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OF
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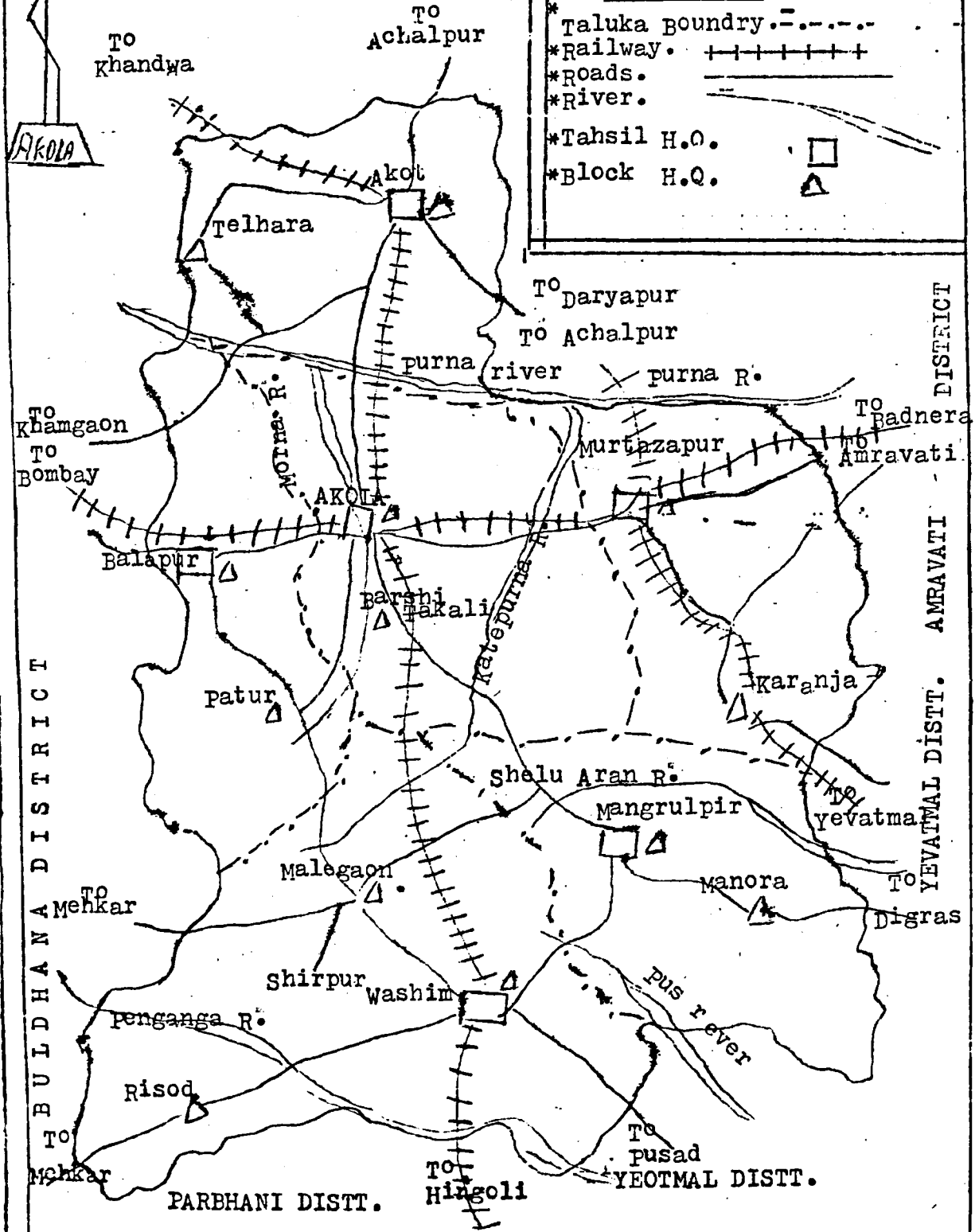
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MAP OF AKOLA DISTRICT

REFERENCES

- * Taluka boundry. - - - - -
- * Railway. + + + + +
- * Roads. —————
- * River. ~~~~~
- * Tahsil H.O. □
- * Block H.O. △



DISTRICT AT A GLANCE

Sr.No.:	ITEM	Unit	District	Maharashtra State
1	2	3	4	5
1.	<u>Location</u>			
	1.1 North Latitudes.	Degrees.	19°5' to 21°1'	16°4' to 22°1'
	1.2 East Longitudes		76°3' to 77°4'	72°6' to 80°9'
2.	<u>Area & Population (According to 1971 Census)</u>			
	2.1 Area.	Sq. Km.	10,567	3,07,762
	2.2 Number of towns.	numbers	9	289
	2.3 Number of villages.		1,708	38,661
	i) Inhabited.		1,489	35,778
	ii) Uninhabited.		219	2,883
	2.4 Rural population.	'000'	11,48	3,47,01
	2.5 Urban population.		3,53	1,57,11
	2.6 Total population.		15,01	5,04,12
	2.7 population of scheduled castes and scheduled Tribes		72	59,80
	2.8 total workers.		6,00	1,83,90
	i) As cultivators and agricultural labours.		4,90	1,19,30
	ii) Others.		1,10	64,60
	2.9 Non-workers.		9,01	3,20,22
	2.10 Literacy			
	i) Male.	percentage	51.84	51.04
	ii) Female.		26.48	26.43
	iii) Persons.		39.55	39.18
3.	<u>Climate</u>			
	3.1 Rainfall 1973	Mms.	1022.4	622 to 6226
	3.2 Temperature 1972			
	a) Maximum (absolute)	Centigrade.	45.7	45.7
	b) Minimum		8.1	8.0
4.	<u>Agriculture 1971-72 *</u>			
	4.1 Cultivable area.	'000' Hectare	858	2,11,83
	4.2 area not available for cultivation.		121	41,93

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District at a glance (Contd.)

1	2	Unit	5,000
4. Agriculture 1971-72 (Contd.) *			
4.3	Area sown	i) Net	1,72,88
		ii) Gross	1,82,77
4.4	Area irrigated	i) Net	14,16
		ii) Gross	16,51
4.5	Area under Forests		53,85
4.6	Scrapped area under food-grains 1972-73		1,05,04
4.7	Land Revenue collection 71-72	Rs.	5,91,19
5. Animal Husbandary 1972			
5.1	Live-stock	'000 Numbers	2,63,61
5.2	Cattle		1,47,05
5.3	Buffaloes		33,01
5.4	Sheep		21,28
5.5	Goats		59,11
5.6	Horses and ponies		58
5.7	Others live-stock		2,58
5.8	Poultry		1,22,17
5.9	No. of Veterinary Hospitals & dispensaries (1973-74) (including branches)	Number	3,60
6. Industries 1972 *			
6.1	Working factories in 1972		10,382
6.2	Average Daily Employment in 72		10,06,941
7. Electricity			
7.1	Electricity Consumed in 1972-73	M.K.W.H.	88,14
7.2	No. of villages & towns electrified at the end of March 1974	Numbers	17,558
8. Co-operation *			
8.1	Co-operative societies (all types) 1972-73		1,353
8.2	Membership	'000	94,71
8.3	Working Capital	Lakh Rs.	20,77,95
8.4	Loan advanced		14,96,60
8.5	Loan advanced by Agril. credit societies		1,60,80

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DISTRICT AT A GLANCE (Contd.)

1	2	3	4	5
9. Medical and Public Health 1972				
9.1	Hospitals.	Numbers	4	299
9.2	Dispensaries.	''	92	1,372
	i) Allopathic	''	42	n.a.
	ii) Aurvedic.	''	50	n.a.
	iii) Unani.	''	nil	n.a.
9.3	No. of Beds in Hospitals and dispensaries.	''	927	43,823
9.4	Birth rate.	per Thousand nos.	27.6	26.0
9.5	Death rate.	''	9.4	9.6
9.6	No. of sterilizations operations done.	number.	12,870	6,09,391
10. Education 1973-74				
(As on 15th July 1973) *				
10.1	primary education.	Numbers.		
	i) Institutions.	''	1,548	46,880
	ii) Students.	'000' ''	203	70,38
	iii) Teachers.	'' ''	6	1,98
10.2	secondary education			
	i) Institutions.	'' ''	180	5,875
	ii) Students.	'000 '' ''	63	24,32
	iii) Teachers.	'' ''	2	92
10.3	Higher education			
(as on 15th July 1973)				
	i) Institutions.	'' ''	17	6,79
	ii) Students.	'000 '' ''	10	4,38
	iii) Teachers.	'' ''	1	n.a.
11. Transport and communication				
11.1	Total Railway length as on 31-3-1973	Km.	354	5,226
11.2	Total extra municipal road length as on March 1973.	''	2,847	1,38,655
11.3	No. of offices	i) Post. number.	332	9,219
	as on March 1973. ii) Telegraphs	''	25	1,011

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DISTRICT AT A GLANCE (Concluded)

1	2	3	4	5
12.	<u>Local self government</u>			
	12.1 Village panchayats	1972-73 Numbers	933	23,013
	12.2 Municipalities.		9	227
13.	<u>Community Development 1973-74</u>			
	13.1 C.P.A. Pattern blocks.		13.00	450.50
	13.2 villages included in		1708	38,716
	13.3 Population covered.	Lakh Rs.	11	351
14.	<u>P L A N</u>			
	14.1 Total expenditure during	Third plan.	407.75	43,473.00
	14.2 Total expenditure during yearly plan			
		1966-67 Lakh Rs.	214.74	11,562.00
		1967-68	205.85	12362.41
		1968-69	261.36	14634.80
14.3	Total Expenditure	1969-70	152.82	14610.44
	during 4th Plan.	1970-71	219.57	17092.17
		1971-72	242.98	19996.58
		1972-73	310.46	21764.45
		(Estimated) 1973-74	291.23	25041.00
15.	<u>Miscellaneous</u>			
	15.1 joint stock companies as on	Numbers	33	7676
		31-3-1973. *		
	15.2 Banking offices in the beginning		56	3072
		of 1972.		
	15.3 <u>Employment</u>	i) Registration	12,785	4,43,347
		<u>Exchange 1973-74</u> ii) Placement.	1,585	44,731
		iii) Live Register		
		at the end of,	18,709	7,01,523
		(31st March 1974.)		

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