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## PREFACE

The present dissertation deals with the trends in economic development of the Beed district, in Marathwada region. The economic development leads to a sustained rise in real income resulting into increase in the standard of living of the people in the region. The development is characterized by increase in the productivity of agriculture, which may push up the industrial activity in the district. Here the word trend takes into consideration the functions in upward and downward directions.

The object of this work is to review the economic situation of the district from 1961 to 1975. The present situation of a region depends on the historical conditions prevailed in the past hence a brief history is narrated in the First Chapter, along with the natural resources available in the district. The Second Chapter analyses the broad demographic features. The agriculture and industrial position is dealt with in the Third and Fourth Chapters respectively. The Fifth Chapter reveals the position with respect to infrastructure, employment, education, medical and public health services in the district. The Sixth Chapter indicates the overall position of the district in Maharashtra State. In the last Chapter an attempt is made to explore the potential for development of the Beed district.

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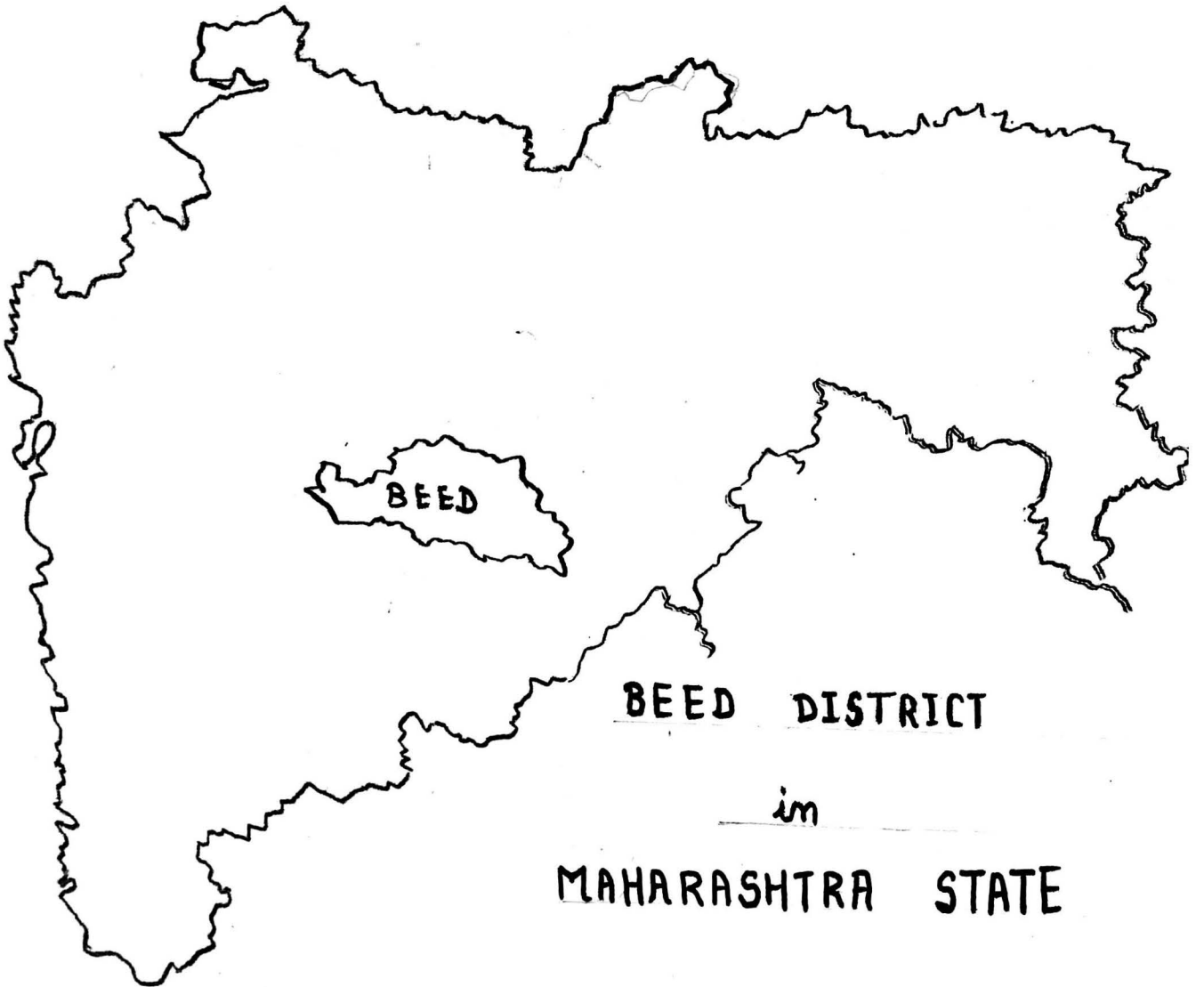
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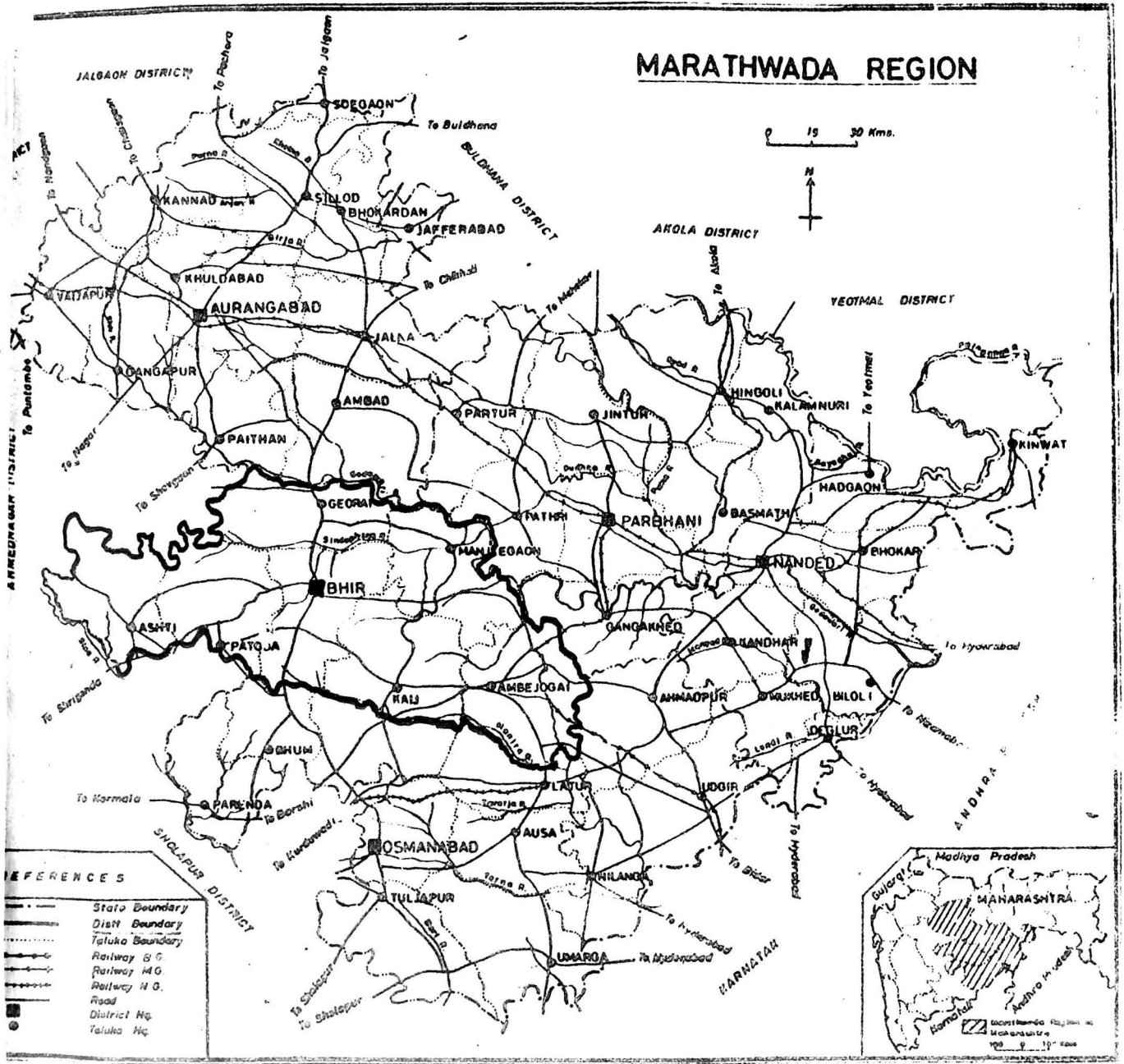
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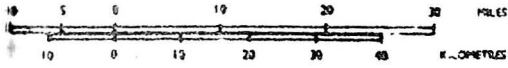
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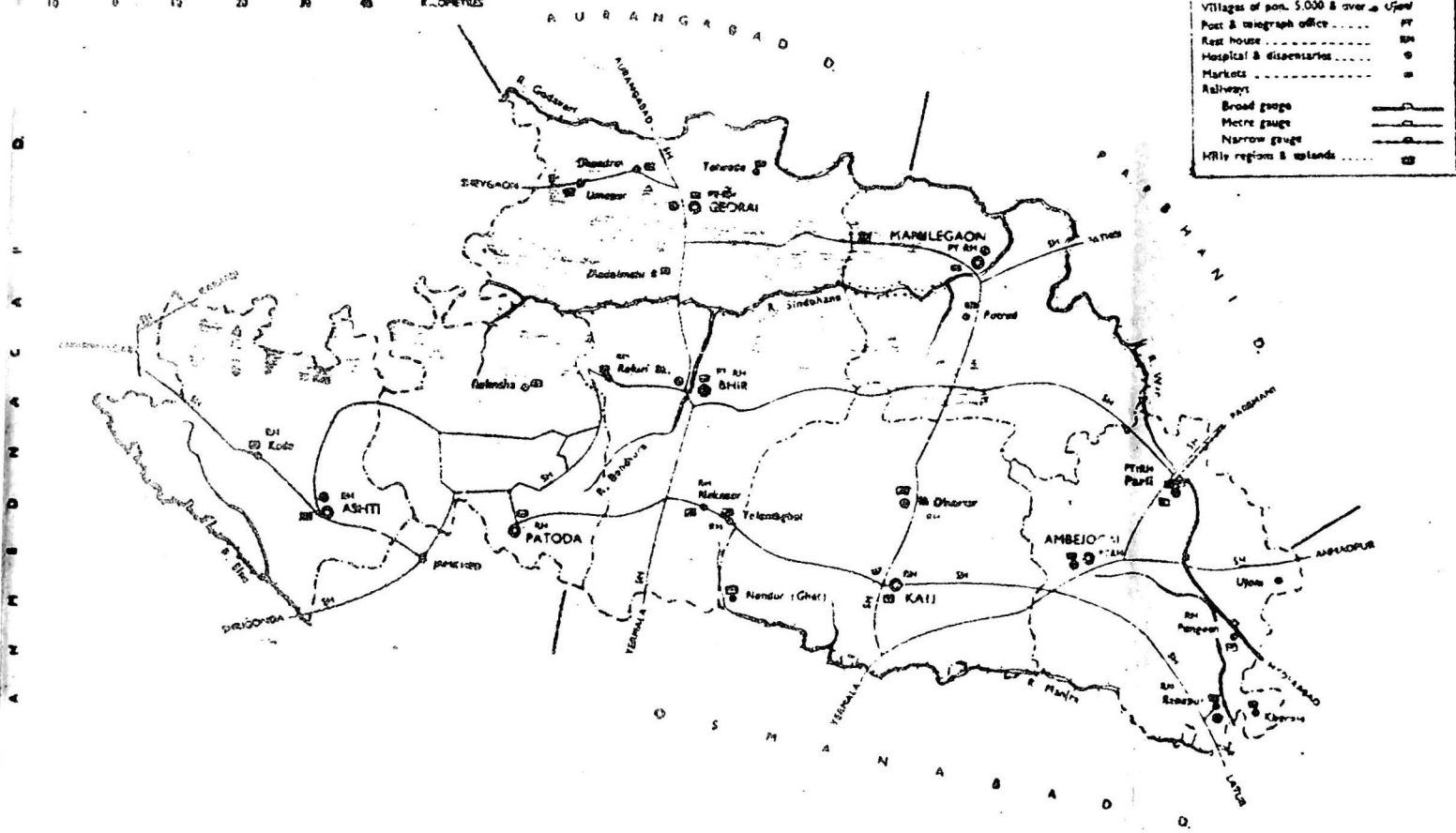


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**BHIR DISTRICT**  
MAHARASHTRA



District hq.	●
Tahsil hq.	○
District boundary	—
Tahsil boundary	- - -
National highway	==
State highway	—+—
Other roads	---
Rivers, canals, tanks etc.	~
Towns	■
Villages of pop. 5,000 & over	□
Post & telegraph office	PT
Rest house	RH
Hospital & dispensaries	H
Markets	M
Railways	—+—
Broad gauge	—+—
Metre gauge	—+—
Narrow gauge	—+—
IRIS regions & islands	□



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