	
Satara ...	2	2	11	11	80 0 0	.....	...
Sholapur ...	...	14	14	14	582 0 0	.....	...
Belgaum ...	...	9	1	...	1,862 0 0	31 0 0	...	
Bijapur ...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	...
Dharwar ...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	...
Kanara ...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	...
Kalnagiri ...	3	6	6	4	266 0 0	.....	...
Total ...	97	761	430	273	7,42,939 0 0	15,748 0 0	...	
Total for the year 1935-36.	98	732	453	418	2,17,760 0 0	8,771 0 0	105	
Total for the year 1936-37.	94	659	385	344	1,59,118 0 0	11,746 0 0	...	

General Stamp Office,
Bombay, 18th August 1938.

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