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At Lonavala Easter Bungalow

FEBRUARY 26, 1904
STUDIES IN SLANG
WRITTEN BY ANDREW LANG

"The English tourist was holding his head." This is quoted from a work in two volumes entitled "Fables in Slang," by George Ade, published by Doubleday, Page & Co., in that centre of culture, Chicago.

I may be disappointed because after all, I have read more slang in a perfectly solemn American magazine article on municipal corruption than in the Fables of Mr. Ade. Slang is a profitable study; it often yields a language in the making, their shades, sources, and wondering what qualities make a new slang word popular, and enable it to oust an orthodox old word of the same meaning.

In the course of this hundred narrative a native tells a girl who waits at table that "the blinding under the left ear is very poor, and you are not careful some one will sign you as a spotted girl." What is "blinding," and why are spotted girls signed?

Among other philological puzzles we note "is the graft played out?" "a racy person," "a crach," "a night stand," "a rube town," "a j-town," "a four-flash drummer," rooster from the days of underhand pitching." Pitching is the term for bowling at base-ball if it is bowling a matter for the umpire's decision, but is a "rooster" equivalent to a dairy-cropper? The following appears to refer to the term mainly positive. "She could with any topic that was bat her, and then slam it over in time to head off the rakes."



A Sketch by the Author in the Painting and Color of Anthony TOTHILL, SHARP & CO.

... to be a combination here of soccer and Rugby football, but "the bishness" is deeply perplexed. "Can't rong" may be excellent advice, but clamours for a translator, who may reign without knowing that he is wrong. "Clarence stood in with a toughest push in town, he learned to shoot craps and rush the cat." The last phrase may mean to push about a bottle, but to say what kind of bird or beast the crap is, and what kind of education the crap-shooters had, demands an education more sensitive and peculiar, if not more brutal than that of the peasant jester. "Gut" I think, from the context, is equivalent to what we call "pulcraetary." "The lookout" certainly wants the culprit, a "squab" is a young man, a "yap" is an old man. Walt Whitman sings (as far as he can be said to sing) of "a barbaric yap." "Oodles" means "plenty" or "abundance," as in "oodles of slang." To make a horrible beef is to express discontent. The nature of "a burgoo picnic" defies investigation. "A jazzy little taxedo" is an article of male attire.

One leaves with regret that brandy and alcohol are "paraphernalia," which means "that which a bride brings over and above her dowry." Why should a bride bring not only alcohol but brandy also? No light is thrown by my reading on the mannered properties of "a dinky gavel" or on the process described as "dropping a dove brodie," or on the nature of "mobilness," or on staking a person to a meal ticket, or "putting on a pair of pneumatic sneakers," or "giving the woddy bee he." ... Looking at the whole compilation one feels it may be full of interesting matter, but nobody can decipher it.

NESTLE'S
MALT FOOD.
MILK MALT FOOD.



The Impossible Voyage, 1904

1904



with the help of the senior officer
a Sanskrit scholar, Dr. *Swami Vivekananda*
Pople Shandarkar, Dada sets up the
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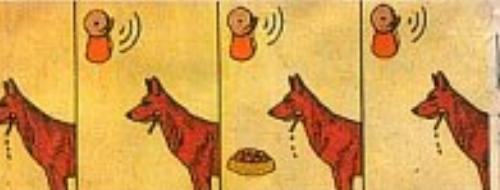
Ravi Verma visits Lonavala with
his model and his model cum friend.

The overseer of his printing press

Glascher, goes hunting with his
German photo gun buying a Talking Machine, buy the

GRAMOPHONE

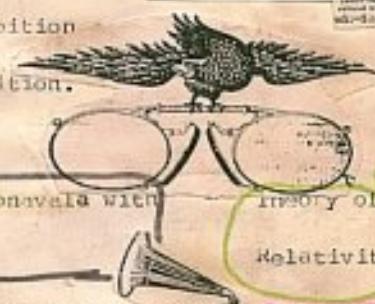
An advertisement by the Gramophone and Phonograph Society of America



In the course of his research on digestion, Dr. Pavlov seems to have stumbled upon findings with important implications for psychology. In order to obtain saliva for study, he gave meat powder to laboratory dogs. Soon they began salivating merely at the sight of the experimenter. On further investigation, Pavlov found the dogs would react to the sound of a bell if they associated it with food. If a dog's behavior



Lautrec and lithography
Lautrec's posters are lithographs - prints taken from drawings made on flat blocks of limestone, using the kind of press shown in this detail from a magazine he designed. Since each colour had to be printed from separate stone, he employed only three or four colours in each poster, which suited the simplicity of his drawings and gave impact to his images. Lautrec was an expert craftsman, who worked hard in the printing shop and even evolved some new techniques.



MEMORY OF
Relativity.

Abanindranath

becomes vice -
principal of
Government

College of Art,

Calcutta.

Madras opens its

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We supply Gramophones from Rs. 25 to Rs. 250,
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The first and only complete Indian Gramophone
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Blahinstone Picture

Palace.

1906

Dada's father die.

20th October, Raja Rev.

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Tilak writes his

Mudaliar, born 1831

cycle - importing cotton

Watson and Company, ship

with his cousin.

"Arctic Home of the

Vedas" while in

prison.

First radio

broadcast.

first Cubist painting

Les Demoiselles

"Avignon" - Picasso.

Demand for Home Rule.

TOI report on the

of travellers.

Friday, June 28th,

the King's birthday.

TOI report about

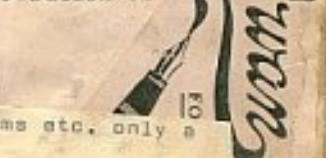
child labour in

factories.

Boy scout movement

founded.

Position of



1907

Dhalchandra born, Dada's first

child.

Raja Ravivarma



1908

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LAMPS

AND

LINTERNS



Everyone died during Plague.

Grandpa, Grandma etc.

Raghu kaka (Dhakte Bhau)

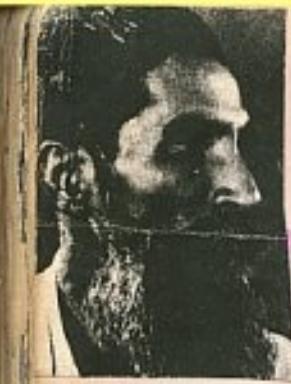
His wife

Children

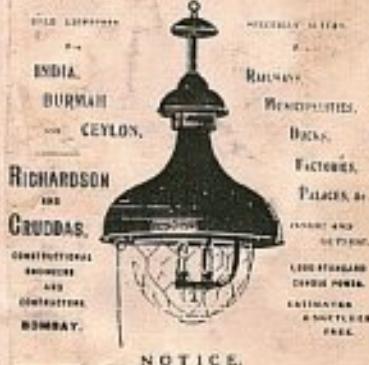
House without caretaker.

House ruined. Villagers stole bricks, beams etc. only a

Wiran (when she saw it).



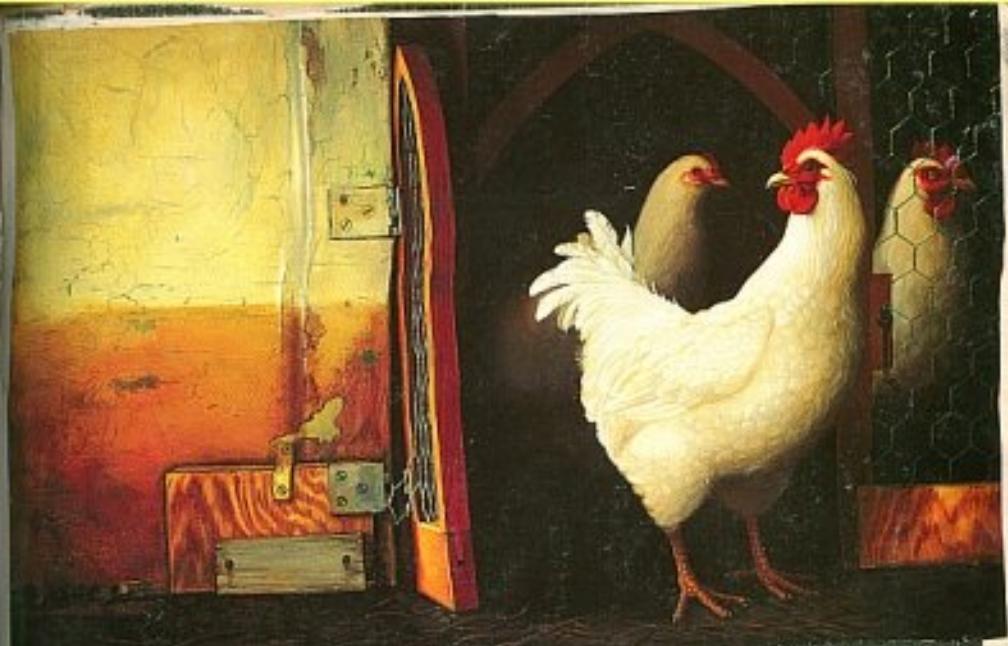
"KITSON" Incandescent Oil Light.



outing. In Rawalpindi we often went to the club, which had a large playground for children, and all the nannies gossiped together and knitted or embroidered while they kept a watchful eye on their "charges".

My hair was always worn short (for the hot climate), and cut by my mother ("Keep still or I'll cut your ear off!"), and Nanny always parted it on one side and tied a large hank of it with a bright ribbon bow, chosen to match whichever freshly ironed dress I wore. On one afternoon walk, when I was two or three, I remember we went to a park where we encountered a British soldier with a small monkey on his shoulder. Of course, I was fascinated, and Nanny and the soldier were chatting away when the animal suddenly reached down and yanked at the bright hair ribbon. He got it, with all the hair bound up in it as well. Nanny was mortified.





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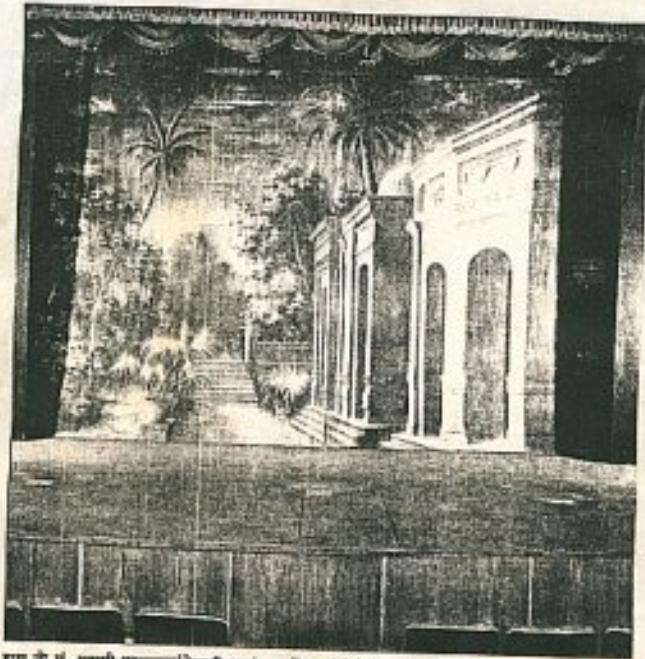
Dada, holiyan Lonavala

A photograph of a traditional Indian building with arched doorways and windows. In the foreground, there is a large, ornate pot on a stand. The building has intricate carvings and a tiled roof.

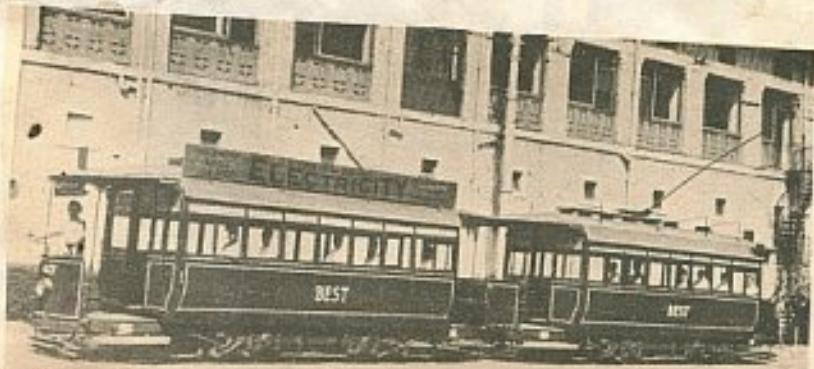
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1909 - 1911

The famous Austrian theatre director Max Reinhardt comes every summer to Munich to produce some plays at the prestigious "Künstlertheater". Franz Osten takes an active part in these productions in order to gain experience in the art of directing.



ताम तो मैं, एकांकी महान्याविद्वानी आगंतार गेटा चाँची केलेता मृत्युर्हित्या पदक





BOMBAY

1909

STUDIOS OF AMERICAN ENTERTAINERS
DR. DASTOUR
AND THE MILLION DOLLAR STARS



Mahadev, the second son, born.

Dada enters into partnership with

Seth Purushottandas Navji to open

his Laxmi Printing Art in Dadar,

Bombay. Leaves for Germans seeking

higher technology in printing art.

On his return prints "Swarnamala"

a Marathi monthly, the first to use three - colour process. Gets

- a report.

Our telephones - a report.

Tillak Defense Fund

- a letter.

Party reaches the

North Pole.

The
But before we talk about Painter's prolific record as a studio painter, we must remember that both he and Anandrao began their careers as painters of stage curtains and designers of theatrical decor in well-known companies of the time. In Bombay, in 1909-10, Keshavno Bhosale (the actor-producer whose centenary is also being celebrated this year) commissioned Anandrao to paint the "scenery" of his major productions. During this time Bhosale was running a photography studio in Madhavbaug. The two joined hands and successfully completed the company.

additional work from Times of India.

ENO'S FRUIT SALT

Proprietary of J. C. ENO LTD., FRUIT SALT WORKS, LONDON, E.C.

Differences with Seth Purushottandas

1910



about the running of the press.

Nadia was born Mary Evans. Her mother was Greek and her father Welsh. Her professional career started as a stenotypist.

T. Radialiar, car import under Ronnerdan Company.

Letters to TOI

- the Indian

Anarchists;

- the Chintpavan

Brahmins;

- Transvaal Indians

- Indian textbooks

Remington



१९११ में अमेरिका को सर्वानि १९१० में
प्राप्त हुई रिचार्ड गर्ड तो यहाँ गौरव
प्राप्त नहीं। कि इस समय नेपाली भूमि
अलगाव के बावें के प्रभाव खोड़ने के बीच
के जरूर थे। जिस गवाहाकारों के बिल न
बोर्ड एवं दोस्तों के लिए भी यही जाती
थी। उनके सबसे छोटे वर्ष हुई। तो यह
के बिन उन्होंना यहाँ यहाँ बुरा
बोर्ड दिए गए हैं। नेपाली लोग जाने के
प्रत्यय ने निराम अस्ति गोदी नहीं तबाह है।
इसी उम्मि भवितव्य से।

SATURDAY NEXT,
SATURDAY NEXT,
OCTOBER 14th,
PERMANENT OPENING
of the
ROYAL OPERA HOUSE.
MADAME E. HARRIS
will present the
GREAT RAYMOND
AND COMPANY.
The World's Master of Mystery,
MAGICIAN,
HUMORIST and
FANTASIST.



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ITAL OPERA HOUSE
187 SIKKIM ROAD,
LORDS EASTERN CHAM.

"KINEMACOLOR."

During the discussion
on the future of the
newspaper, it was
decided to take a
show as well, so
that we can earn
more money and
improve our
position. We
will do the best
shows in the coming
year.

In an open Kinema
conference held today,
we gathered that the
first film programme
of "Kinemacolor" shows in
Laxmi should well be
done to the best advantage
and all those who have the
means of the art
should do something
for the benefit of
the public. The
shows will be
shown in the coming
year.

TO-NIGHT TO-MORROW
"KINEMACOLOR,"
THE WORLD'S LARGEST
FILM STUDIO.

The Goddess of the
Marketing League and Queen
Day (in black and white)

3 SHOWS NIGHTLY
TICKETS 1/-

20 JULY 1935



Phalke leaves Laxmi Printing Art.

A meeting is called at the residence
of ex-mayor **Hegde**, Master to
persuade him to start a new press.

The **Gujarati** businessman:

Sister, do not worry that Laxmi Art
has been lost. If Phalke Seth wishes,
we can raise a Saraswati Art in one
day.

Phalke answers:

Laxmi Art was my own creation. How
can I myself bring any harm to it? I
don't want to go into printing anymore.

His wife, **Saraswati**, and his friend,
G. S. Ranade, owner of the Temple of
Industries, are unhappy with his
decision.

Saraswati:

[The hard, round-the-clock work he
had put in over the three-colour
process, the "Swarnamala" monthly,
without caring for proper food or
sleep seriously affected his system
and sight.] He kept telling us that we

Jung's "The

Psychology of the
Unconscious."

Alexander's
Ragtime Band.

China declared a
republic.

First Expressionist
exhibition - the
Blue Riders.

South Pole reached.

The first Cloud
chamber.

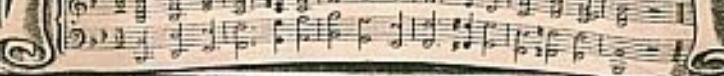
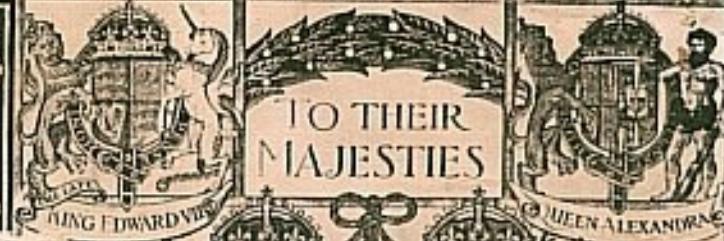
Letters to TOI
- Gold mint for India.
- Clothing beggars.
- At Coronation

Durbar in Delhi.



PEARS

SOAPMAKERS BY APPOINTMENT



would take up some new business.

We had then come to stay at Ismail

Building at Chowpatty and two of our
children were still very small.

Medical treatment, and even fasts

and ritual offerings on my part were
of no avail. I used to look at the

ocean and think of our future. Then

eyes



Dr. Prabhakar came like an angel and
restored his sight after a year's

treatment.

During his blindness he played host

to various story singers. After

recovering his sight he started

visiting Elphinstone theatre. His

brother-in-law, Anantrao Karandikar,

Vitthalrao Sankhalkar, playwright

Navalkar staged "Tarakmarak

Manovijay Katha Karmayogi".

15th April 1911:

S.D.M.

In this period his daily walks on

the beach with his son Babarao

was a regular affair. Keeping four

annas in his pocket my husband

would go for a walk and return in



EXCELSIOR CINEMATOGRAPH.

TO-NIGHT

THE

CHIEF'S TALISMAN,

A THRILLING STORY OF THE WILD WEST.

FOOLSHEAD—CHAUFFEUR.

IS HE A LIKED OR NOT?

STRIDES OF LONGER AND THOUGH THE DESERT,

SAVED FROM CRIME,

TRAGEDY INFLICTED ON A LONELY GIRL,

MUSCLE DEVELOPMENT.

WITH MUSIC AND SONGS.

AND

Other popular pictures.

MRS. RATAN TATA'S RECEPTION

TO THE INDIAN PRINCES

AT YORK HOUSE,

A FESTIVAL CELEBRATION OF THE GREAT AND SMALL.

TIME AND PRICES AS USUAL.

TO-MORROW

GRAND PRIZE SHOW

TUE 8 p.m.

One Gold and two Silver Pictures given away.

SATURDAY NEXT, OCT. 5TH

THE OPENING OF OUR COLD

SEASIDE

THE GREAT FRENCH FILM

IN THE GRIP

OF ALCOHOL.

This picture is one of the most sensational we

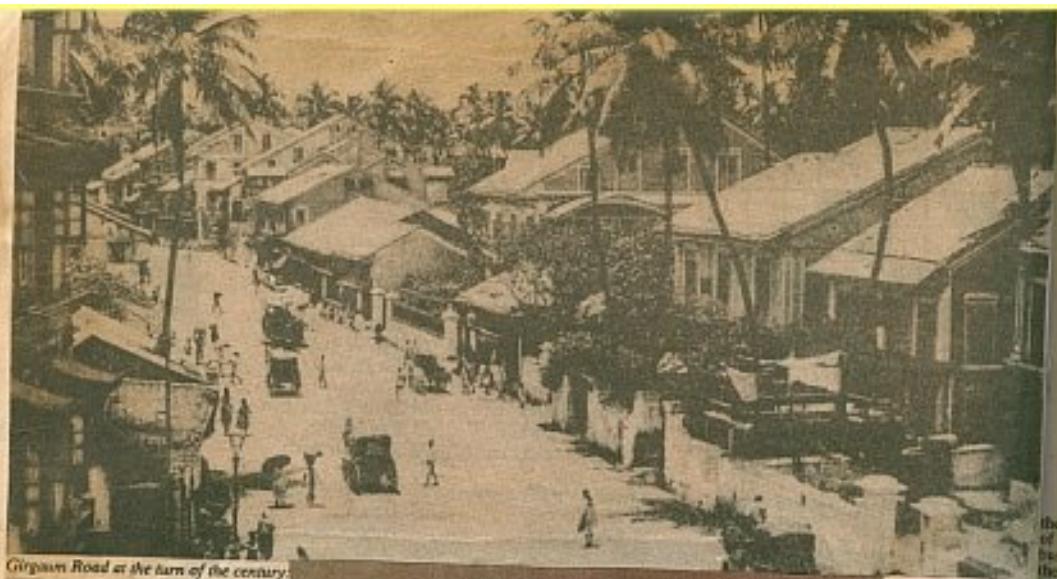
have ever shown and is rated with an intense

alarm interest. It is a picture with a lesson and

lesson to it.

Cash Prize Giveaway.

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Girgaum Road at the turn of the century.



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the late evening.

It was Easter day. Next to Girgaum

Dank road, in America-India Colony,

a tent theatre / a film was being

shown, "Life of Jesus", showing the

birth, miracles, trials, sufferings,

burial, resurrection and ascension

of Christ. *The new messiah*

Phalke:



SPELLBOUND

while the life of Christ was rolling

fast before my physical eyes I was

mentally visualising the gods Shri

Krishna, Shri Ram, their Gokul and

Ayodhya. I was gripped by a strange

spell. I bought another ticket and

saw the film again. Could this really

happen? Could we, the sons of India,

ever be able to see Indian images on

the screen?

Phalke met the theatre manager, Mr.

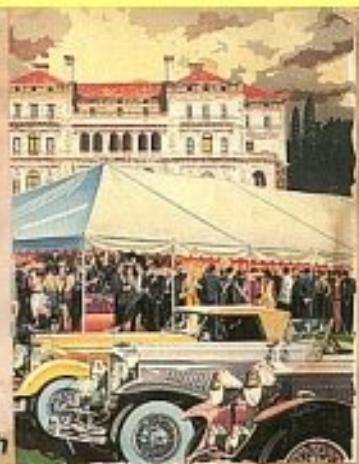
Mehta, saw the projection machine.

Saraswati:

One day on their coming back, Baburaya

clung to me and said, "Today we saw a

wonderful thing. Pictures were moving.



"The Bhavani Shankar temple built by the renowned Jagannath Shankarshet is at the end of Girgaum on the road to Mahalaxmi. Adjoining it he has built a dharashala where the poor and needy can take shelter. Nearby is his own palatial residence, filled with treasures beyond compare. Beautiful fountains play and a cool breeze blows in the vast gardens.

old memories of life in
Girgaum in the second decade
of this century. There were no
cars in Girgaum in those days;
the only cars from two temples—
Deo Datta right up to Bori Bunder.
There was hardly any drainage
and I remember that the streets
were flooded with water and washed
every morning, just after
the milkmen went around the lanes
with their carts selling cow's milk
which was an excellent substitute
for mother's milk."

The Chowpatty beach was not
too far away, but the residents of
Girgaum seldom enjoyed the won-
derful sea breeze. An enterprising
portuguese named Mama Marathe,
who lived in the Geengapurkar
Cave, decided that he would take
all the children from his chawl to
the Chowpatty beach every morn-
ing at 7.30. His only condition was
that the children should have their
teeth before the outing. This was
because municipal water supply
was not available on the top floors
after a certain hour and this would
allow the rats to bathe on their
teeth.

"Sir, Mama was a family
friend. I was also included in what
we called the Chowpatty-patras. At
the beach, we girls played koli-
ki, lond, thoppa-patti and phid
census while the boys played
cricket or football. Soon children
from all the buildings right up to
Dhanshiv started coming to
the swimming sessions. Mama con-
sciously made sure that each
child swam some safety, and
occasionally, as a special treat, he
would have a train."

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मरम्मतका काम
परना चिकुल नया

दमारे यहो शामोकेन, हारमोमियम,
वेद, बलारेव, बला हृषीक त्रिवर प्रकार के मरी
मरम्मत वालि यथ प्रकार के मरान की मरम्मत थोड़ी जब
चिकुल उचित मूल्य पर देती है कि एकी जाह वर्ती हो
जीर किस

इनो साक और उम्मा कि यथ उम्मो लगानी
ते खोख लगायें।

‘हिज माधुसं वयेस’

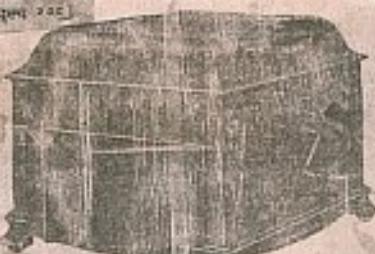
‘परनीश्वर’ नं० २ और नं० ४ खाइज
वयस् ॥१॥ में चिकुल नया यना
दिया जाता है।

कृषि दोर से यामोकेन और कुला यार्द यामोकेन
यथ इमारे यहो बदते यामोकेन।
अधिक विल के लिये पर चिकुला

मरम्मत उपल
चिकुल, लेगत
को लकड़ी का
लेगत
परिषत परिषत
एवं नद का
टोन्डार्म
मुम्भली लगा
‘हृषी’ वा
माह द वयस
चिकुल विल
नं० १५५५
मूल्य २००।

काल्पनिक प्रकार का यादू लुहार वयस्स
सिनेमा दियाने की एक छोटी-सी नशीन खरीद लाए थे, उस पर दाढ़ी के असी
दुख चिकुले पर चीत बढ़ाते, किर उस मरम्मत का हैडल हाथों से घुमा कर में सामग्री
पर्दे पर उस चिकुलीते के दुखों को दियाने, चिकुली के पीछे एक दीपा होता था, उस दीपे की रोशनी फिल्म के परिषे पर पड़ती और साथने सागे रुद्धी के लेन्स से पुराक
आगे कुछ फलाने पर लगाए नए छोटे से पर्दे पर उन्हीं दुखों को दियाती थी, उस दिव
इन चिकुलियों की देख कर लोगों में बदा मजा जाता था, दाढ़ु लुहार वह सिनेमा दियाने
के लिए एक वैसा, दो पैसा, टिकट लिया करते थे, उस हैडल को एक ही गति में दिय
उटकम दिए, घुमाना मैंने लीक लिया था।

इस मरम्मत पर दियार्द जाने वाली एक फिल्म में एक या उपने वर्षे यों प्रमाण
कुछ दिल्ला-पिला रही है, ऐसा दुख था, पूरी फिल्म में वह चाहिला बस यही जरूरी थी
एक और फिल्म की, जिसमें एक वर्ष एक स्त्री को लकड़तार चढ़ाते हुए दियाया रहा
था, सिनेमा दियाने की इस दीपी में बाद में वे तरह-तरह के प्रयोग करने सब
बोल्पतः उस चुम्बनवाली फिल्म की प्रारंभ में बहुत दीपी गति से घुमला और बदरे
पेंडल घुमाने की गति बढ़ाते जाता, परिचामतः धंड में वह जोका फटाफट घुमल
देखाते देते था, इस पर लोगों में हसी के फलारे छूटते थे।



‘नया’ हिज माधुसं वयेस
नया ट्रिविल ग्रांड बगोर हाने का ग्रामाकान

प्रारंभिक नं० ३०५



देका सफरी
ग्रामोफोन
जोकि

अल्बनन ही उमदा और
माल विलायत में यहो है
इस देका महीनों से चोर जाता,
जाता रहने है। जाते समय
बहुत ही जबरी छुप रहती है

मालें बुझ, बन, नियम औलार कुल पुर्ण और उदासी जामानाहार ५५।
इस के हानाहार ५५। लक के देका यामोकेन इमारे यहो हर वयस्स तेजाम
मिलते हैं।

कृषि इस के यारा परा यामोकेन योगीपत मेनमे की
यामा ग्रामन कर्मे ?

प्रेसिपर

प्रेसिपर यामोकेन; चालोन, प्रेसिपर यारा

प्रावृत्तकल मयोकेन।

प्र० १३ यामोकेन स्ट्रॉट बोर ० स्लो लिंग इसे ०, यामोकेन



There were trains, tigers, elephants,
and a fat man."

Saraswati:

What did you show him?

Phalker:

Cinema.

Saraswati:

What is cinema?

Phalker:



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Come with me and see for yourself.

Saraswati:

That night he remained very restless.

He would open books and refer to

them.
Read

Next day we both went to see the
cinema. We came to an illuminated
tent on Sandhurst Road. It was called
American Cinematograph. The hall was
crowded with Christians and Europeans.
The film was coloured in Kinemacolor
process.

On the way back home he said:

Now you will automatically know
everything since we are going
take up the same business. Like

our
future
begins
now.

[I have written this note to my son, so that he can start with our efforts later.]