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Name of officer.	Appointment.	Period.		Remarks.
		From	To	
Rao Bahadur G. V. Joglekar, B. A. ...	State Karbhari.	7-6-26	6-6-27	

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APPENDIX—II.

List of Laws in force in the Phaltan State.

INDIA COUNCIL ACTS.

1. I of 1846—An Act to amend the law regarding the appointment and remuneration of Pleaders.
2. XXXII of 1858—The Lunatic Asylums Act.
3. XIII of 1859—The Breach of Contract Act.
- *4. XXI of 1860—The Societies Registration Act.
5. XLV of 1860—The Indian Penal Code with amendments.
- *6. XX of 1863—The Religious Endowments Act.
7. XIV of 1869—The Civil Courts Act.
8. VII of 1870—The Court Fees Act.
9. I of 1871—The Cattle Trespass Act as amended by Act I of 1891.
10. I of 1872—The Indian Evidence Act with amendments.
11. IX of 1872—The Indian Contract Act with amendments.
12. X of 1873—The Judicial Oaths Act.
13. II of 1874—The Administrator General's Act.
14. IX of 1875—The Indian Majority Act.
15. I of 1877—The Specific Relief Act.
16. I of 1878—The Indian Opium Act.
17. VI of 1878—The Treasure Trove Act.
18. VII of 1878—The Indian Forest Act.
19. XI of 1878—The Indian Arms Act.
20. XVII of 1879—The Deccan Agriculturists' Relief Act with all amendments upto 1-12-1918.
21. V of 1881—The Probate and Administration Act as amended by Act VI of 1889.
- *22. II of 1882—The Indian Trusts Act.
23. IV of 1882—The Transfer of Property Act.
24. XII of 1882—The Indian Salt Act.
25. XIII of 1883—The Indian Telegraphs Act as amended by Acts VII and XIV of 1914.
26. XIX of 1883—The Land Improvement Loans Act.
27. IV of 1884—The Indian Explosives Act.
28. XII of 1884—The Agriculturists' Loans Act.
- *29. VI of 1886—The Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act.
30. VI of 1888—The Debtors' Act.
31. VII of 1889—The Succession Certificate Act.
- *32. VI of 1890—The Charitable Endowments Act.
33. VIII of 1890—The Guardians and Wards Act.
34. I of 1894—The Land Acquisition Act with amendments upto date.
35. V of 1898—The Code of Criminal Procedure with amendments upto date.
36. VI of 1898—The Post Office Act.
37. II of 1899—The Indian Stamp Act as amended by Bom. Act II of 1922.
38. XIII of 1899—The Glanders and Farcy Act.
39. III of 1900—The Prisoners' Act.
40. XV of 1903—The Extradition Act.
41. V of 1908—The Code of Civil Procedure.
42. VI of 1908—The Explosive Substances Act.

43. IX of 1908—The Indian Limitation Act.
44. XVI of 1908—The Indian Registration Act.
45. IV of 1909—The Whipping Act.
46. I of 1910—The Indian Press Act.
47. III of 1911—The Criminal Tribes Act.
48. VII of 1913—The Indian Companies Act.
49. VIII of 1914—The Indian Motor Vehicles Act.
50. X of 1918—The Usurious Loans Act.
51. IX of 1918—The Indian Soldier (litigation) Act, Ordinance No. 9 of 1914.
52. No. 11J and No. 21A of the Defence of India Rules, 1915.
53. IV of 1920—The Census Act.

BOMBAY REGULATIONS.

54. II of 1827—Pleaders (Caste Questions).
55. IV of 1827—Civil Courts.
56. V of 1827—Proof of debts, interests, mortgages.
57. VIII of 1827—Administration of Estates.
58. XII of 1827—Police.
59. XIII of 1827—Criminal Courts.

BOMBAY COUNCIL ACTS.

60. IV of 1862—The Markets and Fairs Act.
61. VI of 1863—The Public Conveyances Act with amendments.
62. VII of 1866—The Bombay Hindu Heirs Relief Act.
63. VIII of 1866—The Sale of Poisons Act.
64. VIII of 1867—The Village Police Act.
65. II of 1868—The Bombay Ferries Act with amendments.
66. III of 1869—The Local Funds Act.
67. III of 1874—The Bombay Watan Act as amended by Act III of 1910.
68. III of 1875—The Tolls Act.
69. V of 1878—The Abkari Act with amendments.
70. V of 1879—The Land Revenue Code as amended by Act IV of 1913.
71. VII of 1879—The Bombay Irrigation Act with amendments.
72. IV of 1887—The Gambling Act.
73. I of 1889—The Village Sanitation Act.
74. IV of 1890—The District Police Act as amended by Act IX of 1918.
75. XI of 1890—The Prevention of Cruelty to Animals Act.
76. I of 1892—The Bombay District Vaccination Act.
77. III of 1901—The District Municipal Act.
78. I of 1905—The Court of Wards Act with amendments.
79. II of 1906—The Mamlatdar's Courts Act.
80. I of 1918—The Bombay Primary Education Act.
81. XVII of 1920—The Pleaders Act.
- *82. VI of 1923—The Bombay Local Boards Act.
83. VII of 1925—The Bombay Co-operative Societies Act.

PHALTAN STATE ACT.

1. Opium and Intoxicating Drugs Law.

* The Acts marked with asterisks were introduced during the year.

APPENDIX—IV.

Statement showing the strength, cost, discipline and education of the Police, for the year 1926-27.

Description of office.	Number.	Pay of grade.	Total cost.	Punishments.			Rewards.		Education.		REMARKS.
				Dismissed.	Fined, degraded or suspended departmentally.	Punished judicially.	By promotion.	By money.	Number able to read and write.	Number under instruction.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Police (Regular foot).		Rs.	Rs.								
Chief Officer ...	1	70	24,728						1		
Sub-Inspector ...	1	18 + 7							1		
Head Constable III ...	1	18							1		
Do. IV ...	4	17 & 16							4		
Constable I ...	5	14							5		
Do. II ...	9	13			2				2		
Do. III ...	15	12			1				13		
Total ...	36				3				27		
Garrisons ...	22				3	2			22		
Sowars (mounted) ...	4								4		
Shibandi ...	16								15		
Grand Total ...	78				6	2			68		

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APPENDIX—V.

Statement showing the working of the Police in the Phaltan State, during the year 1926-27.

State.	Number of offences.		Number of accused arrested.		Number of accused sent for trial.		Number of accused convicted.		Number of accused acquitted or discharged.		Percentage of convictions (columns 4 & 5).		Percentage convicted of accused sent for trial.		REMARKS.
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Phaltan ...	22	72	31	69	31	69	13	30	4	27	42	43	42	43	

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APPENDIX—VI.

Statement showing the value of property stolen and amount of recoveries in the Phaltan State, during the year 1926-27.

State.	Amount stolen.		Amount recovered.		Percentage of recoveries of property stolen.		REMARKS.
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Phaltan	Rs. 344	Rs. 1980	Rs. 235	Rs. 494	Rs. 68	Rs. 25	

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APPENDIX—VIII.

Statement showing the number of offences reported and dealt with by the various Courts in the Phaltan State,
during the year 1926-27.

Name of the Court.	Number of offences reported during the year.		Number of persons dealt with.							Persons disposed of.					Persons remaining at the end of year.	REMARKS.	
	Past year.	Present year.	Remaining at the end of last year.	Brought to trial in 1926-27.					Total.		Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.			Died, escaped or transferred.
				Arrested by Police.	Upon warrant.	On summons.	Voluntary.	Arrested in presence of the Magistrate.	Past year.	Present year.							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
District Magistrate	17	...	...	...	29	...	...	...	29	1	20	6	...	2	...	
Magistrate, First Class...	...	16	29	42	19	34	5	...	...	67	100	...	42	43	...	...	15
Do, 2nd Do.	...	43	141	13	28	4	187	...	...	73	232	21	93	77	...	...	41
Do. 3rd Do.	...	100	57	33	5	...	100	210	138	31	66	26	15
Total ...	159	244	88	52	38	321	350	499	53	221	152	...	2	71	

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APPENDIX—IX.

Statement showing the results of appeals against the decision passed by the Criminal Courts in the Phaltan State during the year 1926-27.

Tribunals.	Number of applications.	Number of persons and cases.																REMARKS.	
		Applications rejected.		Sentences.						Proceedings quashed.		Referred.		Further inquiry &c. ordered.		Pending.			
				Confirmed.		Modified.		Reversed.											
		Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.		
Sessions Court ...	1	1	
District Magistrate ...	5	2	2	3	

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APPENDIX—XI.

Civil Work.—Results of applications for execution of decrees.

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Value of opening balance for present year.	Application brought to the register.			Total.			Disposed of.			Closing balance.			Nature of applications pending disposal at the close of.			REMARKS.
	Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Value for present year.	Below 6 months.	Below 12 months.	Above 12 months.	
Sub-Judge's Court, Phaltan ...	284	318	Rs. 1,44,861	523	439	Rs. 74,351	771	757	Rs. 2,19,202	433	488	Rs. 87,684	318	269	Rs. 1,31,518	34	80	205	

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APPENDIX—XII.

Civil Work.—Number of results of appeals in Civil Suits.

Tribunal.	Opening balance.		Filed during.		Total.		Disposed of during.		Closing balance.		Value of appeals filed during.		How disposed of.								Average duration.				
													Decisions confirmed.		Decisions reversed.		Decisions amended.		Cases re-manded for re-trial.		Cases compromised and otherwise disposed of.				
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.
Huzur Court. ...	3	0	6	18	9	27	0	12	0	15	Rs. 2001	Rs. 3436	0	6	0	3	0	2	0	1	0	0	...	Y. M. D. 1-8-13	
First Appellate Court ...	12	42	40	42	52	84	10	51	42	33	10396	10134	3	31	2	6	0	2	3	9	2	3	0-7-24	1-1-7	

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APPENDIX—XIII.

Statement showing the number of persons confined in the Jail and Lock-ups in the Phaltan State during the year 1926-27.

Station.	No. of prisoners.	No. of Prisoners.				Daily average.		Number of prisoners remaining at the end of the year.	Total cost of jail and prisoners.	Average period of accused under trial.	Remarks showing mortality among convicts in jail.
		Remaining from last year.	Admitted during the year.	Total.		Past year.	Present year.				
				Past year.	Present year.						
Phaltan	1	5	30	51	35	6	4	5	Rs. 551	35 days.	No death.

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APPENDIX—XIV.

Registration of documents in the Phaltan State for the year 1926-27.

Name of State.	Documents presented for registration.		Nature of documents presented.										Documents registered.		Value of Documents registered.		Document of which registry has been refused.		Documents remaining unregistered pending enquiry at the close of the year.		REMARKS.
			Mortgages.		Sale-deeds.		Wills.		Money-bonds.		Miscellaneous.										
	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Phaltan	1908	1632	490	380	518	464	4	5	34	19	862	764	1908	1632	Rs. 372243	Ra. 316158	

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APPENDIX—XV.

Statement showing the receipts and expenditure on account of registration during the year 1926-27.

Description.	Past year.			Present year.			REMARKS.
	Number of deeds.	Value of property.	Fees realised.	Number of deeds.	Value of property.	Fees realised.	
Mortgages ...	490	134492	809	380	128492	669	
Sale-deeds ...	518	165676	1230	464	145672	1206	
Wills ...	4	...	10	5	...	15	
Money bonds ...	34	6123	40	19	4996	15	
Miscellaneous ...	862	65952	1139	764	36998	1068	
Total ...	1908	372243	3228	1632	316158	2973	
Expenditure ...	...	...	770	...	...	787	
Net profit ...	...	...	2458	...	...	2186	

APPENDIX—XVI.

Receipts and expenditure of the Municipality in the Phaltan State, during the year 1926-27.

Name.	Opening balance on 7th June.	Receipts during the year.		Total in current year.	Expenditure during the year.		Balance on 6th June.	REMARKS.
		Past.	Present.		Past.	Present.		
Phaltan ...	Rs. 10,997	Rs. 22,407	Rs. 55,792	Rs. 66,789	Rs. 22,534	Rs. 48,971	Rs. 17,818	The large increase appearing under receipts and expenditure is chiefly due to adjustment of the Nirgudi Water Works Loan figures since the balance of the receipts from water supply was ordered by the State to be taken over by the Municipality and make direct arrangement of repayment of the loan still outstanding and cease paying to the State the contribution it made so long for the purpose.

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APPENDIX—XVII.

Statement of rainfall in the Phaltan State.

State.	April 1926.	May 1926.	June 1926.	July 1926.	August 1926.	September 1926.	October 1926.	November 1926.	December 1926.	January 1927.	February 1927.	March 1927.	Total.	Total of past year.	Average of past 5 years.	REMARKS.
	I. O.	I. C.	I. O.	I. C.	I. O.	I. C.	I. O.	I. C.	I. O.	I. C.	I. O.	I. C.	I. C.	I. O.	I. C.	
Phaltan.	0-0	0-57	3-35	0-64	1-65	3-31	1-53	1-16	0-7	0-0	0-0	0-5	12-63	13-52	16-31	

APPENDIX—XVIII.

Statement as to prices of staple food-grains.

Article.	During March (past year).	During March (present year).	Remarks.
	Pounds per rupee.	Pounds per rupee.	
Juari	19	19	
Bajri	14	18	
Wheat... ..	8	9	
Rice	9	9	
Gram	14	15	
Tur	15	15	

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APPENDIX—XIX.

Expenditure of Public Works during the year 1926-27.

Description of work.	State funds.			Local funds.			Totals.	REMARKS.
	Original.	Repairs.	Total.	Original.	Repairs.	Total.		
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Public Offices and Buildings	897	897	.....	63	63	960	
Other Buildings	4631	4631	.....	.....	.....	4631	
Dharmashalas	180	180	.....	118	118	298	
Chavdis	132	132	132	
Cattle pounds	5	5	5	
Road and Roadside trees	4607	4607	.....	2483	2483	7090	
Water supply :—								
At Phaltan	
In Villages	39	39	39	
Establishment	1585	203	1788	
Total	10315	11900	2840	3043	14943	

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APPENDIX—XX.

Agricultural stock in the Phaltan State during the year 1926-27.

District.	Year.	Horses and Cattle.									Ploughs.		Carts.		Remarks.
		Bullocks.	Cows.	Buffalos		Horses.	Mares.	Colts and Fillies	Asses.	Sheep and Goats.	With two bullocks	With four bullocks	Riding.	Load carrying.	
				Males.	Females.										
Phaltan ...	1926-27.	9188	4995	40	669	107	123	37	136	53,950	...	934	161	1524	

APPENDIX—XXI.

Statement showing the Excise Shops and Excise Revenue of the Phaltan State during the year 1926-27.

Name of State.	Country Spirit.		Opium.		Ganja.		Tari.		Total.		Remarks.
	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	Number of shops.	Revenue.	
Phaltan.	1	9,000	5	6,036	1	6,729	7	21,765	

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APPENDIX

Number.	Heads of receipts.	A. D. 1925-26 Fasli year 1335.	A. D. 1926-27 Fasli year 1336.	Increase.	Decrease.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Rs-	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
	Opening balance	77162	105359	28197	.....
1	Land Revenue :—				
	Jahagiri	} 205334	171995	.....	33339
	Deshmukhi				
2	Sayar Revenue:—				
	Bhang Ganja	8720	6729	... ..	1991
	Liquor	13500	9000	.....	4500
	Salt compensation	2010	2010	.....	.....
	Mohotarpha tax &c.	8134	3917	.....	4217
	Opium	20058	22390	2332	.....
	Stamp on cloth	1375	1226	.....	149
3	Local Funds:—				
	One anna cess... ..	12819	30937	18118	.....
	Local Fund Revenue	1275	2428	1153	.....
	Tolls on roads... ..	10796	5895	.....	4901
	Contribution	3075	3075	.....	.....
4	Other Heads :—				
	Law and Justice	2766	5416	2650	.....
	Stamps	13624	13327	.....	297
	Registration	3228	2973	.....	255
	Forest	5991	3384	.....	2607
	Dispensary	1002	1038	36	.....
	Police	287	16	.....	271
	Jail... ..	22	11	.....	11
	Education	3616	3315	.....	301
	Irrigation	2709	122	.....	2587
	Miscellaneous	13152	9503	.....	3649
5	Tagai... ..	7239	3641	.....	3598
6	Deposits	17226	7173	.....	10053
7	Interest	4297	8078	3781	.....
8	Advances ... ..	...	50	50	.....
9	Loans... ..	10635	19478	8843	.....
10	Provident Fund	1346	.....	.....	1346
	Total	374236	337127	36963	74072
	Grand Total ..	451398	412486	.....	.....

Number.	Heads of expenditure.	A. D. 1925—26 Fasli year 1335	A. D. 1926—27 Fasli year 1336	Increase.	Decrease.
7	8	9	10	11	12
		Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1	Khasgi	12000	14000	2000	.....
2	Land Revenue :—				
	Stipendiary	25254	26038	784	.....
	Vatandar establishment...	58175	59900	1425	.....
	Devasthan Dharmadaya ...	4549	5996	1447	.....
3	Sayar Revenue :—				
	Establishment... ..	342	472	130	.....
	Opium	11895	6844	.....	5051
4	Local Funds:—				
	Works	13865	3043	.....	10822
	Education	12964	12362	.....	602
	Sanitation and Vaccination ...	584	587	3	.....
5	Other Heads :—				
	Law and Justice	4073	3850	.....	223
	Stamps	258	2072	1814	.....
	Registration	770	787	17	.....
	Forest	488	485	.....	3
	Dispensary	4798	4928	130	.....
	Police	22620	24723	2103	.....
	Education	9285	10350	1065	.....
	Public Works	14167	11900	.....	2267
	Tribute	9600	9600	.....	.....
	Pension	5915	6270	355	.....
	Co-opeartive Societies ... ..	.....	3665	3665	.....
	Miscellaneous	53875	58680	4805	.....
	Advances	2650	3048	398	.....
	Jail... ..	1080	551	.....	529
	Tagai advances	605	1710	1105	.....
	Deposits	13632	28445	14813	.....
	Interest	5560	9795	4235	.....
	Loan payment	49609	508	.....	49101
	Loan advanced	3280	9170	5890	.....
	Provident Fund deposited with the L. C. C. Bank	1346	2160	814	.....
	Shares of Laxmi O. C. Bank ...	2500	3500	1000	.....
	Total	346039	325439	47998	68598
	Closing balance	105359	117047
	Grand Total	451398	442486

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APPENDIX—XXIII.

Statement of Medical Relief afforded in the Phaltan State during the year 1926-27.

Dispensary.	Number of patients treated.		Results of in-door cases.				Expenditure.	Daily Average.	Remarks.
	Out-door.	In-door.	Dis-charged.	Absented.	Died.	Remain-ing under treat-ment.			
Phaltan ...	4700	3	3	0	0	0	Rs. 4926	87	

APPENDIX—XXIV.

Vital Statistics of the Phaltan State for the year 1926-27.

Name.	Population.	Births.		Increase.	Decrease.	Deaths.		Increase.	Decrease.	Ratio per 1000 of population.				Remarks.
		Past year.	Present year.			Past year.	Present year.			Births.		Deaths.		
										Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	
Phaltan ...	43285	1835	2005	170	0	1071	1384	313	0	42	46	24	32	

APPENDIX—XXV.

Particulars as to the Schools maintained by the Phaltan State for the year 1926-27.

Number of Schools.		Description of Schools.	Number of pupils on roll on 7th June.		Daily average attendance.		Expenditure.			Remarks.
Past year.	Present year.		Past year.	Present year.	Past year.	Present year.	High School.	Secondary.	Primary.	
1	1	Mudhoji High School ...	130	144	113	132				
1	1	Anglo-Vernaular School	114	128	116	127				
22	23	Primary Boys' School ...	1234	1331	918	960	Rs. 7672	Rs. 2678	Rs. 12362	
1	1	Primary Girls' School ...	92	111	59	62				
1	1	Vedic School ...	15	16	9	9				
Total ...			1585	1730				

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