mravati District of Maharashtra State of India comprising (14) fourteen Tahsil have brought to light in some important Arabic, Persian and Urdu Inscriptions from places as under, Achalpur (Ellichpur), Amner and Gawilgarh in Amravati District.

Alamgiri & Nawwabs of Achalpur Inscriptions from Achalpur District Amrayati, Maharashtra.



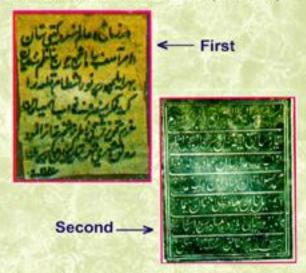
The inscription of Mughal Emperor Aurangzeb Alamgir (1659-1707 A.D.) from Jami Masjid (Mosque), Stating that the mosque laying in a ruinous condition was reconstructed along with its reservoir by the Great Khan Ali Mardan Khan in regnal year 41 = 1696-97 A.D.

Ruler of Bhonsla Dynasty Raja Mudhoji, 1(1772-88 A.D.) Bhonsla of Nagpur is represented in 5 inscription all them copied from Achalpur District Amravati (Maharashtra).

From Achalpur in District Amravati and Balapur in Akola District come 5 records of the ruler of Panni Dynasty, representing Nawwabs of Achalpur (Ellichpur):

- 1. Nawwab Ismail Khan Panni (1764-75 A.D.)
- 2. Nawwab Salabat Khan Panni (1775-1824 A.D.)
- 3. Nawwab Namdar Khan Panni (1824-45 A.D.)
- 4. Nawwab Ibrahim Khan I Panni (1845-... A.D.)

- Nawwab Ghulam Hasan Khan Panni (.....-1853 A.D.)
- 6. Nawwab Ibrahim Khan II Panni (1853 A.D.)



Above two Persian inscriptions from Achalpur (Ellichpur) District Amravati (Maharashtra)

First from Malipura Gate that assigns the construction of lofty edifice i.e. the Gate to Khush Khabar Khan under instruction from Nawwabs of Achalpur, Nawwab Ismail Khan Panni (1764-75 A.D.) during the reign of Mughal Emperor Shah Alam II (1759-88 A.D.) in A.H. 1180=1766-67 A.D.

Second from Palace of Nawwabs of Achalpur Nawwab Namdar Khan Panni assigns construction of a mansion called Aina Mahal to Nawwab of Achalpur Nawwab Muhammad Namdar Khan Panni (1824-45 A.D.) in A.H. 1238=1822-23 A.D.



An Urdu
inscription from Namdar
Bagh, records a
chronogram A.H.
1229=1813-14A.D. for the
construction of the Garden.

Asaf Jahi Inscriptions from Achalpur District, Amravati, Maharashtra.

The Persian inscription of Asaf Jahi dynasty of Nizams of Hyderabad from Malipur Gate, records construction of the Gate and orders of Nizamul Mulk (Ali Khan) Asaf Jah II, at



the hands of Nawwabs of Achalpur Nawwab Ismail Khan Panni (1764-75 A.D.) under the supervision of Khush Khabar Khan in A.H. 1184=1770-71 A.D.



Another Asaf
Jahi inscription from
Bada Imambara assigns
the construction of the
building dedicated to
Imam (Husain , May
Allah Be Pleased With
Him) to Nawwabs of
Achalpur (Ellichpur)
Nawwab Muhammad
Namdar Khan Bahadur
"Panni" a loyal servant
of Nizams of Hyderabad

of Nawwab Nizamul Mulk (Sikandar Jah) Asaf Jah Bahadur III (1803-29 A.D.), in A.H. 1236=1820-21 A.D.

Alamgiri Inscritption from Amner District, Amravati, Maharashtra.

M u g h a l inscription of Emperor Aurangzeb Alamgir from Tomb of Lal Khan, Amner in District A m r a v a t i (Maharashtra) States



that Lal Khan was killed in the service of Mughal Emperor Aurangzeb Alamgir (1659-1707A.D.), at Badhnur and was buried at Amner in District of Amravati, Maharashtra, in the given year A.H. 1100=1689-90 A.D., and for the merit of his soul, Husain built, in addition to the tomb, a mosque, a tank and garden in the regnal year 36=1690-91 A.D.



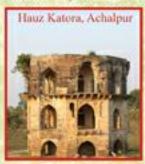
Above the Persian inscription from Amner, District of Amaravati, Maharashtra, assigning the construction of a structure (unspecified) to Ismail Khan in A.H. 1055=1645-46 A.D.

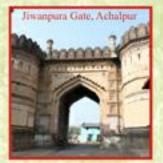
An Inscription from Gawilgarh Fort, District Amravati, Maharashtra.



An inscription from the Gawilgarh Fort, Gawilgarh, District of Amravati, Maharashtra, assigning the construction of a bastion in Gawil to Bahram in A.H. 985=1577-78A.D.

With the help of these epigraphs (Arabic, Persian and Urdu Inscriptions) we can easily prepare a list of name of monuments, Aina Mahal (mansion), Babur Rahman (gate), Bad-i-Zafar (i.e. wind of Victory-Bulandpura Gate), Faid Bahr (ocean of bounty i.e. well) Darwaza-i-Malipura & Darwaza-i-Nagpur, all monuments are situated in Achalpur (Ellichpur) District of Amravati, Maharashtra.









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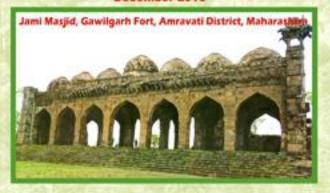
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