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Thirty-five years ago, Hiware Bazar, Maharashtra, struggled with drought, poverty, hunger, migration, and alcoholism. Today, it stands tall as a model of swaraj, self-reliance, and collective transformation.

-  No political power. Only people power.
-  Water where there was none.
-  Green where there was dust.
-  Productivity where there was despair.
-  No liquor. No migration. No farmer suicides.

Under the visionary leadership of Popatrao Pawar, the journey of Hiware Bazar is more than a story. It is a movement that has now sparked change in tribal belts and suicide-hit villages across India.

