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“Too idealistic.” Norcal Peace Corps  
Story Jams: “Don’t Tell Mom.”  
August 18, 2015. Dwayne Hunn

To hear some stuff unapproved for  
lunch find Norcal Story Jams.



# If interested in getting more to walk the walk...

- Push your elected reps to push [People's Lobby's](#) American World Service Corps National Service Congressional Proposal
- <http://peopleslobby.us/awsc-congressional-proposal/>
- [http://www.change.org/petitions/view/field\\_21\\_million\\_american\\_world\\_service\\_corps\\_volunteers\\_over\\_the\\_next\\_27\\_years](http://www.change.org/petitions/view/field_21_million_american_world_service_corps_volunteers_over_the_next_27_years)
- <https://www.facebook.com/peopleslobby>

# Not so subliminal intent behind this Peace Corps presentation...

- To build robust national service program that expands Peace Corps, AmeriCorps, Habitat, Doctors Without Borders, Head Start, Red Cross, International Rescue Committee, Oxfam, Mercy Corps, State Conservation Corps, effective local non-profits, in-need schools, etc., to a million annually serving under the American World Service Corp umbrella/banner.

# Yale

MAY 22, 1994

- “And I have one small word of advice because it is going to be tough: Break your mirrors!!! Yes indeed -- shatter the glass. In our society that is so self-absorbed, begin to look less at yourself and more at each other. Learn more about the face of your neighbor and less about your own...”
- “You have such a chance! Oh, how I wish I were you!!!”
  - Sarge Shriver at 79 years young

# Shriver Peace Corps Era

- Rely on initiative
- Involve them, then get out of the way
- Low staff to volunteer ratio
- “Break mirrors,” Sarge said in a renowned 1994 commencement speech he gave at Yale. Stop looking at yourself. Stop being so self-absorbed. Learn more about others — know their hopes and dreams, find out what makes them smile and what makes them weep. That speech hit me.”
- Who?





# Shriver, Puente de Lance

- ***“If the Pentagon’s map is more urgent, the Peace Corp’s is, perhaps, in the long run the most important..... What happens in India, Africa, and South America -- whether the nations where the Peace Corps works succeed or not -- may well determine the balance of peace.”***
- ***Sarge Shriver***



# India, UCD 23

## Urban Community Development in Mumbai...

Worli Chawls, Our Lady's Home, John Connon  
School, Cheshire Home...

# First, trained for Pakistan Rural Community Construction in Brattleboro, Vt.

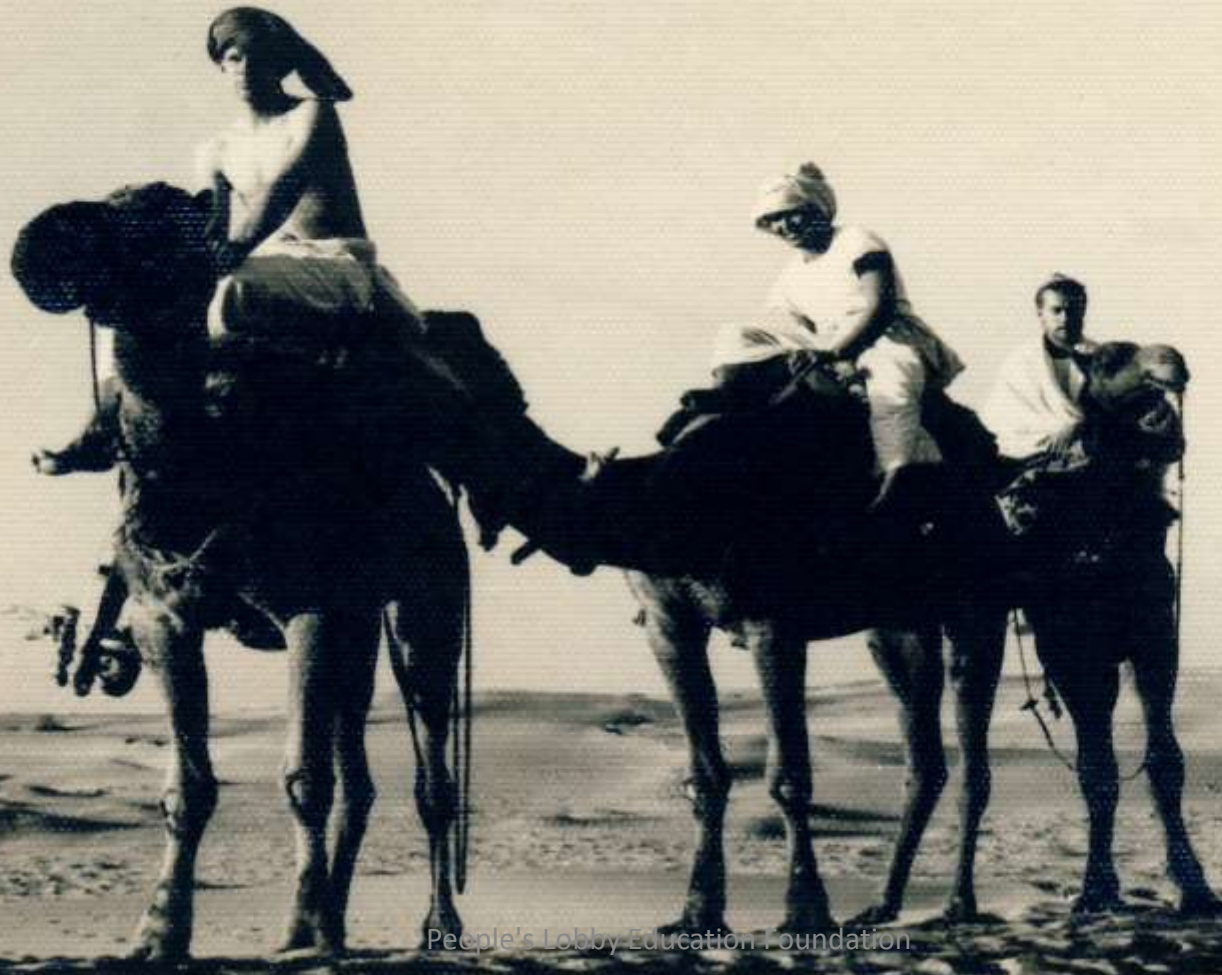




# Delightful 5:30a.m. pushing by 4 sport Olympian Toby Tobias



# Led to unleashing of famed PC Riders



# Ready to switch careers?

- Lawrence of Arabia?
- Architect?
- General contractor?
- Engineer?
  
- Peace Corps offered world of choices...
- Highest failure, drop out rate, test model Asia...



# Columbia & Saul Alinsky School of Social Work





# Field work prep for Bombay... Harlem, South Bronx...



# Next to Christian Damascus Church of Christ





# New York flight day



# Departure day lesson

Like our S. Bronx neighborhood

One of our mom's on departure day.





# Orientation...early sneak out to charming Worli Chawls



# Maharashtra Labor Welfare Center estate, palatial grounds, and 6'x12' room.



Worli's "maiden"... sleeping, movies, rallies...  
and studying by lamp light...



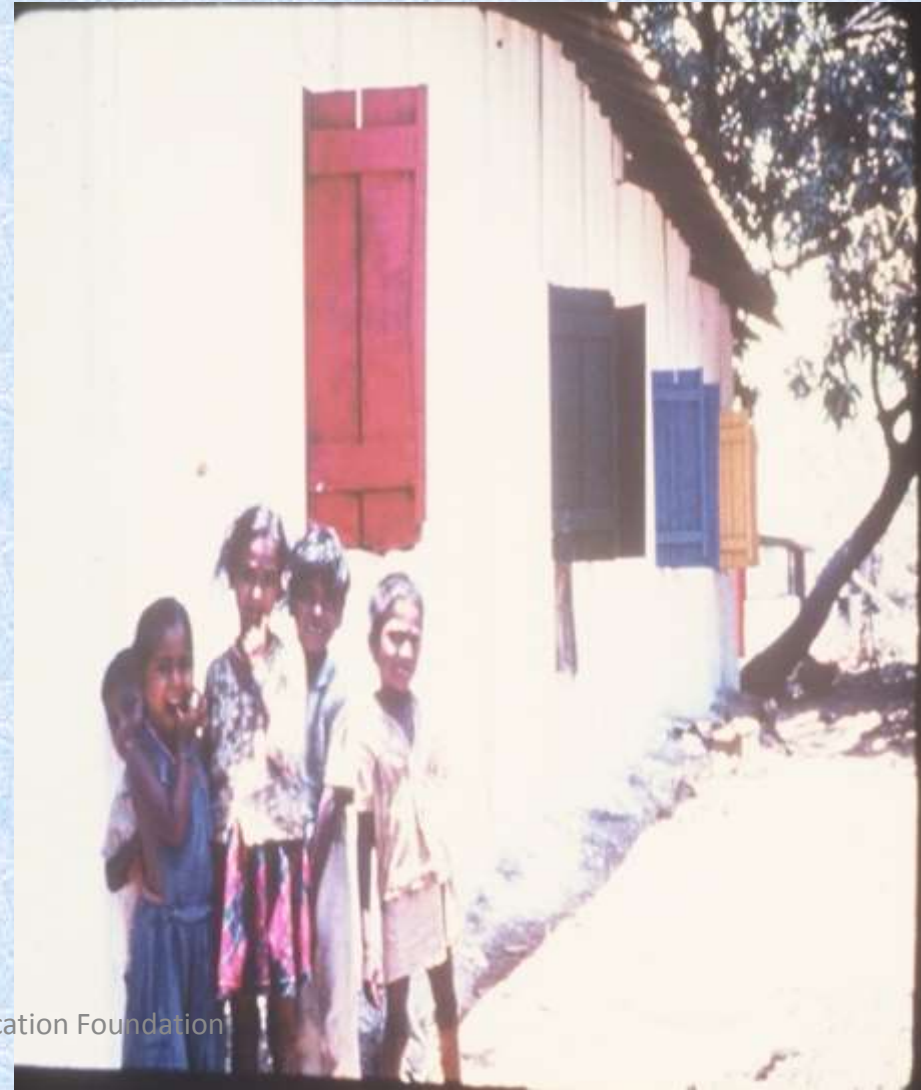


# Neighborhood thugs





# And dangerous Chawl hoodlums...



# Basic needs..."Kaha sundas hai?"

Dysentery





# Urban country living and burnishing religious symbols

**Holy Cow!**

**No diesel emissions.**





# Hutment village... monsoon, moonshine, toilets, ...





# Neighborhood





# Neighborhood hutments



# “So zactly what’d you do?”



- Dr. Pai
- B-ball courts & popularizing
- First urban garden
- Maidan movies
- Library
- Orphans
- Rich kids work camp
- Cheshire Home



# Harvard grad, Dr. Datta N. Pai's first birth control clinic



- Rockefeller Fellowships
- Involved (wealthy) students
- First clinic, Worli
- By my service end, Victoria train station...
- 35 rupees + transistor radio if had 2 kids



So what'd  
you do?

# Victoria Station...Church Gate

## Screened loop services





# Population Earth **7.3 B**



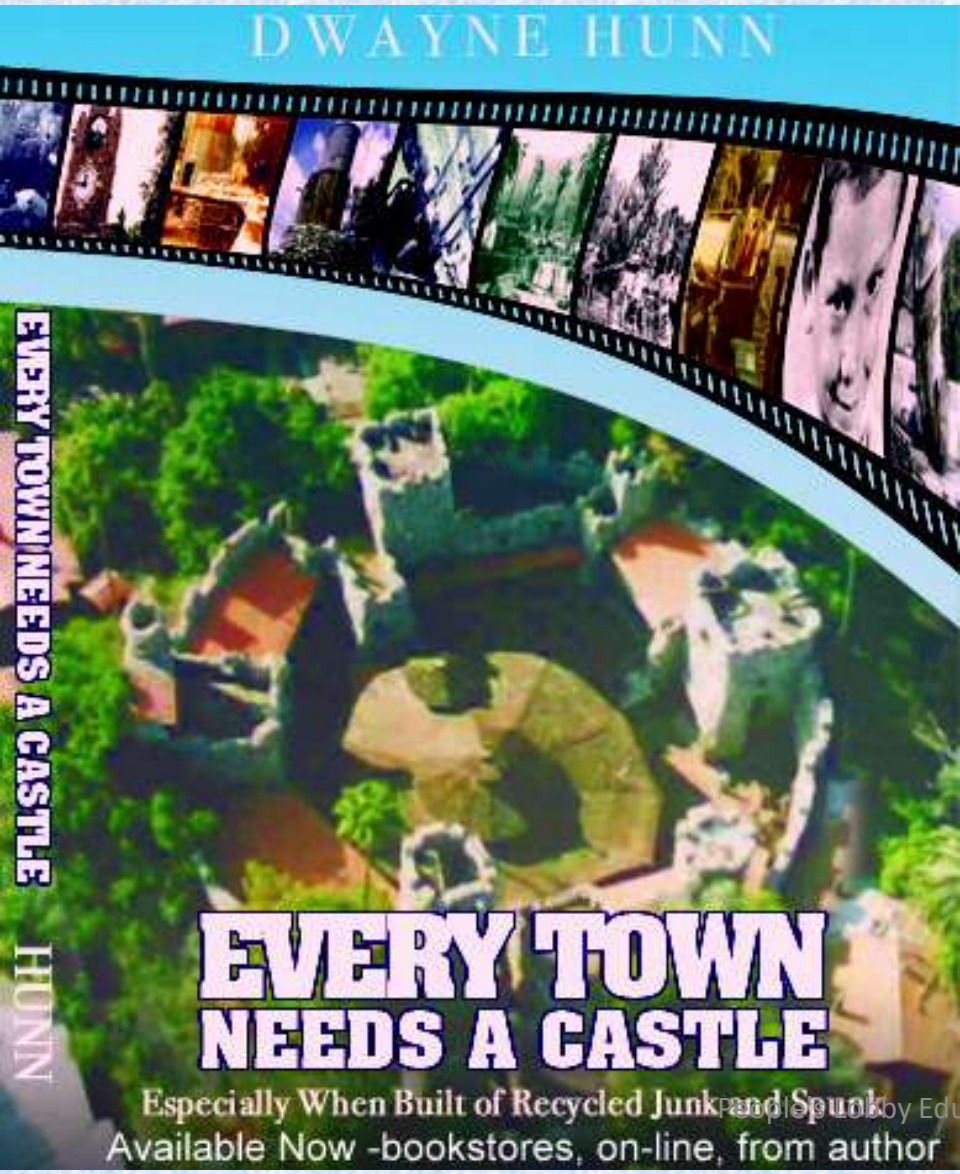
- China **1.38 B**
- India **1.3 B**
- USA **325 M**
- **Bombay 5.5m 1968**
- **Mumbai 22M 2015**

Worldwide:

- **3 B live on < \$2.50 day**
- **1.3 B live on < \$1.25 day.**



# Treehouse 60 Minute TV...Castle plug



# Dr. Pai pops up on my Castle TV

- Dr. Datta. N. Pal says the relentless increase in the world's population is the most serious problem facing humanity. "Nothing less, nothing more."
- Bombay Health Director to India Family Planning Director
- Pushing 7 million 1974-75.
- Finally, "Family planning that works..."





Maverick stock: his father, D.N. Pai, a Harvard graduate who set up the Pearl Centre in the mid-'70s, used to perform vasectomies at railway stations.

Gynaecologist Hrishikesh Pai quietly performed what was probably his clinic's 1,00,000th MTP (medical termination of pregnancy) in around 20 years. Pearl Centre, one of the country's leading abortion clinics, stands at the edge of the railway tracks near Mumbai's busy Dadar station and offers what local wags call the "MTP Express": ...

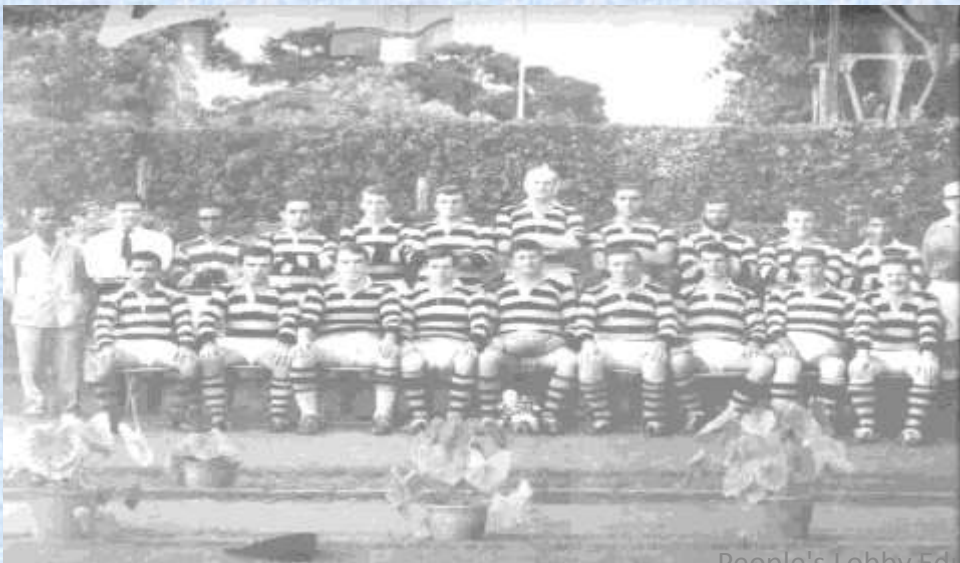




# Playing, coaching, b-ball building



# And for meals & beers





# 'Mali'... Farmers come home...

"My kids'll help..."

**Which reaction to digging?**

**"Bera shab" mentality won**





# India's first urban garden

“Ek ya tin din ka bod barsat gita hai...”





# Mali and Radio Club take over for pregnant & nursing moms



So what'd you do?



**“Work hard study hard...”**

**“Why putting that stuff into...”**

**Worli hall speech**

**PCV asks...**

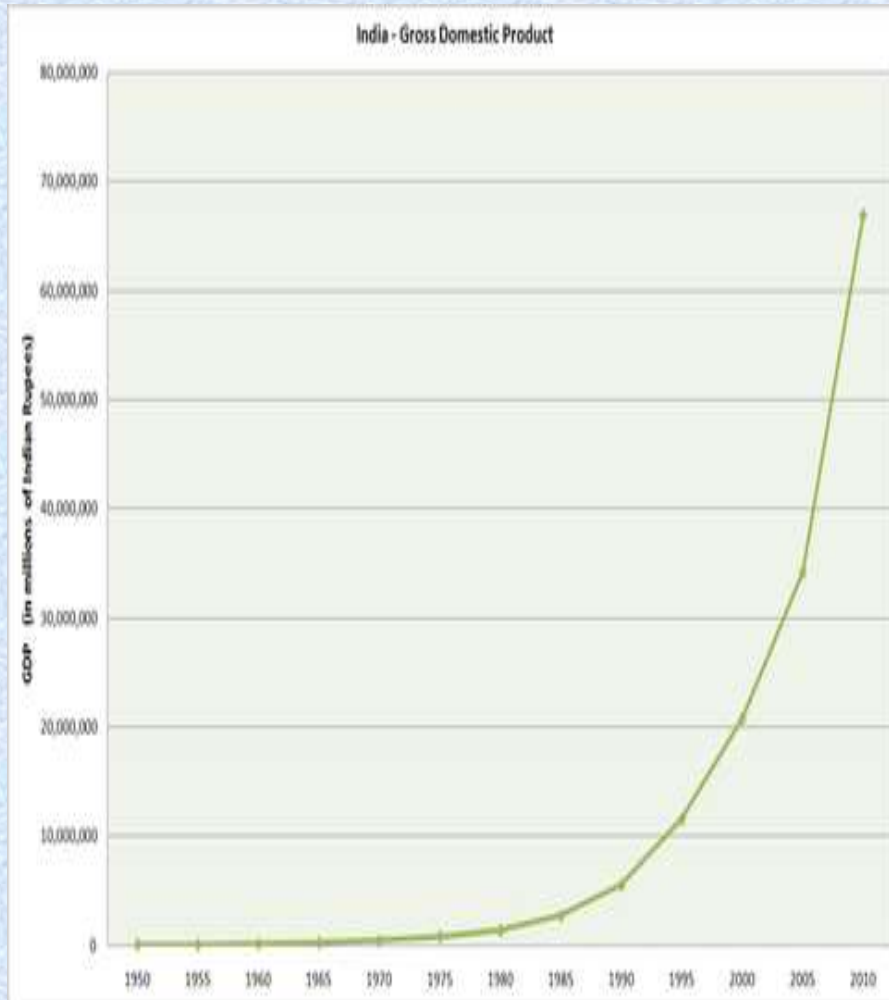


- **“Why do you plant those ideas in their heads! They have no chance...”**



# Study & hard work might've helped?

## India's GDP growth



## India: Top H-1B visas 2009

Table 4A. H-1B Petitions Approved by Country of Birth of Beneficiary and Type of Petition (Number): Fiscal Years 2008 and 2009

Country of Birth	All Beneficiaries		Initial Employment		Continuing Employment	
	FY 2008 Number	FY 2009 Number	FY 2008 Number	FY 2009 Number	FY 2008 Number	FY 2009 Number
<b>Total</b>	<b>276,252</b>	<b>214,271</b>	<b>109,335</b>	<b>86,300</b>	<b>166,917</b>	<b>127,971</b>
India	149,629	103,059	61,739	33,961	87,890	69,098
China, People's Republic	24,174	20,855	9,157	8,989	15,017	11,866
Canada	10,681	9,605	3,968	4,579	6,713	5,026
Philippines	9,606	8,682	3,957	3,734	5,649	4,948
Korea	6,988	6,968	3,029	3,919	3,959	3,049
United Kingdom	4,494	4,180	1,333	1,991	3,161	2,189
Japan	4,312	3,825	1,334	1,710	2,978	2,115
Mexico	3,721	3,346	1,375	1,614	2,346	1,732
Taiwan	3,708	3,218	1,818	1,856	1,890	1,362
Pakistan	3,509	2,556	1,315	1,003	2,194	1,553
France	2,526	2,308	879	1,256	1,647	1,052
Turkey	2,481	2,227	1,054	1,175	1,427	1,052
Germany	2,426	2,107	895	1,031	1,531	1,076
Columbia	2,619	2,027	740	795	1,879	1,232
Brazil	2,010	1,837	784	964	1,226	873
Venezuela	2,022	1,766	579	697	1,443	1,069
Russia	1,796	1,396	541	692	1,255	704
Nepal	1,406	1,231	783	668	623	563
Italy	1,135	1,186	489	695	646	491
Argentina	1,460	1,181	400	457	1,060	724
Other countries	35,549	30,711	13,166	14,514	22,383	16,197

Notes: Countries of birth are ranked based on 2009 data.

# Mrs. & Ambassador Chester Bowles and former Ohio Governor Dick Celeste



- **“Twenty years ago there was no road here, no street lights... Be patient, Dwayne. It takes time. Don’t lose your enthusiasm...”**
- **Truman, Bay Pigs, "Thanksgiving Day Massacre," Kennedy...Ambassador to India second time.**

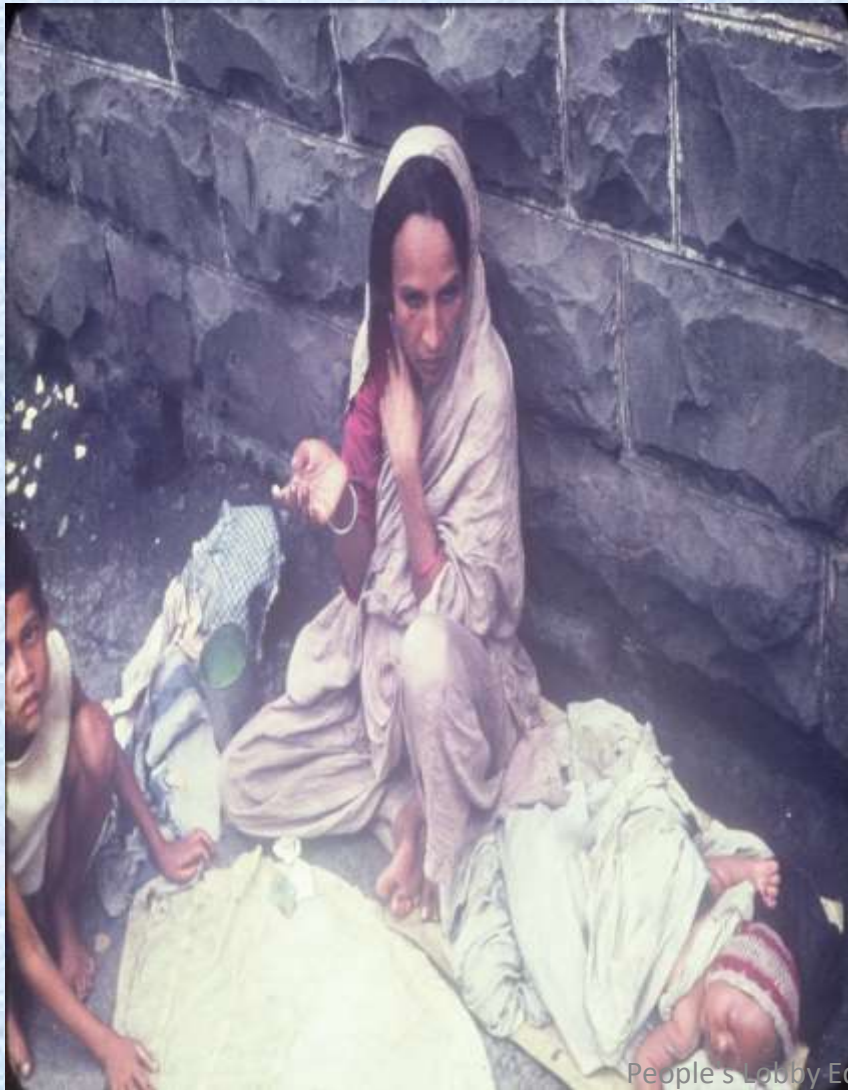


# Richard Celeste backstory



- Knock, knock...
- “Who’s there?”
- Asst. to Bowles
- Ohio Governor
- Peace Corps Director

# Roaming about, one couldn't miss





And remember the prof saying...

“50% of India’s beggars are purposefully maimed.”



- Train station
- PC hostel stories
- Savanta...cook, milk, TB...
- Movie stars vs. chawl teeth...
- Milk card

# Street life

John Connon lunch...



What do you notice?



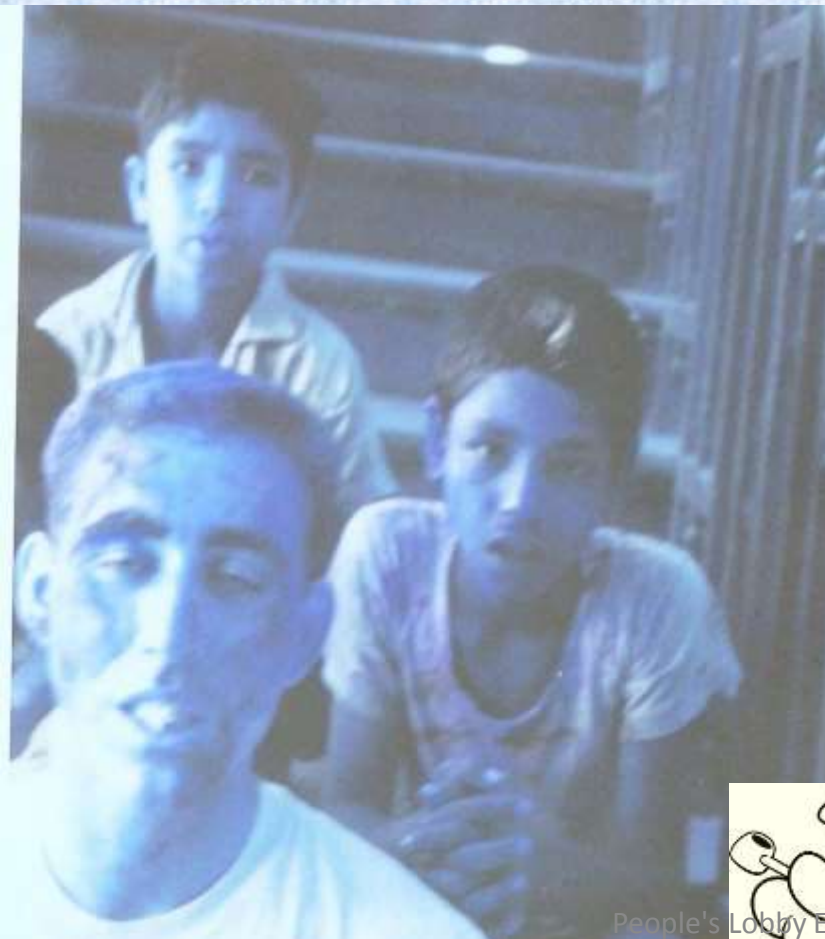


# Library... embarrassing waiting kids

Maharashtra Labor Welfare Commissioner

**Staircase waiters...**

**Grew to hallway waiters.**



# Worli's first library



- Free books from embassies, etc., as with maidan movies night
- Locked books from Commissioner's collection.



# Our Lady's Home

**Our Lady's Home Orphanage**



**Angry, dangerous kids**



# Calisthenics... some Ali... Olympic team...

American or English workouts?...  
Bedlam.



Kids wanted some Ali...





# Pope Paul VI visits, OLH gets first beds

Fr. Nelson's boys



Then & today

- ½ plantain a day
- Meat once month
- One change
- Today:
- Singer sewing machines
- Big kitchen



# Cathedral John Connon School (CJC)

These students & CJC school...

differ from OLH orphanage?





# Cathedral living... American/Indian giving...

## India School Certificates, 12<sup>th</sup> grade

### Three city schools among top 50 offering ISC, ICSE

**BEST RESULTS** Students' performance in this year's exams among the best in the country, survey finds

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**MUMBAI** The city has three of the country's top schools offering Indian School Certificate (ISC) and Indian Certificate of Secondary Education (ICSE) courses, according to a recent survey.

In the rankings, which were based on student performances in the ISC and ICSE 2011 exams, Cathedral and John Connon School, Fort, recorded the second best result out of the top 10, while Laxotibai Podar School in Santacruz and St. Sakharedev Singhania School in Thane were ranked 11 and 12 respectively.

Released on Tuesday, the list was compiled in a report by The Learning Point, a collaborative online project run by students of top institutes. "We ranked the top 100 schools across the country based on their performance in ISC and ICSE exams this year," said Prashant Bhattacharji, founder of the project.

While Welham Girls School, Dehradun, stood first in ISC, and St. Mary's School, Pune, topped in the ICSE exams, Mumbai's

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<p><b>BEST PERFORMANCE IN ICSE CATEGORY</b></p>  <p><b>LAXOTIBAI PODAR HIGH SCHOOL, SANTACRUZ</b></p> <p><b>Category:</b> Institution with more than 200 candidates</p> <p><b>Stats:</b> 156 students scored above 90% and 293 students scored more than 80% out of a total of 576 students who appeared for the exam.</p>	<p><b>BEST PERFORMANCE IN ISC CATEGORY</b></p>  <p><b>CATHEDRAL AND JOHN CONNON SCHOOL, FORT</b></p> <p><b>Category:</b> Institution with more than 70 candidates</p> <p><b>Stats:</b> Performed second best in the country.</p> <p><b>Other city schools like Lokeshwala Foundation School; Campion School, Fort; Arya Vidya Mandir, Bandra; Greenview's School, Peddar Road, and Queen Mary School, Grand Road, were also mentioned in the survey.</b></p>

on the students' performance this year. This was under the category of schools with 70 or more candidates. Cathedral and John Connon School had 87.8% of its ISC students scoring above 90%, 68.2% met the benchmark in

it was boosted due to a variety of reasons. Special programmes to strengthen subjects like Maths, Science and English, and round-the-clock tutoring have helped," said Meera Joshi, principal of the school.

the exams. Laxotibai Podar School was on the number one position in ICSE exams in this category. "Maintaining quality is a challenge because of the large numbers, but through extra practice sessions and testing

St. Sakharedev Singhania School was ranked 11 in this category for ICSE exams. "We train students only for the ISC exams and nothing else, we don't give any special coaching and preparation to students. Despite

- Malabar Hill
- Chauffeured tinted limos
- Lunch restaurants
- Famine ... well fed parties





# Cheshire Home connection to CJC

Paraplegics, incurables, bed-ridden...

**The Nurse - Sister Teresa & 3 nuns**



**Otherwise, on the streets**





# Cheshire Home cares for people

Like this...



CJC School students did their first work with those who have much less...

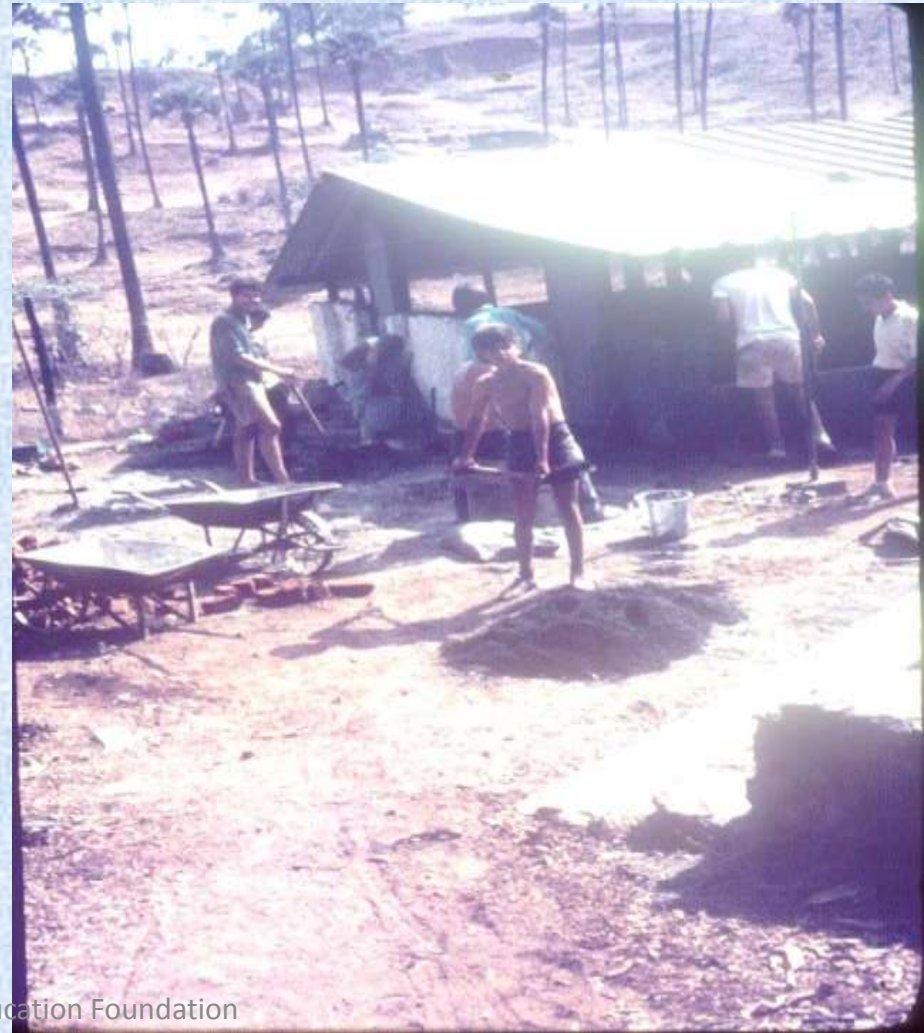


# Cheshire Home Chicken coup

**Chicken stuff**



**Rich kids sweating with chicken stuff**





# Cheshire Home garden, painting...













# 20 of those rich kids & teachers after

**Sleeping under tent for about 10 days**

## **Building**

- Chicken coup
- Garden
- Painted sweepers caste's home
- Arts & crafts
- Assisted sisters
- Ate gruel
- First physical work for...
- Developed world similarities.





# Thanks

- Remember to Google...
- American World Service Corps  
National Service  
Congressional  
Proposal that  
grows the Peace  
Corps and more.
- [www.peopleslobby.us](http://www.peopleslobby.us)



Other most important accomplishment...  
*artifying* Kiki & Mel's estate.





# Medivacing Miss Katy after UCD Mash Team operation...



# Stage-handing the magnificent production of Lawrence of India





# Inventing India's West Coast offense, later stolen by Bill Walsh.



*Bamboozalizing* development strategies with one of the most awesome brain trusts in PC history.

