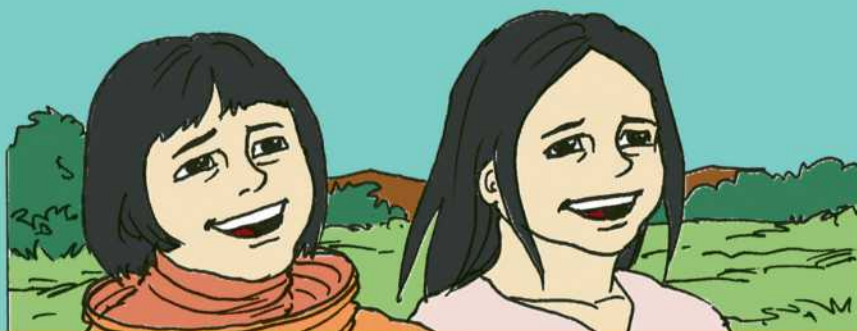


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P R E F A C E

Students of Primary Class love stories, fun and always want to explore. Normal textbooks, many a times, are difficult to read and understand without the help of a teacher or parent. Cartoons and Comics always create the interest amongst students. The main objective for developing Comic Textbooks for Class III, IV and V is to entertain and educate young minds by creating unique illustrated books in comic strips so as to help to them learn easier with fun, retain the characters and stories, arouse curiosity, encourage peer learning, and induce reading habits.

Utmost care has been taken to relate the stories to the cultures and tradition of the State. Effort has also been made to cover the concepts and chapters of the entire English V textbook and also to cover all the Learning Outcomes.

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Story No. 1 Morning Song

An early spring morning.



Preety takes a walk.



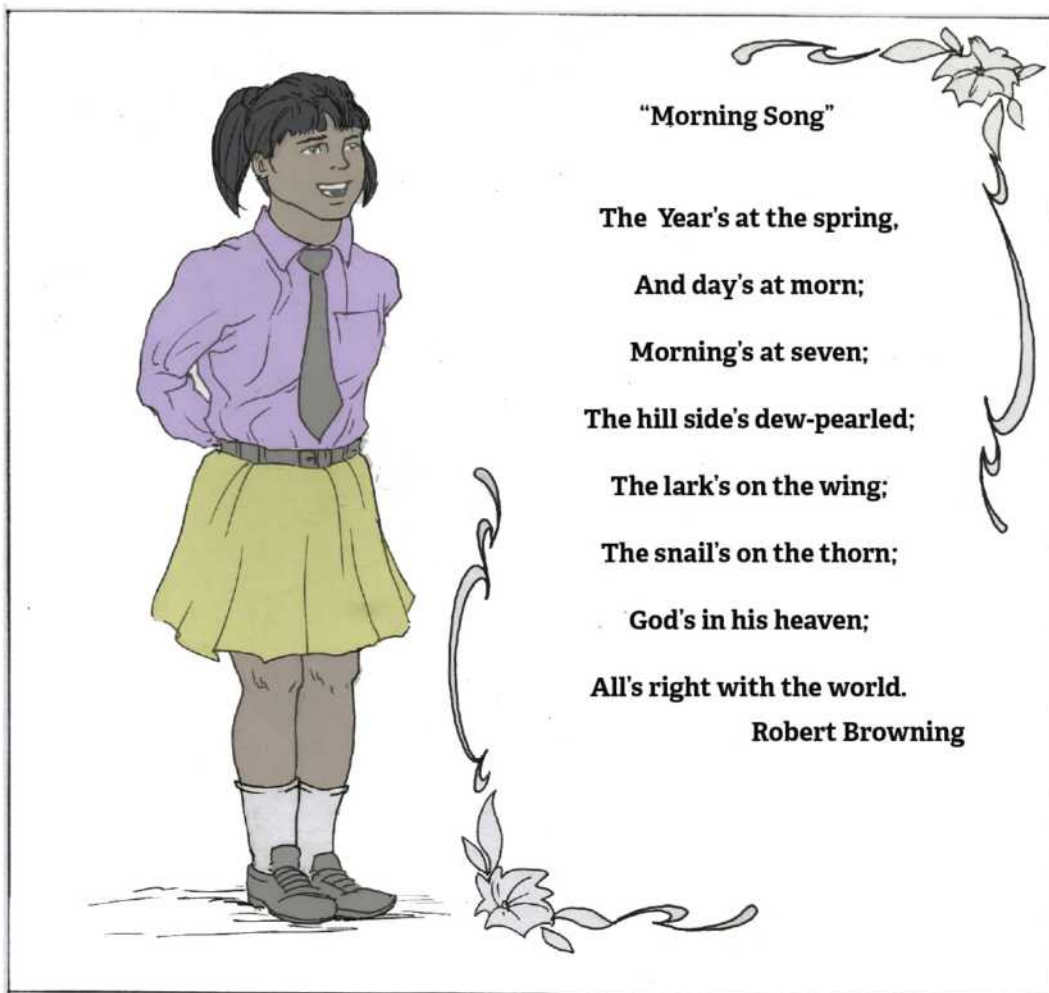
The hills look as if they are pearled.



Skylark!







"Morning Song"

**The Year's at the spring,
And day's at morn;
Morning's at seven;
The hill side's dew-pearled;
The lark's on the wing;
The snail's on the thorn;
God's in his heaven;
All's right with the world.
Robert Browning**

Story No. 2 What you would like to become?

Moba, a young boy lives with his family..



One day Moba falls ill.



Moba's stomach pains is not getting better.



Let us take him to the hospital.

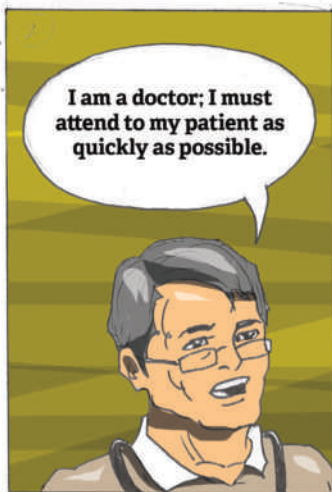


At the hospital.

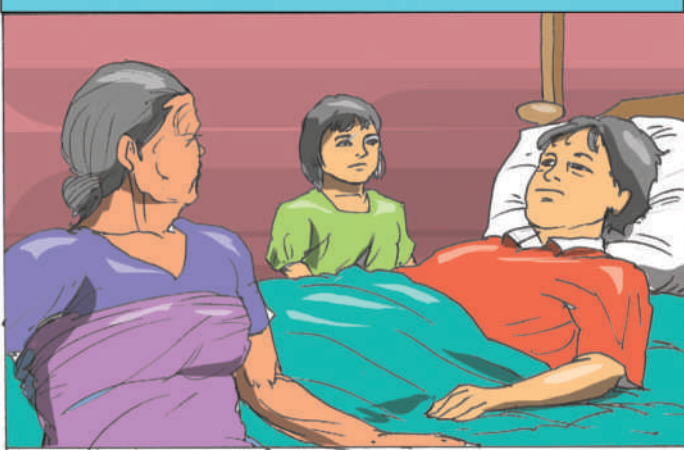


Doctor's house.





Moba comes back home.



**Grandma, Doctor
uncle was really
kind and sweet.**



**Yes, doctors are very
kind person.**



**When I grow up
I want to be a
doctor.**



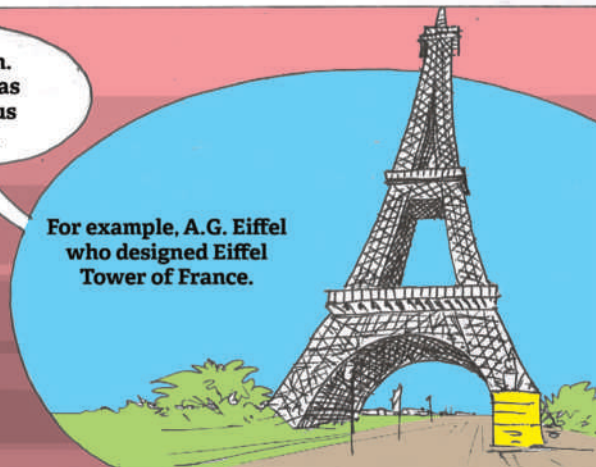
**And I will be an
engineer.**

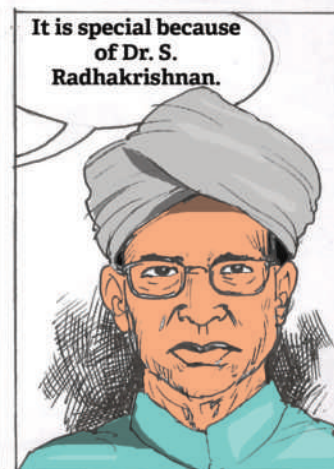
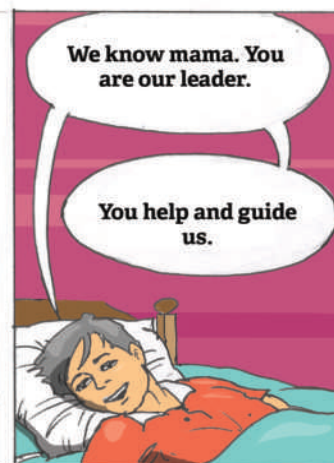
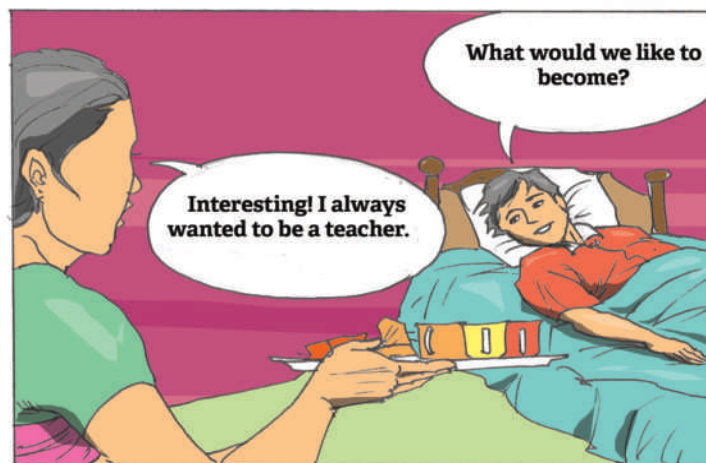
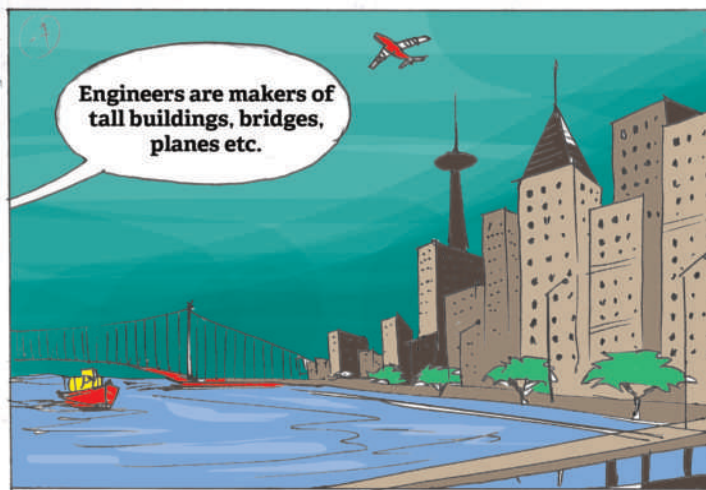


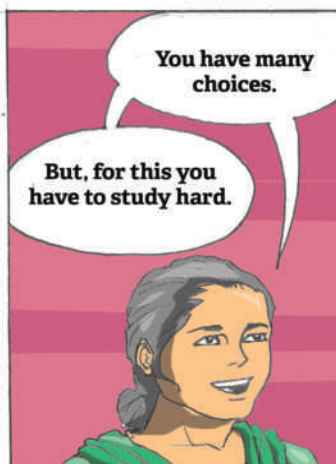
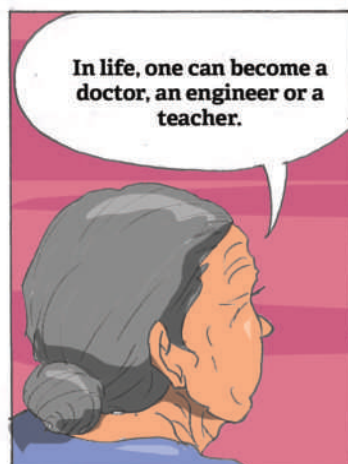
**Yes, you can.
The world has
many famous
engineers.**

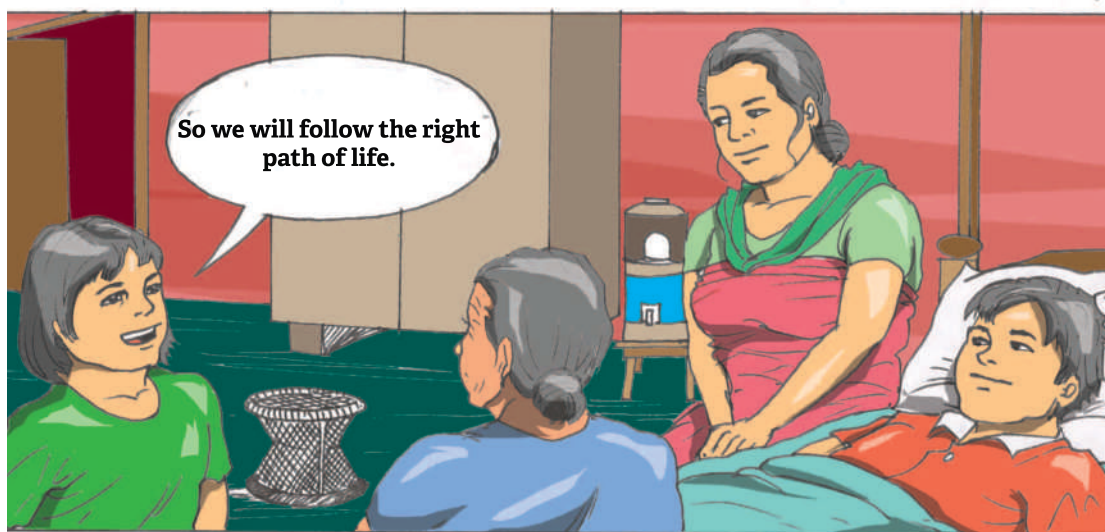


**For example, A.G. Eiffel
who designed Eiffel
Tower of France.**

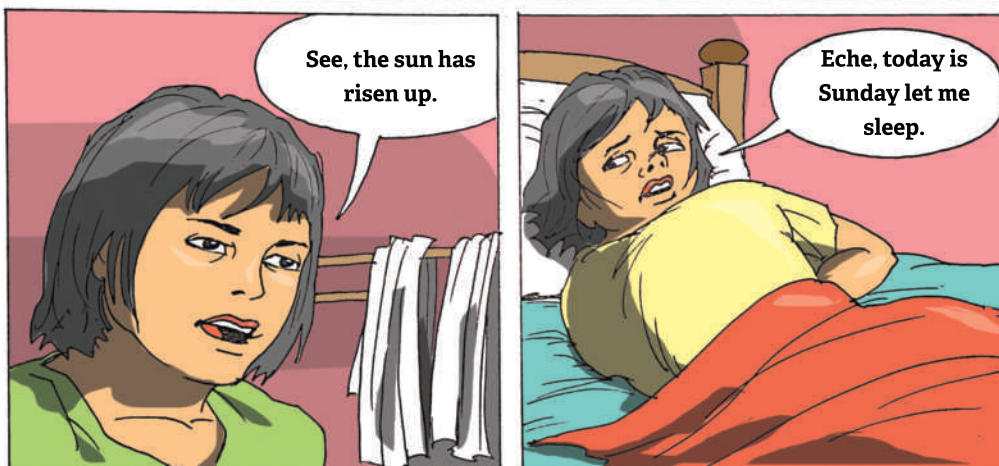
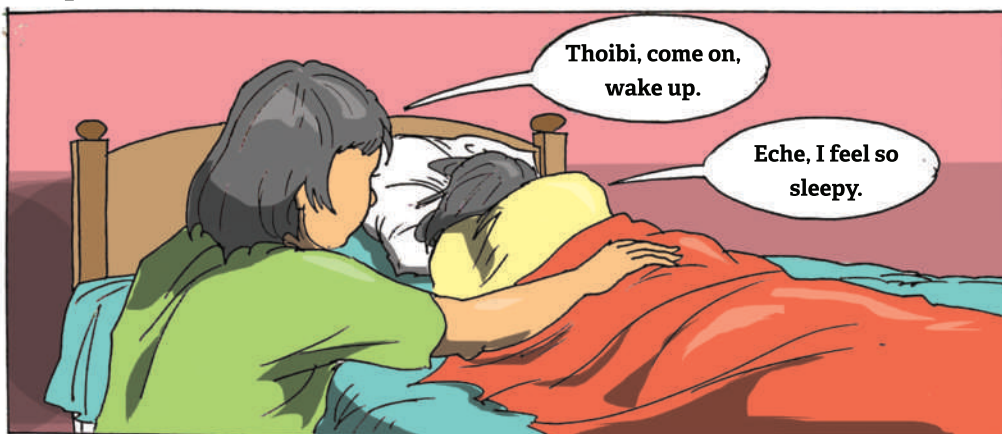








Story No. 3 Sister Awake.





"SISTER AWAKE"

**Sister, awake! Close not your eyes!
The day her light discloses,
And the bright morning doth arise
Out of her bed of roses.**

**See, the clear sun, the world's bright eyes,
In a window peeping:
Lo, how he blusheth to epsy
Us idle wenches sleeping!**

**Therefore awake! make haste, I say,
And let us, without saying,
All in our gowns of green so gay
Into the park a-maying!**

Thomas Bateson



Story No. 4 Facing the Challenges of life

One fine day.... Boboi and his friends are playing in the courtyard.



Mangal, a blind boy walk past them.

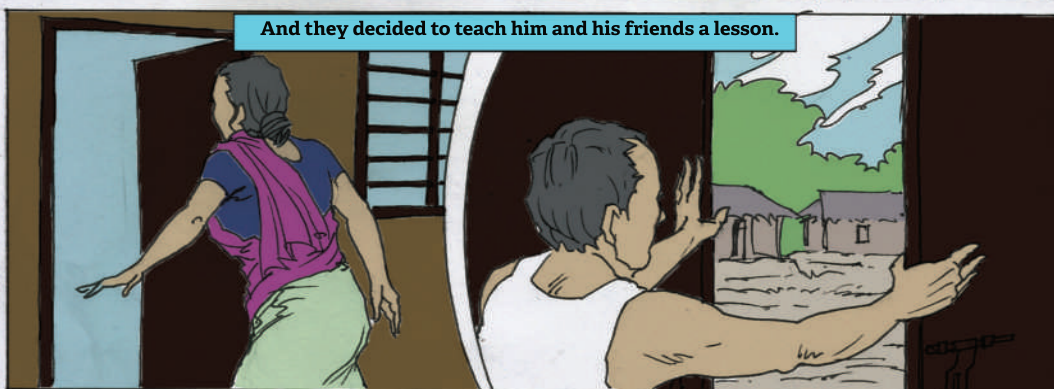


They saw him and started teasing...



Look at him!

Blind boy Mangal!
Blind boy Mangal!
Blind Boy Mangal!



Mother blindfolds Boboi and his friends.



Father joins in blindfolding the boys.



Ema, what type of game are we playing?

It's a surprise game Boboi.



Mother whirls round the boys.

Catch us if you can boys.

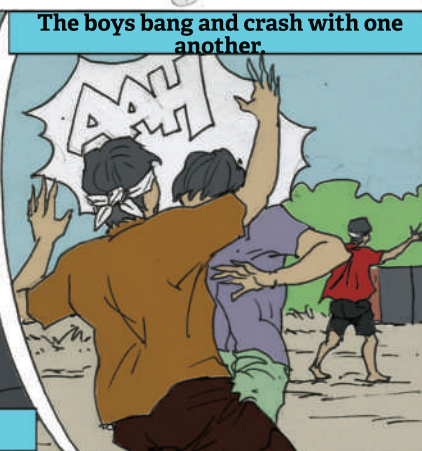


Then, they sit back and watch them.....





Boboi's parents laughs out loud at the sight.



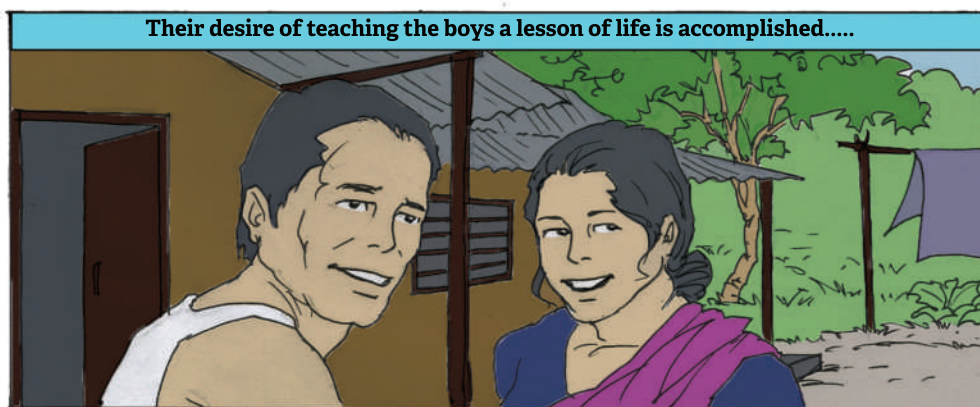
The boys bang and crash with one another.



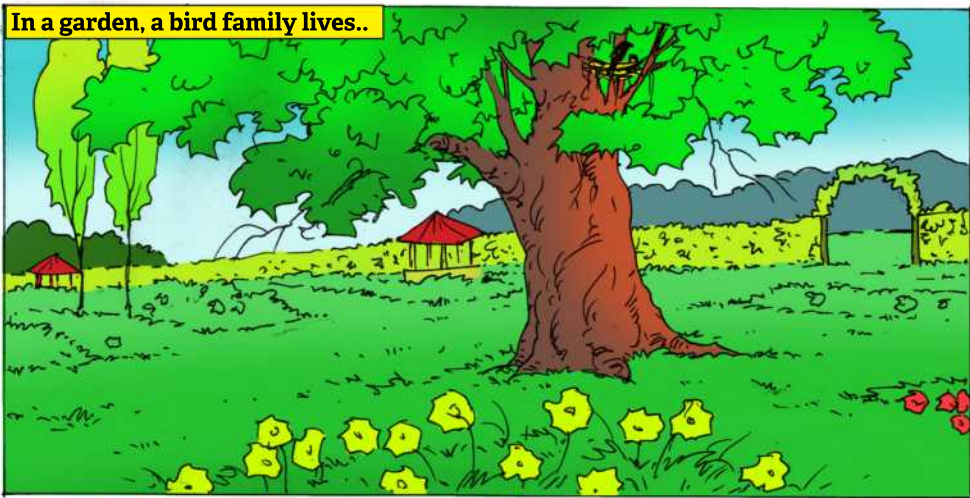
Boboi removes his blindfold....







Story No. 5. What does little Birdie Say



So the little birdie rest..



Next Day



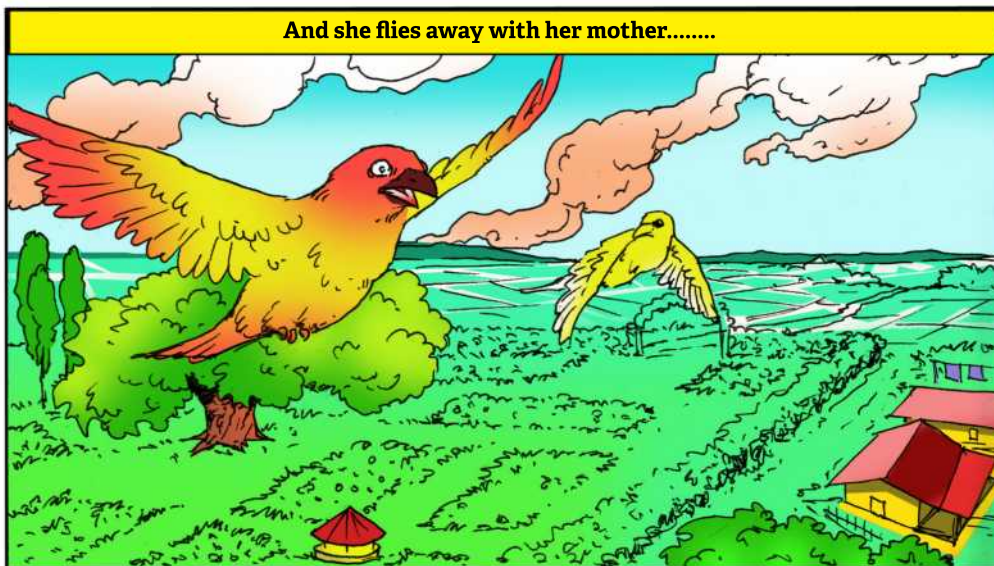
Let me see your wings.



The little birdie takes her first flight.



And she flies away with her mother.....



Story No. 6. Nupi Lal.

Abemma's grandma is waiting for her at the gate.



A school van stops in front of the gate.



Abemma on seeing her grandma waiting for her runs happily towards her.

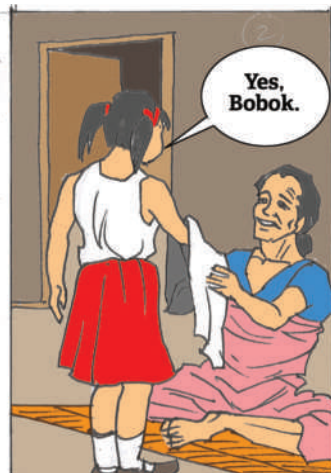


Hand in hand, both went inside the gate.



Grandmother spreads a mat for Abemma.







After crying for a long time the little child falls asleep in her mother's lap.



Father enters the kitchen without any ration.



Father picking up the child from the mother's lap.



Don't go. It's too dangerous.



Don't worry. All my Meira Paibi friends will also join me.



Mother then goes outside wearing kokshet and khwangchet.



Be careful. The palace guards are hovering around the market area.



Mother gathers her friends and the group goes towards the market holding lighted torch in one hand and bamboo sticks on the other.



They march from different directions and went straight to mills and began to hit the mill with bambo sticks.



They, then, went to meet the king. But the guards stop them. There was struggle between them. The guards used bayonet to attack them.



The women were hurt.



Mother returned home injured.



Mother succumbed to death after a few days.



Present day...



Ema!!!

Abemma's mother calling from inside the house.



Abemma.

Abemma wakes up. Grandmother is brought back to reality by that sound.



Story No. 7. My Country.

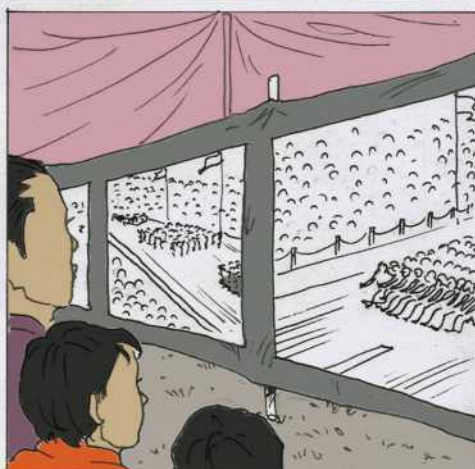
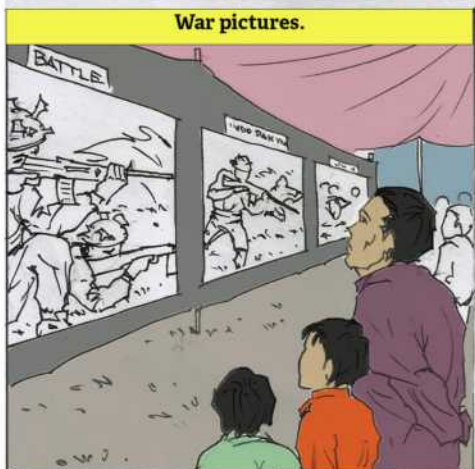
Two brothers with their father visits an Army exhibition at Mapal Kangjeibung.



They look around the exhibits, guns and the uniforms.



War pictures.



Their father meets an old friend.



Boys, you go ahead and enjoy, I will wait here.



The two brothers are amazed...



Tamo, when I grow up I want to be an Army man.

If you want to be in the army, you need to know and love your country.

You should be brave and noble.



How do you know so much?

I learnt a poem at school.





**I ought to love my country,
The land in which I live.
Yes, I am very sure my heart.
Its truest love should give.
For, if I love my country,
I'll try to be a man,
My country may be proud
of,
And if I try, I can.
She wants men true and
kind.
My country needs that I
should be
The best man she can find.**

Lesson No. 8. Hijam Irabot "A Legendary Hero of Manipur"

Nganba's grandpa sitting at the verandah sipping a cup of tea and reading newspaper.



Pupu, our school authority is organizing a recitation competition in memory of Hijam Irabot.



Really, Nganba. That's very interesting.



Yes, Pupu. I am also going to take part in the competition.



Yes, you must. But do you know Hijam Irabot?

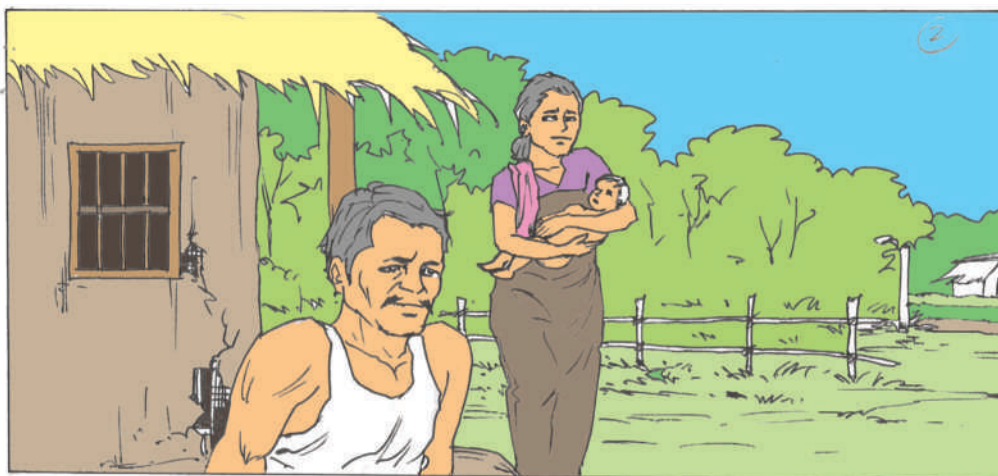


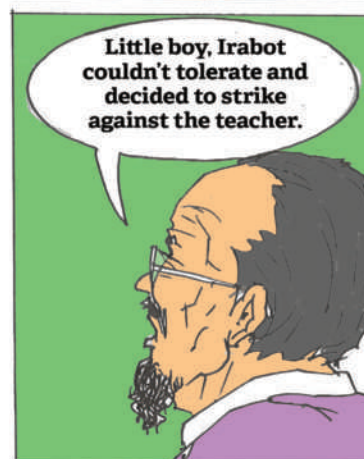
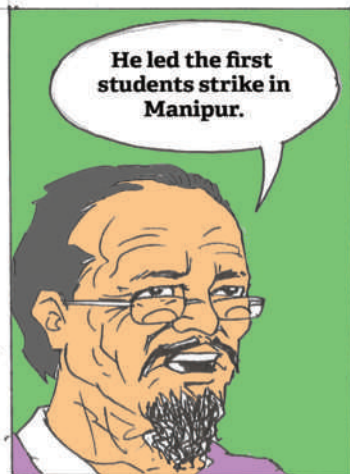
No, Pupu.



Ok. Listen carefully.







Besides, Irabot was a good sportsman, dramatist, a good poet, perfect social worker and a great politician.



Oh! That's why today is celebrated as Irabot Day.



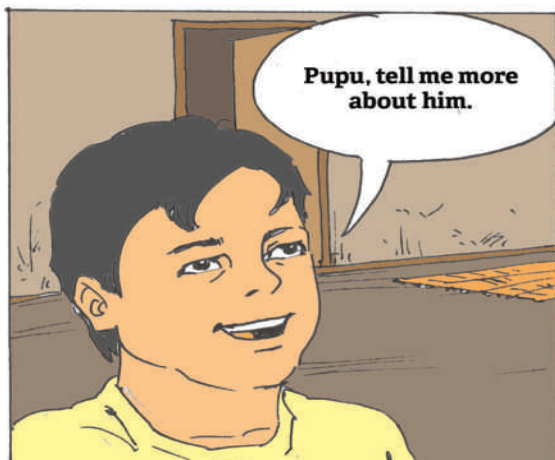
Since then, youth club of every locality organizes Yaosang sports every year.



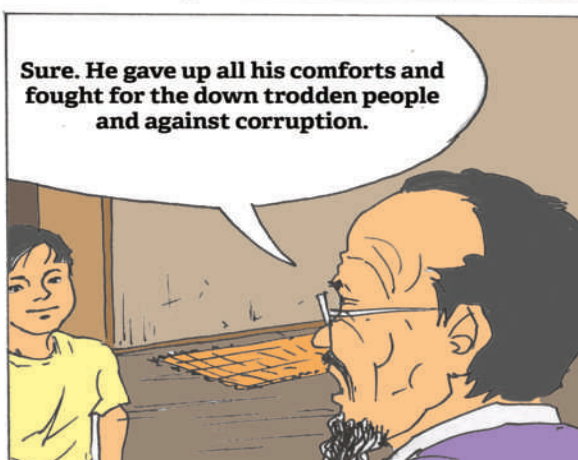
At the age of 27 he married to princess Khomdonsana.

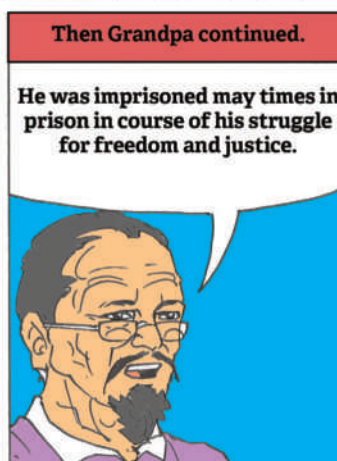


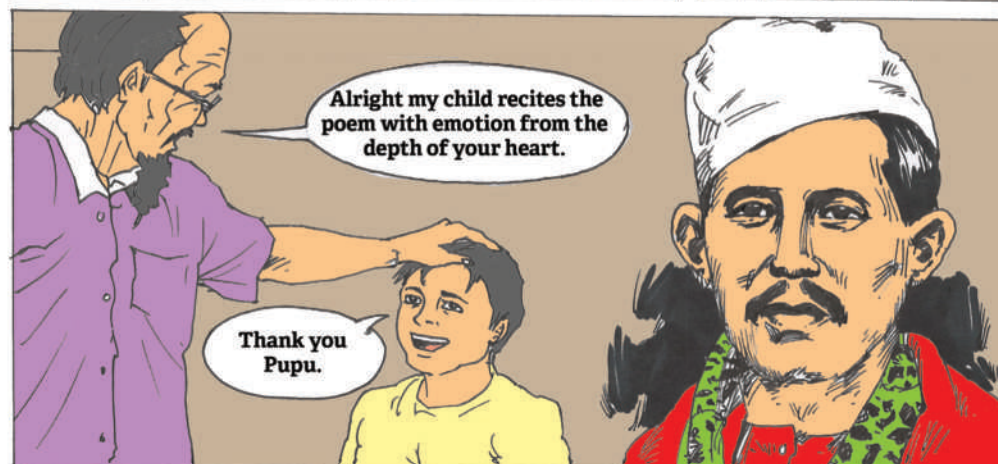
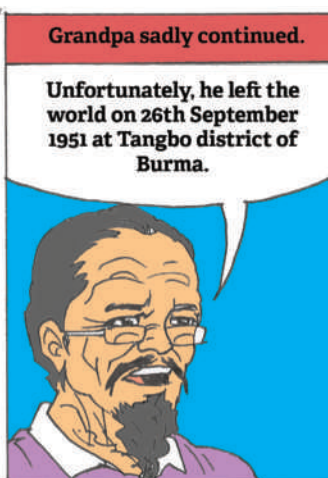
Pupu, tell me more about him.



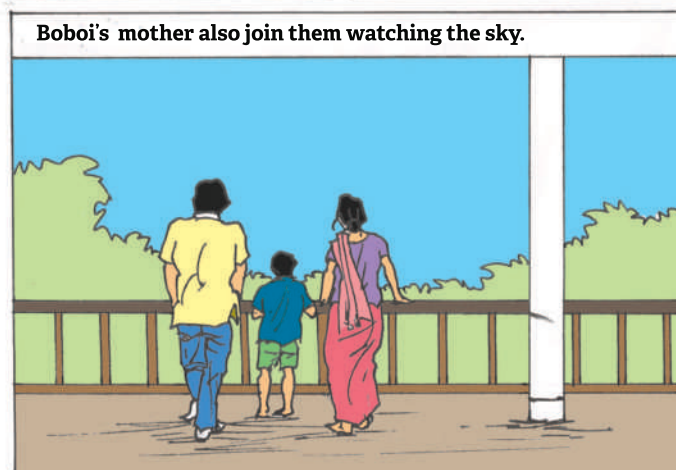
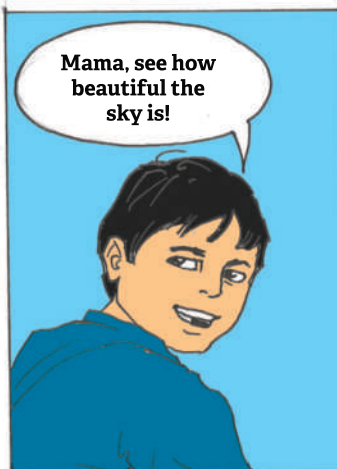
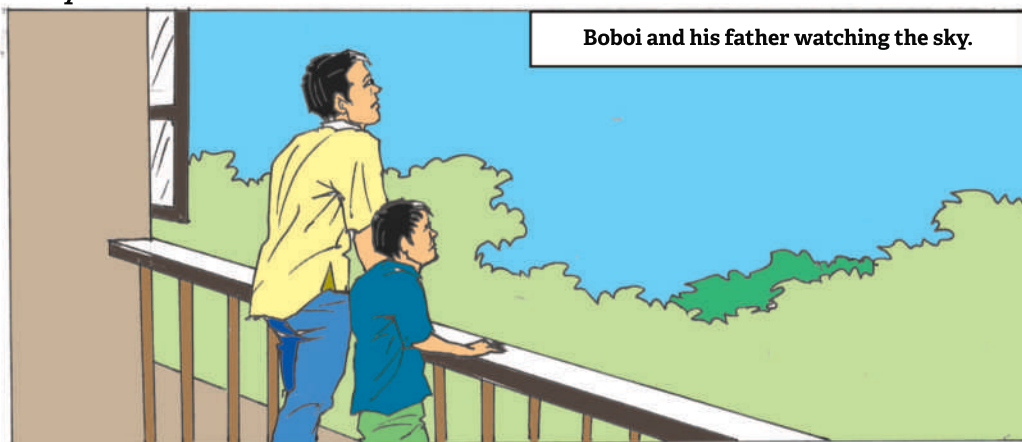
Sure. He gave up all his comforts and fought for the down trodden people and against corruption.

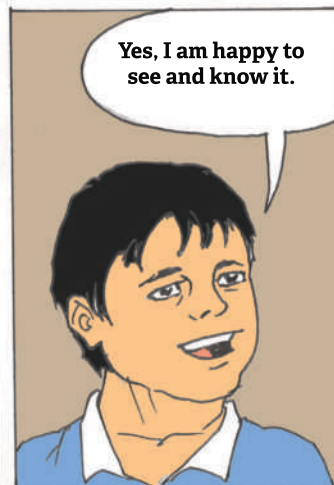
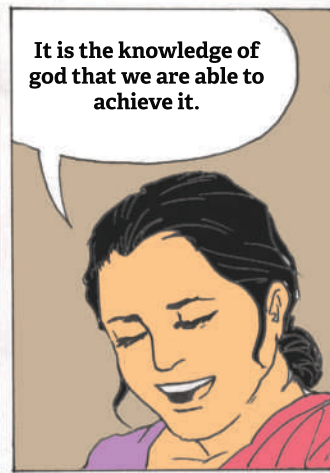
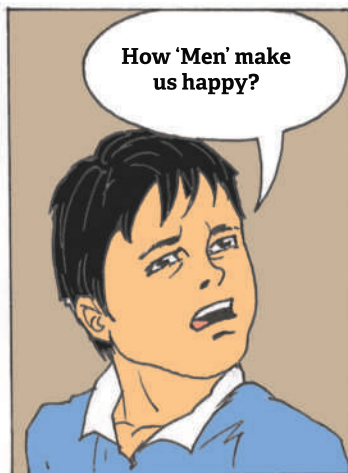
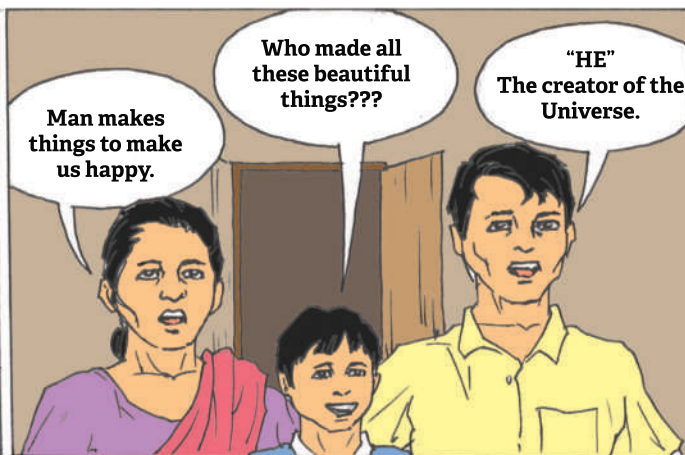


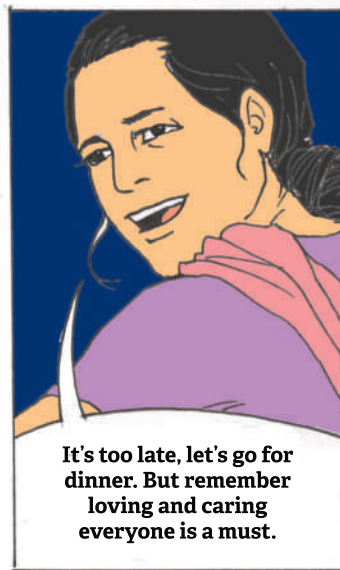
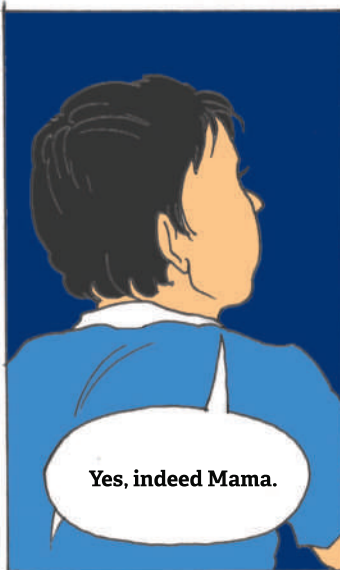




Story No. 9 Father We Thank Thee.







Story No. 10. Sarat's Family.

Sarat, the third son of his parents, reads in a nearby school, in class V



A moment later, his father and brothers set out for work in the field.



In the evening, when Sarat return's home.



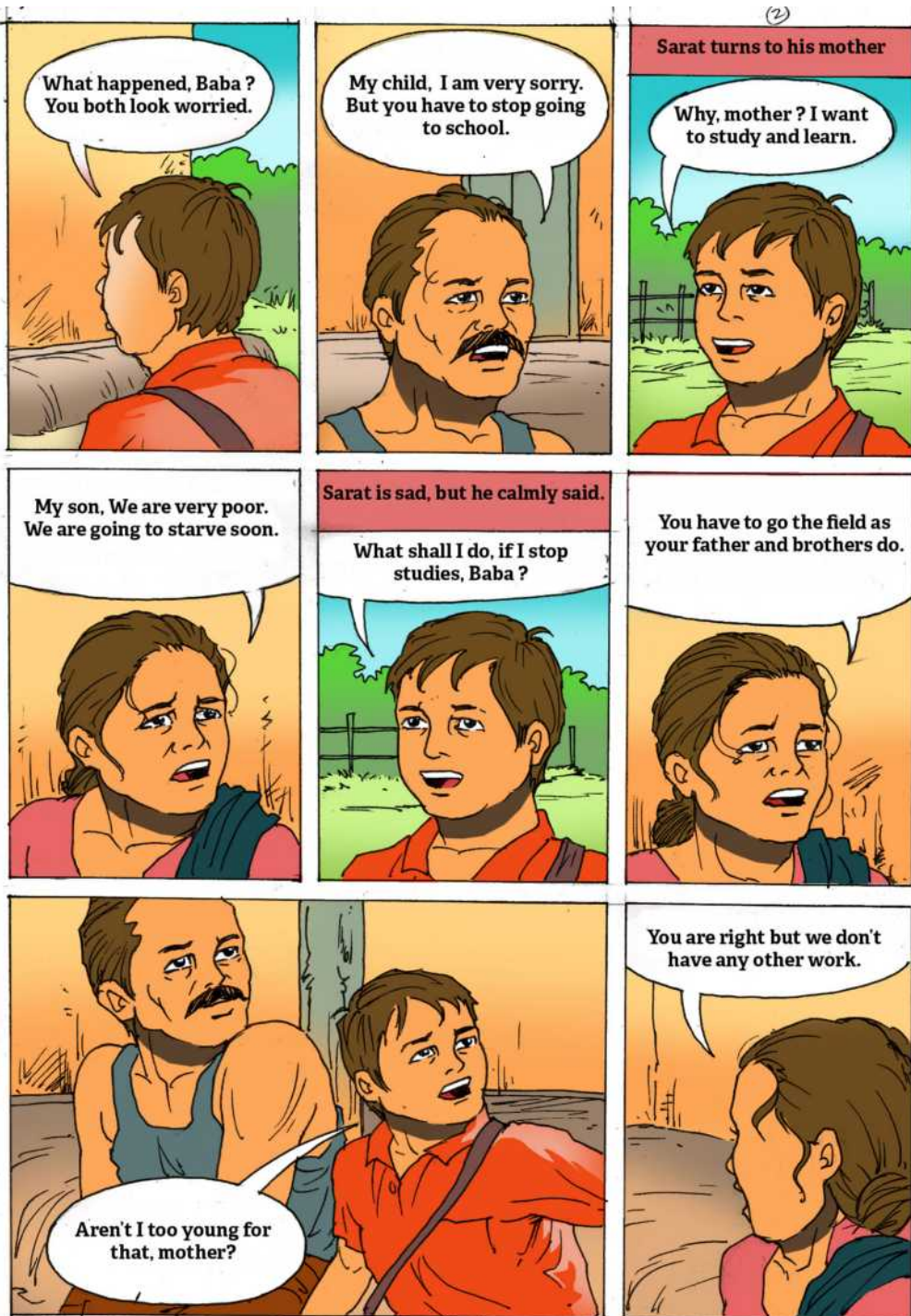
He finds his parents sitting sadly on the verandah.



Sarat feels sad too.

What has happened to them???







Mother recall's her past.....

We married at an early age.
That caused to have a large
family.



I am very sorry,
Mama. I will work and
help you.



No son, now I have
decided to send you to
school. We will work
hard and educate you.



Sarat smiles and goes in



I fear what will happen
if one of our children
gets ill .
We don't have money
to buy medicine.



Now I realise that we would
be very happy if we had
only
one or two children.



Stroy No. 11. The Song of a Little House.

A litle house enjoying the day.....



On seeing the butterflies



"Feel free to come inside."



The house gossips with the talking tree...



"Today's weather is so nice."

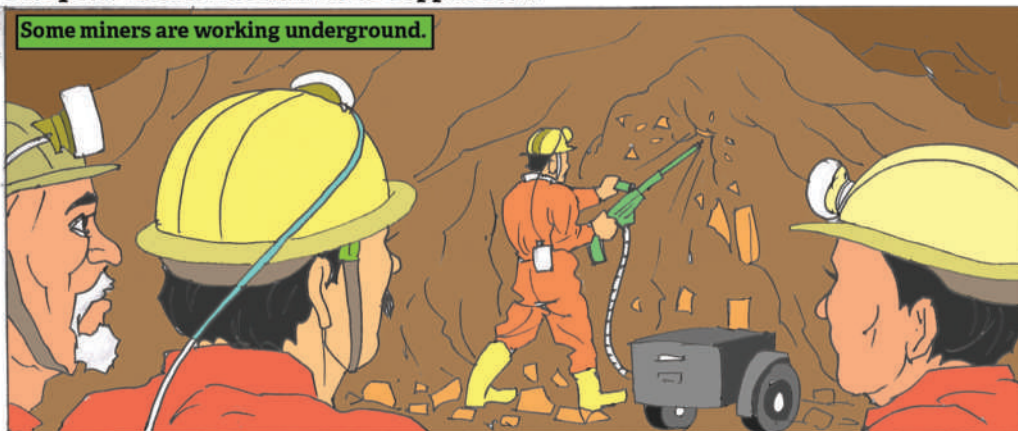


Yes indeed.

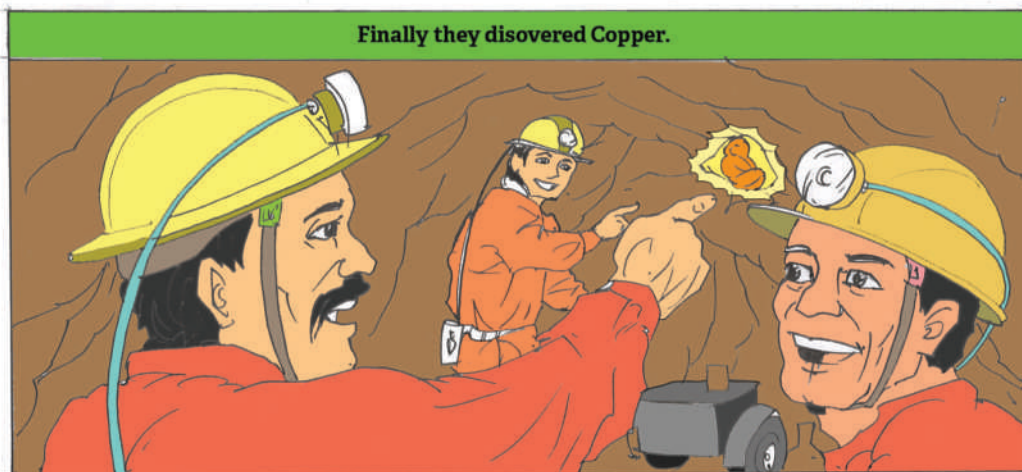


Story No. 12 The Adventures of Copper Coin.

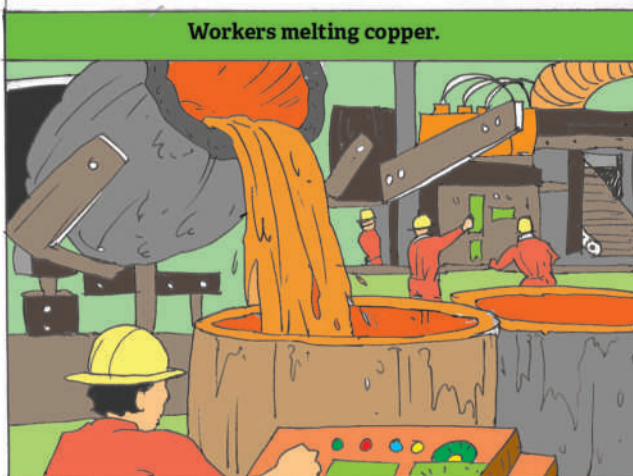
Some miners are working underground.

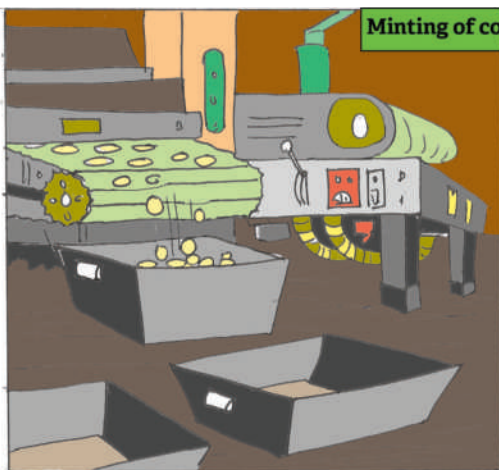


Finally they discovered Copper.

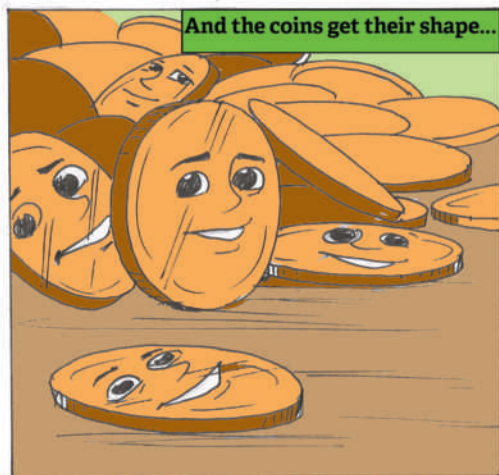
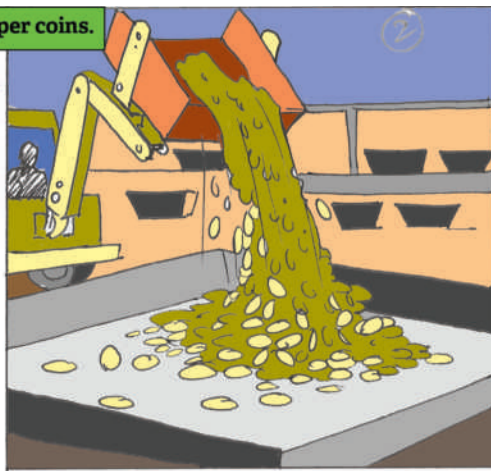


Workers melting copper.

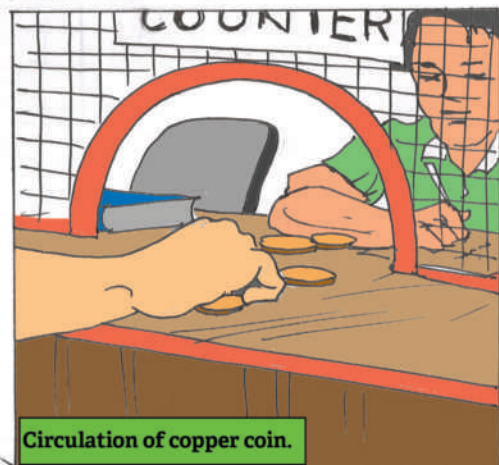




Minting of copper coins.



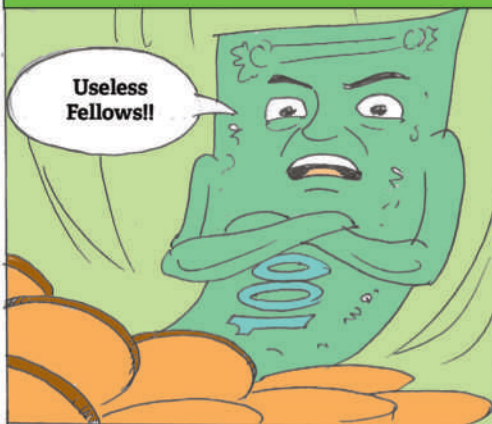
And the coins get their shape...



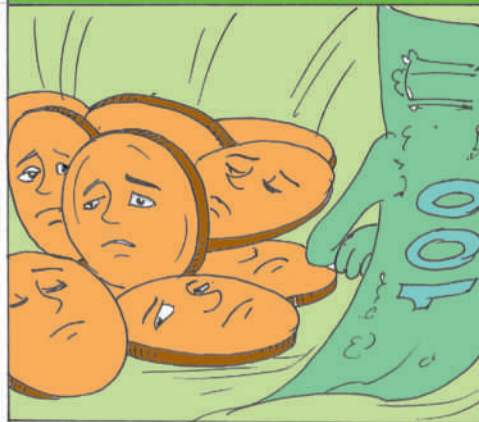
Circulation of copper coin.



Paper notes claiming more values....



Copper coins feels dejected.



Next day.....

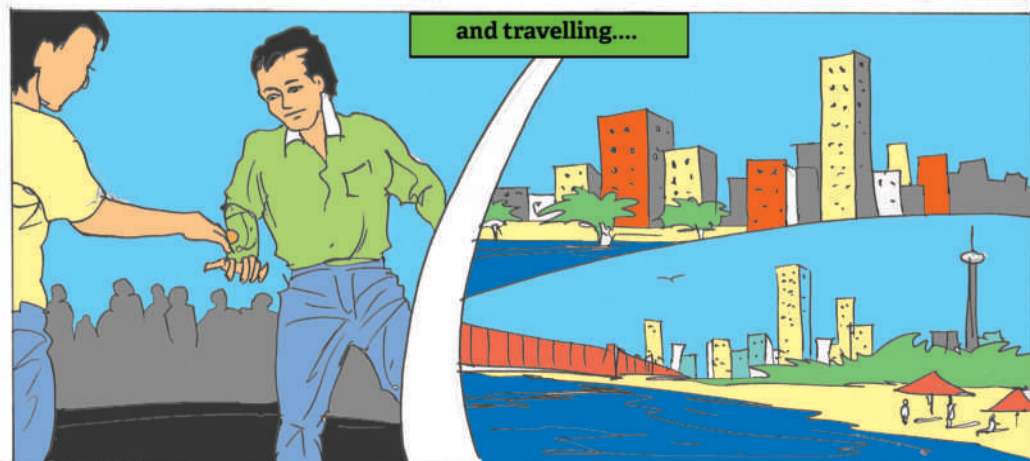


100 rupees note is locked up inside the locker of the owner.

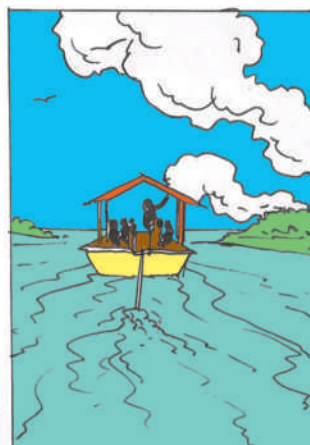


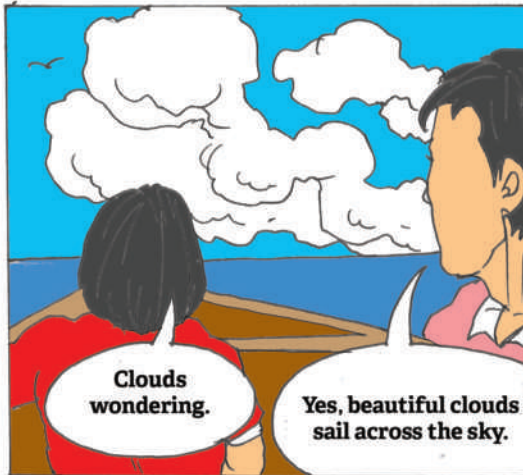
Copper coins enjoys an adventurous life..



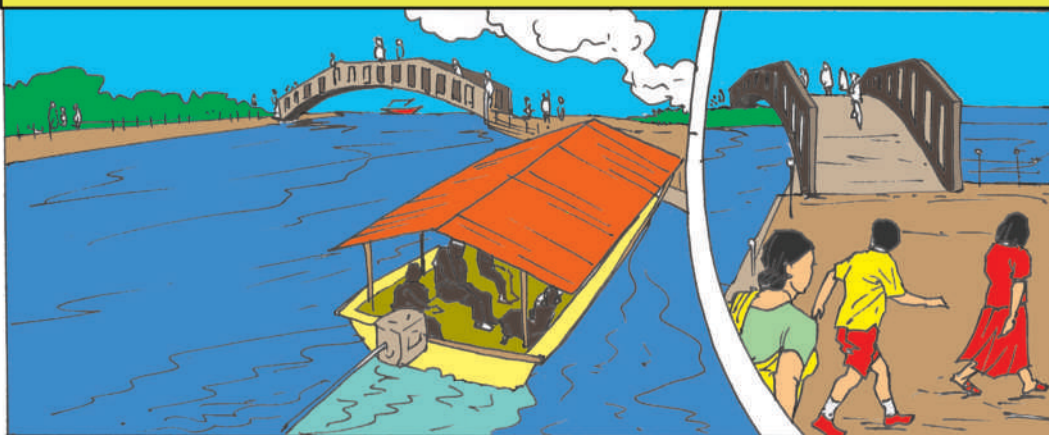


Story No. 13. The Rainbow.





They reached the river bank and look at the bridge.





Story No. 14 Pt. jawaharlal Nehru.



He was born on 14th November 1889



Nehru had a lonely childhood.





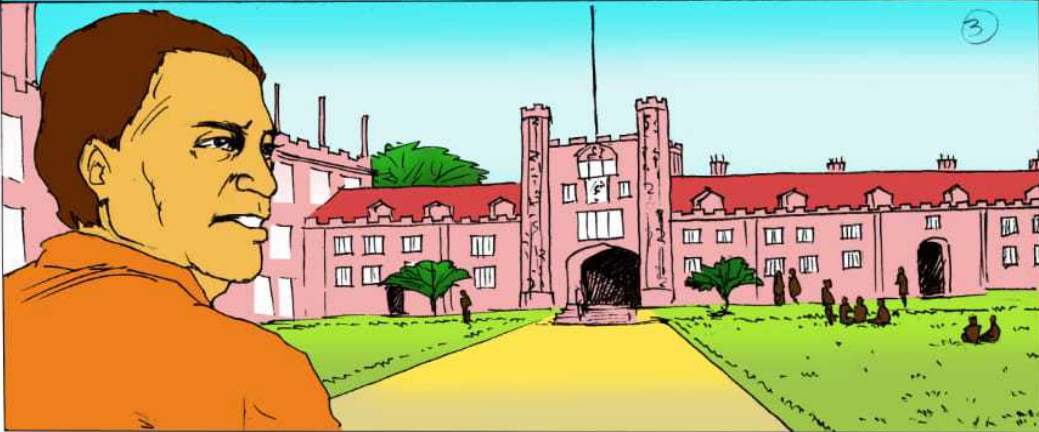
His early education started at home.



Next went to Harow School, England for higher studies.



Next he was admitted to Trinity College, Cambridge.



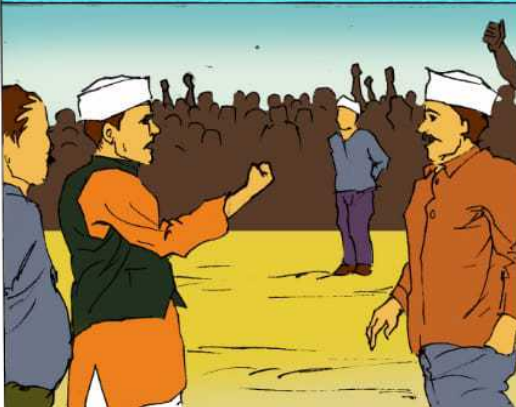
He was also a barrister at law.



In 1912, he came back to India.

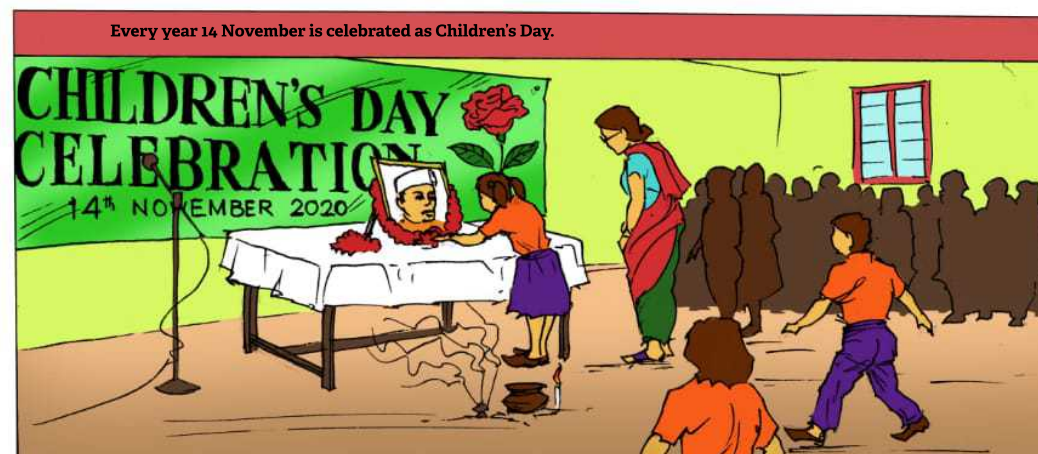
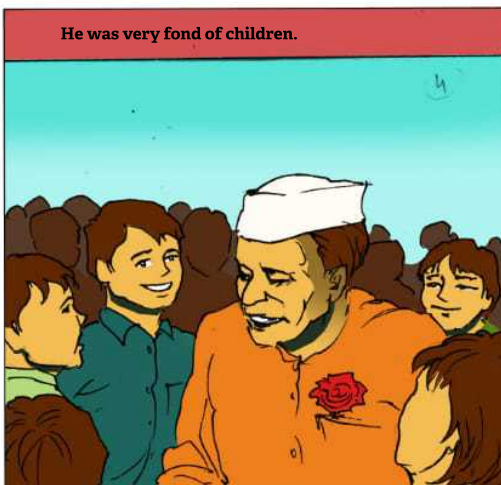


He was part of the revolt.



He was jailed many times.





Story No. 15. Marco Polo.

Marco Polo was born
in 1254 at Venice.



His father Niccolo Polo and uncle Maffeo were rich
merchants.

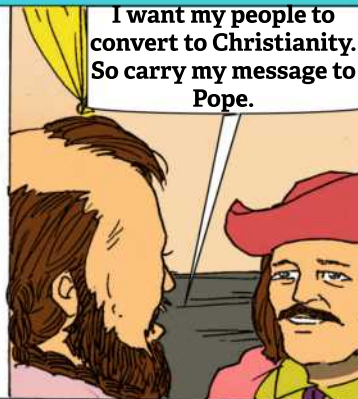


They were close aids of Kubla Khan, Emperor of Cathay.

I want you to travel
to Jerusalem.

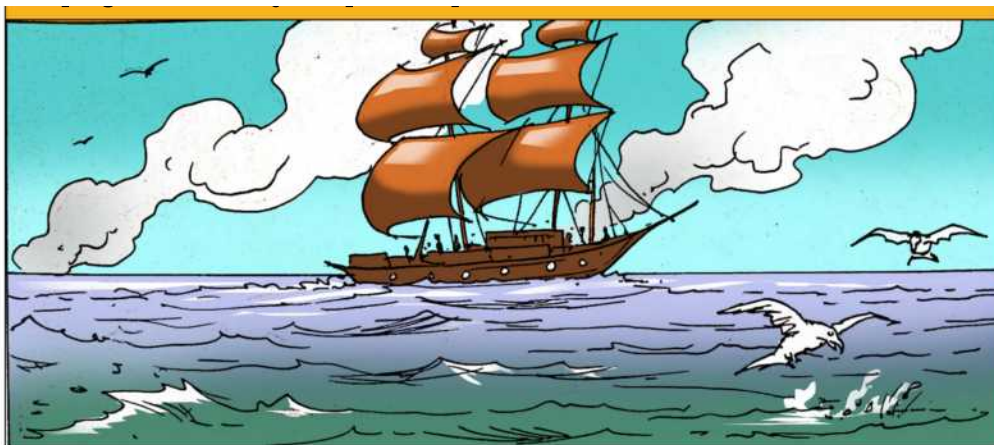


I want my people to
convert to Christianity.
So carry my message to
Pope.



At Jerusalem.





And so they travelled for 3 years to reach Cathay. They braved many storms.



Faced flood on their way.



Travelled by horse.



Sometimes on foot halting in strange cities.



They crossed the wastes of Gobi Desert.



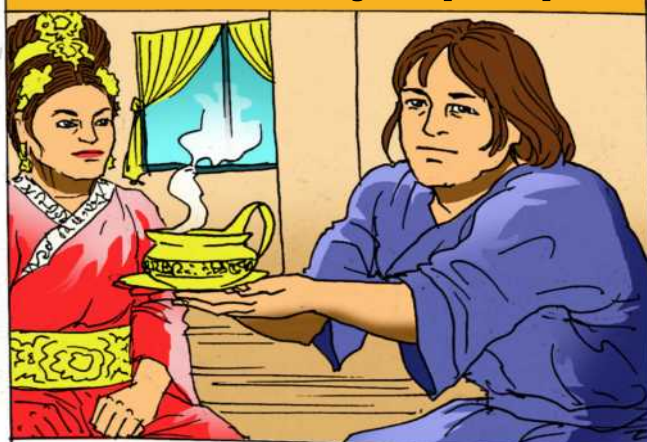
And after 3 years they reached Cathay to a warm welcome.



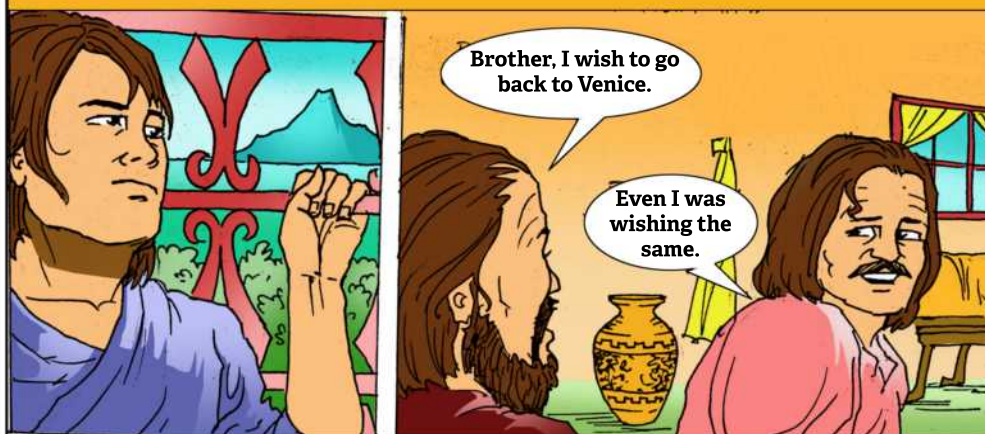
They meet the Emperor.



Marco then continue serving the Royal family.



At last, the Polos felt homesick.

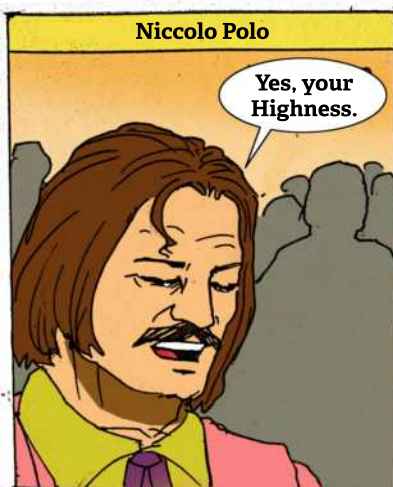


To their good luck, an Embassy from Arghun, king of India visited the Emperor.



A beautiful damsel was selected.

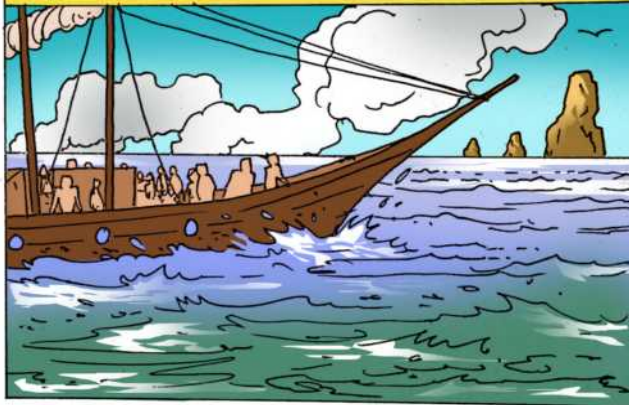




The emperor hands over bags full of rubies and jewels.



The Polos and the new Queen sails out from Cathay.



After 21 months they reached the Indian shore.



Finally, they came back to Venice in 1295



Story No. 16. Khamba's fight with Tiger.

Moirang is a princely town in the state of Manipur. The story of Khamba and Thoibi is the last incarnation recorded in Moirang Kangleirol.



Khamnu shed tears while murmuring.



Your brother is brave and strong. I am sure he'll surely win tomorrow.

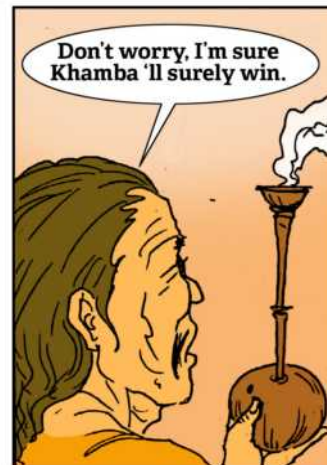


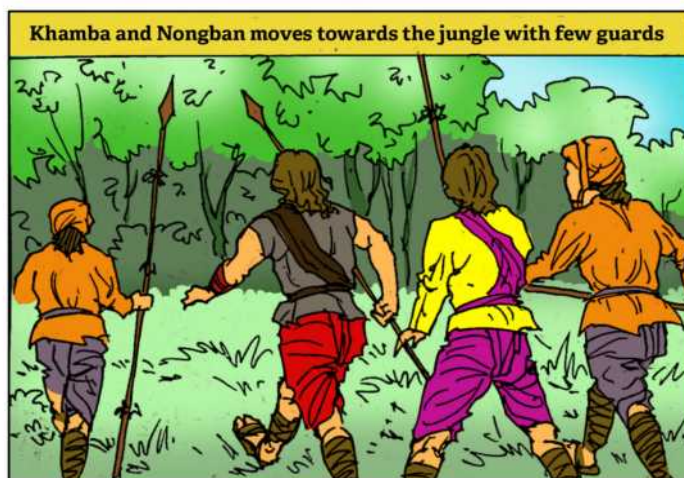
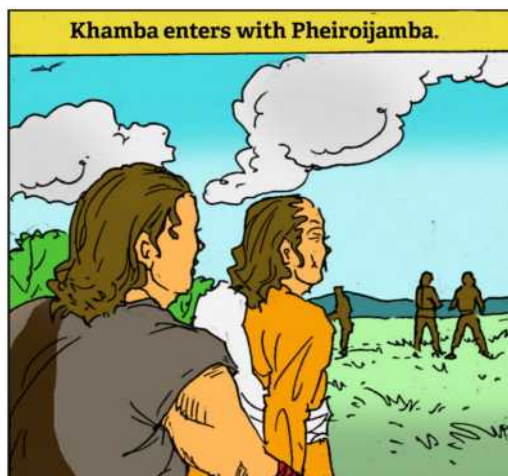
Thoibi enters the kitchen with Senu, her maid.



What's happening?









Nongban badly injured and on the brink of death shouts...



Khamba comes to rescue Nongban.



Nongban looks at the direction from where Khamba comes.

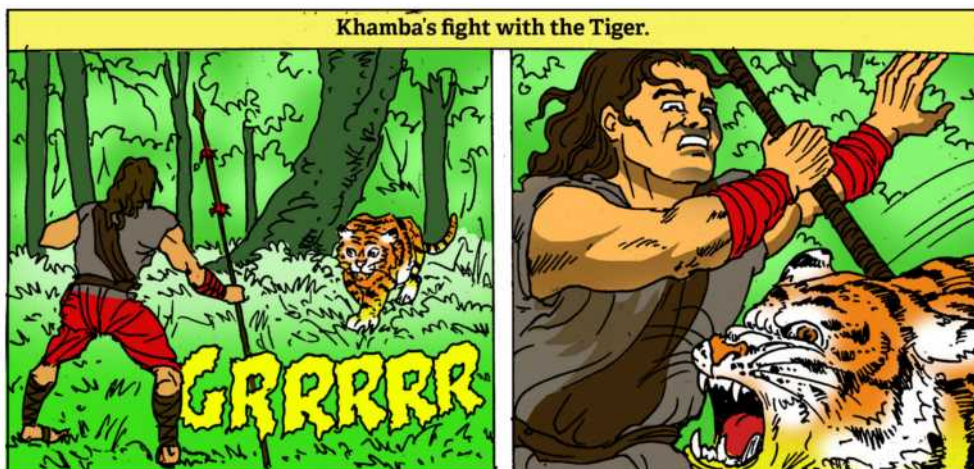


Khamba carrying water in a large folded leaf.



And give it to Nongban.







After a tiresome fight, Khamba kills the Tiger.

Khamba comes out of the Jungle carrying the dead tiger.

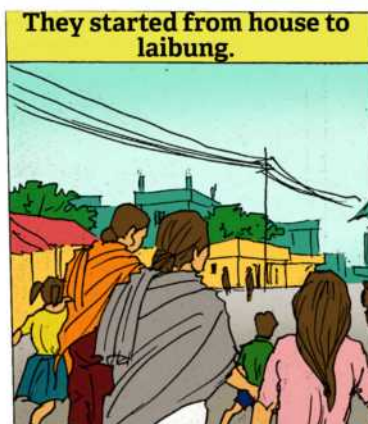


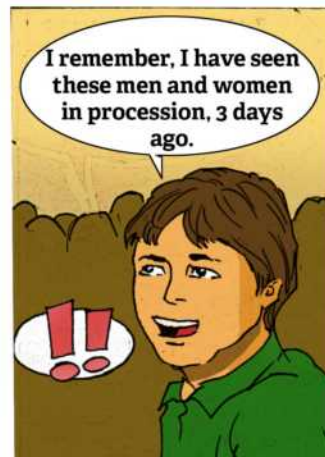
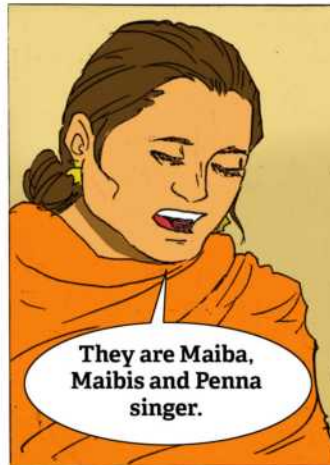
And everyone cheers Khamba.

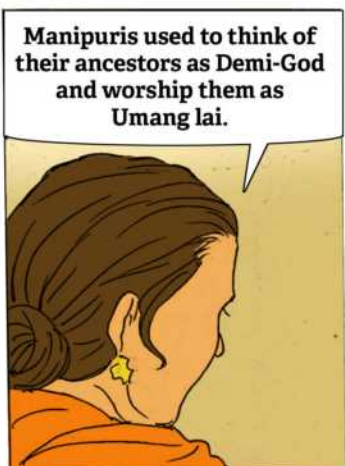
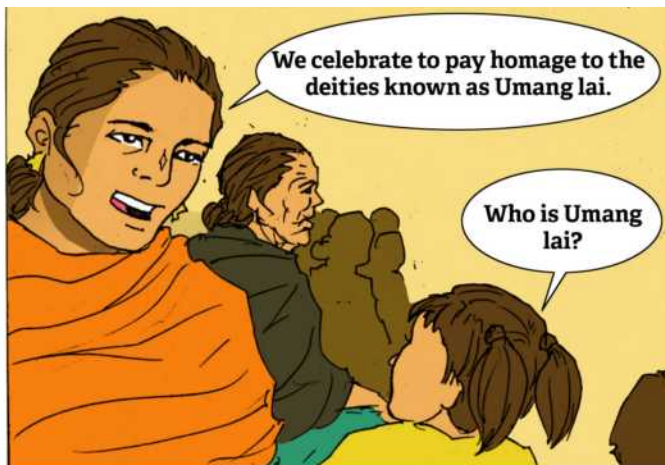
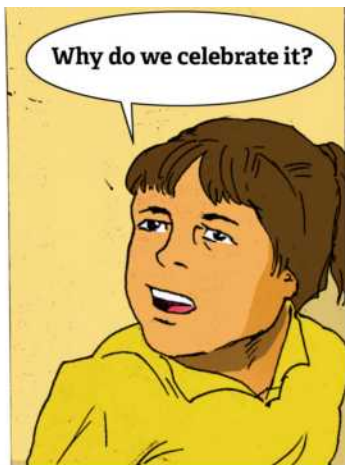


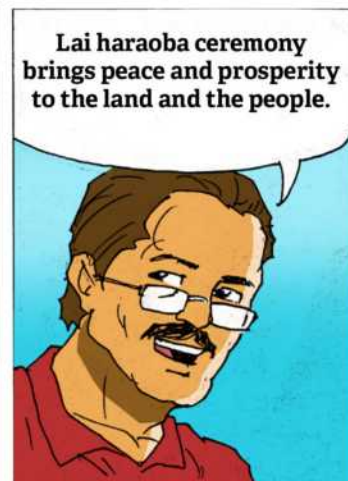
Story No. 17. Lai Haraoba

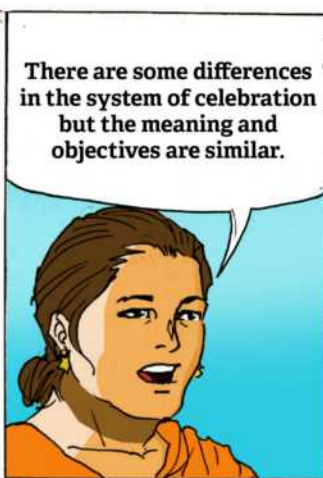
Lembi's family is ready to go at laibung to see the lai aharaoba celebration.











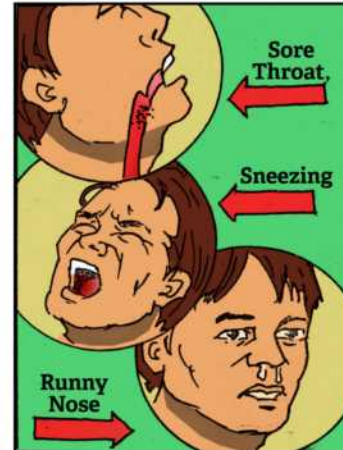
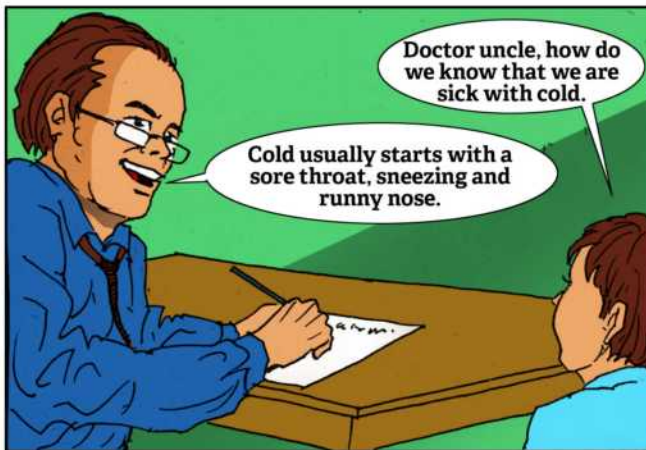
Story No. 18. Kepping youself from cold and flu.

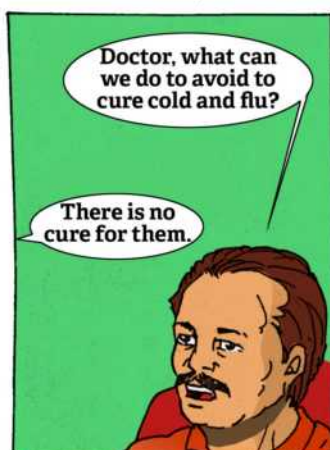
Thanil and his father is coming to a hospital.



They are at the doctor's cabin.







Fluid makes you regain your energy. The body loses fluid while trying to cool itself. It also makes the nose and lungs free from mucus.



Breathing in medicated steam and heating fomentation will also help.

Here is a Chart you can do at home.

Thank you doctor.



Medicated steam: Take a cattle with a spout. Fill half of it with water. Add a little eucalyptus oil or similar medicine.



Heat to boil, make a tube of paper. The sick person can breath in the steam through the tube.



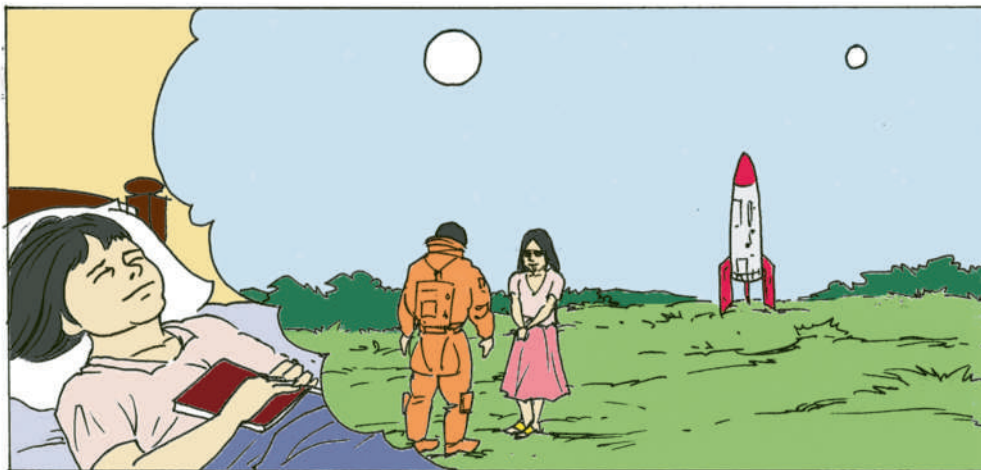
Heating Fomentation: Dip a towel in hot water and wring out the hot water.



Wrap the towel in another cloth to protect the skin. Apply the pack on throat, neck and back of person.



Story 19. The Modern Way.



Jacqueline Newman

**My dear friend come
and see the moon and
the stars.**



Dolly

**It shine like a
diamond in the
sky.**



**Let us see the
wonders and its
wonders.**

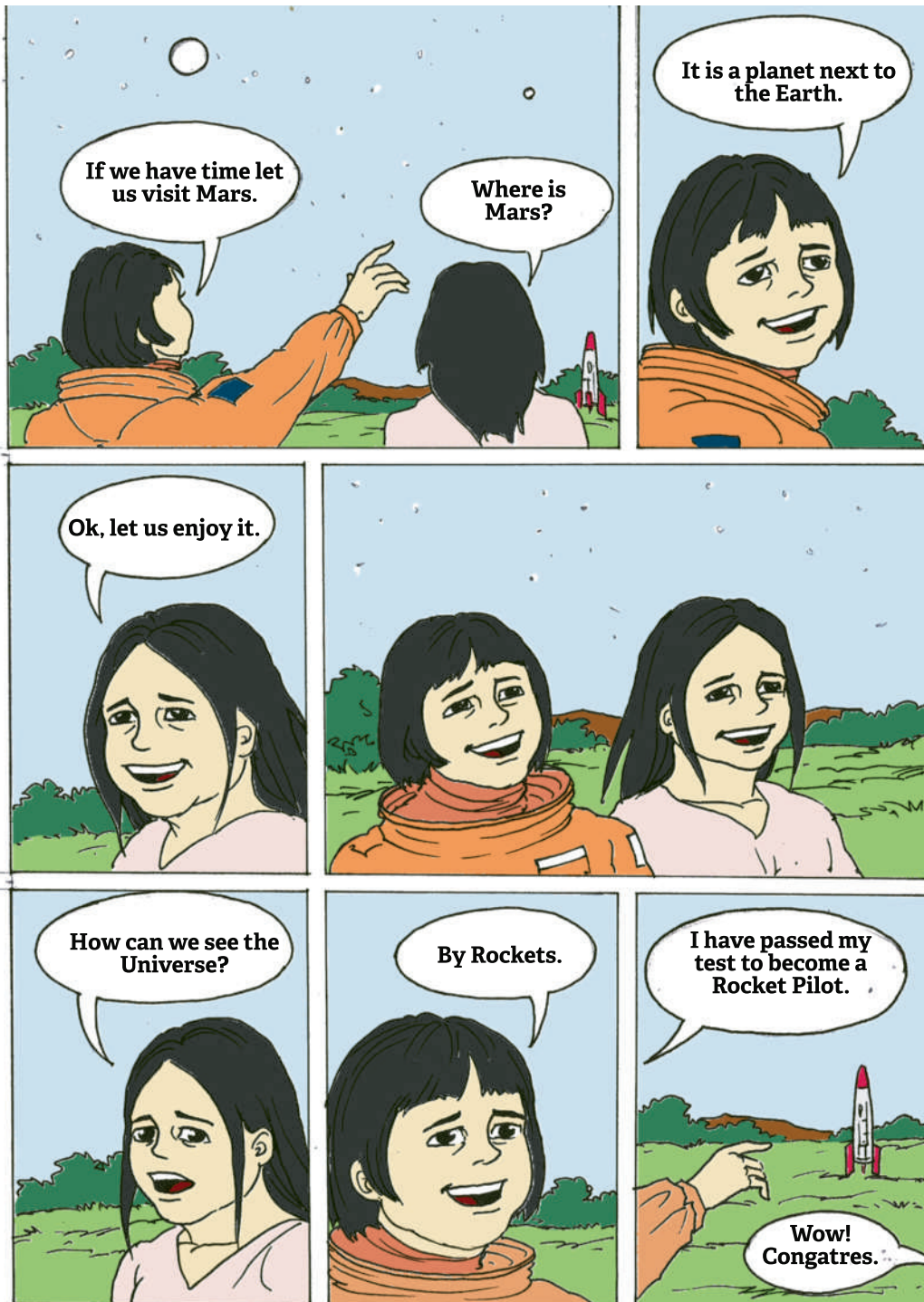


**Beautiful night
with all the
stars.**



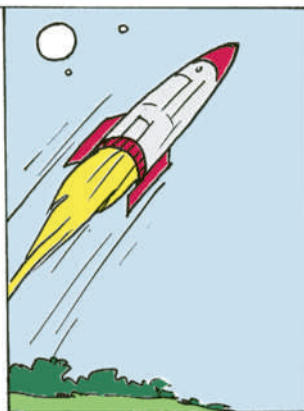
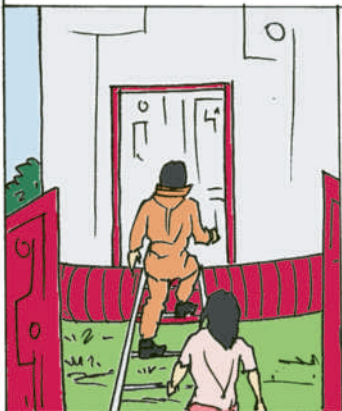
**Ah! It would be
really quite
pleasent trip.**







Both girl entered the rocket and start to ride.



Mothers comes to Dollys room.



Dolly wakes up with excitement.



Oh! It is my dream, sweet and hopeful dream.



Story No. 20 Why do we need newspaper?

Pupu Newspaper, Dada Radio and Little Television are vacationing.



Why do people read you Pupu?



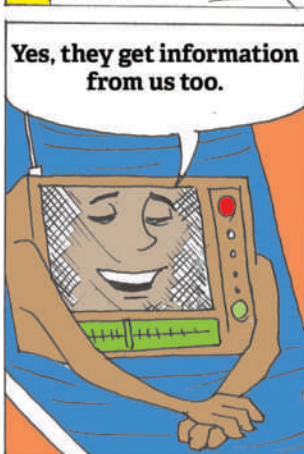
That's because I keep everyone in touch with local, national and world events.



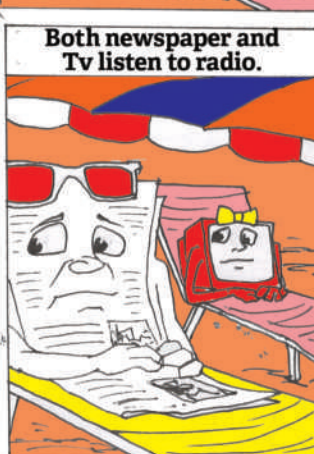
But Pupu people listen to Tamo Radio and watch me also for news and other information.



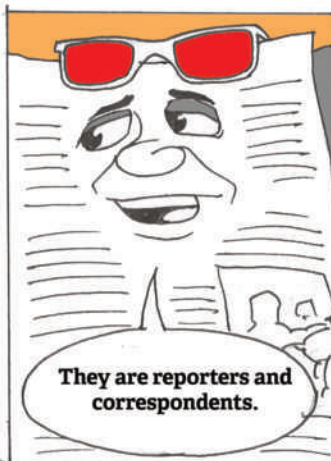
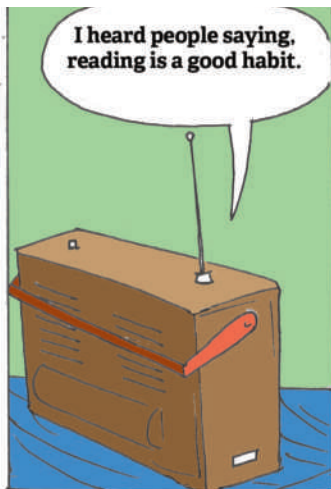
Yes, they get information from us too.

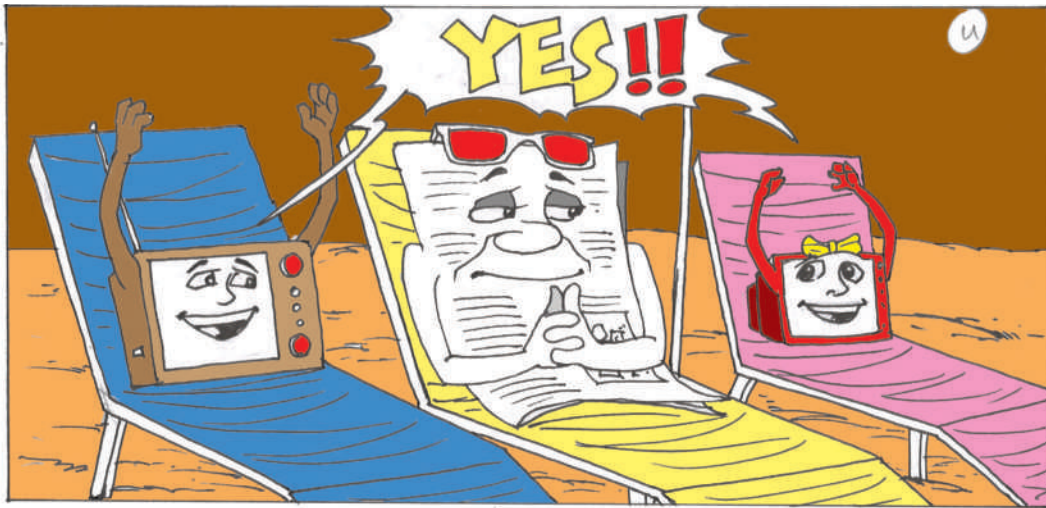


Both newspaper and Tv listen to radio.









And their vacation continues to be an informative one.....

RIGHT TO EDUCATION

"I HAVE THE RIGHT TO GO TO SCHOOL"



Free entitlement under RTE Act 2009:

Free text books, uniforms, free special learning and support materials for CWSN

Provision for 'Special Training'

- If I complete 6 years, I can enter a class with children of my own age.
- If I missed some months or years of school, I can still go to a class in which children of my age are studying. Even If I am 10 years old, I can still go to an age appropriate class and get 'Special Training' to catch up.

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The Integrated Scheme on School Education



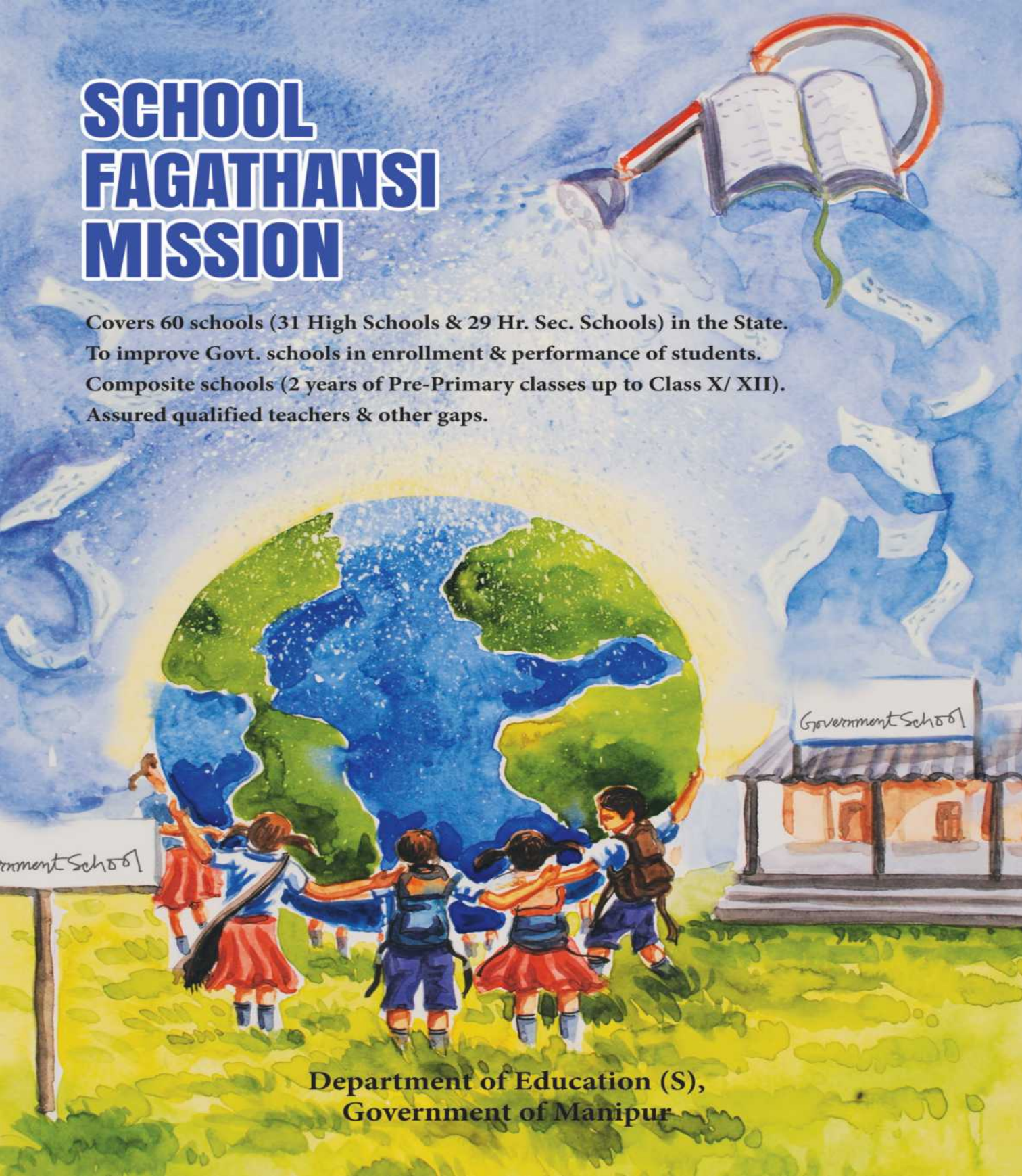
The Integrated Scheme on School Education envisages the 'School' as a continuum from pre-school, primary, upper primary, secondary, secondary to Senior Secondary levels.

The Vision of the Scheme is to ensure inclusive and equitable quality education from pre-school to senior secondary stage.

We support Girl Child by opening special schools for them where, apart from Education, fooding and lodging are provided.

SCHOOL FAGATHANSI MISSION

Covers 60 schools (31 High Schools & 29 Hr. Sec. Schools) in the State.
To improve Govt. schools in enrollment & performance of students.
Composite schools (2 years of Pre-Primary classes up to Class X/ XII).
Assured qualified teachers & other gaps.



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