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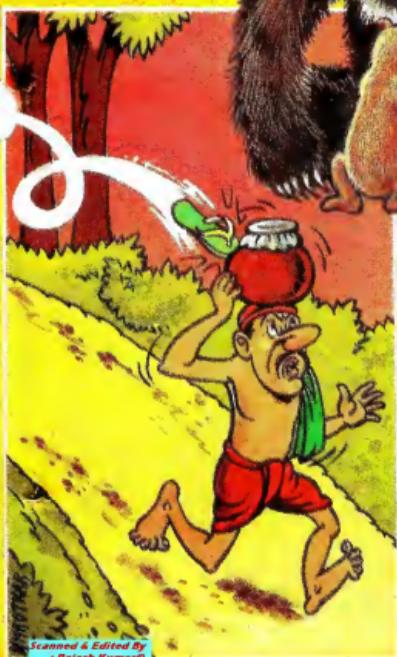


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# FLY IN THE BOTTLE

Based on a story sent by  
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THERE WAS A GIRL WHO LIVED WITH HER MOTHER. WHEN THE TIME CAME FOR THE GIRL TO MARRY, THE OLD WOMAN BROUGHT HER SEVERAL SUITORS BUT —

HE'S TOO FAT...



THE GIRL REJECTED THEM ALL.  
FINALLY HER MOTHER GOT FED UP—

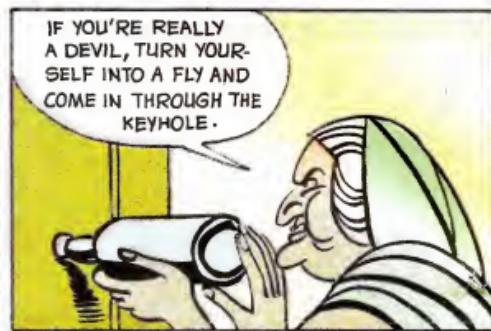


A DEVIL HAPPENED TO BE PASSING BY AND WHEN HE HEARD THE OLD WOMAN'S WORDS HE WAS FILLED WITH JOY.

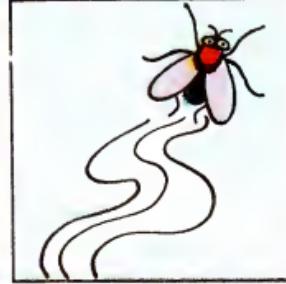
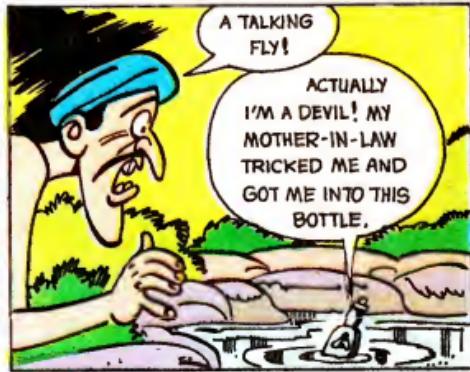


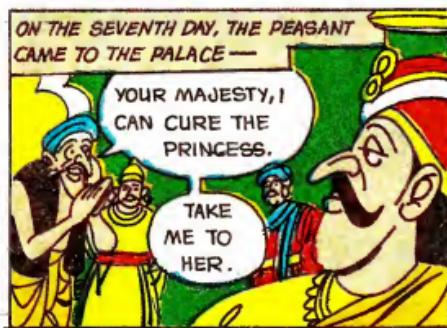
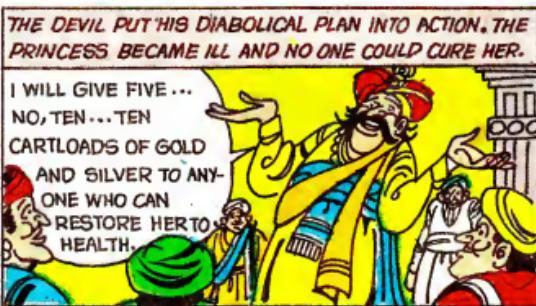
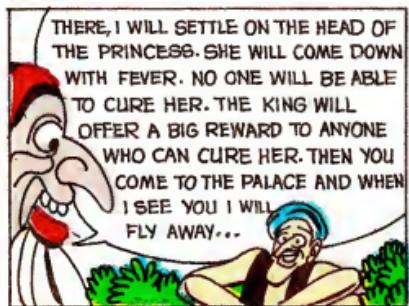
HE MUST HAVE HEARD YOU SAY THAT YOU WOULD GIVE ME EVEN TO A DEVIL AND HE HAS COME—





A PEASANT WHO WAS PASSING BY, HEARD THE DEVIL'S CRY FOR HELP—

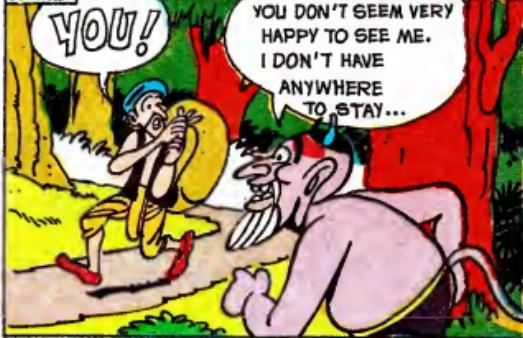




THE KING WAS SO GRATEFUL TO THE PEASANT THAT BESESIDE THE TEN CARTLOADS OF GOLD AND SILVER HE ALSO PRESENTED HIM WITH SEVERAL COSTLY GIFTS.



LATER AS THE PEASANT WAS FOLLOWING THE CARTS HOME:-



... SO I THOUGHT I WOULD STAY WITH YOU TONIGHT AND HELP YOU CELEBRATE YOUR GOOD FORTUNE.

I...ER... AM SORRY. BUT I CAN'T TAKE YOU HOME WITH ME.



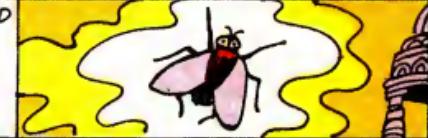
WHAT WILL THE NEIGHBOURS SAY!

OH, I SEE! YOU WERE NOT ASHAMED TO ASK ME FOR WEALTH!

BUT YOU'RE ASHAMED TO BE SEEN WITH ME! WELL, YOU'RE GOING TO PAY FOR THIS INSULT!



HE TRANSFORMED HIMSELF INTO A FLY AGAIN AND GOING BACK TO THE PALACE...



...SETTLED ON THE HEAD OF THE PRINCE.



SOON—\*

(GROAN) ...  
(GASP) ...

IT'S THE SAME  
MALADY FROM  
WHICH THE  
PRINCESS  
RECOVERED,  
YOUR MAJESTY.

OBVIOUSLY THE MAN  
WHO CURED HER, BY  
SOME MAGIC,  
TRANSFERRED  
THE DISEASE  
FROM HER TO  
HER BROTHER.

BRING THAT  
MAN HERE  
AT ONCE!

WHEN THE PEASANT WAS  
BROUGHT TO THE  
COURT—

THE PRINCE IS AT  
DEATH'S DOOR...

CURE HIM... OR  
I'LL HAVE YOU  
BEHEADED.

I... I'LL DO  
WHAT I CAN, YOUR  
MAJESTY.

THIS IS THE  
DEVIL'S DOING. HE  
MUST BE SITTING  
ON THE PRINCE'S  
HEAD.

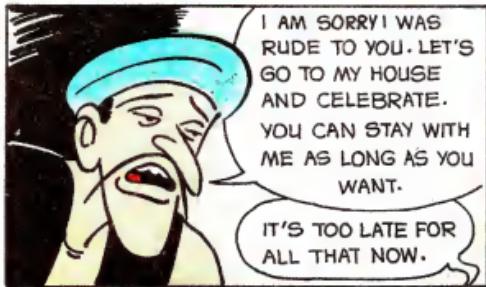
AND THIS TIME HE  
WON'T FLY AWAY WHEN  
HE SEES ME. I'LL HAVE  
TO TRICK HIM...

...BUT HOW?  
AH, I HAVE  
AN IDEA.

YOUR MAJESTY, I  
CAN CURE THE  
PRINCE... BUT YOU  
WILL HAVE TO HELP  
ME.

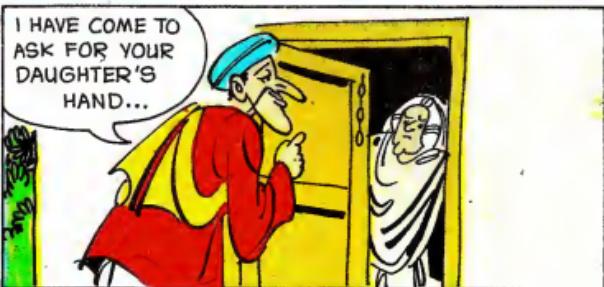
LET A LARGE CROWD  
APPROACH THE  
PALACE, MAKING AS  
LOUD A NOISE AS  
IT CAN.

IT WILL  
BE DONE.





THE PRINCE RECOVERED IMMEDIATELY AND THE PEASANT RETURNED HOME RICHER THAN HE HAD COME.



# More notes to the symphoney

- Mango
- Almond
- Banana
- Orange



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# ENERGEE

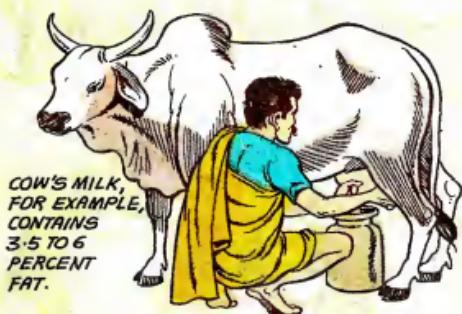
# THE COMPLETE FOOD

Script: Luis Fernandes □ Illustrations: Ajit Vasaikar

ALL ANIMALS THAT FEED THEIR YOUNG WITH MILK AND HAVE HAIR OR FUR ON THEIR BODY ARE CALLED MAMMALS.



THE COMPOSITION OF MILK VARIES FROM SPECIES TO SPECIES.



COW'S MILK, FOR EXAMPLE, CONTAINS 3.5 TO 6 PERCENT FAT.



A HARE'S MILK CONTAINS 25 PERCENT FAT.

MAMMALS THAT LIVE IN THE SEA HAVE VERY RICH MILK. THE FAT CONTENT OF THE MILK OF SEALS AND GREY WHALES IS 40 PERCENT. THAT IS THE REASON WHY YOUNG WHALES PUT ON ALMOST 100 KG A DAY.

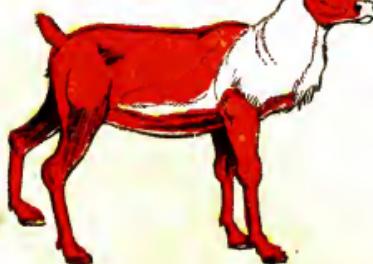


WHEN IT COMES TO SWEETNESS HOWEVER, HUMAN MILK LEADS ALL THE OTHERS AS IT CONTAINS ABOUT 7 PERCENT OF LACTOSE (MILK SUGAR). MARE'S MILK COMES SECOND

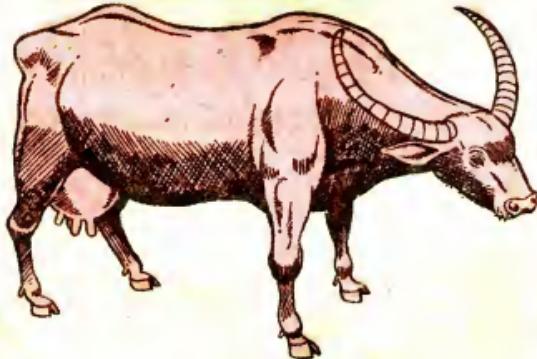


AFTER LEAVING THE MOTHER, MAMMALS  
IN THE WILD NEVER TASTE MILK AGAIN.  
MAN, HOWEVER, CONTINUES TO DRINK  
MILK AND TO CONSUME MILK PRODUCTS  
ALL HIS LIFE.

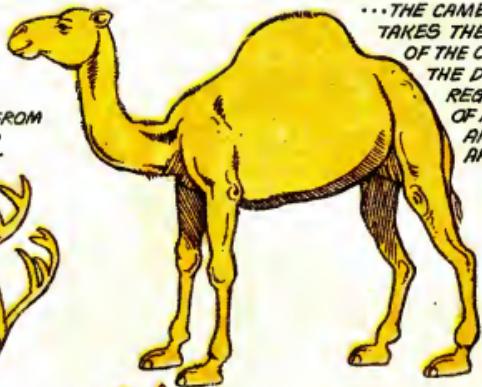
MOST MILK CONSUMED BY HUMANS IS FROM  
THE COW. IN SOME PARTS OF THE WORLD  
OTHER ANIMALS ARE MORE IMPORTANT  
SOURCES OF MILK...



IN OUR OWN COUNTRY BUFFALOES PROVIDE  
ABOUT HALF THE MILK CONSUMED.

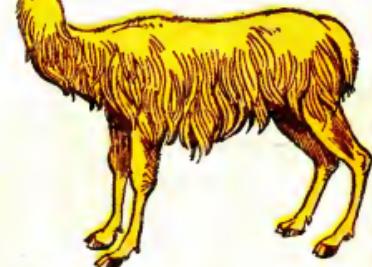


MILK IS THE ONLY NATURAL FOOD THAT CONTAINS  
ALMOST ALL THE ELEMENTS OF A BALANCED DIET.  
MILK IS ESPECIALLY GOOD FOR CHILDREN AS IT IS  
A BETTER SOURCE OF CALCIUM THAN ANY OTHER  
FOOD AND CALCIUM IS NECESSARY TO BUILD  
STRONG TEETH AND BONES.



...THE CAMEL  
TAKES THE PLACE  
OF THE COW IN  
THE DESERT  
REGIONS  
OF ASIA  
AND  
AFRICA...

... AND THE LLAMA IN SOME  
PARTS OF SOUTH AMERICA.



NUTRITIONALLY SPEAKING, THE  
MILK OF THE CAMEL, THE REINDEER  
AND THE BUFFALO IS FAR  
BETTER THAN COW'S MILK.



# THE RIGHT ANSWERS

Script : Prasad Iyer

Illustrations : Ramanand Bhagat

APPU, A POOR MERCHANT, WAS TRAVELLING THROUGH THE JUNGLE. SUDDENLY -

A TIGER! I'M DONE FOR.



I'M NOT GOING TO EAT YOU. ALL I WANT YOU TO DO IS ANSWER A FEW QUESTIONS.



WHAT DO YOU THINK OF MY APPEARANCE?

I THINK HE LOOKS LIKE A CLOWN BUT I'D BETTER FLATTER HIM.



I THINK YOU LOOK HANDSOME.

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF MY EYES?

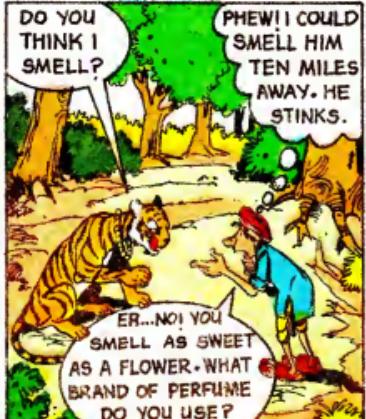
ER... THEY LOOK LIKE ROSE PETALS.



IT'S JUST LIKE A FLUTE, SHARP AND NICE.

DO YOU THINK I SMELL?

PHEW! I COULD SMELL HIM TEN MILES AWAY. HE STINKS.



ER...NO! YOU SMELL AS SWEET AS A FLOWER. WHAT BRAND OF PERFUME DO YOU USE?

THE TIGER WAS PLEASED WITH THE ANSWERS.

HERE, TAKE THIS NECKLACE. AND THANKS FOR BEING SO TRUTHFUL.



APPU RAN TO HIS FRIEND CHOTU AND SHOWED HIM THE NECKLACE

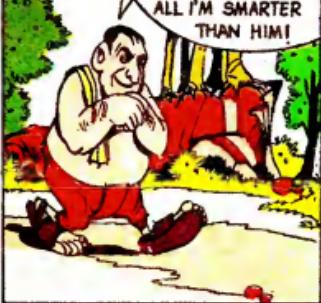
...AND THIS IS THE NECKLACE HE GAVE ME FOR ANSWERING TRY AND MEET THIS TIGER.

HMM... I MUST



AND CHOTU WENT IN SEARCH OF THE TIGER.

IF APPU COULD GET A NECKLACE, I COULD GET A GOLD CROWN. AFTER ALL I'M SMARTER THAN HIM!



AH, THERE HE IS. HE LOOKS RATHER STUPID, I MUST SAY. I MIGHT EVEN GET A SACKFUL OF JEWELS FROM HIM.



SOON THE TIGER BEGAN ASKING THE QUESTIONS—

WHAT DO YOU THINK OF MY NOSE? ANSWER ME TRUTHFULLY.

WELL, IF IT'S THE TRUTH HE WANTS HE'LL GET IT.



I THINK IT'S AWFUL! IT'S AS FLAT AS A BOARD!

EH?



WHAT DO YOU THINK OF MY EYES?

I THINK YOU COULD DO WITH SOME SLEEP. THEY'RE AS RED AS COALS!



AND DO YOU THINK I SMELL?

SMELL! THAT'S AN UNDERSTATEMENT. YOU STINK!



ER... NOW CAN I HAVE MY REWARD!

Reward!

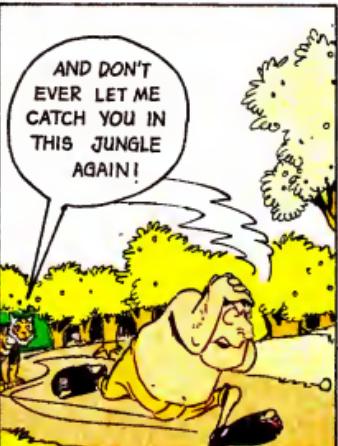


THERE! THAT'S YOUR REWARD!

BONK!



AND DON'T EVER LET ME CATCH YOU IN THIS JUNGLE AGAIN!



# A METAL THAT'S LIQUID!

Script: Luis Fernandes  
Illustrations: Anand Mande

WE THINK OF A METAL AS A SOLID BODY, BUT THERE IS ONE METAL THAT UPSETS THIS POPULAR IDEA OF A METAL AND THAT IS MERCURY.

MERCURY IS A LIQUID AT NORMAL TEMPERATURES.

IF SPILLED FROM ITS CONTAINER, THE METAL FORMS SMALL BALLS THAT ROLL AROUND AND ARE DIFFICULT TO PICK UP.

BECAUSE OF THIS, MERCURY IS SOMETIMES CALLED 'QUICKSILVER'.



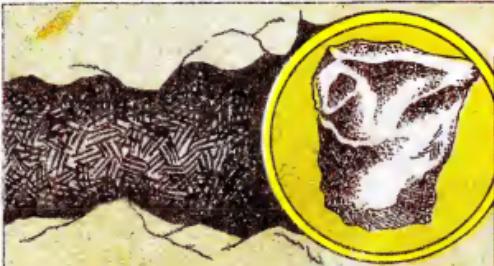
MERCURY WAS FROZEN FOR THE FIRST TIME IN 1753. IN THIS STATE IT IS SILVERY-BLUE AND LOOKS VERY MUCH LIKE LEAD.

(MERCURY IS THE HEAVIEST OF ALL KNOWN LIQUIDS.  
A ONE-LITRE BOTTLE OF MERCURY WOULD WEIGH MORE THAN A BUCKET OF WATER!)



A LITTLE MERCURY IS FOUND FREE IN NATURE. MOST OF IT, HOWEVER, IS FOUND IN COMBINATION WITH SULPHUR. THIS COMPOUND IS CALLED CINNABAR.

THE WORLD'S BIGGEST MERCURY DEPOSITS ARE IN SPAIN. THE ALMADEN MINE IN SPAIN HAS PRODUCED MORE THAN ONE-THIRD OF THE WORLD'S TOTAL OUTPUT SINCE THE ROMANS BEGAN TAKING OUT THE METAL FROM IT IN 400 BC.



CINNABAR



SPAIN IS A MAJOR PRODUCER OF MERCURY.



MERCURY BOILS AT  $357^{\circ}\text{C}$  AND FREEZES AT  $-40^{\circ}\text{C}$ . SINCE IT REMAINS LIQUID OVER SUCH A LARGE RANGE OF TEMPERATURE, IT IS WIDELY USED IN THERMOMETERS.

MERCURY THERMOMETERS HOWEVER, CANNOT BE USED EITHER IN THE ARCTIC OR THE ANTARCTIC AS THE TEMPERATURES THERE ARE SOMETIMES MUCH LOWER THAN  $-40^{\circ}\text{C}$ .

MERCURY IS ALSO USED IN BAROMETERS WHICH ARE INSTRUMENTS USED TO MEASURE AIR PRESSURE.



BESIDES THERMOMETERS AND OTHER MEASURING INSTRUMENTS, MERCURY IS USED IN MERCURY BATTERIES AND MERCURY-VAPOUR LAMPS AND IN THE MANUFACTURE OF PAINTS. MERCURY-SILVER ALLOYS ARE USED IN DENTISTRY TO REPAIR TOOTH CAVITIES.



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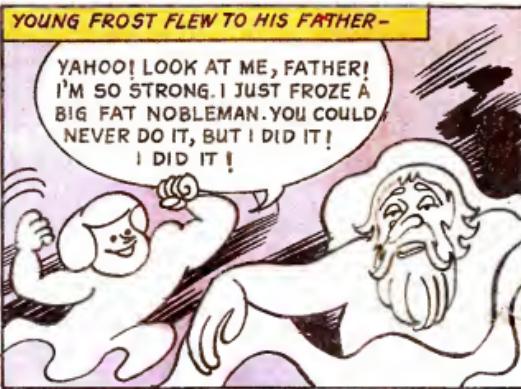
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YOUNG FROST WAS A BRAGGART WHO THOUGHT THE WORLD OF HIMSELF—

HEH HEH! THERE IS NO ONE IN THE WORLD AS POWERFUL AS ME.





YOUNG FROST TRIED HARD TO FREEZE THE WOOD-CUTTER. HE CREEP UNDER HIS COLLAR AND TICKLED HIS NECK.



THE HARDER YOUNG FROST TRIED, THE FASTER THE WOOD-CUTTER SWUNG HIS AXE. FINALLY—

PHEW! I'M BEGINNING TO FEEL HOT... LET ME TAKE OFF MY GLOVES.



THIS IS MY CHANCE!



I'LL HIDE IN HIS GLOVES. WON'T HE BE SURPRISED WHEN HE PUTS THEM ON!

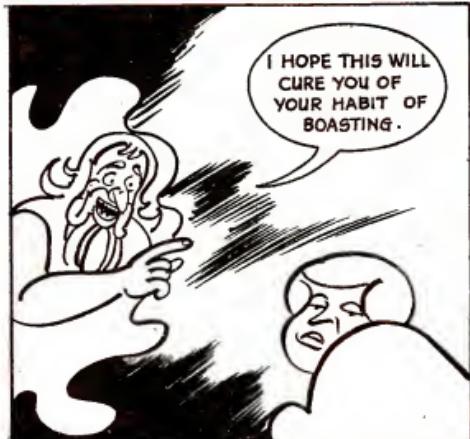
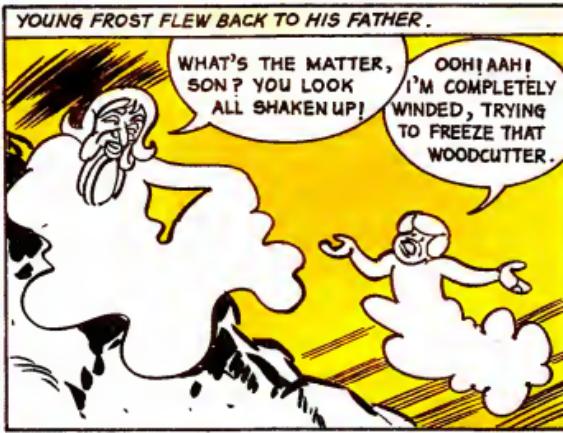
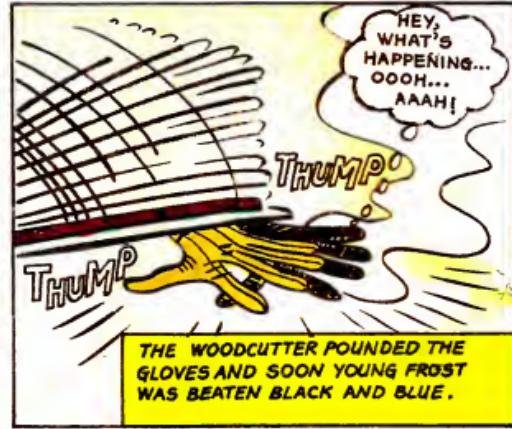


WELL, I'VE DONE ENOUGH FOR TODAY. I'LL BE OFF NOW.



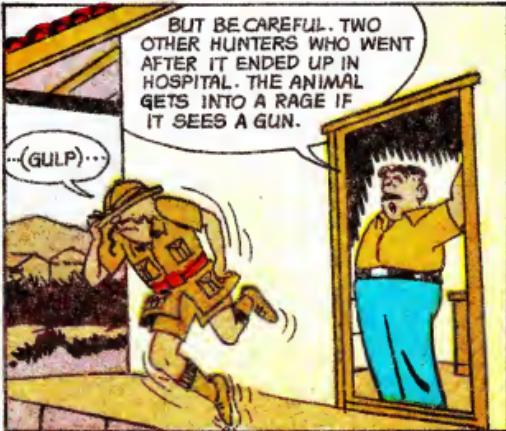
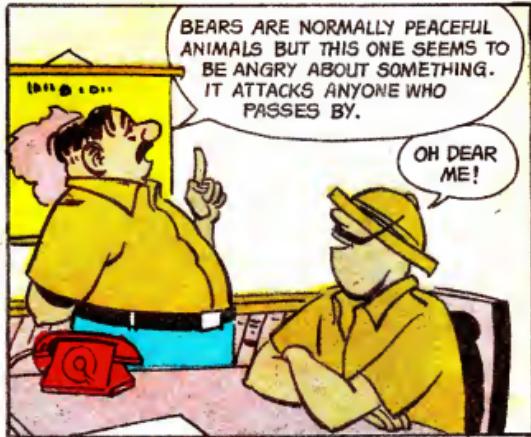
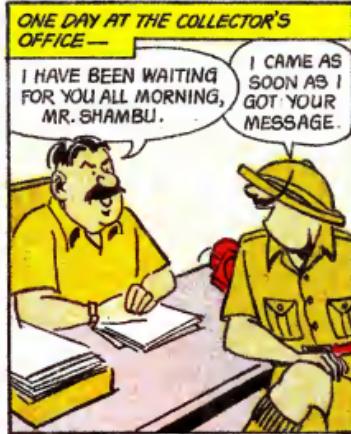
EH! MY GLOVES HAVE BECOME AS HARD AS STEEL WITH THE COLD.

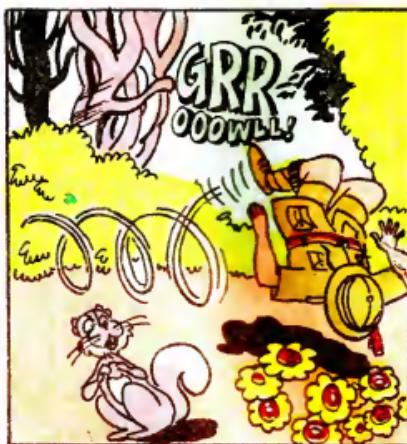




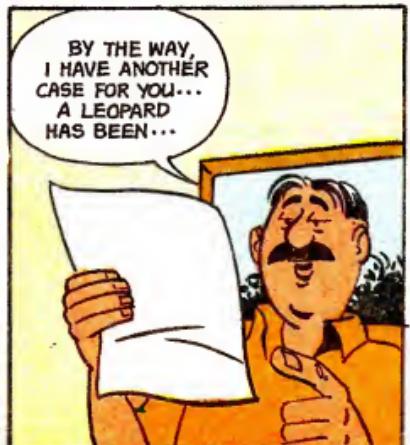
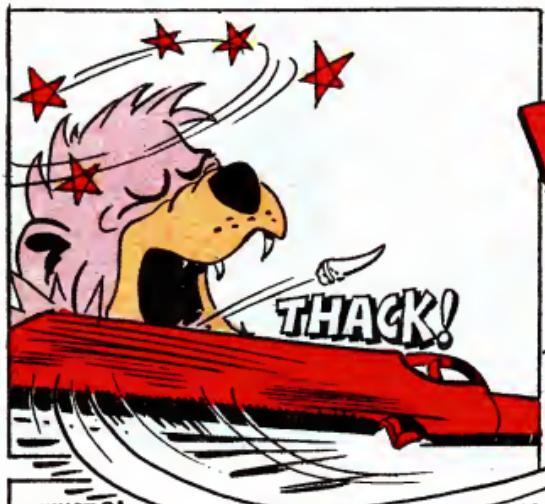
# Shikari Shambu

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Luis Fernandes  
Illustrations:  
V.B. Halbe









# SLIPPER IN ORBIT

Illustrations: Anand Mande

Based on a story sent by

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ONE DAY A MAN WAS CROSSING A BRIDGE.



SUDDENLY—



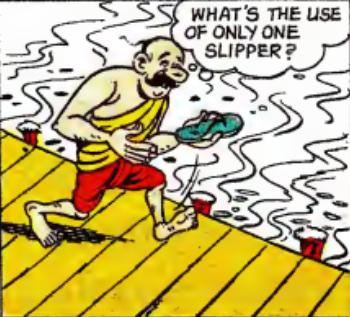
OOOPS!

PLLOP

IT'S GONE!



WHAT'S THE USE  
OF ONLY ONE  
SLIPPER?

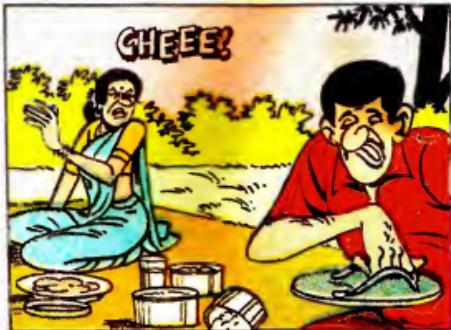
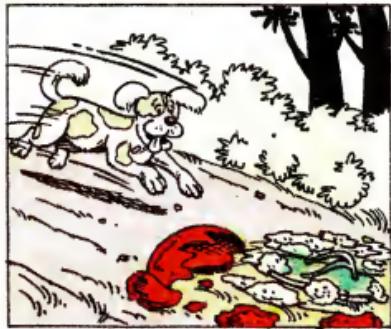
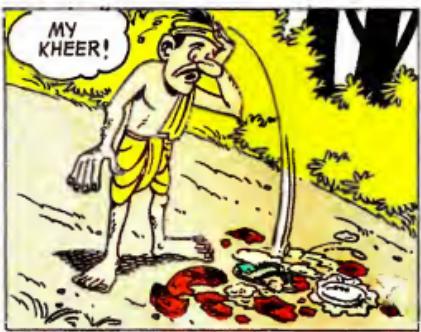
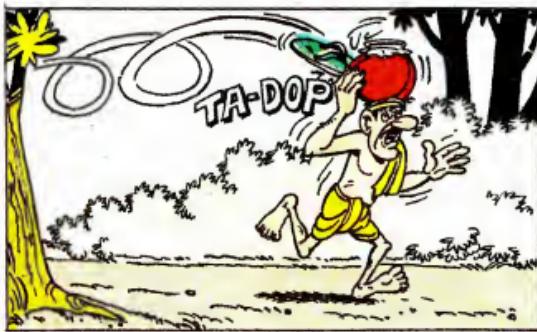


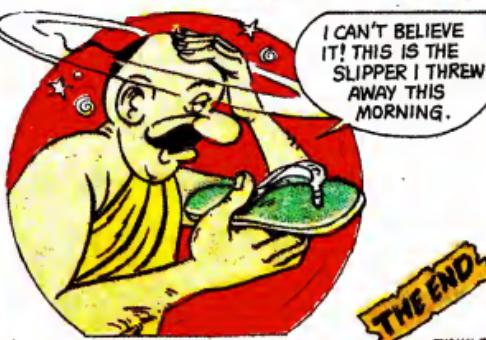
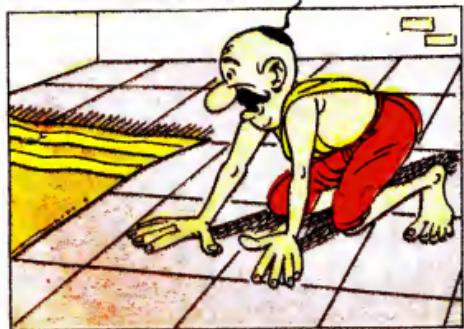
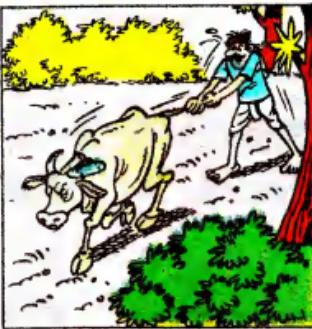
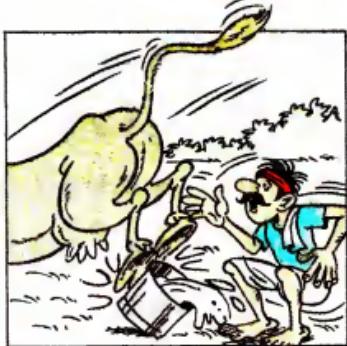
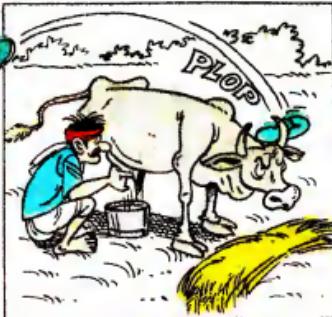
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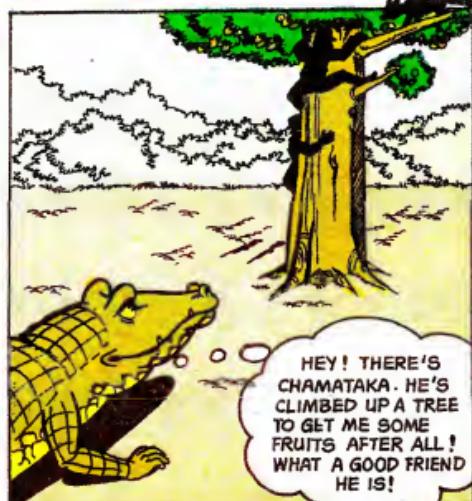


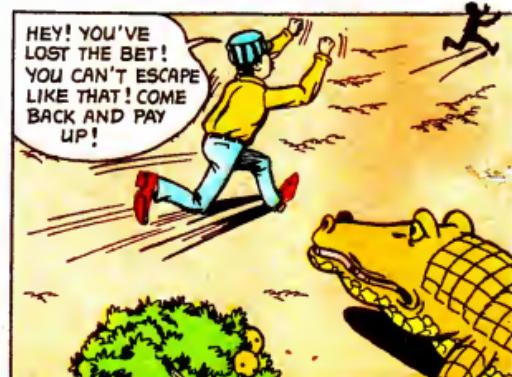
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# SAY IT YOURSELF AND WIN A CASH PRIZE

No.56



WHAT DOES THE MAN SAY?

## Winners of Say it Yourself No. 54

### FIRST PRIZE:

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### MORE EXCITING PRIZES:

The first, second and third prize winners of the Say-It-Yourself competition (from No. 56) will receive an exciting surprise gift from **Good Move Games** in addition to the cash prizes.

### THE PRIZE-WINNING ENTRY:

I know, but this moth is chasing the butterfly I want.

**MOST COMMON ANSWER:**  
The moth will turn into a butterfly.

1. Mail your entry to TINKLE Competition Section, P.B. No. 16541, Bombay 400026.
2. First prize - Rs. 60  
Second prize - Rs. 30  
Third prize - Rs. 20  
In addition they will also receive an exciting gift from **Good Move Games**.
3. The next 10 best entries will each receive a copy of an ECHO BOOK.
4. Decision of the judges is final and binding. Names of the prize-winners will be announced in Tinkle No. 161.
5. Entry form for Say It Yourself No. 56 is given on cover page III.

Last date for receiving entries 25. 2. 88.

## Hamlyn-Tinkle Picture Quiz-20



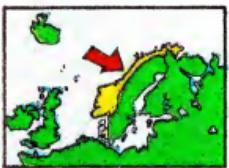
1. He was a Chinese pilgrim who visited India in 629 A.D. What was his name?



2. Identify this strange-looking tree.



3. This pass situated in N. West Pakistan was the gateway for many a foreign invader. What is its name?



4. This European country is called "The Land of the Midnight Sun". Name the country.



5. This king was the ruler of Taxila when Alexander the Great invaded India. What was his name?



6. These dogs are trained to pull sleds in the Arctic lands. What are they called?



7. What is this type of tent used by American Indians called?

This month's Hamlyn Book-Book of Why. Value Rs. 60/-

1. Mail your entry to : Tinkle Competition Section. P. Bag No. 16541  
Bombay 400 026.
2. The first ten all-correct entries will each receive a Hamlyn Book.
3. The next forty best entries will each receive a copy of the latest Amar Chitra Katha.
4. Last date for receiving entries : 25.2.88

8.  
This bear is the world's largest carnivore.  
What is it called?



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**HTPQ-20**

### **ENTRY FORM**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

PIN 

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### **MY ANSWERS:**

1 \_\_\_\_\_ 2 \_\_\_\_\_ 3 \_\_\_\_\_  
 4 \_\_\_\_\_ 5 \_\_\_\_\_ 6 \_\_\_\_\_

7 \_\_\_\_\_ 8 \_\_\_\_\_



*A scene from the Inter-School  
Tableau Contest*

## TWO GRAND FIESTAS

Tinkle and Amar Chitra Katha recently completed 7 and 20 years of publication respectively. To commemorate these landmarks, Uncle Pai held two functions in Bombay—at Nehru Planetarium (on November 8th) and at Patkar Hall (on November 15th). Hundreds of Tinkle and Amar Chitra Katha fans thronged the venues to take part in Uncle Pai's quiz contests. There was a variety of entertainment for them and this included an Inter-School Tableau Contest, a ventriloquism show by Mr. Ramdas Padhye, and the sky show of the Nehru Planetarium presented by Dr. V.S. Venkatavaradan. The invitees at the Planetarium were provided with lots of refreshment—cold drinks and potato chips—given free by Mafco and Futura Foods.

The Patkar Hall function was generously sponsored by Voltas Ltd., makers of Volfruit and Cookie Feast. All in all, the functions were a grand success!

### Answers of Hamlyn-Tinkle Picture Quiz-19

1. Dadasaheb Phalke
2. Oven birds
3. Helicopter
4. Rana Kumbha
5. River Zambesi in Africa
6. Kathakali
7. Musk deer
8. Dr. Salim Ali

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### ENTRY FORM

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

AGE: \_\_\_\_\_

STATE: \_\_\_\_\_

### SAY IT YOURSELF NO. 56

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