

Annual Administration report on the  
Working of Cooperative Societies in the  
Province of Bombay, 1938-39.

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## II-A—Training Classes for Secretaries, Supervisors, etc.

Division.	Place.	Date.	Number of candidates.			Remarks.
			Attend-ed.	Exam-in-ed.	Passed.	
Dharwar	1. Dharwar	10th August 1938 ...	19	.....	.....	
	2. Kalghatgi	7th December 1938 to 9th November 1939.	14	.....	.....	
	3. Hubli	10th December 1938 to 11th December 1938.	21	21	Not declared.	
	4. Annigeri	18th December 1938.	19	Not examined.		
	5. Nargund	22nd December 1938.	16	D.o.		
	6. Annigeri	12th December 1939.	70	D.o.		M.C. train-ing classes.
	7. Gadag	19th June 1939 to 23rd June 1939.	67	57	Not declared.	
	8. Mundargi	25th December 1938.	19	No examination.		M.C. train-ing classes.
	9. Shiggaon	22nd December 1938.	26	D.o.		
	10. Shiggaon	23rd December 1938.	40	D.o.		M.C. train-ing classes.
	11. Dharwar	10th October 1938 to 19th October 1938.	40	40	37	
Belgaum	1. Belgaum	27th November 1939.	8	7	4	
	2. Rudri	25th June 1939 ...	25	Nil.	Nil.	M.C. train-ing classes.
Satara	1. Islampur	26th October 1938 to 27th November 1938.	75	73	9	
	2. Shrigaon	1st January 1939 to 2nd February 1939.	17	No examination.		
		15th February 1939 to 17th February 1939.				
		21st February 1939 to 23rd February 1939.				
Bombay	1. Girgaon	10th February 1939 to 15th March 1939.	30	.....	.....	
	2. Dadar	14th January 1939 to 29th January 1939.	30	.....	.....	
Surat	1. Broach	29th May 1939 to 26th May 1939.	60	.....	.....	
	2. Surat	29th January 1939 to 6th February 1939.	32	31	10	
	3. Sisodra	5th January 1939 ...	125	.....	.....	M.C. train-ing classes.
	4. Ahmed	1st January 1939 ...	65	.....	.....	Do.
	5. Kora	2nd February 1939 ...	60	.....	.....	Do.

## APPENDIX A—contd.

Division.	Place,	Date,	Number of candidates,			Remarks.
			Attend-ed.	Exam-in-ed.	Passed.	
Ahmedabad ...	1. Abhetwa	17th November 1938.	10	.....	.....	M. C. train-ing class-ee.
	2. Vanzeti ...	18th November 1938.	16	.....	.....	Do.
	3. Kadechla.	19th November 1938	20	.....	.....	Do.
Dhulia ...	1. Niphad ...	7th September 1938 to 9th September 1938.	26	No examination.	.....	
	2. Deola ...	4th October 1938 to 9th October 1938.	26	.....	.....	
Jalgaon ...	1. Chinch-kheda.	9th November 1938	65	.....	.....	
	2. Taiwada...	14th November 1938.	48	.....	.....	
	3. Nargaon	20th November 1938.	77	.....	.....	
	4. Padinse	24th November 1938.	55	.....	.....	
	5. Edalabed.	27th November 1938.	108	.....	.....	

## APPENDIX (B).

## DETAILED ACTIVITIES OF THE RURAL DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT.

(1) *Prevention of Erosion of Soil.*

This activity is confined to the Deccan and Karnatak Districts. In the East and West Khandesh Districts and in the Nasik District the departmental staff with the help of kamgars appointed from village improvement grants of the respective districts was able to get bunds constructed on 1,410, 2,711 and 7,559 acres respectively. In the West Khandesh District Taluka Development Associations also interested themselves in this kind of activity and 1,410 acres in 14 villages were protected by construction of small bunds. In the Nasik District aid of a tractor paid out the expense of the village improvement grant for constructing basic bunds helped considerably to speed up the work.

In the Poona and Satara Districts about 432 and 103 acres in 26 and 16 villages respectively were banded, and in some cases also levelled. Besides this the Bunding Officer, Poona, surveyed and prepared bunding schemes as under :—

Serial No.	District.	No. of schemes.	Area for which schemes were prepared.	Remarks.
			Acres.	
1	Poona ... . ...	1	15	Tagai application.
2	Do. ... ...	9	150	Schemes prepared on individual applications.
3	Ahmednagar ; ... .	19	800	Do. do.
4	Sholapur ... .	6	70	Do. do.

In Poona, Ahmednagar and Sholapur Districts one Sub-overseer each was entertained from the village improvement grants. A similar post was sanctioned for the Satara District but it was not filled during the period under report.

In the Bijapur District, there were several applications for surveying and preparing bunding schemes. Out of these, 8 schemes covering an area of 386 acres were surveyed and bunding projects were prepared.

**Training classes in Bunding.**—Classes for training agriculturists in practical methods of scientific bunding were continued in the Deccan and Karnatak Districts. They were newly introduced in